



# **Falcon 9: Data Science Analysis**

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# Executive Summary



- This project focuses on predicting the landing success of the first stage of SpaceX's Falcon 9 rocket. By leveraging data analysis and Data Science models, the primary objective is to provide the competing startup with tools and insights to make more competitive bids for rocket launches. The outcomes of this project will enable the startup to make informed decisions based on the predictions of Falcon 9 landing success.
- The methodology involving data collection, data wrangling, exploratory data analysis, data visualization, model development, model evaluation, and reporting the results.

A photograph of a person's hand holding a pen over a wooden table. On the table are several papers, including one with a Venn diagram and another with a bar chart. There are also several colorful sticky notes (yellow, green, pink) scattered around. In the background, there are some office supplies like a green folder and a white cup.

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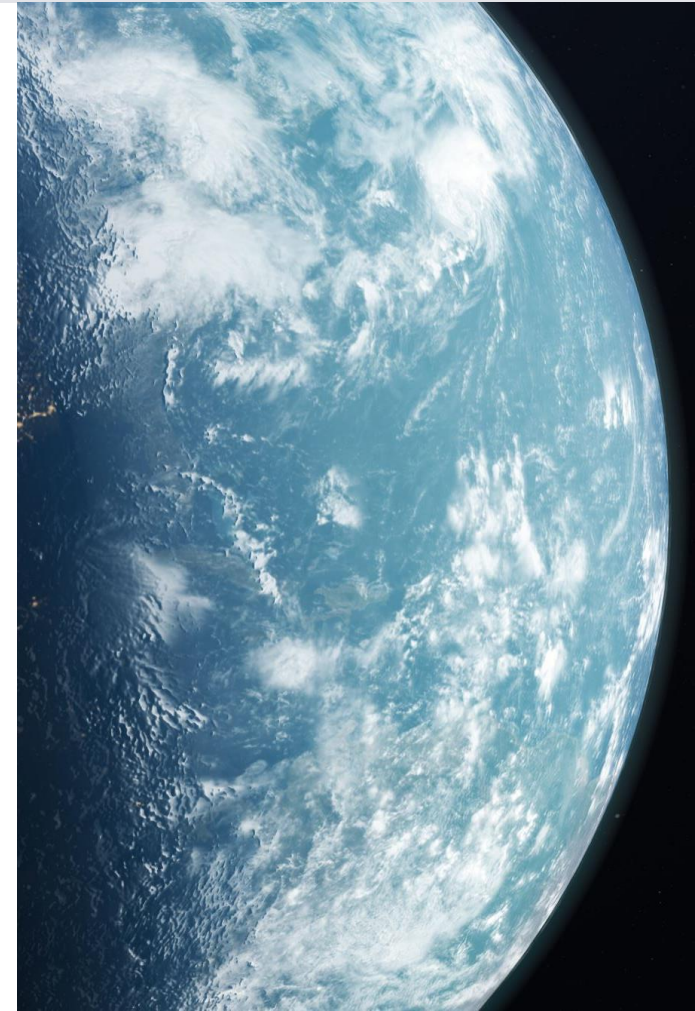
In an era where companies are revolutionizing space exploration and making it more accessible, SpaceX has emerged as a frontrunner in the industry. With remarkable achievements like sending spacecraft to the International Space Station, deploying the Starlink satellite internet constellation, and conducting manned missions to space, SpaceX has proven its capabilities.

One key factor behind SpaceX's success is the cost-effectiveness of its Falcon 9 rocket launches. While other providers charge significantly higher prices, SpaceX stands out by reusing the first stage of its rockets, resulting in substantial savings.

As data scientists working for the aspiring rocket company Space Y, our mission is to compete with SpaceX and establish ourselves in the industry.

Our task involves gathering information about SpaceX, creating insightful dashboards, and training machine learning models using public data.

Through this capstone project, we aim to forecast whether SpaceX will successfully reuse the first stage, ultimately determining the cost-effectiveness of our launches.



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response =requests.get(url)
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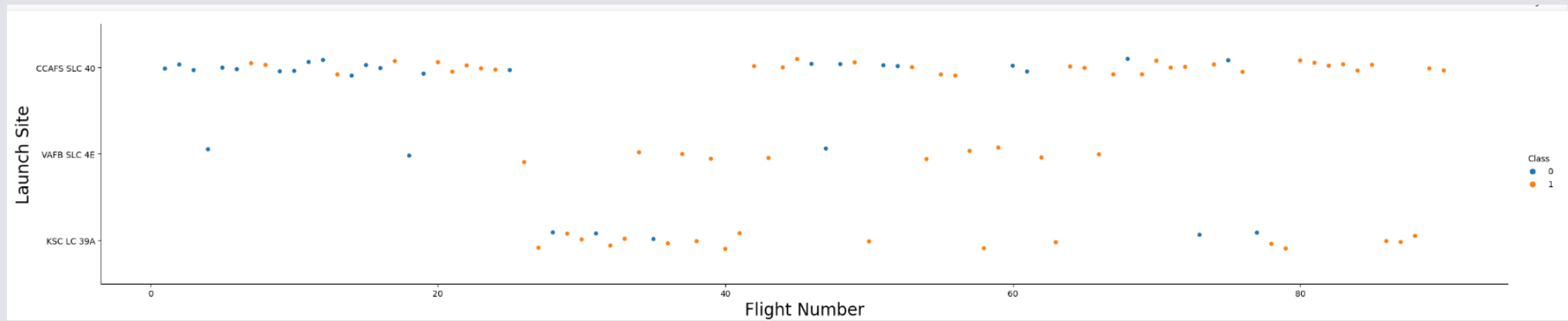
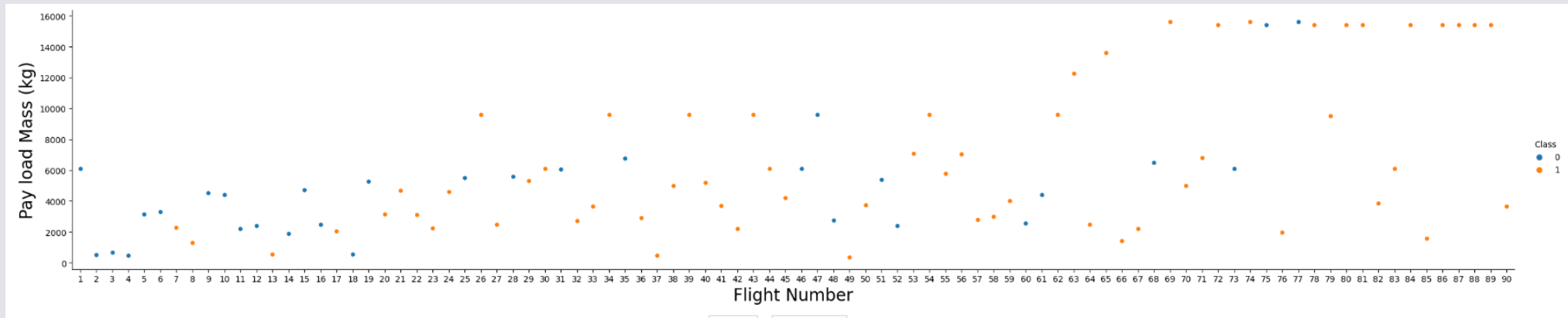
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response.json()
