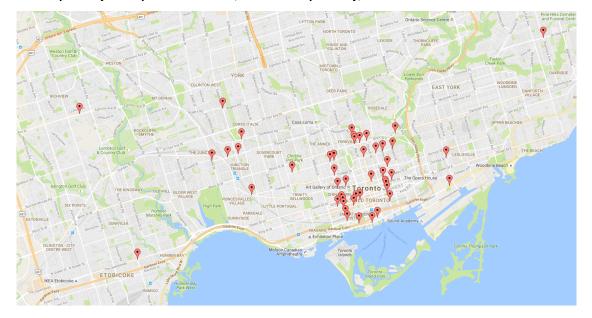
```
In [1]: %matplotlib inline
    import pandas as pd
    import numpy as np
    import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
    import seaborn as sns
    import geocoder
    import sklearn
    from IPython.core.display import HTML
    css = open('style-table.css').read() + open('style-notebook.css').read()
    HTML('<style>{}</style>'.format(css))
Out[1]:
```

We want to build a machine learning model that looks at various intersections in Toronto and predicts the collision rates expected from cyclists at each point. Using the accident history from 1986-2010, along with information such as the intersection's Bike traffic, control type, and classification (local, major arterial etc.) we should be able to use a supervised learning approach, training our algorithm on a subset of the collisions available, and the validating on other subsets. Once we are satisfied with the performance (and at some point we'll need to define where our cut-off for prediction should be), we will compare the output by applying it to accident data scrapped from a twitterbot.

Note that we do not include whether or not an intersection has a bike lane in our list of features. While one can download a dataset which includes all locations of cycle tracks and bike lanes by street sections, many are fairly new. With the exception of certain cycle tracks which were built after 2014, there doesn't seem to be any easy way to date various bike lane additions. As such it wouldn't make sense to label our intersections with this information, as most bike lanes and cycle tracks are fairly new, and were not around during the period of time our dataset is built from.

Since we don't have access to cycle app or bikeshare data to get accurate bike counts for a variety of locations, we'll need to make due with a limited dataset of city manual and automatic bike counts. These span only a few points in Toronto, and more importantly, are focused on Downtown.



From the bike counts above, we compared to vehicle and pedestrian counts from a sepearate data set. These are far more wide ranging, and if a relationship could be found, one could make predictions on bike traffic in all the missing points.

## 1.8 $f(x) = 500.2146799711 x^{-0.8950759596}$ $R^2 = 0.8822359527$ 1.4 1.2 3ike/Pedestrian traffic ratio 1 0.8 0.6 0.4 0.2 0 1000 10000 100000 100

#### Filtered bike/pedestrian ratio versus pedestrian count

While there was unfortunately no obvious direct relationship between traffic numbers (something like a constant ratio, or a linearly increasing one), we do get an acceptable power fit when comparing the bike-to-pedestrian traffic ratio, once we filter out a few areas. The University of Toronto campus has a much higher B/P ratio than any other available bike count locations. This isn't suprising, as a student there I can confirm it's the most popular place to see cyclists in the city. The other area is the waterfront right by financial and entertainment districts. These points had a far lower traffic ratio than given by this fit. So we'll treat them as seperate special cases, mapping the available bike counts directly to any nearby collisions, as long as they fit within a 'box' that we'll use to define those areas.

Pedestrian Count

# Note, done in openoffice spreadsheet. Should transfer over into Python for a prettier graph. Will perhaps change the fit equation a bit

Next we needed to clean and filter our dataset. Cleaning mostly invovled searching for NaNs or mixed up entries, as it prevents us from easily manipulating our dataframe. Once we have things roughly cleaned up, we want to filter our collisions. The bike count to pedestrian count relationship we had was based on points that were overwhelminghly found in central Toronto; downtown and the surrounding neighborhoods. So we need some way to do this

```
In [2]: col_df = pd.DataFrame.from_csv('collisions_clean.csv', index_col='ID')
    col_df=col_df.sort_index()
    col df.head()
```

Out[2]:

	INJURY	SAFETY EQUIP.	ROAD CLASS	CYCLIST CRASH TYPE	AGE OF CYCLIST	STNAME1	STET 1 TYPE	STNAME 2	STET 2 TYPE	LON
ID										
1	Minimal	Unrecorded	Minor Arterial	Unrecorded	34.0	BIRCHMOUNT	RD	HIGHVIEW	AV	-79.2
2	Minimal	Unrecorded	Major Arterial	Unrecorded	54.0	LAKE SHORE	BLVD	THIRTY-FIFTH	ST	-79.5
3	Minor	Unrecorded	Major Arterial	Unrecorded	19.0	LAWRENCE	AV	FORTUNE	GATE	-79.2
4	Minimal	Unrecorded	Local	Unrecorded	34.0	EUCLID	AV	ULSTER	ST	-79.4
5	Minimal	Unrecorded	Major Arterial	Unrecorded	34.0	AVENUE	AV	DRAYTON	AV	-79.3

5 rows × 21 columns

The above collisions were all geocoded based on the crosstreets listed, rather than the GPS coordinates, since there were many coordinates that just were defaulted to the center of Toronto. Nonetheless, there were still a few "impossible" intersections, that were then geocded in a second pass using their coordinates.

We also use a list of ALL the intersections in the city, and geocode those, using the GPS coordinates. These also required a second pass using a different geocoder on about 10 or so entries. Later we'll cross reference with the collisions database and drop all the duplicates. This way we can keep track of the "zeroes". That is, intersections which never had a collision in those 25 years.

Below is an example of how this was done, for the entire list of intersections in the city. We don't recommened running this, as it'll take a few hours.

#### Skip cell below!

```
In [ ]: #our datasetfrom the Toronto website of all intersections
        all_real_df = pd.DataFrame.from_csv('all_intersections_real.csv', index_col='i
        #Get the coordinates out, put them as a list, rather than iterating over the d
        coords2 = all_real_df[['latitude','longitude']]
        coords2 = coords2.replace(np.nan,0)
        coordinate_list = coords2.values.tolist()
        import geocoder
        import csv
        qeo = []
        idx = 0
        for pair in coordinate list:
            g = geocoder.arcgis(pair, method='reverse')
            geo.append(g.address)
            print(idx, '', geo[idx])
            idx += 1
        myfile = open('centerline coords int.csv', 'w')
        wr = csv.writer(myfile, quoting=csv.QUOTE_ALL)
        wr.writerow(geo)
        all real df['arcgis int'l = geo
In [3]: import geocoder
        #Example of what geocoder output looks like, for two different locations. The
        latlng = [43.6532, -79.3828]
        g = geocoder.arcgis('Bay St & Bloor St, Toronto', method='geocode')
        f= geocoder.arcgis(latlng, method='reverse')
        print(g.address)
        print(f.address)
        Bay St & Bloor St W, Toronto, Ontario, M5R
        Bay St & Albert St, Toronto, Ontario, M5G
```

Once this is done, we then add this "intersection" column to our dataframe, and selected all collisions that had a postal code beginning with one of those associated with the areas roughly east of the Junction, West of carlaw, and south of Dupont, with the neigbourhoods near Exhibition place also thrown out. This isn't a perfect system by any means, but we have no reason to believe that our nice power-fit relationship will hold outside the areas we used. In fact, outside central Toronto, it seems likely that it wouldn't hold, as most cyclists are typically found closer to the city center.

The SQI query to do this is:

#### **SELECT** \*

FROM kit\_farfan.centreline\_reversegeocoded

WHERE "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M7A%' OR "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M6G%' OR "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M6H%' OR

"arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M6P%' OR

"arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5A%' OR "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5B%' OR "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5C%' OR

"arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5E%' OR "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5G%' OR "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5H%' OR

"arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5J%' OR "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5K%' OR "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5L%' OR

"arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5S%' OR "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5T%' OR

"arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5V%' OR "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5W%' OR "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M5X%' OR

"arcgis int" LIKE '%M4Y%' OR "arcgis int" LIKE '%M4X%' OR "arcgis int" LIKE '%M4W%' OR

"arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M4X%' OR "arcgis\_int" LIKE '%M4W%'

Did it in SQL originally since exploratory data analysis was done using Mode Analytic's platform.

```
In [4]: central realintersections df = pd.DataFrame.from csv('central real intersection
        central_realintersections_df= central_realintersections_df.rename(columns = {'
        col_df = pd.DataFrame.from_csv('toronto_cycling_central_mode.csv', index_col='
        col_df = col_df.sort_index()
        central col df = col df
        from numpy import random
        from scipy.spatial import distance
        import matplotlib.path as mplPath
        import numpy as np
        #We want to follow a standard intersection convention to make our life easier.
        #Unfortunately the free geocoder with unlimited request numbers per day doesn'
        #So we will get the intersections, strip out the two streets, and order them a
        st2 = col df['intersection'].str.split('&').str.get(1)
        st2 =st2.str.split(', Toronto').str[0].str.strip()
        post = col_df['intersection'].str.split('&').str.get(1)
        post = post.str.partition(', ')[2].str.strip()
        st1 = col_df['intersection'].str.split('&').str[0]
        st1 = st1.str.strip()
        intersection_list = []
        streets = pd.concat([st1,st2,post],axis=1)
        streets = streets.values.tolist()
        streets
        for pair in streets:
            if isinstance(pair[0],str):
                if pair[1] <= pair[0]:
                    temp = pair[0]
                    pair[0] = pair[1]
                    pair[1] = temp
        for pair2 in streets:
            intersection = str(pair2[0]) + ' & ' + str(pair2[1] + ', ' +str(pair2[2]))
            intersection list.append(intersection)
        col df['intersection'] = intersection list
        st2 = central_realintersections_df['intersection'].str.split('&').str.get(1)
        st2 =st2.str.split(', Toronto').str[0].str.strip()
        post = central_realintersections_df['intersection'].str.split('&').str.get(1)
        post = post.str.partition(', ')[2].str.strip()
        st1 = central realintersections df['intersection'].str.split('&').str[0]
        st1 = st1.str.strip()
        intersection list = []
        streets = pd.concat([st1,st2,post],axis=1)
        streets = streets.values.tolist()
        streets
        for pair in streets:
            if isinstance(pair[0],str):
                if pair[1] <= pair[0]:
                    temp = pair[0]
                    pair[0] = pair[1]
                    pair[1] = temp
        for pair2 in streets:
            intersection = str(pair2[0]) + ' & ' + str(pair2[1] + ', ' + str(pair2[2]))
            intersection_list.append(intersection)
```

Once we have our naming convention sorted, we can start by trying to predict the Collision rates naively, without any machine learning. What do the raw numbers tell us?

We proceed by mapping the pedestrian data to our collisions and intersections, so we have a Bike traffic estimate. Remembering that we have a few areas that we're treating apart, we have our boxes so we can check if points fall inside those areas.

In [5]: ped\_counts\_df = pd.DataFrame.from\_csv('Vehicle and Pedestrian Counts/TrafficPe
#Using the Power fit for the Bike/Pedestrian ratio, we get a function that pre
#intersection.

ped\_counts\_df['bike\_prediction'] = (500.2146799711\*ped\_counts\_df['8HrPedVol']\*
 ped\_coords = ped\_counts\_df[['Latitude','Longitude']]
 ped\_coords = ped\_coords.replace(np.nan,0)
 ped\_coordinate\_list = ped\_coords.values.tolist()
 ped\_counts\_df['coordinates'] = ped\_counts\_df[['Latitude','Longitude']].apply(t
 ped\_counts\_df.head()

Out[5]:

	Main	Midblock Route	Side 1 Route	Side 2 Route	Activation Date	Latitude	Longitude	Count Date	8HrPedVol	8H:
PX2										
2	JARVIS ST	NaN	FRONT ST E	NaN	1948/11/15	43.649450	-79.371410	2011/09/08	17008	190
3	KING ST E	NaN	JARVIS ST	NaN	1950/08/23	43.650461	-79.371924	2011/09/07	37719	176
4	JARVIS ST	NaN	ADELAIDE ST E	NaN	1958/09/12	43.651534	-79.372360	2008/06/16	1991	197
5	JARVIS ST	NaN	RICHMOND ST E	NaN	1962/04/21	43.652718	-79.372824	2009/07/30	2696	248
6	JARVIS ST	NaN	QUEEN ST E	NaN	1928/08/24	43.653704	-79.373238	2011/05/18	3622	197

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In [7]: waterfront Path = mplPath.Path(np.array([[43.635497, -79.398156],
         [43.639000, -79.400725],
         [43.640822, -79.401427],
         [43.646984, -79.376977],
         [43.649889, -79.370343],
         [43.651614, -79.362725],
         [43.648090, -79.361191],
         [43.646451, -79.361937],
         [43.641209, -79.376739],
         [43.639969, -79.379965],
         [43.637698, -79.391847],
         [43.635666, -79.398368],
         [43.636489, -79.399603]]))
        campus Path = mplPath.Path(np.array([[43.659838, -79.399772],
         [43.661388, -79.401006],
         [43.665592, -79.402705],
         [43.666768, -79.401354],
         [43.668213, -79.393958],
         [43.663141, -79.392719],
         [43.659264, -79.394100],
         [43.658329, -79.398204]]
        ))
        castleFrank_Path = mplPath.Path(np.array([[43.672105, -79.376696],
         [43.671562, -79.370962],
         [43.674418, -79.366821],
         [43.676086, -79.358731],
         [43.677056, -79.354021],
         [43.677040, -79.355126],
         [43.677622, -79.358516],
         [43.676194, -79.359503],
         [43.675170, -79.364760],
         [43.674580, -79.367539],
         [43.672019, -79.371112],
         [43.672710, -79.376927]]
        campus = [[43.657946, -79.39993],
                   [43.663502, -79.40005],
                   [43.663051, -79.402196],
                   [43.665429, -79.398975]
        campus_dict = \{(43.657946, -79.39993): 4495.8,
                        (43.663502, -79.400050):2653,
                        (43.663051, -79.402196):3574,
                        (43.665429, -79.398975):2304
        waterfront = [[43.648208, -79.370923],
                       [43.642711, -79.394043],
                       [43.639944, -79.387032],
                       [43.640625, -79.3932],
                       [43.640093, -79.380152]
        waterfront dict = \{(43.648208, -79.370923):330,
                       (43.642711, -79.394043):745,
                       (43.639944, -79.387032):128,
                       (43.640625, -79.3932):154,
                       (43.640093, -79.380152):235
```

Here we have defined our boxes, and our pedestrian traffic dictionary. Now we go through the data sets, check if the point belongs in one of our boxes. If it does, we'll map the closest traffic count in the box. Otherwise, we find the closest intersection in the Pedestrian dataframe, and use the predicted bike traffic number from our fit

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In [8]: import csv
        closest_traffic_point = []
        bike traffic = []
        i = 0
        for i in range(0,len(central_col_df)):
            point = central_col_df['coordinates'].iloc[i]
            if waterfront_Path.contains_point(point):
                closest = waterfront[distance.cdist([point], waterfront).argmin()]
                closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                bike_traffic.append(waterfront_dict[tuple(closest)])
            elif campus_Path.contains_point(point):
                closest = campus[distance.cdist([point], campus).argmin()]
                closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                bike traffic.append(campus dict[tuple(closest)])
            elif castleFrank Path.contains point(point):
                closest = castleFrank[distance.cdist([point], castleFrank).argmin()]
                closest traffic point.append(tuple(closest))
                bike_traffic.append(castleFrank_dict[tuple(closest)])
            else:
                closest = ped_coordinate_list[distance.cdist([point], ped_coordinate_l
                closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                bike_traffic.append(ped_dict[tuple(closest)])
        myfile3 = open('closest_intersection.csv', 'w')
        wr = csv.writer(myfile3)
        wr.writerow(closest traffic point)
        myfile3.close()
        myfile4 = open('closest_int_bike_predictions.csv', 'w')
        wr = csv.writer(myfile4)
        wr.writerow(bike_traffic)
        mvfile4.close()
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In [9]:	cent cent	ral_co ral_co	l_df['clos l_df['traf	est_traf1 fic_count	fic'] = tuple(d t'] = bike_tra	closest_tra ffic	ffic_poi	nt)				
			l_df.renam l_df.head(		s={'closest_tra	affic': 'cl	osest_pe	d_count',	'traffi			
Out[9]:	:!	injury safety_equip road_class cyclist_crash_type age_of_cyclist_stname1 stet_1_type stname_2										
	id											
	4.0	Minimal	Unrecorded	Local	Unrecorded	34.0	EUCLID	AV	ULSTER			
	7.0	Minimal	Unrecorded	Major Arterial	Unrecorded	34.0	SALEM	AV	FERNBAN			
	8.0	Minor	Unrecorded	Major Arterial	Unrecorded	24.0	DUNDAS	ST	BEVERLE'			
	9.0	Minimal	Unrecorded	Major Arterial	Unrecorded	24.0	BLOOR	ST	MARGUEF			
	10.0	Minor	Unrecorded	Minor Arterial	Unrecorded	54.0	AVENUE	RD	SHANLY			

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In [10]:
         import csv
         closest_traffic_point = []
         bike_traffic = []
         i = \overline{0}
         for i in range(0,len(central_realintersections_df)):
              point = central_realintersections_df['coordinates'].iloc[i]
              if waterfront Path.contains point(point):
                  closest = waterfront[distance.cdist([point], waterfront).argmin()]
                  closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                  bike traffic.append(waterfront dict[tuple(closest)])
              elif campus Path.contains point(point):
                  closest = campus[distance.cdist([point], campus).argmin()]
                  closest traffic point.append(tuple(closest))
                  bike traffic.append(campus dict[tuple(closest)])
              elif castleFrank Path.contains point(point):
                  closest = castleFrank[distance.cdist([point], castleFrank).argmin()]
                  closest traffic point.append(tuple(closest))
                  bike_traffic.append(castleFrank_dict[tuple(closest)])
              else:
                  closest = ped_coordinate_list[distance.cdist([point], ped_coordinate l
                  closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                  bike_traffic.append(ped_dict[tuple(closest)])
         myfile5 = open('closest_intersection_centreline.csv', 'w')
         wr = csv.writer(myfile5)
         wr.writerow(closest_traffic_point)
         myfile5.close()
         myfile6 = open('closest_int_bike_predictions_centreline.csv', 'w')
         wr = csv.writer(myfile6)
         wr.writerow(bike_traffic)
         myfile6.close()
          central_realintersections_df['closest_traffic'] = tuple(closest_traffic_point)
         central_realintersections_df['traffic_count'] = bike_traffic
         central realintersections df.rename(columns={'closest traffic': 'closest ped c
         central realintersections df.sort values(by='traffic count').tail()
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Lesser-

Glen Morris St / Ln E

So now we have traffic numbers for our entire intersection dataframe, as well as our dataframe of collisions. Now let's count up our collisions (including the zeroes), and order them.

To make things cleaner, we'll strip away the columns that aren't helpful to us at this time. Once we group the collision dataframe by intersection, we can concat that with the dataframe of all intersections (now call zeroes df).

Once it's sorted by our normalized accident rate, we can drop the non-zero intersections from our merged dataframe by just dropping the duplicated indexes. Then we should be left with our collisions, properly grouped, and the "zero" intersections.

