

Lesson 5.02

Web Scraping

Web Scraping Overview

- Popular way to gather data online
- With massive amounts of data online, it is crucial to learn how to extract data efficiently and effectively

Web Scraping Methodology

1. Send GET query to the website
 - Returns HTML doc containing all the website info
2. Parse HTML doc
 - Make it more traversable
3. Extract data
 - Focus on info that we need

Web Scraping Libraries

1. Beautiful Soup
2. lxml
3. requests