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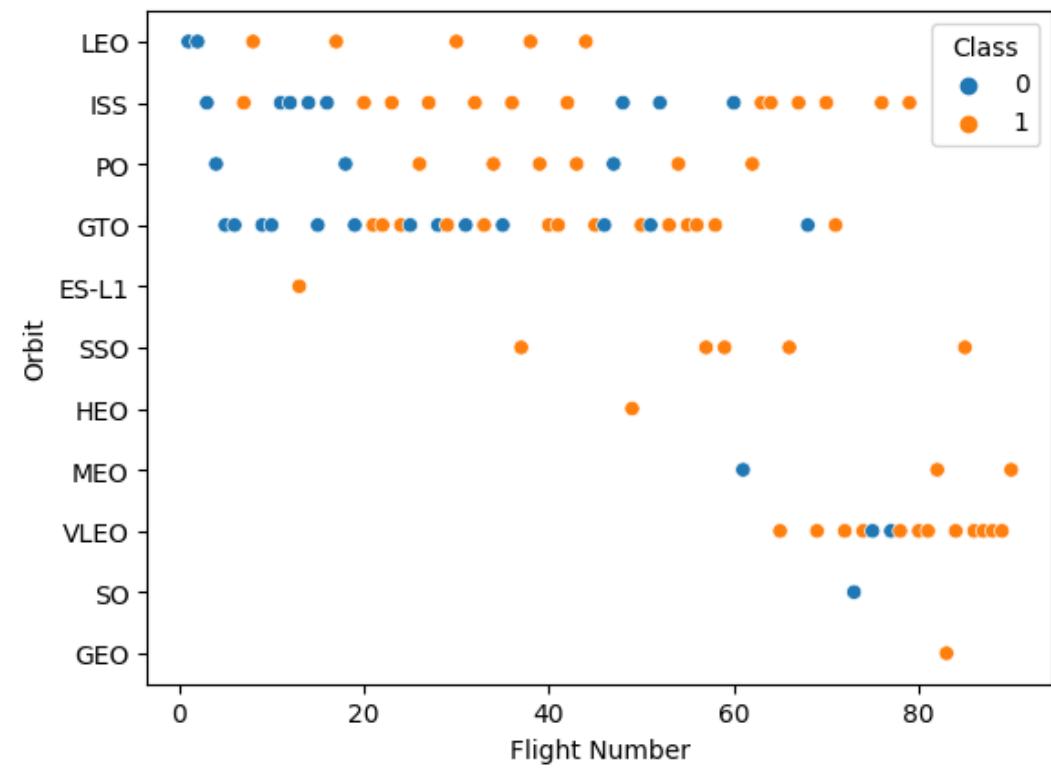
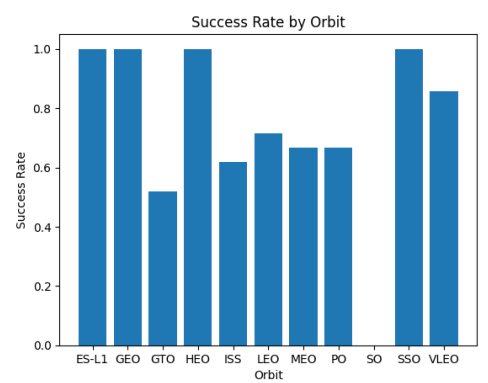
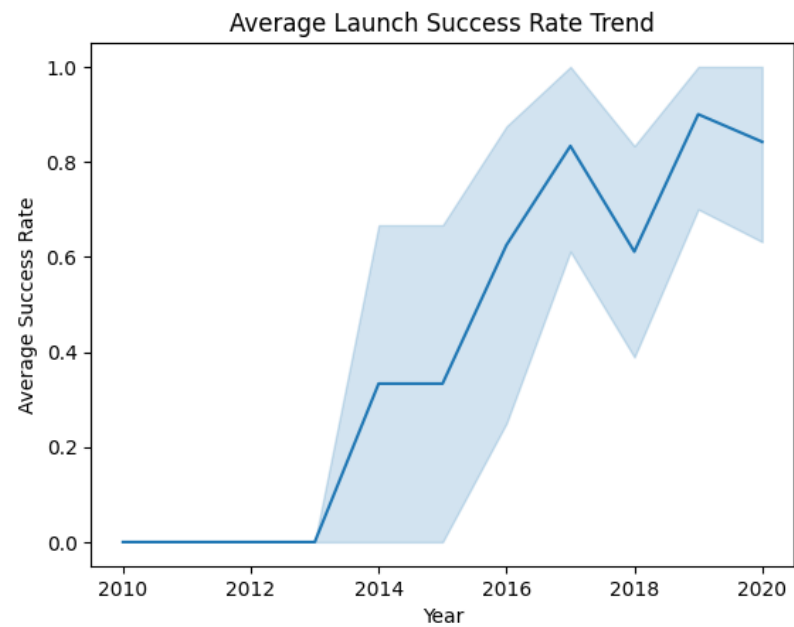
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# Wrangling Data using an API

