# Task 5 Report Time Series Analysis with Pandas

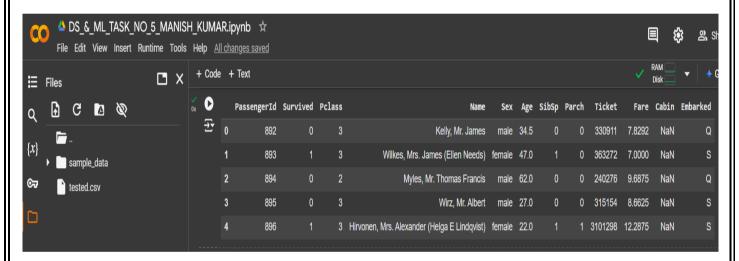
# 1. Task Description

This task focuses on performing **time series analysis** using Pandas. The key objectives include:

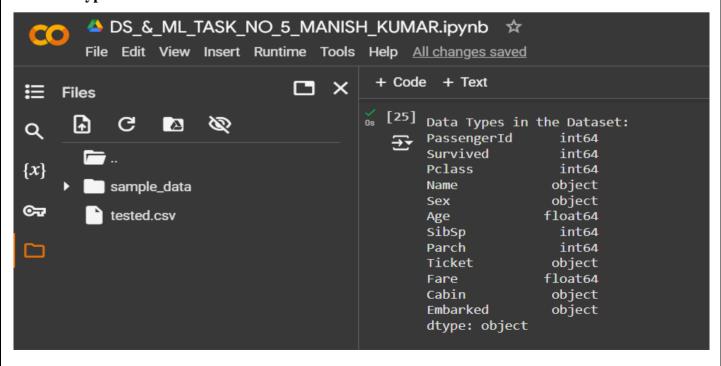
- Simulating a datetime column for time-based indexing and operations.
- Handling missing values in numeric columns.
- \* Resampling the dataset to calculate weekly averages.
- Computing rolling statistics like rolling mean and rolling standard deviation.
- Creating lagged features to identify time-based dependencies.
- ❖ Visualizing the time series using Matplotlib to understand trends, patterns, and variability.

# 2. Attach Screenshot of Output

### **Dataset Preview:**

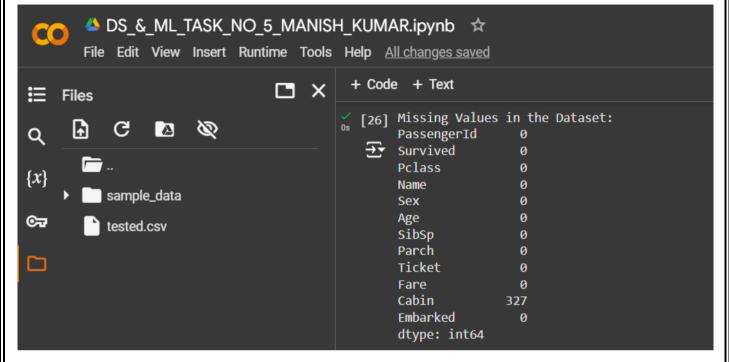


## **Data Types in the Dataset:**

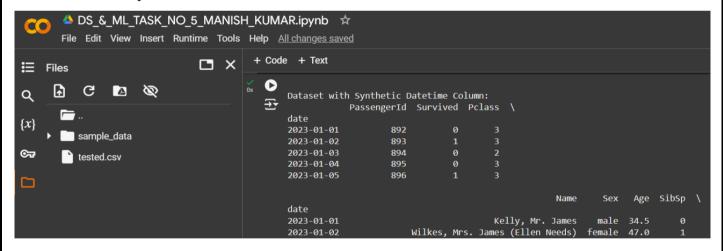


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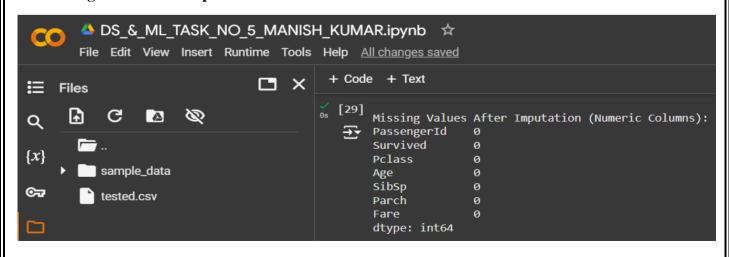
## **Missing values in the Dataset:**



