

GPS SUBGROUP UPDATES

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gps2space Package

1. Building spatial data from raw Lat/Long coordinate pairs

```
gdf = geodf.df_to_gdf(df, x='your_long_column', y='your_lat_column')
```

Please note:

- df is your dataframe with raw Lat/Long coordinate pairs
- x is the column name that indicates the longitude
- y is the column name that indicates the latitude
- You MUST pass the longitude to parameter x and latitude to parameter y
- This function returns an unprojected spatial dataframe

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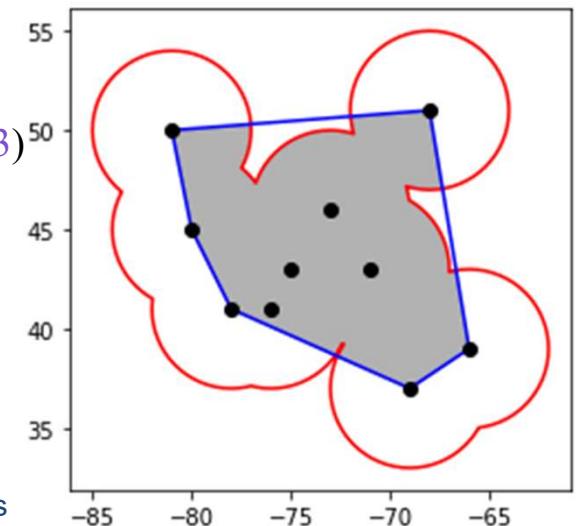
2. Constructing Buffer- and Convex hull-based activity and shared space

```
buffer_space = space.buffer_space(gdf, dist=100, dissolve='time_variable', proj=2163)
```

```
convex_space = space.convex_space(gdf, group='time_variable', proj=2163)
```

Please note:

- gdf is your unprojected spatial dataframe
- dist is the buffer distance in meters
- dissolve/group is the level of aggregating from which you dissolve/group points to form polygons
- proj is the EPSG codes for your projection. If working with spatial analysis in the US, we recommended using 2163
- Buffer- and Convex hull-based measures have both pros and cons, chose one that makes more sense for your research questions



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3. Measuring the nearest distance from origin and destination

```
distance = dist.dist_to_point(gdf_origin, gdf_destination, proj=2163)
```

Please note:

- gdf_origin is your place of origin
- gdf_destination is your place of destination
- proj is the EPSG codes for your projection. If working with spatial analysis in the US, we recommended using 2163
- This function returns a column called dist2point which is the nearest distance in meter between your origin and destination. You can then rename this column to whatever you want and change the unit, for example, from meter to mile

Documentation for GPS2space:

<https://gps2space.readthedocs.io/en/latest/> or Google “gps2space”

OSM V.S. Infogroup (Results from gps2space)

	Total Features		Based on demo dataset (N=202445)							
	OSM	IG	OSM further	OSM further %	IG further	IG further %	MinDiff	MaxDiff	AvgDiff	
Alcohol	614089	38248	194154	95.9	8291	4.1	0	69645	735	
ArtGallery	55942	19437	200357	98.97	2088	1.03	0	104210	1655	
Bakery	601698	41992	164979	81.49	37466	18.51	0	163014	542	
Bar	1352388	70337	133329	65.86	69116	34.14	0	33661	495	
Convenience	2527585	102520	112334	55.49	90111	44.51	0	39307	310	
GasStation	4171177	106712	92007	45.45	110438	54.55	0	27186	313	
Gym	6490	34630	202436	100	9	0	110	518352	17162	
Hotel	2225140	82446	160227	79.15	42218	20.85	0	52479	327	
Library	481384	21694	151610	74.89	50835	25.11	0	60023	285	
Pharmacy	1279873	72614	66086	32.64	136359	67.36	0	50079	533	
Restaurant	10477524	625872	185307	91.53	17138	8.47	0	28106	187	
Supermarket	1834637	101439	186791	92.27	15654	7.73	0	31134	545	

Appendices

