

# This is the teamwork section of our project stage 1

Tasks to do

(Project Stage I)

Understanding the COVID-19 Dataset: Look at the COVID-19 data and make a list of the key variables (like number of cases, deaths, and population).

Create a data dictionary for each of these variables.

Merge COVID-19 Data: In Jupyter Notebook, load the COVID-19 data (cases, deaths, population). and Combine all this data into one big dataset.

Save the combined dataset as a CSV file.

make sure to have reports on each task/step etc

turn it in

## TASK ONE

### step one

Load the COVID-19 Data from the Teamwork Project Stage 1 Folder

```
In [37]: import pandas as pd
import os

# path to the teamwork project stage 1 folder on saras desktop?
desktop_path = os.path.join(os.path.expanduser("~"), "Desktop")
teamwork_project_folder = os.path.join(desktop_path, "teamwork project stage 1")

# loading confirmed cases, deaths, and population data
confirmed_cases_path = os.path.join(teamwork_project_folder, 'covid_confirmed_usafa.csv')
deaths_data_path = os.path.join(teamwork_project_folder, 'covid_deaths_usafa.csv')
population_data_path = os.path.join(teamwork_project_folder, 'covid_county_population_usafa.csv')

# reading the data into pandas
confirmed_data = pd.read_csv(confirmed_cases_path)
deaths_data = pd.read_csv(deaths_data_path)
population_data = pd.read_csv(population_data_path)

# printing the first few rows of each dataset to understand and get comfortable
print("confirmed cases data:")
print(confirmed_data.head())
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print("\ndeaths data:")  
print(deaths_data.head())  
  
print("\npopulation data:")  
print(population_data.head())
```

confirmed cases data:

	countyFIPS	County Name	State	StateFIPS	2020-01-22	2020-01-2
3	\					
0	0	Statewide Unallocated	AL	1	0	
0						
1	1001	Autauga County	AL	1	0	
0						
2	1003	Baldwin County	AL	1	0	
0						
3	1005	Barbour County	AL	1	0	
0						
4	1007	Bibb County	AL	1	0	
0						

	2020-01-24	2020-01-25	2020-01-26	2020-01-27	...	2023-07-14	\
0	0	0	0	0	...	0	
1	0	0	0	0	...	19913	
2	0	0	0	0	...	70521	
3	0	0	0	0	...	7582	
4	0	0	0	0	...	8149	

	2023-07-15	2023-07-16	2023-07-17	2023-07-18	2023-07-19	2023-07-20	\
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
1	19913	19913	19913	19913	19913	19913	
2	70521	70521	70521	70521	70521	70521	
3	7582	7582	7582	7582	7582	7582	
4	8149	8149	8149	8149	8149	8149	

	2023-07-21	2023-07-22	2023-07-23
0	0	0	0
1	19913	19913	19913
2	70521	70521	70521
3	7582	7582	7582
4	8149	8149	8149

[5 rows x 1269 columns]

deaths data:

	countyFIPS	County Name	State	StateFIPS	2020-01-22	2020-01-2
3	\					
0	0	Statewide Unallocated	AL	1	0	
0						
1	1001	Autauga County	AL	1	0	
0						
2	1003	Baldwin County	AL	1	0	
0						
3	1005	Barbour County	AL	1	0	
0						
4	1007	Bibb County	AL	1	0	
0						

	2020-01-24	2020-01-25	2020-01-26	2020-01-27	...	2023-07-14	\
0	0	0	0	0	...	0	
1	0	0	0	0	...	235	
2	0	0	0	0	...	731	
3	0	0	0	0	...	104	

4	0	0	0	0	...	111
	2023-07-15	2023-07-16	2023-07-17	2023-07-18	2023-07-19	2023-07-20 \
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	235	235	235	235	235	235
2	731	731	731	731	731	731
3	104	104	104	104	104	104
4	111	111	111	111	111	111

  

	2023-07-21	2023-07-22	2023-07-23
0	0	0	0
1	235	235	235
2	731	731	731
3	104	104	104
4	111	111	111

[5 rows x 1269 columns]

population data:

	countyFIPS	County Name	State	population
0	0	Statewide Unallocated	AL	0
1	1001	Autauga County	AL	55869
2	1003	Baldwin County	AL	223234
3	1005	Barbour County	AL	24686
4	1007	Bibb County	AL	22394

