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Winning Space Race with Data Science

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Executive Summary

- Summary of methodologies
 - Quantitative and Qualitative analysis of data scraped from available data thanks to the SpaceX API
 - Machine Learning Methods for prediction
- Summary of all results
 - Support Vector Machines and KNN are best suited for the predictions
 - Predictions accuracy of 78%

Introduction

- Project background and context
 - SpaceY a new Rocket Company founded by Allon Musk, wishes to compete with SpaceX.
- Problems you want to find answers
 - In order to have a better understanding of the competition, the goal of this project is to be able to predict the cost of a given SpaceX launch as well as the probability of the company re—using the first stage of the launched rocket.

Section 1

Methodology

Methodology

Executive Summary

- Data collection methodology:
 - Data was scrapped form the available SpaceX API
- Perform data wrangling
 - The retrieved data was then cleaned up, nulls quantitative values were replaced with the mean and categorical null values were kept.
- Perform exploratory data analysis (EDA) using visualization and SQL
- Perform interactive visual analytics using Folium and Plotly Dash
- Perform predictive analysis using classification models
 - The data set was split into training and test data, various model were then trained and tested.

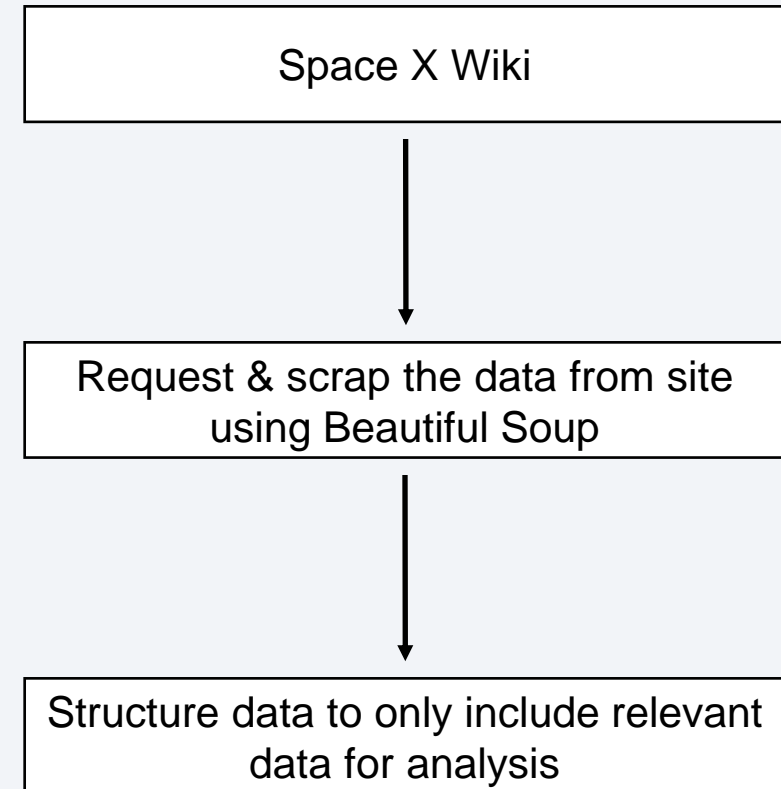
Data Collection

- Describe how data sets were collected.
- You need to present your data collection process use key phrases and flowcharts

Data Collection – SpaceX API

Github:

https://github.com/Dany-Drgh/ibm-data_science/blob/main/Capstone%20course/Week%201/Data%20Collection%20API.ipynb

