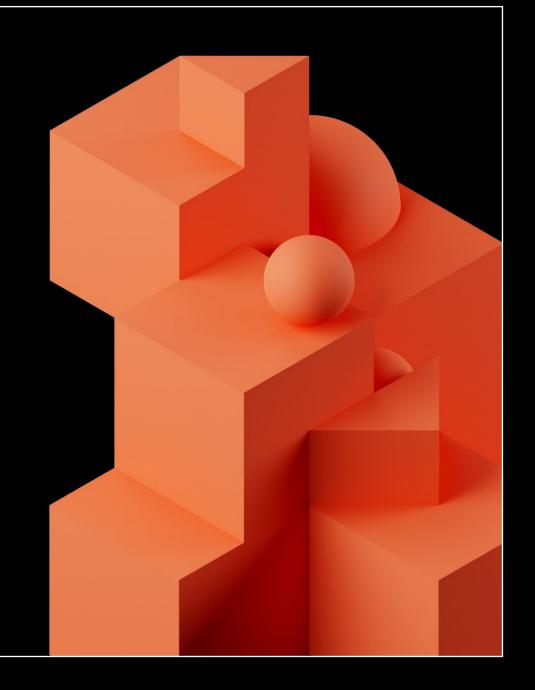


Develop Like A Pro In Databricks Notebooks

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Why is becoming data-driven such a challenge for companies?

There are major hurdles in the way...



Data is spread out across many sources

Making data easily available is complex

- Can have many data types: tabular data, text blobs, images, streaming logs, etc.
- Can be stored across clouds
- Each source has different semantics, access controls, and governance patterns



Disparate tools limit efficiency, reproducibility, and scale

Data is just the starting point; getting value out is its own challenge

- Users can be siloed, have different skill sets, and use different tools
- Results aren't reproducible and don't reach the right audience
- Getting to production takes forever



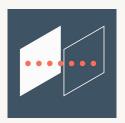
But-hurdles are meant to be jumped!



The Databricks Lakehouse unifies all data in one place, regardless of type or source

Companies can leave data where it is and still...

- Make existing data lakes and warehouses accessible, governable, and secure
- Leverage an open ecosystem
- Unify all use cases (DS, ML, BI, etc.) on top



The Databricks Lakehouse developer experience accelerates the journey to insights

Users get a powerful developer platform in which to derive insights and deliver value

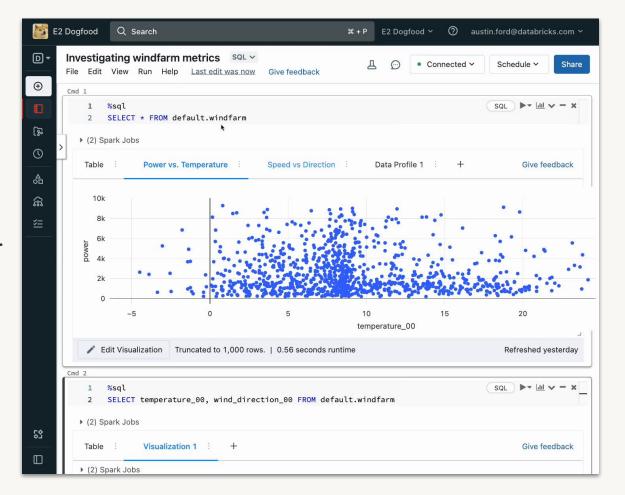
- A collaborative Notebook that enables efficient data analysis, insights sharing, and faster paths to production
- Support for all popular developer tools



Developing in the Lakehouse

Bringing the Lakehouse platform to users' fingertips

- But—what is it and how do I use it?
- The developer experience is made up of all the authoring surfaces and tools:
 - The Workspace, the Notebook, the SQL
 Editor, Repos, the CLI and external APIs.
- They are the face of Databricks and the front door to the Lakehouse



Let's talk about the Notebook

Our vision for the Notebook

The best authoring experience for the lakehouse

Lakehouse-aware through LakehouselQ

Bringing your favorite IDE features to the notebook Modern, intuitive UX







The Databricks Notebook

The front door of the Lakehouse

Multi-language

Use Python, SQL, Scala, and R, all in one Notebook

Collaborative

Real-time co-presence, co-editing, and commenting

Jupyter-compatible

Use the power of the Jupyter ecosystem in the Notebook

Ideal for exploration

Explore, visualize, and summarize data with built-in charts and data profiles



Adaptable

Install standard libraries and use local modules

Reproducible

Automatically track version history, and use git version control with Repos

Get to production faster

Quickly schedule notebooks as jobs or create dashboards from their results, all in the Notebook

Enterprise-ready

Enterprise-grade access controls, identity management, and auditability





Databricks Assistant

Powered by LakehouselQ



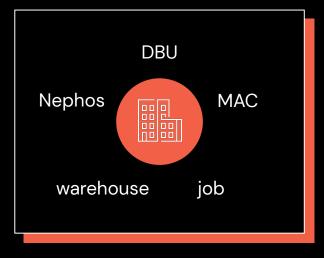


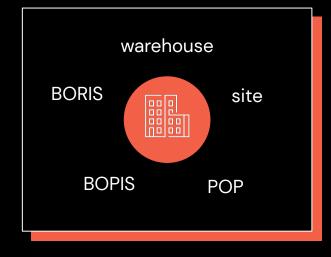
Problem:

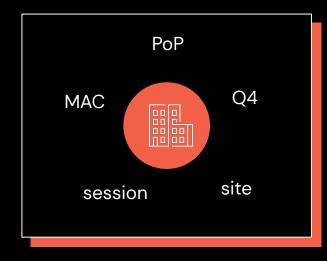
Naively adding an LLM assistant doesn't work

