

Written Assignment

Web Scrapping

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WebScrapping Using Beautiful Soap and Python Lib.

I have tried using Python request library to get automated Text scrapping. But most of the sites I have planned is blocking such API request from scripts. I am getting either access denied or API blocking error message.

I have used below script :

```
import requests

from bs4 import BeautifulSoup

r = requests.get("https://www.smythstoys.com/at/de-at/spielzeug/action-
spielzeug/actionfiguren/roblox-actionfiguren/roblox-adventskalender/p/203665")

type(r)

r.content

soup = BeautifulSoup(r.content, "lxml")

# finds first tag where type is h1 and class name is "fn"

element = soup.find("h1", class_="fn")

element
```

Then I decided to use Browser plugin to avoid access issues.

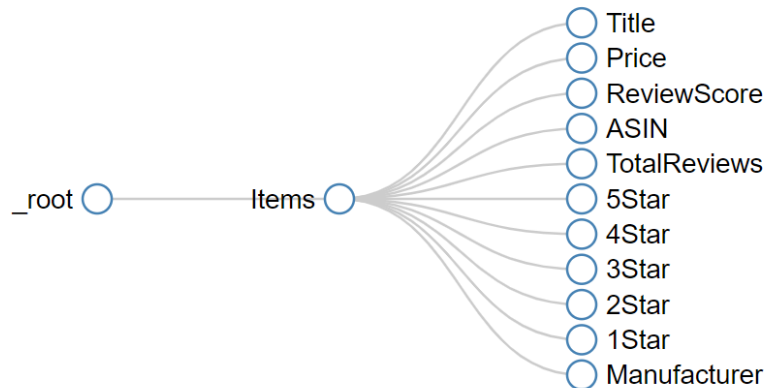
WebScrapping using Chrome plugin

I have used webscrapper.io chrome plug in and used Amazon site targeted on Boys toys search result to limit the analysis scope. I have created below Selector map to scrap the data with pagination applied.

Sitemaps

Sitemap AmazonBoysToys ▼

Create new sitemap ▼



It scrapped more than 300 results in csv format. I was interested to find the Rating scores and Manufacture and Price comparison to rating score. It is observed that Not all star rating available and Manufacture information is also missing many records. So it needed a data cleaning and preparation task. I have used Python panda DF for the cleansing task.

web-scrap	web-scrap	Items	Items-href	Title	Price	ReviewSco	ASIN	TotalRevie	5Star	4Star	3Star	2Star	1Star	Manufacturer
169903923	https://www.HopeRock	https://www.HopeRock			\$42.99	4.7 out of 5	B0CGC5P933	33 global r						
169903924	https://www.MyGoci Fly	https://www.MyGoci Fly			\$25.60	3.9 out of 5	B0CDLW4635	35 global r						
169903924	https://www.IVOXEX La	https://www.IVOXEX La			\$69.99	4.6 out of 5	B09NJKF2E6	48 global r						
169903925	https://www.XIXILAND C	https://www.XIXILAND C			\$15.99	4.2 out of 5	B0CF5CYS66	6 global ra						
169903926	https://www.Dolanus S	https://www.Dolanus S			\$19.99	5 out of 5		2 global ra						
169903927	https://www.JOYIN Tod	https://www.JOYIN Tod			\$29.99	4.2 out of 5	B0C8BT5P12	27 global r						
169903927	https://www.PlayRoute	https://www.PlayRoute			\$34.99	4.3 out of 5	B0BKN27141	2 global r				3%		
169903928	https://www.Yinosfun 3	https://www.Yinosfun 3			\$23.99	5 out of 5	B0CDFPGC7	7 global ra						
169903930	https://www.Light Up M	https://www.Light Up M			\$11.99	4.4 out of 5	B01N5C3919	216 glo						
169903932	https://www.kolegend F	https://www.kolegend F			\$49.99	4.3 out of 5	B0BZWC7H77	6 global		15%	8%	3%		kolegend
169903934	https://www.FREE TO FI	https://www.FREE TO FI			\$19.99	4.6 out of 5	B082LPSRC6	315 glob						No

I have used below script to clean the CSV

```
import csv
```

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import pandas as pd
```

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import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

```
file = "./data/AmazonBoysToys.csv"
```

```
df = pd.read_csv(file)
```

```
print(df.info())
```

```
## drop duplicates

df.drop_duplicates(inplace = True)

## fill empty values and correct incorrect values for analysis

df["Manufacturer"].fillna("NoData", inplace = True)
df["ASIN"].fillna("NoData", inplace = True)
df["TotalReviews"].fillna("NoData", inplace = True)
df["TotalReviews"].fillna("NoData", inplace = True)
df['TotalReviews'] = df['TotalReviews'].str.replace('[global ratings]', '')
df['ReviewScore'] = df['ReviewScore'].str.replace('[out of 5]', '')
df["ReviewScore"].fillna("0", inplace = True)
df['Price'] = df['Price'].str.replace('[\$]', '')
df["Price"].fillna("0", inplace = True)

## fill empty star rating values

df["1Star"].fillna("0%", inplace = True)
df["2Star"].fillna("0%", inplace = True)
df["3Star"].fillna("0%", inplace = True)
df["4Star"].fillna("0%", inplace = True)
df["5Star"].fillna("0%", inplace = True)

## Removes special chars in Title column

df['Title'] = df['Title'].str.replace('[#,@,&,\,,:,-]', ' ')
df['Items'] = df['Items'].str.replace('[#,@,&,\,,:,-]', ' ')

## conevert to Lower case

df['Title'] = df['Title'].str.lower()
df['Items'] = df['Items'].str.lower()

## trim end of string

df['Title'] = df['Title'].str.strip()
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df['Items'] = df['Items'].str.strip()  
df.to_csv('./data/AmazonBoysToysCleaned.csv')  
print(df.info())  
df.head(10)
```