

hw_2

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1 Homework 2

```
[2]: import ipytest

ipytest.autoconfig()
```

1.1 Coding: Using keywords to categorize 311 requests

Problem Statement: When you read through the `descriptor` and `resolution_description` columns in the 311 data, you will see that complaints related to graffiti are actually scattered throughout multiple `complaint_type` categories. We want to identify all complaints related to graffiti and see which community districts have the most instances of graffiti.

To help make this assignment easier, there's a smaller subset of the 311 data for you to use:

https://storage.googleapis.com/python-public-policy/data/cleaned_311_data_hw2.csv.zip

This smaller dataset only contains ~65,000 records from relevant complaint type categories, and has columns renamed to be lowercase and underscored.

1.1.1 Hints

- You can adapt the `recode_borocd_counts()` example from [Lecture 2](#) for this problem.
- You may run into issues with empty values; [how to deal with them](#).
- [Ways to do case-insensitive string comparison in pure Python](#), which translates over to pandas.

1.1.2 Step 0

Load the data.

```
[3]: import pandas as pd

[4]: # your code here
df = pd.read_csv(
    "https://storage.googleapis.com/python-public-policy/data/
    ↪cleaned_311_data_hw2.csv.zip"
)
```

1.1.3 Step 1

Create a `flag_graffiti` function that checks each row in the 311 dataframe to see if the word “graffiti” is present in the `complaint_type`, `descriptor`, and/or `resolution_description`. Any of the columns may contain the word, so you should check all of them. If the word “graffiti” is found, the function should return the boolean value `True`. If “graffiti” is not found, the function should return the boolean value `False`.

Hints

- Make sure to look for “graffiti” *in* those strings. The strings may contain more than just that word.
- Capitalization may be inconsistent.

```
[5]: df.info()
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 64577 entries, 0 to 64576
Data columns (total 43 columns):
#   Column                                Non-Null Count  Dtype
---  -
0   Unnamed: 0.1                          64577 non-null  int64
1   Unnamed: 0                            64577 non-null  int64
2   unique_key                            64577 non-null  int64
3   created_date                          64577 non-null  object
4   closed_date                           49914 non-null  object
5   agency                                64577 non-null  object
6   agency_name                           64577 non-null  object
7   complaint_type                         64577 non-null  object
8   descriptor                             64577 non-null  object
9   location_type                          59389 non-null  object
10  incident_zip                           57322 non-null  float64
11  incident_address                       41973 non-null  object
12  street_name                            41925 non-null  object
13  cross_street_1                         17406 non-null  object
14  cross_street_2                         17409 non-null  object
15  intersection_street_1                  13966 non-null  object
16  intersection_street_2                  13946 non-null  object
17  address_type                           40799 non-null  object
18  city                                   55627 non-null  object
19  landmark                               4338 non-null   object
20  facility_type                          1787 non-null   object
21  status                                 64577 non-null  object
22  due_date                               49816 non-null  object
23  resolution_description                  59613 non-null  object
24  resolution_action_updated_date          59542 non-null  object
25  community_board                         64577 non-null  object
26  bbl                                     35586 non-null  float64
27  borough                                64577 non-null  object
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28 x_coordinate_(state_plane)      49671 non-null float64
29 y_coordinate_(state_plane)      49671 non-null float64
30 open_data_channel_type          64577 non-null object
31 park_facility_name              64577 non-null object
32 park_borough                    64577 non-null object
33 vehicle_type                    0 non-null float64
34 taxi_company_borough            0 non-null float64
35 taxi_pick_up_location           0 non-null float64
36 bridge_highway_name             3482 non-null object
37 bridge_highway_direction        3864 non-null object
38 road_ramp                       3864 non-null object
39 bridge_highway_segment          3864 non-null object
40 latitude                        49671 non-null float64
41 longitude                       49671 non-null float64
42 location                        49671 non-null object
dtypes: float64(9), int64(3), object(31)
memory usage: 21.2+ MB

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[4]: df.head(20)
```

