Plotting with pandas

We use the standard convention for referencing the matplotlib API ... We provide the basics in pandas to easily create decent looking plots.

https://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/user_guide/visualization.html (https://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/user_guide/visualization.html)

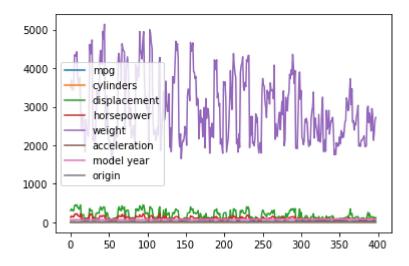
Let's load the heart attack dataset

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In [55]: data_names=np.array(["mpg", "cylinders", "displacement", "horsepower", "weight",
    data=pd.read_csv('auto-mpg.data', delim_whitespace=True, header=None, names = dat
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Plotting all columns, works, but does not provide a lot of insight.

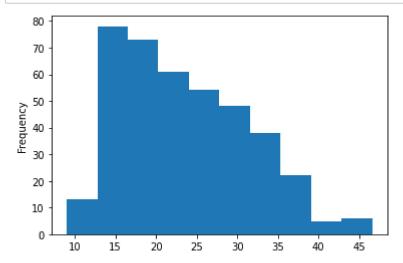
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In [56]: data.plot()
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Out[56]: <AxesSubplot:>



Let's look at the age distribution (a histogram)

In [57]: data['mpg'].plot.hist();



How many male and female samples do we have?

In [58]: data.origin.value_counts()

Out[58]: 1 249

3 79 2 70

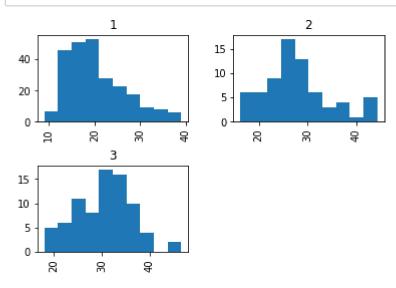
Name: origin, dtype: int64

Notice that we accessed the gender column with dot notation. This can be done whenever the column name is 'nice' enough to be a python variable name.

Do we have similar ages in females and males?

Plotting two histograms for each gender side beside directly form the dataframe:

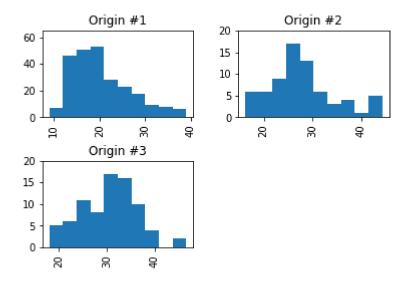
In [59]: #Same focus than the previous documents (mpg by origin)
axs = data.hist(column='mpg', by='origin')



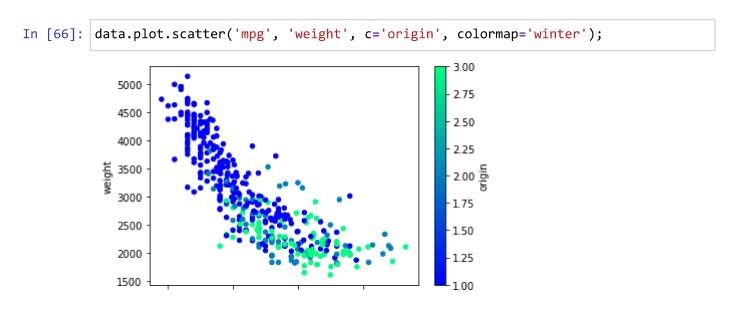
To format this plot, we can work on the axes (array) that is returned by the plot call. We use Matplotlib object oriented interface methods to do this

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In [65]: axs = data.hist(column='mpg', by='origin')
    axs[0][0].set(title='Origin #1', ylim=[0, 65])
    axs[0][1].set(title='Origin #2', ylim=[0, 20])
    axs[1][0].set(title='Origin #3', ylim=[0, 20])
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Out[65]: [Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Origin #3'), (0.0, 20.0)]



Is age and blood pressure correlated? Maybe it is different for females and males? Let's have a look with a scatter plot.



