Lecture 14: Plotting II

Doing more with our visuals

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First, import statements

```
1   import numpy as np
2   import pandas as pd
3   import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
4   import seaborn as sns
```

Finishing a plot

```
6   fig.show()
7   fig.savefig('plot.png')
8   fig.clear()
```

Can also use `plt.show()` to duplicate the code on lines 6 and 8.

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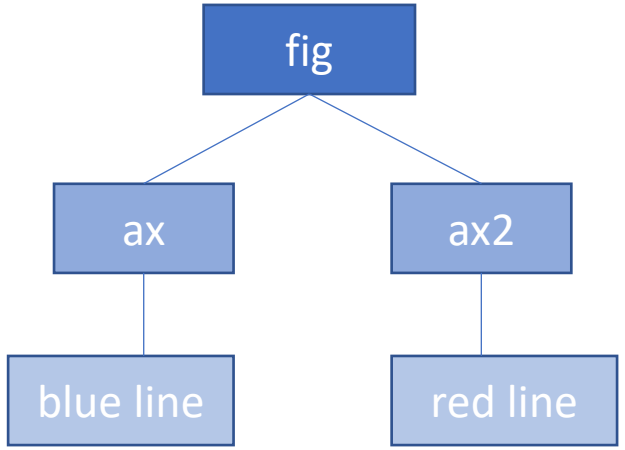
Both axis (ax and ax2) are in the same figure (fig)!

ax contains the first line (Blue line)
ax2 contains the second line (Red line)



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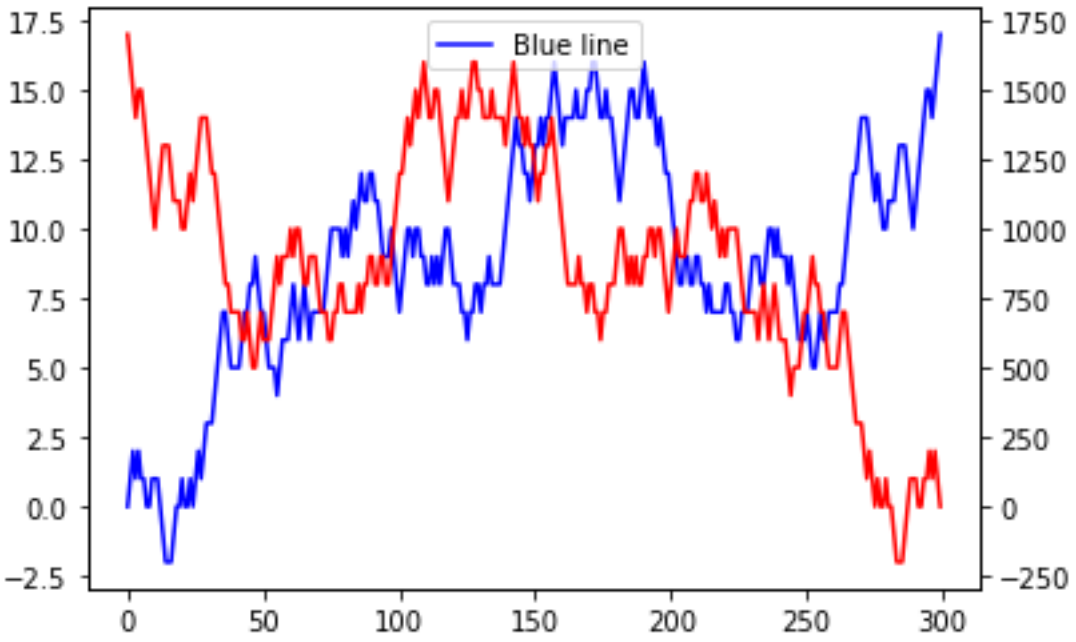

