Electric Vehicle Charging Stations Global Network Review

Capstone Project

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Springboard: Introduction to Data Science Workshop

Credits:

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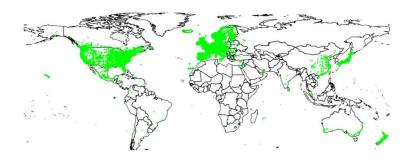
• The Goal:

- 1. Design and provide interactive and user-friendly summary dashboard based on www.OpenChargeMap.org collected data.
- 2. Tell the story of the data through visualizations in RShiny.

The Client & Why Bother:

- 1. OpenChargeMap team (improve their own data; alternative for website viewer)
- 2. An electric vehicle user (alternative view of local/global data; increased data reliability)
- 3. A researcher, student, or any other user (learn/explore; improve)

EV Charging Stations Worldwide



Opportunities:

- 1. Data collection:
 - Correct the 'country ID' coding: Corrected country ID list now available.
 - Improve updating the station validation status:
 - Currently, ~2% of ~70k entries marked as 'recently validated'



2. <u>Statistical analysis:</u>

- Option of including other data sources may introduce interesting opportunities for advanced statistical modelling
 - Additional data sources may include: population census data, proximity of stations to the highway systems, electric vehicle sales data, or alternative vehicle 'charging' stations (like natural gas or gasoline)

3. RShiny Dashboard:

- Improve mapping
- Alter 'country IDs' add country names list dropdown

Data Set

- Data set for the electric vehicles charging stations as published by the OpenChargeMap.com
- Source: https://api.openchargemap.io/v2/poi/?output=json&maxresults=130000&compact=true&verbose=false

Data Wrangling

- Data review, evaluation, and summary. Decided to keep 21 variables. Excluded all other variables.
- Examples of data wrangling applied:
 - Mutated column names; changed N/A values to "0" values as needed (then excluded from visuals as needed); variable value replacement for 'UsageTypeID', etc.

<u>Data</u> Visualization & Storytelling

- Data formatting:
 - Summary dashboard boxes display expected summary data formatting (i.e comma in thousands, %).
- I wire-framed the Shiny App look for the data, as I visualized it.
 - Made a 'prototype' in MS PowerBI.
- Learned to use RShiny App to display the summary Dashboard for the complete data set and its subset.
- · Followed mentor's advice



















Exploratory Data Analysis Summary

- Generally, weak relationships among most of the 21 variables in my final raw data
- Due to the nature of the data, an interactive data visualization approach best to interpret the data set
- RShiny App is the best environment for an interactive visualization of this data set
- Interesting insights from this data set come from: timeseries, statistic summary, mapping/plotting
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<u>Deliverables – Capstone Final Project</u>

- All on Github(https://github.com/stonka/Springboard-Capstone-Final-Electric-Vehicles-Shiny-Dashboard)
 - 1. Final Code (generate data, Shiny dashboard)
 - 2. Final Report
 - 3. Final Slide Deck
 - 4. ShinyApp Project link: https://tonkakozarovafenichel.shinyapps.io/Springboard Capstone CarDashboard Final/













