Assisted Practice 17: Data Exploration

Problem Scenario: Perform a data exploration and a descriptive analysis on the US companies' dataset.

Objective: In this demonstration, you will explore different commands to perform data exploration and descriptive analysis in PySpark.

Dataset Name: "Fortune 500 Companies US.csv"

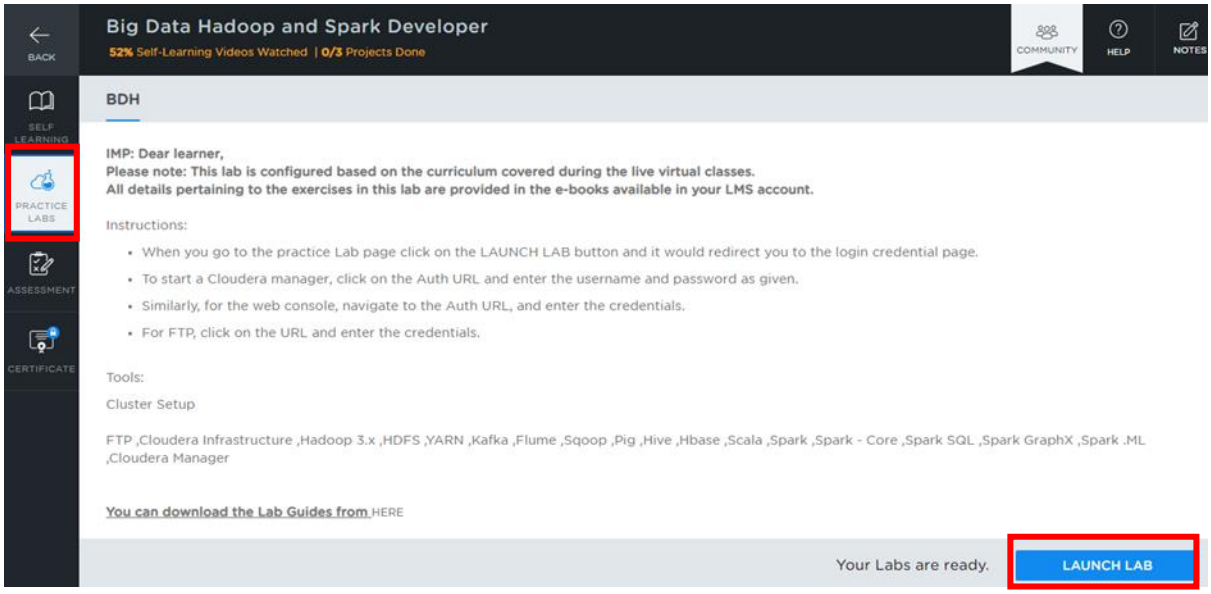
Steps to Perform:

Step 1: Download the dataset named **"Fortune 500 Companies US.csv"** from the course resources section

