In the current version, large DataFrames are centrally truncated, showing a preview of head and tail in both dimensions.

```
In [24]: pd.DataFrame(np.arange(10*10).reshape((10,10)),index=index)
Out[24]:
              0
                  1
                       2 ...
                               7
                                        9
2001-01-01
              0
                  1
                       2 ...
                               7
                                    8
                                        9
                     12 ...
                              17
                                       19
2001-01-02
             10
                 11
                                   18
2001-01-03
            20
                 21
                     22 ...
                              27
                                  28
                                       29
2001-01-08
            70
                 71
                     72 ...
                              77
                                  78
                                       79
2001-01-09
            80
                 81
                     82 ...
                              87
                                  88
                                       89
2001-01-10
            90
                 91
                     92 ...
                              97
                                  98
                                       99
```

```
[10 rows x 10 columns]
```

• allow option 'truncate' for display.show_dimensions to only show the dimensions if the frame is truncated (GH6547).

The default for display.show_dimensions will now be truncate. This is consistent with how Series display length.

```
In [16]: dfd = pd.DataFrame(np.arange(25).reshape(-1, 5),
                             index=[0, 1, 2, 3, 4],
                             columns=[0, 1, 2, 3, 4])
# show dimensions since this is truncated
In [17]: with pd.option_context('display.max_rows', 2, 'display.max_columns', 2,
                                 'display.show_dimensions', 'truncate'):
   . . . . :
   . . . . :
             print (dfd)
   . . . . :
    0 ...
              4
   0 ...
             24
    2.0
       . . .
[5 rows x 5 columns]
# will not show dimensions since it is not truncated
In [18]: with pd.option_context('display.max_rows', 10, 'display.max_columns', 40,
                                 'display.show_dimensions', 'truncate'):
   . . . . :
   . . . . :
             print (dfd)
            2
                3
   0 1
                    4
   0
      1
            2
                3
                    4
   5
           7
                8
                    9
2
  10 11
           12 13 14
3
  15
           17
      16
               18
                   19
  20 21
           22 23
                   2.4
```

- Regression in the display of a MultiIndexed Series with display.max_rows is less than the length of the series (GH7101)
- Fixed a bug in the HTML repr of a truncated Series or DataFrame not showing the class name with the *large_repr* set to 'info' (GH7105)

- The *verbose* keyword in DataFrame.info(), which controls whether to shorten the info representation, is now None by default. This will follow the global setting in display.max_info_columns. The global setting can be overridden with verbose=True or verbose=False.
- Fixed a bug with the info repr not honoring the display.max_info_columns setting (GH6939)
- Offset/freq info now in Timestamp __repr__ (GH4553)

Text parsing API changes

read_csv()/read_table() will now be noisier w.r.t invalid options rather than falling back to the PythonParser.

- Raise ValueError when sep specified with delim_whitespace=True in read_csv()/read_table()(GH6607)
- Raise ValueError when engine='c' specified with unsupported options in read_csv()/read_table() (GH6607)
- Raise ValueError when fallback to python parser causes options to be ignored (GH6607)
- Produce ParserWarning on fallback to python parser when no options are ignored (GH6607)
- Translate sep='\s+' to delim_whitespace=True in read_csv()/read_table() if no other C-unsupported options specified (GH6607)

Groupby API changes

More consistent behavior for some groupby methods:

• groupby head and tail now act more like filter rather than an aggregation:

```
In [19]: df = pd.DataFrame([[1, 2], [1, 4], [5, 6]], columns=['A', 'B'])
In [20]: g = df.groupby('A')
In [21]: g.head(1)  # filters DataFrame
Out[21]:
    A    B
0    1    2
2    5    6

[2 rows x 2 columns]
In [22]: g.apply(lambda x: x.head(1))  # used to simply fall-through
Out[22]:
    A    B
A
1    0    1    2
5    2    5    6

[2 rows x 2 columns]
```

• groupby head and tail respect column selection:

```
In [23]: g[['B']].head(1)
Out[23]:
B
```

```
0 2
2 6
[2 rows x 1 columns]
```

• groupby nth now reduces by default; filtering can be achieved by passing as_index=False. With an optional dropna argument to ignore NaN. See *the docs*.

