

OpenStreetMap Case Study

Map Area

Roswell, GA, US

- <http://www.openstreetmap.org/relation/119569> (<http://www.openstreetmap.org/relation/119569>)

I moved to this area 2 years ago, and chose to use this map for my project as a way to learn more about the area and improve the OpenStreetMap data

Problems found in audit

1. Inconsistent address abbreviations

('Glen Meadows Dr NW', 'Clubland Drive Northeast')

To clean this field, I scraped the https://pe.usps.com/text/pub28/28apc_002.htm (https://pe.usps.com/text/pub28/28apc_002.htm) website to get a listing of all expected street suffix abbreviations mapped to the full street suffix name. As well, I added mappings for cardinal directions (North, South, East, West, etc) and rather than using regular expressions to update the last word in the street name, I split the street name and iterated through each word (ex. Glen Meadows Dr NW => Glen Meadows Drive Northwest rather than Glen Meadows Dr Northwest)

```
In [ ]: def update_addr(key, value, mapping, expected):
        if key == "street":
            value_split = value.split()
            i = 0
            new_value = ""
            while i < len(value_split):
                if value_split[i] != None:
                    word = value_split[i]
                    word = word.capitalize().replace(".", "")
                    word = update_word(word, mapping, expected)
                    new_value += word + " "
                i += 1
            return new_value
```

2. Misspelled city, unexpected city and state and zip in the city field

('Sandy Springa', 'Bismarck', 'GA 30350')

I corrected the misspelling of Sandy Springs programmatically. Upon further investigation of 'Bismarck's' node_tag ID, this value is associated with Ridey Taxi Service in Bismarck, ND 58502. Since this information does not belong in this dataset, I chose to delete it manually from the database. Investigation into the 'GA 30350' value showed that for id # 42882100 the city and postcode fields were switched. I chose to manually update this in the database as well.

```
In [ ]: elif key == "city":  
        if value == "Sandy Springa":  
            value = "Sandy Springs"  
        return value
```

3. Inconsistent State abbreviations and capitalization, as well as inaccurate state's

('GA', 'Georgia', 'ND', 'ga')

I Chose to maintain a capitalized abbreviation (GA) and updated all fields to match. The unexpected 'ND' value was also taken care of in the deletion explained above.

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In [ ]: elif key == "state":  
        if value == "Georgia":  
            value = "GA"  
        return value.upper()
```

4. Inconsistent and incorrect zip codes, as well as city names in the zip code field

('58502', 'Atlanta,', '30092-4207', '1879')

The unexpected '58502' value was taken care of in the deletion explained above. I chose to standardize to just the 5 digit zip code. '1879' belongs to the id associated with 'Burger King # 4089' in Norcross, GA so the zip code should actually be '30092'. This was easily corrected in the database. The value 'Atlanta' was taken care of in the manual update to id # 42882100 described above

```
In [ ]: elif key == "postcode":  
        return value[0:5]  
        else:  
            return value
```

Database Queries

Size of files

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In [3]: files_list = ['roswell.db', 'roswell.osm', 'csv_files/nodes_tags.csv',
                    'csv_files/nodes.csv', 'csv_files/ways.csv',
                    'csv_files/ways_tags.csv', 'csv_files/ways_nodes.csv']
for each in files_list:
    print each, "....", round((os.path.getsize(each) * .000001), 1), "M
B"

roswell.db .... 75.0 MB
roswell.osm .... 126.3 MB
csv_files/nodes_tags.csv .... 1.6 MB
csv_files/nodes.csv .... 52.2 MB
csv_files/ways.csv .... 4.3 MB
csv_files/ways_tags.csv .... 9.2 MB
csv_files/ways_nodes.csv .... 14.3 MB
```

Number of Unique Users

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In [4]: query = "SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT(all_users.uid)) as Unique_Users FROM \
              (SELECT uid FROM nodes UNION ALL SELECT uid FROM ways) as all_us
              ers"
cursor.execute(query)
print pd.read_sql_query(query, connection)

   Unique_Users
0             295
```

Number of Nodes and Ways

```
In [5]: query = "SELECT (SELECT COUNT(*) FROM nodes) as Nodes, (SELECT COUNT(*)
              FROM ways) as Ways"
cursor.execute(query)
print pd.read_sql_query(query, connection)

   Nodes  Ways
0  539125  57442
```

Number of Cuisine Categories

```
In [6]: query = "SELECT value, COUNT(*) as number FROM nodes_tags WHERE key = 'cuisine' \
              GROUP BY value ORDER BY number DESC"
cursor.execute(query)
print pd.read_sql_query(query, connection)
```

	value	number
0	pizza	7
1	mexican	6
2	coffee_shop	5
3	italian	4
4	sandwich	4
5	american	3
6	bar&grill	3
7	chicken	3
8	seafood	3
9	burger	2
10	thai	2
11	American	1
12	Coffee	1
13	barbecue	1
14	chinese	1
15	indian	1
16	pancakes	1
17	sushi	1
18	sushi,_hibachi	1
19	tex-mex	1
20	vegetarian	1

Additional Statistics

Counties Represented

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In [7]: query = "SELECT DISTINCT(value) as County FROM nodes_tags WHERE type = 'gnis' \
              and key = 'County' LIMIT 100"
cursor.execute(query)
print pd.read_sql_query(query, connection)
```