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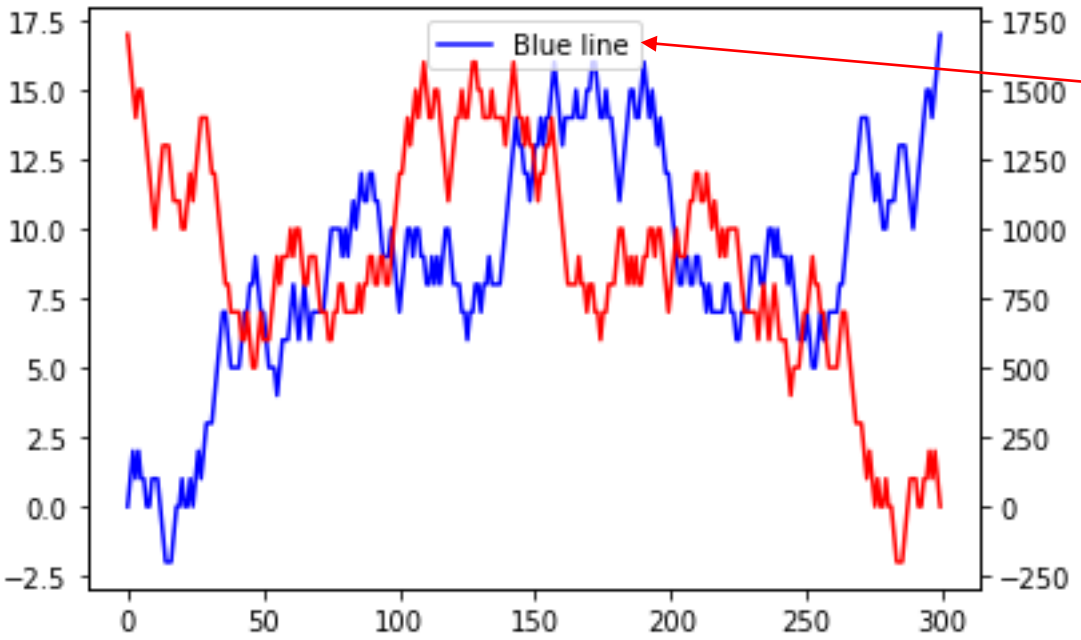

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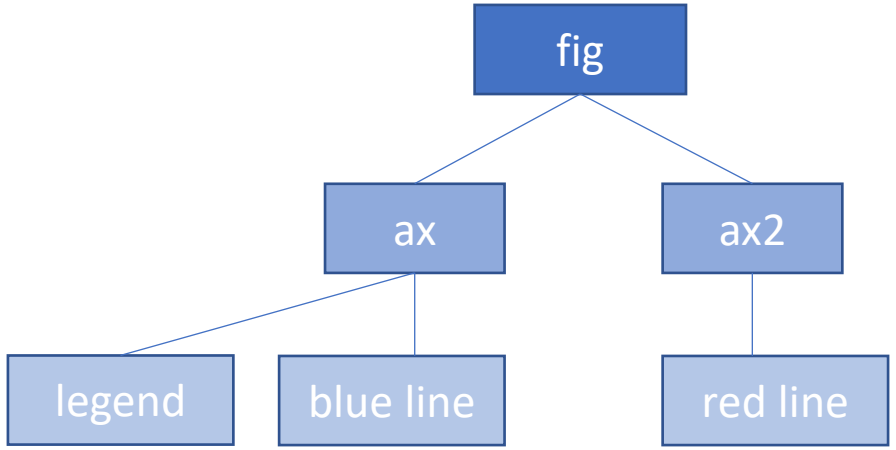
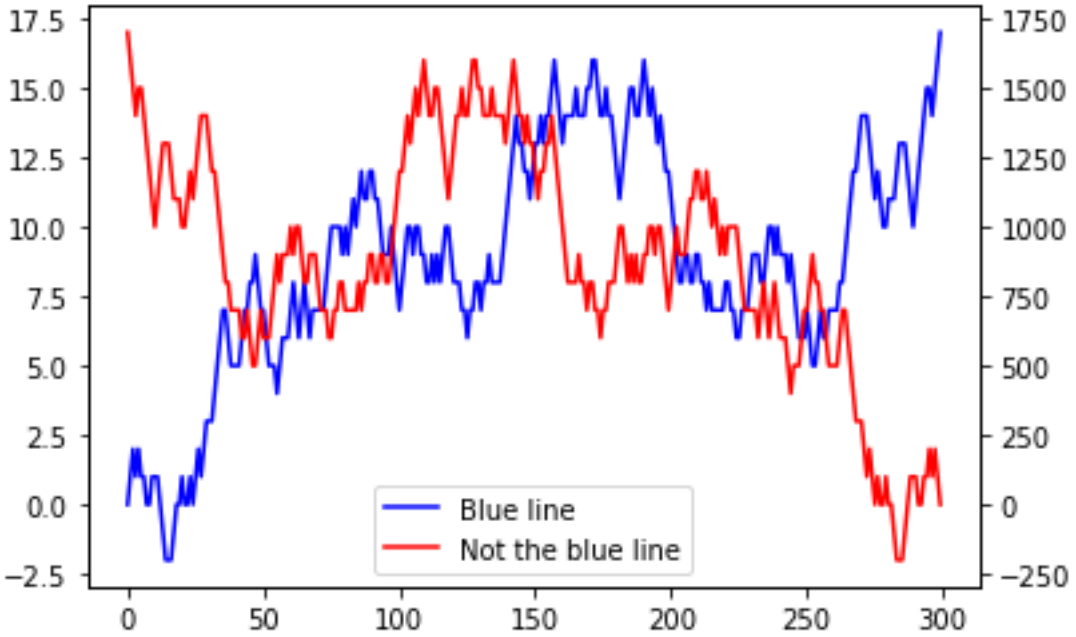


