

# Winning Space Race with Data Science

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## **Executive Summary**

- Summary of methodologies
  - Data collection
  - Data wrangling
  - Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) with SQL
  - EDA with Matplotlib
  - Building an interactive map with Folium
  - Building a Dashboard with Plotly Dash
  - Predictive analysis
- Summary of all results
  - Exploratory Data Analysis
  - Interactive analysis
  - Predictive analysis

#### Introduction

- Project background and context
  - SpaceX advertises Dlacon9 rocket launches on its website with a cost of 62 million dollars, while
    other providers cost upward of 165 million dollars. The saving was achieved by SpaceX because
    Space X can reuse the first stage.
  - If we can predict whether the first stage can successfully land, we can determine the cost of a launch
- Problems you want to find answers
  - What factors determine if the first stage of the rocket launch can land successfully
  - Build a predictive model



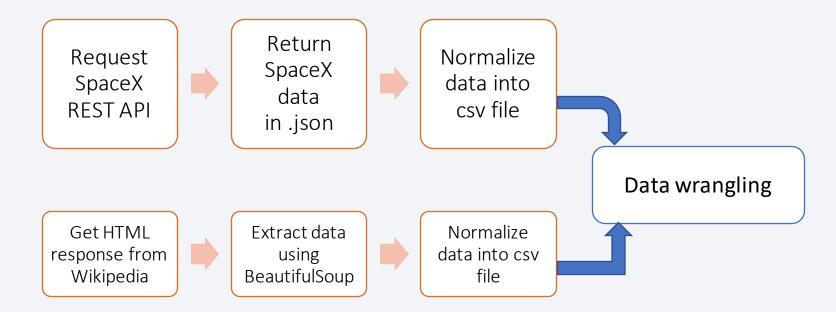
## Methodology

#### **Executive Summary**

- Data collection methodology:
  - SpaceX Rest API
  - Web Scrapping from Wikipedia
- Perform data wrangling
  - One Hot Encoding applied to categorical variables
  - Data cleaning of null values and irrelevant columns
- Perform exploratory data analysis (EDA) using SQL and Matplotlib
- Perform interactive visual analytics using Folium and Plotly Dash
- Perform predictive analysis using classification models
  - LR, KNN, SVM, DT models and evaluation

#### **Data Collection**

- SpaceX launch data was obtained from the SpaceX REST API
- Falcon9 launch data was obtained by web scraping Wikipedia using BeautifulSoup



## Data Collection - SpaceX API

- Get request to obtain the data
- Normalize by json\_normalize()

https://github.com/PomuPomu8/Testrepo/blo b/master/REST\_API.ipynb

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         Using the dataframe data print the first 5 rows
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## **Data Collection - Scraping**

- Get request from HTML
- Beautifulsoup

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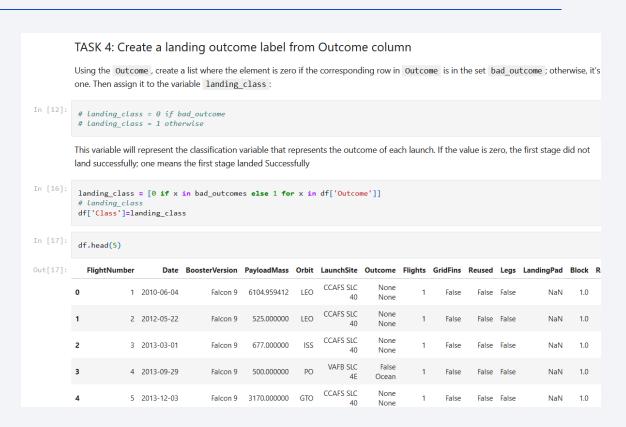
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## **Data Wrangling**

