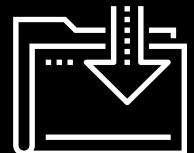




Data Analytics & Visualization Boot Camp

Data Boot Camp
Online—Welcome Session



WELCOME!

Mandi Ginn-Franz- MBA, M.Ed

**Student Success Manager
[she/her]**

My goal is to help you successfully complete the program

My background is in higher education and student services, with a focus on educational leadership and diversity. I have an MBA and a Masters of Education and I love learning new things!

I enjoy reading and listening to audio books, traveling, watching documentaries, and spending time with my husband and 2 cats.

You can reach me at mginnfranz@bootcampspot.com



Ryan Specht-Boardman

Program Coordinator for the UW Flexible Option
University of Wisconsin Extended Campus

Favorite Quote: *Society grows strong when old men plant trees whose shade they know they shall never sit in.*

Email address: ryan.spechtboardman@uwex.edu



Niño Yosinao

Instructor

Since I was young, I was into numbers and math, as well as their applications. I pursued both a BA and MA in Mathematics before working in various math-adjacent positions. I then took the Trilogy Data Analytics Bootcamp in 2018, became a TA after graduation, and have been teaching since January 2021. Alongside being an instructor for this course, I am currently employed as a Data Analyst and Specialist

I like to tell stories and show students various ways to approach a topic. Patience and warmth conducive to effective learning is what I strive for.

In my free time, I enjoy walking, playing video games, reading dystopian literature and science fiction, trivia, and Wikipedia random walks



Nick Groesch

Teaching Assistant

Among other things, I'm a full-stack developer at Hertz. I was a educated and worked as a philosophizing musician and educator for several years before I began coding in Trilogy Education full-stack bootcamp at Northwestern in 2019. After graduation I began working as a TA and tutor for Trilogy.

The first language I taught myself after bootcamp was Python, so that I could do the kind of things we will be doing in this course. The next language I want to learn is Clojure.

In my free time ... if I get some, I'll get back to you on that. Because self-care is important in bootcamp, I schedule time to play Mozart, Stravinsky, and Call of Duty, walk my parents' dogs, and call my loved ones.



Orientation Overview

What Will I learn?

By the end of this session, you will:



Get to know your instructional and support staff members



See how to successfully navigate your boot camp portal



See how virtual classes work and successfully complete this first session



Configure multiple technologies that will play a vital role in your toolkit of success



Be aware of the career services available to you and how to access them



Understand the minimum requirements in order to successfully graduate from this boot camp

Boot Camp Experience

What does “for working professionals” mean?

What it means:

- Only 2 virtual classes per week
- Support from instructional staff on weekends and evenings
- Curriculum built around common real-world scenarios



What it DOESN'T mean:

- You can commit less time than our in-person offering
- You'll need less discipline to complete the course
- You can restart the course again at a later date
- You won't be challenged!



Life in the Boot Camp

01

Online Lessons

Every week will present new lessons to install and learn new tools, all **anchored on a real-world project.**

02

Live Support

We'll come together weekly to cement the concepts from your self-paced learning.

Structured **optional** classes, office hours, and study halls provide **additional support** throughout the week.

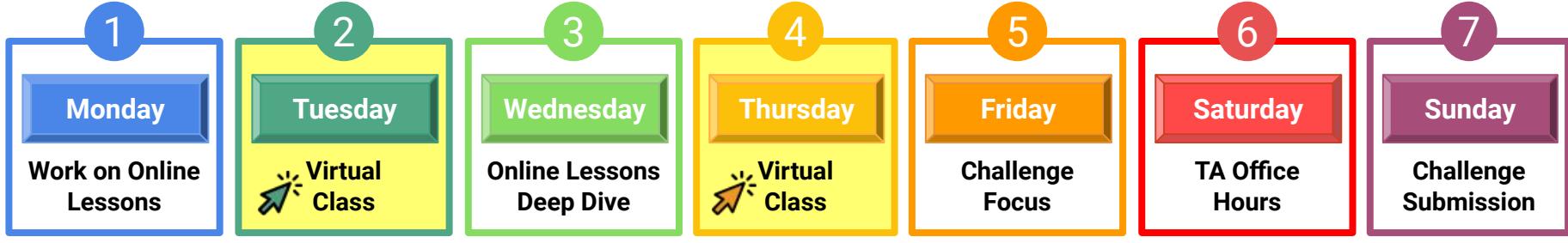
03

Weekly Challenge

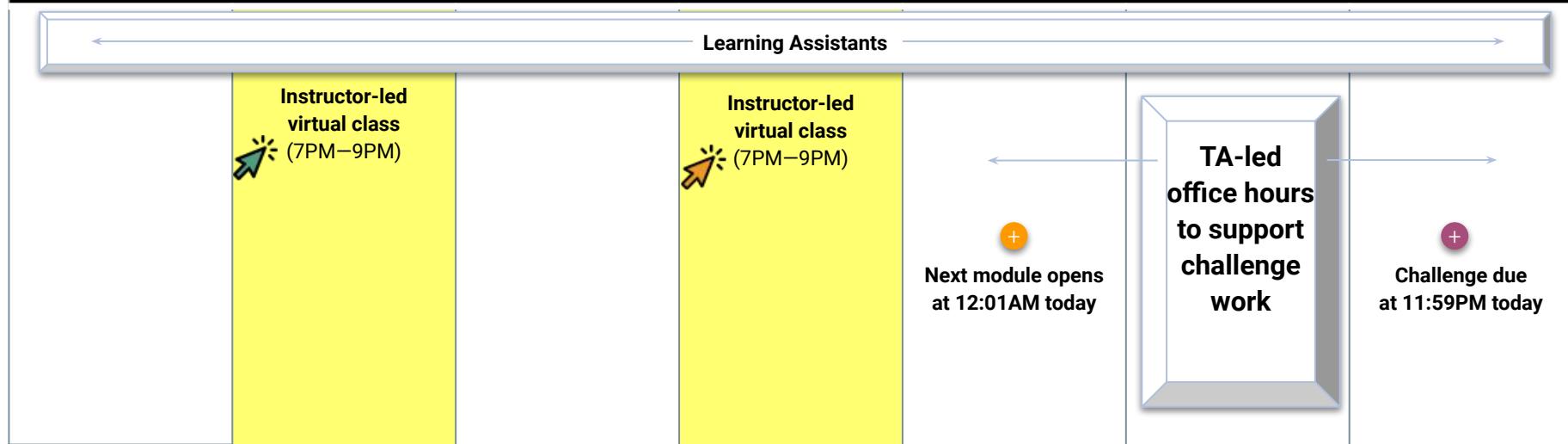
Each week, you'll submit a challenge assignment around the module's technologies.

The last 5 weeks are built around a **comprehensive team project** that integrates all the skills of the course and provides a valuable work product.

Weekly Calendar

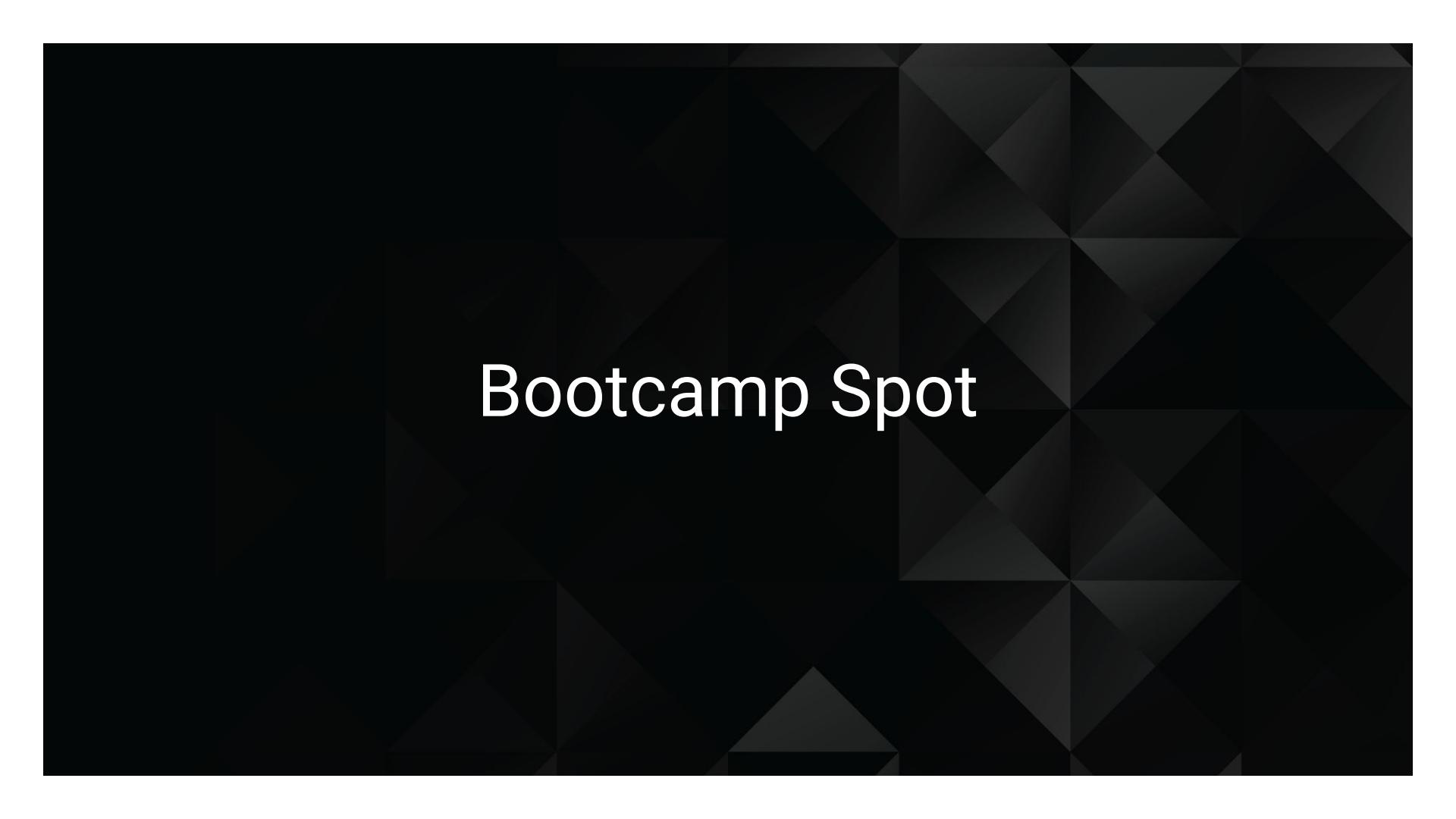


Academic support





We will teach you how to
fish, but we won't *give* you
the fish.

The background of the slide features a dark, almost black, abstract pattern composed of numerous small, semi-transparent triangles. These triangles are arranged in a way that creates a sense of depth and perspective, resembling a star or a complex geometric design. The overall effect is modern and minimalist.

Bootcamp Spot

What will I use Bootcamp Spot (Canvas) for?

