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In [1]: import os
import sqlite3
import pandas as pd
os.chdir(r"C:\Users\randy\OneDrive\Desktop\Udacity\Wrangle OpenStreetMap Data")
conn = sqlite3.connect('sea_map.db')
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## Map area within project is the location of Seattle, WA, United States

Although I currently reside within a different city, Seattle, WA is where I grew up and spent my early adult years. I chose this location because of the personal nostalgia that it holds.

<https://www.openstreetmap.org/relation/237385>

<https://overpass-api.de/api/map?bbox=-122.7715,47.4448,-121.9132,47.7698>

## Wrangling the data and problems encountered

Within the given focus, data auditing exposed several problems to be addressed as follows:

- Inconsistent street type names.
- Road and highway speed limit tags do not always list the given unit of measure as 'mph'.
- Postal codes are predominantly listed without the 4 digit zip extension, however some extensions do exist.
- Tags with a colon between values need to be split to identify the tag "type" and tag "key"

### Inconsistent street type names

When considering the street type names, the data was audited and compared to a list of standard expected street types as to identify values which do not correspond.

Upon identification, a dictionary of values was created to map and change these problem values to the expected dominant value for proper data unification.

### Speed limit tags within unit of measure

Upon audit, several speed limit tags were found to be missing the given unit of measure. Given the location within the United States, the 'mph' suffix was added to all data points where missing

### Inconsistent postal code values

While auditing the postal codes, uniform data was the primary concern. Postal codes were predominantly recorded without the 4 digit extension. The inclusion of this extension would be ideal, however for the purpose of this project, the dominant abbreviated postal codes will suffice. As such, the postal extensions were removed from within the data points that included them.

### Isolation of tag "type" and tag "key"

The tags with colons were identified through the use of a regular expression. Once located, the string was split at the first occurrence of a colon. With this, the tag type and key fields were identified.

# Exploring the Data Sources

## Files and their given sizes

```
In [2]: print ('sea_map.db      ',round(float(os.stat('sea_map.db').st_size / 2**20),2), 'MB')
print ('nodes.csv        ',round(float(os.stat('nodes.csv').st_size / 2**20),2), 'MB')
print ('nodes_tags.csv    ',round(float(os.stat('nodes_tags.csv').st_size / 2**20),2), 'MB')
print ('ways.csv          ',round(float(os.stat('ways.csv').st_size / 2**20),2), 'MB')
print ('ways_tags.csv     ',round(float(os.stat('ways_tags.csv').st_size / 2**20),2), 'MB')
print ('ways_nodes.csv    ',round(float(os.stat('ways_nodes.csv').st_size / 2**20),2), 'MB')
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sea_map.db      244.95 MB
nodes.csv       40.67 MB
nodes_tags.csv  2.97 MB
ways.csv        3.82 MB
ways_tags.csv   8.91 MB
ways_nodes.csv  13.33 MB
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## The total number of unique users

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In [18]: totalUsers = pd.read_sql(''SELECT COUNT(*) AS Total_Unique_Users
FROM (SELECT uid FROM ways UNION SELECT uid FROM nodes)''',conn).transpose()
print(totalUsers.to_string(header=False))
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Total_Unique_Users  2697
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## The total number of tags within the given dataset

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In [4]: totalCounts = pd.read_sql ("""
SELECT (SELECT COUNT(*) FROM nodes) AS nodes,
       (SELECT COUNT(*)FROM nodes_tags) AS nodes_tags,
       (SELECT COUNT(*)FROM ways) AS ways,
       (SELECT COUNT(*)FROM ways_tags) AS ways_tags,
       (SELECT COUNT(*)FROM ways_nodes) AS ways_nodes
""",conn).transpose()
print(totalCounts.to_string(header=False))
```

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nodes      968850
nodes_tags 159382
ways       126762
ways_tags  507402
ways_nodes 1115592
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# Exploring the Map Locations

Different location types are sampled and limited to their top results. This provides a greater overview of the data as it exists and any possible biases that may be present.

## Establishments with the most individual locations

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In [5]: establishments = pd.read_sql(''
SELECT value, Total
FROM (
SELECT value, COUNT(DISTINCT (ID)) AS Total
FROM nodes_tags WHERE key = 'name' GROUP BY value ORDER BY Total DESC LIMIT 10
)''',conn)
print(establishments.to_string(header=False, index=False))
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Starbucks	17
Subway	11
Little Free Library	7
Chase	7
Bank of America	5
Allstate	5
The UPS Store	4
Taco Del Mar	4
T-Mobile	4
Edward Jones	4

### Top 5 Food and Drink individual values

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In [6]: restaurants = pd.read_sql('''
SELECT value, Total
FROM (
SELECT value, COUNT(DISTINCT(id)) AS Total
FROM nodes_tags WHERE key = 'cuisine' GROUP BY value ORDER BY Total DESC LIMIT 5
)''',conn)
print(restaurants.to_string(header=False, index=False))
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coffee_shop	39
pizza	23
mexican	19
sandwich	18
chinese	16

### Top 5 HealthCare provider types

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In [7]: health = pd.read_sql('''
SELECT value, Total
FROM (
SELECT value, COUNT(DISTINCT(id)) AS Total
FROM nodes_tags WHERE key = 'healthcare' GROUP BY value ORDER BY Total DESC LIMIT 5
)''',conn)
print(health.to_string(header=False, index=False))
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dentist	21
doctor	14
clinic	13
alternative	12
pharmacy	9

### Top 5 tourist attraction locations

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In [8]: tours = pd.read_sql('''
SELECT value, Total
FROM (
SELECT value, COUNT(DISTINCT(id)) AS Total
FROM nodes_tags WHERE key = 'tourism' GROUP BY value ORDER BY Total DESC LIMIT 5
)''',conn)
print(tours.to_string(header=False, index=False))
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artwork	81
information	54
picnic_site	21
viewpoint	12
attraction	9

### Top 5 public amenities

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In [9]: amenities = pd.read_sql('''
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SELECT value, Total
FROM (
SELECT value, COUNT(DISTINCT(id)) AS Total
FROM nodes_tags
WHERE key = 'amenity'
AND NOT (value LIKE '%restaurant%' or value LIKE '%fast_food%' or value LIKE '%cafe%')
GROUP BY value
ORDER BY Total DESC
LIMIT 5
)''',conn)
print(amenities.to_string(header=False, index=False))

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bicycle_parking 384
    bench 344
    waste_basket 154
parking_entrance 62
    recycling 41

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### Breakdown of total establishments and amenities by sector

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In [10]: totalEstablishmentCounts = pd.read_sql ("""
SELECT
(SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT(id)) FROM nodes_tags WHERE key = 'cuisine') AS Food_Drink,
(SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT(id)) FROM nodes_tags WHERE key = 'healthcare') AS HealthCare,
(SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT(id)) FROM nodes_tags WHERE key = 'tourism') AS Tourist,
(SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT(id)) FROM nodes_tags WHERE key = 'amenity'
AND NOT
(value LIKE '%restaurant%' or value LIKE '%fast_food%' or value LIKE '%cafe%')) AS Public_Amenities
(SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT(id)) FROM nodes_tags WHERE key = 'name') AS Total_Bussiness_Establishments

""",conn).transpose()
print(totalEstablishmentCounts.to_string(header=False))

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Food_Drink          285
HealthCare           77
Tourist             191
Public_Amenities    1512
Total_Bussiness_Establishments 2433

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## Individual leaders from each sector

Individual leader from key tags is isolated and calculated as a percent of the whole, with the whole being the sum of its individualized key grouping.

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Food_Drink:      coffee_shops:      14%
HealthCare:      doctor:             18%
Tourist:          art:                42%
Public_Amenities: bicycle_parking: 25%

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The most interesting of these statistics appear to be that of bicycle\_parking. One hypothesis is that Seattle is a very bike friendly city. In line with this hypothesis would be the thought that a lot of the user input to within the map system may be derived from users on bicycles. Given this information, it is also possible that a large amount of the data from within the bike friendly commercial corridors has been recieved. This would also explain the heavy weighting within the art sector, as this information may be more easily obtained by foot/bicycle. In moving forward, it may be prudent to explore the expansion of data populated by users traveling by vehicle.

