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Introductions

Why are you interested in Data Science?

My interest in data science stems from baseball. I realized the field of baseball uses more and more of statistics and noticed how the analysis of the data (a.k.a. sabermetrics) led to more accurate predictions of games. (In fact, I was so fascinated by this idea that my college essay was based on this.) I was not entirely sure on whether this is even data science, but I was wondering what other applications of data exist in this world, so I decided to join this course.

What is Data Science?

My definition; Data science is the analysis of a given set of data that allows you to reach a sort of conclusion about the correlation found in the data.

Experience?

I took a course about data science in Coursera a few years ago, but I remember almost nothing. I would like you to think that I know absolutely nothing about this course (if that is possible).