# Introduction to Data Analytics

ITC 5201

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#### **Pandas**

#### We will use pandas to:

- Read in data from Excel.
- Manipulate data in spreadsheet.

#### **Reading in Data From Excel**

I have the following data saved in the file "Grades\_Short.csv":

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3	Joe	32	1	20	16	1	14	32	Α
4	Susan	30	1	19	19	1	10.5	33	A-
5	Sol	31	1	22	13	1	13	34	Α
6	Chris	30	1	19	17	1	12.5	33.5	Α
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Let's see how we read this data into pandas:

Reading the data into a variable called df\_grades.

```
import pandas as pd

df_grades = pd.read_csv("Grades_Short.csv")
```

## The head() Method

#### Using the **head()** method

```
import pandas as pd

df_grades = pd.read_csv("Grades_Short.csv")

df_grades.head(3)
```

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
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- If the data is really large you don't want to print out the entire dataframe to your output.
- The head(n) method outputs the first n rows of the data frame. If n is not supplied, the default is the first 5 rows.
- I like to run the head() method after I read in the dataframe to check that everything got read in correctly.
- There is also a tail(n) method that returns the last n rows of the dataframe

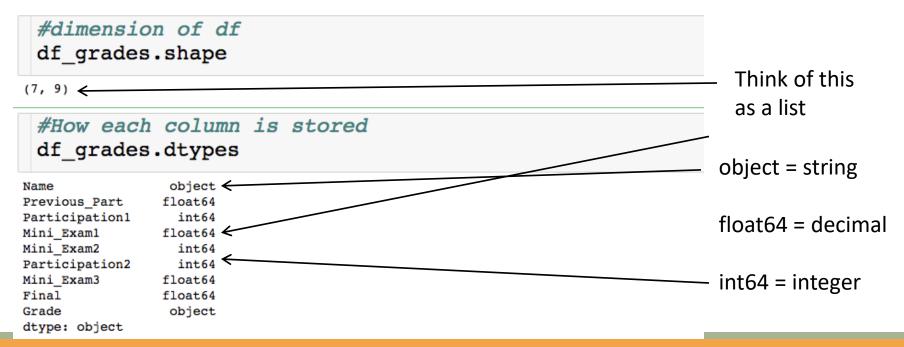
#### **Basic Features**

```
import pandas as pd

df_grades = pd.read_csv("Grades_Short.csv")

df_grades.head(3)
```

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#### **Basic Features**

#### column names

		Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
	0	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	Α
	1	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	Α
1	2	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	Α-

row names = index

RangeIndex(start=0, stop=7, step=1)

#### Selecting a Single Column

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
0	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	Α
1	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	Α
2	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	Α-
3	Sol	31.0	1	22.0	13	1	13.0	34.0	Α
4	Chris	30.0	1	19.0	17	1	12.5	33.5	Α
5	Tarik	31.0	1	19.0	19	1	8.0	24.0	В
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```
#Get Name column
df_grades['Name']
```

```
0    Jake
1    Joe
2    Susan
3    Sol
4    Chris
5    Tarik
6    Malik
Name: Name, dtype: object
```

- Between square brackets, the column must be given as a string
- Outputs column as a series
  - A series is a one dimensional dataframe..more on this in the slicing

#### Selecting a Single Column

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
0	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	Α
1	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	Α
2	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	A-
3	Sol	31.0	1	22.0	13	1	13.0	34.0	Α
4	Chris	30.0	1	19.0	17	1	12.5	33.5	Α
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```
#Get Name column df_grades.Name
```

```
0 Jake
1 Joe
2 Susan
3 Sol
4 Chris
5 Tarik
6 Malik
Name: Name, dtype: object
```

- Exactly equivalent way to get Name column
  - + : don't have to type brackets or quotes
  - -: won't generalize to selecting multiple columns,, won't work if column names have spaces, can't create new columns this way

## **Selecting Multiple Columns**

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
0	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	Α
1	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	Α
2	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	Α-
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6	Malik	31.5	1	20.0	21	1	9.0	36.0	Α

```
#Select multiple columns
df_grades[["Name", "Grade"]]
```

	Name	Grade
0	Jake	Α
1	Joe	Α
2	Susan	<b>A</b> -
3	Sol	Α
4	Chris	Α
5	Tarik	В
6	Malik	Α

- List of strings, which correspond to column names.
- You can select as many column as you want.
- Column don't have to be contiguous.

