

# Space X Falcon 9 First Stage Landing Prediction

## Web scrap Falcon 9 launch records with BeautifulSoup:

-Extract a Falcon 9 launch records HTML table from Wikipedia

-Parse the table and convert it into a Pandas data frame

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!pip3 install beautifulsoup4
!pip3 install requests

import sys
import requests
from bs4 import BeautifulSoup
import re
import unicodedata
import pandas as pd

def date_time(table_cells):
    """
    This function returns the data and time from the HTML table cell
    Input: the element of a table data cell extracts extra row
    """
    return [data_time.strip() for data_time in
list(table_cells.strings)][0:2]

def booster_version(table_cells):
    """
    This function returns the booster version from the HTML table
    cell
    Input: the element of a table data cell extracts extra row
    """
    out=''.join([booster_version for i,booster_version in
enumerate( table_cells.strings) if i%2==0][0:-1])
    return out

def landing_status(table_cells):
    """
    This function returns the landing status from the HTML table cell
    Input: the element of a table data cell extracts extra row
    """
    out=[i for i in table_cells.strings][0]
    return out

def get_mass(table_cells):
    mass=unicodedata.normalize("NFKD", table_cells.text).strip()
    if mass:
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        mass.find("kg")
        new_mass=mass[0:mass.find("kg")+2]
    else:
        new_mass=0
    return new_mass
def extract_column_from_header(row):
    """
    This function returns the landing status from the HTML table cell
    Input: the element of a table data cell extracts extra row
    """
    if (row.br):
        row.br.extract()
    if row.a:
        row.a.extract()
    if row.sup:
        row.sup.extract()

    column_name = ' '.join(row.contents)

    # Filter the digit and empty names
    if not(column_name.strip().isdigit()):
        column_name = column_name.strip()
        return column_name

static_url = "https://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?
title=List_of_Falcon_9_and_Falcon_Heavy_launches&oldid=1027686922"

# use requests.get() method with the provided static_url
# assign the response to a object
r = requests.get(static_url)
data = r.text

# Use BeautifulSoup() to create a BeautifulSoup object from a response
text content
soup = BeautifulSoup(data,"html.parser")

print(soup.title)

<title>List of Falcon 9 and Falcon Heavy launches - Wikipedia</title>

# Use the find_all function in the BeautifulSoup object, with element
type `table`
# Assign the result to a list called `html_tables`
html_tables = soup.find_all('table')

# Let's print the third table and check its content
first_launch_table = html_tables[2]
# print(first_launch_table)

column_names = []

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# Apply find_all() function with `th` element on first_launch_table
# Iterate each th element and apply the provided
extract_column_from_header() to get a column name
# Append the Non-empty column name (`if name is not None and len(name)
> 0`) into a list called column_names
table_headers = first_launch_table.find_all('th')
# print(table_headers)
for j, table_header in enumerate(table_headers):
    name = extract_column_from_header(table_header)
    if name is not None and len(name) > 0:
        column_names.append(name)

print(column_names)

['Flight No.', 'Date and time ( )', 'Launch site', 'Payload', 'Payload
mass', 'Orbit', 'Customer', 'Launch outcome']

launch_dict= dict.fromkeys(column_names)

# Remove an irrelevant column
del launch_dict['Date and time ( )']

# Let's initial the launch_dict with each value to be an empty list
launch_dict['Flight No.'] = []
launch_dict['Launch site'] = []
launch_dict['Payload'] = []
launch_dict['Payload mass'] = []
launch_dict['Orbit'] = []
launch_dict['Customer'] = []
launch_dict['Launch outcome'] = []
# Added some new columns
launch_dict['Version Booster']=[]
launch_dict['Booster landing']=[]
launch_dict['Date']=[]
launch_dict['Time']=[]

extracted_row = 0
for table_number,table in enumerate(soup.find_all('table',"wikitable
plainrowheaders collapsible")):
    for rows in table.find_all("tr"): # get table row
        if rows.th: #check to see if first table heading is a number
corresponding to launch a number
            if rows.th.string:
                flight_number=rows.th.string.strip()
                flag=flight_number.isdigit()
            else:
                flag=False
            row=rows.find_all('td') # #get table element
            if flag: #if it is number save cells in a dictionary
                extracted_row += 1

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# Flight Number value
# TODO: Append the flight_number into launch_dict with key
`Flight No.`
launch_dict['Flight No.'].append(flight_number)
# print(flight_number)
datatimelist=date_time(row[0])

# Date value
# TODO: Append the date into launch_dict with key `Date`
date = datatimelist[0].strip(',')
launch_dict['Date'].append(date)
# print(date)

# Time value
# TODO: Append the time into launch_dict with key `Time`
time = datatimelist[1]
launch_dict['Time'].append(time)
# print(time)

# Booster version
# TODO: Append the bv into launch_dict with key `Version
Booster`
bv=booster_version(row[1])
if not(bv):
    bv=row[1].a.string
launch_dict['Version Booster'].append(bv)
# print(bv)
# Launch Site
# TODO: Append the bv into launch_dict with key `Launch
Site`
launch_site = row[2].a.string
launch_dict['Launch site'].append(launch_site)
# print(launch_site)

# Payload
# TODO: Append the payload into launch_dict with key
`Payload`
payload = row[3].a.string
launch_dict['Payload'].append(payload)
# print(payload)

# Payload Mass
# TODO: Append the payload_mass into launch_dict with key
`Payload mass`
payload_mass = get_mass(row[4])
launch_dict['Payload mass'].append(payload_mass)
# print(payload)
# Orbit
# TODO: Append the orbit into launch_dict with key `Orbit`

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        orbit = row[5].a.string
        launch_dict['Orbit'].append(orbit)
        # print(orbit)

        # Customer
        # TODO: Append the customer into launch_dict with key
`Customer`
        try:
            customer = row[6].a.string
        except:
            customer = "None"

        launch_dict['Customer'].append(customer)
        # print(customer)
        # Launch outcome
        # TODO: Append the launch_outcome into launch_dict with
key `Launch outcome`
        launch_outcome = list(row[7].strings)[0]
        launch_dict['Launch outcome'].append(launch_outcome)
        # print(launch_outcome)

        # Booster landing
        # TODO: Append the launch_outcome into launch_dict with
key `Booster landing`
        booster_landing = landing_status(row[8])
        launch_dict['Booster landing'].append(booster_landing)
        # print(booster_landing)

        # debugging: find length differences
        # print("-----")
        # curr_len = [len(val) for key, val in
launch_dict.items()]
        # print(curr_len)
        # print("-----")
print("number of extracted rows: ", extracted_row)
number of extracted rows: 121

df=pd.DataFrame(launch_dict)

# debugging: checking length of lists in dictionary
for key, val in launch_dict.items():
    print(f"{key}: #: {len(val)}")

Flight No.: #: 121
Launch site: #: 121
Payload: #: 121
Payload mass: #: 121
Orbit: #: 121
Customer: #: 121

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Launch outcome: #: 121
Version Booster: #: 121
Booster landing: #: 121
Date: #: 121
Time: #: 121
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# df.to_csv('spacex_web_scraped.csv', index=False)
df_scraped = df
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df_scraped.head()
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	Flight No.	Launch site	Payload	Payload mass
0	1	CCAFS	Dragon Spacecraft Qualification Unit	
1	2	CCAFS	Dragon	
2	3	CCAFS	Dragon	
3	4	CCAFS	SpaceX CRS-1	525 kg
4	5	CCAFS	SpaceX CRS-2	4,700 kg
				4,877 kg

	Orbit	Customer	Launch outcome	Version Booster	Booster landing
0	LEO	SpaceX	Success\n	F9 v1.07B0003.18	Failure
1	LEO	NASA	Success	F9 v1.07B0004.18	Failure
2	LEO	NASA	Success	F9 v1.07B0005.18	No attempt\n
3	LEO	NASA	Success\n	F9 v1.07B0006.18	No attempt
4	LEO	NASA	Success\n	F9 v1.07B0007.18	No attempt\n

	Date	Time
0	4 June 2010	18:45
1	8 December 2010	15:43
2	22 May 2012	07:44
3	8 October 2012	00:35
4	1 March 2013	15:10

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df_scraped.tail()
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	Flight No.	Launch site	Payload	Payload mass	Orbit
Customer					
116	117	CCSFS	Starlink	15,600 kg	LEO
SpaceX					
117	118	KSC	Starlink	~14,000 kg	LEO
SpaceX					
118	119	CCSFS	Starlink	15,600 kg	LEO
SpaceX					
119	120	KSC	SpaceX CRS-22	3,328 kg	LEO
NASA					
120	121	CCSFS	SXM-8	7,000 kg	GT0 Sirius

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	Launch outcome	Version	Booster	Booster landing	Date
Time					
116	Success\n	F9	B5B1051.10657	Success	9 May 2021
06:42					
117	Success\n	F9	B5B1058.8660	Success	15 May 2021
22:56					
118	Success\n	F9	B5B1063.2665	Success	26 May 2021
18:59					
119	Success\n	F9	B5B1067.1668	Success	3 June 2021
17:29					
120	Success\n		F9 B5	Success	6 June 2021
04:26					