```
In [11]: central realint df = central realintersections df[['intersection','coordinates
         central_realint_df.sort_values(by='traffic_count')
         result = pd.merge(central_col_df,central_realint_df, how ='outer',on='intersec
         result = result.sort_values(by='intersection')
         traff2 =result['traffic_count_y']
         result['traffic_count_x'] =result['traffic_count_x'].fillna(value = traff2 )
In [12]: result.to csv('merged data.csv')
         intersection df = central col df.groupby('intersection').agg({'traffic count':
         intersection_df.columns = intersection_df.columns.set_levels(['traffic_count']
         zeroes_df = central_realint_df.groupby('intersection').agg({'traffic_count':[n
         zeroes df['traffic count', 'size'] = 0
         #Let's use 360 as the days in the year. It's a nice round number. And since we
         zeroes df['traffic count', 'normalized accident rate'] = zeroes df['traffic cou
         zeroes df = zeroes df.sort values(by=[('traffic count', 'normalized accident ra
         intersection df['traffic count','normalized accident rate'] = intersection df[
         intersection df = intersection df.sort values(by=[('traffic count', 'normalized
         intersection df.head(20)
         totals_df = pd.concat([intersection_df,zeroes_df])
         df_test = totals_df['traffic_count', 'normalized_accident_rate']
         df = df_test.to_frame(name='normalized yearly accident rate')
         df['total collisions'] = totals_df['traffic_count','size']
         df['traffic estimate'] = totals_df['traffic_count', 'mean']
         #df = df.dropna()
         #Here we make the index a column, drop the duplicates from this intersection c
         df = df.reset_index().drop_duplicates(subset='intersection', keep='first').set
         len(df)
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Out[12]: 2078

63

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1440

1271

In [13]:

M5H

Now we can take a look at the dataframe we've created. The one we'll use for our machine learning approach will be roughly similar, but instead we'll have carried over the information on the type of intersection, and the type of control (stop sign, yield, no control, traffic lights etc). These will be part of the feature set we use.

For now though, we'll just proceed via Emperical Baysian analysis. We want to account for the fact that collisions are very rare events. Without a very long period of time, it would be unwise to assume that our sample distribution properly matches the actual probability of collisions.

In fact we can see that there is a strong "break" away from roughly linear spread when we plot the accident yearly rate against the total collisions.

Should I be concerned about this linear trend? I half expected a more uniform spread, which I believe is what one sees in the case of automobile collisions. Obviously, the power-fit that I used to estimate traffic numbers does mean that I'm imposing a shape on this distribution. So that makes sense. Accepting that, we can obviously still spot the outliers.

df.sort values(bv='total collisions'. ascending = False).head() Out[13]: traffic normalized yearly accident total estimate rate collisions intersection Queen St W & Spadina Ave, Toronto, Ontario, 74 6.256e-06 1314 M5V Bay St & Dundas St W, Toronto, Ontario, M5G 73 1504 5.393e-06 Queen St W & University Ave, Toronto, Ontario, 5.315e-06 64 1338

pd.set option('display.float format', '{:.4g}'.format)

In [14]: df.loc['Jarvis St & King St E. Toronto. Ontario. M5A']

4.861e-06

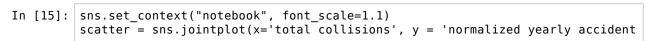
5.334e-06

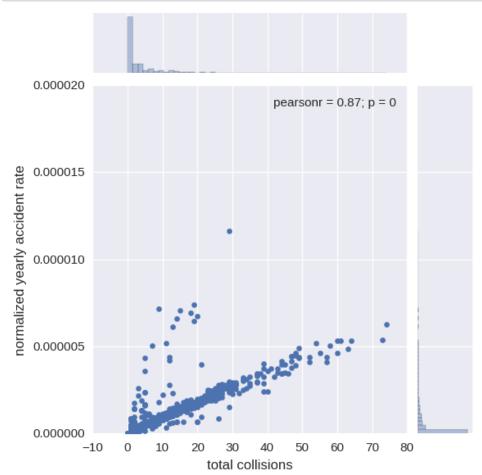
Out[14]: normalized yearly accident rate 7.352e-08 total collisions 1 traffic estimate 1511

Bloor St E & Yonge St, Toronto, Ontario, M4W

Bathurst St & Queen St W, Toronto, Ontario,

Name: Jarvis St & King St E, Toronto, Ontario, M5A, dtype: float64





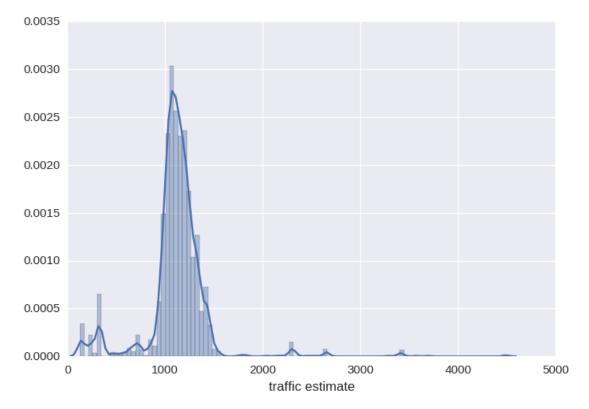
So we'll want to create a prior estimate on what the distribution actually is, using the samples that we have available. In a sense, we're using the data twice. First to estimate our prior. Then we'll use it along with this prior to create a posterior distribution.

There is a lot of discussion revolving around Full Bayesian analysis, versus Empirical Bayesian Analysis. In some sense, if you know enough about the system you are studying, you should be able to develop a good prior beforehand, rather than using your limited dataset to do so. On the otherhand, imposing beliefs about your system beforehand can be equally controversial to depending on the data twice.

In [16]: df.to\_csv('totals\_test.csv')
 import scipy.stats as stats
 sns.distplot(df["traffic estimate"]. bins = 100)

/home/christian/anaconda3/lib/python3.5/site-packages/statsmodels/nonparametric/kdetools.py:20: VisibleDeprecationWarning: using a non-integer number instead of an integer will result in an error in the future  $y = X[:m/2+1] + np.r_[0,X[m/2+1:],0]*1j$ 

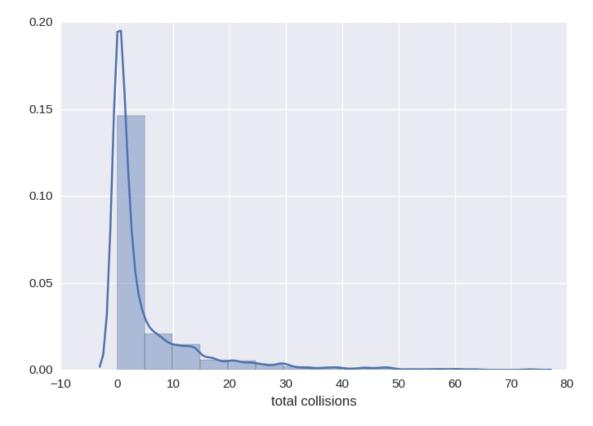
Out[16]: <matplotlib.axes.\_subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7f802a0e5940>



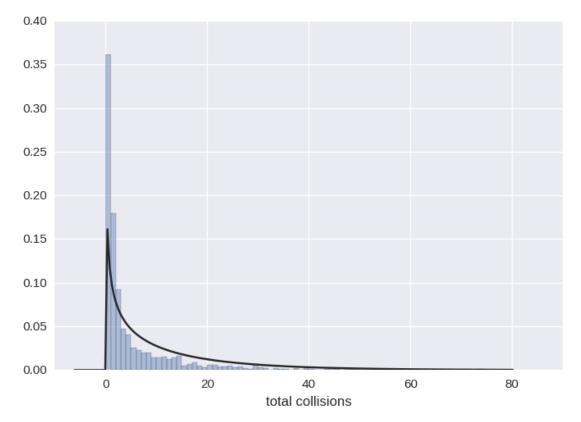
### In [17]: sns.distplot(df["total collisions"]. bins = 15)

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Out[17]: <matplotlib.axes.\_subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7f802a0ab860>



In [18]: sns.distplot(df["total collisions"]. fit=stats.gamma. bins=range(0. 75. 1). k
Out[18]: <matplotlib.axes.\_subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7f8029e93da0>



A gamma distribution looks like a good choice to fit our prior. We know that we are dealing with sums of poission distributions where each intersection is basically a poisson process, with the mean accidents for a year being the parameter. So the above histogram is really summing up the number of accidents each year, over these poisson processes. While we could try and fit each intersection individually, this is a whole lot of work. And it's not clear how one would use these estimated parameters to compute the prior distribution for the ensemble.

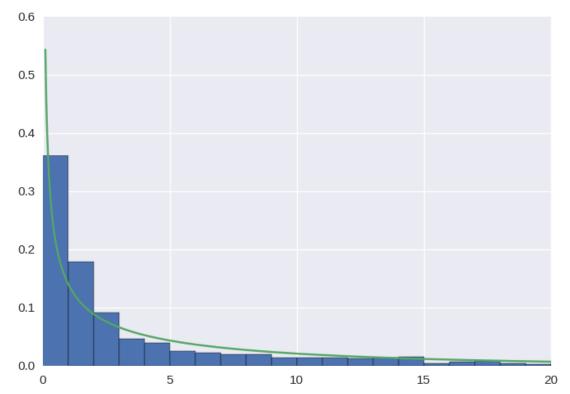
A gamma distribution looks nice, and intuitively makes sense since the prior for a poisson distribution is a gamma. Trying to read up on the intuition for how a ensemble of Poisson processes, each with their own paramater (not merely the same), has lead me to some very involved work on Bayesian inference for traffic problems, without directly using machine learning. We won't go that deep in this case though. Suffice to say, there are extensions to the above Poisson model, which attempt to account for the heterogenity of various intersections. The same features one would choose to use in a machine learning approach would show up as parameters in the distribution one tries to fit, and the poisson parameters for each intersection is assumed to be a random variablle, drawn from a chosen distribution

An overview of 3 models which extend our basic method is found in (Miranda-Mereno et al 2005): <a href="http://www.civil.uwaterloo.ca">http://www.civil.uwaterloo.ca</a>

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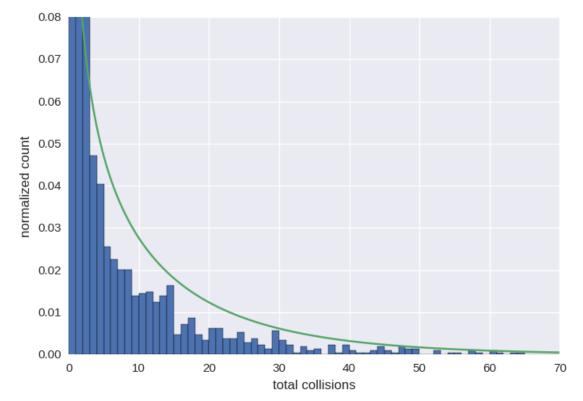
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In [19]: stats.gamma.fit(df['total collisions']. loc =0)
Out[19]: (0.43930468201111406, -7.7697069386935107e-32, 15.102836399931292)
In [23]: import matplotlib.pylab as plt
         #plot normed histogram
         plt.hist(df['total collisions'], normed=True, bins=range(0, 75, 1))
         # find minimum and maximum of xticks, so we know
         # where we should compute theoretical distribution
         xt = plt.xticks()[0]
         xmin, xmax = 0.1, 75
         lnspc = np.linspace(xmin, xmax, len(df))
         # exactly same as above
         ag,bg,cg = stats.gamma.fit(df['total collisions'], loc=0)
         pdf_gamma = stats.gamma.pdf(lnspc,ag, bg,cg)
         plt.plot(lnspc, pdf_gamma, label="Gamma")
         plt.axis([0,20,0,0.6])
         plt.show()
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In [25]: #plot normed histogram
plt.hist(df['total collisions'], normed=True, bins=range(0, 75, 1))

# find minimum and maximum of xticks, so we know
# where we should compute theoretical distribution
xt = plt.xticks()[0]
xmin, xmax = 0.1, 75
lnspc = np.linspace(xmin, xmax, len(df))

# exactly same as above
ag,bg,cg = stats.gamma.fit(df['total collisions'])
pdf_gamma = stats.gamma.pdf(lnspc,ag, bg,cg)
plt.plot(lnspc, pdf_gamma, label="Gamma")
plt.xlabel('total collisions')
plt.ylabel('normalized count')
plt.axis([0,70,0,0.08])
plt.show()
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That's a pretty good looking fit. The histogram shows the normalized counts of integer collision totals for our merged dataframe. We can now use the fit paramters of our model, and use this to adjust our estimate of the accident rate.

The mathematics of why the calculation below works to update our estiamte is straight forward to derive from Bayesian probablity theory, but intuitively it just looks likes a weighted average of the prior and sample estimates (when expaneded), where more weight is given to the sample data when the time period is larger, or when the traffic numbers are greater. This makes sense, as in those cases we are MORE confident in our data providing us with a good idea of probability distibution for that intersection.

In [26]: beta = 1/cg
 df['posterior mean'] = (ag + df['total collisions'])/(beta+25\*360\*df['traffic
 df['posterior STD'] = np.sqrt((ag + df['total collisions'])/((beta+25\*360\*df['
 pd.set\_option('display.float\_format', '{:.5g}'.format)
 df.sort\_values(by='posterior mean',ascending = False).head(10)

Out[26]:

	normalized yearly accident rate	total collisions	traffic estimate	posterior mean	posterior STD
intersection					
Front St W & York St, Toronto, Ontario, M5J	1.1649e-05	29	276.61	1.19e-05	2.1863e-06
Queens Quay W & Rees St, Toronto, Ontario, M5J	7.1485e-06	9	139.89	7.6438e-06	2.464e-06
Bay St & Queens Quay W, Toronto, Ontario, M5J	7.3792e-06	19	286.09	7.6214e-06	1.7205e-06
Station St & York St, Toronto, Ontario, M5J	7.0922e-06	15	235	7.387e-06	1.8689e-06
Queens Quay W & York St, Toronto, Ontario, M5J	6.9128e-06	18	289.32	7.1523e-06	1.6574e-06
The Esplanade & Yonge St, Toronto, Ontario, M5E	6.734e-06	20	330	6.944e-06	1.5291e-06
Lake Shore Blvd W & York St, Toronto, Ontario, M5J	6.6194e-06	14	235	6.9142e-06	1.8081e-06
Front St W & John St, Toronto, Ontario, M5V	6.469e-06	19	326.34	6.6813e-06	1.5083e-06
Lake Shore Blvd E & Yonge St, Toronto, Ontario, M5E	6.1466e-06	13	235	6.4414e-06	1.7452e-06
Queen St W & Spadina Ave, Toronto, Ontario, M5V	6.2559e-06	74	1314.3	6.3087e-06	7.303e-07

In [27]: df = df.sort values(bv='total collisions'. ascending=**False**)

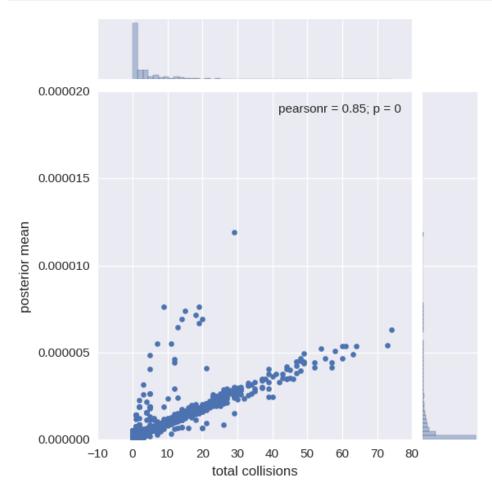
In [28]:
Out[28]:

df.head()					
internation	normalized yearly accident rate	total collisions	traffic estimate	posterior mean	posterior STD
intersection			i		
Queen St W & Spadina Ave, Toronto, Ontario, M5V	6.2559e-06	74	1314.3	6.3087e-06	7.303e-07
Bay St & Dundas St W, Toronto, Ontario, M5G	5.393e-06	73	1504	5.4391e-06	6.339e-07
Queen St W & University Ave, Toronto, Ontario, M5H	5.3153e-06	64	1337.9	5.3671e-06	6.6764e-07
Bloor St E & Yonge St, Toronto, Ontario, M4W	4.8614e-06	63	1439.9	4.9095e-06	6.1551e-07
Bathurst St & Queen St W, Toronto, Ontario, M5T	5.3338e-06	61	1270.7	5.3883e-06	6.864e-07

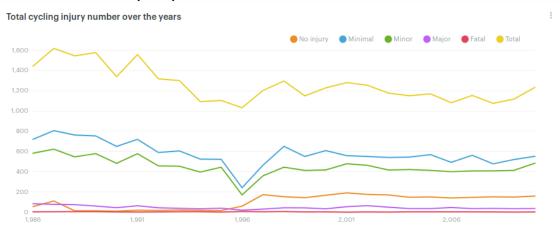
In [29]: df.to csv('eba normalizedcollisions.csv')

So now we have our dataframe with posterior yearly accident rate, as well as a posterior standard deviation. If one looks deeper throughout the data set we see that the order changes slightly, but nothing too crazy. Since we're using so many years of data, the "prior" dominates. The biggest changes are for those intersections that have a very low traffic count, comparatively. Those with high traffic counts have smaller changes.