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[4]:      Unnamed: 0.1  Unnamed: 0  unique_key  created_date  \
0          238          238    39887282  08/01/2018 01:42:01 AM
1          353          353    39889407  08/01/2018 03:20:07 AM
2          403          403    39893067  08/01/2018 04:19:15 AM
3          655          655    39890578  08/01/2018 07:32:33 AM
4          658          658    39896325  08/01/2018 07:33:12 AM
5          661          661    39895587  08/01/2018 07:34:44 AM
6          713          713    39890857  08/01/2018 07:53:38 AM
7          789          789    39894929  08/01/2018 08:07:49 AM
8          860          860    39897352  08/01/2018 08:21:08 AM
9          876          876    39891938  08/01/2018 08:24:41 AM
10         964          964    39897349  08/01/2018 08:40:34 AM
11        1001        1001    39894633  08/01/2018 08:46:27 AM
12        1007        1007    39893314  08/01/2018 08:47:45 AM
13        1013        1013    39897422  08/01/2018 08:49:15 AM
14        1050        1050    39888412  08/01/2018 08:56:53 AM
15        1113        1113    39890371  08/01/2018 09:05:14 AM
16        1125        1125    39890363  08/01/2018 09:06:03 AM
17        1196        1196    39898317  08/01/2018 09:15:07 AM
18        1247        1247    39890214  08/01/2018 09:23:58 AM
19        1253        1253    39891954  08/01/2018 09:24:17 AM

      closed_date agency  agency_name  \
0  08/14/2018 02:42:12 PM  DPR  Department of Parks and Recreation
1  08/23/2018 11:15:00 AM  DPR  Department of Parks and Recreation
2  08/02/2018 08:19:55 AM  DPR  Department of Parks and Recreation
3  08/16/2018 10:28:38 AM  DPR  Department of Parks and Recreation

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4	09/04/2018 05:38:02 PM	DPR	Department of Parks and Recreation
5	08/10/2018 01:45:07 PM	DPR	Department of Parks and Recreation
6	08/08/2018 04:21:55 PM	DPR	Department of Parks and Recreation
7	08/07/2018 12:20:24 PM	DOT	Department of Transportation
8		NaN	DSNY
9	08/30/2018 12:00:00 AM	DSNY	Department of Sanitation
10	08/23/2018 12:00:00 AM	DSNY	Department of Sanitation
11	08/23/2018 09:42:02 AM	DPR	Department of Parks and Recreation
12	08/20/2018 12:00:00 AM	DSNY	Department of Sanitation
13	08/28/2018 12:00:00 AM	DSNY	Department of Sanitation
14	08/09/2018 08:29:37 AM	DOT	Department of Transportation
15	08/20/2018 12:00:00 AM	DSNY	Department of Sanitation
16	10/03/2018 12:00:00 AM	DSNY	Department of Sanitation
17	08/01/2018 11:28:16 AM	DPR	Department of Parks and Recreation
18	08/07/2018 08:25:22 AM	DOT	Department of Transportation
19	08/07/2018 08:29:29 AM	DOT	Department of Transportation

	complaint_type	descriptor	location_type \
0	Maintenance or Facility	Structure - Outdoors	Park
1	Maintenance or Facility	Garbage or Litter	Park
2	Maintenance or Facility	Hours of Operation	Park
3	Maintenance or Facility	Garbage or Litter	Park
4	Maintenance or Facility	Garbage or Litter	Park
5	Maintenance or Facility	Unsecured Facility	Park
6	Maintenance or Facility	Grass/Weeds	Street/Curbside
7	Broken Parking Meter	Coin or Card Did Not Register	Street
8	Graffiti	Graffiti	NaN
9	Graffiti	Graffiti	Mixed Use
10	Graffiti	Graffiti	Residential
11	Maintenance or Facility	Structure - Outdoors	Park
12	Graffiti	Graffiti	Mixed Use
13	Graffiti	Graffiti	Mixed Use
14	Broken Parking Meter	Coin or Card Did Not Register	Street
15	Graffiti	Graffiti	Residential
16	Graffiti	Graffiti	Residential
17	Maintenance or Facility	Structure - Outdoors	Park
18	Broken Parking Meter	No Receipt	Street
19	Broken Parking Meter	Out of Order	Street

	vehicle_type	taxi_company_borough	taxi_pick_up_location \
0	...	NaN	NaN
1	...	NaN	NaN
2	...	NaN	NaN
3	...	NaN	NaN
4	...	NaN	NaN
5	...	NaN	NaN
6	...	NaN	NaN

