



Analyzing CIA Factbook Data:

In this project I will be analyzing a database from CIA Factbook. This database includes information on over 200 countries. I will be using Sql lite to do the analysis on this project.

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In [4]: %reload_ext sql
        %sql sqlite:///factbook.db
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Out[4]: 'Connected: @factbook.db'

Exploring the database:

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In [3]: %%sql
        SELECT *
        FROM sqlite_master
        WHERE type='table';
```

Done.

Out[3]:

type	name	tbl_name	rootpage	sql
table	sqlite_sequence	sqlite_sequence	3	CREATE TABLE sqlite_sequence(name,seq)
table	facts	facts	47	CREATE TABLE "facts" ("id" INTEGER PRIMARY KEY AUTOINCREMENT NOT NULL, "code" varchar(255) NOT NULL, "name" varchar(255) NOT NULL, "area" integer, "area_land" integer, "area_water" integer, "population" integer, "population_growth" float, "birth_rate" float, "death_rate" float, "migration_rate" float)

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In [4]: %%sql
        SELECT *
        FROM facts
        LIMIT 5;
```

Done.

Out[4]:

id	code	name	area	area_land	area_water	population	population_growth	birth_rate	death_rate	mi
1	af	Afghanistan	652230	652230	0	32564342	2.32	38.57	13.89	
2	al	Albania	28748	27398	1350	3029278	0.3	12.92	6.58	

3	ag	Algeria	2381741	2381741	0	39542166	1.84	23.67	4.31
4	an	Andorra	468	468	0	85580	0.12	8.13	6.96
5	ao	Angola	1246700	1246700	0	19625353	2.78	38.78	11.49

Here is the descriptions for the columns:

Column Name	Description
code	abbreviated name of the country
name	the name of the country.
area	the country's total area (both land and water).
area_land	the country's land area in square kilometers.
area_water	the country's water area in square kilometers.
population	the country's population.
population_growth	the country's population growth as a percentage.
birth_rate	the country's birth rate, or the number of births per year per 1,000 people.
death_rate	the country's death rate, or the number of death per year per 1,000 people.
migration_rate	the amount of people immigrating into and out of the country.

Summary of population statistics:

In [5]:

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%%sql

SELECT MIN(population),
       MAX(population),
       MIN(population_growth),
       MAX(population_growth)
FROM facts;
```

Done.

Out[5]:

MIN(population)	MAX(population)	MIN(population_growth)	MAX(population_growth)
0	7256490011	0.0	4.02

Exploring Outliers:

As we can see above there is a country with a population of 0 and a max population of 7.2 billion. Lets see what is throwing off these population figures.

In [6]:

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%%sql

SELECT *
FROM facts
WHERE population == (SELECT MIN(population)
                     FROM facts);
```

Done.

Out[6]:

id	code	name	area	area_land	area_water	population	population_growth	birth_rate	death_rate	migra
250	ay	Antarctica	None	280000	None	0	None	None	None	

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In [7]: %%sql

SELECT *
FROM facts
WHERE population == (SELECT MAX(population)
                     FROM facts);
```

Done.

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Out[7]:  id  code  name  area  area_land  area_water  population  population_growth  birth_rate  death_rate  migration
261    xx  World  None    None      None    7256490011           1.08         18.6         7.8
```

Note:

As we can see above there is a row for Antarctica and the World that is throwing off the values. Lets remove the world information and see how it impacts the results. Antarctica will be left in since there are people that actually live there all year round.

Here is a snippet from the CIA factbook website.

People and Society

Population

no indigenous inhabitants, but there are both year-round and summer-only staffed research stations

note: 54 countries have signed the 1959 Antarctic Treaty; 30 of those operate through their National Antarctic Program a number of seasonal-only (summer) and year-round research stations on the continent and its nearby islands south of 60 degrees south latitude (the region covered by the Antarctic Treaty); the population engaging in and supporting science or managing and protecting the Antarctic region varies from approximately 5,000 in summer to 1,100 in winter; in addition, approximately 1,000 personnel, including ship's crew and scientists doing onboard research, are present in the waters of the treaty region

as of 2017, peak summer (December-February) maximum capacity in scientific stations - 4,877 total; Argentina 601, Australia 243, Belarus 12, Belgium 40, Brazil 66, Bulgaria 22, Chile 433, China 166, Czechia 20, Ecuador 34, Finland 17, France 90, France and Italy jointly 80, Germany 104, India 113, Italy 120, Japan 130, South Korea 130, Netherlands 10, NZ 86, Norway 70, Peru 30, Poland 40, Russia 335, South Africa 80, Spain 98, Sweden 20, Ukraine 24, UK 196, US 1,399, Uruguay 68 (2017)

