Productionizing ML Pipelines with Airflow, Kedro, & Great Expectations
Introductions

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Making an ML model is fun! But automating it so results can be used in production adds another layer (or multiple layers) of complication.
Orchestrating ML jobs

Automating the orchestration of your ML models allows you to rely on their results in production systems.
Building data validation checks into your ML pipelines can help prevent aberrant data from causing issues in production.
Why Open Source?

Using open source software brings the benefit of tools developed by broad, active communities at no cost.

Users have a say in the direction of the project, and in most cases can contribute back themselves.
“Open source development workflow tool that helps structure reproducible, scaleable, deployable, robust and versioned data pipelines.”

- https://kedro.readthedocs.io/en/0.15.3/01_introduction/01_introduction.html
- https://github.com/quantumblacklabs/kedro
Great Expectations

Open source Python framework for data validations

- Define expectations, automated data validations and profiling
- [https://greatexpectations.io/](https://greatexpectations.io/)
- Airflow provider!
  - [https://registry.astronomer.io/providers/great-expectations](https://registry.astronomer.io/providers/great-expectations)
Airflow - to tie it all together!

The best way to orchestrate your data pipelines!

- Pipelines as Code
- Extensible
- Scalable
Demo