Recommended Big Data Datasets

1. Public Datasets from Kaggle

- Dataset: New York City Taxi Trip Data.
- **Description**: Large dataset with millions of rows detailing taxi trips in NYC, including timestamps, locations, and fares.
- **Size**: 20 GB+.
- **Use Case**: Demonstrates filtering, aggregations, and geospatial analysis.

2. Amazon AWS Open Data Registry

- Dataset: Common Crawl.
- Description: Open dataset of web crawl data for text analysis and big data processing.
- **Size**: Petabytes (you can extract a manageable subset).
- **Use Case**: Text analytics, word count, and distributed processing.
- Dataset: US Census Data.
- Description: Large demographic dataset.
- **Size**: Varies by subset.
- Use Case: Visualization and demographic insights.

3. Google BigQuery Public Datasets

- Dataset: <u>COVID-19 Open Data</u>.
- **Description**: Comprehensive dataset of COVID-19 cases worldwide.
- **Size**: 10 GB+.
- Use Case: Trend analysis, time-series forecasting.

4. UCI Machine Learning Repository

- Dataset: Online Retail Dataset.
- **Description**: Transactional dataset from an online retailer.
- Size: Medium-large (~500 MB to 1 GB).
- Use Case: User behavior analysis, purchase trends.

5. Microsoft's Open Datasets

- Dataset: US Accidents Dataset.
- **Description**: A detailed record of traffic accidents in the U.S.
- **Size**: 1 GB+.
- Use Case: Geospatial and temporal analytics.

6. OpenStreetMap Data

- Dataset: OSM Data Extracts.
- **Description**: Open geospatial dataset with information on maps and geographic objects.
- Size: Variable, depending on the region.
- Use Case: Spatial joins, mapping, and geospatial processing.

7. Large-Scale Sentiment Analysis Dataset

- Dataset: IMDb Reviews Dataset.
- **Description**: Sentiment-labeled text data for natural language processing.
- **Size**: ~5 GB.
- **Use Case**: Sentiment analysis, text classification.

8. Open Energy Data

Dataset: Global Power Plant Database.

- **Description**: Information on power plants worldwide.
- **Size**: Medium (~500 MB to 2 GB).
- **Use Case**: Energy trend analysis, capacity forecasting.