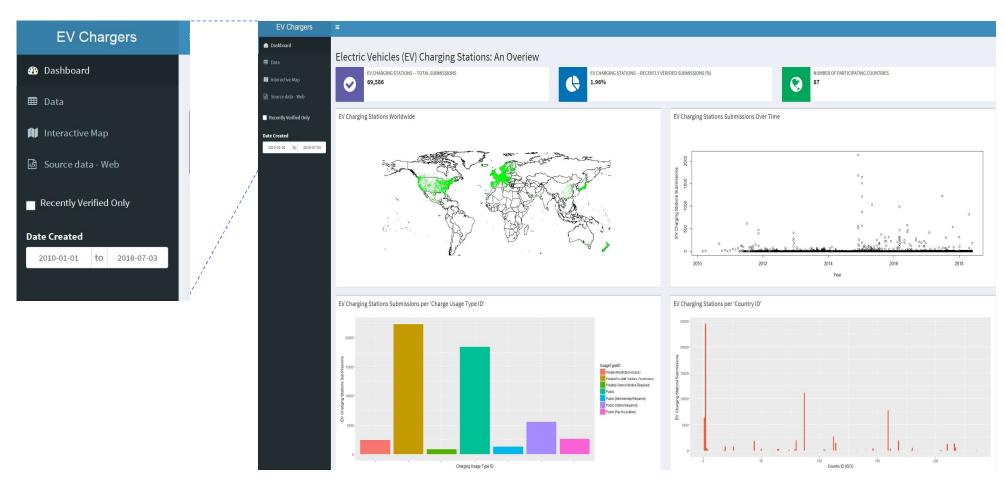






Outcome Summary: Dashboard

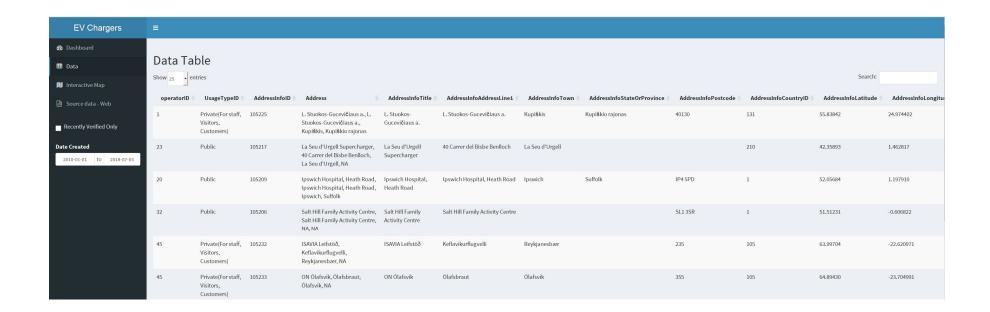




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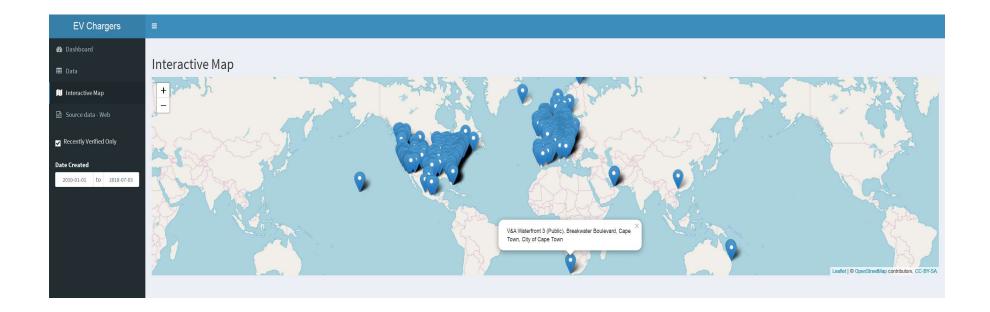


Outcome Summary: Data (Interactive Output)



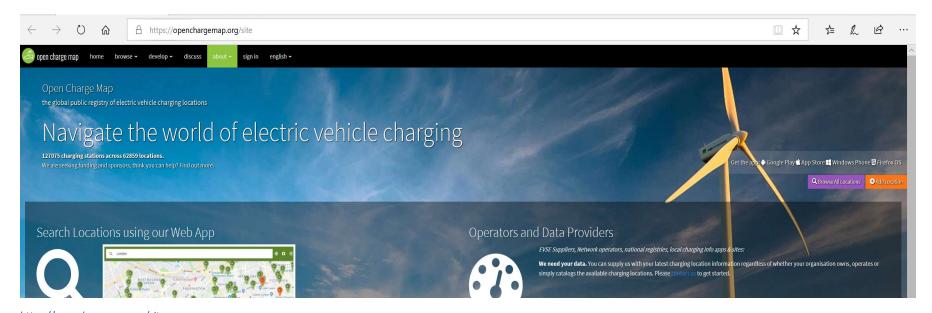


Outcome Summary: Map (Interactive Output)



Outcome Summary: Data Source





https://openchargemap.org/site

Thank you & Questions