Data Science – Pandas Introduction

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1. PANDAS - INTRODUCTION

1. Pandas

- ✓ Pandas is an open-source Python Library.
- ✓ Pandas have powerful data structures.

2. Main usage

- ✓ Main usage of pandas is analysing the data.
- ✓ By using pandas we can do below things easily,
 - Data loading
 - Data preparation
 - Data manipulation
 - Data analysis & etc

3. Creator

✓ Pandas created by Wes McKinney in the year of 2008

4. Data Analysis

- ✓ It is a process of cleaning, transforming, and modeling data to discover useful information for business decision-making.
- ✓ The purpose of Data Analysis is to extract useful information from data and taking the decision based upon the data analysis.
- ✓ Data Analysis became very easy after pandas was introduced to this world.

5. Key Features

- ✓ It's very easy to load different file formats of data.
- ✓ Handling missing data.
- ✓ Reshaping the data.
- ✓ Grouping the data
- ✓ Indexing and label-based slicing.
- ✓ Easily insert and delete columns from data
- ✓ Operations like aggregation and transformations.
- ✓ High performance merging and joining of data and many of others boss.

6. Open source

✓ Pandas is an open source means it's free.

7. Environment setup/pandas installation

✓ Open command prompt and execute below command

pip install pandas

8. pip command in python

- ✓ pip stands for python installer package
- ✓ Pip is a package management system.
- ✓ It is used to install and manage software packages.
 - pip install package_name
 - o pip install pandas

9. Check installed python library.

✓ We can check installed python library by using below command.

pip show pandas

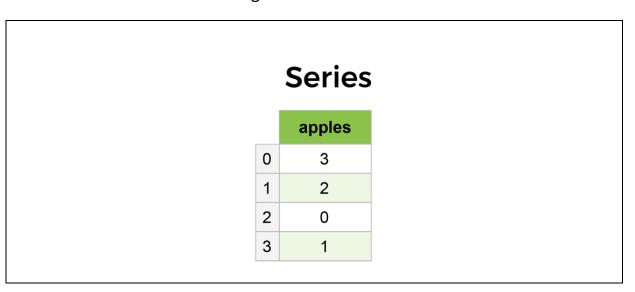
10. Pandas Data Structures

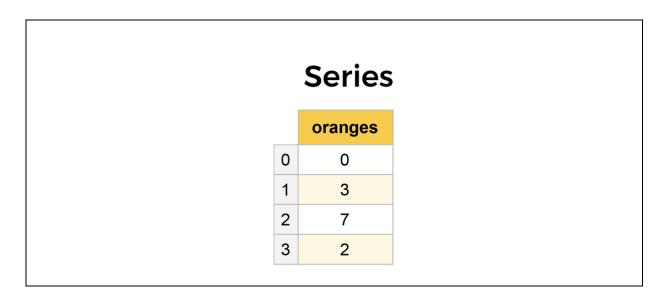
- ✓ One of the important features in pandas is data structures.
- ✓ There are mainly 3 types of data structures in pandas

Data Structure	Dimentionality	
1. Series	1D	Column
2. DataFrame	2D	Rows & Columns
3. Panel	3D	Group of Dataframes

10.1. Series

✓ A Series is similar to a single column of data.





10.2. DataFrame

✓ A DataFrame is similar to a table which contains rows and columns of data.

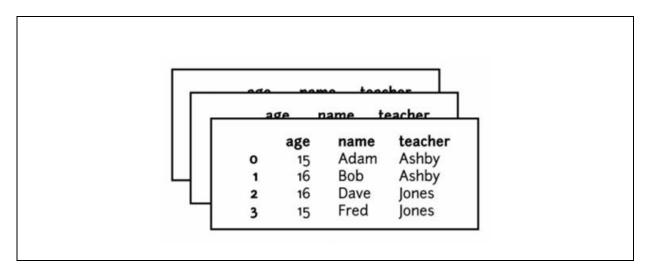
DataFrame

	apples	oranges
0	3	0
1	2	3
2	0	7
3	1	2

	Organization	Salesperson Name	Sales
0	Google	Sam	200
1	Google	Charlie	120
2	Salesforce	Ralph	125
3	Salesforce	Emily	250
4	Adobe	Rosalynn	150
5	Adobe	Chelsea	500

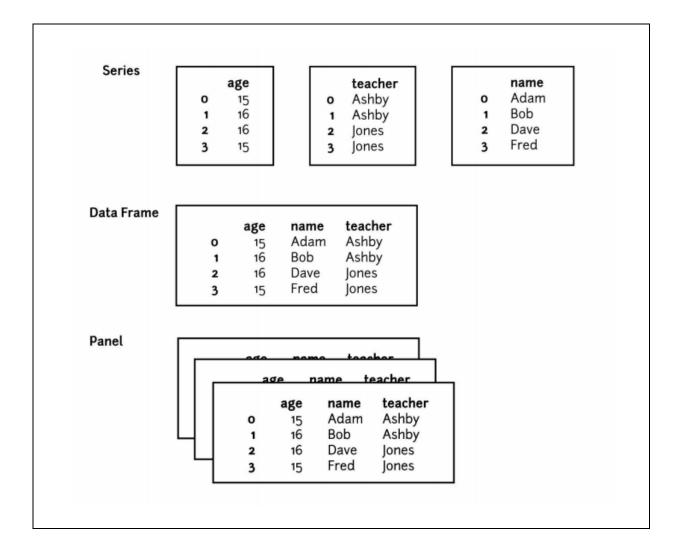
10.3. Panel

✓ A Panel is a group of DataFrames of data.



Mostly used

- ✓ The most widely used data structures are the Series and the DataFrame.
- ✓ Series and DataFrames deal with array data and tabular data respectively



Relationship...

- ✓ Series having single column
- ✓ DataFrame can have multiple Series
- ✓ Panel has multiple DataFrames

11. Importing pandas

✓ We can import pandas package by using import keyword

Program importing pandas

Name demo1.py

import pandas

print("pandas imported successfully")

Output

pandas imported successfully

12. Aliasing or renaming pandas

- ✓ We can alias or rename pandas name.
- ✓ As per python syntax we need to use as keyword to alias pandas name

12.1. Why aliasing Boss?

- ✓ Let me give one best example.
- ✓ My name is: Kasagani N Daniel, you can call by Daniel instead of full name for simplicity

12.2. Famous Alias name to pandas

- ✓ We can give alias name to pandas.
- ✓ Note this name can be any name but the famous alias name is pd

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Program aliasing pandas name as pd

Name demo2.py

import pandas as pd

print("pandas imported successfully")

print("pandas renamed to pd")

print("Now onwards we can use pd instead of pandas name")

Output

pandas imported successfully

pandas renamed to pd

Now onwards we can use pd instead of pandas name

12.3. Specialty of alias name as pd

- ✓ Here in our example we have given alias name as pd.
- ✓ We can provide any name as alias name.
- ✓ Real time developers habituated to give alias name as pd.
- √ So, its universal alias name