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Introduction to Data Analytics

IBM Data Analyst Course: Course One, Week Three





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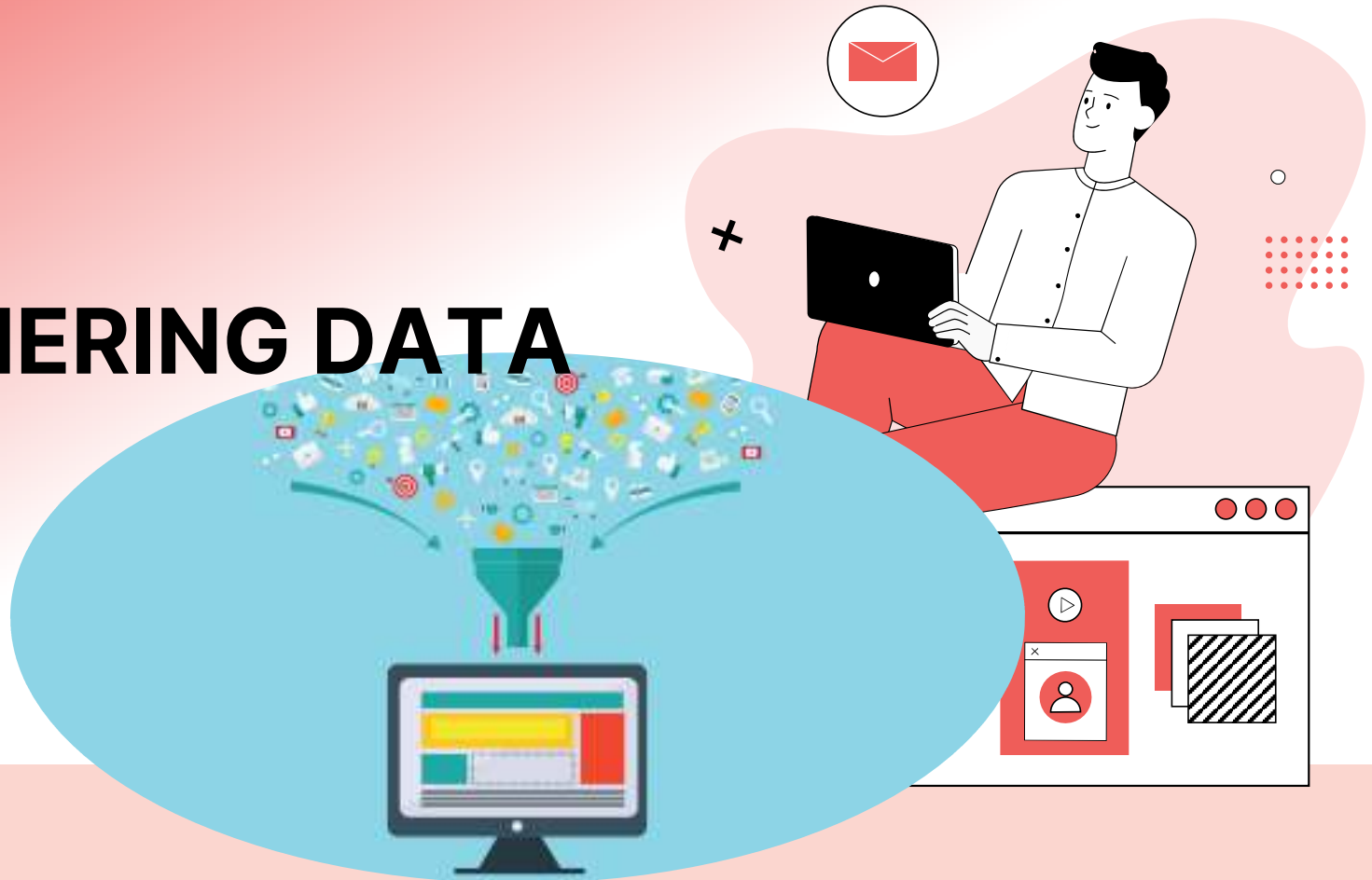
Gathering Data

Wrangling Data



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GATHERING DATA





PROCESS FOR IDENTIFYING DATA

Determine the information you want to collect



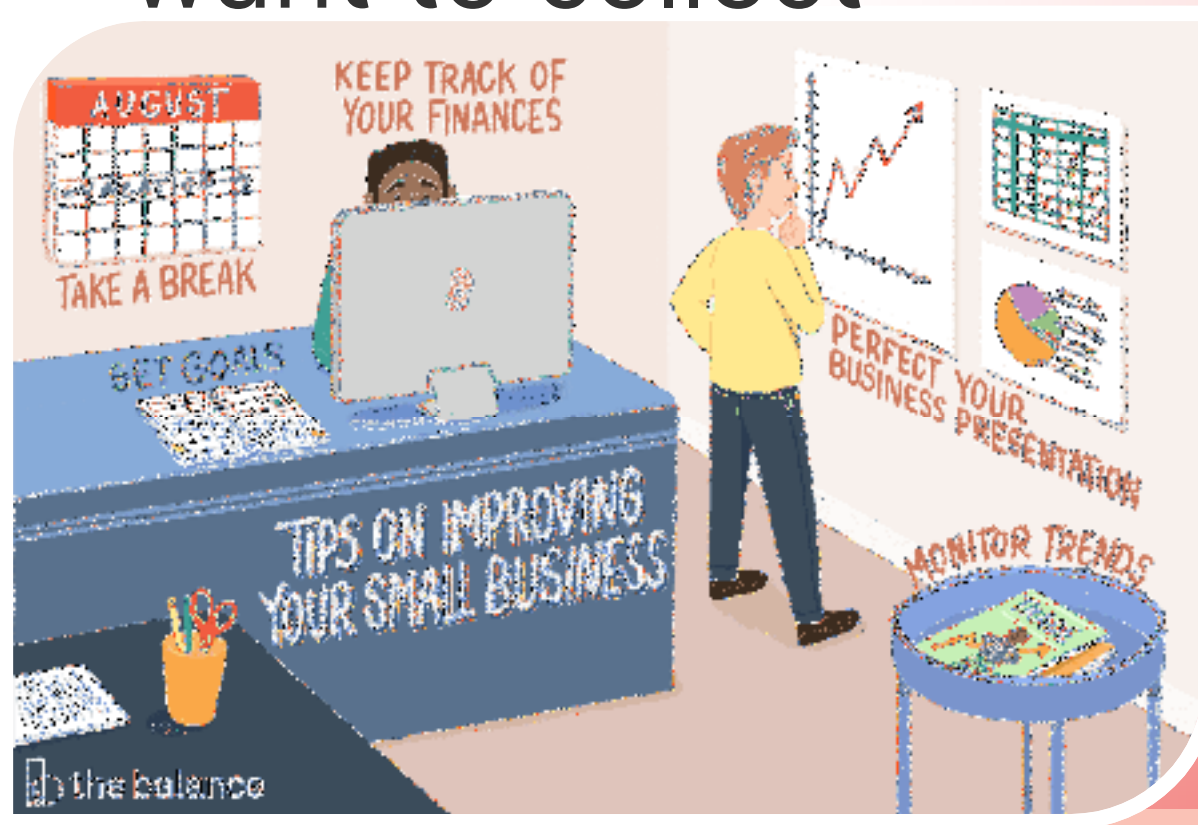
Define a plan for collecting data



Determine your data collection methods



Determine the information you want to collect



Specific
information

Sources
of
this
data





Define a plan for collecting data

Data Collection Plan/Matrix

Process

Process Owner

Contact Info

Location

Area

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Process Step	QC		Metric	Data Type	Operational Definition	Specifications		How measured and collected	Sample Size	Frequency	Deliverables	Location of data	Format of reporting	Standard Operating Procedure
	KPI	KPIV				UCL	LCL							

Establish a timeframe

How much data is sufficient for credible analysis?

Define dependencies, risk and mitigation plan



⋮ Determine your data collection methods

The methods of data collection depends upon a number of factors:

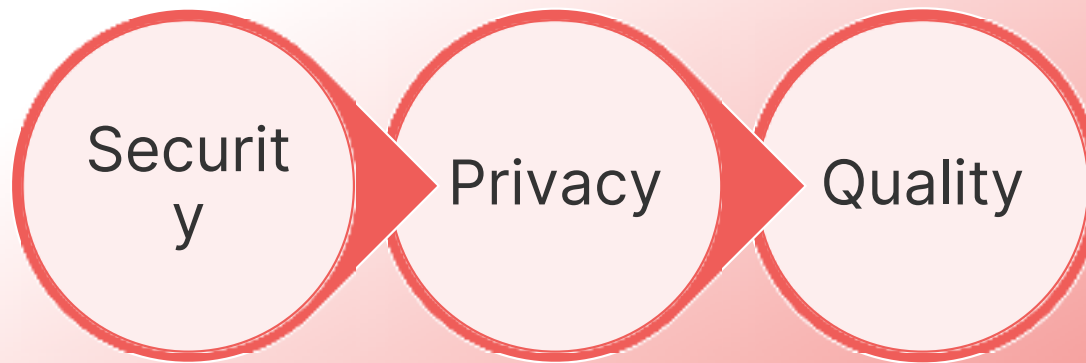
- Source of Data
- Type of Data
- ✓ Timeframe over which you need data
- ✓ Volume of Data
- ✓ Degree of accuracy required
- ✓ Funds





Key Consideration while collecting data

The data you identify , the source of that data and the practices you employ for gathering the data have implications for



In order for data to be reliable , it should be free of errors, complete, consistent, relevant and accessible.





Data Sources

Primary

Secondary

Third
Party

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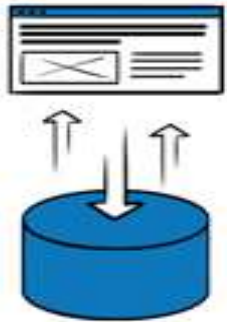


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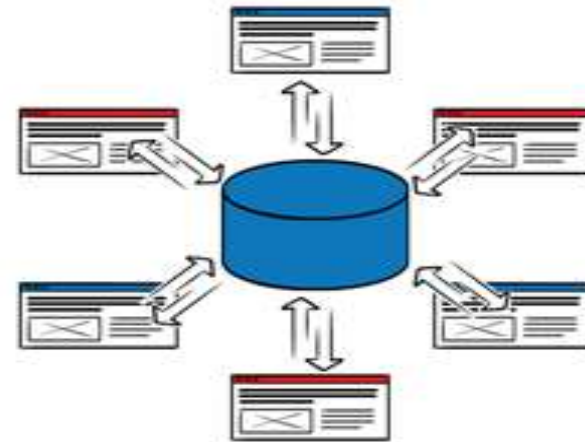
1st party data



2nd party data



3rd party data



Primary data refers to information obtained directly from the source. Data from organization's CRM, HR or workflow applications. This can be obtained directly from surveys, focus groups , interviews or questionnaires

Secondary data refers to the information obtained from existing sources such as external databases, research articles, training material . This can also be obtained directly from surveys, focus groups , interviews or questionnaires .

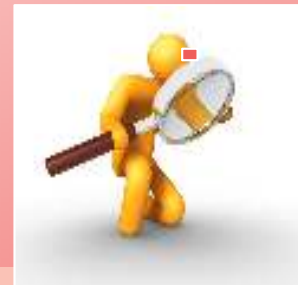
Third party refers to data which is purchased from aggregators who collect data from various sources and combine it into comprehensive datasets.





Sources for gathering data

Some of the data sources from which you could be gathering data include databases, the web, social media, interactive platforms, sensor devices, data exchanges, surveys and observation studies.





ACTIVITY

Suggest a correct source of gathering data for below specified scenarios:

- **Scenario 1:**

A marketing company is interested in the proportion of people who will buy a particular product.

- **Scenario 2:**

A Community College instructor is interested in the mean number of days math students are absent from class during a quarter.

- **Scenario 3:**

John requires an information about mechanical, orderly tasks, like checking the number of manual interventions required in a day to keep an assembly line functioning smoothly.

- **Scenario 4:**

Sneha wants to launch her online store. She wants to run a quick analysis through which she can decide on the type of online purchases made by users frequently.





How to gather and import data?

SQL Queries

API

Web Scraping / Web Harvesting

Data Streams

Data exchanges

Other





Import Data

Unstructured vs Structured Data



Structured Data

Often numbers or labels, stored in a structured framework of columns and rows relating to pre-set parameters.

ID CODES BY DATABASES

NUMERICAL DATA GOOGLE SHEETS

STAR RATINGS



Semi-structured Data

Loosely organized into categories using meta tags

EMAILS BY INBOX, SENT, DRAFT

TWEETS ORGANIZED BY HASHTAG

FOLDERS ORGANIZED BY TOPIC



Unstructured Data

Text-heavy information that's not organized in a clearly defined framework or model.

MEDIA POSTS, EMAILS, ONLINE REVIEWS

VIDEO, IMAGES

SPEECH, SOUNDS

Structured data can be stored in relational databases with well defines schemas

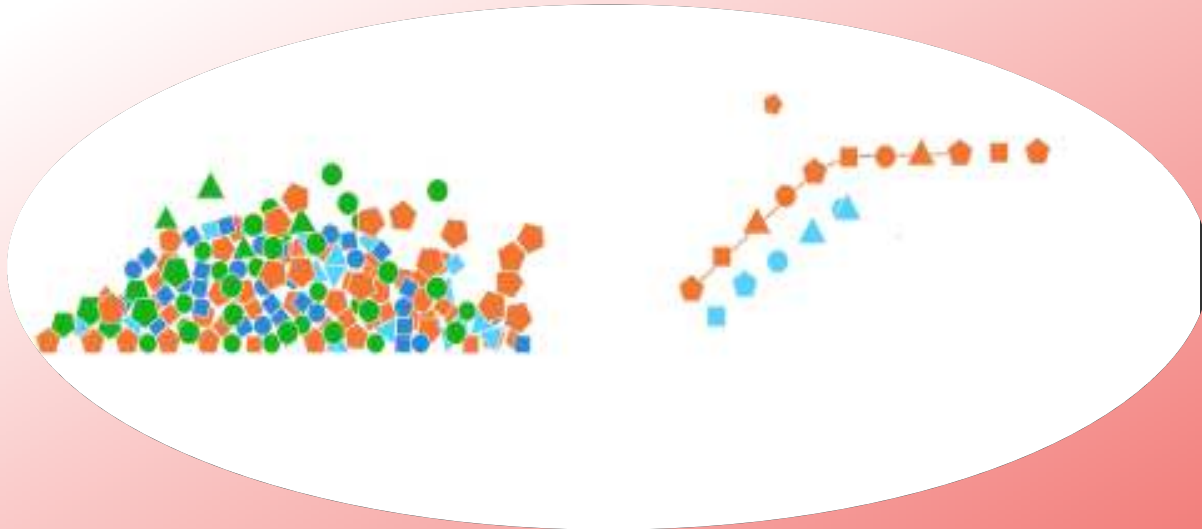
Semi Structured data can be stored in noSQL clusters

Unstructured data can be stored in noSQL databases or datalakes.





DATA WRANGLING





What is Data Wrangling?

Data wrangling, sometimes referred to as **data munging**, is the process of transforming and mapping data from one "raw" data form into another format with the intent of making it more appropriate and valuable for a variety of downstream purposes such as analytics. The goal of data wrangling is to assure quality and useful data.

It is a 4-step process that involves—Discovery, Transformation, Validation, and Publishing.





The Data Wrangling Process

1

- Discovery

2

- Transformation

3

- Validation

4

- Publishing





Discover y

The **Discovery phase**, also known as the **Exploration phase**, is about understanding your **data** better with respect to your use case.

Creating a plan for cleaning, structuring, organizing and mapping your data.





Transformation

Transformation phase, forms the bulk of the **data wrangling** process. It involves the task to **transform** the data, such as

structuring,
normalizing, de normalizing,
cleaning, and
enriching data.



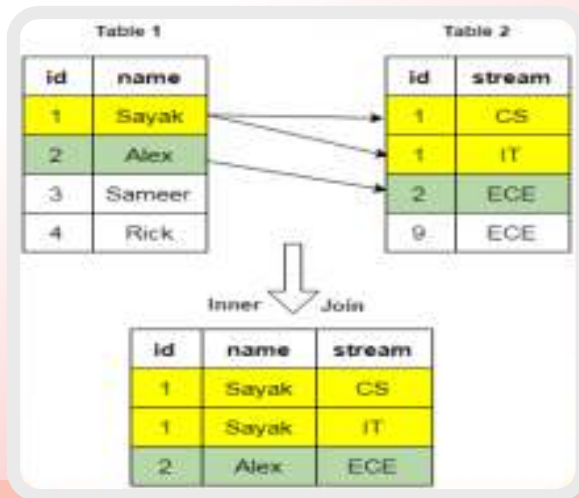


Structuring the data

Structuring refers to actions that change the form or schema of your data. Splitting columns, pivoting rows and deleting fields are all forms of structuring.

