

### **Project Overview**



In this Project we have used Python3 to deal with a messy data set, and analyze and process it into valuable data, from which we have been able to extract valuable insights and information.

The data set was extracted from Global Shark Attack File. It consists of current and historical data of shark/human interactions, with the aim of better understanding these interactions, and minimize the risk of being injured by a shark, while contributing in the conservation of shark species worldwide.

#### Data source:

https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/teajay/global-shark-attacks?resource=download













## Data Processing

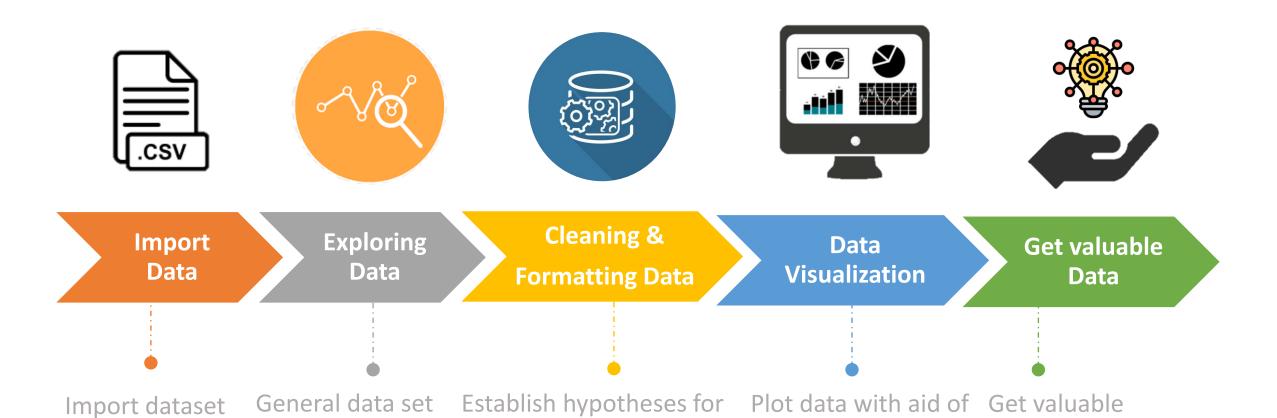
and required

libraries

exploration and

EDA exploration





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geographical map

our scope, eliminate

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format the data

information/insights

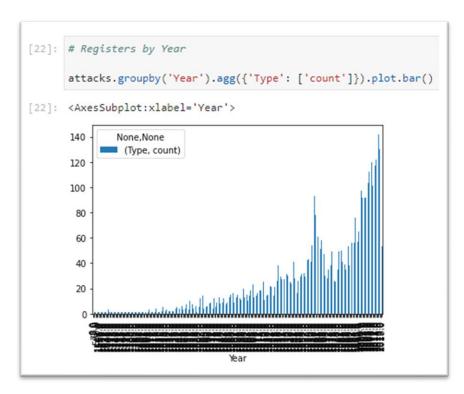
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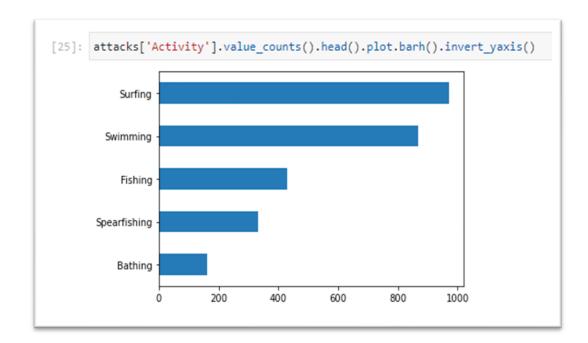
## **Exploring the Data**



To explore the data, we used df.describe(), df["column"], and also exploration by columns using some EDA techniques.

The main purpose of this exploration is to have a general overview of the data's distribution and to filter the scope in which we want to focus our analysis.





## Cleaning and formatting the Data



After exploring the data, we have cleaned the data based on the following hypotheses:

- ➤ Keep the columns that are relevant to our study (Case Number, Date, Year, Type, Country, Activity, Sex, Species).
- > Focus the analysis on the data registered after 1950.
- Eliminate registers with empty/not valid data.

Some of the cleaning techniques and methods used are: Drop columns, drop null values, string manipulation, dropna, isnull, map, filter, rename, replace, regex, lambda, datetime, append, etc.



