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The following examples will use lines of code largely drawn from the class examples along with this data frame:

	state	city	value1	value2	date	citystate
0	МІ	Detroit	15	1.05	2005-01-01	Detroit, MI
1	МІ	Lansing	47	1.10	2005-01-01	Lansing, MI
2	IL	Chicago	53	1.11	2005-01-01	Chicago, IL
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Let's break down what this line is saying

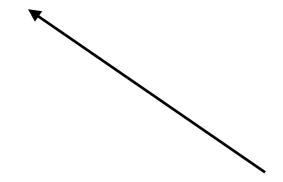
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Apply this function
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To this axis

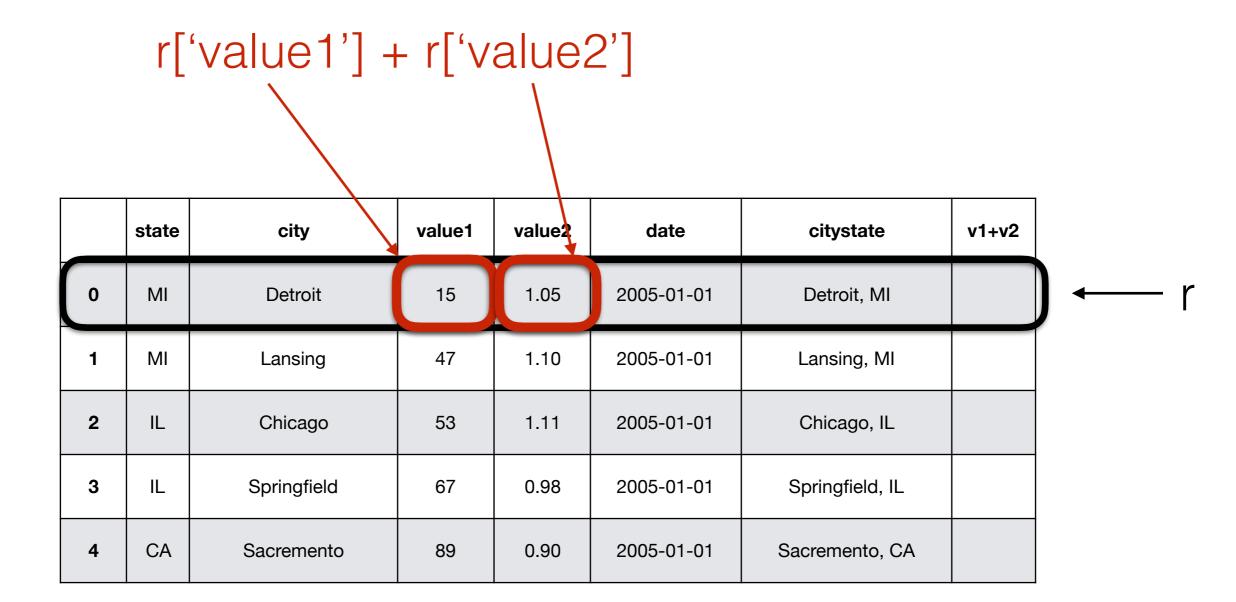
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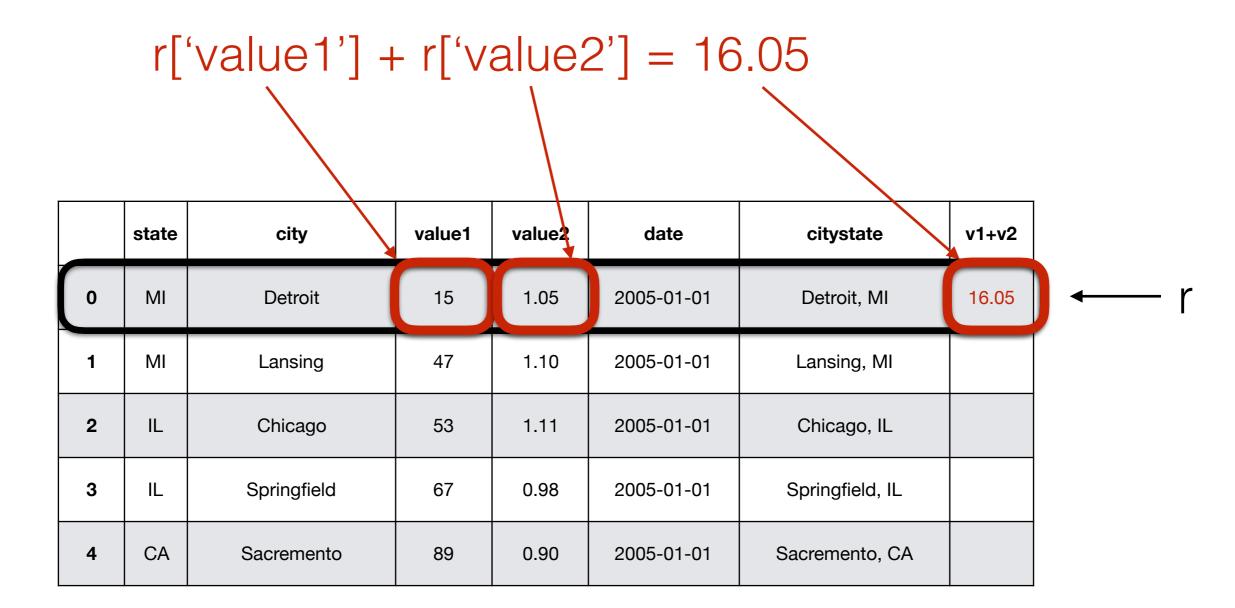


And save the result to this new column named "v1 + v2"

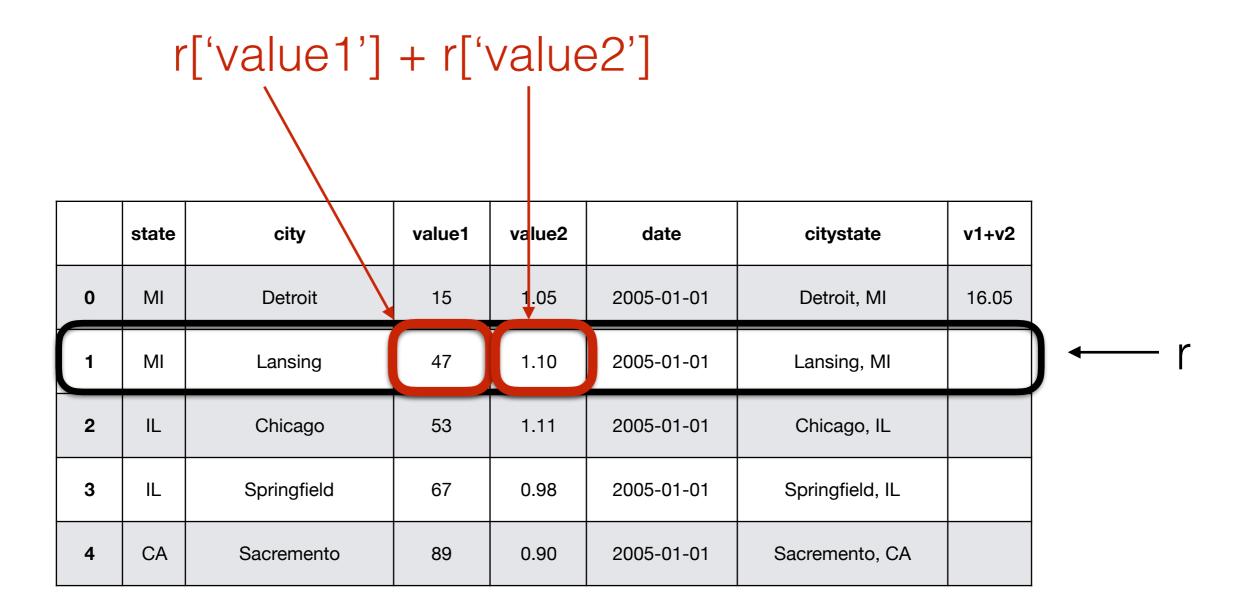
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