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In [8]: %%sql

SELECT MIN(population),
       MAX(population),
       MIN(population_growth),
       MAX(population_growth)
FROM facts
WHERE name <> 'World';
```

Done.

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Out[8]:  MIN(population)  MAX(population)  MIN(population_growth)  MAX(population_growth)
0          1367485388          0.0                4.02
```

Average population and Area:

In [9]:

```
%%sql

SELECT AVG(population), AVG(area)
  FROM facts
 WHERE name <> 'World';
```

Done.

Out[9]:

AVG(population)	AVG(area)
32242666.56846473	555093.546184739

Above average population and below average area:

In [45]:

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%%sql

SELECT *
  FROM facts
 WHERE population > (SELECT AVG(population)
                     FROM facts
                     WHERE name <> 'World' )
    AND area < (SELECT AVG(area)
               FROM facts
               WHERE name <> 'World')
```

Done.

Out[45]:

	id	code	name	area	area_land	area_water	population	population_growth	birth_rate	death_rate	mi
	14	bg	Bangladesh	148460	130170	18290	168957745	1.6	21.14	5.61	
	65	gm	Germany	357022	348672	8350	80854408	0.17	8.47	11.42	
	80	iz	Iraq	438317	437367	950	37056169	2.93	31.45	3.77	
	83	it	Italy	301340	294140	7200	61855120	0.27	8.74	10.19	
	85	ja	Japan	377915	364485	13430	126919659	0.16	7.93	9.51	
	91	ks	Korea, South	99720	96920	2800	49115196	0.14	8.19	6.75	
	120	mo	Morocco	446550	446300	250	33322699	1.0	18.2	4.81	
	138	rp	Philippines	300000	298170	1830	100998376	1.61	24.27	6.11	
	139	pl	Poland	312685	304255	8430	38562189	0.09	9.74	10.19	
	163	sp	Spain	505370	498980	6390	48146134	0.89	9.64	9.04	
	173	th	Thailand	513120	510890	2230	67976405	0.34	11.19	7.8	
	182	ug	Uganda	241038	197100	43938	37101745	3.24	43.79	10.69	
	185	uk	United Kingdom	243610	241930	1680	64088222	0.54	12.17	9.35	
	192	vm	Vietnam	331210	310070	21140	94348835	0.97	15.96	5.93	

Above we can see that Bangladesh and Germany are the top 2 countries with large populations compared to land size. Lets see what countries have large populations and land area ratio.

Countries with higher population/area ratio.

```
In [50]: %%sql

SELECT name, ROUND(CAST(population as FLOAT) / area,2) AS pop_area_ratio
FROM facts
ORDER BY pop_area_ratio DESC
LIMIT 15;
```

Done.

Out[50]:

name	pop_area_ratio
Macau	21168.96
Monaco	15267.5
Singapore	8141.28
Hong Kong	6445.04
Gaza Strip	5191.82
Gibraltar	4876.33
Bahrain	1771.86
Maldives	1319.64
Malta	1310.02
Bermuda	1299.93
Sint Maarten	1167.32
Bangladesh	1138.07
Guernsey	847.18
Jersey	838.74
Barbados	675.82

These countries have a very high population compared to area. As I can see it seems like Bangladesh is the only country to be on the list that has a higher average population and being below average area.

Top 2 countries with the largest populations:

China and India clearly have the largest populations.

