Data set conversion between Spark Dataframe & Pandas Dataframe

DataFrame Spark: Dataset is a new interface added in Spark 1.6 that provides the benefits of RDDs (strong typing, ability to use powerful lambda functions) with the benefits of Spark SQL's optimized execution engine. It's immutable data set

Dataframe Pandas: two-dimensional size-mutable, potentially heterogeneous tabular data structure with labeled axes (rows and columns). A Data frame is a two-dimensional data structure, i.e., data is aligned in a tabular fashion in rows and columns

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In [3]: import findspark
  import pyspark
  findspark.init()
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In [4]: from pyspark.sql import SparkSession
    from pyspark import SparkContext, SparkConf

spark = SparkSession.builder.appName('abc').getOrCreate()
    sc = spark.sparkContext
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In [5]: from sklearn.datasets import load_boston
    import pandas as pd
    import numpy as np

data = load_boston()

df = pd.DataFrame(data.data, columns=data.feature_names)
    df['target'] = data['target']
    df.head(4)
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Out[5]:

	CRIM	ZN	INDUS	CHAS	NOX	RM	AGE	DIS	RAD	TAX	PTRATIO	В	LSTAT
0	0.00632	18.0	2.31	0.0	0.538	6.575	65.2	4.0900	1.0	296.0	15.3	396.90	4.98
1	0.02731	0.0	7.07	0.0	0.469	6.421	78.9	4.9671	2.0	242.0	17.8	396.90	9.14
2	0.02729	0.0	7.07	0.0	0.469	7.185	61.1	4.9671	2.0	242.0	17.8	392.83	4.03
3	0.03237	0.0	2.18	0.0	0.458	6.998	45.8	6.0622	3.0	222.0	18.7	394.63	2.94
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From Pandas to Spark Dataframe

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In [6]: df = spark.createDataFrame(df)
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In [7]: | df.show(5)
         CRIM ZN INDUS CHAS NOX RM AGE DIS RAD TAX PTRATIO
      |target|
      |0.00632|18.0| 2.31| 0.0|0.538|6.575|65.2| 4.09|1.0|296.0|
                                                     15.3 | 396.9 | 4.98
      |0.02731| 0.0| 7.07| 0.0|0.469|6.421|78.9|4.9671|2.0|242.0|
                                                     17.8 | 396.9 | 9.14
        21.6
      |0.02729| 0.0| 7.07| 0.0|0.469|7.185|61.1|4.9671|2.0|242.0|
                                                     17.8 | 392.83 | 4.03
        34.7
      |0.03237| 0.0| 2.18| 0.0|0.458|6.998|45.8|6.0622|3.0|222.0|
                                                     18.7 | 394.63 | 2.94
        33.4
      |0.06905| 0.0| 2.18| 0.0|0.458|7.147|54.2|6.0622|3.0|222.0|
                                                     18.7 | 396.9 | 5.33
      only showing top 5 rows
```

Convert Dataframe to Pandas Dataframe

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In [9]: dfPandas=df.toPandas()
    dfPandas.head(5)
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