GoT

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Introduction to Python

Biostats Computing Workshop

1.1.1 Motivational Example

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In [5]: ## SO MANY LIBRARIES
        from bs4 import BeautifulSoup as bs ## Importing an Object!
        import urlparse
        from urllib2 import urlopen ## Importing some functions!
        from urllib import urlretrieve
        import unicodedata
        import os
        import sys
        from __future__ import division ## Oddity with division
In [9]: URL = "http://www.readbooksvampire.com/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones.html" ## CAPS = GLO
In [10]: soup = bs(urlopen(URL)) ### Creating a 'bs' object here
In [11]: parsed = list(urlparse.urlparse(URL)) ## list is the Python ordered array data structure
In [12]: i = 0
         # chapters = []
         for link in soup.find_all('a'): ## This is what a 'for loop' looks like in python
             if "George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/" in link.get('href'): # some if statements!
                 print(link.get('href'))
                 # chapters.append(link.get('href'))
                 i+=1
            if i > 6:
                 break
/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/01.html
/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/02.html
/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/03.html
/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/04.html
/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/05.html
/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/06.html
/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/07.html
1.2
     OOOOOO LIST COMPREHENSION
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In [13]: chapters = [ link.get('href') for link in soup.find_all('a')
                     if "George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/" in link.get('href')]
         chapters[:5]
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'/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/03.html',
          '/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/04.html',
          '/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/05.html']
In [14]: ## lets check this out for chapter 1
         chapter1_url = URL[:-5] + chapters[0][len(chapters[0])-8:] ## look at this fancy string slicin
URL[:-5] ## gets everything but the last five characters in the string
http://www.readbooksvampire.com/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones
                                                                          .html
chapters[0][len(chapters[0])-8:] ## lets break this down one piece at a time
chapters[0] ## this is the object holding the text string for the first chapter
>>/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/01.html,
## I'm now accessing a string object, but now I only want the last 8 characters!
len(chapters[0]) ## gives me the entire length of the string
len(chapters[0])-8 ## Length of string minus 8
chapters[0][len(chapters[0])-8:]
#Gives me the entire string of the first chapter url, starting 8 characters back
>>/01.html
URL[:-5] + chapters[0][len(chapters[0])-8:] ## I stick the two strings together with the '+' sign!
In [15]: chapter1_url
Out [15]: 'http://www.readbooksvampire.com/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/01.html'
In [16]: soup_1 = bs(urlopen(chapter1_url)) ## Creating a Soup Object!
In [80]: # soup_1.get_text()
1.3 lets get the whole book
  What would this look like in a for loop?
In [15]: chapter_num = 1
         for chapter in chapters: ## notice the arbitrary indexing -- this is a property called __iter_
             chapter_num_url = URL[:-5] + chapters[0][len(chapter)-8:]
             bs(urlopen(chapter_num_url)).get_text()
1.3.1 Lets be cool and use a list comprehension
In [29]: def get_GoT(chapter):
             Returns all the GoT text within the parameter chapter
             P.S. Docstrings are great for making sure other people
             who read your code know what you're doing with your
             custom functions and objects
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             chapter_num_url = URL[:-5] + chapter[len(chapter)-8:]
             return bs(urlopen(chapter_num_url)).get_text()
In [30]: GoT = [get_GoT(chapter) for chapter in chapters] ## takes a couple minutes
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Out[13]: ['/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/01.html',

'/George_R.R._Martin/A_Game_of_Thrones/02.html',

1.3.2 Not always wise to do this, servers and their admins will be upset if you make a lot of requests in a short amount of time

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In [31]: len(GoT),len(chapters)
Out[31]: (72, 72)
In [32]: GoT[0][:100]
Out[32]: u'\n\nA Game of Thrones(Song of Ice and Fire Book 1) by George R.R. Martin | Chapter One | Read
In [33]: GoT[71][:100] ## zero indexed arrays/lists
Out[33]: u'\n\nA Game of Thrones(Song of Ice and Fire Book 1) by George R.R. Martin | Chapter Seventy-to-
In [34]: type(GoT[0]),type(unicodedata.normalize('NFKD', GoT[0]).encode('ascii','ignore'))
Out[34]: (unicode, str)
In [35]: GoT = [unicodedata.normalize('NFKD',chapter).encode('ascii','ignore') for chapter in GoT] ## A
In [102]: !mkdir GoT
In [16]: os.chdir("GoT")
In [122]: for chapter_num in range(1,73):
              with open("Chapter "+str(chapter_num) + ".txt", "w") as chap: ## file access!
                  chap.write(GoT[chapter_num-1])
In [36]: book_string = ""
         for chapter in GoT:
             book_string += chapter
In [37]: len(book_string)
Out[37]: 1616629
In [38]: with open("GoT_bookone.txt","w") as book:
             book.write(book_string)
In [39]: !ls
GoT
                               Python_Reference.aux
GoT.ipynb
                               Python_Reference.log
GoT_bookone.txt
                               Python_Reference.out
PythonIntroduction.ipynb
                               Python_Reference.pdf
PythonIntroduction.slides.html Python_Reference.synctex.gz
Python_Exercises
                               Python_Reference.tex
                               README.md
Python_Exercises.aux
Python_Exercises.log
                               Slideshow Support.ipynb
Python_Exercises.out
                               hello_world.png
Python_Exercises.pdf
                               rpython.png
Python_Exercises.synctex.gz
                               texput.log
Python_Exercises.tex
In [22]: import re ## regular expressions library
In [40]: wic = re.findall("[Ww][Ii][Nn][Tt][Ee][Rr] [Ii][Ss] [Cc][Oo][Mm][Ii][Nn][Gg]",book_string)
         wic, len(wic)
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Out[40]: (['winter is coming',
           'Winter is coming'],
          11)
In [41]: Starks= "[Ww][Ii][Nn][Tt][Ee][Rr] [Ii][Ss] [Cc][Oo][Mm][Ii][Nn][Gg]"
         Lannisters = "[Aa] [L1]annister [Aa]lways [Pp]ays [Hh]is debts"
         Lannister_actual = "[Hh]ear [Mm]e [Rr]oar!"
In [42]: search_string = re.compile(Starks)
         find = search_string.search(book_string)
In [43]: find.span()
Out[43]: (21266, 21282)
In [44]: for position in search_string.finditer(book_string):
             print position.start()
21266
21561
103321
300227
313673
392475
420761
730895
780740
1299233
1299288
In [45]: Stark_Positions = [position.start()/len(book_string) for position in search_string.finditer(bo
In [46]: from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
         import numpy as np
         %matplotlib inline
In [49]: plt.boxplot(Stark_Positions)
         plt.title("Winter is Coming-Book Positions")
         plt.ylabel("Relative Position in Book")
         plt.show()
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