Here's what you'll do in Bootcamp Spot:



View course content and lecture videos



Submit Challenge assignments as files, text or links to GitHub



Take quizzes and assessments



Connect and participate in your Virtual Classes with Zoom



View your grades and module progress

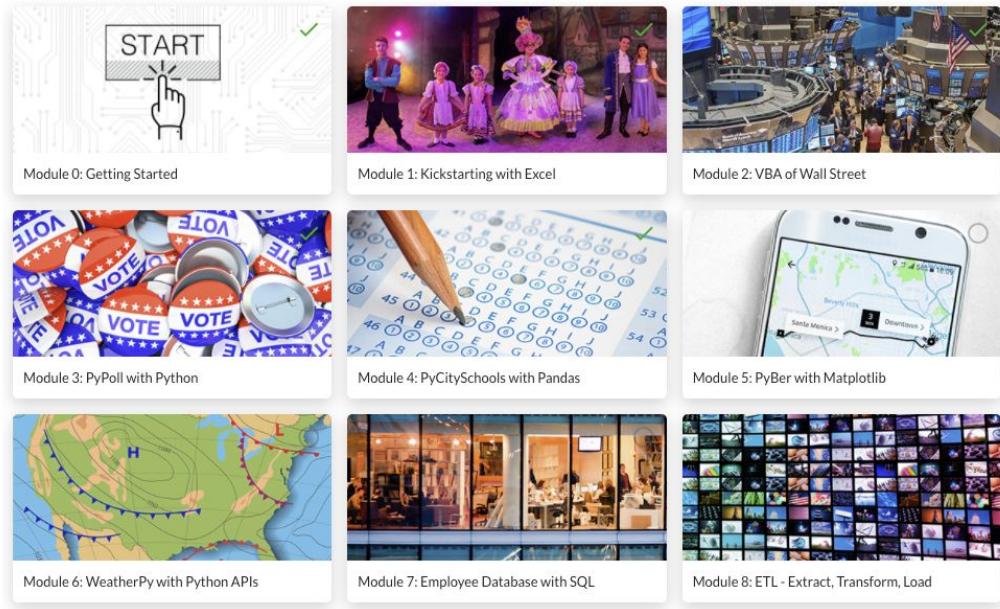


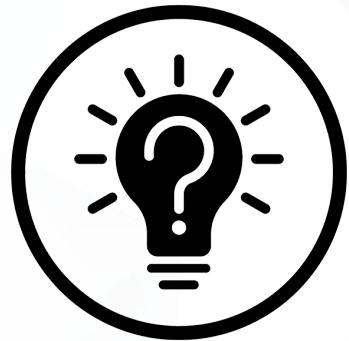
Find information on and connect with Career Services

My Course in Bootcamp Spot

Your Bootcamp Spot homepage will look similar to this:

Today, we'll show you the layout of your course, and go over the process of navigating through your first module and talk about how to submit your first Challenge assignment.





Questions

Our Classroom Values

We Never Stop Improving

We lend an ear to both praise and feedback to deliver our best work.
This process is a journey and not a destination.

We Bring a Can-Do Attitude

We confront challenges with enthusiasm and figure things out. We value effort, commitment, learning, and an attitude toward growth.

We Only Succeed Together

Teamwork is critical to our success, and we place a tremendous value on how we work together across the entire cohort.

We Respect the Rights, Differences, and Dignity of Others

We want to create a learning space where people can bring their full selves. In order to do this we must all respect the diversity of our experiences and how it contributes to our learning.



Virtual Class Best Practices

Best Practice 1: Always Mute

Please keep your microphone muted, unless you are called on or your host asks for feedback/communication.



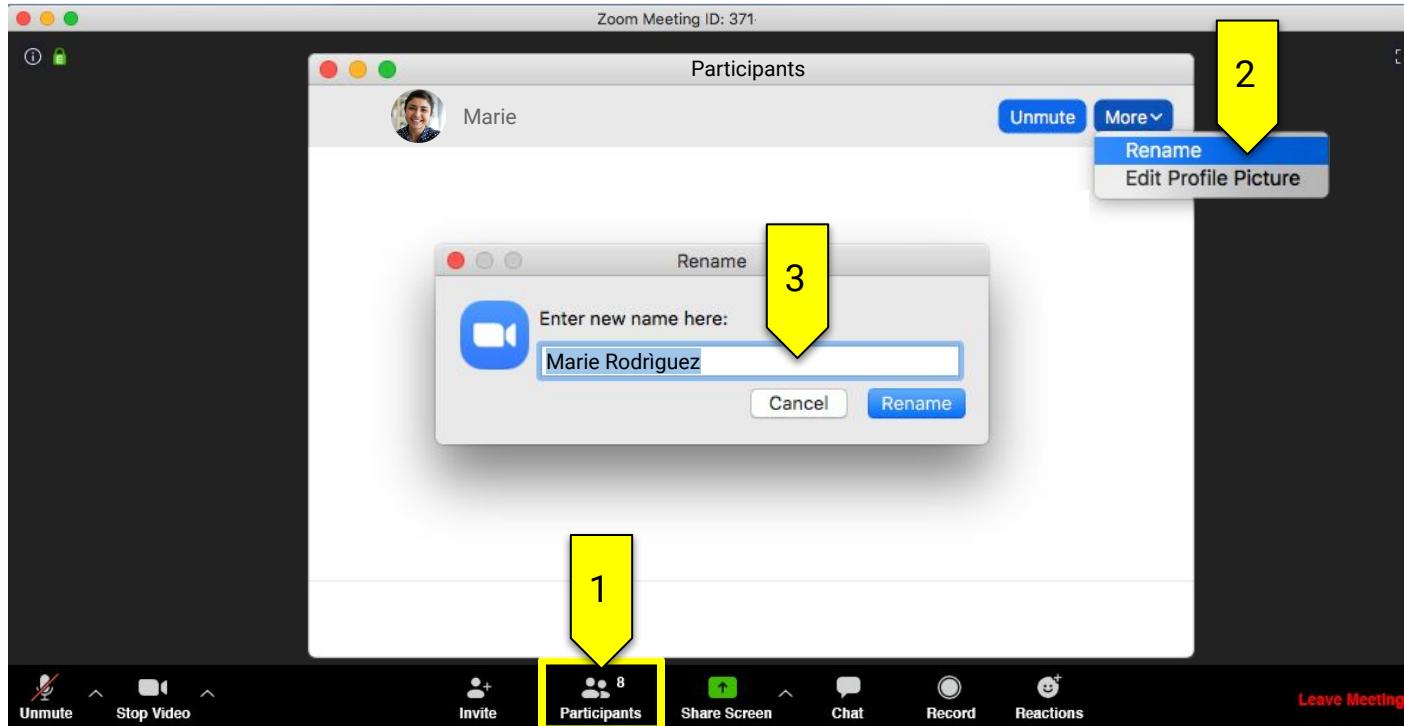
Best Practice 2: Turn Your Video On

Kindly turn your video on so we can see you.



Best Practice 3: Update Your Name, Pronouns

Please update your name under the Zoom *Participants* tab to your full name.



Best Practice 3: Actively participate

We ask that you actively participate in the session by answering questions and being a part of the conversation in your class's Slack Workspace or Zoom chat.

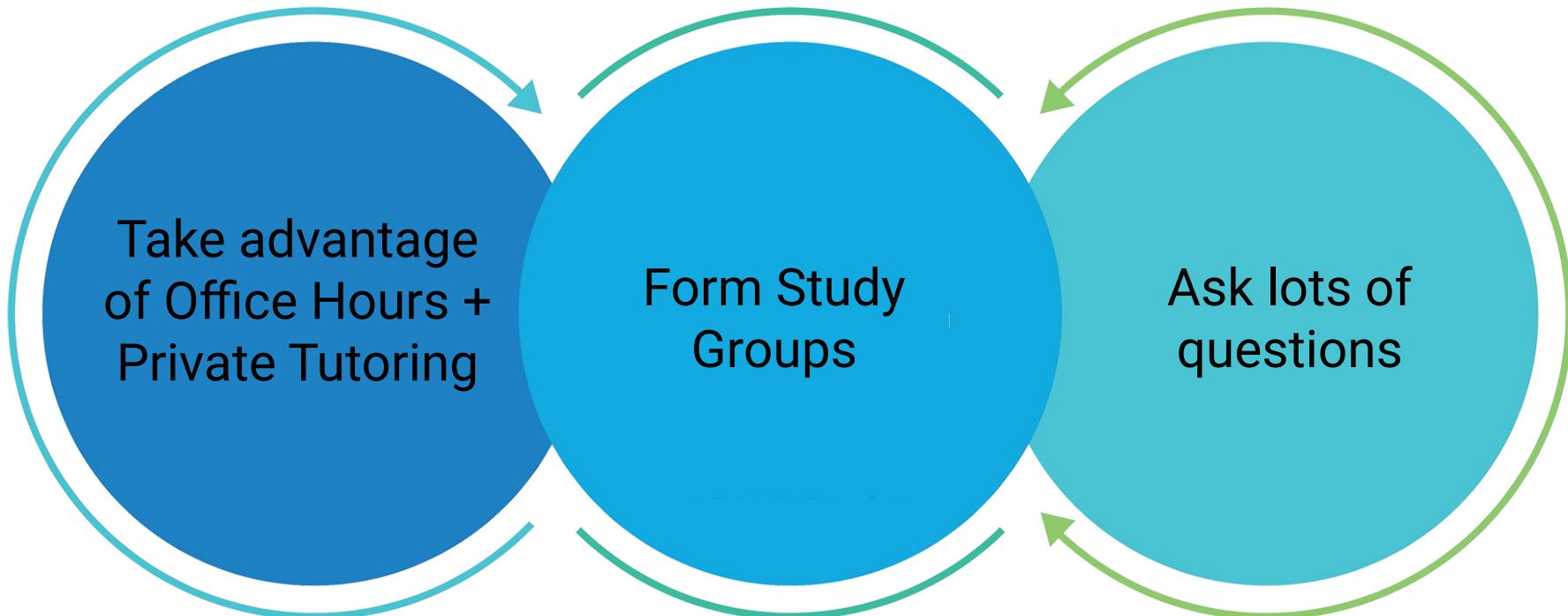


Tips for Success [KEEP FOR TTH]

Use a calendar (digital or physical) to plan out your weeks

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7:00 AM							
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6:30 PM		Office Hours	Dinner Break	Office Hours			
7:00 PM	Homework (2 hours)	Instructor-led virtual class	Homework (3 hours)	Instructor-led virtual class	Homework (2 hours)	Homework (2 hours)	
7:30 PM							
8:00 PM							
8:30 PM							
9:00 PM							
9:30 PM							

Tips for Success



Minimum Graduation Requirements

These are the minimum graduation requirements.



Miss no more than 8 Required Virtual Classes



Have no more than 2 incomplete Challenge assignments



Participate in all class projects



Tuition Paid in Full

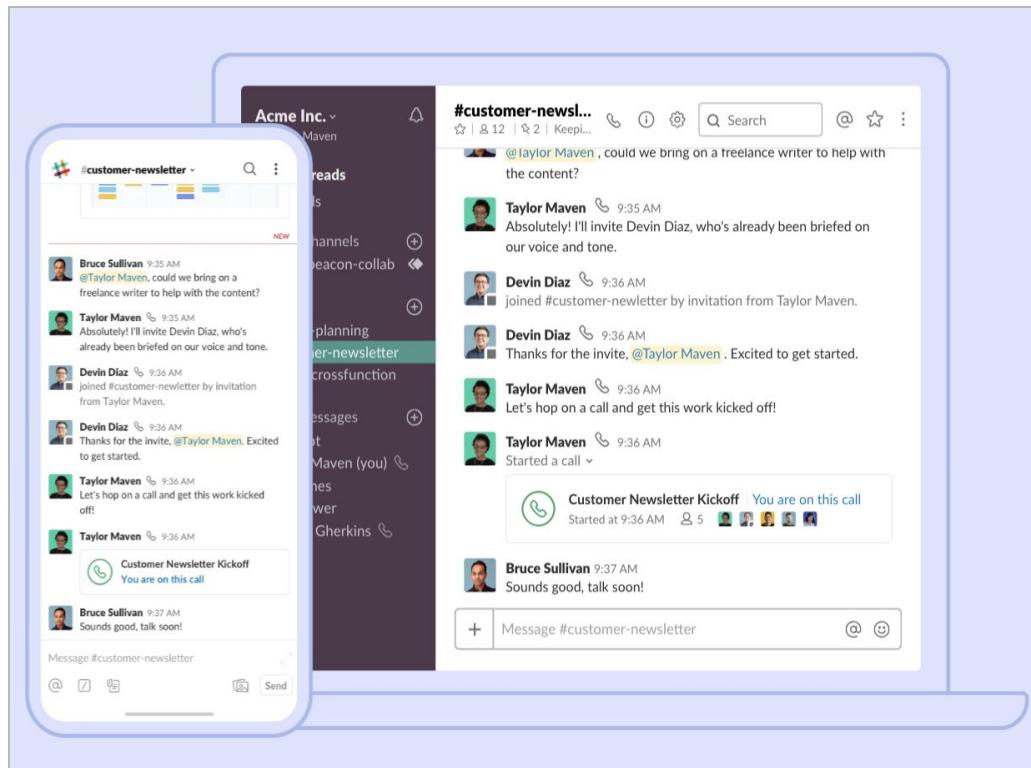


Policies

Collaboration on Slack

Slack is the shared virtual workspace where your class will interact during and outside of class hours:

- This class requires a lot of collaboration, so being able to share messages and files quickly is crucial for our success!
- After creating an account, be sure to bookmark the URL in your browser for easy access.



AskBCS Learning Assistant

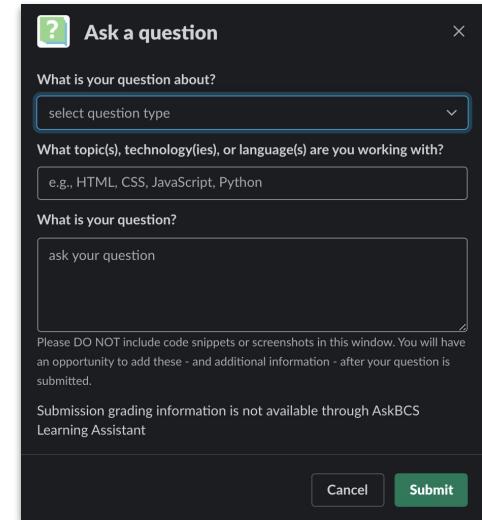
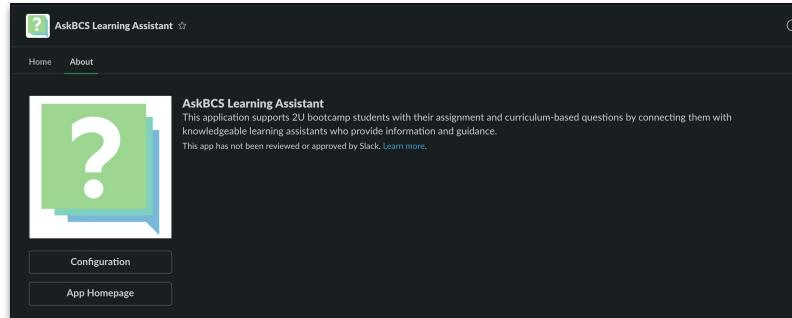
Within the Slack workspace, you should see an App called [AskBCS Learning Assistant](#)

Our team of LAs work
during the daytime to help
you get unstuck with your
self-paced lessons.

They're available:

Monday—Thursday:
1PM—9PM (PT)

Friday—Sunday:
1PM—7PM (PT)



TA Office Hours

Our TAs will hold Office Hours to provide support outside of normal class times.

This is an unstructured, “drop-in” session where you can bring any question to the table -- from help on your homework, to personal projects!

CLASS OFFICE HOURS ARE EVERY SATURDAY 10:00am - 12:00pm

Install Weekend

For our first set of Office Hours, we will be reviewing the downloads and installs from the prework to make sure you're ready for class! The first sessions can be seen below:

Install Weekend Schedule

THIS SATURDAY, June 12th 10am - 12pm

GitLab & GitHub

Git is software that lets you save a lot of different versions of a file or project. You'll hear Git as a prefix to a few things in the course.



- Your own portfolio
- Store your homework here, and submit a link to Bootcamp Spot
- Use it beyond the boot camp



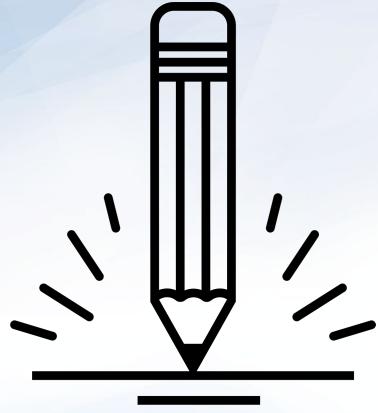
- Virtual Class exercises and resources
- Shared by the class
- Won't use it beyond the boot camp



Note: Git, GitHub, and GitLab are common sticking points for new students. The first few TA Office Hours sessions will focus on setting these up properly.



Systems



Activity: Systems Check

Suggested Time:
5 Minutes



Activity: Systems Check

You should have access to the following systems. Follow the steps below to check, and type “ready” in the Group Chat if you’re good!

01

Bootcamp Spot

Navigate to
courses.bootcampspot.com/
and you should see the
full course!

02

Slack

React to the post in your
[#01-live class](#) channel



03

GitLab

Navigate to [<GITLAB LINK>](#)
and login. You should get a
404 if you made an account.



Career Services

Becoming Employer-Competitive

Employer-Ready and Employer-Competitive

What does employer-ready and employer-competitive mean?

01

Employer-Ready

An employer-ready candidate has created strong professional materials that meet the basic criteria for the typical job application process.

02

Employer-Competitive

Once created, these materials should be adapted to target specific career goals and opportunities, elevating them to employer-competitive.

Milestones to Career Success

Home
Navigator
Modules
Syllabus
Grades
Zoom
Billing
Career Services
Career Events
Student Support

All Career Milestones



Intro to Career Services: Employer-Ready vs Employer-Competitive

This brief overview provides an introduction to Career Services and how we support you in becoming Employer-Competitive.

[Assignment Details >](#)



Milestone: Pave Your Pathway

For this submission, you will learn how to research target roles based on your background, interests, and skills, and you'll develop a professional brand statement that you can use for a variety of purposes (e.g. your resume, LinkedIn and other online profiles). Once you've developed your statement, you'll submit it to a Career Material Advisor for feedback.

[Assignment Details >](#)



Milestone: Develop Your Resume

For this submission, you will develop a competitive resume, and submit it to a Career Material Advisor for feedback.

[Assignment Details >](#)



Milestone: Polish Your Online Presence

For this submission, you will update your GitHub and LinkedIn profiles to meet employer-competitive standards, and submit links to your Career Material Advisor for feedback.

[Assignment Details >](#)

Submitting Milestones to Career Services



Milestone: Develop Your Resume

To meet this milestone, please complete the following: 1) Review details on what makes a competitive resume along with templates here: <https://mycshub.co/Data-Resume> 2) Develop your resume, and submit it as a Google Doc link with 'Anyone Can Edit' access. (Watch this short video on how to set edit permissions in your Google Doc: <http://bit.ly/2LgLAww>)

Description

For this submission, you will develop a competitive resume, and submit it to a Career Material Advisor for feedback.

Submit Milestone

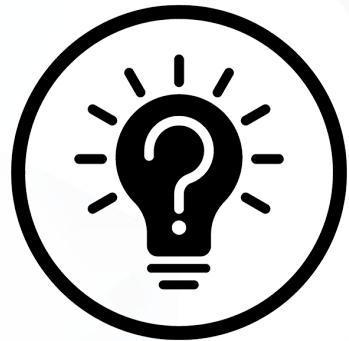
Add URLs to Your Work

Select url title	
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+ Add Another URL

Notes for Your Career Material Advisor

Submit



Questions

Add / Drop Date

JUNE 18TH 2021

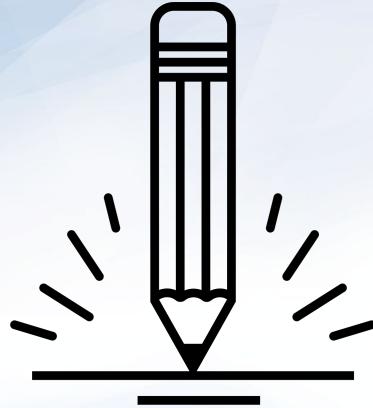
***Reach out to Mandi by this date if you want to drop*

Have questions after this session?

Phone: 866-948-9237

Email: support@bootcampspot.com

OR... Just reach out to Mandi!



Group Activity:

Getting to Know Your Cohort

Suggested Time:
10 Minutes



Getting to Know Your Cohort

To complete this activity, you need to perform the following steps:

1. Live the golden rule.
2. Turn on your video and unmute your microphone (video is **mandatory**).
3. Break the ice! We're about to embark on a difficult journey together. Answer one of the following questions:

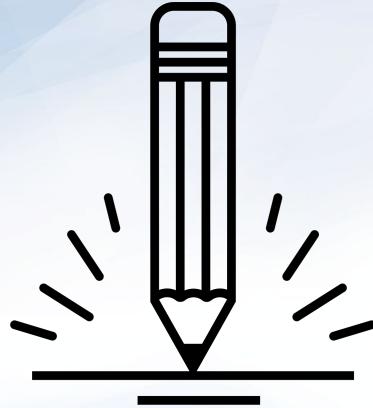
TELL US YOUR NAME, Pronouns, and...

- a. "Where are you zooming in from?"
- b. "If you could live anywhere in the world, where would it be?"
- c. "What excites or scares you most about the class?"
- d. "Do you prefer ketchup or mustard (or both/neither)?"

Suggested Time: 10 Minutes



Data Bootcamp Warm-Up



Thought Experiment:

The Great Debate

As an entire class, ponder the following question.

Suggested Time:
20 minutes



The Great Debate

Which do Americans prefer:
Italian or Mexican food?



The Great Debate

We need to develop a strategy for answering this question with as much confidence possible. Specifically, answer questions like:

-  What data will you attempt to gather?
-  What relationships will you be looking for?
-  How will you ensure your answer is most likely “true”?

Assumptions:

You are given 5 hours and a budget of \$10 to accomplish this.

Your answer will be tested by randomly selecting 9 Americans who will each be asked the question—with 0 qualifiers.

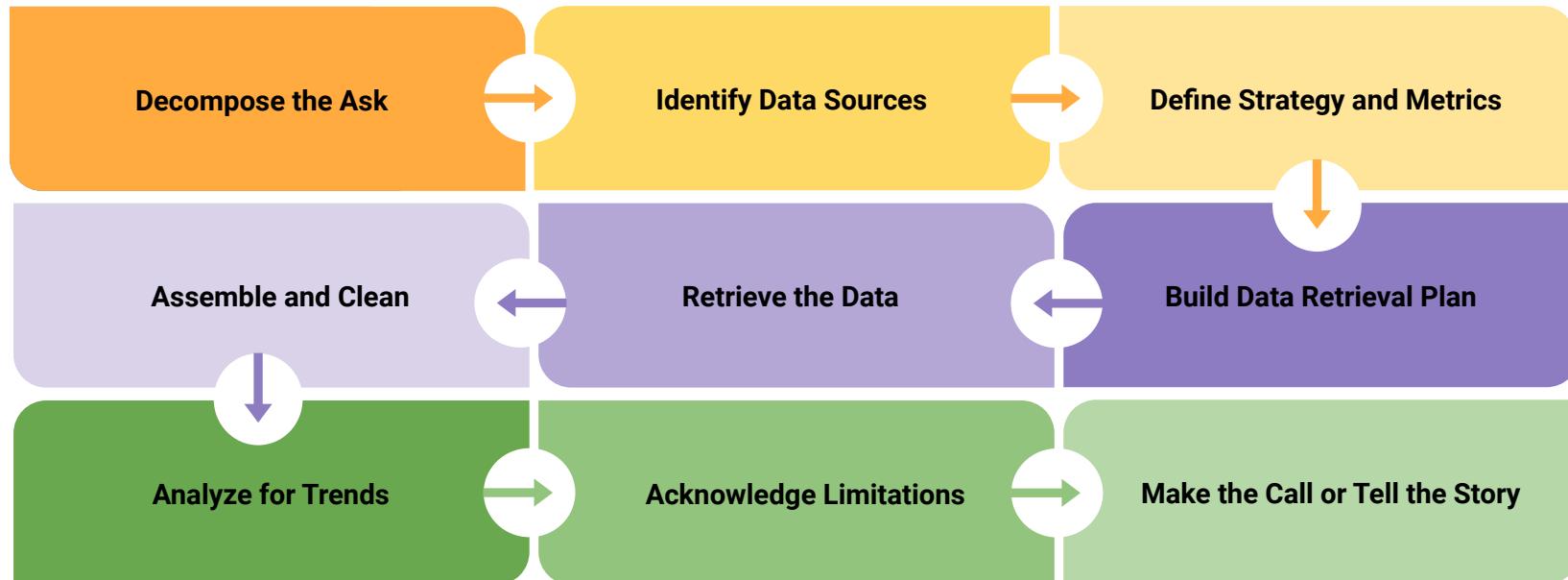
You only have your team.



The Great Debate (Analyzed)

Analytics Paradigm

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Who exactly is an **American**?



Are **Americans** just homeowners?



Do **Americans** just live in big cities?



Are **Americans** just millennials?



How can we get a
representative sample
of Americans?

Step 1: Decompose the “Ask”

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Which do Americans **prefer**: Italian or Mexican food?



How do we define “preference”?



Do people prefer the foods they eat most frequently?



Do people prefer the foods they wish they could eat if cost was not an issue?



How uniform is the preference? Is it regionalized? Is it different by demographic?



Inherently, preference is **subjective**. We are going to need to make it **objective**.

Step 1: Decompose the “Ask”

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Step 1: Decompose the “Ask”

Which do Americans prefer: **Italian or Mexican food?**

01

How do we categorize foods? Is pizza Italian? Is Taco Bell Mexican?

02

How do we categorize food? Does making pasta at home constitute Italian? Or are we just talking about restaurants?

03

Are we just talking about “best experiences”? Or are we including poorer renditions of these foods?

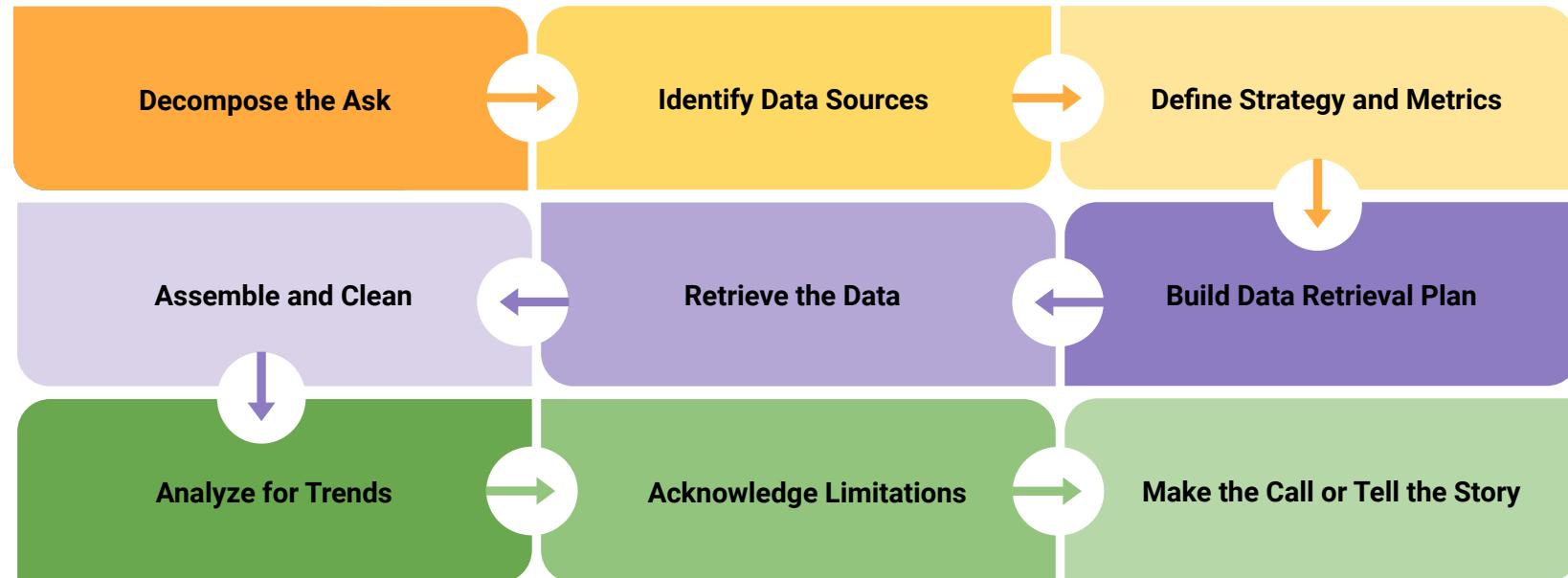


Italian and Mexican are
broad categories we are
pursuing. We will have to
narrow the scope.

Step 2: Identify Data Sources

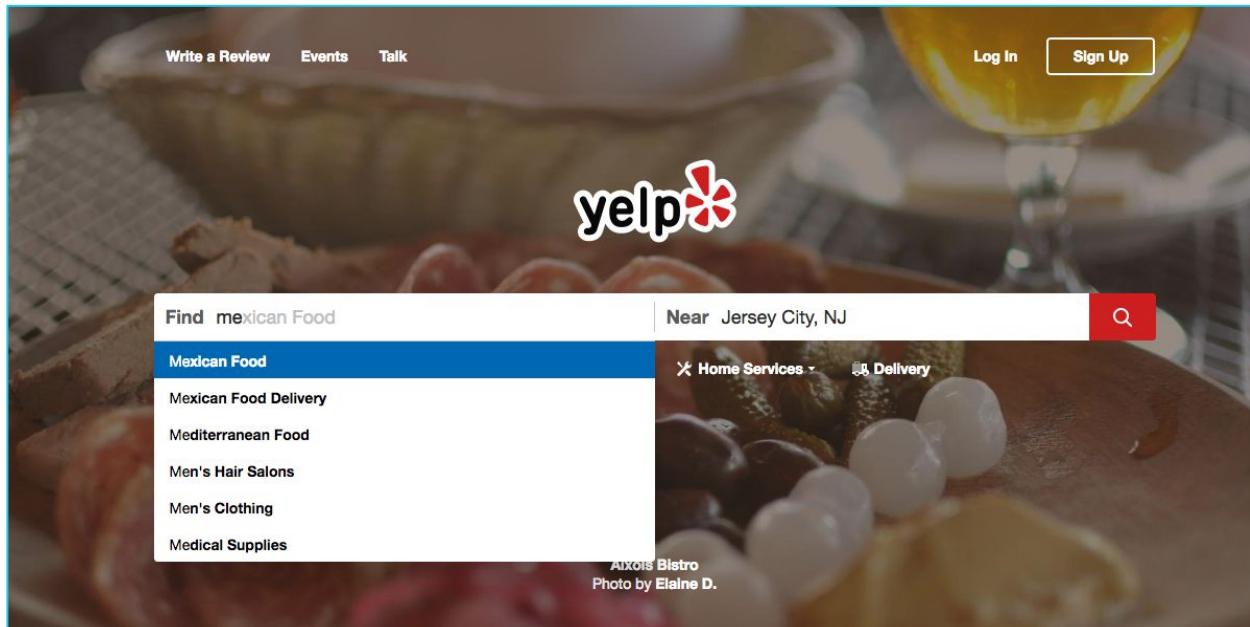
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As everyday consumers, we are **regularly** getting a pulse of everyday American food preferences to inform our own decisions. Perhaps we can make use of the same approach.



Step 2: Identify Data Sources

Web services like Yelp provide an almost encyclopedic amount of information about the eating preferences of Americans.

The screenshot shows the Yelp website interface for the establishment "Mi Mariachi Taqueria". The top navigation bar includes the Yelp logo, a search bar with the query "Find tacos, cheap dinner, Max's Near Jersey City, NJ", and buttons for "Log In" and "Sign Up". Below the search bar are category filters: "Home Services", "Restaurants", "Auto Services", and "More". A "Write a Review" button is also present. The main content area features the restaurant's name, "Mi Mariachi Taqueria", with an "Unclaimed" status, a 4-star rating from 230 reviews, and a "Write a Review" button. To the right are buttons for "Add Photo", "Share", and "Save". The restaurant is categorized as "\$ Mexican". On the left, there is a map showing the location at 213 Sip Ave, Jersey City, NJ 07306, with options to "Get Directions" or "Send to your Phone". Below the map, a review quote reads: "'Love their Al Pastor and carnitas tacos, shredded lamb, pork ribs with salsa verde and their tamales!' in 13 reviews". The central image is a "Chorizo & egg sandwich no cheese. Simply..." by Franco B. To the right, there is a link to "See all 184 photos". At the bottom, there is a "Full menu" button and a price range indicator of "\$\$\$ Price range Under \$10".

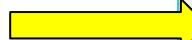
Step 2: Identify Data Sources

Why poll an audience when there already exist enormous databases of information about Americans' food preferences—readily available online?



Step 2: Identify Data Sources

Food Type



Find Best Italian Food Near Jersey City, NJ Log In Sign Up

Home Services Restaurants Auto Services More Write a Review

Best Italian Food Jersey City, NJ Showing 1-30 of 3356

\$ \$\$ \$\$\$ \$\$\$\$ Open Now Order Delivery Order Takeout Make a Reservation All Filters

Lorad Nia's Family Pizzeria (551) 247-0754 126 River Dr S Jersey City, NJ 108 reviews Italian Pizza

"One of the best tasting pizza around Jersey City. Perfect sauce seasoned perfectly (not sweet out of the can taste) thin crust.... Finest cheese you can even order the Whole wheat..."

[read more](#)

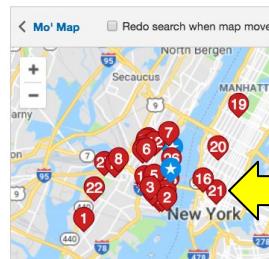
Offers takeout and delivery Start Order

Zero Otto Uno Cafe (201) 683-5593 502 Washington St Hoboken, NJ 54 reviews Pizza, Italian

"Really good staff, neither too intrusive nor too dismissive, Brought our two year old and they handled it well. Ordered the pizza, met expectations. Nice to write a good review."

[read more](#)

Mo' Map Redo search when map moved



Review Count



Rating



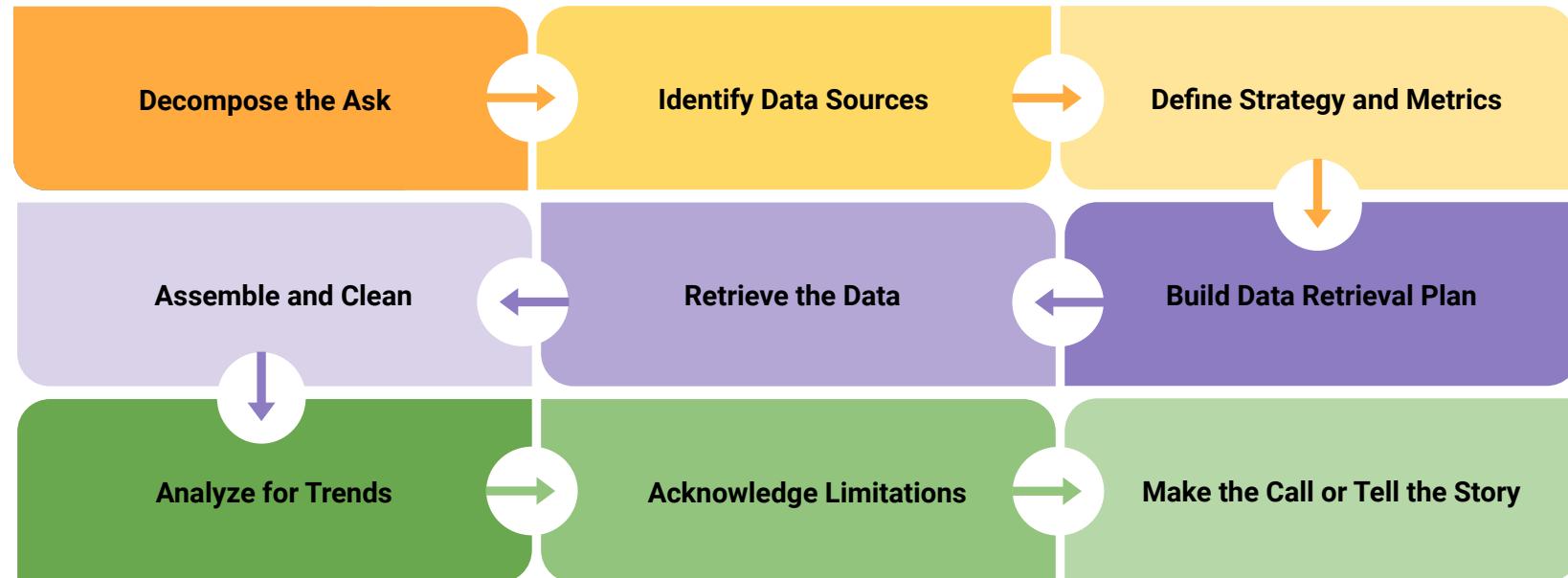
Lots of Data!

Locations

Step 3: Define Strategy and Metrics

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Step 3: Define Strategy and Metrics

Here we created a blueprint for what we're targeting:

Americans:

- Ideally, we need thousands of records from Americans in hundreds of different cities. (Large samples)

Preference:

- Number of Yelp Reviews (More = Preference)
- Average Aggregated Ratings (Higher = Preference)

Italian and Mexican Food:

- Top 20 Italian and Mexican restaurants in every city

Step 3: Define Strategy and Metrics

Repeat this analysis for as many cities as possible.

New York, NY	
Italian	Mexican
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	VS.
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	Restaurant

Tucson, AZ	
Italian	Mexican
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	VS.
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	Restaurant

Washington, D.C.	
Italian	Mexican
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	VS.
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	Restaurant

Omaha, NE	
Italian	Mexican
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	VS.
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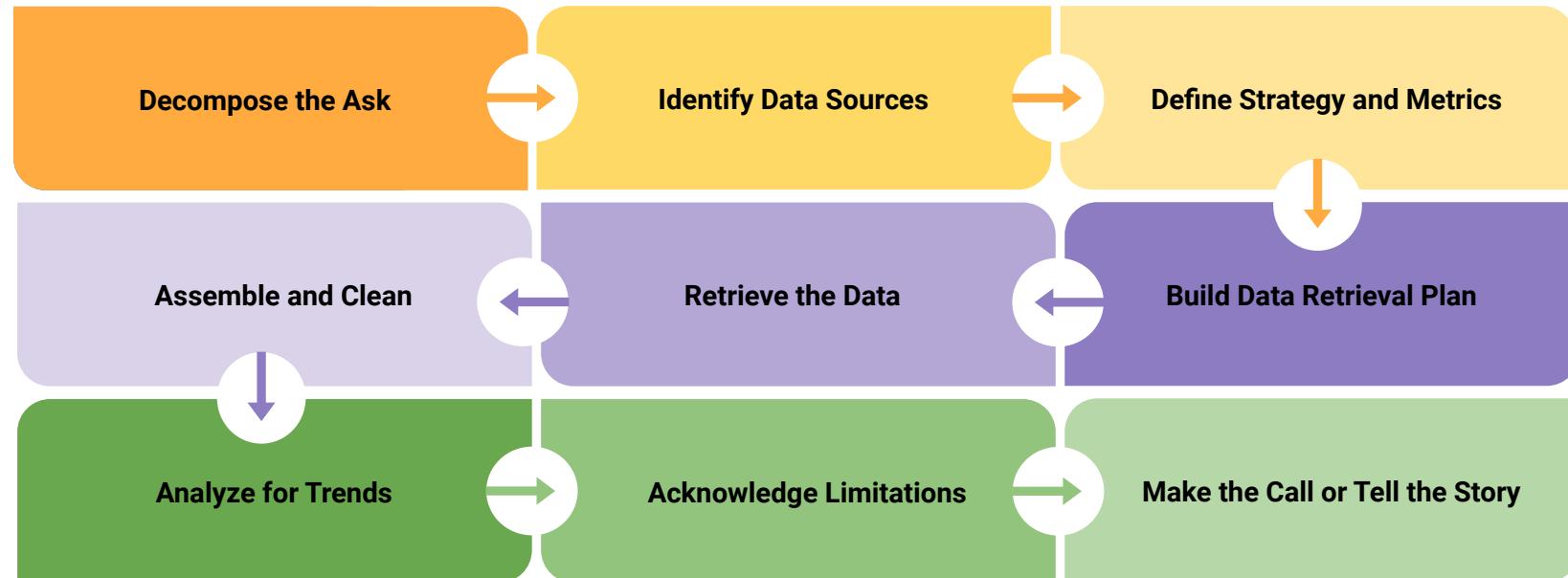
San Diego, CA	
Italian	Mexican
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	VS.
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	Restaurant

Atlanta, GA	
Italian	Mexican
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	Restaurant
Restaurant	VS.
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Restaurant	Restaurant

Step 4: Build Data Retrieval Plan

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Step 4: Build Data Retrieval Plan

We could retrieve this data by brute force, but it would be:

- Extremely time consuming
- Skewed by our city familiarity
- Labor intensive

The image displays three separate instances of a Yelp search interface, each with a red header and white body. Each instance shows the Yelp logo on the left, followed by a search bar containing "Find Mexican" and another search bar containing "Near [city, state]" with a red search button to its right. The three instances represent different locations: New York, NY; Denver, CO; and Oklahoma City, OK.

Step 4: Build Data Retrieval Plan

Basically, it would be nearly impossible.

The image displays three separate instances of a Yelp search interface, each with a red header and white body. Each instance includes the Yelp logo, a search bar with 'Find Mexican' and a location input field ('Near [City, State]'), and a search button. The three instances represent different locations: New York, NY; Denver, CO; and Oklahoma City, OK. This visual emphasizes the scale of data retrieval required for such a query.

Thank You, Yelp!

Thankfully, we can take advantage of the **Yelp Fusion API** to programmatically run our queries. (#ThankGoodnessForProgramming)

The screenshot shows the Yelp Fusion API documentation page. The left sidebar has sections for General (Create App, Email / Notifications, Display Requirements, Terms of Use, FAQ), Yelp Fusion (Introduction, Business Endpoints, Business Search, Phone Search), and a search bar. The main content area is for the **/businesses/search** endpoint. It includes a description of the endpoint, a note about returning businesses without reviews, a Request section with the URL `GET https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search`, and a Parameters section with two entries: `term` (string) and `location` (string).

General

[Create App](#)

[Email / Notifications](#)

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Yelp Fusion

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[Business Search](#)

[Phone Search](#)

/businesses/search

This endpoint returns up to 1000 businesses based on the provided search criteria. It has some basic information about the business. To get detailed information and reviews, please use the Business ID returned here and refer to [/businesses/{id}](#) and [/businesses/{id}/reviews](#) endpoints.

Note: at this time, the API does not return businesses without any reviews.

Request

```
GET https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search
```

Parameters

These parameters should be in the query string.

Name	Type	Description
term	string	Optional. Search term, for example "food" or "restaurants". The term may also be business names, such as "Starbucks". If term is not included the endpoint will default to searching across businesses from a small number of popular categories.
location	string	Required if either latitude or longitude is not provided. This string indicates the geographic area to be used when searching for businesses. Examples: "New York City", "NYC", "350 5th Ave, New York, NY 10118". Businesses returned in the response may not be strictly within the specified location.

Thank You, Yelp!