Reducing

```
In [24]: df = pd.DataFrame([[1, np.nan], [1, 4], [5, 6]], columns=['A', 'B'])
In [25]: g = df.groupby('A')
In [26]: g.nth(0)
Out [26]:
1 NaN
5 6.0
[2 rows x 1 columns]
# this is equivalent to g.first()
In [27]: g.nth(0, dropna='any')
Out [27]:
1 4.0
5 6.0
[2 rows x 1 columns]
# this is equivalent to g.last()
In [28]: g.nth(-1, dropna='any')
Out [28]:
     В
1 4.0
5 6.0
[2 rows x 1 columns]
```

Filtering

```
In [29]: gf = df.groupby('A', as_index=False)
In [30]: gf.nth(0)
Out[30]:
    A     B
0     1     NaN
2     5     6.0

[2 rows x 2 columns]
In [31]: gf.nth(0, dropna='any')
Out[31]:
```

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```
A B
A
1 1 4.0
5 5 6.0

[2 rows x 2 columns]
```

• groupby will now not return the grouped column for non-cython functions (GH5610, GH5614, GH6732), as its already the index

```
In [32]: df = pd.DataFrame([[1, np.nan], [1, 4], [5, 6], [5, 8]], columns=['A', 'B
' ] )
In [33]: g = df.groupby('A')
In [34]: g.count()
Out [34]:
1 1
5 2
[2 rows x 1 columns]
In [35]: g.describe()
Out [35]:
 count mean
                  std min 25% 50% 75% max
                  NaN 4.0 4.0 4.0 4.0 4.0
   1.0 4.0
   2.0 7.0 1.414214 6.0 6.5 7.0 7.5
[2 rows x 8 columns]
```

passing as_index will leave the grouped column in-place (this is not change in 0.14.0)

```
In [36]: df = pd.DataFrame([[1, np.nan], [1, 4], [5, 6], [5, 8]], columns=['A', 'B
' ] )
In [37]: g = df.groupby('A', as_index=False)
In [38]: g.count()
Out[38]:
  A B
0 1 1
1 5 2
[2 rows x 2 columns]
In [39]: g.describe()
Out [39]:
     Α
                                            В
 count mean std min 25% 50% 75% max count mean
                                                        std min 25% 50% 75
 2.0 1.0 0.0 1.0 1.0 1.0 1.0 1.0
                                         1.0 4.0
                                                        NaN 4.0 4.0 4.0
                                                                           4.
→0 4.0
```

```
1 2.0 5.0 0.0 5.0 5.0 5.0 5.0 2.0 7.0 1.414214 6.0 6.5 7.0 7.

→5 8.0

[2 rows x 16 columns]
```

- Allow specification of a more complex groupby via pd.Grouper, such as grouping by a Time and a string field simultaneously. See *the docs*. (GH3794)
- Better propagation/preservation of Series names when performing groupby operations:
 - SeriesGroupBy.agg will ensure that the name attribute of the original series is propagated to the result (GH6265).
 - If the function provided to GroupBy.apply returns a named series, the name of the series will be kept as the name of the column index of the DataFrame returned by GroupBy.apply (GH6124). This facilitates DataFrame.stack operations where the name of the column index is used as the name of the inserted column containing the pivoted data.

SQL

The SQL reading and writing functions now support more database flavors through SQLAlchemy (GH2717, GH4163, GH5950, GH6292). All databases supported by SQLAlchemy can be used, such as PostgreSQL, MySQL, Oracle, Microsoft SQL server (see documentation of SQLAlchemy on included dialects).

The functionality of providing DBAPI connection objects will only be supported for sqlite3 in the future. The 'mysql' flavor is deprecated.

The new functions $read_sql_query()$ and $read_sql_table()$ are introduced. The function $read_sql()$ is kept as a convenience wrapper around the other two and will delegate to specific function depending on the provided input (database table name or sql query).

In practice, you have to provide a SQLAlchemy engine to the sql functions. To connect with SQLAlchemy you use the create_engine() function to create an engine object from database URI. You only need to create the engine once per database you are connecting to. For an in-memory sqlite database:

```
In [40]: from sqlalchemy import create_engine
# Create your connection.
In [41]: engine = create_engine('sqlite:///:memory:')
```

This engine can then be used to write or read data to/from this database:

```
In [42]: df = pd.DataFrame({'A': [1, 2, 3], 'B': ['a', 'b', 'c']})
In [43]: df.to_sql('db_table', engine, index=False)
```

You can read data from a database by specifying the table name:

```
In [44]: pd.read_sql_table('db_table', engine)
Out[44]:
    A     B
0     1     a
1     2     b
2     3     c

[3 rows x 2 columns]
```

or by specifying a sql query:

```
In [45]: pd.read_sql_query('SELECT * FROM db_table', engine)
Out[45]:
    A B
0 1 a
1 2 b
2 3 c
[3 rows x 2 columns]
```

Some other enhancements to the sql functions include:

- support for writing the index. This can be controlled with the index keyword (default is True).
- specify the column label to use when writing the index with index_label.
- specify string columns to parse as datetimes with the parse_dates keyword in read_sql_query() and read_sql_table().

Warning: Some of the existing functions or function aliases have been deprecated and will be removed in future versions. This includes: tquery, uquery, read_frame, frame_query, write_frame.

Warning: The support for the 'mysql' flavor when using DBAPI connection objects has been deprecated. MySQL will be further supported with SQLAlchemy engines (GH6900).

MultiIndexing using slicers

In 0.14.0 we added a new way to slice MultiIndexed objects. You can slice a MultiIndex by providing multiple indexers.

You can provide any of the selectors as if you are indexing by label, see *Selection by Label*, including slices, lists of labels, labels, and boolean indexers.

You can use slice (None) to select all the contents of *that* level. You do not need to specify all the *deeper* levels, they will be implied as slice (None).

As usual, **both sides** of the slicers are included as this is label indexing.

See the docs See also issues (GH6134, GH4036, GH3057, GH2598, GH5641, GH7106)

Warning:

You should specify all axes in the .loc specifier, meaning the indexer for the **index** and for the **columns**. Their are some ambiguous cases where the passed indexer could be mis-interpreted as indexing *both* axes, rather than into say the MuliIndex for the rows.

You should do this:

```
>>> df.loc[(slice('A1', 'A3'), ...), :] # noqa: E901
rather than this:

>>> df.loc[(slice('A1', 'A3'), ...)] # noqa: E901
```

Warning: You will need to make sure that the selection axes are fully lexsorted!

```
In [46]: def mklbl(prefix, n):
  . . . . :
            return ["%s%s" % (prefix, i) for i in range(n)]
In [47]: index = pd.MultiIndex.from_product([mklbl('A', 4),
                                           mklbl('B', 2),
                                            mklbl('C', 4),
  . . . . :
                                            mklbl('D', 2)])
  . . . . :
   . . . . :
In [48]: columns = pd.MultiIndex.from_tuples([('a', 'foo'), ('a', 'bar'),
                                            ('b', 'foo'), ('b', 'bah')],
                                            names=['lv10', 'lv11'])
  . . . . :
  . . . . :
In [49]: df = pd.DataFrame(np.arange(len(index) * len(columns)).reshape((len(index),
                       len(columns))),
                         index=index,
                         columns=columns).sort_index().sort_index(axis=1)
  . . . . :
  . . . . :
In [50]: df
Out [50]:
                      b
lv10
             а
lvl1
           bar foo bah foo
            1
A0 B0 C0 D0
                 0
                      3
                           2
            5
        D1
                  4
             9
     C1 D0
                  8
                      11
                            10
             13
                 12
        D1
                      15
                           14
     C2 D0 17 16
                     19
                           18
            ... ... ... ...
A3 B1 C1 D1 237 236 239 238
     C2 D0 241 240 243 242
        D1 245 244 247 246
     C3 D0 249 248 251 250
        D1 253 252 255 254
[64 rows x 4 columns]
```

Basic MultiIndex slicing using slices, lists, and labels.