Dual-y axis plots

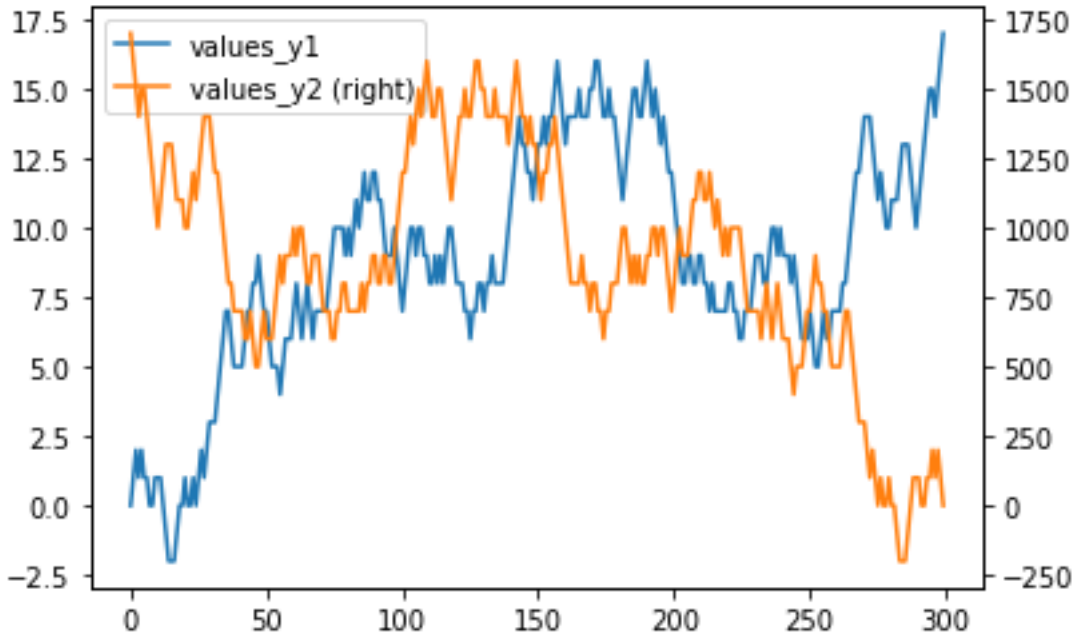
```
19  fig, ax = plt.subplots()
20  ax.plot(x, y, 'b-', label='Blue line')
21  ax.plot(np.NaN, 'r-', label='Not the blue line')
22  ax.legend(loc='lower center')
23
24  ax2 = ax.twinx()
25  ax2.plot(x, new_y, 'r-', label='Not the blue line')
```

Just add a duplicate of the ax2 line, but with NaN as the values to plot (no line)



Or just use Pandas

```
28  df = pd.DataFrame({'values_y1':y, 'values_y2':new_y})
29  ax = df.plot(secondary_y='values_y2')
```



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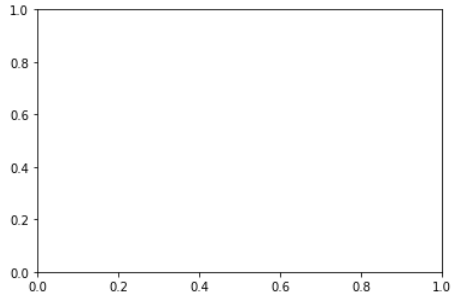


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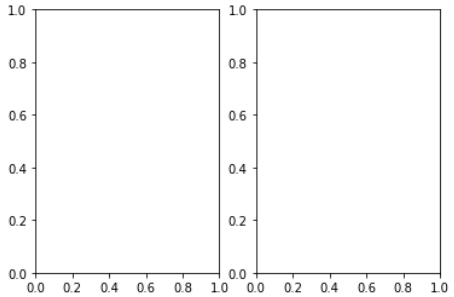


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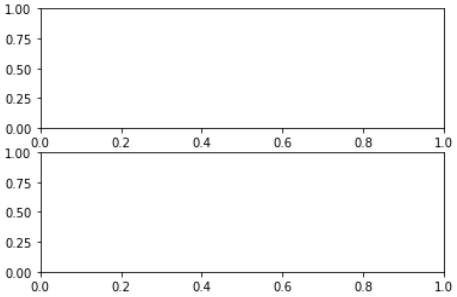


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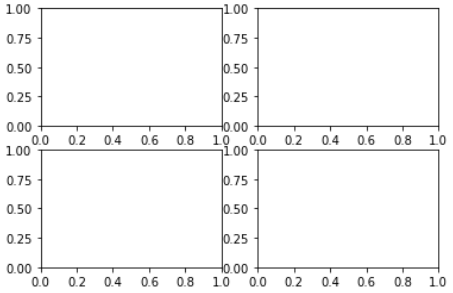

