DataDive: Housing Insecurity

Installation

```
• python>=3.80
```

- pandas==1.3.0
- nump==1.20.3
- matplotlib==3.3.4
- plotly==5.3.1
- json==2.0.9
- ipywidgets==7..6.3

Apart from these dependencies, some additional setup might be required to display the plotly graphs depending on your environment. For example this notebook was created using JupyterLab which requires install <code>jupyterlab</code> (version 3.0.16 in this case) to display the visuals as discussed here https://plotly.com/python/getting-started/#jupyterlab-support.

```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import plotly.express as px
import json

# magic commands
%matplotlib inline
%load_ext nb_black
%load_ext lab_black
```

```
In [2]: # !pip install jupyter-dash
```

```
In [3]:
# Change display options to prevent truncation of rows and columns
pd.set_option("display.max_columns", None)
pd.set_option("display.max_rows", None)
```

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In [4]:
# Load Dataset
df = pd.read_csv("./hillsborough_fl_processed_2017_to_2019_20210916.csv")
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In [5]:
df.head()
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	census_tract_GEOID	total- households	total- renter- occupied- households	total- owner- occupied- households	total- owner- occupied- households- mortgage	median- gross- rent	median- household- income	media proper va
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2	12057010203	766	395	371	197	846	39018	96!
3	12057010600	1108	354	754	481	1095	80600	2343
4	12057002300	1419	599	820	592	1138	62636	2126
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```
In [6]: df.columns
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Index(['census tract GEOID', 'total-households',
Out[6]:
                  'total-renter-occupied-households', 'total-owner-occupied-households',
                 'total-owner-occupied-households-mortgage', 'median-gross-rent',
                 'median-household-income', 'median-property-value',
                 'median-monthly-housing-cost', 'pct-white', 'pct-af-am', 'pct-hispanic',
                 'pct-am-indian', 'pct-asian', 'pct-nh-pi', 'pct-multiple', 'pct-other',
                 'pct-below-poverty-level', 'households-children',
                 'single-parent-household', 'older-adult-alone', 'level-of-education',
                 'immigrant-status', 'english-fluency', 'drive-to-work',
                 'public-transport-to-work', 'vacant-properties', 'live-in-mobile-home',
                 'pct-renter-occupied', 'pct-owner-occupied',
                 'pct-owner-occupied-mortgage', 'pct-owner-occupied-without-mortgage',
                 \verb|'median-house-age', 'pct-non-white', 'pct-without-health-insurance', \\
                 'total-evictions', 'avg-evictions', 'total-foreclosure-sales',
                 'avg-foreclosure-sales', 'total-lien-foreclosures',
                 'avg-lien-foreclosures', 'total-evictions-2017', 'eviction-filings-2017', 'eviction-rate-2017', 'total-evictions-2018', 'eviction-filings-2018', 'eviction-rate-2018', 'total-evictions-2019',
                 'eviction-filings-2019', 'eviction-rate-2019', 'foreclosure-sales-2017',
                 'foreclosure-sales-2018', 'foreclosure-sales-2019',
                 'lien-foreclosures-2017', 'lien-foreclosures-2018',
                 'lien-foreclosures-2019', 'avg-foreclosure-rate',
                 'foreclosure-rate-2017', 'foreclosure-rate-2018', 'foreclosure-rate-2019', 'avg-lien-foreclosure-rate',
                 'lien-foreclosure-rate-2017', 'lien-foreclosure-rate-2018',
                 'lien-foreclosure-rate-2019', 'avg-eviction-rate',
                 'ratio-to-mean-foreclosure-rate', 'ratio-to-mean-eviction-rate',
                 'avg-housing-loss-rate', 'evictions-pct-total-housing-loss',
                 'housing-loss-index', 'county_GEOID', 'county', 'state'],
                dtype='object')
```

We can see above that some columns have year wise values, whereas some columns are aggregations / don't have year wise values.

We will create 2 csv files with Year and without Year wise features which can be connected using 'census_tract_GEOID'

Creating Non-Year CSV