7	...	NaN	NaN	NaN
8	...	NaN	NaN	NaN
9	...	NaN	NaN	NaN
10	...	NaN	NaN	NaN
11	...	NaN	NaN	NaN
12	...	NaN	NaN	NaN
13	...	NaN	NaN	NaN
14	...	NaN	NaN	NaN
15	...	NaN	NaN	NaN
16	...	NaN	NaN	NaN
17	...	NaN	NaN	NaN
18	...	NaN	NaN	NaN
19	...	NaN	NaN	NaN

	bridge_highway_name	bridge_highway_direction	road_ramp	\
0	NaN	NaN	NaN	
1	NaN	NaN	NaN	
2	NaN	NaN	NaN	
3	NaN	NaN	NaN	
4	NaN	NaN	NaN	
5	NaN	NaN	NaN	
6	NaN	NaN	NaN	
7	NaN	NaN	NaN	
8	NaN	NaN	NaN	
9	NaN	NaN	NaN	
10	NaN	NaN	NaN	
11	NaN	NaN	NaN	
12	NaN	NaN	NaN	
13	NaN	NaN	NaN	
14	NaN	NaN	NaN	
15	NaN	NaN	NaN	
16	NaN	NaN	NaN	
17	NaN	NaN	NaN	
18	NaN	NaN	NaN	
19	NaN	NaN	NaN	

	bridge_highway_segment	latitude	longitude	\
0	NaN	NaN	NaN	
1	NaN	40.683778	-73.769744	
2	NaN	NaN	NaN	
3	NaN	NaN	NaN	
4	NaN	NaN	NaN	
5	NaN	NaN	NaN	
6	NaN	40.711091	-73.747639	
7	NaN	40.852601	-73.827816	
8	NaN	NaN	NaN	
9	NaN	40.700620	-73.917173	

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10      NaN  40.873534 -73.876124
11      NaN      NaN      NaN
12      NaN  40.642204 -74.013354
13      NaN  40.702813 -73.921863
14      NaN  40.858032 -73.883510
15      NaN  40.720532 -73.942730
16      NaN  40.720444 -73.942716
17      NaN      NaN      NaN
18      NaN  40.747529 -73.941220
19      NaN  40.840808 -73.843322

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                                location
0                                NaN
1  (40.68377771085733, -73.76974413109498)
2                                NaN
3                                NaN
4                                NaN
5                                NaN
6  (40.711091308732435, -73.74763946439865)
7  (40.852601460220185, -73.82781602326443)
8                                NaN
9  (40.70061981717157, -73.91717344071574)
10 (40.87353414980636, -73.87612406980227)
11                                NaN
12 (40.64220432954161, -74.01335393443593)
13 (40.70281342017164, -73.92186290937498)
14 (40.85803154781598, -73.88350951977466)
15 (40.720532158642264, -73.94272993232262)
16 (40.72044431919613, -73.94271557756703)
17                                NaN
18 (40.74752880238678, -73.94121980592674)
19 (40.84080758451802, -73.84332208936512)

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[20 rows x 43 columns]

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[11]: def flag_graffiti(row):
        if "graffiti" in row['complaint_type'].lower():
            return True
        elif "graffiti" in row['descriptor'].lower():
            return True
        elif "graffiti" in str(row['resolution_description']).lower():
            return True
        else:
            return False

```

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[12]: type(flag_graffiti)

