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(Optional) Downloading your Notebook and Refreshing your Workspace

This course uses **Coursera Labs** to provide a notebook environment and to grade your work. There might be some instances where you need to download your notebooks or refresh your workspace to start from scratch. This reading item outlines the steps to do so.

Downloading your Notebook

In case you need to download your notebook for troubleshooting or running in your local environment, you can follow these simple steps:

1. From the Menu Bar of the notebook you are working on, click **File** → **Save and Checkpoint** to first save your progress.
2. Click **File** → **Download as** → **Notebook (.ipynb)**. This should start downloading the file into your local machine.

Refreshing your Workspace

This will come in handy whenever you need to start from scratch, fetch the latest version of the assignment, or run into a 404 error.

1. Open the notebook from the classroom.
2. After the notebook opens up, click **File** → **Open**
3. When your workspace opens, tick the *check box* before your notebook file. After it is selected, press **Shutdown**. The icon beside the filename should turn from green to gray.
4. Tick the checkbox again and this time choose **Rename** and enter any filename other than the original. For example, **C1_W1_Assignment.ipynb** (original) → **C1_W1_Assignment_v2.ipynb**
5. (Optional) Tick the checkbox of any other file that you want to get a fresh copy of (e.g. dataset files that you might have manipulated irreversibly). Then click **Delete**. You can also opt to **Rename** or **Download** each file individually in case you want to keep them before deleting.
6. Click on the **Help** button on the top right of the page.
7. Click the **Get latest version** button.
8. Click the **Update Lab** button. The page will refresh and you should now see the latest version of the notebook.

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