

## Google Cloud Public Datasets:

What they are, and how to use them



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# Helping you tell your story



#### **Cloud Public Datasets Lead**



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Maximize the accessibility and usability of high-value, high-demand public data assets through Google Cloud Platform

**Mission Statement** 

Public Datasets Program



### Current catalog >130 datasets

Onboarded and maintained by Googler(s) with data provider input/guidance

<u>q.co/cloud/marketplace-datasets</u>

#### **Data providers:**

















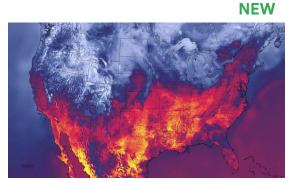




#### Unstructured datasets in Google Cloud Storage



Sentinel-2



High-Resolution Rapid Refresh Model (HRRR)



National Water Model





**NEW** 

#### The "Data Science" method

You need to **discover** the dataset and where to access it.

You need to access your data in a bulk, machine-readable format.

You need to write a program to parse the data into your analysis tool.

You need to load the data into a database

You need to **update**, **maintain**, **and secure** your data and database.

You need to manage access to data.

You need to **update** the data regularly.

You need to **link** public data with private data.

You need to analyze it.

You need to **visualize and communicate** your results.



#### What if someone else did this...

**Discover** the dataset and where to access it.

Access data in a bulk, machine-readable format.

Write a program to parse the data into your analysis tool.

Load the data into a database

Manage, maintain, and secure a database (BigQuery).

Manage access to data.

**Update** the data regularly.

Help you link public data with private data.

You need to analyze your data.

You need to visualize and communicate your results.



#### ...and you do this:

You need to discover the dataset and where to access it.

You need to access your data in a bulk, machine-readable format.

You need to load the data into a database by writing a program so it can be analyzed, or write a program to analyze it.

You need to manage, update, maintain, and secure your database.

You need to manage access to data.

You need to update the data regularly

You need to link public data with private data. Repeat this whole process.

You **analyze** the data.

You communicate, visualize, and implement the results and insights.



#### To the demos!





#### Thank you!

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# Demo code and queries from the session

#### BigQuery Public Datasets Demos:

- Weather: Urban areas with the most hurricanes
- Weather: Cities with the most hurricanes
- Transportation: NYC taxi tips by NYC zones
- Transportation: NYC subway riders by borough
- Transportation: NYC subway stops per borough
- Tornadoes: Where tornadoes crossed roads in Oklahoma between 2007 and 2017?

#### Google Cloud Storage Public Datasets Demos:

Analyzing the 2018 Kīlauea volcanic eruption using GOES-16