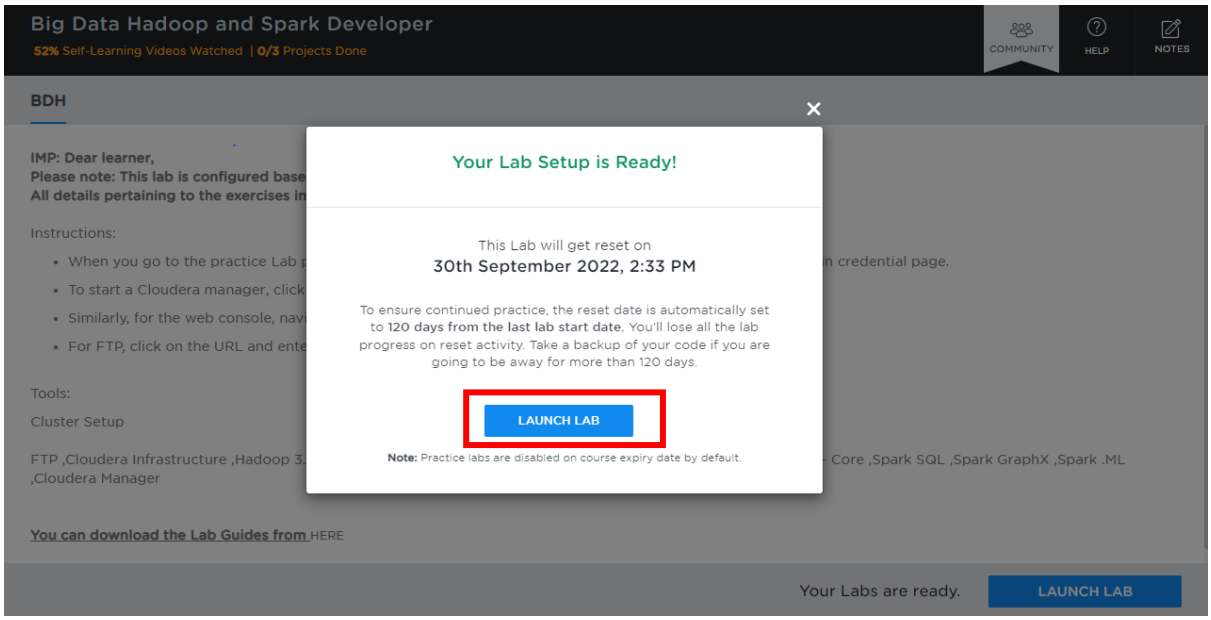
Step 2: Log in to your LMS account

Step 3: Open the course **"Big Data Hadoop and Spark developer"**

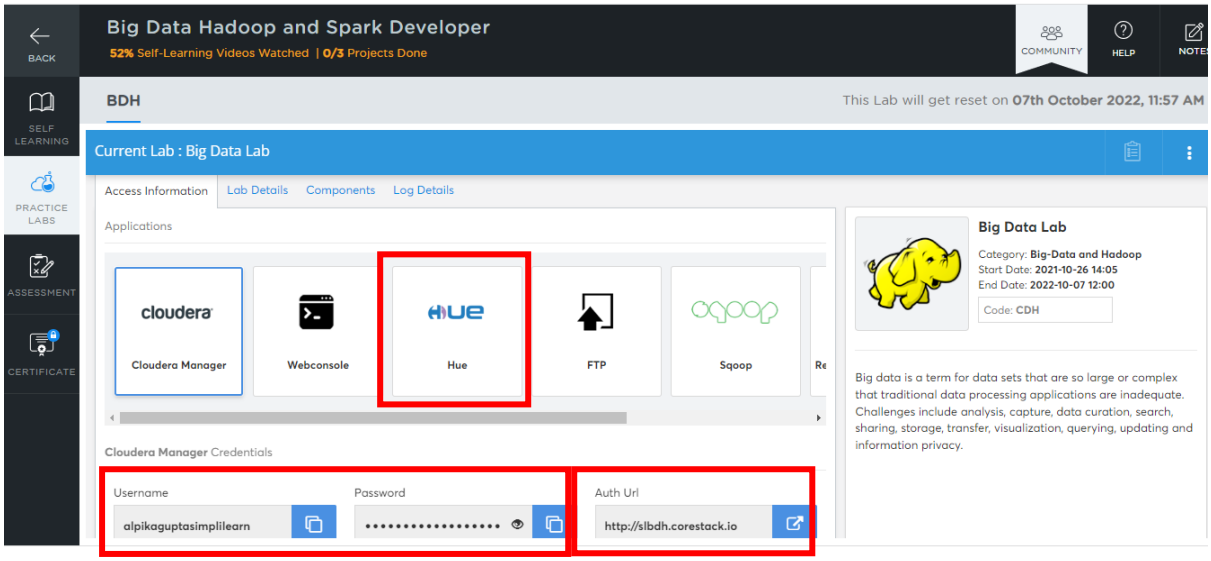
Step 4: On the left side, click on the **"PRACTICE LABS"** tab and then click on the **"LAUNCH LAB"** button



