The final project for ESE5023 (Fall 2024)

1. Goals

The final project of ESE5023 is designed to be a capstone of the course. It is intended to be an original data analysis using real data (preferred from your research group), treating the problem in-depth, and presenting your results in a formal manner.

The topic should NOT be part of the student's research in the past. If you have problems in finding suitable topics, please contact the instructor before <u>Dec. 01, 2024</u>.

2. Requirements

- **a.** A science (or data-science) question should be clearly articulated, and then addressed using tools covered in this class.
- **b.** Excellence in data analyzing with Python.
- c. Excellence in data visualization with Python.
- **d.** The project contains two parts a presentation and a report.

3. Presentation

There will be one presentation session on <u>Dec. 25, 2024</u>. Each student will give a 5-minute presentation to the class, to be followed by a 2-minute discussion.

4. Report

The primary product of the final project is a written report with a clear style. Please email your report to the instructor (zhul3@sustech.edu.cn) by Jan. 12, 2025, with the subject [ESE5023 2024 final report XXXX], where XXXX is your student ID.

In your report, we are looking for:

- **a.** A full bibliography and citations to data sources.
- **b.** Data sets used in the project (even if the data set is downloadable, the data set itself is required). Formats may be NetCDF, hdf, flat ascii, or csv.
- **c.** Python scripts (or notebooks) and the environment file. The instructor and TAs should be able to reproduce your results by running the scripts.