

https://github.com/aravindnatarajan/SFAlpine

https://data.sfgov.org/Economy-and-Community/ Open-Business-Locations-San-Francisco/g8m3-pdis

dbaName	city	state	zip bizStartDate	locStartDate	lat lo	n
3101 LAGUNA APTS	San Francisco	CA	94123 1993-09-30	1993-09-30	43.1613	-77.6193
IDEAL NOVAK CORP	San Francisco	CA	94116 1968-10-01	1968-10-01	37.7998	-122.431
TOURNAHU ARMS	San Francisco	CA	94123 1968-10-01	1968-10-01	37.7489	-122.465
3301 BRODERICK APARTMENTS	San Francisco	CA	94123 1968-10-01	1988-05-01	37.8048	-122.443
3301 BRODERICK APARTMENTS	San Francisco	CA	94123 1968-10-01	1988-05-01	37.8009	-122.445
1840-42 JEFFERSON ST	San Francisco	CA	94109 1968-10-01	1991-10-07	37.8009	-122.445
1601 GRANT APTS	San Francisco	CA	94133 1968-10-01	1968-10-01	37.7915	-122.42
1601 GRANT PARKING	San Francisco	CA	94133 1968-10-01	2013-01-01	37.8017	-122.408
ABBETT ELEC CORP	San Francisco	CA	94110 1968-10-01	1968-10-01	37.8017	-122.408
ABBEY CARPET	San Francisco	CA	94118 1968-10-01	2012-07-27	37.7637	-122.41
ABBEY CARPET OF SAN FRANCISCO	San Francisco	CA	94118 1968-10-01	2013-10-01	37.7822	-122.45
ABC AUTO PARTS	San Francisco	CA	94124 1968-10-01	1968-10-01	37.7822	-122.45
ABC INSURANCE	San Francisco	CA	94124 1968-10-01	2002-10-24	37.7462	-122.392
J & E CONSTRUCTION	San Francisco	CA	94124 1968-10-01	1999-08-27	37.7361	-122.393
ABC WINDOW CONTRACTORS INC	San Francisco	CA	94124 1968-10-01	1997-09-29	37.7361	-122.393
ABLE BUILDING MAINTENANCE CO	San Francisco	CA	94107 1968-10-01	1968-10-01	37.7503	-122.386

http://www.city-data.com/zipmaps/San-Francisco-California.html#top

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zip	94102	population 25881	176.9	38579	574100	22517	unemp 9.3	0.7
	94103	23907	155.5		628000			
	94104	211	166.3		1000001	48750		0.1
	94105	5553			740900			
	94107	27856			719700			
	94108	13709			856900		0.0	
	94109	55519			723200			
	94110	72128			768200			
	94111	3496	151.1	10160	882000	89722	12.3	0.3
	94112	82726	145.6	24592	602400	71625	10.9	3.4
	94114	31397	147.9	22028	1000001	114689	6	1.4
	94115	33782	154.5	30278	965800	76952	6.2	1.1
	94116	45157	147.5	17465	734400	83407	8.2	2.6
	94117	41568	149.6	24633	911500	94479	6	1.7
	94118	40292	153.8	20675	1000001	82857	7	1.9
	94121	42104	152.5	13662	846400	72756	7.7	3.1
	94122	57369	148.9	24269	774500	81768	7.1	2.4
	94123	24500	148.5	24005	1000001	112650	7	1
	94124	35309	145.3	7167	470400	50146	16.2	4.9

Troubles with the data:

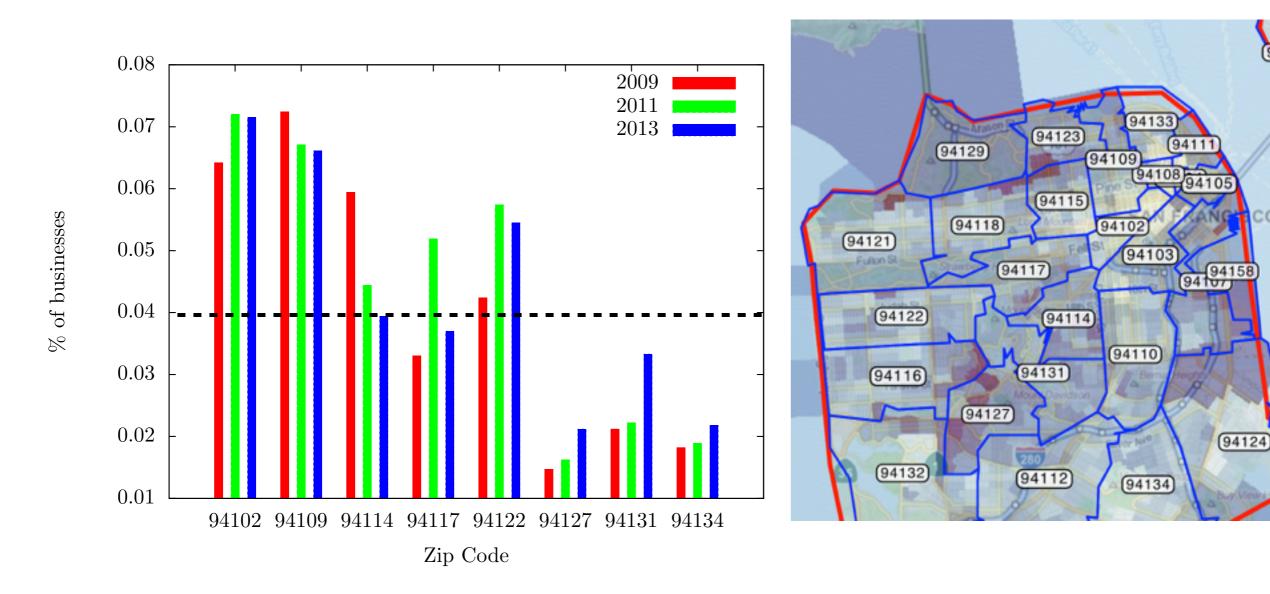
- 1. csv files shouldn't have commas in fields! e.g. "Mary, John, and Paul place"
- 2. Lat/Lon info difficult to separate.

Data put into a MySQL database.

Data retrieved through Python/MySQLdb

and analysed with Python/numpy, Python/matplotlib.

How many businesses are started each year?



Business Details are not known!

But we can make some assumptions:
e.g. businesses with the word
"Apartment" or "Apt"
are likely, apartments:)



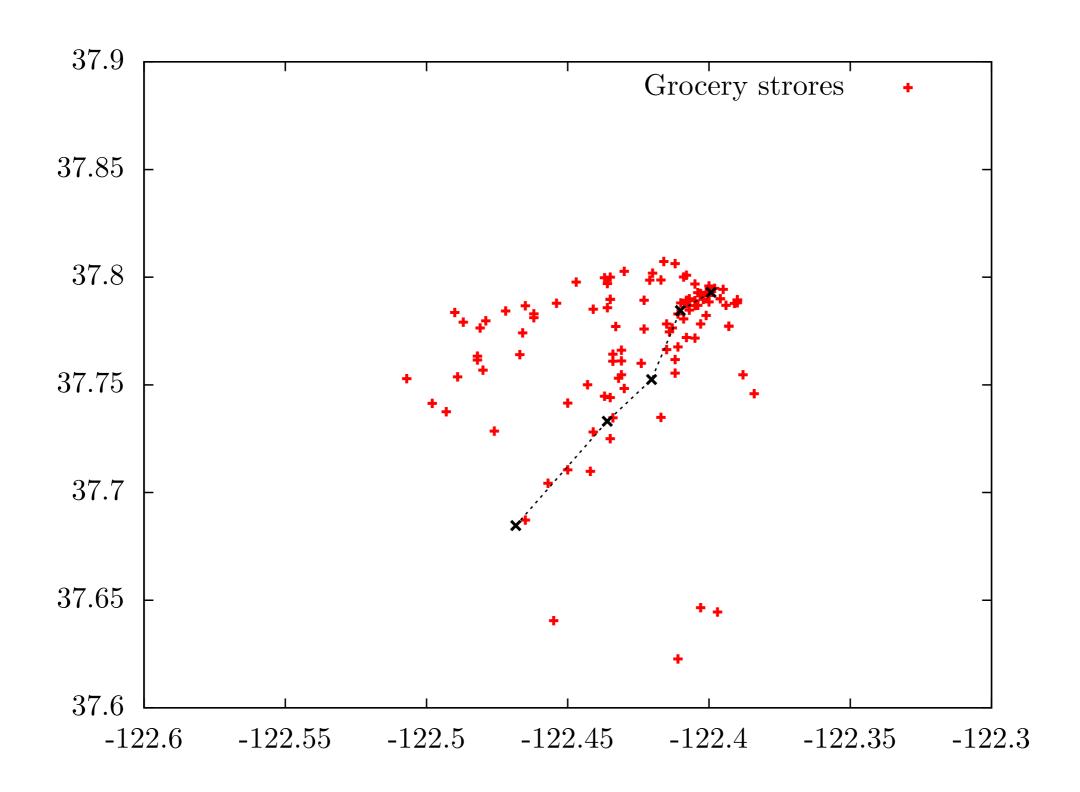
Why are there so many new apartments in 2007?