In [30]: scatter = sns.iointplot(x='total collisions'. v = 'posterior mean'. data = df.



It is at this point that we may start wondering whether using ALL 25 years of data makes sense. If the predictions are to be for the past year, then surely data closer to this time frame is more applicable. We saw in our exploratory data analysis that there was a total decline in accidents year by year up until 1996. There was a sharp decline in minimal and minor injuries that year, with the slack partly picked up by more "No injuries". Whether this was due to a change in how accidents were classified, or due to the legislation mandating minors to use helmets is hard to say. Likely it could be both!



After this year however, cycling accidents pick up again. and start looking fairly consistent. Expecially as compared to the first dozen years.

It may be that predictive power would improve if we limited the data set to 1998 onwards. This would roughly half our number of starting collisions, but those remaining may be more indicative of current cycling trends. It also avoids that obvious decreasing trend and sudden jump in 96-97.

Moving forward, we can compare the predicted collision numbers to those observed over the past year, from the Twitterbot. We will have a trained model to also compare prediction numbers. One hopes that the increased sophistication of the machine learning approach, using the intersection features which are available, will get closer to the observed data.

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In [31]: full df = pd.DataFrame.from csv('collisions clean.csv'. index col='ID')
In [32]: full@eocoded df = pd.DataFrame.from csv('collisions @eocode.csv'. index col ='
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In [33]: fullgeocoded df.head()

Out[33]:

	INJURY	SAFETY EQUIP.	ROAD CLASS	CYCLIST CRASH TYPE	AGE OF CYCLIST	STNAME1	STET 1 TYPE	STNAME 2	STET 2 TYPE	LONG
ID		1 1 1 1	! !					1 1 1 1	! ! !	! ! !
3558	Minimal	No equipment available	Local	Unrecorded	11	ELEVENTH	ST	LAKE SHORE	BLVD	-79.50
499	Minimal	Unrecorded	Major Arterial	Unrecorded	19	ELEVENTH	ST	LAKE SHORE	BLVD	-79.51
1529	Minor	Unrecorded	Major Arterial	Unrecorded	19	LAKE SHORE	BLVD	ELEVENTH	ST	-79.50
7880	Minor	No equipment available	Major Arterial	Unrecorded	42	LAKE SHORE	BLVD	ELEVENTH	ST	-79.50
10049	Minor	Equipment not used but available	Local	Unrecorded	18	MORRISON	ST	ELEVENTH	ST	-79.50

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In [34]: fullgeocoded df= fullgeocoded df.rename(columns = {'INTERSECTION':'intersection
         col_df = fullgeocoded_df.sort_index()
         all_realintersections_df = pd.DataFrame.from_csv('real_reversegeocoded.csv')
         all_realintersections_df= all_realintersections_df.rename(columns = {'arcgis_i
         from numpy import random
         from scipy.spatial import distance
         import matplotlib.path as mplPath
         import numpy as np
         #We want to follow a standard intersection convention to make our life easier.
         #Unfortunately the free geocoder with unlimited request numbers per day doesn'
         #So we will get the intersections, strip out the two streets, and order them a
         st2 = col df['intersection'].str.split('&').str.get(1)
         st2 =st2.str.split(', Toronto').str[0].str.strip()
         post = col_df['intersection'].str.split('&').str.get(1)
         post = post.str.partition(', ')[2].str.strip()
         st1 = col_df['intersection'].str.split('&').str[0]
         st1 = st1.str.strip()
         intersection_list = []
         streets = pd.concat([st1,st2,post],axis=1)
         streets = streets.values.tolist()
         streets
         for pair in streets:
             if isinstance(pair[0],str) and isinstance(pair[1],str):
                 if pair[1] <= pair[0]:
                     temp = pair[0]
                     pair[0] = pair[1]
                     pair[1] = temp
         for pair2 in streets:
             intersection = str(pair2[0]) + ' & ' + str(pair2[1]) + ', ' + str(pair2[2])
             intersection list.append(intersection)
         col df['intersection'] = intersection list
         st2 = all realintersections df['intersection'].str.split('&').str.get(1)
         st2 =st2.str.split(', Toronto').str[0].str.strip()
         post = all_realintersections_df['intersection'].str.split('&').str.get(1)
         post = post.str.partition(', ')[2].str.strip()
         st1 = all_realintersections_df['intersection'].str.split('&').str[0]
         st1 = st1.str.strip()
         intersection list = []
         streets = pd.concat([st1,st2,post],axis=1)
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                 if pair[1] <= pair[0]:
                     temp = pair[0]
                     pair[0] = pair[1]
                     pair[1] = temp
         for pair2 in streets:
             intersection = str(pair2[0]) + ' & ' + str(pair2[1] + ', ' + str(pair2[2]))
             intersection_list.append(intersection)
         all realintersections df['intersection'] = intersection list
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In [35]: central realintersections df = pd.DataFrame.from csv('central real intersection
         central_realintersections_df= all_realintersections_df.rename(columns = {'arcg
         central_col_df = pd.DataFrame.from_csv('toronto_cycling_central_mode.csv', ind
         from numpy import random
         from scipy.spatial import distance
         import matplotlib.path as mplPath
         import numpy as np
         #We want to follow a standard intersection convention to make our life easier.
         #Unfortunately the free geocoder with unlimited request numbers per day doesn'
         #So we will get the intersections, strip out the two streets, and order them a
         st2 = central_col_df['intersection'].str.split('&').str.get(1)
         st2 =st2.str.split(', Toronto').str[0].str.strip()
         post = central col df['intersection'].str.split('&').str.get(1)
         post = post.str.partition(', ')[2].str.strip()
         st1 = central_col_df['intersection'].str.split('&').str[0]
         st1 = st1.str.strip()
         intersection_list = []
         streets = pd.concat([st1,st2,post],axis=1)
         streets = streets.values.tolist()
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                     pair[1] = temp
         for pair2 in streets:
             intersection = str(pair2[0]) + ' & ' + str(pair2[1]) + ', ' + str(pair2[2])
             intersection_list.append(intersection)
         central_col_df['intersection'] = intersection_list
         st2 = central realintersections df['intersection'].str.split('&').str.get(1)
         st2 =st2.str.split(', Toronto').str[0].str.strip()
         post = central realintersections df['intersection'].str.split('&').str.get(1)
         post = post.str.partition(', ')[2].str.strip()
         st1 = central_realintersections_df['intersection'].str.split('&').str[0]
         st1 = st1.str.strip()
         intersection_list = []
         streets = pd.concat([st1,st2,post],axis=1)
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         for pair2 in streets:
             intersection = str(pair2[0]) + ' & ' + str(pair2[1] + ', ' + str(pair2[2]))
             intersection list.append(intersection)
         central realintersections df['intersection'] = intersection list
         central_realintersections_df.head()
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In [36]: ped_counts_df = pd.DataFrame.from_csv('Vehicle and Pedestrian Counts/TrafficPe
#Using the Power fit for the Bike/Pedestrian ratio, we get a function that pre

ped_counts_df['bike_prediction'] = (500.2146799711*ped_counts_df['8HrPedVol']*
    ped_coords = ped_counts_df[['Latitude','Longitude']]
    ped_coords = ped_coords.replace(np.nan,0)
    ped_coordinate_list = ped_coords.values.tolist()
    ped_counts_df['coordinates'] = ped_counts_df[['Latitude','Longitude']].apply(t ped_counts_df.head()
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Out[36]:

	Main	Midblock Route	Side 1 Route	Side 2 Route	Activation Date	Latitude	Longitude	Count Date	8HrPedVol	8HrVeh
PX2							! ! ! !			! ! !
2	JARVIS ST	NaN	FRONT ST E	NaN	1948/11/15	43.649	-79.371	2011/09/08	17008	19335
3	KING ST E	NaN	JARVIS ST	NaN	1950/08/23	43.65	-79.372	2011/09/07	37719	17665
4	JARVIS ST	NaN	ADELAIDE ST E	NaN	1958/09/12	43.652	-79.372	2008/06/16	1991	19726
5	JARVIS ST	NaN	RICHMOND ST E	NaN	1962/04/21	43.653	-79.373	2009/07/30	2696	24842
6	JARVIS ST	NaN	QUEEN ST E	NaN	1928/08/24	43.654	-79.373	2011/05/18	3622	19772

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In [37]: bike_dict = ped_counts_df.set_index('coordinates').to_dict()['bike_prediction'
          ped_dict = ped_counts_df.set_index('coordinates').to_dict()['8HrPedVol']
veh_dict = ped_counts_df.set_index('coordinates').to_dict()['8HrVehVol']
          col_df['coordinates'] = col_df[['LAT','LONG']].apply(tuple, axis=1)
          col_df.head()
          all_realintersections_df['coordinates'] = all_realintersections_df[['latitude'
          equiv = {'Laneway':3, Minor':2, Major':1}
          all_realintersections_df['num_class'] = all_realintersections_df['elevatio10']
          all_realintersections_df= all_realintersections_df.sort_values(by=['intersecti
          #take the lowest numerical class, drop the other duplicates.
          all_realintersections_df = all_realintersections_df.drop_duplicates(subset='in
          central_col_df['coordinates'] = central_col_df[['lat','long']].apply(tuple, ax
          central col df.head()
          central realintersections df['coordinates'] = central realintersections df[['l
          equiv = {'Laneway':3,'Minor':2,'Major':1}
          central_realintersections_df['num_class'] = central_realintersections_df['elev
          central_realintersections_df= central_realintersections_df.sort_values(by=['in
          #take the lowest numerical class, drop the other duplicates.
          central realintersections df = central realintersections df.drop duplicates(su
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In [38]: import csv
         closest_traffic_point = []
         bike_traffic = []
         veh_traffic = []
         ped_traffic = []
         i = 0
         for i in range(0,len(col_df)):
             point = col df['coordinates'].iloc[i]
             if waterfront Path.contains point(point):
                 closest = waterfront[distance.cdist([point], waterfront).argmin()]
                 closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                 bike_traffic.append(waterfront_dict[tuple(closest)])
             elif campus Path.contains point(point):
                 closest = campus[distance.cdist([point], campus).argmin()]
                 closest traffic point.append(tuple(closest))
                 bike traffic.append(campus dict[tuple(closest)])
             elif castleFrank Path.contains point(point):
                 closest = castleFrank[distance.cdist([point], castleFrank).argmin()]
                 closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                 bike traffic.append(castleFrank dict[tuple(closest)])
             else:
                 closest = ped_coordinate_list[distance.cdist([point], ped_coordinate_l
                 closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                 bike_traffic.append(bike_dict[tuple(closest)])
             closest = ped_coordinate_list[distance.cdist([point], ped_coordinate_list)
             veh_traffic.append(veh_dict[tuple(closest)])
             ped_traffic.append(ped_dict[tuple(closest)])
         myfile3 = open('closest_intersection.csv', 'w')
         wr = csv.writer(myfile3)
         wr.writerow(closest_traffic_point)
         myfile3.close()
         myfile4 = open('closest_int_bike_predictions.csv', 'w')
         wr = csv.writer(myfile4)
         wr.writerow(bike traffic)
         myfile4.close()
         col_df['closest_traffic'] = tuple(closest_traffic_point)
         col_df['traffic_count'] = bike_traffic
         col_df['vehicle_traffic'] = veh_traffic
         col_df['pedestrian_traffic'] = ped_traffic
         col_df= col_df.rename(columns={'closest_traffic': 'closest_ped_count', 'traffi
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In [39]: import csv
         closest_traffic_point = []
         bike_traffic = []
         veh_traffic = []
         ped_traffic = []
         i = 0
         for i in range(0,len(central_col_df)):
             point = central col df['coordinates'].iloc[i]
             if waterfront Path.contains point(point):
                  closest = waterfront[distance.cdist([point], waterfront).argmin()]
                  closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                  bike traffic.append(waterfront dict[tuple(closest)])
             elif campus Path.contains point(point):
                  closest = campus[distance.cdist([point], campus).argmin()]
                  closest traffic point.append(tuple(closest))
                  bike traffic.append(campus dict[tuple(closest)])
             elif castleFrank Path.contains point(point):
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                  closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                  bike traffic.append(castleFrank dict[tuple(closest)])
             else:
                  closest = ped_coordinate_list[distance.cdist([point], ped_coordinate_l
                  closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                  bike_traffic.append(bike_dict[tuple(closest)])
             closest = ped_coordinate_list[distance.cdist([point], ped_coordinate_list)
             veh_traffic.append(veh_dict[tuple(closest)])
             ped_traffic.append(ped_dict[tuple(closest)])
         myfile3 = open('central_closest_intersection.csv', 'w')
         wr = csv.writer(myfile3)
         wr.writerow(closest_traffic_point)
         myfile3.close()
         myfile4 = open('central_closest_int_bike_predictions.csv', 'w')
         wr = csv.writer(myfile4)
         wr.writerow(bike traffic)
         myfile4.close()
         central_col_df['closest_traffic'] = tuple(closest_traffic_point)
         central_col_df['traffic_count'] = bike_traffic
         central col df['vehicle traffic'] = veh traffic
         central_col_df['pedestrian_traffic'] = ped_traffic
         central_col_df= central_col_df.rename(columns={'closest_traffic': 'closest_ped
In [36]: central col df.columns.values
'traffic_control', 'road_surface2', 'date', 'date2',
'driver_action', 'driver_condition', 'year', 'intersection',
                 'coords', 'coordinates', 'closest_ped_count',
'predicted_bike_count', 'vehicle_traffic', 'pedestrian_traffic'], dtyp
         e=object)
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In [37]: import csv
          closest_traffic_point = []
          bike_traffic = []
          veh_traffic = []
          ped_traffic = []
          i = 0
          for i in range(0,len(all_realintersections_df)):
              point = all realintersections df['coordinates'].iloc[i]
              if waterfront_Path.contains_point(point):
                   closest = waterfront[distance.cdist([point], waterfront).argmin()]
                   closest traffic point.append(tuple(closest))
                   bike_traffic.append(waterfront_dict[tuple(closest)])
              elif campus Path.contains point(point):
                   closest = campus[distance.cdist([point], campus).argmin()]
                   closest traffic point.append(tuple(closest))
                   bike traffic.append(campus dict[tuple(closest)])
              elif castleFrank Path.contains point(point):
                   closest = castleFrank[distance.cdist([point], castleFrank).argmin()]
                   closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                   bike traffic.append(castleFrank dict[tuple(closest)])
              else:
                   closest = ped_coordinate_list[distance.cdist([point], ped_coordinate_l
                   closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                   bike_traffic.append(bike_dict[tuple(closest)])
              closest = ped_coordinate_list[distance.cdist([point], ped_coordinate_list)
              veh_traffic.append(veh_dict[tuple(closest)])
              ped_traffic.append(ped_dict[tuple(closest)])
          myfile5 = open('closest_intersection_centreline.csv', 'w')
          wr = csv.writer(myfile5)
          wr.writerow(closest_traffic_point)
          myfile5.close()
          myfile6 = open('closest_int_bike_predictions_centreline.csv', 'w')
          wr = csv.writer(myfile6)
          wr.writerow(bike traffic)
          myfile6.close()
          all_realintersections_df['closest_traffic'] = tuple(closest_traffic_point)
          all_realintersections_df['traffic_count'] = bike_traffic
all_realintersections_df['vehicle_traffic'] = veh_traffic
all_realintersections_df['pedestrian_traffic'] = ped_traffic
          all_realintersections_df = all_realintersections_df.rename(columns={'closest_t
```

Adding traffic values for our list of intersections above. Cell below does the same for only those which have "central" Postal Code values.