Join and Union are most common structural transformation to combine data from one or more tables.

JOIN



UNION



Normalizing and De normalizing Data

Normalization, from a statistical view, often has to do with calculating new values from a dataset to standardize the **data** on a particular scale.

It can also imply how well the transaction data is handled for reducing redundancy and inconsistency.



DENORMALI ATION

Combining data from multiple tables for faster querying of data for reports and analysis

Consider the relations **Client**, **PropertyForRent** and **Viewing**.

Client

clientNo	fName	lName	telNo	prefType	maxRent
CR76	John	Kay	0207-774-3632	Flat	425
CR56	Aline	Stewart	0141-848-1825	Flat	350
CR74	Mike	Ritchie	01475-392178	House	750
CR62	Mary	Tregear	01224-196720	Flat	600

PropertyForRent

propertyNo	street	city	postcode	type	rooms	rent	ownerNo	staffNo	branchNo
PA14	16 Holbead	Aberdeen	AB7 5SU	House	6	650	CO46	SA9	B007
PL94	6 Argyll St	London	NW2	Flat	4	400	CO87	SL41	B003
PG4	6 Lawrence St	Glasgow	G11 9QX	Flat	3	350	CO40		B003
PG36	2 Manor Rd	Glasgow	G32 4QX	Flat	3	375	CO93	SG37	B003
PG21	18 Dale Rd	Glasgow	G12	House	3	600	CO87	SG37	B003
PG16	5 Novar Dr	Glasgow	G12 9AX	Flat	4	450	CO93	SG14	B003

Viewing

clientNo	propertyNo	viewDate	comment
CR56	PA14	24-May-04	too small
CR76	PG4	20-Apr-04	too remote
CR56	PG4	26-May-04	
CR62	PA14	14-May-04	
CR56	PG36	28-Apr-04	no dining room





Cleaning data

During the cleaning stage, users identify data quality issues, such as missing or mismatched values, and apply the appropriate transformation to correct or delete these values from the dataset.

Example: In this dataset, if the data has also some negative values in time column, Given that it's impossible for a time to be negative, we will simply remove those rows since they seem to represent errors in the dataset and might throw off our analysis.



⋮ Data Cleaning

Data cleaning is the process of ensuring **data** is correct, consistent and usable

Missing data can
reduce statistical
power

Data inconsistency
creates unreliable data

Removing duplicate
and inaccurate data
from databases can
help business save
valuable resources

Incorrect data may
lead to bad decisions





Data cleaning Workflow

The workflow is a sequence of three steps aiming at producing high-quality data and taking into account all the criteria we've talked about.

Inspection: Detect unexpected, incorrect, and inconsistent data. Fix or remove the anomalies discovered. Verifying: After **cleaning**, the results are inspected to verify correctness

2. **Data profiling** is the process of reviewing source data, understanding structure, content and interrelationships, and identifying potential for data projects..

3. **Verification:** After cleaning, the results are inspected to verify correctness.



⋮ Data Enrichment

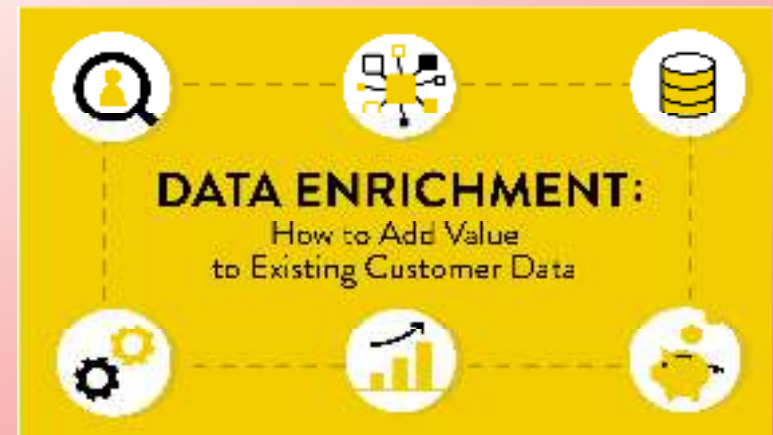
Lets take an example here:

Weather can be an important factor in outdoor trips, as it is much less appealing to ride a bicycle on a particularly rainy or windy day.

An analyst might be able to get further insights and draw more well-informed conclusions if you added weather data to the Trip dataset.

To accomplish this, you can use the join function to bring these two datasets together. After loading the Weather data you can see that it is already quite clean and standardized. Next, hitting the join function will allow you to select the Trip dataset that you've already cleaned.

You want to join the two datasets using the date value as your join key so that the rows and columns match--however only one date column needs to be incorporated into the output dataset to avoid a duplicate. Once the join is created, this transformed dataset will have both trip and weather data within it





Validation

Checking the quality of data after cleansing, normalizing, denormalizing and enriching the data

Verifying consistency, quality and security of data

Once the transformations are complete, you can view the Results Summary, which displays detailed statistics of the transformations applied over the entire dataset. You can then export the results of this transformation into the appropriate output format best-fit for your visualization or analytics tool of choice,





Publishing phase

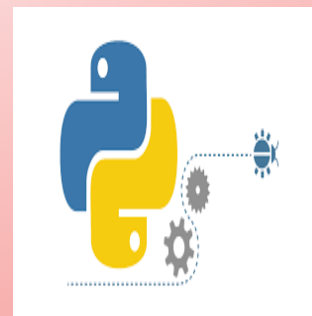
When your data has been successfully structured, cleaned, enriched and validated, it's time to publish your wrangled output for use in downstream analytics processes. Through the wrangling process, a wider variety of data sources can be used in different statistics, analytics and data visualization applications. This broadens the usage of data throughout the organization and enhances the potential value of data to the business.

Now you're ready to deliver the output of your data wrangling efforts into the appropriate format for downstream analytic uses. You can publish and save your results as a CSV, JSON, or any other format of your choice.





Tools for Data Wrangling



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Any Questions ?





Activity

Use Case

Maria is a 25-year-old US Army veteran, newly returned to the civilian workforce. She has recently completed a six-year commitment with the Army. During her time in the Army, she worked in supply management and logistics. She has decided to pursue a degree in Management Systems and Information Technology.

Maria has asked you to use your skill with data to help her search for the best school for her. She is willing to relocate anywhere in the continental United States, but she has a few criteria that her ideal schools must satisfy:

Safety of the city

- School should be offering a degree in IT
- Ranking of school.
- .





CRIME DATA

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	
1	CITY	ViolentCrime	Murder	Robbery	PropertyCrime	Burglary	Theft	MotorVehicleTheft	
2	Ithaca	1,160.00	15.1	122.2	4,701.90	1,179.50	3,356.00	166.3	
3	Seattle ...	1,070.10	7.6	126.6	4,233.90	801.2	2,937.70	495.1	
4	New York City	936.4	4.5	120.1	4,565.90	1,167.00	3,083.70	315.2	
5	Minneapolis ...	901.5	19.3	247	2,935.80	700.9	1,769.30	465.7	
6	Philadelphia	825.4	5.5	147.8	4,529.40	966.8	3,223.10	339.6	
7	Los Angeles ...	818.8	6.8	170.9	2,650.90	625.5	1,834.10	191.2	
8	North Chicago	815	6.9	273	2,817.80	868.9	1,499.10	449.7	
9	Madison	797.1	8.9	213.2	3,466.10	727.1	2,180.00	559	
10	New York City ...	792.6	6.1	206.7	4,607.80	883.4	3,047.60	676.9	
11	Princeton	767.1	6.6	122.3	3,756.30	832.7	2,602.30	321.3	
12	Los Angeles	744.2	7.6	163.2	3,636.90	1,008.70	2,422.30	205.9	
13	Pittsburgh ...	734.5	6.9	112.8	3,067.10	848.1	2,064.70	154.3	
14	East Lansing	720.2	5.2	131.1	3,075.50	669.1	2,286.60	119.7	
15	San Diego ...	667.9	7.8	157.9	3,894.10	1,099.60	2,652.80	141.7	
16	Gainesville	650.6	6.9	99.3	3,464.00	627.8	2,466.40	369.8	
17	Irvine ...	621.6	6.5	88.7	3,469.10	1,151.70	2,089.20	228.1	
18	North Chicago	615.7	8	114.7	5,190.60	1,392.10	3,174.80	623.7	
19	Durham	612.7	5.5	128.8	2,580.20	506.7	1,929.50	144	
20	Evanston ...	610.3	8	197.5	3,670.50	534.9	2,811.80	323.9	
21	New Brunswick ...	605.4	5.1	95.5	3,370.50	697.4	2,521.40	151.7	
22	Salt Lake City	579.7	7.9	129.7	3,596.70	787.9	2,601.20	207.6	
23	Raleigh	577.3	7.3	152.5	3,692.20	725.5	2,274.20	692.4	
24	Pittsburgh ...	566.6	6.9	228.9		596.8		367.2	
25	Pasadena	409.3	3	60.9	2,838.60	744.2	2,000.80	93.6	
26	Santa Barbara ...	556.3	7.3	130.2	3,439.30	954.3	1,881.10	603.9	
27	Lincoln	537.3	6.1	136.9	3,439.40	751.3	2,196.60	491.5	



