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TRANSPORTATION DIVISION DATA ANALYTICS TOOLKIT

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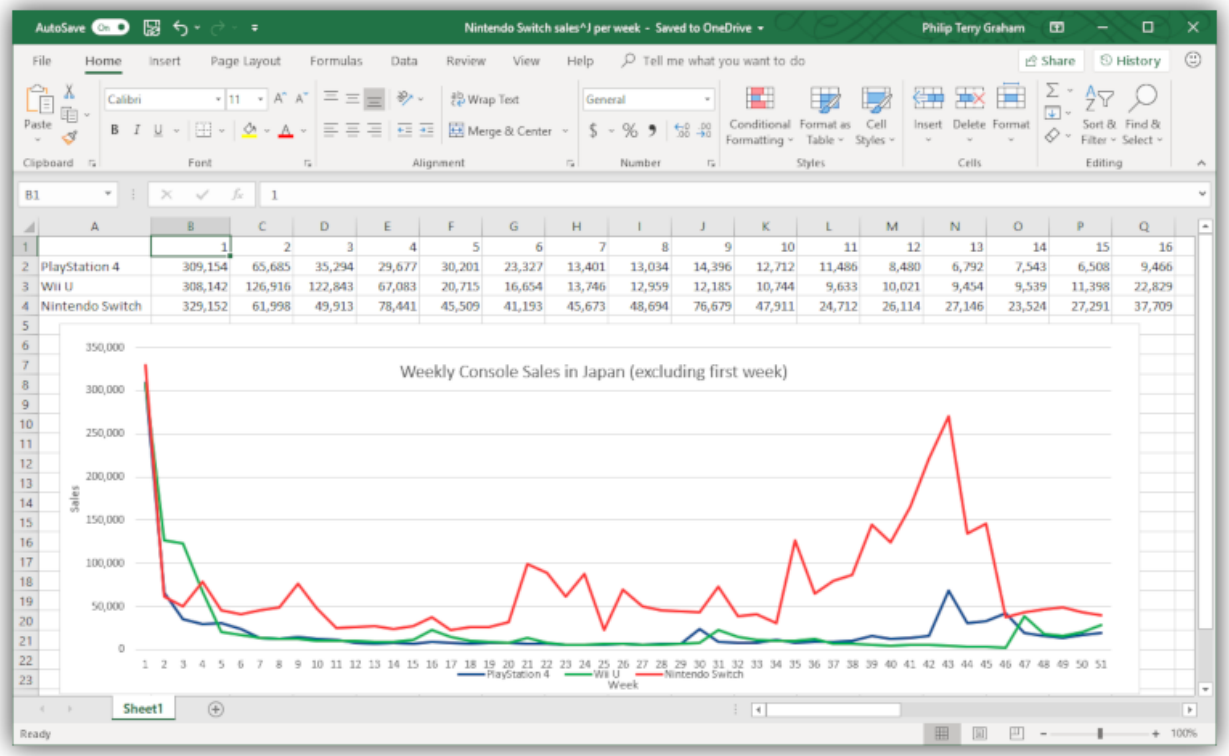
Overview

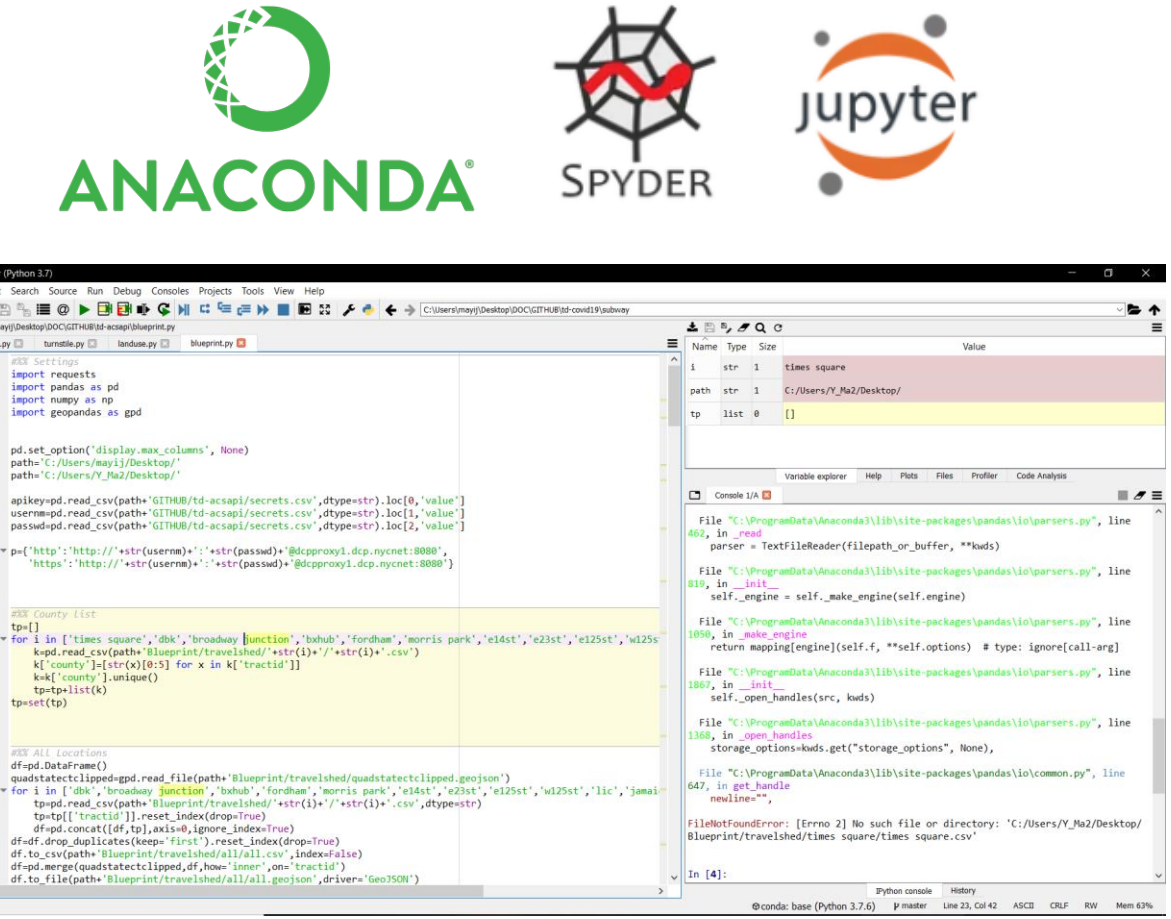
- **Data Processing**
  - Excel
  - Python
  - R
- **Geospatial Data Processing**
  - ArcGIS
  - QGIS
- **Interactive Chart**
  - Tableau
  - Plotly
- **Interactive Map**
  - ArcGIS Online
  - Carto
  - Mapbox GL JS
- **Database**
  - MS SQL Server
  - SQLite / SpatiaLite
  - PostgreSQL / PostGIS
  - DBeaver
- **Other Tools**
  - GitHub
  - Visual Studio Code
  - Geosupport
  - DigitalOcean

