Parallel organization

The project has been (again) restructured. Now, most analysis is launched from the main directory via analyze.py. Other scripts are in the build and maps directories.

There is some in progress stuff like simulate.

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The rest is utilities, in myutil, and test.
```

The database is at main level, and it comes in in two sizes, one for as many days back as there are files at main level in the source, and the other with previous files stashed by month.

The average script starts like this:

```
import sys, os, subprocess
base = os.environ.get('covid_base')
sys.path.insert(0,base)
```

Thus, you must set covid_base correctly. Everything is specified as a path from covid_base.

Command line arguments

These can be viewed with -h or --help with any script.

Features that are currently supported are given by the _-help flag:

```
> p3 analyze.py -h
flags
-h --help
              help
     <int>
              display the last -n values, default: 7
-n
              display -N rows of data, default: 50
-N
     <int>
     <int>
             --delta, change from x days ago, default: 1
-C
     <int>
              depth of search for keys and subkeys, default: 0
-L
              use the complete db, starting 2020-03-22
-a --all
-d --deaths
              display deaths rather than cases (default)
-f --csv
              format output as csv
-g --graph
              plot a graph of the data (not yet)
-m --map
              make a choropleth map (not yet)
  --only
              do not descend from say, US to states
-0
              normalize to population (this disables totals)
-p --pop
-q --quiet
              silence output (for tests)
-r --rate
              compute statistics (over last 7 days)
-s --sort
-t --totals (only)
-v --verbose debugging mode
to do:
    <int> data slice ends this many days before yesterday
-u
example:
python analyze.py -h -n 10 -sdr
>
```

I did not use the built-in Python module for parsing the command line arguments, but rolled my own, see uinit.py

The statistic is the slope of a linear regression, divided by the mean of the values.

So, for example, if a 10-day series goes smoothly from 100 to 110, then the slope is about 10/10 = 1 and the statistic is a bit less than 0.01. If the series goes from 1000 to 1100, then the slope is about 100/10 = 10, but the statistic is still approximately 0.01.

Approach

The idea is to use the main part of the script to assemble the correct keys in order. This list is passed to ucalc and then to ufmt along with the conf dictionary.

All the trimming, sorting and stats happens in ucalc, and all the output formatting happens in ufmt.

The code about keys does not know which database we're using. I found that too complicated to maintain since I added the option of building a max database.

So now the database is passed to ukeys functions as an argument.

Examples (as of 2020-07-09)

Let's go through the flags one by one.

```
> p3 analyze.py -N 2

07/03 07/04 07/05 07/06 07/07 07/08 07/09

Afghanistan 32022 32324 32672 32951 33190 33384 33594

Albania 2662 2752 2819 2893 2964 3038 3106
```

The N flag takes an integer modifier, and it cuts the number of rows to that value. Since we did not provide a search term, we get the world.

```
> p3 analyze.py SC -N 4 -n 4

07/06 07/07 07/08 07/09

Abbeville 124 135 134 137

Aiken 507 516 530 545

Allendale 61 64 64 64

Anderson 777 798 824 886

>
```

We search for SC (South Carolina), and we change the default number of columns from 7 to 4.

```
> p3 analyze.py SC -N 4 -n 4 -f
,07/06,07/07,07/08,07/09
Abbeville,124,135,134,137
Aiken,507,516,530,545
Allendale,61,64,64,64
Anderson,777,798,824,886
>
```

The -f flag asks to format as csv. This is most useful for plotting programs.

Here's the US states:

```
> p3 analyze.py US -N 5 -n 5

07/05 07/06 07/07 07/08 07/09

Alabama 42359 43450 44375 45263 46424

Alaska 1107 1134 1162 1180 1222

Arizona 94567 98103 101455 105094 108614

Arkansas 22322 22907 23288 23598 24301

California 252895 264681 271035 284012 292560
```

We can add totals (for the whole US) with -t:

```
> p3 analyze.py US -N 5 -n 5 -t
            07/05
                  07/06 07/07 07/08 07/09
           42359
                  43450 44375
Alabama
                                45263 46424
            1107 1134 1162 1180 1222
Alaska
           94567 98103 101455 105094 108614
Arizona
Arkansas 22322 22907 23288 23598 24301
California 252895 264681 271035 284012 292560
total
          2820368 2868846 2916232 2974609 3032316
>
```

The -o flag limits the output to just the US

```
> p3 analyze.py US -N 5 -n 5 -o
07/05 07/06 07/07 07/08 07/09
US 2820368 2868846 2916232 2974609 3032316
>
```

The _p flag normalizes to population. Not all locations have the population entered so this may fail.

