

Practical Computing for Scientists

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Python

NumPy (Continue)

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2.2204460492503131e-16
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Complex Floating-Point	Size
complex64	two 32-bit floats
complex128	two 64-bit floats
complex192	two 96-bit floats, platform-dependent
complex256	two 128-bit floats, platform-dependent

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>>> samples.dtype.names # field names
('sensor_code', 'position', 'value')
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('ALFA', 1.0, 0.37)
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>>> samples[['position', 'value']]
array([(1.0, 0.37), (1.0, 0.11),
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>>> samples[samples['sensor_code'] == 'ALFA']
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valid in Python2

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Character	Type
b	boolean
i	(signed) integer
u	unsigned integer
f	floating-point
c	complex float
O	(Python) object
S, a	(byte-)string
U	Unicode
v	raw data (void)

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