

SIGNAL PROCESSING & ML IN UBICOMP

CSE 590 Ubiquitous Computing | Lecture 3 | April 12

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TODAY'S LEARNING GOALS

Note: We will likely be moving pretty fast today. But all of your learning will be reinforced by the assignment!

Some basics of **Python** and **Jupyter Notebook**

How do we **analyze, process, & visualize signals** in Jupyter Notebook?

What are **FFTs** and why are they useful?

What are **shape-matching** algorithms?

How should we evaluate the **performance of our classifiers**?

WHAT MIGHT ML HELP US DO IN UBICOMP SYSTEMS?

Classify low- or high-level activities (*e.g.*, gestures, playing baseball)

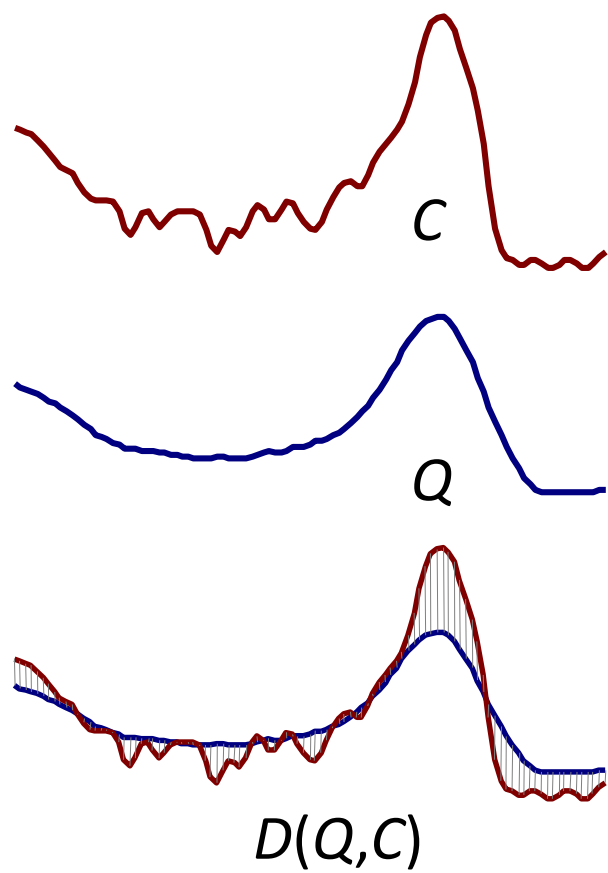
Cluster similar signals together (*e.g.*, how many categories of things exist in this dataset)

Search. (*e.g.*, I have signal A & I want to find all other signals like this in my data)

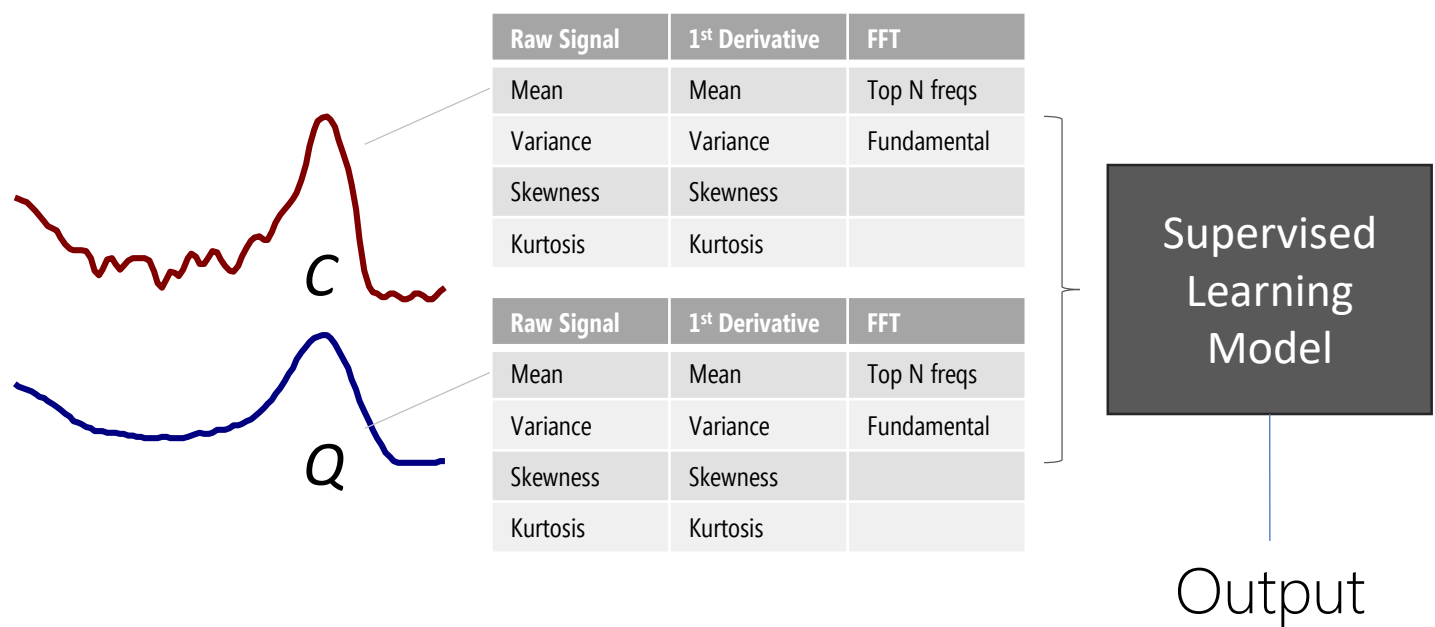
Novelty detection (*i.e.*, anomaly detection)

