

Lecture 3

CSE 331

Aug 30, 2024

Participate on Piazza

The screenshot shows the Piazza website interface for a course named 'CSE 331'. The user is logged in as 'Atri Rudra'. The main navigation bar includes 'Q & A', 'Resources', 'Statistics', and 'Manage Class'. Below this, there are tabs for 'LIVE Q&A', 'Drafts', and 'mid-term final', along with various course-related topics like 'grading', 'lectures', 'office_hours', etc. The left sidebar shows a 'New Post' button and a search bar. The main content area displays a poll titled 'TA office hours' with a description: 'Please select all the time slots below that you will able to attend (even if for part of the time) for TA office hours.' The poll options are: Mondays, 9-10am; Mondays, 10-11am; Mondays, 12-1pm; Mondays, 1-2pm; Mondays, 2-3pm; Mondays, 3-4pm; Mondays, 4-5pm. The poll has 12 views and is currently being followed. The bottom of the page shows 'Average Response Time:', 'Special Mentions:', 'Online Now', and 'This Week:'.

<https://piazza.com/buffalo/fall2023/cse331/>

Read the syllabus CAREFULLY

Syllabus Quiz

Options

[View handin history](#)



Due: December 10th 2024, 11:59 pm EST (UTC -05:00)



Last day to hand in: December 10th 2024, 11:59 pm EST (UTC -05:00)



No graded material will be handed back until you pass the syllabus quiz!

Academic Integrity

Question 1: Sharing my answers to this syllabus quiz with other 331 students

- Is OK if I do it to help out a friend
- It does not matter since there is no grade attached with it
- Is an academic integrity violation and should not be done
- Is an academic integrity violation but I can take the chance

Q1 on HW 0 will be graded as usual

note @20

stop following 3 views

Actions

HW 0 is out

As I had mentioned in class on Monday, HW 0 has been out. Here is the direct link to the HW 0 page:

<http://www-student.cse.buffalo.edu/~atri/cse331/fall24/hws/hw0/index.html>

Couple of things to note:

- Autolab will not start accepting HW 0 submissions until 11:45pm tonight
- You should also be able to get to the HW0 page from the “Homeworks” dropdown menu from the top navbar.
 - Heads up going forward-- you might need to (force) reload the 331 webpage and/or clear recent history in case the most recent HW link does not appear directly in the navbar.

homework0

Submission requirements

Submission

! Submit part (a) and (b) separately

You need to submit **two (2) PDF** files to Autolab: one for part (a) and one for part (b). While you can assume part (a) as a given for part (b), to get credit for part (a) you have to submit your solution for part (a) separately from part (b).

Make sure you submit the correct PDF to the correct submission link on Autolab. If you do not (e.g. if you submit Q1(a) PDF to Q1(b)), then you will lose ALL points.

We recommend that you typeset your solution but we will accept scans of handwritten solution-- you have to make sure that the scan is legible.

! PDF only please

If Autolab cannot display your file, (irrespective of the reason) then you will get a zero (0) on the entire question.

Autolab might not be able to display files in formats other than PDF (e.g. Word cannot be displayed). **Note that Autolab will "accept" your submission even if you submit non-PDF file, so it is YOUR responsibility to make sure you submit in the correct format.**

Also the file size has to be **at most 3MB**.

Grading Guidelines

We will follow the [usual grading guidelines for non-programming questions](#). Here is a high level grading rubric specific to part (a) of this problem:

1. **Proof idea**: 10 points.

and here is the high level grading rubric for part (b):

1. **Proof idea**: 20 points.
2. **Proof details**: 20 points.

! Note

If you do not have separated out proof idea and proof details, you will get a zero(0) irrespective of the technical correctness of your solution..

You need to confirm that you followed the requirements

Homework 0, Question 1(a)

Collaboration

You can collaborate on this question with up to two (2) more CSE 331 students. However, you cannot work with someone else outside of your group for the other questions on HW 0.

