# Uniformity CLEANING DATA IN PYTHON



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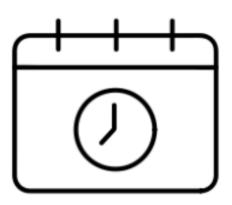
Chapter 3 - Advanced data problems



## Data range constraints



Out of range movie ratings



Subscription dates in the future

## Uniformity

Column	Unit					
Temperature	32°C is also 89.6°F					
Weight	70 Kg <b>is also</b> 11 st.					
Date	26-11-2019 <b>is also</b> 26, November, 2019					
Money	100\$ is also 10763.90¥					

#### An example

```
temperatures = pd.read_csv('temperature.csv')
temperatures.head()
```

```
Date Temperature
0 03.03.19 14.0
1 04.03.19 15.0
2 05.03.19 18.0
3 06.03.19 16.0
4 07.03.19 62.6
```

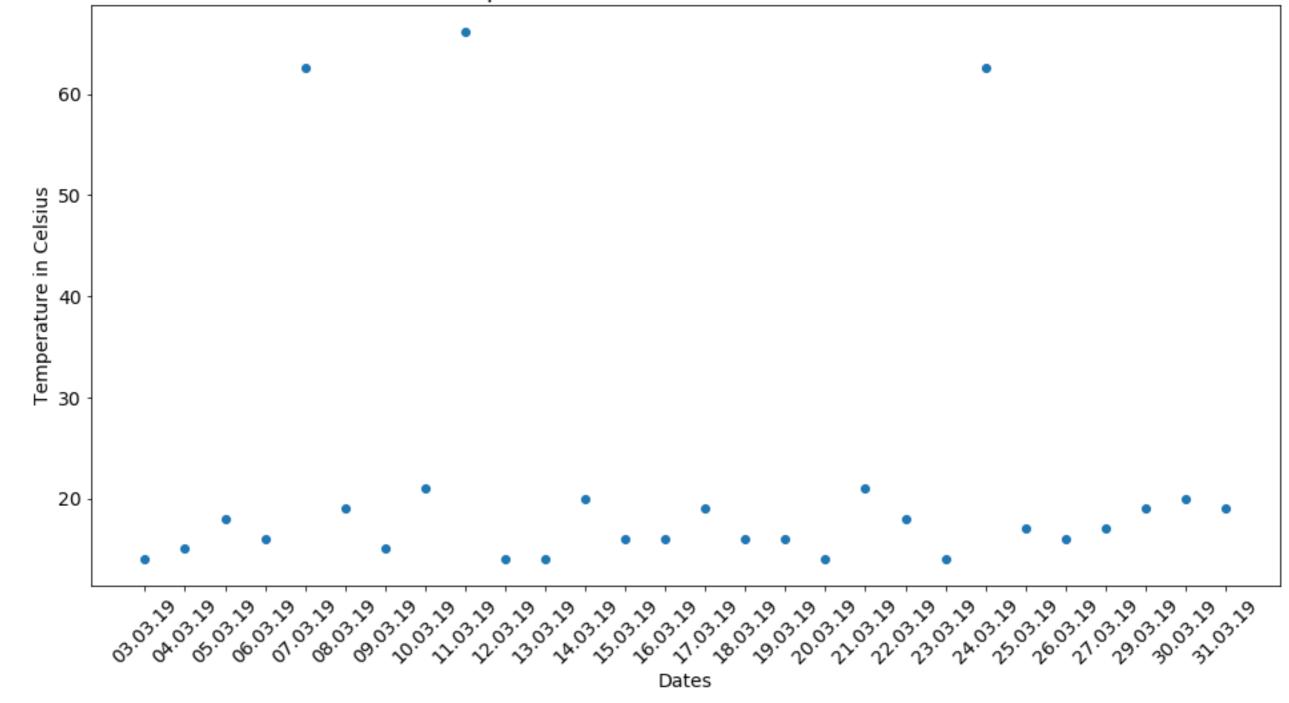
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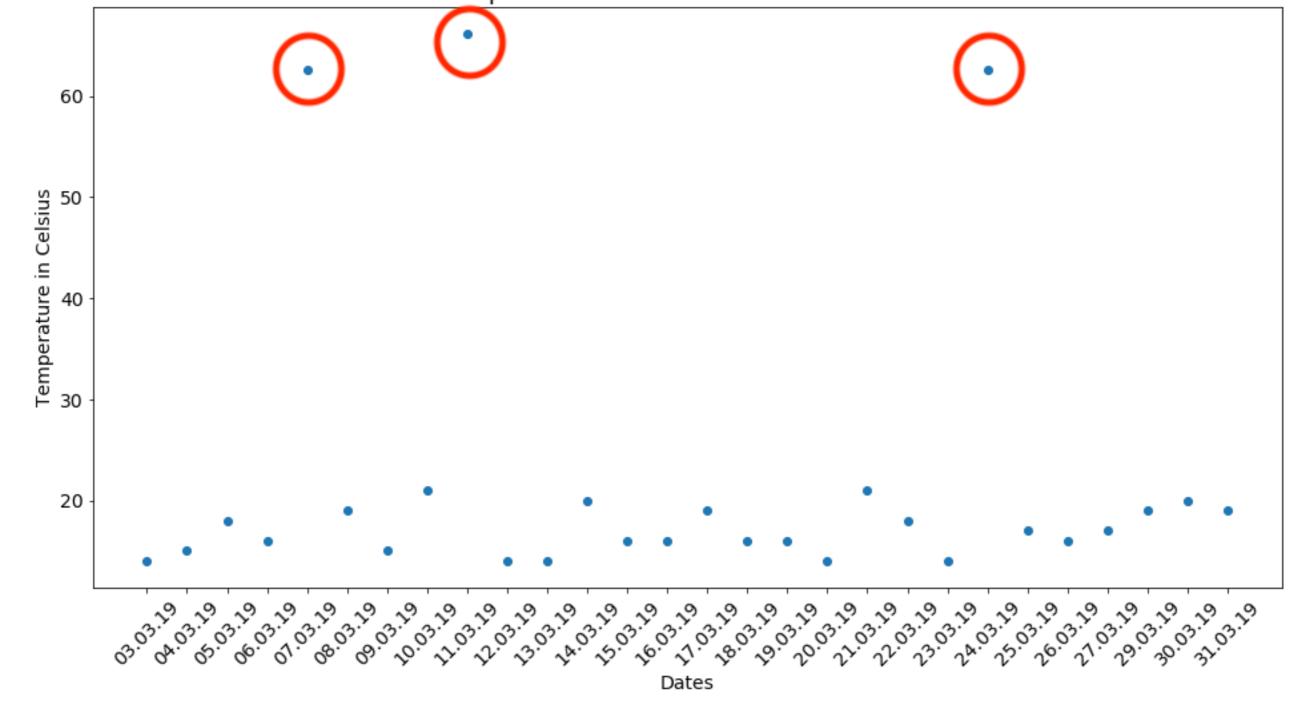
```
# Import matplotlib
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
# Create scatter plot
plt.scatter(x = 'Date', y = 'Temperature', data = temperatures)
# Create title, xlabel and ylabel
plt.title('Temperature in Celsius March 2019 - NYC')
plt.xlabel('Dates')
plt.ylabel('Temperature in Celsius')
# Show plot
plt.show()
```











#### Treating temperature data

$$C=(F-32) imesrac{5}{9}$$

```
temp_fah = temperatures.loc[temperatures['Temperature'] > 40, 'Temperature']
temp_cels = (temp_fah - 32) * (5/9)
temperatures.loc[temperatures['Temperature'] > 40, 'Temperature'] = temp_cels
```

```
# Assert conversion is correct
assert temperatures['Temperature'].max() < 40</pre>
```

birthdays.head()

```
Birthday First name Last name
0
          27/27/19
                         Rowan
                                   Nunez
          03-29-19
                         Brynn
                                    Yang
   March 3rd, 2019
                                  Reilly
                        Sophia
3
          24-03-19
                        Deacon
                                  Prince
          06-03-19
                     Griffith
                                    Neal
```

birthdays.head()