Problem:

every organization has its own jargon, data, and org structure







Software Company

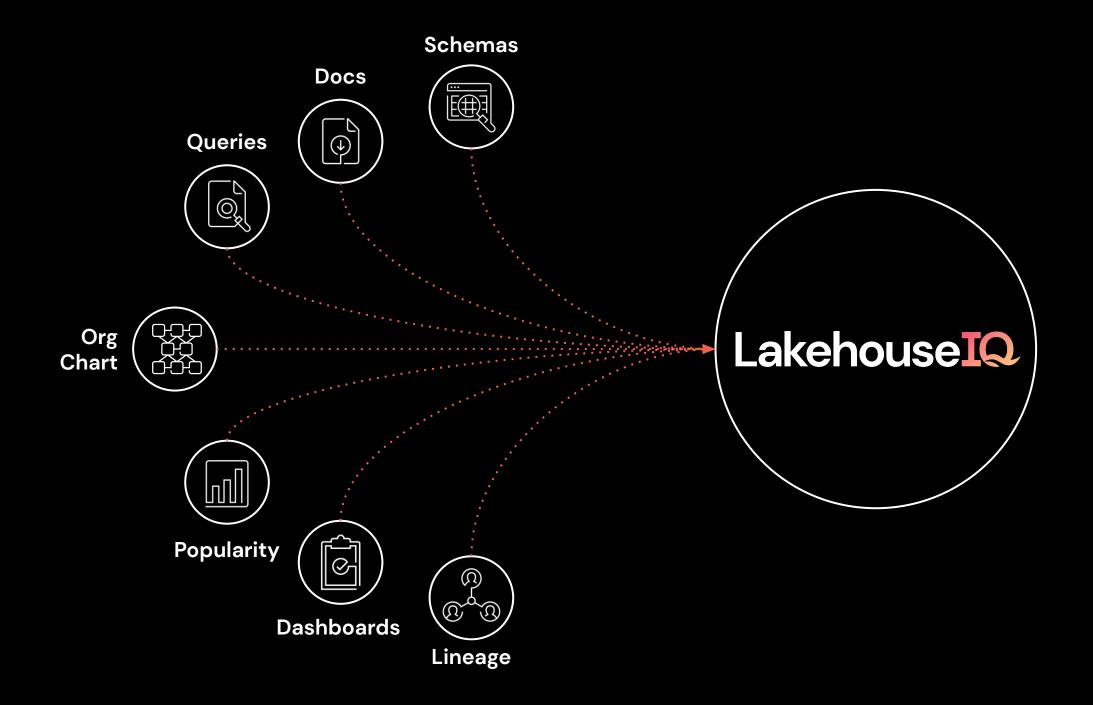
Retailer

Telco

"How many DBUs were there in Europe last quarter?"

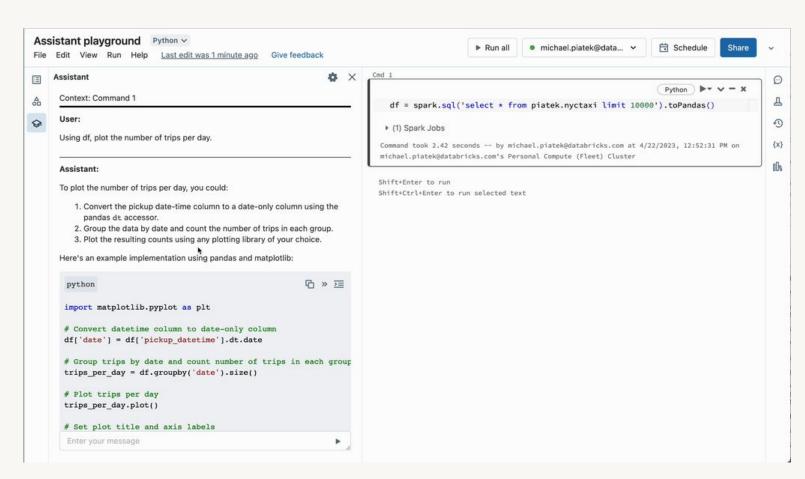
DBU may refer to:

- 1,8-Diazabicyclo[5.4.0]undec-7-ene, an organic chemical, amidine base
- Desh Bhagat University, Mandi Gobindgarh, Punjab, India
- Dallas Baptist University, a Christian liberal arts university in Dallas, Texas
- Dansk Boldspil-Union, the Danish Football Association
- dBu, abbreviation of decibel μ V, a logarithmic measurement of voltage
- DBU, ISO 639-3 code for the Bondum Dogon language
- Duluth Business University, a private university in Duluth, Minnesota



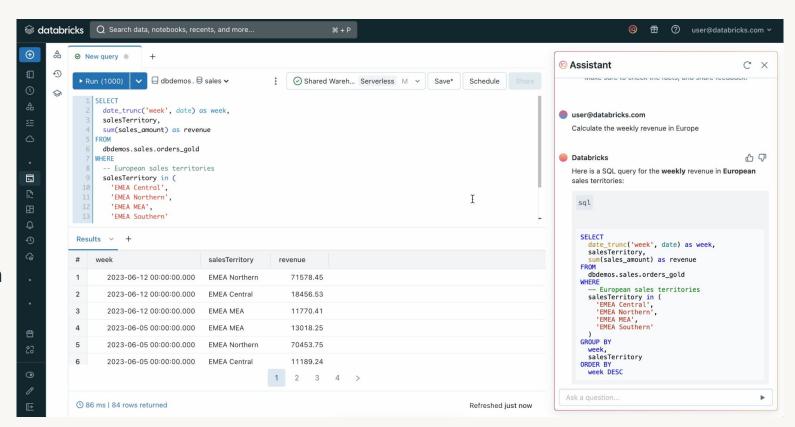
Authoring Assistant

- LLM-powered Authoring Assistant integrated into the notebook, file editor, and SQL editor.
- Uses context to return more accurate responses
 - Code cells
 - Libraries
 - Databricks Runtime version
 - Documentation
 - Table schema
 - Recent and favorite tables
 - Popular tables
 - Popular joins
 - UC Descriptions and Tags
 - Lineage

