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OUR MISSION

To provide foundational support to the open source scientific computing ecosystem

OUR VISION

NumFOCUS envisions an inclusive scientific and research community that actively utilizes supported open source software to make impactful discoveries for a better world.

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NumFOCUS By The Numbers

$23M

In project-restricted funding for project development

$700,000

Awarded to projects through our Small Development Grants Program

250

Hours of legal services provided to our projects

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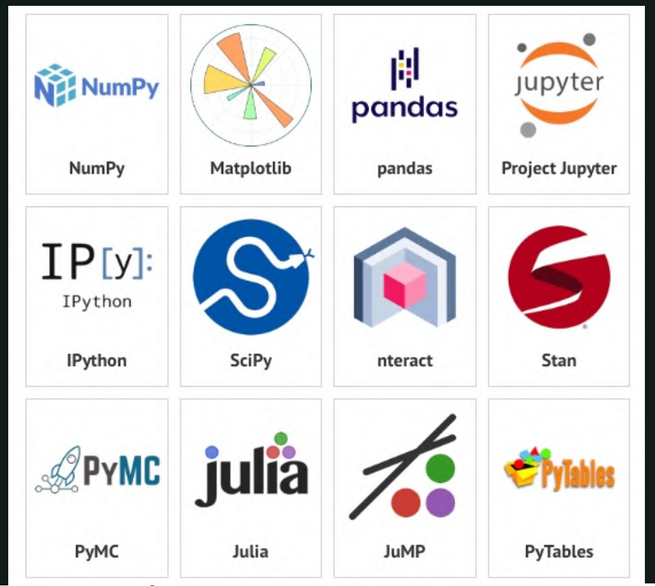
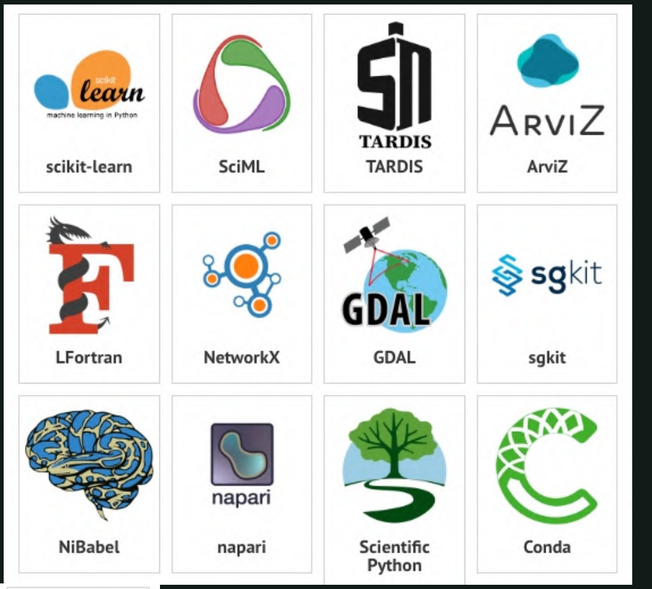
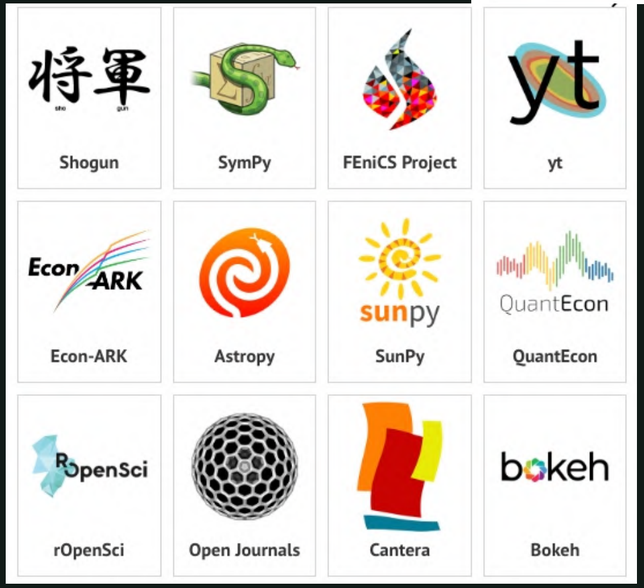
PROJECTS







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PROJECT CRITERIA

BE OPEN

Open projects typically have:

- Publicly hosted code
- New contributor guidelines
- Open discussion forum(s)
- An OSI-approved license
- A community of active contributors
- A transparent, publicly visible governance model which includes a distributed decision making process
- A roadmap

BE KIND

A healthy, productive, and sustainable community can only be achieved if each project actively works towards making their community friendly, inclusive, and respectful of each participant.

NumFOCUS projects are required to have a Code of Conduct (CoC): a user-facing, public statement on inclusivity and project culture.

BE SCIENTIFIC

NumFOCUS projects contribute to the advancement of scientific research.

This means the project either enables some new research challenges to be addressed, makes addressing research challenges significantly better, or supports a segment of the open science ecosystem.

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A Comprehensive Support Structure For Project Sustainability

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SERVICES

Infrastructure

- FINANCIAL
- LEGAL
- GRANT MANAGEMENT

Community

- GOVERNANCE SUPPORT
- DEI
- EVENTS

Outreach

- FUNDRAISING
- MARKETING

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NETWORK & PROGRAMS

ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS

- NF Academic Consortium
- OSSci
- Events
- OSPOs
- Project Maintainers
- Diversity in Scientific Computing (DISC)

GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS

- Service Agreements
- Grants
- Events
- Presentations
- OSSci

INDUSTRY & CORPORATE RESEARCH

- Corporate Sponsorships
- OSSci
- Events
- NF Advisory Council
- OSPOs

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