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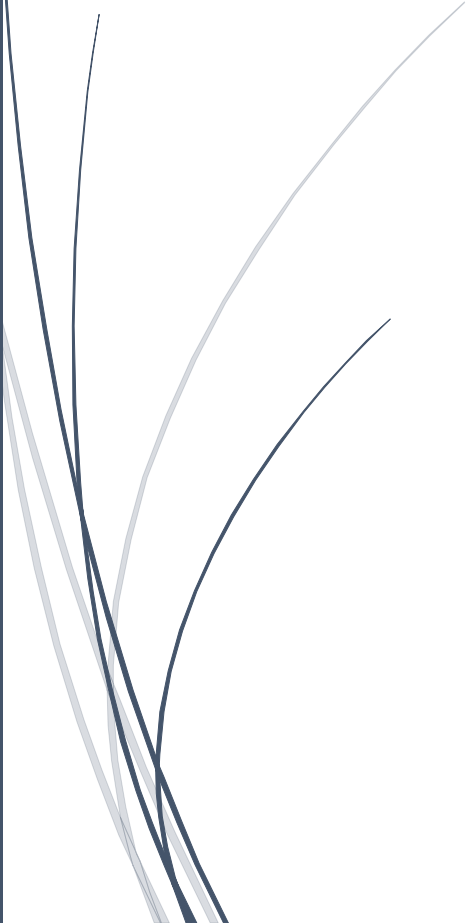
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# FIT5147 – Data Exploration and Visualization

## Semester 1, 2020

### Data Exploration Project

#### Initial Project Proposal

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# Air Quality in India and its Causes

## Questions:

1. How are the various air pollutants distributed throughout India?
2. How does location affect the air quality in India?
3. How various factors have affected the air quality in India since the year 1987 through 2015?

## Data sources:

- a. Historical Daily Ambient Air Quality Data for India during 1987-2015 contributed by the Ministry of Environment and Forests and Central Pollution Control Board of India under the National Data Sharing and Accessibility Policy (NDSAP).
- b. Total Number of Registered Motor Vehicles in India during 1951-2013 contributed by the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways under the National Data Sharing and Accessibility Policy (NDSAP).
- c. India's dates for the Diwali festival during 1987-2015.

The data source a will allow me to answer questions 2 and 3, while the combination of data sources a, b and c will allow me to answer question 1.

## Description of data sources:

- a. Tabular data: 435742 rows and 13 columns  
It has spatial, numerical, temporal attributes and simple textual data.  
(<https://data.gov.in/catalog/historical-daily-ambient-air-quality-data>)
- b. Tabular data: 57 rows and 7 columns  
It has temporal and numerical data.  
(<https://data.gov.in/resources/total-number-registered-motor-vehicles-india-during-1951-2013>)
- c. Tabular data in PHP: A single columnar temporal data for 29 years.  
([http://www.world-timedate.com/holidays/kali\\_puja\\_deepavali\\_date\\_list.php](http://www.world-timedate.com/holidays/kali_puja_deepavali_date_list.php))