MS Excel

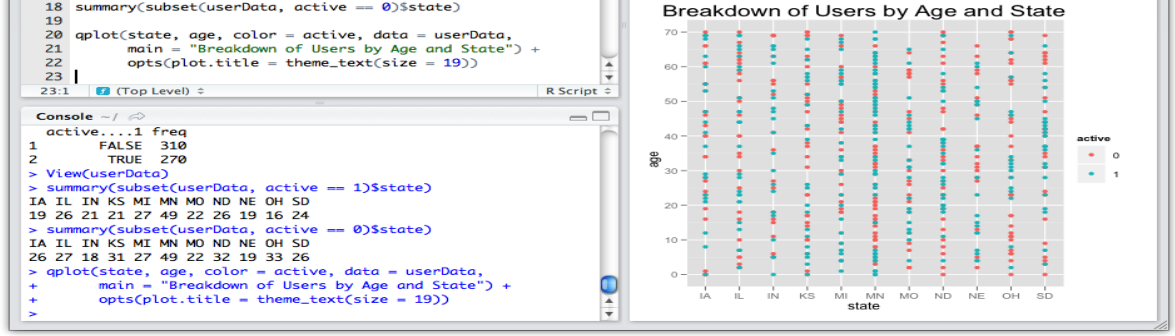


- Data analytics software by Microsoft
- Creating, reading, writing, manipulating, analyzing, and visualizing relatively small datasets
- Formulas (SUM, IF, VLOOKUP, etc.)
- Pivot table
- Static chart / map
- Data Analysis Tools
- Macros with VBA

Python



- Open-source general–purpose programming language
- Reading, writing, manipulating, analyzing, and visualizing relatively big data
- Reproducibility and transparency
- IDE: Spyder / Jupyter
- Data wrangling: Pandas
- Spatial data: GeoPandas
- Interactive visualization: Plotly
- Dashboard / App: Streamlit / Dash

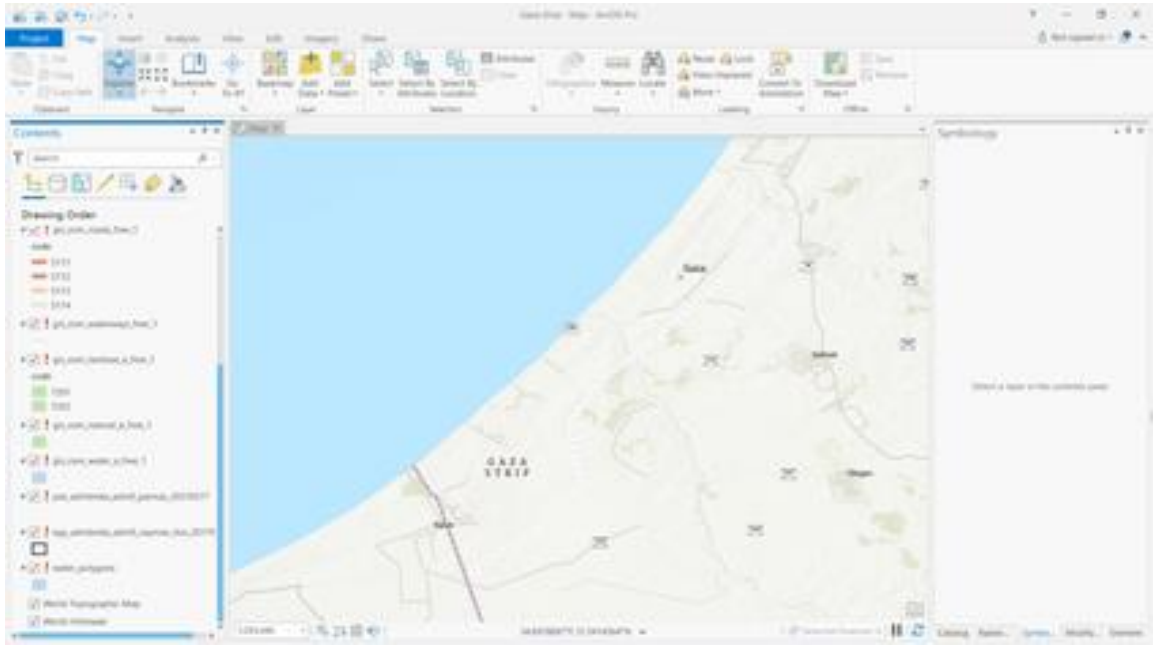


- Open-source programming language optimized for statisticians
- Reading, writing, manipulating, analyzing, and visualizing relatively big data
- IDE: RStudio
- Data wrangling: tidyverse (dplyr)
- Spatial data: sf
- Interactive visualization: Plotly
- Dashboard / App: R Markdown / R Shiny

