Understat Documentation

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Note: I have nothing to do with Understat, and have simply created this package for fun!

Note: The latest version of understat is asynchronous, and requires Python 3.6+!

If you're interested in helping out the development of **understat**, or have suggestions and ideas then please don't hesitate to create an issue on GitHub, join our Discord server or send an email to amosbastian@gmail.com!

A simple example:

```
import asyncio
import json
import aiohttp
from understat import Understat
async def main():
   async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
       understat = Understat(session)
       player = await understat.get_players(
          "epl", 2018,
          player_name="Paul Pogba",
          team_title="Manchester United"
       )
       print(json.dumps(player))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
>>>[{"id": "1740", "player_name": "Paul Pogba", "games": "27", "time": "2293", "goals
→": "11", "xG": "13.361832823604345", "assists": "9", "xA": "4.063152700662613",
→"shots": "87", "key_passes": "40", "yellow_cards": "5", "red_cards": "0", "position
→", "xGChain": "17.388037759810686", "xGBuildup": "8.965998269617558"}]
```

With understat you can easily get all the data available on Understat!

CHAPTER 1

The User Guide

This part of the documentation simply shows you have to install understat.

1.1 Installing understat

The recommended way to install understat is via pip.

pip install understat

Note: Depending on your system, you may need to use pip3 to install packages for Python 3.

1.1.1 Updating understat with pip

To update understat you can run:

pip install --upgrade understat

Example output:

```
Installing collected packages: understat
Found existing installation: understat 0.1.0
Uninstalling understat-0.1.0:
Successfully uninstalled understat-0.1.0
Successfully installed understat-0.1.1
```

1.1.2 Installing older versions

Older versions of **understat** can be installed by specifying the version number as part of the installation command:

pip install understat==0.1.1

1.1.3 Installing from GitHub

The source code for **understat** is available on GitHub repository https://github.com/amosbastian/understat. To install the most recent version of **understat** from here you can use the following command:

\$ git clone git://github.com/amosbastian/understat.git

You can also install a .tar file or .zip file

\$ curl -OL https://github.com/amosbastian/understat/tarball/master \$ curl -OL https://github.com/ amosbastian/understat/zipball/master # Windows

Once it has been downloaded you can easily install it using pip:

\$ cd understat
\$ pip install .

CHAPTER 2

The Class Documentation / Guide

This part of the documentation is for people who want or need more information bout specific functions and classes found in **understat**. It includes example output for each of the functions, and also screenshots showing where you would find the equivalent data on Understat.

2.1 Understat

The Understat class is the main, and only class used for interacting with Understat's data. It requires a aiohttp. ClientSession for sending requests, so typical usage of the Understat class can look something like this:

```
import asyncio
import json
import aiohttp
from understat import Understat
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
        understat = Understat(session)
        player = await understat.get_league_players(
            "epl", 2018,
            player_name="Paul Pogba",
            team_title="Manchester United"
        )
        print(json.dumps(player))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
>>>[{"id": "1740", "player_name": "Paul Pogba", "games": "27", "time": "2293", "goals
→": "11", "xG": "13.361832823604345", "assists": "9", "xA": "4.063152700662613",
 →"shots": "87", "key_passes": "40", "yellow_cards": "5", "red_cards": "(continues on next page)
→": "M S", "team_title": "Manchester United", "npg": "6", "npxG": "7.272482139989734
→", "xGChain": "17.388037759810686", "xGBuildup": "8.965998269617558"}]
```

2.1.1 The functions

Below each function of the Understat class will be documented separately. It will also show a screenshot of the equivalent data on understat.com, and an example of how the function itself could be used.

Most of the functions come with the *options* keyword argument, and the ***kwargs* magic variable, which means that their output can be filtered (the ways this can be done depends entirely on the output). It was the easiest way to implement something like this, but may not always be optimal (e.g. filtering by home team may require an object for example), and so this could be changed in the future.

If you have any suggestions on what kind of filtering options you'd like to see for certain functions, then you can create an issue for this. Also, any help with adding better filtering, if necessary, is also very much appreciated!

Understat.get_league_fixtures (*league_name, season, options=None, **kwargs*) Returns a list containing information about all the upcoming fixtures of the given league in the given season.

Parameters

- **league_name** (*str*) The league's name.
- **season** (*str or int*) The season.
- **options** Options to filter the data by, defaults to None.
- options dict, optional

Returns A list of the fixtures as seen on Understat's league overview.

Return type list

It returns the fixtures (not results) of the given league, in the given season. So for example, the fixtures as seen in the screenshot below

Saturda	y, March	30, 2019
Fulham	13:30	Manchester City
Manchester United	16:00	Watford
Leicester	16:00	Bournemouth
Crystal Palace	16:00	Huddersfield
Burnley	16:00	Wolverhampton Wanderers
Brighton	16:00	Southampton
West Ham	18:30	Everton
Arsenal	19:00	Newcastle United
Sunday	, March 3	31, 2019
Cardiff	15:05	Chelsea
Liverpool	17:30	Tottenham

The function comes with the *options* keyword argument, and the ***kwargs* magic variable, and so that can be used to filter the output. So for example, if you wanted to get all Manchester United's upcoming fixtures at **home**, then you could do the following

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
    understat = Understat(session)
    fixtures = await understat.get_league_fixtures(
        "epl",
        2018,
        {
            "h": {"id": "89",
            "title": "Manchester United",
            "title": "Munn"}
        }
        }
        print(json.dumps(fixtures))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs (with parts omitted)

```
[
    {
        "id": "9501",
        "isResult": false,
        "h": {
             "id": "89",
             "title": "Manchester United",
             "short_title": "MUN"
        },
```

```
"a": {
            "id": "88",
            "title": "Manchester City",
            "short_title": "MCI"
        },
        "goals": {
            "h": null,
            "a": null
        },
        "xG": {
            "h": null,
            "a": null
        },
        "datetime": "2019-03-16 18:00:00"
    },
    . . .
    {
        "id": "9570",
        "isResult": false,
        "h": {
        "id": "89",
        "title": "Manchester United",
        "short_title": "MUN"
        },
        "a": {
        "id": "227",
        "title": "Cardiff",
        "short_title": "CAR"
        },
        "goals": {
        "h": null,
        "a": null
        },
        "xG": {
        "h": null,
        "a": null
        },
        "datetime": "2019-05-12 17:00:00"
    }
]
```

Understat.get_league_table (league_name, season, with_headers=True, h_a='overall', start_date=None, end_date=None) Returns the latest league table of a specified league in a specified year.

Parameters

- **league_name** (*str*) The league's name.
- **season** (*str* or *int*) The season.
- with_headers (bool) whether or not to include headers in the returned table.
- **h_a** (*str*) whether to return the overall table ("overall"), home table ("home"), or away table ("away").
- **start_date** (*str*) start date to filter the table by (format: YYYY-MM-DD).

• end_date (*str*) – end date of the table to filter the table by (format: YYYY-MM-DD).

Returns List of lists.

Return type list

It returns the standings of the given league in the given year, as seen in the screenshot below

