

Big Data Technology and its Applications



Python

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Outline

- Python introduction
- NumPy
- SciPy
- Matplotlib
- Pandas
- Example for long-term load forecasting

Compared with other languages



- Java

- Python programs are generally expected to run slower than Java programs, but they also take much less time (typically 3-5 times shorter) to develop.





















- C++

- Similar with Java, just more so. One Python programmer can finish in two months what two C++ programmers can't complete in a year. Python can integrate C++.



- Matlab

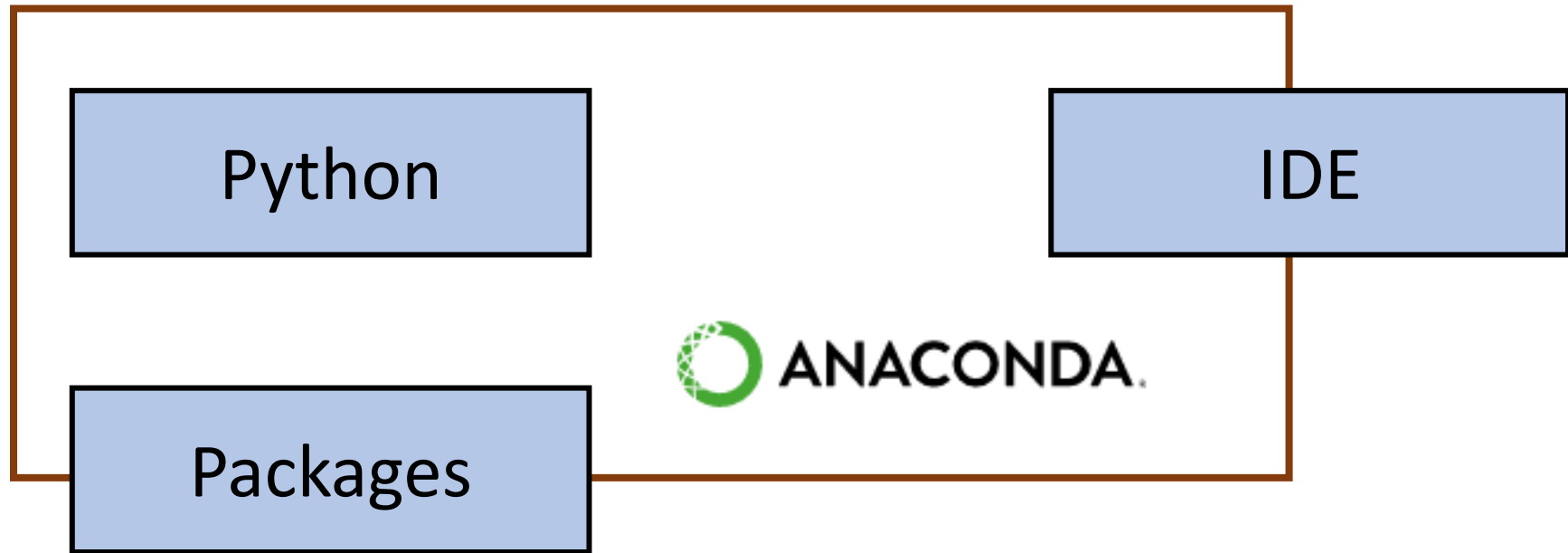
- Both of them are easy to use. Python is stronger in ecosystem. They have some well-developed packages such as pytorch, tensorflow, and scikit-learn.

Sep 2024	Sep 2023	Change	Programming Language		Ratings	Change
1	1			Python	20.17%	+6.01%
2	3	⬆️		C++	10.75%	+0.09%
3	4	⬆️		Java	9.45%	-0.04%
4	2	⬇️		C	8.89%	-2.38%
5	5			C#	6.08%	-1.22%
6	6			JavaScript	3.92%	+0.62%
7	7			Visual Basic	2.70%	+0.48%
8	12	⬆️⬆️		Go	2.35%	+1.16%
9	10	⬆️		SQL	1.94%	+0.50%
10	11	⬆️		Fortran	1.78%	+0.49%
11	15	⬆️⬆️		Delphi/Object Pascal	1.77%	+0.75%
12	13	⬆️		MATLAB	1.47%	+0.28%
13	8	⬇️⬇️		PHP	1.46%	-0.09%
14	17	⬆️		Rust	1.32%	+0.35%
15	18	⬆️		R	1.20%	+0.23%
16	19	⬆️		Ruby	1.13%	+0.18%
17	14	⬇️		Scratch	1.11%	+0.03%
18	20	⬆️		Kotlin	1.10%	+0.20%

Overview of python, IDE, packages, and anaconda

Programming language

Integrated development environment



Help you to implement a certain kind of functions

Install Python and other packages

- Install at <https://www.python.org/>
 - Use python 3.x rather than 2.x
- Or install anaconda instead
 - Get python, IDE (Spyder, Jupyter), and some other packages (NumPy, SciPy, pandas, ...) together.
 - <https://www.anaconda.com/products/individual>
- Choose an IDE and start coding
 - Spyder, Jupyter Notebook
- Install some other packages if necessary
 - `pip install **`, `conda install **` in the cmd/terminal
 - Get instruction from the website of the corresponding packages

Comparison: Spyder, Jupyter Notebook, Pycharm

- Spyder
 - An IDE specifically for scientific programming in Python
 - Interface similar to Matlab
 - Easy to manage packages through Anaconda
- Jupyter Notebook
 - An interactive Python notebook where you can run code, visualize data and include text all in one document
 - Based on Web
- Pycharm
 - A powerful and featureful IDE for Python applications
 - Need to configure environment for each project
 - <https://www.runoob.com/w3cnote/pycharm-windows-install.html>