	Birthday I	First name L	ast name	
0	27/27/19	Rowan	Nunez	<b>??</b>
1	03-29-19	Brynn	Yang	MM-DD-YY
2	March 3rd, 2019	Sophia	Reilly	Month D, YYYY
3	24-03-19	Deacon	Prince	
4	06-03-19	Griffith	Neal	

#### Datetime formatting

datetime is useful for representing dates

Date	datetime format
25-12-2019	%d-%m-%Y
December 25th 2019	%c
12-25-2019	%m-%d-%Y
•••	•••

pandas.to\_datetime()

- Can recognize most formats automatically
- Sometimes fails with erroneous or unrecognizable formats

```
# Converts to datetime - but won't work!
birthdays['Birthday'] = pd.to_datetime(birthdays['Birthday'])
```

ValueError: month must be in 1..12

birthdays.head()

```
Birthday First name Last name
0
         NaT
                  Rowan
                             Nunez
1 2019-03-29
                  Brynn
                              Yang
2 2019-03-03
                 Sophia
                            Reilly
3 2019-03-24
                 Deacon
                            Prince
4 2019-06-03
               Griffith
                              Neal
```

```
birthdays['Birthday'] = birthdays['Birthday'].dt.strftime("%d-%m-%Y")
birthdays.head()
```

```
Birthday First name Last name
0
          NaT
                   Rowan
                             Nunez
   29-03-2019
                   Brynn
                              Yang
   03-03-2019
                            Reilly
                  Sophia
  24-03-2019
                  Deacon
                            Prince
  03-06-2019
                Griffith
                               Neal
```

### Treating ambiguous date data

Is 2019-03-08 in August or March?

- Convert to NA and treat accordingly
- Infer format by understanding data source
- Infer format by understanding previous and subsequent data in DataFrame

## Let's practice!

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#### Motivation

```
import pandas as pd

flights = pd.read_csv('flights.csv')
flights.head()
```

	flight_number	economy_class	business_class	first_class	total_passengers
0	DL140	100	60	40	200
1	BA248	130	100	70	300
2	MEA124	100	50	50	200
3	AFR939	140	70	90	300
4	TKA101	130	100	20	250

The use of multiple fields in a dataset to sanity check data integrity

```
flight_number economy_class business_class first_class total_passengers
         DL140
                                         60
0
                         100
                                                     40
                                                                     200
         BA248
                         130
                                        100
                                                     70
                                                                     300
                                  +
2
        MEA124
                         100
                                         50
                                                     50
                                                                     200
3
                                         70
        AFR939
                         140
                                                     90
                                                                     300
        TKA101
                                                                     250
                         130
                                        100
                                                     20
                                  +
```

```
sum_classes = flights[['economy_class', 'business_class', 'first_class']].sum(axis = 1)
passenger_equ = sum_classes == flights['total_passengers']
# Find and filter out rows with inconsistent passenger totals
inconsistent_pass = flights[~passenger_equ]
consistent_pass = flights[passenger_equ]
```

```
users.head()
```

```
user_id Age Birthday
0 32985 22 1998-03-02
1 94387 27 1993-12-04
2 34236 42 1978-11-24
3 12551 31 1989-01-03
4 55212 18 2002-07-02
```

```
import pandas as pd
import datetime as dt
# Convert to datetime and get today's date
users['Birthday'] = pd.to_datetime(users['Birthday'])
today = dt.date.today()
# For each row in the Birthday column, calculate year difference
age_manual = today.year - users['Birthday'].dt.year
# Find instances where ages match
age_equ = age_manual == users['Age']
# Find and filter out rows with inconsistent age
inconsistent_age = users[~age_equ]
consistent_age = users[age_equ]
```

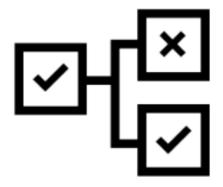
#### What to do when we catch inconsistencies?



Dropping Data



Set to missing and impute



Apply rules from domain knowledge

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## Completeness

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#### What is missing data?



Occurs when no data value is stored for a variable in an observation

Can be represented as NA, nan, 0, . ...

**Technical error** 

Human error

```
import pandas as pd
airquality = pd.read_csv('airquality.csv')
print(airquality)
```

```
Date
                 Temperature
                              C02
     20/04/2004
987
                        16.8 0.0
2119
     07/06/2004
                        18.7 0.8
     20/06/2004
2451
                  -40.0
                             NaN
     01/06/2004
                        19.6 1.8
1984
     19/02/2005
8299
                        11.2 1.2
```

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```
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           Date
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     20/04/2004
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                             NaN
     01/06/2004
                       19.6 1.8
1984
     19/02/2005
8299
                       11.2 1.2
```

```
# Return missing values
airquality.isna()
```

```
Temperature
                            C02
       Date
987
     False
                   False
                          False
2119
     False
                   False
                          False
2451
     False
                   False
                           True
                         False
1984
     False
                   False
     False
                   False False
8299
```

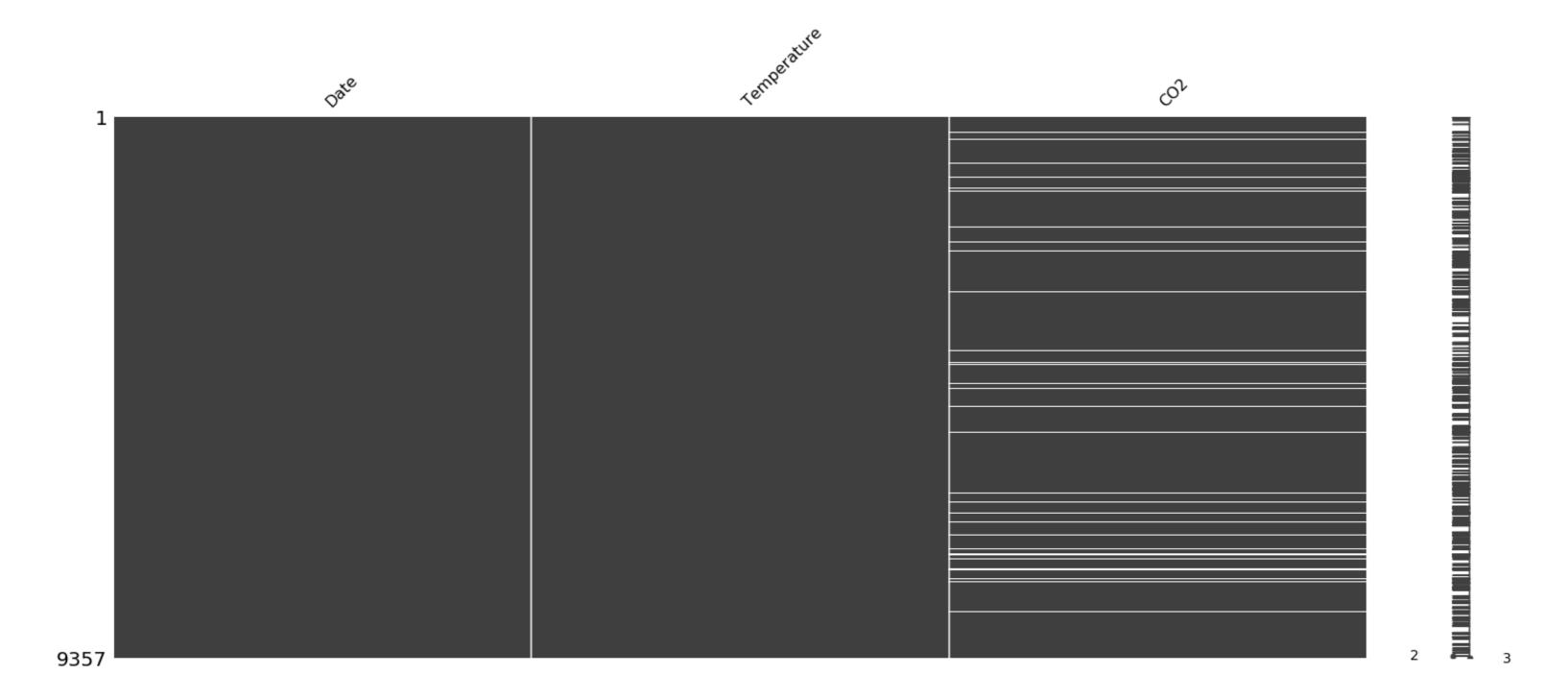
```
# Get summary of missingness
airquality.isna().sum()
```

```
Date 0
Temperature 0
CO2 366
dtype: int64
```

#### Missingno

Useful package for visualizing and understanding missing data

```
import missingno as msno
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
# Visualize missingness
msno.matrix(airquality)
plt.show()
```



```
# Isolate missing and complete values aside
missing = airquality[airquality['CO2'].isna()]
complete = airquality[~airquality['CO2'].isna()]
```



```
# Describe complete DataFramee
complete.describe()
```

```
C02
       Temperature
       8991.000000
                    8991.000000
count
         18.317829
                       1.739584
mean
          8.832116
                       1.537580
std
         -1.900000
                        0.000000
min
         44.600000
                      11.900000
max
```

```
# Describe missing DataFramee
missing.describe()
```

```
Temperature
                     C02
        366.000000
                     0.0
count
        -39.655738
                     NaN
mean
          5.988716
                     NaN
std
        -49.000000
                     NaN
min
        -30.000000
                     NaN
max
```

```
# Describe complete DataFramee
complete.describe()
```

44.600000

```
        complete.describe()
        missing.describe()

        Temperature
        CO2

        count
        8991.000000

        count
        366.000000

        0.0
```

```
mean 18.317829 1.739584
std 8.832116 1.537580
min -1.900000 0.0000000
```

11.900000

```
Temperature CO2

count 366.000000 0.0

mean -39.655738 NaN <--

std 5.988716 NaN

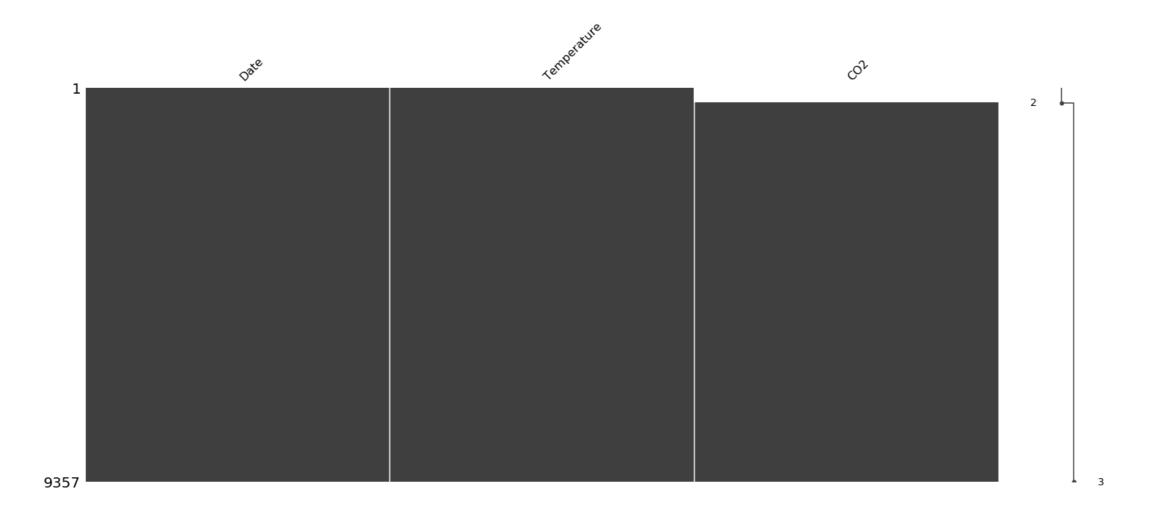
min -49.000000 NaN <--

max -30.000000 NaN <--
```

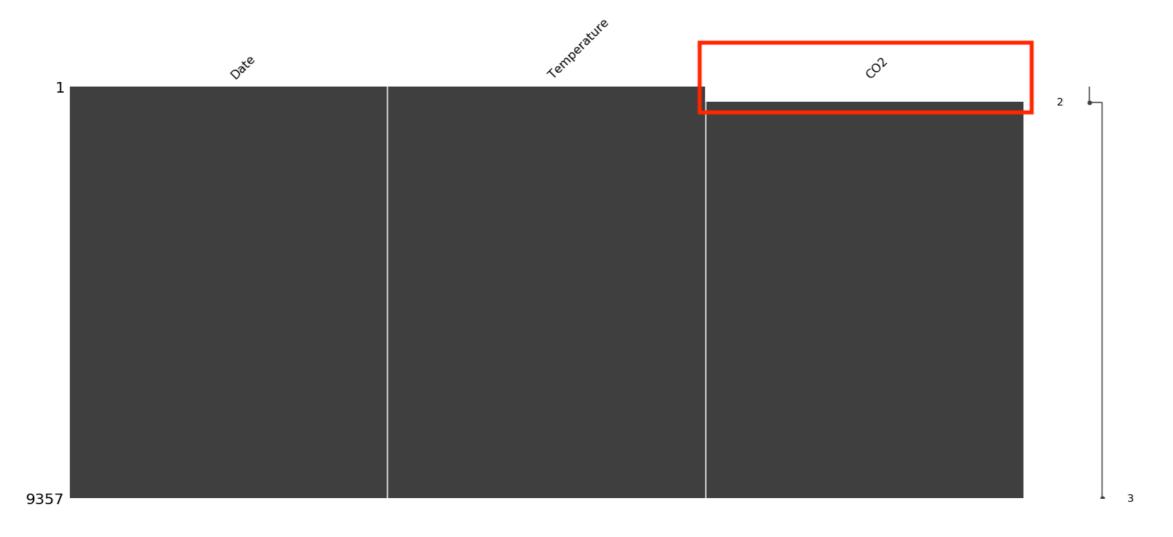
# Describe missing DataFramee

max

```
sorted_airquality = airquality.sort_values(by = 'Temperature')
msno.matrix(sorted_airquality)
plt.show()
```



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plt.show()
```







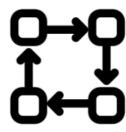
Missing Completely at Random

(MCAR)



Missing at Random

(MAR)



Missing Not at Random

(MNAR)



Missing Completely at Random

(MCAR)

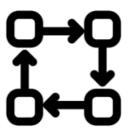
No systematic relationship between missing data and other values

