# Data Science – Pandas – NaN Value

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#### 1. NaN Value

- ✓ The full form of NaN is **N**ot **a N**umber
- ✓ The purpose of NaN is, to represent the missing values in data.
- ✓ The data type of NaN is float.
- ✓ During data analysis we need to handle these NaN values.
- ✓ We will learn more about NaN in 12<sup>th</sup> chapter which is handling missing values chapter.

#### 2. None, NaN, nan and null

- ✓ None, NaN, nan, and null are synonyms.
- ✓ These all are repressing to empty or missing data found in a Series, DataFrame.

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Program
Name

Creating Series with NaN values demo1.py

import pandas as pd import numpy as np

marks = [36, 70, np.nan, 60] s = pd.Series(marks) print(s)

Output
```

```
0 36.0
1 70.0
2 NaN
3 60.0
dtype: float64
```

```
Program Creating Series with NaN values demo2.py

import pandas as pd import numpy as np

names = ["Daniel", "Ranjan", "Swathi", np.nan] s = pd.Series(names) print(s)

Output

O Daniel
1 Ranjan
2 Swathi
3 NaN
dtype: object
```

### 3. While loading any file

- ✓ While loading any csv/excel/json file, if columns having missing values, then pandas consider those values as NaN.
- ✓ We will learn same point during loading files.