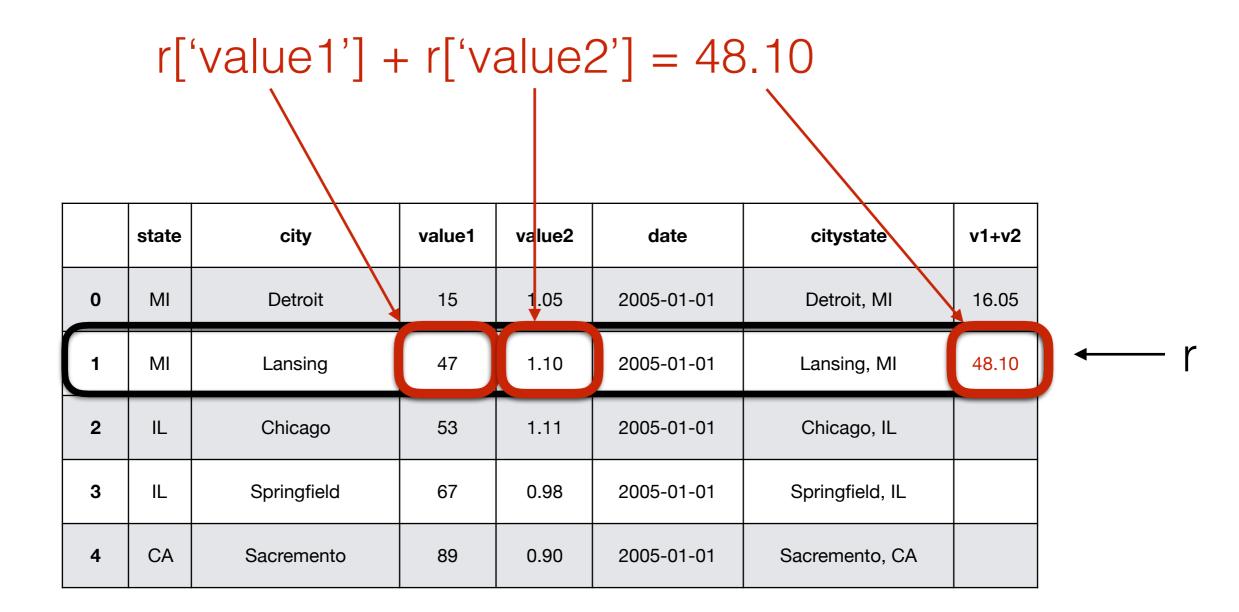
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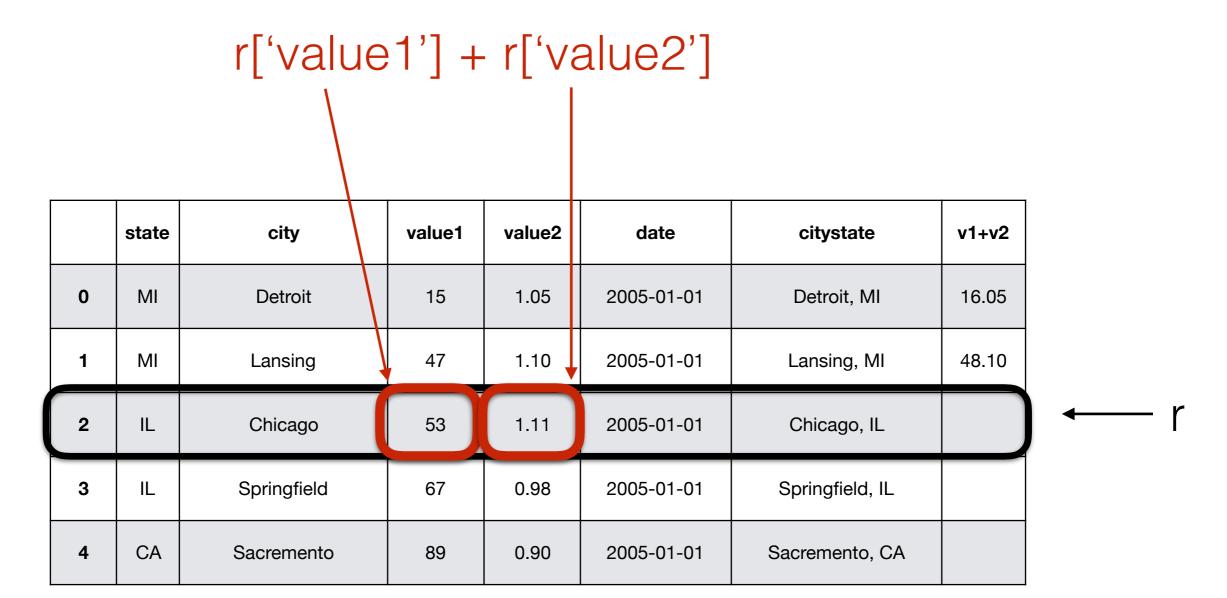


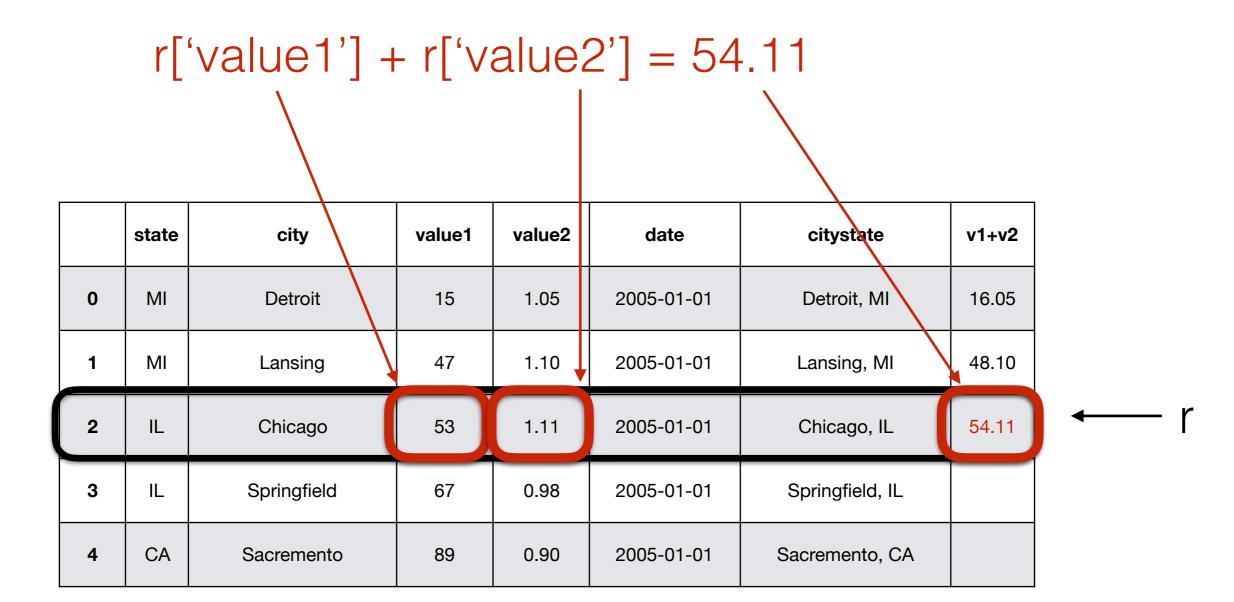
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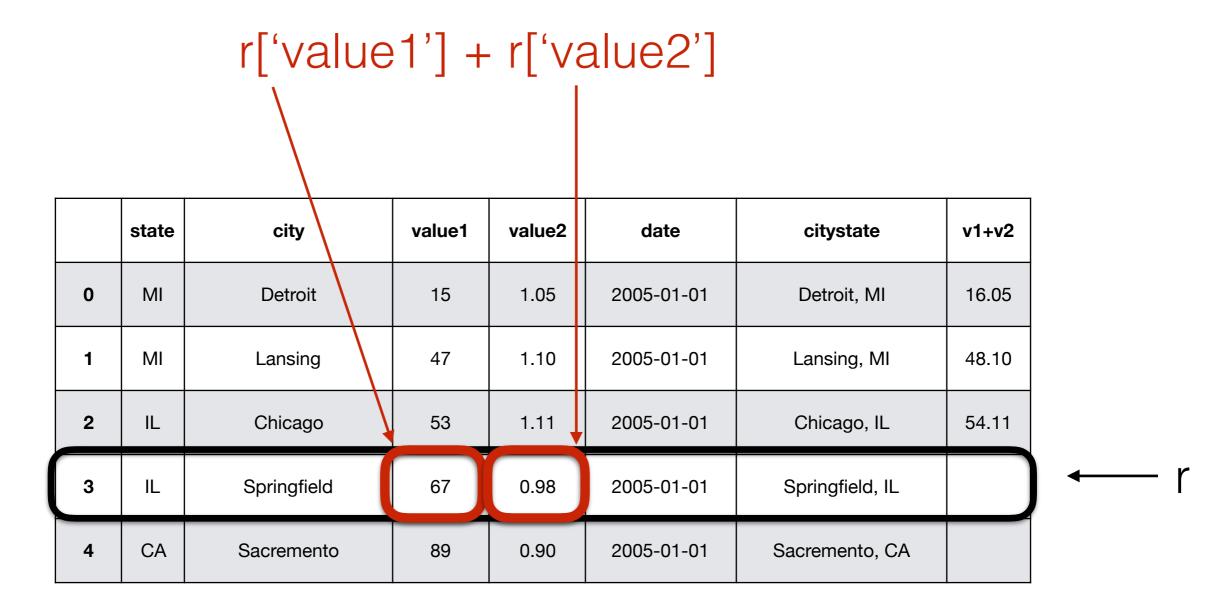


