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**Vicki**  
@vboykis



Rereading these and letting them go into the ether.

**Vicki** @vboykis · May 24, 2018  
Unreal. This thing has gone too far.

 **jupyter** iris\_analysis\_version\_68 Last Checkpoint: a few seconds ago (autosaved)  
dashboard  
File Edit View Insert Cell Kernel Widgets Help  
[Icons: Save, New, Copy, Paste, Undo, Redo, Run, Stop, Refresh, Code, Help]  

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In [26]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import pandas as pd
%matplotlib inline

In [27]: df = pd.read_csv('iris.csv')
df

Out[27]:
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6:02 PM · Nov 17, 2022 · Twitter for iPhone

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**Vicki** @vboykis · 36m  
Replying to @vboykis



**Vicki** @vboykis · Dec 23, 2018  
It's only called a Neural Network if it comes from the Neuralè region of

France. Otherwise you have to call it a logistic regression.



**Vicki** @vboykis · 35m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Feb 25

A senior developer is someone who fluently hates more than one programming language.



**Vicki** @vboykis · 35m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Oct 9, 2018

Hottest programming skills in 2018:

5. Fixing git merge conflicts
4. Correctly mapping ports in Docker containers to host machines
3. Getting info from AWS documentation
2. Pulling summary stats from a data stream
1. Turning any of the above into a conference talk about AI



**Vicki** @vboykis · 33m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Aug 16, 2012

Is there "Hadoop for Complete Morons?" Hadoop for Idiots is just not cutting it for me.



**Vicki** @vboykis · 30m



**Vicki** @vboykis · May 11, 2019

Sorting Hat: Merge sort.

Harry Potter: Er, excuse me?

Sorting Hat: The white board, do a merge sort.

Harry Potter: But I thought Hogwarts was a mag-

Dumbledore: My dear boy, castle rent is much too expensive. We've pivoted to SaaS products. The hat does our interviews now.



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**Vicki** @vboykis · 26m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Aug 28, 2012

All the roads are pointing to Python for me. #resistanceisfutile



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**Vicki** @vboykis · 24m



This Tweet includes a word you muted.

**View**



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**Vicki** @vboykis · 24m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Jun 15, 2021

[In an ML codebase]

Me: [running mypy and chanting] types, types-

Scala dev running the Spark jobs: types, TYPES

Java devs deploying the microservice: TYPES, TYPES, TYPES.  
[twitter.com/LeBearGirdle/s...](https://twitter.com/LeBearGirdle/s...)

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**Vicki** @vboykis · 21m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Sep 4, 2013

A day spent on the command line and not in Excel is a happy day.


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**Vicki** @vboykis · 21m ...  
(one of the saddest parts for me personally is that my career progression is chronicled right in my tweets)

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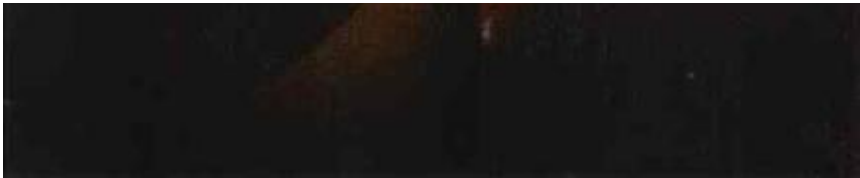
**Vicki** @vboykis · 20m ...  
 **Vicki** @vboykis · Jan 28, 2014  
I think the goal of the NoSQL movement is also to make everything completely unGoogleable: Storm, Flume, Spark, Shark. Come on, guys.

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**Vicki** @vboykis · 19m ...  
 **Vicki** @vboykis · Nov 26, 2017  
"Running Spark locally"  
Georges de la Tour, 1646 #devart





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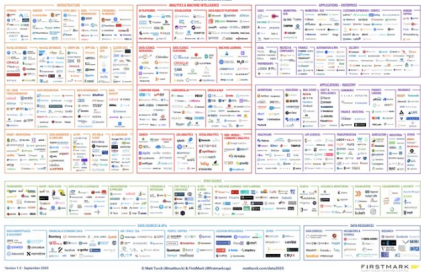
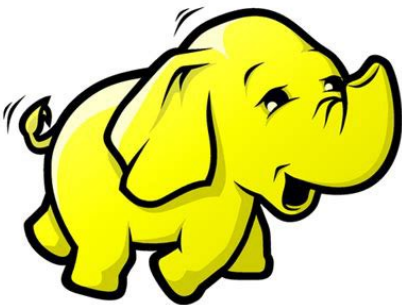


**Vicki** @vboykis · 16m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Oct 11, 2020

How it started.      How it's going.  
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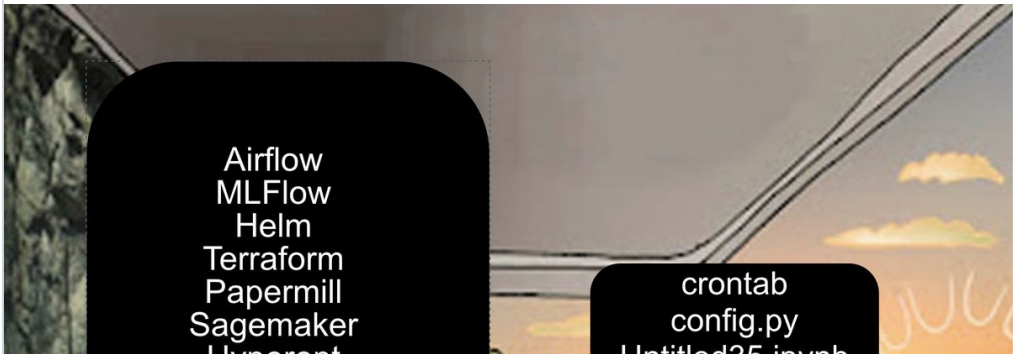


