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Introduction to Python for Accounting Applications

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ACC2, NTPU (U2004) (Fall 2024)
Wed 6, 7, 8, (14:10-17:00) (9:10-12:00) (B3F10)

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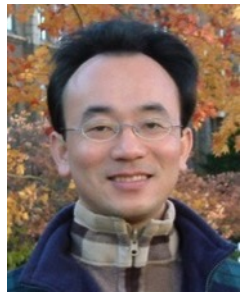

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Course Syllabus
National Taipei University
Academic Year 113, 1st Semester (Fall 2024)

- **Course Title: Python for Accounting Applications**
- **Instructor: Min-Yuh Day**
- **Course Class: ACC2, NTPU (3 Credits, Elective)**
- **Details**
  - **EMI Course**
    (3 Credits, Elective, One Semester) (U2004)
- **Time & Place: Wed. 6, 7, 8, 14:10-17:00(B3F17)**
- **Google Meet:** https://meet.google.com/ofh-iosa-ehd

Course Objectives

1. Understand the fundamental concepts of Python for Accounting Applications.
2. Equip with Hands-on practices of Python for Accounting Applications.

Course Outline

- This course introduces the fundamental concepts and hands-on practices of Python for Accounting Applications.
- Topics include
  1. Introduction to Python for Accounting Applications,
  2. Python Programming and Data Science,
  3. Foundations of Python Programming,
  4. Data Structures,
  5. Control Logic and Loops,
  6. Functions and Modules,
  7. Files and Exception Handling,
  8. Data Analytics and Visualization with Python,
  9. Obtaining Data From the Web with Python,
  10. Statistical Analysis with Python,
  11. Machine Learning with Python,
  12. Text Analytics with Generative AI and Python,
  13. Applications of Accounting Data Analytics with Python, and
  14. Applications of ESG Data Analytics with Python.

Syllabus

Week	Date	Subject/Topics
1	2024/09/11	Introduction to Python for Accounting Applications
2	2024/09/18	Python Programming and Data Science
3	2024/09/25	Foundations of Python Programming
4	2024/10/02	Data Structures
5	2024/10/09	Control Logic and Loops
6	2024/10/16	Functions and Modules; Files and Exception Handling
7	2024/10/23	Data Analytics and Visualization with Python
8	2024/10/30	Midterm Project Report

Syllabus

Week	Date	Subject/Topics
9	2024/11/06	Self-Learning
10	2024/11/13	Obtaining Data From the Web with Python
11	2024/11/20	Statistical Analysis with Python
12	2024/11/27	Machine Learning with Python
13	2024/12/04	Text Analytics with Generative AI and Python
14	2024/12/11	Applications of Accounting Data Analytics with Python
15	2024/12/18	Applications of ESG Data Analytics with Python
16	2024/12/25	Final Project Report

Teaching Methods and Activities

- Lecture
- Discussion
- Practicum

Evaluation Methods

- Individual Presentation 30 %
- Group Presentation 30 %
- Case Report 20 %
- Class Participation 10 %
- Assignment 10 %

Required Texts

- **Allen B. Downey (2016), Think Python: How to Think Like a Computer Scientist, 2nd Edition, O'Reilly Media**

Reference Books

1. Frederick Kaefer and Paul Kaefer (2020), Introduction to Python Programming for Business and Social Science Applications, SAGE Publications

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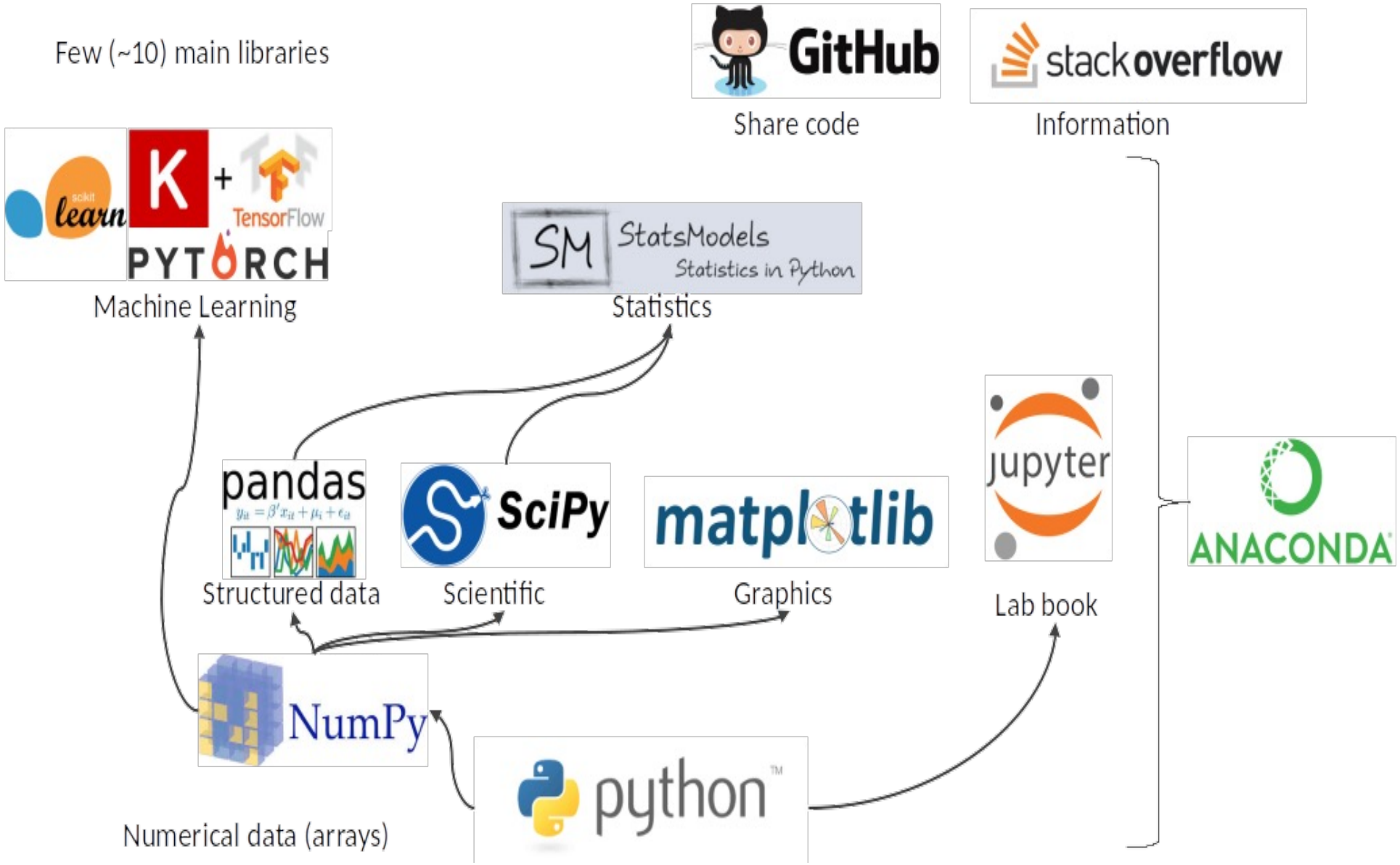
Other References

- Python, https://www.python.org/
- GRI (Global Report Initiative): https://www.globalreporting.org/
- CDP (Carbon Disclosure Project): https://www.cdp.net/
- SASB (Sustainability Accounting Standards Board): https://sasb.org/
- ISSB (International Sustainability Standards Board): https://www.ifrs.org/groups/international-sustainability-standards-board/
- TCFD (Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures): https://www.fsb-tcfd.org/

Python Ecosystem for Data Science



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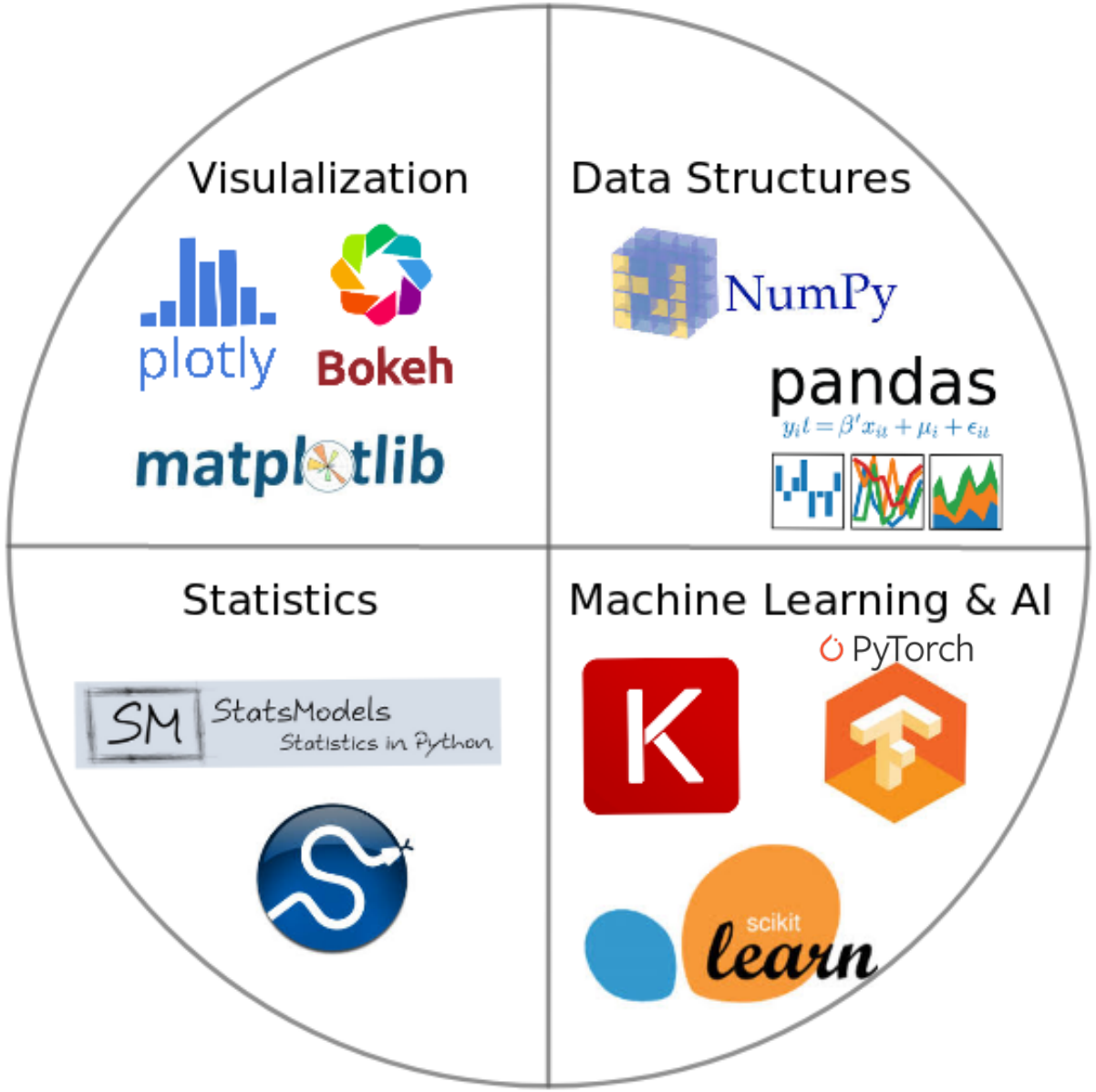

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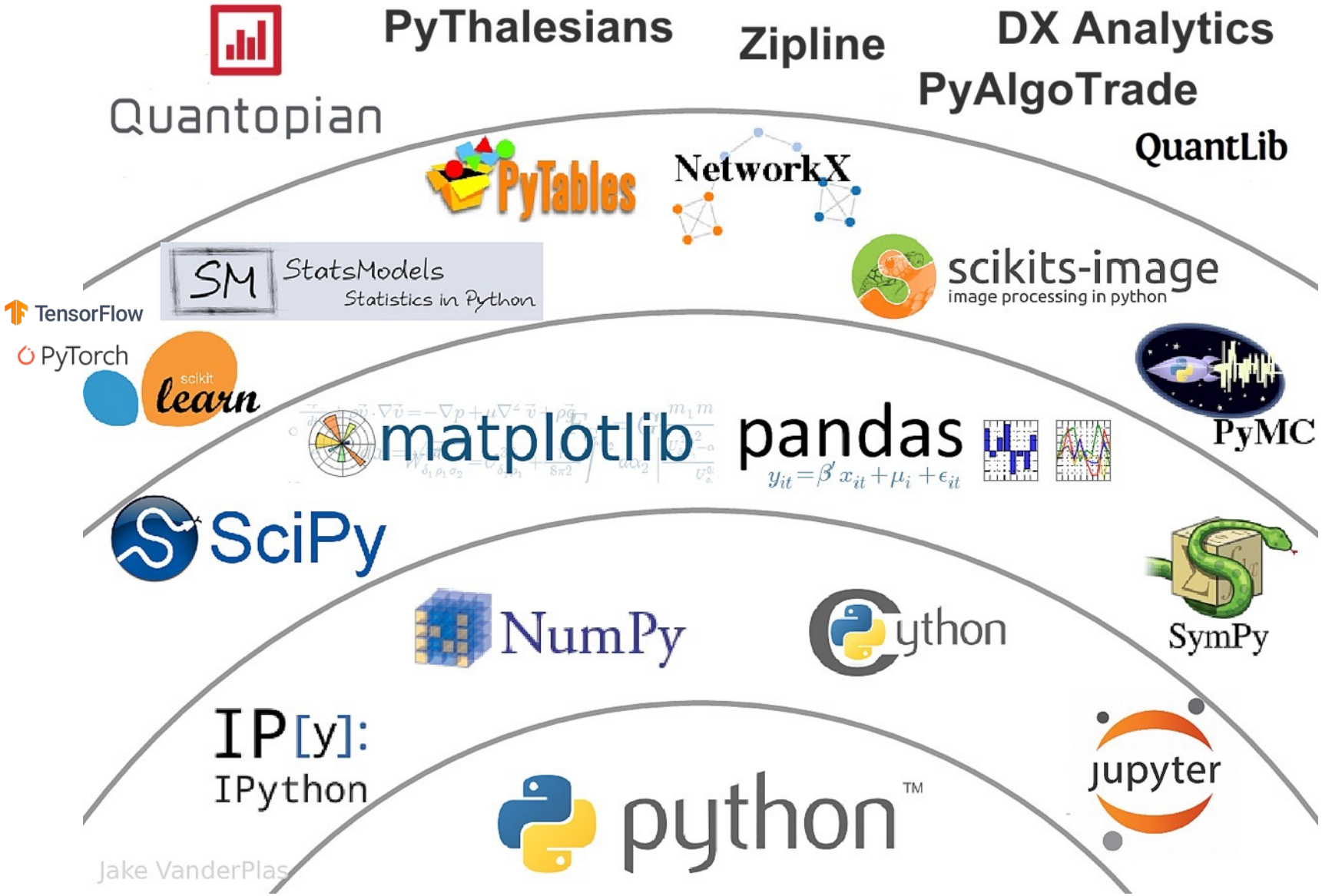
The Quant Finance PyData Stack



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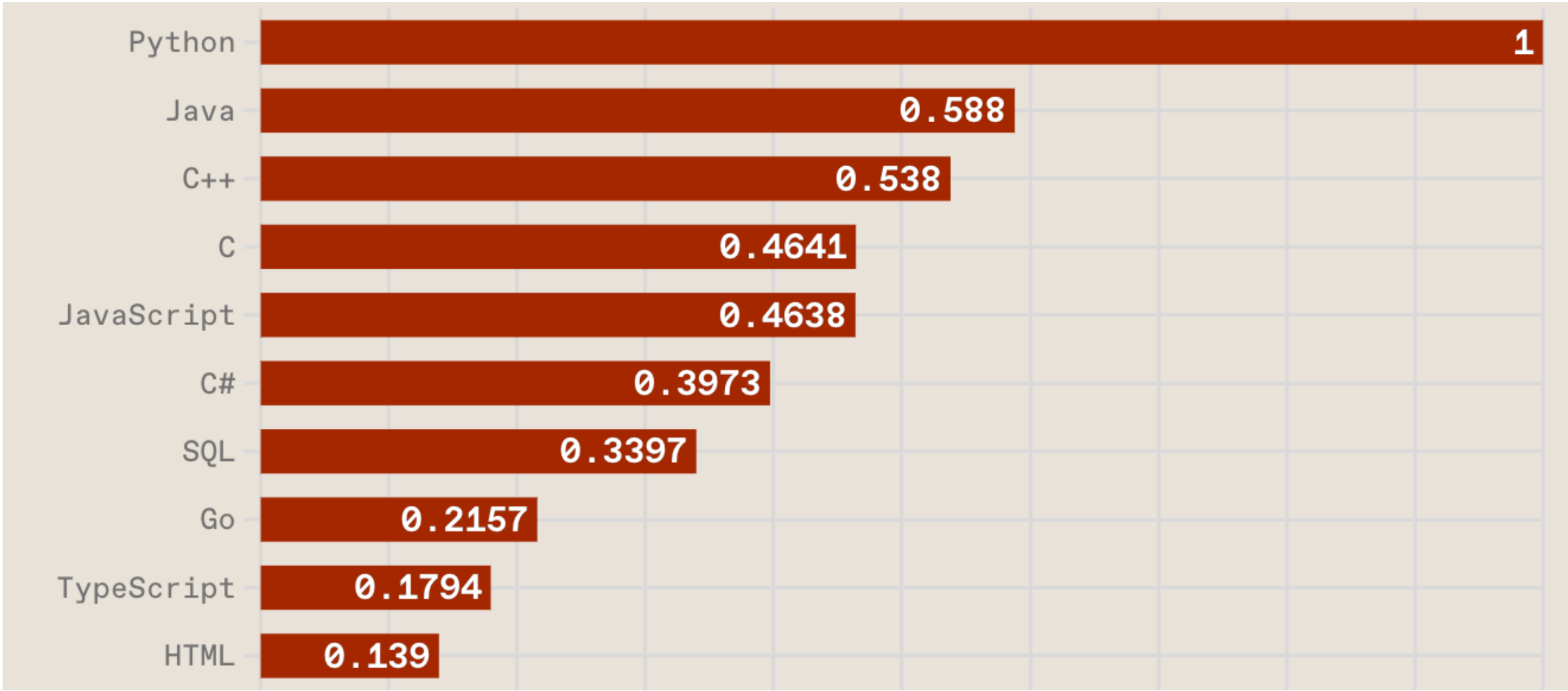
Programming

Top Programming Languages



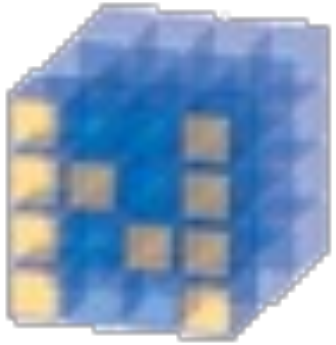
https://spectrum.ieee.org/the-top-programming-languages-2023

python™

Python is an interpreted, object-oriented, high-level programming language with dynamic semantics.

Source: https://www.python.org/doc/essays/blurb/

Numpy



NumPy

Base

N-dimensional array

package

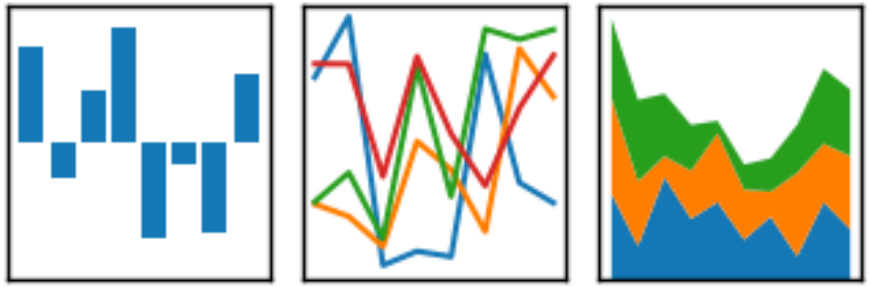
Python matplotlib

Source: https://matplotlib.org/

Python Pandas

pandas

$$y_{it} = \beta' x_{it} + \mu_i + \epsilon_{it}$$



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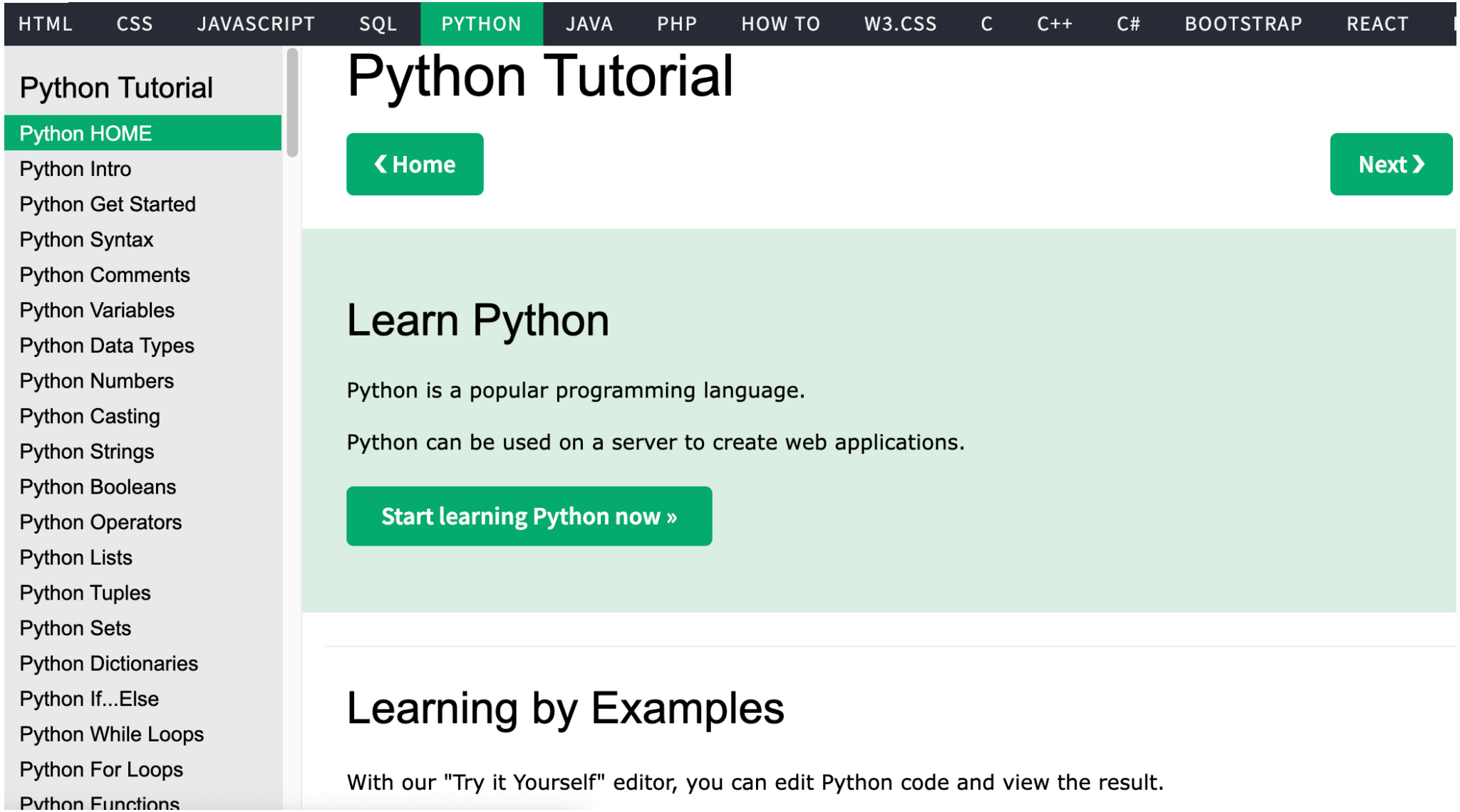