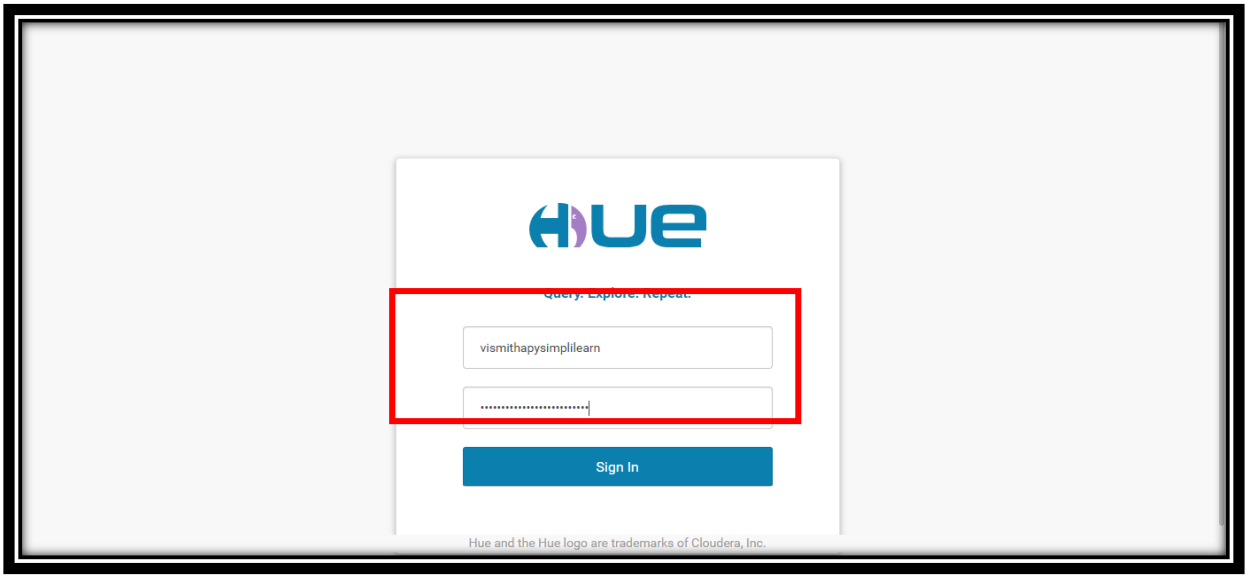
Step 5: Again, click on the **"LAUNCH LAB"** button



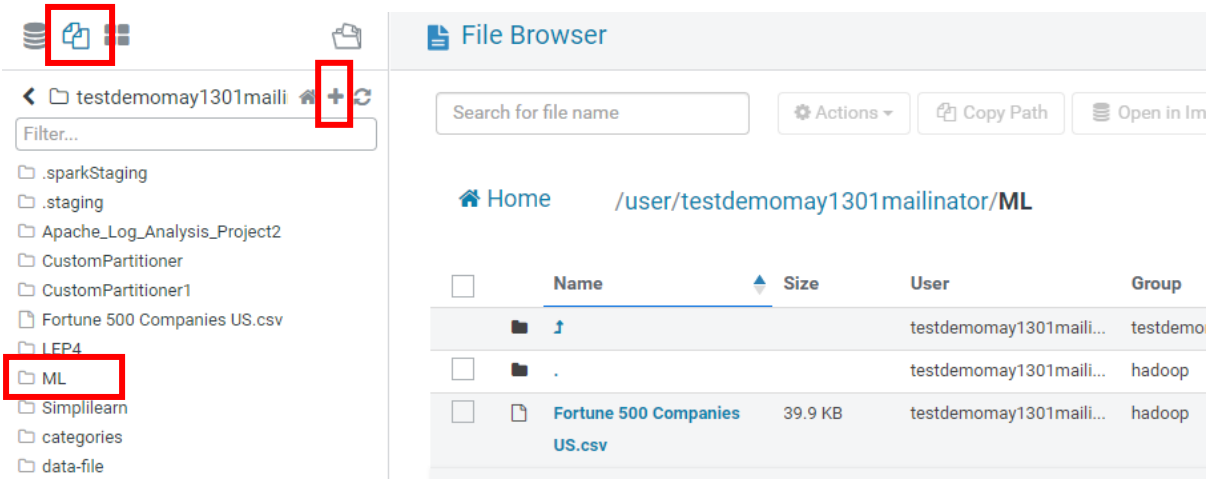
Step 6: Click on **"Hue"** and click on the **"Auth Url"** to upload the dataset and copy the "**Username**" and the "**Password**" provided to log in to the **"Hue"**