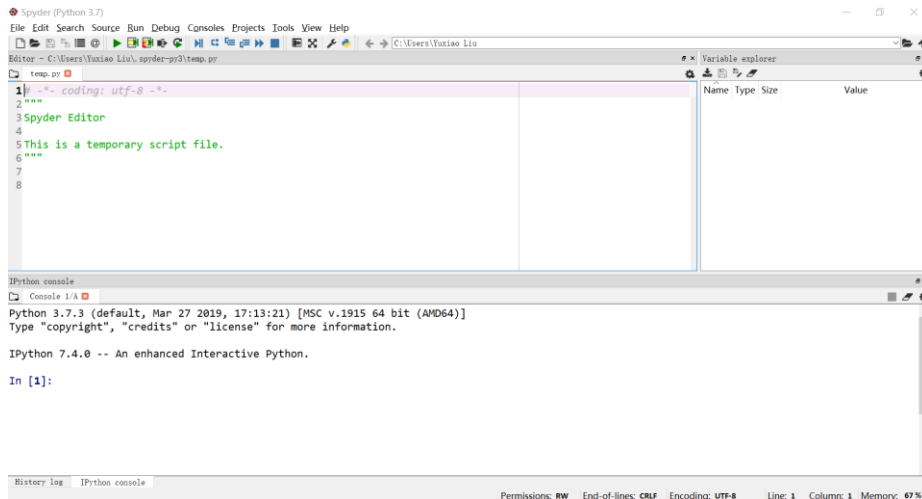
Using anaconda


- Download and install at <https://www.anaconda.com/products/individual>

OR 清华大学开源镜像站

<https://mirrors.tuna.tsinghua.edu.cn/anaconda/archive>

- Start spyder




Windows 

Python 3.8

64-Bit Graphical Installer (466 MB)

32-Bit Graphical Installer (397 MB)

MacOS 

Python 3.8

64-Bit Graphical Installer (462 MB)

64-Bit Command Line Installer (454 MB)

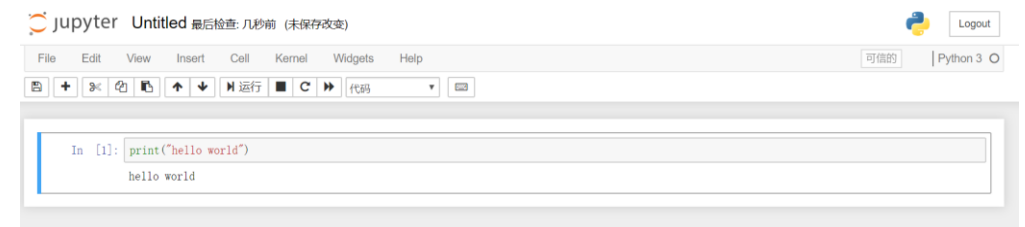
Linux 

Python 3.8

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64-Bit (Power8 and Power9) Installer (290 MB)

- Or type **jupyter notebook** in the cmd/terminal
- Start a new notebook



Python features

- No compiling
- Rapid development cycle
- No type declarations
- High-level data types and operations
- Simpler, shorter, more flexible
- Automatic memory management
- Garbage collection
- Object-oriented programming
- Mixed language systems

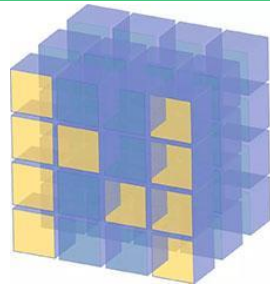
Useful python packages



SciPy



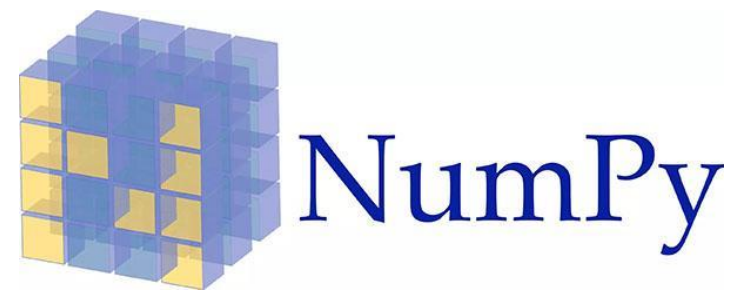
matplotlib
Version 3.2.1



NumPy

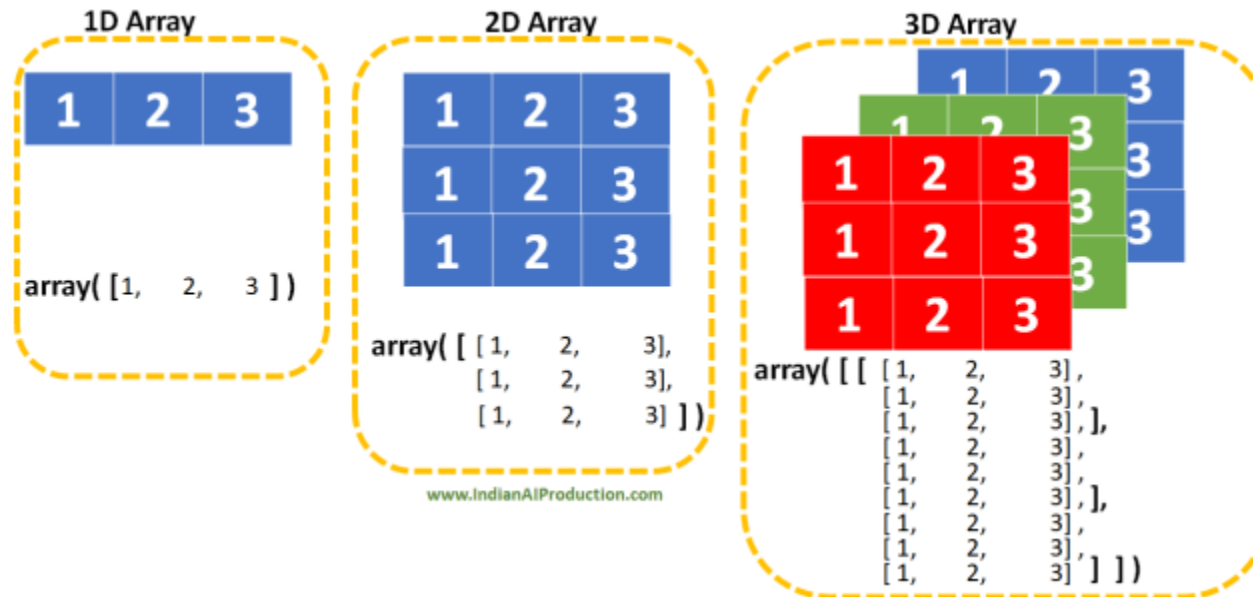


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Numpy

- NumPy is the fundamental package for scientific computing with Python. It contains among other things:
 - a powerful N-dimensional array object (ndarray)
 - tools for integrating C/C++ and Fortran code
 - useful linear algebra, Fourier transform, and random number capabilities



What can NumPy do

Constants	<code>np.inf</code> , <code>np.pi</code> , <code>np.nan</code> , ...
Mathematical functions	Math (<code>np.sqrt</code> , ...), Trigonometric (<code>np.sin</code> , ...), ...
Array creation	<code>np.ones</code> , <code>np.ones_like</code> , ...
Array manipulation	<code>np.transpose</code> , <code>np.stack</code> , <code>np.tile</code> , <code>np.flip</code> , ...
Functional programming	<code>np.apply_along_axis</code> , <code>np.piecewise</code> , ...
Indexing	<code>np.where</code> , <code>np.take</code> , <code>np.select</code> , ...
I/O	<code>np.loadtxt</code> , <code>np.load</code> , <code>np.save</code> , ...
Logic functions	Comparison (<code>np.greater</code> , ...), ...
Polynomials	<code>np.poly1d</code> , <code>np.polyfit</code> , ...
Random sampling	Simple random data (<code>np.rand</code> , ...), Permutations (<code>np.shuffle</code> , ...), Distributions (<code>np.normal</code> , ...), Random generator (<code>np.seed</code> , ...)
Statistics	<code>np.mean</code> , <code>np.sum</code> , <code>np.correlate</code> , <code>np.histogram</code> , ...
Financial functions	<code>np.fv</code> , <code>np.ppmt</code> , <code>np.rate</code> , ...

<https://numpy.org/>
<https://numpy.org/doc/stable/user/quickstart.html>

What can NumPy do

Type and run in the Console of Spyder

```
In [1]: import numpy as np
...: a = np.arange(15).reshape(3, 5)
...: a
Out[1]:
array([[ 0,  1,  2,  3,  4],
       [ 5,  6,  7,  8,  9],
       [10, 11, 12, 13, 14]])

In [2]: a.shape
Out[2]: (3, 5)

In [3]: a[2,3]
Out[3]: 13

In [4]: a[:,2]
Out[4]: array([ 2,  7, 12])
```

```
In [5]: a.ndim
Out[5]: 2

In [6]: a.dtype.name
Out[6]: 'int32'

In [7]: a.itemsize
Out[7]: 4

In [8]: a.size
Out[8]: 15

In [9]: type(a)
Out[9]: numpy.ndarray

In [10]:
```

<https://numpy.org/>

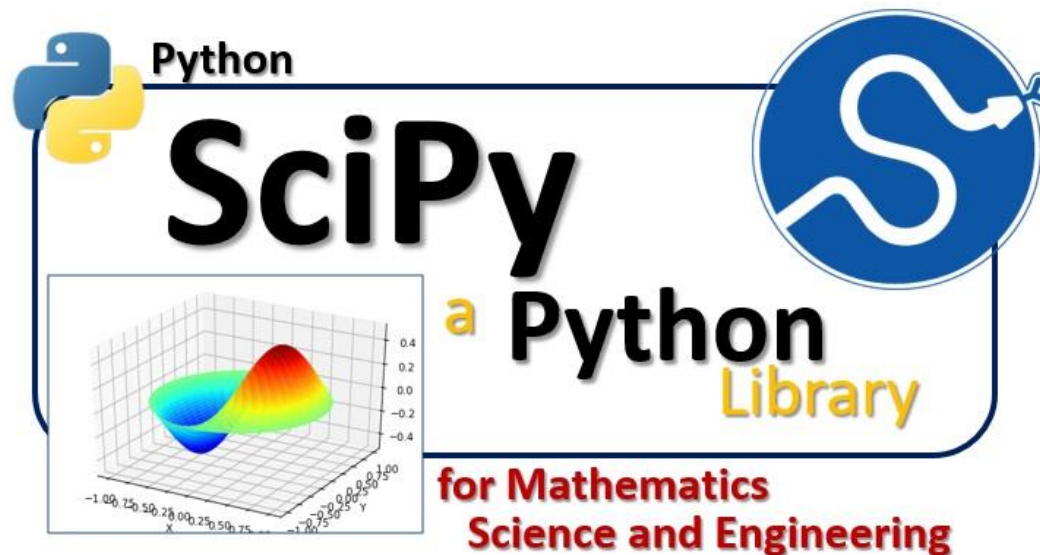
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SciPy



SciPy

- The scipy package contains various toolboxes dedicated to common issues in scientific computing.
- It provides many user-friendly and efficient numerical routines, such as routines for **numerical integration, interpolation, optimization, linear algebra, and statistics.**



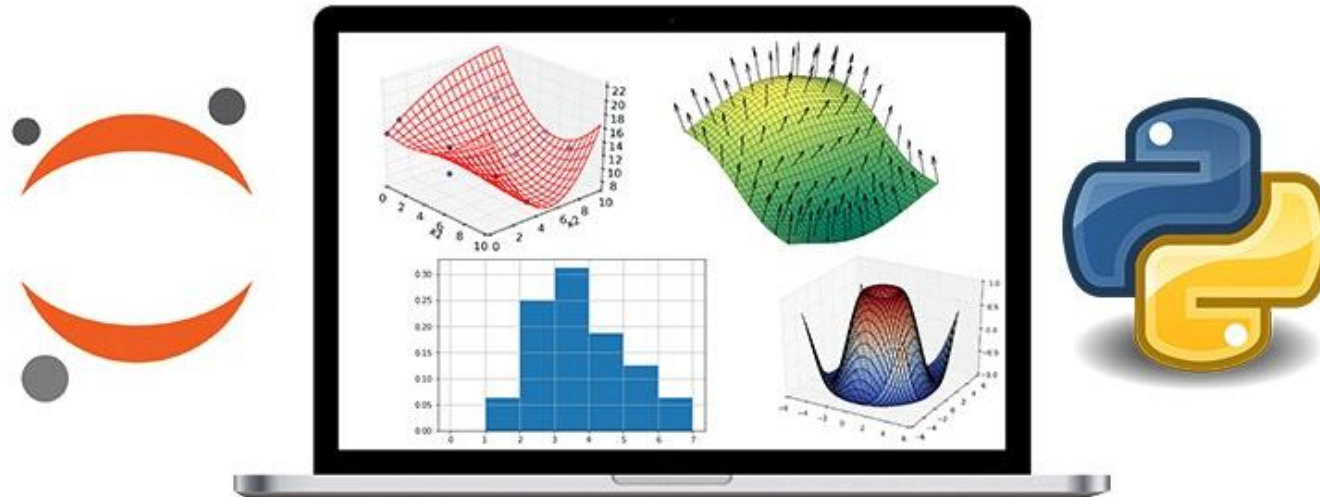
What can SciPy do

Physical and mathematical constants	<code>scipy.constants</code>
Vector quantization/Kmeans	<code>scipy.cluster</code>
Fourier transform	<code>scipy.fft</code>
Integration	<code>scipy.integrate</code>
Interpolation	<code>scipy.interpolate</code>
I/O	<code>scipy.io</code>
Linear algebra	<code>scipy.linalg</code>
N-dimensional image package	<code>scipy.ndimage</code>
Optimization	<code>scipy.optimize</code>
Signal processing	<code>scipy.signal</code>
Sparse matrices	<code>scipy.sparse</code>
Spatial data structures and algorithms	<code>scipy.spatial</code>
Any special mathematical functions	<code>scipy.special</code>
Statistics	<code>scipy.stats</code>