Data entry errors when inputting data



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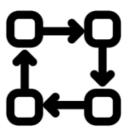


Missing at Random

(MAR)

Systematic relationship between missing data and other <u>observed</u> values

Missing ozone data for high temperatures



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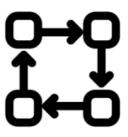


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Missing ozone data for high temperatures



Missing Not at Random

(MNAR)

Systematic relationship between missing data and unobserved values

Missing temperature values for high temperatures

#### How to deal with missing data?

#### Simple approaches:

- 1. Drop missing data
- 2. Impute with statistical measures (mean, median, mode..)

#### More complex approaches:

- 1. Imputing using an algorithmic approach
- 2. Impute with machine learning models

#### Dealing with missing data

```
airquality.head()
```

```
Date
            Temperature
                         C02
05/03/2005
                    8.5
                        2.5
23/08/2004
                   21.8
                         0.0
18/02/2005
                    6.3
                        1.0
08/02/2005
                  -31.0
                         NaN
13/03/2005
                   19.9 0.1
```

#### Dropping missing values

```
# Drop missing values
airquality_dropped = airquality.dropna(subset = ['CO2'])
airquality_dropped.head()
```

```
Date Temperature CO2
0 05/03/2005 8.5 2.5
1 23/08/2004 21.8 0.0
2 18/02/2005 6.3 1.0
4 13/03/2005 19.9 0.1
5 02/04/2005 17.0 0.8
```

#### Replacing with statistical measures

```
co2_mean = airquality['CO2'].mean()
airquality_imputed = airquality.fillna({'CO2': co2_mean})
airquality_imputed.head()
```

```
Temperature
                               C02
       Date
05/03/2005
                    8.5
                        2.500000
23/08/2004
                         0.000000
                   21.8
18/02/2005
                        1.000000
                    6.3
08/02/2005
                  -31.0
                        1.739584
13/03/2005
                         0.100000
                   19.9
```

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