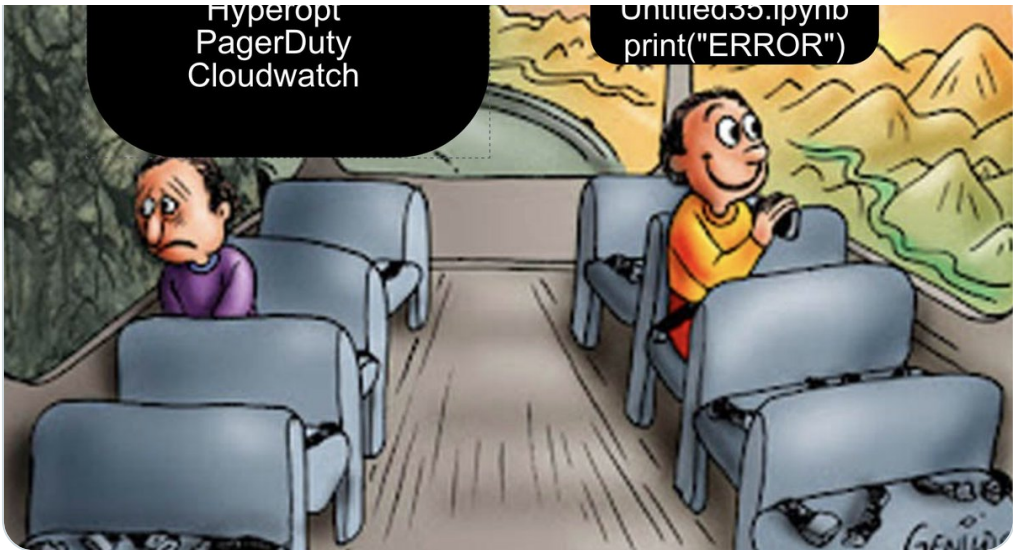
**Vicki** @vboykis · 15m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Nov 26, 2021

Smoothly segues into the iq bell curve meme.





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**Vicki** @vboykis · 13m

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**Vicki** @vboykis · Nov 6, 2018

Who called it Airflow and not Fancy Cron til the DAG is Done?  
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**Vicki** @vboykis · 8m

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**Vicki** @vboykis · Feb 27, 2019

Ten years ago, I didn't know what unit tests, version control, or continuous integration were.  
  
Today, my code fails at each of these steps at least once a day.  
  
Follow your dreams.

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**Vicki** @vboykis · 7m

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**Vicki** @vboykis · Sep 4, 2019

Job Req:  
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Years of Experience: 37

PhD: Required

Languages: Python, R, Scala, Fortran, and Cantonese

Experience with: Machine Learning, DevOps, Agile, Marie Kondo Method

Someone who is good at recruiting, help me find a data scientist, my company is dying.



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**Vicki** @vboykis · 6m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Oct 18

You, my mortal enemy, may your grapes wither on the vine, may your oxen fall sick, may your amphorae become brittle and shatter, may you be forced to maintain pipelines in both Spark 2 and 3 in both Python and Scala, using DataFrames and Datasets, in both GCP and AWS.



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**Vicki** @vboykis · 5m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Mar 31, 2020

Producer, over Zoom: Pitch me.

Me: It's a sitcom about two data scientists who are trapped together in a tiny apartment during a pandemic, frantically working on a deep learning problem while trying to not kill each other. It's called "Socially MNISTancing."

Producer: Get out.



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**Vicki** @vboykis · 3m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Jun 20, 2019

Producer: Pitch me.

Me: It's a reality competition show featuring two groups people that can't stop talking about what they do: gym rats and data scientists. We



pit them against each other in feats of strength. It's called "CrossFit Validation"

Producer: Get out.



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**Vicki** @vboykis · 2m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Jul 25, 2018

"Successfully completing a git merge"

Michael Pacher, 1495 #devart



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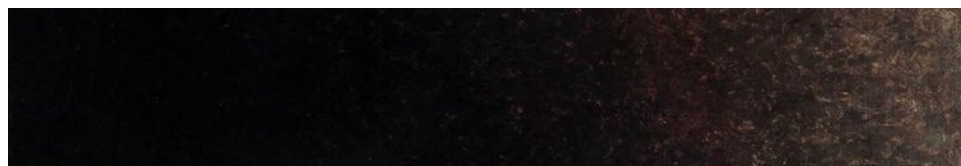
**Vicki** @vboykis · 1m



**Vicki** @vboykis · Jul 17, 2018

"Death of Marat by Slack notification (detail)"

Jacques-Louis David, 1793 #devart







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**Jerry Chen** @jcsalterego · 18m ⋮  
Replying to @vboykis  
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**Vicki** @vboykis · 17m ⋮  
Replying to @jcsalterego  
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**Turkey Dayve** 🐔 | @nicholdav@fosstodon.org @nicholdav · 4m ⋮  
Replying to @vboykis  
Really wish Sarah Guido was still on here to hate-like this

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