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Thread: [Best language for youtube history scraper?](#)

R3gulate - February 9, 2024, 10:03 am

I'm looking to code what I believe to be a fairly simple program.

I would like the program to log into YouTube, Navigate to the YouTube history page, ensure the history button is "enabled", then scrape the information of any videos in that history list to a text document. I would like the application to repeat on a timer, so maybe every 15 minutes.

What language would be best to approach this? I have worked only with vb.net, css, php, and sql.

Or if there's anyone that would like to take this on as a project we can discuss how much this would be. Any help is appreciated.

Doug Dimmadome - February 9, 2024, 11:06 am

I'd suggest something like Python with Selenium since you'll probably have to do this in-browser for YouTube. Since you have experience with VB.NET, C# might also be an option, again with Selenium. C#'s syntax is somewhat close to PHP (or any C-style language) and shares the same .NET framework with VB.NET.

PureCoder - February 10, 2024, 1:59 am

(Feb 9, 2024 11:03 AM)R3gulate Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) What language would be best to approach this? I have worked only with vb.net, css, php, and sql.

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DashPHP - February 10, 2024, 2:43 am

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based? - February 10, 2024, 6:45 am

You could use GO + Colly for this.?

Colly library: <https://github.com/gocolly/colly>

Example usage: <https://go-colly.org/docs/examples/basic/>

badbart - February 10, 2024, 6:53 am

I think there's something written like that on Github if i'm not mistaken.

SIM-5490886 - February 26, 2024, 5:18 am

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Phantom_NiNja - March 12, 2024, 2:00 pm

(Feb 10, 2024 03:43 AM)DashPHP Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You should be able to do this thru CLI via PHP. What does CLI do?

DashPHP - March 12, 2024, 2:04 pm

(Mar 12, 2024 02:00 PM)randommanty89 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) What does CLI do?

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Phantom_NiNja - March 16, 2024, 12:18 am

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DashPHP - March 16, 2024, 7:34 am

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Who ever told you that is a fool.

Klonopin - March 16, 2024, 9:48 pm

(Feb 10, 2024 02:59 AM)PureCoder Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) VB.NET + selenium are perfect for this task. Yuck, VB.NET.

I Highly recommend just doing C#. much better syntax.

happygonutty - March 18, 2024, 10:46 am

Selenium if a good framework to work with for starters.

If you want to make it plain, simple and very straightforward, just use Python with Selenium.

If you want something optimized, fast, customizable and have a user interface just go with either anything that has .NET on it maybe VB or C# anything you prefer.