```
In [7]:

df_non_year = df[[x for x in df.columns if "2" not in x]]
```

```
In [8]: # Exporting CSV
df_non_year.to_csv("./Hillsborough Aggregate Stats.csv", index=False)
```

Creating Year wise CSV

This csv contains columns which have year wise data in a cleaner format to use for visualizations

```
In [9]:

df_year = df[["census_tract_GEOID"] + [x for x in df.columns if "2" in x]]
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In [10]:
# We melt this down to get year wise rates for each columns and make these easier to wo
df_year.head()
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Out[10]: totalevictionevictiontotalevictionevictiontotalevictio census_tract_GEOID evictionsfilingsfilingsfiling rate- evictionsrateevictions-2017 2017 2017 2018 2018 2018 2019 20 0 12057000401 19.893939 39.0 0.510101 12.752525 25.0 0.510101 16.833333 33 1 12057010105 9.428571 22.0 0.428571 3.000000 7.0 0.428571 6.000000 14 2 12057010203 22.316456 43.0 0.518987 10.898734 21.0 0.518987 26.987342 52 12057010600 37.626667 68.0 0.553333 34.306667 3 62.0 0.553333 34.306667 62 4 12057002300 3.243243 6.0 0.540541 4.324324 8.0 0.540541 9.729730 18

```
In [11]: # Collating columns for melting
   id_vars = ["census_tract_GEOID"]
   eviction_rate_cols = [x for x in df_year.columns if "eviction-rate" in x]
   total_eviction_cols = [x for x in df_year.columns if "total-evictions" in x]
   eviction_filings_cols = [x for x in df_year.columns if "eviction-filings" in x]
   foreclosure_sales_cols = [x for x in df_year.columns if "foreclosure-sales" in x]
   foreclosure_rate_cols = [
        x for x in df_year.columns if "foreclosure-rate" in x and "lien" not in x
]
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lien_foreclosure_cols = [
    x for x in df_year.columns if "lien-foreclosure" in x and "rate" not in x
]
lien_foreclosure_rate_cols = [
    x for x in df_year.columns if "lien-foreclosure-rate" in x
]
```

```
In [12]: # We melt and combine each of these based on the loop below

ls = [
    eviction_rate_cols,
    total_eviction_cols,
    eviction_filings_cols,
    foreclosure_sales_cols,
    foreclosure_rate_cols,
    lien_foreclosure_cols,
    lien_foreclosure_rate_cols,
]
```

```
In [13]:
          # We have to melt this way, because sequential melts cause duplication of values and ca
          list dfs = []
          col_gen_names = []
          values = []
          for i in 1s:
              value = "_".join(i[0].split("-")[:-1])
              col_title = value + "_col"
              values.append(value)
              col_gen_names.append(col_title)
              list dfs.append(
                  pd.melt(
                      df_year[id_vars + i],
                      id_vars=id_vars,
                      value_vars=i,
                      var_name=col_title,
                      value name=value,
                  )
              )
```

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In [14]:

df_temp_year = pd.concat(
    [list_dfs[0]] + [x.drop(["census_tract_GEOID"], axis=1) for x in list_dfs[1:]],
    axis=1,
)
```

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In [15]: df_temp_year.head()
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Out[15]:
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In [16]:
            # Getting years, this a bit of a long approach. Although in theory we could just pick o
            # Just for a sanity check we make sure that years are consistent for all these generate
            for col in col_gen_names:
                df_temp_year[col] = df_temp_year[col].str.split("-").str.get(-1)
            df_temp_year["year"] = df_temp_year[
                df_temp_year[col_gen_names].eq(df_temp_year[col_gen_names[0]], axis=0).sum(axis=1)
            [[col gen names[0]].astype(int)
In [17]:
            df_temp_year.head()
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Out[17]:
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In [18]:
            # Keep only relevant columns
            df_year_final = df_temp_year[id_vars + values + ["year"]]
In [19]:
            df_year_final.head()
Out[19]:
              census_tract_GEOID eviction_rate total_evictions eviction_filings foreclosure_sales foreclosure_rate
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```

	census_tract_GEOID	eviction_rate	total_evictions	eviction_filings	foreclosure_sales	foreclosure_rate
1	12057010105	0.428571	9.428571	22.0	5.0	0.765697
2	12057010203	0.518987	22.316456	43.0	2.0	1.015228
3	12057010600	0.553333	37.626667	68.0	2.0	0.415800
4	12057002300	0.540541	3.243243	6.0	8.0	1.351351
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```
In [20]: # Exporting
df_year_final.to_csv(r"./Hillsborough Year Wise.csv", index=False)
```

