Documentation of NPD final assignment

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1 Installation

2 Code Overview

2.1 download.py

2.1.1 get_sheet_links_names

This functions is fitted to crawl and return implicit links and names of the <code>.xlsx</code> files from the government stat website used in this program.

The function's inner working:

- Keyword arguments:
 - year, default value: 2019. This kwarg is responsible for choosing which year you want to download the files from. It is a simplified application, only restricted to scope of this program, because only sites with data for 2019 and 2020 have so similar urls.

• Procedure:

- The procedure crawls webpage and collects all html segments containing href links
- Then we cut this list looking for our characterically-shaped file links (36-character coded), as only 5 of those are among the links
- Lastly we parse for according names, as we need those for saving the downloaded .xlsx files.