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Winning Space Race with Data Science

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Executive Summary

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Introduction

- **Project background and context**

This project is about to get information about SpaceX Falcon 9 rocket launches and determine through a data analysis, some important things of the future launches, SpaceX makes public the information of the launches on the website so we can know some details of the past launches like the reuse of the first stage of landing, costs and more.

- **Problems you want to find answers**

In this project we want to predict if the Falcon 9 first stage will land successfully, using data from Falcon 9 rocket launches published on its website

Section 1

Methodology

Methodology

Executive Summary

- Data collection methodology:
 - Describe how data was collected
- Perform data wrangling
 - Describe how data was processed
- Perform exploratory data analysis (EDA) using visualization and SQL
- Perform interactive visual analytics using Folium and Plotly Dash
- Perform predictive analysis using classification models
 - How to build, tune, evaluate classification models

Data Collection

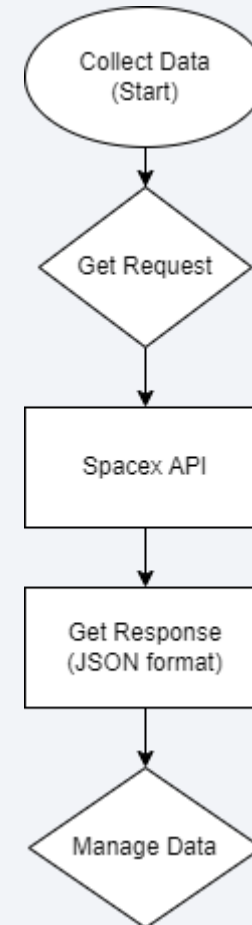
- Data was collected using SpaceX API making a get request from python code, we install some libraries to help us to manage the data, then we must organize it.
- The request response from the API is a JSON format archive, so we must decode the response into a Pandas data frame.
- We performed web scraping also, to collect Falcon 9 historical launch records from the Wikipedia List of Falcon 9 and Falcon Heavy launches article. Using BeautifulSoup and request Libraries, after we record the information tables we parsed and converted it into a Pandas data frame

Data Collection – SpaceX API

- The flow chart show the steps to collect the data

- [Here](#) is the Github project URL

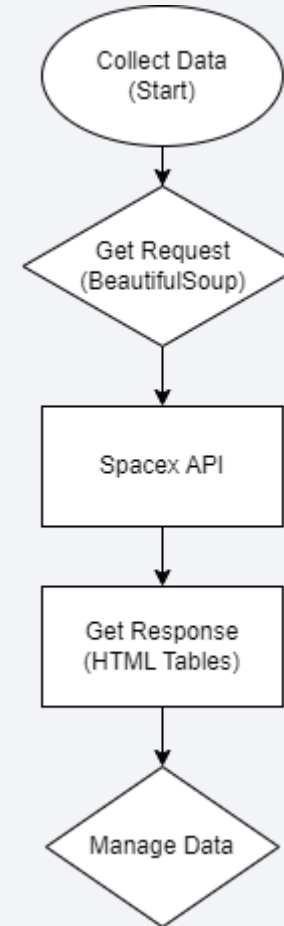
(https://github.com/fersoakd/IBM_SpaceX_Project/blob/main/1-Spacex-data-collection-api.ipynb)



Data Collection - Scraping

- The flow chart show the steps to collect the data (Webscraping)
- [Here](https://github.com/fersoakd/IBM_SpaceX_Project/blob/main/2-SpaceX-Web%20scraping%20Falcon%209%20and%20Falcon%20Heavy%20Launches%20Records%20from%20Wikipedia.ipynb) is the Github project URL

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Data Wrangling

- We collect the data and create the Pandas DataFrame, then the data was filtered using the BoosterVersion column to keep just the Falcon 9 launches
- We processed the missing data values in the LandingPad and PayloadMass columns. In PayloadMass , missing data values were replaced by mean value of all the column.
- We also performed an Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) to find some patterns in the data and determine what would be the label for training supervised models
- [Here](https://github.com/fersoakd/IBM_SpaceX_Project/blob/main/3-SpaceX-Data%20wrangling.ipynb) is the github link of the Wrangling

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EDA with Data Visualization

- To visualize the data, we use some different kind of graphics like:
 - Scatter plots to Visualize the relationship between Flight Number and Launch Site, Payload and Launch Site, FlightNumber and Orbit type, Payload and Orbit type.
 - Bar charts to Visualize the relationship between success rate of each orbit type
 - Line plot to Visualize the launch success yearly trend.
 - In this [link](https://github.com/fersoakd/IBM_SpaceX_Project/blob/main/5-SpaceX-EDA%20DataViz.ipynb) we can see the graphics of each one of the described items above.

(https://github.com/fersoakd/IBM_SpaceX_Project/blob/main/5-SpaceX-EDA%20DataViz.ipynb)

EDA with SQL

- We visualize the data with SQL queries to get responses organized by tables with the information we want to see like:
 - Display the names of the unique launch sites in the space mission
 - Display 5 records where launch sites begin with the string 'CCA'
 - Display the total payload mass carried by boosters launched by NASA (CRS)
 - Display average payload mass carried by booster version F9 v1.1 EDA with SQL 14
 - List the date when the first successful landing outcome in ground pad was achieved
 - List the names of the boosters which have success in drone ship and have payload mass greater than 4000 but less than 6000
 - To see the outputs of the queries we must go to the next [link](https://github.com/fersoakd/IBM_SpaceX_Project/blob/main/4-Spacex-EDA%20Using%20SQL.ipynb) (https://github.com/fersoakd/IBM_SpaceX_Project/blob/main/4-Spacex-EDA%20Using%20SQL.ipynb)

