

Pandas

Cheat

Sheet

Import Export Data

- **`pd.read_csv(filename)`**: Read data from a CSV file.
- **`pd.read_table(filename)`**: Read data from a delimited text file.
- **`pd.read_excel(filename)`**: Read data from an Excel file.
- **`pd.read_sql(query, connection_object)`**: Read data from a SQL table/database.
- **`pd.read_json(json_string)`**: Read data from a JSON formatted string, URL, or file.
- **`pd.read_html(url)`**: Parse an HTML URL, string, or file to extract tables to a list of DataFrames.
- **`pd.DataFrame(dict)`**: Create a DataFrame from a dictionary (keys as column names, values as lists).
- **`df.to_csv(filename)`**: Write to a CSV file.
- **`df.to_excel(filename)`**: Write to an Excel file.
- **`df.to_sql(table_nm, connection_object)`**: Write to a SQL table.
- **`df.to_json(filename)`**: Write to a file in JSON format.

Inspect Data

- **`df.head()`**: View the first 5 rows of the DataFrame.
- **`df.tail()`**: View the last 5 rows of the DataFrame.
- **`df.sample()`**: View the random 5 rows of the DataFrame.
- **`df.shape`**: Get the dimensions of the DataFrame.
- **`df.info()`**: Get a concise summary of the DataFrame.
- **`df.describe()`**: Summary statistics for numerical columns.
- **`df.dtypes`**: Check data types of columns.
- **`df.columns`**: List column names.
- **`df.index`**: Display the index range.

Select Index Data

- **`df['column']`**: Select a single column.
- **`df[['col1', 'col2']]`**: Select multiple columns.
- **`df.iloc[0]`**: Select the first row by position.
- **`df.loc[0]`**: Select the first row by index label.
- **`df.iloc[0, 0]`**: Select a specific element by position.
- **`df.loc[0, 'column']`**: Select a specific element by label.
- **`df[df['col'] > 5]`**: Filter rows where column > 5.
- **`df.iloc[0:5, 0:2]`**: Slice rows and columns.
- **`df.set_index('column')`**: Set a column as the index.

Cleaning Data

- **`df.isnull()`** : Check for null values.
- **`df.notnull()`** : Check for non-null values.
- **`df.dropna()`** : Drop rows with null values.
- **`df.fillna(value)`** : Replace null values with a specific value.
- **`df.replace(1, 'one')`** : Replace specific values.
- **`df.rename(columns={'old': 'new'})`** : Rename columns.
- **`df.astype('int')`** : Change data type of a column.
- **`df.drop_duplicates()`** : Remove duplicate rows.
- **`df.reset_index()`** : Reset the index.

Sort Filter Data

- **`df.sort_values('col')`**: Sort by column in ascending order.
- **`df.sort_values('col', ascending=False)`**: Sort by column in descending order.
- **`df.sort_values(['col1', 'col2'], ascending=[True, False])`**: Sort by multiple columns.
- **`df[df['col'] > 5]`**: Filter rows based on condition.
- **`df.query('col > 5')`**: Filter using a query string.
- **`df.sample(5)`**: Randomly select 5 rows.
- **`df.nlargest(3, 'col')`**: Get top 3 rows by column.
- **`df.nsmallest(3, 'col')`**: Get bottom 3 rows by column.
- **`df.filter(like='part')`**: Filter columns by substring.

Group Data

- **`df.groupby('col')`** : Group by a column.
- **`df.groupby('col').mean()`** : Mean of groups.
- **`df.groupby('col').sum()`** : Sum of groups.
- **`df.groupby('col').count()`** : Count non-null values in groups.
- **`df.groupby('col')['other_col'].max()`** : Max value in another column for groups.
- **`df.pivot_table(values='col', index='group', aggfunc='mean')`** : Create a pivot table.
- **`df.agg({'col1': 'mean', 'col2': 'sum'})`** : Aggregate multiple columns.
- **`df.apply(np.mean)`** : Apply a function to columns.
- **`df.transform(lambda x: x + 10)`** : Transform data column-wise.

Merge Join Data

- **`pd.concat([df1, df2])`**: Concatenate DataFrames vertically.
- **`pd.concat([df1, df2], axis=1)`**: Concatenate DataFrames horizontally.
- **`df1.merge(df2, on='key')`**: Merge two DataFrames on a key.
- **`df1.join(df2)`**: SQL-style join.
- **`df1.append(df2)`**: Append rows of one DataFrame to another.
- **`pd.merge(df1, df2, how='outer', on='key')`**: Outer join.
- **`pd.merge(df1, df2, how='inner', on='key')`**: Inner join.
- **`pd.merge(df1, df2, how='left', on='key')`**: Left join.
- **`pd.merge(df1, df2, how='right', on='key')`**: Right join.

Statistical Operations

- **df.mean()** : Column-wise mean.
- **df.median()** : Column-wise median.
- **df.std()** : Column-wise standard deviation.
- **df.var()** : Column-wise variance.
- **df.sum()** : Column-wise sum.
- **df.min()** : Column-wise minimum.
- **df.max()** : Column-wise maximum.
- **df.count()** : Count of non-null values per column.
- **df.corr()** : Correlation matrix.

Data Visualization

- `df.plot(kind='line')`: Line plot.
- `df.plot(kind='bar')`: Vertical bar plot.
- `df.plot(kind='barh')`: Horizontal bar plot.
- `df.plot(kind='hist')`: Histogram.
- `df.plot(kind='box')`: Box plot.
- `df.plot(kind='kde')`: Kernel density estimation plot.
- `df.plot(kind='pie', y='col')`: Pie chart.
- `df.plot.scatter(x='c1', y='c2')`: Scatter plot.
- `df.plot(kind='area')`: Area plot.