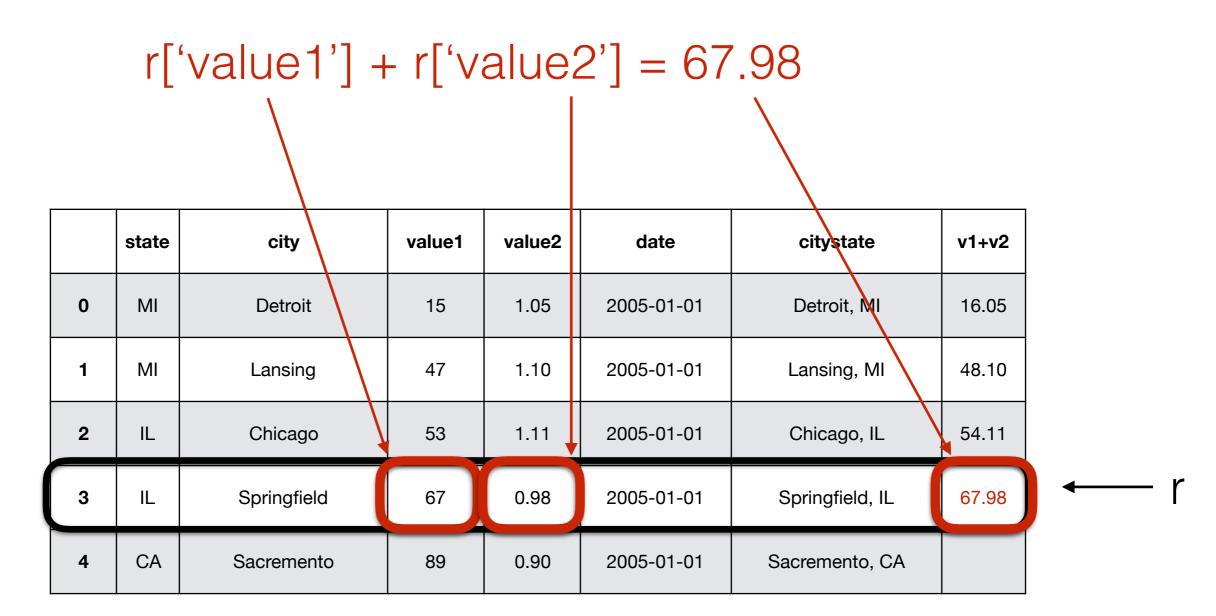
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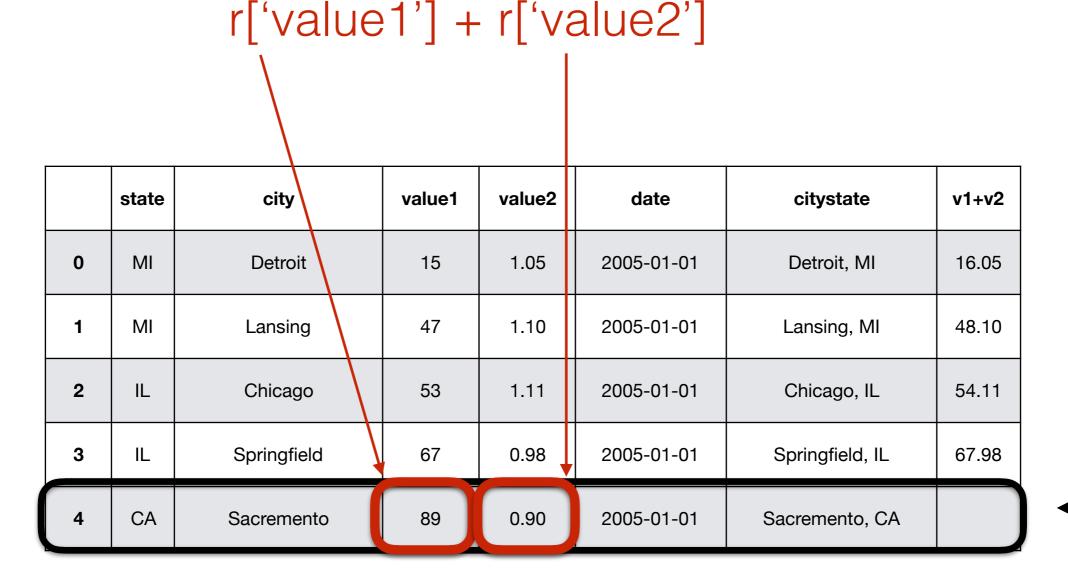