Build an Interactive Map with Folium

- We Create a folium map to mark all the launch sites
- We create map objects such as markers, circles, lines to mark the success or failure of launches for each launch site.
- We create a launch set outcomes (failure=0 or success=1).
- The next [link](https://github.com/fersoakd/IBM_SpaceX_Project/blob/main/6.Space-X%20Launch%20Sites%20Locations%20Analysis%20with%20Folium-Interactive%20Visual%20Analytics.ipynb) goes to the lab with the items described above
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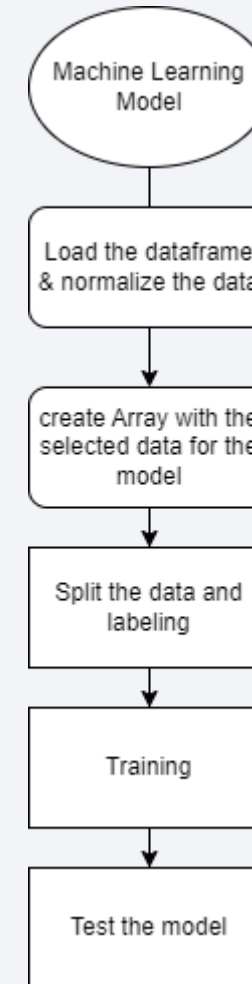
Build a Dashboard with Plotly Dash

- We build an interactive dashboard application with Plotly dash libraries with the next description:
 - A Launch Site Drop-down Input Component
 - A callback function to render success-pie-chart based on selected site dropdown
 - A Range Slider to Select Payload
 - A callback function to render the success-payload-scatter-chart scatter plot
- In the [link](https://github.com/fersoakd/IBM_SpaceX_Project/blob/main/7.%20Build%20an%20Interactive%20Dashboard%20with%20Plotly%20Dash%20-%20spacex_dash_app.py) we have the access to the complete code of the dashboard
(https://github.com/fersoakd/IBM_SpaceX_Project/blob/main/7.%20Build%20an%20Interactive%20Dashboard%20with%20Plotly%20Dash%20-%20spacex_dash_app.py)

Predictive Analysis (Classification)

- To get our classification model we must follow the steps described in the flow chart:

- In the [link](#) we have the complete process for this
- (https://github.com/fersoakd/IBM_SpaceX_Project/blob/main/8.%20SpaceX%20Machine%20Learning%20Prediction.ipynb)



Results

- Exploratory data analysis results
- Interactive analytics demo in screenshots
- Predictive analysis results

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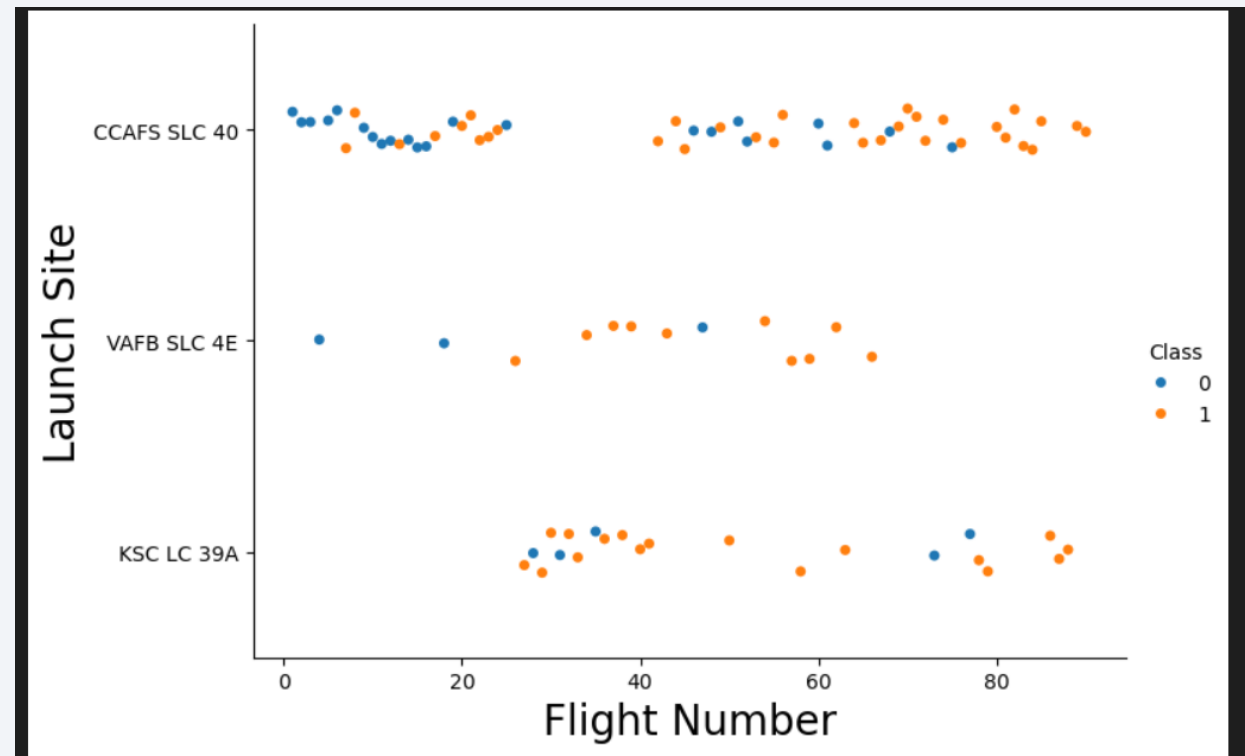
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Insights drawn from EDA

