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(57) Abstract: A method for defining aggregate levels (Fig. 2B), aggregate sub-levels, and cross product levels to be used for aggregation in a data store having one or more dimensions (Figure 2A). Levels are defined corresponding to attributes in the dimension, so that data can be aggregated into aggregates corresponding to values of those attributes (Figure 3A and 3B).