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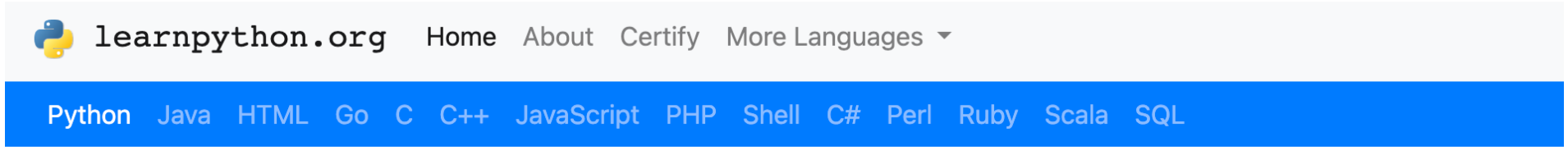

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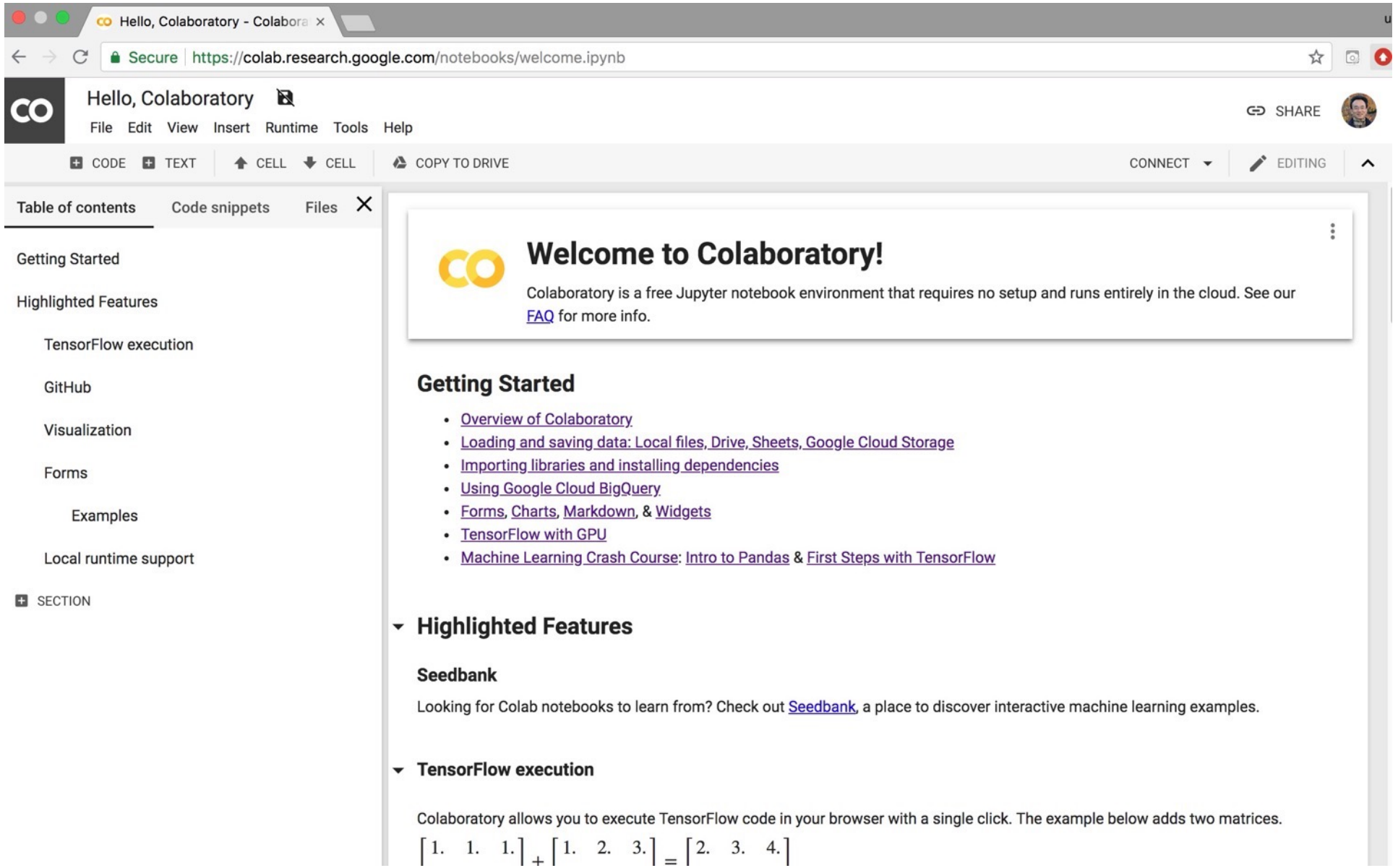

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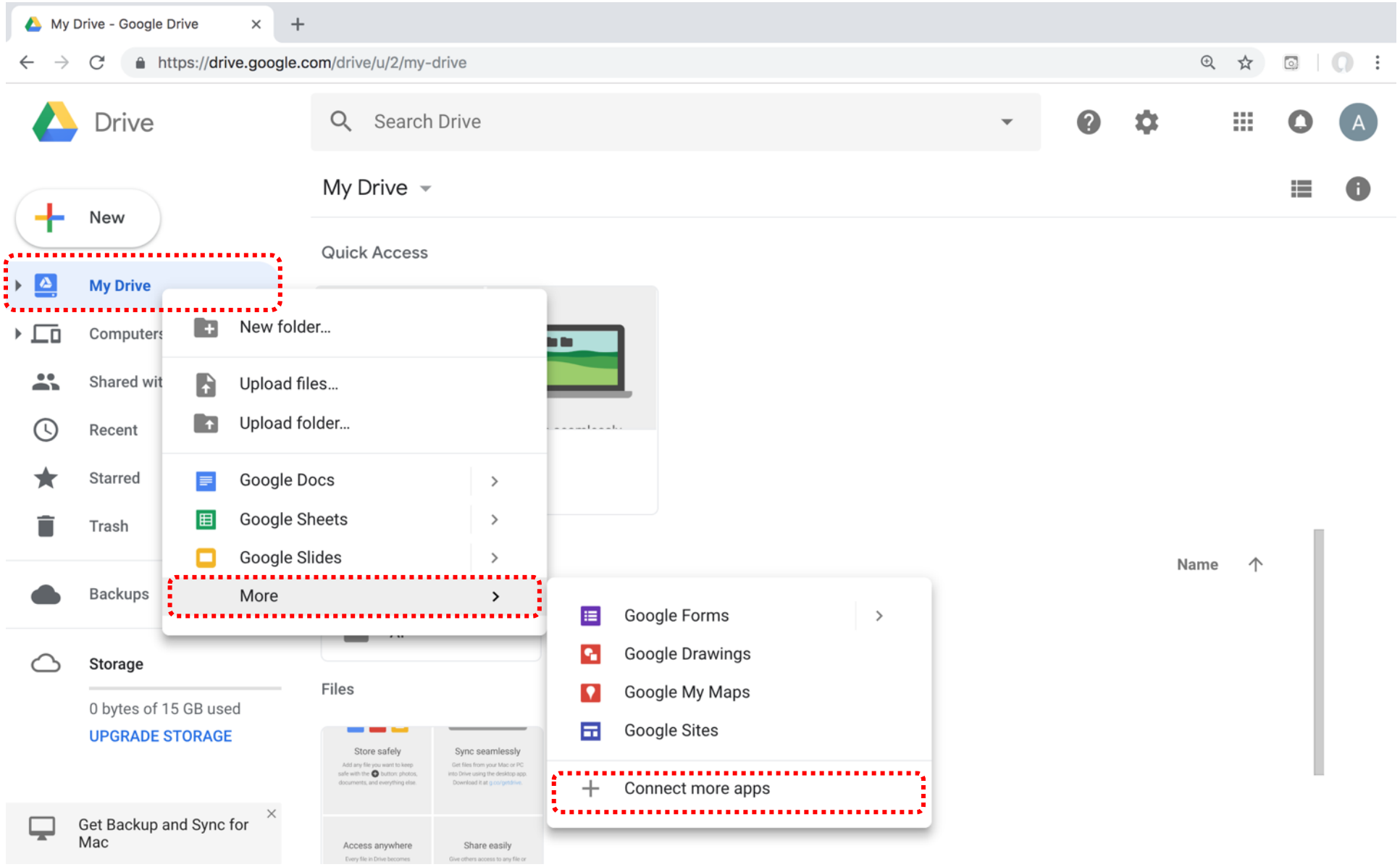

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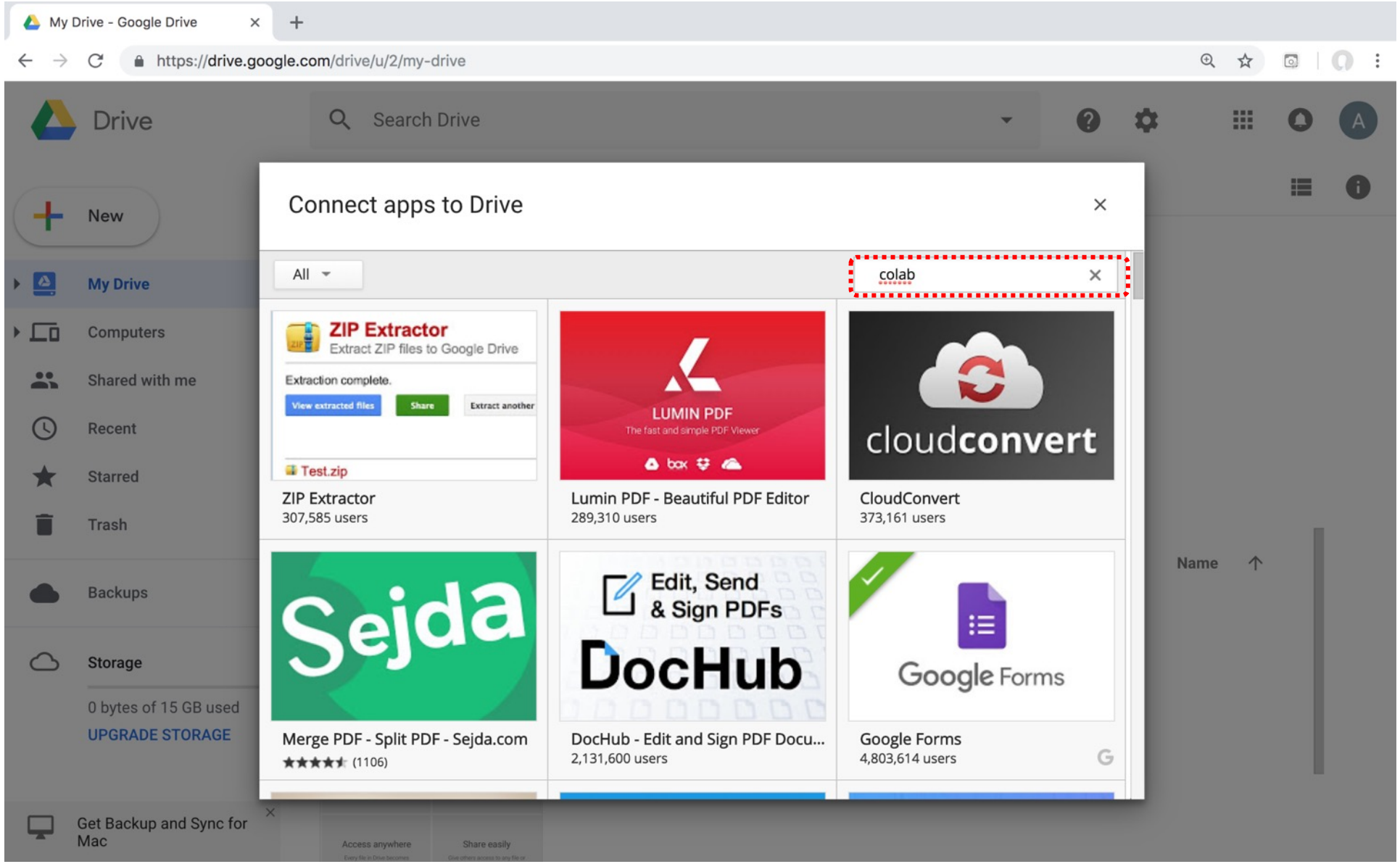

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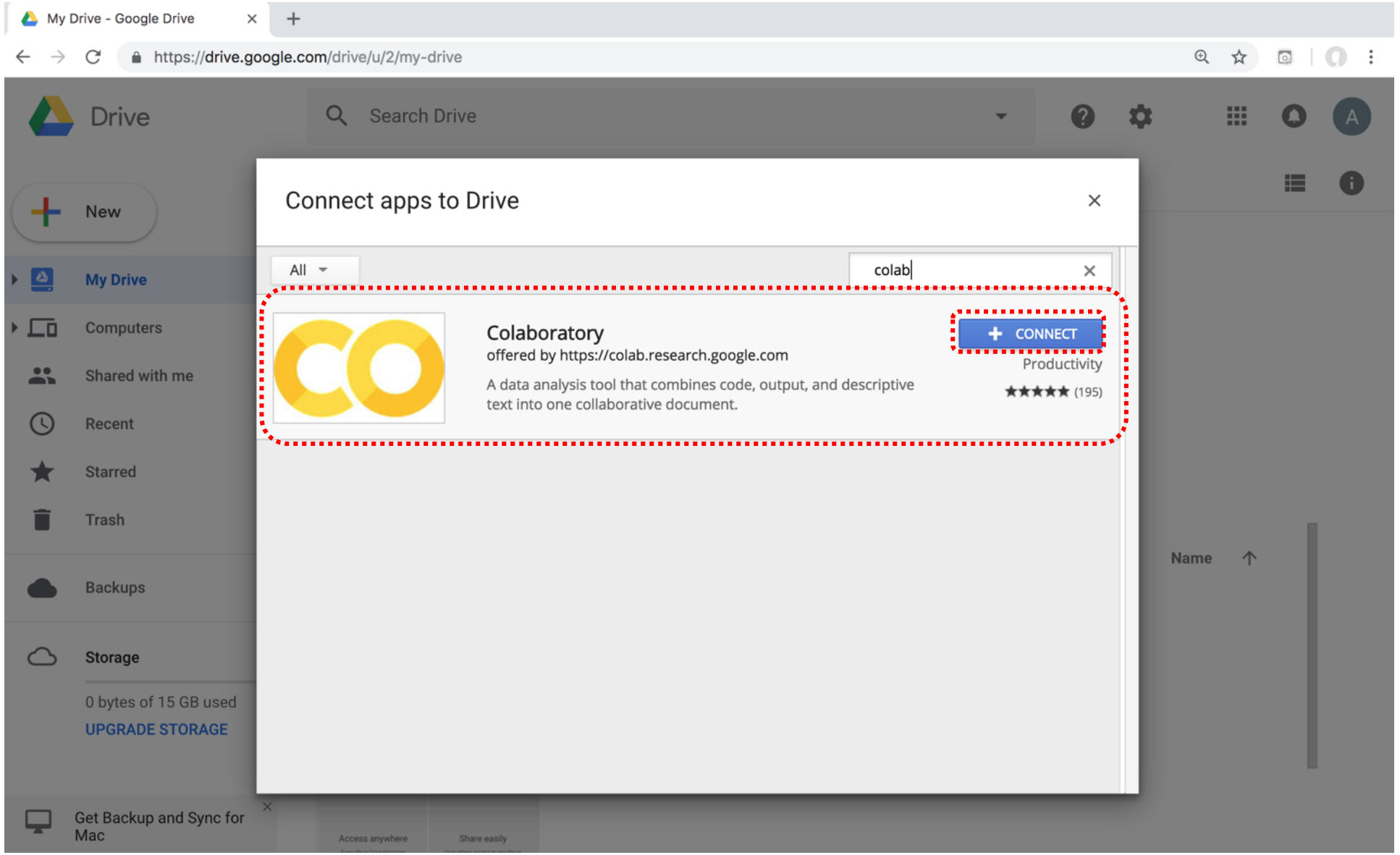

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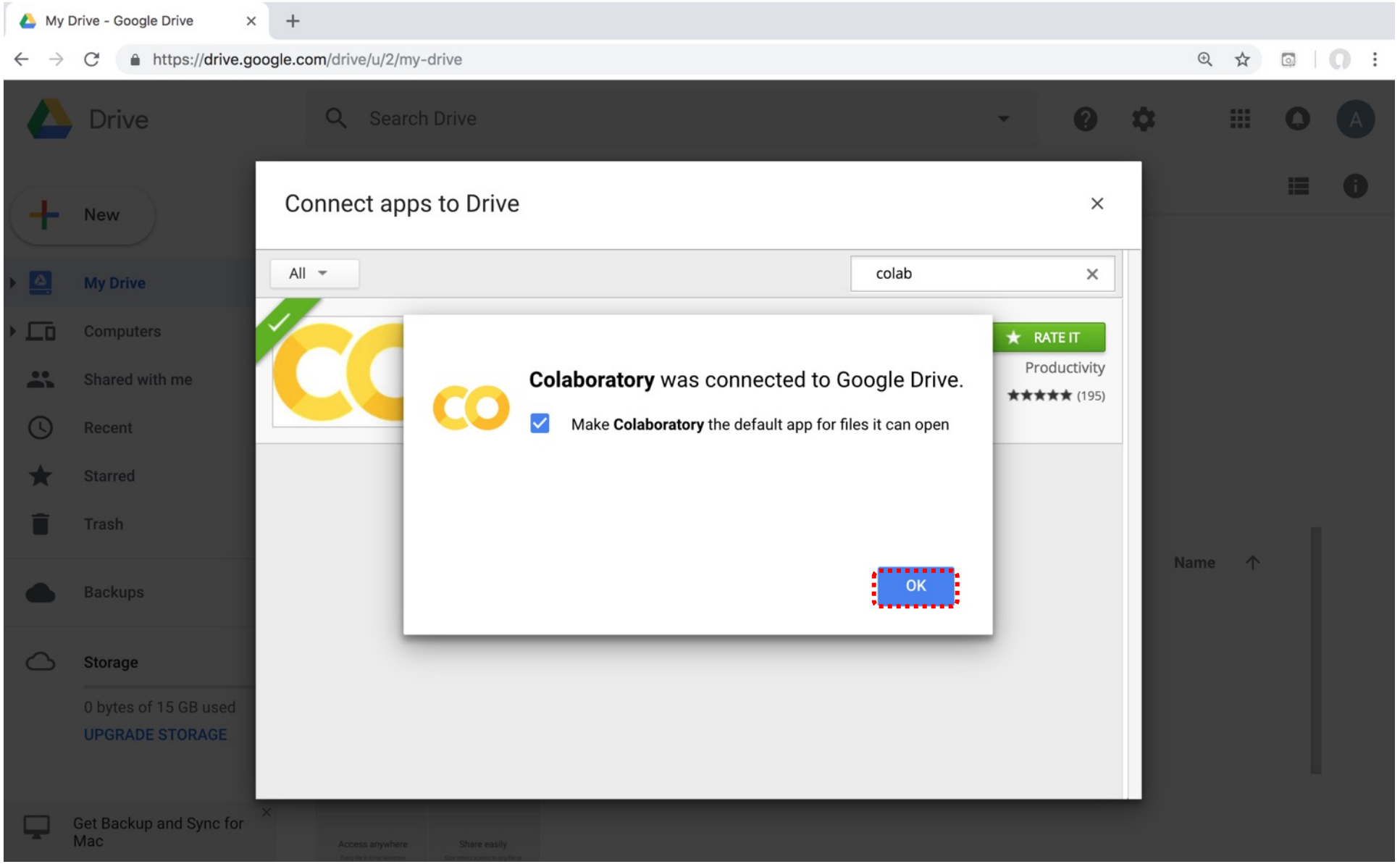

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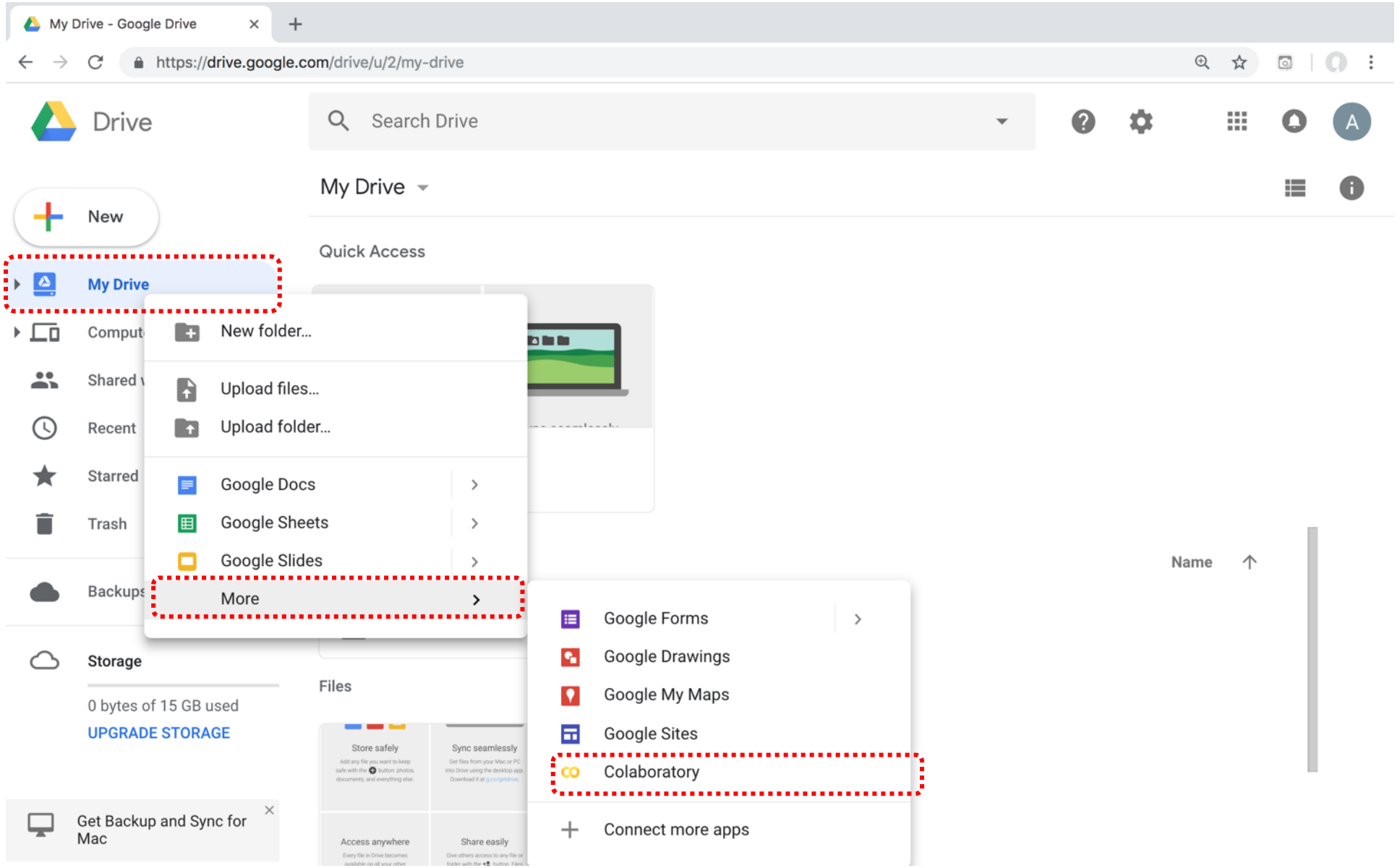

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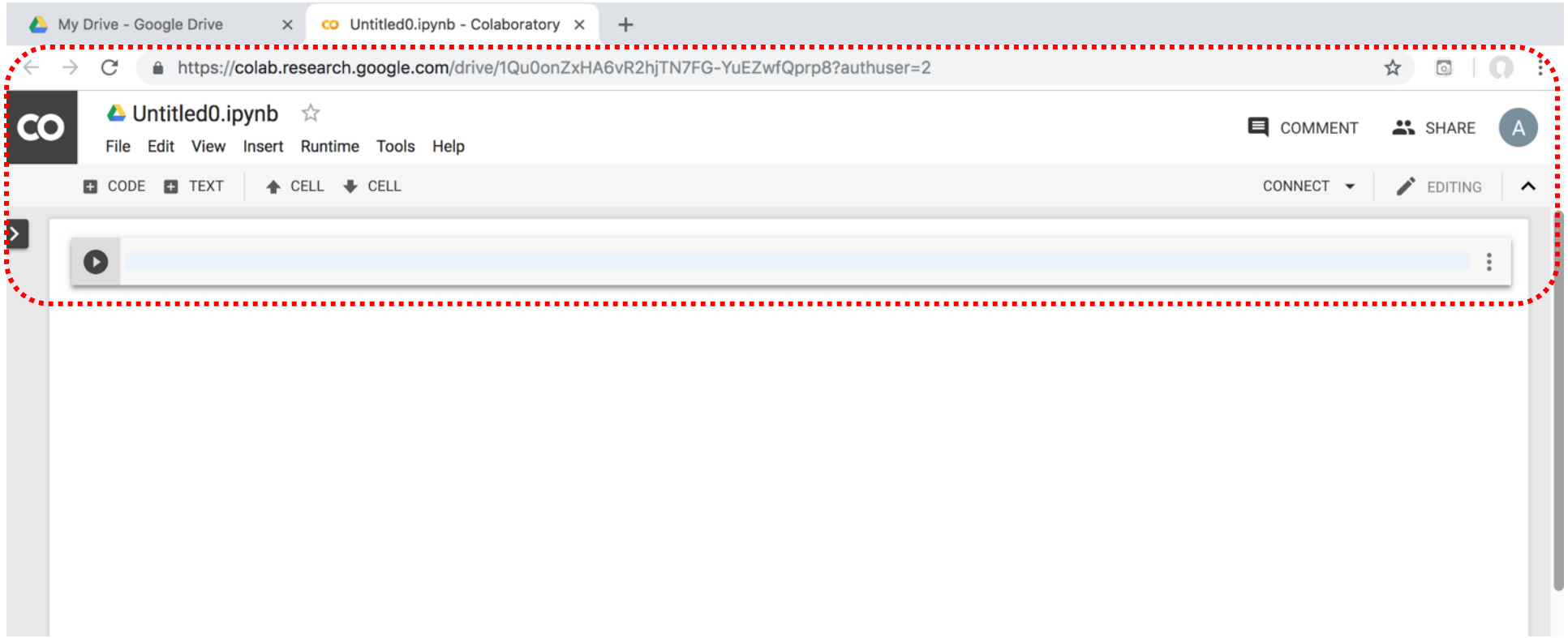

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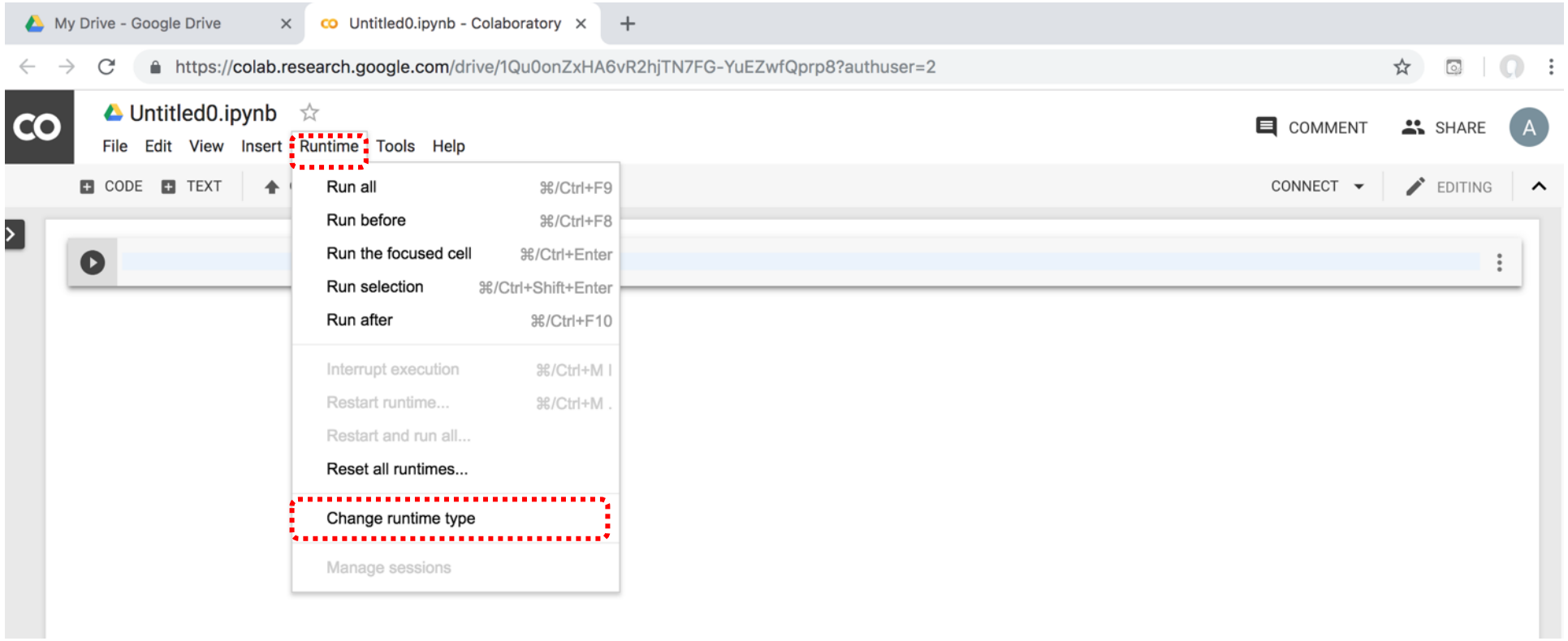

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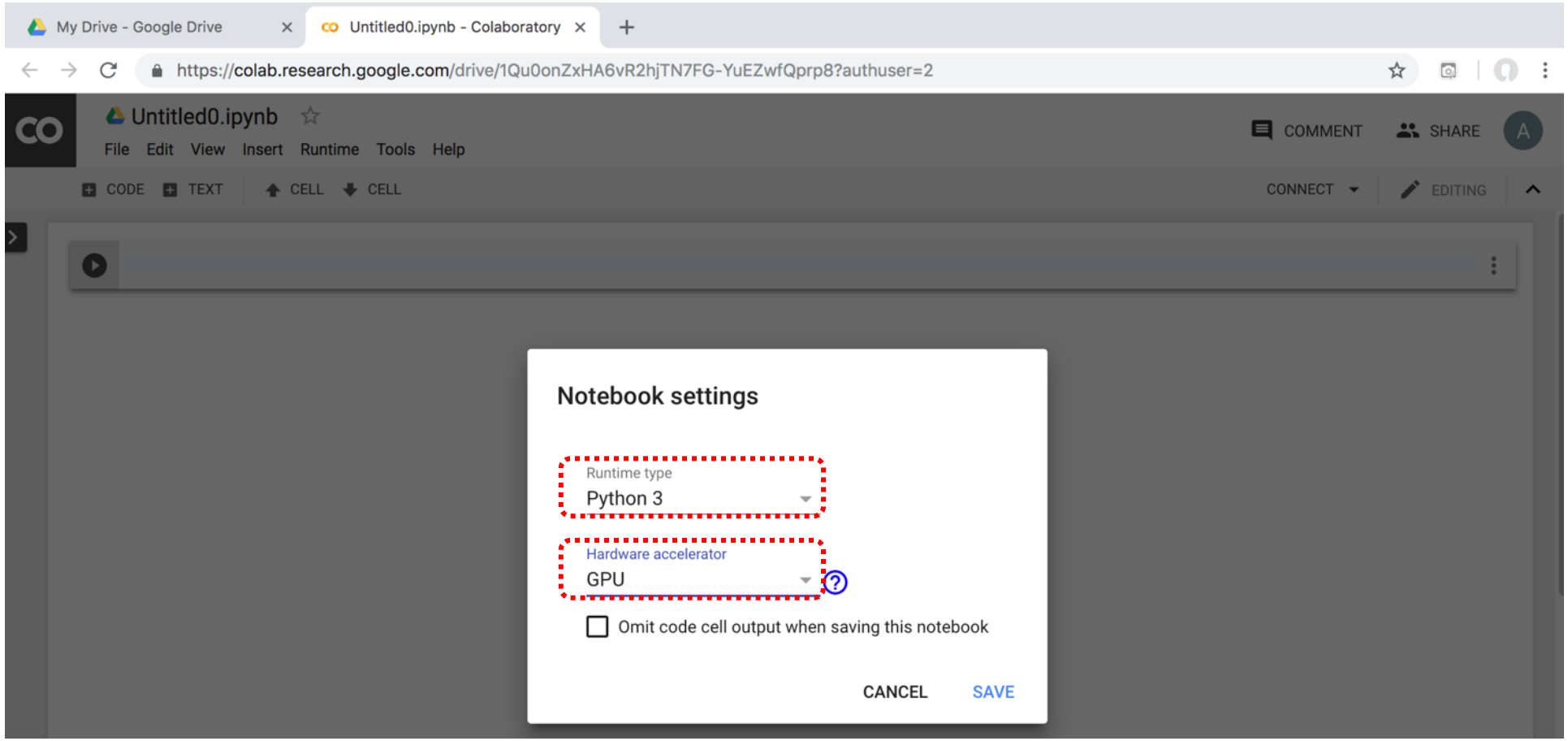

Google Colab Python Hello World
print('Hello World')

Python in Google Colab (Python101)

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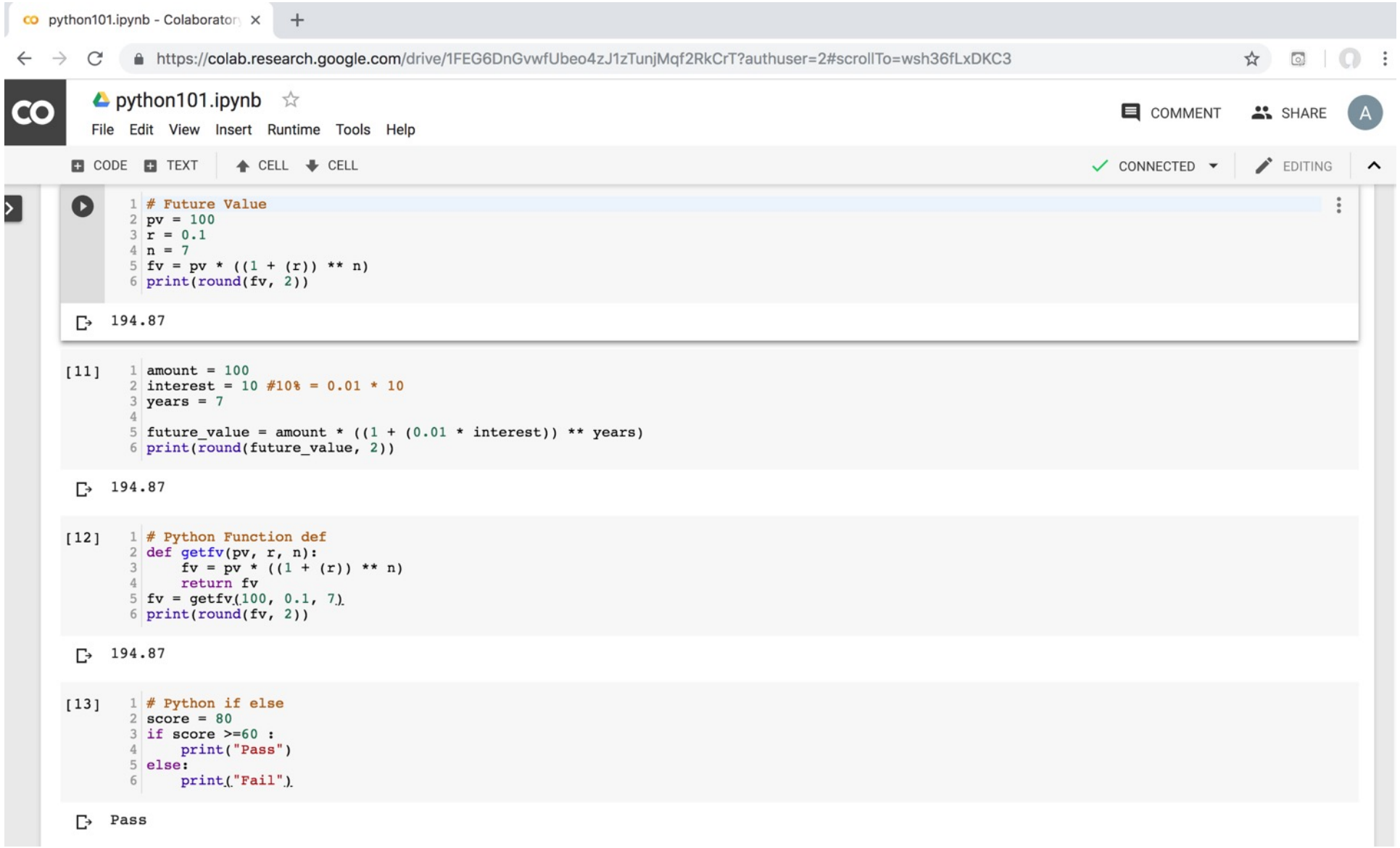

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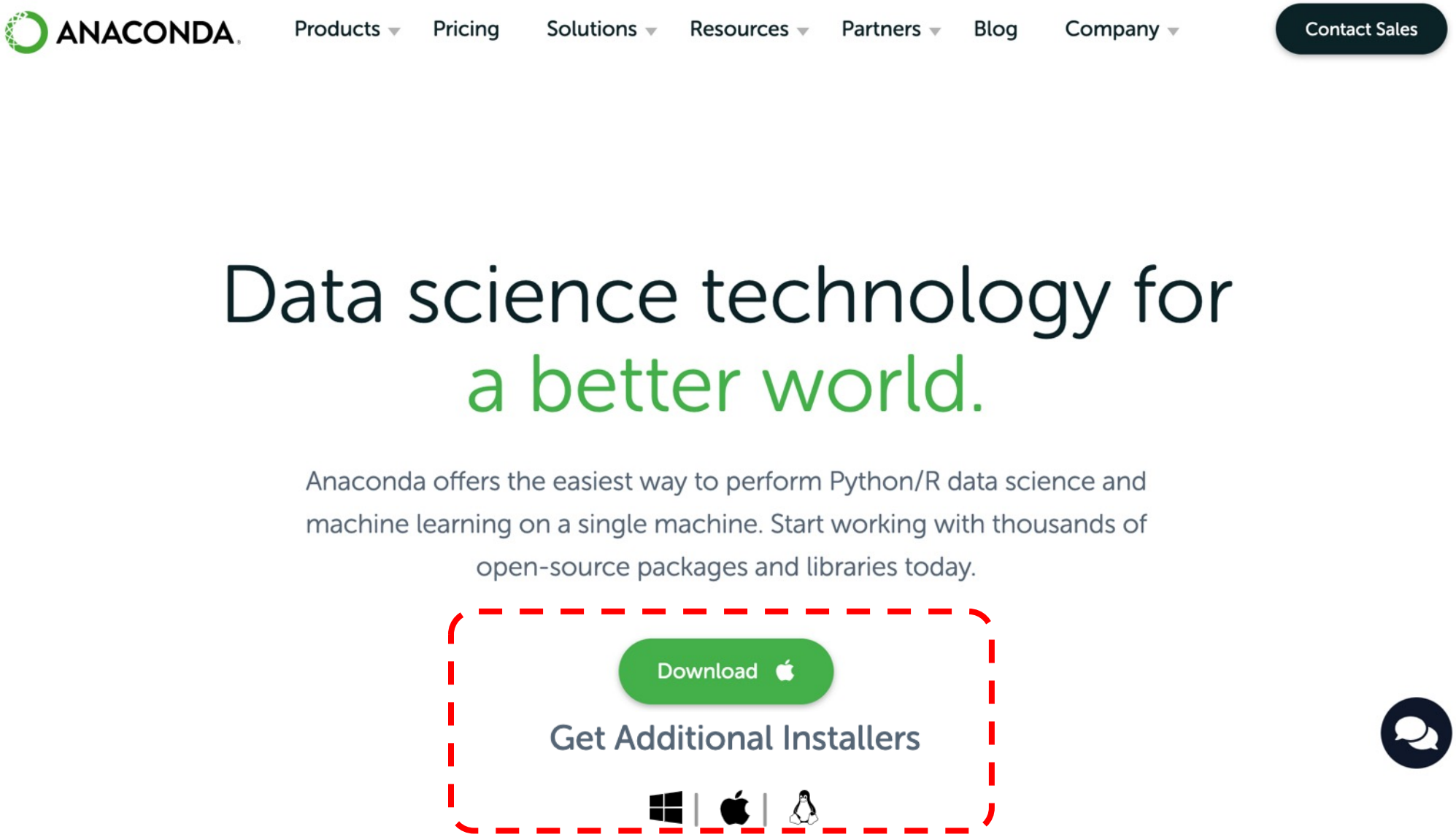

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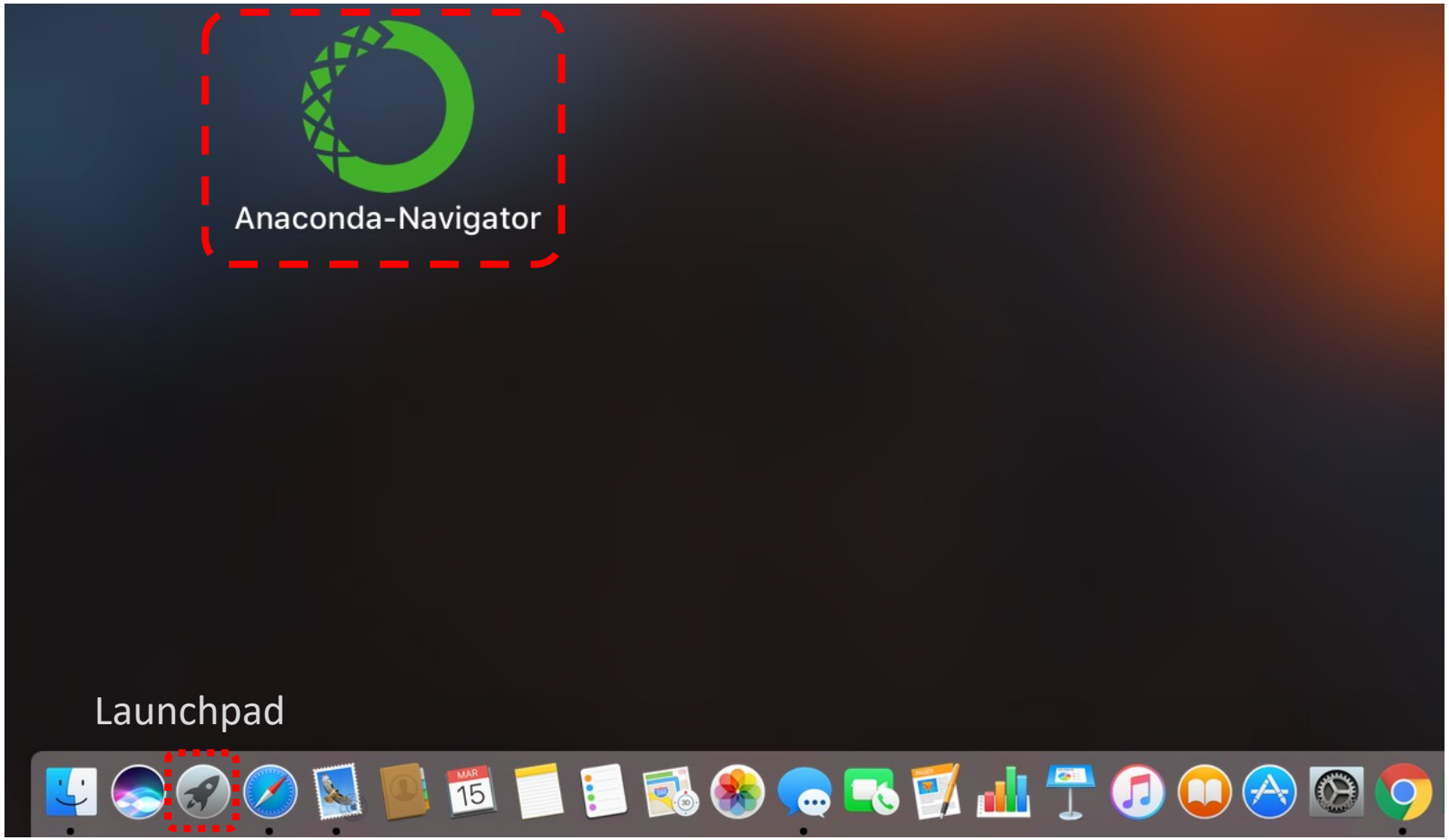
Python

HelloWorld

Anaconda-Navigator



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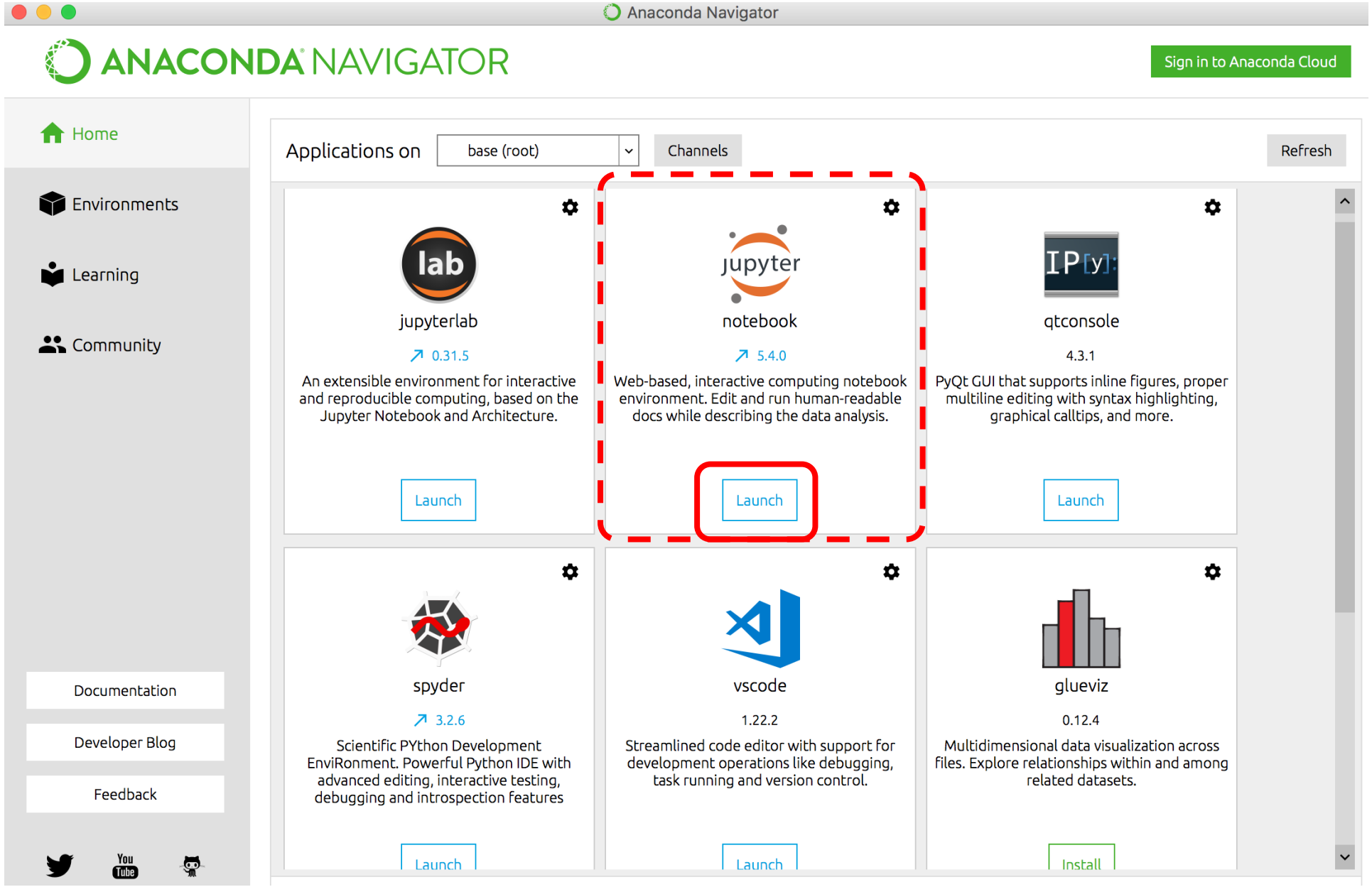

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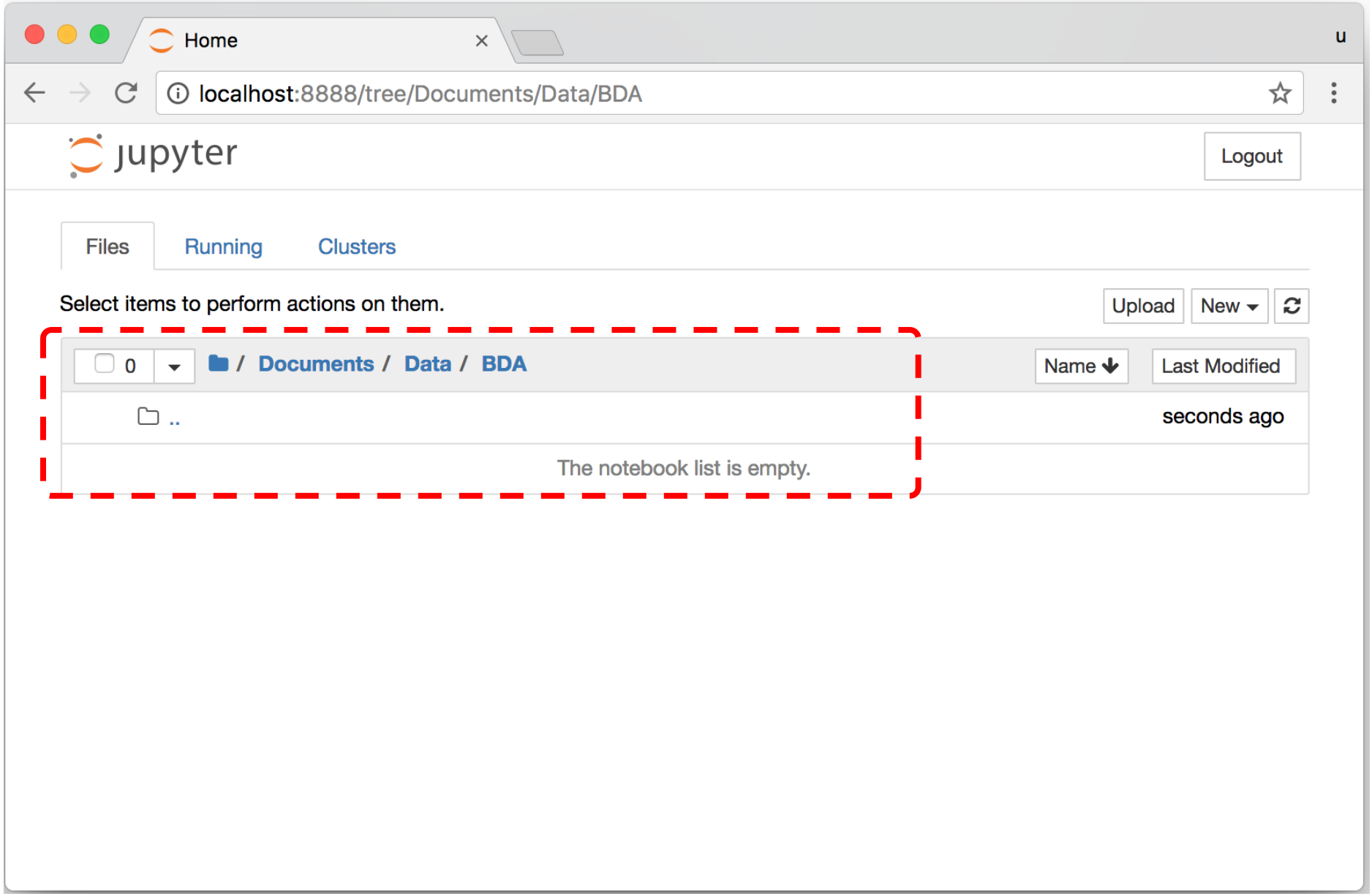

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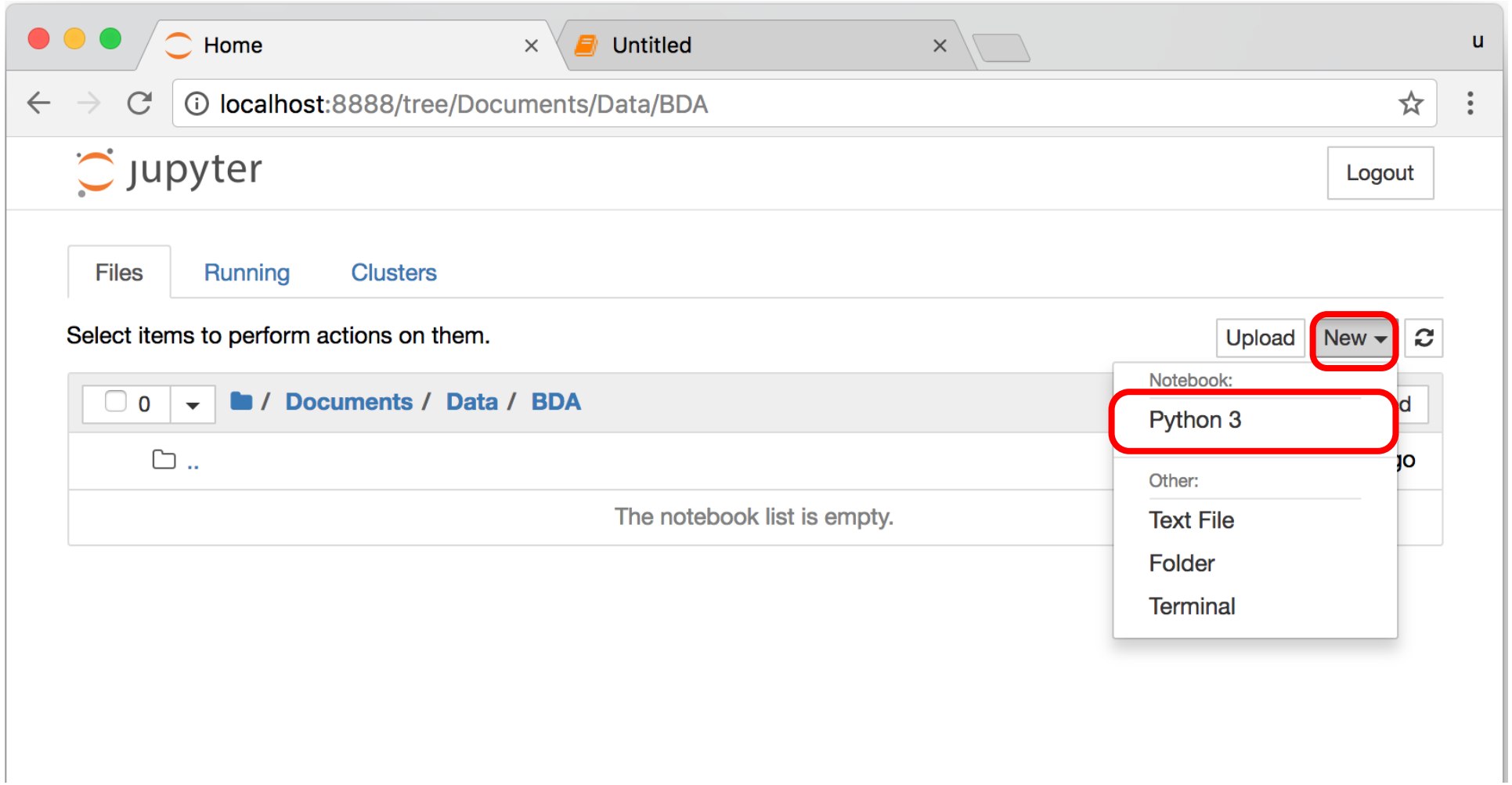

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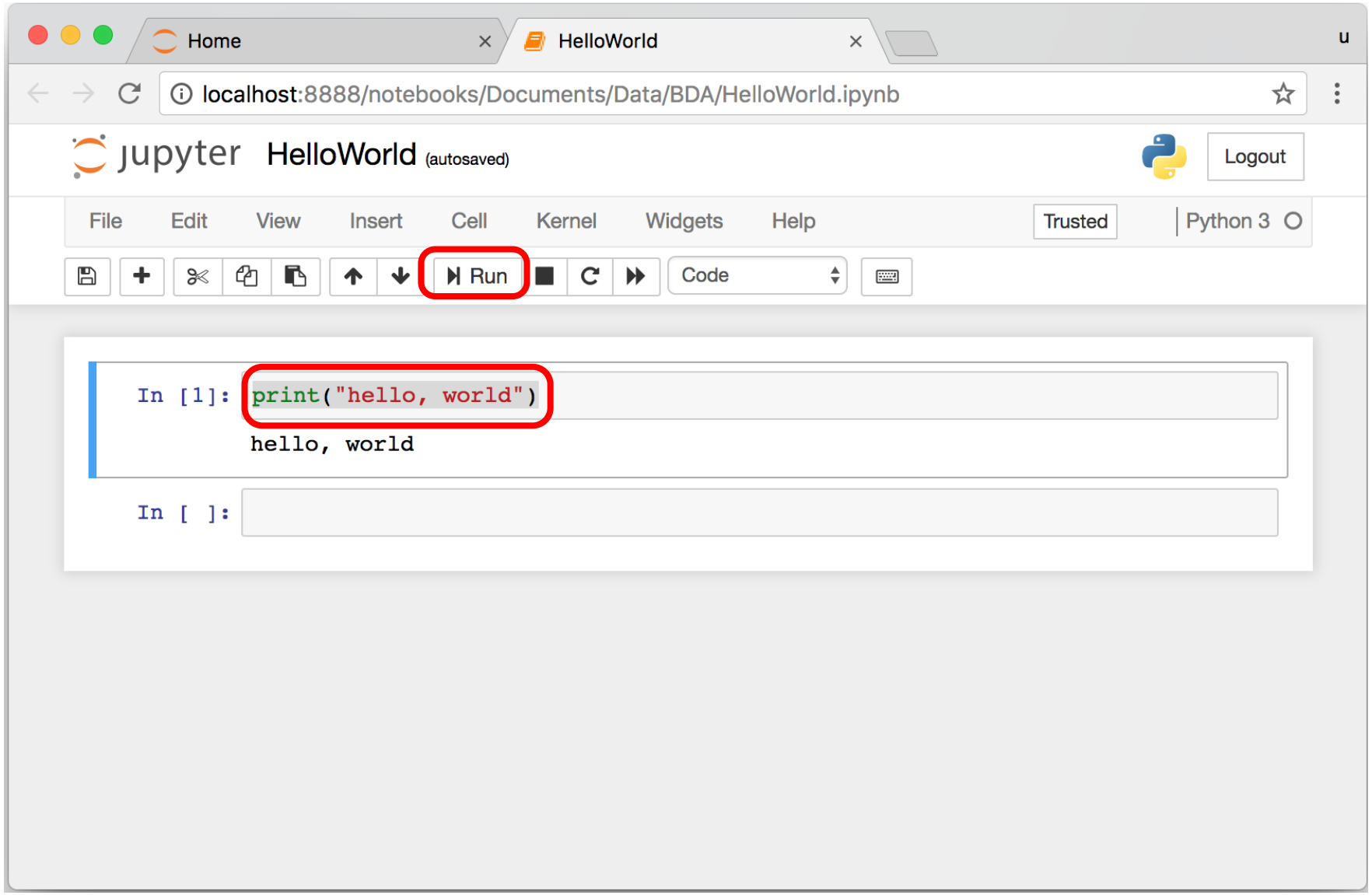

Python

Programming

Foundations of Python Programming

- Python Syntax
  - Python Comments
- Python Variables
- Python Data Types
  - Python Numbers
  - Python Casting
  - Python Strings
- Python Operators
- Python Booleans

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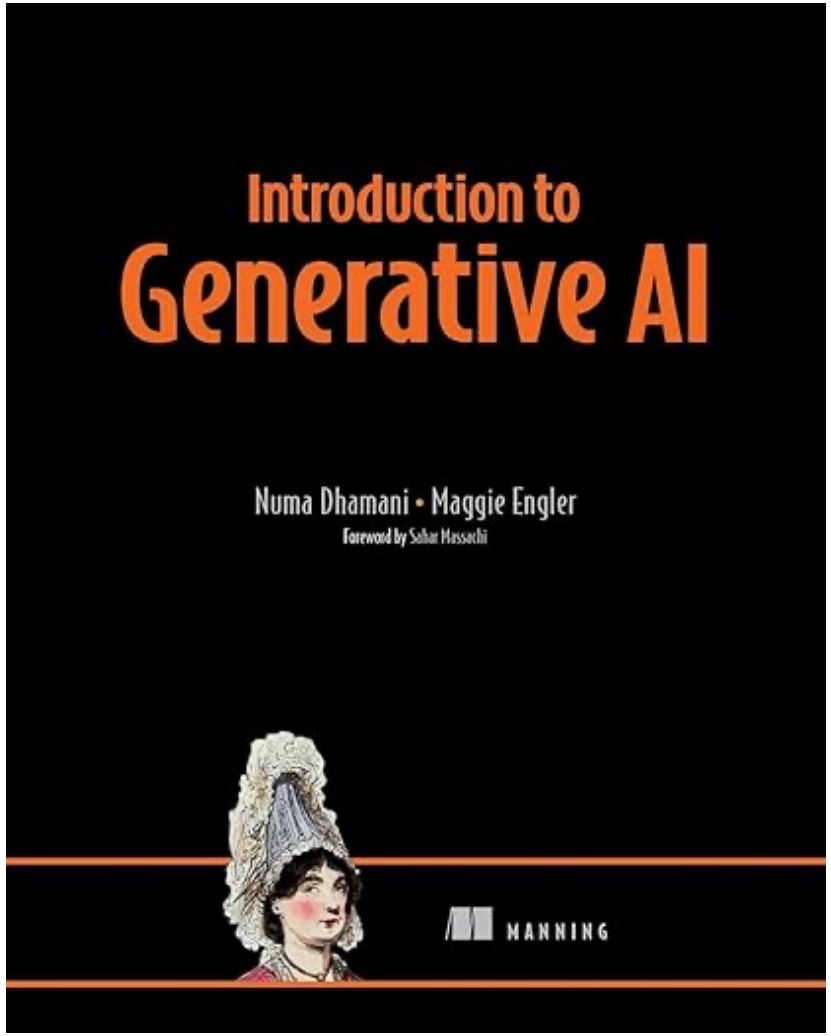

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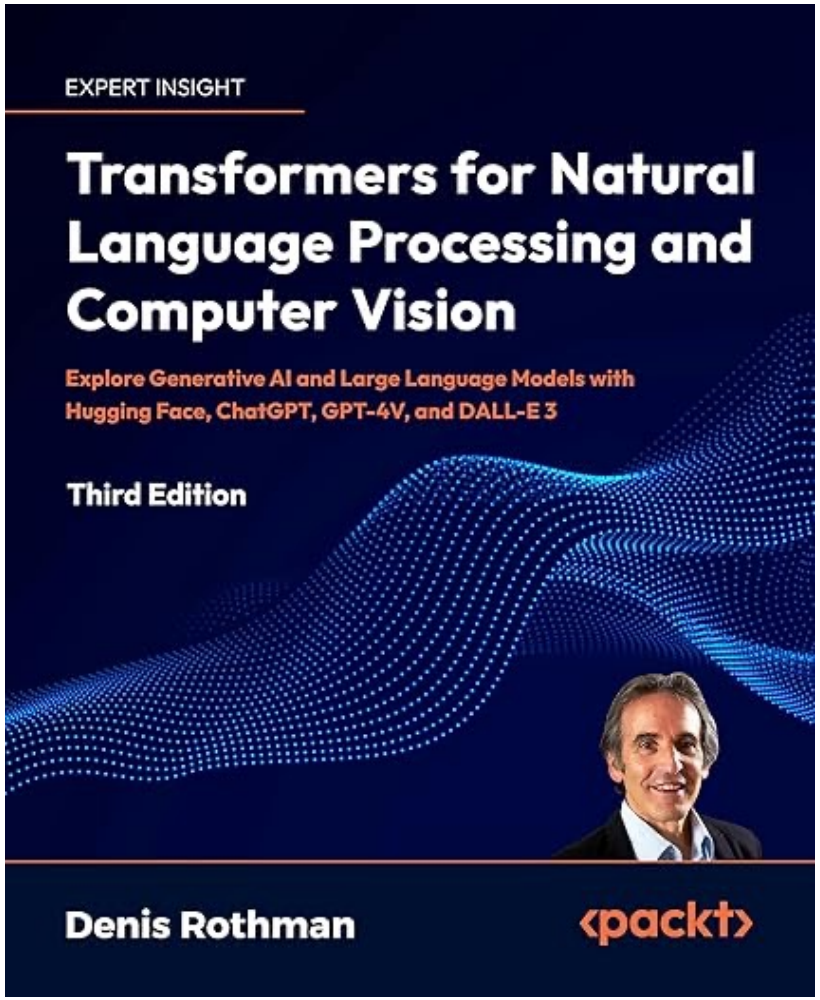

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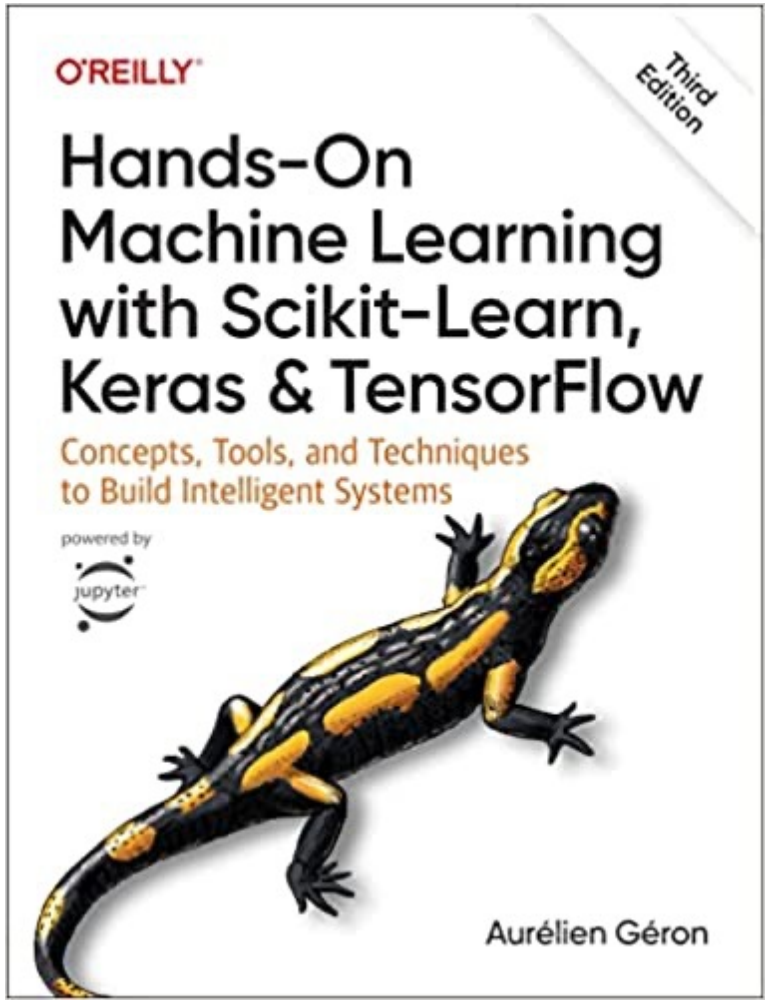