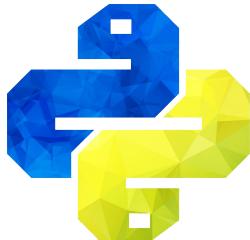
Response Body

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  "businesses": [  
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      "price": "$",  
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      "id": "four-barrel-coffee-san-francisco",  
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        }  
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      },  
      "image_url": "http://s3-media2.fl.yelpcdn.com/bphoto/HmgtaSP31_t4tPCL1iAsCg/o.jpg",  
      "location": {  
        "city": "San Francisco",  
        "country": "US",  
        "address2": "",  
        "address3": "",  
        "state": "CA",  
        "address1": "375 Valencia St",  
        "zip_code": "94103"  
      },  
      "distance": 1604.23,  
      "transactions": ["pickup", "delivery"]  
    },  
    // ...  
  ],  
  "region": {  
    "center": {  
      "latitude": 37.767413217936834,  
      "longitude": -122.42828739746094  
    }  
  }  
}
```



Step 4: Build Data Retrieval Plan

We will build a Python script to randomly select over 700 zip codes from the U.S. Census, and then acquire review data from the top 20 Mexican and Italian restaurants for each zip code using the Yelp API.



11101	
Italian	Mexican
Restaurant	Restaurant

07360	
Italian	Mexican
Restaurant	Restaurant

20001	
Italian	Mexican
Restaurant	Restaurant

68007	
Italian	Mexican
Restaurant	Restaurant

22434	
Italian	Mexican
Restaurant	Restaurant

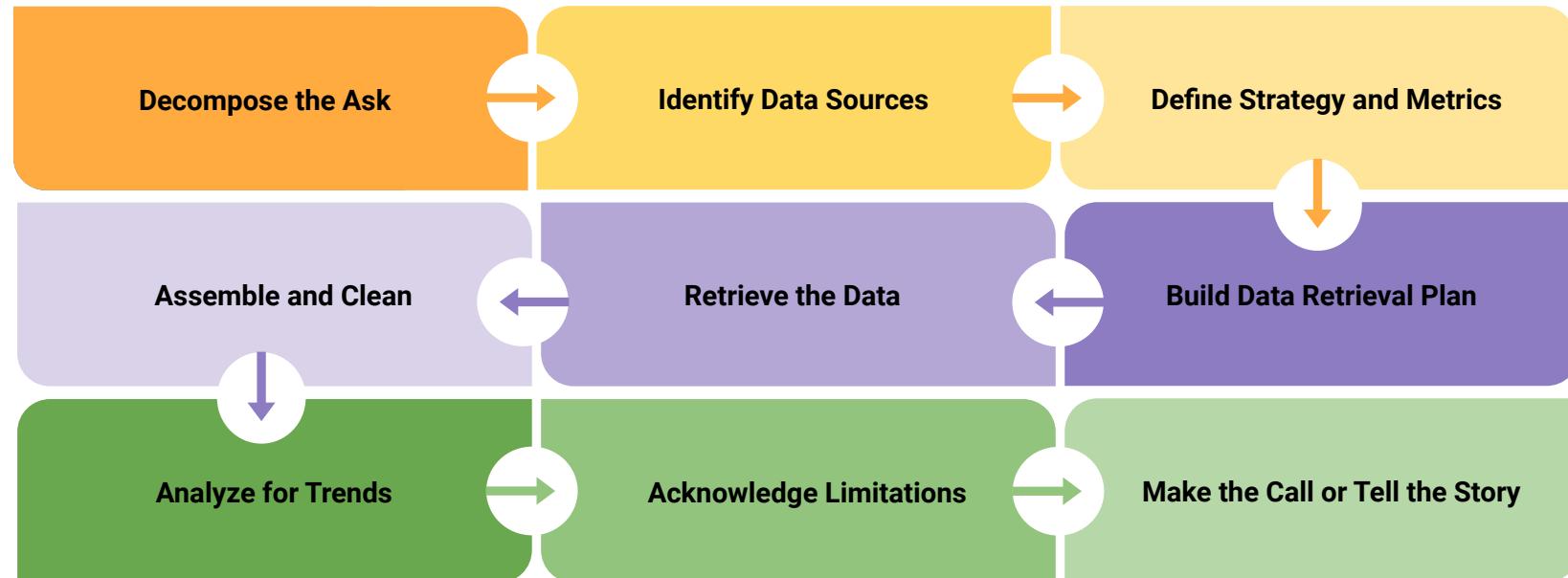
30301	
Italian	Mexican
Restaurant	Restaurant

A diagram illustrating the data retrieval process. It starts with the "United States Census Bureau" logo, which has a yellow arrow pointing down to a red header bar of a web browser. The browser window displays the "yelp fusion" logo and an illustration of three industrial robots or data processing units. The red header bar contains the yelp logo, "Fusion", "Fusion API", "GraphQL", and "Manage App". Below the header bar, there are social sharing icons (Share, f, t, in) and a user profile icon.

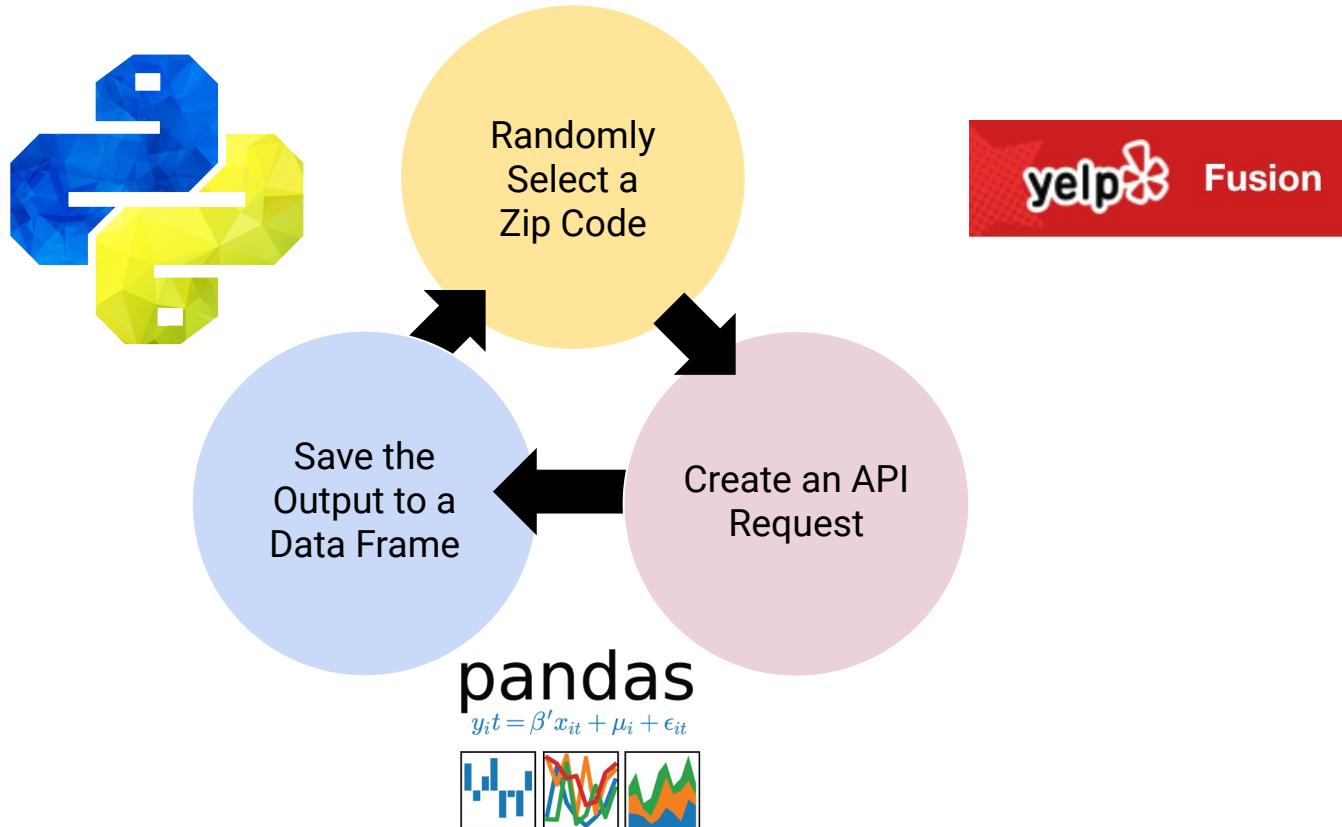
Step 5: Retrieve the Data

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Pulling with Python



Pulling with Python

```
# Use Try-Except to handle errors
try:

    # Loop through all records to calculate the review count and weighted review value
    for business in yelp_reviews_italian["businesses"]:

        italian_review_count = italian_review_count + business["review_count"]
        italian_weighted_review = italian_weighted_review + business["review_count"] * business["rating"]

    for business in yelp_reviews_mexican["businesses"]:
        mexican_review_count = mexican_review_count + business["review_count"]
        mexican_weighted_review = mexican_weighted_review + business["review_count"] * business["rating"]

    # Append the data to the appropriate column of the data frames
    italian_data.set_value(index, "Zip Code", row["Zipcode"])
    italian_data.set_value(index, "Italian Review Count", italian_review_count)
    italian_data.set_value(index, "Italian Average Rating", italian_weighted_review / italian_review_count)
    italian_data.set_value(index, "Italian Weighted Rating", italian_weighted_review)

    mexican_data.set_value(index, "Zip Code", row["Zipcode"])
    mexican_data.set_value(index, "Mexican Review Count", mexican_review_count)
    mexican_data.set_value(index, "Mexican Average Rating", mexican_weighted_review / mexican_review_count)
    mexican_data.set_value(index, "Mexican Weighted Rating", mexican_weighted_review)

except:
    print("Uh oh")
```



This funky code...

Pulling with Python

```
1  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Italian&location=76556  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Mexican&location=76556  
2  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Italian&location=72039  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Mexican&location=72039  
3  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Italian&location=61606  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Mexican&location=61606  
4  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Italian&location=47232  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Mexican&location=47232  
5  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Italian&location=60565  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Mexican&location=60565  
6  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Italian&location=20634  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Mexican&location=20634  
7  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Italian&location=71046  
https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Mexican&location=71046
```



**...will make all of
these URLs.**

Pulling with Python

GET https://api.yelp.com/v3/businesses/search?term=Italian&location=37764...

Headers (1)

Key	Value	Description	...	Bulk Edit	Presets
Authorization	Bearer gl6k6JmewUhjMVBv0I2x4Bz_NRIEggSjIjGbTaejmzbvBJXg 36F...				
New key	Value	Description			

Body

Pretty Raw Preview JSON

