Data Visualization in Python

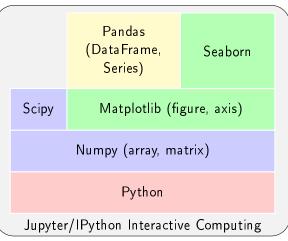
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Packages for Data Visualization

Python Scientific Environment



- Pylab = Numpy + Matplotlib ≈ MATLAB
- Web-centric plotting libraries: bokeh, plotly

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Jupyter notebook vs script

Jupyter notebook

- We need a web browser.
- Set a password (bash commands).
- Easy to run the parts several times with small modifications.
- Titles and texts can be added easily (LaTeX equations as well).
- Easy to share (as is, as HTML, PDF...).
- We can restart the kernel and run all the cells.

Script

- Easy to structure (modules, packages).
- Doesn't need Jupyter to install.
- IDE-s with more capabilities (version control, renaming).



ms.version

Imports used here

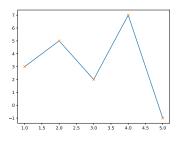
```
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
from pandas import DataFrame, Series
import seaborn as sns
In interactive sessions, instead of the first two lines:
from pylab import *
Do not use in scripts!
```

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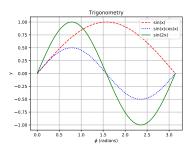
First plot with matplotlib

```
x = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
y = [3, 5, 2, 7, -1]
plt.plot(x, y)
plt.plot(x, y, 'x')
plt.savefig('first.pdf')
plt.close()
```



2nd plot

```
x = np.linspace(0, np.pi, 777)
y = np.sin(x)
plt.plot(x, np.sin(x), 'r--', label='sin(x)')
plt.plot(x, np.sin(x)*np.cos(x), 'b:', label='sin(x)cos(x)')
plt.plot(x, np.sin(2*x), 'g-', label='sin(2x)')
plt.legend(loc='upper right')
plt.title('Trigonometry')
plt.xlabel('$\phi$ (radians)')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.grid(True)
```



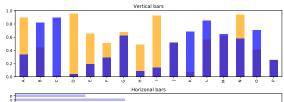
pylab

No needs of np. and plt. with from pylab import * or from numpy import linspace, pi from matplotlib.pyplot import (plot, legend, savefig, close, xlabel, ylabel, title, grid)

For Jupyter notebook %matplotlib notebook is enough.

Bar plots and colors, tight layout

```
fig, axes = plt.subplots(2, 1)
data = pd.Series(np.random.rand(16), index=list('ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOP'))
data2 = pd.Series(np.random.rand(16), index=list('abcdefghijklmnop'))
data2.plot.bar(ax=axes[0], color='orange', alpha=0.7)
data.plot.bar(ax=axes[0], color='b', alpha=0.7)
data2.plot.barh(ax=axes[1], color='#0000ff', alpha=0.3)
axes[0].set_title('Vertical bars')
axes[1].set_title('Horizonal bars')
fig.tight_layout()
```



sharex, sharey

```
fig, axes = plt.subplots(2, 2, sharex=True, sharey=True)
for i in range(2):
    for j in range(2):
        axes[i, j].hist(np.random.randn(500), bins=50, color='k', alpha=0.5)
plt.subplots_adjust(wspace=0, hspace=0)
```

sharex, sharey : bool or {'none', 'all', 'row', 'col'}

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reverse legend

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Wes McKinney: Python for Data Analysis, 2nd edition

- pyedu.hu/pandas2toc Chapter 9: Visualization
- github.com/wesm/pydata-book,
 - notebooks
 Notebooks for 1st edition works well in MS, but not Seaborn in it, some problems with the notebooks of 2nd edition
 I can share a fixed one
 - data sets