#### **Storing Result**

```
#Print the column
 df_grades["Name"]
     Jake
      Joe
                                       Why store a slice?
2
    Susan
3
      Sol
    Chris
                                          We might want/have to do our
    Tarik
    Malik
                                          analysis is steps.
Name: Name, dtype: object
                                               Less error prone
                                               More readable
 #Store the column
 names= df_grades["Name"]
 names K
     Jake
      Joe
                The variable name stores a
    Susan
                series
      Sol
    Chris
    Tarik
    Malik
Name: Name, dtype: object
```

Slice/index through the index, which is usually numbers

```
names= df_grades["Name"]
names

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names

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5 Tarik
6 Malik
Name: Name, dtype: object
```

Picking out single element

```
names[0]
```

names= df\_grades["Name"]

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O Jake
1 Joe
2 Susan
3 Sol
4 Chris
5 Tarik
6 Malik
```

Name: Name, dtype: object

```
Picking out single element

Contiguous slice

names[0]

names[1:4]

1 Joe
2 Susan
3 Sol
Name: Name, dtype: object
```

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0 Jake
1 Joe
2 Susan
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4 Chris
5 Tarik
6 Malik
Name: Name, dtype: object
```

Picking out single element

Contiguous slice

Arbitrary slice

```
names[0]
```

```
names[1:4]

1 Joe
2 Susan
3 Sol
```

Name: Name, dtype: object

names[[1,2,4]]

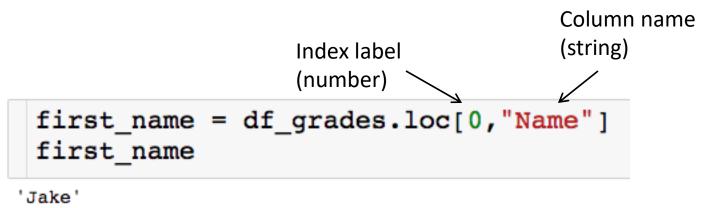
1 Joe
2 Susan
4 Chris
Name: Name, dtype: object

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- There are a few ways to pick slice a data frame, we will use the .loc method.
- Access elements through the index labels column names
  - We will see how to change both of these labels later on

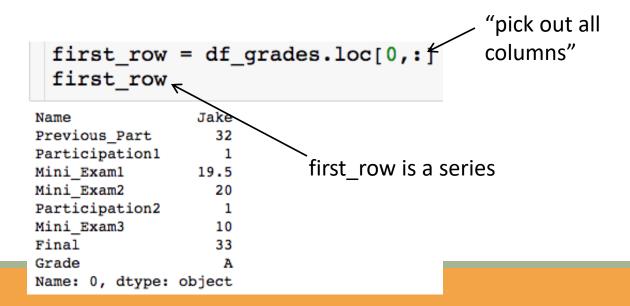
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Pick a single value out.



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Pick out entire row:



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• Pick out contiguous chunk:

Endpoints are inclusive!

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1	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16
2	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19

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• Pick out arbitrary chunk:

	Name	Grade
0	Jake	Α
2	Susan	<b>A</b> -
3	Sol	Α

#### **Built in Functions**

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
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How do I compute the average score on the final?

```
#Print out
df_grades.Final.mean()

32.214285714285715

Built in mean() method

#Store
avg_final = df_grades.Final.mean()
avg_final

32.214285714285715
```

#### **Built in Functions**

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How do I compute the highest Mini Exam 1 score?

```
max_mini_1 = df_grades["Mini_Exam1"].max()
max_mini_1
```

#### **Creating New Columns**

```
import pandas as pd

df_grades = pd.read_csv("Data/Grades_Short.csv")
df_grades.head()
```

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade	
0	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	A >	<b>33/36</b>
1	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	A ->	<b>3</b> 2/36
2	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	A-	
3	Sol	31.0	1	22.0	13	1	13.0	34.0	Α	
4	Chris	30.0	1	19.0	17	1	12.5	33.5	Α	

We can also create column as function of other column. The Final was worth 36 points, let's create a column for each student's percentage.

```
df_grades["Final_Percentage"]=df_grades["Final"]/36
df_grades.head()
```

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade	new_column	Final_Percentage
(	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	Α	1	0.916667
•	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	Α	1	0.888889
:	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	A-	1	0.916667
;	Sol	31.0	1	22.0	13	1	13.0	34.0	Α	1	0.944444
4	Chris	30.0	1	19.0	17	1	12.5	33.5	Α	1	0.930556

## **Deleting Columns**

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade	new_column	Part_perc
0	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	Α	1	1.0
1	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	Α	1	1.0
2	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	A-	1	1.0
3	Sol	31.0	1	22.0	13	1	13.0	34.0	Α	1	1.0
4	Chris	30.0	1	19.0	17	1	12.5	33.5	Α	1	1.0

```
#Delete multiple columns
df_grades.drop(["new_column","Part_perc"], axis=1, inplace = True)
df_grades.head()
```