Data Visulization

We use two approaches:

- The above exported CSVs are imported to Tableau and visualized there
- The Python code below uses Plotly for visualization

Plotly

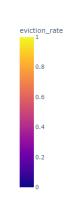
```
In [21]:  # importing the geojson file for counties
  # https://stackoverflow.com/a/47792385

with open(r"./hillsborough_fl_2010_tracts_formatted.geojson") as f:
    geoj = json.load(f)

# gj["features"][1]
```

```
In [22]:
# Plotly choropleth
fig = px.choropleth(
    df_year_final,
    geojson=geoj,
    locations="census_tract_GEOID",
    color="eviction_rate",
    featureidkey="properties.census_tract_GEOID",
    labels={"avg-foreclosure-rate": "Eviction Rate"},
)
fig.update_layout(margin={"r": 0, "t": 0, "l": 0, "b": 0})
fig.show()
```





Plotly Choropleth GeoJSON problem

This does not work because of an interesting problem as highlighted in https://stackoverflow.com/questions/61966708/plotly-express-choropleth-only-showing-some-information-from-geojson

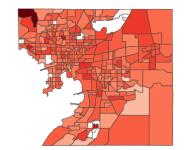
The standard for GeoJSON defines a right hand rule which can break certain programs such as Plotly above. The choropleth in Plotly expects the GeoJSON to follow the right hand rule, which is why the choropleth breaks or gives weird colors if the GeoJSON is not in the required format. We use the geojson_rewind library which is a Python port of Mapbox JS library to solve this as suggested in the StackOverFlow and GitHub Links

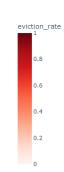
```
In [23]: # !pip install geojson-rewind
```

```
In [24]:
    from geojson_rewind import rewind
    geoj = rewind(geoj, rfc7946=False)
```

WARNING:root:Co-ordinates in the input data are assumed to be WGS84 with (lon, lat) orde ring, as per RFC 7946. Input with co-ordinates using any other CRS may lead to unexpecte d results.

```
fig = px.choropleth(
    df_year_final[df_year_final.year == 2017],
    geojson=geoj,
    color="eviction_rate",
    color_continuous_scale="reds",
    locations="census_tract_GEOID",
    featureidkey="properties.census_tract_GEOID",
    hover_data=["eviction_filings", "year"],
)
fig.update_geos(fitbounds="locations", visible=False)
fig.update_layout(
    margin={"r": 0, "t": 40, "l": 0, "b": 0}, title_text="Eviction Rate [2017]",
)
fig.show()
```



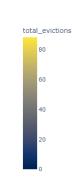


```
In [26]:
    year_taken = 2017

fig = px.choropleth(
        df_year_final[df_year_final.year == year_taken],
        geojson=geoj,
        color="total_evictions",
        color_continuous_scale="cividis",
        locations="census_tract_GEOID",
        featureidkey="properties.census_tract_GEOID",
        hover_data=["eviction_filings", "year"],
    )
    fig.update_geos(fitbounds="locations", visible=False)
    fig.update_layout(
        margin={"r": 0, "t": 40, "l": 0, "b": 0},
        title_text=f"Total Evictions [{year_taken}]",
    )
    fig.show()
```

Total Evictions [2017]





Using Widgets to make them more dynamic

```
import ipywidgets as widgets
from IPython.display import display
```

```
def choro_interactive(year, column):
    fig = px.choropleth(
        df_year_final[df_year_final.year == year],
        geojson=geoj,
        color=column,
        locations="census_tract_GEOID",
        featureidkey="properties.census_tract_GEOID",
        hover_data=["eviction_filings", "year"],
```

```
fig.update_geos(fitbounds="locations", visible=False)
fig.update_layout(
    margin={"r": 0, "t": 40, "l": 0, "b": 0}, title_text=f"{column} [{year}]",
)
fig.show()
```

```
In [29]: display(widgets.interact(choro_interactive, year=[2017, 2018, 2019], column=values))
    <function __main_.choro_interactive(year, column)>
```