Flight Number vs. Launch Site

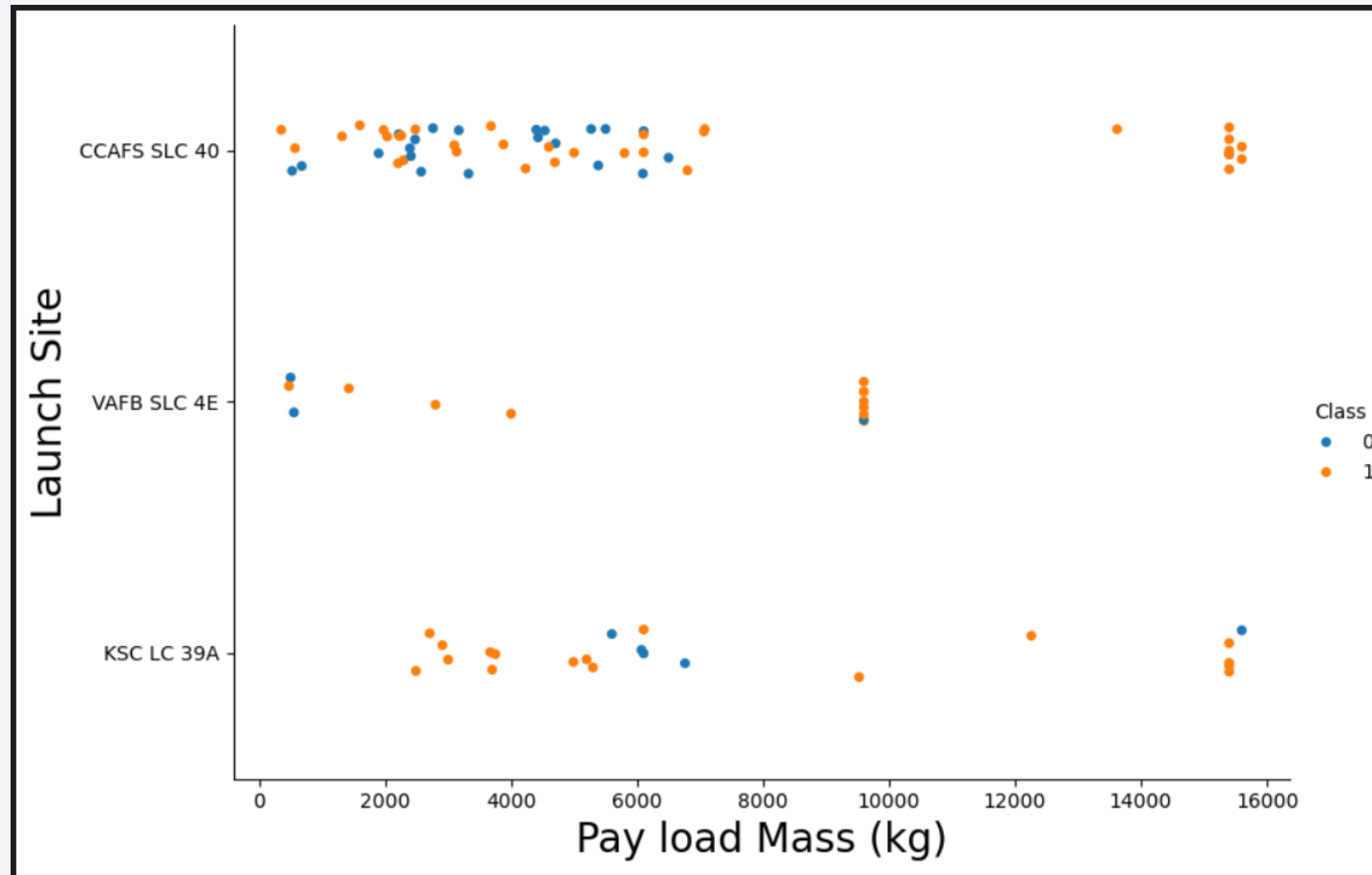
- Show a scatter plot of Flight Number vs. Launch Site

- In this plot the orange dots represent the succesful launches and the blue dots the unsuccessful launches in the sites listed in the left side



Payload vs. Launch Site

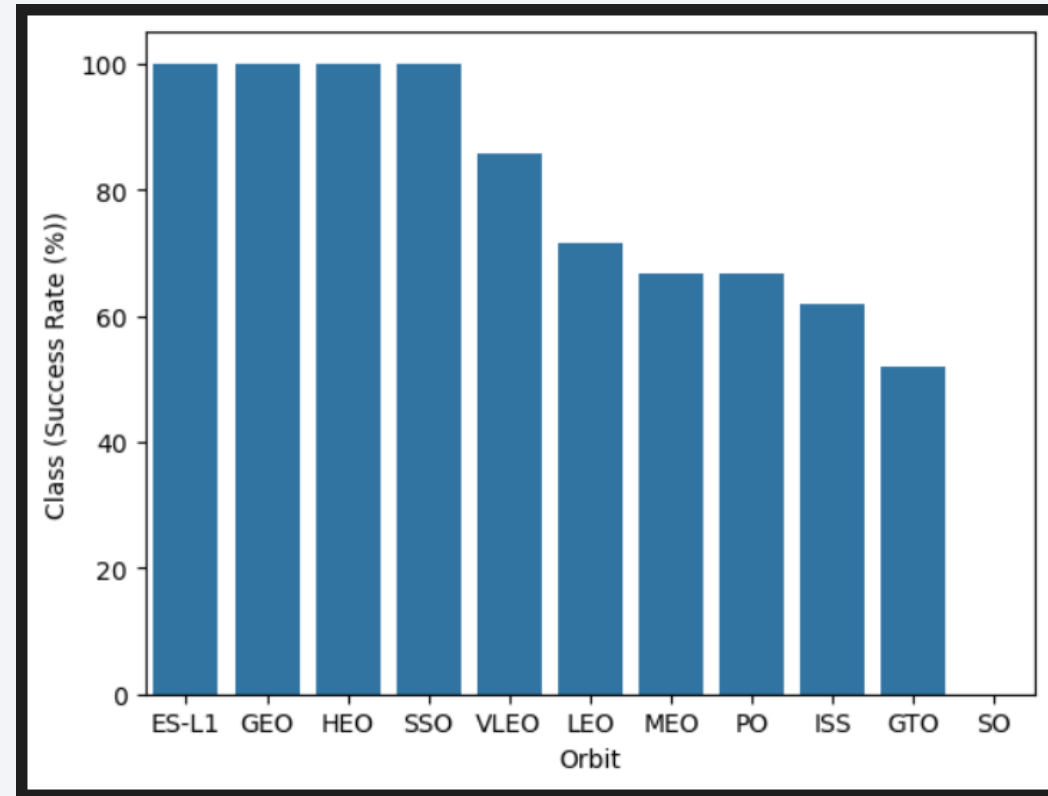
- Show a scatter plot of Payload vs. Launch Site



Success Rate vs. Orbit Type

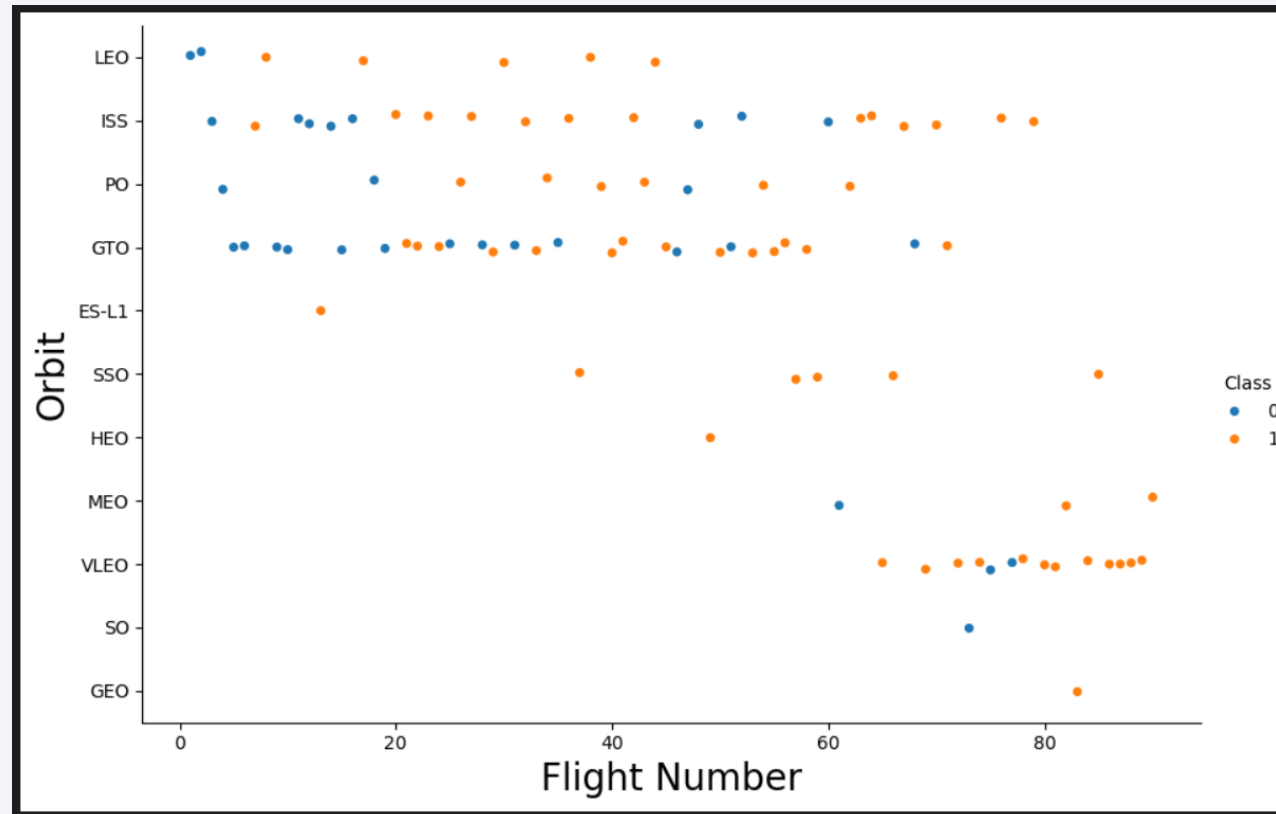
- bar chart for the success rate of each orbit type

- This plot represents the success rate percentages of each orbit type where ES-L1, GEO, HEO and SSO are the most reliable orbits with 100% of success rate