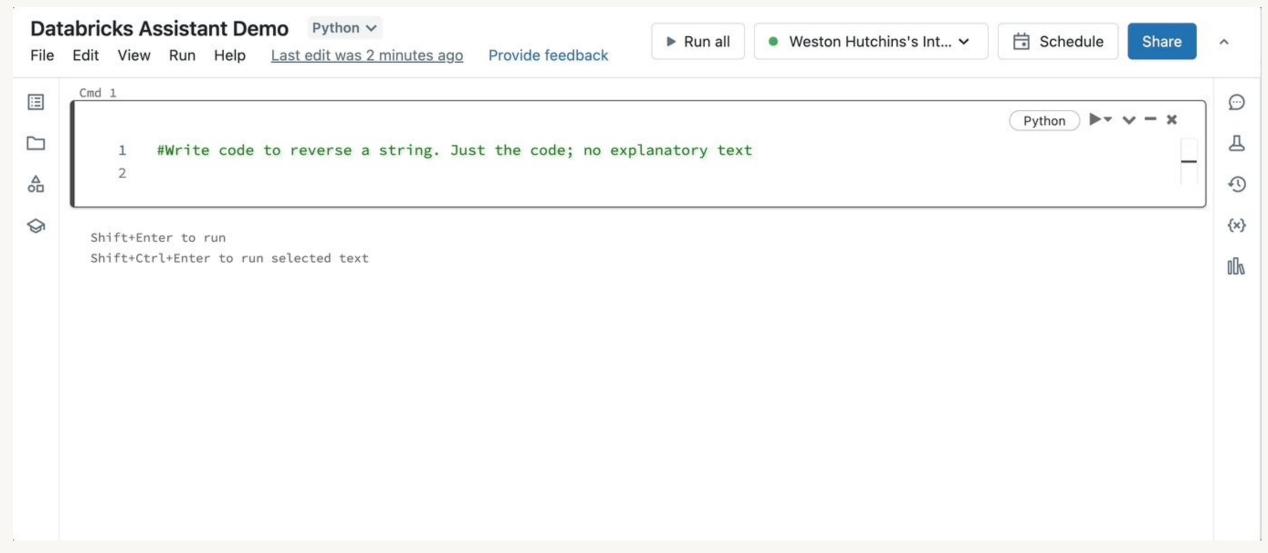


Text-to-SQL

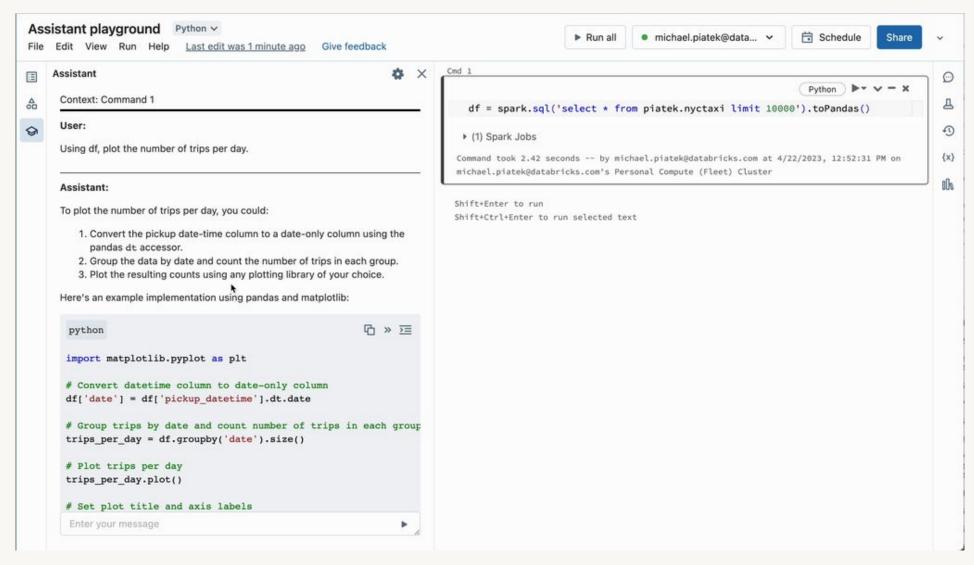
- Personalized for you: Use natural language to create and refine queries using company jargon
- Inline-suggestions: Write a comment and have the Assistant suggest a commonly used query snippet.
- **Find relevant tables:** Enhanced search makes it easy to discover data assets.