Submit part (a) and (b) separately for Q1

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Acknowledgment of CSE 331 instructions

By clicking the check mark below, you confirm that you have read and understood the instructions in HW 0 (as well as the CSE 331 homework policies). **Note that not following the instructions could result you getting a ZERO (0) on the entire problem even if your actual solution is technically correct (After clicking this check-box you cannot later claim that you missed reading an instruction.)**

You confirm that you have read and understood the instructions in HW 0 (as well as the CSE 331 homework policies)

You confirm that you have explicitly stated your collaborator(s) in your submission

Submitting your PDF

Upload your PDF submission here No file selected.

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You confirm that you have read and understood the instructions in HW 0 (as well as the CSE 331 homework policies)

I affirm that I have complied with this course's academic integrity policy as defined in the syllabus.

Please do keep on asking Qs!

The only bad question is the one that is not asked!

More C++ Office hours

note @23

stop following **86 views**

Actions

C++ Office hours

Sorry for the late notice but we have finalized the C++ office hour for Wed, Aug 27:

Here are the times for the C++ OH:

- Wed, Aug 27: 12-12:50pm (Vincent)
- Fri, Aug 30: 12-12:50pm (Andrew)
- Fri, Aug 30: 1-2:20pm (ester)
- Tue, Sep 3: 2-2:50pm (Vincent)

*(Based on the results in @15 so far, we will likely have one office hour on either Th or Fri and one more on Tue next week. We'll finalize those times by **9pm on Wed, Aug 28** as on the input in poll in @15 at 5pm tomorrow (Aug 28).)*

Note that unless specified otherwise, all C++ office hours will be in Salvador Lounge (which is the open space on the 2nd floor in Davis Hall next to the glass wall).

BEFORE you come to the C++ OH, you are expected to run the set of instruction given in @14. I.e. **please do NOT come to the OH and ask the TA for help to do the entire setup**. However, It is **perfectly fine** to come to the TA and say I am stuck at this specific step in the [instructions](#) and the TA will be happy to help you out.

office_hours


Edit good note | 0

Updated 20 hours ago by Atri Rudra

TA office hours (starting Tue)

Finalized by Sunday

Details will be posted on piazza



OH next week
dedicated to help
with proofs

Two comments on Programming

Programming is worth about 15% of your final grade

Algorithm design/proofs are worth about 80% of your final grade

Invest your time wisely

On Wednesday:

Input: A program P and input I

Output: Yes if P terminates on I
No otherwise

Theorem: There is no magic box A' for ver 2 (as long as A' terminates)

