

Import pandas library

```
In [1]: import pandas as pd
```

Creating Dataframes

Specify values for each column

```
In [3]: df = pd.DataFrame(  
    {"a" : [4, 5, 6],  
     "b" : [7, 8, 9],  
     "c" : [10, 11, 12]},  
    index = [1, 2, 3])
```

Specify values for each row

```
In [4]: df2 = pd.DataFrame(  
    [[4, 7, 10],  
     [5, 8, 11],  
     [6, 9, 12]],  
    index=[1, 2, 3],  
    columns=['a', 'b', 'c'])
```

Create DataFrame with a MultiIndex

```
In [5]: df3 = pd.DataFrame(  
    {"a" : [4, 5, 6],  
     "b" : [7, 8, 9],  
     "c" : [10, 11, 12]},  
    index = pd.MultiIndex.from_tuples(  
        [('d', 1), ('d', 2),  
         ('e', 2)], names=['n', 'v']))
```

Reshaping Data - Change Layout, Sorting, Rename, Reindexing

Layout

Gather columns into rows

```
In [6]: pd.melt(df)
```

```
Out[6]:
```

	variable	value
0	a	4
1	a	5

	variable	value
2	a	6
3	b	7
4	b	8
5	b	9
6	c	10
7	c	11
8	c	12

Append rows of DataFrames

```
In [7]: pd.concat([df,df2])
```

```
Out[7]:
```

	a	b	c
1	4	7	10
2	5	8	11
3	6	9	12
1	4	7	10
2	5	8	11
3	6	9	12

Append columns

```
In [8]: pd.concat([df,df2], axis=1)
```

```
Out[8]:
```

	a	b	c	a	b	c
1	4	7	10	4	7	10
2	5	8	11	5	8	11
3	6	9	12	6	9	12

Sorting

```
In [9]: df.sort_values('a')
```

```
Out[9]:
```

	a	b	c
1	4	7	10
2	5	8	11
3	6	9	12

```
In [10]: df.sort_values('a', ascending=False)
```

```
Out[10]:
```

	a	b	c
3	6	9	12
2	5	8	11
1	4	7	10

```
In [11]: df.sort_index()
```

```
Out[11]:
```

	a	b	c
1	4	7	10
2	5	8	11
3	6	9	12

Rename

```
In [12]: df.rename(columns = {'a': 'year'})
```

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Out[12]:
```

	year	b	c
1	4	7	10
2	5	8	11
3	6	9	12

Subset Observations

```
In [13]: df.drop_duplicates()
```

```
Out[13]:
```

	a	b	c
1	4	7	10
2	5	8	11
3	6	9	12

Randomly select n rows

```
In [14]: df.sample(n=2)
```

```
Out[14]:
```

	a	b	c
3	6	9	12
2	5	8	11

```
In [15]: df.head(1)
```

```
Out[15]:
```

	a	b	c
1	4	7	10

```
In [16]: df.tail(2)
```

```
Out[16]:
```

	a	b	c
2	5	8	11
3	6	9	12

Select rows between

```
In [17]: df2.iloc[1:3]
```

```
Out[17]:
```

	a	b	c
2	5	8	11
3	6	9	12

```
In [18]: df2.iloc[:, [0, 1]]
```

```
Out[18]:
```

	a	b
1	4	7
2	5	8
3	6	9

Summarize Data

Count no. of rows of unique variable in dataframe

```
In [19]: df['a'].value_counts()
```

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Out[19]:
```

4	1
5	1
6	1

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Length of rows in dataframe

```
In [20]: len(df)
```

```
Out[20]: 3
```

Tuple of # of rows, # of columns in DataFrame.

```
In [21]: df.shape
```

Out[21]: (3, 3)

No. of distinct values in a column

```
In [22]: df['b'].nunique()
```

Out[22]: 3

Basic descriptive and statistics for each column (or GroupBy)

```
In [23]: df.describe()
```

Out[23]:

	a	b	c
count	3.0	3.0	3.0
mean	5.0	8.0	11.0
std	1.0	1.0	1.0
min	4.0	7.0	10.0
25%	4.5	7.5	10.5
50%	5.0	8.0	11.0
75%	5.5	8.5	11.5
max	6.0	9.0	12.0

Combine Data Sets

Join matching rows from df2 to df

```
In [24]: pd.merge(df, df2,  
how='left', on='a')
```

Out[24]:

	a	b_x	c_x	b_y	c_y
0	4	7	10	7	10
1	5	8	11	8	11
2	6	9	12	9	12

Join matching rows from df to df2

```
In [25]: pd.merge(df, df2,  
how='right', on='b')
```

Out[25]:

	a_x	b	c_x	a_y	c_y
0	4	7	10	4	10
1	5	8	11	5	11
2	6	9	12	6	12

Join data. Retain only rows in both sets.

```
In [26]: pd.merge(df, df2,
             how='inner', on='a')
```

```
Out[26]:
```

	a	b_x	c_x	b_y	c_y
0	4	7	10	7	10
1	5	8	11	8	11
2	6	9	12	9	12

Join data. Retain all values, all rows.

```
In [27]: pd.merge(df, df2,
             how='outer', on='c')
```

```
Out[27]:
```

	a_x	b_x	c	a_y	b_y
0	4	7	10	4	7
1	5	8	11	5	8
2	6	9	12	6	9

Set like operations

Intersection

```
In [28]: pd.merge(df, df2)
```

```
Out[28]:
```

	a	b	c
0	4	7	10
1	5	8	11
2	6	9	12

```
In [29]: pd.merge(df, df2, how='outer')
```

```
Out[29]:
```

	a	b	c
0	4	7	10
1	5	8	11
2	6	9	12

Make New Columns

Compute and append one or more new columns.

```
In [30]: df.assign(Area=lambda df: df.a*df.b)
```

```
Out[30]:
```

	a	b	c	Area
1	4	7	10	28
2	5	8	11	40
3	6	9	12	54

Add single column

```
In [31]: df['product'] = df.a*df.b*df.c
```

Bin column into n buckets

```
In [32]: pd.qcut(df.a, 2, labels=False)
```

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Out[32]:
```

1	0
2	0
3	1

Name: a, dtype: int64

Handling Missing Data

Drop rows with any column having NA/null data.

```
In [33]: df.dropna()
```

```
Out[33]:
```

	a	b	c	product
1	4	7	10	280
2	5	8	11	440
3	6	9	12	648

Replace all NA/null data with value

```
In [34]: df.fillna(333)
```

```
Out[34]:
```

	a	b	c	product
1	4	7	10	280
2	5	8	11	440
3	6	9	12	648

Windows

Return an Expanding object allowing summary functions to be applied cumulatively.

```
In [35]: df.expanding()
```

```
Out[35]: Expanding [min_periods=1,center=False,axis=0,method=single]
```

Return a Rolling object allowing summary functions to be applied to windows of length n.

```
In [36]: df.rolling(1)
```

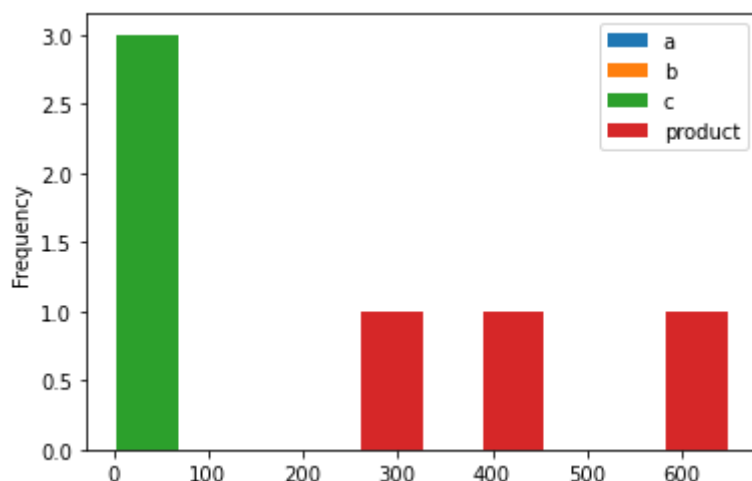
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Out[36]: Rolling [window=1,center=False,axis=0,method=single]
```

Plotting

Histogram for each column

```
In [37]: df.plot.hist()
```

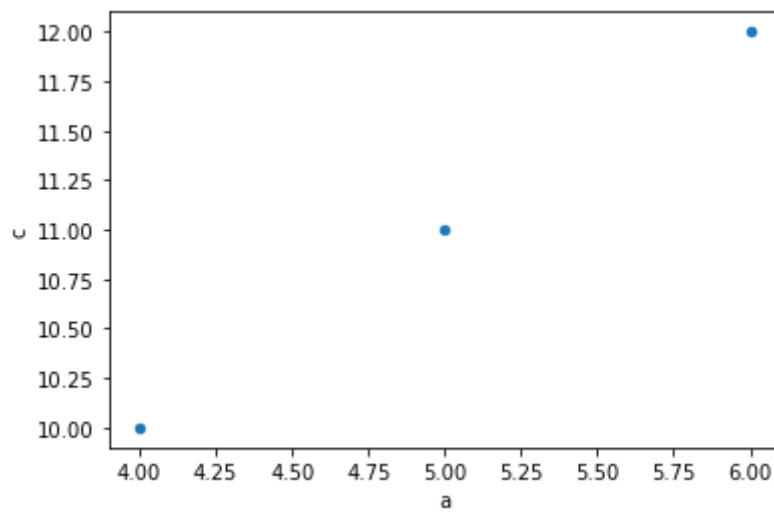
```
Out[37]: <AxesSubplot:ylabel='Frequency'>
```



Scatter chart using pairs of points

```
In [38]: df.plot.scatter(x='a',y='c')
```

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Out[38]: <AxesSubplot:xlabel='a', ylabel='c'>
```

In []: