DSC 540 Week 9-10 - Milestone 4

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Milestone 4 Perform at least 5 data transformation and/or cleansing steps to your API data. For example:

- Replace Headers
- Format data into a more readable format
- Identify outliers and bad data
- Find duplicates
- Fix casing or inconsistent values
- Conduct Fuzzy Matching

Dataset API - I will be fetching data from https://api.census.gov/data/2019/acs/acs1/profile?get=NAME,gro which will provide the demographic info (Age, employment, sex, ethnicity etc.) for US at a County level for all the corona virus cases, this information is vital to understand the rate of spread across communities in United States. I will use this data to deep dive into corona cases in US and generate some interesting facts.

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In [3]: # Load the necessary libraries.
import urllib.request, urllib.parse, urllib.error
import json
import requests
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
#pandasql package allows us to write SQL querry on Pandas DataFrame
import pandasql as psql
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

In [15]: # Reading the API data
apiURl = "https://api.census.gov/data/2019/acs/acsl/profile?get=NAME,group(DP02)&for=county:*"
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filename = "ACS2019_state.csv"
chunk_size = 100

response = requests.get(apiURl)

calling this API and saving it as CSV

fd.write(chunk)

In [21]: county 2019 = pd.read csv('ACS2019 state.csv', encoding='latin-1')

for chunk in response.iter content(chunk size):

with open(filename, 'wb') as fd:

county 2019.head() Men Women Hispanic White Black Native ... Walk OtherTransp WorkAtHome MeanCommute Employed PrivateWork PublicWork SelfEmployed Family V Out[21]: Countyld **State County TotalPop** Autauga 55036 26899 0 1001 Alabama 28137 75.4 18.9 0.3 ... 1.3 2.5 25.8 24112 74.1 20.2 5.6 County Baldwin 1003 Alabama 203360 99527 103833 89527 83.1 9.5 0.8 ... 1.1 5.6 27.0 80.7 12.9 6.3 County Barbour 2 1005 Alabama 26201 13976 12225 1.7 1.3 23.4 8878 6.5 45.7 47.8 0.2 ... 2.2 74.1 19.1 County Bibb 3 22580 12251 10329 30.0 8171 76.0 6.3 1007 Alabama 74.6 22.0 0.4 ... 0.3 1.7 1.5 17.4 County Blount 0.4 2.1 11.9 4.0 1009 Alabama 57667 28490 29177 87.4 1.5 0.3 ... 0.4 35.0 21380 83.9 County

5 rows × 37 columns

In [22]:	county	<pre>ounty_2019.describe(include = 'all')</pre>														
Out[22]:		Countyld	State	County	TotalPop	Men	Women	Hispanic	White	Black	Native	•••	Walk	OtherTransp	WorkAtHome	MeanCommute
	count	3220.000000	3220	3220	3.220000e+03	3.220000e+03	3.220000e+03	3220.000000	3220.000000	3220.000000	3220.000000	(3220.000000	3220.000000	3220.000000	3220.000000
	unique	NaN	52	1955	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	•••	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
	top	NaN	Texas	Washington County	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	•••	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
	freq	NaN	254	30	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN		NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
	mean	31393.605280	NaN	NaN	1.007681e+05	4.958781e+04	5.118032e+04	11.296584	74.920186	8.681957	1.768416		3.244472	1.598696	4.736894	23.474534
	std	16292.078954	NaN	NaN	3.244996e+05	1.593212e+05	1.652164e+05	19.342522	23.056700	14.333571	7.422946		3.891510	1.678232	3.073484	5.687241
	min	1001.000000	NaN	NaN	7.400000e+01	3.900000e+01	3.500000e+01	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	•••	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	5.100000
	25%	19032.500000	NaN	NaN	1.121350e+04	5.645500e+03	5.553500e+03	2.100000	63.500000	0.600000	0.100000	•••	1.400000	0.800000	2.900000	19.600000
	50%	30024.000000	NaN	NaN	2.584750e+04	1.287900e+04	1.299350e+04	4.100000	83.600000	2.000000	0.300000	•••	2.300000	1.300000	4.100000	23.200000
	75%	46105.500000	NaN	NaN	6.660825e+04	3.301725e+04	3.359375e+04	10.000000	92.800000	9.500000	0.600000		3.825000	1.900000	5.800000	27.000000

11 rows × 37 columns

max 72153.000000

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In [23]: # Handling Missing Values and Formatting
# We have one missing value in the child poverty column. We fill this with 0.

#Checking missing Data
null_2019 = psql.sqldf("SELECT State, County, TotalPop, Income, IncomeErr, Poverty, ChildPoverty FROM county_2019 WHERE ChildPoverty IS NULL")
null_2019
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100.000000

100.000000

86.900000

90.300000 ...