TWO PREVAILING APPROACHES

SHAPE-MATCHING

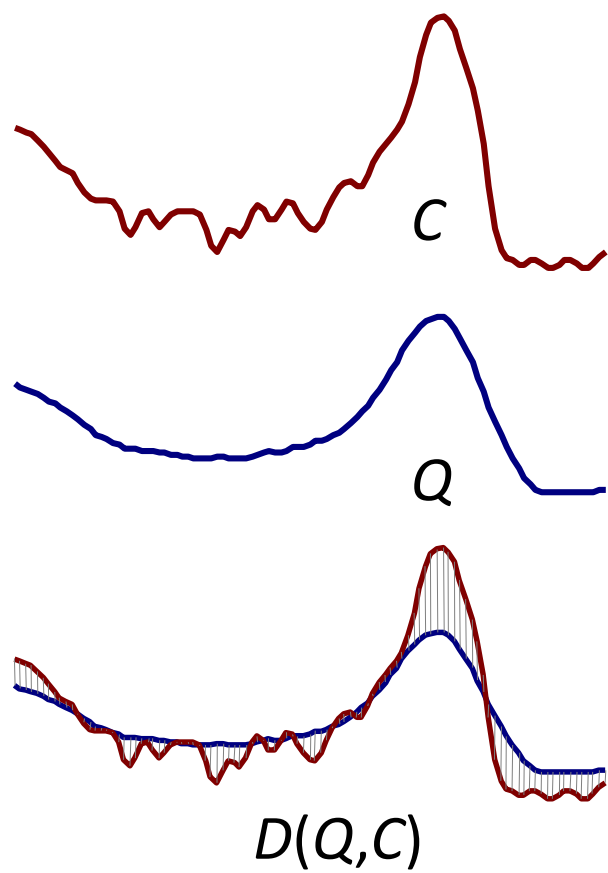


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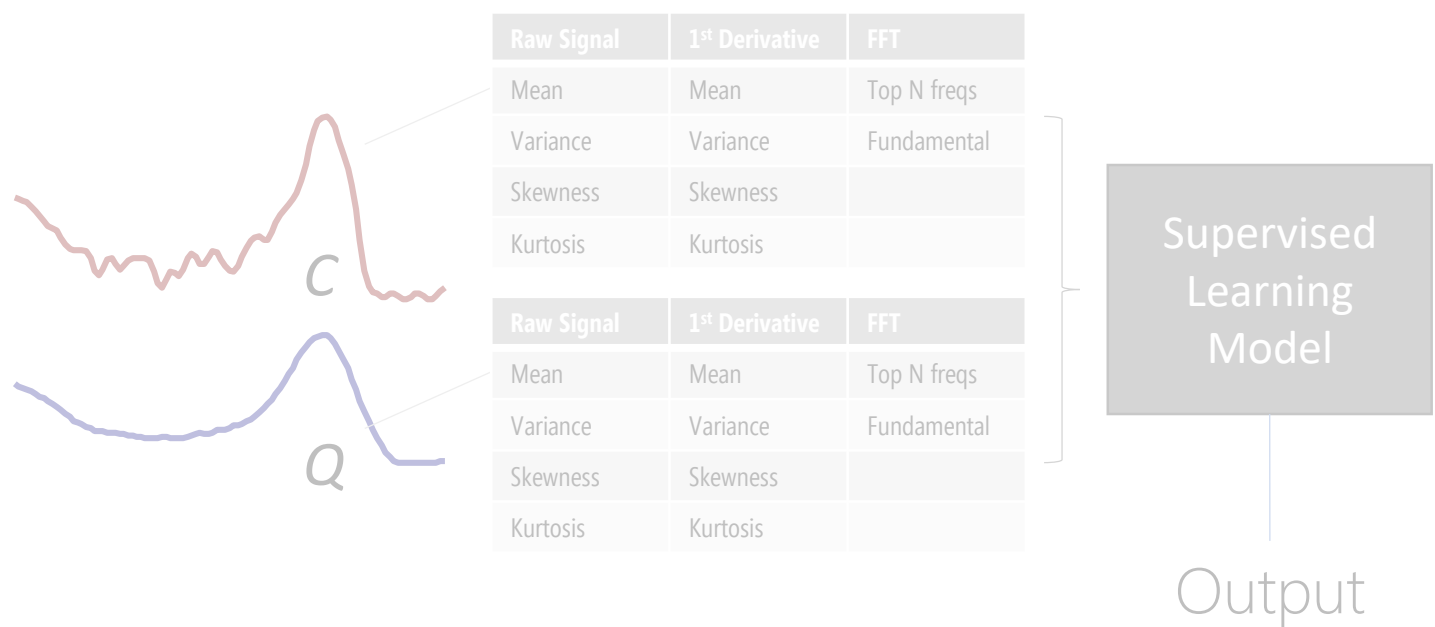


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INTRO TO SHAPE-MATCHING

SIMILARITY METRICS

How do we formally define similarity?



DEFINING DISTANCE MEASURES

Let O_1 and O_2 be two objects from the universe of possible objects.