ArcGIS Desktop

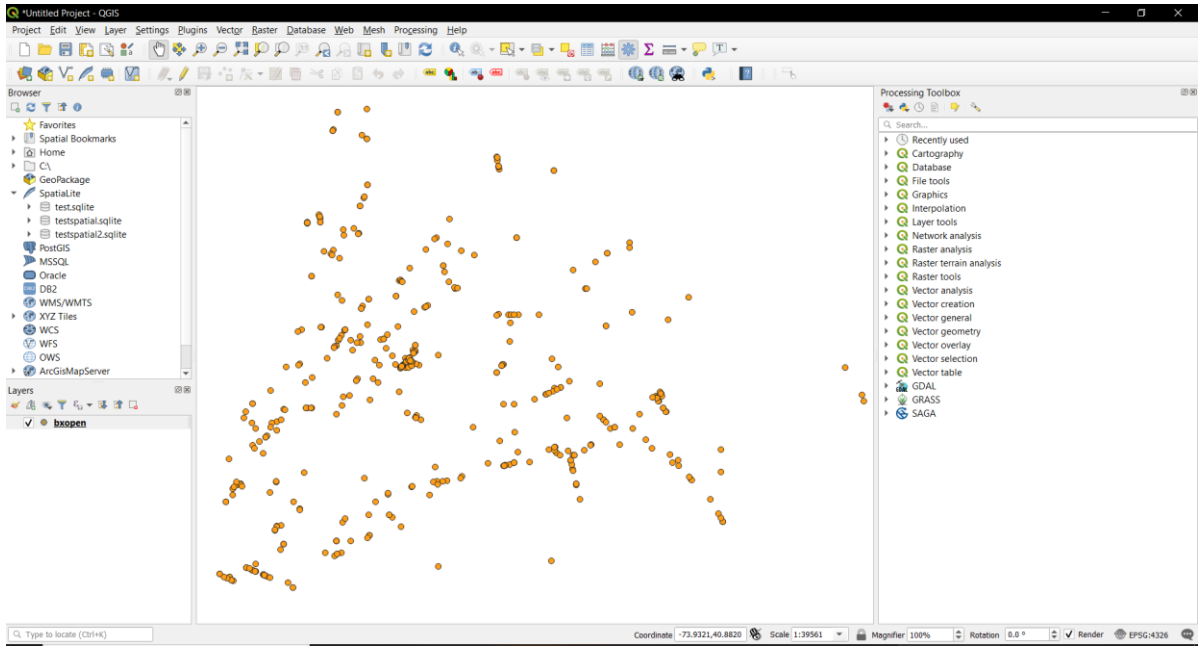
ArcGIS

ArcGIS Pro



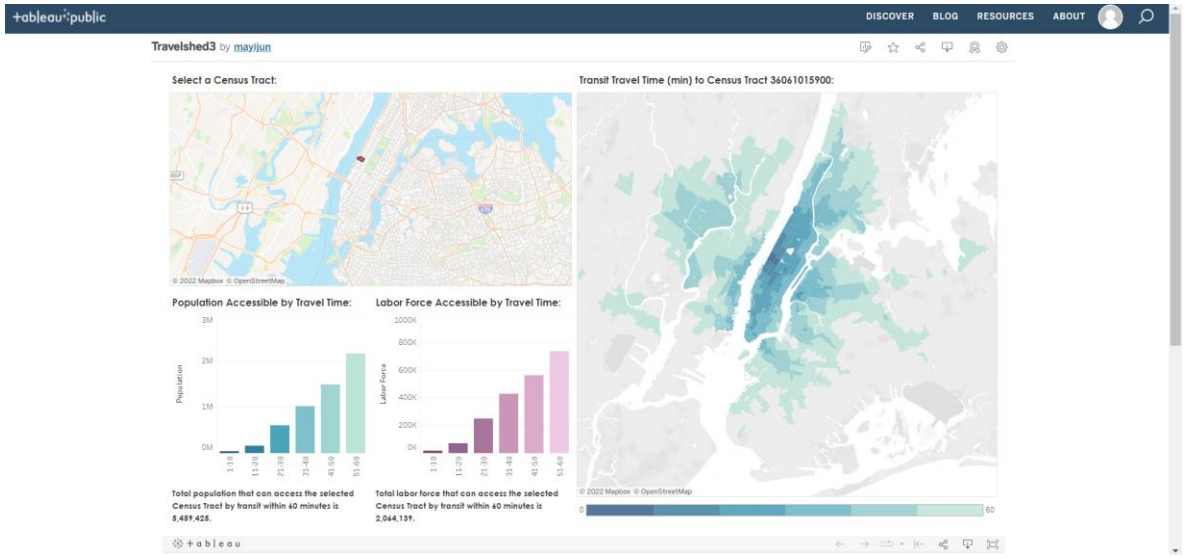
- Proprietary GIS software by ESRI
- Creating, reading, writing, manipulating, analyzing, and visualizing geospatial data
- Data format: Shapefile, Geodatabase, etc.
- ArcGIS Pro replacing ArcMap

QGIS



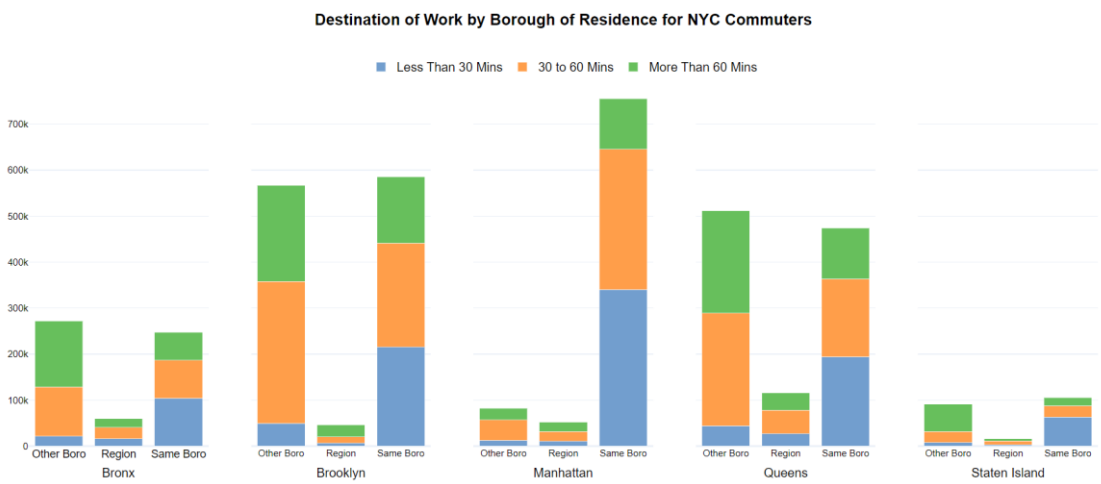
- Open-source GIS software
- Creating, reading, writing, manipulating, analyzing, and visualizing geospatial data
- Data format: Shapefile, GeoJSON, etc.
- Toolbox and plugins for geoprocessing

Tableau



- Data visualization software owned by Salesforce
- Creating dashboards with interactive charts and maps
- Tableau Public (free) for completely public data visualization
- Tableau Desktop / Online (require license) for non-public data

Plotly



- Open-source data visualization tools
- Creating interactive charts and maps
- Multi-platform graphing libraries: Python, R, JavaScript, etc.
- Dash for creating dashboards / apps
- Hosting platform: GitHub Pages

ArcGIS Online

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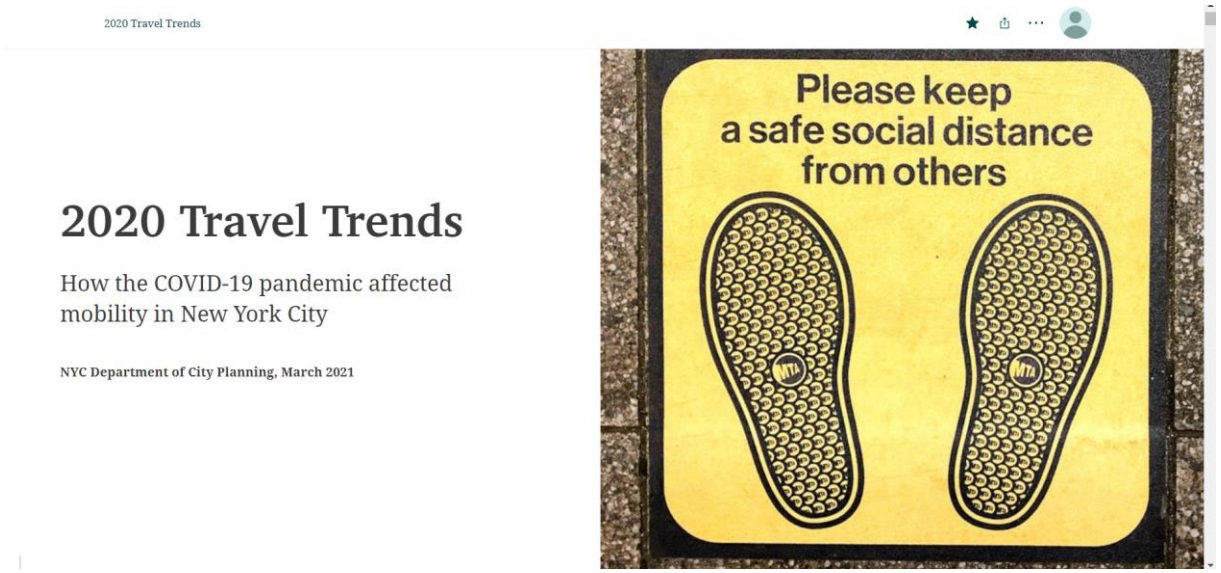
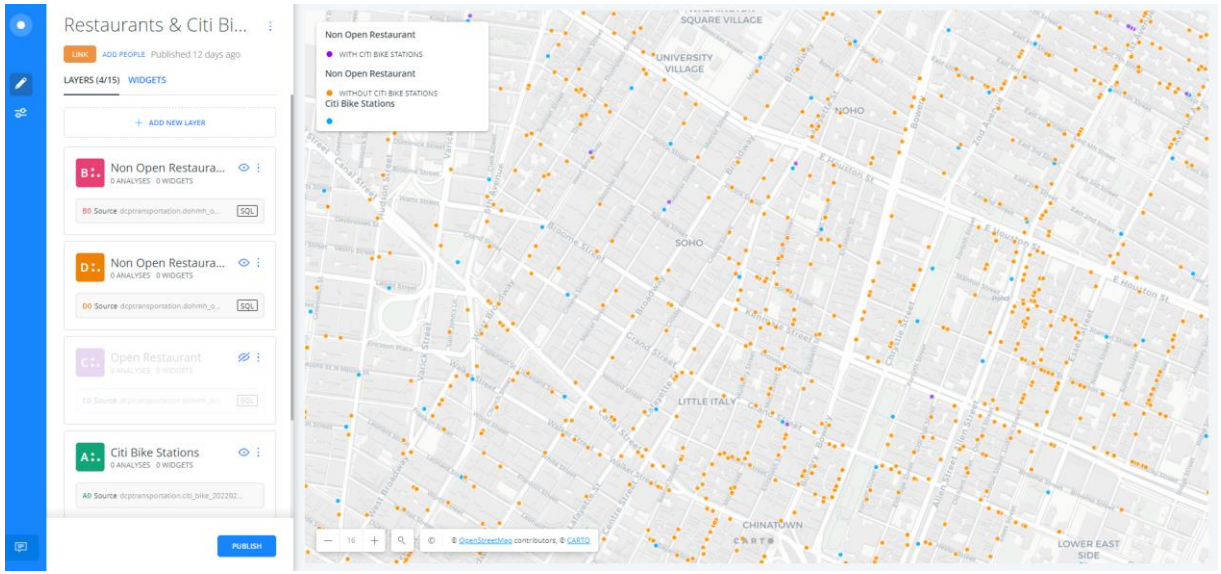
Mapping and analysis: location intelligence for everyone



- **Web-based mapping software by ESRI**
- **Creating interactive charts, maps, dashboards, story maps, etc.**
- **Using StoryMaps to organize final report with interactive charts / maps from other platforms embedded**

Carto



- Web-based mapping platform
- Storing geospatial data and creating interactive maps
- Customization: SQL for data processing, CSS for styling, and HTML for legend editing

Mapbox GL JS

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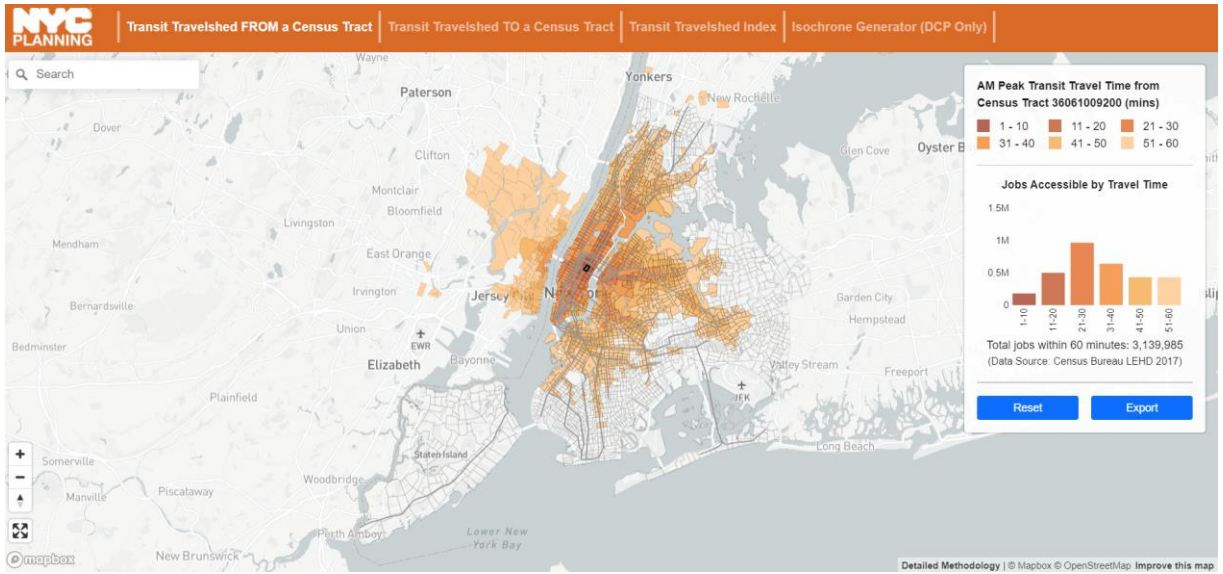
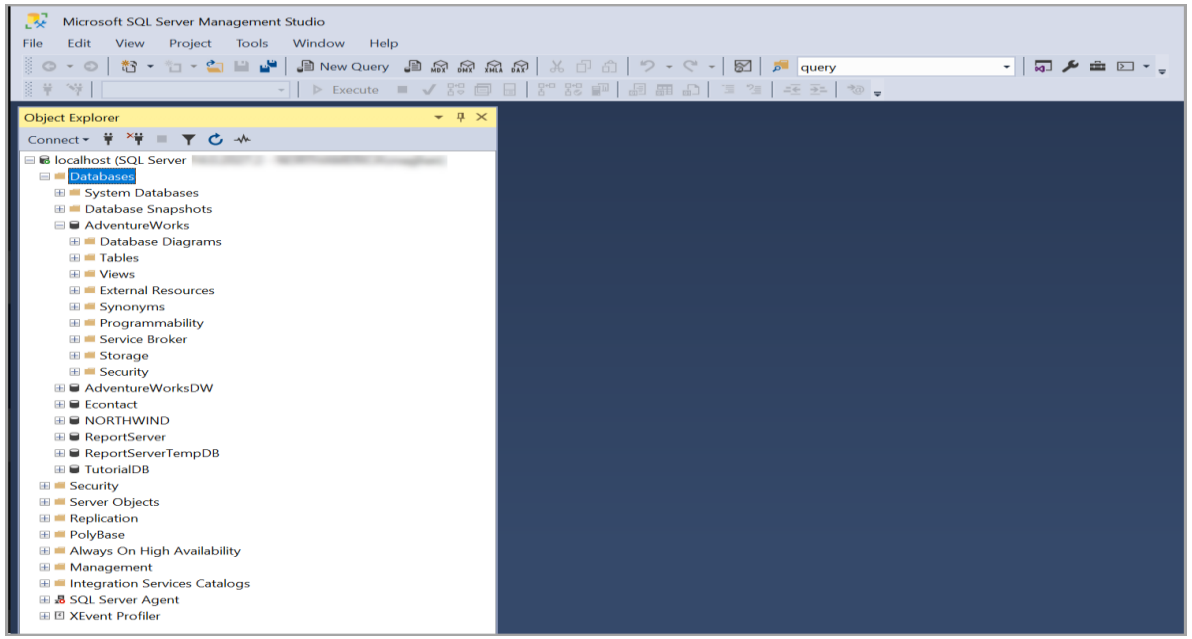


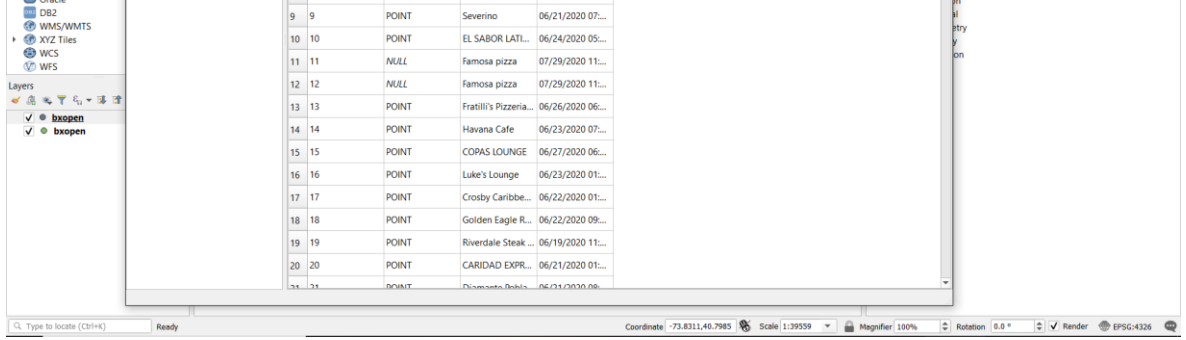
- JavaScript mapping library
- Creating interactive maps and highly customized web mapping apps
- Editing tool: Visual Studio Code
- Languages used: HTML, CSS, and JavaScript
- Hosting platform: GitHub Pages

MS SQL Server



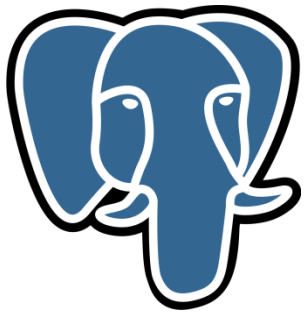
- Commercial client/server relational database management system by Microsoft
- Deployed and managed by ITD
- Storing confidential datasets (TLC data)
- Interface: SQL Server Management Studio / DBeaver

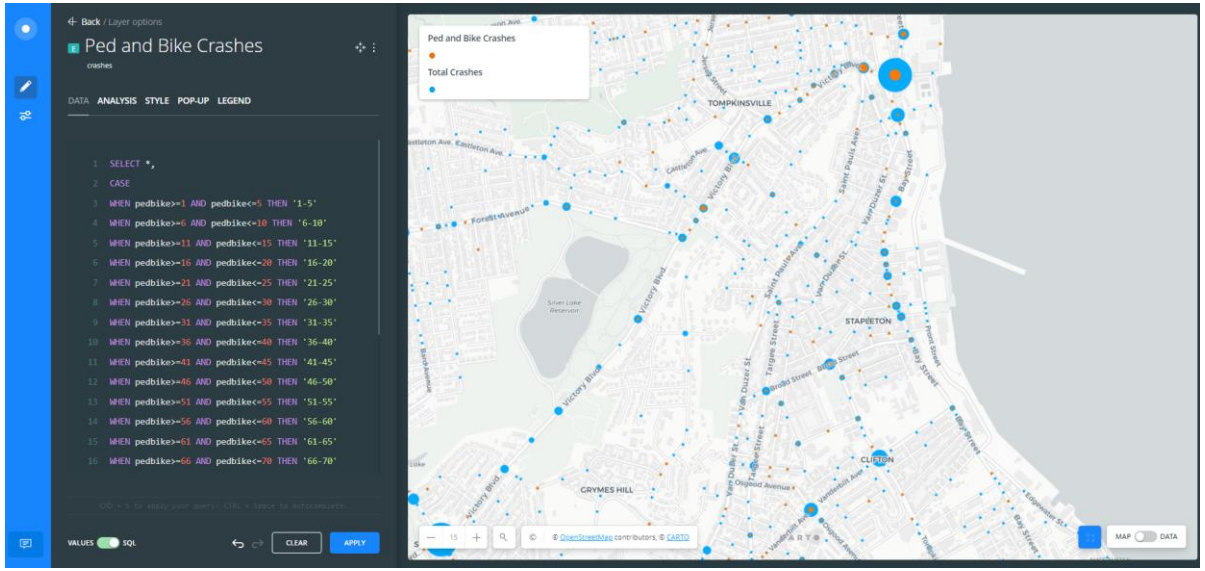
SQLite / SpatiaLite



- SQLite: open-source file-based relational database management system
- SpatiaLite: spatial extension to SQLite
- Storing large public datasets into single database
- Interface: DBeaver / QGIS