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data = pd.json_normalize(response.json())
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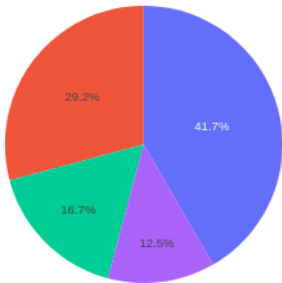




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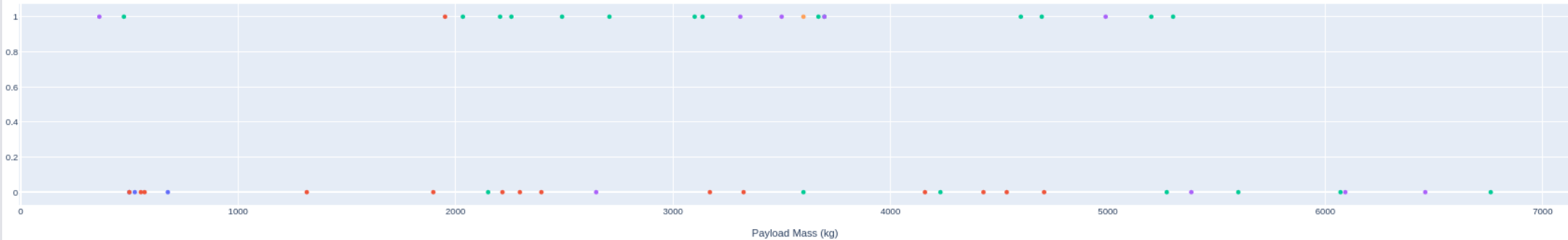
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Total Success Launches By Site



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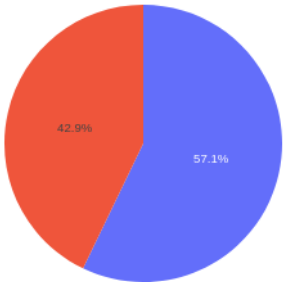
Correlation between Payload and Success for All Sites