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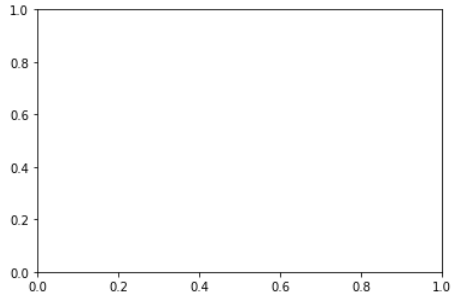


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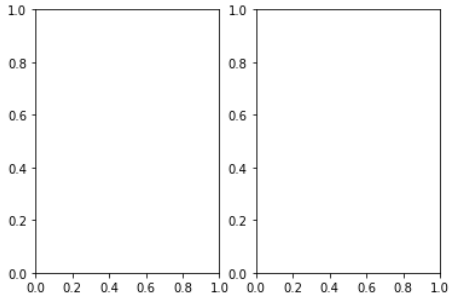


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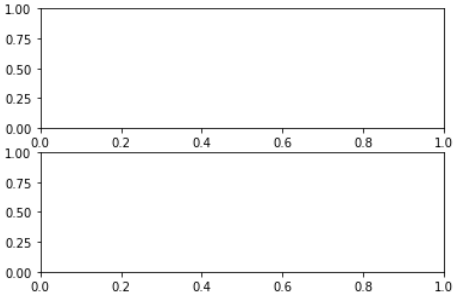


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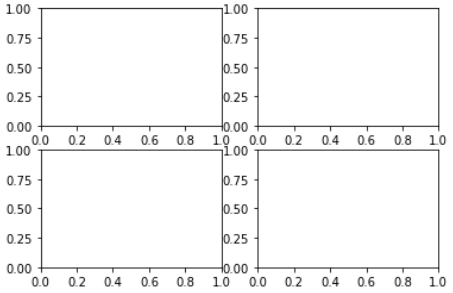

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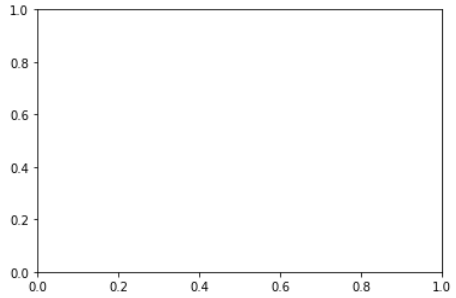


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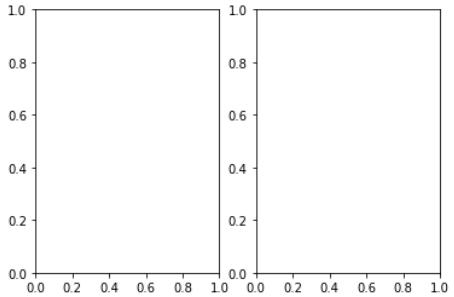


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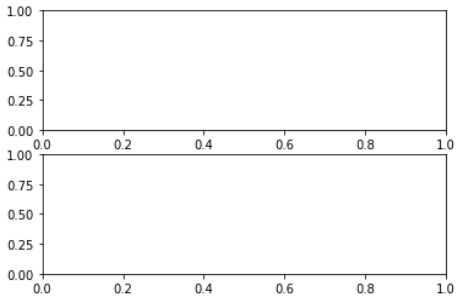


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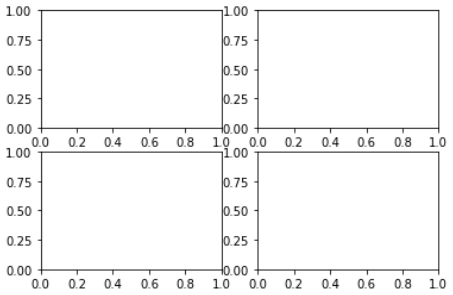

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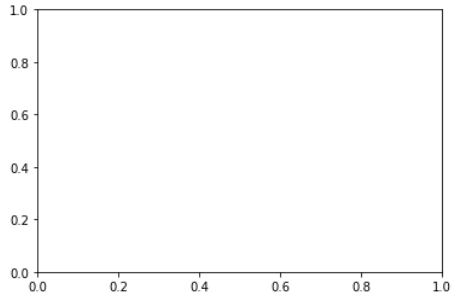

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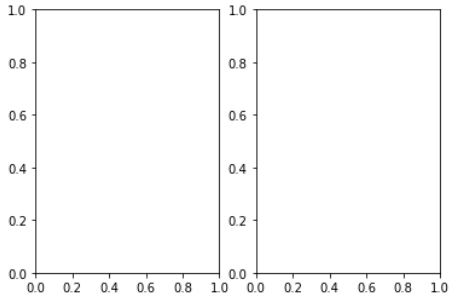

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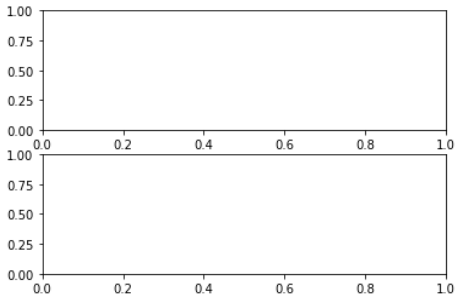

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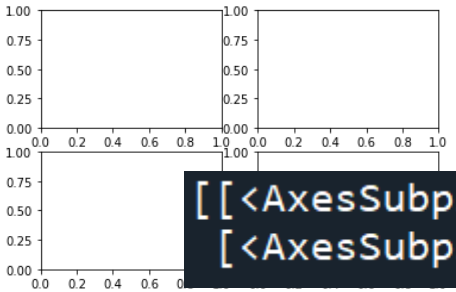

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Three easy options:

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```

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ax1, ax2 = axs[0]
ax3, ax4 = axs[1]
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54  for ax, y in zip(axs_flat, ys):
55      ax.plot(x, y)
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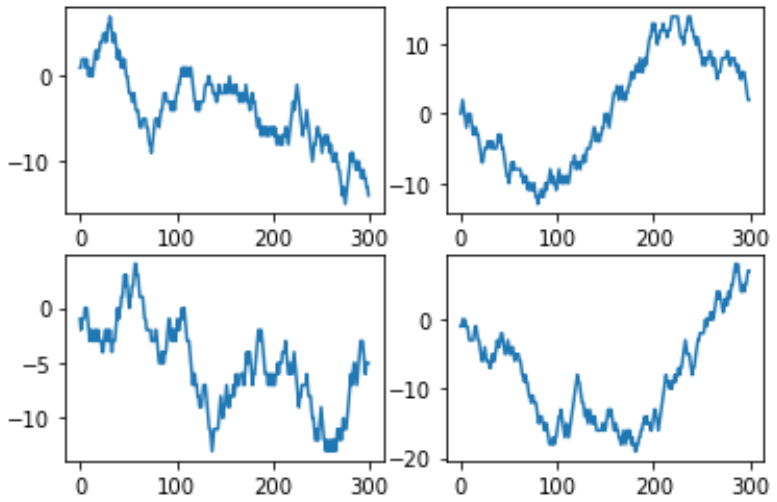
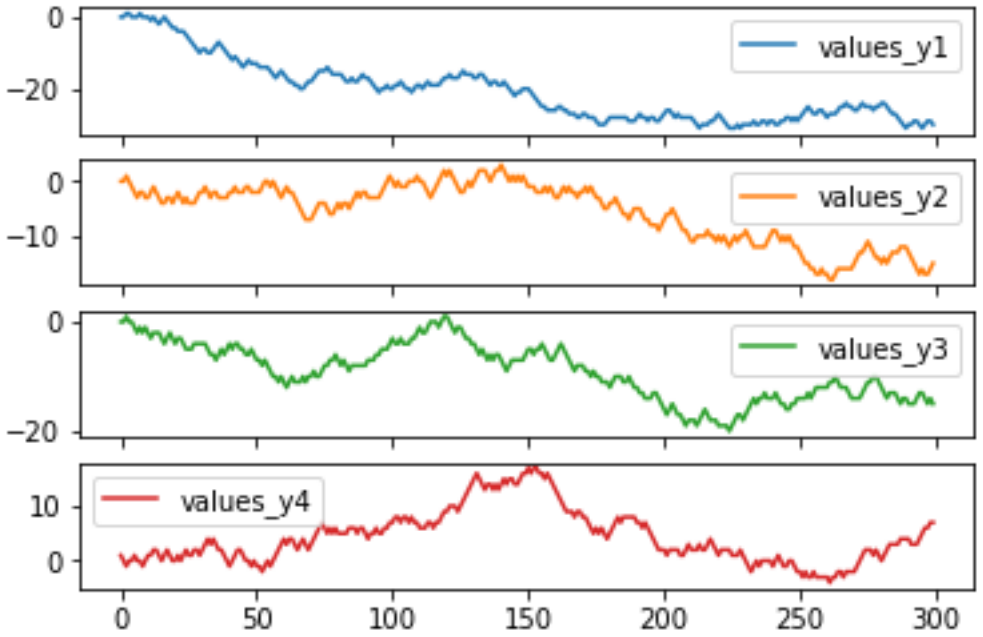


Multiple subplots: Pandas

```
58  df = pd.DataFrame({'values_y1':gen_ys(300), 'values_y2':gen_ys(300),
59                     'values_y3':gen_ys(300), 'values_y4':gen_ys(300)})
60  df.plot(subplots=True)
```



Other plot types: scatter

```
63  fig, ax = plt.subplots()
64  ax.plot(range(100), gen_ys(100), linestyle='', marker='.', markersize=5)
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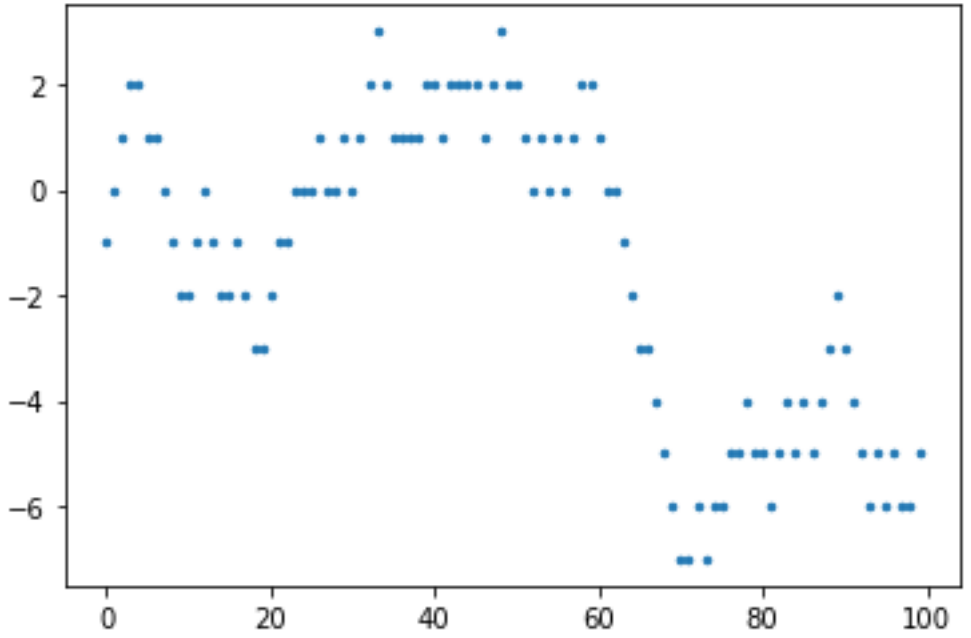

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66  fig, ax = plt.subplots()
67  ax.scatter(range(100), gen_ys(100))
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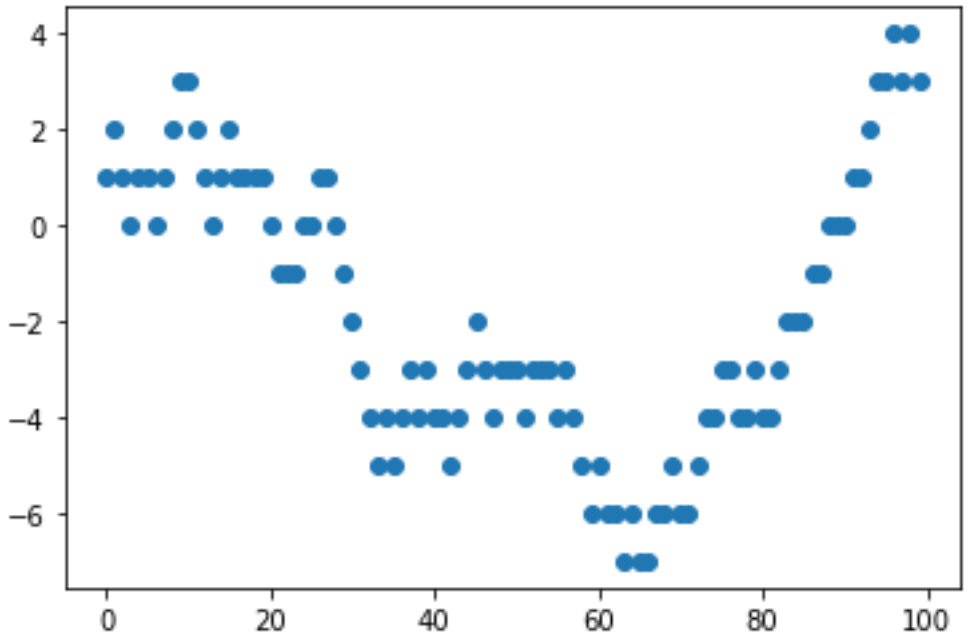

Other plot types: bar