```
In [38]: import csv
         closest_traffic_point = []
         bike_traffic = []
         veh_traffic = []
         ped_traffic = []
         i = 0
         for i in range(0,len(central_realintersections_df)):
             point = central realintersections df['coordinates'].iloc[i]
             if waterfront Path.contains point(point):
                 closest = waterfront[distance.cdist([point], waterfront).argmin()]
                 closest traffic point.append(tuple(closest))
                 bike traffic.append(waterfront dict[tuple(closest)])
             elif campus Path.contains point(point):
                 closest = campus[distance.cdist([point], campus).argmin()]
                 closest traffic point.append(tuple(closest))
                 bike traffic.append(campus dict[tuple(closest)])
             elif castleFrank Path.contains point(point):
                 closest = castleFrank[distance.cdist([point], castleFrank).argmin()]
                 closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                 bike traffic.append(castleFrank dict[tuple(closest)])
             else:
                 closest = ped_coordinate_list[distance.cdist([point], ped_coordinate_l
                 closest_traffic_point.append(tuple(closest))
                 bike_traffic.append(bike_dict[tuple(closest)])
             closest = ped_coordinate_list[distance.cdist([point], ped_coordinate_list)
             veh_traffic.append(veh_dict[tuple(closest)])
             ped_traffic.append(ped_dict[tuple(closest)])
         myfile5 = open('central_closest_intersection_centreline.csv', 'w')
         wr = csv.writer(myfile5)
         wr.writerow(closest_traffic_point)
         myfile5.close()
         myfile6 = open('central_closest_int_bike_predictions_centreline.csv', 'w')
         wr = csv.writer(myfile6)
         wr.writerow(bike traffic)
         myfile6.close()
         central realintersections df['closest traffic'] = tuple(closest traffic point)
         central_realintersections_df['traffic_count'] = bike_traffic
         central realintersections df['vehicle traffic'] = veh traffic
         central_realintersections_df['pedestrian_traffic'] = ped_traffic
         central_realintersections_df = central_realintersections_df.rename(columns={'c
In [39]: | all realint df = all realintersections df[['intersection','coordinates','close
         #all_realint_df.sort_values(by='predicted_bike_count')
         result = pd.merge(col df,all realint df, how ='outer',on='intersection')
         result = result.sort values(by='intersection')
         traff2 =result['predicted bike count y']
         traff2.fillna(1,inplace=True)
         result['predicted_bike_count_x'] =result['predicted_bike_count_x'].fillna(valu
In [40]: | central_realint_df = central_realintersections_df[['intersection','coordinates
         #all_realint_df.sort_values(by='predicted_bike_count')
         result_central = pd.merge(central_col_df,central_realint_df, how ='outer',on='
         result_central = result_central.sort_values(by='intersection')
         traff_c =result_central['predicted_bike_count_y']
         result_central['predicted_bike_count_x'] =result_central['predicted_bike_count
```

Now let's take a look at the total types of injuries after 1997

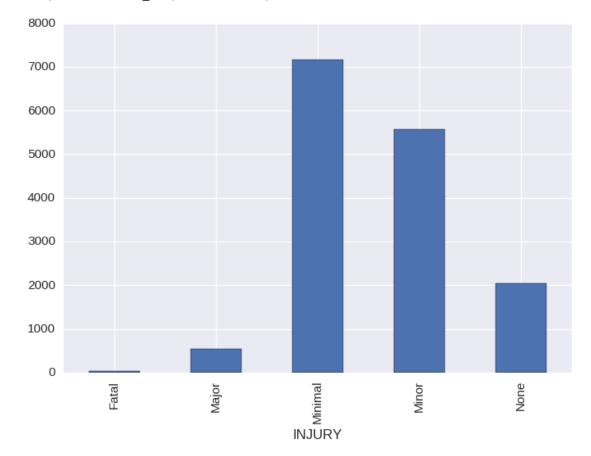
```
In [41]: injury_df = full_df[full_df['YEAR'] >1997].groupby('INJURY').size()
    total = injury_df.sum()
    d = {'injury': pd.Series([total/31,total/543,total/5575,total/(7171+2039)], in
    inverse_df = pd.DataFrame(d)
    inverse_df = inverse_df/inverse_df.loc['Minimal']
    inverse_df
```

Out[41]:

injury
Fatal 297.1
Major 16.961
Minor 1.652
Minimal 1

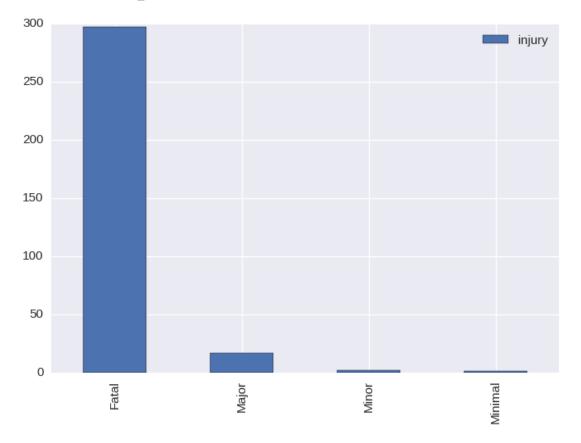
In [42]: injurv df.plot(kind='bar')

Out[42]: <matplotlib.axes.\_subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7ff8979bbcf8>



In [43]: inverse df.plot(kind='bar')

Out[43]: <matplotlib.axes.\_subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7ff8978e4908>



Filtering past 1997 got ridd of the "unrecorded" entries, so that's a helpful. Now combined 'minimal' and 'none' into one category. This is because we are going to estimate a "risk factor" for each intersection, where major accidents are worth more than a minor accident, which are worth more than a minor etc. In treating a 'none' it seems simplest to compine this with 'minimal' accidents, so we can merely just invert our data to get our weighting factors.

It can be difficult and subjective to make this sort of call. How is the loss of a human life (for fatal accidents), numerically compared to that in which a minor accident occurs? Obviously more serious accidents should be percieved as more dangerous. We are letting the data provide this estimate for us. We will merely compare the relative sizes of each.

This may not seem neccessary, as working off the raw collision numbers and normalizing those may feel more intuitive to some. However, I believe that when we run our algorithm against new data (Nov 2015 to Nov 2016), an algorithm which weighs these different accident types will make better predictions. Unfortunately it will not be an apples to apples comparison. To do this, one would like to know the severity of accidents in our test data as well. The twitter bot does not make this distinction clear. But it is merely retweeting collisions reported by the Toronto police twitter app, which is not the same as having access to the filed police reports of the Toronto Police database. One would then believe that our new data is made up of more serious collisions, as the police were immediately informed.

In [44]: injury dict = inverse df.to dict()

```
In [45]: injury_dict['None']=1.0
    injury_dict = injury_dict
    col_df['injury_num'] = col_df['INJURY'].map(injury_dict)
    col_df['injury_num'] = col_df['injury_num'].fillna(value=0)
    central_col_df['injury_num'] = central_col_df['injury'].map(injury_dict)
    central_col_df['injury_num'] = central_col_df['injury num'].fillna(value=0)
```

Here we produce two resulting dataframes of intersections, featuring the total numbers of collisions, along with the features of that intersection.

```
In [48]: #result.to_csv('merged_data.csv')
          new_col = col_df[col_df['YEAR']>1997]
          result = pd.merge(new_col,all_realint_df, how ='outer',on='intersection')
          result = result.sort_values(by='intersection')
          severity df = pd.qet dummies(new col.INJURY, dummy na=False)
          new_col = pd.concat([new_col,severity_df],axis=1)
          new col['Minimal/None'] = new col['Minimal'] + new col['None']
          intersection_df = new_col.groupby('intersection').agg({'predicted_bike_count':
          #intersection df.columns = intersection df.columns.set levels(['minor','predic
          zeroes_df = all_realint_df.groupby('intersection').agg({'predicted_bike_count'
          zeroes df['predicted bike count', 'size'] = 0
          zeroes df['injury num','sum'] = 0
          #Let's use 360 as the days in the year. It's a nice round number. And since we
          zeroes df['Rates','normalized accident rate'] = zeroes df['predicted bike coun
          zeroes df = zeroes df.sort values(by=[('Rates','normalized accident rate')],as
          intersection_df['Rates','normalized_accident_rate'] = intersection_df['predict
          intersection_df = intersection_df.sort_values(by=[('Rates','normalized_acciden)
          zeroes_df['Rates','normalized_risk_factor'] = zeroes_df['injury_num','sum']/(1
          zeroes_df = zeroes_df.sort_values(by=[('Rates','normalized_risk_factor')],asce
          intersection_df['Rates','normalized_risk_factor'] = intersection_df['injury_nu
          intersection_df = intersection_df.sort_values(by=[('Rates','normalized_risk_fa
          totals_df = pd.concat([intersection_df,zeroes_df])
          df_test = totals_df['Rates','normalized_accident_rate']
          df_data2 = df_test.to_frame(name='normalized yearly accident rate')
          df_data2['total collisions'] = totals_df['predicted_bike_count','size']
          df_data2['bike traffic estimate'] = totals_df['predicted_bike_count','mean']
          df_data2['scaled collisions'] = totals_df['injury_num', 'sum']

df_data2['normalized_risk_factor'] = totals_df['Rates', 'normalized_risk_factor

df_data2['vehicle traffic'] = totals_df['vehicle_traffic']

df_data2['pedestrian traffic'] = totals_df['pedestrian_traffic']

df_data2['fatal'] = totals_df['Fatal']
          df_data2['major'] = totals_df.Major
          df_data2['minor'] = totals_df.Minor
          df data2['minimal/none'] = totals df['Minimal/None']
          df data2['normalized yearly accident rate'].fillna(0,inplace=True)
          df_data2['normalized_risk_factor'].fillna(0,inplace=True)
          df_data2.fillna(0,inplace=True)
          df_data2.dropna(inplace=True)
          #Here we make the index a column, drop the duplicates from this intersection oldsymbol{\mathsf{c}}
          df_data2 = df_data2.reset_index().drop_duplicates(subset='intersection', keep=
          df_data2 = df_data2.sort_values(by='total collisions',ascending=False)
          len(df_data2)
```

Out[48]: 20371

In [49]:	df data2.	head()								
Out[49]:		normalized yearly accident rate	total collisions	bike traffic estimate	scaled collisions	normalized_risk_factor	vehicle traffic	pedestrian traffic	fatal	majo
	intersection		1		1					
	Queen St W & Spadina Ave, Toronto, Ontario, M5V	7.0407e-06	43	1305	4	6.5495e-07	22206	9791.5	0	2
	Bathurst St & Bloor St W, Toronto, Ontario, M5R	6.5778e-06	41	1331.9	7	1.123e-06	22976	11309	0	1
	Bathurst St & Queen St W, Toronto, Ontario, M5T	6.7557e-06	40	1265.2	6	1.0134e-06	17330	7338.1	0	0
	Bay St & Dundas St W, Toronto, Ontario, M5G	5.264e-06	37	1501.9	4	5.6909e-07	20558	37431	0	0
	Queen St W & University Ave, Toronto, Ontario, M5H	5.8533e-06	37	1350.7	6	9.4918e-07	29023	14508	0	1

```
In [50]: #result.to_csv('merged_data.csv')
          new_col_central = central_col_df[central_col_df['year']>1997]
           result_central = pd.merge(new_col_central,central_realint_df, how ='outer',on=
           result_central = result_central.sort_values(by='intersection')
          severity_df = pd.get_dummies(new_col_central.injury, dummy_na=False)
          new col central = pd.concat([new col central,severity df],axis=1)
          new_col_central['Minimal/None'] = new_col_central['Minimal'] + new_col_central
          intersection_df = new_col_central.groupby('intersection').agg({'predicted_bike
          #intersection df.columns = intersection df.columns.set levels(['minor','predic
          zeroes_df = central_realint_df.groupby('intersection').agg({'predicted_bike_co
          zeroes df['predicted bike count', 'size'] = 0
          zeroes df['injury num','sum'] = 0
          #Let's use 360 as the days in the year. It's a nice round number. And since we
          zeroes df['Rates','normalized accident rate'] = zeroes df['predicted bike coun
          zeroes df = zeroes df.sort values(by=[('Rates', 'normalized accident rate')],as
          intersection_df['Rates','normalized_accident_rate'] = intersection_df['predict
          intersection_df = intersection_df.sort_values(by=[('Rates','normalized_acciden')]
          zeroes_df['Rates','normalized_risk_factor'] = zeroes_df['injury_num','sum']/(1
          zeroes_df = zeroes_df.sort_values(by=[('Rates','normalized_risk_factor')],asce
          intersection_df['Rates','normalized_risk_factor'] = intersection_df['injury_nu
          intersection_df = intersection_df.sort_values(by=[('Rates','normalized_risk_fa
          totals_df = pd.concat([intersection_df,zeroes_df])
          df_test = totals_df['Rates','normalized_accident_rate']
          df_data_central = df_test.to_frame(name='normalized yearly accident rate')
          df_data_central['total collisions'] = totals_df['predicted_bike_count','size']
          df_data_central['bike traffic estimate'] = totals_df['predicted_bike_count','m
df_data_central['scaled collisions'] = totals_df['injury_num','sum']
df_data_central['normalized_risk_factor'] = totals_df['Rates','normalized_risk
df_data_central['vehicle traffic'] = totals_df['vehicle_traffic']
          df_data_central['pedestrian traffic'] = totals_df['pedestrian_traffic']
df_data_central['fatal'] = totals_df['Fatal']
df_data_central['major'] = totals_df.Major
df_data_central['minor'] = totals_df.Minor
          df_data_central['minimal/none'] = totals_df['Minimal/None']
          df_data_central['normalized yearly accident rate'].fillna(0,inplace=True)
          df data central['normalized risk factor'].fillna(0,inplace=True)
          df_data_central.fillna(0,inplace=True)
          df_data_central.dropna(inplace=True)
          #Here we make the index a column, drop the duplicates from this intersection oldsymbol{\mathsf{c}}
          df_data_central = df_data_central.reset_index().drop_duplicates(subset='inters
          df_data_central = df_data_central.sort_values(by='total collisions',ascending=
          len(df_data_central)
```

Out[50]: 18693

```
In [51]: df_data2.to_csv('all_totals.csv')
df data central.to csv('central totals.csv')
```

Now we have our two main datasets. A collection of intersections in the central areas of the city with their associated accident numbers for cycling collisions from 1998 onwards, and one for the entire city of Toronto. To gain any predicted power however, we'll need to throw in some features of the intersections. We'll use the road class types from the collisions data set, using the "busiest" class of the two streets to define the intersection. We'll also use the intersection control type as well. The cells merely add these columns to our two dataframes.

```
In [52]: | temp = result
         temp = temp.replace(np.nan,-1)
         roadclass_df =temp.groupby(['intersection']+['ROAD CLASS']) \
                     .size().to_frame('count') \
                     .reset_index().sort_values('intersection',ascending=False)
         #roadclass_df['road_class'] =roadclass_df['road_class'].fillna(value =elevatio
         roadclass_df = roadclass_df.sort_values('count', ascending=False)
         roadclass df = roadclass df.replace(np.nan,-1)
         roadclass dict = {'Collector':1, 'Expressway':1, 'Expressway Ramp':1, 'Major Art
         roadclass df['roadclass num'] = roadclass df['ROAD CLASS'].map(roadclass dict)
         roadclass_df = roadclass_df.sort_values(by = ['intersection','roadclass_num'],
         roadclass df = roadclass df.drop duplicates(subset='intersection', keep='first
         roadclass df = roadclass df.sort values(by='intersection', ascending= False)
         temp = result
         temp['elevatio10'].replace(np.nan,'unrecorded', inplace =True)
         elevatio_df =temp.groupby(['intersection']+['elevatio10']) \
                     .size().to_frame('count') \
                     .reset index().sort_values('intersection',ascending=False)
         elevatio10_dict = {'Major':'Major Arterial', 'Minor':'Minor Arterial','Laneway
         elevatio_df['intersection_type']= elevatio_df['elevatio10'].map(elevatio10_dic
         elevatio_df = elevatio_df.sort_values(by = ['intersection','intersection_type'
         elevatio_df = elevatio_df.drop_duplicates(subset='intersection', keep='first')
         elevatio_df = elevatio_df.sort_values(by='intersection', ascending= False)
         elevatio_df.reset_index(inplace = True)
         elevatio10 = elevatio_df['intersection_type']
         roadclass_df['ROAD CLASS'] =roadclass_df['ROAD CLASS'].replace(to_replace = -1
         roadclass_df.reset_index(inplace=True)
         roadclass_df['ROAD CLASS'] = roadclass_df['ROAD CLASS'].fillna(value = elevatio
         roadclass df['roadclass num'] = roadclass df['ROAD CLASS'].map(roadclass dict)
         roadclass df = roadclass df.sort values(by = ['intersection', 'roadclass num'],
         roadclass df = roadclass df.drop duplicates(subset='intersection', keep='first
         roadclass df = roadclass df.sort values(by='intersection', ascending= False)
In [53]: roadclass df.groupbv(['ROAD CLASS']).size()
Out[53]: ROAD CLASS
                                  791
         Collector
         Expressway
                                   23
         Expressway Ramp
                                   49
         Hydro Line
                                    1
         Laneway
                                   10
```

### Local 1104 Major Arterial 2818 Major Arterial Ramp 3 Minor Arterial 15408 Minor Arterial Ramp 1 0ther 4 Private Property 158 River 1 dtype: int64

