

Q U I Z

NumPy & Pandas

Python Data Science Series

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5 Questions × 1 Mark = 5 Marks

SECTION 1

NumPy Arrays & Operations

Questions 1–5 · Broadcasting, Indexing & Numerical Computing

What does the following NumPy operation return?

```
np.array([1, 2, 3]) * 3
```

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BROADCASTING

[1 Mark]

A [3, 6, 9]

B [1, 2, 3, 1, 2, 3, 1, 2, 3]

C [3, 3, 3]

D Error – cannot multiply array by scalar

Answer: __A__

Which of the following NumPy array shapes are broadcast-compatible?

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INDEXING & SLICING

[1 Mark]

A (3, 4) and (5, 4)

B (3,) and (3, 3)

C (4, 1) and (1, 4)

D Both B and C

Answer: __D__

Given `arr = np.array([[1,2,3],[4,5,6],[7,8,9]])`, what does `arr[1:, ::2]` return?

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NUMERICAL
COMPUTATIONS

[1 Mark]

A `[[4, 6], [7, 9]]`

B `[[4, 5, 6], [7, 8, 9]]`

C `[[4, 6], [7, 9]]`

D `[[5, 6], [8, 9]]`

Answer: _A_

Which NumPy function computes the dot product of two 1-D arrays?

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ARRAY OPERATIONS

[1 Mark]

A `np.multiply()`

B `np.dot()`

C `np.cross()`

D `np.sum()`

Answer: _B_

What is the output of `np.arange(2, 10, 3)`?

A [2, 5, 8, 11]

B [2, 5, 8]

C [3, 6, 9]

D [2, 4, 6, 8]

Answer: __B__

7 Questions \times 1 Mark = 7 Marks + 3 Short Answer \times 2 Marks = 6 Marks

SECTION 2

Pandas — Series & DataFrames

Questions 6–12 · Data Loading, Filtering, Sorting & Wrangling

Which Pandas method is used to read a CSV file into a DataFrame?

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DATA LOADING

[1 Mark]

A `pd.read_table()`

B `pd.read_csv()`

C `pd.load_csv()`

D `pd.import_csv()`

Answer: _B_

Which parameter in `pd.read_excel()` specifies which sheet to load?

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FILTERING

[1 Mark]

A tab_name

B sheet_index

C sheet_name

D worksheet

Answer: C

Given df with a column 'Age', which expression filters rows where Age > 25?

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SORTING & GROUPING

[1 Mark]

A `df[df.Age > 25]`B `df.filter(Age > 25)`C `df.where('Age > 25')`D `df.query['Age > 25']`

Answer: A _____

Which method sorts a DataFrame by the 'Score' column in descending order?

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GROUPING

[1 Mark]

A `df.sort('Score', desc=True)`

B `df.order_by('Score', ascending=False)`

C `df.sort_values('Score', ascending=False)`

D `df.arrange('Score', reverse=True)`

Answer: B

What does `df.groupby('Dept')['Salary'].mean()` return?

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DATA WRANGLING

[1 Mark]

A A single mean salary value

B Mean salary grouped by department

C Mean salary of the 'Dept' column

D Error – cannot group then mean

Answer: __B__

Which method combines two DataFrames horizontally (column-wise)?

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DATA WRANGLING

[1 Mark]

A `pd.concat([df1, df2], axis=0)`B `pd.concat([df1, df2], axis=1)`C `df1.append(df2)`D `pd.merge(df1, df2, how='outer')`Answer: B What does `df.dropna()` do to a DataFrame?

A Drops all columns with NaN values

B Fills NaN values with 0

C Drops all rows containing NaN values

D Replaces NaN with the column mean

Answer: ____C____

SHORTANSWER

Explain the split-apply-combine strategy used by `groupby()` in Pandas. Provide a real-world example showing how `groupby()` with an aggregation function is used.

Answer: The split-apply-combine strategy is a method for data analysis where data is first split into groups based on some criteria, a function is applied to each group independently, and the results are then combined into a final data structure

SHORTANSWER

What is broadcasting in NumPy? State the broadcasting rules and give an example showing how arrays of shapes (3, 1) and (1, 4) would interact.

Broadcasting in NumPy is a set of rules for performing element-wise operations on arrays with different shapes.

The rules are:

1. Shape compatibility: Arrays are compatible if their dimensions match or one of them is 1.
2. Dimension extension: If arrays have different numbers of dimensions, the smaller array's shape is padded with 1s on the left.
3. Size matching: In each dimension, the sizes

must either be the same or one must be 1 (the array with size 1 is stretched to match the other).

SHORTANSWER

Describe any TWO common data-wrangling tasks in Pandas. For each task, name the method used and write a one-line code example.

Answer: 1. Handling missing values: The `fillna()` method is used to fill or replace missing (NaN) values in a DataFrame. 2. Removing duplicates: The `drop_duplicates()` method is used to remove duplicate rows from a DataFrame. Code example:

END OF QUIZ

Please review all answers before submitting.

Section	Topic	Questions	Marks
Section 1	NumPy Arrays & Operations	Q1–Q5	5 Marks
Section 2	Pandas MCQ	Q6–Q12	7 Marks
Section 2	Short Answer	Q13–Q15	6 Marks
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