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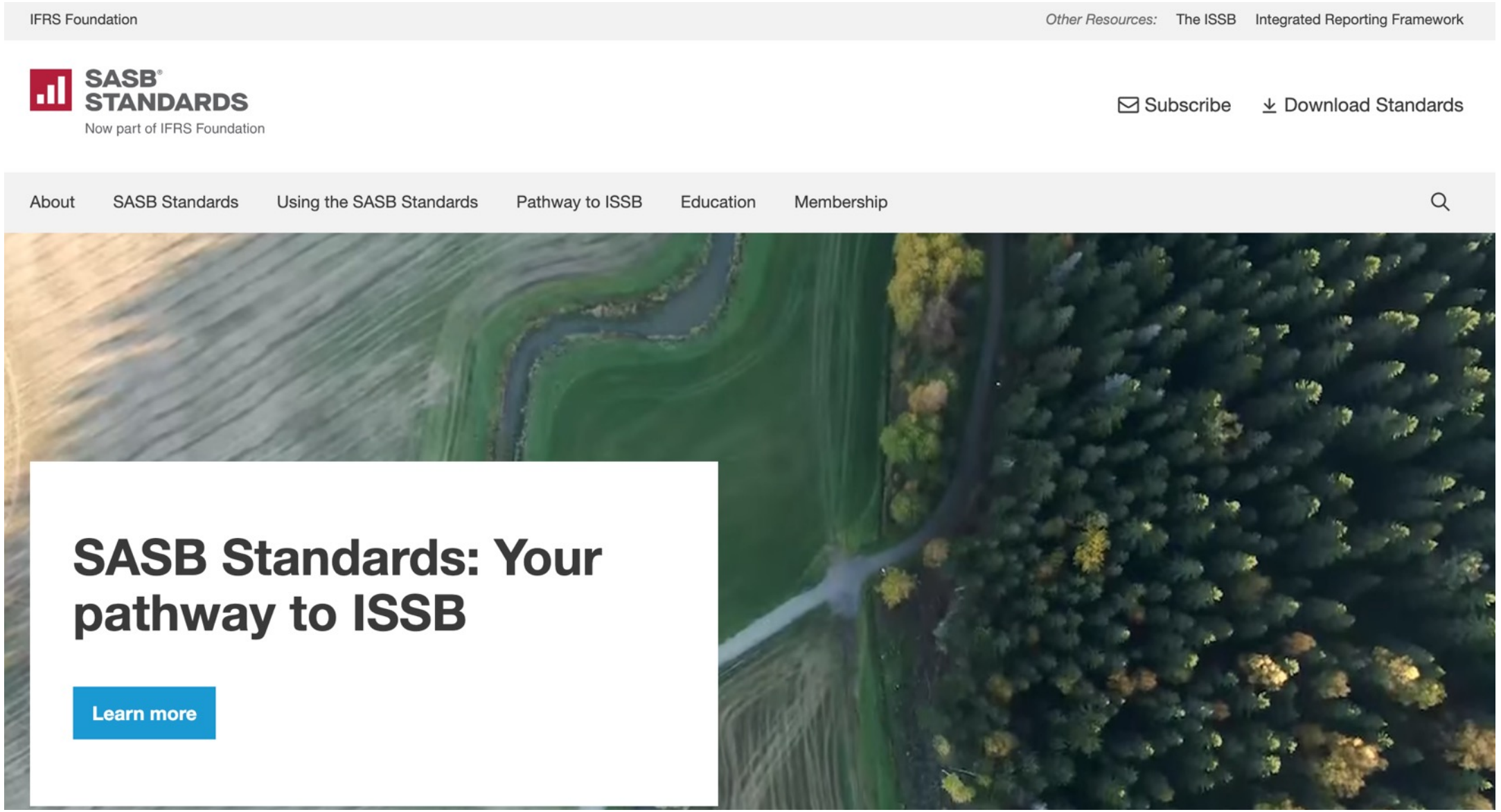

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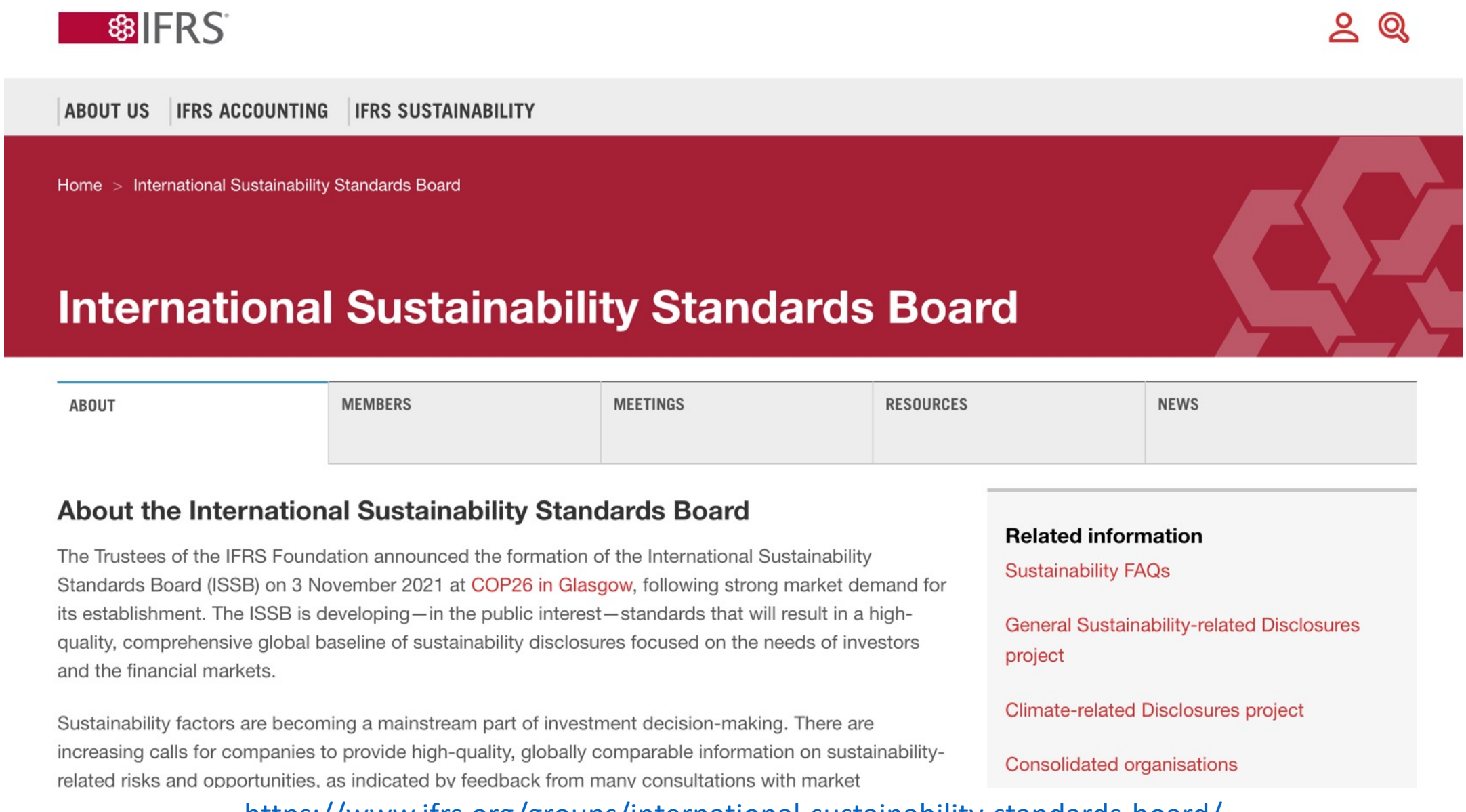

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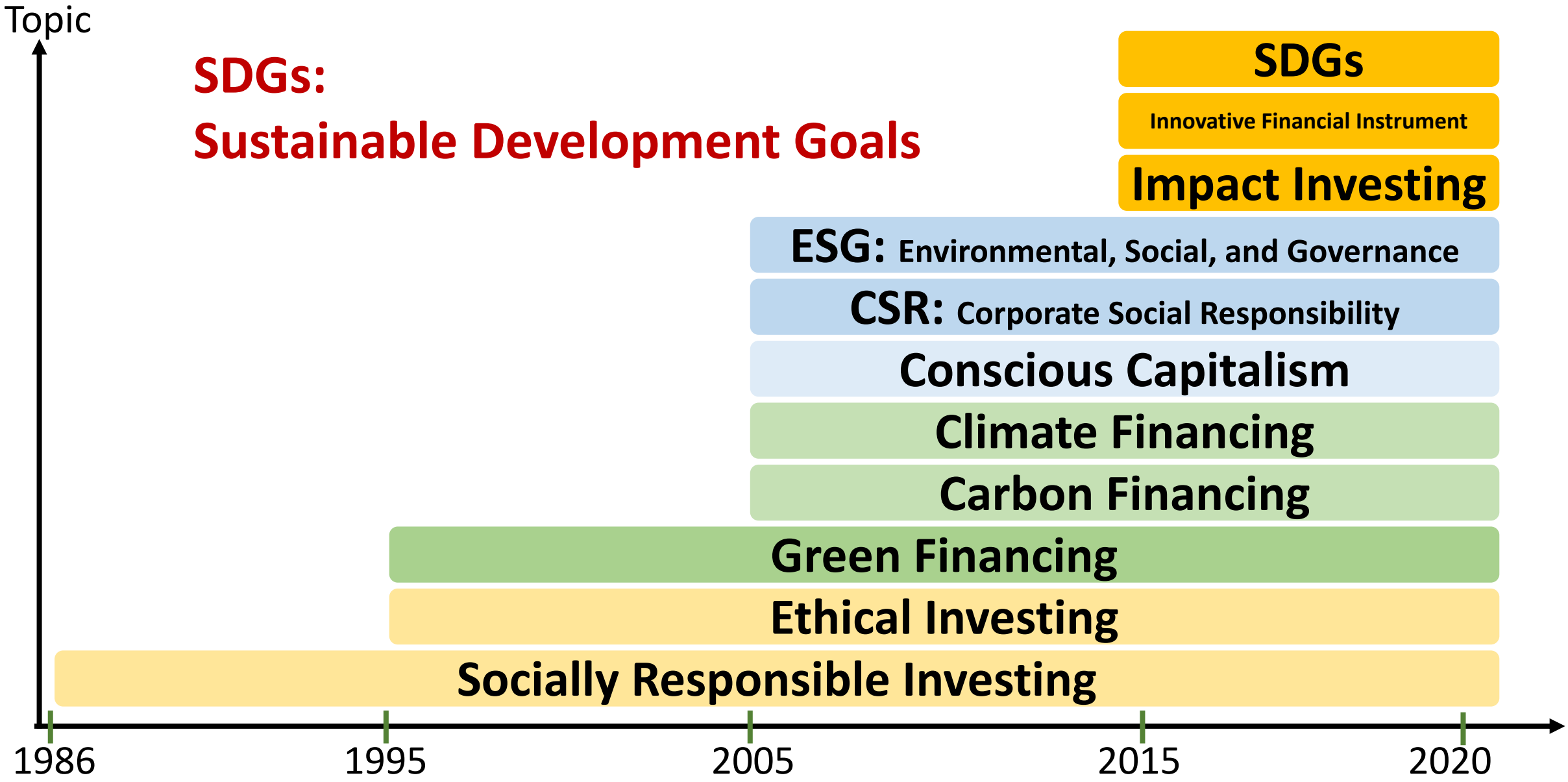
Sustainability
and
ESG Data Analytics

Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

Source: https://sdgs.un.org/goals

Evolution of Sustainable Finance Research



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Green Finance
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Sustainable Finance

AI for Environmental, Social, and Governance (AI4ESG)

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AI for Social Good (AI4SG)

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Sustainability

SDGs

CSR

ESG

Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and 5P

Partnership

Peace

Prosperity

People

Planet

Source: Folke, Carl, Reinette Biggs, Albert V. Norström, Belinda Reyers, and Johan Rockström. "Social-ecological resilience and biosphere-based sustainability science."Ecology and Society 21, no. 3 (2016).

ESG to 17 SDGs

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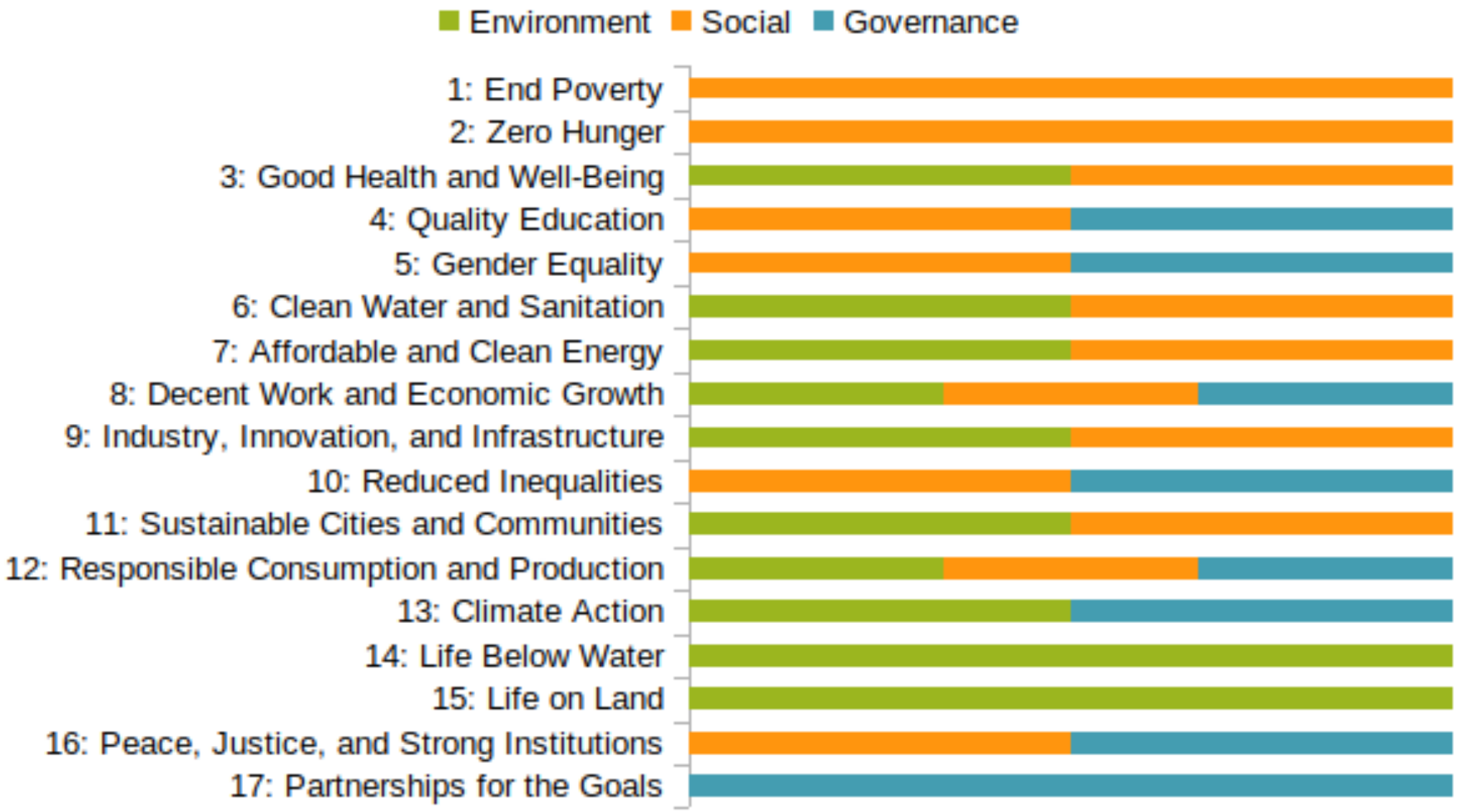

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Generative AI for ESG Applications

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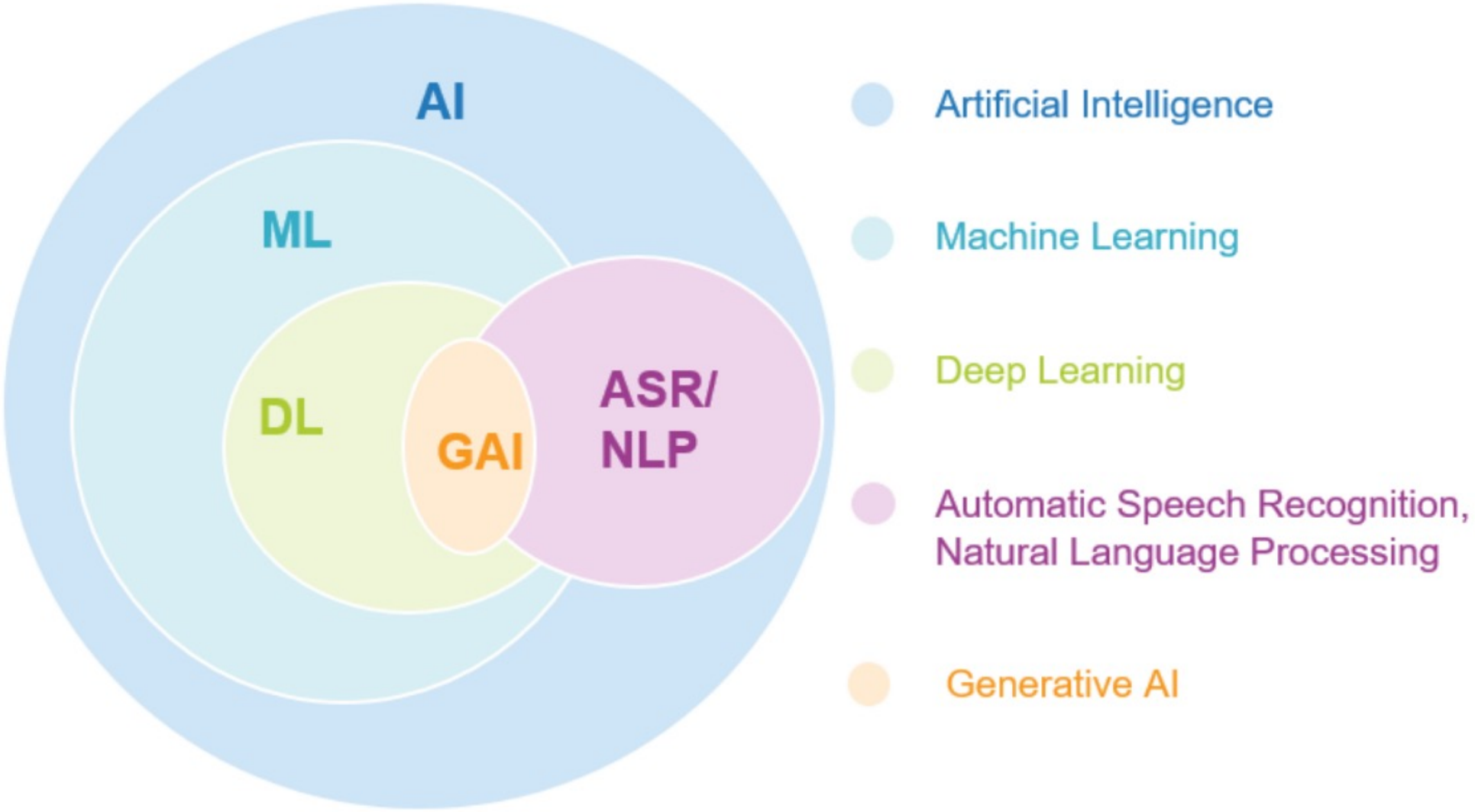

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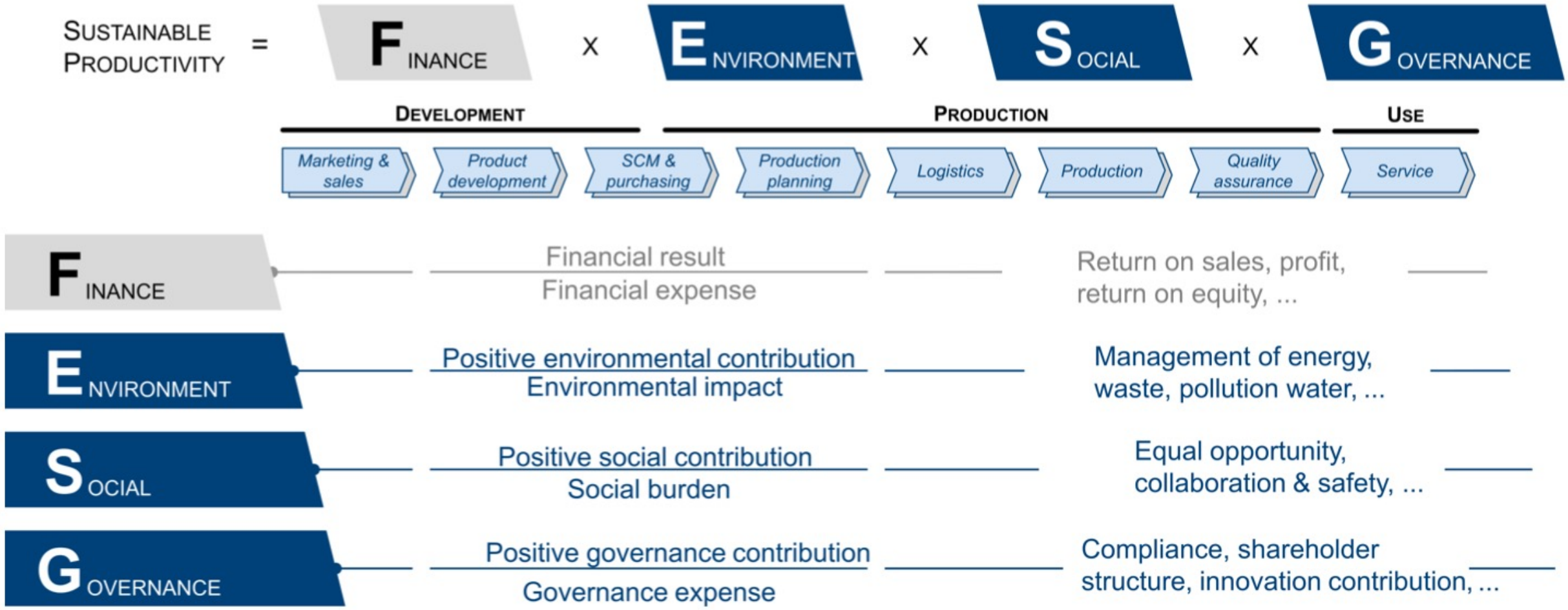
Sustainable Productivity: Finance ESG



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Sustainable Resilient Manufacturing
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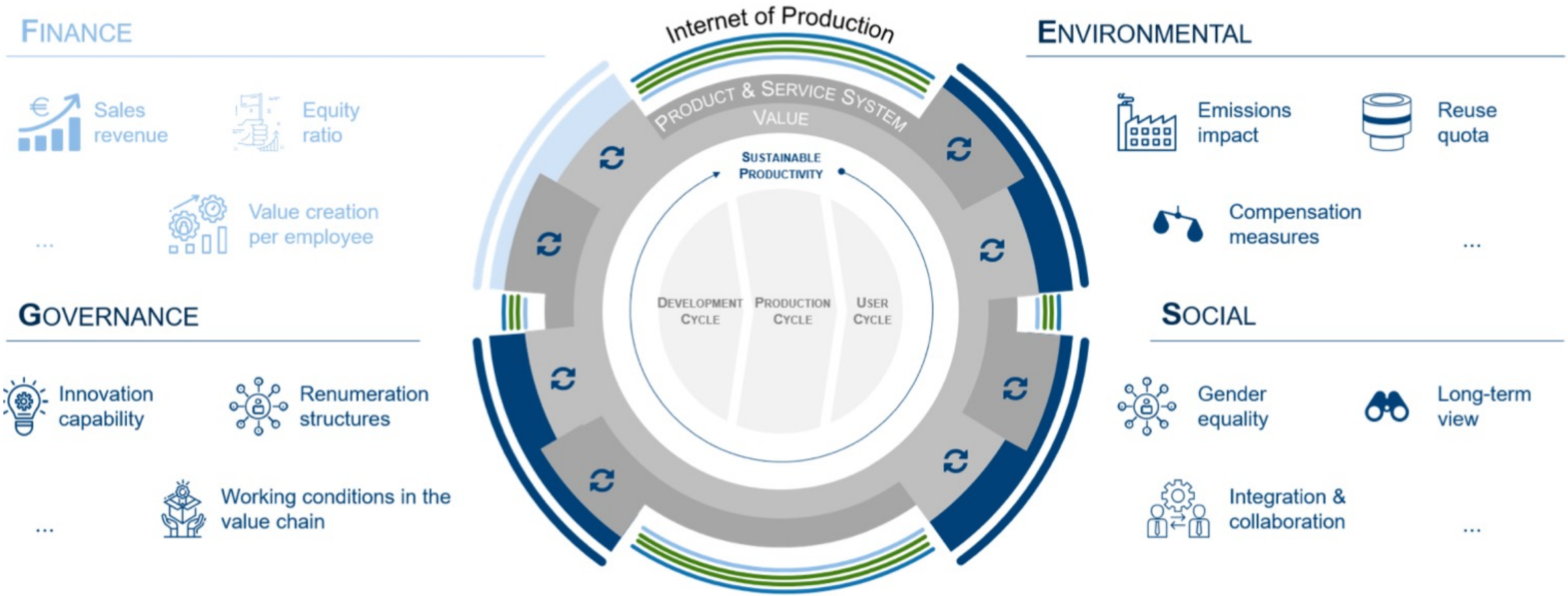

