Group Name: Ignotus

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Problem Description:

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Business Understanding:

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Project Life-cycle and Deadline:

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| Task | Beginning Date | Due Date |
| Problem understanding (week7) | 09/27/2021 | 10/04/2021 |
| Data understanding (week8) | 10/04/2021 | 10/11/2021 |
| Data cleansing and transformation done on the data. (week9) | 10/11/2021 | 10/18/2021 |
| EDA performed on the data. (week10) | 10/18/2021 | 10/25/2021 |
| EDA Presentation and proposed modeling technique. (week11) | 10/25/2021 | 11/01/2021 |
| Model Selection and Model Building. (week12) | 11/01/2021 | 11/08/2021 |
| Final Project Report. (week13) | 11/08/2021 | 11/15/2021 |

Data Intake Report:

Name: Medicare Group Project

Report date: 09/29/2021

Internship Batch: LISUM03

Version: 1.0

Data intake by: Ignotus

Data intake reviewer: Data Glacier

Data storage location: https://github.com/TheHamhams/dg\_group\_project

**Tabular data details:**

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| **Total number of observations** | 3424 |
| **Total number of files** | 1 |
| **Total number of features** | 69 |
| **Base format of the file** | .csv |
| **Size of the data** | 0.88 MB |

**Proposed Approach:**

In terms of dedup validation, we will used Excel’s duplicate identification feature to identify and remove duplicate addresses (if any). In addition, null values can be identified in either Excel or Python and removed. However, we found the column value: “Unknown” to be useful and not the same of a null value. The reason being is that column value “Unknown” is an important count for analyzing the distribution count of data we do have Vs. the unknown values. Dataset will also be cleaned through the lowering of column titles in Python.

GitHub Repository Link:

- <https://github.com/TheHamhams/dg_group_project>