COLLEGE SCORE

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
1	uid	RANK	UNIVERSITY	CITY	Courses	Academic Score	Staff/Teacher Ratio	Citation Index	NPCURL	
2	10023	5	Cornell University	Ithaca	IT/Management	7	8	5	galileo.aamu.edu/netpricecalculator/npcalc.htm	
3	10034	6	University of Washington	Seattle ...	IT	9	8	9	www.collegeportraits.org/AL/UAB/estimator/agree	
4	10294	7	Columbia University in the City of New York	New York City	Management	6	7	7	www.collegeportraits.org/AL/UAB/estimator/agree	
5	10388	10	University of Minnesota-Twin Cities	Minneapolis ...	Medical	5	6	7	ridge%20University/Freshman-Students	
6	10524	12	University of Pennsylvania	Philadelphia	Architecture	6	4	6	www.aid.uah.edu/	
7	10659	13	University of California, Los Angeles	Los Angeles ...	Architecture/Arts/IT	4	5	6	aid/forms/calculator/index.aspx/	
8	10795	14	Yale University	New Haven	Management	4	7	-4	oira.ua.edu	
9	10930	16	University of Wisconsin-Madison	Madison	Management	4	-6	0	www.collegeportraits.org/AL/UAB/estimator/agree	
10	11066	18	New York University	New York City ...	IT/Management/Arts	4	7	9	www.collegeportraits.org/AL/UAB/estimator/agree	
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14	11608	23	Michigan State University	East Lansing		0	6	8	www.ccal.edu/netprice/netprice/	
15	11743	24	University of California, San Diego	San Diego ...	IT	4	6	8	www.collegeportraits.org/AL/UAB/estimator/agree	
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17	12014	29	University of California, Irvine	Irvine ...	IT	8	5	-7	www.escc.edu/NetPrice/npcalc.htm	
18	84321	1083	Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science	North Chicago	IT/Architecture				www.faulkner.edu	
19	12285	31	Duke University	Durham	Electronics/IT/Biomedical	9	9	9	www.faulkner.edu/netprice/	
20	12421	34	Northwestern University	Evanston ...		0	6	8	www.gadsdenstate.edu/netpricecalculator/	
21	12556	36	Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey	New Brunswick	Arts	6	6	8	www.nbccosmetology.com/npcalc.htm	
22	12692	40	The University of Utah	Salt Lake City		4	6	8	www.wallace.edu/net_price_calculator.aspx	
23	12827	42	North Carolina State University	Raleigh	IT/Management	8	-7	5	www.wallace.edu/net_price_calculator.aspx	
24	12963	43	University of Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh ...	Medical/Architecture	8	5	-7	Calculator/index	
25	13098	46	California Institute of Technology	Pasadena		0			www.wccs.edu/index.php?page=np.html	
26	13234	47	University of California, Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara ...	IT/Management	4	6	7	www.herzing.edu/financial-aid/net-price-calculator	
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Your Task

1) Clean the data:

Remove any duplicates

Missing Values

Inconsistent values

2) Data Enrichment:

Calculate School Ranking

Calculate overall crime rate

3) Structure the data:

Merge the tables and produce the dataset which must have :

1. Top 5 schools on rankings for It college
2. Be in a city that is below 50th percentile in overall crime
3. Remove unnecessary columns



IT USED TO BE THAT NOBODY ON THE INTERNET KNEW THAT I WAS A DOG. NOW, BECAUSE OF BIG DATA, EVERYBODY KNOWS THAT I AM A 15-YEAR OLD LABRADOODLE WHO SECRETLY LIKES CAT FOOD.





Thank You

