Excel File Processing

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Python Modules for Excel Processing

Xlrd

reading data and formatting from .xls files

- http://pypi.python.org/pypi/xlrd

Xlwt

writing data and formatting to .xls files

https://pypi.python.org/pypi/xlwt

xlutils

http://pypi.python.org/pypi/xlutils

- a collection of utilities using both xlrd and xlwt:
- copying data from a source to a target spreadsheet
- filtering data from a source to a target spreadsheet

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XlsxWriter

https://xlsxwriter.readthedocs.org/

XlsxWriter is a Python module that can be used to write text, numbers, formulas and hyperlinks to multiple worksheets in an Excel 2007+ XLSX file. It supports features such as formatting and many more, including:

Install Python packages (1)

Install using .exe

xlrd-0.7.1.win32.exe

https://pypi.python.org/pypi/xlrd/0.7.1

Install from source:

C:> cd xlrd-0.7.1

C:\xlrd-0.7.1> python setup.py install

Install Python packages (2)

Install using pip

pip install xlrd

pip install xlwt

pip install xlutils

pip install xlsxwriter

import modules

three types of import

from xlrd import open_workbook

from xlrd import open_workbook as ow

Import xlrd # recommended way

Open an Excel File

```python
import xlrd
from xlrd import open_workbook
## open file
wb = open_workbook('simple.xls')
## iterate the sheets
for s in wb.sheets():
    print 'Sheet:',s.name

    ## loop through all rows and columns
    for row in range(s.nrows):
        for col in range(s.ncols):
            print s.cell(row,col).value
```

Open an Excel File

import xlrd

- xlrd is the package to read excel files.

wb = open_workbook('simple.xls')

- open a workbook

s.nrows, s.ncols

- get the number of rows and columns

s.cell(row,col).value

- get the value at cell location of (row,col)

File Handle as a Sequence

```python
import xlwt

# create a workbook
book = xlwt.Workbook(encoding="utf-8")

sheet1 = book.add_sheet("ShowMeThePower")

# write something
sheet1.write(0, 0, "Python is Great!")
sheet1.write(1, 0, "Dominance")
sheet1.write(2, 0, "Test")

# save the excel file
book.save("trial.xls")
print('-_-!')
```

write a lot

import xlwt

- python package to write an excel file

book = xlwt.Workbook(encoding="utf-8")

- create a workbook

sheet1 = book.add_sheet("ShowMeThePower") - create a sheet called
"ShowMeThePower"

sheet1.write(0, 0, "Python is Great!")

- write at A1 of the excel

book.save("trial.xls")

- save the excel file

write a lot

```python
import xlwt
book = xlwt.Workbook(encoding="utf-8")
sheet1 = book.add_sheet("ShowMeThePower")
for row in xrange(1,10):
    for col in xrange(1,10):
        sheet1.write(row, col, row*col)
book.save("WriteAlot.xls")
print '-_-!'
```

summary

Install python packages

Import a python package

- import xlrd

Read an excel file

Write an excel file