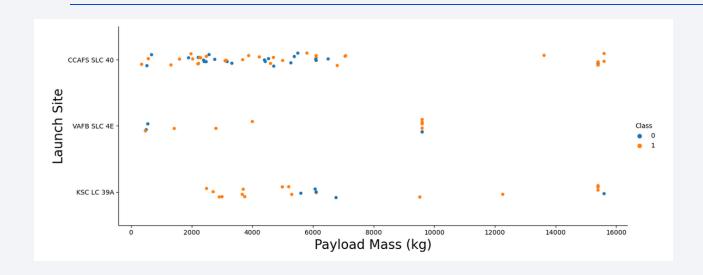
- Calculate the number of launches on each site
- Calculate the number and occurrence of each orbit
- Calculate the number of occurrence of mission outcome per orbit type
- Create a landing outcome label from outcome column

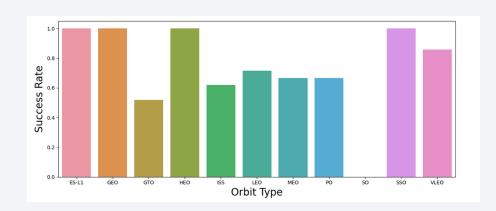
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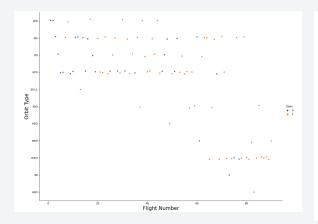
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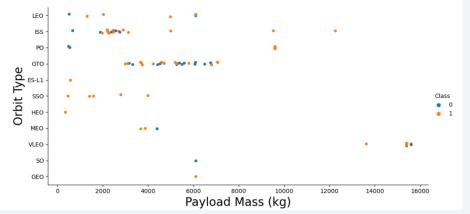


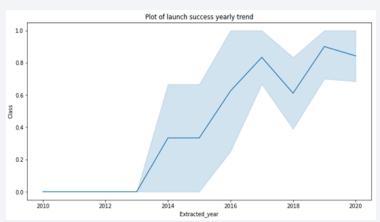
## EDA with Data Visualization - Matplotlib











#### **EDA** with Data Visualization

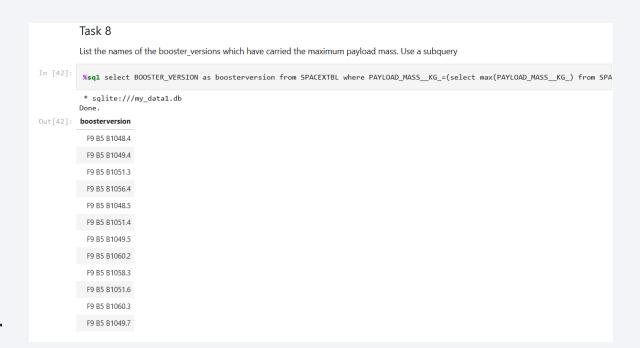
 Create dummy variables to categorical columns

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## **EDA** with SQL

- Load SpaceX data into a PostgreSQL database
- SQL queries such as:
- Name of unique launch sites in the space mission
- Total payload mass carried by boosters launched by NASA(CRS)
- Average payload mass carried by booster version F9 v1,1
- Total number of successful and failure mission outcomes



## Build an Interactive Map with Folium

- Marked all launch sites, and added map objects to mark the success or failure of launches for each site
- Create a cluster map to find the locations with high landing sucess
- Calculate the distances between a launch site to its proximities:
  - Are launch sites near railways, highways and coastlines?
  - Do launch sites keep distance away from cities?

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## Build a Interactive Dashboard with Plotly Dash

- Interactive dashboard with Plotly dash
- Dropdown list: 'Select a launch site here'
- Plot pie charts showing the total launches by each site
- Plot scatter graph showing the relationship with outcome and payload mass for the different booster version

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## Predictive Analysis (Classification)

