

# Final Assignment\_Web scraping

March 5, 2023

## Extracting Stock Data Using a Web Scraping

Not all stock data is available via API in this assignment; you will use web-scraping to obtain financial data. You will be quizzed on your results.

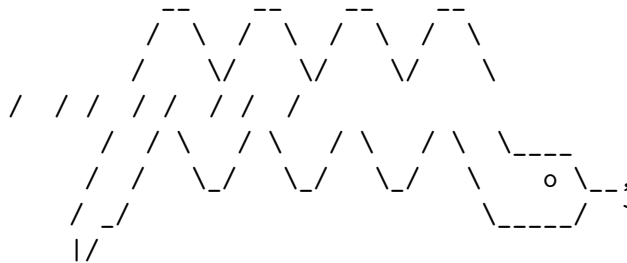
Using beautiful soup we will extract historical share data from a web-page.

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Estimated Time Needed: 30 min

```
[1]: #!pip install pandas==1.3.3
     #!pip install requests==2.26.0
     !mamba install bs4==4.10.0 -y
     !mamba install html5lib==1.1 -y
     !pip install lxml==4.6.4
     #!pip install plotly==5.3.1
```



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GitHub: <https://github.com/mamba-org/mamba>  
Twitter: <https://twitter.com/QuantStack>

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- python 3.7.\*

Transaction

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- bs4==4.10.0
- ca-certificates
- certifi
- openssl

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+ bs4	4.10.0	hd3eb1b0_0	pkgs/main/noarch	10 KB
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- ca-certificates	2022.9.24	ha878542_0	installed	
+ ca-certificates	2023.01.10	h06a4308_0	pkgs/main/linux-64	120 KB
- certifi	2022.9.24	pyhd8ed1ab_0	installed	
+ certifi	2022.12.7	py37h06a4308_0	pkgs/main/linux-64	150 KB
- openssl	1.1.1s	h0b41bf4_1	installed	
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Downgrade:

- beautifulsoup4	4.11.1	pyha770c72_0	installed	
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Summary:

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Upgrade: 3 packages

Downgrade: 1 packages

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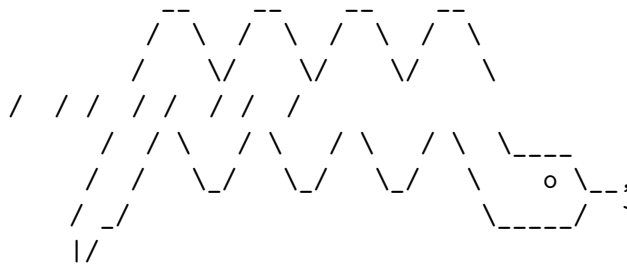
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GitHub: <https://github.com/mamba-org/mamba>

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/QuantStack>

Looking for: ['html5lib==1.1']

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- python 3.7.\*

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- html5lib==1.1
- ca-certificates
- certifi
- openssl

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+ webencodings	0.5.1	py37_1	pkgs/main/linux-64	19 KB

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    Uninstalling lxml-4.9.1:
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the packages that are installed. This behaviour is the source of the following
dependency conflicts.

yfinance 0.2.4 requires beautifulsoup4>=4.11.1, but you have beautifulsoup4
4.10.0 which is incompatible.

yfinance 0.2.4 requires lxml>=4.9.1, but you have lxml 4.6.4 which is
incompatible.

Successfully installed lxml-4.6.4

```

```

[2]: import pandas as pd
      import requests
      from bs4 import BeautifulSoup

```

## 0.1 Using Webscraping to Extract Stock Data Example

First we must use the `request` library to download the webpage, and extract the text. We will extract Netflix stock data [https://cf-courses-data.s3.us.cloud-object-storage.appdomain.cloud/IBMDeveloperSkillsNetwork-PY0220EN-SkillsNetwork/labs/project/netflix\\_data\\_webpage.html](https://cf-courses-data.s3.us.cloud-object-storage.appdomain.cloud/IBMDeveloperSkillsNetwork-PY0220EN-SkillsNetwork/labs/project/netflix_data_webpage.html).

```

[3]: url = "https://cf-courses-data.s3.us.cloud-object-storage.appdomain.cloud/
      ↪IBMDeveloperSkillsNetwork-PY0220EN-SkillsNetwork/labs/project/
      ↪netflix_data_webpage.html"

      data = requests.get(url).text

```

Next we must parse the text into html using `beautiful_soup`



```
[4]: soup = BeautifulSoup(data, 'html5lib')
```

Now we can turn the html table into a pandas dataframe

```
[5]: netflix_data = pd.DataFrame(columns=["Date", "Open", "High", "Low", "Close",  
    ↪ "Volume"])  
  
# First we isolate the body of the table which contains all the information  
# Then we loop through each row and find all the column values for each row  
for row in soup.find("tbody").find_all('tr'):  
    col = row.find_all("td")  
    date = col[0].text  
    Open = col[1].text  
    high = col[2].text  
    low = col[3].text  
    close = col[4].text  
    adj_close = col[5].text  
    volume = col[6].text  
  
    # Finally we append the data of each row to the table  
    netflix_data = netflix_data.append({"Date":date, "Open":Open, "High":high,  
    ↪ "Low":low, "Close":close, "Adj Close":adj_close, "Volume":volume},  
    ↪ ignore_index=True)
```

We can now print out the dataframe

```
[6]: netflix_data.head()
```

```
[6]:
```

	Date	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Adj Close
0	Jun 01, 2021	504.01	536.13	482.14	528.21	78,560,600	528.21
1	May 01, 2021	512.65	518.95	478.54	502.81	66,927,600	502.81
2	Apr 01, 2021	529.93	563.56	499.00	513.47	111,573,300	513.47
3	Mar 01, 2021	545.57	556.99	492.85	521.66	90,183,900	521.66
4	Feb 01, 2021	536.79	566.65	518.28	538.85	61,902,300	538.85

We can also use the pandas read\_html function using the url

```
[7]: read_html_pandas_data = pd.read_html(url)
```

Or we can convert the BeautifulSoup object to a string

```
[8]: read_html_pandas_data = pd.read_html(str(soup))
```

Beacause there is only one table on the page, we just take the first table in the list returned

```
[9]: netflix_dataframe = read_html_pandas_data[0]  
  
netflix_dataframe.head()
```

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[9]:
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	Date	Open	High	Low	Close*	Adj Close**	Volume
0	Jun 01, 2021	504.01	536.13	482.14	528.21	528.21	78560600
1	May 01, 2021	512.65	518.95	478.54	502.81	502.81	66927600
2	Apr 01, 2021	529.93	563.56	499.00	513.47	513.47	111573300
3	Mar 01, 2021	545.57	556.99	492.85	521.66	521.66	90183900
4	Feb 01, 2021	536.79	566.65	518.28	538.85	538.85	61902300

## 0.2 Using Webscraping to Extract Stock Data Exercise

Use the `requests` library to download the webpage [https://cf-courses-data.s3.us.cloud-object-storage.appdomain.cloud/IBMDeveloperSkillsNetwork-PY0220EN-SkillsNetwork/labs/project/amazon\\_data\\_webpage.html](https://cf-courses-data.s3.us.cloud-object-storage.appdomain.cloud/IBMDeveloperSkillsNetwork-PY0220EN-SkillsNetwork/labs/project/amazon_data_webpage.html). Save the text of the response as a variable named `html_data`.

```
[10]: url = "https://cf-courses-data.s3.us.cloud-object-storage.appdomain.cloud/
↳IBMDeveloperSkillsNetwork-PY0220EN-SkillsNetwork/labs/project/
↳amazon_data_webpage.html"

data = requests.get(url).text
```

Parse the html data using `beautiful_soup`.

```
[11]: soup = BeautifulSoup(data, 'html5lib')
```

Question 1 What is the content of the title attribute:

```
[20]: soup.title
```

```
[20]: <title>Amazon.com, Inc. (AMZN) Stock Historical Prices & Data - Yahoo
Finance</title>
```

Using beautiful soup extract the table with historical share prices and store it into a dataframe named `amazon_data`. The dataframe should have columns `Date`, `Open`, `High`, `Low`, `Close`, `Adj Close`, and `Volume`. Fill in each variable with the correct data from the list `col`.

```
[13]: amazon_data = pd.DataFrame(columns=["Date", "Open", "High", "Low", "Close", "Adj
↳Close", "Volume"])

for row in soup.find("tbody").find_all('tr'):
    col = row.find_all("td")
    date = col[0].text
    Open = col[1].text
    high = col[2].text
    low = col[3].text
    close = col[4].text
    adj_close = col[5].text
    volume = col[6].text
```

```
amazon_data = amazon_data.append({"Date":date, "Open":Open, "High":high,
↪ "Low":low, "Close":close, "Adj Close":adj_close, "Volume":volume},
↪ ignore_index=True)
```

Print out the first five rows of the `amazon_data` dataframe you created.

```
[14]: amazon_data.head()
```

```
[14]:
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	Date	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Adj Close
0	Jan 01, 2021	3,270.00	3,363.89	3,086.00	3,206.20	71,528,900	3,206.20
1	Dec 01, 2020	3,188.50	3,350.65	3,072.82	3,256.93	77,556,200	3,256.93
2	Nov 01, 2020	3,061.74	3,366.80	2,950.12	3,168.04	90,810,500	3,168.04
3	Oct 01, 2020	3,208.00	3,496.24	3,019.00	3,036.15	116,226,100	3,036.15
4	Sep 01, 2020	3,489.58	3,552.25	2,871.00	3,148.73	115,899,300	3,148.73

Question 2 What is the name of the columns of the dataframe

```
[16]: for col in amazon_data.columns:
      print(col)
```

```
Date
Open
High
Low
Close
Volume
Adj Close
```

Question 3 What is the `Open` of the last row of the `amazon_data` dataframe?

```
[15]: amazon_data.tail()
```

```
[15]:
```

	Date	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Adj Close
56	May 01, 2016	663.92	724.23	656.00	722.79	90,614,500	722.79
57	Apr 01, 2016	590.49	669.98	585.25	659.59	78,464,200	659.59
58	Mar 01, 2016	556.29	603.24	538.58	593.64	94,009,500	593.64
59	Feb 01, 2016	578.15	581.80	474.00	552.52	124,144,800	552.52
60	Jan 01, 2016	656.29	657.72	547.18	587.00	130,200,900	587.00

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### 0.3 Change Log

Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	Version	Changed By	Change Description
2021-06-09	1.2	Lakshmi Holla	Added URL in question 3
2020-11-10	1.1	Malika Singla	Deleted the Optional part
2020-08-27	1.0	Malika Singla	Added lab to GitLab

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