

# CRIME PATTERN ANALYSIS

## PROJECT ABSTRACT

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### Overview:

This project focuses on analyzing crime data in **Los Angeles from 2020 to the present**. It explores crime trends, patterns, and hotspots using data mining techniques such as classification, clustering, and time series analysis. The goal is to provide meaningful insights for better understanding urban crime behavior.

### Data Collection and Preprocessing:

The dataset was collected from the **Los Angeles Open Data Portal** (Data.gov) and also supports local file uploads. The data was cleaned by handling missing values, removing duplicates, and engineering features like victim age, area, and weapon used. Categorical variables were encoded to prepare the data for modeling.

### Visualization and Modeling:

- **EDA (Exploratory Data Analysis)** was done using plots and summaries to understand key crime statistics. Time Series Analysis was performed to study crime trends over time.
- **MODELS:** Classification was implemented using a **Decision Tree Classifier** to predict crime categories. Clustering was performed using **K-Means**(cluster based on weapons) and **AGNES Hierarchical Clustering** to group similar crime incidents and analyze crime hotspots.

### Tools and Technologies:

- Python, Pandas, NumPy, Scikit-learn, Matplotlib, Seaborn
- **Streamlit** for building an interactive web application

OUTPUTS:

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Los Angeles Crime Data Analysis (2020-Present)

Data Overview

EDA Visualizations

Model Results

Dataset Preview

	DR_NO	Date Rptd	DATE OCC	TIME OCC	AREA	AREA NAME	Rpt Dist No	Part 1-2	Crm Cd	Crm Cd Desc
0	190326475	03/01/2020 12:00:00 AM	03/01/2020 12:00:00 AM	2130	7	Wilshire	784	1	510	VEHICLE - STOLEN
1	200106753	02/09/2020 12:00:00 AM	02/08/2020 12:00:00 AM	1800	1	Central	182	1	330	BURGLARY FROM VEHICLE
2	200320258	11/11/2020 12:00:00 AM	11/04/2020 12:00:00 AM	1700	3	Southwest	356	1	480	BIKE - STOLEN
3	200907217	05/10/2023 12:00:00 AM	03/10/2020 12:00:00 AM	2037	9	Van Nuys	964	1	343	SHOPLIFTING-GRAND THEFT (C
4	200412582	09/09/2020 12:00:00 AM	09/09/2020 12:00:00 AM	630	4	Hollenbeck	413	1	510	VEHICLE - STOLEN

Dataset Columns

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Exploratory Data Analysis

Monthly Crime Trends (2020-Present)

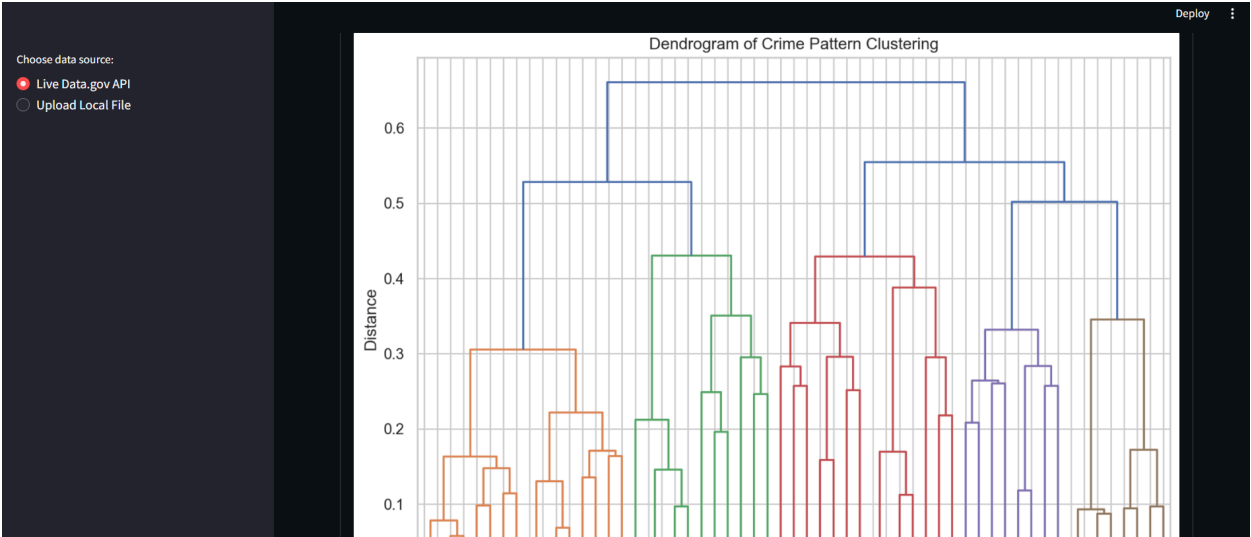
Year	Number of Crimes (Approx.)
2020	6500
2021	6000
2022	6500
2023	7000
2024	6000
2025	1000

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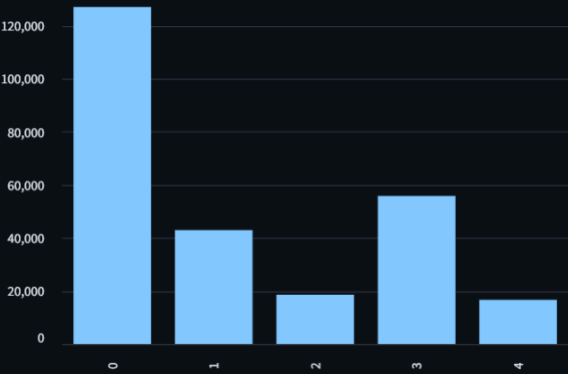


K-Means Clustering:

Number of samples in each cluster: [127064 42947 18587 55829 16662]

Cluster Analysis

Crime Cluster Distribution:



Show Processed Data

Decision Tree Classification

	Value
accuracy	0.4016
precision	0.3905
recall	0.4016
f1_score	0.395