```
> p3 analyze.py US -N 5 -n 5 -p
          07/05 07/06 07/07 07/08 07/09
Alabama
                     905
            863 886
                           923
                                946
Alaska
           151 155
                     158
                           161
                                167
Arizona
          1299 1347 1393 1443 1492
           739 759
                     771 781
Arkansas
                                805
California 640
                 669
                      685
                           718 740
```

The -r flag computes a statistic and is most useful combined with -s for sort:

```
> p3 analyze.py US -N 5 -n 5 -rs
           07/05 07/06 07/07 07/08 07/09
                                           stat
Idaho
            7369 7732
                         8051 8538
                                      8968 0.049
Texas
         192153 194932 205642 216026 224929 0.042
Montana
           1167 1212
                         1249
                               1327
                                      1371 0.041
Florida 189851 199885 206217 213563 223532 0.039
California 252895 264681 271035 284012 292560 0.036
```

But sort will work without -r

```
> p3 analyze.py US -N 5 -n 5 -s

07/05 07/06 07/07 07/08 07/09

New York 396598 397131 397649 398237 398929

California 252895 264681 271035 284012 292560

Texas 192153 194932 205642 216026 224929

Florida 189851 199885 206217 213563 223532

New Jersey 172354 172717 172916 173196 173383

>
```

We can use the _c flag to show the change from a previous time. Most often, we would show the day-over-day change, but _c 10 can give an estimate of active cases.

```
> p3 analyze.py US -N 5 -n 5 -s -c 10

07/05 07/06 07/07 07/08 07/09

Florida 80967 85997 83391 81157 82600

California 56970 63569 64191 73428 77264

Texas 64021 60374 65469 70132 74777

Arizona 34377 34822 34796 34972 34695

Georgia 21230 21651 21705 23054 24958

>
```

And then finally, we might choose to look at deaths:

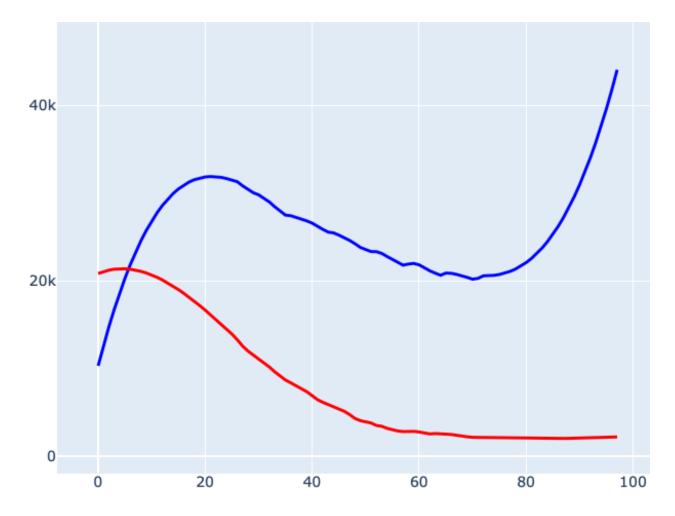
```
> p3 analyze.py US -o -dc
07/03 07/04 07/05 07/06 07/07 07/08 07/09
US 676 697 242 268 345 959 824
>
```

There's more. You can look at counties by running us_by_counties.py . Maybe I will fold that into the main script soon.

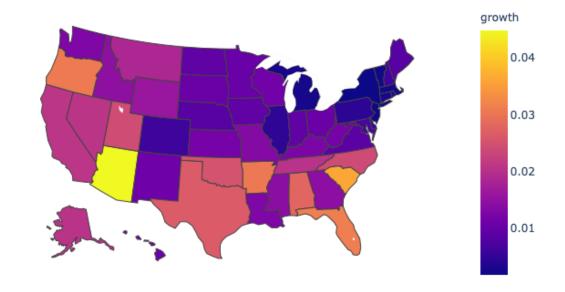
Plots and maps

Results from plot_eu_us.py

US v. EU new cases:



Choropleth 2020-06-19



and 2020-06-27

