# Data Analytics and Visualization Cohort 5 - U of MN

**Project 2: St Paul Police Stops** 

Team: The St. Paul 99

## **Purpose**

#### **Tools Used**

- Mongo DB
- Python, Pandas, MatPlotLib, Numpy
- · Jupyter Notebooks
- FLASK Server
- · HTML, CSS, Bootstrap
- Leaflet
- Plotly
- D3

```
In [1]: # import Dependencies
   import pandas as pd
   import requests
   import pymongo
```

# **Extraction**

## Sources used for this project:

#### From Saint Paul Minnesota Public Safety

Web Site: <a href="https://information.stpaul.gov/Public-Safety/Saint-Paul-Police-Grid-Shapefile/ykwt-ie3e">https://information.stpaul.gov/Public-Safety/Saint-Paul-Police-Grid-Shapefile/ykwt-ie3e</a> (https://information.stpaul.gov/Public-Safety/Saint-Paul-Police-Grid-Shapefile/ykwt-ie3e)

GEOJSON Shapes: <a href="https://information.stpaul.gov/api/geospatial/ykwt-ie3e?">https://information.stpaul.gov/api/geospatial/ykwt-ie3e?</a><a href="mailto:method=export&format=GeoJSON">method=export&format=GeoJSON</a>)

Traffic Stop Dataset: <a href="https://information.stpaul.gov/api/views/kkd6-vvns/rows.csv?">https://information.stpaul.gov/api/views/kkd6-vvns/rows.csv?</a> <a href="https://information.stpaul.gov/api/views/kkd6-vvns/rows.csv?">accessType=DOWNLOAD</a>)

Out[2]:

| _ | YEAR<br>OF<br>STOP | STOP                         | RACE<br>OF<br>DRIVER | GENDER<br>OF<br>DRIVER | DRIVER<br>SEARCHED? | VEHICLE<br>SEARCHED? | CITATION<br>ISSUED? | AGE OF<br>DRIVER | REASC<br>FC<br>STC |
|---|--------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------------|
|   | 0 2003             | 04/26/2003<br>06:36:00<br>PM | White                | Male                   | Yes                 | Yes                  | No                  | NaN              | No Dε              |
|   | 1 2003             | 05/02/2003<br>12:05:00<br>PM | Black                | Female                 | No                  | No                   | No                  | NaN              | No Da              |
|   | 2 2003             | 04/30/2003<br>12:36:00<br>AM | Black                | Male                   | No                  | No                   | No                  | NaN              | No Da              |
|   | 3 2003             | 04/25/2003<br>11:07:00<br>PM | White                | Female                 | No                  | No                   | No                  | NaN              | No Da              |
|   | 4 2003             | 05/01/2003<br>10:06:00<br>AM | White                | Female                 | No                  | No                   | No                  | NaN              | No Da              |

# **Transformation**

### Explore the data set, clean it and prepare it for use

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In [3]: # Start by evaluating numerical the data
traffic_stops_df.describe()
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Out[3]:

|       | YEAR OF STOP  | AGE OF DRIVER | POLICE GRID NUMBER | COUNT    |
|-------|---------------|---------------|--------------------|----------|
| count | 741482.000000 | 113269.000000 | 741471.000000      | 741482.0 |
| mean  | 2008.604871   | 33.729034     | 101.221829         | 1.0      |
| std   | 5.220995      | 13.016151     | 65.868562          | 0.0      |
| min   | 2001.000000   | 2.000000      | 1.000000           | 1.0      |
| 25%   | 2004.000000   | 23.000000     | 59.000000          | 1.0      |
| 50%   | 2008.000000   | 30.000000     | 90.000000          | 1.0      |
| 75%   | 2013.000000   | 42.000000     | 128.000000         | 1.0      |
| max   | 2018.000000   | 96.000000     | 999.000000         | 1.0      |

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In [4]: # list the columns
        traffic stops df.columns
Out[4]: Index(['YEAR OF STOP', 'DATE OF STOP', 'RACE OF DRIVER', 'GENDER OF DRIVER',
                'DRIVER SEARCHED?', 'VEHICLE SEARCHED?', 'CITATION ISSUED?',
                'AGE OF DRIVER', 'REASON FOR STOP', 'POLICE GRID NUMBER',
                'LOCATION OF STOP BY POLICE GRID', 'COUNT'],
              dtype='object')
In [5]: # Determine the number of NaN values in the dataset
        traffic_stops_df.isnull().sum().sum()
Out[5]: 629438
In [6]: # Check the data types
        traffic_stops_df.dtypes
Out[6]: YEAR OF STOP
                                              int64
        DATE OF STOP
                                             object
        RACE OF DRIVER
                                             object
        GENDER OF DRIVER
                                             object
        DRIVER SEARCHED?
                                             object
        VEHICLE SEARCHED?
                                             object
        CITATION ISSUED?
                                             object
        AGE OF DRIVER
                                            float64
        REASON FOR STOP
                                             object
        POLICE GRID NUMBER
                                            float64
        LOCATION OF STOP BY POLICE GRID
                                             object
        COUNT
                                              int64
        dtype: object
In [7]: # Look at counts
        traffic_stops_df.count()
Out[7]: YEAR OF STOP
                                            741482
        DATE OF STOP
                                            741482
        RACE OF DRIVER
                                            741482
        GENDER OF DRIVER
                                            741482
        DRIVER SEARCHED?
                                            741482
        VEHICLE SEARCHED?
                                            741482
        CITATION ISSUED?
                                            741482
        AGE OF DRIVER
                                            113269
                                            741482
        REASON FOR STOP
        POLICE GRID NUMBER
                                            741471
        LOCATION OF STOP BY POLICE GRID
                                            740268
        COUNT
                                            741482
        dtype: int64
```

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In [8]: # From above it is clear that not all traffic stops include Age, a Police Grid
Number or a Location (Lat, Lon)
# From the web site documentation:
# - Reason for stop was not collected prior to 2017
# - Age is only collected for citations
# - Race is based on perception of the officer
# Based on the above information and discussion with the team
# we will eliminate the Age and Count columns, data prior to 2017 will be excluded
# and all "No Data" or NaN values will be filtered out

# Start by dropping years prior to 2017
traffic_stops_2017plus = traffic_stops_df.loc[(traffic_stops_df["YEAR OF STOP"
] > 2016)]
traffic_stops_2017plus.head()
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#### Out[8]:

|        | YEAR<br>OF<br>STOP | DATE OF<br>STOP              | RACE<br>OF<br>DRIVER | GENDER<br>OF<br>DRIVER | DRIVER<br>SEARCHED? | VEHICLE<br>SEARCHED? | CITATION<br>ISSUED? | AGE OF<br>DRIVER | F |
|--------|--------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|------------------|---|
| 328823 | 2017               | 05/12/2017<br>08:35:00<br>PM | Other                | Male                   | No                  | No                   | No                  | NaN              | _ |
| 329089 | 2017               | 01/20/2017<br>09:13:00<br>PM | White                | Female                 | No                  | No                   | No                  | NaN              |   |
| 330943 | 2017               | 04/13/2017<br>02:05:00<br>PM | White                | Male                   | No                  | No                   | Yes                 | 26.0             |   |
| 331296 | 2017               | 05/12/2017<br>08:35:00<br>PM | White                | Female                 | No                  | No                   | Yes                 | NaN              |   |
| 332033 | 2017               | 04/04/2017<br>01:48:00<br>PM | Other                | Male                   | No                  | No                   | Yes                 | 42.0             |   |