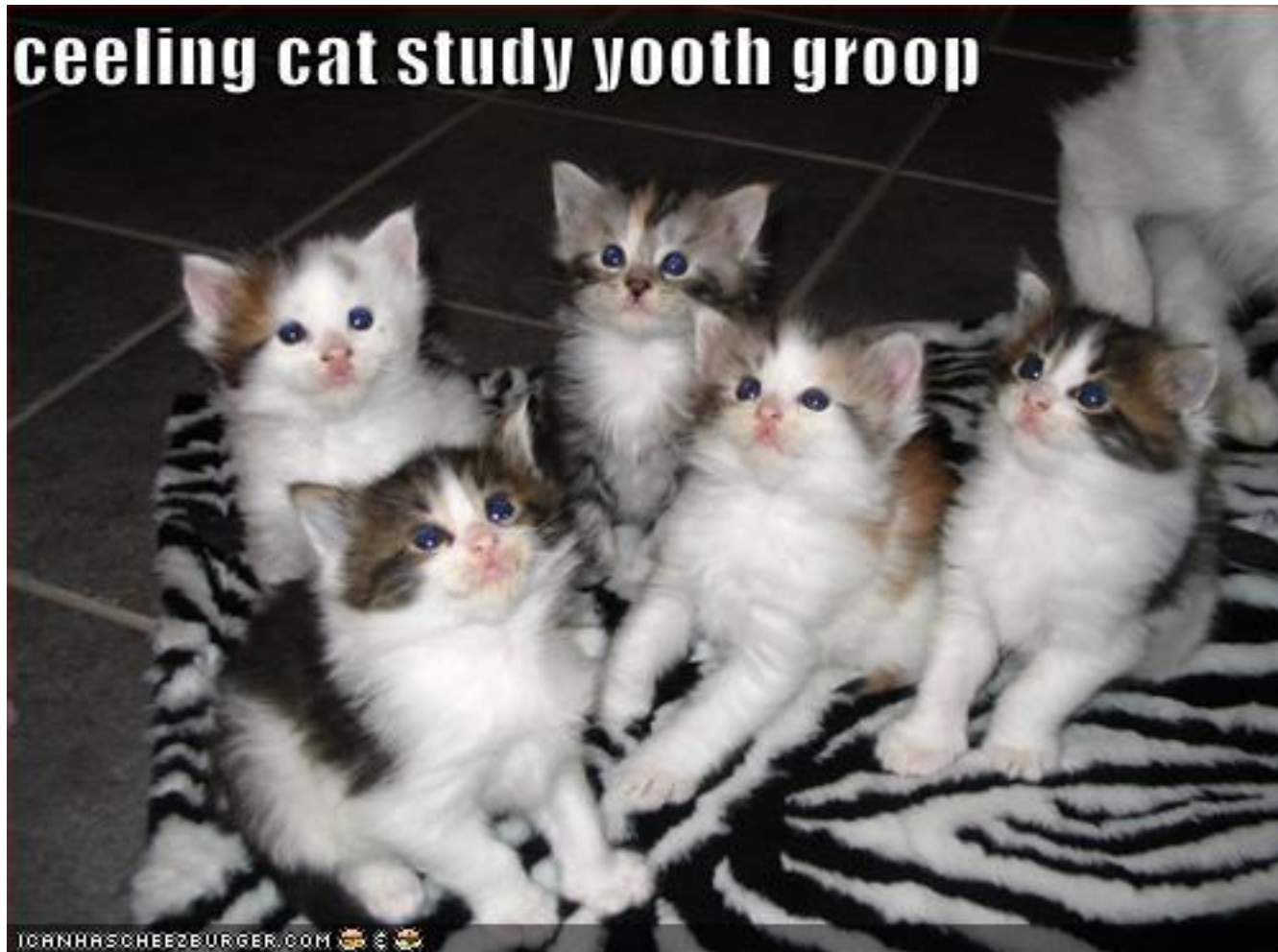
Questions / Comments?



Finish off the proof on the board...



Remember: Stick with your group



Common solution: Let's build an app for that!

STREET BUMP About Sign In

Where's Street Bump being used?

549 trips, 37,016 bumps, 0 potholes filled, and 0 roadway problems identified

99 bumps reported in 101-199 Curtis Dr, Truro, NS almost 6 years ago

For development purposes only

Potential issues?

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What's Street Bump?

Street Bump is a crowd-sourcing project that helps residents improve their neighborhood streets. Volunteers use the Street Bump mobile app to collect road condition data while they drive. The data provides governments with real-time information to fix problems and plan long term investments.

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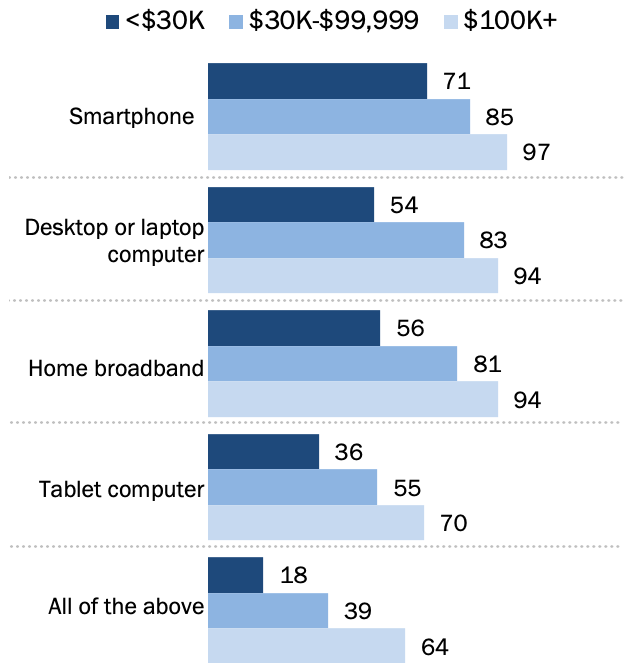
The smartphone blind-spot