The distance (dissimilarity) is denoted by $D(O_1, O_2)$

Properties of a desirable distance metric:

$D(A, B) = D(B, A)$	Symmetry
$D(A, A) = 0$	Constancy
$D(A, B) = 0 \text{ If } A = B$	Positivity

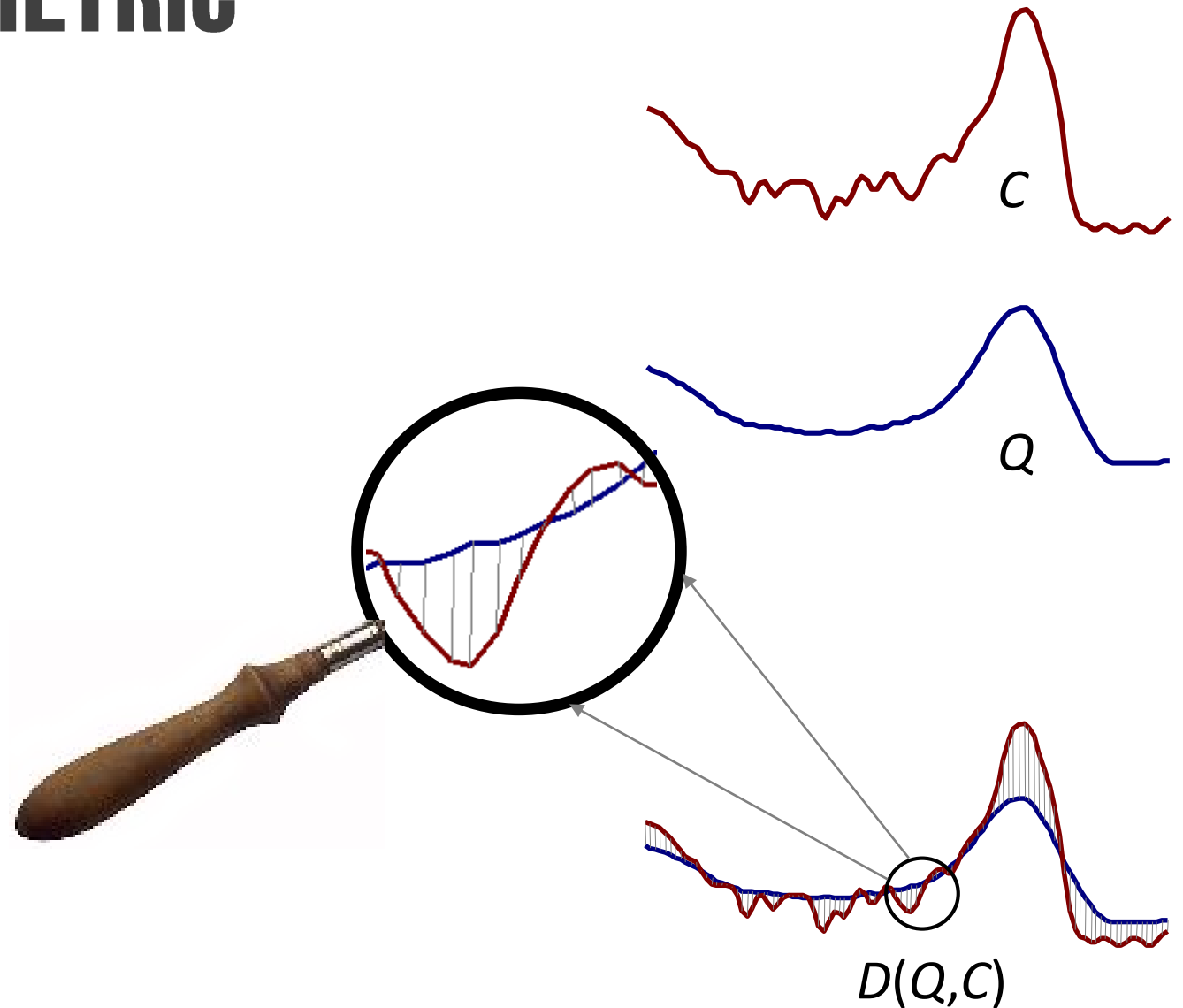
EUCLIDEAN DISTANCE METRIC

Given two time series:

$$Q = q_1 \dots q_n$$

$$C = c_1 \dots c_n$$

$$D(Q, C) \equiv \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (q_i - c_i)^2}$$



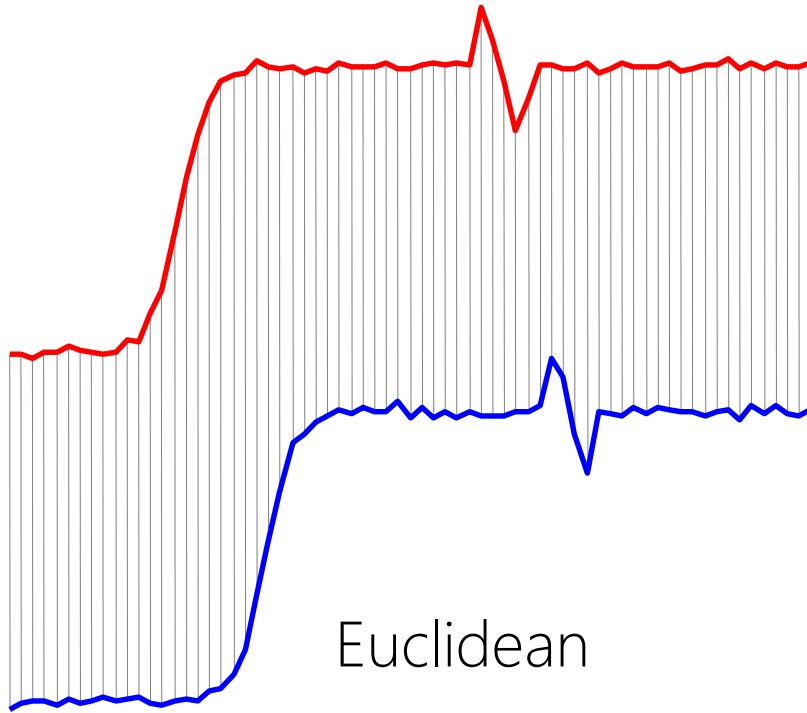
COMMON OPTIMIZATION OF EUCLID DISTANCE

Instead of calculating the raw Euclidean distance, calculate the squared Euclidean distance (to save CPU time)

$$D(Q, C) \equiv \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (q_i - c_i)^2} \quad \Rightarrow \quad D_{\text{squared}}(Q, C) \equiv \sum_{i=1}^n (q_i - c_i)^2$$