№ \$	Team		M \$	w \$	D \$	L \$	G \$	GA \$	PTS \$	xG		NPxG 🗢	xga 🌲	NPxGA 🌲	NPxGD 🗢	PPDA 🗢	oppda 🌲	DC \$	ODC \$	xPTS 🗢
	Liverpool								99	75.19-	9.81	71.39	39.57 ^{+6.57}	38.81	+32.58	8.01	21.33			74.28 ^{-24.72}
2	Manchester City			26			102			102.21*		93.53	37.00 ^{+2.00}	34.71	+58.82	8.49	23.77	547	135	86.76 ^{+5.76}
3	Manchester United									66.19 *		55.53	38.06 ^{+2.06}	35.78	+19.75	9.64	11.10	290		70.99 ^{+4.99}
4	Chelsea		38	20			69	54	66	76.23 *		70.90	41.09 ^{-12.91}	39.57	+31.33	9.01	14.66	326	169	73.49 ^{+7.49}
5	Leicester									61.02 -	5.98	55.67	47.89 ^{+6.89}	40.28	+15.39	7.95	12.75	293		61.16 ^{-0.84}
6	Tottenham		38						59	49.02 -	1.98	45.83	54.13 ^{+7.13}	48.80		10.94	10.11	224	264	49.26 ^{-9.74}
7	Wolverham Wanderers	pton								54.22*		51.18	37.39 ^{-2.61}	34.96	+16.22	13.39	10.29			63.82 ^{+4.82}
8	Arsenal		38		14				56	50.82	5.18	48.54	57.25 ^{+9.25}	51.01		11.02	11.45	265	253	50.15 ^{-5.85}
9	Sheffield United									45.81*		45.05	52.04 ^{+13.04}	49.76		13.71	11.35	198		49.34 ^{-4.66}
10	Burnley		38		9				54	49.35 ⁺		47.06	53.84 ^{+3.84}	50.02		11.89	9.35	145	263	49.54 ^{-4.46}
11	Southampto									56.50 +		52.54	56.59 ^{-3.41}	53.55		8.26	9.97	230	249	56.87 ^{+4.87}
12	Everton		38		10		44	56		53.71*		52.95	49.21 ^{-6.79}	46.17	+6.78	10.17	10.38	203		55.78 ^{+6.78}
13	Newcastle United							58		36.49-1		35.73	67.03 ^{+9.03}	65.51		19.00			344	31.92 ^{-12.08}
14	Crystal Pala	се	38		10			50		34.45*		32.16	57.39 ^{+7.39}	56.63		13.00	7.99	225	281	38.26 ^{-4.74}
15	Brighton							54		47.42 *		45.90	60.42 ^{+6.42}	58.89		10.36	12.78	242	264	48.02 ^{+7.02}
16	West Ham		38		9	19			39	49.07*		46.02	68.32 ^{+6.32}	63.76		13.22	9.50		308	38.75 ^{-0.25}
17	Aston Villa									45.09+		42.65	71.60 +4.60	66.88		12.34	7.89	186	343	37.23 ^{+2.23}
18	Bournemou	th	38		7			65	34	44.67*		41.63	63-29 ^{-1.71}	58.73		13.38	9.15	210	326	39-20 ^{+5.20}
19	Watford				10			64		48.56*		42.47	59.53 ^{-4.47}	52.52		12.20	9.64		259	47.87 +13.87
20	Norwich		38		6	27	26			37.23*		35.71	71.61 ^{-3.39}	66.13		12.59	9.65	207	345	33.12 ^{+12.12}

There are also optional "start_date" and "end_date" arguments, which can be used to get the table from a specific date range from given season, like on screenshot below

Table Charts overall home away	Aug 11, 201	18 菌	Sep 1, 20	18 関					\$
Nº ≑ Team ≑	M 🗢 W	÷ i	D ≑ L	\$	G \$	GA 🔶 PTS	\$ xG 🗢	xGA 🗢	xPTS 🔶
1 Liverpool							10.21 ^{+1.21}	2.29 ^{+1.29}	9.74 ^{-2.26}
2 Chelsea							6.69 ^{-3.31}	4.01 ^{+1.01}	7.67 ^{-4.33}
3 Manchester City							10.93 ^{-0.07}	2.93 ^{-0.07}	9.98 ^{-0.02}
4 Tottenham							7.66 ^{-0.34}	3.82 ^{+1.82}	6.65 ^{-2.35}
5 Watford							4.49 ^{-2.51}	2.07 ^{+0.07}	6.13 ^{-2.87}
6 Bournemouth							7.83 ^{+1.83}	4.32 ^{-0.68}	8.00 ^{+1.00}
7 Everton							3.90 ^{-3.10}	5.91 ^{-0.09}	4.14 ^{-1.86}
8 Leicester							3.46 ^{-2.54}	4.38 ^{-0.62}	4.35 ^{-1.65}
9 Wolverhampton Wanderers							4.47 ^{+0.47}	3.67 ^{-1.33}	6.29 ^{+1.29}
10 Southampton							6.47 ^{+2.47}	6.30 ^{+2.30}	5.39 ^{+1.39}
11 Fulham							5.52 ^{-1.48}	8.60 ^{-0.40}	3.50 ^{-0.50}
12 Brighton							5.31 ^{+0.31}	6.32 ^{-0.68}	4.63 ^{+0.63}
13 Arsenal							4.69 ^{-0.31}	4.92 ^{-1.08}	4.00 ^{+1.00}
14 Manchester United							4.48 ^{+0.48}	5.18 ^{-1.82}	3.47 ^{+0.47}
15 Crystal Palace							5.02 ^{+2.02}	7.74 +1.74	4.14 +1.14
16 Cardiff							3.73 ^{+3.73}	4.36 ^{+2.36}	3.73 ^{+1.73}
17 Huddersfield							1.92 ^{-0.08}	8.60 ^{-1.40}	2.06 ^{+0.06}
18 Newcastle United							3.29 ^{+0.29}	7.70 ^{+1.70}	2.59 ^{+1.59}
19 Burnley							3.37 ^{+0.37}	4.86 ^{-2.14}	3.02 ^{+2.02}
20 West Ham							3.58 ^{+1.58}	9.04 ^{-0.96}	2.85 ^{+2.85}

An example of getting the standings from the EPL in 2019 can be found below

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
    understat = Understat(session)
    table = await understat.get_league_table("EPL", "2019")
    print(table)
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs (with parts omitted)

```
['Team', 'M', 'W', 'D', 'L', 'G', 'GA', 'PTS', 'xG', 'NPxG', 'xGA', 'NPxGA', 'NPxGD',
↔ 'PPDA', 'OPPDA', 'DC', 'ODC', 'xPTS'],
['Liverpool', 38, 32, 3, 3, 85, 33, 99, 75.19, 71.39, 39.57, 38.81, 32.58, 8.01, 21.
↔33, 429, 145, 74.28],
['Manchester City', 38, 26, 3, 9, 102, 35, 81, 102.21, 93.53, 37.0, 34.71, 58.82, 8.
↔49, 23.77, 547, 135, 86.76],
['Manchester United', 38, 18, 12, 8, 66, 36, 66, 66.19, 55.53, 38.06, 35.78, 19.75,
↔9.64, 11.1, 290, 178, 70.99],
...,
['Aston Villa', 38, 9, 8, 21, 41, 67, 35, 45.09, 42.65, 71.6, 66.88, -24.23, 12.34,
↔7.89, 186, 343, 37.23],
['Bournemouth', 38, 9, 7, 22, 40, 65, 34, 44.67, 41.63, 63.29, 58.73, -17.1, 13.38,
→9.15, 210, 326, 39.2],
['Watford', 38, 8, 10, 20, 36, 64, 34, 48.56, 42.47, 59.53, 52.52, -10.05, 12.2, 9.
↔64, 227, 259, 47.87],
                                                                        (continues on next page)
```

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```
['Norwich', 38, 5, 6, 27, 26, 75, 21, 37.23, 35.71, 71.61, 66.13, -30.41, 12.59, 9.

→65, 207, 345, 33.12]
]
```

```
Understat.get_player_grouped_stats(player_id)
```

Returns the player with the given ID's grouped stats (as seen at the top of a player's page).

Parameters player_id (*int* or str) – The player's Understat ID.

Returns Dictionary of the player's grouped stats.

Return type dict

It returns all the statistics of a given player, which includes stuff like their performance per season, position and more. Basically, it's everything that can be found in the table shown in the screenshot below

Seasor	n Position	Situation Sh	not zones	Shot	types								\$
N2 \$	Season 🔶	Team	🔶 Apps		Min 🔶	G \$	A \$	Sh90 🔶	KP90 🔶	xG 🏻 🍣	¢ Ax	xG90 🔶	xA90 🔶
	2018/2019	Manchester City						4.36	1.15		3.78 ^{-2.22}	0.80	0.17
	2017/2018	Manchester City			1985			4.31	1.77	18.57 ^{-2.43}	6.53 ^{+0.53}	0.84	0.30
	2016/2017	Manchester City						5.20	1.16	22.67 ^{+2.67}	4.67 ^{+1.67}	0.85	0.17
	2015/2016	Manchester City						4.46		20.08 ^{-3.92}	2.03 ^{+0.03}	0.75	0.08
								5.22	1.16	25.27 ^{-0.73}	5.57 ^{-2.43}	0.89	0.20
				145	11303	109	25	4.75	1.23	104.10 ^{-4.90}	22.57 ^{-2.43}	0.83	0.18

An example of getting Sergio Agüero's grouped data can be found below

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
        understat = Understat(session)
        grouped_stats = await understat.get_player_grouped_stats(619)
        print(json.dumps(grouped_stats))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs (with parts omitted)

```
{
    "season": [
        {
            "position": "FW",
            "games": "26",
            "goals": "18",
            "shots": "95",
            "time": "1960",
            "xG": "17.515484783798456",
            "assists": "6",
            "xA": "3.776376834139228",
            "key_passes": "25",
            "season": "2018",
            "team": "Manchester City",
            "yellow": "3",
            "season": "2018",
            "team": "3",
            "season": "3",
```

```
"red": "0",
    "npg": "16",
    "npxG": "15.9931472055614",
    "xGChain": "23.326821692287922",
    "xGBuildup": "6.351545065641403"
    },
    . . . ,
    {
    "position": "Sub",
    "games": "33",
    "goals": "26",
    "shots": "148",
    "time": "2551",
    "xG": "25.270159743726254",
    "assists": "8",
    "xA": "5.568922242149711",
    "key_passes": "33",
    "season": "2014",
    "team": "Manchester City",
    "yellow": "4",
    "red": "0",
    "npg": "21",
    "npxG": "20.70318364351988",
    "xGChain": "27.805154908448458",
    "xGBuildup": "6.878173082135618"
    }
],
"position": {
    "2018": {
        "FW": {
            "position": "FW",
            "games": "24",
            "goals": "18",
            "shots": "94",
            "time": "1911",
            "xG": "17.464063242077827",
            "assists": "6",
            "xA": "3.776376834139228",
            "key_passes": "25",
            "season": "2018",
            "vellow": "3",
            "red": "0",
            "npg": "16",
            "npxG": "15.94172566384077",
            "xGChain": "23.258203461766243",
            "xGBuildup": "6.334348376840353"
        },
        "Sub": {
            "position": "Sub",
            "games": "2",
            "goals": "0",
            "shots": "1",
            "time": "49",
            "xG": "0.05142154172062874",
            "assists": "0",
            "xA": "0",
            "key_passes": "0",
```

```
"season": "2018",
            "vellow": "0",
            "red": "0",
            "npg": "0",
            "npxG": "0.05142154172062874",
            "xGChain": "0.06861823052167892",
            "xGBuildup": "0.017196688801050186"
        }
    },
    ...,
    },
    "2014": {
        "FW": {
            "position": "FW",
            "games": "30",
            "goals": "24",
            "shots": "142",
            "time": "2504",
            "xG": "24.362012460827827",
            "assists": "8",
            "xA": "5.568922242149711",
            "key_passes": "33",
            "season": "2014",
            "yellow": "4",
            "red": "0",
            "npg": "19",
            "npxG": "19.795036360621452",
            "xGChain": "26.94415594637394",
            "xGBuildup": "6.878173082135618"
        },
        "Sub": {
            "position": "Sub",
            "games": "3",
            "goals": "2",
            "shots": "6",
            "time": "47",
            "xG": "0.9081472828984261",
            "assists": "0",
            "xA": "0",
            "key_passes": "0",
            "season": "2014",
            "vellow": "0",
            "red": "0",
            "npg": "2",
            "npxG": "0.9081472828984261",
            "xGChain": "0.8609989620745182",
            "xGBuildup": "0"
        }
    }
},
"situation": {
    "2015": {
        "OpenPlay": {
            "situation": "OpenPlay",
            "season": "2015",
            "goals": "17",
            "shots": "97",
```

```
"xG": "13.971116883680224",
        "assists": "2",
        "key_passes": "26",
        "xA": "2.0287596937268972",
        "npg": "17",
        "npxG": "13.971116883680224",
        "time": 2399
    },
    "FromCorner": {
        "situation": "FromCorner",
        "season": "2015",
        "goals": "2",
        "shots": "11",
        "xG": "1.8276203628629446",
        "assists": "0",
        "key_passes": "0",
        "xA": "0",
        "npg": "2",
        "npxG": "1.8276203628629446",
        "time": 2399
    },
    "Penalty": {
        "situation": "Penalty",
        "season": "2015",
        "goals": "4",
        "shots": "5",
        "xG": "3.8058441877365112",
        "assists": "0",
        "key_passes": "0",
        "xA": "0",
        "npg": "0",
        "npxG": "0",
        "time": 2399
},
. . . ,
"2014": {
    "OpenPlay": {
        "situation": "OpenPlay",
        "season": "2014",
        "goals": "19",
        "shots": "128",
        "xG": "18.23446972388774".
        "assists": "7",
        "key_passes": "32",
        "xA": "4.622839629650116",
        "npg": "19",
        "npxG": "18.23446972388774",
        "time": 2551
    },
    "FromCorner": {
        "situation": "FromCorner",
        "season": "2014",
        "goals": "1",
        "shots": "12",
        "xG": "1.8788630235940218",
        "assists": "1",
        "key_passes": "1",
```

```
"xA": "0.9460826516151428",
            "npg": "1",
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            "time": 2551
        },
        "Penalty": {
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            "npxG": "0",
            "time": 2551
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            "season": "2014",
            "goals": "1",
            "shots": "2",
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            "assists": "0",
            "key_passes": "0",
            "xA": "0",
            "npg": "1",
            "npxG": "0.5898510366678238",
            "time": 2551
        }
   }
},
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    "2014": {
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            "shotZones": "shotOboxTotal",
            "season": "2014",
            "goals": "2",
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            "npg": "2",
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        },
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            "season": "2014",
            "goals": "22",
            "shots": "108",
            "xG": "19.79369100742042",
            "assists": "5",
            "key_passes": "22",
            "xA": "3.9576267898082733",
            "npg": "17",
```

```
"npxG": "15.226714758202434"
        },
        "shotSixYardBox": {
            "shotZones": "shotSixYardBox",
            "season": "2014",
            "goals": "2",
            "shots": "7",
            "xG": "3.8863864429295063",
            "assists": "1",
            "key_passes": "2",
            "xA": "1.3012516796588898",
            "npg": "2",
            "npxG": "3.8863864429295063"
        }
    },
    ...,
    "2018": {
        "shotOboxTotal": {
            "shotZones": "shotOboxTotal",
            "season": "2018",
            "goals": "2",
            "shots": "21",
            "xG": "0.8707829182967544",
            "assists": "1",
            "key_passes": "9",
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            "npg": "2",
            "npxG": "0.8707829182967544"
        },
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            "shotZones": "shotPenaltyArea",
            "season": "2018",
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            "shots": "65",
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            "assists": "4",
            "key_passes": "14",
            "xA": "2.1070052348077297",
            "npg": "10",
            "npxG": "10.322627269662917"
        },
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            "shotZones": "shotSixYardBox",
            "season": "2018",
            "goals": "4",
            "shots": "9",
            "xG": "4.799736991524696",
            "assists": "1",
            "key_passes": "2",
            "xA": "1.3552910089492798",
            "npg": "4",
            "npxG": "4.799736991524696"
        }
    }
},
"shotTypes": {
    "2014": {
```

```
"RightFoot": {
        "shotTypes": "RightFoot",
        "season": "2014",
        "goals": "18",
        "shots": "96",
        "xG": "17.13349057827145",
        "assists": "5",
        "key_passes": "19",
        "xA": "3.883937703445554",
        "npg": "13",
        "npxG": "12.566514329053462"
    },
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        "shotTypes": "LeftFoot",
        "season": "2014",
        "goals": "7",
        "shots": "40",
        "xG": "6.236775731667876",
        "assists": "3",
        "key_passes": "13",
        "xA": "1.6454832945019007",
        "npg": "7",
        "npxG": "6.236775731667876"
    },
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        "season": "2014",
        "goals": "1",
        "shots": "12",
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        "assists": "0",
        "key_passes": "1",
        "xA": "0.03950128331780434",
        "npq": "1",
        "npxG": "1.8998937234282494"
    }
},
...,
},
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    "RightFoot": {
        "shotTypes": "RightFoot",
        "season": "2018",
        "goals": "9",
        "shots": "58",
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        "key_passes": "9",
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        "npg": "7",
        "npxG": "8.354585296474397"
    },
    "LeftFoot": {
        "shotTypes": "LeftFoot",
        "season": "2018",
        "goals": "6",
        "shots": "26".
```