	County
0	Cobb
1	Fulton
2	DeKalb
3	Cherokee
4	Gwinnett
5	Forsyth

Top 10 Appearing Leisure Facilities

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In [8]: query = "SELECT leisure.value as Leisure_Activity, COUNT(*) as Count FROM
M \
        (SELECT value FROM nodes_tags WHERE key = 'leisure' UNION ALL \
        SELECT value FROM ways_tags WHERE key = 'leisure') as leisure\
        GROUP BY Leisure_Activity ORDER BY Count DESC LIMIT 10"
cursor.execute(query)
cursor.execute(query)
print pd.read_sql_query(query, connection)
```

	Leisure_Activity	Count
0	pitch	284
1	swimming_pool	52
2	park	38
3	golf_course	16
4	playground	15
5	sports_centre	5
6	stadium	4
7	track	3
8	picnic_table	2
9	horse_riding	1

Top 10 Building Forms

```
In [9]: query = "SELECT value as Building_Form, COUNT(*) as count FROM ways_tags
\
        WHERE key = 'BLDG_FORM' GROUP BY Building_Form ORDER BY count DE
SC LIMIT 10"
cursor.execute(query)
cursor.execute(query)
print pd.read_sql_query(query, connection)
```

	Building_Form	count
0	CONVENTIONAL	1543
1	RANCH	395
2	SPLIT-LEVEL	335
3	COLONIAL	217
4	BI-LEVEL	135
5	MODERN	58
6	CAPE	11
7	CLUSTER	5
8	TOWNHOUSE	5
9	DUPLEX	2

Top 10 Contributing Users

```
In [10]: query = "SELECT user, COUNT(*) as contributions FROM \
                (SELECT user FROM nodes UNION ALL SELECT user FROM ways) as all_
                users\
                GROUP BY user ORDER BY contributions DESC LIMIT 10"
cursor.execute(query)
print pd.read_sql_query(query, connection)
```

	user	contributions
0	Saikrishna_FultonCountyImport	389241
1	Liber	47006
2	woodpeck_fixbot	43415
3	Jack the Ripper	31721
4	demory	12372
5	greenv505	7154
6	Lisa Jackson	6963
7	afonit	5126
8	mackerski	5064
9	jacobbraeutigam	3909

Suggestion for Improving the Data

In this project my focus was on cleaning the address data from the 'addr' type, however there is a lot more that can be done to improve address data to make querying and analysis easier. One suggestion could be to make sure every address field is available for each node. A full address should have the following fields: housename, housenumber, suite, street, city, state, postcode, county, and country. In the example query below you can see that address information for id 69515387 only has street, postcode and housenumber, while id 358781696 only has housenumber information. If I were to query for a count of addresses in a certain county, or for the number of address in a certain city, these would be excluded. The problem with this is it would be time consuming to find all the missing values and validate that they're correct, however simply adding the field with a placeholder value of "unavailable" would allow those addresses to be counted in queries. The second query below highlights how incomplete the address data is for nodes_tags (ex. While there are 7,083 nodes with type "addr", 7,053 have housenumber key values, while only 1,188 have state key values).

```
In [11]: query = "SELECT * FROM nodes_tags WHERE type = 'addr' LIMIT 10"
cursor.execute(query)
print pd.read_sql_query(query, connection)
```

	id	key	value	type
0	69515387	street	Waterstone Way	addr
1	69515387	postcode	30076	addr
2	69515387	housenumber	200	addr
3	358781696	housenumber	755	addr
4	358781700	street	814	addr
5	358782756	housenumber	793	addr
6	358782756	street	Mimosa Boulevard	addr
7	358785462	street	School Drive	addr
8	358785462	housenumber	86	addr
9	367912693	state	GA	addr

```
In [12]: query = "SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT(id)) as total FROM nodes_tags WHERE type  
          = 'addr'"  
cursor.execute(query)  
print pd.read_sql_query(query, connection)  
  
query = "SELECT key, COUNT(DISTINCT(id)) as count FROM nodes_tags WHERE  
        type = 'addr' GROUP BY key ORDER BY count DESC"  
cursor.execute(query)  
print pd.read_sql_query(query, connection)
```

	total		
0	7083		
		key	count
0		housetnumber	7053
1		street	7051
2		postcode	6224
3		city	5942
4		state	1188
5		country	1065
6		county	1059
7		suite	16
8		housetname	4
9		unit	3
10		building	1
11		full	1