

Core Capability Drive-through Report

- **User-Manual**

Please execute the following commands to set up the environment to run the algorithm

1. To install virtual environment

If Python 2.x,

```
python -m pip install --user virtualenv  
python -m virtualenv env
```

If Python 3.x,

```
python3 -m pip install --user virtualenv  
python3 -m venv env
```

1. Download the zip file *FieldProgressAlgorithm.zip*
2. Unzip the folder
3. Open the terminal. Navigate to the directory where the folder was unzipped
4. Run the following commands

```
source env/bin/activate  
pip install -r requirements.txt
```

5. Download and open the python script FPM_cli.py : Change the location of your folder directory in line 65 and 71 middle string(do not edit 'file:/// ' or the trailing html file names)
6. Save the file
7. Open terminal & navigate inside the folder and run the command :

```
python FPM_cli.py <path_to_voters_file> <no_of_volunteers> <precinct_id>
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ex:- python FPM_cli.py data/voters.csv 7 165010
```

- **Concern logs**

- Improve k-means to provide better clustering
- Incorporate k-means score to decide which cluster is more viable

- **Record of demonstration as performed**

- Core Capabilities driven through
 - Ability to take in voter information (csv file), volunteer information (number of volunteers) and precinct id to generate cluster of voters (turf cuts)

- View cluster of voters on the map i.e. an interactive map representing different clusters in different colors
- Suggestions and positive feedbacks
 - Use localhost (http) instead of specifying file path in the code
 - Visualization can also be done on flask server
 - Explore more python packages that can be used for better clustering
 - Positive feedback – Commended for bringing all the modules together to get the clustering working given the difficulty and learning curve of relevant technologies.
- **New risks, if any, and mitigation plans**
 - Things that are core capabilities, but were not exercised: Mitigation = repeat CCD
N/A
 - Core Capabilities not ready: Mitigation = do afterwards, co-ordinated with Client
 - Route planning is scoped out because of time constraints, API requirements and amount of efforts required
 - Changes in understanding
N/A
- **Reprioritized capabilities, if any**
 - Improving the clustering to include which cluster is more impactful
- **Plans through end of the semester**
 - Improving the algorithm further by including the k-means clustering score to prioritize the clusters formed
 - Integrate with the frontend to make sure API requests work
 - Test each individual module on their own (Frontend & Backend). Backend focus should be on the algorithm, and frontend should be on visualization and API calls
 - Get Visualization working with deck-gl layers