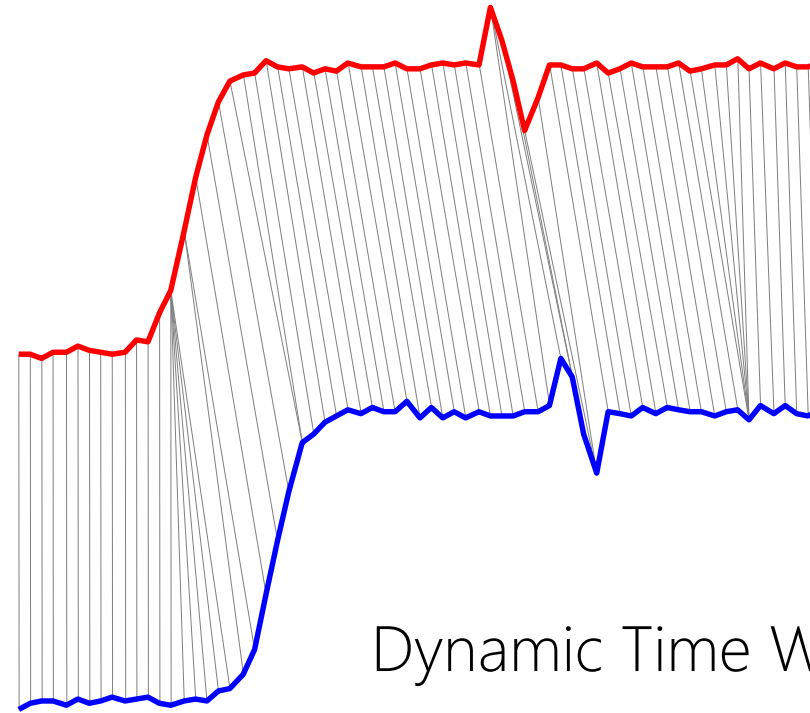
DYNAMIC TIME WARPING

Dynamic Time Warping is a more sophisticated similarity approach; however, it is $O(N^2)$



Fixed Time Axis

Sequences are aligned "one-to-one"



"Warped" Time Axis

Non-linear alignments are possible

PREPROCESSING TIME SERIES DATA

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Shape-matching algorithms are particularly sensitive to distortions in the data that don't matter but greatly impact performance

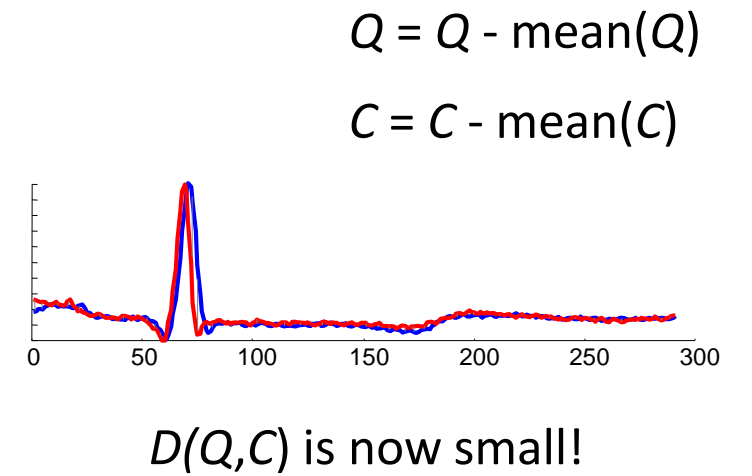
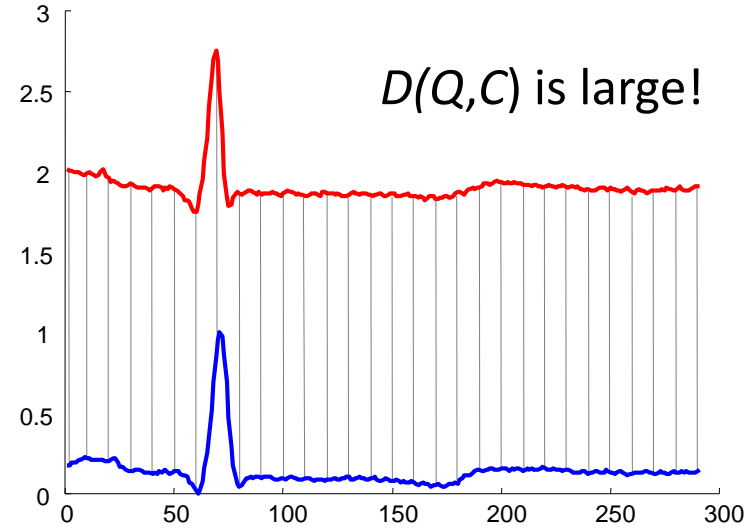
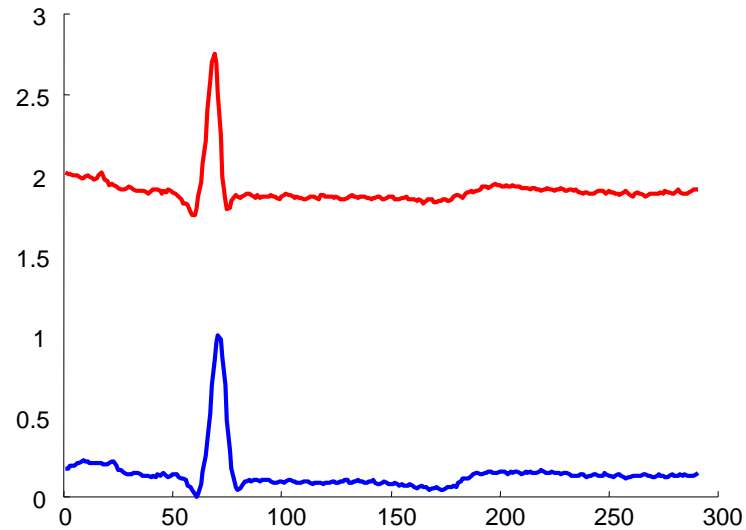
Offset translation (*e.g.*, demeaning)

