DSE 203 Final California Highway Traffic Analysis

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Purpose

Combine Traffic, Weather, and CHP Incident data into a single data warehouse, enabling systems to determine traffic rates and CHP incidents with respect to weather; and potentially other determinations

Data Sources

- Caltrans Performance Measurement System (PeMS)
- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
- California Highway Patrol

Data Integration Tasks

- Creation of Data Warehouse Schema
- Obtain Traffic Data from PEMs
- Obtain Weather Station Data from NOAA
- Obtain Weather Precipitation Data from NOAA
- Obtain California Highway Patrol Incident Data from CHP
- Execute Queries against Data Warehouse Schema

Source Schema

STATION 5MIN TIMESTAMP STATION_ID DISTRICT_ID FREEWAY ID FREEWAY DIRECTION LANE TYPE STATION_LENGTH SAMPLES OBSERVED_PERCENTAGE TOTAL_FLOW AVG OCCUPANCY AVG SPEED LANE 1 SAMPLES LANE_1_FLOW LANE 1 OCCUPANCY LANE 1 SPEED LANE 1 OBS FLAG LANE 2 SAMPLES LANE_2_FLOW LANE 2 OCCUPANCY LANE 2 SPEED LANE 2 OBS FLAG LANE_3_SAMPLES LANE_3_FLOW LANE_3_OCCUPANCY LANE 3 SPEED LANE_3_OBS_FLAG LANE 4 SAMPLES LANE_4_FLOW LANE 4 OCCUPANCY LANE_4_SPEED LANE_4_OBS_FLAG LANE 5 SAMPLES LANE_5_FLOW LANE 5 OCCUPANCY LANE_5_SPEED LANE_5_OBS_FLAG LANE_6_SAMPLES LANE 6 FLOW LANE_6_OCCUPANCY LANE 6 SPEED

LANE 6 OBS FLAG

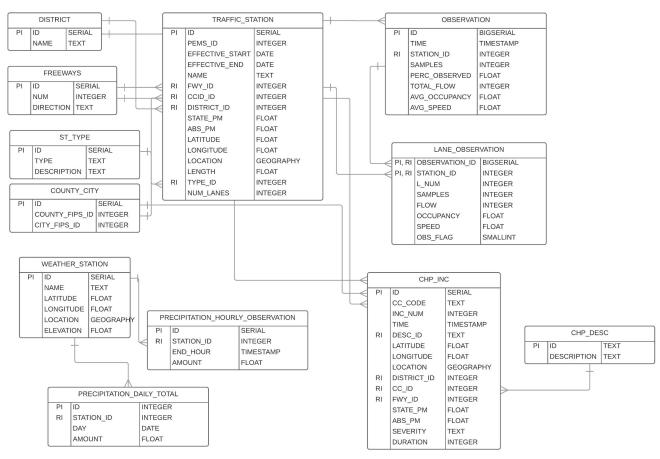
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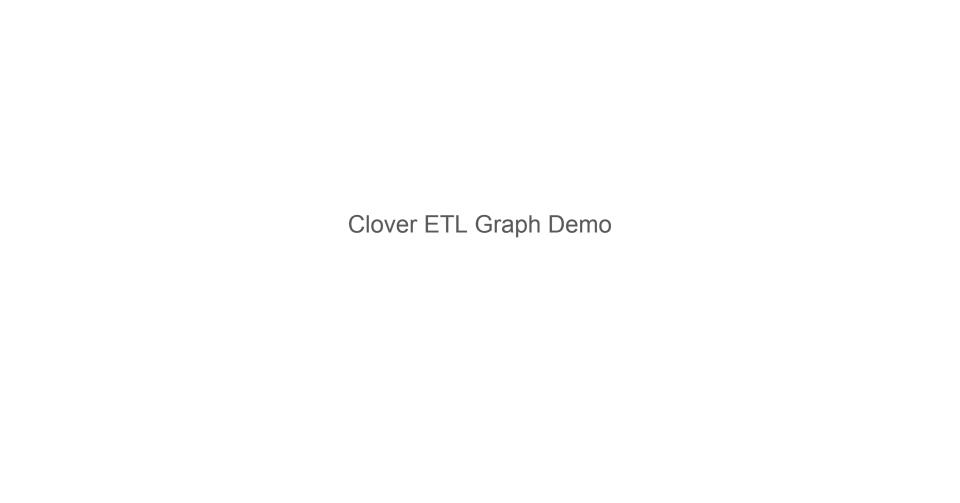
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Target Schema





Queries

- What traffic station has the largest difference in average speed over the first two weeks of the month?
- How significant is the difference in traffic throughput on a rainy Monday vs a non-rainy Monday?
- Does trace amount of precipitation affect the number of CHP traffic incidents on a given day? (Trace precipitation is defined as a weather station registering precipitation but less than the unit granularity of the sensor)
- Identify the top 5 freeways with respect to traffic speed.
- Is the traffic throughput of one freeway indicative of others?

IPython Notebook Query Results Demo