Many of us in CSE assume that “everyone” has smartphones

More generally, we assume “everyone” has access to the Internet

Lower-income Americans have lower levels of technology adoption

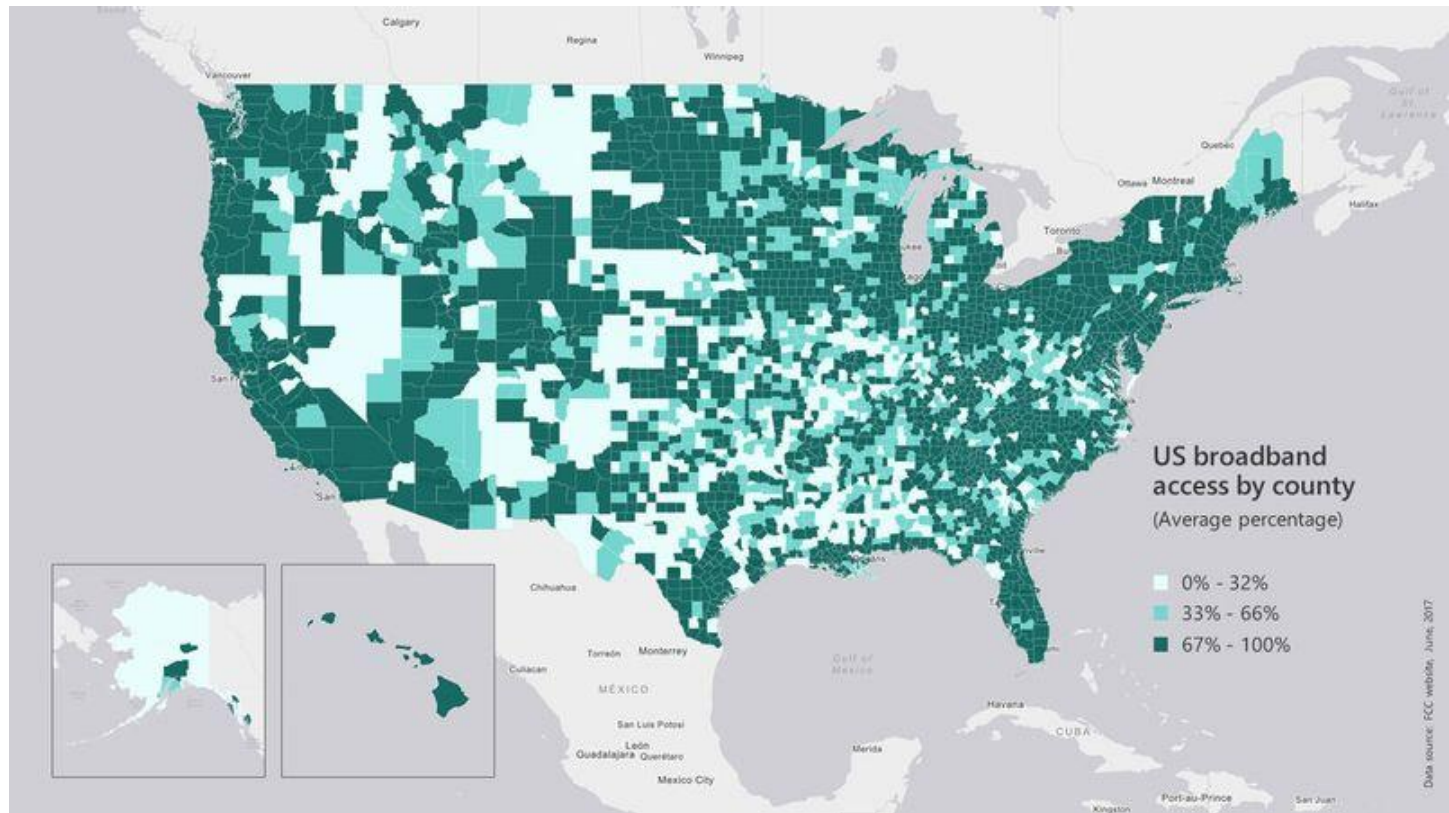
% of U.S. adults who say they have the following ...