<https://docs.scipy.org/doc/scipy/reference/>

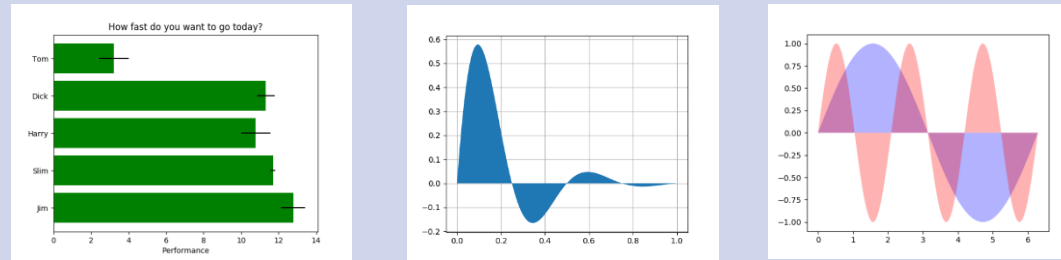
Matplotlib

- Matplotlib is a comprehensive library for creating static, animated, and interactive visualizations.
- You can develop **publication quality** plots; **take full control** of line styles, axes properties; explore functionality provided by **third party packages**, etc.

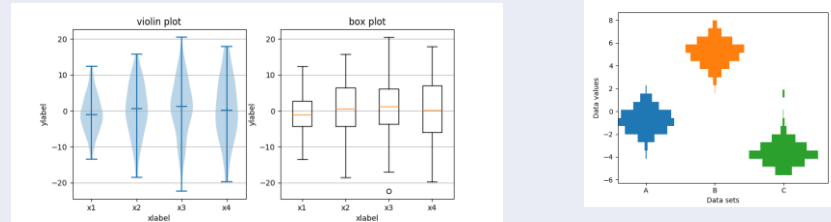


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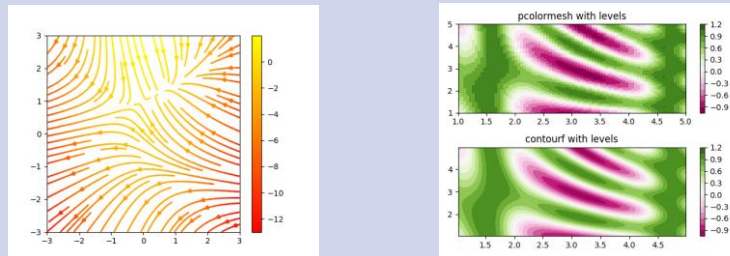
Lines, bars, and markers



Statistical plots



Images, contours, and fields

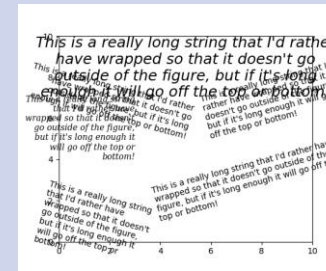
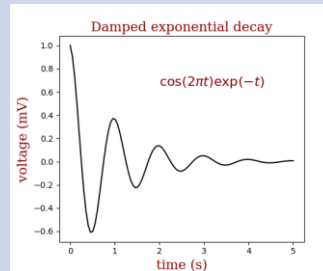


Pie and polar charts

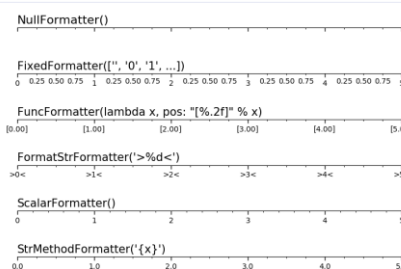
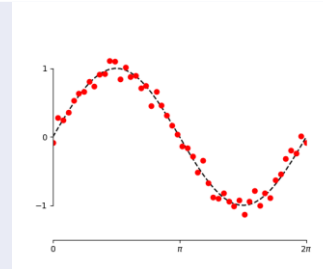


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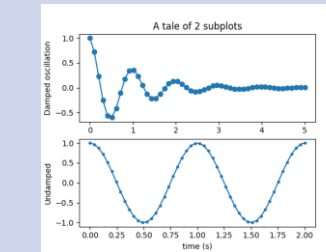
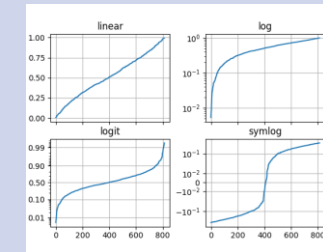
Text, labels, and annotations



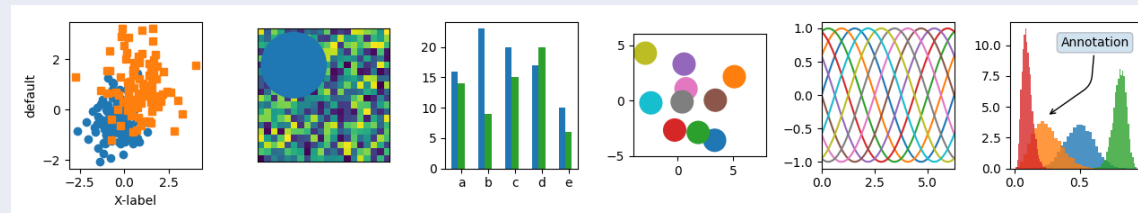
Ticks and spines



Subplots, axes, and figures

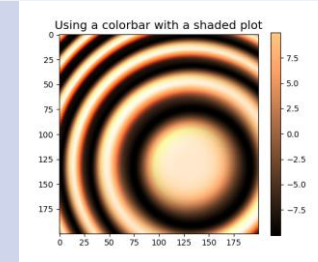
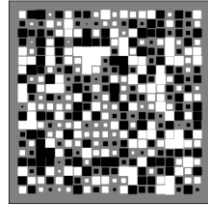