#### Out[9]:

|        | YEAR<br>OF<br>STOP | DATE OF<br>STOP              | RACE<br>OF<br>DRIVER | GENDER<br>OF<br>DRIVER | DRIVER<br>SEARCHED? | VEHICLE<br>SEARCHED? | CITATION<br>ISSUED? | REASON<br>FOR<br>STOP |   |
|--------|--------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---|
| 328823 | 2017               | 05/12/2017<br>08:35:00<br>PM | Other                | Male                   | No                  | No                   | No                  | Moving<br>Violation   | _ |
| 329089 | 2017               | 01/20/2017<br>09:13:00<br>PM | White                | Female                 | No                  | No                   | No                  | Moving<br>Violation   |   |
| 330943 | 2017               | 04/13/2017<br>02:05:00<br>PM | White                | Male                   | No                  | No                   | Yes                 | Moving<br>Violation   |   |
| 331296 | 2017               | 05/12/2017<br>08:35:00<br>PM | White                | Female                 | No                  | No                   | Yes                 | Moving<br>Violation   |   |
| 332033 | 2017               | 04/04/2017<br>01:48:00<br>PM | Other                | Male                   | No                  | No                   | Yes                 | Moving<br>Violation   |   |

In [10]: # Now drop Nan for the entire data set
 traffic\_stops\_2017plus = traffic\_stops\_2017plus.dropna()
 traffic\_stops\_2017plus

Out[10]:

|        | YEAR<br>OF<br>STOP | DATE OF<br>STOP              | RACE<br>OF<br>DRIVER | GENDER<br>OF<br>DRIVER | DRIVER<br>SEARCHED? | VEHICLE<br>SEARCHED? | CITATION ISSUED? | REASON<br>FOR<br>STOP  |
|--------|--------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|------------------|------------------------|
| 332093 | 2017               | 02/17/2017<br>06:45:00<br>PM | White                | Female                 | No                  | No                   | No               | Equipment<br>Violation |
| 332094 | 2017               | 03/07/2017<br>07:27:00<br>PM | Latino               | Male                   | No                  | No                   | No               | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 332095 | 2017               | 02/06/2017<br>09:28:00<br>AM | White                | Female                 | No                  | No                   | Yes              | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 332096 | 2017               | 02/22/2017<br>01:48:00<br>PM | White                | Male                   | No                  | No                   | Yes              | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 332097 | 2017               | 03/02/2017<br>11:39:00<br>AM | White                | Male                   | No                  | No                   | No               | Moving<br>Violation    |
|        |                    |                              |                      |                        |                     |                      |                  |                        |
| 433515 | 2017               | 11/29/2017<br>04:56:00<br>PM | Black                | Male                   | Yes                 | Yes                  | No               | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 433516 | 2017               | 11/29/2017<br>04:03:00<br>PM | Black                | Male                   | No                  | No                   | Yes              | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 433517 | 2017               | 11/29/2017<br>03:44:00<br>PM | White                | Female                 | No                  | No                   | Yes              | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 433518 | 2017               | 11/29/2017<br>02:52:00<br>PM | White                | Male                   | No                  | No                   | Yes              | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 433519 | 2017               | 11/29/2017<br>04:27:00<br>PM | White                | Female                 | No                  | No                   | Yes              | Moving<br>Violation    |

62696 rows × 10 columns

In [11]: # Describe the resulting data to ensure all counts are the same
 traffic\_stops\_2017plus.describe()

#### Out[11]:

# YEAR OF STOP POLICE GRID NUMBER

| count | 62696.000000 | 62696.000000 |
|-------|--------------|--------------|
| mean  | 2017.486522  | 100.172738   |
| std   | 0.499822     | 60.999176    |
| min   | 2017.000000  | 1.000000     |
| 25%   | 2017.000000  | 54.000000    |
| 50%   | 2017.000000  | 89.000000    |
| 75%   | 2018.000000  | 131.000000   |
| max   | 2018.000000  | 280.000000   |