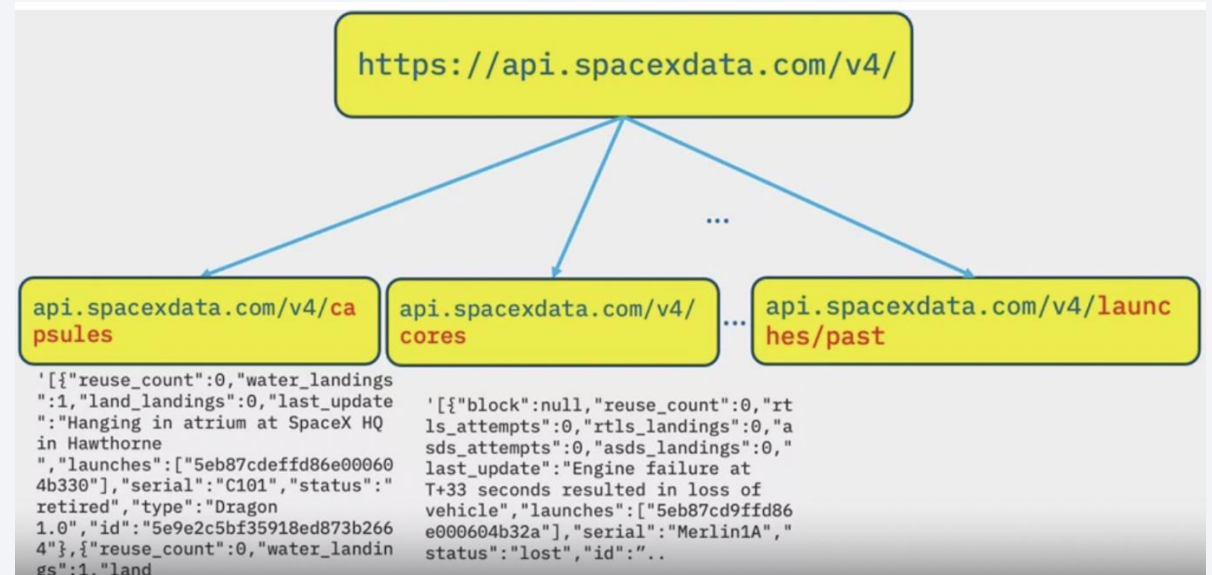


Data Collection - Scraping

Collected the data on
falcon 9 launches
straight from the site

Github link:

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EDA with Data Visualization

Variety of Charts Plotted

- Flight No vs Payload Mass
- Flight Number vs Launch Site
- Payload Mass vs Launch Site
- Orbit vs Class
- Flight Number vs Orbit
- PayloadMass vs Orbit
- Data vs Class
- **Github (Both EDA notebooks)**

https://github.com/Dany-Drgh/ibm-data_science/tree/main/Capstone%20course/Week%202

EDA with SQL

- `%sql SELECT Launch_Site FROM SPACEXTBL WHERE Launch_Site LIKE '%CCA%'`
- `%sql SELECT SUM(PAYLOAD_MASS__KG_) from SPACEXTBL`
- `%sql SELECT AVG(PAYLOAD_MASS__KG_) from SPACEXTBL WHERE Booster_Version = 'F9 v1.1'`
- `%sql SELECT MIN(Landing_Outcome), Date FROM SPACEXTBL`
- `%sql SELECT Booster_Version FROM SPACEXTBL Where Mission_Outcome = 'Success' AND PAYLOAD_MASS__KG_ between 4000 and 6000`
- `%sql SELECT COUNT(*) FROM SPACEXTBL where Mission_Outcome LIKE '%Success%'`
- `%sql SELECT * FROM SPACEXTBL WHERE PAYLOAD_MASS__KG_ > (SELECT AVG(PAYLOAD_MASS__KG_) FROM SPACEXTBL);`
- `%sql SELECT substr(Date, 4, 2) as MONTH, Landing_Outcome, Booster_Version, Launch_Site FROM SPACEXTBL where Landing_Outcome like '%Failure (D%'`
- `%sql SELECT COUNT(Landing_Outcome) from SPACEXTBL where Date Between '04-06-2010' and '20-03-2017' GROUP BY Landing_Outcome LIKE '%SUCCESS%' ORDER BY Landing_Outcome`

Build an Interactive Map with Folium

- Marked all launch sites on map
- Marked all successful/failed launches for each site on the map
- Calculated the distances between a launch site to its proximities
- Added markers around the launch sites because it gives a good ideal of where and why the launches were done here
- Clustered the markers based off whether or not the launch was successful also gave great data insights
- This made it easy to identify which launch sites have relatively high success rates
- https://github.com/Dany-Drgh/ibm-data_science/tree/main/Capstone%20course/Week%203

Build a Dashboard with Plotly Dash

- In the dashboard, we are looking at the various types of launches and their success and failure rates.
- There are 3 different launch sites we explore

Github :

https://github.com/Dany-Drgh/ibm-data_science/blob/main/Capstone%20course/Week%203/spacex_dash_app.py

Predictive Analysis (Classification)

- Built a classification model using various supervised machine learning classification algorithms
- Most efficient ones appear to be KNN and SVM
- **Github:**
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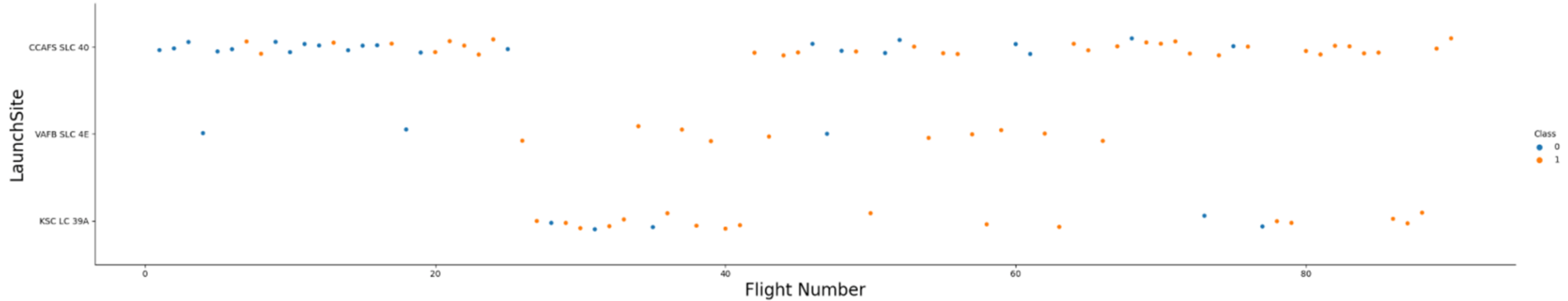