```

[12]: function

Test by passing in a fake row.

```
[13]: %%ipytest --tb=short
#When %%XXX should be the first thing in the cell,
#Otherwise, IPython tries to interpret it as a 'line magic' hence the error you
↪see.

def test_complaint_type():
    test_row = pd.Series({
        "complaint_type": "graffiti",
        "descriptor": "",
        "resolution_description": ""
    })
    assert flag_graffiti(test_row) == True

def test_descriptor():
    test_row = pd.Series({
        "complaint_type": "",
        "descriptor": "graffiti",
        "resolution_description": ""
    })
    assert flag_graffiti(test_row) == True

def test_description():
    test_row = pd.Series({
        "complaint_type": "",
        "descriptor": "",
        "resolution_description": "graffiti"
    })
    assert flag_graffiti(test_row) == True

def test_none():
    test_row = pd.Series({
        "complaint_type": "",
        "descriptor": "",
        "resolution_description": ""
    })
    assert flag_graffiti(test_row) == False

def test_mixed_cases():
    test_row = pd.Series({
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        "complaint_type": "Graffiti",
        "descriptor": "",
        "resolution_description": ""
    })
    assert flag_graffiti(test_row) == True

def test_substring():
    test_row = pd.Series({
        "complaint_type": "",
        "descriptor": "there's graffiti on the wall",
        "resolution_description": ""
    })
    assert flag_graffiti(test_row) == True

```

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[100%]
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1.1.4 Step 2

Apply the function created in Step 1 to the 311 dataframe and create a new column called `graffiti_flag` that captures the output from the function.

Tip: There are two checks you can use to confirm that the function worked as expected.

- Make sure there are records tagged with `graffiti_flag` True.
- Make sure that more than one `complaint_type` has `graffiti_flag` True (and False).

```
[14]: type(flag_graffiti)
```

```
[14]: function
```

```
[16]: # your code here
df['graffiti_flag'] = df.apply(flag_graffiti,axis=1)
```

```
[17]: %%ipytest --tb=short

def test_graffiti_flag():
    assert 'graffiti_flag' in df.columns, "column missing"
    assert df.dtypes['graffiti_flag'] == 'bool', "column should be booleans"

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[100%]
1 passed in 0.01s

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1.1.5 Step 3

Create another dataframe `df_graffiti` that only contains records where `graffiti_flag` is `True`.

```
[22]: # your code here
df_graffiti=df[df['graffiti_flag']==True]
```

```
[24]: print(df_graffiti)
```

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      Unnamed: 0.1  Unnamed: 0  unique_key  created_date \
8              860          860   39897352  08/01/2018 08:21:08 AM
9              876          876   39891938  08/01/2018 08:24:41 AM
10             964          964   39897349  08/01/2018 08:40:34 AM
12            1007         1007   39893314  08/01/2018 08:47:45 AM
13            1013         1013   39897422  08/01/2018 08:49:15 AM
...
64510      2854717      2854906   43625225  08/23/2019 12:06:05 PM
64511      2854787      2854976   43625582  08/23/2019 12:16:45 PM
64528      2855845      2856034   43626398  08/23/2019 03:28:10 PM
64566      2857045      2857234   43625297  08/23/2019 07:48:53 PM
64574      2857951      2858140   43619750  08/23/2019 10:52:13 PM

      closed_date agency  agency_name \
8              NaN  DSNY  Department of Sanitation
9  08/30/2018 12:00:00 AM  DSNY  Department of Sanitation
10 08/23/2018 12:00:00 AM  DSNY  Department of Sanitation
12 08/20/2018 12:00:00 AM  DSNY  Department of Sanitation
13 08/28/2018 12:00:00 AM  DSNY  Department of Sanitation
...
64510 08/23/2019 12:44:10 PM  NYPD  New York City Police Department
64511              NaN  NYPD  New York City Police Department
64528 08/23/2019 07:28:02 PM  NYPD  New York City Police Department
64566 08/23/2019 09:35:52 PM  NYPD  New York City Police Department
64574              NaN   DPR  Department of Parks and Recreation

      complaint_type  descriptor \
8             Graffiti  Graffiti
9             Graffiti  Graffiti
10            Graffiti  Graffiti
12            Graffiti  Graffiti
13            Graffiti  Graffiti
...
64510            Graffiti  Police Report Not Requested
64511            Graffiti  Police Report Requested
64528            Graffiti  Police Report Not Requested
64566            Graffiti  Police Report Not Requested
64574  Maintenance or Facility  Graffiti or Vandalism
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	location_type	...	taxi_company_borough	\
8	NaN	...	NaN	
9	Mixed Use	...	NaN	
10	Residential	...	NaN	
12	Mixed Use	...	NaN	
13	Mixed Use	...	NaN	
...	
64510	Street/Sidewalk	...	NaN	
64511	Store/Commercial	...	NaN	
64528	Residential Building/House	...	NaN	
64566	Store/Commercial	...	NaN	
64574	Park	...	NaN	

	taxi_pick_up_location	bridge_highway_name	bridge_highway_direction	\
8	NaN	NaN	NaN	
9	NaN	NaN	NaN	
10	NaN	NaN	NaN	
12	NaN	NaN	NaN	
13	NaN	NaN	NaN	
...	
64510	NaN	NaN	NaN	
64511	NaN	NaN	NaN	
64528	NaN	NaN	NaN	
64566	NaN	NaN	NaN	
64574	NaN	NaN	NaN	

	road_ramp	bridge_highway_segment	latitude	longitude	\
8	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	
9	NaN	NaN	40.700620	-73.917173	
10	NaN	NaN	40.873534	-73.876124	
12	NaN	NaN	40.642204	-74.013354	
13	NaN	NaN	40.702813	-73.921863	
...	
64510	NaN	NaN	40.530913	-74.193853	
64511	NaN	NaN	40.691514	-73.942629	
64528	NaN	NaN	40.883622	-73.909778	
64566	NaN	NaN	40.724822	-73.947586	
64574	NaN	NaN	40.792303	-73.807228	

	location	graffiti_flag
8	NaN	True
9	(40.70061981717157, -73.91717344071574)	True
10	(40.87353414980636, -73.87612406980227)	True
12	(40.64220432954161, -74.01335393443593)	True
13	(40.70281342017164, -73.92186290937498)	True
...
64510	(40.53091270292588, -74.19385298584154)	True
64511	(40.691514455259444, -73.94262864668438)	True

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64528      (40.8836219178934, -73.90977771805365)      True
64566      (40.72482178470172, -73.9475859471725)      True
64574      (40.79230300094072, -73.80722774980956)      True
```