Amplitude scaling

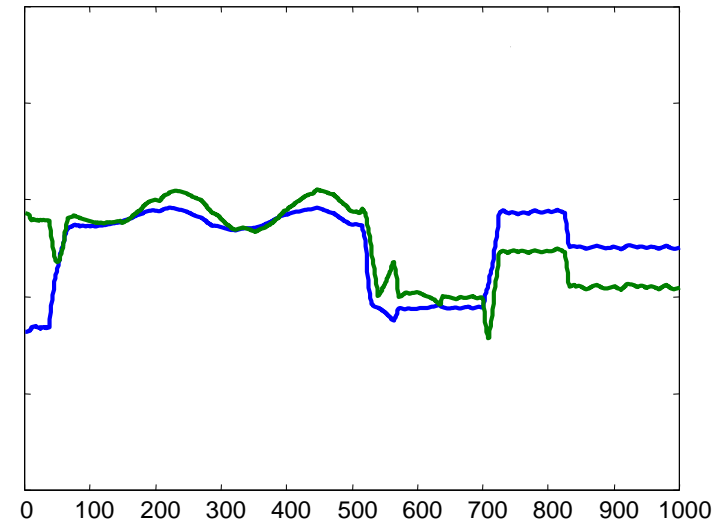
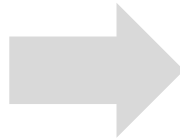
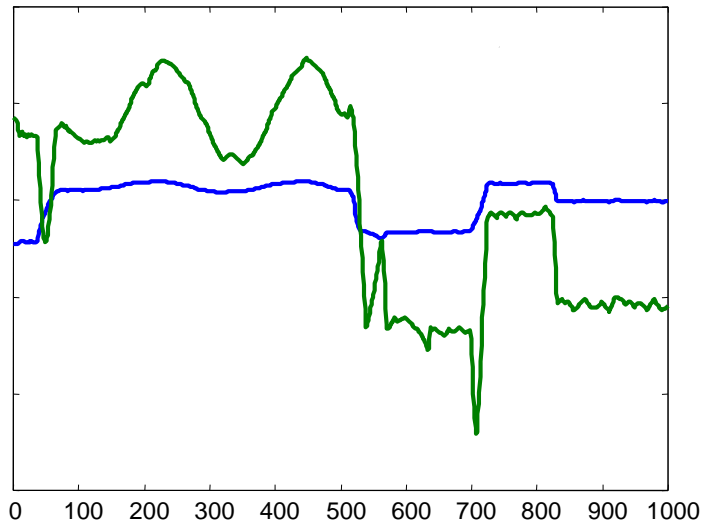
Detrending (*e.g.*, removing linear trend)

Removing noise

OFFSET TRANSLATION



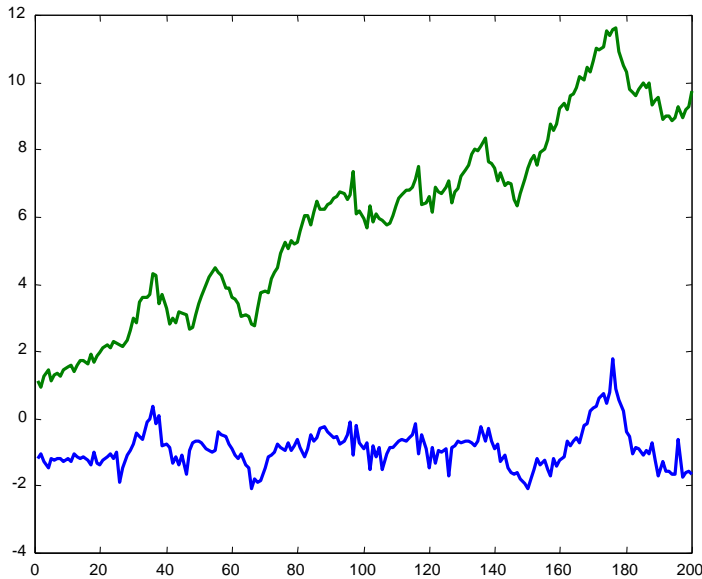
AMPLITUDE SCALING



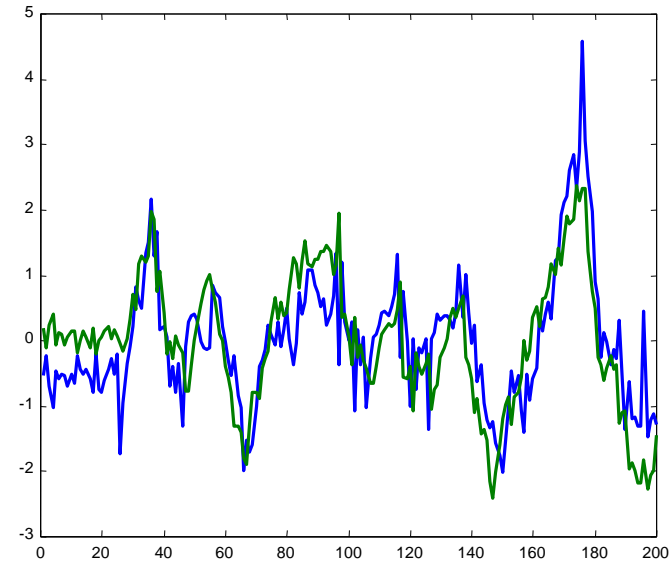
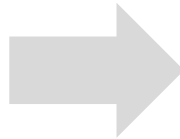
$$Q = (Q - \text{mean}(Q)) / \text{std}(Q)$$

$$C = (C - \text{mean}(C)) / \text{std}(C)$$

DETRENDING



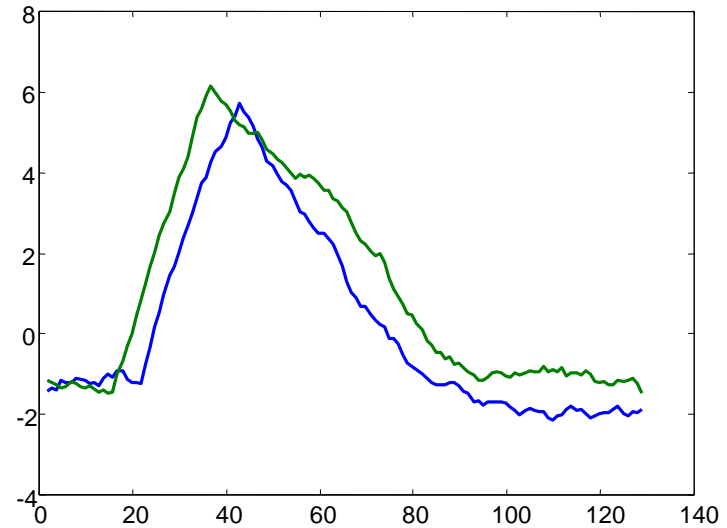
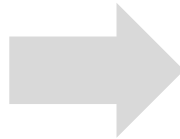
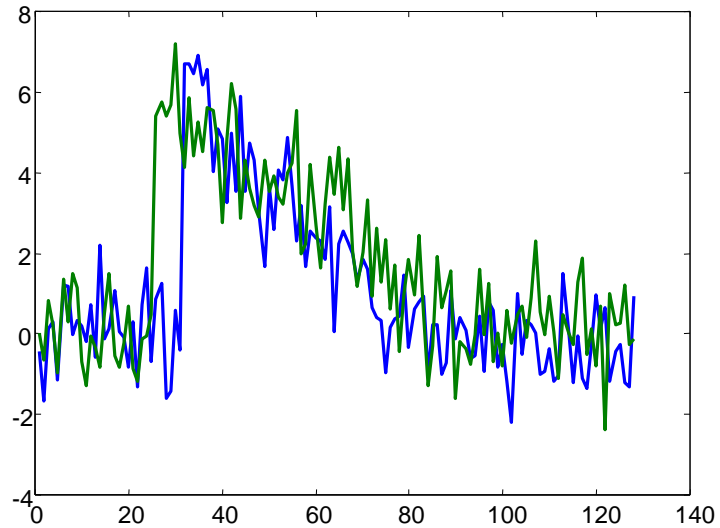
Find best fit line to time series,
then subtract that line from the
signal



$Q = \text{detrrend}(Q)$

$C = \text{detrrend}(C)$

SMOOTHING



$Q = \text{smooth}(Q)$

$C = \text{smooth}(C)$



Project Jupyter exists to develop open-source software, open-standards, and services for interactive computing across dozens of programming languages.

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Installing Jupyter

Get up and running with the Jupyter Notebook on your computer within minutes!

Prerequisite: Python

While Jupyter runs code in many programming languages, **Python** is a requirement (Python 3.3 or greater, or Python 2.7) for installing the Jupyter Notebook itself.

Installing Jupyter using Anaconda

We strongly recommend installing Python and Jupyter using the Anaconda Distribution, which includes Python, the Jupyter Notebook, and other commonly used packages for scientific computing and data science.

First, download [Anaconda](#). We recommend downloading Anaconda's latest Python 3 version.

Second, install the version of Anaconda which you downloaded, following the instructions on the download page.

Congratulations, you have installed Jupyter Notebook! To run the notebook, run the following command at the Terminal (Mac/Linux) or Command Prompt (Windows):

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jupyter notebook
```

See [Running the Notebook](#) for more details.

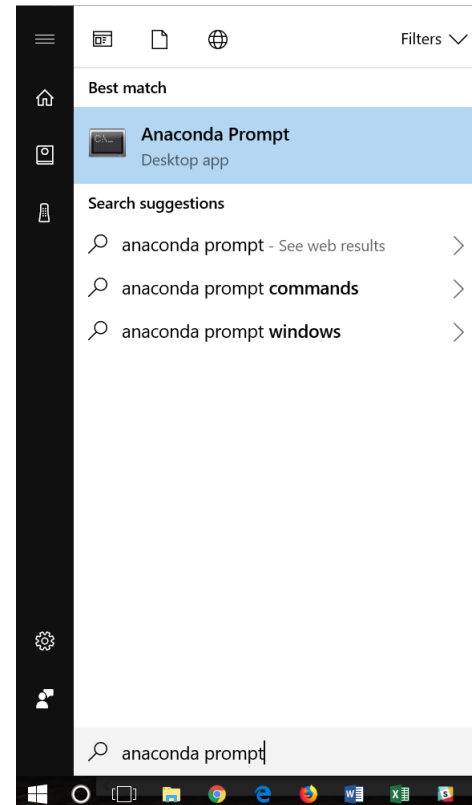
Installing Jupyter with pip

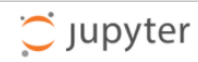
STARTING A FRESH JUPYTER NOTEBOOK

On a Mac

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> mkdir funtimes  
> cd funtimes  
> jupyter notebook
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On Windows





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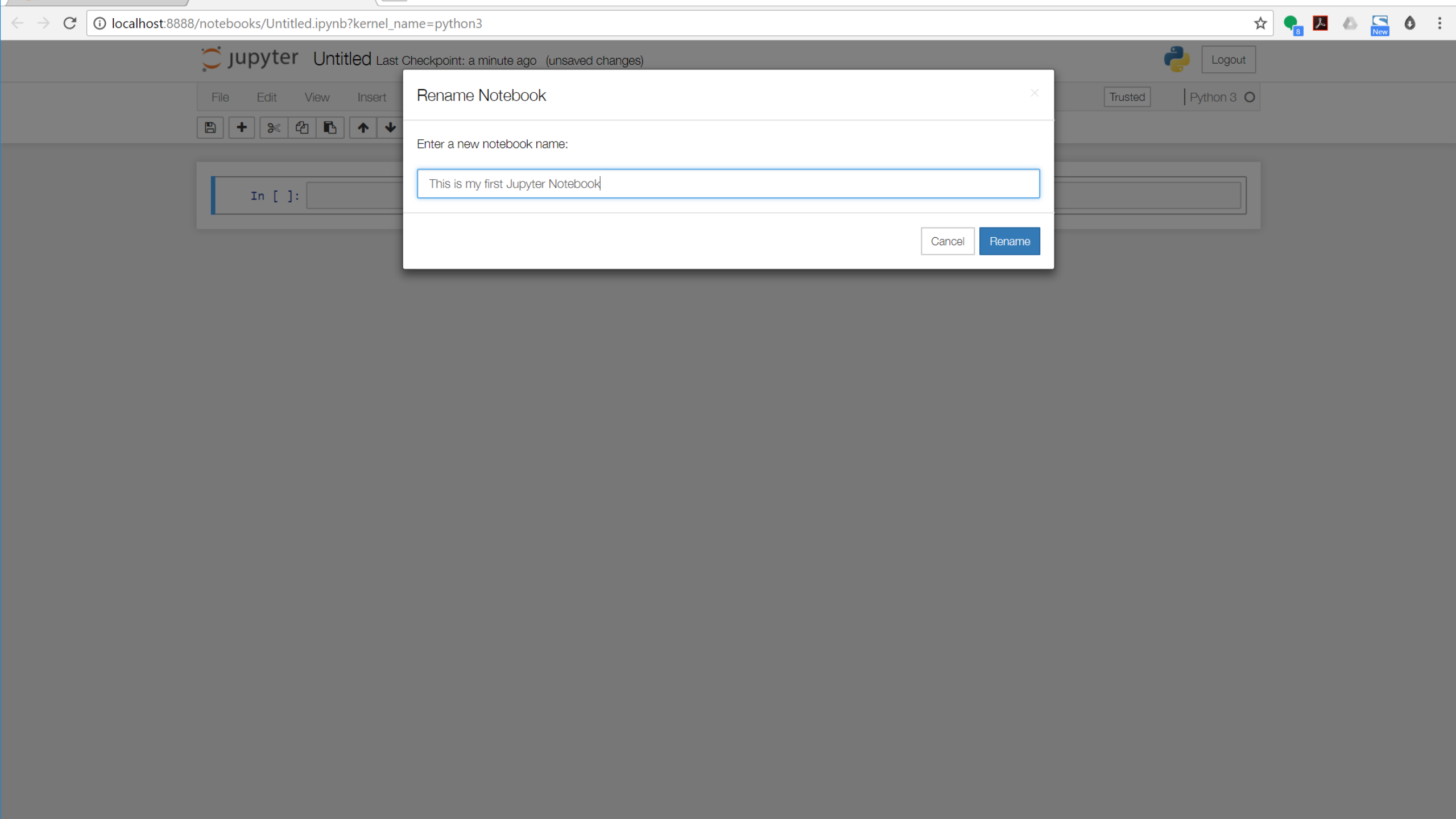
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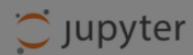
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Untitled

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In []:

Rename Notebook



Enter a new notebook name:

This is my first Jupyter Notebook

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Rename

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Python 3

In [1]: "Hello World"

Out[1]: 'Hello World'

In []:


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In [3]: myList = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
        print(myList)
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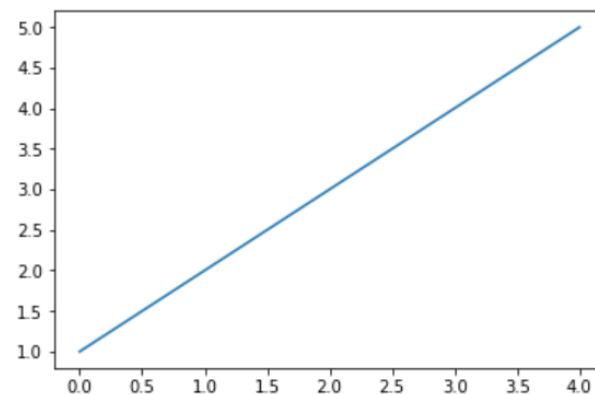
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In [6]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        fig, ax = plt.subplots()
        ax.plot(myList)
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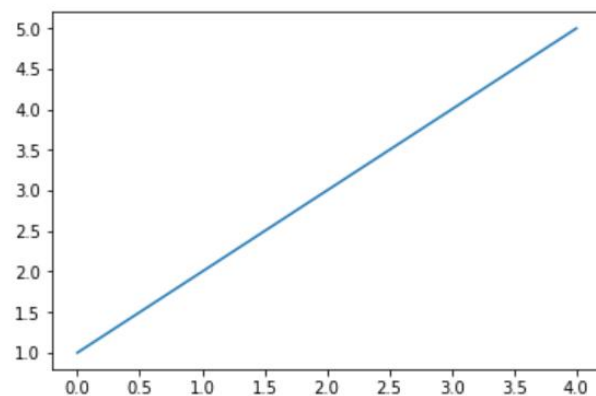
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Out[6]: [<matplotlib.lines.Line2D at 0x1e822d0e8d0>]
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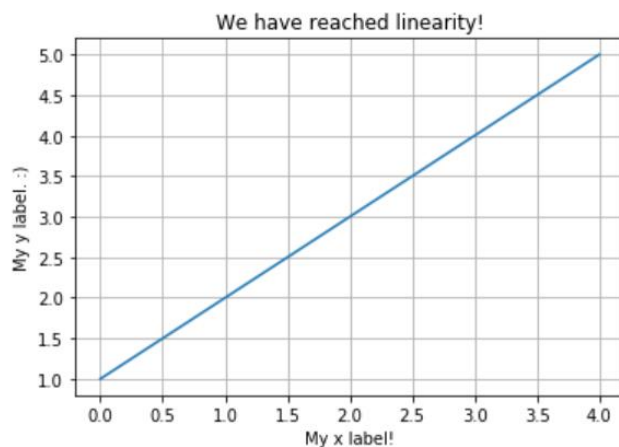
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In [ ]:
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ax.plot(myList)
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Out[6]: [



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In [8]: fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.plot(myList)
ax.set(xlabel='My x label!', ylabel='My y label. :)',
       title='We have reached linearity!')
ax.grid()
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By this point in the lecture, Jon has switched to using Jupyter Notebook.
See: L03-PlayingWithSignals in <https://github.com/jonfroehlich/CSE590Sp2018>

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Quick Feedback about A1: Step Tracker

As mentioned previously, this is my first time teaching this course and my first time teaching PMP students. As such, I am continuously calibrating and revising my teaching approach. Your honest feedback here is appreciated and will be used to improve the course.

Quiz Type	Ungraded Survey
Points	
Shuffle Answers	No
Time Limit	No Time Limit
Multiple Attempts	No
View Responses	Always
Show Correct Answers	No
One Question at a Time	No
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Overview