## Cleaning and formatting the Data



The resulting DataFrame after cleaning has a total of 4050 row x 14 columns:

	Case_Number	Year	Туре	Country	Activity	Sex	Age	Fatal (Y/N)	Species	Month	Country_Code	Latitude	Longitude	Season
0	2018-06-25	2018	Watercraft	UNITED STATES	rowing sports	F	57.0	N	white shark	6	US	38.0000	-97.00	Spring
1	2018-06-18	2018	Unprovoked	UNITED STATES	wading	F	11.0	N	NaN	6	US	38.0000	-97.00	Spring
2	2018-05-27	2018	Unprovoked	UNITED STATES	fishing	М	52.0	N	lemon shark	5	US	38.0000	-97.00	Spring
3	2018-05-26	2018	Unprovoked	UNITED STATES	wading	М	15.0	N	bull shark	5	US	38.0000	-97.00	Spring
4	2018-05-26	2018	Unprovoked	UNITED STATES	wading	М	12.0	N	NaN	5	US	38.0000	-97.00	Spring
4045	1954-00-00	1954	Unprovoked	MARTINIQUE	NaN	М	NaN	N	nurse shark	0	MQ	14.6667	-61.00	NaN
4046	1952-03-30	1952	Unprovoked	NETHERLANDS	NaN	М	NaN	N	bull shark	3	NL	52.5000	5.75	Winter
4047	1952-00-00	1952	Unprovoked	LIBERIA	snorkeling	М	NaN	Υ	NaN	0	LR	6.5000	-9.50	NaN
4048	1950-00-00	1950	Unprovoked	LIBERIA	NaN	М	NaN	Υ	NaN	0	LR	6.5000	-9.50	NaN
4049	1950-08-00	1950	Unprovoked	SAUDI ARABIA	snorkeling	М	NaN	N	NaN	8	SA	25.0000	45.00	Summer

4050 rows × 14 columns 6

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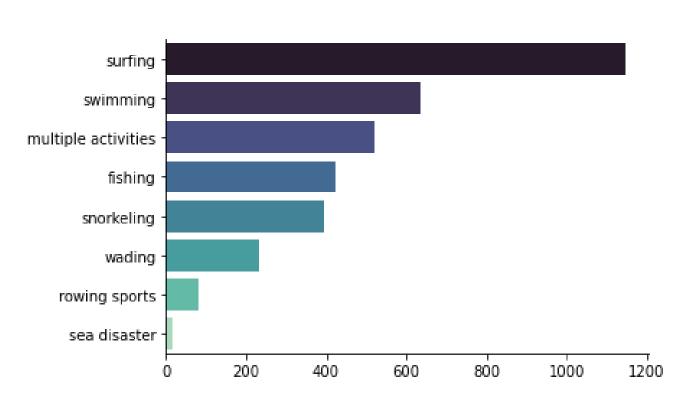
In order to understand and analyze the data correctly, we need to format the data to have standardized type of data and meaning:

- ✓ Format column names and delete blank spaces
- ✓ Format dates (Case\_Number and Year)
- ✓ Get month in order to know the season
- ✓ Format type of attack
- ✓ Format country names and convert to standardized country codes per ISO-3166
- ✓ Get coordinates (latitude and longitude) from standardized country codes
- ✓ Format type of Activity
- ✓ Format data of Sex and Age
- ✓ Format Fatality data
- ✓ Format Shark Species





### **Attacks by Activity**



surfing 33.2% swimming 18.4% 0.5% sea disaster 2.3% rowing sports 6.8% wading 15.1% multiple activities 11.4% 12.3% snorkeling fishing