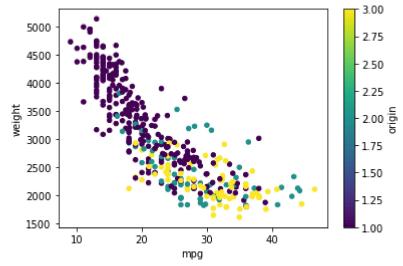
According to:

https://stackoverflow.com/questions/43578976/pandas-missing-x-tick-labels (https://stackoverflow.com/questions/43578976/pandas-missing-x-tick-labels)

the missing x-labels are a pandas bug.

Workaraound is to create axes prior to calling plot

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In [67]: fig, ax = plt.subplots()
data.plot.scatter('mpg', 'weight', c='origin', colormap='viridis', ax=ax);
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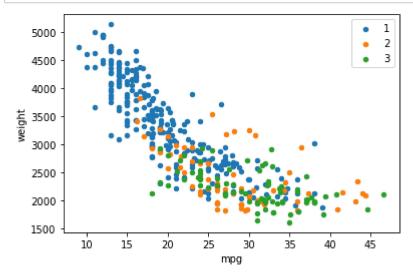


It is a bit annoying that there is a colorbar, we know gender is categorical.

One way to avoid the colorbar is to loop over the categories and assign colors based on the category.

See: https://stackoverflow.com/questions/26139423/plot-different-categorical-levels-using-matplotlib)

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In [68]: colors = {1: 'tab:blue', 2: 'tab:orange', 3: 'tab:green'}
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
for key, group in data.groupby(by='origin'):
    group.plot.scatter('mpg', 'weight', c=colors[key], label=key, ax=ax);
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Seaborn

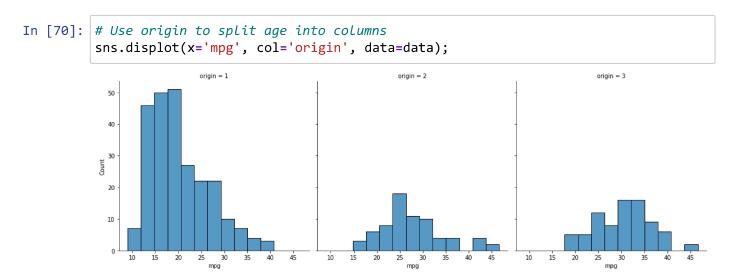
Seaborn is a Python data visualization library based on matplotlib. It provides a high-level interface for drawing attractive and informative statistical graphics.

http://seaborn.pydata.org/index.html (http://seaborn.pydata.org/index.html)

Seaborn is usually imported as sns

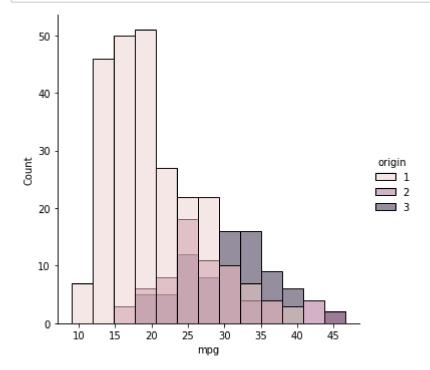
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In [69]: import seaborn as sns
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Let's re-create the histograms by gender with seaborn with the figure level displot() function.



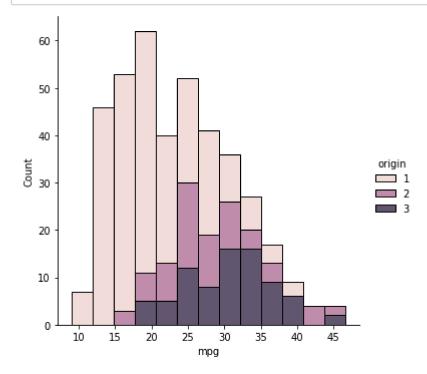
We can display the counts in the same plot, one on top of the other.

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In [71]: # Use origin to color (hue) in the same plot
sns.displot(x='mpg', hue='origin', data=data);
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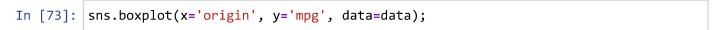


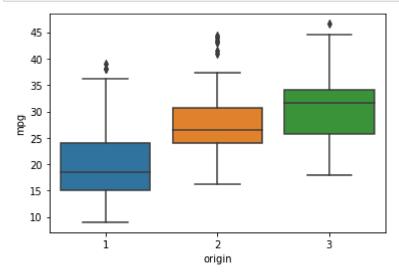
To have an idea of the split between male and female, we can stack the counts, adding up to total.