```
In [51]: df.loc[(slice('A1', 'A3'), slice(None), ['C1', 'C3']), :]
Out [51]:
lv10
                     b
           bar foo bah foo
A1 B0 C1 D0 73 72
                    75
                         74
           77 76
                    79
                         78
       D1
     C3 D0
           89 88
                     91
                         90
       D1
           93 92
                    95
                         94
  B1 C1 D0 105 104
                    107 106
                . . .
                    . . .
           . . .
                         . . .
A3 B0 C3 D1 221 220
                    223
                         222
  B1 C1 D0 233 232 235 234
        D1 237 236 239 238
```

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```
C3 D0 249 248 251 250
D1 253 252 255 254
[24 rows x 4 columns]
```

You can use a pd. IndexSlice to shortcut the creation of these slices

```
In [52]: idx = pd.IndexSlice
In [53]: df.loc[idx[:, :, ['C1', 'C3']], idx[:, 'foo']]
Out [53]:
lv10
             а
                  b
lvl1
          foo foo
A0 B0 C1 D0 8 10
       D1 12 14
     C3 D0 24 26
           28 30
        D1
           40
  B1 C1 D0
               42
A3 B0 C3 D1 220
  B1 C1 D0 232
               234
       D1 236 238
     C3 D0 248 250
        D1 252 254
[32 rows x 2 columns]
```

It is possible to perform quite complicated selections using this method on multiple axes at the same time.

```
In [54]: df.loc['A1', (slice(None), 'foo')]
Out [54]:
lv10
          а
              b
lvl1
        foo foo
B0 C0 D0
         64
         68
     D1
              70
  C1 D0
         72 74
         76 78
     D1
  C2 D0 80 82
        B1 C1 D1 108 110
  C2 D0 112 114
     D1 116 118
  C3 D0 120 122
     D1 124 126
[16 rows x 2 columns]
In [55]: df.loc[idx[:, :, ['C1', 'C3']], idx[:, 'foo']]
Out [55]:
lv10
                 b
             а
lvl1
           foo foo
A0 B0 C1 D0
           8 10
       D1 12 14
     C3 D0 24 26
       D1
          28 30
  B1 C1 D0
           40 42
```

```
A3 B0 C3 D1 220 222
B1 C1 D0 232 234
D1 236 238
C3 D0 248 250
D1 252 254

[32 rows x 2 columns]
```

Using a boolean indexer you can provide selection related to the *values*.

```
In [56]: mask = df[('a', 'foo')] > 200
In [57]: df.loc[idx[mask, :, ['C1', 'C3']], idx[:, 'foo']]
Out [57]:
lv10
             а
lvl1
           foo foo
A3 B0 C1 D1 204 206
     C3 D0 216 218
        D1 220 222
  B1 C1 D0 232 234
        D1
            236
                238
     C3 D0 248 250
        D1 252 254
[7 rows x 2 columns]
```

You can also specify the axis argument to .loc to interpret the passed slicers on a single axis.

```
In [58]: df.loc(axis=0)[:, :, ['C1', 'C3']]
Out [58]:
1 17 1 0
            а
                     h
          bar foo bah foo
1 17 1 1
           9 8
13 12
A0 B0 C1 D0
                    11
                     15
     C3 D0
           25
               24
                    27
                         26
                    31
           29 28
                        30
       D1
  B1 C1 D0
           41 40
                    43 42
A3 B0 C3 D1 221 220 223 222
  B1 C1 D0 233 232 235 234
       D1 237 236 239 238
     C3 D0 249 248 251 250
       D1 253 252 255 254
[32 rows x 4 columns]
```

Furthermore you can set the values using these methods

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```
D1
              5
                   4
                        7
                             6
     C1 D0 -10 -10
                     -10
                          -10
        D1 -10 -10
                      -10 -10
            17
                 16
     C2 D0
                      19
                          18
            . . .
                 . . .
                      . . .
A3 B1 C1 D1
           -10
                 -10
                      -10
                          -10
     C2 D0
            241
                 240
                      243
        D1
            245
                 244
                      247
     C3 D0 -10
                -10
                     -10 -10
        D1 -10 -10 -10 -10
[64 rows x 4 columns]
```

You can use a right-hand-side of an alignable object as well.

```
In [62]: df2 = df.copy()
In [63]: df2.loc[idx[:, :, ['C1', 'C3']], :] = df2 * 1000
In [64]: df2
Out [64]:
lv10
                               b
               а
                    foo
lvl1
              bar
                             bah
                                    foo
                    0
A0 B0 C0 D0
             1
5
                              3
                                      2
       D1
                      4
                              7
     C1 D0 9000 8000
                          11000
                                 10000
       D1 13000 12000
                          15000
                                  14000
     C2 D0
             17
                      16
                             19
                                     18
A3 B1 C1 D1 237000 236000
                          239000
                                 238000
     C2 D0
              241
                   240
                             243
                                    242
        D1
              245
                     244
                             247
                                    246
     C3 D0
           249000 248000
                          251000
                                 250000
        D1 253000 252000 255000
                                 254000
[64 rows x 4 columns]
```

Plotting

- Hexagonal bin plots from DataFrame.plot with kind='hexbin' (GH5478), See the docs.
- DataFrame.plot and Series.plot now supports area plot with specifying kind='area' (GH6656),
 See the docs
- Pie plots from Series.plot and DataFrame.plot with kind='pie' (GH6976), See the docs.
- Plotting with Error Bars is now supported in the .plot method of DataFrame and Series objects (GH3796, GH6834), See *the docs*.
- DataFrame.plot and Series.plot now support a table keyword for plotting matplotlib.Table, See *the docs*. The table keyword can receive the following values.
 - False: Do nothing (default).
 - True: Draw a table using the DataFrame or Series called plot method. Data will be transposed to meet matplotlib's default layout.

- DataFrame or Series: Draw matplotlib.table using the passed data. The data will be drawn as displayed in print method (not transposed automatically). Also, helper function pandas.tools. plotting.table is added to create a table from DataFrame and Series, and add it to an matplotlib.Axes.
- plot (legend='reverse') will now reverse the order of legend labels for most plot kinds. (GH6014)
- Line plot and area plot can be stacked by stacked=True (GH6656)
- Following keywords are now acceptable for DataFrame.plot() with kind='bar' and kind='barh':
 - *width*: Specify the bar width. In previous versions, static value 0.5 was passed to matplotlib and it cannot be overwritten. (GH6604)
 - align: Specify the bar alignment. Default is center (different from matplotlib). In previous versions, pandas passes align='edge' to matplotlib and adjust the location to center by itself, and it results align keyword is not applied as expected. (GH4525)
 - *position*: Specify relative alignments for bar plot layout. From 0 (left/bottom-end) to 1(right/top-end). Default is 0.5 (center). (GH6604)

Because of the default *align* value changes, coordinates of bar plots are now located on integer values (0.0, 1.0, 2.0...). This is intended to make bar plot be located on the same coordinates as line plot. However, bar plot may differs unexpectedly when you manually adjust the bar location or drawing area, such as using *set_xlim*, *set_ylim*, etc. In this cases, please modify your script to meet with new coordinates.

- The parallel_coordinates() function now takes argument color instead of colors. A FutureWarning is raised to alert that the old colors argument will not be supported in a future release. (GH6956)
- The parallel_coordinates() and andrews_curves() functions now take positional argument frame instead of data. A FutureWarning is raised if the old data argument is used by name. (GH6956)
- DataFrame.boxplot() now supports layout keyword (GH6769)
- DataFrame.boxplot() has a new keyword argument, return_type. It accepts 'dict', 'axes', or 'both', in which case a namedtuple with the matplotlib axes and a dict of matplotlib Lines is returned.

Prior version deprecations/changes

There are prior version deprecations that are taking effect as of 0.14.0.

- Remove DateRange in favor of DatetimeIndex (GH6816)
- Remove column keyword from DataFrame.sort (GH4370)
- Remove precision keyword from set_eng_float_format() (GH395)
- Remove force_unicode keyword from <code>DataFrame.to_string()</code>, <code>DataFrame.to_latex()</code>, and <code>DataFrame.to_html()</code>; these function encode in unicode by default (GH2224, GH2225)
- Remove nanRep keyword from DataFrame.to_csv() and DataFrame.to_string() (GH275)
- Remove unique keyword from HDFStore.select_column() (GH3256)
- Remove inferTimeRule keyword from Timestamp.offset() (GH391)
- Remove name keyword from get_data_yahoo() and get_data_google() (commit b921d1a)
- Remove offset keyword from <code>DatetimeIndex</code> constructor (commit 3136390)
- Remove time_rule from several rolling-moment statistical functions, such as rolling_sum() (GH1042)

 Removed neg – boolean operations on numpy arrays in favor of inv ~, as this is going to be deprecated in numpy 1.9 (GH6960)

Deprecations

- The pivot_table()/DataFrame.pivot_table() and crosstab() functions now take arguments index and columns instead of rows and cols. A FutureWarning is raised to alert that the old rows and cols arguments will not be supported in a future release (GH5505)
- The DataFrame.drop_duplicates() and DataFrame.duplicated() methods now take argument subset instead of cols to better align with DataFrame.dropna(). A FutureWarning is raised to alert that the old cols arguments will not be supported in a future release (GH6680)
- The DataFrame.to_csv() and DataFrame.to_excel() functions now takes argument columns instead of cols. A FutureWarning is raised to alert that the old cols arguments will not be supported in a future release (GH6645)
- Indexers will warn FutureWarning when used with a scalar indexer and a non-floating point Index (GH4892, GH6960)

```
# non-floating point indexes can only be indexed by integers / labels
In [1]: pd.Series(1, np.arange(5))[3.0]
        pandas/core/index.py:469: FutureWarning: scalar indexers for index type,
→Int64Index should be integers and not floating point
Out[1]: 1
In [2]: pd.Series(1, np.arange(5)).iloc[3.0]
       pandas/core/index.py:469: FutureWarning: scalar indexers for index type,
→Int64Index should be integers and not floating point
Out[2]: 1
In [3]: pd.Series(1, np.arange(5)).iloc[3.0:4]
        pandas/core/index.py:527: FutureWarning: slice indexers when using iloc.
⇒should be integers and not floating point
Out[3]:
            1
        dtype: int64
# these are Float64Indexes, so integer or floating point is acceptable
In [4]: pd.Series(1, np.arange(5.))[3]
Out[4]: 1
In [5]: pd.Series(1, np.arange(5.))[3.0]
Out[6]: 1
```

- Numpy 1.9 compat w.r.t. deprecation warnings (GH6960)
- Panel.shift() now has a function signature that matches <code>DataFrame.shift()</code>. The old positional argument lags has been changed to a keyword argument periods with a default value of 1. A <code>FutureWarning</code> is raised if the old argument lags is used by name. (GH6910)
- The order keyword argument of factorize () will be removed. (GH6926).
- Remove the copy keyword from <code>DataFrame.xs()</code>, <code>Panel.major_xs()</code>, <code>Panel.minor_xs()</code>. A view will be returned if possible, otherwise a copy will be made. Previously the user could think that <code>copy=False</code> would ALWAYS return a view. (GH6894)
- The parallel_coordinates() function now takes argument color instead of colors. A FutureWarning is raised to alert that the old colors argument will not be supported in a future release.

(GH6956)

- The parallel_coordinates() and andrews_curves() functions now take positional argument frame instead of data. A FutureWarning is raised if the old data argument is used by name. (GH6956)
- The support for the 'mysql' flavor when using DBAPI connection objects has been deprecated. MySQL will be further supported with SQLAlchemy engines (GH6900).
- The following io.sql functions have been deprecated: tquery, uquery, read_frame, frame_query, write frame.
- The *percentile_width* keyword argument in *describe()* has been deprecated. Use the *percentiles* keyword instead, which takes a list of percentiles to display. The default output is unchanged.
- The default return type of boxplot() will change from a dict to a matplotlib Axes in a future release. You can use the future behavior now by passing return_type='axes' to boxplot.

Known issues

OpenPyXL 2.0.0 breaks backwards compatibility (GH7169)

Enhancements

• DataFrame and Series will create a MultiIndex object if passed a tuples dict, See the docs (GH3323)

