Gay Pride Events from 2007-2023

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Background Information

With Pride Month being once a year, plenty of places nationwide get to have events to support and show how people of the LGBTQ+ Community can feel safe and supported by others in the community. The Dataset for this consists of 6 columns accompanied by 769 rows of data. It consists of Location, Start Date, End Date, description, USA for sure and timestamp. The data was updated 2 years ago and was made by Hila Manor

Columns

1. Location: Where it was held
2. Start Date: When the event had started
3. End Date: When the event had ended
4. Description: The Reason/Name for the event
5. USA For Sure: If they were actually within the USA and not on an island
6. Timestamp: Digital record of the events time and date

Random Columns

```python
df.sample(10)
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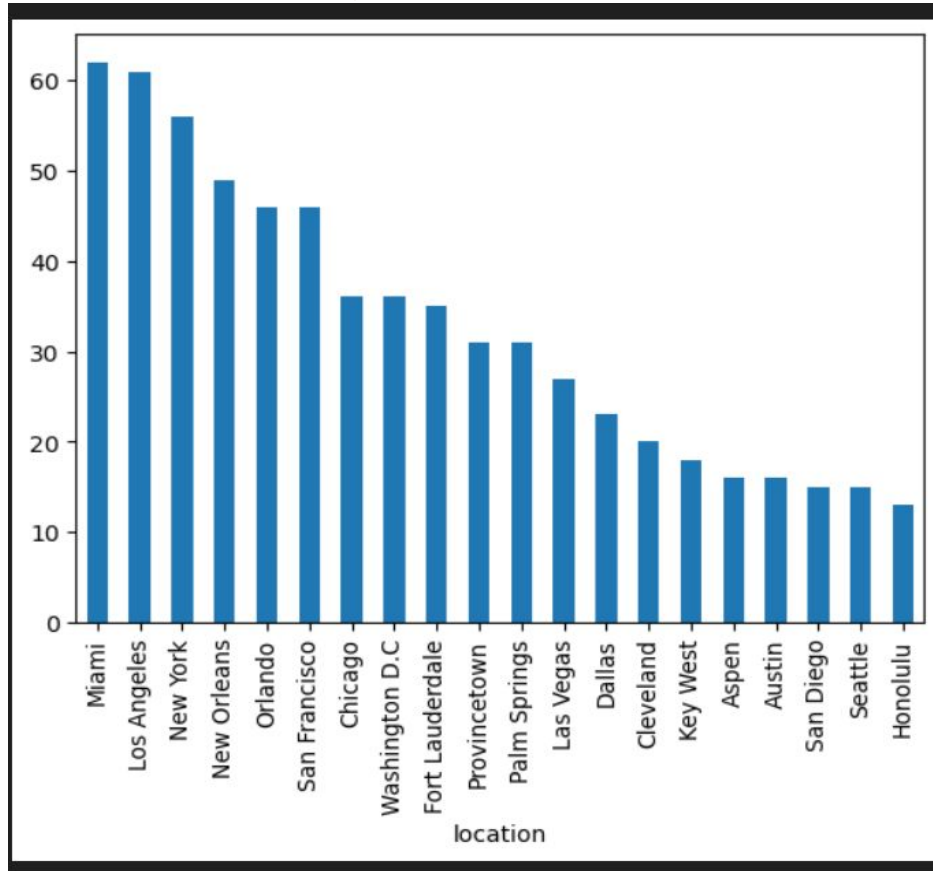✓ 0.0s   Python

	location	start_date	end_date	description	USA for sure	timestamp
412	Seattle	8/1/2015	8/8/2015	RSVP gay Alaska cruise	1	20150801025925
586	New Orleans	6/8/2018	6/10/2018	Gay Pride New Orleans	1	20180620225535
148	New York	3/23/2012	3/24/2012	The Black Party	1	20120314160457
608	Austin	8/25/2018	8/25/2018	Austin Gay Pride	1	20180620225535
686	Orlando	10/12/2019	10/12/2019	Orlando Pride	1	20190911024932
442	Mammoth Lakes	3/16/2016	3/20/2016	Elevation Mammoth gay ski week	1	20160314101730
463	Los Angeles	6/10/2016	6/12/2016	Los Angeles Pride	1	20160610154341
621	Las Vegas	10/19/2018	10/21/2018	Las Vegas Pride	1	20180620225535
510	Fort Lauderdale	2/26/2017	2/26/2017	Pride Fort Lauderdale	1	20170216000808
337	New York	7/18/2014	7/20/2014	Sand Blast Weekend	1	20140625131713

Last Bit of Columns

```
Mammoth Lakes          11
Boston                 10
Black Rock Desert       9
Portland                9
...
Pensacola               4
Tampa                   2
Oakland                 1
Anaheim                 1
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A Graph of the Top 20 Places in USA

Observation and Questions

- Some places have many events but others have events there that are under 10 events in between 16 years, how is that possible?
- Why is it that places that didn't have as many events as others had so little?
- Was there a lot of homophobia in the areas that didn't have a lot of events or is it a different issue?
- 769 different Events that had occurred for gay pride
- Miami had 62 Events, Los Angeles had 62 and New York had 59

Explanation of How to do what was shown

In order for me to find out what places had the most events, I used the code of [value_counts] to find out where most events happened and where some other places were lacking in the events (please look to the right)

```
name_freq = df['location'].value_counts()
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name_freq
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location
Miami               62
Los Angeles         61
New York            56
New Orleans         49
Orlando             46
San Francisco       46
Chicago             36
Washington D.C      36
Fort Lauderdale     35
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Conclusion

Even if there is something that may block your way of doing something you need to do, calm down, take a deep breath, and keep pushing for what you want to achieve, this what i had to do because of how much i was given for this. Looking at things we had done for this class was a big help as well with the code of [value_counts] to help search for the information for me. Thank you for listening.

Link of the Dataset

https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/hilamanor/pride-events-dates-in-the-usa-2007-2023