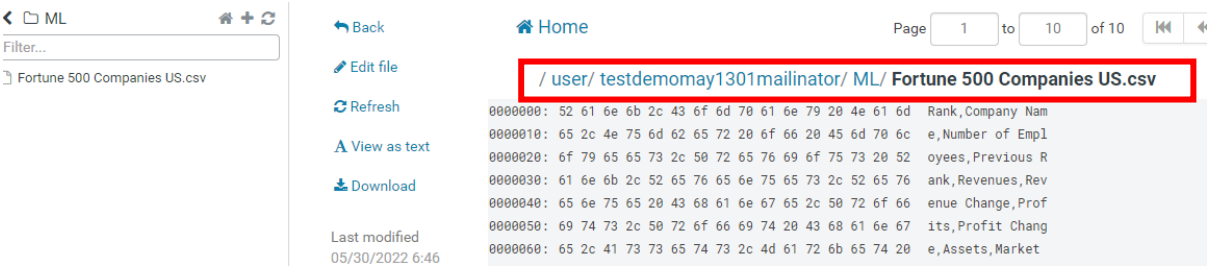
Step 7: Paste the **"Username"** and the **"Password"** on the log in window and click on **"Sign In"**



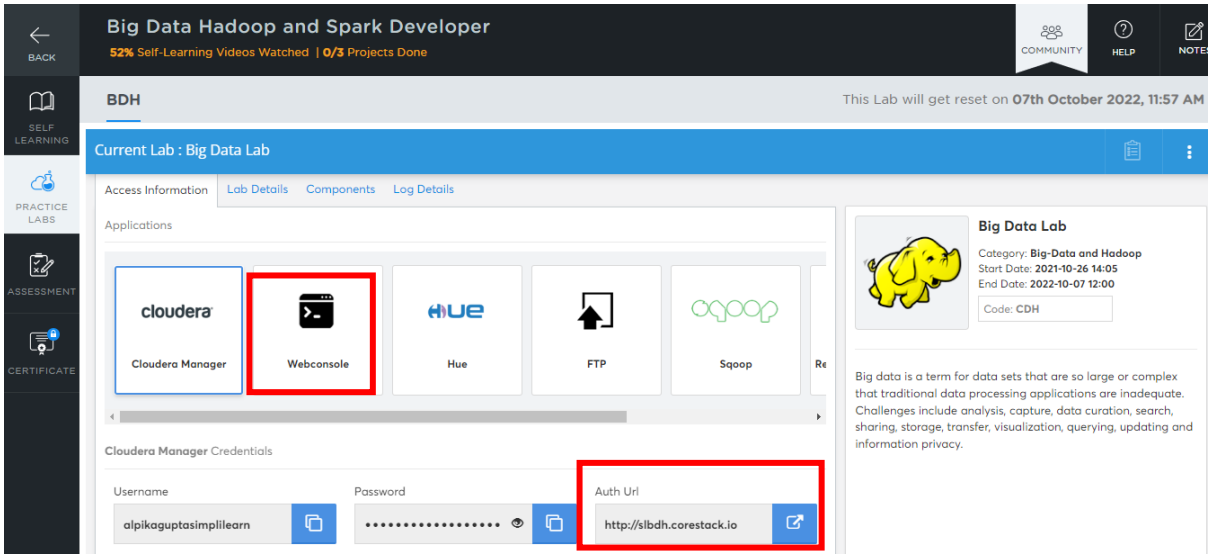
Step 8: Create a directory named **"ML"** and click on the **"HDFS"** icon and then on the **"+"** symbol to upload the dataset