```
70  x = [ 2,  4,  6,  8, 10]
71  y = [1., .2, .4, .7, .6]
72
73  fig, ax = plt.subplots()
74  ax.bar(x, y)
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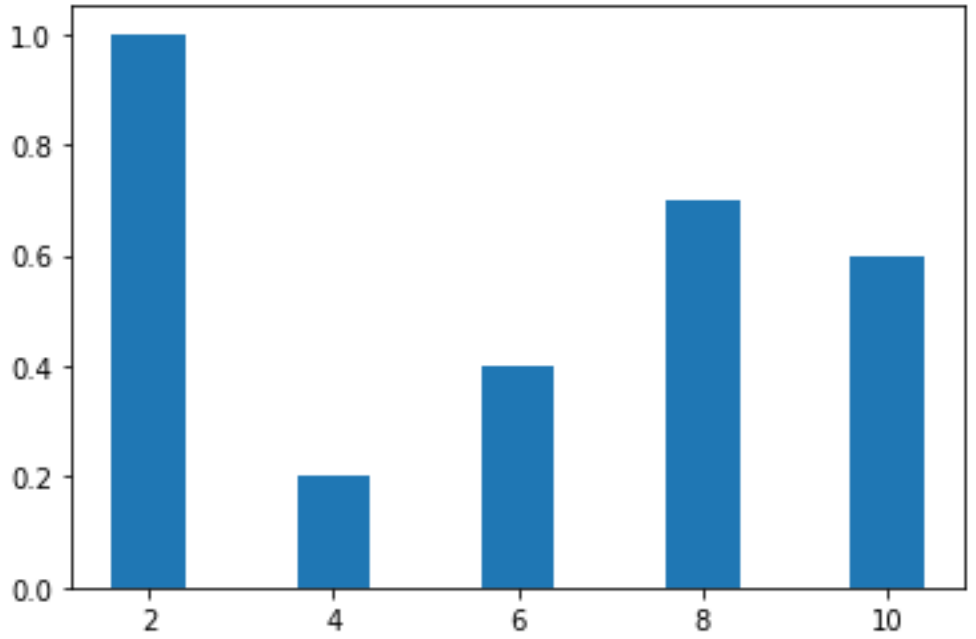

Other plot types: box

```
77   x = [np.random.normal(10, 2, 100),
78        np.random.normal(11, 1, 100),
79        np.random.normal(15, 4, 100)]
80
81   fig, ax = plt.subplots()
82   ax.boxplot(x)
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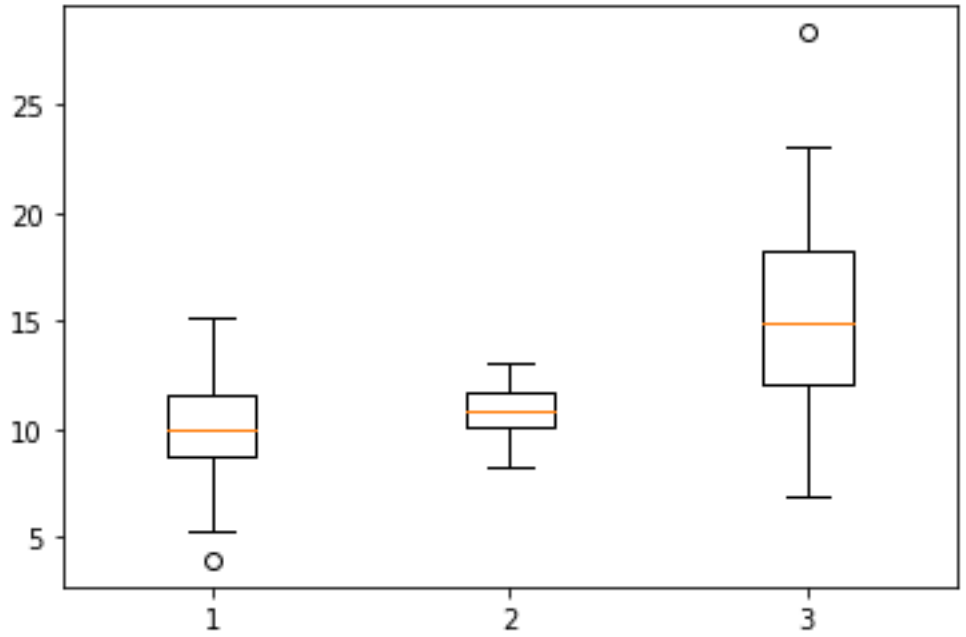

Seaborn: box plots

```
85    df = pd.DataFrame(np.array(x).T, columns=['first', 'second', 'third'])
86    df.head()
```

	first	second	third
0	7.875631	11.627703	19.064976
1	12.781899	9.870050	11.101626
2	8.663206	9.849518	18.913322
3	9.740619	9.253338	19.096043
4	9.603570	11.657297	6.845792

Seaborn: box plots