Note: Respondents who did not give an answer are not shown.
Source: Survey conducted Jan. 8-Feb. 7, 2019.

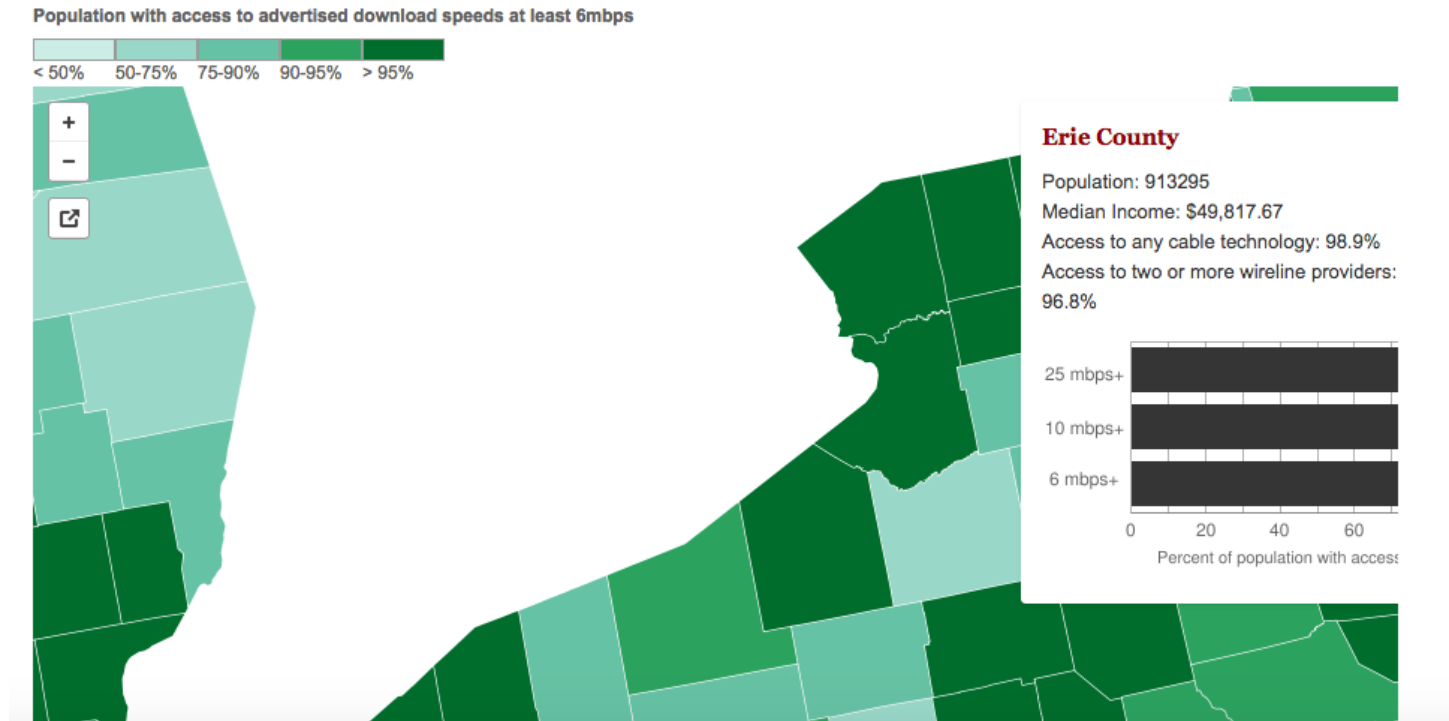
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Broadband access



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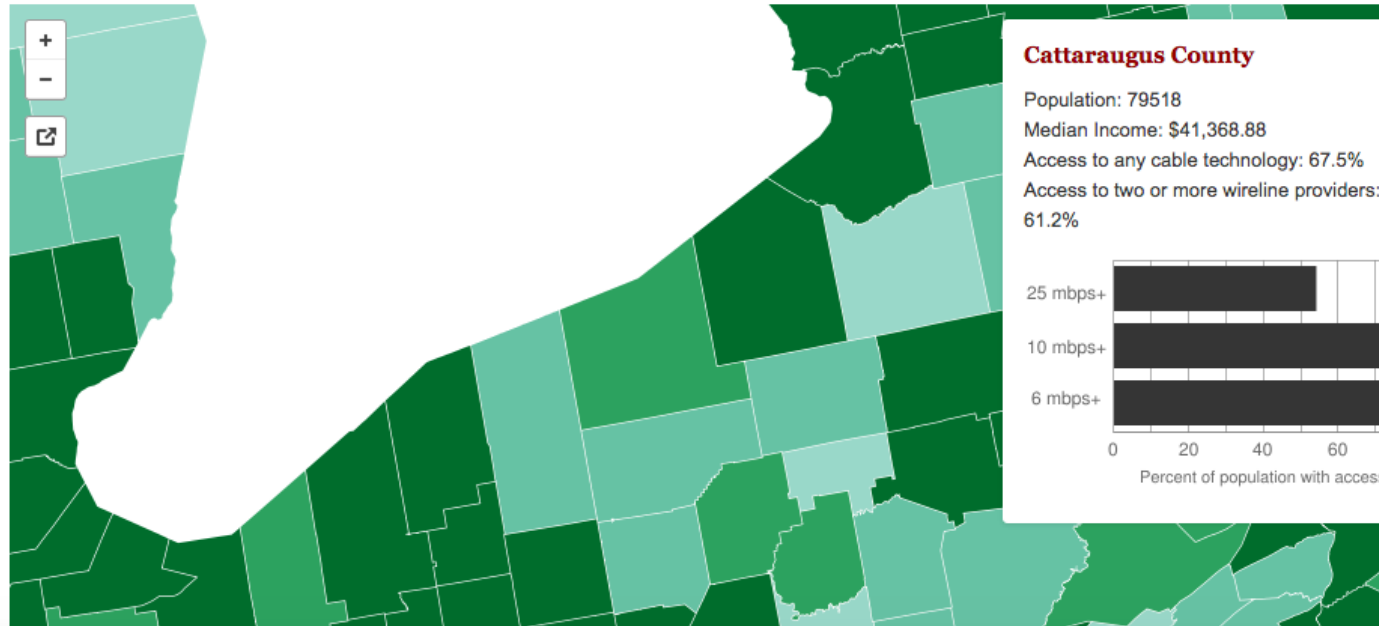
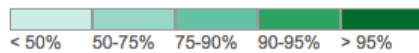
Erie county is reasonably good



<http://www.governing.com/gov-data/broadband-speeds-availability.html>

One county over

Population with access to advertised download speeds at least 6mbps

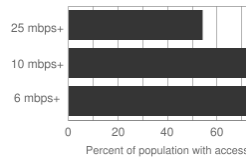


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Make broadband more available

Cattaraugus County

Population: 79518
Median Income: \$41,368.88
Access to any cable technology: 67.5%
Access to two or more wireline providers: 61.2%



Say you are tasked to come up with the infrastructure

BOTH technical and societal issues

Erie County

Population: 913295
Median Income: \$49,817.67
Access to any cable technology: 98.9%
Access to two or more wireline providers: 96.8%