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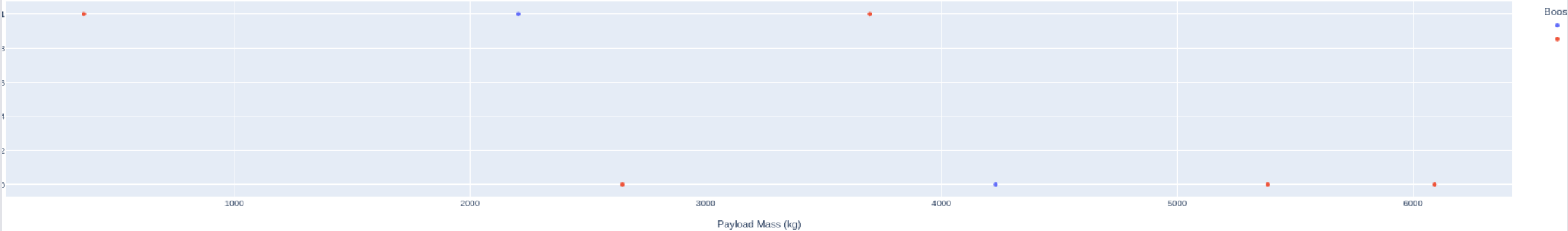
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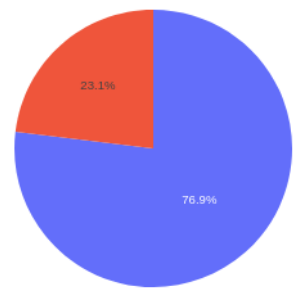
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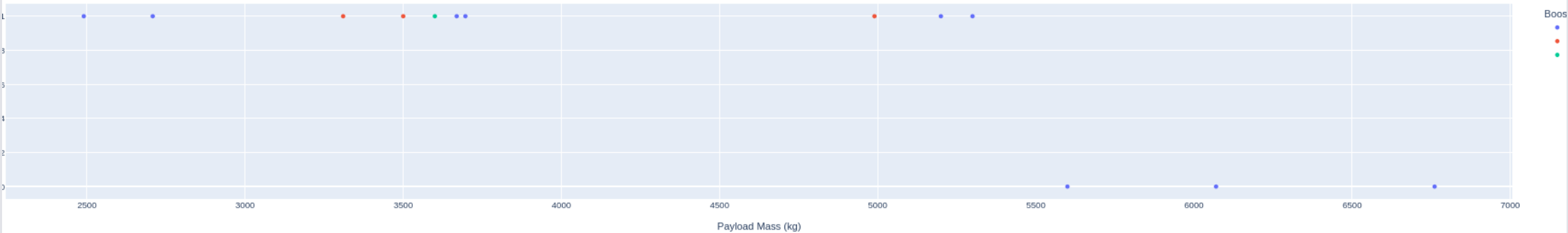
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Total Success Launches By Site



LC-39A (Kg):

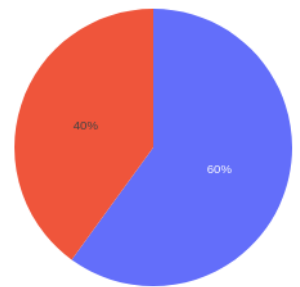
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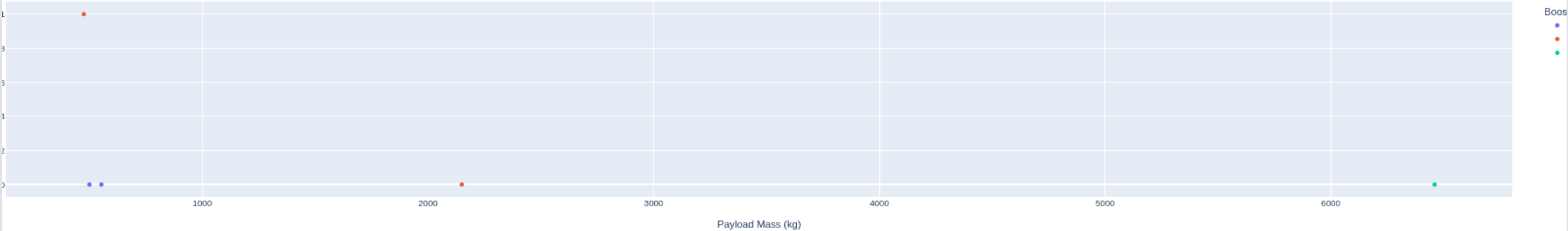
LC-4E

Total Success Launches By Site



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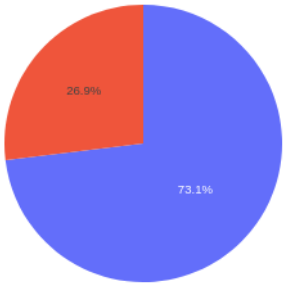
Correlation between Payload and Success for VAFB SLC-4E



# SpaceX Launch Records Dashboard

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Correlation between Payload and Success for CCAFS LC-40





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X_train, X_test, Y_train, Y_test

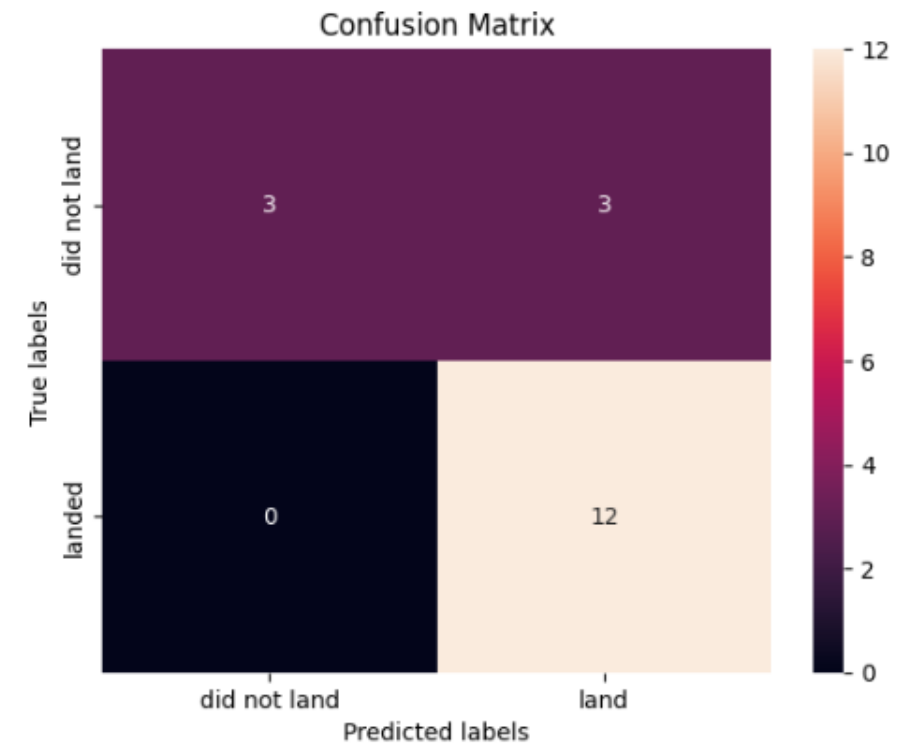
[10]: X_train, X_test, Y_train, Y_test = train_test_split(X, Y, test_size=0.2, random_state=2)
[11]: Y_test.shape
[11]: (18,)
[12]: parameters = {'C':[0.01,0.1,1],
                    'penalty':['l2'],
                    'solver':['lbfgs']}
[13]: parameters = {'C':[0.01,0.1,1], 'penalty':['l2'], 'solver':['lbfgs']}
      lr = LogisticRegression()
      logreg_cv = GridSearchCV(lr, parameters, cv=10)
      logreg_cv.fit(X_train, Y_train)

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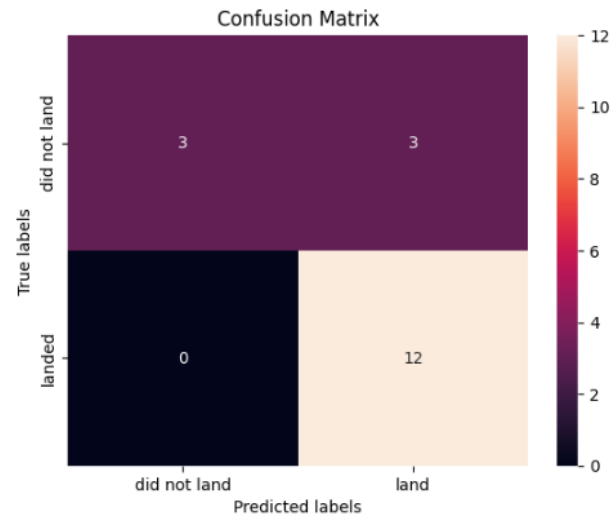
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[15]: logreg_cv.score(X_test, Y_test)
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[15]: 0.8333333333333334
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[16]: yhat=logreg_cv.predict(X_test)
      plot_confusion_matrix(Y_test,yhat)
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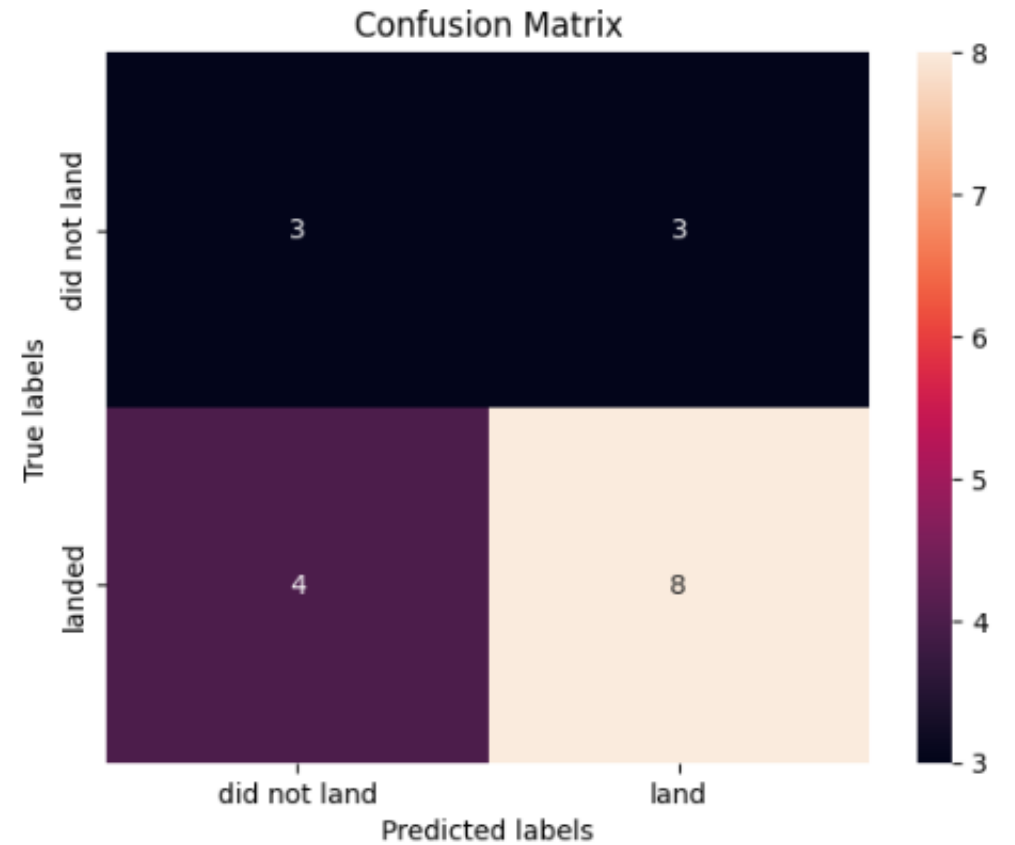
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: yhat = tree_cv.predict(X_test)
plot_confusion_matrix(Y_test,yhat)
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[25]: knn_cv.score(X_test, Y_test)
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[25]: 0.6111111111111112
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[26]: yhat = knn_cv.predict(X_test)
plot_confusion_matrix(Y_test,yhat)
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```
: parameters = {'n_neighbors': [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10],
               'algorithm': ['auto', 'ball_tree', 'kd_tree', 'brute'],
               'p': [1,2]}
```

```
KNN = KNeighborsClassifier()
```

```
: knn_cv = GridSearchCV(KNN, parameters, cv=10)
knn_cv.fit(X_train, Y_train)
```

```
: > GridSearchCV
> estimator: KNeighborsClassifier
> KNeighborsClassifier
```

```
: print("tuned hyperparameters (best parameters) ",knn_cv.best_params_)
print("accuracy :",knn_cv.best_score_)
```

```
tuned hyperparameters (best parameters) {'algorithm': 'auto', 'n_neighbors': 3, 'p': 1}
accuracy : 0.6642857142857143
```



**Thanks**