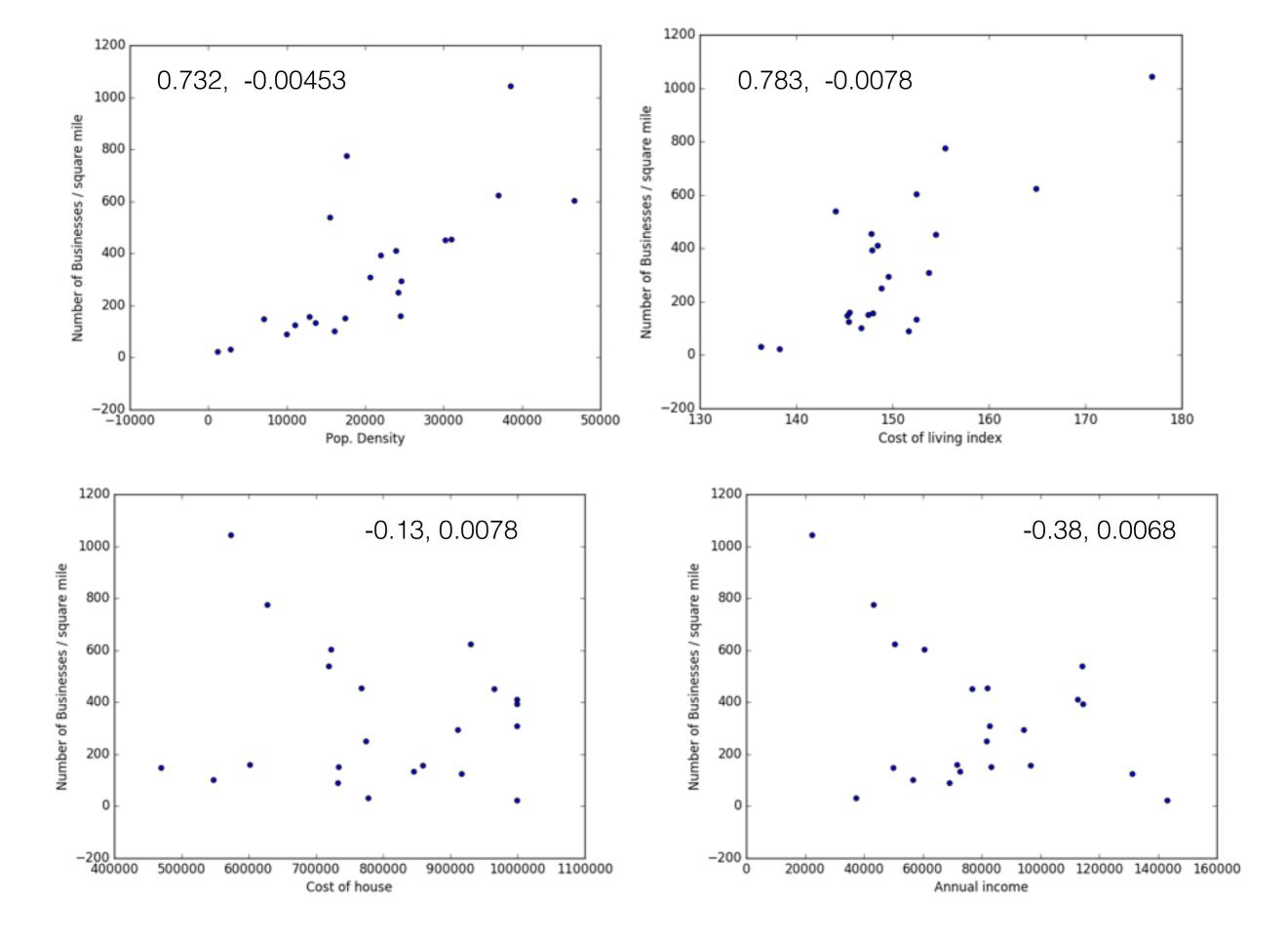
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select year(biz.locStartDate),
 count(biz.dbaName) from biz
 where (biz.dbaName like "%Apartment%"
 or biz.dbaName like "%Apt%")
 group by year(biz.locStartDate)
                     Query History
    Query Favorites ~
ar(biz.locStartDate) | count(biz.dbaName)
      2003
                      74
      2004
                      62
      2005
                      81
      2006
                      74
      2007
                   1029
      2008
                      59
      2009
                      30
      2010
                      33
      2011
                      47
      2012
                      30
      2013
                      42
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Why are there so many new apartments in 2007?

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select month(biz.locStartDate),
count(biz.dbaName) from biz
where (biz.dbaName like "%Apartment%"
or biz.dbaName like "%Apt%")
and year(biz.locStartDate) = 2007
group by month(biz.locStartDate)
   Query Favorites >
                    Query History
nth(biz.locStartDate) | count(biz.dbaName)
                       27
                     612
                      297
                       11
                       19
                       10
          10
          11
          12
                        6
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select biz.lat, biz.lon from biz where (biz.dbaName like "%SAFEWAY%" or biz.dbaName like "%FOOD%" or biz.dbaName like "%FARMER%" or biz.dbaName like "%GROCERY%") and (lat > 0 and lon < 0)





Use Google Maps API for better visualization.

Use Yelp API to better understand the businesses.

1. Where should I live?

[Rent, Distance to bart, Distance to restaurants, noise, crime, etc.]

2. Where should I start my new business?

[Yelp reviews will help here