

Starting with Jupyter in Your Computer

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What is Jupyter?

- “The Jupyter Notebook is an open-source web application that allows you to create and share documents that contain live code, equations, visualizations and narrative text.”
- “Uses include: data cleaning and transformation, numerical simulation, statistical modeling, data visualization, machine learning, and much more.”

(Copy from [official web page of Jupyter.](#))

Install Jupyter

- First, create a new environment names “jupy”.

`conda create --name jupy python=3`

- Activate “jupy”

In Linux and macOS:

`source activate jupy`

In Windows:

`activate jupy`

Install Jupyter

- Input command:

`pip install jupyter`

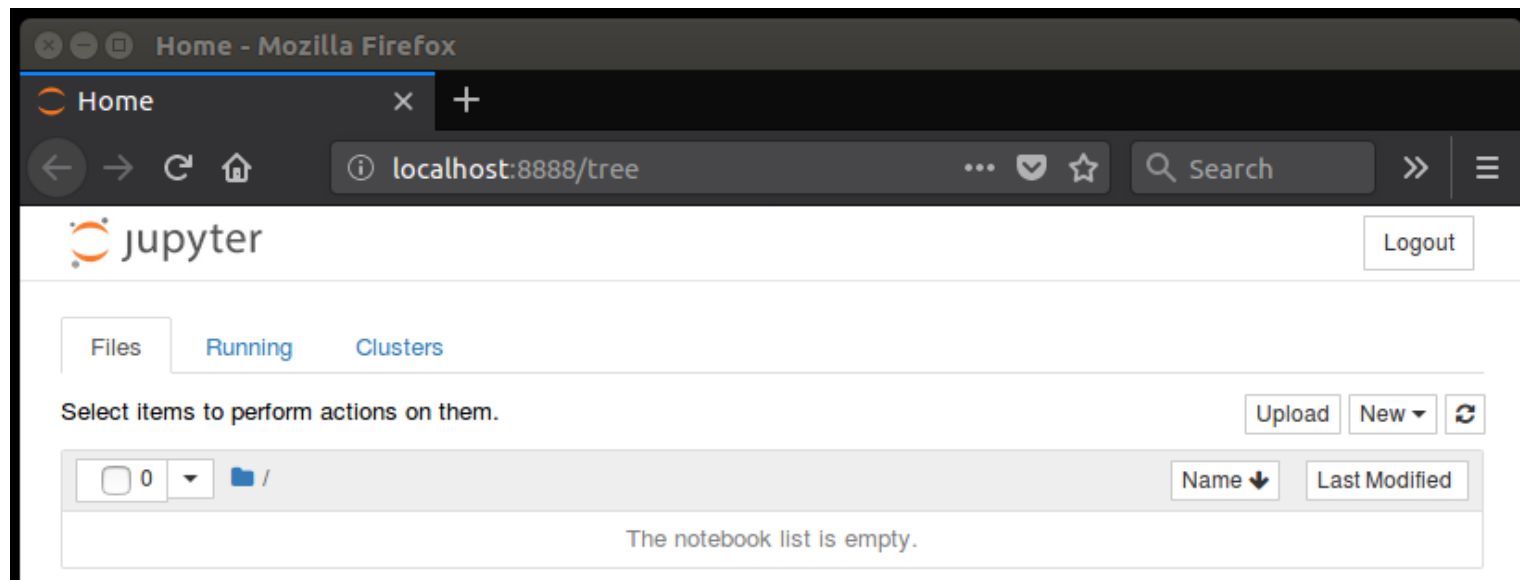
- Verify installation:

`conda list`

- You can find jupyter in the list.

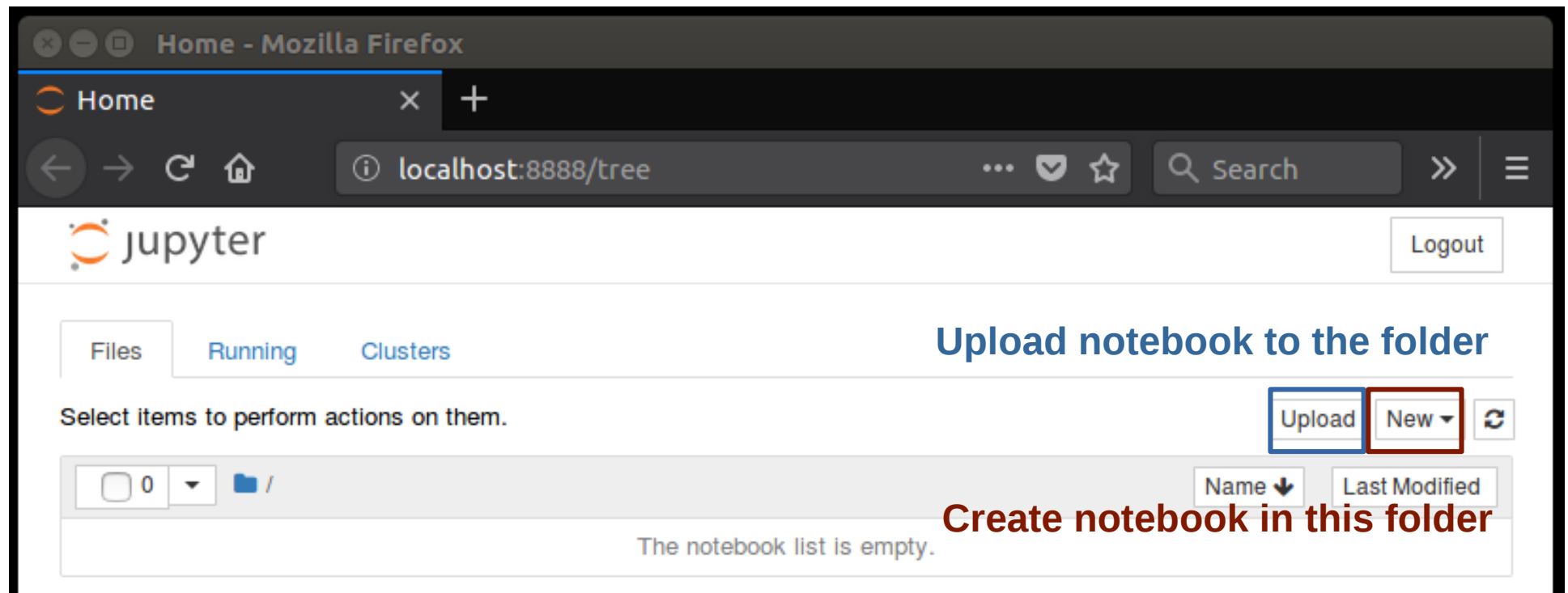
Start Jupyter

- At first, create a directory names “test_jupy”.
- Change the working directory to “test_jupy”.
- Start Jupyter by the command:
`jupyter notebook`
- Browser is opened and it looks like the image below.



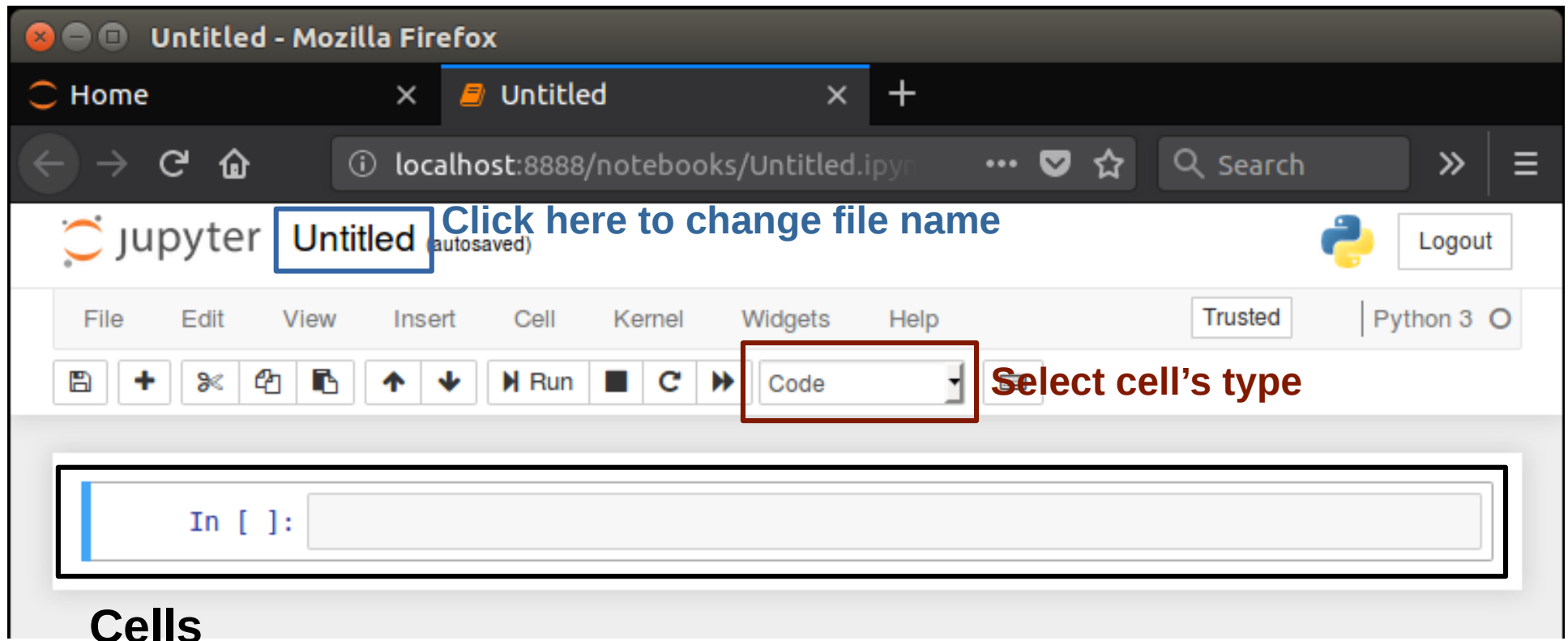
Create Notebook

- Click “New”, select “Python 3”.
- Browser opens a new tab.



Notebook

- Change the file's name to "test".
- Change cell's type.



Cell Types and Hotkeys

- Select one cell, and apply different hotkeys.

In []: *# Cell of Code Hotkey: Esc + y*

****Cell of Markdown**** Hotkey: Esc + m

Cell of Raw NBConvert (plain text) Hotkey: Esc + r

Cell of Header 1 Hotkey: Esc + 1

Cell of Header 2 Hotkey: Esc + 2

Cell of Header 3 Hotkey: Esc + 3

Cell of Header 4 Hotkey: Esc + 4

Cell of Header 5 Hotkey: Esc + 5

Cell of Header 6 Hotkey: Esc + 6

Other Hotkeys

- Save notebook: ESC + s
- Delete selected cell : ESC+ d + d
- Insert cell above: Esc + a
- Insert cell below: Esc + b
- Run selected cell: Ctrl + Enter
- See all hotkeys in:

Help → Keyboard Shortcuts

Manage Notebook

- Close “test” tab, back to “Home” page.
- The notebook you created appears in the list.
- Manage notebook after selecting the checkbox.



Run A Sample

- Create another notebook names “fibo”.
- In code cell, write a function to generate a Fibonacci sequence in given length.
- Click Ctrl + Enter to run cell.
- No output since it's a function.

```
In [1]: def fibo(n):  
        fibonacci = []  
        a, b = 0, 1  
        for i in range(n):  
            fibonacci.append(a)  
            a, b = b, a + b  
        return fibonacci
```

Run A Sample

- Insert a code cell below (Esc + b).
- In this cell, we call the function “fibo”, and print the output.
- Run cell by clicking Ctrl + Enter.

```
In [1]: def fibo(n):  
        fibonacci = []  
        a, b = 0, 1  
        for i in range(n):  
            fibonacci.append(a)  
            a, b = b, a + b  
        return fibonacci
```

```
In [2]: print(fibo(10))
```

```
[0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, 34]
```

Output Region

Run A Sample

- Add descriptions.

This is a function to generate Fibonacci sequence.
It has one parameter names "n" which indicates the
the length of the sequence.

```
In [1]: def fibo(n):  
        fibonacci = []  
        a, b = 0, 1  
        for i in range(n):  
            fibonacci.append(a)  
            a, b = b, a + b  
        return fibonacci
```

Call the function "fibo" with n equals to 10,
and print the output.

```
In [2]: print(fibo(10))
```

```
[0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, 34]
```

What's More

- In code cell, you can import libraries or implement a class. Each code cell seems like a python script. Remember, run it before call it.
- Plots can also be shown in Output region.

Stop Jupyter

- In command line, press Ctrl + c.
Input “y” and press Enter in 5 seconds.
Then you quit the jupyter notebook.
- Or press Ctrl + c + c.

More Reading

- [Jupyter Documentation](#)
- [A gallery of interesting Jupyter Notebooks](#)