How to Refresh your Workspace

This reading item has instructions on how to refresh your workspace. This will come in hadny whenever you'd need to fetch the (latest) assignment and/or other files. And in cases of opening the assignment runs into a 404 error.

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Option 1 - Using Lab Help

1. Open the assignment.

2. After the assignment opens up, click "*File*" (top left) and then "*Open...*"

3. When your workspace opens, select the *check box* before your assignment file. After it is selected, press "*Shutdown*".

4. Using the same procedure mentioned above, "*Rename*" your file. For instance you can change it from *assignment_name.ipynb* to *assignment_name_v2.ipynb*. By doing this you'll be able to save your current progress on the assignment after the latest assignment file is fetched.

5. Using the same procedure, "*Delete*" any other file, if any, that you want to get a fresh copy of.

6. After renaming your file, click on the "*Help*" button on the top right of the page. From the panel that opens, click "*Get latest version*" button, and then "*Update lab*".

7. After the page reloads go to *File --> Open...* , as described in (2)

8. Now you'll see two notebook files. The one you renamed (as done in step 4) will have your previous progress, and the latest version.
(Depending on how many previous versions you have kept saved, you could have more than two assignment files in the worksapce)

Option 2 - via URL

• Follow the steps 1 to 5 as mentioed in *Option 1*.

• In the URL of the page append "*?forceRefresh=true*" at the end of it. For instance, *coursera.org* will become *coursera.org?forceRefresh=true*

• Follow the steps 7 and 8.

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