Imagine working for a company that would like to use the phone as an input device to an interactive video game system like the Xbox or Playstation--for example, using the phone as a paddle in tennis or as a "ball" in bowling. In this assignment, you will build your own 3D gesture recognizer to automatically recognize these gestures.

While in the "real world" you would ultimately need to create a real-time gesture recognizer, for this assignment you will make an *offline* version in Jupyter Notebook. Specifically, you will make two recognizers: (i) a *shape-matching* recognizer such as via a Euclidean distance metric or Dynamic Time Warping and (ii) a *feature-based* (or *model-based*) recognizer using a sliding-window [support-vector machine \(SVM\)](#) , [hidden-markov model \(HMM\)](#) , or an alternative supervised learning approach of your choosing. An initial version of your shape-matching recognizer and performance results are due next week for your check-in.

Within Jupyter Notebook, we will use Python 3 and these amazing libraries [numpy](#) , [scipy](#) , [matplotlib](#) , and [scikit-learn](#) . Numpy and scipy provide numeric array handling and signal processing, matplotlib provides visualization, and scikit-learn is the de facto machine learning library in Python. You are welcome to use other libraries as well (e.g., [this DTW library](#)).

For your deliverables, you will turn in your Jupyter Notebook, your recorded gestures, and a brief (1-page) report on your algorithmic approaches and performance results.

Learning Goals

- Introduce and learn basic machine learning approaches popular in ubiquitous computing systems, including shape matching and feature-based classification
- Introduce and learn basic machine learning pipeline: data collection, signal processing, model training, and model testing using k-fold cross validation
- Introduce and learn popular data analytics tools and toolkits (e.g., Jupyter Notebook, scipy). I hope you'll enjoy learning and using Jupyter Notebook as much as we do!

Related Items

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A2: GESTURE RECOGNIZER

1. Using Jupyter Notebook, design and implement two different (offline) gesture recognition approaches:
 1. Shape-matching approach (e.g., Euclidean distance)
 2. A model-based approach (e.g., a multi-class SVM)
2. You must test on two gesture sets: one gesture set that I pre-created and another that you create. You will use the A02-GestureLogger tool (see github)
3. To help get you started, I created an initial Jupyter Notebook with some basic data structures and parsing for analyzing the gesture data. (again, see github)
4. You will submit your Jupyter Notebooks and a brief report

Your gesture recognizer needs to recognize:

1. Backhand Tennis
2. Forehand Tennis
3. Underhand Bowling
4. Baseball Throw
5. At Rest (i.e., no motion)
6. Midair Clockwise 'O'
7. Midair Counter-clockwise 'O'
8. Midair Zorro 'Z'
9. Midair 'S'
10. Shake
11. A gesture of your own creation

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