Section 2

Insights drawn from EDA

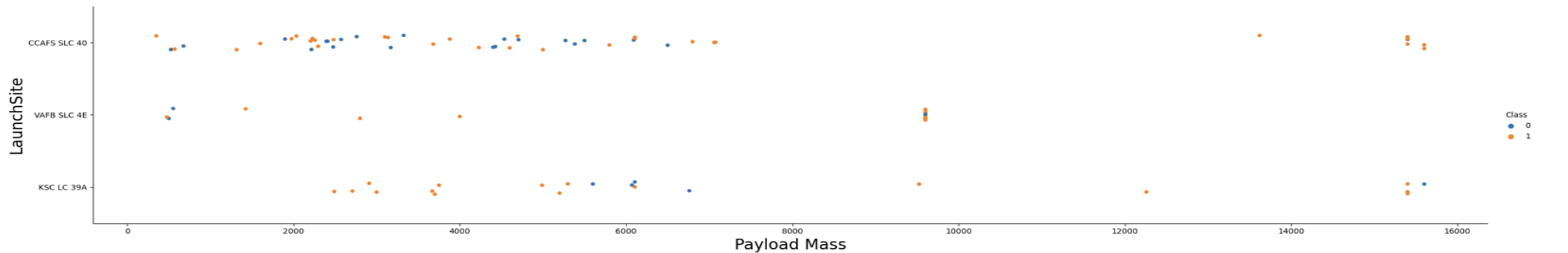
Flight Number vs. Launch Site

- Launches are done in clusters



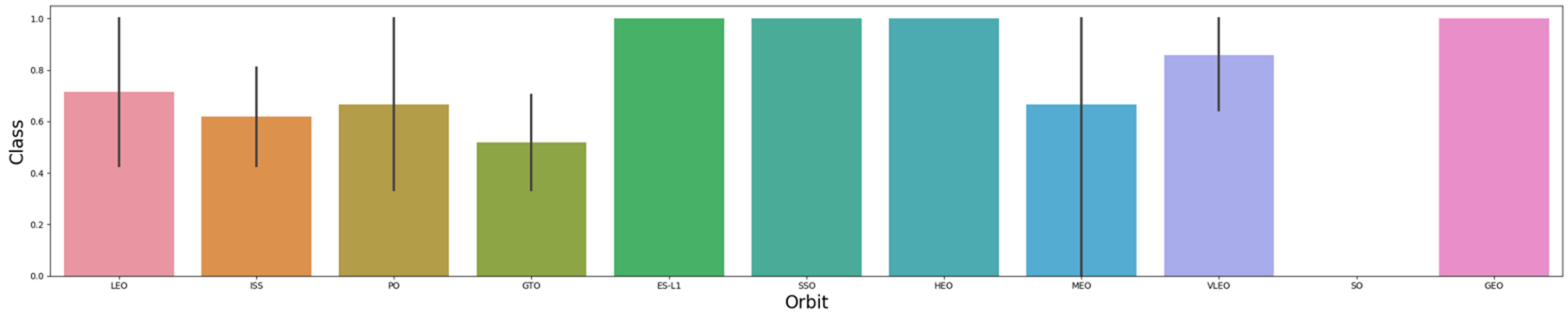
Payload vs. Launch Site

- The higher the payload Mass, the more success the landing.
- A lot of the landings were successful KSC LC 39A when the payload mass was less than 6000