43.200000

59.200000

33.000000

45.100000

Out [23]: State County TotalPop Income IncomeErr Poverty ChildPoverty

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In [24]: # Fill missing value in ChildPoverty with zero
county_2019.ChildPoverty.fillna(0)

NaN

20.1 Out [24]: 16.1 44.9 26.6 25.4 . . . 3215 49.4 3216 68.2 3217 67.9 3218 62.1 3219 58.2 Name: ChildPoverty, Length: 3220, dtype: float64

NaN 1.010572e+07 4.979641e+06 5.126081e+06

Men Women White Black Native Hispanic Asian Pacific TotalPop IncomePerCap Poverty ChildPoverty Employed SelfEmployed Unemployment Out [25]: Countyld State County 28137 0 1001 Alabama Autauga County 75.4 18.9 0.3 0.9 0.0 55036 27824 13.7 24112 5.6 26899 2.7 20.1 5.2 1003 Alabama Baldwin County 99527 103833 83.1 203360 29364 11.8 89527 6.3 5.5 9.5 8.0 4.4 0.7 0.0 16.1 2 26201 27.2 6.5 1005 Alabama Barbour County 13976 12225 45.7 47.8 0.2 4.2 0.6 0.0 17561 44.9 8878 22580 3 1007 Alabama Bibb County 12251 10329 74.6 22.0 0.4 0.0 0.0 20911 15.2 26.6 8171 6.3

12.4 8.2 4 87.4 0.1 57667 21380 4.0 4.9 1009 Alabama Blount County 28490 29177 1.5 0.3 9.0 0.0 22021 15.6 25.4 In [26]: # Adding Calculated column for Men and Women in percentage

pd.options.mode.chained_assignment = None # default='warn'
County2019['MenPercentage'] = (County2019.Men / County2019.TotalPop)*100
County2019['WomenPercentage'] = (County2019.Women / County2019.TotalPop)*100
County2019.head()

information and have security measures in place to handle breaches and hacking.

County2019.head()

Out[26]:		Countyld	State	County	Men	Women	White	Black	Native	Hispanic	Asian	Pacific	TotalPop	IncomePerCap	Poverty	ChildPoverty	Employed	SelfEmployed	Unemployment	MenPercentage \
	0	1001	Alabama	Autauga County	26899	28137	75.4	18.9	0.3	2.7	0.9	0.0	55036	27824	13.7	20.1	24112	5.6	5.2	48.875282
	1	1003	Alabama	Baldwin County	99527	103833	83.1	9.5	0.8	4.4	0.7	0.0	203360	29364	11.8	16.1	89527	6.3	5.5	48.941286
	2	1005	Alabama	Barbour County	13976	12225	45.7	47.8	0.2	4.2	0.6	0.0	26201	17561	27.2	44.9	8878	6.5	12.4	53.341476
	3	1007	Alabama	Bibb County	12251	10329	74.6	22.0	0.4	2.4	0.0	0.0	22580	20911	15.2	26.6	8171	6.3	8.2	54.255979
	4	1009	Alabama	Blount County	28490	29177	87.4	1.5	0.3	9.0	0.1	0.0	57667	22021	15.6	25.4	21380	4.0	4.9	49.404339

Ethical implications of using and transforming the data I am using from APIs/websites and other sources:

Some of the concerns are that as data is broken out of silos and used and transferred, it opens up the risk of hackers getting valuable information. Many consumers are also uneasy about the implications of large corporations gaining access to personal information. This information can be sold to other shady companies and even government organizations who can misuse it. I feel that many of the ethical concerns with APIs boil down to the classic case of a privacy issue.

The age of digital technology is very new and the API economy is even younger. We need more time and research to see whether the use of APIs is ultimately good or bad for mankind. However, we can progress into the future by utilizing the good that APIs bring while setting boundaries to stop the unwanted side effects. A data program would be the first step to balancing APIs and ethics. Customers trust businesses when putting personal data into their hands, and protecting their information will benefit everyone in the equation.

A wide-reaching corporate data program that works together with privacy and data protection laws seems to be the option for the time being. While the state provides regulations, a data program would focus on transparency, allowing consumers to see exactly what data is being collected and stored, and how it is being used.

It would also provide a clear set of terms and conditions of what the business can and can't do with their customer's data. These policies would also amplify the idea of consent; ensuring that customers understand what the business and/or third-party organization intends to do with their data.

Each company's data program should align with its values and overall vision. Moreover, an organization should be well aware of the risks that come with processing large amounts of personal

A solid data program also creates a culture of trust, transparency, and goodwill which goes a long way when dealing with sensitive things like personal data. As a result, ethical guardrails won't hinder progress; instead, they will help businesses grow. Ensuring privacy and safety to the customers who put their information in your hands will create opportunities, both for yourself and the third-party organizations who deal with them.