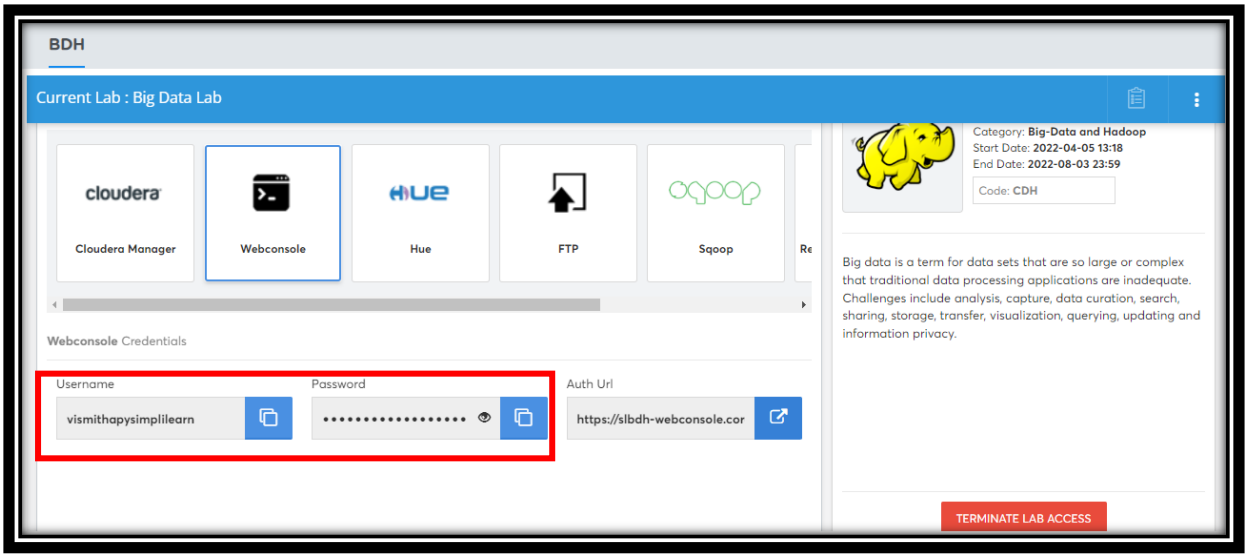
Step 9: Copy the path of the dataset that has been uploaded



Step 10: Go back to the lab window and click on the "**Webconsole**" and on the **"Auth Url".**



Step 11: Copy the "**Username**" and the "**Password**" provided to log in to the **"Webconsole"**



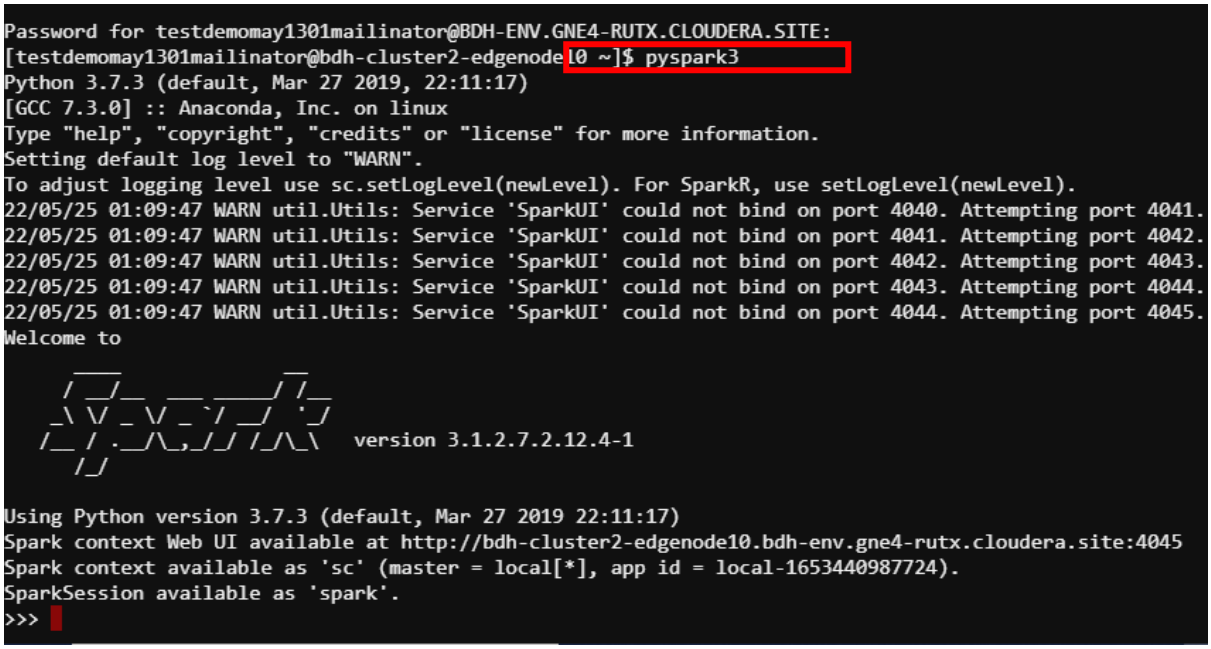
Step 12: Paste the "**Username**" and the "**Password**" on the console and click "Enter"

Note: The password will not be visible when pasted on the console.