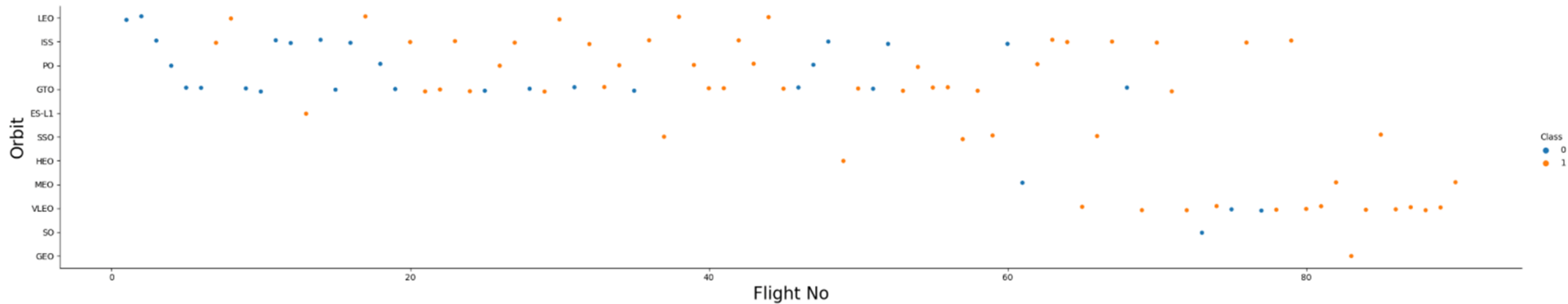
Success Rate vs. Orbit Type

- ES-L1, SSO and HEO has a perfect success rate



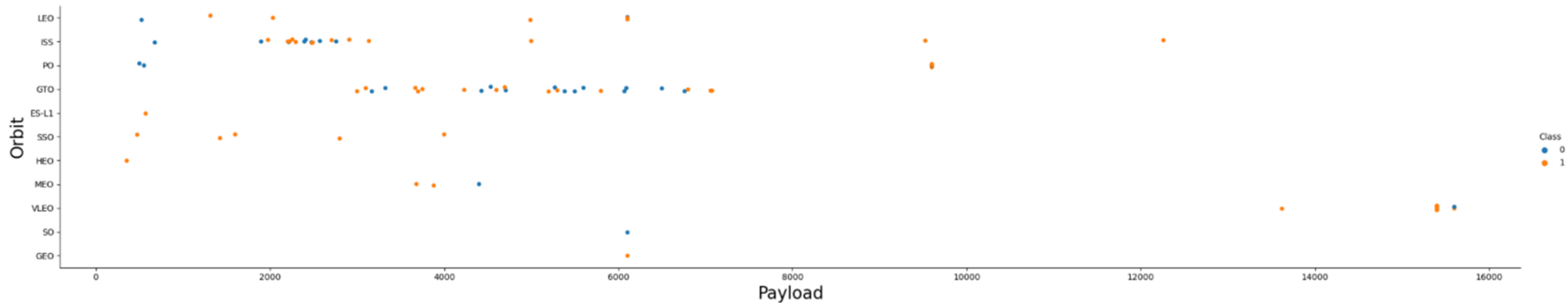
Flight Number vs. Orbit Type

- Flight numbers over 80 typically have a succesful launch



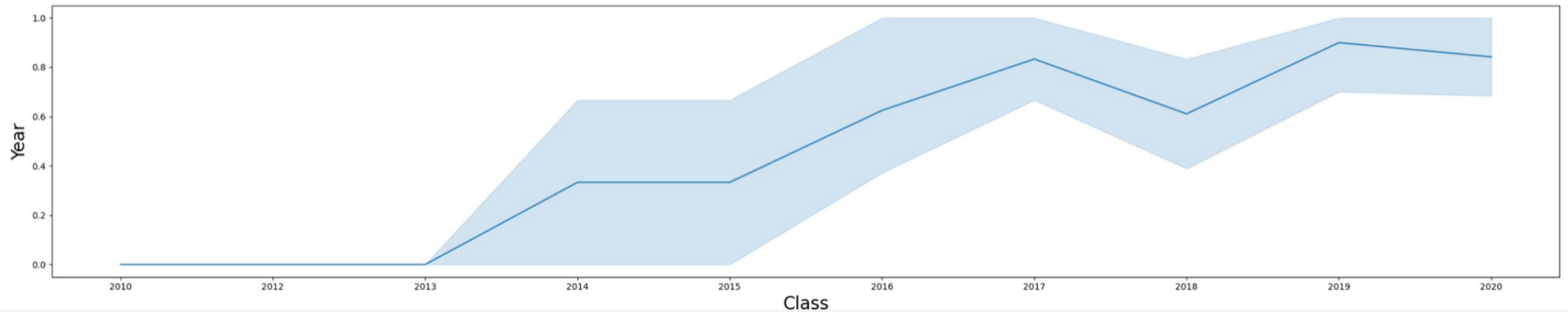
Payload vs. Orbit Type

- Heavy payloads have more successful landings for Polar, LEO and ISS



Launch Success Yearly Trend

- Success rate was on a steady increase until 2017
- Then it dipped slightly in 2018, to begin increasing again



All Launch Site Names

- CCAFS LC-40
- VAFB SLC-4E
- KSC LC-39A
- CCAFS SLC-40

```
%sql select distinct(Launch_Site) from SPACEXTABLE
```

Launch Site Names Begin with 'CCA'

Date	Time (UTC)	Booster_Version	Launch_Site	Payload	PAYLOAD_MASS_KG	Orbit	Customer	Mission_Outcome	Landing_Outcome
2010-04-06	18:45:00	F9 v1.0 B0003	CCAFS LC-40	Dragon Spacecraft Qualification Unit	0	LEO	SpaceX	Success	Failure (parachute)
2010-08-12	15:43:00	F9 v1.0 B0004	CCAFS LC-40	Dragon demo flight C1, two CubeSats, barrel of Brouere cheese	0	LEO (ISS)	NASA (COTS) NRO	Success	Failure (parachute)
2012-05-22	07:44:00	F9 v1.0 B0005	CCAFS LC-40	Dragon demo flight C2	525	LEO (ISS)	NASA (COTS)	Success	No attempt
2012-08-10	00:35:00	F9 v1.0 B0006	CCAFS LC-40	SpaceX CRS-1	500	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CRS)	Success	No attempt
2013-01-03	15:10:00	F9 v1.0 B0007	CCAFS LC-40	SpaceX CRS-2	677	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CRS)	Success	No attempt