```
In [65]: pd.Series({('a', 'b'): 1, ('a', 'a'): 0,
                   ('a', 'c'): 2, ('b', 'a'): 3, ('b', 'b'): 4})
   . . . . :
   . . . . :
Out [65]:
a h
      1
       Ω
       2
       3
  h
Length: 5, dtype: int64
In [66]: pd.DataFrame({('a', 'b'): {('A', 'B'): 1, ('A', 'C'): 2},
  ....: ('a', 'a'): {('A', 'C'): 3, ('A', 'B'): 4},
                      ('a', 'c'): {('A', 'B'): 5, ('A', 'C'): 6},
                     ('b', 'a'): {('A', 'C'): 7, ('A', 'B'): 8},
   . . . . :
                     ('b', 'b'): {('A', 'D'): 9, ('A', 'B'): 10}})
   . . . . :
Out [66]:
                     h
      b
           а
               С
                     а
                            b
A B 1.0
         4.0 5.0 8.0 10.0
    2.0
         3.0
              6.0
                   7.0
 D NaN NaN NaN NaN
[3 rows x 5 columns]
```

- Added the sym_diff method to Index (GH5543)
- DataFrame.to_latex now takes a longtable keyword, which if True will return a table in a longtable environment. (GH6617)
- Add option to turn off escaping in DataFrame.to_latex (GH6472)

- pd.read_clipboard will, if the keyword sep is unspecified, try to detect data copied from a spreadsheet and parse accordingly. (GH6223)
- Joining a singly-indexed DataFrame with a MultiIndexed DataFrame (GH3662)

See the docs. Joining MultiIndex DataFrames on both the left and right is not yet supported ATM.

```
In [67]: household = pd.DataFrame({'household_id': [1, 2, 3],
                                     'male': [0, 1, 0],
                                     'wealth': [196087.3, 316478.7, 294750]
   . . . . :
                                    columns=['household_id', 'male', 'wealth']
                                    ).set_index('household_id')
   . . . . :
In [68]: household
Out [68]:
              male
                    wealth
household id
                  0 196087.3
2.
                  1 316478.7
3
                  0 294750.0
[3 rows x 2 columns]
In [69]: portfolio = pd.DataFrame({'household_id': [1, 2, 2, 3, 3, 4],
                                     'asset_id': ["nl0000301109",
                                                   "n10000289783",
   . . . . :
                                                   "gb00b03m1x29",
   . . . . :
                                                   "qb00b03m1x29",
                                                   "lu0197800237",
   . . . . :
                                                   "n10000289965",
   . . . . :
                                                  np.nan],
   . . . . :
                                     'name': ["ABN Amro",
   . . . . :
                                               "Robeco",
   . . . . :
                                              "Royal Dutch Shell",
                                               "Royal Dutch Shell",
                                               "AAB Eastern Europe Equity Fund",
                                               "Postbank BioTech Fonds",
   . . . . :
                                              np.nan],
   . . . . :
                                     'share': [1.0, 0.4, 0.6, 0.15, 0.6, 0.25, 1.0]
   . . . . :
   . . . . :
                                    columns=['household_id', 'asset_id', 'name',
   . . . . :
→'share']
                                    ).set index(['household id', 'asset id'])
  . . . . :
   . . . . :
In [70]: portfolio
Out [70]:
                                                        name share
household_id asset_id
             nl0000301109
                                                    ABN Amro 1.00
1
2
             n10000289783
                                                      Robeco 0.40
                                        Royal Dutch Shell 0.60
             qb00b03m1x29
                                         Royal Dutch Shell 0.15
3
             gb00b03mlx29
             lu0197800237 AAB Eastern Europe Equity Fund 0.60
             nl0000289965 Postbank BioTech Fonds 0.25
                                                         NaN 1.00
4
             NaN
```

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[7 rows x 2 columns]

In [71]: household.join(portfolio, how='inner')
Out[71]:

male wealth name share
household_id asset_id

1 nl0000301109 0 196087.3 ABN Amro 1.00
2 nl0000289783 1 316478.7 Robeco 0.40
gb00b03mlx29 1 316478.7 Royal Dutch Shell 0.60
3 gb00b03mlx29 0 294750.0 Royal Dutch Shell 0.15
lu0197800237 0 294750.0 AAB Eastern Europe Equity Fund 0.60
nl0000289965 0 294750.0 Postbank BioTech Fonds 0.25
```