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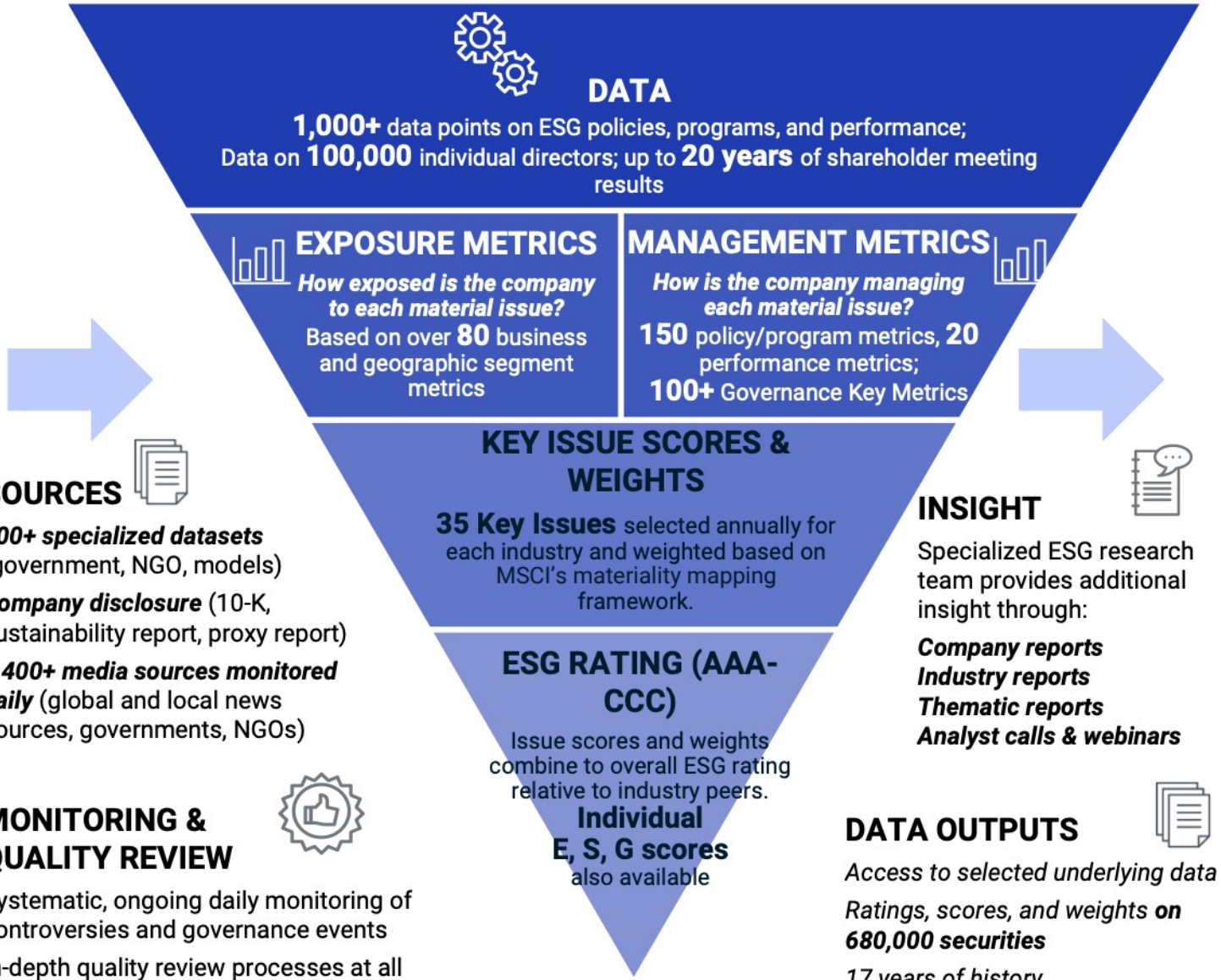
ESG Indexes

- MSCI ESG Index
- Dow Jones Sustainability Indices (DJSI)
- FTSE ESG Index

MSCI ESG Rating Framework



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MSCI ESG Key Issue Hierarchy

3 Pillars	10 Themes	35 ESG Key Issues	
Environment	**Climate Change**	Carbon Emissions	Financing Environmental Impact
		Product Carbon Footprint	Climate Change Vulnerability
	Natural Capital	Water Stress	Raw Material Sourcing
		Biodiversity & Land Use	
	Pollution & Waste	Toxic Emissions & Waste	Electronic Waste
		Packaging Material & Waste	
	Environmental Opportunities	Opportunities in Clean Tech	Opportunities in Renewable Energy
		Opportunities in Green Building	
Social	**Human Capital**	Labor Management	Human Capital Development
		Health & Safety	Supply Chain Labor Standards
	Product Liability	Product Safety & Quality	Privacy & Data Security
		Chemical Safety	Responsible Investment
		Consumer Financial Protection	Health & Demographic Risk
	Stakeholder Opposition	Controversial Sourcing	
		Community Relations	
	Social Opportunities	Access to Communications	Access to Health Care
		Access to Finance	Opportunities in Nutrition & Health
Governance	**Corporate Governance**	Ownership & Control	Pay
		Board	Accounting
	Corporate Behavior	Business Ethics	
		Tax Transparency	

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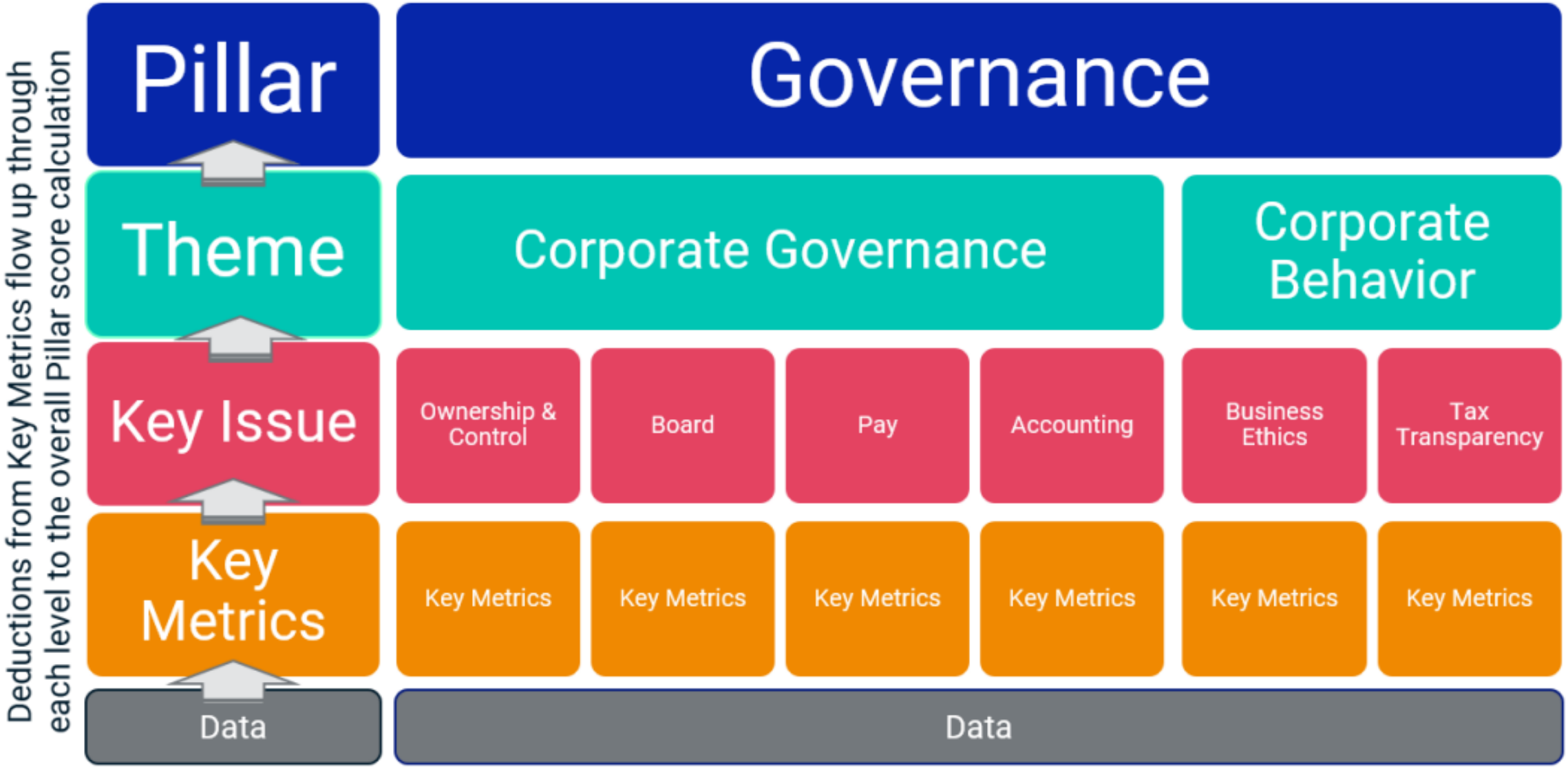
MSCI Governance Model Structure



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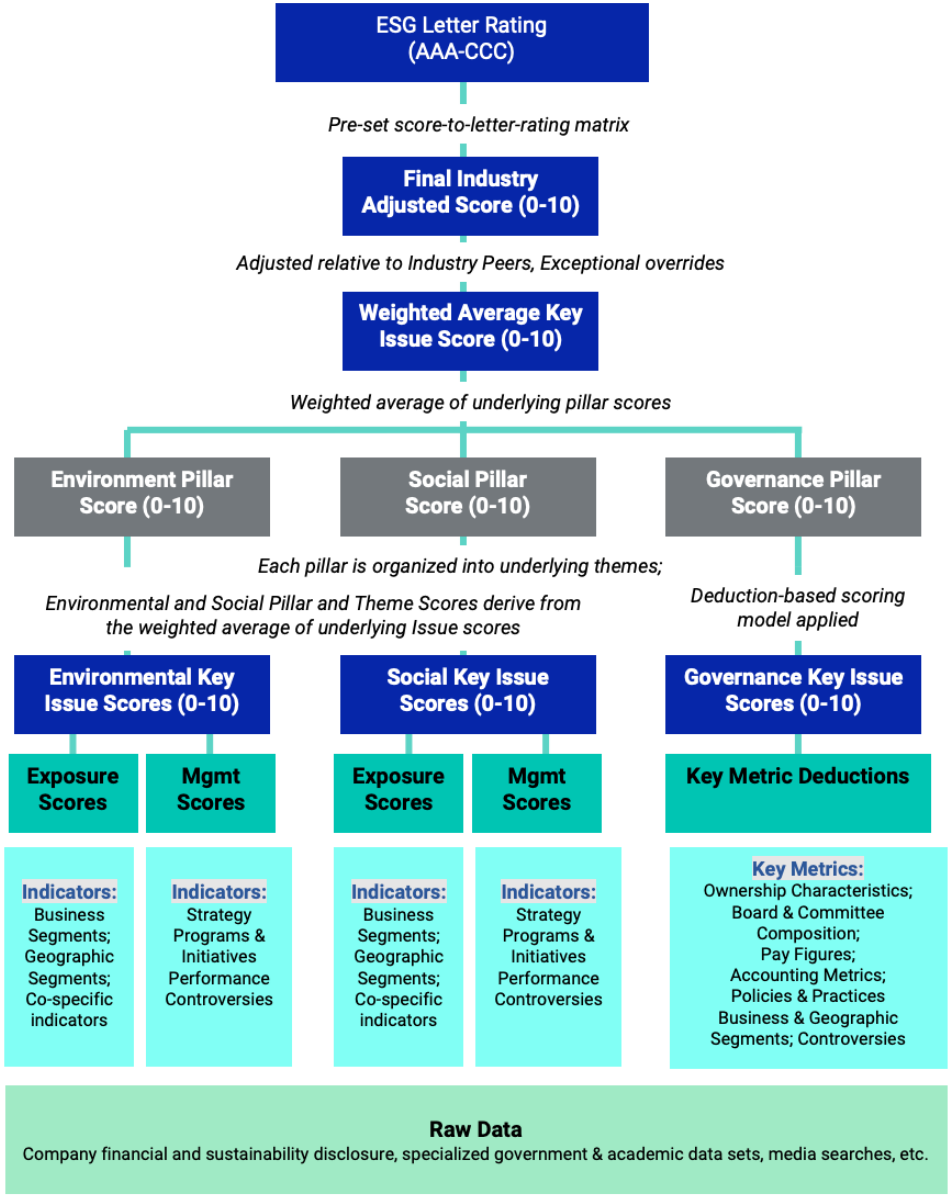
MSCI Hierarchy of ESG Scores



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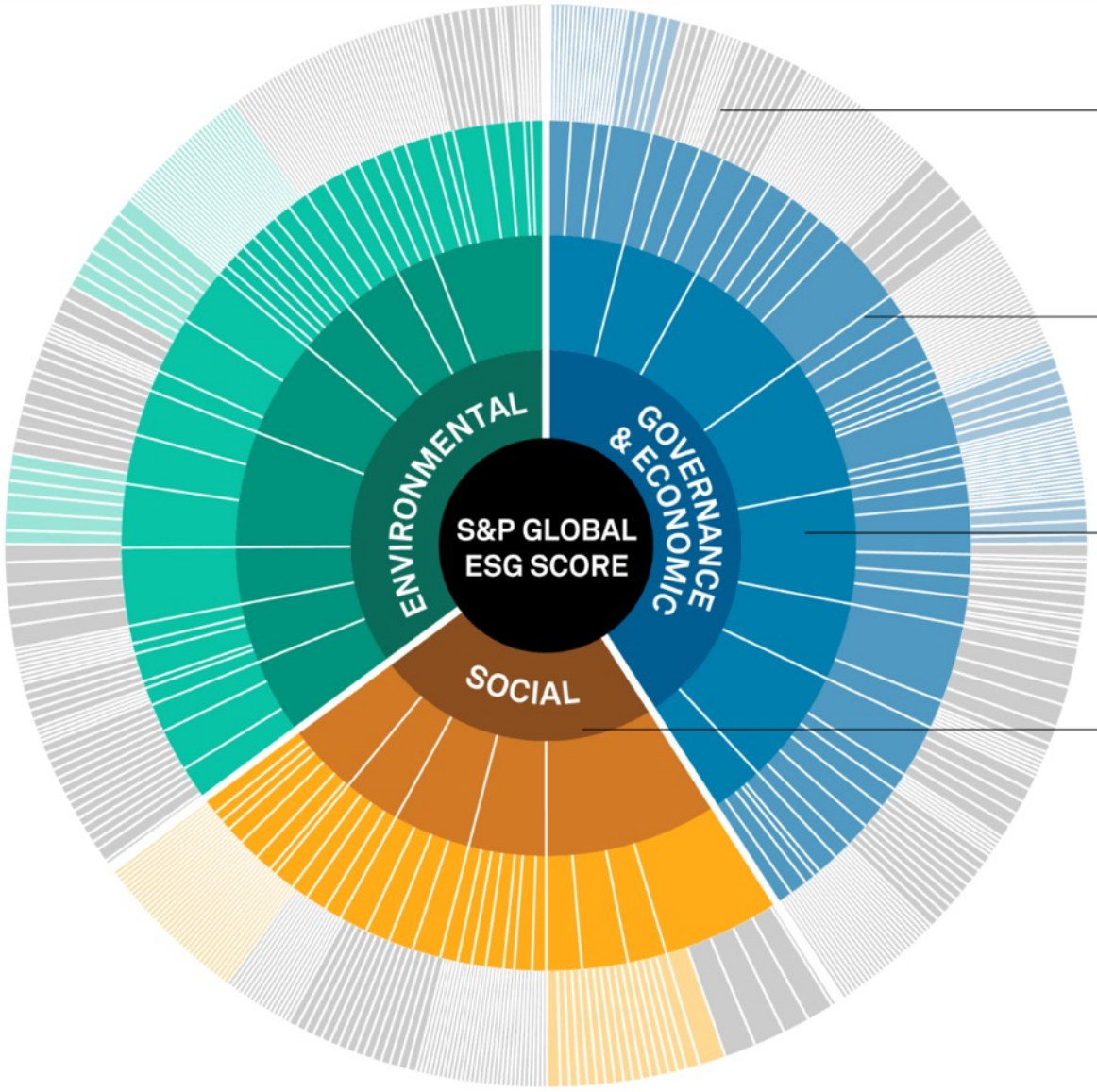
DJSI S&P Global ESG Score

8,000
Companies

90%
Global market capitalization

340,000+
Current Research Universe and Active Securities



Approx.
1,000
Datapoints

Assessed values, text, checkboxes, documents
Sources: Web-based questionnaire and company documents

130+
Questions

Weighted data point scores
Up to 50% industry-specific

Ave.
30+
Criteria scores

Weighted question scores
61 industry specific approaches, with tailored questions, criteria and related weightings

3
Dimension scores

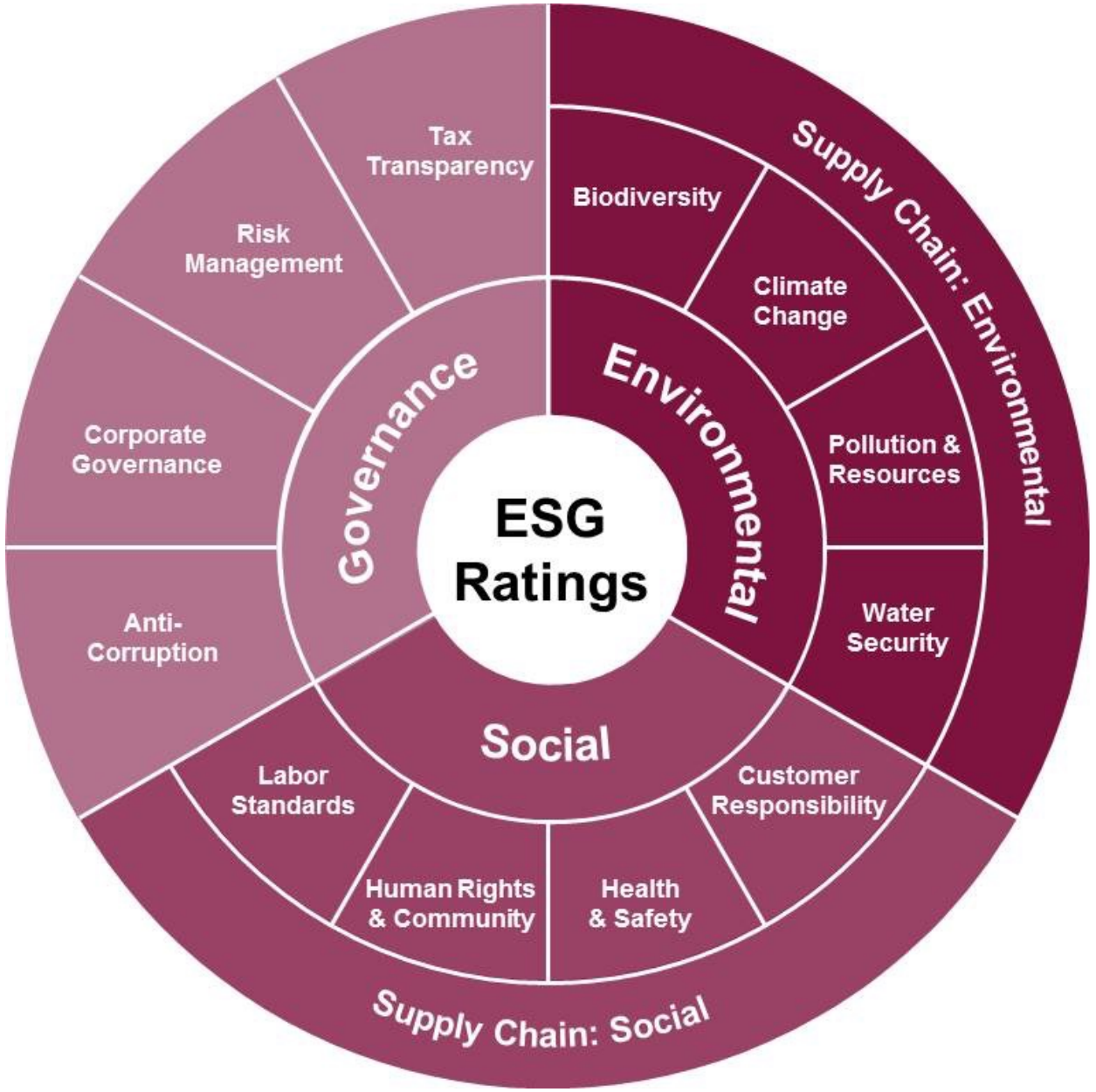
Weighted criteria scores
Adjusted for corporate ESG controversies where applicable

1
S&P Global ESG Score

Sum of weighted dimension scores

Source: DJSI, S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment (CSA), https://www.spglobal.com/esg/solutions/data-intelligence-esg-scores

FTSE Russell ESG Ratings



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SUSTAINALYTICS
a Morningstar company

Sustainalytics ESG Risk Ratings

Analyst-based approach

Sustainalytics' ESG Risk Ratings measure a company's exposure to industry-specific material ESG risks and how well a company is managing those risks.