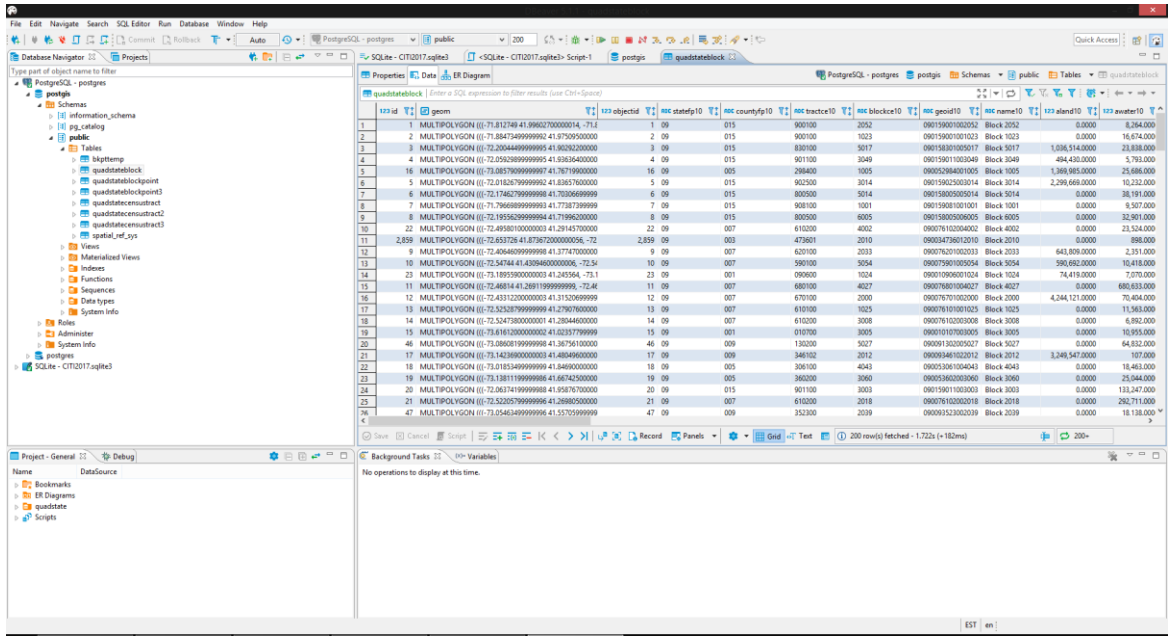
PostgreSQL / PostGIS





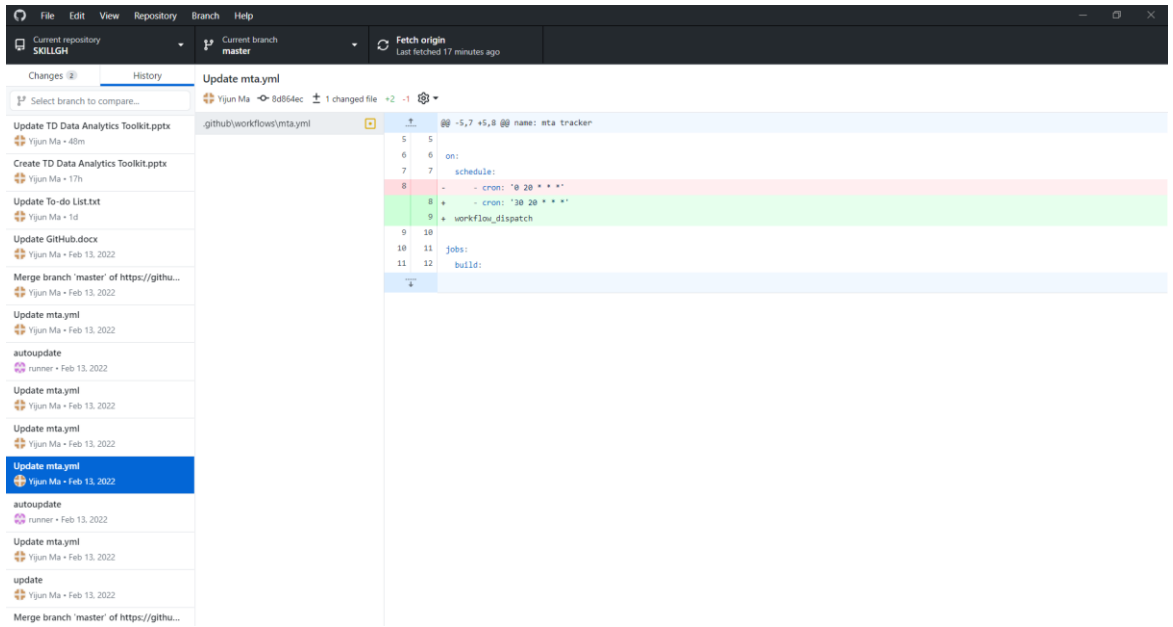
- PostgreSQL: open-source client/server relational database management system
- PostGIS: spatial extension to PostgreSQL
- Storing spatial datasets
- Interface: Carto

DBeaver



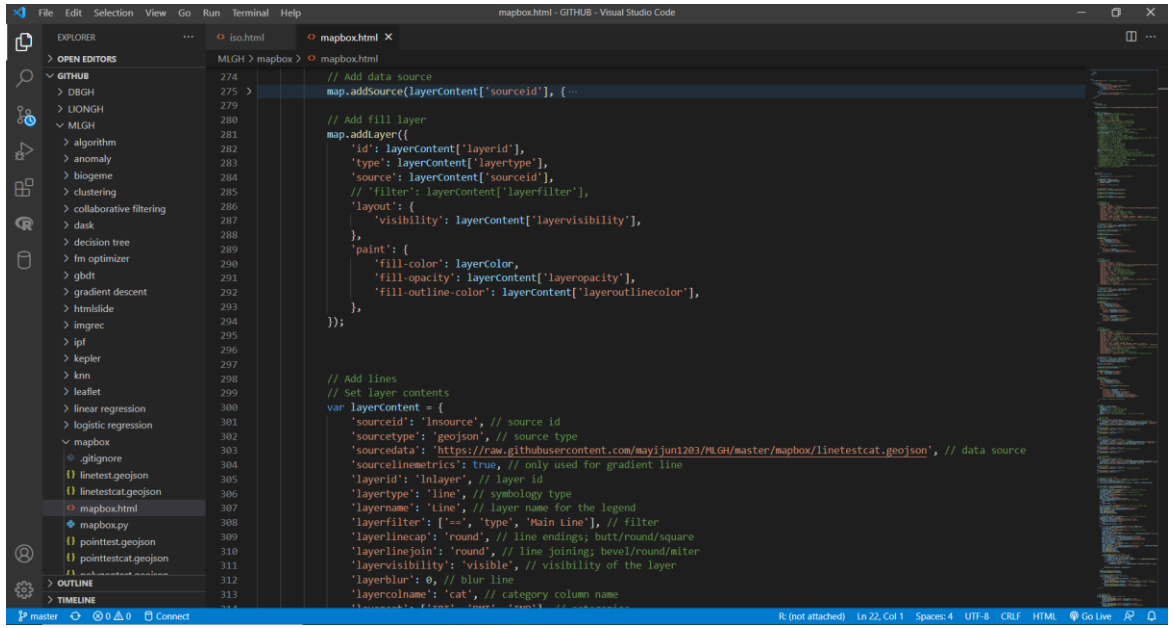
- Open-source database administration tool
- Supports CSV, MS SQL Server, SQLite, PostgreSQL, MySQL, Oracle, IBM DB2, MS Access, etc.