```
"xG": "4.921279687434435",
            "assists": "3",
            "key_passes": "16",
            "xA": "2.101146697998047",
            "npg": "6",
            "npxG": "4.921279687434435"
        },
        "Head": {
            "shotTypes": "Head",
            "season": "2018",
            "goals": "2",
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            "xG": "1.8183354930952191",
            "assists": "0",
            "key_passes": "0",
            "xA": "0",
            "npg": "2",
            "npxG": "1.8183354930952191"
        },
        "OtherBodyPart": {
            "shotTypes": "OtherBodyPart",
            "season": "2018",
            "goals": "1",
            "shots": "1",
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            "assists": "0",
            "key_passes": "0",
            "xA": "0",
            "npg": "1",
            "npxG": "0.8989467024803162"
        }
   }
}
```

}

Understat.get_player_matches (*player_id*, *options=None*, ***kwargs*) Returns the player with the given ID's matches data.

Parameters

- player_id (int or str) The player's Understat ID.
- options Options to filter the data by, defaults to None.
- options dict, optional

Returns List of the player's matches data.

Return type list

It returns the information about the matches played by the given player. So for example, the matches Sergio Agüero has played, as seen in the screenshot

Nº	Date 🌲	Home	Score	Away	Pos 🌲	Min		Sh	G	KP	Α	\$ xG		xA	\$
	2021-03-13	Fulham	0-3	Manchester City	FW		90					0.80	-0.20	0.0	0
	2021-03-10	Manchester City	5-2	Southampton	Sub		15					0.0	+0.05	0.0	0
	2021-02-27	Manchester City	2-1	West Ham	FW							0.00		0.0	2 ^{+0.02}
	2021-01-03	Chelsea	1-3	Manchester City	Sub							0.00		0.0	0
	2020-12-26	Manchester City	2-0	Newcastle United	Sub							0.70	+0.70	0.0	0
	2020-12-15	Manchester City	1-1	West Bromwich Albion	Sub							0.12		0.0	0
	2020-10-24	West Ham	1-1	Manchester City	FW							0.00		0.0	0
	2020-10-17	Manchester City	1-0	Arsenal	FW		66					0.0	+0.05	0.1	71 ^{+0.71}
	2020-06- 22	Manchester City	5-0	Burnley	FW		48					0.08	+0.08	0.0	0
	2020-06-17	Manchester City	3-0	Arsenal	Sub							0.53	+0.53	0.0	0

This function also comes with the *options* keyword argument, and also the ***kwargs* magic variable. An example of how you could use either of these to filter Sergio Agüero's matches to only include matches where Manchester United were the home team is shown below

which outputs

```
[
   {
        "goals": "2",
        "shots": "5",
        "xG": "1.4754852056503296",
        "time": "90",
        "position": "FW",
        "h_team": "Manchester United",
        "a_team": "Manchester City",
        "h_goals": "4",
        "a_goals": "2",
        "date": "2015-04-12",
        "id": "4459",
        "season": "2014",
        "roster_id": "23306",
        "xA": "0",
        "assists": "0",
        "key_passes": "0",
        "npg": "2",
        "npxG": "1.4754852056503296",
        "xGChain": "1.4855852127075195",
        "xGBuildup": "0.04120262712240219"
```

Since the usage of both the *options* keyword argument and the ***kwargs* magic variable have been shown, the examples

following this will only show *one* of the two.

Understat.get_player_shots (*player_id*, *options=None*, ***kwargs*) Returns the player with the given ID's shot data.

Parameters

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- player_id (int or str) The player's Understat ID.
- options Options to filter the data by, defaults to None.
- options dict, optional

Returns List of the player's shot data.

Return type list

It returns the given player's shot data, which includes information about the situation (open play, freekick etc.), if it hit the post or was a goal, and more. Basically, all the information that you can get from a player's page in the section shown below



The function comes with the *options* keyword argument, and the ***kwargs* magic variable, and so that can be used to filter the output. So for example, if you wanted to get all Sergio Agüero's shots (not necessarily goals) that were assisted by Fernandinho, then you could do the following

which outputs (with parts omitted)

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```
{
    "id": "14552",
   "minute": "91",
    "result": "SavedShot",
   "X": "0.9259999847412109",
    "Y": "0.6809999847412109",
    "xG": "0.0791548416018486",
    "player": "Sergio Ag\u00fcero",
    "h_a": "a",
    "player_id": "619",
    "situation": "OpenPlay",
    "season": "2014",
    "shotType": "LeftFoot",
    "match_id": "4757",
    "h_team": "Newcastle United",
    "a_team": "Manchester City",
    "h_goals": "0",
    "a_goals": "2",
    "date": "2014-08-17 16:00:00",
    "player_assisted": "Fernandinho",
   "lastAction": "Pass"
},
. . . ,
{
   "id": "233670",
    "minute": "15",
    "result": "MissedShots",
    "X": "0.7419999694824219",
    "Y": "0.5359999847412109",
    "xG": "0.029104366898536682",
    "player": "Sergio Ag\u00fcero",
    "h_a": "h",
    "player_id": "619",
    "situation": "OpenPlay",
    "season": "2018",
    "shotType": "RightFoot",
    "match_id": "9234",
    "h_team": "Manchester City",
    "a_team": "Newcastle United",
    "h_goals": "2",
    "a_goals": "1",
    "date": "2018-09-01 16:30:00",
    "player_assisted": "Fernandinho",
    "lastAction": "Pass"
```

}

Understat.get_player_stats (player_id, positions=None)
Returns the player with the given ID's min / max stats, per position(s).

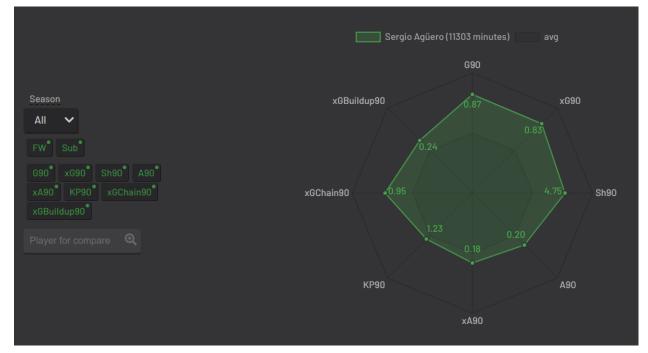
Parameters

- player_id (int or str) The player's Understat ID.
- **positions** Positions to filter the data by, defaults to None.
- **positions** list, optional

Returns List of the player's stats per position.

Return type list

It returns the player's average stats overall, which includes stuff like their average goals per 90 minutes, average expected assists per 90 minutes and more. Basically everything you can see on a player's page in the section shown below



The function comes with the *positions* argument, which can be used to filter the stats by position(s). So for example, if you wanted to get Sergio Agüero's performance as a forward, then you could do the following

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
        understat = Understat(session)
        player_stats = await understat.get_player_stats(619, ["FW"])
        print(json.dumps(player_stats))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs

```
[
    {
        "goals": {
        "min": 0.0011,
        "max": 0.0126,
        "avg": 0.0042
        },
        "xG": {
        "min": 0.00172821,
        "max": 0.0120816,
        "avg": 0.00415549
        },
        "shots": {
        "min": 0.015,
        "max": 0.0737,
        "avg": 0.028
        },
        "assists": {
        "min": 0,
        "max": 0.0048,
        "avg": 0.0014
        },
        "xA": {
        "min": 0.000264191,
        "max": 0.00538174,
        "avg": 0.00131568
        },
        "key_passes": {
        "min": 0.0036,
        "max": 0.0309,
        "avg": 0.012
        },
        "xGChain": {
        "min": 0.00272705,
        "max": 0.0169137,
        "avg": 0.00533791
        },
        "xGBuildup": {
        "min": 0.000243189,
        "max": 0.00671256,
        "avg": 0.00131848
        },
        "position": "FW"
    }
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```

Understat.get_league_players (*league_name, season, options=None, **kwargs*) Returns a list containing information about all the players in the given league in the given season.

Parameters

- **league_name** (*str*) The league's name.
- **season** (*str or int*) The season.
- **options** Options to filter the data by, defaults to None.

• options – dict, optional

Returns A list of the players as seen on Understat's league overview.

Return type list

It returns all the information about the players in a given league in the given season. This includes stuff like their number of goals scored, their total expected assists and more. Basically, it's all the information you can find in the player table shown on all league overview pages on understat.com.

Positio	ns	Last														
All	~	All games 🗸					T					1 2			50	\$
№		Player		Team		Apps	÷	1in ≑	G \$	A \$	xG 🍦	¢ Ax	xG90		xA90	
		Sergio Agüero	Mar	nchester City							17.52 ^{-0.48}	3.78 ^{-2.22}		0.80		0.17
		Pierre-Emerick Aubameyang						2220			18.68 ^{+1.68}	4.13 ^{+0.13}		0.76		0.17
		Harry Kane		tenham							15.20 ^{-1.80}	4.54 ^{+0.54}		0.61		0.18
		Sadio Mané	Liv	erpool							12.72 ^{-4.28}	3.80 ^{+2.80}		0.46		0.14
		Mohamed Salah									18.36 ^{+1.36}	8.69 ^{+1.69}		0.62		0.29
		Raheem Sterling	Mar	nchester City							12.54 ^{-2.46}	9.91 ^{+0.91}		0.52		0.41
			Che	elsea							10.45 ^{-2.55}	8.02 ^{-2.98}		0.40		0.31
		Romelu Lukaku	Mar	nchester Unit	ed						12.05 ^{+0.05}	1.68 ^{+1.68}		0.61		
		Gylfi Sigurdsson						2541			10.23 -1.77	4.80 ^{+1.80}		0.36		0.17
		Jamie Vardy	Lei								13.83 ^{+1.83}	3.61 ^{-0.39}		0.59		0.15
									841	599	879.71 ^{+38.71}	617.30 +18.30				

The function comes with the *options* keyword argument, and the ***kwargs* magic variable, and so that can be used to filter the output. So for example, if you wanted to get all the players who play for Manchester United, then you could do the following

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
        understat = Understat(session)
        players = await understat.get_league_players(
            "epl",
            2018,
            team_title="Manchester United"
        )
        print(json.dumps(players))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs (with parts omitted)