Negligible	Low	Medium	High	Severe
0 - 10	10 - 20	20 - 30	30 - 40	40+

Source: https://www.sustainalytics.com/esg-data

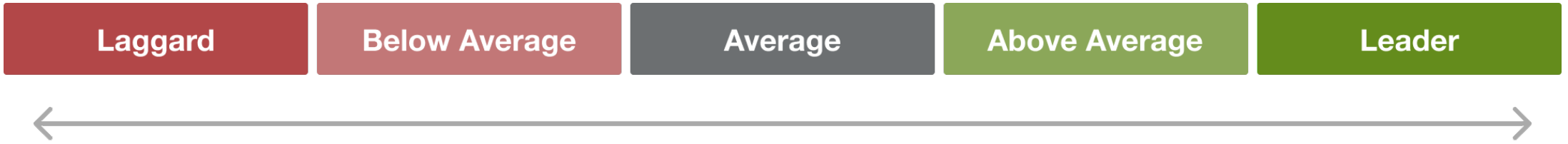
TruValue Labs

FACTSET

Truvalue ESG Ranks

Machine-based approach

- **Truvalue Labs applies AI to analyze over 100,000 sources and uncover ESG risks and opportunities hidden in unstructured text.**
- **The ESG Ranks data service produces an overall company rank based on industry percentile leveraging the 26 ESG categories defined by the Sustainability Accounting Standards Board (SASB).**
- **The data feed covers 20,000+ companies with more than 13 years of history.**



Source: :https://developer.truvaluelabs.com/data/esg-ranks

Analyst-driven vs. AI-driven ESG

Analyst-driven ESG research

Derives ratings in a structured data model

Sustainalytics

Analyst role at the end of the process allows subjectivity to color results

AI-driven ESG research

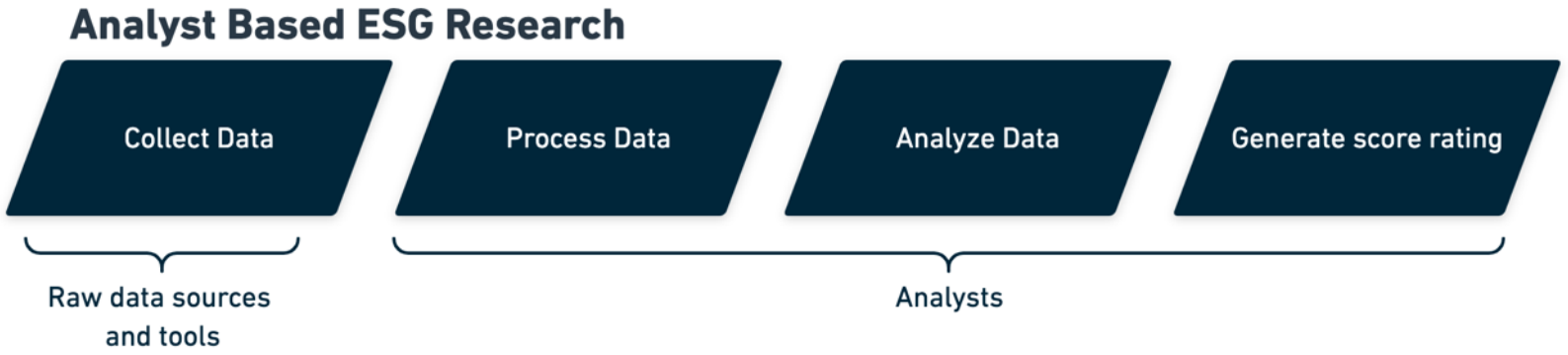
Derives signals from unstructured data

Truvalue Labs

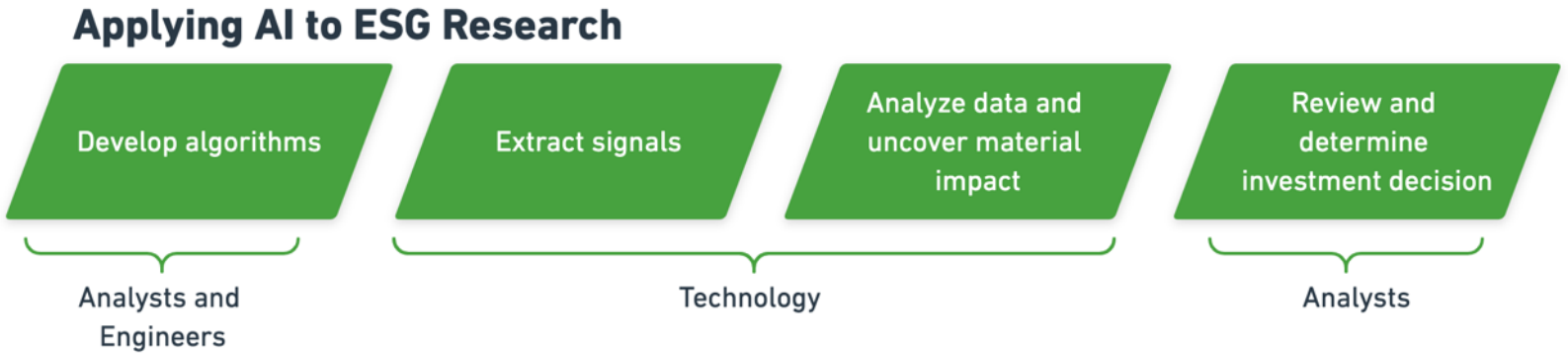
Analyst expertise at the beginning of the process produces consistent results

Source: Mark Tulay (2020), Man vs. machine: A tale of two sustainability ratings systems, GreenBiz, https://www.greenbiz.com/article/man-vs-machine-tale-two-sustainability-ratings-systems

Analyst based ESG Research

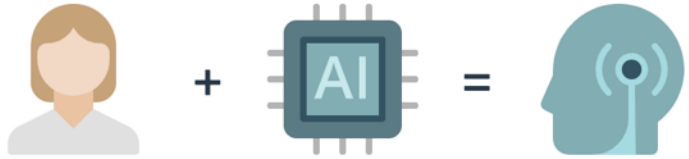


AI based ESG Research



It would take an analyst over 5 years to do what our AI can in 1 week

Combining analysts with AI creates gives you the full picture



ESG ANALYTICS
Invest where it matters.

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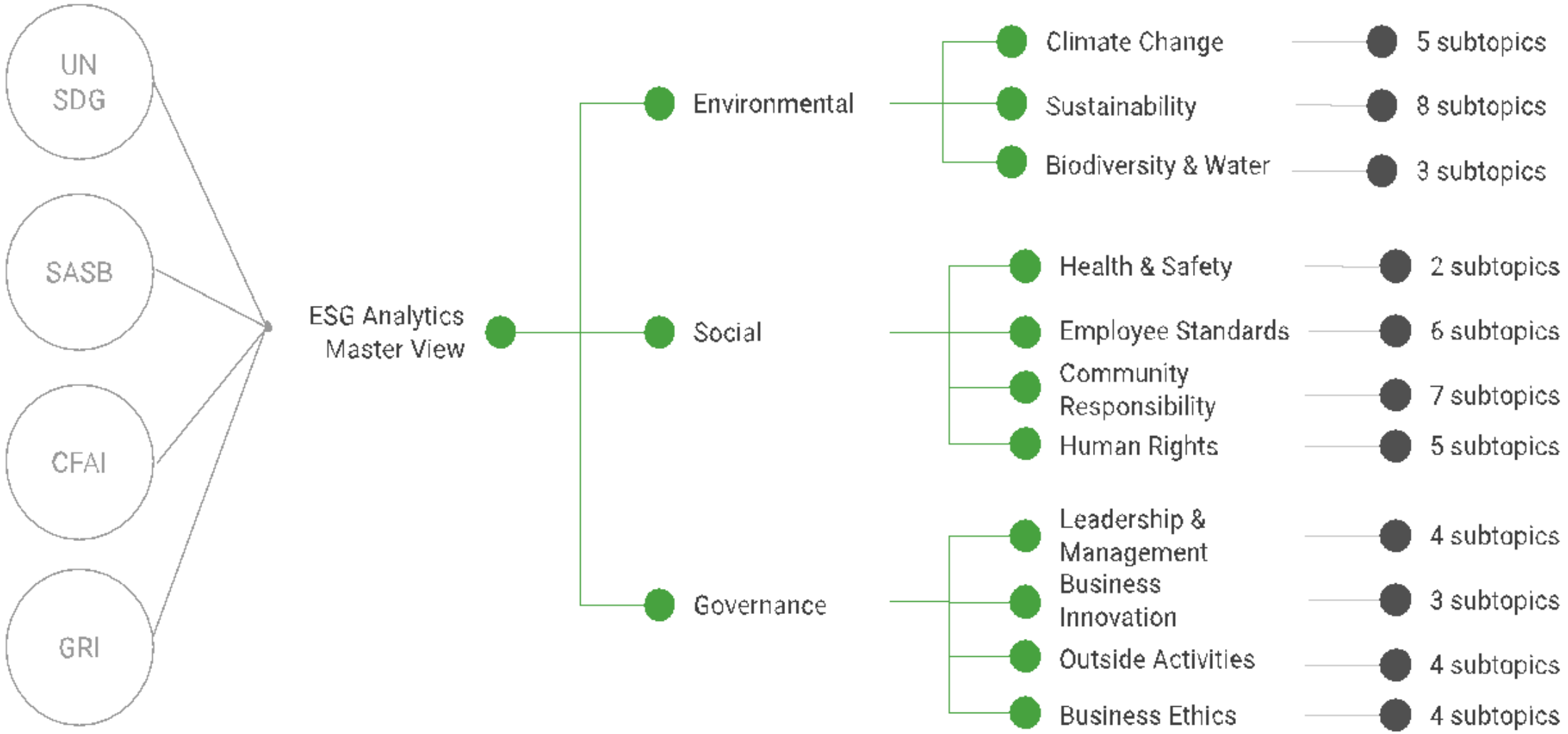
ESG Analytics: NLP Taxonomy



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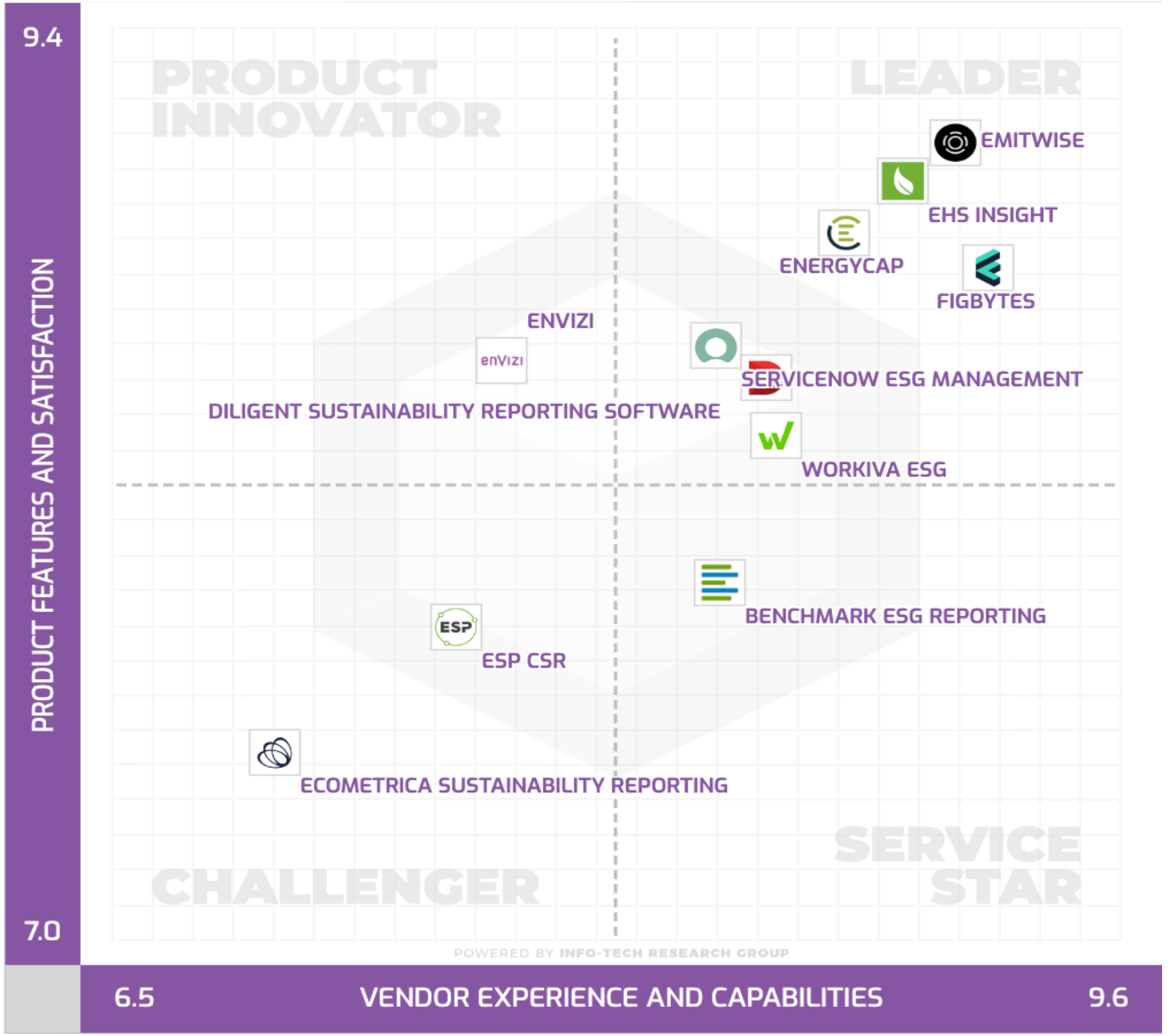
Top ESG Reporting Software

Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) Reporting software or **Sustainability software** helps organizations manage their operational data, evaluate their impact on the environment and provide reporting to perform audits.



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ESG Reporting Software: Workiva ESG

- **Workiva is a cloud native platform that simplifies the complexities of reporting and compliance.**
- **Workiva ESG is the end-to-end platform that allows you to integrate financial data, nonfinancial data, and XBRL.**
- **Workiva, the platform that streamlines your entire ESG process.**
- **Automate data collection, utilize frameworks, and directly connect to all your ESG reports. in meaningful glossy reports, accurate survey responses, and regulatory filings with integrated XBRL tagging.**

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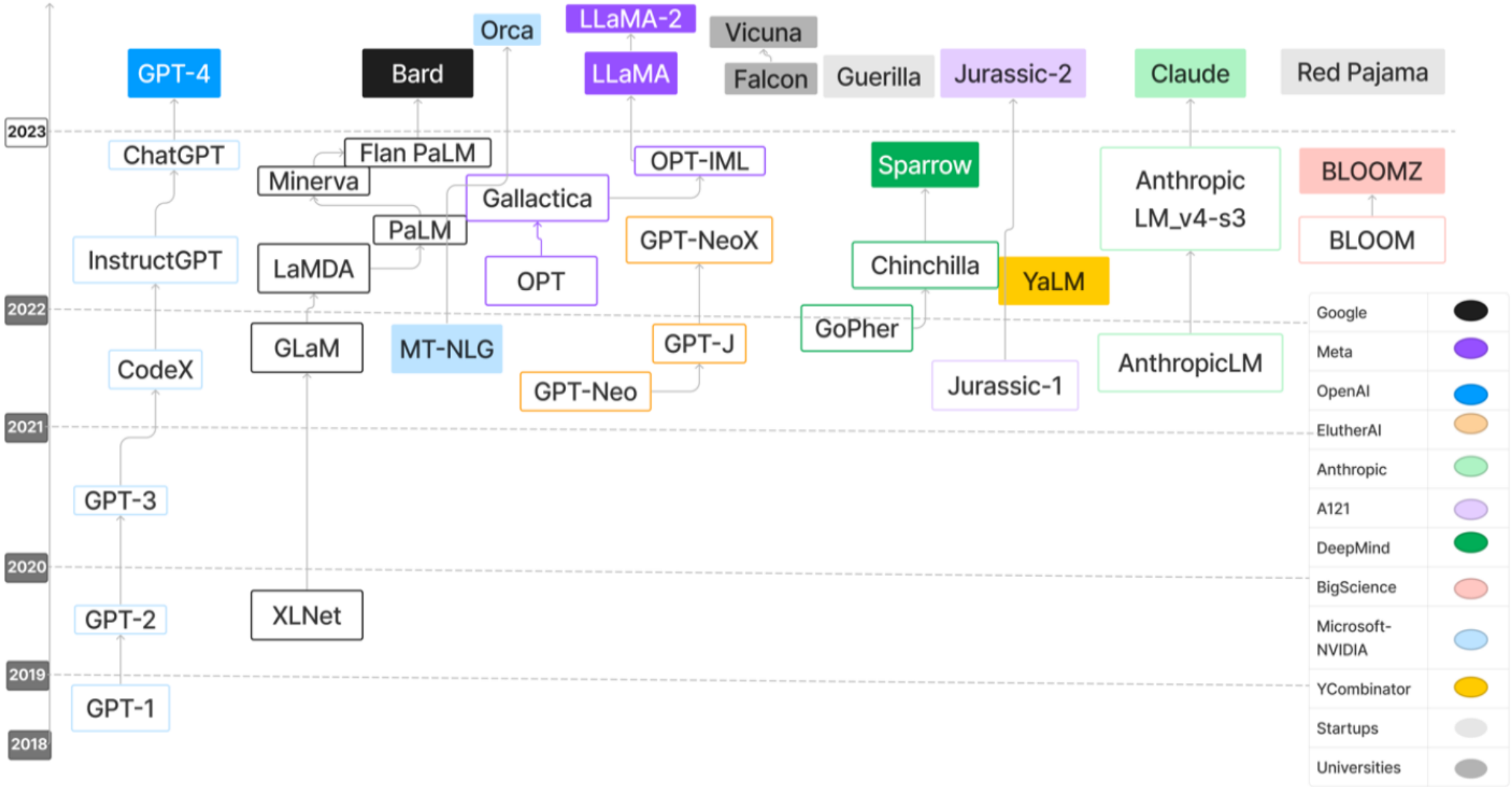
Large Language Models (LLMs)



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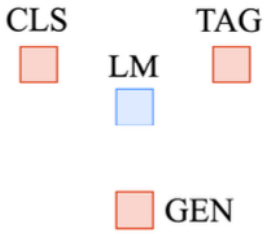
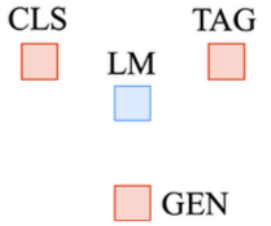
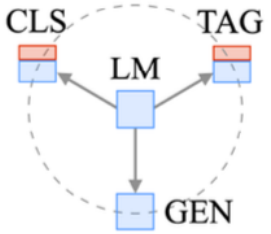
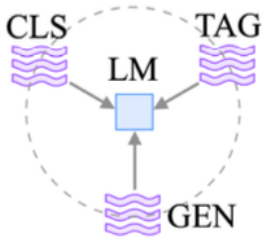
Four Paradigms in NLP (LM)

Paradigm	Engineering	Task Relation
a. Fully Supervised Learning (Non-Neural Network)	Feature (e.g. word identity, part-of-speech, sentence length)	
b. Fully Supervised Learning (Neural Network)	Architecture (e.g. convolutional, recurrent, self-attentional)	
Transfer Learning: Pre-training, Fine-Tuning (FT) c. Pre-train, Fine-tune	Objective (e.g. masked language modeling, next sentence prediction)	
GAI: Pre-train, Prompt, and Predict (Prompting) d. Pre-train, Prompt, Predict	Prompt (e.g. cloze, prefix)	

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Generative AI

Text, Image, Video, Audio Applications

Comparison of Generative AI and Traditional AI

Feature	Generative AI	Traditional AI
Output type	New content	Classification/Prediction
Creativity	High	Low
Interactivity	Usually more natural	Limited

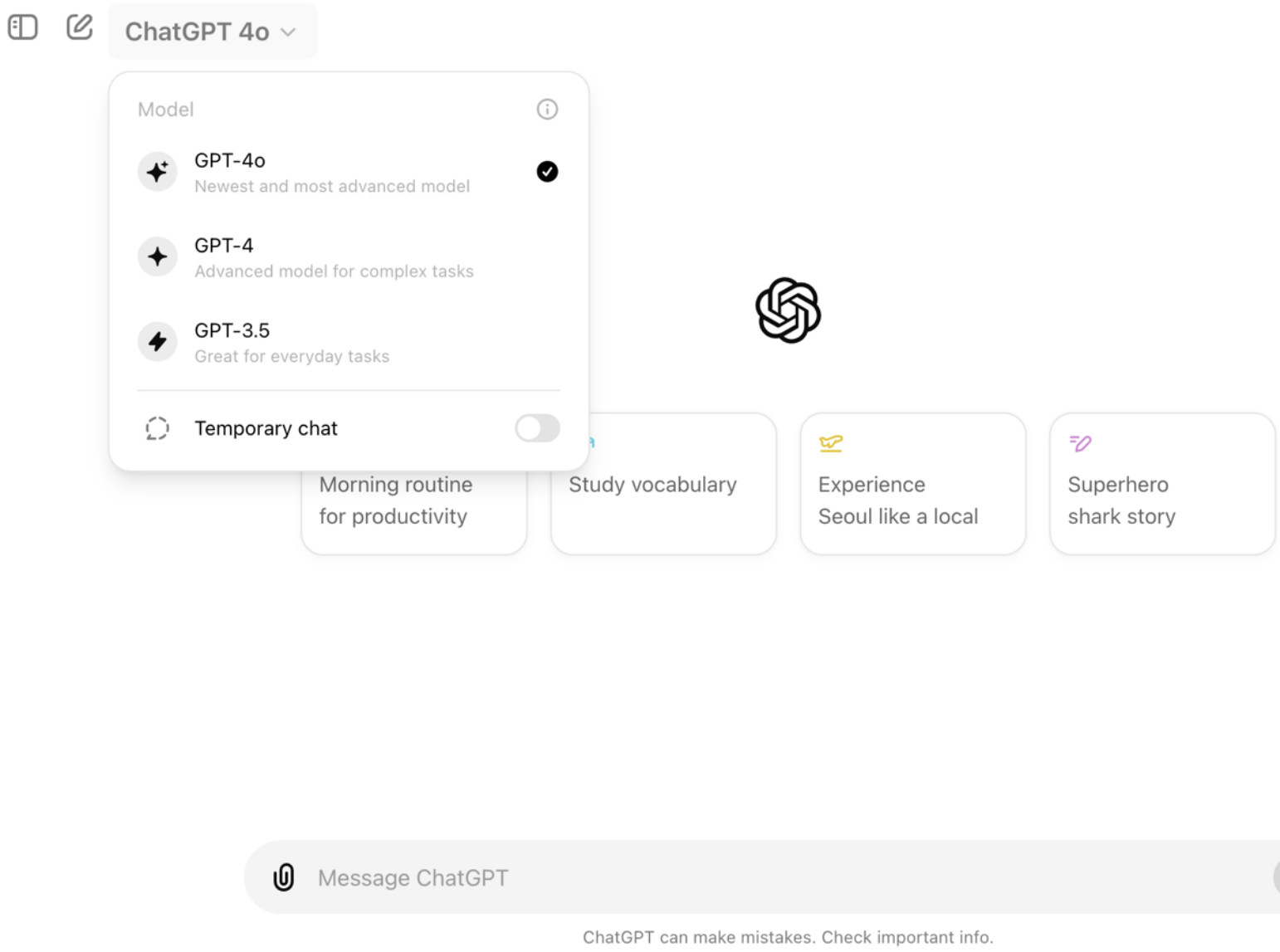
Generative AI

- **Generative AI: The Art of Creation**
- **Definition: AI systems capable of creating new content**
- **Characteristics: Creativity, interactivity**

Popular Generative AI

- OpenAI ChatGPT (GPT-4o, GPT-4)
- Claude.ai (Claude 3.5)
- Google Gemini
- Chat.LMSys.org
- Perplexity.ai
- ChatPDF
- Stable Diffusion
- Video: D-ID, Synthesia
- Audio: Speechify

OpenAI ChatGPT (GPT-4o, GPT-4)



https://chat.openai.com/

OpenAI ChatGPT (GPT-4) DALL·E 3

Vector graphic of a flowchart depicting the integration of generative AI in the education process, from content creation to virtual experiments, personalized learning, and innovative learning.

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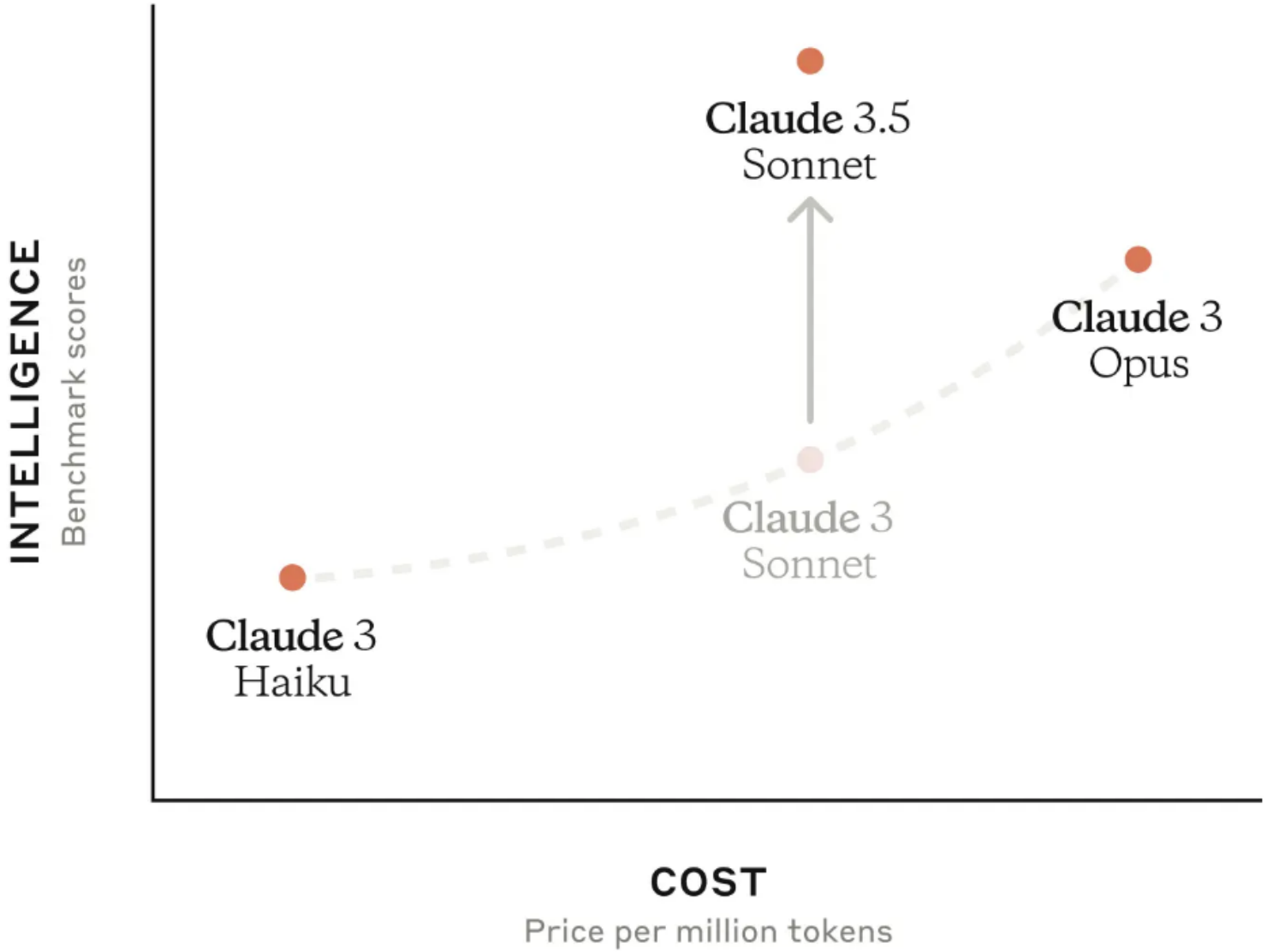
Claude 3.5 Sonnet



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Claude 3.5, GPT-4o, Gemini 1.5 Pro

	Claude 3.5 Sonnet	Claude 3 Opus	GPT-4o	Gemini 1.5 Pro	Llama-400b (early snapshot)
Graduate level reasoning *GPQA, Diamond*	59.4%* 0-shot CoT	50.4% 0-shot CoT	53.6% 0-shot CoT	—	—
Undergraduate level knowledge *MMLU*	88.7%** 5-shot 88.3% 0-shot CoT	86.8% 5-shot 85.7% 0-shot CoT	— 88.7% 0-shot CoT	85.9% 5-shot —	86.1% 5-shot —
Code *HumanEval*	92.0% 0-shot	84.9% 0-shot	90.2% 0-shot	84.1% 0-shot	84.1% 0-shot
Multilingual math *MGSM*	91.6% 0-shot CoT	90.7% 0-shot CoT	90.5% 0-shot CoT	87.5% 8-shot	—
Reasoning over text *DROP, F1 score*	87.1 3-shot	83.1 3-shot	83.4 3-shot	74.9 Variable shots	83.5 3-shot Pre-trained model
Mixed evaluations *BIG-Bench-Hard*	93.1% 3-shot CoT	86.8% 3-shot CoT	—	89.2% 3-shot CoT	85.3% 3-shot CoT Pre-trained model
Math problem-solving *MATH*	71.1% 0-shot CoT	60.1% 0-shot CoT	76.6% 0-shot CoT	67.7% 4-shot	57.8% 4-shot CoT
Grade school math *GSM8K*	96.4% 0-shot CoT	95.0% 0-shot CoT	—	90.8% 11-shot	94.1% 8-shot CoT

* Claude 3.5 Sonnet scores 67.2% on 5-shot CoT GPQA with maj@32
** Claude 3.5 Sonnet scores 90.4% on MMLU with 5-shot CoT prompting

Source: https://www.anthropic.com/news/claude-3-5-sonnet

Claude 3.5 Sonnet State-of-the-art vision

	Claude 3.5 Sonnet	Claude 3 Opus	GPT-4o	Gemini 1.5 Pro
Visual math reasoning *MathVista (testmini)*	**67.7%** 0-shot CoT	**50.5%** 0-shot CoT	**63.8%** 0-shot CoT	**63.9%** 0-shot CoT
Science diagrams *AI2D, test*	**94.7%** 0-shot	**88.1%** 0-shot	**94.2%** 0-shot	**94.4%** 0-shot
Visual question answering *MMMU (val)*	**68.3%** 0-shot CoT	**59.4%** 0-shot CoT	**69.1%** 0-shot CoT	**62.2%** 0-shot CoT
Chart Q&A *Relaxed accuracy (test)*	**90.8%** 0-shot CoT	**80.8%** 0-shot CoT	**85.7%** 0-shot CoT	**87.2%** 0-shot CoT
Document visual Q&A *ANLS score, test*	**95.2%** 0-shot	**89.3%** 0-shot	**92.8%** 0-shot	**93.1%** 0-shot

Source: https://www.anthropic.com/news/claude-3-5-sonnet

LMSYS Chatbot Arena Leaderboard

GPT-4o

Claude 3.5

Rank* (UB)	Model	Arena Score	95% CI	Votes	Organization	License	Knowledge Cutoff
1	ChatGPT-4o-latest (2024-08-08)	1316	+4/-4	24358	OpenAI	Proprietary	2023/10
2	Gemini-1.5-Pro-Exp-0827	1301	+5/-5	19976	Google	Proprietary	2023/11
2	Gemini-1.5-Pro-Exp-0801	1298	+4/-3	25471	Google	Proprietary	2023/11
2	Grok-2-08-13	1295	+4/-6	10170	xAI	Proprietary	2024/3
5	GPT-4o-2024-05-13	1286	+3/-3	83181	OpenAI	Proprietary	2023/10
6	GPT-4o-mini-2024-07-18	1274	+4/-4	23318	OpenAI	Proprietary	2023/10
6	Gemini-1.5-Flash-Exp-0827	1270	+7/-6	6610	Google	Proprietary	2023/11
6	Claude 3.5 Sonnet	1270	+3/-3	53610	Anthropic	Proprietary	2024/4
6	Gemini Advanced App (2024-05-14)	1266	+3/-3	52225	Google	Proprietary	Online
6	Grok-2-Mini-08-13	1266	+6/-6	10939	xAI	Proprietary	2024/3
7	Meta-Llama-3.1-405b-Instruct	1266	+3/-4	24855	Meta	Llama 3.1 Community	2023/12
7	GPT-4o-2024-08-06	1262	+7/-5	14960	OpenAI	Proprietary	2023/10
10	Gemini-1.5-Pro-001	1259	+3/-3	74909	Google	Proprietary	2023/11

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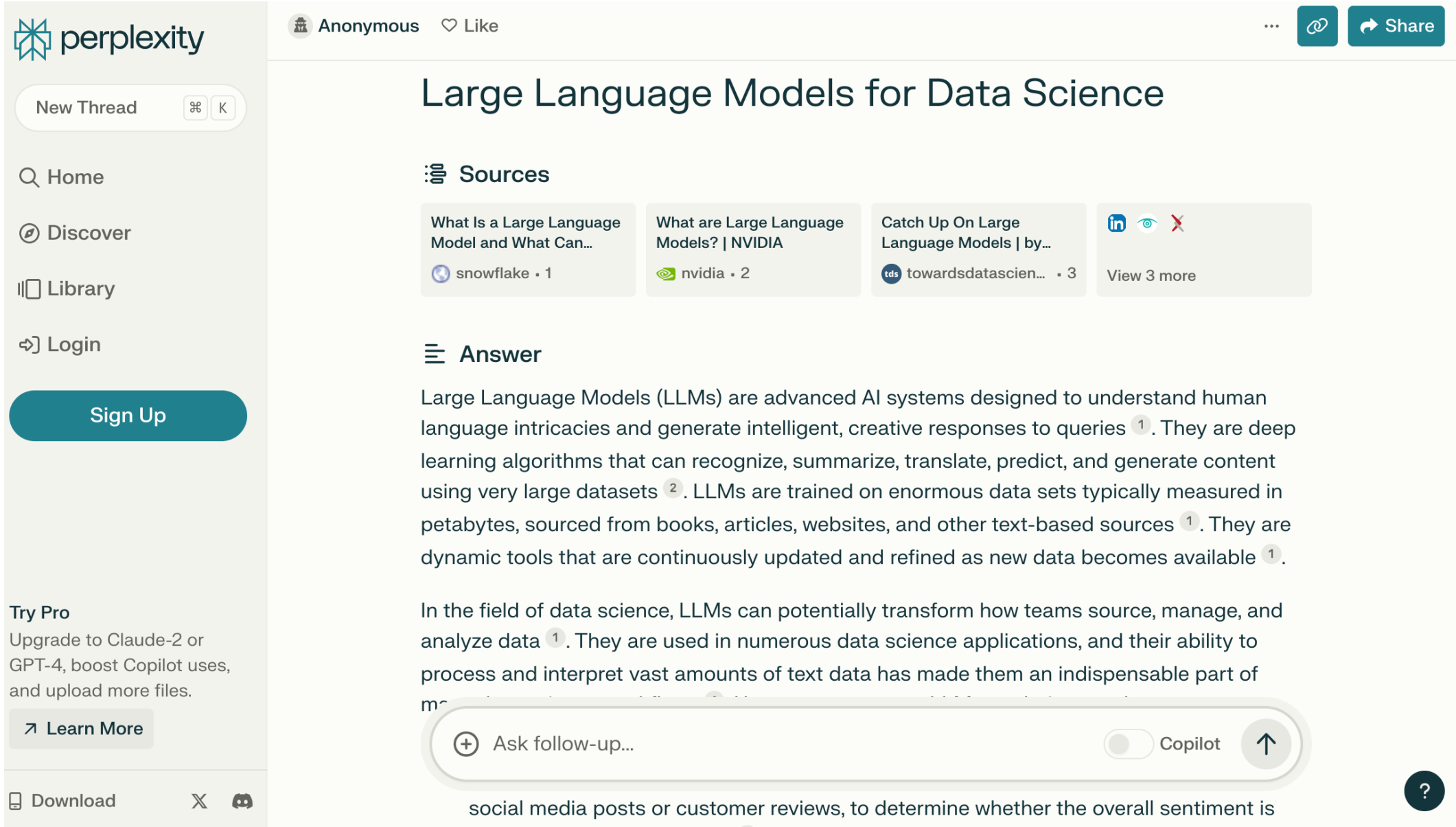

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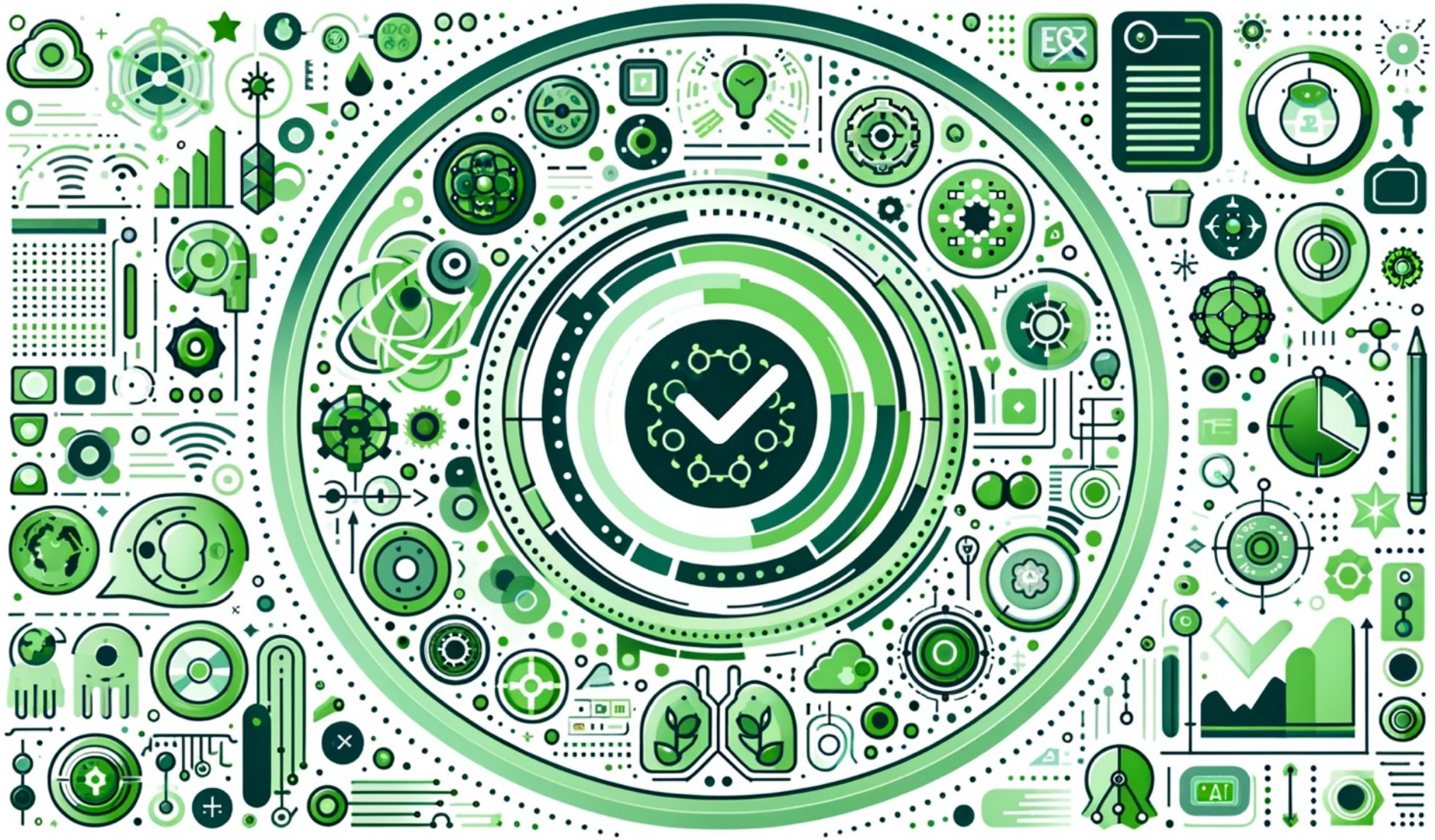
Generative AI and LLMs for Sustainability and ESG Data Analytics

Sustainability and ESG Data Analytics

Generative AI for ESG Rating and Reporting Generation



Python in Google Colab (Python101)

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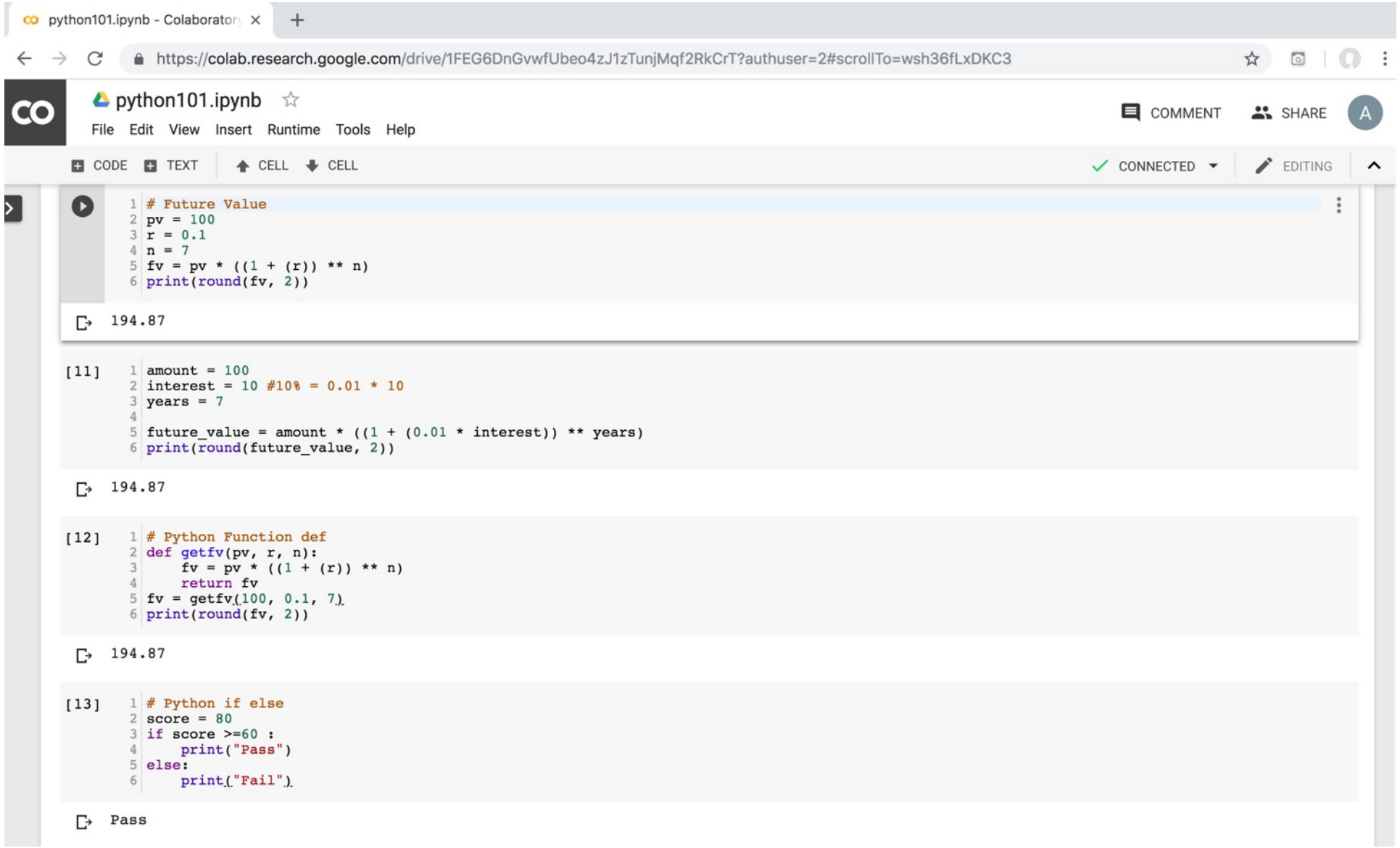

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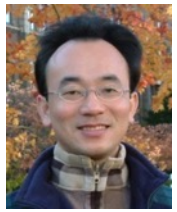

- **Artificial Intelligence**
  - Spring 2021, Fall 2022, Fall 2024
- **Sustainability and ESG Data Analytics**
  - Spring 2024, Fall 2024
- **Big Data Analytics**
  - Fall 2020, Spring 2023, Spring 2024
- **Software Engineering**
  - Fall 2020, Fall, 2021, Spring 2022, Spring 2023, Spring 2024
- **Artificial Intelligence in Finance and Quantitative**
  - Fall 2021, Fall 2022, Fall 2023
- **Artificial Intelligence for Text Analytics**
  - Spring 2022, Fall 2023
- **Python for Accounting Applications**
  - Fall 2023, Fall 2024
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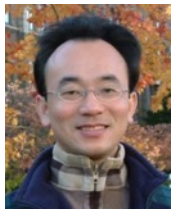
Research Projects



1. **Fintech Green Finance for Carbon Market Index, Corporate Finance, and Environmental Policies.**
   Carbon Emission Sentiment Index with AI Text Analytics
   - NTPU, 113-NTPU_ORDA-F-003, 2023/01/01~2024/12/31
2. **Digital Support, Unimpeded Communication: The Development, Support and Promotion of AI-assisted Communication Assistive Devices for Speech Impairment (2/3).**
   Multimodal Cross-lingual Task-Oriented Dialogue System for Inclusive Communication Support
   - NSTC 113-2425-H-305-002-, 3 Years (2023/05/01-2026/04/30) Year 1: 2024/05/01~2025/04/30
3. **Research on speech processing, synthesis, recognition, and sentence construction of people with language disabilities.** Multimodal Cross-lingual Task-Oriented Dialogue System
   - NTPU, 113-NTPU_ORDA-F-004, 2023/01/01~2025/12/31
4. Metaverse AI Multimodal Cross-Language Task-Oriented Dialogue System
   - ATEC Group, Fintech and Green Finance Center (FGFC, NTPU), NTPU-112A413E01, 3 Years (2023/05/01~2026/04/30)
5. Generative AI-Driven ESG Report Generation Technology
   - Industrial Technology Research Institute (ITRI), Fintech and Green Finance Center (FGFC, NTPU), NTPU-113A513E01, 2024/03/01~2024/12/31
6. **Establishment and Implement of Smart Assistive Technology for Dementia Care and Its Socio-Economic Impacts (3/3).** Intelligent, individualized and precise care with smart AT and system integration
   - NSTC, 113-2627-M-038-001-, 2024/08/01~2025/07/31
7. Prospective longitudinal study on peri-implant bone loss associated with peri-implantitis
   - USTP (NTPU, TMU), USTP-NTPU-TMU-113-03, 2024/01/01~2024/12/31

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Summary

- This course introduces the fundamental concepts and hands-on practices of Python for Accounting Applications.
- Topics include
  1. Introduction to Python for Accounting Applications,
  2. Python Programming and Data Science,
  3. Foundations of Python Programming,
  4. Data Structures,
  5. Control Logic and Loops,
  6. Functions and Modules,
  7. Files and Exception Handling,
  8. Data Analytics and Visualization with Python,
  9. Obtaining Data From the Web with Python,
  10. Statistical Analysis with Python,
  11. Machine Learning with Python,
  12. Text Analytics with Generative AI and Python,
  13. Applications of Accounting Data Analytics with Python, and
  14. Applications of ESG Data Analytics with Python.

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