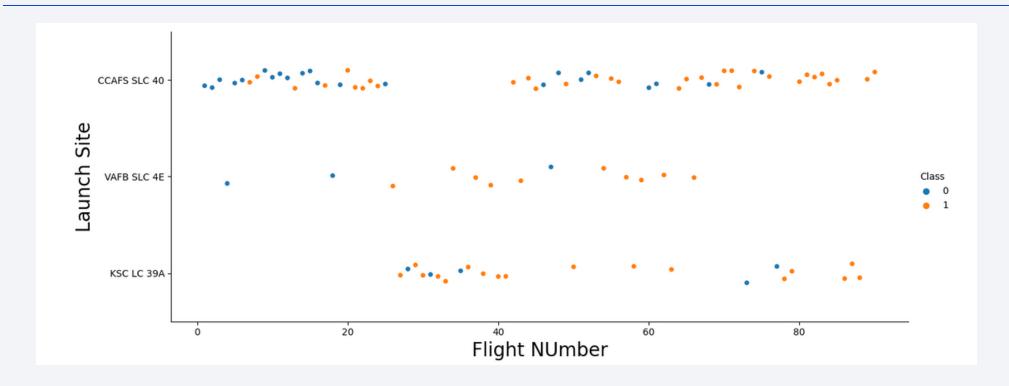
- Create Numpyarray
- Split the data into training and testing sets (20%)
- Different models:
  - Logistic regression
  - SVM
  - Decision trree
  - KNN
- Evaluation by GridSearchCV
- Determine the best model by highest accuracy (R2 score)

#### Results

- Logistic regression, SVM and KNN models were the best in terms of accuracy
- Lower payload mass performed better, compared to heavier payload
- The success of SpaceX launch has been increasing since 2013
- Orbit GEP, HEO, SSO, ED L2 gave best success rate.
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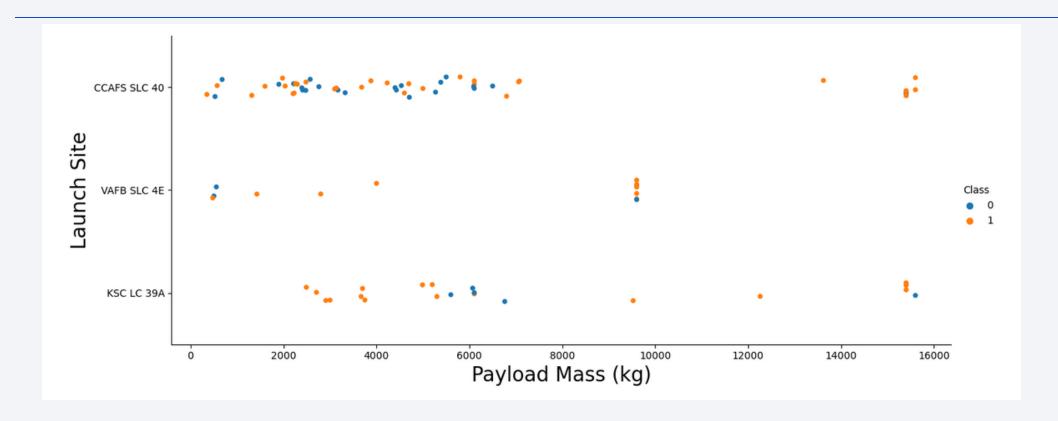


## Flight Number vs. Launch Site



• For CCAFS SLC 40 site, higher flight numbers have better success rate.

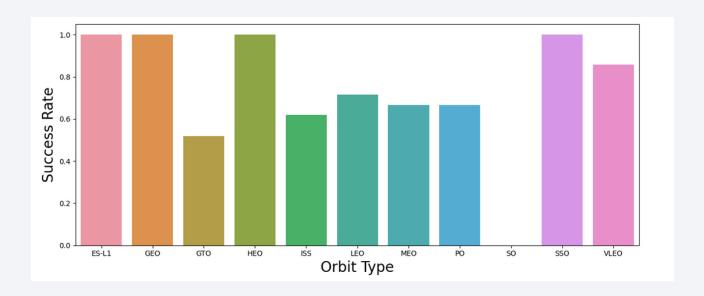
## Payload vs. Launch Site



• For CCAFS SLC 40, heavier payload mass had better success rate

## Success Rate vs. Orbit Type

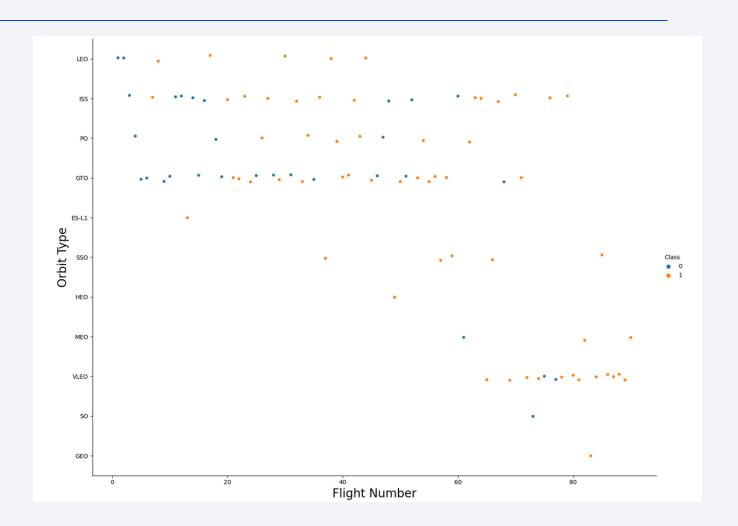
• ES-L1, GEO, HEO, SSO, VLEO had the best success rate



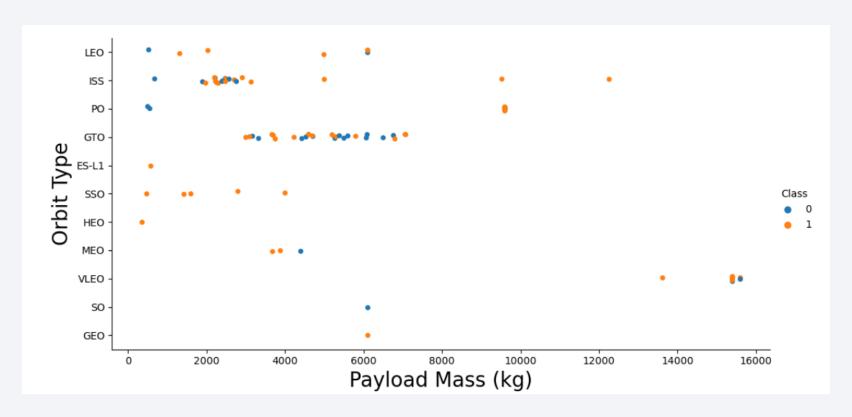
## Flight Number vs. Orbit Type

 For VLEO, higher flight number had more success

• For GTP, there seemed no relationship between success rate and flight number



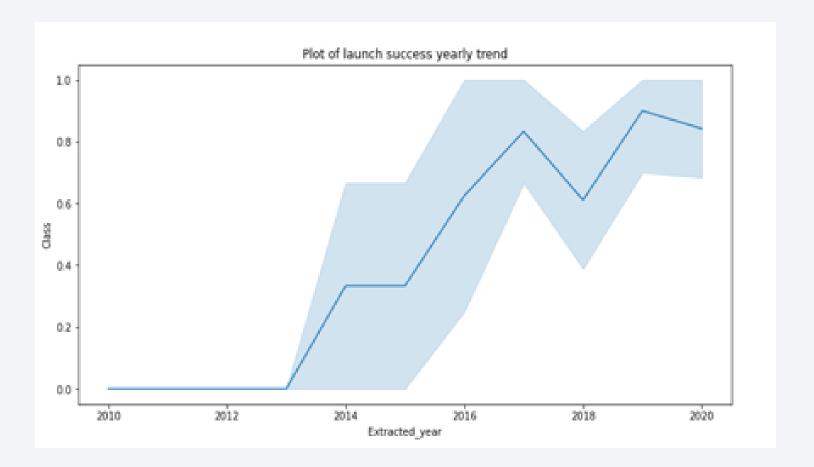
## Payload vs. Orbit Type



• PO. LEO and ISS orbits are used with heavierr payload mass

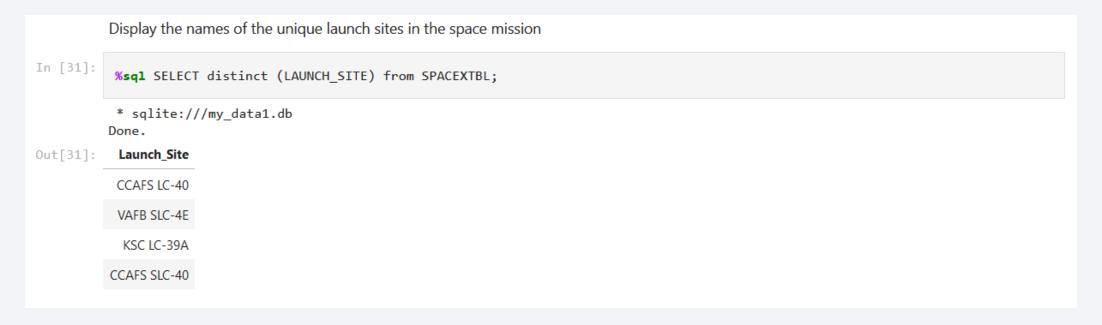
# Launch Success Yearly Trend

 Success of SpaceX launch has been increasing since 2013



## All Launch Site Names

• Used DISTINCT clause to show unique launch sites



# Launch Site Names Begin with 'CCA'

• Found 5 records where launch sites begin with `CCA`, using WHERE, LIKE and LIMIT clauses

	Task 2 Display 5 records where launch sites begin with the string 'CCA'												
In [91]:	<pre>* sqlite: Done.</pre>			ere LAUNCH_9	SITE LIKE ('CCA%'	) LIMIT 5;							
Out[91]:	Date	Time (UTC)	Booster_Version	Launch_Site	Payload	PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_	Orbit	Customer	Mission_Outcome	Landing _Outcome			
	04-06-2010	18:45:00	F9 v1.0 B0003	CCAFS LC-40	Dragon Spacecraft Qualification Unit	0	LEO	SpaceX	Success	Failure (parachute)			
	08-12-2010	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)			
	22-05-2012	07:44:00	F9 v1.0 B0005	CCAFS LC-40	Dragon demo flight C2	525	LEO (ISS)	NASA (COTS)	Success	No attempt			
	08-10-2012	00:35:00	F9 v1.0 B0006	CCAFS LC-40	SpaceX CRS-1	500	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CRS)	Success	No attempt			
	01-03-2013	15:10:00	F9 v1.0 B0007	CCAFS LC-40	SpaceX CRS-2	677	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CRS)	Success	No attempt			

## **Total Payload Mass**

Calculated the total payload mass = 45596 kg

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Task 3
Display the total payload mass carried by boosters launched by NASA (CRS)

In [89]: 
**sql select sum(PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_) as payloadmasskg from SPACEXTBL Where Customer = 'NASA (CRS)';

**sqlite:///my_data1.db
Done.

Out[89]: 
payloadmasskg

45596
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## Average Payload Mass by F9 v1.1

 Calculated the average payload mass carried by booster version F9 v1.1 = 2928.4 kg

## First Successful Ground Landing Date

- Found the dates of the first successful landing outcome on ground pad
- = December 22, 2015

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Task 5

List the date when the first succesful landing outcome in ground pad was acheived.

Hint:Use min function

In [87]:

**Seq1

SELECT min(substr(Date,7,4) || substr(Date,4,2) || substr(Date,1,2))

from SPACEXTBL
where "Landing _Outcome" ='Success (ground pad)';

* sqlite:///my_data1.db
Done.

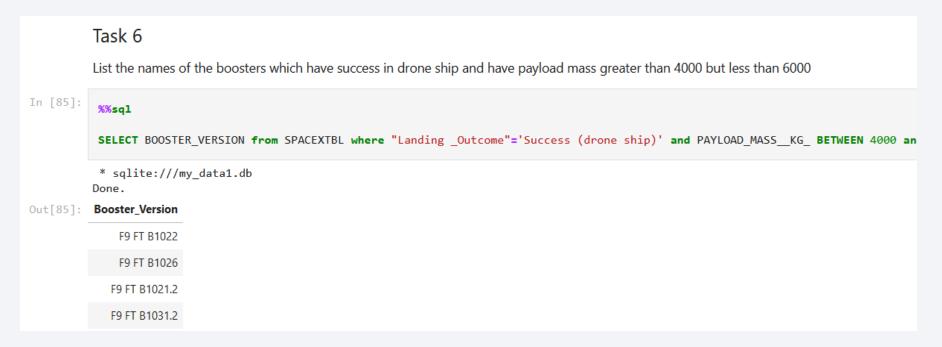
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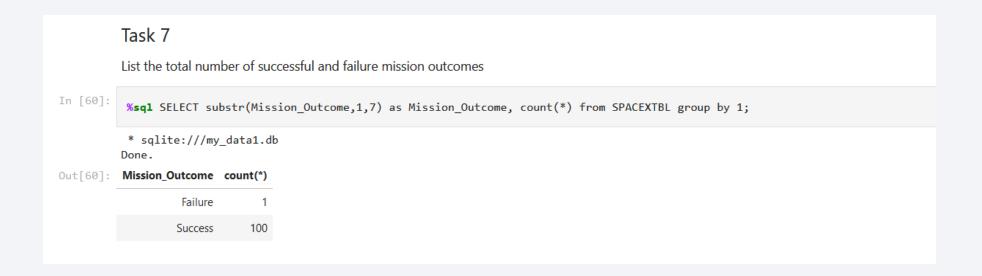
#### Successful Drone Ship Landing with Payload between 4000 and 6000

 List the names of boosters which have successfully landed on drone ship and had payload mass greater than 4000 but less than 6000, using AND and BETWEEN clauses



#### Total Number of Successful and Failure Mission Outcomes

- Total number of successful and failure mission outcomes
- = Success: 100, Failure: 0



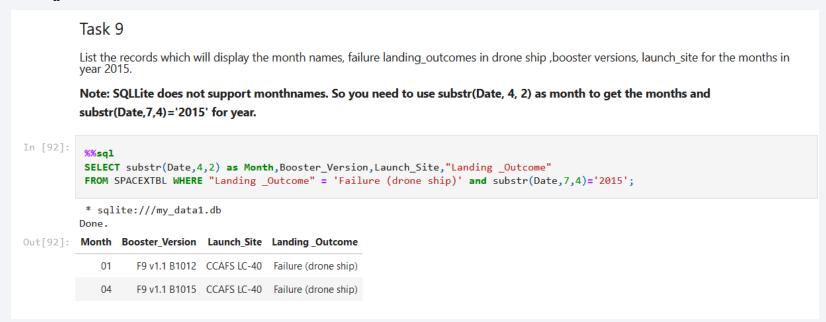
## **Boosters Carried Maximum Payload**

• Listed the names of the booster which have carried the maximum payload mass, using MAX clause

	Task 8							
	List the names of the booster_versions which have carried the maximum payload mass. Use a subquery							
In [42]:	%sql select BOOSTER_VERSION as boosterversion from SPACEXTBL where PAYLOAD_MASSKG_=(select max(PAYLOAD_MASSKG_) from SPACEXTBL where PAYLOAD_MASSKG_TG_TG_TG_TG_TG_TG_TG_TG_TG_TG_TG_TG_TG							
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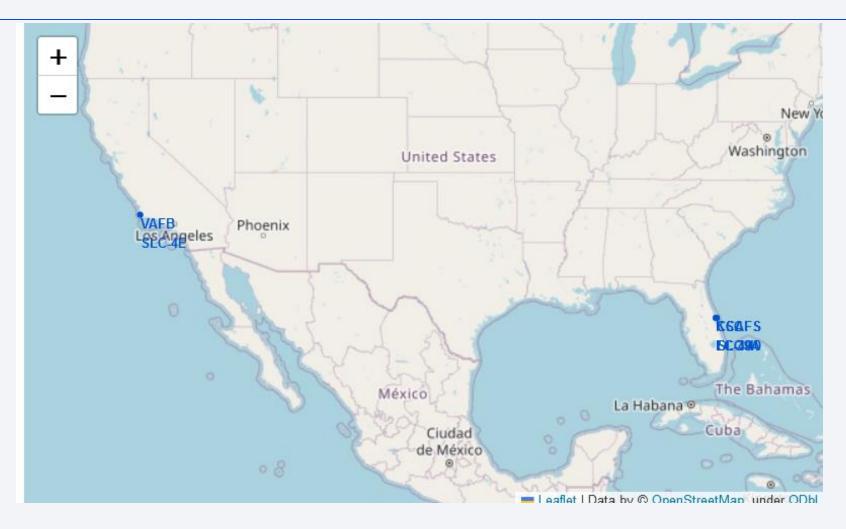
#### 2015 Launch Records

 Listed the failed landing\_outcomes in drone ship, their booster versions, and launch site names for in year 2015, using WHERE, AND clauses, and substr()



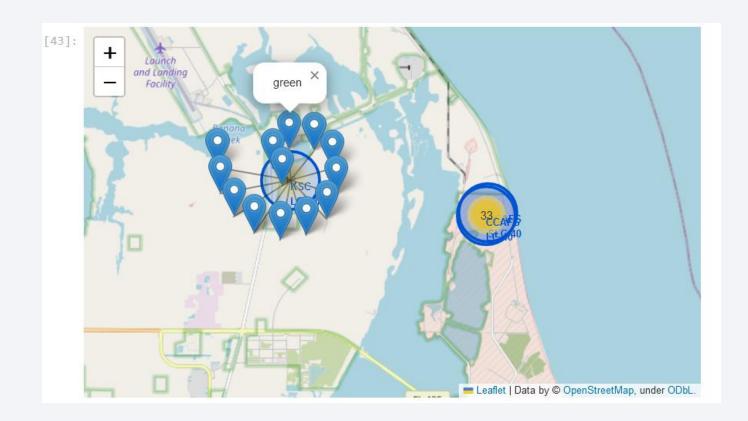


## All launch sites marked on a global map



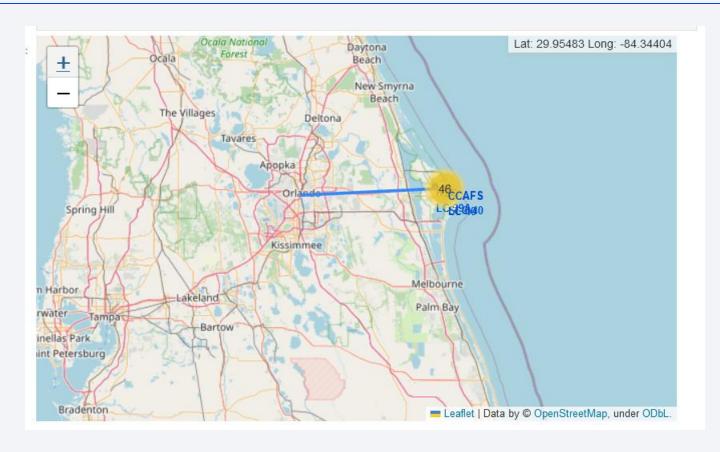
• Launch sites are coastal areas in California and Florida