```
"shots": "50",
    "key_passes": "17",
    "yellow_cards": "4",
    "red_cards": "0",
    "position": "F S",
    "team_title": "Manchester United",
    "npg": "12",
    "npxG": "12.054240763187408",
    "xGChain": "12.832402393221855",
    "xGBuildup": "3.366600174456835"
},
...,
{
   "id": "1740",
    "player_name": "Paul Pogba",
    "games": "27",
    "time": "2293",
    "goals": "11",
    "xG": "13.361832823604345",
    "assists": "9",
    "xA": "4.063152700662613",
    "shots": "87",
    "key_passes": "40",
    "yellow_cards": "5",
    "red_cards": "0",
    "position": "M S",
    "team_title": "Manchester United",
    "npg": "6",
    "npxG": "7.272482139989734",
    "xGChain": "17.388037759810686",
    "xGBuildup": "8.965998269617558"
}
```

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Understat.get_league_results (league_name, season, options=None, **kwargs)

Returns a list containing information about all the results (matches) played by the teams in the given league in the given season.

Parameters

- **league_name** (*str*) The league's name.
- **season** (*str or int*) The season.
- **options** Options to filter the data by, defaults to None.
- options dict, optional

Returns A list of the results as seen on Understat's league overview.

Return type list

It returns the results (not fixtures) of the given league, in the given season. So for example, the results as seen in the screenshot below

Saturda	ay, March	16, 2019
Wolverhampton Wanderers		Arsenal
West Ham	1.88 1.67	Huddersfield
		Southampton
Burnley	1 2 1.17 0.61	Leicester
Brighton		
Bournemouth	2 2 1.62 1.03	Newcastle United
Manchester United	19:00	Manchester City
Sunda	y, March 1	7, 2019
Tottenham	13:00	Crystal Palace
Fulham	12 0.92 2.73	Liverpool
Everton	2 0 2.24 1.24	Chelsea

The function comes with the *options* keyword argument, and the ***kwargs* magic variable, and so that can be used to filter the output. So for example, if you wanted to get all Manchester United's results away from home, then you could do the following

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
    understat = Understat(session)
    fixtures = await understat.get_league_results(
        "epl",
        2018,
        {
            "a": {"id": "89",
               "title": "Manchester United",
                "short_title": "MUN"}
        }
        )
        print(json.dumps(fixtures))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs (with parts omitted)

```
},
    "a": {
        "id": "89",
        "title": "Manchester United",
        "short_title": "MUN"
    },
    "goals": {
        "h": "3",
        "a": "2"
    },
    "xG": {
        "h": "1.63672",
        "a": "1.56579"
    },
    "datetime": "2018-08-19 18:00:00",
    "forecast": {
        "w": "0.3538",
        "d": "0.3473",
        "1": "0.2989"
    }
},
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{
   "id": "9496",
   "isResult": true,
   "h": {
        "id": "83",
        "title": "Arsenal",
        "short_title": "ARS"
   },
    "a": {
       "id": "89",
       "title": "Manchester United",
        "short_title": "MUN"
    },
    "goals": {
        "h": "2",
        "a": "0"
    },
    "xG": {
       "h": "1.52723",
        "a": "2.3703"
    },
    "datetime": "2019-03-10 16:30:00",
    "forecast": {
        "w": "0.1667",
        "d": "0.227",
        "1": "0.6063"
   }
}
```

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Understat.get_match_players(match_id, options=None, **kwargs)

Returns a dictionary containing information about the players who played in the given match.

Parameters

- fixture_id (int) A match's ID.
- **options** Options to filter the data by, defaults to None.
- options dict, optional

Returns Dictionary containing information about the players who played in the match.

Return type dict

It returns information about the players who played in the given match. So for example, the players seen in the screenshot below

Mancheste	r United Chelsea								۵
Nº 🔶	Player	🔶 Pos	\Rightarrow Min \Rightarrow	Sh 🌐 🌲	G 🍦	кр 🍦	A =	xG 🌲	≑ Ax
1									
2	Aaron Wan-Bissaka							0.00	0.12 ^{+0.12}
3	Victor Lindelöf								
4	Harry Maguire							0.00	
5									
6	Paul Pogba	DMC							0.70 ^{-1.30}
7	Scott McTominay								
8	Jesse Lingard	AMR						0.00	
9	Andreas Pereira								
10	Marcus Rashford	AML						1.30 ^{-0.70}	
11		FW						0.77 ^{-0.23}	
12	Juan Mata							0.00	
13								0.12 ^{+0.12}	
14		Sub						0.13 ^{-0.87}	
				11		9	3	2.37 ^{-1.63}	1.57 ^{-1.43}

An example of getting the players who played in the match between Manchester United and Chelsea on 11 August, 2019 which ended 4-0 can be seen below:

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
        understat = Understat(session)
        players = await understat.get_match_players(11652)
        print(json.dumps(players))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs (with parts omitted)

```
"player_id": "556",
        "team_id": "89",
        "position": "AML",
        "player": "Marcus Rashford",
        "h_a": "h",
        "yellow_card": "0",
        "red_card": "0",
        "roster_in": "341631",
        "roster_out": "0",
        "key_passes": "0",
        "assists": "0",
        "xA": "0",
        "xGChain": "1.1517746448516846",
        "xGBuildup": "0.6098462343215942",
        "positionOrder": "13"
    },
    . . . ,
    "341629": {
        "id": "341629",
        "goals": "1",
        "own_goals": "0",
        "shots": "4",
        "xG": "0.7688590884208679",
        "time": "90",
        "player_id": "553",
        "team_id": "89",
        "position": "FW",
        "player": "Anthony Martial",
        "h_a": "h",
        "yellow_card": "1",
        "red_card": "0",
        "roster_in": "0",
        "roster_out": "0"
        "key_passes": "1",
        "assists": "0",
        "xA": "0.05561231076717377",
        "xGChain": "0.9395027160644531",
        "xGBuildup": "0.11503136157989502",
        "positionOrder": "15"
    }
},
"a": {
    "341633": {
        "id": "341633",
        "goals": "0",
        "own_goals": "0",
        "shots": "0",
        "xG": "0",
        "time": "90",
        "player_id": "5061",
        "team_id": "80",
        "position": "GK",
        "player": "Kepa",
        "h_a": "a",
        "yellow_card": "0",
        "red card": "0",
        "roster_in": "0",
```

```
"roster_out": "0",
            "key_passes": "0",
            "assists": "0",
            "xA": "0",
            "xGChain": "0.04707280918955803",
            "xGBuildup": "0.04707280918955803",
            "positionOrder": "1"
        },
        . . . ,
        "341642": {
            "id": "341642",
            "goals": "0",
            "own_goals": "0",
            "shots": "2",
            "xG": "0.08609434962272644",
            "time": "60",
            "player_id": "592",
            "team_id": "80",
            "position": "AML",
            "player": "Ross Barkley",
            "h_a": "a",
            "yellow_card": "0",
            "red_card": "0",
            "roster_in": "341646",
            "roster_out": "0",
            "key_passes": "1",
            "assists": "0",
            "xA": "0.024473881348967552",
            "xGChain": "0.11056823283433914",
            "xGBuildup": "0",
            "positionOrder": "13"
        }
   }
}
```

Understat.get_match_shots(match_id, options=None, **kwargs)

Returns a dictionary containing information about shots taken by the players in the given match.

Parameters

- fixture_id (int) A match's ID.
- options Options to filter the data by, defaults to None.
- options dict, optional

Returns Dictionary containing information about the players who played in the match.

Return type dict

It returns information about the shots made by players who played in the given match. So for example, the shots seen in the screenshot below



An example of getting the shots made in the match between Manchester United and Chelsea on 11 August, 2019 which ended 4-0 can be seen below:

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
        understat = Understat(session)
        players = await understat.get_match_shots(11652)
        print(json.dumps(players))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs (with parts omitted)

```
{
   "h": [
       {
            "id": "310295",
            "minute": "6",
            "result": "SavedShot",
            "X": "0.8280000305175781",
            "Y": "0.639000015258789",
            "xG": "0.04247729107737541",
            "player": "Anthony Martial",
            "h_a": "h",
            "player_id": "553",
            "situation": "OpenPlay",
            "season": "2019",
            "shotType": "RightFoot",
            "match_id": "11652",
            "h_team": "Manchester United",
            "a_team": "Chelsea",
            "h_goals": "4",
            "a_goals": "0",
            "date": "2019-08-11 16:30:00",
            "player_assisted": null,
            "lastAction": "None"
        },
        . . . ,
        {
```

```
"id": "310318",
        "minute": "86",
        "result": "BlockedShot",
        "X": "0.8669999694824219",
        "Y": "0.47299999237060547",
        "xG": "0.11503136157989502",
        "player": "Mason Greenwood",
        "h_a": "h",
        "player_id": "7490",
        "situation": "OpenPlay",
        "season": "2019",
        "shotType": "RightFoot",
        "match_id": "11652",
        "h_team": "Manchester United",
        "a_team": "Chelsea",
        "h_goals": "4",
        "a_goals": "0",
        "date": "2019-08-11 16:30:00",
        "player_assisted": "Aaron Wan-Bissaka",
        "lastAction": "Cross"
    }
],
"a": [
   {
        "id": "310293",
        "minute": "3",
        "result": "ShotOnPost",
        "X": "0.835999984741211",
        "Y": "0.38599998474121094".
        "xG": "0.03392893448472023",
        "player": "Tammy Abraham",
        "h_a": "a",
        "player_id": "702",
        "situation": "FromCorner",
        "season": "2019",
        "shotType": "RightFoot",
        "match_id": "11652",
        "h_team": "Manchester United",
        "a_team": "Chelsea",
        "h_goals": "4",
        "a goals": "0",
        "date": "2019-08-11 16:30:00",
        "player_assisted": "Mateo Kovacic",
        "lastAction": "BallTouch"
    },
    . . . ,
    {
        "id": "310321",
        "minute": "93",
        "result": "SavedShot",
        "X": "0.850999984741211",
        "Y": "0.7",
        "xG": "0.043492574244737625",
        "player": "Emerson",
        "h_a": "a",
        "player_id": "1245",
        "situation": "OpenPlay",
```

```
"season": "2019",
"shotType": "LeftFoot",
"match_id": "11652",
"h_team": "Manchester United",
"a_team": "Chelsea",
"h_goals": "4",
"a_goals": "0",
"date": "2019-08-11 16:30:00",
"player_assisted": "Christian Pulisic",
"lastAction": "Pass"
}
]
```

Understat.get_stats(options=None, **kwargs)

Returns a list containing stats of every league, grouped by month.

Parameters

- options Options to filter the data by, defaults to None.
- options dict, optional

Returns List of dictionaries.

Return type list

It returns the average stats of all the leagues tracked on understat.com, split by month. Basically, it is all the information you see on their homepage, as seen in the screenshot below



The function comes with the *options* keyword argument, and the ***kwargs* magic variable, and so that can be used to filter the output. So for example, if you wanted to gets the stats for the Premier League in the 8th month of each year they have been tracking the stats, then you could do the following

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
    understat = Understat(session)
    stats = await understat.get_stats({"league": "EPL", "month": "8"})
    print(json.dumps(stats))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs

```
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   {
        "league_id": "1",
        "league": "EPL",
        "h": "1.3000",
        "a": "1.4000",
        "hxg": "1.141921697060267",
        "axg": "1.110964298248291",
        "year": "2014",
        "month": "8",
        "matches": "30"
   },
   {
        "league_id": "1",
        "league": "EPL",
        "h": "1.1000",
        "a": "1.3750",
        "hxg": "1.2151590750552714",
        "axg": "1.221375621855259",
        "year": "2015",
        "month": "8",
        "matches": "40"
   },
    {
        "league_id": "1",
        "league": "EPL",
        "h": "1.2000",
        "a": "1.2000",
        "hxg": "1.3605596815546355",
        "axg": "1.145853524406751",
        "year": "2016",
        "month": "8",
        "matches": "30"
   },
    {
        "league_id": "1",
        "league": "EPL",
        "h": "1.3000",
        "a": "1.1333",
        "hxg": "1.4422248949607213",
        "axg": "1.096401752779881",
        "year": "2017",
        "month": "8",
        "matches": "30"
   },
   {
```

```
"league_id": "1",
"league": "EPL",
"h": "1.6333",
"a": "1.3333",
"hxg": "1.453833992779255",
"axg": "1.4325587471326193",
"year": "2018",
"month": "8",
"matches": "30"
}
```

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Understat.get_team_fixtures (*team_name*, *season*, *options=None*, ***kwargs*) Returns a team's upcoming fixtures in the given season.

Parameters

- team_name (*str*) A team's name.
- **season** (*int* or *str*) The season.
- **options** Options to filter the data by, defaults to None.
- options dict, optional

Returns List of the team's upcoming fixtures in the given season.

Return type list

It returns the upcoming fixtures (not results) of the given team, in the given season. So for example, the fixtures as seen in the screenshot below

Mar 30, 2019	H	Apr 06, 2019 🛛 🗛	Apr 13, 2019 🖁 🖁	Apr 20, 2019 🛛 🗛	Apr 27, 2019 🖁	May 04, 2019 🗛	May 12, 2019 🖁
16:00		18:00	18:00	18:00	18:00	18:00	18:00
Watford		Wolverhampton Wanderers	West Ham	Everton	Chelsea	Huddersfield	Cardiff

The function comes with the *options* keyword argument, and the ***kwargs* magic variable, and so that can be used to filter the output. This is similar to the *get_league_fixtures* function, but it makes certain options for filtering much easier. For example, if you, once again, wanted to get all Manchester United's upcoming fixtures at **home**, then instead of passing a dictionary as keyword argument, you could simply do the following

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
    understat = Understat(session)
    results = await understat.get_team_fixtures(
        "Manchester United",
        2018,
        side="h"
    )
    print(json.dumps(results))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs (with parts omitted)

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```
{
        "id": "9501",
        "isResult": false,
        "side": "h",
        "h": {
            "id": "89",
            "title": "Manchester United",
            "short_title": "MUN"
        },
        "a": {
            "id": "88",
            "title": "Manchester City",
            "short_title": "MCI"
        },
        "goals": {
            "h": null,
            "a": null
        },
        "xG": {
           "h": null,
            "a": null
        },
        "datetime": "2019-03-16 18:00:00"
   },
    ...,
    {
        "id": "9570",
        "isResult": false,
        "side": "h",
        "h": {
            "id": "89",
            "title": "Manchester United",
            "short_title": "MUN"
        },
        "a": {
            "id": "227",
            "title": "Cardiff",
            "short_title": "CAR"
        },
        "goals": {
            "h": null,
            "a": null
        },
        "xG": {
            "h": null,
            "a": null
        },
        "datetime": "2019-05-12 17:00:00"
    }
]
```

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Understat.get_team_players (*team_name, season, options=None, **kwargs*) Returns a team's player statistics in the given season.

Parameters

- team_name (str) A team's name.
- **season** (*int* or *str*) The season.
- **options** Options to filter the data by, defaults to None.
- **options** dict, optional

Returns List of the team's players' statistics in the given season.

Return type list

It returns all the information about the players of a given team in the given season. This includes stuff like their number of goals scored, their total expected assists and more. Basically, it's all the information you can find in the player table shown on all team overview pages on understat.com.

Positi	ons	Last											
AII	~	All games '	✓ Start d				T						\$
N₂		Player 🔶	Pos A	pps 🍦	Min 🌲	G \$	A \Rightarrow	Sh90 🔶	KP90 🌲	xG 🌲	¢ Ax	xG90 \$	xA90 🔶
		Romelu Lukaku						2.55	0.87	12.05 ^{+0.05}		0.61	0.09
		Paul Pogba			2293			3.41	1.57	13.36 ^{+2.36}	4.06 ^{-4.94}	0.52	0.16
		Anthony Martial	FM					2.06	2.06	5.49 ^{-3.51}	3.00 ^{+1.00}	0.38	0.21
	4	1arcus Rashford	FM					3.21	1.34	9.60 ^{+0.60}	4.30 ^{-1.70}	0.47	0.21
		Jesse Lingard	FM					1.73	0.90	4.13 ^{+0.13}	2.27 ^{+0.27}	0.29	0.16
		Ander Herrera						1.41			2.04 ^{-0.96}	0.11	0.15
		Juan Mata	FM						1.78	0.98 ^{-1.02}	3.03 ^{+1.03}		0.27
		Ashley Young						0.45	1.43	0.45 ^{-1.55}	3.06 ^{+1.06}	0.02	0.14
			FM						2.27	1.71 ^{+0.71}	3.39 ^{+0.39}	0.19	0.39
		Chris Smalling						0.51	0.06		0.06 ^{+0.06}	0.06	0.00
		Nemanja Matic						0.42	0.55		0.56 ^{+0.56}		0.02
		Andreas Pereira			390			0.92	0.69	0.11 ^{-0.89}	0.50 ^{-0.50}	0.02	0.12
	13 L	uke Shaw	DM	24	2144	1	2	0.71	1.13	1.26 ^{+0.26}	3.09 ^{+1.09}	0.05	0.13

The function comes with the *options* keyword argument, and the **kwargs magic variable, and so that can be used to filter the output. This is similar to the *get_league_players* function, but is quicker and easier. For example, if you, once again, wanted to get all Manchester United's players who have only played games as a forward, then you could do the following

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
    understat = Understat(session)
    results = await understat.get_team_players(
        "Manchester United",
        2018,
        position="F S"
    )
    print(json.dumps(results))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs

{

[

```
"id": "594",
    "player_name": "Romelu Lukaku",
    "games": "27",
    "time": "1768",
    "goals": "12",
    "xG": "12.054240763187408",
    "assists": "0",
    "xA": "1.6836179178208113",
    "shots": "50",
    "key_passes": "17",
    "yellow_cards": "4",
    "red_cards": "0",
    "position": "F S",
    "team_title": "Manchester United",
    "npg": "12",
    "npxG": "12.054240763187408",
    "xGChain": "12.832402393221855",
    "xGBuildup": "3.366600174456835"
}
```

]

Understat.get_team_results (*team_name*, *season*, *options=None*, ***kwargs*) Returns a team's results in the given season.

Parameters

- team_name (*str*) A team's name.
- **season** (*int* or *str*) The season.
- options Options to filter the data by, defaults to None.
- options dict, optional

Returns List of the team's results in the given season.

Return type list

It returns the results (not fixtures) of the given team, in the given season. So for example, the fixtures as seen in the screenshot below

Jan 19, 2019 🖁	Jan 29, 2019 🖁	Feb 03, 2019 🛛 🗛	Feb 09, 2019 🛛 🗛	Feb 24, 2019	Feb 27, 2019 🛛 🗛	Mar 02, 2019 🖁 🖁
2 1	2 2	0 1	0 3	0 0	1 3	3 2
2.64 0.64 Brighton	3.23 0.93 Burnley	Leicester	2.19 2.13 Fulham	0.47 0.38 Liverpool	1.69 1.54 Crystal Palace	2.54 0.58 Southampton

The function comes with the *options* keyword argument, and the ***kwargs* magic variable, and so that can be used to filter the output. This is similar to the *get_league_results* function, but it makes certain options for filtering much easier. For example, if you, once again, wanted to get all Manchester United's results at **home**, then instead of passing a dictionary as keyword argument, you could simply do the following

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
    understat = Understat(session)
    results = await understat.get_team_results(
        "Manchester United",
```

```
2018,
side="h"
)
print(json.dumps(results))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs (with parts omitted)

```
[
   {
       "id": "9197",
       "isResult": true,
        "side": "h",
        "h": {
            "id": "89",
            "title": "Manchester United",
            "short_title": "MUN"
        },
        "a": {
            "id": "75",
            "title": "Leicester",
           "short_title": "LEI"
        },
        "goals": {
            "h": "2",
            "a": "1"
        },
        "xG": {
           "h": "1.5137",
           "a": "1.73813"
        },
        "datetime": "2018-08-10 22:00:00",
        "forecast": {
           "w": 0.33715468577027,
           "d": 0.23067469101496,
           "1": 0.43217062251974
       },
        "result": "w"
   },
   ...,
   {
       "id": "9226",
       "isResult": true,
       "side": "h",
        "h": {
            "id": "89",
            "title": "Manchester United",
            "short_title": "MUN"
        },
        "a": {
           "id": "82",
           "title": "Tottenham",
           "short_title": "TOT"
        },
        "goals": {
```

```
"h": "0",
            "a": "3"
        },
        "xG": {
            "h": "1.40321",
            "a": "1.80811"
        },
        "datetime": "2018-08-27 22:00:00",
        "forecast": {
            "w": 0.29970781519619,
            "d": 0.22891929318443,
            "1": 0.47137289056693
        },
        "result": "1"
    }
]
```

Understat.get_team_stats(team_name, season)

Returns a team's stats, as seen on their page on Understat, in the given season.

Parameters

- team_name (*str*) A team's name, e.g. Manchester United.
- **season** (*int* or *str*) A season / year, e.g. 2018.

Returns A dictionary containing a team's stats.

Return type dict

It returns all the statistics of a given team, which includes stuff like their performance per season, formation and more. Basically, it's everything that can be found in the table shown in the screenshot below

Situa	ation	Formation	Game	state	Ti	ming	Shot zo	nes	Attacl	k speed	Resu	lt							\$
N2		Situation		Sh		G \$	ShA		GA		xG		xGA	xGD		xG/Sh		xGA/Sh	÷
		Open play						279			36.67		28.87		7.80		0.12		0.10
											7.36		6.59		0.77		0.12		0.10
		Set piece									4.63		3.94		0.69		0.22		0.14
		Direct Freekick									1.05				-0.04				0.06
		Penalty											3.8		3.81		0.76		0.76

An example of getting Manchester United's data can be found below

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
    understat = Understat(session)
    team_stats = await understat.get_team_stats("Manchester United", 2018)
    print(json.dumps(team_stats))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs (with parts omitted)

```
"situation": {
    "OpenPlay": {
        "shots": 297,
        "goals": 39,
        "xG": 36.671056651045,
        "against": {
            "shots": 279,
            "goals": 25,
            "xG": 28.870285989717
        }
    },
    . . . ,
    "Penalty": {
        "shots": 10,
        "goals": 7,
        "xG": 7.611688375473,
        "against": {
            "shots": 5,
            "goals": 5,
            "xG": 3.8058441877365
        }
   }
},
"formation": {
    "4-3-3": {
        "stat": "4-3-3",
        "time": 1295,
        "shots": 185,
        "goals": 30,
        "xG": 27.7899469533,
        "against": {
            "shots": 176,
            "goals": 18,
            "xG": 20.478145442903
        }
    },
    . . . ,
    "4-4-2": {
        "stat": "4-4-2",
        "time": 38,
        "shots": 8,
        "goals": 0,
        "xG": 0.87938431277871,
        "against": {
            "shots": 11,
            "goals": 1,
            "xG": 0.66449437476695
        }
   }
},
"gameState": {
    "Goal diff 0": {
        "stat": "Goal diff 0",
        "time": 1284,
        "shots": 154,
        "goals": 20,
```