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df['v1+v2'] = df.apply(lambda r: r['value1'] + r['value2'], axis=1)

r['value1'] + r['value2'] = 89.90

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df['v1+v2'] = df['v1+v2'].map(lambda i: round(i, 1))

Again, let's break down this line into pieces

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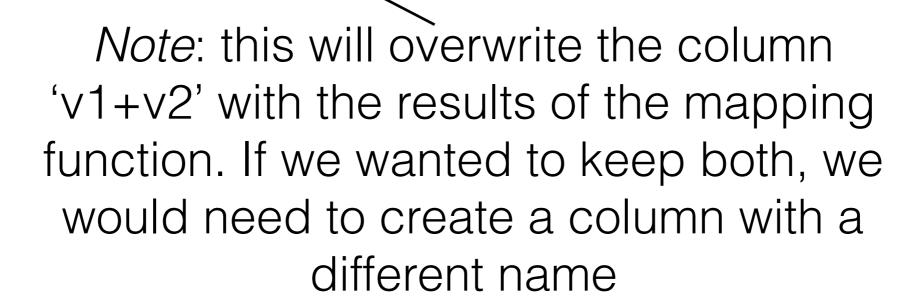
Apply this function

df['v1+v2'] = df['v1+v2'].map(lambda i: round(i, 1))



To every element in this column





	state	city	value1	value2	date	citystate	v1+v2	
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round(16.05, 1) = 16

df['v1+v2'] = df['v1+v2'].map(lambda i: round(i, 1))

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round(16.05, 1) = 16

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round(48.10, 1) = 48

df['v1+v2'] = df['v1+v2'].map(lambda i: round(i, 1))