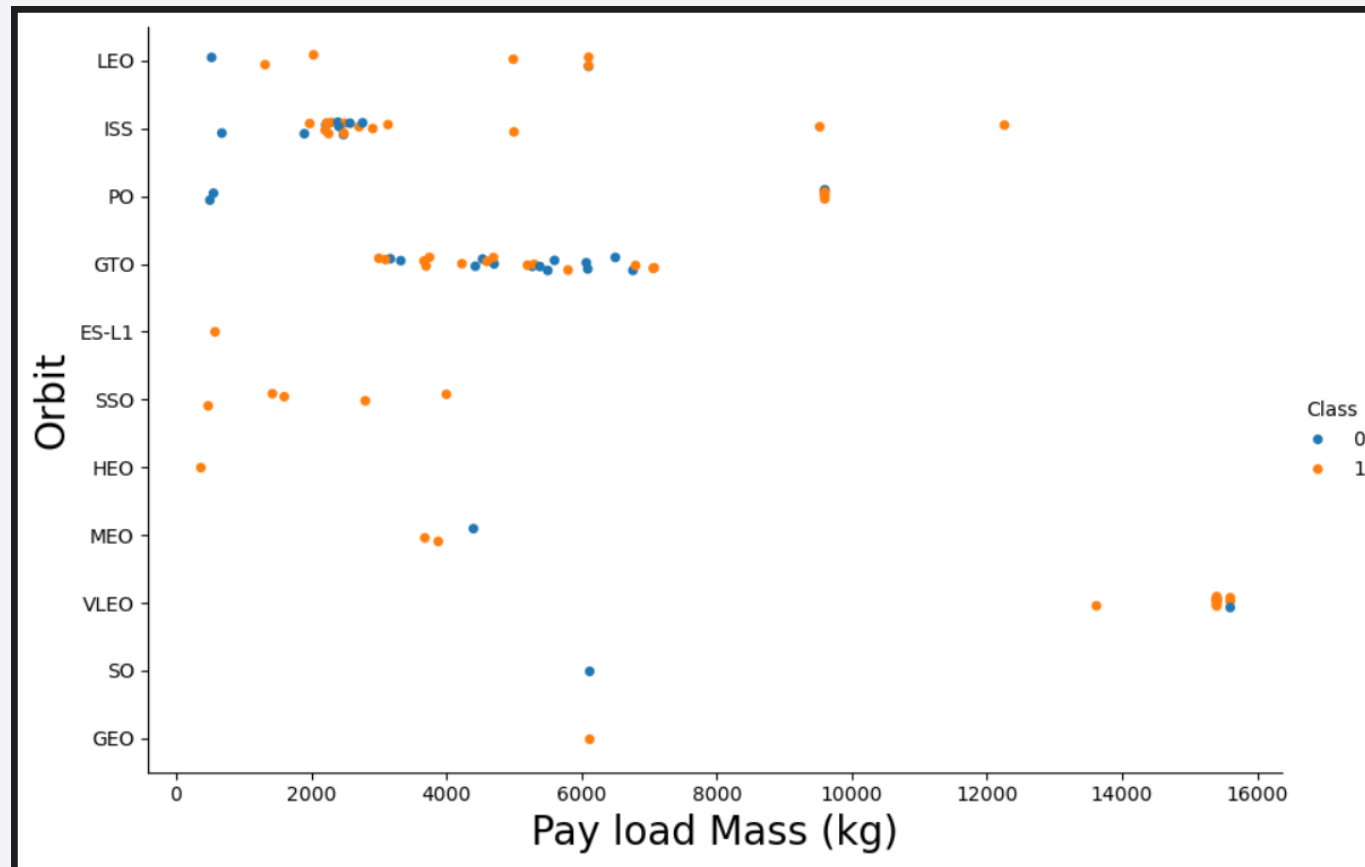
Flight Number vs. Orbit Type

- Scatter point of Flight number vs. Orbit type



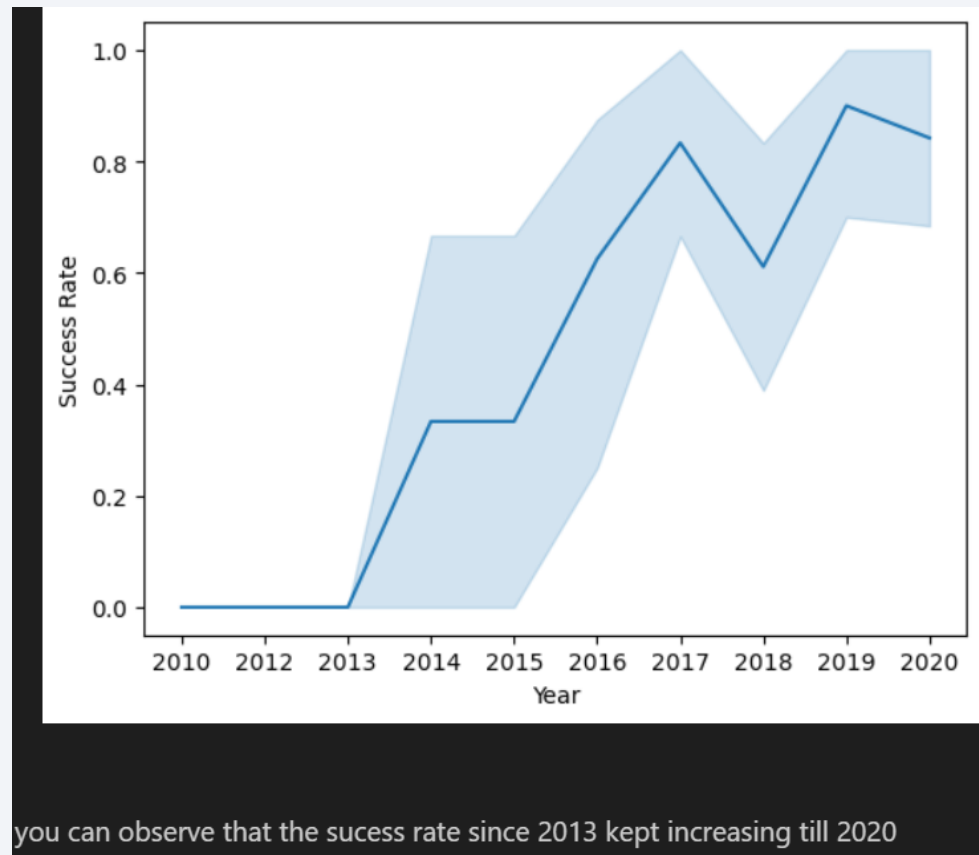
Payload vs. Orbit Type

- Show a scatter point of payload vs. orbit type



Launch Success Yearly Trend

- Show a line chart of yearly average success rate



All Launch Site Names

- Find the names of the unique launch sites

```
%sql SELECT DISTINCT LAUNCH_SITE as "Launch_Sites" FROM SPACEXTBL;
```

```
* sqlite:///my\_data1.db
```

```
Done.
```

Launch_Sites
CCAFS LC-40
VAFB SLC-4E
KSC LC-39A
CCAFS SLC-40

Launch Site Names Begin with 'CCA'

- Find 5 records where launch sites begin with `CCA`

```
%sql SELECT * FROM 'SPACEXTBL' WHERE Launch_Site LIKE 'CCA%' LIMIT 5;
```

Python

* [sqlite:///my_data1.db](#)
Done.

Date	Time (UTC)	Booster_Version	Launch_Site	Payload	PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_	Orbit	Customer	Mission_Outcome	Landing_Outcome
04-06-2010	18:45:00	F9 v1.0 B0003	CCAFS LC-40	Dragon Spacecraft Qualification Unit	0	LEO	SpaceX	Success	Failure (parachute)
08-12-2010	15:43:00	F9 v1.0 B0004	CCAFS LC-40	Dragon demo flight C1, two CubeSats, barrel of Brouere cheese	0	LEO (ISS)	NASA (COTS) NRO	Success	Failure (parachute)
22-05-2012	07:44:00	F9 v1.0 B0005	CCAFS LC-40	Dragon demo flight C2	525	LEO (ISS)	NASA (COTS)	Success	No attempt
08-10-2012	00:35:00	F9 v1.0 B0006	CCAFS LC-40	SpaceX CRS-1	500	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CRS)	Success	No attempt
01-03-2013	15:10:00	F9 v1.0 B0007	CCAFS LC-40	SpaceX CRS-2	677	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CRS)	Success	No attempt

Total Payload Mass

- Calculate the total payload carried by boosters from NASA

```
%sql SELECT SUM(PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_) as "Total Payload Mass(Kgs)", Customer FROM 'SPACEXTBL' WHERE Customer = 'NASA (CRS)';
```

```
* sqlite:///my\_data1.db
```

```
Done.
```

Total Payload Mass(Kgs)	Customer
45596	NASA (CRS)

Average Payload Mass by F9 v1.1

- Calculate the average payload mass carried by booster version F9 v1.1

```
%sql SELECT AVG(PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_) as "Payload Mass Kgs", Customer, Booster_Version FROM 'SPACEXTBL' WHERE Booster_Version LIKE 'F9 v1.1%';
```

```
* sqlite:///my\_data1.db
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```
Done.
```

Payload Mass Kgs	Customer	Booster_Version
2534.6666666666665	MDA	F9 v1.1 B1003

First Successful Ground Landing Date

- Find the dates of the first successful landing outcome on ground pad

```
%sql SELECT MIN(DATE) FROM 'SPACEXTBL' WHERE "Landing _Outcome" = "Success (ground pad)";
```

```
* sqlite:///my\_data1.db
```

```
Done.
```

```
MIN(DATE)
```

```
01-05-2017
```