Fig.1 Total number of Attacks by Activity

**Fig.2 Percentage Attacks by Activity** 



### **Fatality by Activity**

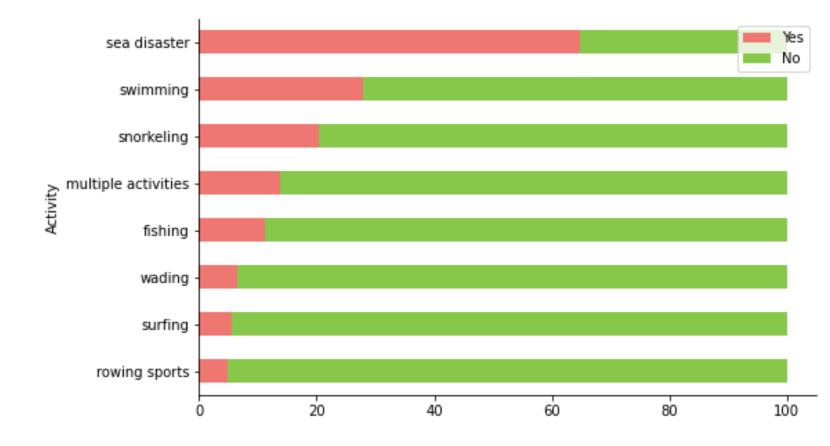


Fig.3 Fatality % per Activity



### **Fatality by Type of Event**

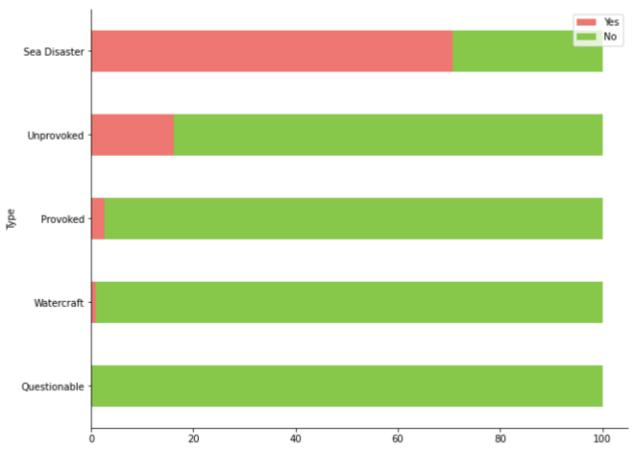


Fig.4 Fatality % per Type of Event



### **Social-demographic Analysis**

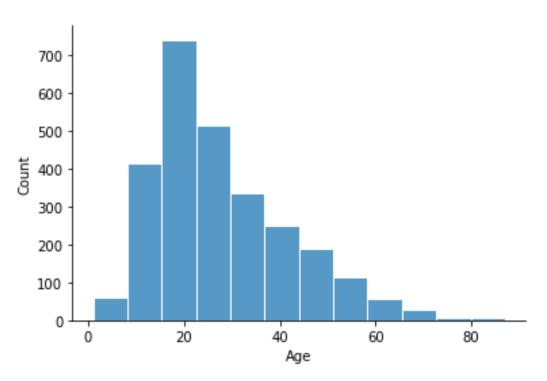


Fig.5 Attacks by Age Histogram

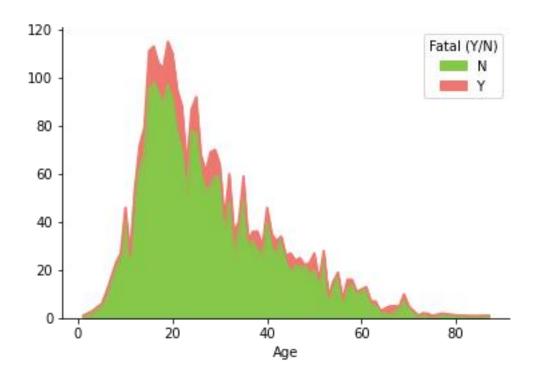


Fig.6 Fatality according Age Area



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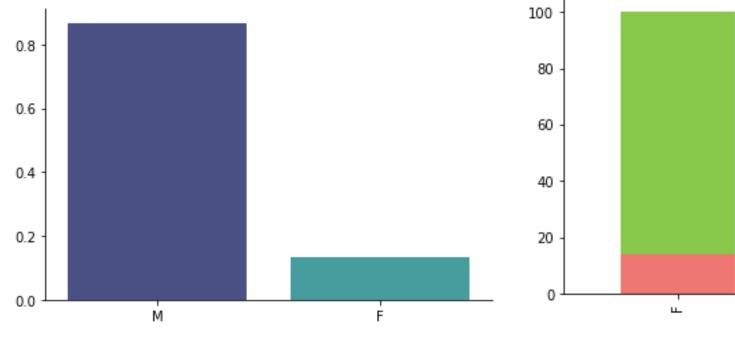


Fig. 7 Total attacks by Sex

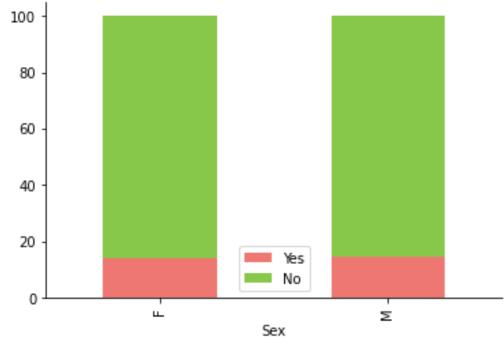
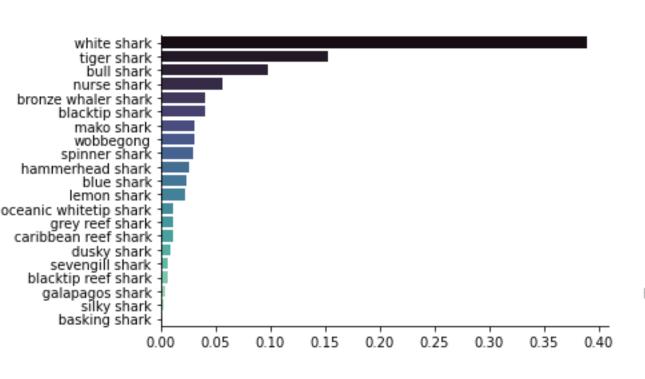


