FILM PRODUCTION IN THE SUBWAY

USING MTA TURNSTILE DATA

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INTRODUCTION

 Scenario: Helping a film production company in finding the best place to film a movie in the subway, where it has the least amount of people.

 Goal: Finding subway stations with the least amount of traffic

DATASET

Data used: NY MTA turnstile data

• Time period: from March 17 2018 - June 22 2018

• Number of rows: 2,756,607

• Number of columns: 11

DATA VALIDATION

ASSUMPTIONS:

- 0 daily entries means construction days
- Negative turnstile counter is a reverse counter, use absolute value

FINDINGS:

- Actual period was from 3/10/2018 to 6/14/2018
- There are no NA, NaN values

DATA VALIDATION

FINDINGS:

- There are 5 duplicate values
- There are a lot or rows where the daily entries was 0

DATA CLEANING:

- Removed 5 duplicate values
- Removed 7781 rows where the DESC column equals RECOVER AUD
- Removed rows where daily entries = 0

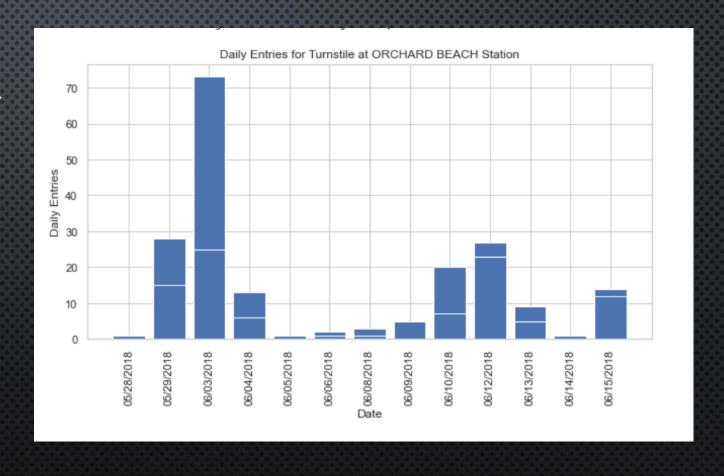
Finding stations with lowest entries:

- Lowest daily entree stations by median:
- 1. ORCHARD BEACH
- 2. BEACH 105 ST
- 3. BROAD CHANNEL

	DAILY_ENTRIES
STATION	
ORCHARD BEACH	7.0
BEACH 105 ST	45.0
BROAD CHANNEL	75.0
75 AV	77.0
AVENUE I	80.5
E 143/ST MARY'S	90.5
14TH STREET	96.0
NEWARK HM HE	104.5
NEWKIRK AV	108.5
AQUEDUCT N.COND	112.0

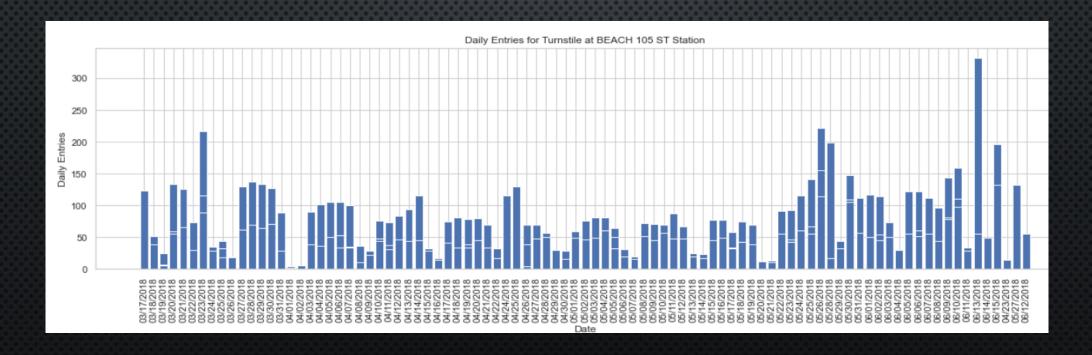
ORCHARD BEACH

- Most daily entries are under 30
- June 3 2018 had 75 entries but still considered low
- Overall a low traffic station



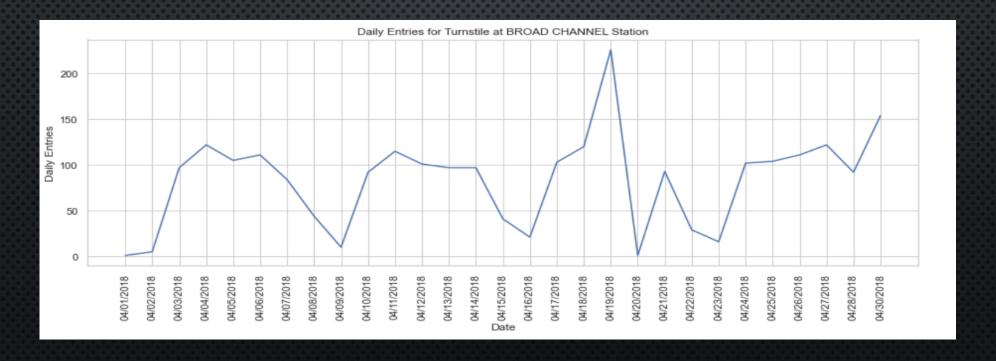
BEACH 105 ST

- Most daily entries are around 100
- best days are from 3/31/2018 to 5/23/2018
- Overall a low traffic station



BROAD CHANNEL

- Most daily entries are around 100
- The whole of April is a good time
- Overall a low traffic station



THANK YOU