JupyterHub in Engineering Education

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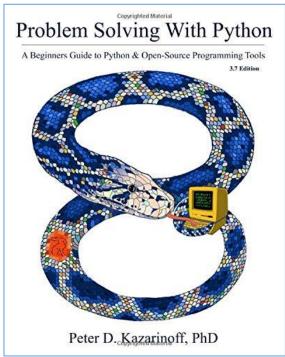
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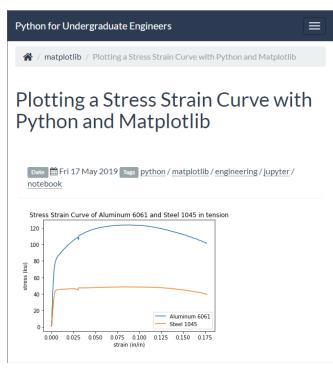
Slides: github.com/ProfessorKazarinoff/PyDataPDX-2019-11

Who is Peter?



- Engineering Transfer
- 2-year Engineering Tech





Blog: pythonforundergradengineers.com

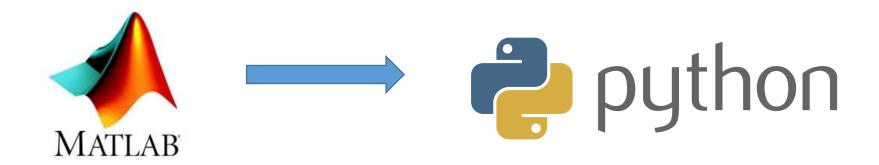
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- 6 in 10 of CC students experience food insecurity
- 3 in 10 CC students experience housing insecurity
- 1 in 10 of CC students is homeless



Moving from MATLAB to Python



Could save students \$25,000 in one year

Students use Desktops, Laptops, Chromebooks, Tablets and Phones





Jupyter Notebooks

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[I 09:35:24.740 NotebookApp] Serving notebooks from local directory: C:\Users\peter.kazar inoff\Documents

[I 09:35:24.740 NotebookApp] The Jupyter Notebook is running at:

[I 09:35:24.741 NotebookApp] http://localhost:8888/?token=f023lebbc26a7b8e6dbe1f0b6fa61b4

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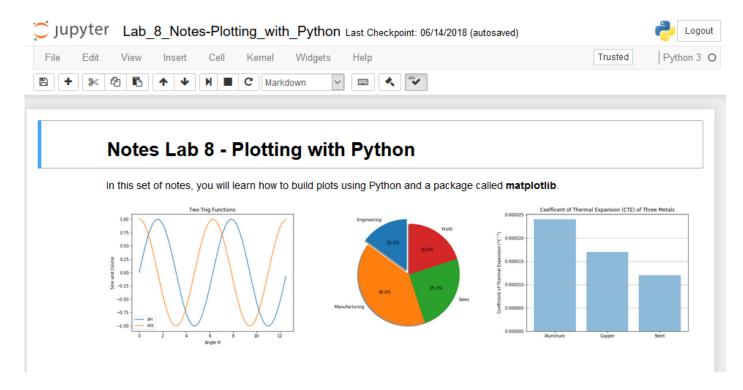
(twice to skip confirmation).

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To access the notebook, open this file in a browser:
    file:///C:/Users/peter.kazarinoff/AppData/Roaming/jupyter/runtime/nbserver-9516-open.html

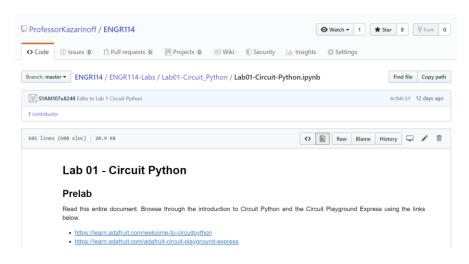
Or copy and paste one of these URLs:
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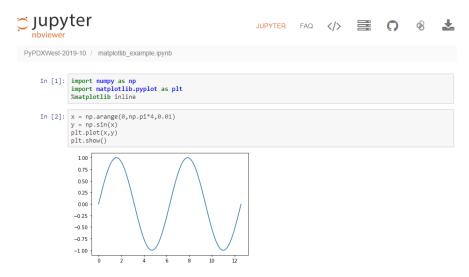


Static Jupyter Notebooks Online

GitHub



nbviewer

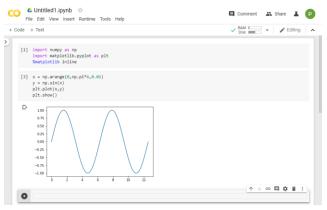


Dynamic Jupyter Notebooks Online



Turn a Git repo into a collection of interactive notebooks

Google CoLab



Kaggle Kernels



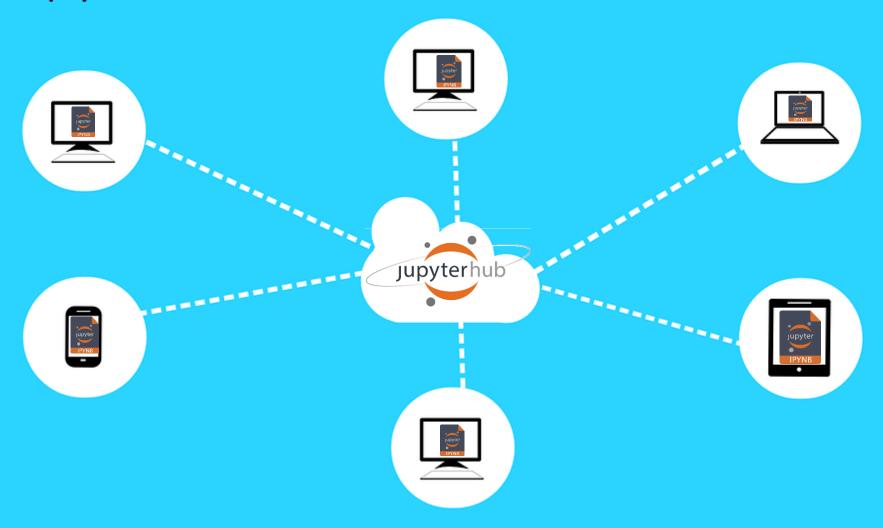
JetBrains Datalore



Microsoft Azure Notebooks



JupyterHub



JupyterHub















Why use JupyterHub?

- You have your own OAuth and don't want to use additional usernames and passwords
- Your data is private and can't be shared in the public cloud
- Need custom packages, custom environment not available publically
- Share documents/data across users





Setting up JupyterHub

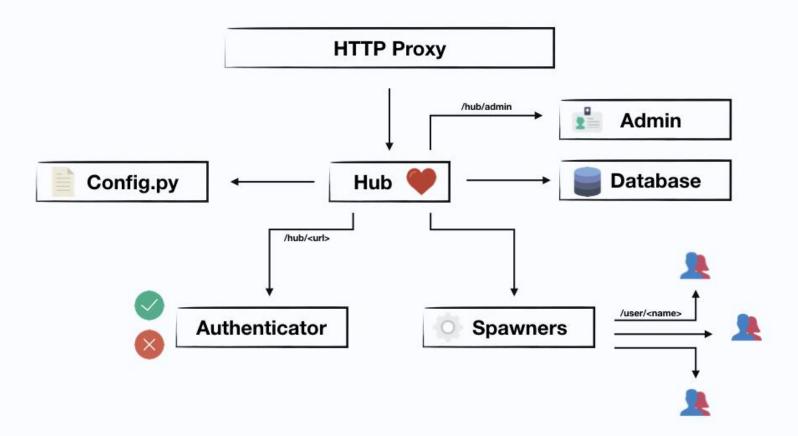


- VPS (Digital Ocean, Linode, AWS, Google Cloud, Azure, or Local Server)
- Root access (can run without sudo, but it's more complicated)
- Install Python and JupyterHub
- Configuration file
- Domain name and SSL cert
- Can use Nginx reverse proxy
- Authentication: PAM, GitHub, Google or other OAuth

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Authenticating with public key "rsa-key-20180516'
  come to Ubuntu 18.04.3 LTS (GNU/Linux 4.15.0-65-generic x86 64)
  Documentation: https://help.ubuntu.com
                  https://landscape.canonical.com
                  https://ubuntu.com/advantage
 System information as of Tue Oct 8 16:28:38 UTC 2019
 System load: 0.0
 Usage of /: 22.8% of 24.06GB
                                  Users logged in:
 Memory usage: 26%
                                  IP address for eth0: 165.22.157.61
  Swap usage:
  Canonical Livepatch is available for installation.
   - Reduce system reboots and improve kernel security. Activate at:
    https://ubuntu.com/livepatch
  packages can be updated.
  updates are security updates.
Last login: Thu Oct 3 16:18:08 2019 from 209.152.44.203
(base) peter@ubuntu-1804-jupyterhub:~$
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https://jupyterhub.readthedocs.io/en/stable/

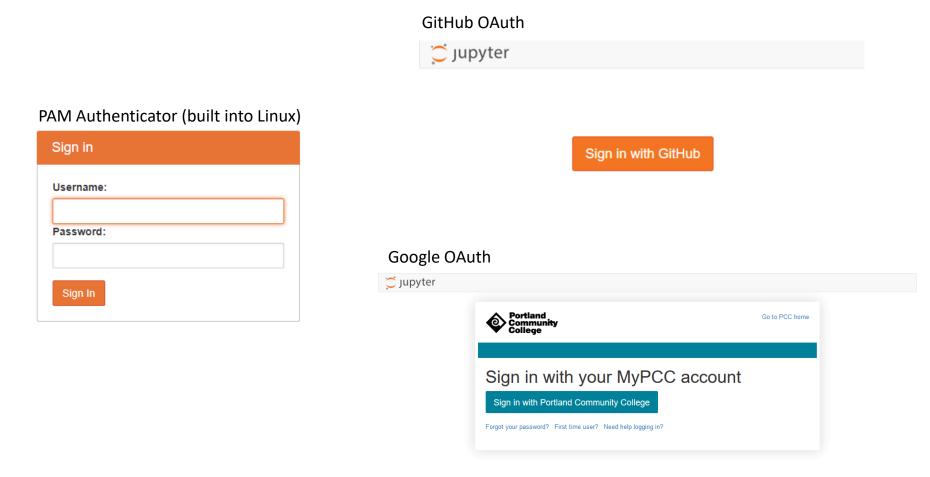
JupyterHub



All icons where obtain on Flaticon (https://www.flaticon.com/packs/essential-collection)

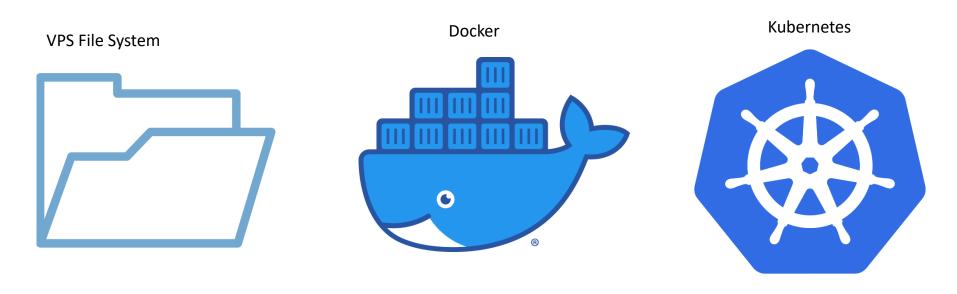
Image: JupyterHub Docs

Authentication



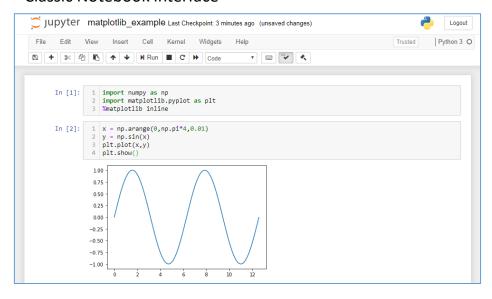
 Other OAuth Services: BitBucket, GitLab, Globus, MediaWiki, Okpy, OpenShift, CILogon, AuthO

Storage

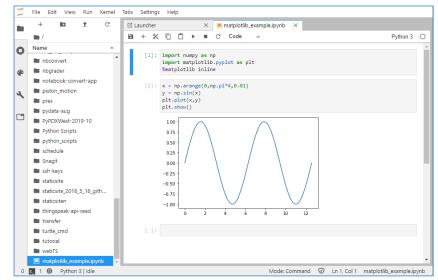


Classic Notebook or JupyterLab Interface

Classic Notebook Interface



JupterLab Interface



nbgitpuller Extension

Build a URL for your users

nbgitpuller link generator

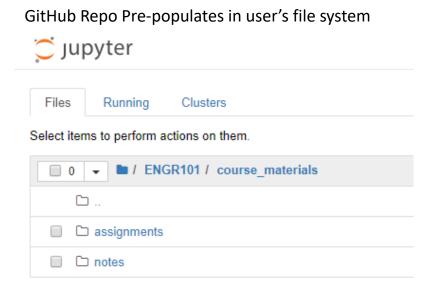
JupyterHub URL https://engr101lab.org

URL path tree/ENGR101/course_materials optional

Repository URL https://github.com/ProfessorKazarinoff/ENGR101|

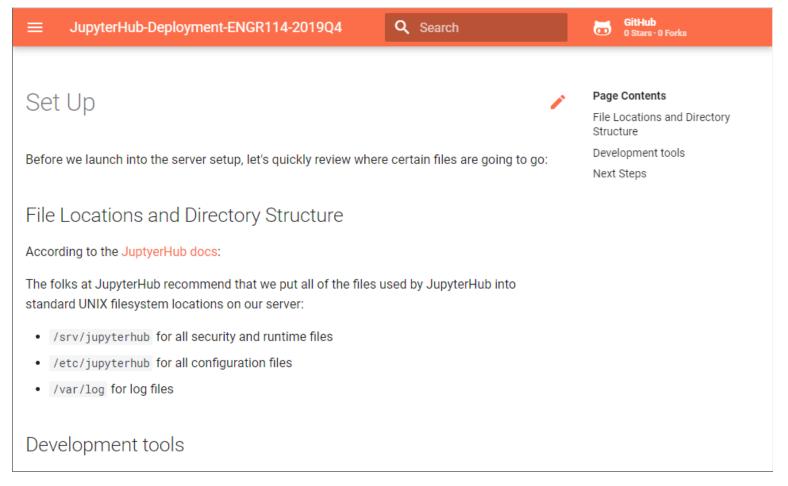
Git Branch branch optional

https://engr101lab.org/hub/user-redirect/git-pull?repo=https%3A%2F%2Fgithub.com%2FProfessorK



https://jupyterhub.github.io/nbgitpuller/

Try your own deployment: https://professorkazarinoff.github.io/jupyterhub-ENGR114-2019Q4/



Lessons Learned



- Authentication can be tricky. Linux does not like usernames with special characters
- A \$5/month server works with a few users.
 25 users overloads a \$5/month server.
 Use \$40/month server for a class.
- Custom login page is possible, but takes work (html and css)
- Use a cull idle servers script to save resources
- Document! Document!: You may want to spin up a new JupyterHub instance in the future.

Interested in a JupyterHub Deployment Tutorial?



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Questions?



- Slides: github.com/ProfessorKazarinoff/PyDataPDX-2019-11
- My JupyterHub Deployment Docs: https://professorkazarinoff.github.io/jupyterhub-ENGR114-2019Q4/
- JupyterHub Docs:
 https://jupyterhub.readthedocs.io/en/stable/
- nbgitpuller Plugin:
 https://jupyterhub.github.io/nbgitpuller/

I'm Looking for Guest Speakers!

- Share your experience with a community college class
- Email: peter.kazarinoff@pcc.edu or DM on Twitter @pkazarinoff