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round(48.10, 1) = 48

df['v1+v2'] = df['v1+v2'].map(lambda i: round(i, 1))

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round(54.11, 1) = 54

df['v1+v2'] = df['v1+v2'].map(lambda i: round(i, 1))

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round(54.11, 1) = 54

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round(67.98, 1) = 68

df['v1+v2'] = df['v1+v2'].map(lambda i: round(i, 1))

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round(67.98, 1) = 68

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round(89.90, 1) = 90

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0	МІ	Detroit	15	1.05	2005-01-01	Detroit, MI	16
1	МІ	Lansing	47	1.10	2005-01-01	Lansing, MI	48
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round(89.90, 1) = 90

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Apply this function

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to every element of this data frame

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

Note a 2-D subset of a data frame is another data frame

to every element of this data frame

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

And save the results this data frame

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

Note: This will overwrite the values that were in this data frame.

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

First step: subset the data frame

	state	city	value1	value2	date	citystate	v1+v2
0	MI	Detroit	15	1.05	2005-01-01	Detroit, MI	16
1	МІ	Lansing	47	1.10	2005-01-01	Lansing, MI	48
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Now: iterate through all the elements

	value1	value2
i →	15	1.05
	47	1.10
	53	1.11
	67	0.98
	89	0.90

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

lambda i: $$\{:.2f\}'.format(i) = 15.00

	value1	value2
i →	15	1.05
	47	1.10
	53	1.11
	67	0.98
	89	0.90

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $$\{:.2f\}'.format(15) = 15.00

	value1	value2
i →	\$15.00	1.05
	47	1.10
	53	1.11
	67	0.98
	89	0.90

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

value1	value2	
\$15.00	1.05	← i
47	1.10	
53	1.11	
67	0.98	
89	0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(1.05) = \1.05

value1	value2	
\$15.00	1.05	← i
47	1.10	
53	1.11	
67	0.98	
89	0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(1.05) = \1.05

value1	value2		
\$15.00	\$1.05	← i	
47	1.10		
53	1.11		
67	0.98		
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df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

	value1	value2
	\$15.00	\$1.05
i →	47	1.10
	53	1.11
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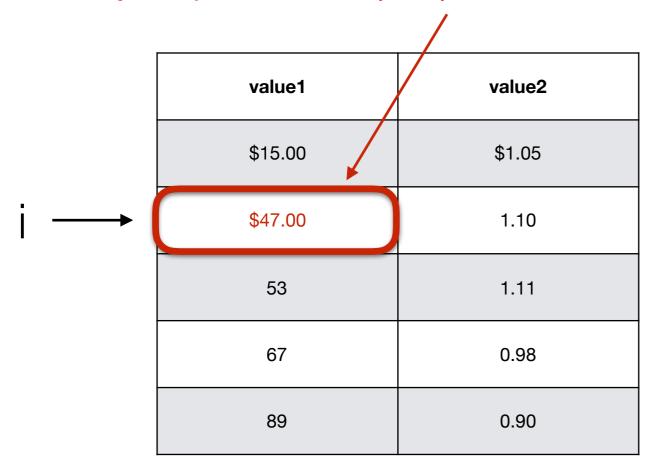
df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(47) = \47.00

	value1	value2	
	\$15.00	\$1.05	
i →	47	1.10	
	53	1.11	
	67	0.98	
	89	0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(47) = \47.00



df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

value1	value2	
\$15.00	\$1.05	
\$47.00	1.10	← i
53	1.11	
67	0.98	
89	0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(1.10) = \1.10

value1	value2	
\$15.00	\$1.05	
\$47.00	1.10	→ i
53	1.11	
67	0.98	
89	0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(1.10) = \1.10

value1	value2	
\$15.00	\$1.05	
\$47.00	\$1.10	← i
53	1.11	
67	0.98	
89	0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

	value1	value2
	\$15.00	\$1.05
	\$47.00	\$1.10
i →	53	1.11
	67	0.98
	89	0.90

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(53) = \53.00

	value1	value2	
	\$15.00	\$1.05	
	\$47.00	\$1.10	
i →	53	1.11	
	67	0.98	
	89	0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(53) = \53.00