Out[12]: YEAR OF STOP 62696 DATE OF STOP 62696 RACE OF DRIVER 62696 GENDER OF DRIVER 62696 DRIVER SEARCHED? 62696 VEHICLE SEARCHED? 62696 CITATION ISSUED? 62696 REASON FOR STOP 62696 POLICE GRID NUMBER 62696 LOCATION OF STOP BY POLICE GRID 62696 dtype: int64

#### Check all columns and ensure no bad data

In [13]: traffic\_stops\_2017plus['YEAR OF STOP'].value\_counts()

Out[13]: 2017 32193 2018 30503

Name: YEAR OF STOP, dtype: int64

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In [14]: traffic stops 2017plus['DATE OF STOP'].value counts()
Out[14]: 08/08/2018 08:26:00 AM
                                    6
         05/07/2018 02:55:00 PM
                                    5
         06/04/2017 03:37:00 PM
                                    4
         04/25/2017 09:02:00 AM
                                    4
         09/26/2018 10:27:00 AM
         08/09/2017 09:27:00 PM
                                    1
         06/01/2018 06:53:00 PM
                                    1
         09/13/2017 01:57:00 PM
                                    1
         03/21/2018 02:17:00 PM
                                    1
         11/08/2017 10:53:00 AM
                                    1
         Name: DATE OF STOP, Length: 58834, dtype: int64
In [15]: traffic stops 2017plus['RACE OF DRIVER'].value counts()
Out[15]: White
                             25951
         Black
                             21587
                              7700
         Asian
         Latino
                              3697
         Other
                              3363
         Native American
                               264
                               134
         No Data
         Name: RACE OF DRIVER, dtype: int64
In [16]: traffic stops 2017plus['GENDER OF DRIVER'].value counts()
Out[16]: Male
                     39841
         Female
                     22721
         No Data
                       134
         Name: GENDER OF DRIVER, dtype: int64
In [17]: | traffic_stops_2017plus['DRIVER SEARCHED?'].value_counts()
Out[17]: No
                     58010
                     4552
         Yes
                       134
         No Data
         Name: DRIVER SEARCHED?, dtype: int64
In [18]: | traffic_stops_2017plus['VEHICLE SEARCHED?'].value_counts()
Out[18]: No
                     58519
         Yes
                     4043
         No Data
                       134
         Name: VEHICLE SEARCHED?, dtype: int64
In [19]: traffic_stops_2017plus[ 'CITATION ISSUED?'].value_counts()
Out[19]: Yes
                33043
         No
                29653
         Name: CITATION ISSUED?, dtype: int64
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In [20]: traffic_stops_2017plus['REASON FOR STOP'].value_counts()
Out[20]: Moving Violation
                                         47990
         Equipment Violation
                                         12206
         Investigative Stop
                                          2229
         911 Call / Citizen Reported
                                           137
                                           134
         Name: REASON FOR STOP, dtype: int64
In [21]: traffic stops 2017plus['POLICE GRID NUMBER'].value counts()
Out[21]: 133.0
                  2334
         94.0
                  1911
         32.0
                  1573
         54.0
                  1478
         74.0
                  1314
         189.0
                     9
         82.0
                     9
                     3
         200.0
         197.0
                     2
         175.0
                     1
         Name: POLICE GRID NUMBER, Length: 200, dtype: int64
In [22]: traffic_stops_2017plus['LOCATION OF STOP BY POLICE GRID'].value_counts()
Out[22]: (44.949881354, -93.083240019)
                                           2334
         (44.959171113, -93.071815477)
                                           1911
         (44.980704001, -93.092622034)
                                           1573
         (44.973868211, -93.071035949)
                                           1478
         (44.966643264, -93.071031663)
                                           1314
                                              9
         (44.924902368, -93.124896483)
         (44.960082673, -93.193955554)
                                              9
         (44.922464278, -93.012029259)
                                              3
         (44.926515742, -93.036180376)
                                              2
         (44.934461449, -93.060250103)
                                              1
         Name: LOCATION OF STOP BY POLICE GRID, Length: 200, dtype: int64
```

