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Data Generation

- Generation done in Python using Pandas
- Three types of data to generate (same as it is stored within the database)
 - User Data
 - Sensor Metadata
 - Sensor Readings
- User Data and Sensor Metadata both have fields which are dependent upon the other
 - Therefore: non-dependent fields are filled and then dependent fields are filled secondarily
- Shell Script to run other scripts in a collated manner (generation scripts require arguments to run - paths and counts; simplified with shell script)
- 28 seconds to generated 61k entries

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Data Conversion

- Data needed to be in multiple formats for different uses (e.g. JSON or CSV [and sometimes others])
 - Some data readings are in .txt form and need to be converted to a form easily used by other teams
- Specialized scripts created to convert between types of data
 - Abstracted as much a possible to allow compatibility with changes in data formatting
- Primarily text to CSV and CSV to JSON
- Python scripts intended to run effectively and efficiently
- CSV to JSON functions instantly with 50k entries

Dashboard Process

Start the base map with an initial file that is in the format of the official data from database

Generate a Web Map based on the feature layer and choose base layer details

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Create a feature layer with point layer with locations from latitudes and longitudes

Generate a dashboard from the Web Map, creating a web feature and add additional features to the dashboard with actions on maps and features

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Modules

Pandas

Python module that generate, edit, and convert dataframes.

Boto3

-Amazon Web Services (AWS) Software Development Kit (SDK) for Python -Connect to S3 database and EC2 instances

Requests

-Sends HTTP requests using Python. -Returns a Response Object with all the response data which can then be converted into dataframes

GIS

- -Geographic information system (GIS)
- -Visualize, analyze, and interpret data
- -Understand spatial relationships, patterns, and trends.

		Dashboard Backend Code Showcase	
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	<pre># Import GIS and modules import pandas as pd from arcgis.gis import GIS import requests import boto3 gis = GIS("home")</pre>		
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	Now you are ready to start!		
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