Install IPython

From the top left menu, Open a terminal: Applications => System Tools => Terminal

Type:

```
sudo easy_install ipython==1.2.1
```

Hit enter, administrator password is **cloudera**.

Launch pyspark with IPython

Every time you need to open the pyspark shell, open a terminal and type:

```
PYSPARK_DRIVER_PYTHON=ipython pyspark
```

Hit enter, after the startup logs, you should see the pyspark console:

Check version

To make sure that PySpark started correctly, print out the version by typing in the PySpark IPython terminal:

```
sc.version
```

Verify that the output is:

```
u'1.3.0'
```