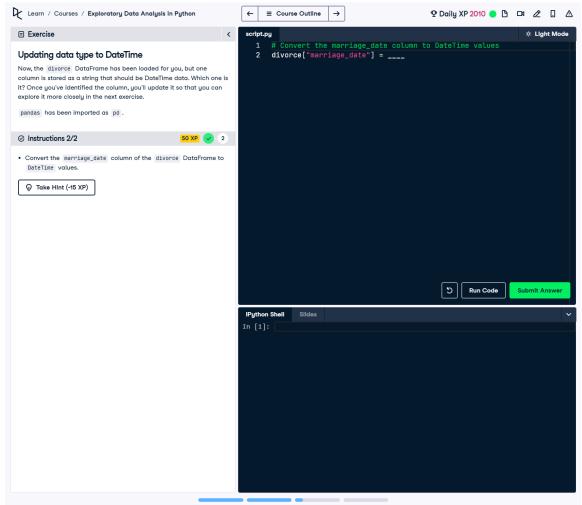
Updating Data Type to DateTime - marriage_date



Question

Convert the marriage_date column of the divorce DataFrame to DateTime values.

Explanation of the Question

The task is to convert the marriage_date column, which is currently stored as a string, to a DateTime format. This ensures that the data is correctly formatted for time-based operations.

Answer

Convert the marriage date column to DateTime values

import pandas as pd

Assuming the DataFrame is already loaded
divorce['marriage date'] = pd.to datetime(divorce['marriage date'])

Verify the updated data type
print(divorce.dtypes)

Explanation of the Answer

The code uses pandas' `to_datetime` function to convert the 'marriage_date' column from a string to a DateTime format. This transformation allows for accurate and efficient time-based computations. Printing the data types confirms the conversion.