In [23]: # Since so many columns have 134 rows set to "No Data", let's see if they alig
n
# first look at the those with "No Data"
traffic\_stops\_no\_data = traffic\_stops\_2017plus.loc[(traffic\_stops\_2017plus['GE
NDER OF DRIVER'] == "No Data")]
traffic\_stops\_no\_data

#### Out[23]:

|        | YEAR<br>OF<br>STOP | DATE OF<br>STOP              | RACE<br>OF<br>DRIVER | GENDER<br>OF<br>DRIVER | DRIVER<br>SEARCHED? | VEHICLE<br>SEARCHED? | CITATION ISSUED? | REASON<br>FOR<br>STOP |
|--------|--------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| 368548 | 2017               | 01/04/2017<br>11:58:00<br>PM | No Data              | No Data                | No Data             | No Data              | Yes              | No Data               |
| 368810 | 2017               | 01/02/2017<br>11:52:00<br>PM | No Data              | No Data                | No Data             | No Data              | Yes              | No Data               |
| 368869 | 2017               | 01/11/2017<br>10:23:00<br>AM | No Data              | No Data                | No Data             | No Data              | No               | No Data               |
| 368996 | 2017               | 01/09/2017<br>02:26:00<br>AM | No Data              | No Data                | No Data             | No Data              | No               | No Data               |
| 369168 | 2017               | 01/27/2017<br>11:12:00<br>PM | No Data              | No Data                | No Data             | No Data              | Yes              | No Data               |
|        |                    |                              |                      |                        |                     |                      |                  |                       |
| 378486 | 2017               | 03/22/2017<br>05:52:00<br>AM | No Data              | No Data                | No Data             | No Data              | No               | No Data               |
| 378511 | 2017               | 03/17/2017<br>11:27:00<br>PM | No Data              | No Data                | No Data             | No Data              | No               | No Data               |
| 378512 | 2017               | 03/25/2017<br>07:39:00<br>AM | No Data              | No Data                | No Data             | No Data              | No               | No Data               |
| 378542 | 2017               | 03/24/2017<br>05:27:00<br>PM | No Data              | No Data                | No Data             | No Data              | No               | No Data               |
| 378898 | 2017               | 03/18/2017<br>08:55:00<br>PM | No Data              | No Data                | No Data             | No Data              | No               | No Data               |

134 rows × 10 columns

In [24]: # Even though it seems they are all the same, let's validate
 traffic\_stops\_no\_data['RACE OF DRIVER'].value\_counts()

Out[24]: No Data 134

Name: RACE OF DRIVER, dtype: int64

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In [25]: traffic stops no data['GENDER OF DRIVER'].value counts()
Out[25]: No Data
                    134
         Name: GENDER OF DRIVER, dtype: int64
        traffic_stops_no_data['DRIVER SEARCHED?'].value_counts()
In [26]:
Out[26]: No Data
                    134
         Name: DRIVER SEARCHED?, dtype: int64
In [27]: traffic stops no data['VEHICLE SEARCHED?'].value counts()
Out[27]: No Data
                    134
         Name: VEHICLE SEARCHED?, dtype: int64
In [28]: | traffic_stops_no_data['REASON FOR STOP'].value_counts()
Out[28]: No Data
                    134
         Name: REASON FOR STOP, dtype: int64
In [29]: # Confirmed - all align
         # Now let's check the dates of these stops and compare to the rest of the data
         to see if there is a cut off date
         traffic_stops_no_data['DATE OF STOP'].sort_values(ascending=True).value_counts
         ()
         print("min: " + traffic_stops_no_data['DATE OF STOP'].min())
         print("max: " + traffic stops no data['DATE OF STOP'].max())
         min:
               01/01/2017 01:29:00 AM
         max: 03/28/2017 11:43:00 PM
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#### Out[30]:

| REASON<br>FOR<br>STOP  | CITATION ISSUED? | VEHICLE<br>SEARCHED? | DRIVER<br>SEARCHED? | GENDER<br>OF<br>DRIVER | RACE<br>OF<br>DRIVER | DATE OF<br>STOP              | YEAR<br>OF<br>STOP |        |
|------------------------|------------------|----------------------|---------------------|------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|--------|
| Equipment<br>Violation | No               | No                   | No                  | Female                 | White                | 02/17/2017<br>06:45:00<br>PM | 2017               | 332093 |
| Moving<br>Violation    | No               | No                   | No                  | Male                   | Latino               | 03/07/2017<br>07:27:00<br>PM | 2017               | 332094 |
| Moving<br>Violation    | Yes              | No                   | No                  | Female                 | White                | 02/06/2017<br>09:28:00<br>AM | 2017               | 332095 |
| Moving<br>Violation    | Yes              | No                   | No                  | Male                   | White                | 02/22/2017<br>01:48:00<br>PM | 2017               | 332096 |
| Moving<br>Violation    | No               | No                   | No                  | Male                   | White                | 03/02/2017<br>11:39:00<br>AM | 2017               | 332097 |

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In [31]: # peek at the values sorted
    traffic_stops_data['DATE OF STOP'].sort_values(ascending=True).value_counts()
    print("min: " + traffic_stops_data['DATE OF STOP'].min())
    print("max: " + traffic_stops_data['DATE OF STOP'].max())
```

min: 01/01/2017 01:17:00 AM max: 12/31/2018 12:57:00 PM

In [32]: # Not confirmed! Data missing is the first quarter of 2017,
# BUT there is valid data during that timeframe.
# The team decided to keep all data for 2017 and note these rows were eliminat ed

In [33]: # And now, ensure there are no Nan values let in the dataset
 traffic\_stops\_data.isnull().sum().sum()

Out[33]: 0

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In [34]: # Finally, let's simplify the column names
         # rankings_pd.rename(columns = {'test':'TEST'}, inplace = True)
         columns = {'YEAR OF STOP':"Year", 'DATE OF STOP':"Date", 'RACE OF DRIVER':"Rac
         e", 'GENDER OF DRIVER': "Gender",
                'DRIVER SEARCHED?':"DriverSearched", 'VEHICLE SEARCHED?':"VehicleSearch
         ed", 'CITATION ISSUED?':"Citation",
                'REASON FOR STOP': "Reason", 'POLICE GRID NUMBER': "Grid",
                'LOCATION OF STOP BY POLICE GRID':"Location"}
         traffic stops data.rename(columns = columns, inplace=True)
         traffic_stops_data.columns
         C:\Users\katro\Anaconda3\envs\PythonData\lib\site-packages\pandas\core\frame.
         py:4223: SettingWithCopyWarning:
         A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame
         See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/st
         able/user_guide/indexing.html#returning-a-view-versus-a-copy
           return super().rename(**kwargs)
Out[34]: Index(['Year', 'Date', 'Race', 'Gender', 'DriverSearched', 'VehicleSearched',
                 'Citation', 'Reason', 'Grid', 'Location'],
               dtype='object')
```

In [35]: # Display the final data set
 traffic\_stops\_data

Out[35]:

|        | Year | Date                         | Race   | Gender | DriverSearched | VehicleSearched | Citation | Reason                 |
|--------|------|------------------------------|--------|--------|----------------|-----------------|----------|------------------------|
| 332093 | 2017 | 02/17/2017<br>06:45:00<br>PM | White  | Female | No             | No              | No       | Equipment<br>Violation |
| 332094 | 2017 | 03/07/2017<br>07:27:00<br>PM | Latino | Male   | No             | No              | No       | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 332095 | 2017 | 02/06/2017<br>09:28:00<br>AM | White  | Female | No             | No              | Yes      | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 332096 | 2017 | 02/22/2017<br>01:48:00<br>PM | White  | Male   | No             | No              | Yes      | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 332097 | 2017 | 03/02/2017<br>11:39:00<br>AM | White  | Male   | No             | No              | No       | Moving<br>Violation    |
|        |      |                              |        |        |                |                 |          |                        |
| 433515 | 2017 | 11/29/2017<br>04:56:00<br>PM | Black  | Male   | Yes            | Yes             | No       | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 433516 | 2017 | 11/29/2017<br>04:03:00<br>PM | Black  | Male   | No             | No              | Yes      | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 433517 | 2017 | 11/29/2017<br>03:44:00<br>PM | White  | Female | No             | No              | Yes      | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 433518 | 2017 | 11/29/2017<br>02:52:00<br>PM | White  | Male   | No             | No              | Yes      | Moving<br>Violation    |
| 433519 | 2017 | 11/29/2017<br>04:27:00<br>PM | White  | Female | No             | No              | Yes      | Moving<br>Violation    |

62562 rows × 10 columns

# Load

Using MongoDB to store our data and writing out to a csv for ease of reference/evidence

# <NOTE: Insert App.py code here if we want to tell the story of the server side>

Save out the final clean dataset in csv form to be loaded by our server side code into MongoDB