```
1 {  
2   "businesses": [  
3     {  
4       "id": "two-brothers-italian-pizza-kodak",  
5       "name": "Two Brothers Italian Pizza",  
6       "image_url": "https://s3-media3.fl.yelpcdn.com/bphoto/364BqQt0qtVHV1f0t_xznA/o.jpg",  
7       "is_closed": false,  
8       "url": "https://www.yelp.com/biz/two-brothers-italian-pizza-kodak?adjust_creative=1GwZyE0zIjSujpHtlMnodQ&utm_campaign=yelp_api_v3&utm_medium=  
9         _api_v3_business_search&utm_source=1GwZyE0zIjSujpHtlMnodQ",  
10      "review_count": 8,  
11      "categories": [  
12        {  
13          "alias": "pizza",  
14          "title": "Pizza"  
15        },  
16        {  
17          "alias": "italian",  
18          "title": "Italian"  
19        },  
20        {  
21          "alias": "pastashops",  
22          "title": "Pasta Shops"  
23        },  
24      ],  
25      "rating": 2,  
26      "coordinates":  
27        {  
28          "latitude": 35.9638662447754,  
29          "longitude": -83.5926620147413  
30        },  
31      "transactions": [],  
32      "location": {  
33        "address1": "1000 W Broad St",  
34        "address2": null,  
35        "city": "Columbus",  
36        "state": "OH",  
37        "zip_code": "43228",  
38        "country": "US",  
39        "display_address": ["1000 W Broad St", "Columbus, OH 43228"]  
40      }  
41    }  
42  ]  
43}  
44}
```

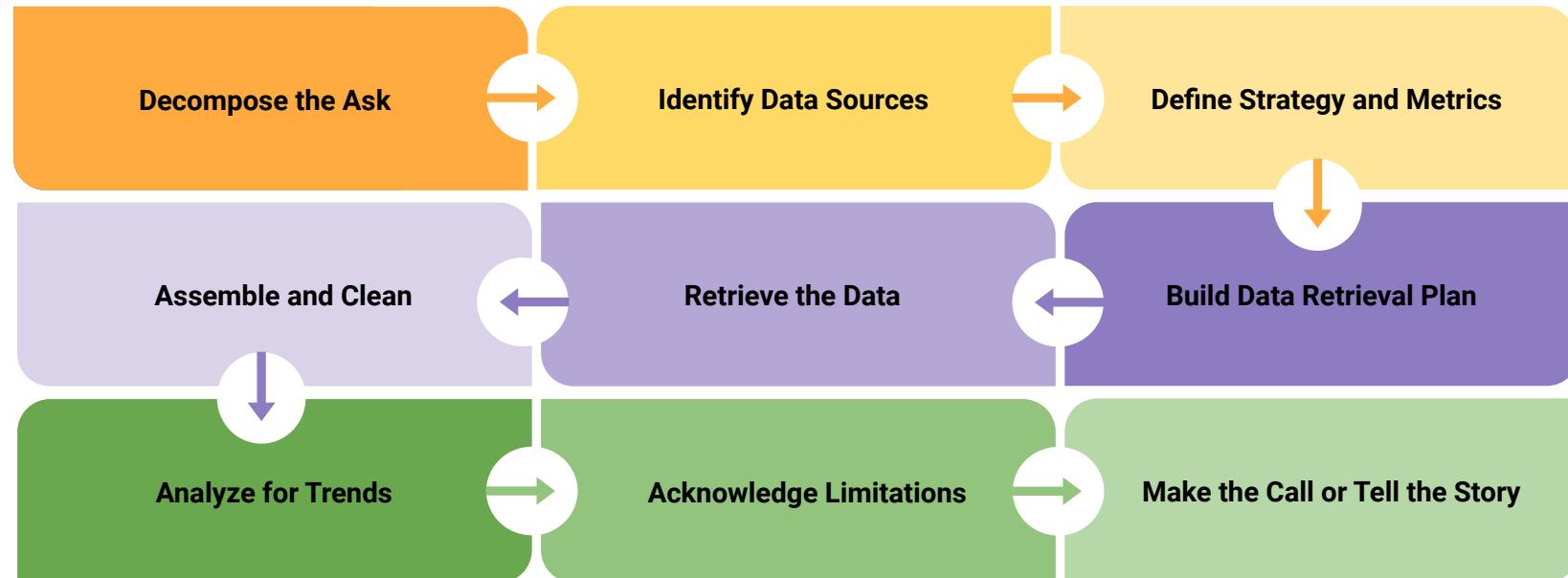


Each of these URLs holds a piece of our answer.

Step 6: Assemble and Clean the Data

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Cleaning with Pandas

No data comes out intrinsically the way you want it to.

In our case, we needed multiple steps to aggregate the data along our channels of interest.

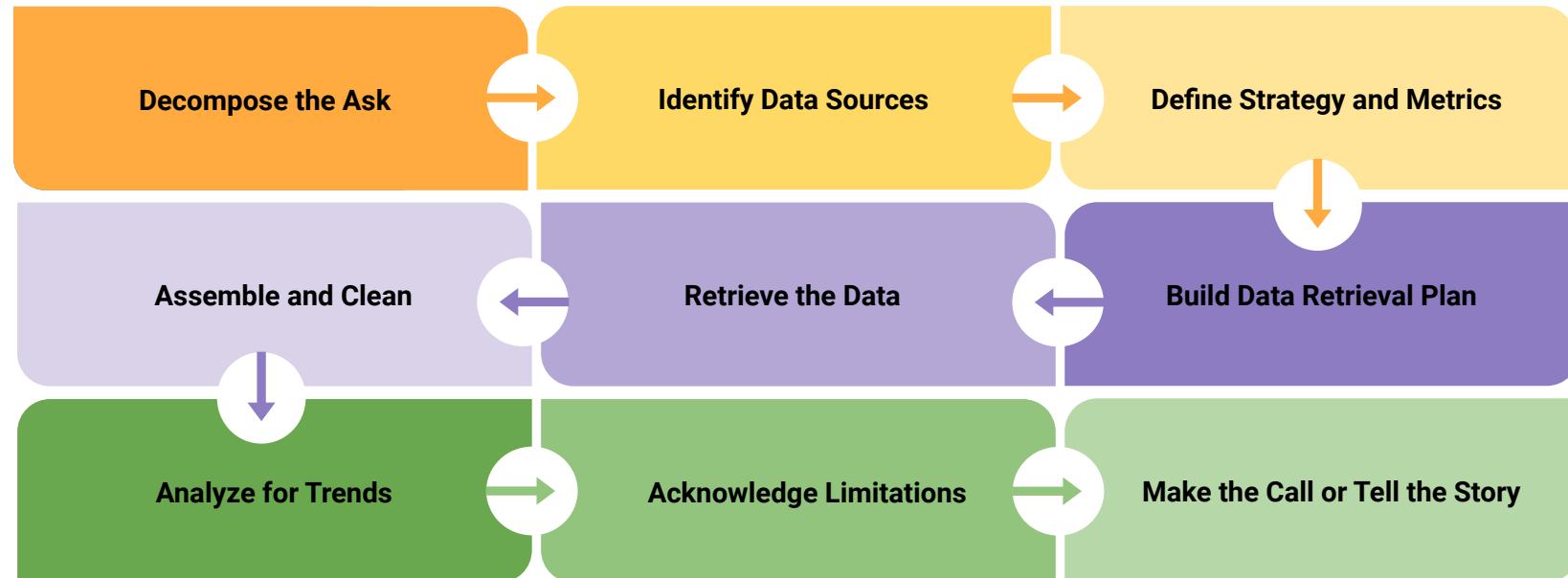
```
# Combine DataFrames into a single DataFrame  
combined_data = pd.merge(mexican_data, italian_data, on="Zip Code")  
combined_data.head()
```

	Zip Code	Mexican Review Count	Mexican Average Rating	Mexican Weighted Rating	Italian Review Count	Italian Average Rating	Italian Weighted Rating
0	76556	97	4.1134	399	63	3.78571	238.5
1	72039	256	4.11133	1052.2	266	3.81955	1016
2	61606	378	3.64286	1377	66	3.2197	212.5
3	47232	222	4.16892	925.5	420	3.77857	1587
4	60565	2842	3.94053	11199	2829	3.92824	11113

Step 7: Analyze for Trends

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Analyze for Trends (Table)

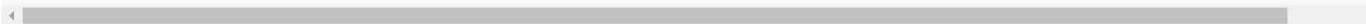
It's Close:

Display Summary of Results

```
# Model 1: Head-to-Head Review Counts
italian_summary = pd.DataFrame({"Review Counts": italian_data["Italian Review Count"].sum(),
                                 "Rating Average": italian_data["Italian Average Rating"].mean(),
                                 "Review Count Wins": combined_data["Review Count Wins"].value_counts()["Italian"],
                                 "Rating Wins": combined_data["Rating Wins"].value_counts()["Italian"], index=["Italian"]})

mexican_summary = pd.DataFrame({"Review Counts": mexican_data["Mexican Review Count"].sum(),
                                 "Rating Average": mexican_data["Mexican Average Rating"].mean(),
                                 "Review Count Wins": combined_data["Review Count Wins"].value_counts()["Mexican"],
                                 "Rating Wins": combined_data["Rating Wins"].value_counts()["Mexican"], index=["Mexican"]})

