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Project Plan

DA602 • Data Science in Python Web Framework ANDREW HERNANDEZ

| TOPIC | DESCRIPTION |
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| Basics | It seems that one of Python's main advantage over R is its adaptability to the web. On relatively inexpensive LAMP hosting packages, you can run Python web applications, whereas I still haven't seen how this would be possible with R. This seems to me to be a huge reason to focus on Python, so I would like to experiment with and experience how what we've learned this semester can be applied to a web application on a web host. |
| The Plan | Choose a Python web framework (or none): Compare and contrast the different Python web frameworks Decide on a framework (DJango, TurboGears, and Web2Py) or to use raw Python code Publish an interesting data set along with a relevant chart to the web environment. Have the dataset stored in a (MySQL?) DB, not just a server side csv file, as this will be important in the future if I'm going to work with python data-science-type web applications |
| The Data | I have not chosen a specific data set yet (hope that is ok), but some possible topics might be: Something relating to sports history, teams, spreads Something relating to health and disease statistics Something relating to learning/education |