Capstone Project on Global Terrorism Analysis

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Data Summary

- The dataset is very comprehensive and contains a lot of terrorism-related information. We have the entire dataset Global Terrorism Data. It contains 180,000 terrorist attacks x 135 features.
- The scope of this project is to drill down the terrorist events around the world from 1970 through 2017.
- It enables aggregation on many geographical levels including the globe, regions, countries, states, and cities.
- Includes systematic data on domestic as well as international terrorist incidents that have occurred during specific time period.
- This data contains month, year, days, longitude, latitude, number of killed, number of wound, weapons, attack types, and many more.
- This data is updated annually.

Objective

- Study the source and do some quick research to understand more about the dataset and its topic.
- Clean the data.
- Prepare the data for processing and analysis.
- Analyse the data more deeply and extract insights.
- Visualize the data using Python.

Work Flow

We will divide our work flow into 3 steps:



Data Collection and Analysis

- It contains more than 180,000 rows and 135 columns.
- Lets understand about the columns: month, year, days, longitude, latitude, number of killed, number of wound, weapons, attack types, country, country code, region, cities, motive, summary and many more.
- After exploring the codebook I discovered some columns to be redundant, or not relevant, which I removed. See the corresponding notebook Cleaning Data for further details on how we approached.
- Also I discovered most of the columns has the null values, which I have updated the values on that rows/columns.

Data Cleaning

- We ended up working on 18 columns from 135. See below screen print:
- Created new DataFrame with necessary columns:

```
[6] # Create DataFrame with necessary columns

df = df[['Year', 'Month', 'Day', 'Country', 'provstate', 'region_txt', 'city', 'latitude', 'longitude', 'attacktype1_txt', 'tatacktype1_txt', 'tatacktype1_txt', 'motive']]

itude', 'attacktype1_txt', 'target1', 'nkill', 'nwound', 'summary', 'gname', 'targtype1_txt', 'weaptype1_txt', 'motive']]
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Filling Null values:

```
# Need to fill null values, we will use maximum values from the above
df['provstate'].fillna(value = 'Baghadad', inplace = True)

df['city'].fillna(value= 'unknown', inplace = True)
df['longitude'].fillna(value = 44.371773, inplace = True)
df['latitude'].fillna(value = 33.303566, inplace = True)
df['target1'].fillna(value = 'civilians', inplace = True)
df['nkill'].fillna(value = 0.0, inplace= True)
df['nwound'].fillna(value = 0.0, inplace = True)
df['motive'].fillna(value = 'unknown', inplace = True)
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New Columns:

Now lets see the shape:

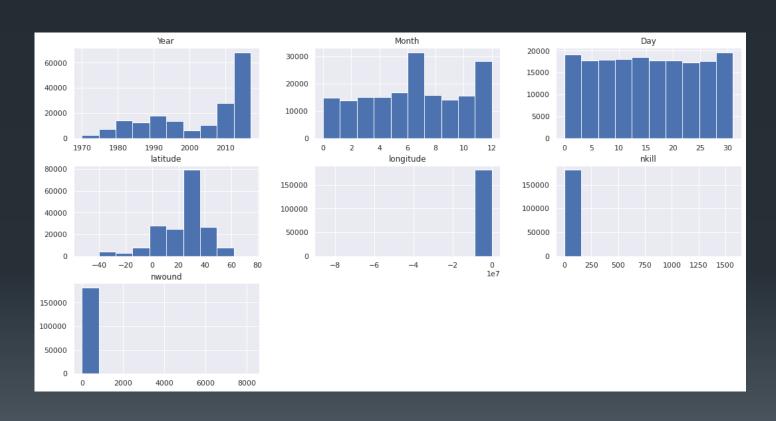
Before

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df.shape

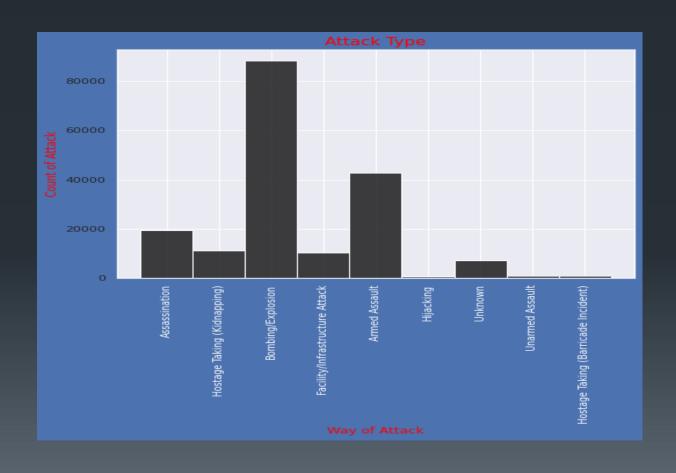
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Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) Geographical Descriptive



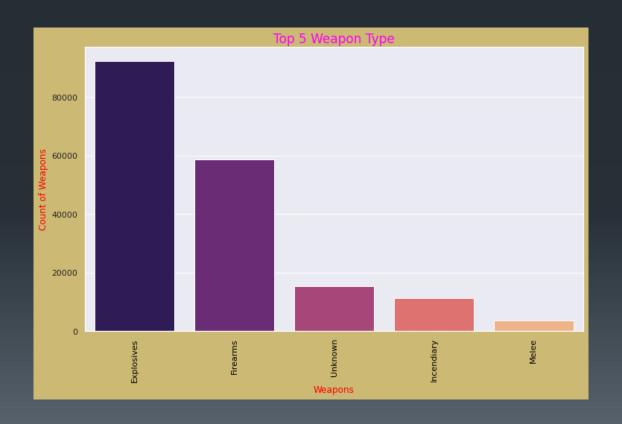
Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) Attack Type

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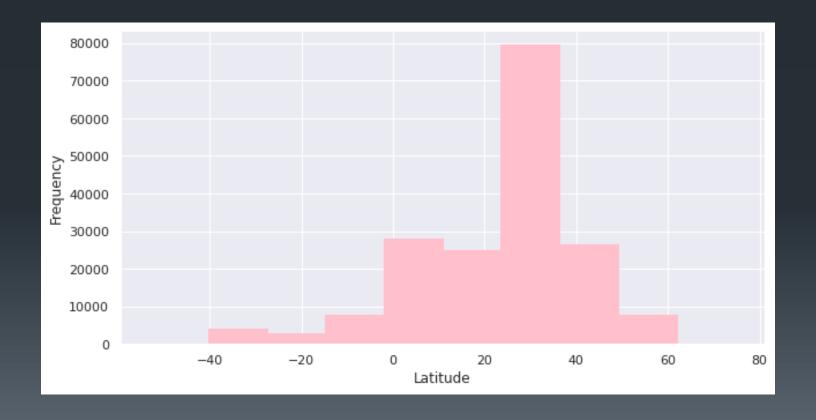
Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) Top 5 Weapon Attack

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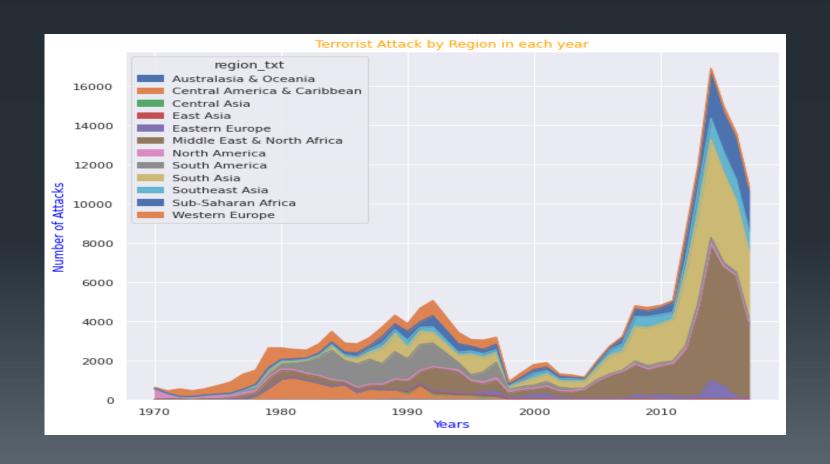
Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)Histogram

