

# Pandas Visualization

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In [ ]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

%matplotlib notebook
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In [ ]: # see the pre-defined styles provided.
plt.style.available
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In [ ]: # use the 'seaborn-colorblind' style
plt.style.use('seaborn-colorblind')
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## DataFrame.plot

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In [ ]: np.random.seed(123)

df = pd.DataFrame({'A': np.random.randn(365).cumsum(0),
                   'B': np.random.randn(365).cumsum(0) + 20,
                   'C': np.random.randn(365).cumsum(0) - 20},
                  index=pd.date_range('1/1/2017', periods=365))

df.head()
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In [ ]: df.plot(); # add a semi-colon to the end of the plotting call to suppress unwanted
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We can select which plot we want to use by passing it into the 'kind' parameter.

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In [ ]: df.plot('A','B', kind = 'scatter');
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You can also choose the plot kind by using the `DataFrame.plot.kind` methods instead of providing the kind keyword argument.

kind:

- 'line' : line plot (default)
- 'bar' : vertical bar plot
- 'barh' : horizontal bar plot
- 'hist' : histogram
- 'box' : boxplot
- 'kde' : Kernel Density Estimation plot
- 'density' : same as 'kde'
- 'area' : area plot
- 'pie' : pie plot
- 'scatter' : scatter plot

- 'hexbin' : hexbin plot

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In [ ]: # create a scatter plot of columns 'A' and 'C', with changing color (c) and size
df.plot.scatter('A', 'C', c='B', s=df['B'], colormap='viridis')
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In [ ]: ax = df.plot.scatter('A', 'C', c='B', s=df['B'], colormap='viridis')
ax.set_aspect('equal')
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In [ ]: df.plot.box();
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In [ ]: df.plot.hist(alpha=0.7);
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Kernel density estimation plots ([https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kernel\\_density\\_estimation](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kernel_density_estimation)) are useful for deriving a smooth continuous function from a given sample.

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In [ ]: df.plot.kde();
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## pandas.tools.plotting

Iris flower data set ([https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iris\\_flower\\_data\\_set](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iris_flower_data_set))

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In [ ]: iris = pd.read_csv('iris.csv')
iris.head()
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In [ ]: pd.tools.plotting.scatter_matrix(iris);
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In [ ]: plt.figure()
pd.tools.plotting.parallel_coordinates(iris, 'Name');
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## Seaborn

```
In [ ]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns

%matplotlib notebook
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In [ ]: np.random.seed(1234)

v1 = pd.Series(np.random.normal(0,10,1000), name='v1')
v2 = pd.Series(2*v1 + np.random.normal(60,15,1000), name='v2')
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In [ ]: plt.figure()
plt.hist(v1, alpha=0.7, bins=np.arange(-50,150,5), label='v1');
plt.hist(v2, alpha=0.7, bins=np.arange(-50,150,5), label='v2');
plt.legend();
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In [ ]: # plot a kernel density estimation over a stacked barchart
plt.figure()
plt.hist([v1, v2], histtype='barstacked', normed=True);
v3 = np.concatenate((v1,v2))
sns.kdeplot(v3);
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In [ ]: plt.figure()
# we can pass keyword arguments for each individual component of the plot
sns.distplot(v3, hist_kws={'color': 'Teal'}, kde_kws={'color': 'Navy'});
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In [ ]: sns.jointplot(v1, v2, alpha=0.4);
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In [ ]: grid = sns.jointplot(v1, v2, alpha=0.4);
grid.ax_joint.set_aspect('equal')
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In [ ]: sns.jointplot(v1, v2, kind='hex');
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In [ ]: # set the seaborn style for all the following plots
sns.set_style('white')

sns.jointplot(v1, v2, kind='kde', space=0);
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In [ ]: iris = pd.read_csv('iris.csv')
iris.head()
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In [ ]: sns.pairplot(iris, hue='Name', diag_kind='kde', size=2);
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In [ ]: plt.figure(figsize=(8,6))
plt.subplot(121)
sns.swarmplot('Name', 'PetalLength', data=iris);
plt.subplot(122)
sns.violinplot('Name', 'PetalLength', data=iris);
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