# Room for improvement

Although a great start, the data still looks to be somewhat incomplete. When calculating the total entries by street name it appears as if the data is weighted towards the commercial corridors. Also, without surprise, coffee shops are the leading cuisine/dining option within Seattle. What is surprising though is that Starbucks is shown having 43% of all total coffee shop locations from within the map. A heavy weighting towards Starbucks is a given, however in knowing Seattle, it could be easily assumed that several drive through and alternative coffee shops are not included within this data set. This small clue provides more proof of an evolving but incomplete data set.

## Street names with the most entries

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In [11]: street = pd.read_sql('''
SELECT value, Total
FROM (
SELECT value, COUNT(DISTINCT(id)) AS Total
FROM nodes_tags WHERE key = 'street' GROUP BY value ORDER BY Total DESC LIMIT 10
)''',conn)
print(street.to_string(header=False, index=False))
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Lake Washington Boulevard Northeast 87
Rainier Avenue South 86
Greenwood Avenue North 72
California Avenue Southwest 67
1st Avenue South 57
Aurora Avenue North 54
Roosevelt Way Northeast 52
Kirkland Avenue 51
Northeast 68th Street 47
Northeast 128th Street 44
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## Exploring the users

In an effort to identify where cooperation may be leveraged, users who identify as professional drivers are extracted from within the database

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In [12]: drivers = pd.read_sql('''SELECT user
FROM (SELECT user FROM ways UNION SELECT user FROM nodes )
WHERE user LIKE '%lyft%' or user LIKE '%driver%' ''',conn)
print(drivers.to_string(header=False,index=False))
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A_Prokopova_lyft
SeyfuLakew_lyft
VeloBusDriver
YTaulai_lyft
YuliyaShustava_lyft
akakhno_lyft
akuksouski_lyft
amakarevich_lyft
cpligovka_lyft
cvo_lyft
dlapo_lyft
ggando_lyft
imcnabb_lyft
justin0206_lyft
kli_lyft
kmarkish_lyft
metrodriver
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pmarkina\_lyft  
rdanouski\_lyft  
skudrashou\_lyft  
technician\_lyft  
vrynkevich\_lyft  
xliu\_lyft  
zmoore\_lyft

#### **Ideas for improvement:**

In keeping with the theme of the OpenStreetMap concept, open collaboration and integration within a select group of users provides the greatest opportunity to enhance the available data. When querying the users, it can be noted that some users are self identifying themselves as professional drivers within organizations such as Lyft. Although this group represents a small subset of the 2697 total users, it is very possible that others exist who are simply not identifying as such. Given this information, and assuming a level of cooperation within these organizations, data can be leveraged from within individual stops and integrated to within the OpenStreetMap project. This data may be extracted through several methods, however the most seamless approach would be through mobile application access and permissions to within the origination/destination descriptions of each paying customer. The combination of this and GPS data would provide seamless automation to within the map environment.

In accomplishing this, a very large hurdle to overcome would be that of acquiring the data feed from within these organizations. Although complex, I believe the benefits of this venture could be communicated and proposed in such a way where all parties involved would understand the value of a complete and dynamic mapping system. This mapping system has the potential to be much more dynamic than existing systems. Although still open source, it could be leveraged as a very valuable tool within any logistical organization.

From a technical viewpoint, integrating the data from these sources would also be a challenge. Amongst other things, algorithms would need to be developed to interpret the data and compare it to any possible existing values for a given location. This would ensure that only unique values are injected within the database.

## **Conclusion**

As with many open source projects, the OpenStreetMap evolves on a daily basis. Although the data may be incomplete, its concept is solid. In teaming up with logistical organizations, the engagement and automation of user input can be greatly increased. In doing so, the map system has the potential to become a great resource with dynamic evolution on a second by second basis.