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
0	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	Α
1	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	Α
2	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	A-
3	Sol	31.0	1	22.0	13	1	13.0	34.0	Α
4	Chris	30.0	1	19.0	17	1	12.5	33.5	Α

#### The Drop Method

List of column of index label

```
• inplace = True— change df_grades
```

 inplace = False – return dataframe with specified columns deleted, do not change df\_grades

```
df_grades.drop(["new_column","Part_perc"], axis=1, inplace = True)
df_grades.head()
```

- axis = 1 delete specified columns
- axis = 0 delete specified rows

```
import pandas as pd

df_grades = pd.read_csv("Data/Grades_Short.csv")
df_grades
```

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dtype='object')

#### df\_grades.rename?

```
Signature: df grades.rename(mapper=None, index=None, columns=None, axis=None, copy=True, inplace=False, level=None)
Docstring:
Alter axes labels.
Function / dict values must be unique (1-to-1). Labels not contained in
a dict / Series will be left as-is. Extra labels listed don't throw an
error.
See the :ref: user guide <basics.rename> for more.
Parameters
mapper, index, columns: dict-like or function, optional
   dict-like or functions transformations to apply to
   that axis' values. Use either `mapper` and `axis` to
   specify the axis to target with ``mapper``, or ``index`` and
    ``columns``.
axis: int or str, optional
   Axis to target with ``mapper``. Can be either the axis name
   ('index', 'columns') or number (0, 1). The default is 'index'.
copy : boolean, default True
   Also copy underlying data
inplace : boolean, default False
    Whether to return a new %(klass)s. If True then value of copy is
   ignored.
level: int or level name, default None
    In case of a MultiIndex, only rename labels in the specified
    level.
```

```
#Get column names
 df grades.columns
Index(['Name', 'Previous_Part', 'Participation1', 'Mini_Exam1', 'Mini_Exam2',
     'Participation2', 'Mini Exam3', 'Final', 'Grade'],
    dtype='object')
 #Changing column names
 df_grades.rename(columns={"Mini_Exam1": "Mini_Exam_1", "Mini_Exam2": "Mini_Exam_2"}, \
                              ↑ inplace = False)
                      "curly" brackets around
                      new column name
                      assignments
```

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam_1	Mini_Exam_2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
0	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	Α
1	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	Α
2	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	Α-
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#### df\_grades\_A

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
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4	Malik	31.5	1	20.0	21	1	9.0	36.0	Α

#### df\_grades\_other

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
0	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	A-
1	Tarik	31.0	1	19.0	19	1	8.0	24.0	В

Let's say you had separate csv files with the info for the students who got an A and everyone else, but you want to analyze everything together.

axis = 0 (default) – combine the two dataframes by stacking them on top of each other. Set axis =1 to stack side by side.

#### df\_grades\_A

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
0	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	Α
1	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	Α
2	Sol	31.0	1	22.0	13	1	13.0	34.0	Α
3	Chris	30.0	1	19.0	17	1	12.5	33.5	Α
4	Malik	31.5	1	20.0	21	1	9.0	36.0	Α

#### df\_grades\_other

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
0	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	Α-
1	Tarik	31.0	1	19.0	19	1	8.0	24.0	В

- # of columns has to match
- What is going to happen to index?

#### df\_grades

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
0	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	Α
1	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	Α
2	Sol	31.0	1	22.0	13	1	13.0	34.0	Α
3	Chris	30.0	1	19.0	17	1	12.5	33.5	Α
4	Malik	31.5	1	20.0	21	1	9.0	36.0	Α
5	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	A-
6	Tarik	31.0	1	19.0	19	1	8.0	24.0	В

## **Using the Index**

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade
0	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	Α
1	Joe	32.0	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	Α
2	Susan	30.0	1	19.0	19	1	10.5	33.0	A-
3	Sol	31.0	1	22.0	13	1	13.0	34.0	Α
4	Chris	30.0	1	19.0	17	1	12.5	33.5	Α
5	Tarik	31.0	1	19.0	19	1	8.0	24.0	В
6	Malik	31.5	1	20.0	21	1	9.0	36.0	Α

- The index in this case is row numbers.
- What if I want to quickly see Joe's row?
  - I have to look up what row Joe is in.
  - Instead, I can make the index the column name.

## Using the Index

```
df_grades.set_index("Name", inplace=True)
df_grades
```

Column that will become index (make sure this is unique).