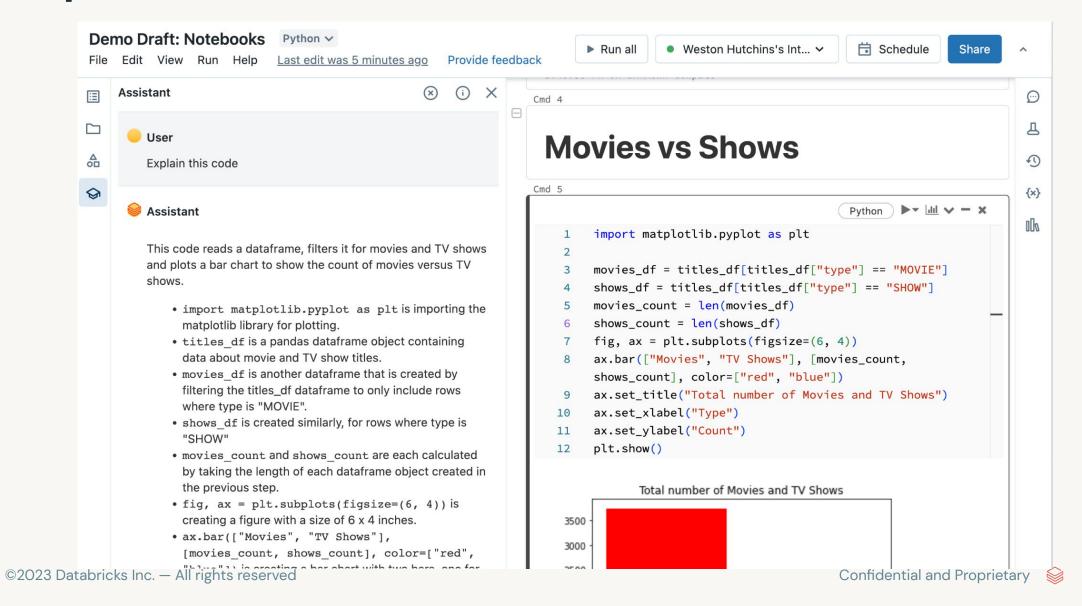
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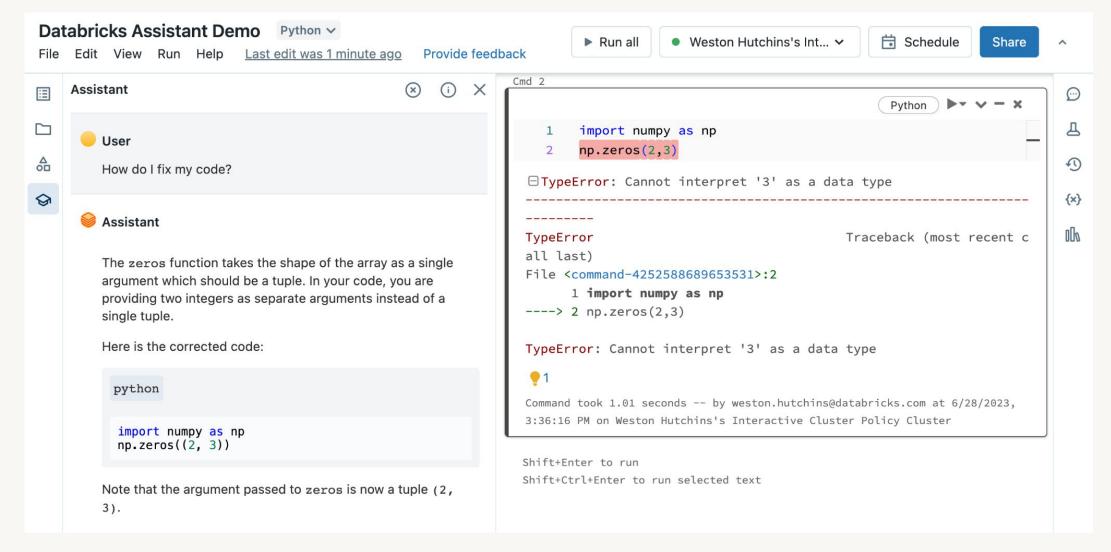
Generate from Text