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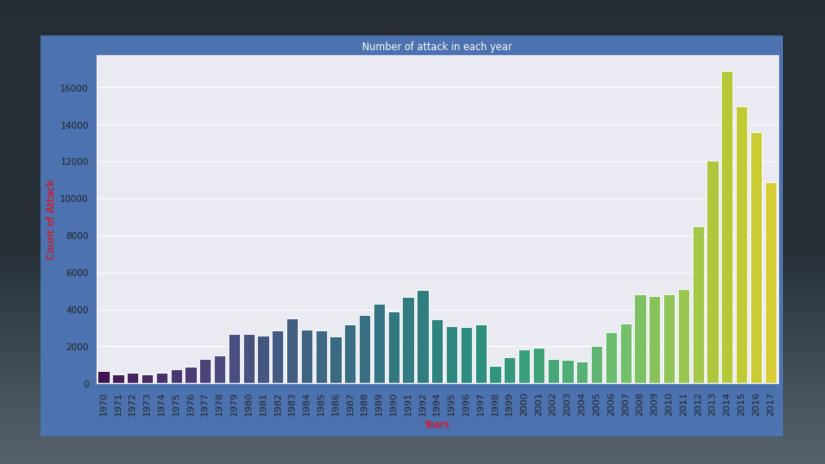
Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)Region Chart

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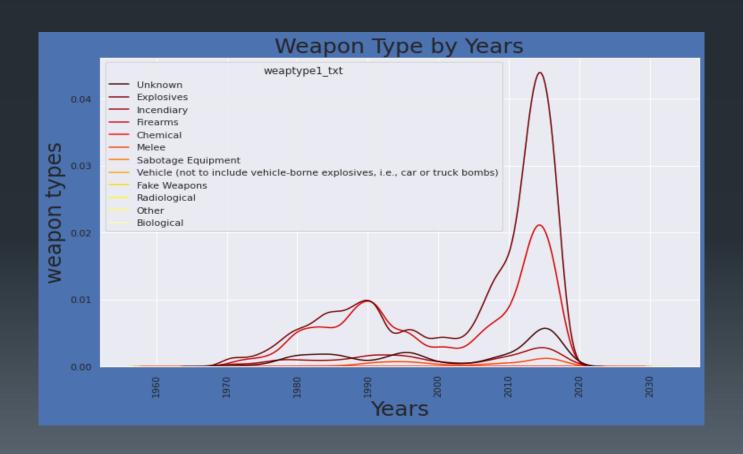
Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) Bar Plot

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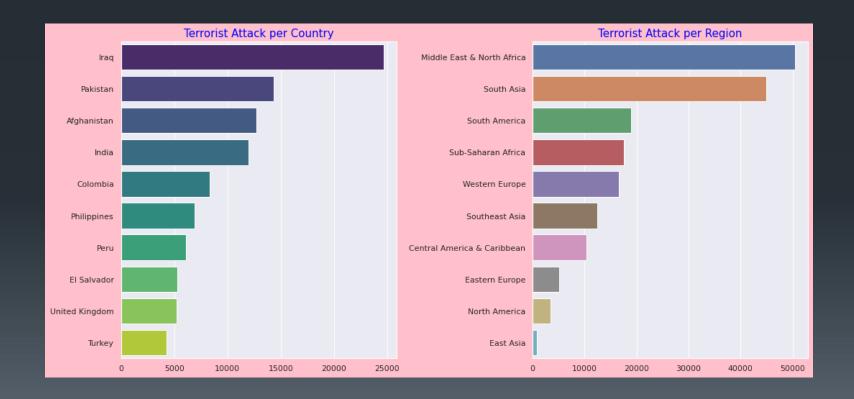
Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) KDE Plot

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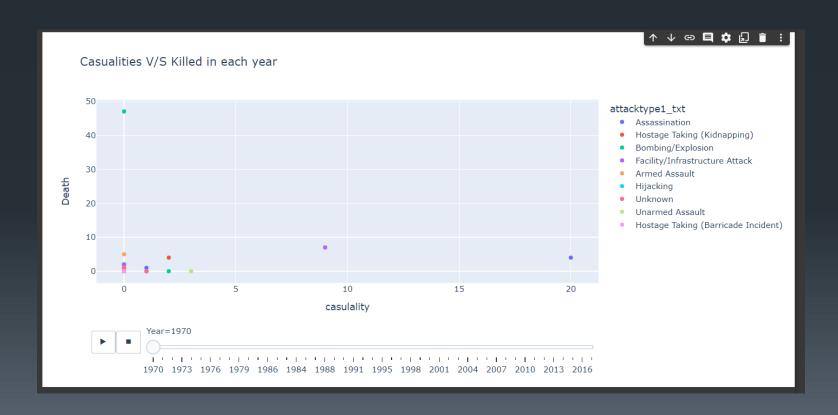
Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) Sub Plot

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Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)Scatter Chart

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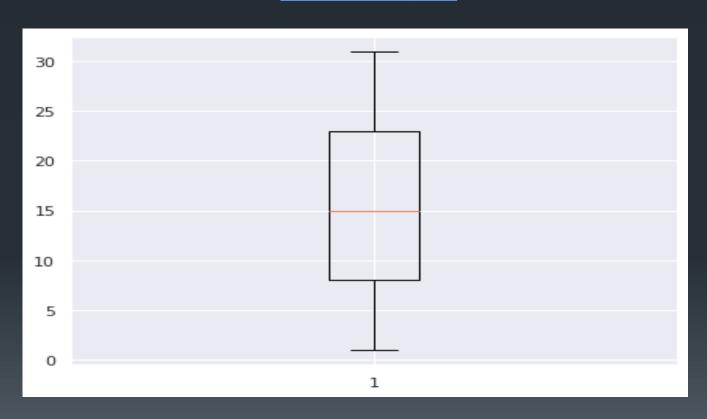


Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)Heatmap

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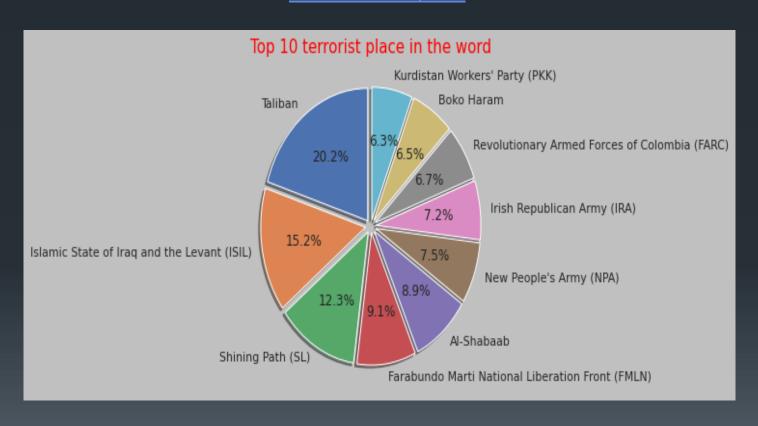
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Year	1	o	0.02	0.15	0	0.02	0.02	
Month	0	1	0.01	-0.02	-0	0	o	- 0.8
Day	0.02	0.01	1	0	-0	-0	-0	- 0.6
latitude	0.15	-0.02	o	1	o	-0.01	0.02	
longitude latitude	0	-0	-0	0	1	-0	o	- 0.4
nkill	0.02	0	-0	-0.01	-0	1	0.44	- 0.2
punomu	0.02	0	-0	0.02	o	0.44	1	- 0.0
	Year	Month	Day	latitude	longitude	nkill	nwound	

Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)Box Plot



Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) Pie Chart

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Conclusion

The conclusion of this project is to build a tool which helps users to understand and interpret the nature of terrorism. A visualization which can be used to calculate the total number of attacks, total kill counts and location based on the selected region, attack type, terrorist place and year provides interactive interface to explore this dataset.

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