GitHub



- Version control and source code management platform
- Storing scripts, hosting web apps, automating updates, etc.
- GitHub Desktop: simple tool to pull and push scripts to the cloud
- GitHub Pages: place to host interactive charts / maps and web apps for public sharing
- GitHub Actions: tool to automate the workflows and update the data regularly

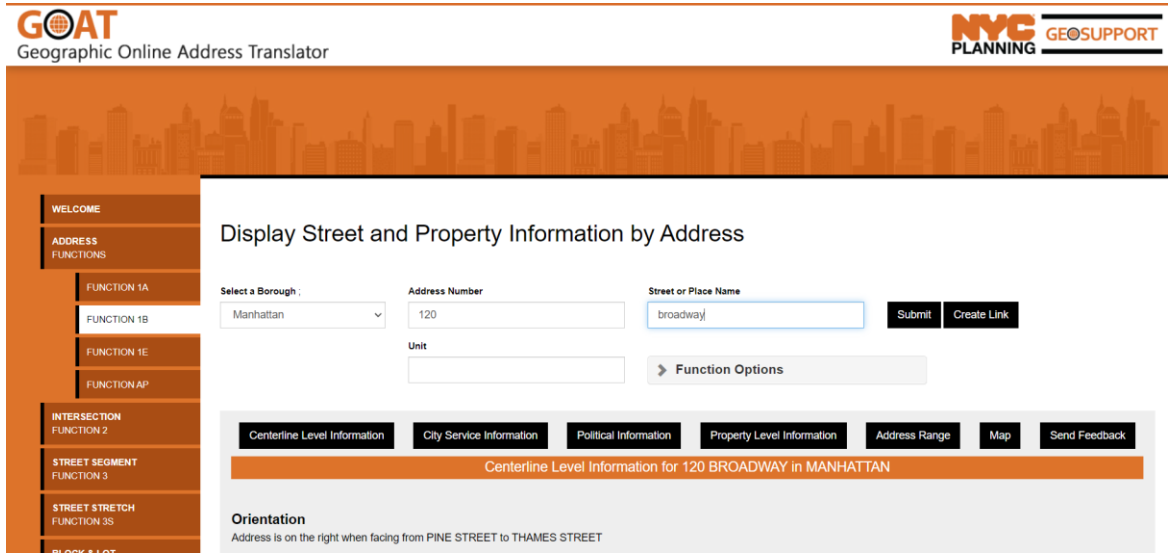
Visual Studio Code



- Source code editor developed by Microsoft
- Editing scripts for creating web apps and testing the apps locally
- Supported languages: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, SQL, Python, R, etc.

Geosupport

GEOSUPPORT SYSTEM



- Geocoding package for NYC addresses
- GOAT: web app for geocoding individual address
- GBAT: batch geocoding multiple addresses
- Geoclient (DOITT) / Geoservice (DCP): geocoding API
- Python-Geosupport: python package to geocode large datasets (especially confidential data)

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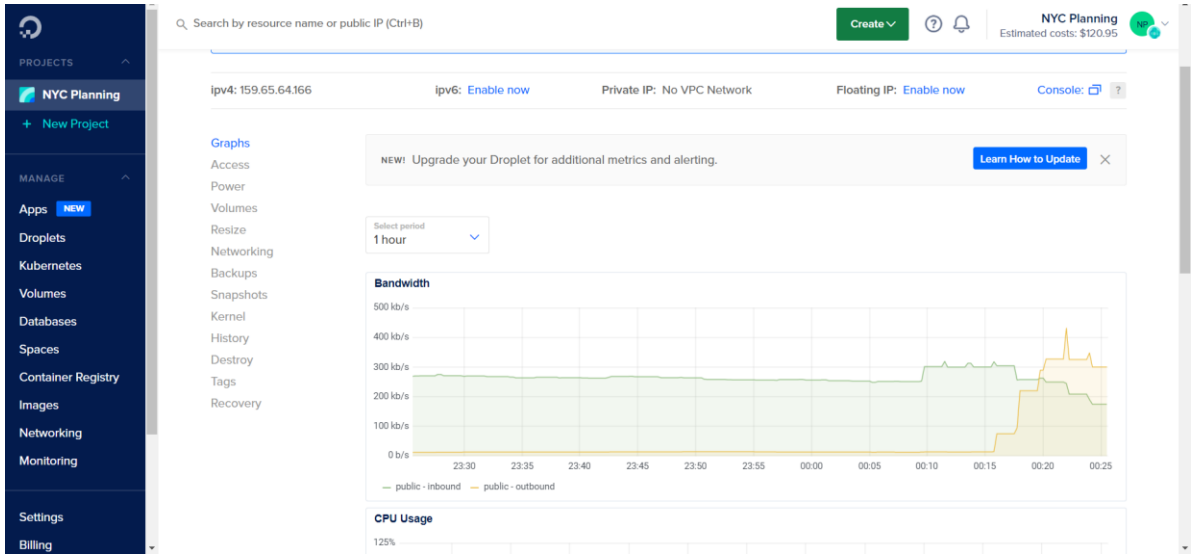

- Cloud computing service provider
- Streaming data, processing massive datasets, hosting web service, etc.
- Connection tool: PuTTY / SSH
- Data transfer tool: WinSCP / Cyberduck