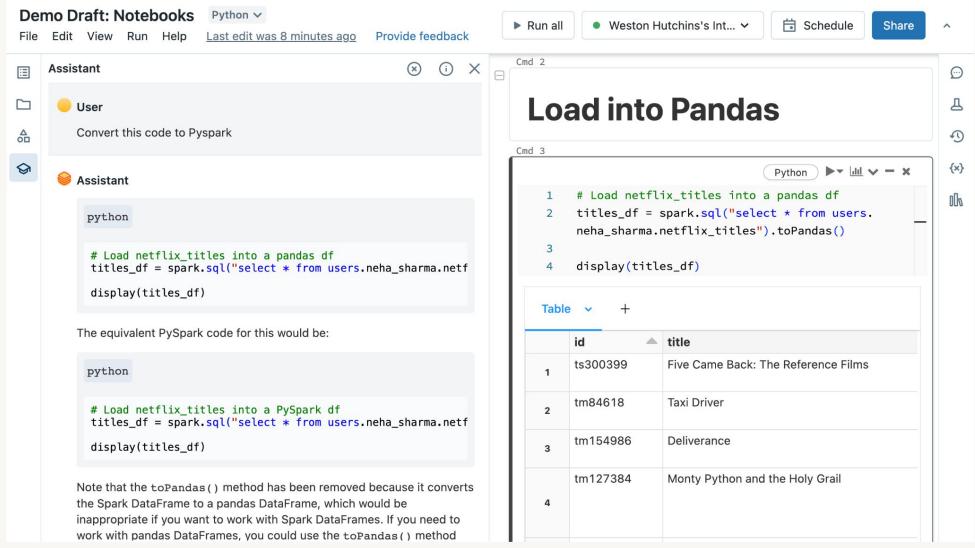
Explain



Fix



Transform/Optimize



Other LakehouselQ-Powered Features

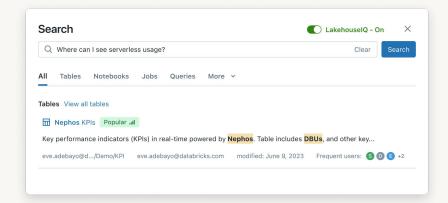
Search

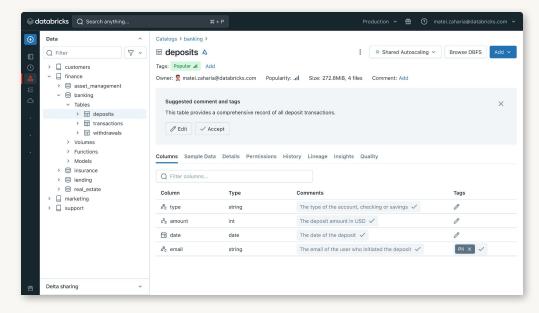
Metadata suggestions

Workflow troubleshooting

Spark NL API

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Bringing your favorite IDE features into the notebook



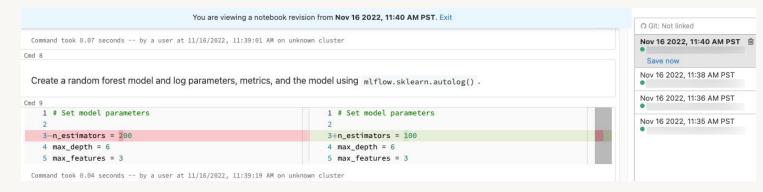


Unified Editor Everywhere

Consistent editing experience across notebooks, files, and SQL

- New Editor: the same editor that powers VS Code.
- Integrated into the Notebook, File Editor, SQL Editor
- What you now get...
 - Auto-complete as-you-type
 - Code folding
 - Multi-cursor and box selection
 - Side-by-side diff
 - Run selected text





Language Features

Language-specific smarts

- We've built a Python Language Server that interacts with our Notebook.
- Adding language features such as go-to-definition, go-to error, syntax highlighting, inline errors, quick fixes, auto-import libraries and more.
- Format your Python code using Black.

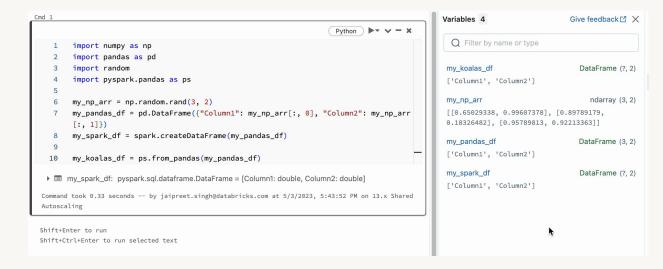
```
Python

1 Use Cmd + Shift + F to format Python code
2 def add(a, b):
3 answer = a + b
4
5 return answer
```

Debugging Features

Make it easy to find and fix bugs

- The new Variable Explorer makes it easy to view variable types and values.
- Inspect a DataFrame in your notebook with a single click.
- Set breakpoints and step-through your code with pdb.



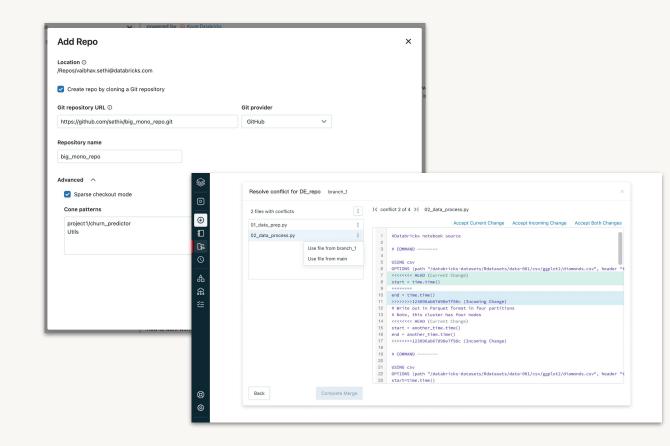
Repos

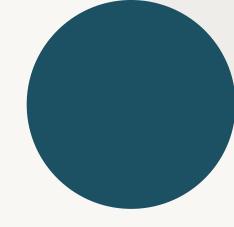
Using git for production

- Sparse checkout for large monorepos
- Reset workflow
- Conflict resolution, rebase/merge
- Remote Git references in the job

Future

- Git for Queries, Dashboards, and Workflows
- OAuth and SSH support
- Private Git server access





Modern, Intuitive UX





UX Challenges What we've heard from you

- Navigation is not unified today
 - Three separate product areas (DS&E, SQL, ML)
 - Different homepages
 - Two user settings and two admin settings pages
- Hard to remember where to find things
- UX interactions are different across the product

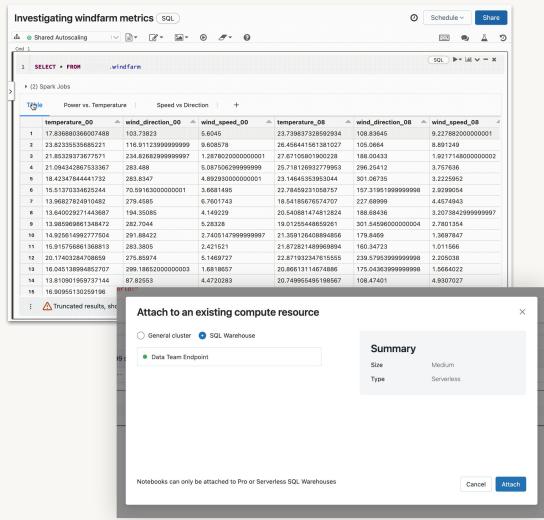
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One, consistent experience across all of Databricks

