

extra credit opportunities; present:

- ◇ something we did not cover (has to be GIS, of course)
- ◇ alternative way of doing something that we have covered

outline

geocoding: address \rightarrow (lat,lon)

- ◇ let's say that we have some addresses and we want to geocode them
- ◇ https:
 //sites.google.com/site/adamokuliczkozaryn/
 gis_int/apartments-for-rent.xls
 - open, and for simplicity just keep first 10!
- ◇ looks reasonably clean, and save as csv

MMQGIS-Geocode

- MMQGIS-Geocode-Geocode CSV with Google/OpenStreetMap
 - ◇ it works better if you specify more information
 - ◇ make sure Address Field, City Field, State Field are right
 - make sure notfound.csv is saved where you want
 - ◇ let's hit ok, it takes like 10sec
 - ◇ <https://mangomap.com/blog/how-to-make-a-web-map-from-a-list-of-addresses-in-a-spreadsheet/>
 - if goog complains, try the other one, or get goog API key, cheap
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 - ◇ btw, if already got X/Y lat/lon:
just add your csv with “Add Delimited Text Layer” tool

important to check!

- ◇ see notfound.csv: mostly those with a range of street numbers (if you geocode everything)
- ◇ need to fix them/adjust them:
 - to check can just google them and see if you get a clean hit
- ◇ check location on OpenLayers
 - does it make sense? houses in river or park?
 - zoom-in to street, click some points with “identify tool”: pop-up address—does it match with the street?
 - usually some miscodings, say few percent
 - usually because the address is misspelled or incomplete

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SQL: Structured Query Language

- ◇ full blown (not in qgis) SQL is only little more complicated
 - very much English-like, just with some strict syntax rules
- ◇ also a job market skill: put it on your linkedIN next to 'gis' skill
 - very easy to master in no time
- ◇ <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=afPL7-QfHr4>
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advanced filter (expression): sql/regex

- ◇ nj_counties-Open Attribute Table
- ◇ bottom left box- “Advanced Filter (Expression)”
 - Fields and Values “REGION”
 - and on the right Load values: “all unique”
 - then we can type
- ◇ “REGION” = 'CENTRAL' and hit OK
 - now easy to modify at the bottom of table, say:
- ◇ “REGION” = 'CENTRAL' OR “REGION” = 'SOUTHERN’
- ◇ “REGION” = 'CENTRAL' AND “POP2010” > 598349

cont

- ◇ can also match part of a string:
- ◇ `regexp_match(" COUNTY", 'C.*N')`
- ◇ `regexp_match(" COUNTY", '^C.*N')` must start with 'C'
- ◇ `regexp_match(" COUNTY", '^C.*N$')` and end with 'N'
- ◇ then can hit ctrl-a to select all data
- right click layer, save as (check "selection")

saving selection often necessary

- keep in mind simplicity principle—drop all unnecessary clutter