## **Dataset with Synthetic Datetime Column:**

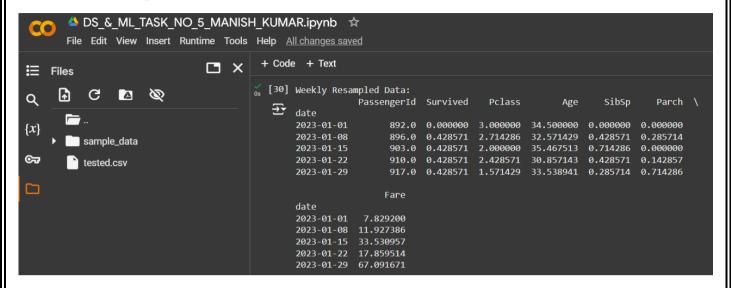


## **\*** Missing values after Imputation:

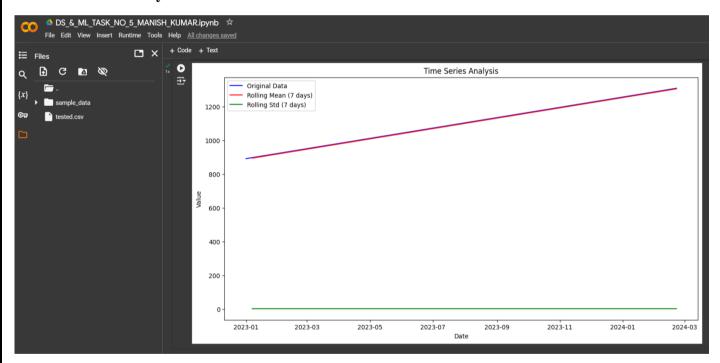


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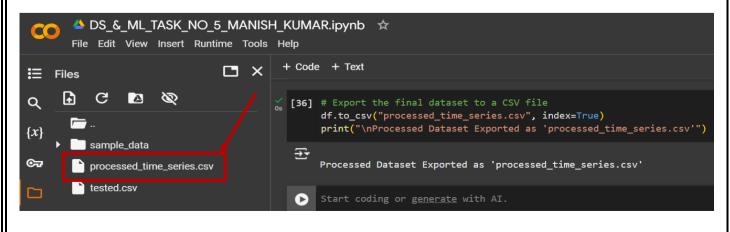
## **\*** Weekly Resampled Data:



## **Time Series Analysis:**



# Processed Dataset Exported as 'processed\_time\_series.csv':



# Task 5 Report

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# 3. Describe Widget/Algorithm Used in Task

## **Algorithm Used:**

The task leverages the following algorithms and techniques:

## **Data Preprocessing:**

- **↓ Datetime Simulation**: A synthetic datetime column is added to mimic time-series data, and the column is set as the index to enable time-based operations.
- **Handling Missing Values**: Missing values in numeric columns are replaced with the column mean for smoother analysis.

## **Resampling:**

♣ The numeric data is resampled to a weekly frequency using Pandas' resample method, calculating weekly averages to understand long-term trends.

## **Rolling Statistics:**

- **Rolling Mean**: A 7-day rolling window is applied to calculate the average value over the last 7 days, smoothing short-term fluctuations.
- **Rolling Standard Deviation**: A 7-day rolling window is applied to measure variability in the data.

# **A** Lagged Features:

**Lagging**: Shifted versions of the data are created (e.g., lagged by 1 day or 7 days) to capture time-dependent patterns.

#### **Visualization:**

♣ Line Plots: Rolling mean, rolling standard deviation, and the original data are plotted to visually compare trends and variability over time.

#### **Tools Used:**

## **Pandas:**

- For data manipulation, resampling, rolling statistics, and handling missing values.
- ♣ Used the resample, rolling, and shift functions to perform time-series-specific operations.

## **❖** NumPy:

♣ Assisted in handling numerical operations while imputing missing values.

# **\*** Matplotlib:

For creating visualizations such as line plots to showcase trends, rolling statistics, and lagged features.

## **Upyter/Colab Environment:**

♣ Provided an interactive Python environment for implementing the time-series analysis and visualizing results.