Notebook W Databricks SQL

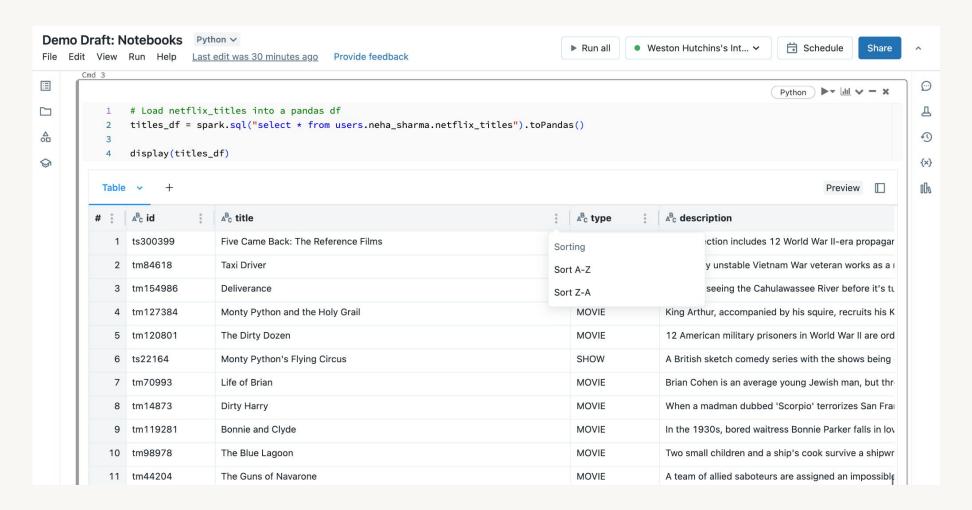
Making the Notebook an awesome SQL tool

- Unified SQL editing across both products
- Unified visualizations across the Notebook and DBSQL
- Bring SQL warehouses into the Notebook
- Schedule notebooks using SQL warehouses

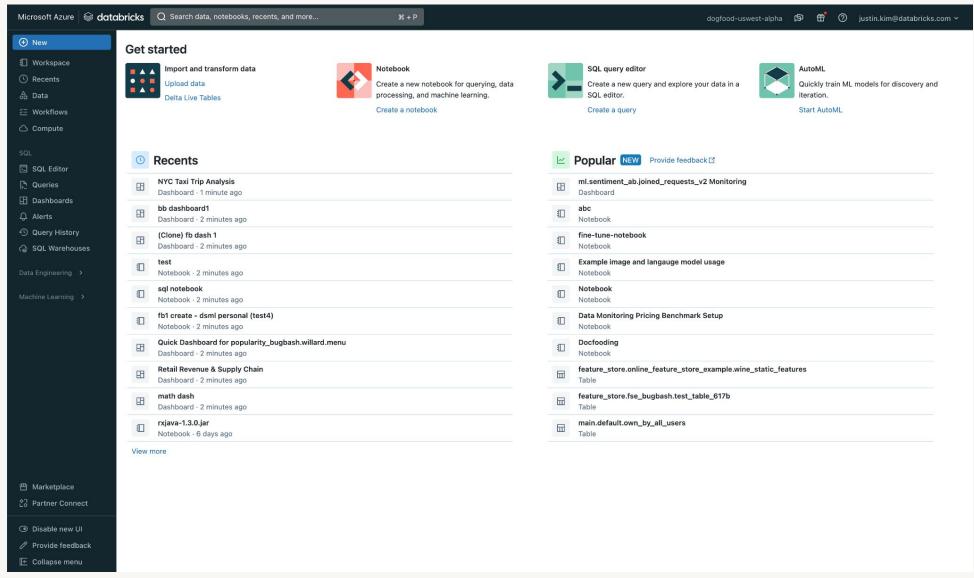


Unified Results Grid

Sort, Filter, and Search with ease



Unified Navigation UI



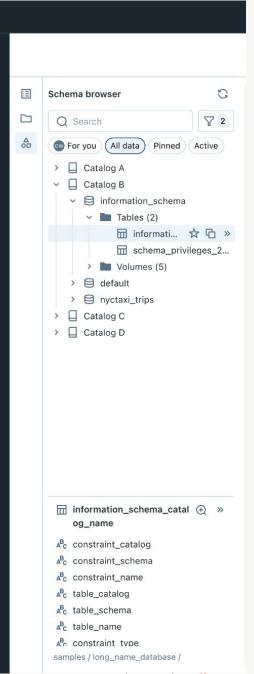
Lakehouse, but everywhere!

Get context without leaving the Notebook

- Schema Browser
 - Filter on active tables
 - Jump-to-table from a notebook cell
- File Browser
- Delta-Live-Tables Output

Exploring ways to surface:

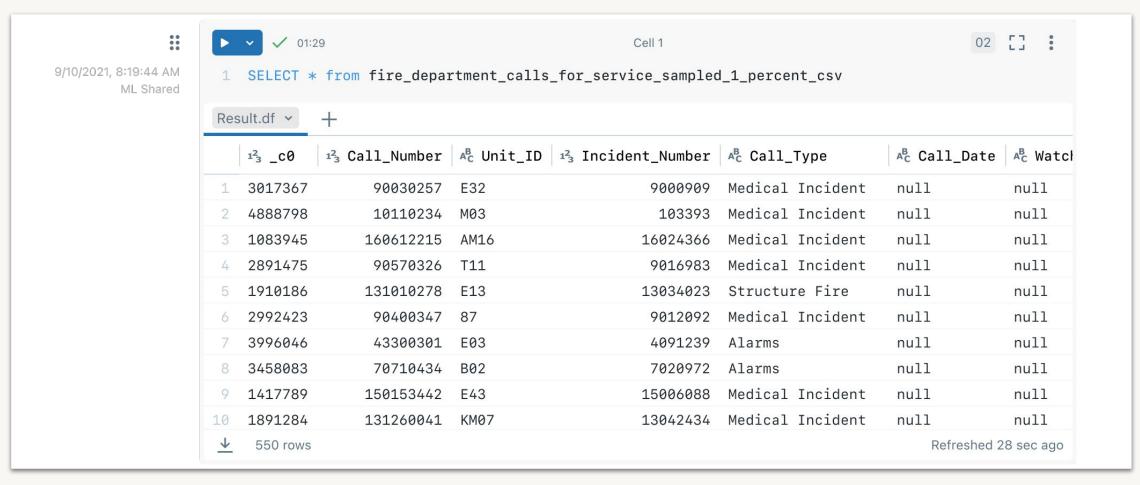
- Data Lineage
- Lakehouse Monitoring
- Expectations



DEMO

New cell look and feel

Revisiting the main canvas of the Notebook



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Develop Like A Pro In Databricks Notebooks

Join us to learn about the latest enhancements to our most popular feature, Databricks Notebooks, and how they can streamline your data science and machine learning tasks.

In this session, we'll cover the new and upcoming Notebook features including:

- How we're bringing Lakehouse and Unity Catalog metadata into your authoring flows
- A new editor that introduces programming ergonomic improvements from your favorite IDEs
- Simplified access to compute so you can quickly and efficiently run your notebooks
- A look at the modern UX changes we're making to improve the look and feel of notebooks
- A preview of how we're integrating AI and LLMs into notebooks
- Streamlined search and navigation across Databricks

Experience: In Person

Track: DSML: Production ML / MLOps, Databricks Experience (DBX)

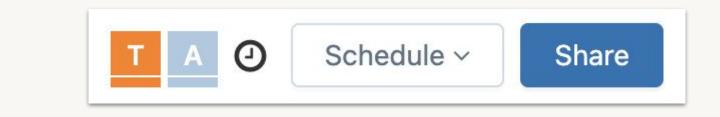
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Level: Intermediate

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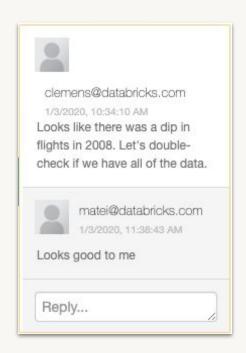
Collaborate in real-time

Data science is a team sport



Users can share the same view of a notebook with co-presence

Users can co-edit in real-time with their colleagues to jointly iterate, debug, and more



Comments enable users to alert their colleagues to action items or interesting findings



Jupyter-compatible

Bringing the power of the Jupyter ecosystem to the Databricks Notebook

Newly GA!

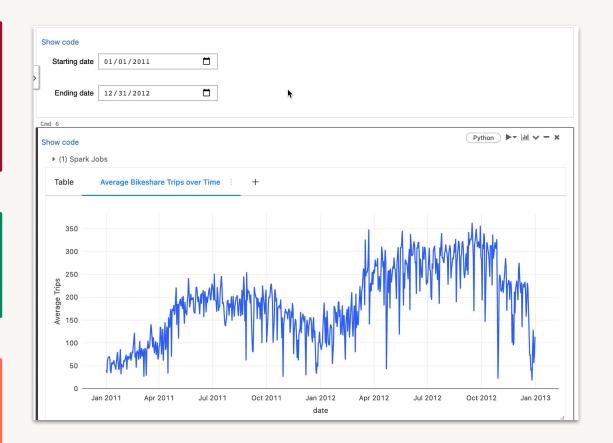
The Databricks Notebook uses the IPython kernel to power Python cell execution

Public Preview!

Use **ipywidgets** to turn notebooks into powerful, interactive apps

Coming 2022

Natively store Databricks notebooks as .ipynb files inside of Repos



Assistant Scenarios

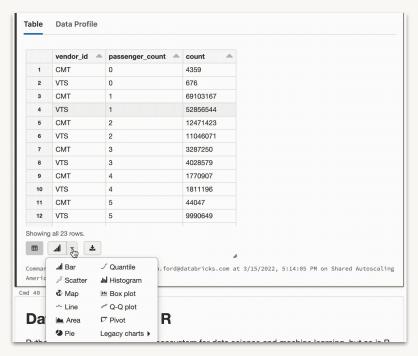
Al-Code Assist in the Notebook + SQL Editor

- Complete Code: suggestions-as-you-type
- **Generate Code:** NL Prompt → code/SQL
- **Explain Code:** Highlight a query and get an explanation in plain English
- **Debug Code:** Explain and fix syntax and runtime errors in your code with a single click.
- **Transform/Optimize Code:** Convert languages; RDD \rightarrow DataFrame; Pandas \rightarrow PySpark; Performance improvements

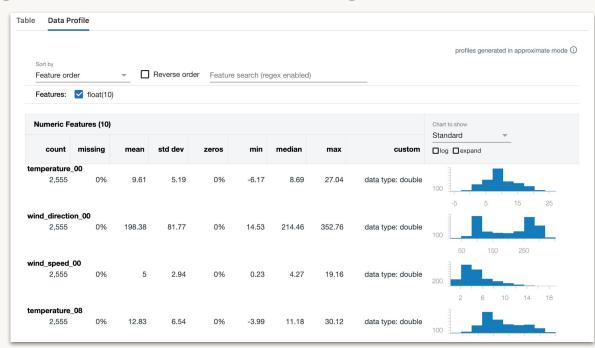
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Explore data efficiently

Native tools for visualizing and understanding data



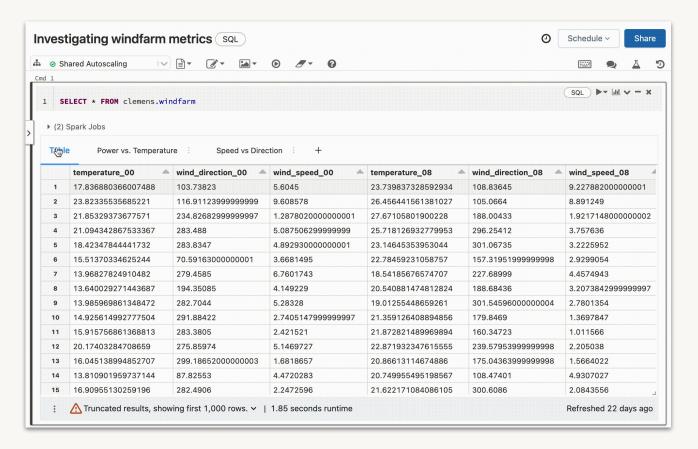
Create interactive charts to visualize data in the Notebook with only two clicks



Summarize a data set's essential properties and statistics in a data profile with the push of a button

Richer cell results in the Notebook

Unified visualizations between Databricks SQL and the Notebook





Create multiple charts and data profiles from a single cell data result



Craft a wider variety of visualizations with more visual appeal



Flexible chart configuration using the Databricks SQL chart builder

UI-based data analysis and transformation

Integrating bamboolib into the Notebook



Prepare, transform, visualize, and explore your data—all through a UI!



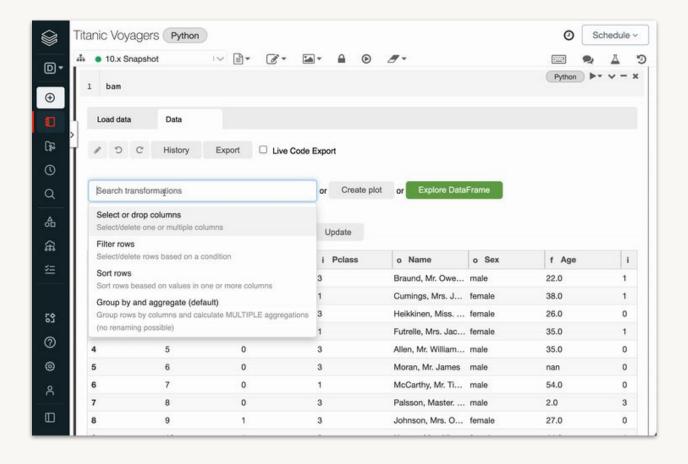
Be more efficient by spending less time writing boilerplate code



Operations in bamboolib generate code so users can see, customize, and learn from what happens via the UI



Enable citizen data scientists who know what they want to do to do it in Python



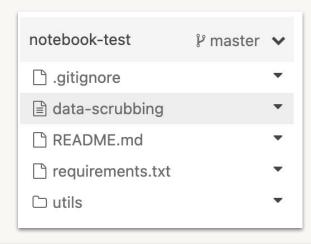
Adaptable environments

Use standard libraries and custom modules in the Notebook

```
%pip install folium seaborn==0.11.1
```

```
import seaborn as sns
sns.violinplot(data=tips, x="day", y="total_bill", hue="smoker",
               split=True, inner="quart", linewidth=1,
               palette={"Yes": "b", "No": ".85"})
sns.despine(left=True)
```

Install Python libraries for a notebook without affecting other users with %pip



```
import utils
2
   df2 = utils.scrub(df1, drop="num_columns")
```

Import local modules using arbitrary file support when working in Repos



Enterprise-ready

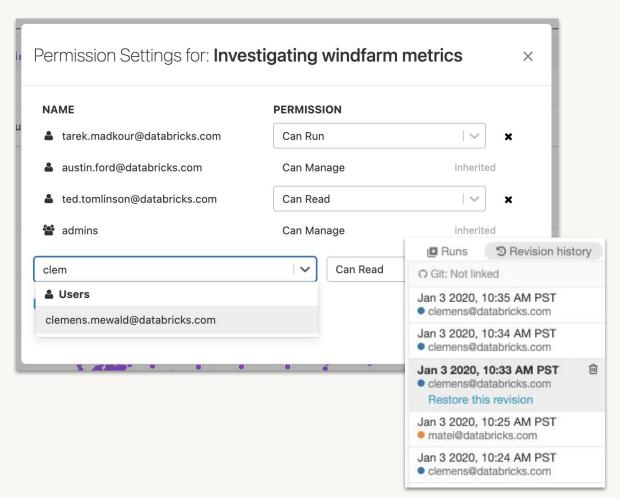
Fulfilling essential governance requirements

Notebooks provide full access controls and identity management and can be shared for reading, execution, editing, or managing

All notebook access and user revisions logged with user identities

New!

All Notebook command executions tracked in **audit logs**



Developer Experience Themes

Building an authoring experience for the Lakehouse

We believe the Lakehouse developer experience should...

- Give users choice: Use our native tools tailored to the Lakehouse, or use your favorite IDE — they're both great!
- **Be Lakehouse-aware**: Surface metadata, freshness, quality, popularity, tagging, and more all in your dev environment
- Feel modern and intuitive: Bring powerful capabilities without getting in users' way