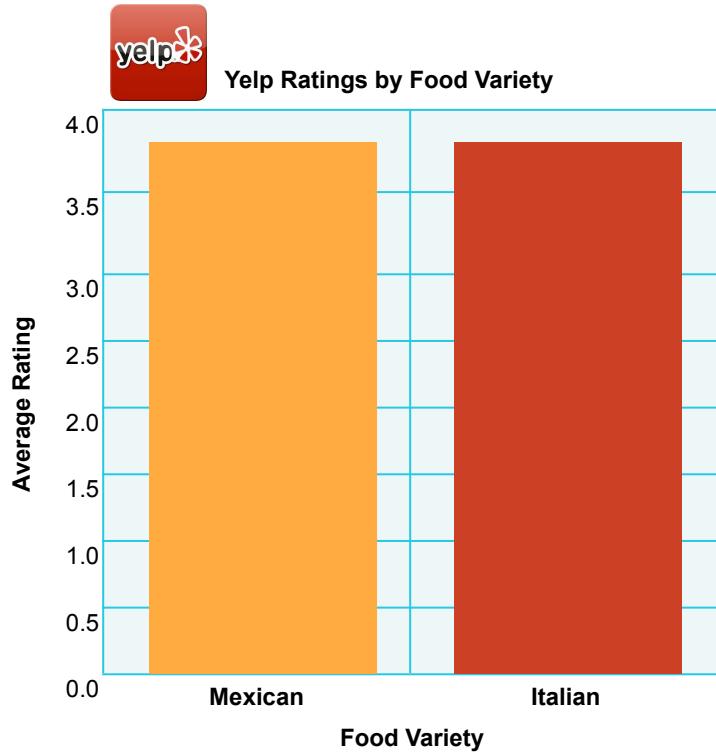
final_summary = pd.concat([mexican_summary, italian_summary])
final_summary
```



	Rating Average	Rating Wins	Review Count Wins	Review Counts	
Mexican	3.826588	273	220	476889	
Italian	3.806869	245	298	573733	

Analyze for Trends (Ratings)

Yelpers rate Italian and Mexican relatively **equally**.

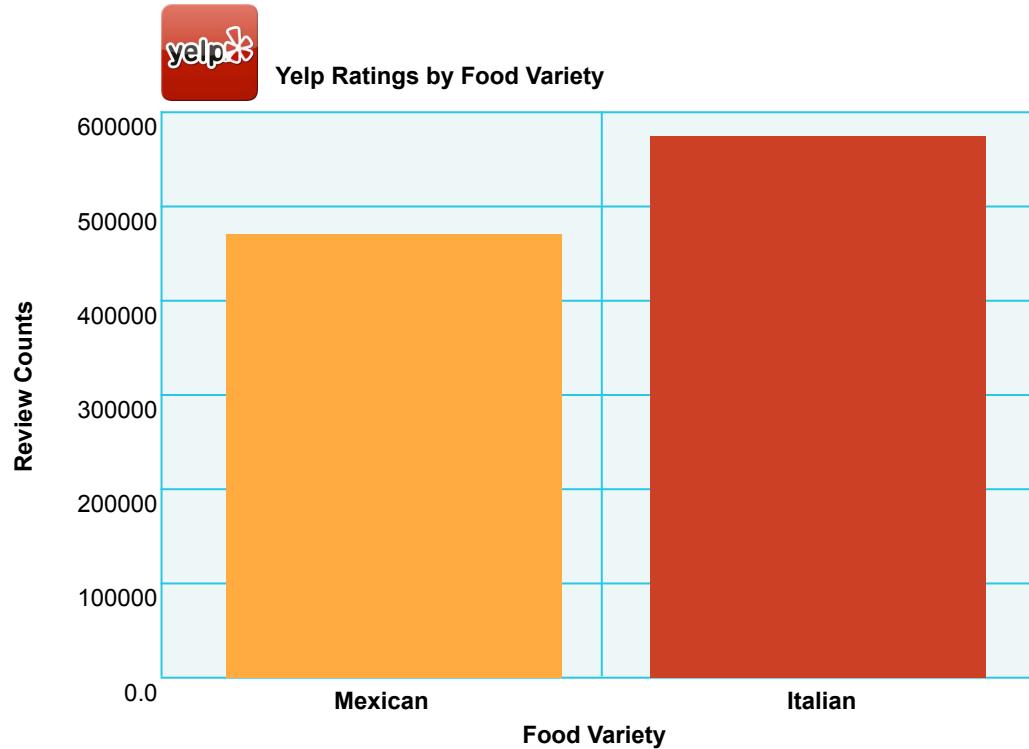


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Analyze for Trends (Ratings)

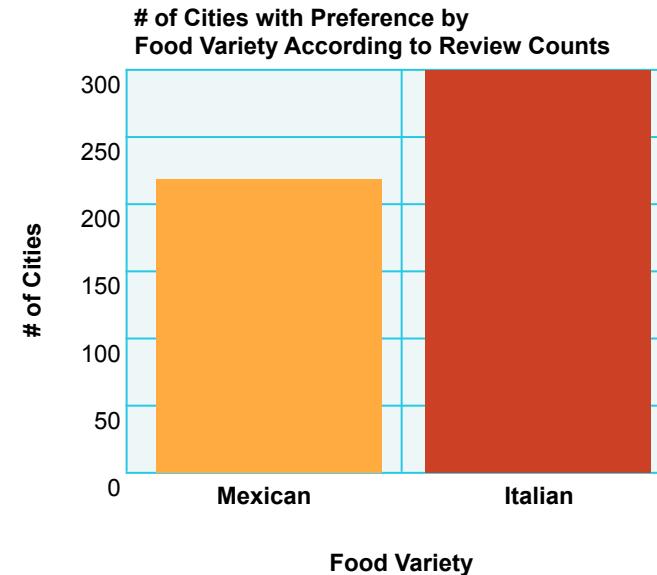
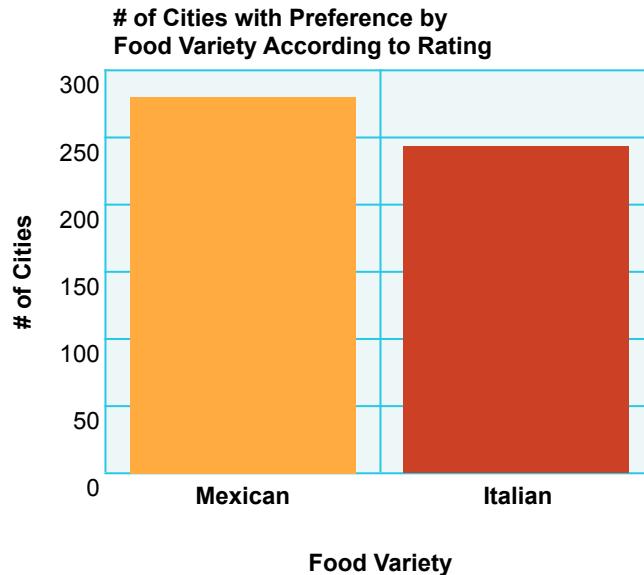
Yelpers seem to significantly **review more Italian** restaurants.



Analyze for Trends (Winner Take All)

Just for kicks, let's throw in an analysis that aggregates the data from all cities using a winner-take-all approach.

It's sort of a wash.



Analyze for Trends (Statistical Analysis)

Because of how close the numbers appear, we utilized a Student's t-test to quickly assess if the perceived differences are not statistically significant but could be considered substantial.

Metric	Italian	Mexican	p-Value (t-test)
Average Rating	3.806	3.826	0.284
Review Counts	573k	476k	0.057

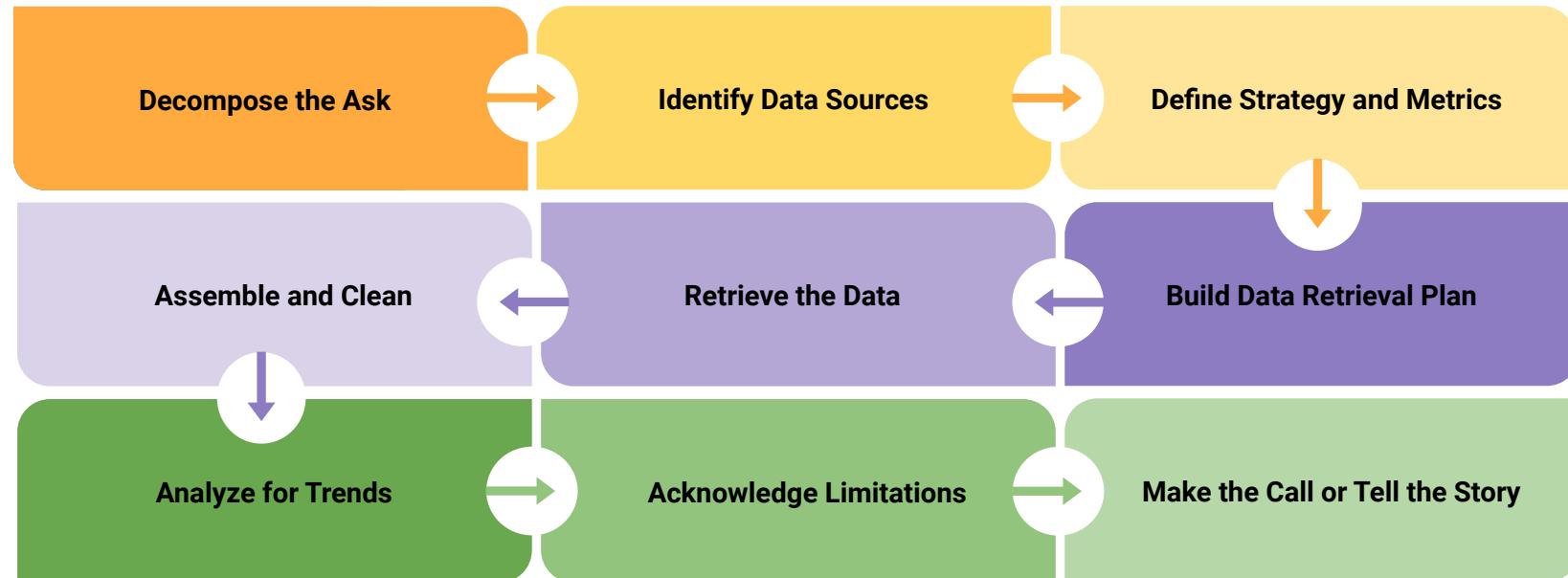


The difference in review count is **not statistically significant**.

Step 8: Acknowledge Limitations

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Limitations of Analysis

Yelp demographics may not match the American demographic.



Limitations of Analysis

Restaurant experiences do not equate to home-cooked meals.



Limitations of Analysis

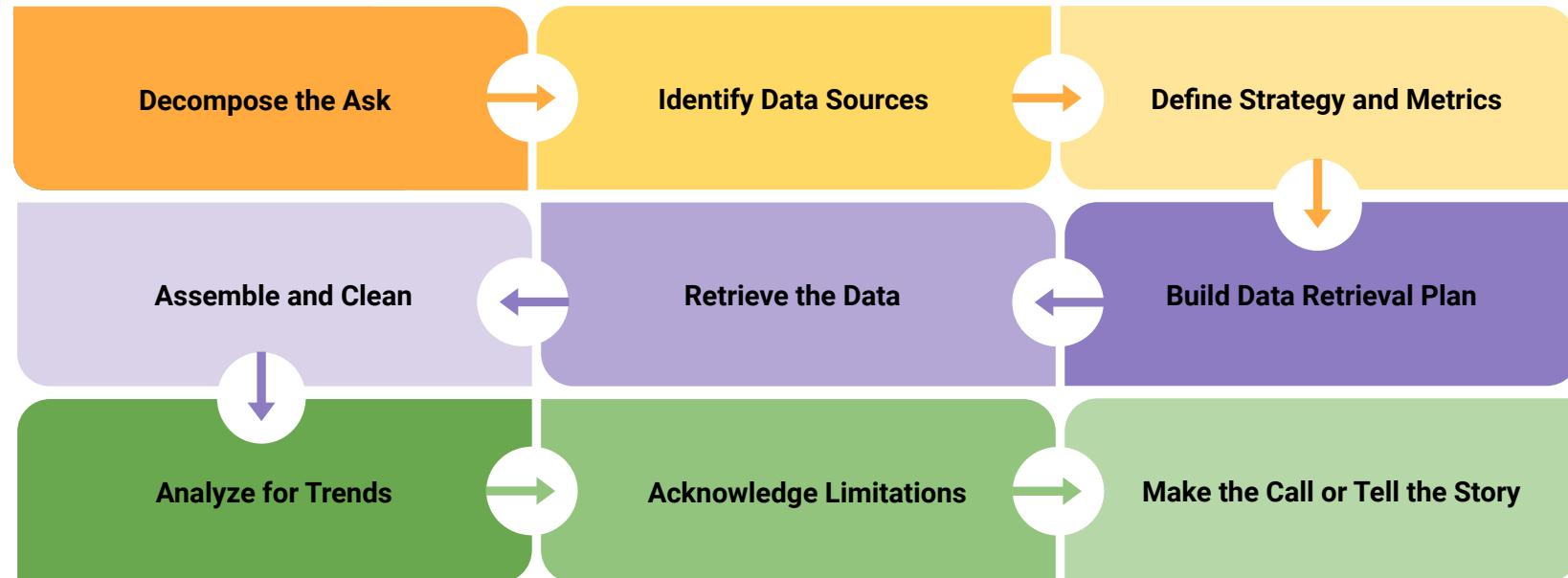
Fine-dining effect?



Step 9: Make the Call

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Making the Call

The “Proper” Conclusion:

Based on our analysis, it's clear that Americans' preferences for Italian and Mexican food are similar in nature. As a whole, Americans rate Mexican and Italian restaurants at non-statistically similar scores (avg. score: 3.8, p-value: 0.285). Although there are more reviews for Italian restaurants, we have shown that the difference is not statistically significant (+96k, p-value: 0.057).



This may indicate there is an increased interest in visiting Italian restaurants at an experiential level. Or it may merely suggest that Yelp users enjoy writing reviews of Italian restaurants more than Mexican restaurants.

Making the Call

The “Let’s Be Real” Conclusion: Italian (but it’s going to be close).





What next?

Next Steps

1. Review the Welcome Session Recap email you'll receive tomorrow:
 - a. Github/Gitlab instructions
 - b. Slack invite link
 - c. Recording from tonight
 - d. This presentation deck
2. Get started with the Onboarding Survey and Module 1 Lessons on Canvas
3. Attend Install Weekend with the TAs starting Friday evening
4. Come to your Virtual Classes next week on **Tuesday, June 15th** and **Thursday, June 17th**.
 - a. **Office hours are held 30 minutes before and after class on Thursdays!**