Total Payload Mass

```
%sql select sum(PAYLOAD_MASS__KG_) as 'TOTAL_in_kg' from SPACEXTABLE where CUSTOMER = 'NASA (CRS)'
```

```
* sqlite:///my_data1.db
```

```
Done.
```

<u>TOTAL_in_kg</u>

45596

Average Payload Mass by F9 v1.1

```
%sql select avg(PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_) as 'AVG_in_kg' from SPACEXTABLE where Booster_Version LIKE 'F9 v1.1%'
```

```
* sqlite:///my_data1.db
```

```
Done.
```

AVG_in_kg

2534.6666666666665

First Successful Ground Landing Date

```
%sql select min(Date) as 'Date' from SPACEXTABLE where Landing_Outcome = 'Success (ground pad)'
```

```
* sqlite:///my_data1.db
```

```
Done.
```

Date

2015-12-22

Successful Drone Ship Landing with Payload between 4000 and 6000

```
1 %sql select Booster_Version from SPACEXTABLE where Landing_Outcome = 'Success (drone ship)' AND payload_mass_kg_ > 4000 AND payload_mass_kg_ < 6000
```

Python

```
* sqlite:///my\_data1.db  
Done.
```

Booster_Version
F9 FT B1022
F9 FT B1026
F9 FT B1021.2
F9 FT B1031.2

Total Number of Successful and Failure Mission Outcomes

```
1 %sql select count(*) as 'Total_Success' from SPACEXTABLE where Mission_Outcome = 'Success'
```

Python

```
* sqlite:///my_data1.db
```

Done.

Total_Success

98

```
1 %sql select count(*) as 'Total_Failure' from SPACEXTABLE where Mission_Outcome LIKE 'Failure%'
```

Python

```
* sqlite:///my_data1.db
```

Done.

Total_Failure

1

Boosters Carried Maximum Payload

```
1 %sql select Booster_Version, PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_ from SPACEXTABLE where PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_ = (select max(PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_) from SPACEXTABLE)
```

Python

```
* sqlite:///my\_data1.db
```

Done.

Booster_Version	PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_
F9 B5 B1048.4	15600
F9 B5 B1049.4	15600
F9 B5 B1051.3	15600
F9 B5 B1056.4	15600
F9 B5 B1048.5	15600
F9 B5 B1051.4	15600
F9 B5 B1049.5	15600
F9 B5 B1060.2	15600
F9 B5 B1058.3	15600
F9 B5 B1051.6	15600
F9 B5 B1060.3	15600
F9 B5 B1049.7	15600

2015 Launch Records

```
1 %sql select strftime('%m',Date) as 'Month', Landing_Outcome, Booster_Version, Launch_Site from SPACEXTABLE where strftime('%Y',Date) = '2015' AND  
Landing_Outcome LIKE 'Failure (drone ship)%'
```

Python

```
* sqlite:///my\_data1.db
```

Done.

Month	Landing_Outcome	Booster_Version	Launch_Site
10	Failure (drone ship)	F9 v1.1 B1012	CCAFS LC-40
04	Failure (drone ship)	F9 v1.1 B1015	CCAFS LC-40

Rank Landing Outcomes Between 2010-06-04 and 2017-03-20

```
1 %sql select Landing_Outcome, count(*) as 'Count' from SPACEXTABLE where Date between '2010-06-04' and '2017-03-20' group by Landing_Outcome order by count(*) desc
```

Python

* [sqlite:///my_data1.db](#)

Done.

Landing_Outcome	Count
No attempt	10
Success (ground pad)	5
Success (drone ship)	5
Failure (drone ship)	5
Controlled (ocean)	3
Uncontrolled (ocean)	2
Precluded (drone ship)	1
Failure (parachute)	1

