

# Use OpenAddresses Data To Validate Adresses

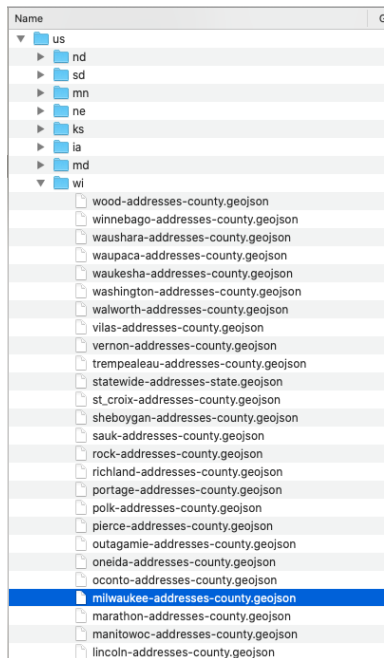
Practical Exam



# Goal

OpenAddresses.io provides regular exports of worldwide addresses (we will focus on US south/west/midwest/northeast for now):

- <https://batch.openaddresses.io/data>



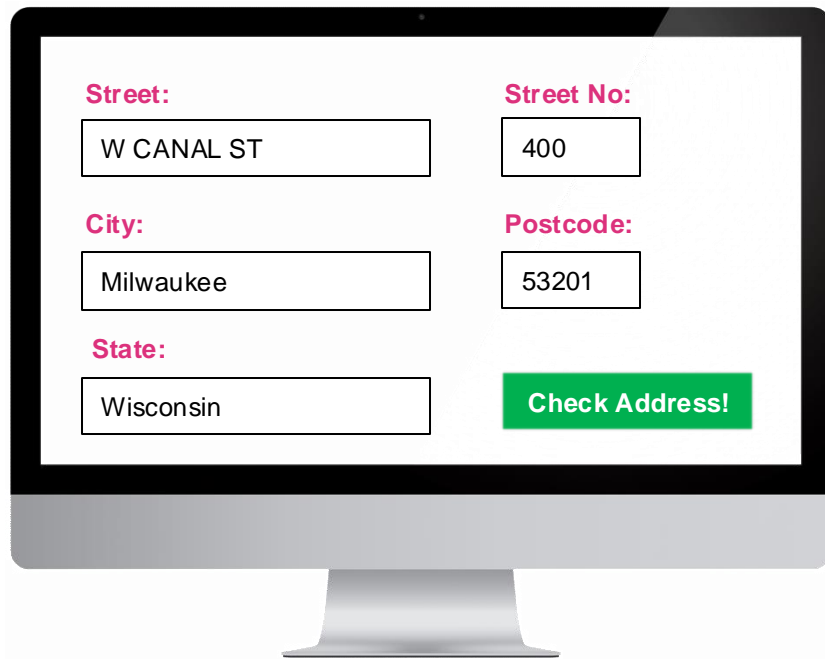
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# Goal

We want to make use of this data to validate addresses entered on a website, to check whether they are real or not.

## Workflow:

- **Gather data** from OpenAddresses.io
- **Save raw data** (*JSON files*) to HDFS (partitioned by state shortcut, e.g. *wi, nd, sd...*)
- **Optimize, reduce** and **clean raw data** and save it to **final** directory on HDFS
- **Export** address data to **end-user database** (e.g. MySQL, MongoDB...)
- Provide a simple **HTML Frontend** which is able to:
  - read from end-user database
  - process user input (Street, City, Postcode...)
  - validate user input against OpenAddress data in end-user database
  - Display result (real or non real address)
- The whole data workflow **must be implemented** within an ETL **workflow tool** (e.g. **Pentaho Data Integration** or **Airflow**) and **run automatically**



The image shows a computer monitor with a web form on the screen. The form is titled 'Check Address!' and contains several input fields and a submit button. The fields are labeled 'Street:', 'Street No:', 'City:', 'Postcode:', and 'State:'. The 'Street' field contains 'W CANAL ST', 'Street No' contains '400', 'City' contains 'Milwaukee', 'Postcode' contains '53201', and 'State' contains 'Wisconsin'. A green button labeled 'Check Address!' is located at the bottom right of the form.

Street:	Street No:
W CANAL ST	400
City:	Postcode:
Milwaukee	53201
State:	Check Address!
Wisconsin	

# Dataflow: 1. Get Address Data

Get <https://batch.openaddresses.io/data>

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<http://results.openaddresses.io/>

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Name	
us	
nd	
sd	
mn	
ne	
ks	
ia	
md	
wi	
wood-addresses-county.geojson	
winnebago-addresses-county.geojson	
waushara-addresses-county.geojson	
waupaca-addresses-county.geojson	
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milwaukee-addresses-county.geojson	
vernon-addresses-county.geojson	
trempealeau-addresses-county.geojson	
statewide-addresses-state.geojson	
st_croix-addresses-county.geojson	
sheboygan-addresses-county.geojson	
sauk-addresses-county.geojson	
rock-addresses-county.geojson	
richland-addresses-county.geojson	
portage-addresses-county.geojson	
polk-addresses-county.geojson	
pierce-addresses-county.geojson	
outagamie-addresses-county.geojson	
oneida-addresses-county.geojson	
oconto-addresses-county.geojson	
milwaukee-addresses-county.geojson	
marathon-addresses-county.geojson	
manitowoc-addresses-county.geojson	



`/user/hadoop/openaddresses/raw/us/wi/*.json`  
`/user/hadoop/openaddresses/raw/us/nd/*.json`  
`/user/hadoop/openaddresses/raw/us/sd/*.json`  
...

# Dataflow: 2. Raw To Final Transfer



/user/hadoop/openaddresses/**raw**/us/wi/\*.json  
/user/hadoop/openaddresses/**raw**/us/nd/\*.json  
/user/hadoop/openaddresses/**raw**/us/sd/\*.json  
...



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- move data from **raw** to **final** directory
- Convert/Explode data structure
- **optimize and reduce data structure** for later query purposes if necessary
- remove duplicates if necessary
- ...



/user/hadoop/openaddresses/**final**/us/wi/\*.parquet  
/user/hadoop/openaddresses/**final**/us/nd/\*.parquet  
/user/hadoop/openaddresses/**final**/us/sd/\*.parquet  
...

# Dataflow: 3. Enhance Data And Save Results



/user/hadoop/openaddresses/final/us/wi/\*.parquet  
/user/hadoop/openaddresses/final/us/nd/\*.parquet  
/user/hadoop/openaddresses/final/us/sd/\*.parquet  
...



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- enhance data (e.g. add missing entries of street no's)
- use *Hive*, *Spark* or *PySpark*
- save everything to a end-user database (e.g. *MySQL*, *MongoDB*)



# Dataflow: 4. Provide Simple Web Interface



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A computer monitor displays a web form for address validation. The form has four input fields: 'Street' with the value 'W CANAL ST', 'Street No' with the value '400', 'City' with the value 'Milwaukee', and 'State' with the value 'Wisconsin'. There is also a 'Postcode' field with the value '53201'. A green button labeled 'Check Address!' is located at the bottom right of the form.

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