```
In [54]: result['TRAFFIC CONTROL'].replace(np.nan, unrecorded', inplace=True)
          result['ROAD CLASS'].replace(['Expressway Ramp', 'Hydro Line','Laneway','Major
          temp = result
          trafficcontrol_df =temp.groupby(['intersection']+['TRAFFIC CONTROL']) \
                       .size().to_frame('count') \
                       .reset_index().sort_values('count',ascending=False)
          trafficcontrol_dict = {'traffic signal':1, 'traffic gate':1,'traffic controlle
          trafficcontrol_df['trafficcontrol_num'] = trafficcontrol_df['TRAFFIC CONTROL']
          trafficcontrol df = trafficcontrol df.sort values(by = ['intersection','traffi
          trafficcontrol_df = trafficcontrol_df.drop_duplicates(subset='intersection', k
          trafficcontrol df = trafficcontrol df.sort values(by='intersection', ascending
In [55]: trafficcontrol df.to csv('trafficcontrol df.csv')
In [56]: reverse_dict = {1:'traffic signal/gate',2:'stop/yield sign', 3:'pedestrian cro
          trafficcontrol df['control category'] = trafficcontrol df['trafficcontrol num'
          trafficcontrol df.head()
Out[56]:
                                               TRAFFIC
                intersection
                                                              count trafficcontrol num control category
                                               CONTROL
                bpNichol Ln & bpNichol Ln, Toronto,
          22146
                                               no control
                                                              1
                                                                   5
                                                                                  no control
                Ontario, M5S
                Zachary Ct & Zachary Ct, Toronto,
          22145
                                               unrecorded
                                                              1
                                                                   6
                                                                                  other/unrecorded
                Ontario, M6A
                York Ridge Rd & York Ridge Rd,
                                               unrecorded
                                                                   6
                                                                                  other/unrecorded
                Toronto, Ontari...
                York Mills Rd & York Ridge Rd,
                                               unrecorded
                                                                                  other/unrecorded
                                                              1
                                                                   6
                Toronto, Ontari...
                York Mills Rd & York Mills Rd,
                                               unrecorded
                                                                   6
                                                                                  other/unrecorded
                Toronto, Ontari...
In [57]: trafficcontrol df.groupbv(['control category']).size()
```

Out[57]: control category

no control 2172
other/unrecorded 14693
pedestrian crossover 93
stop/yield sign 1702
traffic signal/gate 1711
dtype: int64

```
In [58]: reverseROAD_dict = {1:'Collector/Expressway',2:'Major Arterial', 3:'Minor Arte
    roadclass_df['road_class_cat'] = roadclass_df['roadclass_num'].map(reverseROAD
    roadclass_df.head()
Out[58]:
```

	index	intersection	ROAD CLASS	count	roadclass_num	road_class_cat
0	21209	bpNichol Ln & bpNichol Ln, Toronto, Ontario, M5S	Major Arterial	1	2	Major Arterial
1	21208	Zachary Ct & Zachary Ct, Toronto, Ontario, M6A	Local	1	4	Local/Laneway
2	21207	York Ridge Rd & York Ridge Rd, Toronto, Ontari	Minor Arterial	1	3	Minor Arterial
3	21206	York Mills Rd & York Ridge Rd, Toronto, Ontari	Minor Arterial	1	3	Minor Arterial
4	21205	York Mills Rd & York Mills Rd, Toronto, Ontari	Minor Arterial	1	3	Minor Arterial

In [59]: roadclass df.groupbv(['road class cat']).size()

```
Out[59]: road class cat
```

Collector/Expressway 863 Local/Laneway 1272 Major Arterial 2818 Minor Arterial 15408

dtype: int64

```
In [60]: df_data2 = df_data2.sort_index(ascending = False)
    df_data2['road_class'] = roadclass_df['road_class_cat'].values
    df_data2['control type'] = trafficcontrol_df['control category'].values
    df_data2[['fatal', 'major', 'minor', 'minimal/none']] = df_data2[['fatal', 'major'

    traffdummy_df = pd.get_dummies(df_data2['control type'], dummy_na=False)
    df_data2 = pd.concat([df_data2, traffdummy_df],axis=1)

rdclass_dummy = pd.get_dummies(df_data2['road_class'])
    df_data2 = pd.concat([df_data2, rdclass_dummy],axis=1)
```

We had to do a bit of work to map certain obvious groups together (such as minor arterial ramp grouping with arterial ramp). The same process was performed for traffic control types. Part of the thinking in the grouping was trying to use common sense, traffic gates would likely be the most restrictive intersections, but due to their very small number, they are combined with the next restrictive in a "traffic signal/gate" groups.

We note that the greatest number of of control categories are other or unrecorded. This is an interesting characterisite of our data, as any bias in the REASON for an intersection's traffic control being identified as unrecorded can skew the predictive power of our algorithms.

```
In [61]: df_data2['bike traffic estimate'].replace(0,1,inplace=True)
df_data2['pedestrian traffic'].replace(0.1.inplace=True)
```

In order to deal with duplicate entries, we'll assign a numerical value to the roat types, so as to order them by how large the expected traffic flow is. We can then keep the most repeated, highest traffic flow option when we ask Pandas to drop duplicate entries in the "intersection" index.

We're also mapping the intersection types found in the intersection list dataframe to correspond to those in the cycling collisions one.

```
In [62]: temp = result central
         temp = temp.replace(np.nan,-1)
         roadclass_df =temp.groupby(['intersection']+['road_class']) \
                      .size().to_frame('count') \
                      .reset_index().sort_values('intersection',ascending=False)
         #roadclass_df['road_class'] =roadclass_df['road_class'].fillna(value =elevatio
         roadclass df = roadclass df.sort values('count', ascending=False)
         roadclass df = roadclass df.replace(np.nan,-1)
         roadclass dict = {'Collector':1, 'Expressway':1,'Expressway Ramp':1,'Major Art
         roadclass df['roadclass num'] = roadclass df['road class'].map(roadclass dict)
         roadclass df = roadclass df.sort values(by = ['intersection','roadclass num'],
         roadclass df = roadclass df.drop duplicates(subset='intersection', keep='first
         roadclass df = roadclass df.sort values(by='intersection', ascending= False)
         temp = result_central
         temp['elevatio10'].replace(np.nan,'unrecorded', inplace =True)
         elevatio_df =temp.groupby(['intersection']+['elevatio10']) \
                      .size().to_frame('count') \
                      .reset_index().sort_values('intersection',ascending=False)
         elevatio10_dict = {'Major':'Major Arterial', 'Minor':'Minor Arterial','Laneway
         elevatio df['intersection type'] = elevatio <math>df['elevatio10'].map(elevatio10 dic
         elevatio_df = elevatio_df.sort_values(by = ['intersection','intersection_type'
         elevatio_df = elevatio_df.drop_duplicates(subset='intersection', keep='first')
         elevatio_df = elevatio_df.sort_values(by='intersection', ascending= False)
         elevatio_df.reset_index(inplace = True)
         elevatio10 = elevatio_df['intersection_type']
         roadclass df['ROAD CLASS'] =roadclass df['road class'].replace(to replace = -1
         roadclass df.reset index(inplace=True)
         roadclass df['ROAD CLASS'] =roadclass df['ROAD CLASS'].fillna(value = elevatio
         roadclass_df['roadclass_num'] = roadclass_df['ROAD CLASS'].map(roadclass_dict)
         roadclass_df = roadclass_df.sort_values(by = ['intersection','roadclass_num'],
         roadclass_df = roadclass_df.drop_duplicates(subset='intersection', keep='first
         roadclass_df = roadclass_df.sort_values(by='intersection', ascending= False)
         roadclass_df.groupby(['ROAD CLASS']).size()
Out[62]: ROAD CLASS
         Collector
                               169
         Expressway
                                 6
         Expressway Ramp
                                 5
         Laneway
                                 3
                               469
         Local
         Major Arterial
                               761
         Minor Arterial
                             17275
         Private Property
                                  5
         dtype: int64
```

```
In [63]: result central['traffic control'].replace(np.nan, unrecorded', inplace=True)
         result_central['road_class'].replace(['Expressway Ramp', 'Hydro Line','Laneway
         temp = result_central
         trafficcontrol_df =temp.groupby(['intersection']+['traffic_control']) \
                     .size().to_frame('count') \
                     .reset_index().sort_values('count',ascending=False)
         trafficcontrol_dict = {'traffic signal':1, 'traffic gate':1,'traffic controlle
         trafficcontrol df['trafficcontrol num'] = trafficcontrol df['traffic control']
         trafficcontrol df = trafficcontrol df.sort values(by = ['intersection','traffi
         trafficcontrol_df = trafficcontrol_df.drop_duplicates(subset='intersection', k
         trafficcontrol df = trafficcontrol df.sort values(by='intersection', ascending
In [64]:
         reverse_dict = {1:'traffic signal/gate',2:'stop/yield sign', 3:'pedestrian cro
         trafficcontrol_df['control category'] = trafficcontrol_df['trafficcontrol_num'
         reverseROAD dict = {1:'Collector/Expressway',2:'Major Arterial', 3:'Minor Arte
         roadclass_df['road_class_cat'] = roadclass_df['roadclass_num'].map(reverseROAD
         df data central = df data central.sort index(ascending = False)
         df data central['road class'] = roadclass df['road class cat'].values
         df_data_central['control type'] = trafficcontrol_df['control category'].values
         df_data_central[['fatal','major','minor','minimal/none']] = df_data_central[['
         traffdummy_df = pd.get_dummies(df_data_central['control type'], dummy_na=False
         df_data_central = pd.concat([df_data_central, traffdummy_df ],axis=1)
         rdclass_dummy = pd.get_dummies(df_data_central['road_class'])
         df_data_central = pd.concat([df_data_central, rdclass_dummy],axis=1)
```

We've now added our features, as well as corresponding dummy variables for each class. These are neccessary to perform our linear regressions in a little bit.

We're going to fit posterior means via empirical bayesian estimation as before. These won't be used for prediction, but it will be interesting to see if any of our predictive approaches perform better than the estimates from the posterior rates when we take a look at data from this past year scrapped from twitter.

```
In [65]: ag,bg,cg = stats.gamma.fit(df_data2['total collisions'])
    beta = 1/cg
    df_data2['posterior mean rate'] = (ag + df_data2['total collisions'])/(beta+13
    df_data2['posterior STD'] = np.sqrt((ag + df_data2['total collisions'])/((beta
    #pd.set_option('display.float_format', '{:.5g}'.format)
    df_data2.sort_values(by='posterior mean rate',ascending = False).head()
```

Out[65]:

	normalized yearly accident rate	total collisions	bike traffic estimate	scaled collisions	normalized_risk_factor	vehicle traffic	pedestrian traffic	fatal	ma
intersection		! ! !				!			
MacDonald- Cartier Fwy & Victoria Park Ave, Toronto, Ontario, M1R	0	9	1	1	0	35267	1	0	0
Reesor Rd & Steeles Ave E, Scarborough, Ontario, M1X, Scarborough, Ontario, M1X	0	3	1	0	0	1081	1	0	0
HWY-401, Mississauga, Ontario, L4W & Renforth Dr, Mississauga, Ontario, L4W	0	2	1	0	0	24049	1	0	2
Highway of Heroes & Victoria Park Ave, Toronto, Ontario, M1R	0	2	1	0	0	35267	1	0	0
Blackhurst Ct & Morningview Trl, Scarborough, Ontario, M1B, Scarborough, Ontario, M1B	0	1	1	0	0	1081	1	0	1

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```
In [66]: ag,bg,cg = stats.gamma.fit(df_data_central['total collisions'])
beta = 1/cg
    df_data_central['posterior mean rate'] = (ag + df_data_central['total collisio
    df_data_central['posterior STD'] = np.sqrt((ag + df_data_central['total collis
    #pd.set_option('display.float_format', '{:.5g}'.format)
    df_data_central.sort_values(by='posterior mean rate',ascending = False).head()

Out[66]: normalized ...
```

	normalized yearly accident rate	total collisions	bike traffic estimate	scaled collisions	normalized_risk_factor	vehicle traffic	pedestrian traffic	fatal	majoı
intersection Farm Greenway & Victoria Park Ave, Toronto, Ontario, M1R	0	0	0	0	0	35267	0	0	0
Bingley Rd & Valley Centre Dr, Toronto, Ontario, M1X	0	0	0	0	0	1081	0	0	0
Lake Shore Blvd W & Lakeshore British Columbia Rd, Toronto, Ontario, M6K	0	0	0	0	0	27298	0	0	0
Pharmacy Ave & Seabury Gate, Toronto, Ontario, M1T	0	0	0	0	0	35267	0	0	0
Foxcote Cres & Rangoon Rd, Toronto, Ontario, M9C	0	0	0	0	0	16435	0	0	0

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#### Training and testing linear models.

First we break set up our features and target data for both the full, and central-only data sets.

The barious linear regression algorithms available in sci-kit learn expect features which are gaussian. Otherwise they may perform very badly. We use the preproceessing library to scale the various traffic counts.

```
In [96]: X= df data.drop(['normalized yearly accident rate','posterior mean rate','post
         Y_priorTotals = df_data['total collisions']
         Y_priorRate = df_data['total collisions']/13
         Y_postRate = df_data['posterior mean rate']
         Y priorRiskRate = df data['normalized risk factor']
         Xc= df_data_central.drop(['normalized yearly accident rate','posterior mean ra
         Yc_priorTotals = df_data_central['total collisions']
         Yc_priorRate = df_data_central['total collisions']/13
         Yc_postRate = df_data_central['posterior mean rate']
         Yc_priorRiskRate = df_data_central['normalized_risk_factor']
In [97]: from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
         from sklearn import preprocessing
         raw_bike = X['bike traffic estimate'].reshape(-1,1)
         raw_veh = X['vehicle traffic'].reshape(-1,1)
         raw_ped = X['pedestrian traffic'].reshape(-1,1)
         bike_scaler = preprocessing.StandardScaler().fit(raw_bike)
         veh_scaler = preprocessing.StandardScaler().fit(raw_veh)
         ped_scaler = preprocessing.StandardScaler().fit(raw_ped)
         X_scaled_bike = bike_scaler.transform(raw_bike)
         X_scaled_veh = veh_scaler.transform(raw_veh)
         X_scaled_ped = ped_scaler.transform(raw_ped)
         X['bike traffic estimate'] = X_scaled_bike
         X['vehicle traffic'] = X_scaled_veh
         X['ped scaler'l = X scaled ped
```

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In [98]: raw_bike = Xc['bike traffic estimate'].reshape(-1,1)
    raw_veh = Xc['pedestrian traffic'].reshape(-1,1)
    raw_ped = Xc['pedestrian traffic'].reshape(-1,1)
    bike_scaler_c = preprocessing.StandardScaler().fit(raw_bike)
    veh_scaler_c = preprocessing.StandardScaler().fit(raw_veh)
    ped_scaler_c = preprocessing.StandardScaler().fit(raw_ped)
    Xc_scaled_bike = bike_scaler_c.transform(raw_bike)
    Xc_scaled_veh = veh_scaler_c.transform(raw_veh)
    Xc_scaled_ped = ped_scaler_c.transform(raw_ped)
    Xc['bike traffic estimate'] = Xc_scaled_bike
    Xc['vehicle traffic'] = Xc_scaled_veh
    Xc['ped_scaler'] = Xc_scaled_ped
```

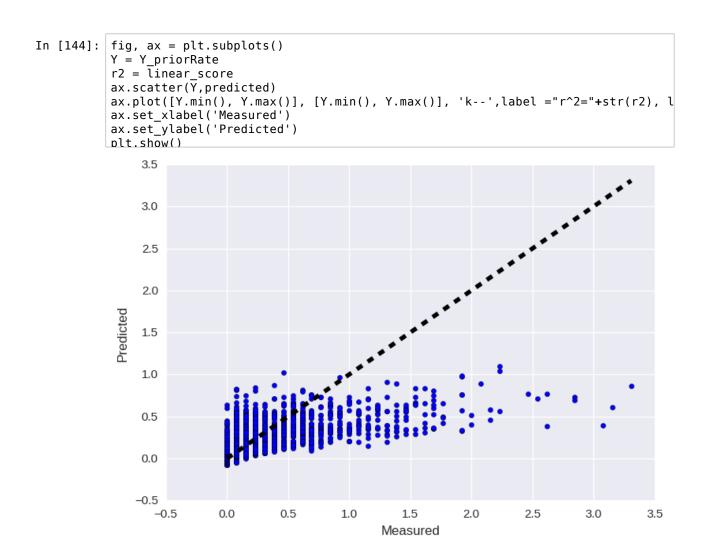
First we train a basic linear regression. Rather than splitting the data manually, or coding up a cross validation method ourselves (as was required in the linear regression exercise for the course), we'll use the included cross val score and predict methods.

```
In [142]: from sklearn import linear_model as lm
    cycling_linear = lm.LinearRegression()
    cycling_lasso = lm.Lasso()
    cvclind_ridde = lm.Ridde(albha =10)

In [143]: from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_predict
    from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
    predicted = cross_val_predict(cycling_linear,X,Y_priorRate,cv=5)
    linear_score = cross_val_score(cycling_linear,X,Y_priorRate,cv=5)
    print("linear score: ", np.mean(linear_score))
```

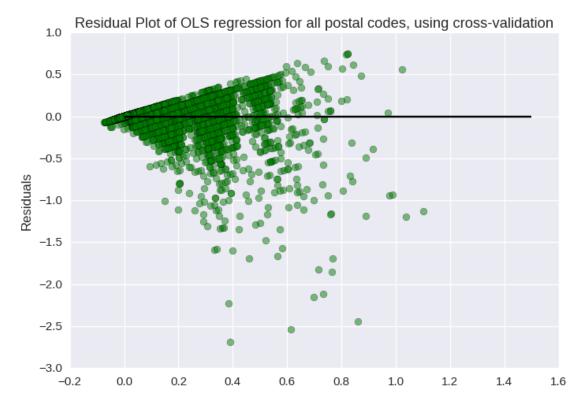
print("predicted: ". predicted)
linear score: 0.508928284915
predicted: [ 0.17652133 -0.01308693 -0.02239764 ..., 0.12101306 0.01118716 0.01118716]

We first notice that the score isn't terribly good. There is a lot of room for improvement here. How do these predictions look visually when plotted against the actual data? Let's take a look



```
In [145]: plt.scatter(predicted, predicted- Y, c='g', s=40, alpha=0.5)
    plt.hlines(y = 0, xmin=0, xmax = 1.5)
    plt.title('Residual Plot of OLS regression for all postal codes, using cross-v
    plt.vlabel('Residuals')
```

Out[145]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f8002032d68>



```
In [146]: from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_predict
                                            from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
                                            predicted = cross_val_predict(cycling_linear,Xc,Yc_priorRate,cv=5)
                                           linear_score = cross_val_score(cycling_linear,Xc,Yc_priorRate,cv=5)
print("linear score: ", np.mean(linear_score))
                                            print("predicted: ", predicted)
                                            fig, ax = plt.subplots()
                                            Y = Yc priorRate
                                            r2 = linear_score
                                            ax.scatter(\overline{Y}, predicted)
                                            ax.plot([Y.min(), Y.max()], [Y.min(), Y.max()], 'k--', label = "r^2="+str(r2), label = "r^2="+str(r2
                                            ax.set xlabel('Measured')
                                            ax.set_ylabel('Predicted')
                                           plt.show()
                                           linear score: 0.60266120383
                                           predicted: [ 0.1582576 -0.02152201 -0.00971354 ...,
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 0.002264
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                                                   0.002264
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1.0

1.5

Measured

2.0

2.5

3.0

3.5

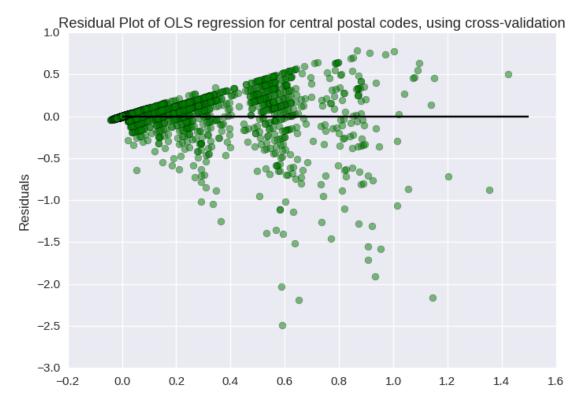
0.0

-0.5

0.5

```
In [147]: plt.scatter(predicted, predicted- Y, c='g', s=40, alpha=0.5)
   plt.hlines(y = 0, xmin=0, xmax = 1.5)
   plt.title('Residual Plot of OLS regression for central postal codes, using cro
   plt.vlabel('Residuals')
```

Out[147]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f8001fffcf8>



So it's very obvious to us that there is a very large tendency to understimate collision numbers, particularly for mid, to high risk intersections. We see that restricting ourselves to intersections which are in central Toronto gives a pretty sizable imporvement in \$R^2\$. From 0.5 to about 0.6. The residuals show an improvement in the underestimation as well.

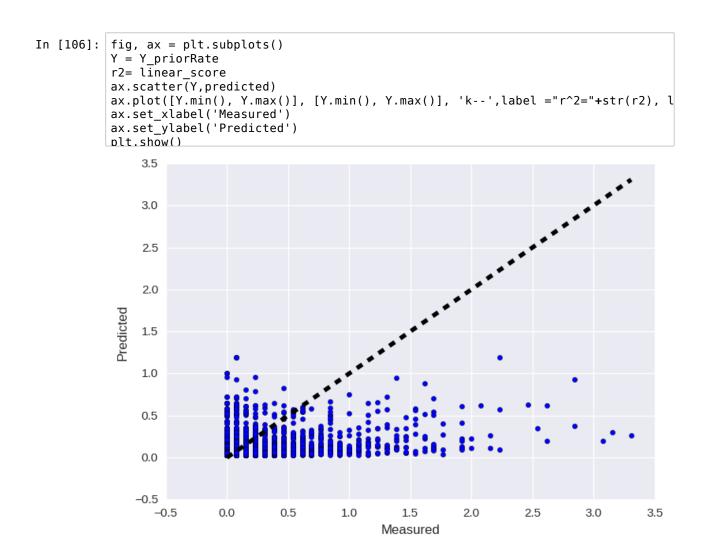
Let's try a more sophisticated model. Lasso regression yields a sparse model. It is useful for reducing the dimensionality of a problem. In this case, we probably are going to get pretty bad results, since we actually have very few features to work with already.

We'll let the use the LassoCV method to fit an alpha, and then make our prediction from there.

```
In [105]: lassomodel = lm.LassoCV(cv=5).fit(X,Y_priorRate)
    predicted = lassomodel.predict(X)
    lasso_score = lassomodel.score(X,Y_priorRate)

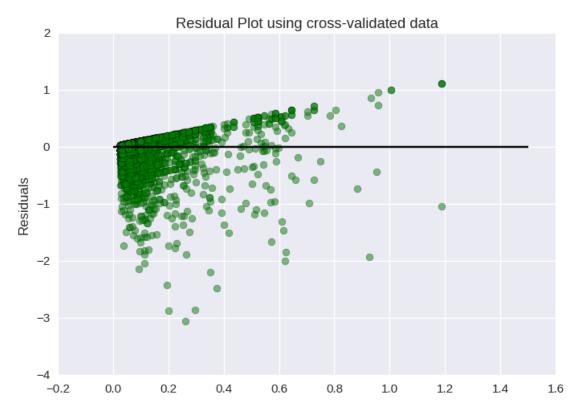
print("chosen alpha: ",lassomodel.alpha_)
    print("lasso score: ", np.mean(lasso_score))
    print("predicted: ". predicted)

    chosen alpha: 0.159143550513
    lasso score: 0.133455369252
    predicted: [ 0.13981183    0.07347667    0.02680618   ...,    0.05670033    0.05670033    0.05670033]
```



```
In [107]: plt.scatter(predicted, predicted- Y, c='g', s=40, alpha=0.5)
   plt.hlines(y = 0, xmin=0, xmax = 1.5)
   plt.title('Residual Plot using cross-validated data')
   plt.vlabel('Residuals')
```

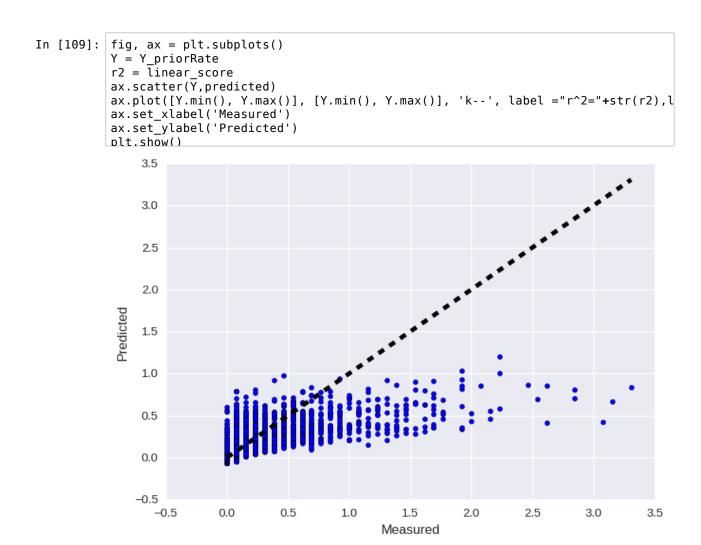
Out[107]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f8002cd5cf8>



So a rather poor performance overall. Worse than regular least squares regression, just as we predicted. It doesn't make sense to continue with this model by checking the performance with the central-only dataframe, as this isn't the kidn of problem it's designed for. Now what about ridge regression?

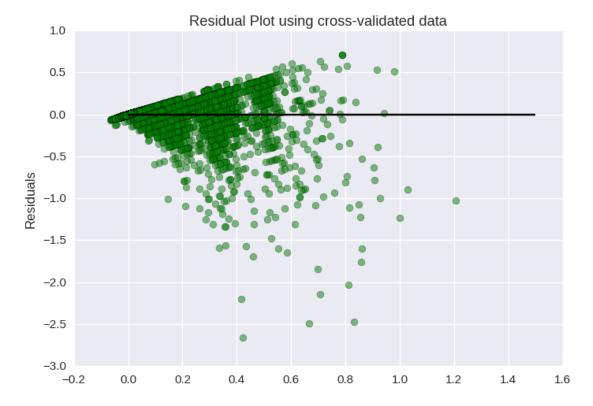
```
In [108]: ridgemodel = lm.RidgeCV(cv=5).fit(X,Y_priorRate)
    predicted = ridgemodel.predict(X)
    ridge_score = ridgemodel.score(X,Y_priorRate)

    print("chosen alpha: ",ridgemodel.alpha_)
    print("ridge score: ", np.mean(ridge_score))
    print("predicted: ". predicted)
    chosen alpha: 10.0
    ridge score: 0.519202385901
    predicted: [ 0.17457528 -0.00871101 -0.01980315 ..., 0.12200059 0.01135503 0.01135503]
```

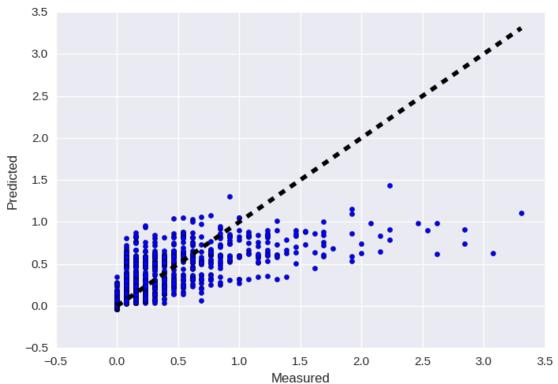


```
In [110]: plt.scatter(predicted, predicted- Y, c='g', s=40, alpha=0.5)
   plt.hlines(y = 0, xmin=0, xmax = 1.5)
   plt.title('Residual Plot using cross-validated data')
   plt.vlabel('Residuals')
```

Out[110]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f8002b82390>

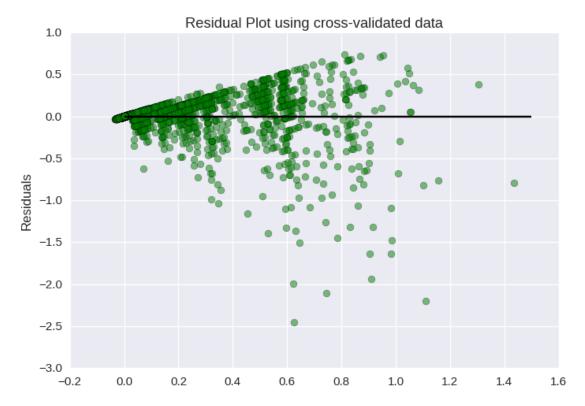


```
In [125]: ridgemodel = lm.RidgeCV(cv=5).fit(Xc,Yc_priorRate)
                                                  predicted = ridgemodel.predict(Xc)
                                                  ridge_score = ridgemodel.score(Xc,Yc_priorRate)
                                                 print("chosen alpha: ",ridgemodel.alpha_)
print("ridge score: ", np.mean(ridge_score))
print("predicted: ", predicted)
                                                  fig, ax = plt.subplots()
                                                  Y = Yc priorRate
                                                  r2 = linear_score
                                                  ax.scatter(\overline{Y}, predicted)
                                                  ax.plot([Y.min(), Y.max()], [Y.min(), Y.max()], 'k--', label = "r^2="+str(r2), label = "r^2="+str(r2
                                                  ax.set_xlabel('Measured')
                                                  ax.set_ylabel('Predicted')
                                                plt.show()
                                                chosen alpha: 10.0
                                                 ridge score: 0.620701229935
                                                 predicted: [ 0.159844
                                                                                                                                                                   -0.01657434 -0.00851878 ..., 0.00251754 0.00251754
                                                          0.00251754]
                                                                     3.5
```



```
In [112]: plt.scatter(predicted, predicted- Y, c='g', s=40, alpha=0.5)
   plt.hlines(y = 0, xmin=0, xmax = 1.5)
   plt.title('Residual Plot using cross-validated data')
   plt.vlabel('Residuals')
```

Out[112]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f8002af3860>



We have a slight improvement over our least squares model. Unfortunately still not very good. And we still underestimate systematically the high risk intersections. What can we accomplish by trying an ensemble method? And perhaps including another feature, like postal codes?

Not every postal code will be working to add information. But a few will be ranked highly when we look at the feature importance output for a random forrest.

```
In [114]: Xrf.fillna('Minor Arterial'.inplace= True)
          /home/christian/anaconda3/lib/python3.5/site-packages/pandas/core/frame.py:27
          56: 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/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy (http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas
          -docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy)
            downcast=downcast, **kwargs)
In [115]: control_dict = {'traffic signal/gate':1,'stop/yield sign':2, 'pedestrian cross
          Xrf['control_type_num'] = Xrf['control type'].map(control_dict)
          Xrf c['control type num'] = Xrf c['control type'].map(control dict)
          /home/christian/anaconda3/lib/python3.5/site-packages/ipykernel/ main .py:2
          : SettingWithCopyWarning:
          A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
          Try using .loc[row indexer,col indexer] = value instead
          See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/st
          able/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy (http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas
          -docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy)
            from ipykernel import kernelapp as app
          /home/christian/anaconda3/lib/python3.5/site-packages/ipykernel/ main .py:3
          : SettingWithCopyWarning:
          A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
          Try using .loc[row indexer,col indexer] = value instead
          See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/st
          able/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy (http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas
          -docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy)
            app.launch_new_instance()
```

```
In [116]: roadclass dict = {'Collector/Expressway':4,'Major Arterial':3,'Minor Arterial'
          Xrf['road_class_num'] = Xrf['road_class'].map(roadclass_dict)
          Xrf_c.loc[:,'road_class_num'] = Xrf_c.loc[:,'road_class'].map(roadclass_dict)
          /home/christian/anaconda3/lib/python3.5/site-packages/ipykernel/ main .py:2
          : SettingWithCopyWarning:
          A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
          Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead
          See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/st
          able/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy (http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas
          -docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy)
            from ipykernel import kernelapp as app
          /home/christian/anaconda3/lib/python3.5/site-packages/pandas/core/indexing.py
          :284: SettingWithCopyWarning:
          A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
          Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead
          See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/st
          able/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy (http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas
          -docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy)
            self.obj[key] = _infer_fill_value(value)
          /home/christian/anaconda3/lib/python3.5/site-packages/pandas/core/indexing.py
          :461: SettingWithCopyWarning:
          A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
          Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead
          See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/st
          able/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy (http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas
          -docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy)
            self.obj[item] = s
In [117]: Xrf = Xrf.drop(['road class','control type'] , axis=1)
          Xrf_c = Xrf_c.drop(['road_class','control type'],axis =1)
 In [65]: from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
          Xc_train, Xc_test, Yc_train, Yc_test = train_test_split(Xrf_c, Yrf_priorRate_c
          print (Xc_train.shape)
          print (Xc_test.shape)
          print (Yc_train.shape)
          print (Yc_test.shape)
          X_train, X_test, Y_train, Y_test = train_test_split(Xrf, Yrf_priorRate, test_s
          print (X_train.shape)
          print (X_test.shape)
          print (Y_train.shape)
          print (Y_test.shape)
          (14019, 5)
          (4674, 5)
          (14019,)
          (4674,)
          (15278, 5)
          (5093, 5)
          (15278,)
          (5093,)
```

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In [140]: rf_c= RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators = 200)
    prediction_c = cross_val_predict(rf_c,Xrf_c,Yrf_priorRate_c, cv=6)
    r2_c = np.mean(cross_val_score(rf_c,Xrf_c,Yrf_priorRate_c,cv=6))
    mse = np.mean((Yrf_priorRate_c-prediction_c)**2)
    print('MSE : ',mse)

    print("R^2 : ", r2_c)

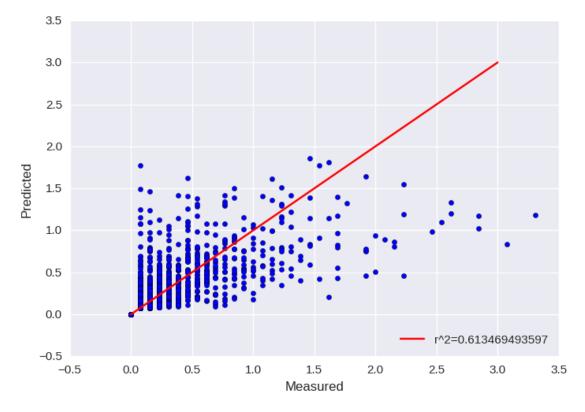
plt.scatter(Yrf_priorRate_c,prediction_c)
    plt.plot(np.arange(0,4),np.arange(0,4), label ="r^2="+str(r2_c), c="r")
    plt.legend(loc="lower right")
    plt.xlabel('Measured')
    plt.vlabel('Predicted')

MSE : 0.007104826716178006
```

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0.613469493597

R^2:



```
In [135]: rf= RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators = 200)
    prediction = cross_val_predict(rf,Xrf,Yrf_priorRate, cv=5)
    r2 = np.mean(cross_val_score(rf,Xrf,Yrf_priorRate,cv=5))
    mse = np.mean((Yrf_priorRate-prediction)**2)
    print('MSE : ',mse)

    print("R^2 : ", r2)

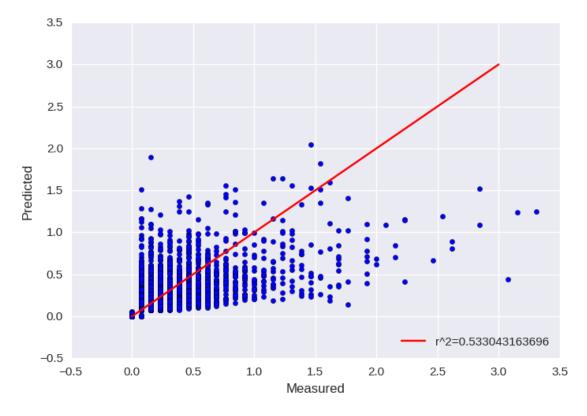
    plt.scatter(Yrf_priorRate,prediction)
    plt.plot(np.arange(0,4),np.arange(0,4), label ="r^2="+str(r2), c="r")
    plt.legend(loc="lower right")
    plt.xlabel('Measured')
    plt.vlabel('Predicted')

MSE : 0.01328337962752527
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0.533043163696

R^2:



```
In [66]: from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
    from sklearn.metrics import r2_score
    rf= RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators = 200)
    rf.fit(X_train,Y_train)
    r2 = r2_score(Y_test, rf.predict(X_test))
    mse = np.mean((Y_test-rf.predict(X_test))**2)
    print('MSE : ',mse)

    print("R^2 : ", r2)

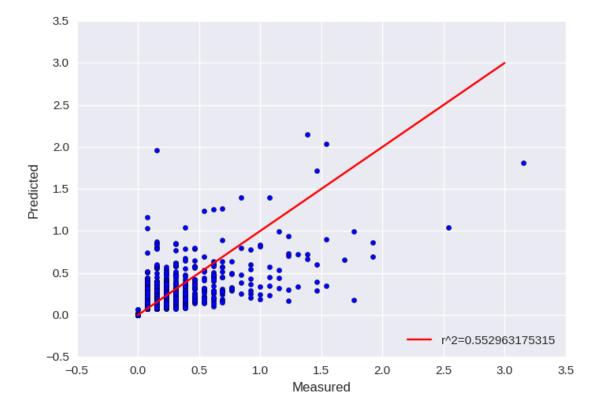
plt.scatter(Y_test,rf.predict(X_test))
    plt.plot(np.arange(0,4),np.arange(0,4), label ="r^2="+str(r2), c="r")
    plt.legend(loc="lower right")
    plt.xlabel('Measured')
    plt.vlabel('Predicted')

MSE : 0.012309838111176129
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0.552963175315

R^2:



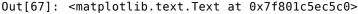
```
In [67]: from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
    from sklearn.metrics import r2_score
    rf_c= RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators = 200)
    rf_c.fit(Xc_train,Yc_train)
    r2_c = r2_score(Yc_test, rf_c.predict(Xc_test))
    mse = np.mean((Yc_test-rf_c.predict(Xc_test))**2)
    print('MSE : ',mse)

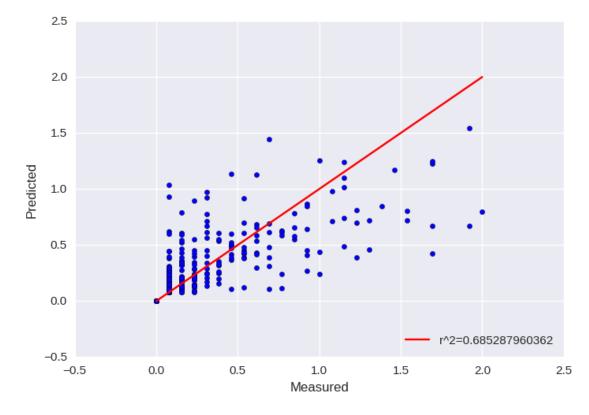
    print("R^2 : ", r2_c)

plt.scatter(Yc_test,rf_c.predict(Xc_test))
    plt.plot(np.arange(0,3),np.arange(0,3), label ="r^2="+str(r2_c), c="r")
    plt.legend(loc="lower right")
    plt.xlabel('Measured')
    plt.vlabel('Predicted')

MSE : 0.0052371722752427245
```

R^2: 0.685287960362





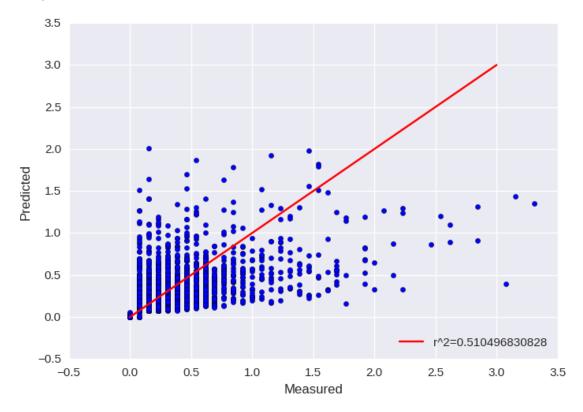
Features sorted by their score: [(0.4319000000000001, 'control\_type\_num'), (0.2389999999999999, 'pedestrian traffic'), (0.1589000000000001, 'vehicle traffic'), (0.1403000000000001, 'bike traffic estimate'), (0.029999999999999, 'road\_class\_num')]

# Let's drop our bike traffic estimates and see how performance changes

```
In [69]: X2 = Xrf.drop(['bike traffic estimate'],axis=1)
        Xc2 = Xrf c.drop(['bike traffic estimate'].axis=1)
In [70]: from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
         from sklearn.metrics import r2_score
         rf= RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators = 200)
         prediction = cross_val_predict(rf,X2,Yrf_priorRate)
         r2 = np.mean(cross_val_score(rf,X2,Yrf_priorRate))
         mse = np.mean((Yrf_priorRate-prediction)**2)
         print('MSE : ',mse)
         print("R^2 : ", r2)
         plt.scatter(Yrf_priorRate,prediction)
         plt.plot(np.arange(0,4),np.arange(0,4), label = "r^2="+str(r2), c="r")
         plt.legend(loc="lower right")
         plt.xlabel('Measured')
         plt.vlabel('Predicted')
         MSE: 0.013841523328337628
```

Out[70]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f801c5bed30>

R^2: 0.510496830828



```
In [71]: from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
    rf= RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators = 200)
    prediction = cross_val_predict(rf,Xc2,Yrf_priorRate_c)
    r2 = np.mean(cross_val_score(rf,Xc2,Yrf_priorRate_c))
    mse = np.mean((Yrf_priorRate_c-prediction)**2)
    print('MSE : ',mse)

    print("R^2 : ", r2)

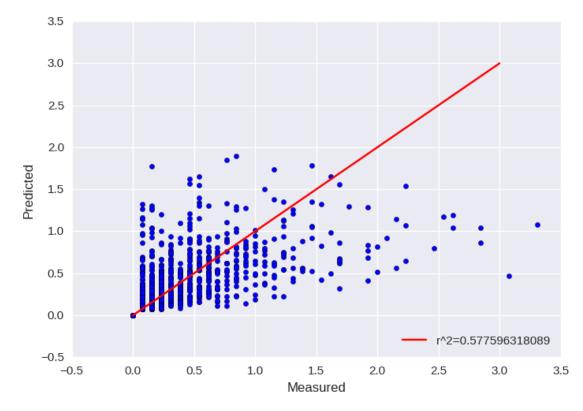
plt.scatter(Yrf_priorRate_c,prediction)
    plt.plot(np.arange(0,4),np.arange(0,4), label ="r^2="+str(r2), c="r")
    plt.legend(loc="lower right")
    plt.xlabel('Measured')
    plt.vlabel('Predicted')

MSE : 0.007772563285664221
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Out[71]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f8003310048>

0.577596318089

R^2:

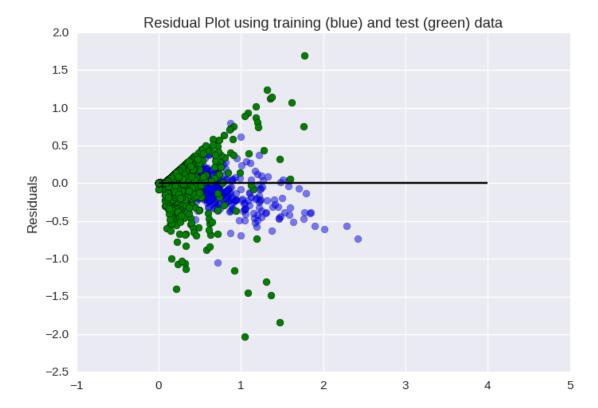


## Testing performance is worse without the bike estimates.

Compared to our singular linear regression approaches, this ensemble of decision trees gives a significant improvement in predictive power.

# In [106]: plt.scatter(rf.predict(X\_train), rf.predict(X\_train) - Y\_train, c='b', s=40, a plt.scatter(rf.predict(X\_test), rf.predict(X\_test) - Y\_test, c='g', s=40) plt.hlines(y = 0, xmin=0, xmax = 4) plt.title('Residual Plot using training (blue) and test (green) data') plt.ylabel('Residuals')

Out[106]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7faf5d03d9e8>



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In [107]:
    plt.scatter(rf_c.predict(X2c_train), rf_c.predict(X2c_train) - Yc_train, c='b'
    plt.scatter(rf_c.predict(X2c_test), rf_c.predict(X2c_test) - Yc_test, c='g', s
    plt.hlines(y = 0, xmin=0, xmax = 3)
    plt.title('Residual Plot using training (blue) and test (green) data')
    plt.vlabel('Residuals')
Out[107]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7faf5cfd5630>
```



# Defintely an improvement there.

```
In [72]: X4 = Xrf.copy()
    Xc4 = Xrf c.copv()

In [73]: X4.reset_index(inplace=True)
    st1 = X4['intersection'].str.split('Ontario, ').str.get(1)

    Xc4.reset_index(inplace=True)
    st1_c = Xc4['intersection'].str.split('Ontario, ').str.get(1)

    st2 = st1.str.split(' ').str.get(0)
    st2.to_csv('postal_codes.csv')
    st2_c = st1_c.str.split(' ').str.get(0)
    st2 c.to_csv('postal_codes c.csv')

In [74]: st2 = pd.DataFrame.from_csv('postal_codes2.csv',header=None)

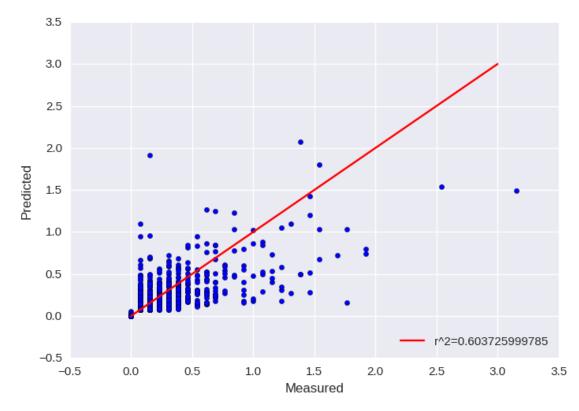
st2 c = pd.DataFrame.from_csv('postal_codes c2.csv',header=None)
```

In [75]:	X4.head()						
Out[75]:	intersection	bike traffic estimate	vehicle traffic	pedestrian traffic	control_type_num	road_class_num	
	0 bpNichol Ln & bpNichol Ln, Toronto, Ontario, M5S	1216.4	11213	4767	5	3	
	Zachary Ct & Zachary Ct, Toronto, Ontario, M6A	1111.1	12798	2011	4	1	
	2 York Ridge Rd & York Ridge Rd, Toronto, Ontari	783.49	13638	72	4	2	
	York Mills Rd & York Ridge Rd, Toronto, Ontari	783.49	13638	72	4	2	
	York Mills Rd & York Mills Rd, Toronto, Ontari	1106.1	25718	1926	4	2	
In [76]:	: X4.set_index('intersection', inplace= <b>True</b> ) Xc4.set_index('intersection', inplace= <b>True</b> ) #X4.drop('index'.inplace = True. axis=1)						
In [77]:	X4['postal'] = st2[1]. Xc4['postal'] = st2 c[						
In [78]:	<pre>postal_df = pd.get_dum X4 = pd.concat([X4,pos</pre>			mmy_na = <b>F</b> a	alse)		
	<pre>postal_df = pd.get_dummies(Xc4.postal,dummy_na=False) Xc4 = pd.concat([Xc4.postal dfl.axis=1)</pre>						
In [79]:	X4.drop('postal',inpla Xc4.drop('postal'.inpl						

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In [80]: Xc train, Xc test, Yc train, Yc test = train test split(Xc4, Yrf priorRate c,
                    print (Xc_train.shape)
                    print (Xc_test.shape)
                    print (Yc_train.shape)
                    print (Yc_test.shape)
                    X_train, X_test, Y_train, Y_test = train_test_split(X4, Yrf_priorRate, test_si
                    print (X train.shape)
                    print (X_test.shape)
                    print (Y train.shape)
                    print (Y_test.shape)
                     rf= RandomForestRegressor(n estimators = 200)
                    rf.fit(X train, Y train)
                    r2 = r2 score(Y test, rf.predict(X test))
                    mse = np.mean((Y test-rf.predict(X test))**2)
                    print('MSE for all data: ', mse)
                    rf c= RandomForestRegressor(n estimators = 200)
                    rf c.fit(Xc_train,Yc_train)
                    r2_c = r2_score(Yc_test, rf_c.predict(Xc_test))
                    mse = np.mean((Yc_test-rf_c.predict(Xc_test))**2)
                    print("MSE for central data: ", mse)
                    names = list(X4.columns.values)
                    print("Features sorted by their score:")
                    print(sorted(zip(map(lambda x: round(x, 4), rf.feature_importances_), names),
                                                 reverse=True))
                    names2 = list(Xc4.columns.values)
                    print("Features sorted by their score:")
                    print(sorted(zip(map(lambda x: round(x, 4), rf_c.feature_importances_), names2
                                                 reverse=True))
                    (14019, 115)
                    (4674, 115)
                    (14019,)
                    (4674,)
                    (15278, 119)
                    (5093, 119)
                    (15278,)
                    (5093,)
                    MSE for all data: 0.010912006619940696
                    MSE for central data: 0.004897617639714547
                    Features sorted by their score:
                   [(0.433699999999997, 'control_type_num'), (0.1956, 'pedestrian traffic'), (0.1048, 'bike traffic estimate'), (0.1013, 'vehicle traffic'), (0.022800000000000001, 'road_class_num'), (0.01250000000000001, 'M6G'), (0.0109, 'M5T'), (0.0109, 'M5T'),
                    0.010699999999999, 'M6H'), (0.00850000000000000, 'M5A'), (0.008300000000
                    0000001, 'M6J'), (0.006400000000000003, 'M4M'), (0.00619999999999998, 'M5V
                    '), (0.006100000000000004, 'M5B'), (0.0045999999999999, 'M4L'), (0.003599
                    99999999999, 'M5S'), (0.003500000000000001, 'M4W'), (0.0033, 'M5R'), (0.00250000000000001, 'M4K'), (0.0023, 'M6P'), (0.00250000000000001, 'M4K'), (0.0023, 'M6P'), (0.0023, 'M6P')
                    0.002200000000000001, 'N0A'), (0.0022000000000001, 'M5H'), (0.002, 'M2R'), (0.0019, 'M5G'), (0.0019, 'M4J'), (0.0019, 'M1K'), (0.0018, 'M4Y'), (0.0016, 'M1S'), (0.0014, 'M5C'), (0.0014, 'M4V'), (0.0015, 'M1S'), (0.0015, 'M1S'), (0.0015, 'M5C'), (0.0015, 'M5C'),
                    0.00129999999999999, 'M5J'), (0.001299999999999, 'M3H'), (0.0011999999
                    9999999, 'M6S'), (0.00119999999999999, 'M4C'), (0.001100000000000001, 'M9
                    A'), (0.0011000000000000001, 'M1V'), (0.00110000000000001, 'M1E'), (0.00089
                    999999999998, 'M2N'), (0.000800000000000004, 'M3J'), (0.000800000000000
                    0004, 'M3C'), (0.00080000000000000004, 'M1R'), (0.00069999999999999, 'M4X'
                    ), (0.000699999999999999, 'M1W'), (0.00059999999999995, 'M9N'), (0.00059
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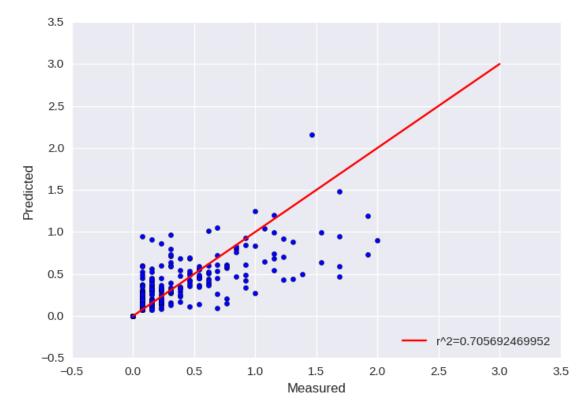
```
In [81]: plt.scatter(Y_test,rf.predict(X_test))
   plt.plot(np.arange(0,3.5),np.arange(0,3.5), label ="r^2="+str(r2), c="r")
   plt.legend(loc="lower right")
   plt.xlabel('Measured')
   plt.vlabel('Predicted')
```

Out[81]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f8003288ba8>



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In [82]: plt.scatter(Yc_test,rf_c.predict(Xc_test))
    plt.plot(np.arange(0,3.5),np.arange(0,3.5), label ="r^2="+str(r2_c), c="r")
    plt.legend(loc="lower right")
    plt.xlabel('Measured')
    plt.vlabel('Predicted')
```

Out[82]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f80031e0cf8>



The fit from our random forest is starting to look pretty good, particularily when we restrict ourselves to the central intersections only, which still contain the bulk of our data. Looking at the output in terms of feature importance, we see that for BOTH datasets, most of the postal codes don't add any information. We could use the SelectFromModel meta-transformer to specify a threshold (manually or as some multiple of the mean), to remove features which are irrelevant. sci-kit lear ndoes this using mean decrease impurity. This is how much the variance is decreased by each feature on average.

Another feature selection method is to measure how much each feature impacts the accuracy of our model. By permuating the values of each feature, we can check how much it affets our prediction. For important variables, there should be a significant decrease. The cell below calculates the mean decrease accuracty for our model

```
In [83]: from sklearn.model selection import ShuffleSplit
         from sklearn.metrics import r2_score
         from collections import defaultdict
         X = X4.values
         Y = Yrf priorRate
         rf alt = RandomForestRegressor()
         scores = defaultdict(list)
         forest split = ShuffleSplit(n splits=10,test size = .25,random state=1)
         #crossvalidate the scores on a number of different random splits of the data
         for train_idx, test_idx in forest_split.split(X):
             X_train, X_test = X[train_idx], X[test_idx]
             Y train, Y test = Y[train idx], Y[test idx]
             r = rf_alt.fit(X_train, Y_train)
             acc = r2 score(Y test, rf.predict(X test))
             for i in range(X.shape[1]):
                 X_t = X_{test.copy}()
                 np.random.shuffle(X_t[:, i])
                 shuff_acc = r2_score(Y_test, rf.predict(X_t))
                 scores[names[i]].append((acc-shuff_acc)/acc)
         print ("Features sorted by their score:")
         print (sorted([(round(np.mean(score), 4), feat) for
                       feat. score in scores.items()]. reverse=True))
```

Features sorted by their score: [(1.26869999999999, 'control\_type\_num'), (0.327799999999999, 'pedestrian traffic'), (0.18279999999999999, 'vehicle traffic'), (0.1676, 'bike traffic e stimate'), (0.055100000000000003, 'road\_class\_num'), (0.0258, 'M6G'), (0.0212 'M6J'), (0.02110000000000001, 'M5A'), (0.0208999999999999, 'M5T'), (0.01 919999999999, 'M6H'), (0.0142000000000001, 'M4M'), (0.0102000000000000 1, 'M5B'), (0.00869999999999994, 'M4L'), (0.0074999999999997, 'M5V'), (0 .0071999999999999, 'M6P'), (0.0060000000000001, 'M5R'), (0.005000000000 0000001, 'M1K'), (0.00459999999999999, 'M4J'), (0.0043, 'M5S'), (0.0038, 'N 0A'), (0.003599999999999999, 'M4W'), (0.00350000000000001, 'M6K'), (0.0033 'M4K'), (0.003000000000000001, 'M1S'), (0.0028, 'M2R'), (0.00220000000000 0001, 'M4V'), (0.00209999999999999, 'M4C'), (0.0019, 'M1E'), (0.0018, 'M1W' ), (0.0018, 'M1V'), (0.00169999999999999, 'M4Y'), (0.001600000000000001, M5H'), (0.0016000000000000001, 'M3H'), (0.0015, 'M2N'), (0.0014, 'M5E'), (0.0 99999, 'M3J'), (0.0011000000000000001, 'M9A'), (0.000899999999999998, 'M8V' ), (0.00089999999999998, 'M3C'), (0.00089999999999998, 'M1L'), (0.00080  $\,$ 00000000000004, 'M6R'), (0.000800000000000004, 'M6N'), (0.000800000000000 0004, 'M5J'), (0.0006999999999999999, 'M8Z'), (0.00069999999999999, 'M4X' ), (0.000699999999999999, 'M1R'), (0.00059999999999995, 'M9M'), (0.00059 9999999999995, 'M9C'), (0.00050000000000001, 'M9N'), (0.000500000000000 0001, 'M9B'), (0.00050000000000000001, 'M4N'), (0.0005000000000000001, 'M3L' ), (0.0004000000000000002, 'M9R'), (0.00040000000000002, 'M6M'), (0.00040 00000000000002, 'M5C'), (0.0004000000000000002, 'M4R'), (0.000400000000000 ), (0.00040000000000000002, 'M1H'), (0.00029999999999997, 'M9W'), (0.00029 999999999997, 'M6E'), (0.0002999999999997, 'M6B'), (0.00029999999999 9997, 'M5M'), (0.0002999999999999997, 'M4P'), (0.00029999999999997, 'M2K' ), (0.000299999999999997, 'M2J'), (0.000200000000000001, 'M9V'), (0.00020 0000000000001, 'M9P'), (0.00020000000000001, 'M8Y'), (0.00020000000000 0001, 'M8W'), (0.00020000000000000001, 'M6A'), (0.0002000000000000001, 'M4S' ), (0.00020000000000000001, 'M4B'), (0.000200000000000001, 'M3N'), (0.00020 00000000000001, 'M3A'), (0.00020000000000001, 'M2H'), (0.000200000000000 0001, 'M1P'), (0.00020000000000000001, 'M1J'), (0.0002000000000000001, 'M1B' ), (0.0001, 'M8X'), (0.0001, 'M7A'), (0.0001, 'M6L'), (0.0001, 'M6C'), (0.000 1, 'M5P'), (0.0001, 'M5N'), (0.0001, 'M4T'), (0.0001, 'M4H'), (0.0001, 'M4G') , (0.0001, 'M4A'), (0.0001, 'M3M'), (0.0001, 'M2L'), (0.0001, 'M1N'), (0.0001 'M1G'), (0.0001, 'M1C'), (0.0, 'M9L'), (0.0, 'M5X'), (0.0, 'M5L'), (0.0, 'M

This gives similar results as before. Let's reduce our postal code features, leaving only those which are scoring above half the mean by the decrease in mean variance.

```
In [84]: from sklearn.feature_selection import SelectFromModel
    rf= RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators = 20)

    rf_c= RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators = 20)

    model = SelectFromModel(rf,threshold = '0.25*mean')
    model.fit(X4,Yrf_priorRate)

    X5 = model.transform(X4)

    model_c = SelectFromModel(rf_c,threshold = '0.25*mean')
    model_c.fit(Xc4,Yrf_priorRate_c)
    Xc5 = model c.transform(Xc4)

In [85]: X5.shape

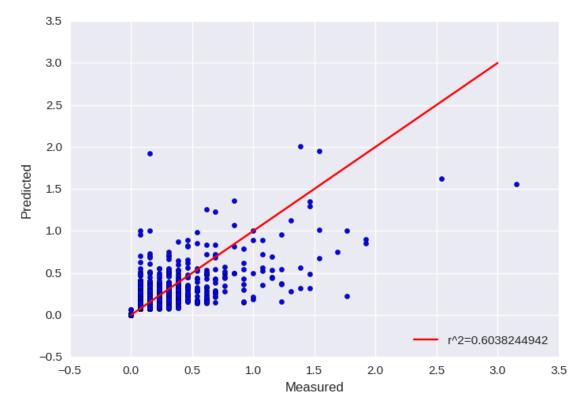
Out[86]: (20371, 23)
In [86]: Xc5.shape
Out[86]: (18693, 16)
```

So we are taking the first 23 features for our full data set, and the first 17 for our central only data set. This corresponds to 18 postal codes and 12 postal codes, respectively. Looking at the individual postal codes, there is strong overlap between the two lists.

```
In [87]: | Xc_train, Xc_test, Yc_train, Yc_test = train_test_split(Xc5, Yrf_priorRate_c,
         print (Xc_train.shape)
         print (Xc_test.shape)
         print (Yc_train.shape)
         print (Yc_test.shape)
         X_train, X_test, Y_train, Y_test = train_test_split(X5, Yrf_priorRate, test_si
         print (X_train.shape)
         print (X_test.shape)
         print (Y_train.shape)
         print (Y_test.shape)
         rf= RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators = 200)
         rf.fit(X train, Y train)
         r2 = r2_score(Y_test, rf.predict(X_test))
         mse = np.mean((Y test-rf.predict(X test))**2)
         print('MSE for all data: ', mse)
         rf_c= RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators = 200)
         rf_c.fit(Xc_train,Yc_train)
         r2_c = r2_score(Yc_test, rf_c.predict(Xc_test))
         mse = np.mean((Yc_test-rf_c.predict(Xc_test))**2)
         print("MSE for central data: ", mse)
         (14019, 16)
         (4674, 16)
         (14019,)
         (4674,)
         (15278, 23)
         (5093, 23)
         (15278,)
         (5093,)
         MSE for all data: 0.010909294426584823
         MSE for central data: 0.0048862256129217855
```

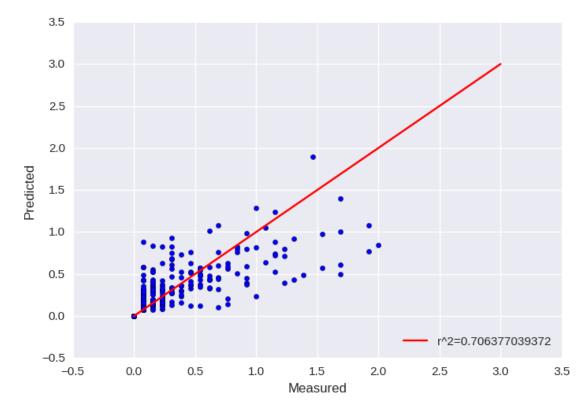
```
In [88]: plt.scatter(Y_test,rf.predict(X_test))
    plt.plot(np.arange(0,3.5),np.arange(0,3.5), label ="r^2="+str(r2), c="r")
    plt.legend(loc="lower right")
    plt.xlabel('Measured')
    nlt.vlabel('Predicted')
```

Out[88]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f800319e828>



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In [89]: plt.scatter(Yc_test,rf_c.predict(Xc_test))
    plt.plot(np.arange(0,3.5),np.arange(0,3.5), label ="r^2="+str(r2_c), c="r")
    plt.legend(loc="lower right")
    plt.xlabel('Measured')
    plt.vlabel('Predicted')
```

Out[89]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f8003058278>



Our predictive power actually decreased in the full dataset, from about  $R^2 = 0.61$  to  $R^2 = 0.6$ . However there was a slight improvement for the central only data set. This indicates that we should not use the same the shold in both cases, even if it's scaled by the mean score and not a constant value.

Ultimately, we have managed to build a predictive random forest, which using only traffic numbers (and an exponentially fit bike traffic estimate), along with the road type of the busiest road, and the traffic control type, performs a reasonable estimate of the yearly collision rates (accidents per year), at intersections for cyclists in the City of Toronto.

The scores are patricularily good when we restrict ourselves to the central post codes. This is partly attributed to the fact that the bike traffic estimates were fit with a few dozen points, all in the central neighbourhoods of Toronto. Had we better bike counts throughout the whole city, the predictive power would no doubt improve.

To output a final result, we'd lke to see how our random forest performs on the entire dataset, by cross validating so that every single point is contained in the test set at some point. Up to this point we were using the random state of our training splits to compare changes to the same test sets each time. While a random forest should not be prone to overfitting, thus not requiring cross\_validation in the vast majority of cases, in order to gain a final answer on how well our forest performs, we'd like to generalize it's testing as much as possible.

```
In [90]:
    rf= RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators = 200)
    prediction = cross_val_predict(rf,X5,Yrf_priorRate)
    r2 = np.mean(cross_val_score(rf,X5,Yrf_priorRate))
    mse = np.mean((Yrf_priorRate-prediction)**2)
    print('MSE : ',mse)

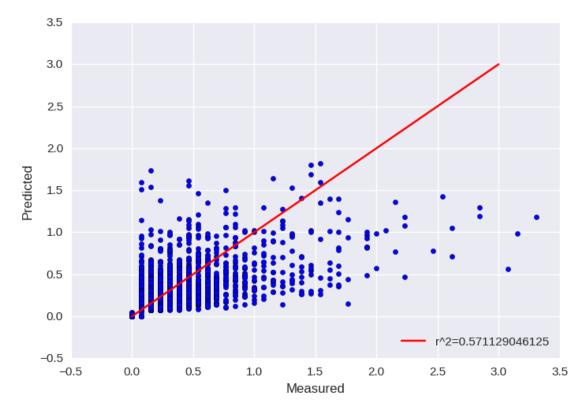
    print("R^2 : ", r2)

plt.scatter(Yrf_priorRate,prediction)
    plt.plot(np.arange(0,4),np.arange(0,4), label ="r^2="+str(r2), c="r")
    plt.legend(loc="lower right")
    plt.xlabel('Measured')
    plt.vlabel('Predicted')

MSE : 0.012094328875085904
```

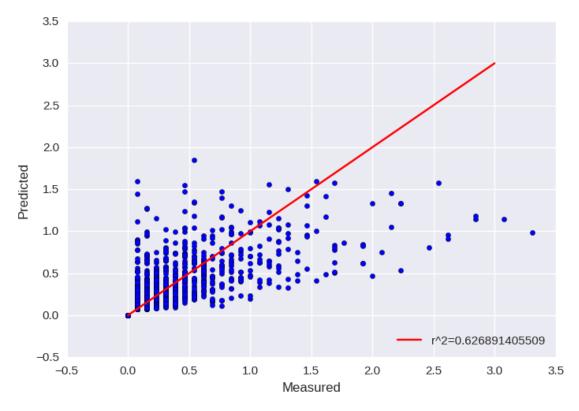
MSE : 0.012094328875085904 R^2 : 0.571129046125

Out[90]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f80030c6898>



```
In [91]:
         rf_c= RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators = 200)
         prediction_c = cross_val_predict(rf_c,Xc5,Yrf_priorRate_c)
         r2_c = np.mean(cross_val_score(rf_c,Xc5,Yrf_priorRate_c))
         mse = np.mean((Yrf_priorRate_c-prediction_c)**2)
         print('MSE : ',mse)
         print("R^2 : ", r2_c)
         plt.scatter(Yrf_priorRate_c,prediction_c)
         plt.plot(np.arange(0,4),np.arange(0,4), label = "r^2="+str(r2 c), c="r")
         plt.legend(loc="lower right")
         plt.xlabel('Measured')
         plt.vlabel('Predicted')
         MSE :
                0.006807085857277491
         R^2:
                0.626891405509
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Out[91]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f801c4ad160>



We see here that our choice of random state was fortuitous, and it so happened to give us a training/test split that lent itself to high scores.

While our score is lowered significantly, we still perform quite will, being able to explain over 63 percent of the variance in our data set with our very barebones model. Further improvements could be made by including distances to bike posts/parking lots, and whether or not a bike lane is present at the intersection. While this would make the project more involved, combining these extra features with more data from the years since 2010 should result in a model that is able to closely predict real life collision rates.

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#### **Bonus:**

If we were to really try and ring out the best performance possible out of our forrest, the correct approach would be to run a randomized search over the various possible parameters, so as to select the forest type which performs best. One could even then re-do the search, wich narrower parameter ranges, to fine tune things furter.

The code below performs this search for the central only database. It will run for a very long time however, and the results will be updated into the notebook at a later date, since for our relatively sparsely featured and small data set, reducing the max features, max depth, or other parametes will not improve our score, or change the computational cost much. Nonetheless, it's a good exercise to carry out.

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In [ ]: import numpy as np
         from time import time
         from scipy.stats import randint as sp_randint
         from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
         from sklearn.model selection import RandomizedSearchCV
         from sklearn.datasets import load digits
         from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
         # build our random forest
         clf = RandomForestRegressor(n estimators=200)
         # Utility function to report best scores
         def report(results, n top=3):
             for i in range(1, n top + 1):
                 candidates = np.flatnonzero(results['rank_test_score'] == i)
                 for candidate in candidates:
                     print("Model with rank: {0}".format(i))
                     print("Mean validation score: {0:.3f} (std: {1:.3f})".format(
                            results['mean_test_score'][candidate],
                            results['std_test_score'][candidate]))
                     print("Parameters: {0}".format(results['params'][candidate]))
                     print("")
         # specify parameters and distributions to sample from
         param_dist = {"max_depth": [3, None],
                        "max_features": sp_randint(1,115),
                       "min_samples_split": sp_randint(1, 20),
"min_samples_leaf": sp_randint(1, 20),
"bootstrap": [True, False],
                        "criterion": ["mse", "mae"]} ##mean squared error, and mean abso
         # run randomized search
         n iter search = 20
         random search = RandomizedSearchCV(clf, param distributions=param dist,
                                              n iter=n iter search)
         start = time()
         random_search.fit(Xc5,Yrf_priorRate_c)
         print("RandomizedSearchCV took %.2f seconds for %d candidates"
               " parameter settings." % ((time() - start), n_iter_search))
         report(random_search.cv_results_)
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