

ABOUT THIS DATASET

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What is this dataset and where does it come from?

This dataset includes three CSV files containing data points that Glasstire has collected throughout its history. The data comes from our years of listing art events happening in the Houston region (<http://glasstire.com/event-regions/houston>), and was manually entered into our site over that time based on user submissions of art exhibitions and related events. The dataset has also been normalized.

The first file, **venues**, is comprised of art venues across the city of Houston. This file includes every Houston-area art venue in our archive that has held an exhibition or event since we began listing art events (our first events were published in early 2007). Venues include but aren't limited to: museums, nonprofit gallery spaces, for-profit galleries, house art galleries, one-time pop-up venues, and many other locations where art events took place. While some venues have had multiple events or exhibitions, other may have only been used once.

The second file, **events**, is comprised of the individual art events (book signings, exhibitions, artist talks, etc.) that happened in the Houston region since we began listing art events. Each event is assigned to the venue where it occurred.

The third file, **event_artists**, is comprised of the artists associated with each event. Some events are associated with multiple artists (for example: an art show with two artists), some events are associated with only a single artist (a solo art exhibition), and some events are not associated with any artist (many large group art events were not assigned multiple artists, and therefore do not have any artist associated with them).

DATASET KEY

venues

venue_uid

A unique ID number for each venue in the dataset.

venue

The colloquial name of the venue.

coordinates

Self-explanatory: the latitudinal and longitudinal coordinates of the venues.

address

Addresses for the venues have all been standardized to not use abbreviations and to use commas after the end of the street address where further information (suite number, campus building, etc.) is needed.

city

Self-explanatory. The dataset is comprised of venues in the Greater Houston Area.

zip

Self-explanatory: 5-digit zips only.

url

The last-known public website for the venue.

events

event_uid

A unique ID number for each event in the dataset.

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start_date

The calendar date the event began. The date reads as "Year-Month-Day."

end_date

The calendar date the event ended. The date reads as "Year-Month-Day." Note that single-day events have the same value for **start_date** and **end_date**.

event_artists

event_uid

A unique ID number for each event in the dataset. These are linked to the same column values as are used in the **events** table.

artist_uid

A unique ID number for each artist in the dataset.