



Data Science

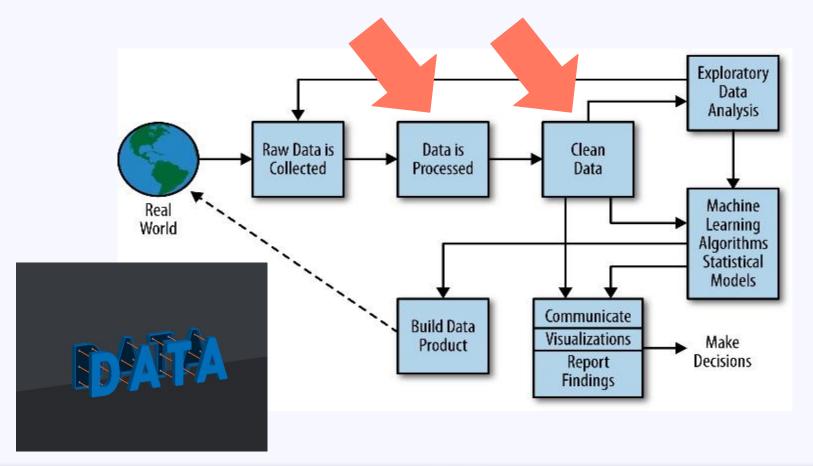


# Basic Data Structures

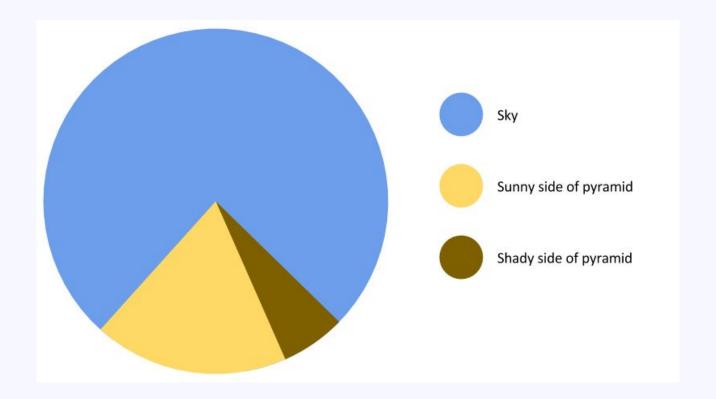
Week 3



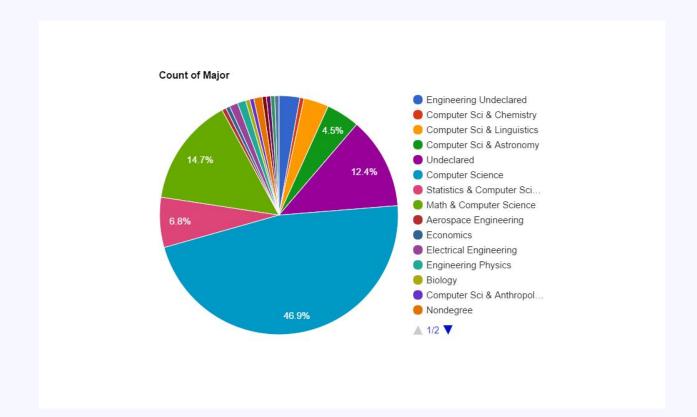














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In what form do we store Data?

Structured? Unstructured?

Text? Photo? Video?

#### CSV - Comma Separated Values

- Fields separated by a delimiter (a comma)
- Rows separated by newlines

```
36301122334. Message text 1.4/29/2010 12:30
2 36301122335, Message text 2,4/30/2010 12:30
3 36301122336, Message text 3,5/1/2010 12:30
4 36301122337, Message text 4,5/2/2010 12:30
5 36301122338, Message text 5,5/3/2010 12:30
   36301122339, Message text 6,5/4/2010 12:30
7 36301122340, Message text 7,5/5/2010 12:30
 8 36301122341, Message text 8,5/6/2010 12:30
   36301122342, Message text 9,5/7/2010 12:30
10 36301122343, Message text 10,5/8/2010 12:30
11 36301122344, Message text 11,5/9/2010 12:30
12 36301122345, Message text 12,5/10/2010 12:30
13 36301122346, Message text 13,5/11/2010 12:30
14 36301122347, Message text 14,5/12/2010 12:30
15 36301122348, Message text 15,5/13/2010 12:30
16 36301122349, Message text 16,5/14/2010 12:30
17 36301122350, Message text 17,5/15/2010 12:30
18 36301122351, Message text 18,5/16/2010 12:30
19 36301122352, Message text 19,5/17/2010 12:30
20 36301122353, Message text 20,5/18/2010 12:30
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#### JSON - JavaScript Object Notation

- Supported Data Types:
  - Number
  - Boolean
  - String
  - Array
  - Object (Dictionary)
- Good for representing hierarchical data
- Used ubiquitously in the web



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```
Request
                                                     Response [HTTP/1.1 200 OK]
                                                     16-Mar-2012 09:46:27
  { "store":
      "book":
         { "category": "reference",
                                                         "store" : {
           "author": "Nigel Rees",
                                                            "book" : [ {
          "title": "Savings of the Century",
                                                              "category" : "reference",
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                                                             "title" : "Sayings of the Century",
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                                                              "price": 8.95
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                                                              "author" : "J. R. R. Tolkien",
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                                                           } ],
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                                                            "bicycle" : {
         "price": 19.95
                                                              "color" : "red",
                                                              "price": 19.95
                                                           }.
                                                            "car" : {
                                                              "make" : "Ford",
                                                             "airbags" : true,
                                                             "doors" : 4,
                                                              "price": 1111.0
```



## Data Parsing + Manipulation

- Converting to native data structures
  - Python has csv, json parsing modules
- Selecting fields
  - I.e. "from phonebook select last\_names"
- Selecting entries
  - I.e. "from phonebook select 'Tyler Kim'"
- "Exploration"
  - Drill down into fields / entries, do simple visualizations, grasp structure of dataset





## Jupyter Time

http://bit.ly/aesthetichackerspace

## Week 3 Challenge

Should you choose to accept... (you should)



#### To Do:



- 1. Git checkout the Data\_Hackerspace repo
- 2. Mass parse all the json files at once! (Hint: import glob, os)
- 3. Print only the "lead\_paragraph" section from all 27 json files. Each files has up to 12 of them.
- 4. Extra Credit if you can do it in less than 5 lines Extra Extra Credit if you can it in less than 3

Attendance: http://bit.ly/dataweek3