```
In [51]: %%sql

SELECT *
FROM facts
WHERE population > (SELECT AVG(population)
                     FROM facts
                     WHERE name <> 'World' )
ORDER BY population desc
LIMIT 3;
```

Done.

Out[51]:

	id	code	name	area	area_land	area_water	population	population_growth	birth_rate	death_rate	migrat
261	xx	World	None	None	None	7256490011	1.08	18.6	7.8		
37	ch	China	9596960	9326410	270550	1367485388	0.45	12.49	7.53		
77	in	India	3287263	2973193	314070	1251695584	1.22	19.55	7.32		

Top 3 countries with the highest growth rates.

In [17]:

```
%%sql

SELECT *
  FROM facts
 WHERE population_growth > (SELECT AVG(population_growth)
                           FROM facts
                           WHERE name <> 'World' )
 ORDER BY population_growth desc
 LIMIT 3;
```

Done.

Out[17]:

	id	code	name	area	area_land	area_water	population	population_growth	birth_rate	death_rate	migrati
	162	od	South Sudan	644329	None	None	12042910	4.02	36.91	8.18	
	106	mi	Malawi	118484	94080	24404	17964697	3.32	41.56	8.41	
	29	by	Burundi	27830	25680	2150	10742276	3.28	42.01	9.27	

Countries with more water than land

In [14]:

```
%%sql

SELECT *
  FROM facts
 WHERE area_water > area_land
 ORDER BY area_water desc
 LIMIT 5;
```

Done.

Out[14]:

	id	code	name	area	area_land	area_water	population	population_growth	birth_rate	death_rate	migrati
	228	io	British Indian Ocean Territory	54400	60	54340	None	None	None	None	
	247	vq	Virgin Islands	1910	346	1564	103574	0.59	10.31	8.54	

Only two places have more water than land. One being the British Territory and the second the Virgin Islands.

Countries with higher water ratios to land.

In [20]:

```
%%sql

SELECT name,CAST(area_water as FLOAT) /area_land AS water_land_ratio
  FROM facts
 ORDER BY water_land_ratio desc
 LIMIT 10;
```

Done.

Out[20]:

	name	water_land_ratio
	British Indian Ocean Territory	905.6666666666666
	Virgin Islands	4.520231213872832

Puerto Rico	0.5547914317925592
Bahamas, The	0.3866133866133866
Guinea-Bissau	0.2846728307254623
Malawi	0.25939625850340137
Netherlands	0.22571032366565366
Uganda	0.22292237442922375
Eritrea	0.16435643564356436
Liberia	0.15623961794019933

Countries that will add the most people.

In [44]: `%%sql`

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SELECT name, ROUND(birth_rate + migration_rate - death_rate,2) AS growth_rate
FROM facts
ORDER BY growth_rate desc
LIMIT 20;
```

Done.

Out[44]:

name	growth_rate
South Sudan	40.2
American Samoa	39.27
Syria	37.96
Micronesia, Federated States of	37.24
Tonga	35.99
Sao Tome and Principe	35.62
Somalia	35.32
Jordan	34.82
Mali	34.36
Uganda	33.84
Niger	33.59
Malawi	33.15
Burundi	32.74
Nauru	32.71
Timor-Leste	31.92
Congo, Republic of the	31.75
Qatar	30.7
Burkina Faso	30.31
Zambia	30.14
Ethiopia	29.3

Countries with a higher death rate than birth rate as a ratio.

Anything over 1 means there are more death than births.

In [43]:

```
%%sql

SELECT name, ROUND(death_rate / birth_rate, 2) AS death_birth_ratio
FROM facts
WHERE death_birth_ratio > 1
ORDER BY death_birth_ratio desc;
```

Done.

Out[43]:

name	death_birth_ratio
Bulgaria	1.62
Serbia	1.5
Latvia	1.43
Lithuania	1.41
Hungary	1.39
Monaco	1.39
Germany	1.35
Slovenia	1.35
Ukraine	1.35
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	1.31
Romania	1.3
Croatia	1.29
Greece	1.28
Belarus	1.25
Japan	1.2
Portugal	1.19
Estonia	1.18
Russia	1.18
Italy	1.17
Bosnia and Herzegovina	1.1
Czech Republic	1.07
Moldova	1.05
Poland	1.05

Conclusion:

This concludes the exploration of the factbook database from the CIA. As we can see there is a lot of interesting information that can be gathered from the database. This project was a simple exploratory project to get comfortable using SQL Lite.