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In [1]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
from pandas import Series, DataFrame
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In [2]: #Let's see how stack and unstack work

# Create DataFrame
dframe1 = DataFrame(np.arange(8).reshape((2, 4)),
                    index=pd.Index(['LA', 'SF'], name='city'),
                    columns=pd.Index(['A', 'B', 'C', 'D'], name='letter'))

#Show
dframe1
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Out[2]:
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letter	A	B	C	D
city				
LA	0	1	2	3
SF	4	5	6	7

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In [7]: # Use stack to pivot the columns into the rows
dframe_st = dframe1.stack()

#Show
dframe_st
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Out[7]: city letter
LA      A          0
        B          1
        C          2
        D          3
SF      A          4
        B          5
        C          6
        D          7
dtype: int32
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In [8]: #We can always rearrange back into a DataFrame
dframe_st.unstack()
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Out[8]:
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letter	A	B	C	D
city				
LA	0	1	2	3
SF	4	5	6	7

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In [10]: #We can choose which level to unstack by  
dframe_st.unstack(0)
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Out[10]:
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city	LA	SF
letter		
A	0	4
B	1	5
C	2	6
D	3	7

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In [12]: # Also by which name to unstack by  
dframe_st.unstack('letter')
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Out[12]:
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letter	A	B	C	D
city				
LA	0	1	2	3
SF	4	5	6	7

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In [13]: # Also by which name to unstack by  
dframe_st.unstack('city')
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Out[13]:
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city	LA	SF
letter		
A	0	4
B	1	5
C	2	6
D	3	7

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In [15]: # Let's see how stack and unstack handle NAN

#Make two series
ser1 = Series([0, 1, 2], index=['Q', 'X', 'Y'])
ser2 = Series([4, 5, 6], index=['X', 'Y', 'Z'])

#Concat to make a dframe
dframe = pd.concat([ser1, ser2], keys=['Alpha', 'Beta'])

# Unstack resulting DataFrame
dframe.unstack()
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Out[15]:
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	Q	X	Y	Z
Alpha	0	1	2	NaN
Beta	NaN	4	5	6

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In [16]: # Now stack will filter out NAN by default
dframe.unstack().stack()
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Out[16]: Alpha  Q      0
           X      1
           Y      2
Beta      X      4
           Y      5
           Z      6
dtype: float64
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In [17]: # IF we dont want this we can set it to False
dframe.unstack().stack(dropna=False)
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Out[17]: Alpha  Q      0
           X      1
           Y      2
           Z      NaN
Beta      Q      NaN
           X      4
           Y      5
           Z      6
dtype: float64
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In [ ]: # Next we'll learn more about Pivoting DataFrames!
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