

Programming Assignment I: using Spark/Pyspark to analyze a bank dataset

1. Use the data dataset posted in the Example-bank dataset UCI folder
The dataset uses csv with delimiter ';'
You can use the small {bank.csv} or larger {bank-full.csv} datasets
The Datasets come from:
<http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/machine-learning-databases/00222/>
Description of attributes:
<http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/bank+marketing#>
2. The recommended platform {less required settings} is using the Databricks Community edition of Spark online as it is free and most of it is setup with latest version of Spark, Python, SQL, Graph...
<https://community.cloud.databricks.com/login.html>
3. If not using the Databricks online you could set your own platform {e.g. using Python and Anaconda to run Spark, Pyspark.... You have to use Spark version > 2.0 in order to have Yarn, Dataframes,
4. Produce a set of business hypotheses {8-10} and program them in Python to analyze the data from a variety of angles:
 - Descriptive {how many men/women; Education level; Employed; Married/single/divorced..; Default on loan or not; and combination thereof..
 - Try some prescriptive statistics {predict them failing/not failing to repay their loan} if feasible
 - Try some graphics {bar, pie, line..} if feasible
 - Analyze the marketing results of the previous marketing campaign {any good?}
5. Deliver the programming assignment:
 - A. Code in notebook format {Spark – Python}
 - B. Screenshots of the code running output {in readable format.. e.g. pdf, or jpg, or png...}
 - C. Optional: MP4 run of the code ...through screen capture.