

Delivery II: Sanctions Stream Project Overview

Project Overview

This project provides a containerized pipeline for ingesting the **United Nations Security Council Sanctions List** from an Excel file and storing it in a local SQLite database. It also includes streaming ingestion script for collecting tweets related to sanctions.

Script and README can be found in the Delivery II folder

Please see **SanctionsStream_Code_Overview.txt** if you have issues opening the code

1. ingest_sanctions.py

Purpose:

Reads the Excel file, removes empty rows, and stores the cleaned data in a SQLite database (sanctions.db).

Usage:

1. Place the Excel file named 'Consolidated United Nations Security Council Sanctions List.xlsx' in the project directory.
2. Run the script manually:
`python ingest_sanctions.py`

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1 python ingest_sanctions.py
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```

Or run it inside a container (see Docker instructions below).

2. Dockerfile

Purpose:

Defines a lightweight Python environment using python:3.10-slim, installs required dependencies (pandas, openpyxl), and runs the ingestion script.

Usage:

1. Build the Docker image:
`docker build -t sanctions-ingestor .`

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1 docker build -t sanctions-ingestor .
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2. Run the container:

`docker run --rm -v $(pwd):/app sanctions-ingestor`

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1 docker run --rm -v $(pwd):/app sanctions-ingestor
2
```

3. docker-compose.yml

Purpose:

Simplifies container management by defining a service named sanctions_ingestor.

Usage:

1. Ensure your Excel file is in the root directory.

2. Start the service:

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docker-compose up --build
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1 docker-compose up --build
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```

3. Stop the service:

```
docker-compose down
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1 docker-compose down
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```

4. streaming_ingest.py

Purpose:

Connects to the Twitter API using tweepy, searches for recent tweets about 'sanctions', and stores them in a SQLite database (tweets.db).

Usage:

1. Replace 'YOUR_TWITTER_BEARER_TOKEN' with your actual Twitter API bearer token.

2. Run the script:

```
python streaming_ingest.py
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1 python streaming_ingest.py
2
```

Note: You must have a valid Twitter Developer account and bearer token to use this script.

5. Scheduling

To automate the ingestion process:

- Use cron for simple time-based scheduling.
- Use Apache Airflow for more complex workflows and monitoring.