

Analytics Bootcamp

INSTRUCTOR-LED | 1 WEEK | 40 HOURS | ONSITE OR REMOTE

OVERVIEW

Every business area can benefit from better understanding and working with its data to make effective decisions. In this training, participants practice using data to make effective decisions for sales, product, and marketing use cases.

OUTCOMES

- **Level 1 Data Skills:** Wrangle, explore, model, and communicate the results of analyses with Excel, SQL, and Tableau
- Apply your skills to a final analytics project relevant to your business

IDEAL FOR

- Digital marketers who want to improve marketing spend, gain better insights from campaign data
- UX designers and product managers who want to better understand how data around card sorts or website analytics translates to user experience.
- HR manager who want to apply more comprehensive and validated statistical analysis to HR data

PRE-WORK

Based on DA1 pre-assessment results, learners are assigned up to 20 hrs of [Analytics Fundamentals](#) online pre-work to prepare for class.

AGENDA

8 hrs

Data Cleaning and Aggregation with Excel

Level-set on the analytics workflow from identifying a business problem through communicating insights and begin building wrangling skills in Excel.

8 hrs

Querying Data with SQL

Learn the benefits of working with data out of databases and continue building wrangling skills in SQL.

8 hrs

Organizing Data with SQL

Deepen your ability to explore data and segment it for analysis.

8 hrs

Exploring Data in Tableau

Begin connecting data across multiple sources and practice data manipulation in Tableau.

8 hrs

Communicating Data in Tableau

Wrap up your learning by building a dashboard to demonstrate your ability to answer key business questions and provide insights through strong and interactive visualizations.

Capstone Project: Conduct and present a full analysis specific to your business

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DAY 1 OVERVIEW

Level-set on the analytics workflow from identifying a business problem through communicating insights and begin building wrangling skills in Excel.

DAY 1 OUTCOMES

- Understand how databases work
- Work through a problem and use logic to conditionally select, clean, and segment data needed to solve it

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DAY 1 AGENDA

2 hrs

The Value of Data and Data Narratives

Level-set on the analytics workflow from identifying a business problem through communicating insights and begin building wrangling skills in Excel.

1.5 hrs

Fundamentals of Data in Excel

Practice asking the right questions of data, and preparing and cleaning a dataset to analyst it against that question.

1.5 hrs

Data Referencing in Excel

Manipulate and build relationships between data and cells in Excel.

1.5 hrs

Data Aggregation in Excel

Summarize and explore data with aggregate functions, PivotTables, and conditional formatting.

1 hr

Final Project Context

Discuss final project deliverables and provide in-class time to workshop and refine their final project deliverables.



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DAY 2 OVERVIEW

As we dive into working with bigger datasets, students need to learn to query with SQL to properly obtain and prepare their data.

DAY 2 OUTCOMES

- Understand how databases work
- Work through a problem and use logic to conditionally select, clean, and segment data needed to solve it

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DAY 2 AGENDA

2 hrs

Databases

Understand how databases work
Set up a database on your computer

2 hrs

Querying Data

Understand how agile wrangling supports deeper analyses
Work through a sales database to query and connect data to complete an analysis

2 hrs

Aggregating Data in SQL

Develop segmented views and calculations to dive deeper on your sales analysis

2 hr

Cleaning and Segmenting Data in SQL

Deal with nulls and use cases to improve the accuracy and segmenting of your sales analysis



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DAY 3 OVERVIEW

While querying data is useful, joining different datasets unleashes the potential of our analyses.

DAY 3 OUTCOMES

- Combine and clean data
- Work through the same problem and use logic and subqueries to summarize and analyze data

PRE-WORK

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DAY 3 AGENDA

1 hr

Review and recap

Review previous day and provide time to work on and workshop final project with peers and instructors.

2 hrs

Joining Data

Join data across store dataset and sales datasets to continue optimizing your analysis.

2 hrs

Segmenting Data in SQL

Create filters and sub-selections of sales and population data to continue segmenting datasets for analysis.

2 hr

Functions in SQL

Apply string, math, and date functions to perform a summary analysis of the sales dataset.



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DAY 4 OVERVIEW

The more complex the data, the more nuanced our visualization techniques and tools must be.

DAY 4 OUTCOMES

- Develop heat maps and other advanced visualizations to derive deeper insights from data
- Conduct a Twitter sentiment analysis

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DAY 4 AGENDA

1 hr

Review and recap

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2 hrs

Fundamentals of Tableau

Join data across datasets and begin building visualizations to analyze user and geographic data in a bikeshare program

2 hrs

Visualization and Text Manipulation

Dig in on advanced visualization techniques and an introduction to text data manipulation and interpretation

2 hr

Social Media Analysis

Conduct a sentiment analysis on Twitter web data



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DAY 5 OVERVIEW

As we dive into working with bigger datasets, students need to learn to query with SQL to properly obtain and prepare their data.

DAY 5 OUTCOMES

- Create calculated fields to analyze data
- Develop dashboards to address ongoing analytics questions

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DAY 5 AGENDA

1 hr

Review and recap

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2 hrs

Calculations and Analysis in Tableau

Practice Tableau calculations and visualizations to effectively communicate which product categories are over and underperforming

2 hrs

Dashboard Actions and Analysis in Tableau

Practice building dashboards using cell phone metadata that allow users to explore the data on their own

2 hr

Statistical Analysis in Tableau

Practice conducting statistical analyses on either:

- Call center data to measure effectiveness and efficiency of call center agents
- Superstore data to develop a correlation coefficient analysis of subcategory sales versus profit segmented by region