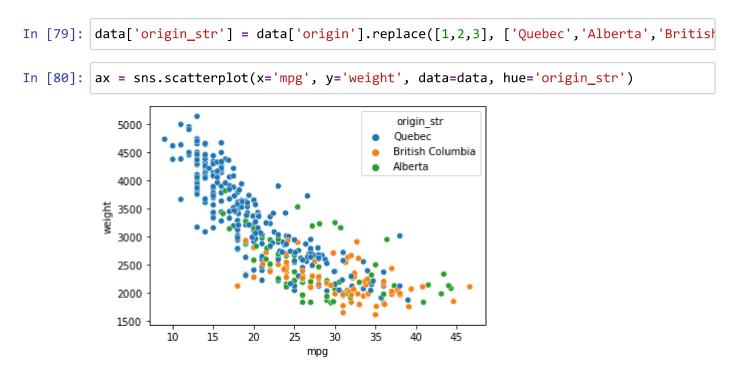
We can look at the differences in ages with a boxplot too





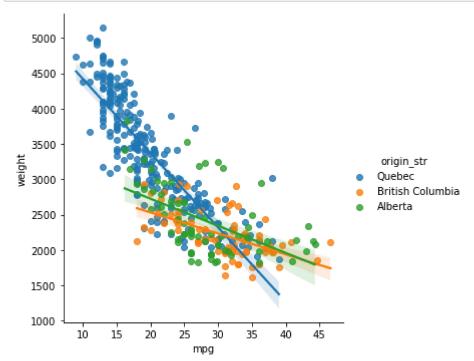
Let's re-create the scatter plot to see if age and blood pressure are correlated by gender.

To make the legend show strings we will create a gender string column with female and male strings rather than 0 and 1.

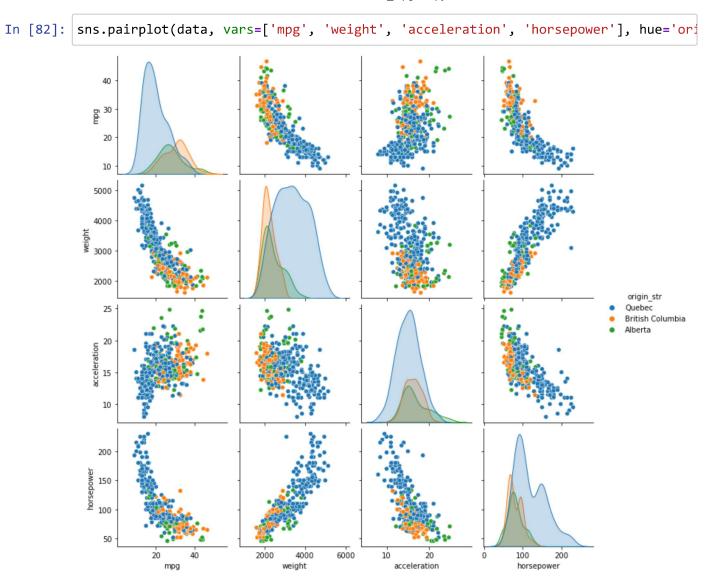


Adding a regression line helps with visualizing the relationship

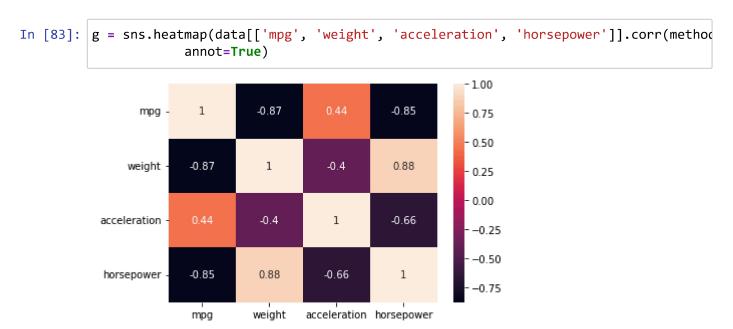
In [81]: ax = sns.lmplot(x='mpg', y='weight', data=data, hue='origin_str')



Maybe there are other correlations in the data set. Pairplot is a great way to get an overview



As an alternative, we can visualize the correlation matrix as a heatmap



There are nice tutorials on the Seaborn website, be sure to check these out.

In []: