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Workshop with Ellen and Charles, two scientists from Makerere University Kampala, Uganda, together

with Clein and Rolf from HSRW



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- Download and install of QGIS
- Download and install anaconda
- · conda environment creation
- installation of libraries according to https://github.com/rolfbecker/EE_3.07_Geodata_WS2022/tree/main/gdms0020_Course_Preparation
- Correction of packages: jupyterlab pandas geopandas shapely fiona pyproj rasterio sqlalchemy psycopg2 ipython-sql bs4
- https://cs231n.github.io/python-numpy-tutorial/ up to numpy

Extra material:

pandas tutorial (comprehensive):
https://github.com/ageron/handson-ml3/blob/main/tools_pandas.ipynb

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- * Finished the numpy tutorial from cs231. Skipped the image processing for now
- * Followed partially the hands-on-ml3 tutorial (tools pandas.ipynb). Material covered:
- * import pandas and alias
- * Series: create from list, give index, give name, create from dictionary. slicing, alignment, plotting
- * Handle time with pd.date range()
- * Creating a Dataframe: by dictionary.
- * selecting columns, accessing values, filtering, transposing. skipped multi-indexing, stacking and unstacking,
- * datafream read: read csv and read excel. And dat frame write

Homework: explore the real data:

 $https://firebasestorage.googleapis.com/v0/b/fao-aquastat.appspot.com/o/Excel%2FAfrica-dams_eng.xls?alt=media\&token=b621f090-60cf-46f1-8472-9003ce314066$

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first notebook gnb0101 DWD

To correct:

- 1. 1) Explain what the grabfile function is doing with doc string
- 2. 2) Show them what the problem of the file is by uploading in QGIS
- 3. 3) Let them import the file by themselves, So they see the problem again
- 4. 4) Notice that station ID is being read as integer. So correct that by a dtype dictionary
- 5. 5) Update the administrative boundaries links
- geopandas notebook gnb0131_Geopandas_

To correct:

- 1. Give the LL and UR coordinates and let the. figure out the rest
- 2. Show an example of usage for Point and for Line in shapely. Ask then for creating the polygon
- 3. geopandas as a tool to have data frames with georeferenced data. So let them use the example and modify the data as they need it
- 4. Show how to find the correct item in the documentation
- 5. Let them practice by repeating the steps with a different bounding box or with a different shape
- gnb0135_beutifulsoup_DTM scrapper

To correct:

- 1. For didactic reasons, makes more sense to have the imports together with the section that they are being used into
- 2. Ask the students to copy one file name as example.
- 3. run the helper function there to see the output
- 4. let them do again a polygon with that output
- 5. Now look at the full picture and let them do the lists by themselves
- 6. create the gdf and give them the previous notebook as parallel.
- 7. Instructions on how to change the visibility and display the labels on QGIS. Maybe add a clipping operation or an intersection.

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- 1. Selenium as alternative for webscrapping
- 2. Letting the driver install by itself when needed
- 3. Database fundamentals with Anup
- 4. Exercise on creating own database in postgresql and pgadmin4
- 5. Exercise on creating own tables
- 6. Exercise on creating primary key and foreign key
- 7. Exercise on populating database

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Material for HSRW divided in possible lecture days:

- 1. Introduction to Geodata. Spatio-temporal data. First approach to python (getting familiar with Notebooks and downloading the material). Installing all the dependencies. (could be replaced by JupyterHub)
- 2. DWD NRW: Using python to download data. Using the ftp server. Using os.makedirs. Data

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- wrangling ("working with data in other languages"). Saving csv data. Importing csv data into QGIS. Import vector data (the admin. Boundaries). Mapping
- 3. Get started in QGIS. Baruch college tutorial. Getting started
- 4. CRS Theory, but also a practical. Using 4 different files as example for the CRS practical. Divide the data by regions or so. (maybe its more helpful if they are geographically close instead of overlaying)
- 5. Geopandas 0130: Creating a polygon layer. Scrapping data with Beatiful soup. To create the generalized polygon vector (DTMs)

WMS, WFS and WCS

- 1. Introduction to DTM (Remote Sensing) Airborne laser scanner. Gdal translate from XYZ to TIF. Import layer in QGIS Hillshade model Merging layers
- 2. Warming stripes (merging and average calculation) (python)
- 3. Altitude Vs Temperature (python)
- 4. Georeferencing (digitizing)
- 5. Database management systems (installing Postgresql). Database Setup. Create users and databases. Create example relations. Create tables. Relational Algebra
- 6. Database normalization. Examples and 1NF, 2NF and 3NF
- 7. Groundwater Lanuv: Reading the data from Lanuv. Problem with data obfuscation. PostGIS: using geopandas. Time series. SQL
- 8. Time Series management (generating videos and co.)
- 9. Satellite imagery (NDVI and so on)

Material from Makerere University: Course GIS and Remote Sensing in Natural Resource Management

- Lecture 1 introduction to RS
- 2. Lecture 2 RS
- 3. Lecture 3 Remote Sensing
- 4. Lecture 4 Photogrametry → Drones
- 5. Lecture 5 Introduction to GIS → Data acquisition, input...
- 6. Lecture 6 If time allows DBMS. Joins primary key, foreign key.... Spatial Reference Systems (CRS)

Practicals:

- 1. Practical GIS Divided in 3 sessions. Input data, Working with CRS,
- 2. Querying by attribute and by location (Geospatial). Data Visualizations and treating different data types. Creating layers. Summarizing data from Att Table. Creating maps.
- 3. GPS own data creation. Digitize of maps

Practical Remote Sensing: Download satellite imagery Creating composite images (Indices) Python → As classification toolchain? Image classification Accuracy assessment (how to use cancilliary data) Change detection

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