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{

```
"xG": 20.433959940448,
        "against": {
            "shots": 170,
            "goals": 15,
            "xG": 17.543024708517
        }
    },
    · · · ,
    "Goal diff < -1": {
        "stat": "Goal diff < -1",
        "time": 253,
        "shots": 43,
        "goals": 7,
        "xG": 6.4928285568021,
        "against": {
            "shots": 21,
            "goals": 1,
            "xG": 2.9283153852448
        }
    }
},
"timing": {
    "1-15": {
        "stat": "1-15",
        "shots": 51,
        "goals": 6,
        "xG": 7.2566251829267,
        "against": {
            "shots": 72,
            "goals": 7,
            "xG": 8.5656435946003
        }
    },
    · · · ,
    "76+": {
        "stat": "76+",
        "shots": 70,
        "goals": 12,
        "xG": 10.272770666517,
        "against": {
            "shots": 77,
            "goals": 8,
            "xG": 10.18940022774
        }
    }
},
"shotZone": {
    "ownGoals": {
        "stat": "ownGoals",
        "shots": 0,
        "goals": 0,
        "xG": 0,
        "against": {
            "shots": 2,
            "goals": 2,
            "xG": 2
        }
```

```
},
    "shotOboxTotal": {
        "stat": "shotOboxTotal",
        "shots": 158,
        "goals": 8,
        "xG": 4.8084309450351,
        "against": {
            "shots": 170,
            "goals": 6,
            "xG": 5.4022304248065
        }
    },
    ...,
    "shotSixYardBox": {
        "stat": "shotSixYardBox",
        "shots": 36,
        "goals": 13,
        "xG": 13.912872407585,
        "against": {
            "shots": 32,
            "goals": 8,
            "xG": 11.533062046394
        }
   }
},
"attackSpeed": {
    "Normal": {
        "stat": "Normal",
        "shots": 258,
        "goals": 34,
        "xG": 30.690259062219,
        "against": {
            "shots": 230,
            "goals": 18,
            "xG": 23.094043077901
        }
   },
    . . . ,
    "Slow": {
       "stat": "Slow",
        "shots": 18,
        "goals": 2,
        "xG": 0.71848054975271,
        "against": {
            "shots": 26,
            "goals": 5,
            "xG": 2.9855494443327
        }
   }
},
"result": {
    "MissedShots": {
        "shots": 122,
        "goals": 0,
        "xG": 12.353983599227,
        "against": {
            "shots": 155,
```

```
"goals": 0,
                 "xG": 13.091518453322
            }
        },
        ...,
        "ShotOnPost": {
            "shots": 4,
             "goals": 0,
             "xG": 0.81487018615007,
             "against": {
                 "shots": 2,
                 "goals": 0,
                 "xG": 0.61989105120301
            }
        }
    }
}
```

Understat.get_teams (*league_name*, *season*, *options=None*, ***kwargs*) Returns a list containing information about all the teams in the given league in the given season.

Parameters

- **league_name** (*str*) The league's name.
- **season** (*str* or *int*) The season.
- options Options to filter the data by, defaults to None.
- **options** dict, optional

Returns A list of the league's table as seen on Understat's league overview.

Return type list

It returns all the information for the teams in a given league, in a given season. Basically it is all the information that is shown in the league's table, as shown in the screenshot below

Table Charts	overall ho	ome aw	/ay	Start o	date	ė) End	l date						¢	
N2 \$	Team		⇒ M		w <			L \$	G \$	GA 🗢	PTS	xG 🔷	xGA 🔶	xPTS 🗢	
1 Liverpool												65.85 ^{-4,15}	23.04 ^{+5.04}	69.26 ^{-6.74}	
2 Manchest	er City											76.75 ^{-2.25}	21.68 ^{+0.68}	71.82 ^{-2.18}	
3 Tottenhar												50.19 ^{-6.81}	39.01 ^{+7.01}	49.50 ^{-11.50}	
4 Arsenal												52.96 ^{-10.04}	42.57 ^{+3.57}	48.33 ^{-11.67}	
5 Manchest	er United											56.23 ^{-1.77}	41.74 ^{+1.74}	49.76 ^{-8.24}	
6 Chelsea												48.52 ^{-1.48}	31.91 ^{-1.09}	54.33 ^{-2.67}	
7 Wolverhau	mpton Wanderer											41.36 ^{+3.36}	32.11 ^{-3.89}	47.68 ^{+3.68}	
8 Watford												41.07 ^{-0.93}	45.31 ^{+1.31}	40.04 ^{-2.96}	
9 West Ham												38.42 ^{-2.58}	53.44 ^{+7.44}	35.16 ^{-6.84}	
10 Leicester												40.36 ^{+0.36}	36.96 ^{-6.04}	45.10 ^{+4.10}	
11 Everton												40.72 ^{-2.28}	45.43 ^{+3.43}	39.33 ^{-0.67}	
12 Bournemo												44.46 ^{+1.46}	50.01 ^{-5.99}	40.84 ^{+2.84}	
13 Newcastle												33.05 ^{+2.05}	50.19 ^{+10.19}	30.55 ^{-4,45}	
14 Crystal Pa	lace											38.51 ^{+2.51}	39.41 ^{-1.59}	41.34 ^{+8.34}	
15 Brighton												31.27 ^{-0.73}	46.26 ^{+4.26}	29.93 ^{-3.07}	
16 Southamp												36.78 ^{+2.78}	48.08 ^{-1.92}	33.62 ^{+3.62}	
17 Burnley												36.85 ^{+1.85}	55.37 ^{-3.63}	34.27 ^{+4.27}	
18 Cardiff												34.05 ^{+7.05}	50.81 ^{-6.19}	30.55 ^{+2.55}	
19 Fulham												34.17 ^{+5.17}	60.38 ^{-9.62}	27.35 ^{+10.3}	6
20 Huddersfi	eld											22.62 ^{+4.62}	50.45 ^{-6.55}	25.49 ^{+11.49}	

The function comes with the *options* keyword argument, and the ***kwargs* magic variable, and so that can be used to filter the output. So for example, if you wanted to get Manchester United's stats (as shown in the table), you could do the following

```
async def main():
    async with aiohttp.ClientSession() as session:
        understat = Understat(session)
        teams = await understat.get_teams(
            "epl",
            2018,
            title="Manchester United"
        )
        print(json.dumps(teams))
loop = asyncio.get_event_loop()
loop.run_until_complete(main())
```

which outputs (with parts omitted)

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```
"xGA": 1.73813,
            "npxG": 0.75253,
             "npxGA": 1.73813,
             "ppda": {
             "att": 285,
             "def": 18
             },
             "ppda_allowed": {
             "att": 298,
            "def": 26
            },
            "deep": 3,
            "deep_allowed": 10,
            "scored": 2,
            "missed": 1,
            "xpts": 1.1711,
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            "draws": 0,
            "loses": 0,
             "pts": 3,
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        },
        ...,
        {
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            "npxG": 2.3703,
             "npxGA": 0.766059,
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             "draws": 0,
            "loses": 1,
            "pts": 0,
            "npxGD": 1.604241
        }
    ]
}
```

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CHAPTER 3

The Contributor Guide

If you want to help **understat** out and contribute to the project, be it via development, suggestions, hunting bugs etc. then this part of the documentation is for you!

3.1 Contributing

If you're reading this, then you're probably interested in helping out with the development of **understat**! On this page you will be able to find information that *should* make it easier for you to start contributing. Since contributions can be in all kinds of different forms, the contributing guide has been split up into sections.

To contact me directly you can send an email to amosbastian@gmail.com. If you are looking for other people interested in programming stuff related to football, then you can also join our Discord server.

3.1.1 Code contributions

Submitting code

When contributing code, you'll want to follow this checklist:

- 1. Fork the repository on GitHub.
- 2. Run the tests with *pytest tests/* to confirm they all pass on your system. If the tests fail, then try and find out why this is happening. If you aren't able to do this yourself, then don't hesitate to either create an issue on GitHub (see *Reporting bugs*), contact me on Discord or send an email to amosbastian@gmail.com.
- 3. Either create your feature and then write tests for it, or do this the other way around.
- 4. Run all tests again with with *pytest tests*/ to confirm that everything still passes, including your newly added test(s).
- 5. Create a pull request for the main repository's master branch.

If you want, you can also add your name AUTHORS.

Code review

Currently I am the only maintainer of this project. Because of this I will review each pull request myself and provide feedback if necessary. I would like this to happen in a clear and calm manner (from both sides)!

New contributors

If you are new or relatively new to contributing to open source projects, then please don't hesitate to contact me directly! I am more than willing to help out, and will try and assign issues to you if possible.

Code style

The *understat* package follows PEP 8 code style. Currently there is only one specific additions to this, but if you think more should be added, then this can always be discussed.

• Always use double-quoted strings, unless it is not possible.

3.1.2 Documentation contributions

Documentation improvements and suggestions are always welcome! The documentation files live in the docs/ directory. They're written in reStructuredText, and use Sphinx to generate the full suite of documentation.

Of course the documentation doesn't have to be too serious, but try and keep it semi-formal.

3.1.3 Reporting bugs

If you encounter any bugs while using **understat** then please don't hesitate to open an issue. However, before you do, please check the GitHub issues (make sure to also check closed ones) to see if the bug has already been reported.

A template is provided below to make it easier to understand the issue:

```
#### Expected behaviour
What did you expect to happen?
##### Actual behaviour
What actually happened?
##### How to reproduce
When did it happen? Include a code snippet if possible!
```

3.1.4 Feature requests

Currently **understat** is in active development, so feature requests are more than welcome. If you have any ideas for features you'd like to see added, then simply create an issue with an **enhancement** label.

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