Fig.8 Fatality by Sex



#### **Attacks by Shark Species**



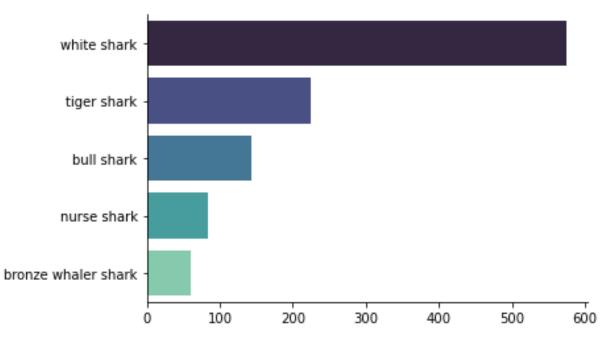


Fig.9 Total no. of Attacks by Shark

Fig. 10 Total no. of Attacks by Shark (Top 5)



#### **Fatality by Shark Species**

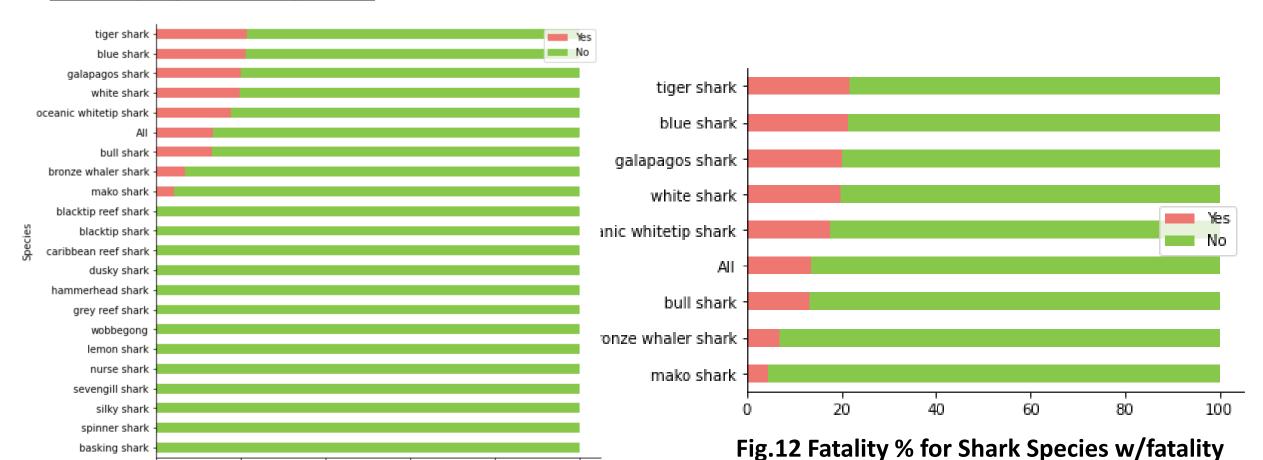


Fig.11 Fatality % for all Shark Species



### **Attacks by Season**

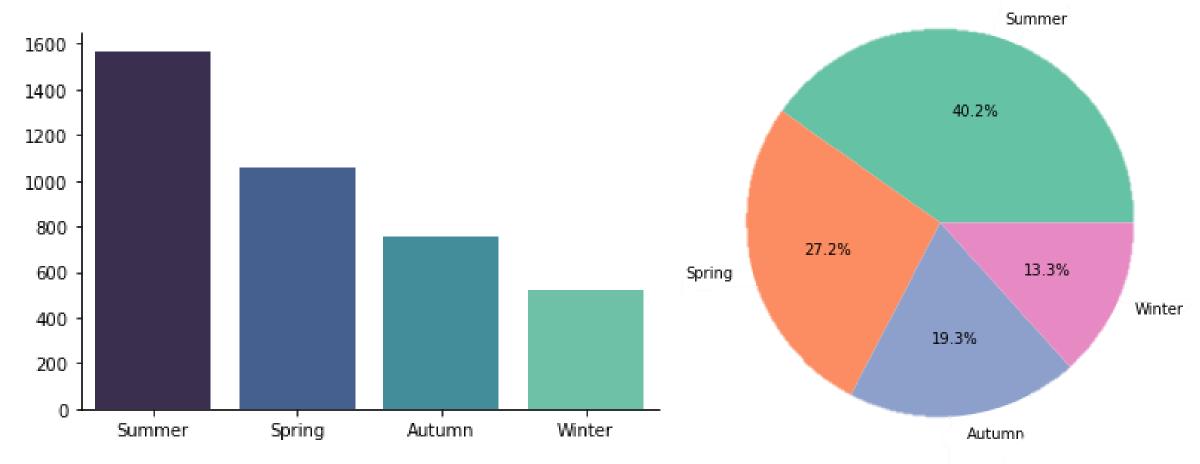


Fig.13 Total No. Attacks by Season

Fig.14 Total % Attacks by Season



### **Fatality by Season**

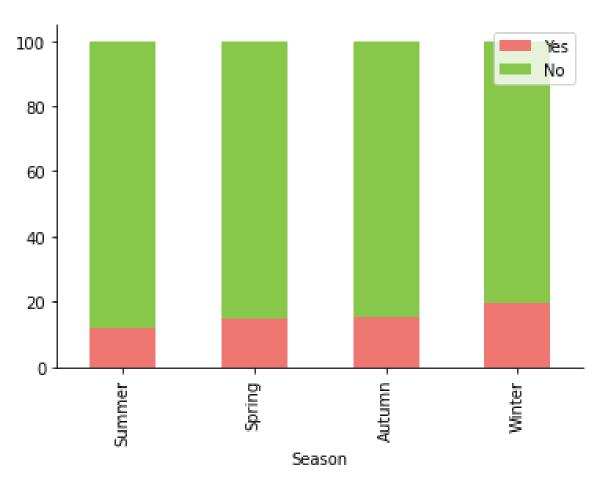


Fig.15 Fatality % by Season



### **Attacks by Country**

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	Country_Code	Frequency	Latitude	Longitude	lop_Shark
0	US	1717	38.00	-97.0	white shark
1	AU	734	-27.00	133.0	white shark
2	ZA	417	-29.00	24.0	white shark
3	PG	121	-6.00	147.0	tiger shark
4	BS	88	24.25	-76.0	bull shark

Fig.16 Total No. Attacks by Country (Top 5)

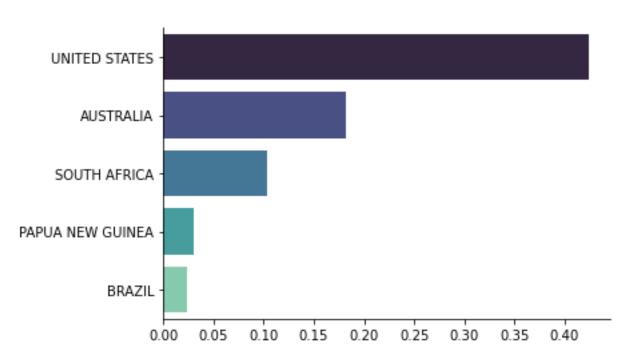


Fig.17 Total No. Attacks by Country (Top 5)

## Interactive World Map



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### Conclusions



- > Surfing is the sport with the highest number of registered shark attacks (33.2%)
- > Despite this, Surfing is in the 7<sup>th</sup> out of 8 positions of activities that cause fatality.
- ➤ Top 3 activities that cause fatalities are: sea disaster, swimming and snorkeling (activities where people do not take additional equipment).
- > Following Sea Disaster, unprovoked events are the most common type of event that causes fatality.
- > 40% of attacks occur to people between 15 and 25 years old.
- ➤ 63% of attacks occur to people between 10 and 30 years old.
- The majority (86.7%) of attacks occur in people of male gender. However, although most attacks are registered in male gender, the % fatality is almost identical for both men and women.
- ➤ Only 15% of all shark attacks have been registered to cause fatality.
- > The shark species with highest number of attacks is the White shark
- The most dangerous sharks, who attacked the most are: White shark, tiger shark, bull shark, nurse shark, bronze whaler shark. Except nurse shark, all of them caused fatalities.
- > 40.2% of the attacks occur in the summer season, followed by 27.2% in the spring season.
- > The top 3 countries with most registered shark attacks are: USA, Australia, South Africa.

# Questions



