Social Media - Web Scraping Using Python

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Assignment Instructions

For this assignment, check out this Python Web Scraping Tutorial - https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/python-web-scraping-tutorial/. Try implementing one of the techniques and submit your output (along with a brief description of the technique you used to do some simple web scraping). Submit your work to the Assignment Folder.

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ABSTRACT

For the purpose of the assignment, I have chosen https://cognitiveclass.ai/courses page.

Following tools and libraries have been used to demonstrate the process of webscrapping from a public page.

- https://colab.research.google.com/ as the platform to run the code
- Python
- Request Module from Python
- BeautifulSoup Module from Python

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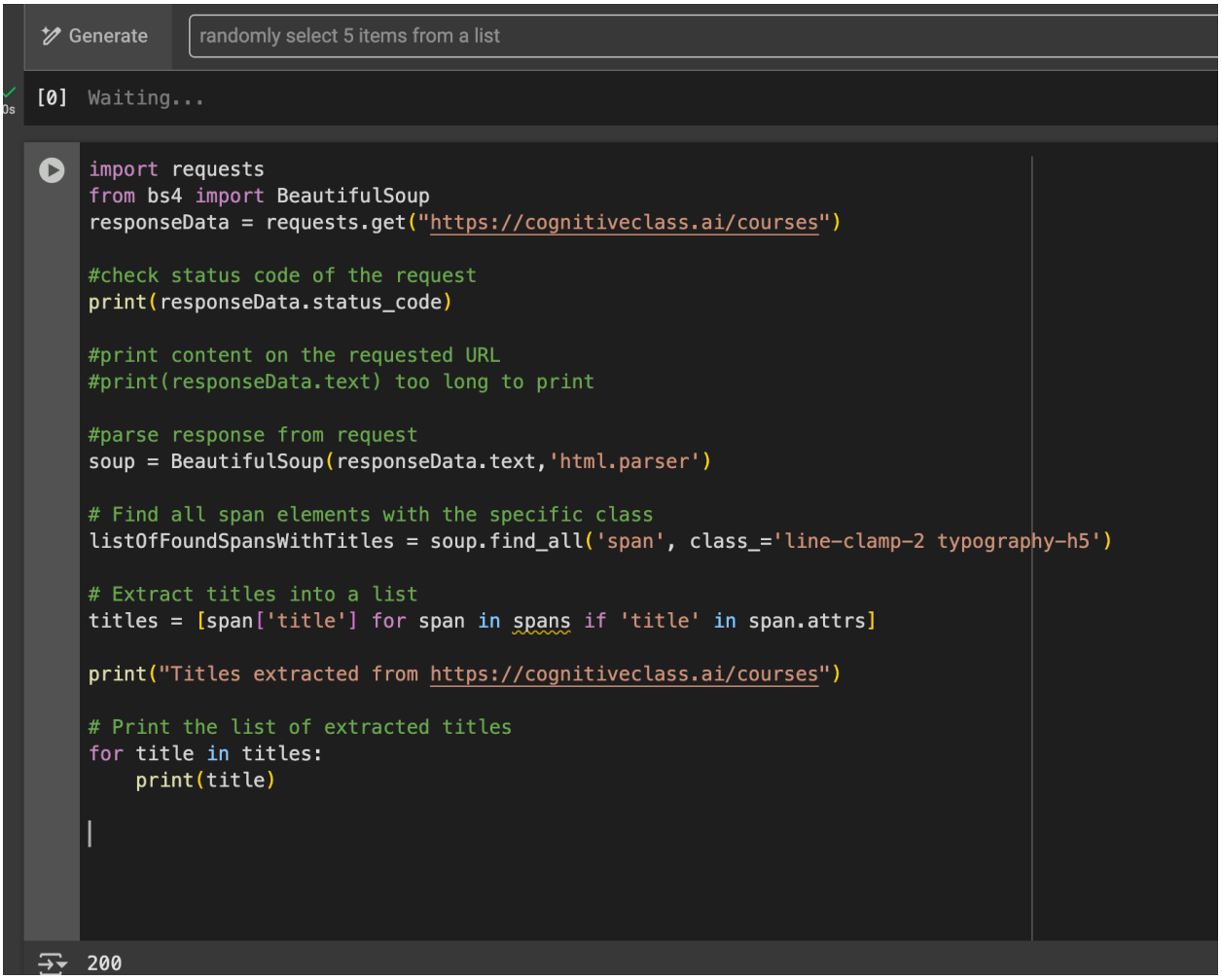
Steps followed

- Send a request using URL
- Parse the response from the requested URL
- Find the content web scrapping is done from parsed data by searching html document on tags.

Code Snippet

Following code snippet has been used to extract titles from the requested URL.



Using *requests* module, a get request is sent to the requested URL and response in save in a variable *responseData.*

Using *BeautifulSoup* library html in *responseData* is parsed. Then the parsed is searched using method *find_all* on html tags and class name.

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Output

Following is the final output of the code above.

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Titles extracted from https://cognitiveclass.ai/courses
Python for Data Science
SQL and Relational Databases 101
Data Analysis with Python
Prompt Engineering for Everyone
Introduction to Cloud
Data Science 101
Big Data 101
Docker Essentials: A Developer Introduction
Data Visualization with Python
Data Science Methodology
Introducing AI
Python for Data Science, AI & Development
IBM Cloud Essentials
Deep Learning Fundamentals
Data Science Tools
Introduction to Containers, Kubernetes, and OpenShift
Build Your Own Chatbot
Building AI Powered Chatbots Without Programming
Introduction to DevOps
Compare DeepSeek-R1 vs OpenAI o3-mini on Data Science tasks
Hadoop 101
Data Visualization with R
R for Data Science
Build an IoT Blockchain Network for a Supply Chain
Spark Fundamentals I
A Quick Introduction to Machine Learning
Deep Learning with TensorFlow
AI Ethics
AI Concepts
Agentic AI: Build a Multi-Agent App with CrewAI & Gradio
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Other References

https://cognitiveclass.ai/courses

https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/python-web-scraping-tutorial/#requests-module