#### **Missing Data**

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade	Temp
0	Jake	32.0	1	19.5	20	1	10.0	33.0	Α	-1
1	Joe	NaN	1	20.0	16	1	14.0	32.0	Α	23
2	Sol	31.0	1	22.0	13	1	13.0	34.0	Α	34
3	Chris	30.0	-1	19.0	not available	1	12.5	33.5	Α	72

#### df\_missing.dtypes

```
object
Name
                   float64
Previous Part
Participation1
                     int64
Mini Examl
                   float64
Mini Exam2
                   object
Participation2
                     int64
Mini Exam3
                   float64
Final
                   float64
Grade
                   object
                     int64
Temp
dtype: object
```

We can replace the missing data with a true NaN (right now everything is just a string).

## Isnull() Method

The isnull() method lets you check where the NaNs are:

```
df = pd.read_csv("Data/Missing_Data.csv", na_values=["NaN", -1, "not available"])
df
```

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade	Temp
0	Jake	32.0	1.0	19.5	20.0	1	10.0	33.0	Α	NaN
1	Joe	NaN	1.0	20.0	16.0	1	14.0	32.0	Α	23.0
2	Sol	31.0	1.0	22.0	13.0	1	13.0	34.0	Α	34.0
3	Chris	30.0	NaN	19.0	NaN	1	12.5	33.5	Α	72.0

```
#Using isnull()
df.isnull()
```

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade	Temp
0	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	True
1	False	True	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
2	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
3	False	False	True	False	True	False	False	False	False	False

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```

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade	Temp
0	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	True
1	False	True	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
2	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
3	False	False	True	False	True	False	False	False	False	False

```
#Remember Booleans are just 0s and 1s.
#Check how many NaNs are in each column
df.isnull().sum()
```

```
Name 0
Previous_Part 1
Participation1 1
Mini_Exam1 0
Mini_Exam2 1
Participation2 0
Mini_Exam3 0
Final 0
Grade 0
Temp 1
dtype: int64
```

# **Dropna() Method**

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade	Temp
0	Jake	32.0	1.0	19.5	20.0	1	10.0	33.0	Α	NaN
1	Joe	NaN	1.0	20.0	16.0	1	14.0	32.0	Α	23.0
2	Sol	31.0	1.0	22.0	13.0	1	13.0	34.0	Α	34.0
3	Chris	30.0	NaN	19.0	NaN	1	12.5	33.5	Α	72.0

How do I get rid of all rows with NaN?

# **Dropna() Method**

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade	Temp
0	Jake	32.0	1.0	19.5	20.0	1	10.0	33.0	Α	NaN
1	Joe	NaN	1.0	20.0	16.0	1	14.0	32.0	Α	23.0
2	Sol	31.0	1.0	22.0	13.0	1	13.0	34.0	Α	34.0
3	Chris	30.0	NaN	19.0	NaN	1	12.5	33.5	Α	72.0

How do I get rid of all rows with NaN?

```
df_missing.dropna(axis = 0, inplace=False)
```

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade	Temp
2	Sol	31.0	1.0	22.0	13.0	1	13.0	34.0	Α	34.0

Setting axis = 1 would drop all columns with an NaN

## **Dropna() Method**

#### df\_missing.dropna?

```
Signature: df missing.dropna(axis=0, how='any', thresh=None, subset=None, inplace=False)
Docstring:
Return object with labels on given axis omitted where alternately any
or all of the data are missing
Parameters
axis: {0 or 'index', 1 or 'columns'}, or tuple/list thereof
   Pass tuple or list to drop on multiple axes
how : { 'any', 'all' }
    * any : if any NA values are present, drop that label
    * all: if all values are NA, drop that label
thresh : int, default None
    int value : require that many non-NA values
subset : array-like
   Labels along other axis to consider, e.g. if you are dropping rows
   these would be a list of columns to include
inplace : boolean, default False
    If True, do operation inplace and return None.
```

## Fillna() Method

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade	Temp
0	Jake	32.0	1.0	19.5	20.0	1	10.0	33.0	Α	NaN
1	Joe	NaN	1.0	20.0	16.0	1	14.0	32.0	Α	23.0
2	Sol	31.0	1.0	22.0	13.0	1	13.0	34.0	Α	34.0
3	Chris	30.0	NaN	19.0	NaN	1	12.5	33.5	Α	72.0

Rather than getting rid of rows/columns, we fill the "holes" in a number of ways.

```
#Replace with specific value
df_missing.fillna(0, inplace=False)
```

	Name	Previous_Part	Participation1	Mini_Exam1	Mini_Exam2	Participation2	Mini_Exam3	Final	Grade	Temp
0	Jake	32.0	1.0	19.5	20.0	1	10.0	33.0	Α	0.0
1	Joe	0.0	1.0	20.0	16.0	1	14.0	32.0	Α	23.0
2	Sol	31.0	1.0	22.0	13.0	1	13.0	34.0	Α	34.0
3	Chris	30.0	0.0	19.0	0.0	1	12.5	33.5	Α	72.0