Data Wrangling with OpenStreetMap and MongoDB

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Map Area: Florida's Treasure Coast region (lat. 27 to 28, long. -81 to -80)

http://www.openstreetmap.org/export#map=9/27.5022/-80.5009

Problems Encountered in the Map

• Over-abbreviated street types were expanded using a mapping.

```
mapping = { "St": "Street", "St.": "Street", "Ave": "Avenue", "ave": "Avenue", "Rd.": "Road", "Pl": "Place", "Ct": "Court", "Dr.": "Drive", "Dr": "Drive", "Blvd": "Boulevard", "BLVD": "Boulevard", "SE": "Southeast"}
```

• State appeared as both "FL" and "Florida." Since the US postal system uses state abbreviations, "FL" was used as standard.

```
if key == "addr:state" & value == "Florida": value = "FL"
```

• The city of Hobe Sound was listed as Hobe Sound, FL in the city field.

```
if key == "addr:city" & value == "Hobe Sound, FL": value = "Hobe Sound"
```

• Despite the region's many faiths, only three religions are present in data: christian, jewish, and unitarian universalist. This indicates that the map needs additional user input.

Overview of the Data

Statistics of the OSM file:

OSM file size: 82,586 kB **JSON file size**: 89,959 kB

Tags:

'member' 24700 'meta' 1 'nd' 446341 'node' 373451 'note' 'osm' 1 'relation' 373, 229216 'tag' 'wav' 33166

Unique users: 273

Type of keys: 621 unique keys used

'lower': 85955, 'lower colon': 133910, 'other': 9351, 'problemchars': 0

MongoDB Queries

```
u'uid': u'207745',
         u'user': u'NE2',
         u'version': u'3'},
u'id': u'26786875',
u'pos': [27.6932111, -80.8890663],
u'tvpe': u'node'}
Total number of documents: 406,617 db.osm.find().count()
Number of nodes: 373,450 db.osm.find({"type":"node"}).count()
Number of ways: 33,166 db.osm.find({"type":"way"}).count()
Number of unique users (by user id): 261
       pipeline = "[{"$group":{" id":"$created.uid", "count":{"$sum":1}}}]"
       db.osm.aggregate(pipeline)
Top 5 contributing users (by user name):
                       contributions
user
"grouper"
                       157,846
"woodpeck fixbot
                       53,623
"NE2"
                       52,685
"Latze"
                       14,854
"Chris Lawrence"
                       12,198
       pipeline = "[{"$group" : { "_id" : "$created.user",
                            "count": {"$sum": 1 }}},
                   { "$sort" : { "count" : -1 }},
                  { "$limit" : 5}]"
       db.osm.aggregate(pipeline)
Number of users contributing 1 entry (by user name): 46
       pipeline = "[{"$group":{"_id":"$created.uid", "count":{"$sum":1}}},
                    {"$group":{"_id":"$count", "num_users":{"$sum":1}}},
                   {"$sort":{" id":1}},
                   {"$limit":1}]"
       db.osm.aggregate(pipeline)
Number of amenities: 1065 db.osm.find({"amenity":{"$exists": 1}}).count()
```

Other Ideas about the Dataset

Key prefixes

In the dataset, 621 different keys were used to describe the data. Listing them showed many keys carrieds a prefix, often "tiger:" or "gnis:" A search revealed that tiger is an acronym used for a spatial extract from the US Census Bureau and gnis stands for geographic names information system used by the US Geological Survey. A further cleaning step could be to remove these prefixes from the key and create another key = "source" with value = "tiger" or "gnis".

"Name:" keys

There are also hundreds of keys that seem useless, called "name:" followed by 2-3 random letters such as "bcl", "rw", "kv", "diq", or "tpi". These keys could be investigated and possibly removed from the dataset.

Additional data exploration using MongoDB queries

```
Number of amenities: 1065 db.osm.find({"amenity":{"$exists": 1}}).count()
Types of amenities: pipeline = "[{"$group": {" id": "$amenity", "count":{"$sum":1}}},
                                    {"$sort" : {"count" : -1}}]"
                        db.osm.aggregate(pipeline)
{u'count': 321, u' id': u'place of worship'}
{u'count': 159, u' id': u'parking'}
{u'count': 148, u' id': u'school'}
{u'count': 67, u' id': u'restaurant'}
{u'count': 62, u' id': u'fuel'}
{u'count': 58, u' id': u'fire station'}
{u'count': 50, u' id': u'fast food'}
{u'count': 24, u' id': u'bank'}
{u'count': 20, u' id': u'library'}
{u'count': 19, u' id': u'pharmacy'}
{u'count': 17, u' id': u'police'}
{u'count': 16, u' id': u'post office'}
{u'count': 14, u' id': u'hospital'}
{u'count': 12, u' id': u'toilets'}
{u'count': 12, u' id': u'fountain'}
{u'count': 10, u' id': u'grave yard'}
{u'count': 8, u' id': u'cafe'}
{u'count': 7, u' id': u'swimming pool'}
{u'count': 6, u' id': u'atm'}
{u'count': 4, u' id': u'community centre'}
{u'count': 4, u' id': u'theatre'}
{u'count': 3, u' id': u'car wash'}
{u'count': 3, u' id': u'prison'}
{u'count': 3, u' id': u'public building'}
{u'count': 2, u' id': u'auto:service'}
{u'count': 2, u' id': u'parking aisle'}
{u'count': 2, u' id': u'dentist'}
{u'count': 2, u' id': u'shelter'}
{u'count': 2, u' id': u'bar'}
{u'count': 1, u'_id': u'college'}
{u'count': 1, u' id': u'boat storage'}
{u'count': 1, u' id': u'university'}
{u'count': 1, u' id': u'department store'}
{u'count': 1, u' id': u'animal shelter'}
{u'count': 1, u' id': u'doctors'}
{u'count': 1, u' id': u'townhall'}
{u'count': 1, u' id': u'social centre'}
```