

Data Science and the MOC Roundtable

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Overview

As the Mass Open Cloud (MOC) begins offering new hardware and software platforms for data scientists at partner universities and MOC customers, we are interested in learning from the data scientists how we may ensure that the resources are there to meet growing demand, while providing fair access to such resources. Some of the questions we plan to ask include:

- How should we prioritize access?
- What initiatives/classes do we want to support?
- How do we want to handle buy-in?
- What tools should we use to provide visibility into scheduling and availability?
- What machine-learning learning capabilities should be offered by the infrastructure?
- What are the incentives to add datasets into the system and make them available to others?
- What datasets are important for you to access?