Style sheets

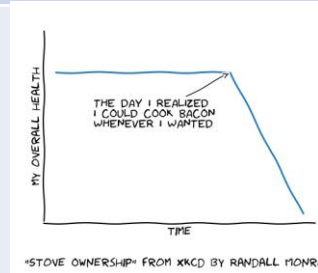
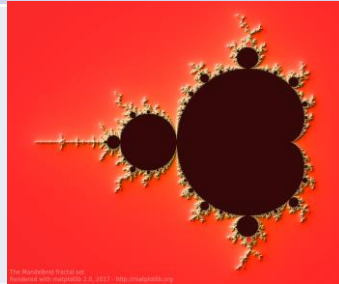


What can matplotlib do

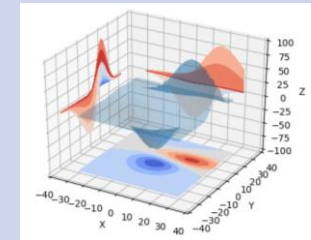
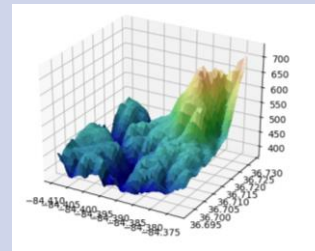
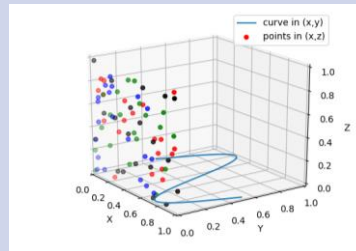
Specialty plots



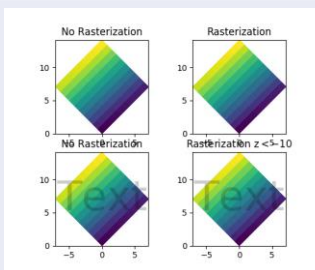
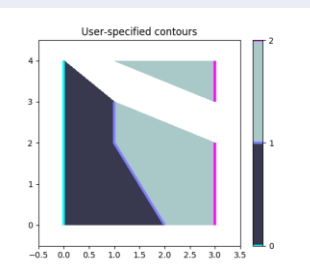
Showcase



mplot3d toolkit



Miscellaneous



What can matplotlib do

Import the necessary packages and modules

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

```
import numpy as np
```

Prepare the data

```
x = np.linspace(0, 10, 100)
```

Plot the data

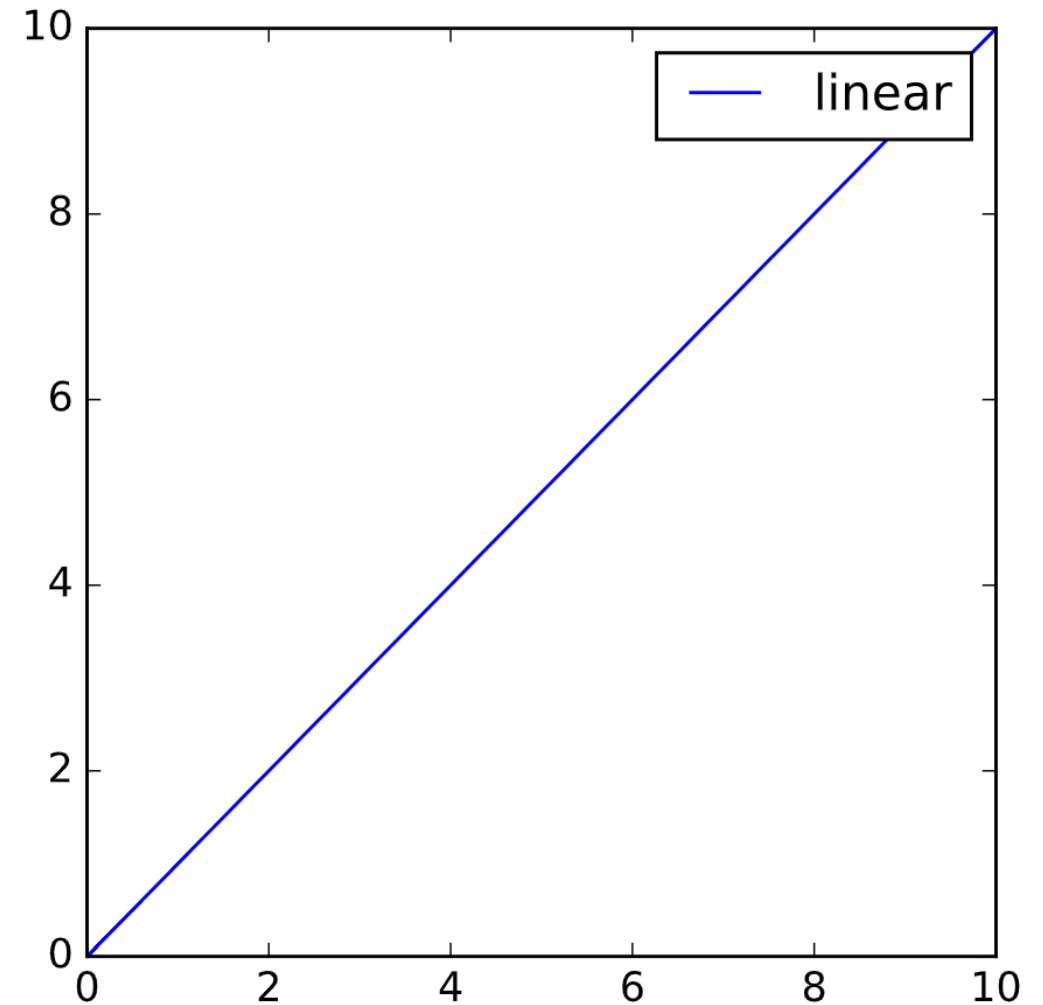
```
plt.plot(x, x, label='linear')
```

Add a legend

```
plt.legend()
```

Show the plot

```
plt.show()
```

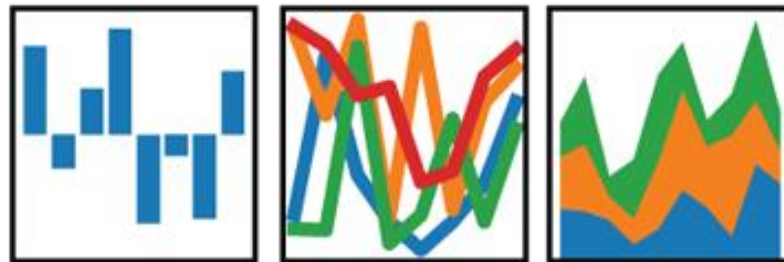


Let's try this code!

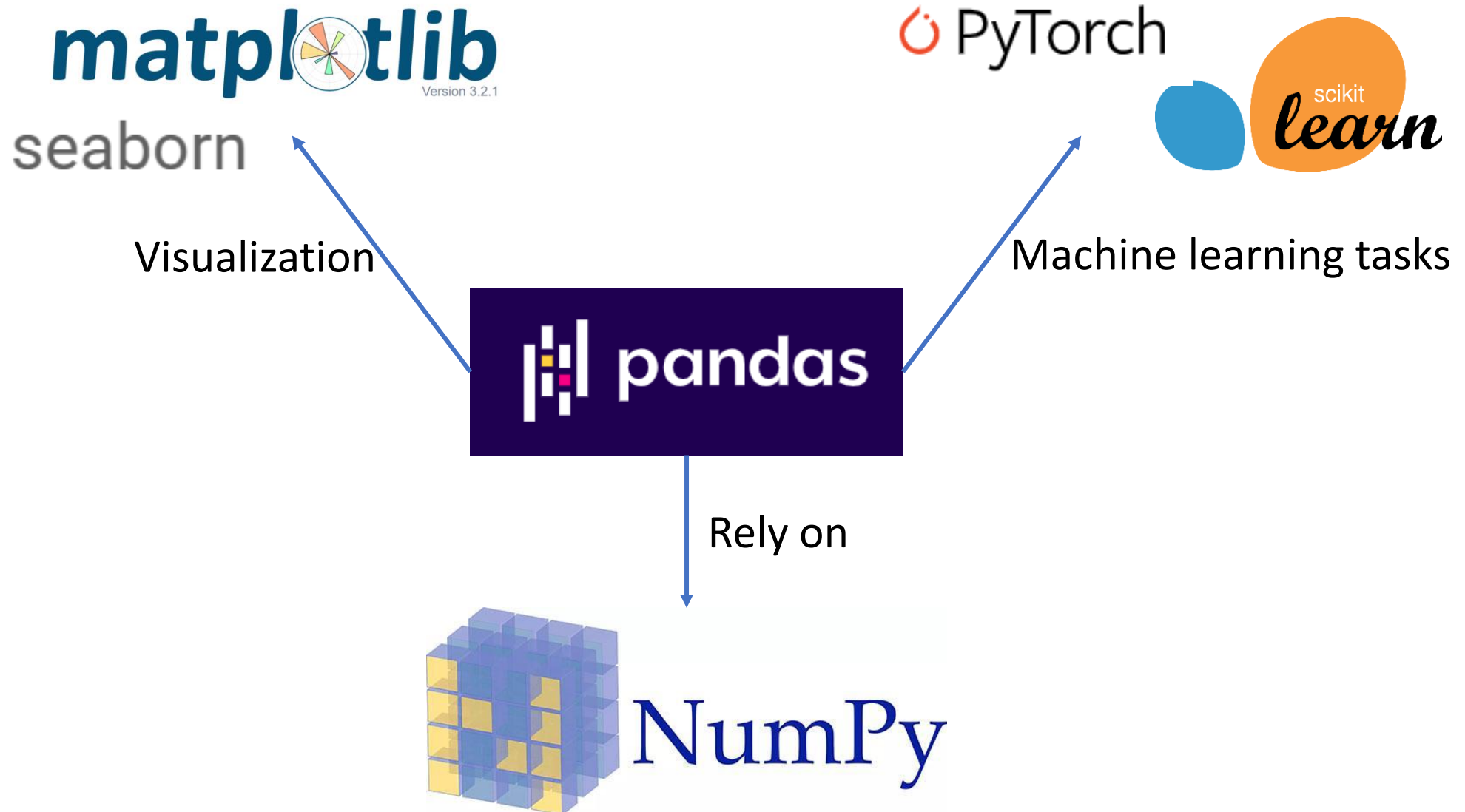
Pandas

- Pandas is an open source library providing high-performance, easy-to-use **data structures** and data **analysis tools** for the Python programming language.

pandas

$$y_{it} = \beta' x_{it} + \mu_i + \epsilon_{it}$$


Relations with other packages



What can pandas do

I/O	<code>pd.read_csv</code> , <code>pd.read_excel</code> , ...
General functions	<code>pd.merge</code> , <code>pd.isna</code> , <code>pd.pivot</code> , ...
Series	Attributes (<code>Series.shape</code>), Conversion (<code>Series.copy</code>), Indexing (<code>Series.loc</code>), Binary operator (<code>Series.mul</code>), Function application&GroupBy (<code>Series.aggregate</code>), Selection (<code>Series.where</code>), Sorting (<code>Series.sort_values</code>), Plotting (<code>Series.plot.bar</code>), I/O (<code>Series.to_csv</code>), ...
DataFrame	Similar with Series
Index	Numeric Index, CategoricalIndex, IntervalIndex, MultiIndex, DatetimeIndex, TimedeltaIndex, PeriodIndex
Scalars	Period, Timestamp, Interval
Window	Moving window, expanding window, Exponentially-weighted moving window
Resampling	<code>Resampler.groups</code> , <code>Resampler.ffmpeg</code> , <code>Resampler.count</code> , ...

https://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/getting_started/tutorials.html

Pandas: data structures--Series

- **One-dimensional** ndarray with axis labels (including time series).
- Index labels need not to be ordered
- Duplicates are possible

