Final Assignment_Webscraping

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Extracting Stock Data Using a Web Scraping

Not all stock data is available via API in this assignment; you will use web-scraping to obtain financial data. You will be quizzed on your results.

Using beautiful soup we will extract historical share data from a web-page.

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Estimated Time Needed: 30 min
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```
[1]: #!pip install pandas
#!pip install requests
!pip install bs4
#!pip install plotly
```

Collecting bs4

```
Downloading https://files.pythonhosted.org/packages/10/ed/7e8b97591f6f45617413 9ec089c769f89a94a1a4025fe967691de971f314/bs4-0.0.1.tar.gz Collecting beautifulsoup4 (from bs4)
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Downloading https://files.pythonhosted.org/packages/d1/41/e6495bd7d3781cee623ce23ea6ac73282a373088fcd0ddc809a047b18eae/beautifulsoup4-4.9.3-py3-none-any.whl (115kB)

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Collecting soupsieve>1.2; python_version >= "3.0" (from beautifulsoup4->bs4)
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Building wheels for collected packages: bs4

Building wheel for bs4 (setup.py) ... done

Stored in directory: /home/jupyterlab/.cache/pip/wheels/a0/b0/b2/4f80b94 56b87abedbc0bf2d52235414c3467d8889be38dd472

Successfully built bs4

Installing collected packages: soupsieve, beautifulsoup4, bs4 Successfully installed beautifulsoup4-4.9.3 bs4-0.0.1 soupsieve-2.2.1

```
[2]: import pandas as pd
import requests
from bs4 import BeautifulSoup
```

0.1 Using Webscraping to Extract Stock Data Example

First we must use the request library to downlaod the webpage, and extract the text. We will extract Netflix stock data https://cf-courses-data.s3.us.cloud-object-storage.appdomain.cloud/IBMDeveloperSkillsNetwork-PY0220EN-SkillsNetwork/labs/project/netflix_data_webpage.html.

Next we must parse the text into html using beautiful_soup

```
[4]: soup = BeautifulSoup(data, 'html5lib')
```

Now we can turn the html table into a pandas dataframe

```
[5]: netflix data = pd.DataFrame(columns=["Date", "Open", "High", "Low", "Close", |
     →"Volume"])
     # First we isolate the body of the table which contains all the information
     # Then we loop through each row and find all the column values for each row
     for row in soup.find("tbody").find_all('tr'):
         col = row.find_all("td")
         date = col[0].text
         Open = col[1].text
         high = col[2].text
         low = col[3].text
         close = col[4].text
         adj close = col[5].text
         volume = col[6].text
         # Finally we append the data of each row to the table
         netflix_data = netflix_data.append({"Date":date, "Open":Open, "High":high,u
      → "Low":low, "Close":close, "Adj Close":adj_close, "Volume":volume}, __
      →ignore_index=True)
```

We can now print out the dataframe

```
[6]: netflix_data.head()
```

```
[6]:
                Date
                        Open
                                                Close
                                 High
                                          Low
                                                             Volume Adj Close
        Jun 01, 2021
                      504.01
                               536.13
                                       482.14
                                               528.21
                                                         78,560,600
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     1 May 01, 2021
                      512.65
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                                       478.54
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     2 Apr 01, 2021
                      529.93
                                               513.47
                                                        111,573,300
                                                                       513.47
                               563.56
                                       499.00
     3 Mar 01, 2021
                      545.57
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                                       492.85
                                               521.66
                                                         90,183,900
                                                                       521.66
     4 Feb 01, 2021
                      536.79
                                                         61,902,300
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                                       518.28
                                               538.85
                                                                       538.85
```

We can also use the pandas read_html function

```
[7]: read_html_pandas_data = pd.read_html(url)
```

Beacause there is only one table on the page, we just take the first table in the list returned

```
[8]: netflix_dataframe = read_html_pandas_data[0]
netflix_dataframe.head()
```

```
[8]:
                Date
                         Open
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```

0.2 Using Webscraping to Extract Stock Data Exercise

Use the requests library to download the webpage https://cf-courses-data.s3.us.cloud-object-storage.appdomain.cloud/
IBMDeveloperSkillsNetwork-PY0220EN-SkillsNetwork/labs/project/amazon_data_
webpage.html. Save the text of the response as a variable named html_data.

```
[9]: url1 = 'https://cf-courses-data.s3.us.cloud-object-storage.appdomain.cloud/

→IBMDeveloperSkillsNetwork-PY0220EN-SkillsNetwork/labs/project/

→amazon_data_webpage.html'

html_data = requests.get(url1).text
```

Parse the html data using beautiful_soup.

```
[10]: beautiful_soup = BeautifulSoup(html_data, 'html5lib')
```

Question 1 What is the content of the title attribute:

```
[15]: beautiful_soup.title
```

Using beautiful soup extract the table with historical share prices and store it into a dataframe named amazon_data. The dataframe should have columns Date, Open, High, Low, Close, Adj

Close, and Volume. Fill in each variable with the correct data from the list col.

Print out the first five rows of the amazon_data dataframe you created.

[30]: print(amazon_data)

```
Volume Adj Close
            Date
                    Open
                            High
                                     Low
                                           Close
0
   Jun 01, 2021 504.01 536.13
                                 482.14
                                          528.21
                                                   78,560,600
                                                                 528.21
   May 01, 2021 512.65 518.95
                                          502.81
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   Feb 01, 2021
                                                   61,902,300
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                 536.79 566.65
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. .
   Jan 01, 2016
                                                  488,193,200
65
                 109.00 122.18
                                   90.11
                                           91.84
                                                                  91.84
66 Dec 01, 2015
                  124.47
                          133.27
                                  113.85
                                          114.38
                                                  319,939,200
                                                                 114.38
67 Nov 01, 2015
                                                  320,321,800
                  109.20
                         126.60
                                  101.86
                                          123.33
                                                                 123.33
68 Oct 01, 2015
                                   96.26
                                          108.38
                                                  446,204,400
                                                                 108.38
                  102.91
                          115.83
   Sep 01, 2015
                  109.35
                         111.24
                                   93.55
                                          103.26
                                                  497,401,200
                                                                  103.26
```

[70 rows x 7 columns]

Question 2 What is the name of the columns of the dataframe

```
[31]: amazon_data.columns
```

```
[31]: Index(['Date', 'Open', 'High', 'Low', 'Close', 'Volume', 'Adj Close'], dtype='object')
```

Question 3 What is the Open of the last row of the amazon data dataframe?

```
[32]: amazon_data.tail(1)['Open']
```

[32]: 69 109.35

Name: Open, dtype: object

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0.3 Change Log

| Date (YYYY-MM-DD) | Version | Changed By | Change Description |
|-------------------|---------|---------------|---------------------------|
| 2021-06-09 | 1.2 | Lakshmi Holla | Added URL in question 3 |
| 2020-11-10 | 1.1 | Malika Singla | Deleted the Optional part |
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