Mapbox based

These are more responsive and better performant

```
In [42]:
          # A default argument changes the default value of the widget
          def choro_interactive_mapbox(year, column="eviction_filings"):
              fig = px.choropleth mapbox(
                  df year final[df year final.year == year],
                  geojson=geoj,
                  color=column,
                  color_continuous_scale="viridis",
                  locations="census_tract_GEOID",
                  featureidkey="properties.census_tract_GEOID",
                  mapbox style="carto-positron",
                  hover_data=["eviction_filings", "eviction_rate"],
              fig.update layout(
                  margin={"r": 0, "t": 0, "l": 0, "b": 0},
                  mapbox_zoom=8,
                  mapbox_center={"lat": 27.924894, "lon": -82.569520},
              display(fig)
          display(
              widgets.interact(choro_interactive_mapbox, year=[2017, 2018, 2019], column=values)
```

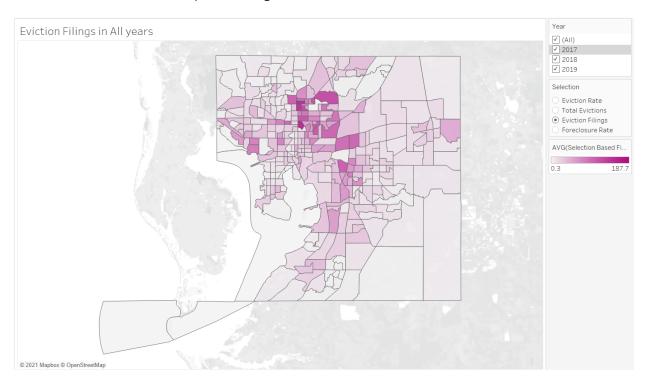
<function main .choro interactive mapbox(year, column='eviction filings')>

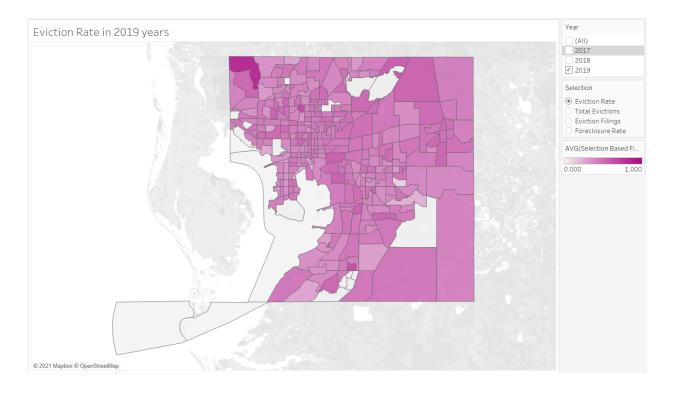
```
In [46]:
# For PDF, since vizes do not get export when used with widgets

fig = px.choropleth_mapbox(
    df_year_final[df_year_final.year == 2019],
    geojson=geoj,
    color="total_evictions",
    color_continuous_scale="blues",
    locations="census_tract_GEOID",
    featureidkey="properties.census_tract_GEOID",
    mapbox_style="open-street-map",
    hover_data=["eviction_filings", "eviction_rate"],
```

Tableau

Similar Visualizations were explored using Tableau as shown:





Get Versions

```
In [ ]:
         # import geojson_rewind
         # import pandas as pd
         # import numpy as np
         # import matplotlib
         # import plotly
         # import json
         # import ipywidgets
         # ls_ver = [pd, np, matplotlib, plotly, json, ipywidgets]
In [ ]:
         # for i in ls_ver:
             print(i, i.__version__)
In [ ]:
         from importlib.metadata import version
         version("geojson_rewind")
In [ ]:
         import sys
         sys.version
In [ ]:
         import jupyterlab
         jupyterlab.__version__
```

Learnings

 nbconvert to pdf -> ensure that images in markdown have a URL like path as shown at Tableau. Ref 	oove for