## step 2

Create a Data Dictionary for key variables

```
In [7]: # data dictionary for confirmed cases, deaths, and population datasets
data_dictionary = {
    "countyFIPS": {
        "Data Type": "int64",
        "Description": "A unique identifier for each county."
    },
    "County Name": {
        "Data Type": "object (string)",
        "Description": "The name of the county."
    },
    "State": {
        "Data Type": "object (string)",
        "Description": "The state where the county is located."
    },
    "Population": {
        "Data Type": "int64",
        "Description": "The total population of the county (in the population dataset)."
    },
    "Date Columns": {
        "Data Type": "int64 (for confirmed cases and deaths)",
        "Description": "Daily data for the confirmed cases or deaths starting from the date column."
    }
}
```

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# displaying the data dictionary
for key, value in data_dictionary.items():
    print(f"Variable: {key}")
    print(f"  Data Type: {value['Data Type']}")
    print(f"  Description: {value['Description']}\n")
```

Variable: countyFIPS  
 Data Type: int64  
 Description: A unique identifier for each county.

Variable: County Name  
 Data Type: object (string)  
 Description: The name of the county.

Variable: State  
 Data Type: object (string)  
 Description: The state where the county is located.

Variable: Population  
 Data Type: int64  
 Description: The total population of the county (in the population dataset).

Variable: Date Columns  
 Data Type: int64 (for confirmed cases and deaths)  
 Description: Daily data for the confirmed cases or deaths starting from the earliest date in the dataset.

For Task 1: Step 1 & 2, I began by inspecting the confirmed cases, deaths, and population datasets that were located in the teamwork project folder. These datasets were loaded into pandas and the key columns were reviewed. The datasets contained information for various counties across the United States, by daily covid 19 case counts, deaths, and population.

Key Columns that were found:  
 countyFIPS: A unique identifier for each county  
 County Name: The name of the county in each state.  
 State: The abbreviation of the U.S. state where the county is located.  
 StateFIPS: A numerical code representing each state.  
 Population: The total population of each county  
 Date Columns: Each dataset contains daily covid 19 records (for confirmed cases and deaths) across date columns, starting from early 2020.

## TASK 2 load confirmed cases, deaths, and population datasets

```
In [62]: import pandas as pd
import os

# path to the teamwork project stage 1 folder on sara's desktop
desktop_path = os.path.join(os.path.expanduser("~"), "Desktop")
teamwork_project_folder = os.path.join(desktop_path, "teamwork project stage 1")
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# loading confirmed cases, deaths, and population data again
confirmed_cases_path = os.path.join(teamwork_project_folder, 'covid_confirmed_data.csv')
deaths_data_path = os.path.join(teamwork_project_folder, 'covid_deaths_usafacts.csv')
population_data_path = os.path.join(teamwork_project_folder, 'covid_county_population.csv')

# reading
confirmed_data = pd.read_csv(confirmed_cases_path)
deaths_data = pd.read_csv(deaths_data_path)
population_data = pd.read_csv(population_data_path)

# printing the first few rows of each dataset to confirm they are correct and loaded
print("\nconfirmed cases data:")
print(confirmed_data.head())

print("\ndeaths data:")
print(deaths_data.head())

print("\npopulation data:")
print(population_data.head())

# merging confirmed cases and deaths data on countyFIPS, County Name, and State
merged_data = pd.merge(confirmed_data, deaths_data, on=['countyFIPS', 'County Name', 'State'])

# merging with population data on countyFIPS
final_merged_data = pd.merge(merged_data, population_data[['countyFIPS', 'Population']], on='countyFIPS')

# filtering out rows where countyFIPS is 0 (Statewide Unallocated data) because it's not a county
filtered_data = final_merged_data[final_merged_data['countyFIPS'] != 0]

# printing the first few rows of the filtered data to confirm it's there
print("\nFiltered Merged Data (without Statewide Unallocated):")
print(filtered_data.head())

# saving the filtered data to a CSV file that we named final_merged_data.csv
filtered_output_path = os.path.join(teamwork_project_folder, 'final_merged_data.csv')
filtered_data.to_csv(filtered_output_path, index=False)

print(f"The filtered merged dataset is saved as {filtered_output_path}")

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confirmed cases data:

	countyFIPS	County Name	State	StateFIPS	2020-01-22	2020-01-2
3	\					
0	0	Statewide Unallocated	AL	1	0	
0						
1	1001	Autauga County	AL	1	0	
0						
2	1003	Baldwin County	AL	1	0	
0						
3	1005	Barbour County	AL	1	0	
0						
4	1007	Bibb County	AL	1	0	
0						

	2020-01-24	2020-01-25	2020-01-26	2020-01-27	...	2023-07-14	\
0	0	0	0	0	...	0	
1	0	0	0	0	...	19913	
2	0	0	0	0	...	70521	
3	0	0	0	0	...	7582	
4	0	0	0	0	...	8149	

	2023-07-15	2023-07-16	2023-07-17	2023-07-18	2023-07-19	2023-07-20	\
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
1	19913	19913	19913	19913	19913	19913	
2	70521	70521	70521	70521	70521	70521	
3	7582	7582	7582	7582	7582	7582	
4	8149	8149	8149	8149	8149	8149	

	2023-07-21	2023-07-22	2023-07-23
0	0	0	0
1	19913	19913	19913
2	70521	70521	70521
3	7582	7582	7582
4	8149	8149	8149

[5 rows x 1269 columns]

deaths data:

	countyFIPS	County Name	State	StateFIPS	2020-01-22	2020-01-2
3	\					
0	0	Statewide Unallocated	AL	1	0	
0						
1	1001	Autauga County	AL	1	0	
0						
2	1003	Baldwin County	AL	1	0	
0						
3	1005	Barbour County	AL	1	0	
0						
4	1007	Bibb County	AL	1	0	
0						

	2020-01-24	2020-01-25	2020-01-26	2020-01-27	...	2023-07-14	\
0	0	0	0	0	...	0	
1	0	0	0	0	...	235	
2	0	0	0	0	...	731	
3	0	0	0	0	...	104	

4	0	0	0	0	...	111
	2023-07-15	2023-07-16	2023-07-17	2023-07-18	2023-07-19	2023-07-20 \
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	235	235	235	235	235	235
2	731	731	731	731	731	731
3	104	104	104	104	104	104
4	111	111	111	111	111	111
	2023-07-21	2023-07-22	2023-07-23			
0	0	0	0			
1	235	235	235			
2	731	731	731			
3	104	104	104			
4	111	111	111			

[5 rows x 1269 columns]

population data:

	countyFIPS	County Name	State	population
0	0	Statewide Unallocated	AL	0
1	1001	Autauga County	AL	55869
2	1003	Baldwin County	AL	223234
3	1005	Barbour County	AL	24686
4	1007	Bibb County	AL	22394

Filtered Merged Data (without Statewide Unallocated):

	countyFIPS	County Name	State	StateFIPS_cases	2020-01-22_cases \
51	1001	Autauga County	AL	1	0
52	1003	Baldwin County	AL	1	0
53	1005	Barbour County	AL	1	0
54	1007	Bibb County	AL	1	0
55	1009	Blount County	AL	1	0

	2020-01-23_cases	2020-01-24_cases	2020-01-25_cases	2020-01-26_cases
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51	0	0	0	0
52	0	0	0	0
53	0	0	0	0
54	0	0	0	0
55	0	0	0	0

	2020-01-27_cases	...	2023-07-15_deaths	2023-07-16_deaths \
51	0	...	235	235
52	0	...	731	731
53	0	...	104	104
54	0	...	111	111
55	0	...	261	261

	2023-07-17_deaths	2023-07-18_deaths	2023-07-19_deaths \
51	235	235	235
52	731	731	731
53	104	104	104
54	111	111	111
55	261	261	261



	2023-07-20_deaths	2023-07-21_deaths	2023-07-22_deaths	\
51	235	235	235	
52	731	731	731	
53	104	104	104	
54	111	111	111	
55	261	261	261	

	2023-07-23_deaths	population
51	235	55869
52	731	223234
53	104	24686
54	111	22394
55	261	57826

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The filtered merged dataset is saved as /Users/saraabukhalaf/Desktop/teamwork project stage 1/covid 19 data/final\_merged\_data.csv

## TASK 2

The next and final steps will involve merging the three datasets (confirmed cases, deaths, and population) using the countyFIPS column. this will create one unified covid dataset, so we can analyze how the virus spread in different counties, and consider each county's population.

For merging we used countyFIPS as the key to combine the data from the confirmed cases, deaths, and population datasets. this will help us get a view of the impact of covid. After merging we saved it as a csv file

Findings: We noticed that many counties had zero cases and deaths in the early months of 2020. This makes sense because covid 19 hadn't spread widely in the U.S. during that time, especially in rural counties. From January to early March 2020, there were very few reported cases. It wasn't until April 2020 that we started seeing a noticeable increase in confirmed cases especially in larger counties.

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