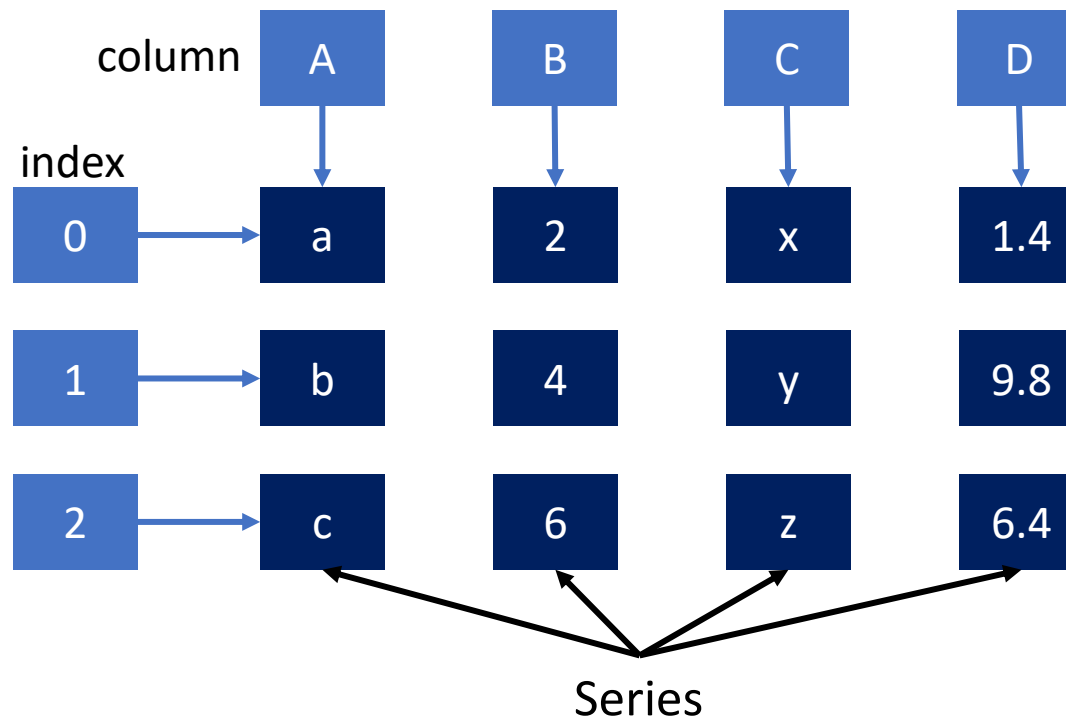
index	value
1	a
2	b
3	c
4	d

index	value
4	a
2	b
1	c
3	d

index	value
x	a
y	b
z	c
q	c

Pandas: data structures--DataFrame

- **Two-dimensional**, size-mutable, potentially heterogeneous tabular data.
- Data structure also contains labeled axes (rows and columns).
- Can be thought of as a **dict-like container for Series objects**.



All data in a column must be the same kind

DataFrame: overview

Creation

Filtering

Update

Insertion

Deletion

Sorting

Statistics

Missing Value

Basic

Advanced

DataFrame: creation

Dictionary

List

Row
oriented

```
salesRowDict = [
    {'Account': 'Jones LLC', 'Jan': 15,
     'Feb': 22, 'Mar': 10},
    ...
]
dfRowDict = pd.DataFrame(salesRowDict)
```

```
salesRowList = [('Jones LLC', 15, 22, 10),...]
labels = ['Account', 'Jan', 'Feb', 'Mar']
dfRowList =
pd.DataFrame.from_records(salesRowList,columns=l
abels)
```

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	Jones LLC	15	22	10
1	Alpha Go	20	28	14
2	Blue Inc	10	9	13

Column
oriented

```
salesColDict = {
    'Account': ['Jones LLC','Alpha Go','Blue
Inc'],
    'Jan': [15, 22, 10],
    ...}
dfColDict =
pd.DataFrame.from_dict(salesColDict)
```

```
salesColList = [
    ('account', ['Jones LLC','Alpha Go','Blue Inc']),
    ('Jan',[15, 22, 10]),
    ('Feb',[20, 28, 14]),
    ('Mar',[10, 9, 13])]
dfColList = pd.DataFrame.from_items(salesColList)
```

Deprecated since version 0.23.0

Creation	Filtering	Update	Insertion	Deletion	Sorting	Statistics	Missing Value
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DataFrame: save and load data

```
dfColDict.to_csv('sales.csv')
```

```
dfColDict.to_csv('sales.csv', index=False)
```

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	Jones LLC	15	22	10
1	Alpha Go	20	28	14
2	Blue Inc	10	9	13

```
df = pd.read_csv('sales.csv')
```

```
df = pd.read_excel('sales.xls')
```

```
df = pd.read_excel('sales.xlsx')
```

Support csv, xls, and xlsx format

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DataFrame: filtering

Filter by column name(by default)

```
df['Account']
```

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	Jones LLC	15	22	10
1	Alpha Go	20	28	14
2	Blue Inc	10	9	13

Filter by index(when index is integer)

```
df[0:2]
```

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	Jones LLC	15	22	10
1	Alpha Go	20	28	14
2	Blue Inc	10	9	13

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DataFrame: filtering

Filter by iloc (index location)

```
df.iloc[0:2, 0:2]
```

left-closed,
right-open

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	Jones LLC	15	22	10
1	Alpha Go	20	28	14
2	Blue Inc	10	9	13

Filter by loc

```
df.loc[0:2, 'Jan':'Mar']
```

left-closed,
right-closed

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	Jones LLC	15	22	10
1	Alpha Go	20	28	14
2	Blue Inc	10	9	13

iloc和loc的区别: https://blog.csdn.net/Leon_Kbl/article/details/97492966

DataFrame: update

All the filtering techniques can be used.

```
df.iloc[0,1]=16
```

```
df.loc[0, 'Jan'] = 16
```

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	Jones LLC	16	22	10
1	Alpha Go	20	28	14
2	Blue Inc	10	9	13

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DataFrame: update

Update a single value

```
df.iloc[0,1]=16
```

```
df.loc[0, 'Jan'] = 16
```

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	Jones LLC	16	22	10
1	Alpha Go	20	28	14
2	Blue Inc	10	9	13

Update a single column

```
df['Jan'] = 20
```

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	Jones LLC	20	22	10
1	Alpha Go	20	28	14
2	Blue Inc	20	9	13

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DataFrame: insertion

Insert a column

```
df['Apr'] = 21
```

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
0	Jones LLC	22	20	10	21
1	Alpha Go	22	28	9	21
2	Blue Inc	22	14	13	21

Insert a row

```
df.loc[3] = \  
('Google', 10, 20, 30, 35)
```

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
0	Jones LLC	22	20	10	21
1	Alpha Go	22	28	9	21
2	Blue Inc	22	14	13	21
3	Google	10	20	30	35

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DataFrame: deletion

Delete columns

```
df1 = df.drop(columns=['Apr'],  
inplace=False)
```

Set inplace=True if you want to modify the table directly.