	value1	value2
	\$15.00	\$1.05
	\$47.00	\$1.10
i →	\$53.00	1.11
	67	0.98
	89	0.90

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

value1	value2	
\$15.00	\$1.05	
\$47.00	\$1.10	
\$53.00	1.11	← i
67	0.98	
89	0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(1.11) = \1.11

value1	v	alue2	
\$15.00	?	\$1.05	
\$47.00	\$	\$1.10	
\$53.00		1.11	← i
67		0.98	
89		0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}$ '.format(1.11) = \$1.11

value1	value2	
\$15.00	\$1.05	
\$47.00	\$1.10	
\$53.00	\$1.11	← i
67	0.98	
89	0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

	value1	value2
	\$15.00	\$1.05
	\$47.00	\$1.10
	\$53.00	\$1.11
i	67	0.98
	89	0.90

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}$ '.format(67) = \$67.00

	value1	value2
	\$15.00	\$1.05
	\$47.00	\$1.10
	\$53.00	\$1.11
i	67	0.98
	89	0.90

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(67) = \67.00

	value1	value2
	\$15.00	\$1.05
	\$47.00	\$1.10
	\$53.00	\$1.11
i → (\$67.00	0.98
	89	0.90

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

value1	value2	
\$15.00	\$1.05	
\$47.00	\$1.10	
\$53.00	\$1.11	
\$67.00	0.98	← i
89	0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

\$:.2f}'.format(0.98) = \$0.98

value1	value2	
\$15.00	\$1.05	
\$47.00	\$1.10	
\$53.00	\$1.11	
\$67.00	0.98) ← i
89	0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

\$:.2f}'.format(0.98) = \$0.98

value1	value2	
\$15.00	\$1.05	
\$47.00	\$1.10	
\$53.00	\$1.11	
\$67.00	\$0.98) ← i
89	0.90	

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(89) = \89.00

value1	value2
\$15.00	\$1.05
\$47.00	\$1.10
\$53.00	\$1.11
\$67.00	\$0.98
89	0.90

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(89) = \89.00

value1	value2
\$15.00	\$1.05
\$47.00	\$1.10
\$53.00	\$1.11
\$67.00	\$0.98
\$89.00	0.90

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

\$:.2f}'.format(89) = \$89.00

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value1		value2	
\$15.00		\$1.05	
\$47.00		\$1.10	
\$53.00	\	\$1.11	
\$67.00		\$0.98	
\$89.00		0.90	← i

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

 $\$\{:.2f\}'.format(0.90) = \0.90

value1	value2	
\$15.00	\$1.05	
\$47.00	\$1.10	
\$53.00	\$1.11	
\$67.00	\$0.98	
\$89.00	\$0.90	-

df[['value1', 'value2']] = df[['value1', 'value2']].applymap(lambda i: '\${:.2f}'.format(i))

And we're done!

value1	value2
\$15.00	\$1.05
\$47.00	\$1.10
\$53.00	\$1.11
\$67.00	\$0.98
\$89.00	\$0.90

So our final data frame is:

	state	city	value1	value2	date	citystate	v1+v2
0	МІ	Detroit	\$15.00	\$1.05	2005-01-01	Detroit, MI	16
1	МІ	Lansing	\$47.00	\$1.10	2005-01-01	Lansing, MI	48
2	IL	Chicago	\$53.00	\$1.11	2005-01-01	Chicago, IL	54
3	IL	Springfield	\$67.00	\$0.98	2005-01-01	Springfield, IL	68
4	CA	Sacremento	\$89.00	\$0.90	2005-01-01	Sacremento, CA	90

Documentation and references

10 Minutes to Pandas:

http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/10min.html

A really relevant Stack Overflow forum:

http://stackoverflow.com/questions/19798153/difference-between-map-applymap-and-apply-methods-in-pandas

And the book that forum cites:

Python for Data Analysis: Data Wrangling with Pandas, NumPy, and IPython by Wes McKinney