[26380 rows x 44 columns]

```
[25]: %%ipytest --tb=short

def test_all_have_graffiti():
    assert df_graffiti['graffiti_flag'].all(), "not all have graffiti_flag set_
    ↪to True"
```

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[100%]

1 passed in 0.01s

1.1.6 Step 4

Group your dataframe `df_graffiti` to get the count of requests per `community_board`. Identify which Community District has the highest count.

```
[33]: # your code here
group=df_graffiti.groupby('community_board').size().reset_index(name='count')
```

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[34]: print(group)
```

	community_board	count
0	0 Unspecified	540
1	01 BRONX	311
2	01 BROOKLYN	1797
3	01 MANHATTAN	146
4	01 QUEENS	572
..
66	Unspecified BRONX	615
67	Unspecified BROOKLYN	591
68	Unspecified MANHATTAN	405
69	Unspecified QUEENS	254
70	Unspecified STATEN ISLAND	8

[71 rows x 2 columns]

1.1.7 Bonus 1

0.2 points

Create a `graffiti_flag2` column using only built-in pandas operations, i.e. without using a custom function (`def`). Another way to think about it: Instead of operating on a single row at a time, how can you operate across entire columns? See [working with text data](#) for clues.

```
[31]: graffiti_flag2
```

```
[31]: 0      False
      1      True
      2     False
      3      True
      4      True
      ...
      64572  False
      64573  False
      64574   True
      64575  False
      64576  False
      Name: community_board, Length: 64577, dtype: bool
```

1.1.8 Bonus 2

0.2 points

Clean another column of the dataset. Include explanation and code for how you got there.

```
[12]: # your code here
```

Now [turn in the assignment](#).

1.2 Tutorials

- [Pythonic Data Cleaning With Pandas and NumPy](#)
- [“You’re Not Mapping Rats, You’re Mapping Gentrification”](#)—article about bias in 311 data
- [Read about the Spatial Data Equity Tool](#)
- [Intro to Plotly Express](#). You don’t have to work through every one of these examples; just review to get familiar with what types of charts are possible.

1.2.1 Optional

- [Python Tools for Record Linkage](#)
- [Reshaping and pivot tables](#)
- [How to reshape the layout of tables](#)