Python for Data Scientists on **ACES**

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High Performance Research Computing





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Overview of Python for Data Science



Arrays

Numpy Arrays support common operations, such as arithmetic, on an element-by-element (or "vectorized") basis.

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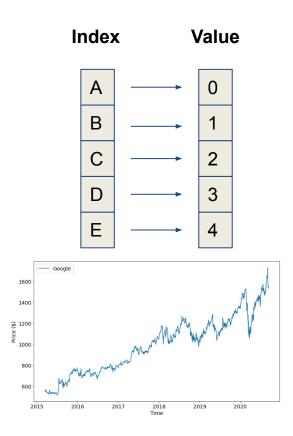
$$array C = array A + array B$$

This adds the elements of A and B pair-wise (Instead of concatenating the elements as would happen with lists).

Pandas Series and DataFrames further expand on this.

Series

- One-dimensional labeled array
- Capable of holding any data type (integers, strings, floating point numbers, etc.)
- Example: time-series stock price data





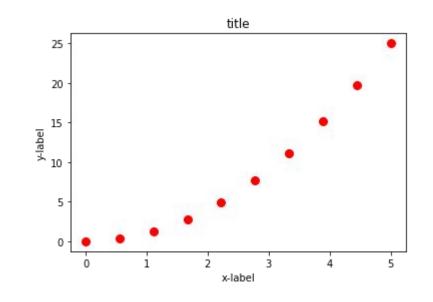
Anatomy of a Plot

Marker

- style
- size
- color

Figure

- title
- xlabel
- ylabel



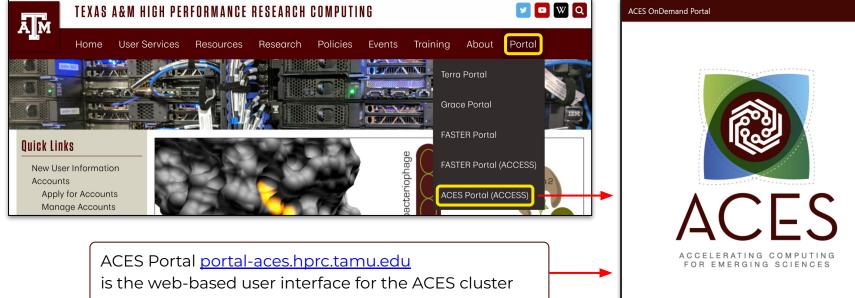
Learning Resources

- Slides on the course web page https://hprc.tamu.edu/training/aces_python4data.html
- HPRC's Knowledge Base <u>https://hprc.tamu.edu/kb/Software/Python/</u>
- HPRC on YouTube
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- ACCESS Links
 https://support.access-ci.org/ci-links

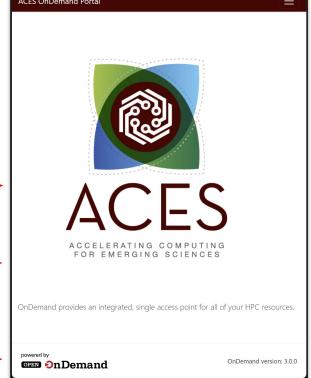
Getting Started



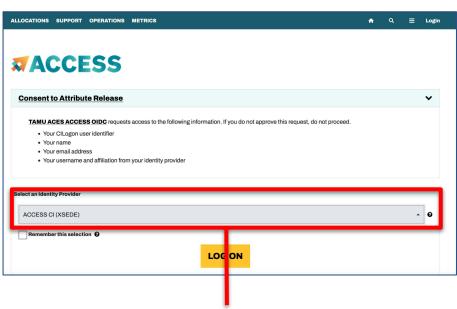
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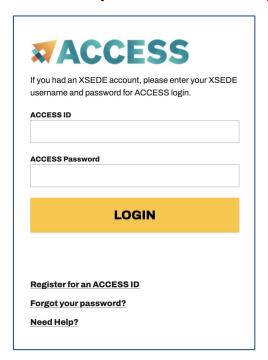
Open OnDemand (OOD) is an advanced web-based graphical interface framework for HPC users



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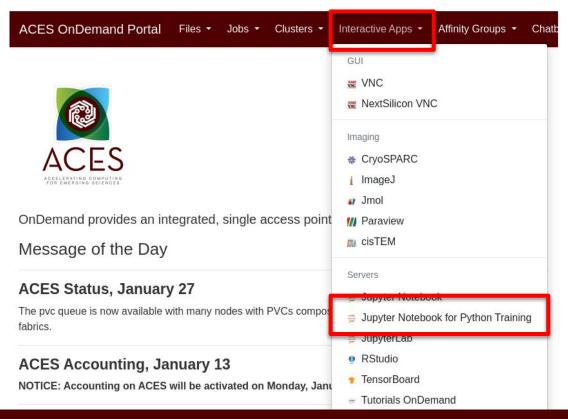
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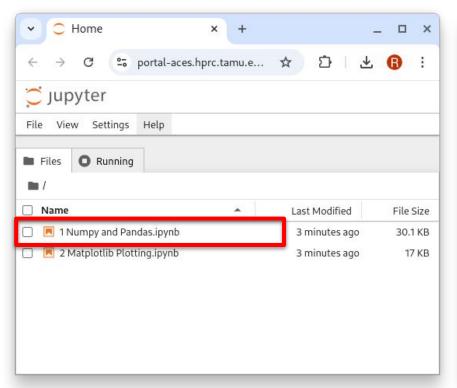


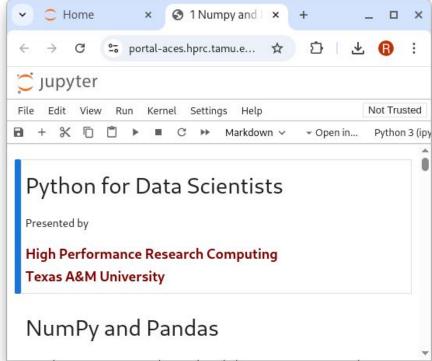
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