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	Jones LLC	22	20	10
1	Alpha Go	22	28	9
2	Blue Inc	22	14	13
3	Google	10	20	30

Delete rows

```
df1.drop(index=3, inplace=True)
```

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	Jones LLC	22	20	10
1	Alpha Go	22	28	9
2	Blue Inc	22	14	13

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DataFrame: sorting

Sort by index

```
df.sort_index(axis=1,  
ascending=False)
```

	Mar	Jan	Feb	Account
0	10	22	20	Jones LLC
1	9	22	28	Alpha Go
2	13	22	14	Blue Inc

Sort by column value

```
df.sort_values('Feb',  
ascending=True)
```

	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
2	Blue Inc	22	14	13
0	Jones LLC	22	20	10
1	Alpha Go	22	28	9

DataFrame: statistics

Basic information

df.shape
df.index
df.columns

df.info()
df.count()

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>  
Int64Index: 3 entries, 0 to 2  
Data columns (total 4 columns):  
Account      3 non-null object  
Jan           3 non-null int64  
Feb           3 non-null int64  
Mar           3 non-null int64  
dtypes: int64(3), object(1)  
memory usage: 120.0+ bytes
```

Summary

df.sum()
df.cumsum()
df.min()
df.max()

df.mean()
df.median()
df.describe()

	Jan	Feb	Mar
count	3.0	3.000000	3.000000
mean	22.0	20.666667	10.666667
std	0.0	7.023769	2.081666
min	22.0	14.000000	9.000000
25%	22.0	17.000000	9.500000
50%	22.0	20.000000	10.000000
75%	22.0	24.000000	11.500000
max	22.0	28.000000	13.000000

DataFrame: missing value

Find and replace missing values

`df.isnull()`

`df.notnull()`



	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	False	True	False	False
1	False	True	False	False
2	False	False	False	False

`df.fillna(0)`



	Account	Jan	Feb	Mar
0	Jones LLC	0.0	20	10
1	Alpha Go	0.0	28	9
2	Blue Inc	22.0	14	13

Creation

Filtering

Update

Insertion

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Sorting

Statistics

Missing Value

Example for long-term load forecasting

```
# We first import packages
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from sklearn import linear_model
from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
```

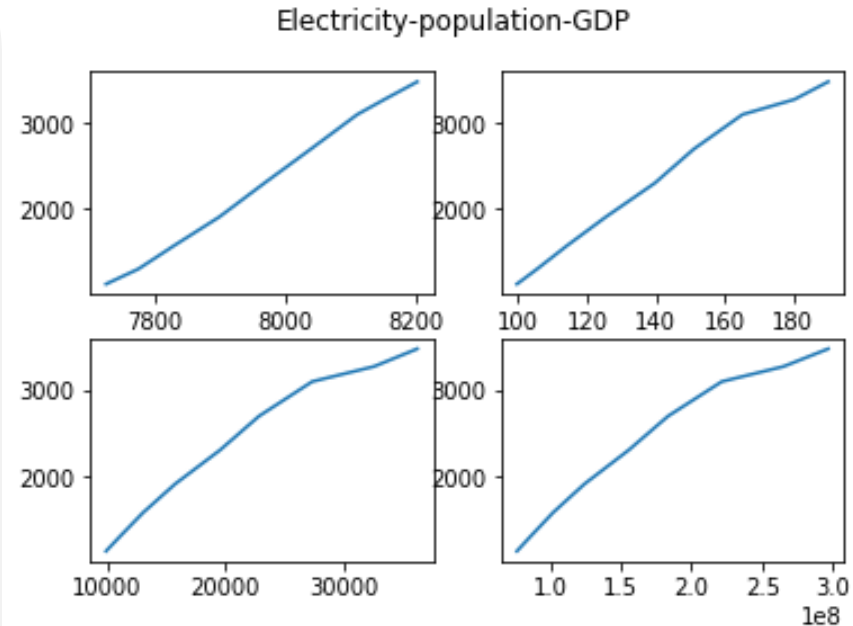
```
# We then read the data
data = pd.read_excel('data.xls')
data.head()
```

	年份	就业人数	第一产业就业人数	第二产业就业人数	第三产业就业人数	人口	GDP	城镇人口恩格尔系数	全社会固定资产投资(亿元)	电量
0	1	4658.272961	1923.866733	1444.064618	1290.341610	7726.4460	9929.682130	41.638356	3468.1080	1132.3620
1	2	4696.477626	1831.626274	1526.355229	1338.496123	7775.7750	11137.192535	42.431739	4041.7020	1307.3970
2	3	4724.973098	1696.265342	1625.390746	1403.317010	7830.5850	13065.008678	40.215000	5602.5900	1580.3760
3	4	4763.923650	1581.622652	1715.012514	1467.288484	7899.0975	15753.780000	42.000000	7168.9695	1911.0945
4	5	4807.687274	1485.575368	1788.459666	1533.652240	7967.6520	19528.624500	39.060000	9176.6955	2303.1225

Example for long-term load forecasting

```
# plot some figures
year = data['年份']
num_year = year.size
gdp = data['GDP']
population = data['人口']
electricity = data['电量']

fig, axs = plt.subplots(2,2)
fig.suptitle('Electricity-population-GDP')
axs[0,0].plot(population, electricity)
axs[1,0].plot(gdp, electricity)
axs[0,1].plot(gdp**0.5, electricity)
axs[1,1].plot(population*gdp, electricity)
```



Example for long-term load forecasting

```
# we choose population and gdp**0.5 as the regressor
# we also add all ones as the regressor
one = pd.DataFrame(data=np.ones(num_year))
X = pd.concat([population, gdp**0.5, one], axis=1)
y = electricity
# we split the datasets into the training and the testing
sets
X_train = X.iloc[2:-2, :]
y_train = y.iloc[2:-2]
X_test = X.iloc[-1, :]
y_test = y.iloc[-1]
X_test.head()
```


Example for long-term load forecasting

```
# create linear regression object
regr = linear_model.LinearRegression()
# Train the model using the training sets
regr.fit(X_train, y_train)
# Make predictions using the testing set
y_pred = regr.predict(X_test.to_numpy().reshape(1, -1))
```

```
# The mean squared error
print(y_pred)
print(y_test)
err = (y_pred[0] - y_test) / y_test
print('Mean squared error: %.4f'% err)
```

Python Conditions and Loops

```
a = 200
b = 33
if b > a:
    print("b is greater than a")
elif a == b:
    print("a and b are equal")
else:
    print("a is greater than b")
```

```
i = 1
while i < 6:
    print(i)
    i += 1
```

```
fruits =
["apple", "banana", "cherry"]
for x in fruits:
    print(x)
```

Things you may interested in

- List and tuples
- object-oriented programming and functional programming
- scikit-learn
- Pytorch
- ...

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