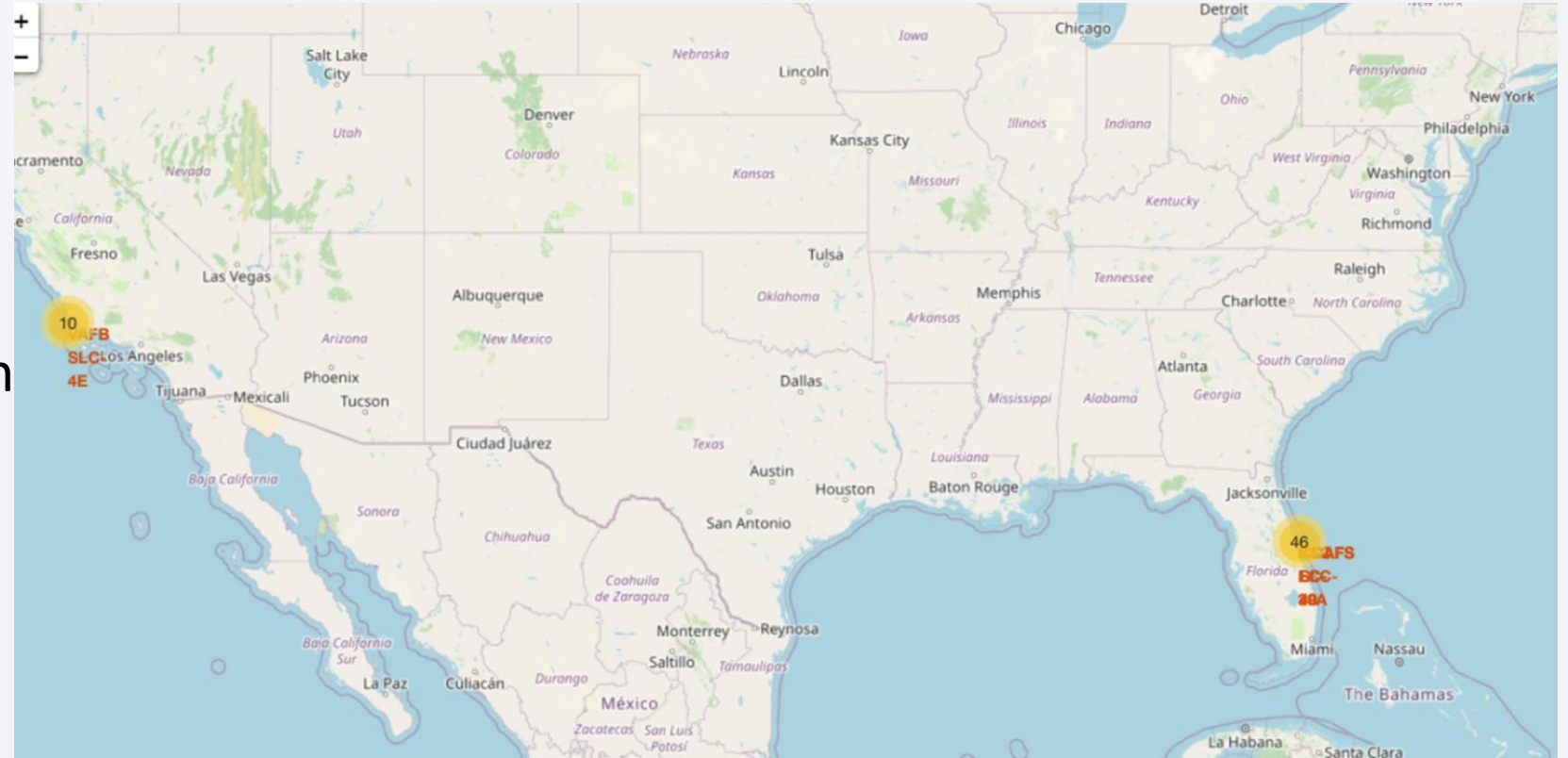
A satellite view of Earth from space, showing the curvature of the planet and city lights at night. The background is a deep blue gradient.

Section 3

Launch Sites Proximities Analysis

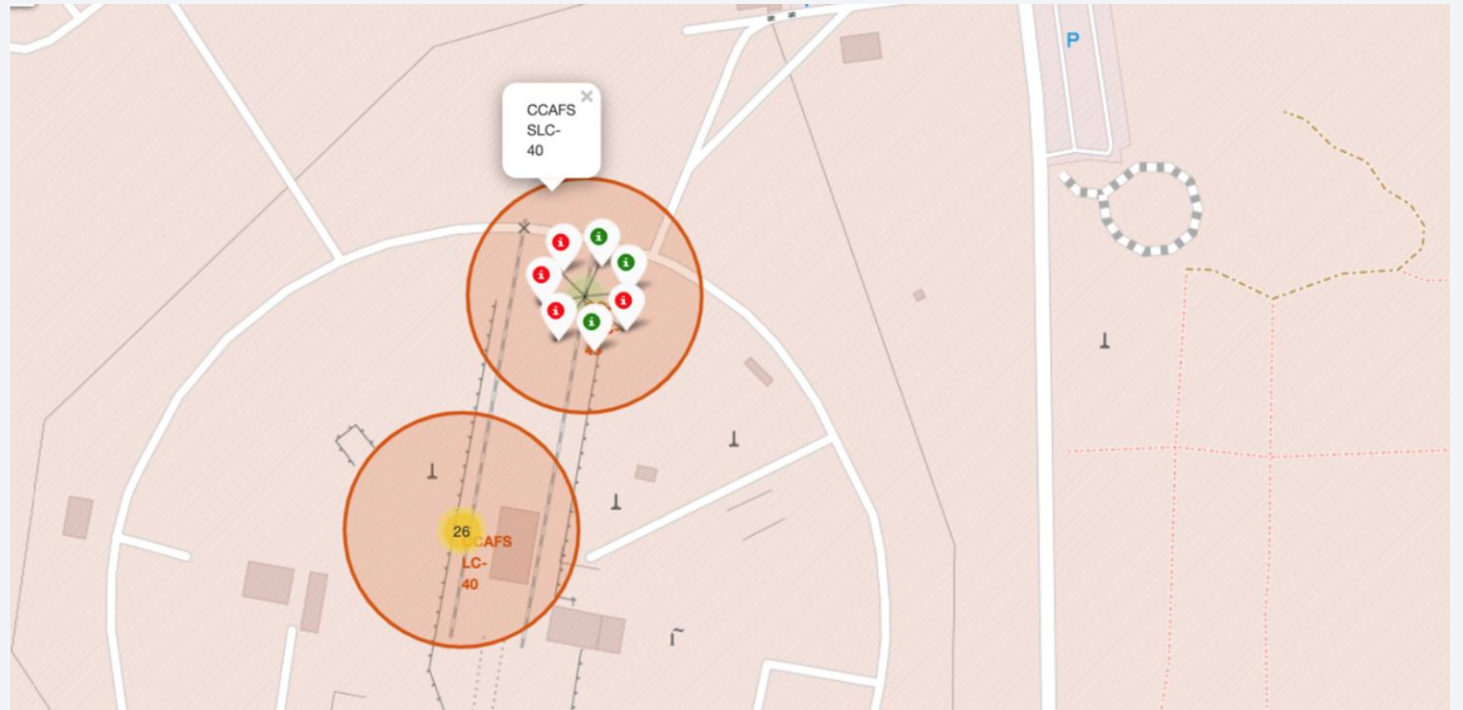
Launch Sites

Launch sites are by the ocean



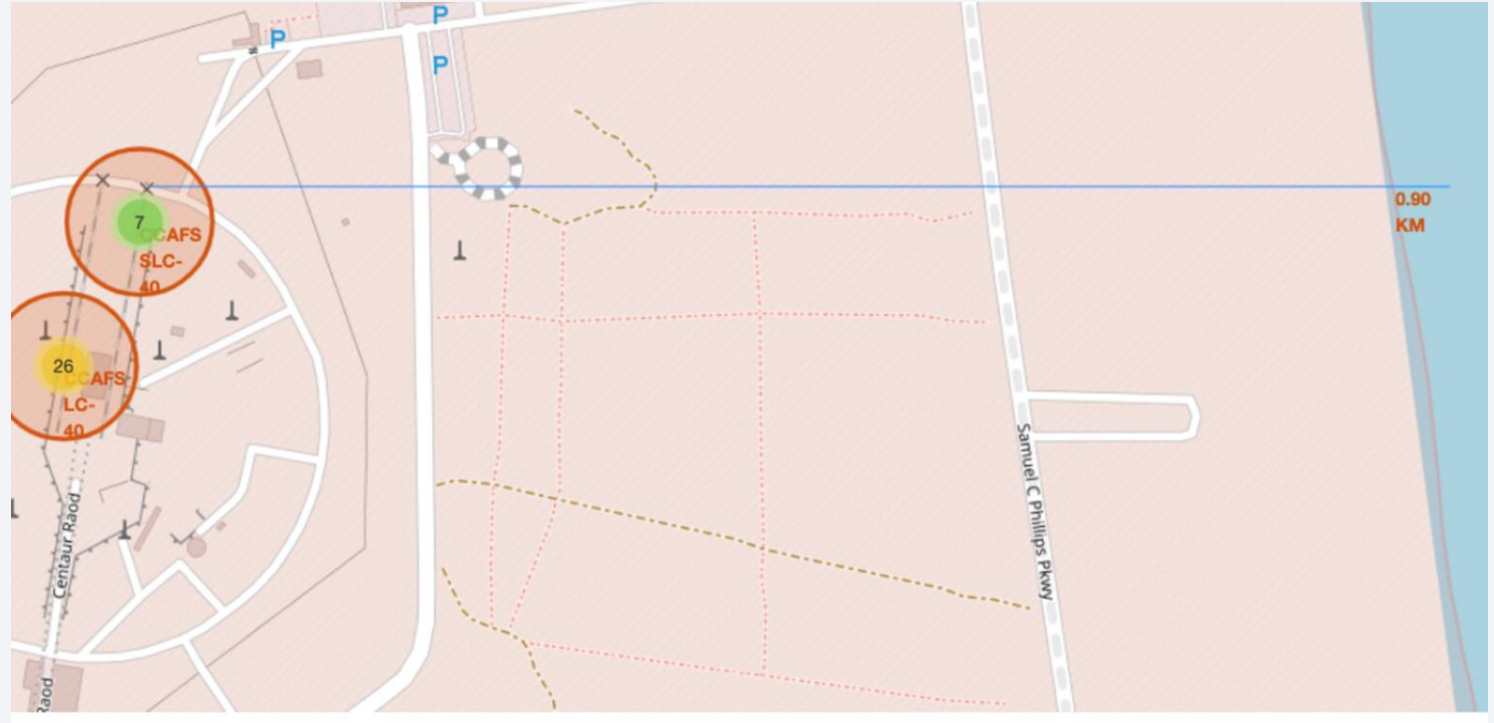
Launch Site CCFS SLC-40

Red = landing unsuccessful
Green = successful landing



AFS Launch Sites

There are 7 landings in AFS SLC- 40
There are 26 landings at AFSLC - 40





Section 4

Build a Dashboard with Plotly Dash

Dashboard



Section 5

Predictive Analysis (Classification)