```
88    sns.set()
89    sns.boxplot(data=df)
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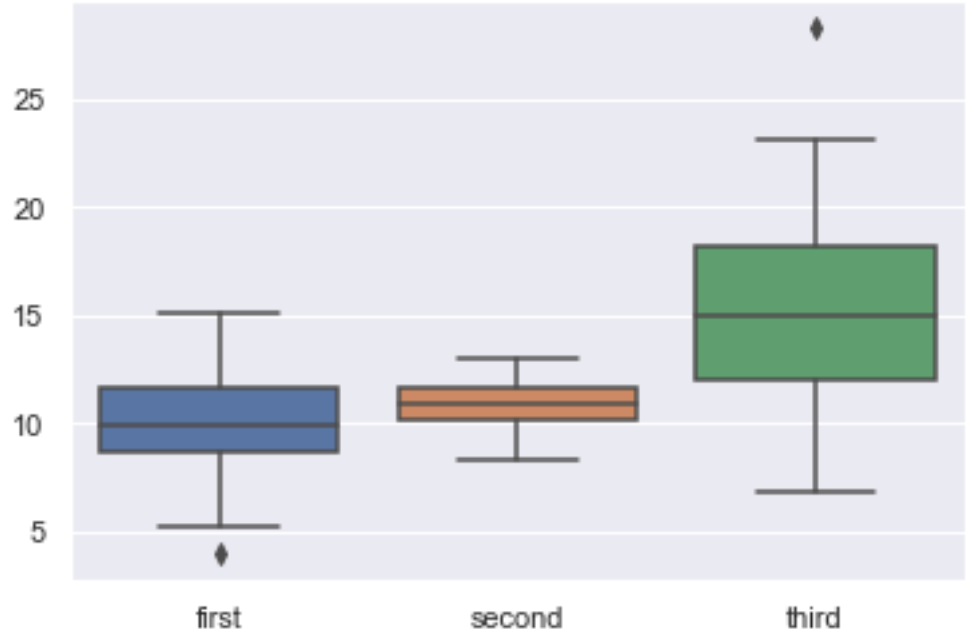

Seaborn: grouped box plots

```
92    tips = sns.load_dataset('tips')
93    tips.head()
```

	total_bill	tip	sex	smoker	day	time	size
0	16.99	1.01	Female	No	Sun	Dinner	2
1	10.34	1.66	Male	No	Sun	Dinner	3
2	21.01	3.50	Male	No	Sun	Dinner	3
3	23.68	3.31	Male	No	Sun	Dinner	2
4	24.59	3.61	Female	No	Sun	Dinner	4

https://seaborn.pydata.org/examples/grouped_boxplot.html

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```
95    ax = sns.boxplot(x='day', y='total_bill',
96                     hue='smoker', palette=['m', 'g'],
97                     data=tips)
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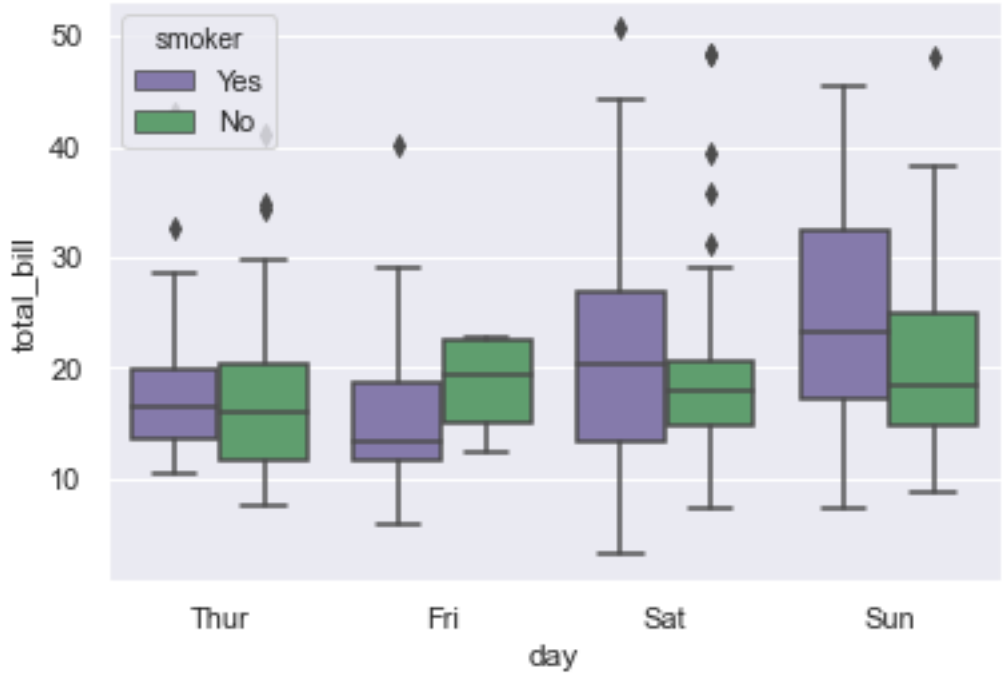

Seaborn and MatPlotLib

```
 99    ax.set_ylabel('Total bill')
100    ax.set_xlabel('Day')
101    ax.set_title('Tips left by diners')
```