Successful Drone Ship Landing with Payload between 4000 and 6000

- List the names of boosters which have successfully landed on drone ship and had payload mass greater than 4000 but less than 6000

```
%sql SELECT DISTINCT Booster_Version, Payload FROM SPACEXTBL WHERE "Landing_Outcome" = "Success (drone ship)" AND PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_ > 4000 AND PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_ < 6000;
```

```
* sqlite:///my\_data1.db
```

```
Done.
```

Booster_Version	Payload
F9 FT B1022	JCSAT-14
F9 FT B1026	JCSAT-16
F9 FT B1021.2	SES-10
F9 FT B1031.2	SES-11 / EchoStar 105

Total Number of Successful and Failure Mission Outcomes

- Calculate the total number of successful and failure mission outcomes

```
%sql SELECT "Mission_Outcome", COUNT("Mission_Outcome") as Total FROM SPACEXTBL GROUP BY "Mission_Outcome";
```

```
* sqlite:///my\_data1.db
```

```
Done.
```

Mission_Outcome	Total
Failure (in flight)	1
Success	98
Success	1
Success (payload status unclear)	1

Boosters Carried Maximum Payload

- List the names of the booster which have carried the maximum payload mass

```
%sql SELECT "Booster_Version",Payload, "PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_" FROM SPACEXTBL WHERE "PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_" = (SELECT MAX("PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_") FROM SPACEXTBL);
```

```
* sqlite:///my_data1.db
```

```
Done.
```

Booster_Version	Payload	PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_
F9 B5 B1048.4	Starlink 1 v1.0, SpaceX CRS-19	15600
F9 B5 B1049.4	Starlink 2 v1.0, Crew Dragon in-flight abort test	15600
F9 B5 B1051.3	Starlink 3 v1.0, Starlink 4 v1.0	15600
F9 B5 B1056.4	Starlink 4 v1.0, SpaceX CRS-20	15600
F9 B5 B1048.5	Starlink 5 v1.0, Starlink 6 v1.0	15600
F9 B5 B1051.4	Starlink 6 v1.0, Crew Dragon Demo-2	15600
F9 B5 B1049.5	Starlink 7 v1.0, Starlink 8 v1.0	15600
F9 B5 B1060.2	Starlink 11 v1.0, Starlink 12 v1.0	15600
F9 B5 B1058.3	Starlink 12 v1.0, Starlink 13 v1.0	15600
F9 B5 B1051.6	Starlink 13 v1.0, Starlink 14 v1.0	15600
F9 B5 B1060.3	Starlink 14 v1.0, GPS III-04	15600
F9 B5 B1049.7	Starlink 15 v1.0, SpaceX CRS-21	15600

2015 Launch Records

- List the failed landing_outcomes in drone ship, their booster versions, and launch site names for in year 2015

```
%ql SELECT substr(Date,7,4), substr(Date, 4, 2),"Booster_Version", "Launch_Site", Payload, "PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_", "Mission_Outcome", "Landing_Outcome"  
FROM SPACEXTBL WHERE substr(Date,7,4)='2015' AND "Landing_Outcome" = 'Failure (drone ship)';
```

```
* sqlite:///my\_data1.db
```

```
Done.
```

substr(Date,7,4)	substr(Date, 4, 2)	Booster_Version	Launch_Site	Payload	PAYLOAD_MASS_KG_	Mission_Outcome	Landing_Outcome
2015	01	F9 v1.1 B1012	CCAFS LC-40	SpaceX CRS-5	2395	Success	Failure (drone ship)
2015	04	F9 v1.1 B1015	CCAFS LC-40	SpaceX CRS-6	1898	Success	Failure (drone ship)

Rank Landing Outcomes Between 2010-06-04 and 2017-03-20

- Rank the count of landing outcomes (such as Failure (drone ship) or Success (ground pad)) between the date 2010-06-04 and 2017-03-20, in descending order

```
%sql SELECT * FROM SPACEXTBL WHERE "Landing_Outcome" LIKE 'Success%' AND (Date BETWEEN '04-06-2010' AND '20-03-2017') ORDER BY Date DESC;
```

Python

```
* sqlite:///my_data1.db  
Done.
```

Date	Time (UTC)	Booster_Version	Launch_Site	Payload	PAYLOAD_MASS_KG	Orbit	Customer	Mission_Outcome	Landing_Outcome
19-02-2017	14:39:00	F9 FT B1031.1	KSC LC-39A	SpaceX CRS-10	2490	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CRS)	Success	Success (ground pad)
18-10-2020	12:25:57	F9 B5 B1051.6	KSC LC-39A	Starlink 13 v1.0, Starlink 14 v1.0	15600	LEO	SpaceX	Success	Success
18-08-2020	14:31:00	F9 B5 B1049.6	CCAFS SLC-40	Starlink 10 v1.0, SkySat-19, -20, -21, SAOCOM 1B	15440	LEO	SpaceX, Planet Labs, PlanetIQ	Success	Success
18-07-2016	04:45:00	F9 FT B1025.1	CCAFS LC-40	SpaceX CRS-9	2257	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CRS)	Success	Success (ground pad)
18-04-2018	22:51:00	F9 B4 B1045.1	CCAFS SLC-40	Transiting Exoplanet Survey Satellite (TESS)	362	HEO	NASA (LSP)	Success	Success (drone ship)
17-12-2019	00:10:00	F9 B5 B1056.3	CCAFS SLC-40	JCSat-18 / Kacific 1, Starlink 2 v1.0	6956	GTO	Sky Perfect JSAT, Kacific 1	Success	Success
16-11-2020	00:27:00	F9 B5B1061.1	KSC LC-39A	Crew-1, Sentinel-6 Michael Freilich	12500	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CCP)	Success	Success
15-12-2017	15:36:00	F9 FT B1035.2	CCAFS SLC-40	SpaceX CRS-13	2205	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CRS)	Success	Success (ground pad)
15-11-2018	20:46:00	F9 B5 B1047.2	KSC LC-39A	Es hail 2	5300	GTO	Es hailSat	Success	Success
14-08-2017	16:31:00	F9 B4 B1039.1	KSC LC-39A	SpaceX CRS-12	3310	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CRS)	Success	Success (ground pad)

A satellite view of Earth from space, showing the curvature of the planet and city lights at night. The background is a deep blue gradient.

Section 3

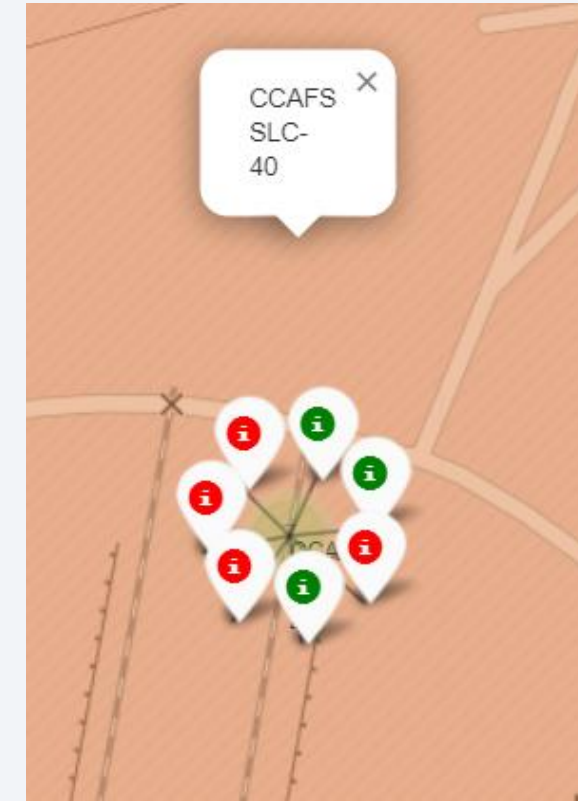
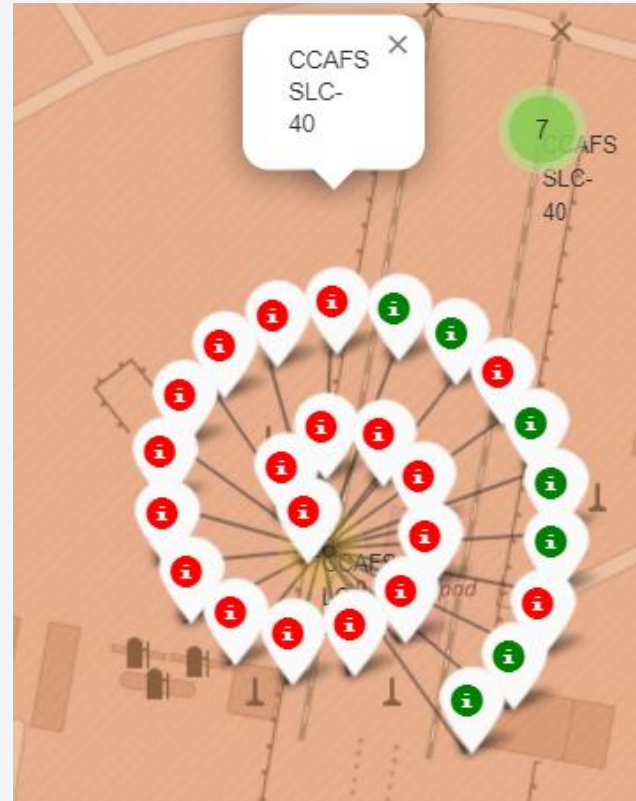
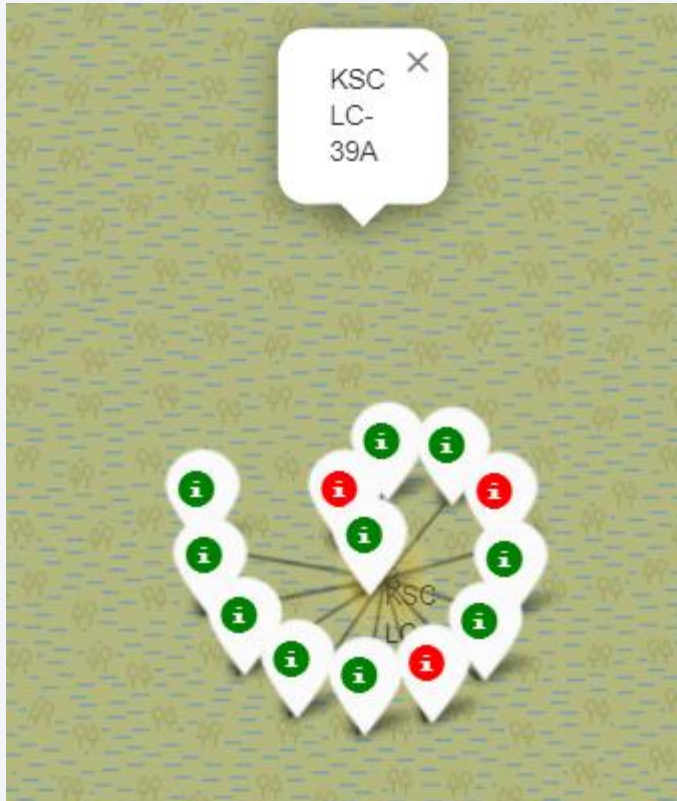
Launch Sites Proximities Analysis

Launch Sites in Global Map

- All the launch sites were in USA, near to the coasts

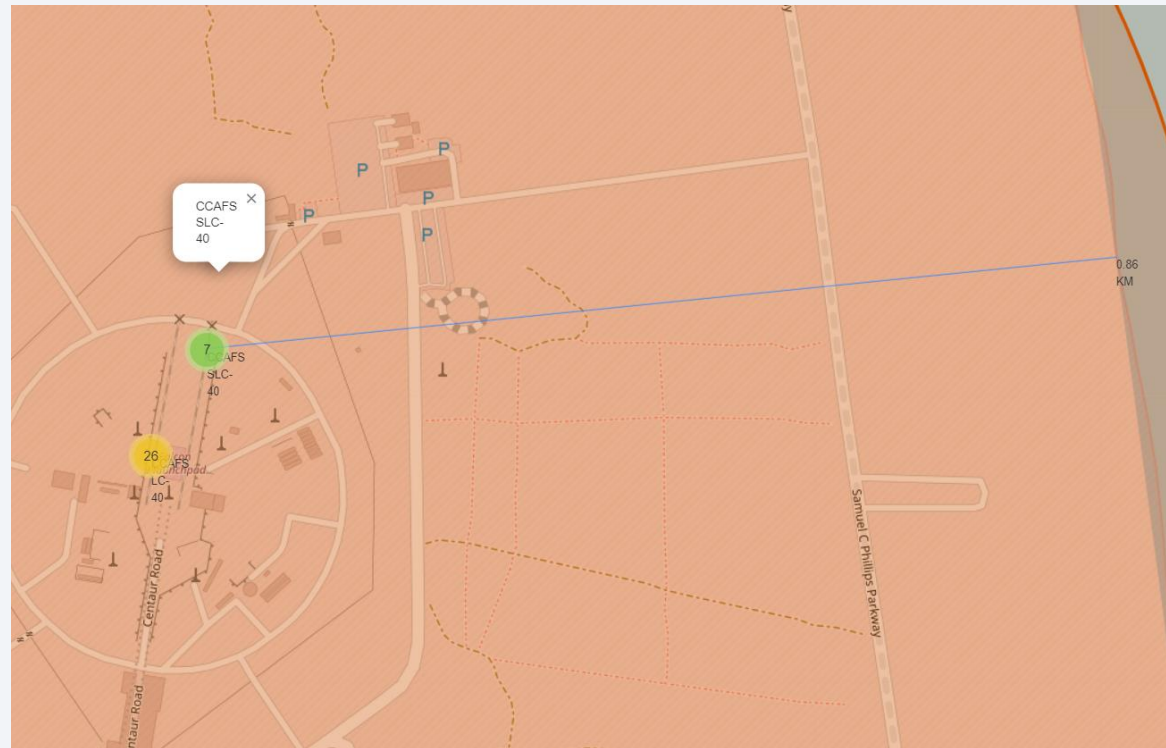


Success Rate in Launch Sites



Launch Sites Proximities

- Explore the generated folium map and show the screenshot of a selected launch site to its proximities such as railway, highway, coastline, with distance calculated and displayed





Section 4

Build a Dashboard with Plotly Dash

<Dashboard Screenshot 1>

- Replace <Dashboard screenshot 1> title with an appropriate title
- Show the screenshot of launch success count for all sites, in a piechart
- Explain the important elements and findings on the screenshot

<Dashboard Screenshot 2>

- Replace <Dashboard screenshot 2> title with an appropriate title
- Show the screenshot of the piechart for the launch site with highest launch success ratio
- Explain the important elements and findings on the screenshot

<Dashboard Screenshot 3>

- Replace <Dashboard screenshot 3> title with an appropriate title
- Show screenshots of Payload vs. Launch Outcome scatter plot for all sites, with different payload selected in the range slider
- Explain the important elements and findings on the screenshot, such as which payload range or booster version have the largest success rate, etc.



Section 5

Predictive Analysis (Classification)

Classification Accuracy

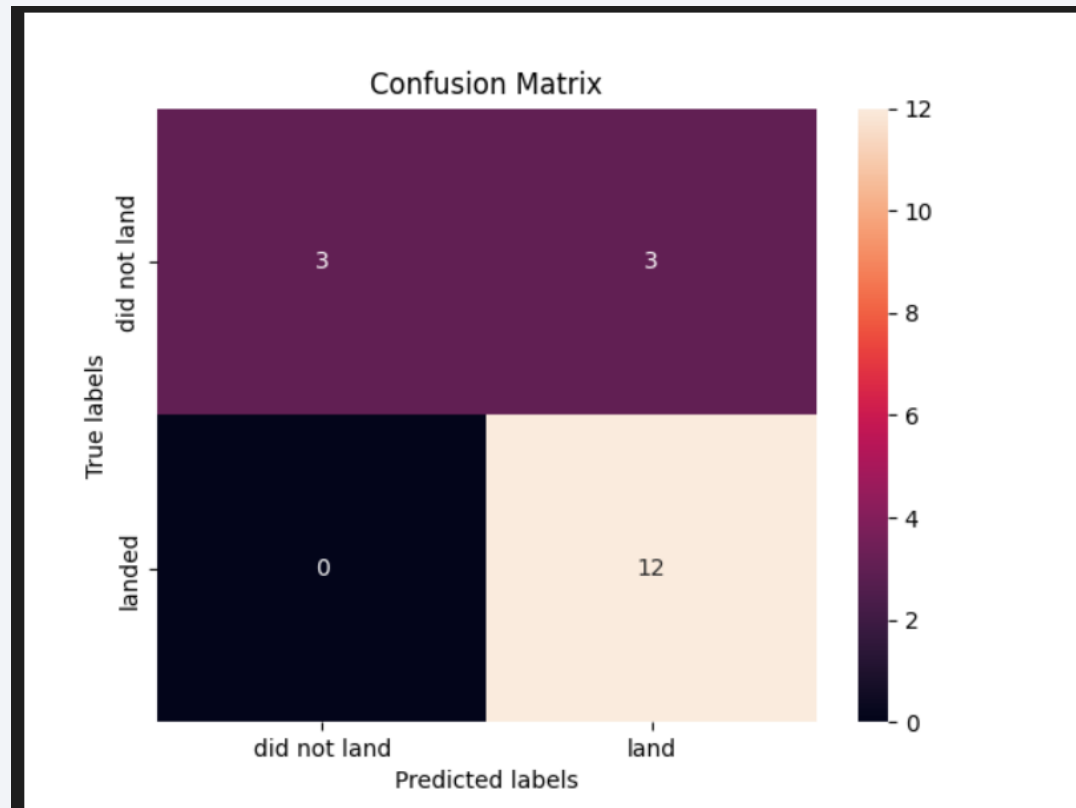
- Visualize the built model accuracy for all built classification models

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Method	Test Data Accuracy
Logistic_Reg	0.833333
SVM	0.833333
Decision Tree	0.833333
KNN	0.833333

All the methods perform equally on the test data: i.e. They all have the same accuracy of 0.833333 on the test Data

Confusion Matrix

- Show the confusion matrix of the best performing model with an explanation



Conclusions

- The success rate of the launches is increasing all the years since 2013
- All the methodologies we use to train the models, in this case have the same accuracy
- The orbits ES-L1, GEO, HEO and SSO have a 100% of success rate

Thank you!