Classification Accuracy

```
1 #find the best model
2 models = []
3 models.append(('Logistic Regression', logreg_cv))
4 models.append(('SVM', svm_cv))
5 models.append(('Decision Tree', tree_cv))
6 models.append(('KNN', knn_cv))
7
8 # evaluate each model in turn
9 results = []
10 names = []
11 for name, model in models:
12     results.append(model.score(X_test, Y_test))
13     names.append(name)
14 tr_split = pd.DataFrame({'Name': names, 'Score': results})
15
16 # print the table of scores sorted by descending accuracy
17 tr_split.sort_values(by='Score', ascending=False)
18
19
20
```

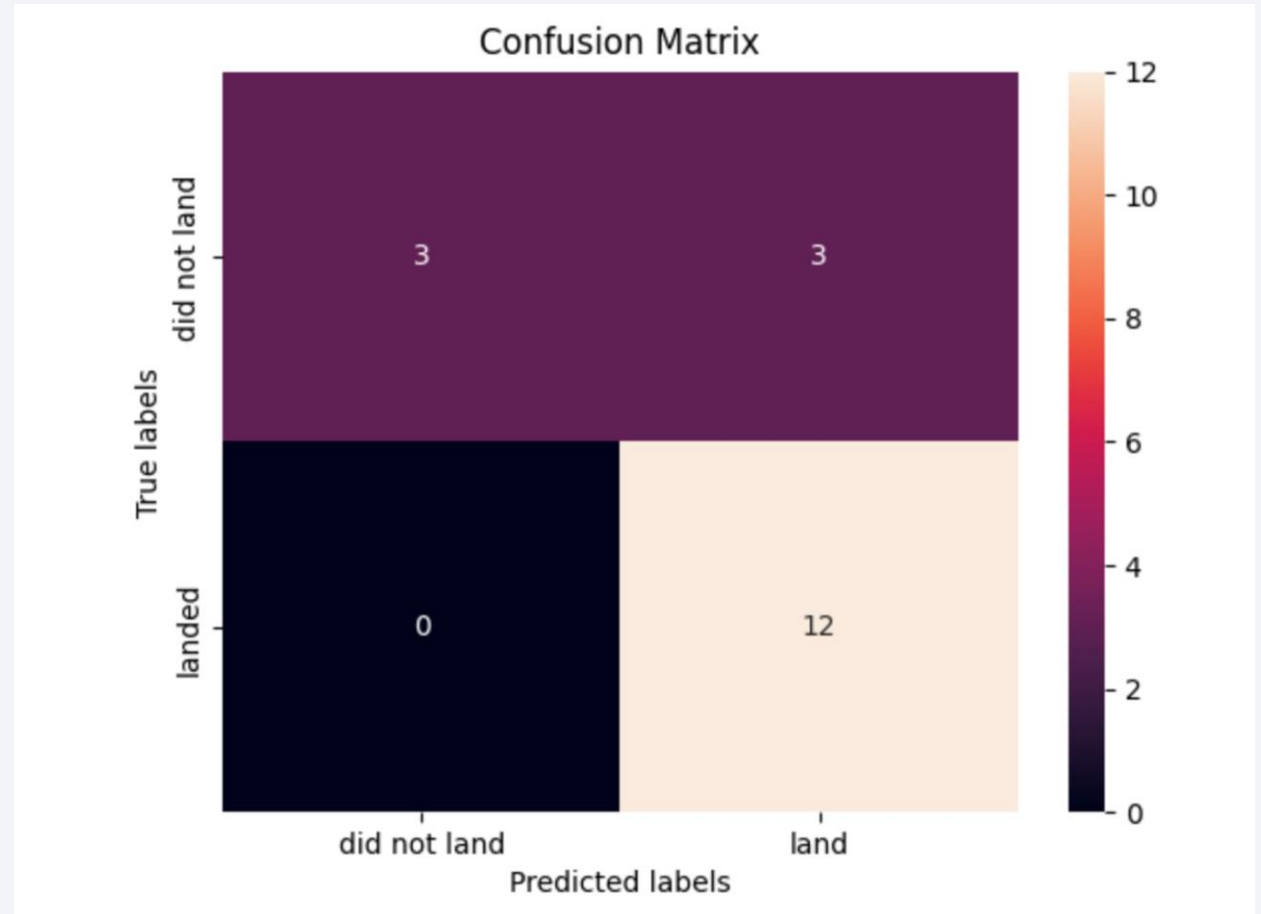
Python

	Name	Score
1	SVM	0.777778
3	KNN	0.777778
0	Logistic Regression	0.722222
2	Decision Tree	0.722222

Svm is the most Accurate Model

Confusion Matrix

The only issue here is a small proportion of false positives, it is however the smallest one amongst all models



Conclusions

- Landing site KSC-LC 39A has the most successful landings
- The SVM model is the best for predicting whether or not a spacecraft will land successfully or not
- Its best to do the positive landings closer to land, so that they are more easily reusable.

Thank you!

