



Modeling King County Bus Ridership

User Guide

Setup Environment:

1. Clone the repository:

```
>> git clone https://github.com/jacobw125/uw-msds-trac-capstone.git
```

2. Create a new python environmet using the command:

```
>> conda env create UWTRAC
```

3. Activate UWTRAC by using the command:

```
>> conda activate UWTRAC
```

4. Install the required python packages using:

```
>> pip install -r requirements.txt
```

Creating Training Sets:

Regenerate the training sets from 2019 winter and/or summer APC survey period:

Summer:

```
>> python3 pipeline/01_filter_apc.py Summer_APC_File True
>> python3 pipeline/02_filter_orca.py Summer_ORCA_FILE True
>> python3 pipeline/03_agg_orca.py True
>> python3 pipeline/04_merge.py True
>> python3 pipeline/05_create_training.py S
```

Winter:

```
>> python3 pipeline/01_filter_apc.py Winter_APC_File False
>> python3 pipeline/02_filter_orca.py Winter_ORCA_FILE False
>> python3 pipeline/03_agg_orca.py False
>> python3 pipeline/04_merge.py False
>> python3 pipeline/05_create_training.py W
```

Combined:

Run steps 1-4 for Summer and Winter, then:

```
>> python3 pipeline/05_create_training.py B
```

Generate new training sets from different APC survey period:

1. Update constants in pipeline/constants.py:

- a. Check column headers of new files for ORCA (**ORCA_SUMMER_COLUMNS**, **ORCA_WINTER_COLUMNS**) and APC (**APC_COLUMNS**) match constants. If not, either update constants.py or relabel your file.

- b. **SUMMER_DAYS** or **WINTER_DAYS** to desired date range. Possibly excluding extreme weather (i.e. snowstorm) that could potentially negatively impact your model.

2. Run pipeline:

Note:

*For steps 1-4, the True/False parameter refers to is this is a summer survey data set, directing the programs to use **SUMMER** constants instead of **WINTER** constants.*

*For step 5, S means use **SUMMER** constants and W means use **WINTER**. In order to use the parameter B you must run steps 1-4 on both a **WINTER** and **SUMMER** set to create the **COMBINED** training set.*

```
>> python3 pipeline/01_filter_apc.py NEW_APC_FILE_PATH.csv [True/False]
```

```
>> python3 pipeline/02_filter_orca.py NEW_ORCA_FILE_PATH.csv [True/False]
```

```
>> python3 pipeline/03_agg_orca.py [True/False]
```

```
>> python3 pipeline/04_merge.py [True/False]
```

```
>> python3 pipeline/05_create_training.py [S/W/B]
```

Add weather data to the model:

1. Get data:
2. Update constants in pipeline/constants.py:
3. Uncomment code
4. Run steps 1-5 in pipeline

Training Model:

Running the Model: