Colab Access to Google Drive

Time required: 15 minutes

Let's setup Colab access to our Google Drive

1. Create a code block at the top of your notebook with the following code.

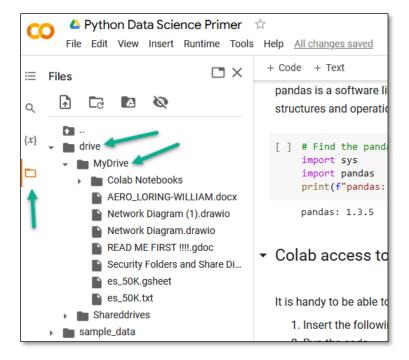
```
from google.colab import drive
drive.mount('/content/drive')
```

- 2. Run the cell.
- 3. You should see the following.
- 4. Click Connect to Google Drive.

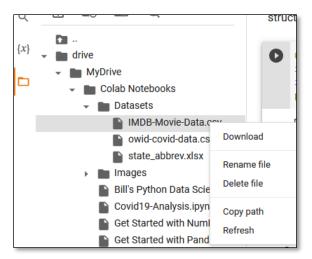
Permit this notebook to access your Google Drive files?

This notebook is requesting access to your Google Drive files. Granting access to Google Drive will permit code executed in the notebook to modify files in your Google Drive. Make sure to review notebook code prior to allowing this access.

- 5. Choose an account to continue to Google Drive. Allow access.
- 6. Click on the **Files** button as shown below. You should see the following folder structure along with any files you have in your Google Drive.



- 7. **MyDrive** is the folder you will use to access any data stored on your Google Drive from Colab.
- 8. Let's upload a cop of the **IMDB-Movie-Data.csv** file in a **Colab Notebooks/Datasets** folder.
 - a. Go to Python Pandas Tutorial
 - b. Right Click on IMDB-Movide-Data.csv
 - c. Choose **Save Link as** to download the file to your local computer.
 - d. Go to your Google Drive
 - e. Create a Datasets folder under Colab Notebooks.
 - f. Upload to your Colab Notebooks/Datasets folder
- In the Google Collab location shown below: → Right Click on the file → Click the
 Copy Path Command.



- 10. Create a code cell where you want to access the csv file.
- 11. Insert the following code and run it.

```
import pandas as pd

df = pd.read_csv(r'/content/drive/MyDrive/Colab Notebooks/Datasets/IMDB-
Movie-Data.csv')
print(df.head())
```

You should see the following:

```
[216] import pandas as pd
     df = pd.read_csv (r'/content/drive/MyDrive/Colab Notebooks/Datasets/IMDB-Movie-Data.csv')
     print(df.head(5))
        Rank
                               Title
                                                         Genre \
          1 Guardians of the Galaxy
                                      Action, Adventure, Sci-Fi
     1
                          Prometheus Adventure, Mystery, Sci-Fi
                               Split
                                               Horror, Thriller
                                Sing Animation, Comedy, Family
     4
           5
                       Suicide Squad Action, Adventure, Fantasy
                                                                      Director \
                                             Description
     0 A group of intergalactic criminals are forced ...
                                                                   James Gunn
     1 Following clues to the origin of mankind, a te...
                                                                  Ridley Scott
     2 Three girls are kidnapped by a man with a diag... M. Night Shyamalan
     3 In a city of humanoid animals, a hustling thea... Christophe Lourdelet
     4 A secret government agency recruits some of th...
                                                                    David Ayer
                                                  Actors Year Runtime (Minutes) \
     0 Chris Pratt, Vin Diesel, Bradley Cooper, Zoe S...
                                                          2014
        Noomi Rapace, Logan Marshall-Green, Michael Fa...
                                                          2012
                                                                              124
       James McAvoy, Anya Taylor-Joy, Haley Lu Richar...
                                                                             117
     3 Matthew McConaughey, Reese Witherspoon, Seth Ma... 2016
                                                                             108
     4 Will Smith, Jared Leto, Margot Robbie, Viola D... 2016
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        Rating Votes Revenue (Millions) Metascore
           8.1 757074
                                   333.13
                                                76.0
                                   126.46
           7.0 485820
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          7.3 157606
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          7.2 60545
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           6.2 393727
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