Step 13: Enter the **"PySpark"** console by running the below command.

Command:

pyspark3



Step 14: Import the necessary modules

Command:

from pyspark import SparkConf, SparkContext

from pyspark.sql import SQLContext

Step 15: Create a Spark Session, and then create a DataFrame from a CSV file to load data

Note: The path should be provided to the ML folder.

Command:

sc = SparkContext = SparkSession \

.builder \

.appName("Simlilearn Examples") \

.getOrCreate() \

.sparkContext

companydata = spark.read.option(“header”, “true”) \

.option(“inferSchema”,”true”) \

.csv(“/user/testdemomay1301mailinator/ML”)

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>>> from pyspark import SparkContext
>>> from pyspark.sql import SparkSession
>>>
>>> # Create Spark Session.
... sc = SparkContext = SparkSession \
...     .builder \
...     .appName("Simplilearn Examples") \
...     .getOrCreate() \
...     .sparkContext
>>>
>>> companydata = spark.read.option("header", "true") \
...     .option("inferSchema", "true") \
...     .csv("/user/testdemomay1301mailinator/ML/")
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Step 16: View the loaded data using the below command:

Command:

companydata.take(2)

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>>> companydata.take(2)
[Row(Rank=1, Company Name='Walmart', Number of Employees='23,00,000', Previous Rank=1, Revenues='$4,85,873', Revenue Change='0.8%', Prof
nge='-7.2%', Assets='$1,98,825', Market Value='$2,18,619'), Row(Rank=2, Company Name='Berkshire Hathaway', Number of Employees='3,67,700
s='$2,23,604', Revenue Change='6.1%', Profits='$24,074.0', Profit Change='0.0%', Assets='$6,20,854', Market Value='$4,11,035')]
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Step 17: To check the data type of every column of a DataFrame and to print the schema of the DataFrame in a tree format, you can use the below commands:

Command:

companydata.cache()

companydata.printSchema()

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>>> companydata.cache()
DataFrame[Rank: int, Company Name: string, Number of Employees: string, Previous Rank: int, Revenues: string, Revenue Change: string,
e: string, Assets: string, Market Value: string]
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>>> companydata.printSchema()
root
 |-- Rank: integer (nullable = true)
 |-- Company Name: string (nullable = true)
 |-- Number of Employees: string (nullable = true)
 |-- Previous Rank: integer (nullable = true)
 |-- Revenues: string (nullable = true)
 |-- Revenue Change: string (nullable = true)
 |-- Profits: string (nullable = true)
 |-- Profit Change: string (nullable = true)
 |-- Assets: string (nullable = true)
 |-- Market Value: string (nullable = true)
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Step 18: To perform a descriptive analysis of the company data you will use the below command:

Command:

companydata.describe()

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>>> companydata.describe()
DataFrame[summary: string, Rank: string, Company Name: string, Number of Employees: string,
s: string, Profit Change: string, Assets: string, Market Value: string]
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companydata.describe().toPandas().transpose()

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>>> companydata.describe().toPandas().transpose()
                      0                   1                   2          3               4
summary               count               mean              stddev        min             max
Rank                    500              250.5   144.4818327679989          1             500
Company Name            500               None                None         3M  salesforce.com
Number of Employees     500               None                None  1,00,300          98,800
Previous Rank           492  257.1117886178862  154.04809767869145          1             761
Revenues                500               None                None  $1,00,288         $94,595
Revenue Change          500               None                None          -           94.5%
Profits                 500               None                None   $1,006.0          -$97.0
Profit Change           500               None                None          -           99.7%
Assets                  500               None                None  $1,00,245         $95,377
Market Value            500               None                None  $1,00,595               -
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