## Success/failed launches marked on the map



• Cluster marker showed sites with higher success

## Distances between launch site to its proximites



• Distance from the launch site to Orlando city

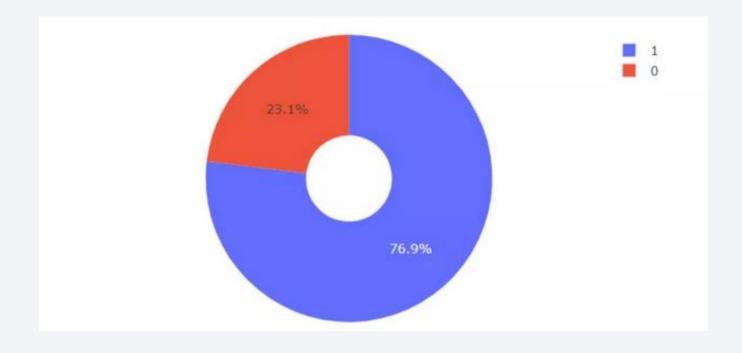


# Total success by each launch sites



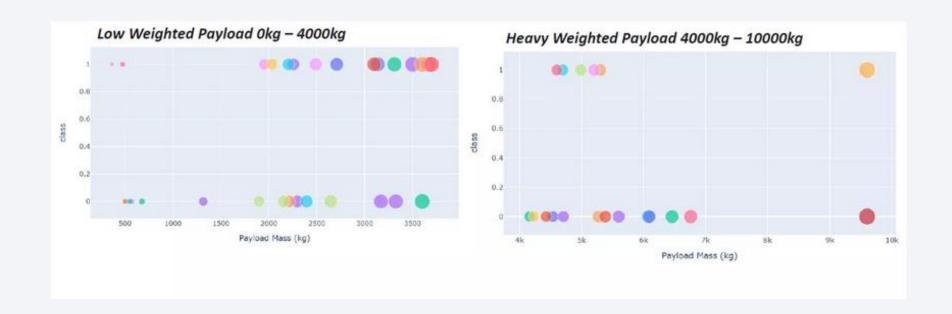
• KSC LC-39A had the most successful launches among all the sites

# Succes rate by sites KSC LC-39A



KSC LC-39A success rate was 76.9 %

#### Payload vs Launch outcome for all sites, ranging different payload masses



• Lighter payload performed better, compared to heavier payload mass



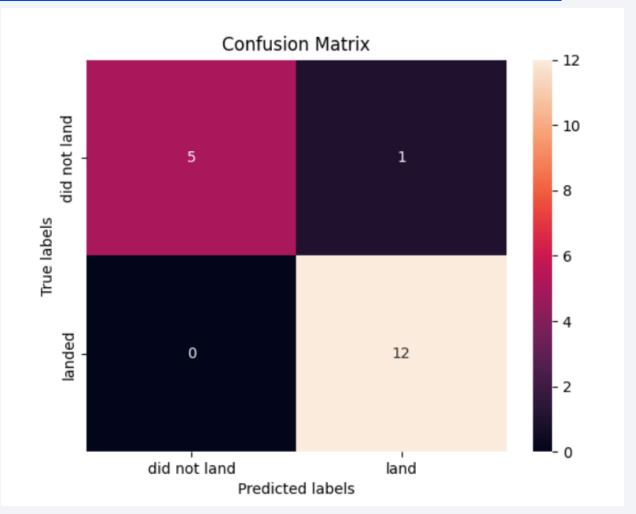
## Classification Accuracy

- Used GridSearch to identify best parameters
- Accuracy score was calculated for the test data
- Logistc regression, SVM and KNN models performed better, compared to Decision Tree model



### **Confusion Matrix**

- Logistic regression distinguished between the different classes
- Major problem is false positives (i.e. unsuccessful landings marked as successful)



#### Conclusions

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Exploratory Data Analysis - SQL	https://github.com/PomuPomu8/Testrepo/blob/master/jupyter-labs-eda-sql-coursera_sqllite.ipynb
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Predictive analysis – classification model	https://github.com/PomuPomu8/Testrepo/blob/master/IBM-DS0321EN-SkillsNetwork_labs_module_4_SpaceX_Machine_Learning_Prediction_Part_5.jupyterlite.ipynb

