

Digital Analytics #7

Becoming a Data Scientist



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Let's start with a...



2012...







Public Sector





2013...



20+ online courses from



Now what...?



Choices everywhere...

Safety





Adventure



Another...



2010...





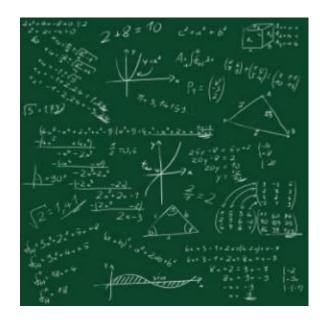
2010 - 2013...

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What others see



What I see



Back to 2013...



Now Hattrick...



2013-2014...Building a portfolio

kaggle or



Subject Expertise

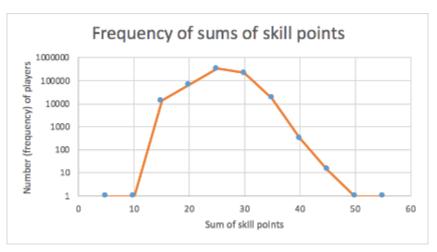
Blog posts...

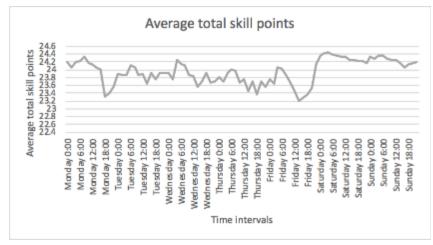
30+ blog posts about

- Statistical analysis of matches
- Interviews of successful users
- Scrap and analyse data
- Researches and reports

Data Analysis project

We analysed **645,129 youth players** to identify trends, distributions and frequencies of talented players





Machine Learning

Predict National Team elections with users clustering

12 candidates in Greece

Predictions	Results
1st 181 votes	1st 187 votes
2nd 128 votes	2nd 158 votes

Visualisations

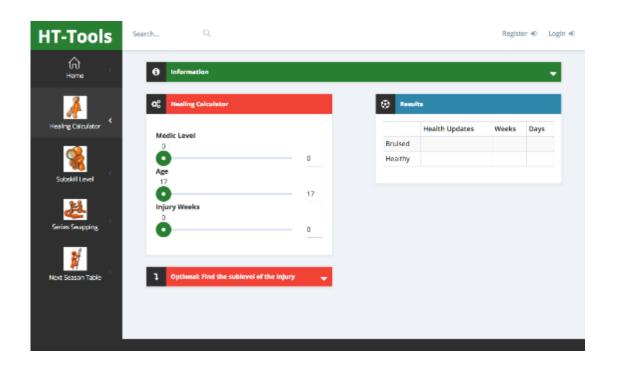




Developing

20+ assistant manager tools based on personal researches and formulas

- 24 languages
- 20 contributors
- 1000 visitors/day



When I was ready...



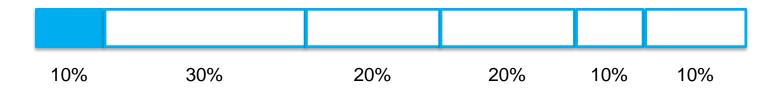
Proposal for a job

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A typical week

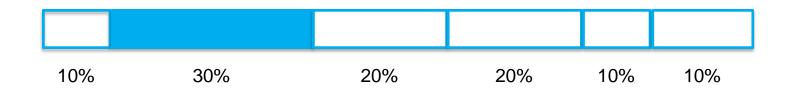
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Machine Learning



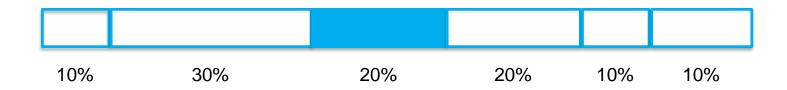
- Shop offers
- Fraud detection
- Automated Decisions

Analytics - SQL



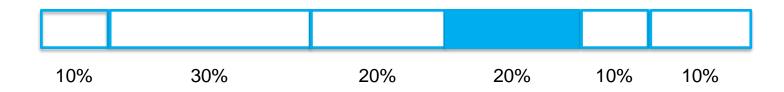
- Google Analytics
- Users retentions
- Users engagement
- Income funnels
- Users classification (RFM analysis)
- Any kind of fetching data from the DB :P

Developing



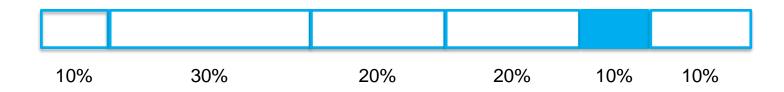
- Fix bugs
- Implement new (small) features

Game Design



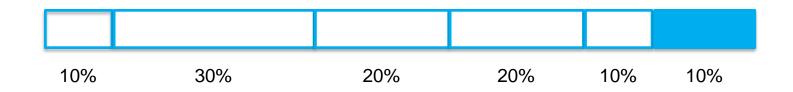
- Monitor in-game economy
- Simulations
- Math Formulas

Community Management



- Blog posts
- Forum answers
- Email answers
- Assist volunteers with statistics

Further Studies



- Edx
- Coursera
- StackExchange
- Slack

Working remotely in a small-medium company

Advantages (or maybe disadvantages?)

- Easier to get a job in a small company
- Tracking hours or free working schedule (work when you feel productive)
- Online meetings... A lot of meetings!!!
- Will feel left out
- Expect travelling frequently (researches -> increased anxiety)
- Distractions (Advice: don't work at home!)
- Timezone challenges
- Local taxes :(

Thanks!

Any questions?