- quotechar, doublequote, and escapechar can now be specified when using DataFrame.to_csv (GH5414, GH4528)
- Partially sort by only the specified levels of a MultiIndex with the sort_remaining boolean kwarg. (GH3984)
- Added to_julian_date to TimeStamp and DatetimeIndex. The Julian Date is used primarily in astronomy and represents the number of days from noon, January 1, 4713 BC. Because nanoseconds are used to define the time in pandas the actual range of dates that you can use is 1678 AD to 2262 AD. (GH4041)
- DataFrame.to_stata will now check data for compatibility with Stata data types and will upcast when needed. When it is not possible to losslessly upcast, a warning is issued (GH6327)
- DataFrame.to_stata and StataWriter will accept keyword arguments time_stamp and data_label which allow the time stamp and dataset label to be set when creating a file. (GH6545)
- pandas.io.gbq now handles reading unicode strings properly. (GH5940)
- Holidays Calendars are now available and can be used with the CustomBusinessDay offset (GH6719)
- Float64Index is now backed by a float64 dtype ndarray instead of an object dtype array (GH6471).
- Implemented Panel.pct_change (GH6904)
- Added how option to rolling-moment functions to dictate how to handle resampling; rolling_max() defaults to max, rolling_min() defaults to min, and all others default to mean (GH6297)
- CustomBusinessMonthBegin and CustomBusinessMonthEnd are now available (GH6866)
- Series.quantile() and DataFrame.quantile() now accept an array of quantiles.
- describe () now accepts an array of percentiles to include in the summary statistics (GH4196)
- pivot_table can now accept Grouper by index and columns keywords (GH6913)

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```
. . . . :
                      datetime.datetime(2013, 10, 2, 10, 0)],
             'PayDay': [datetime.datetime(2013, 10, 4, 0, 0),
   . . . . :
                       datetime.datetime(2013, 10, 15, 13, 5),
                        datetime.datetime(2013, 9, 5, 20, 0),
                        datetime.datetime(2013, 11, 2, 10, 0),
                        datetime.datetime(2013, 10, 7, 20, 0),
   . . . . :
                       datetime.datetime(2013, 9, 5, 10, 0)]})
   . . . . :
   . . . . :
In [74]: df
Out [74]:
 Branch Buyer Quantity
                                        Date
                                                          PayDay
     A Carl 1 2013-11-01 13:00:00 2013-10-04 00:00:00
      A Mark
                     3 2013-09-01 13:05:00 2013-10-15 13:05:00
2
      A Carl
                     5 2013-10-01 20:00:00 2013-09-05 20:00:00
                     1 2013-10-02 10:00:00 2013-11-02 10:00:00
3
      A Carl
         Joe
                     8 2013-11-01 20:00:00 2013-10-07 20:00:00
                     1 2013-10-02 10:00:00 2013-09-05 10:00:00
     В
         Joe
[6 rows x 5 columns]
In [75]: df.pivot_table(values='Quantity',
                       index=pd.Grouper(freq='M', key='Date'),
                        columns=pd.Grouper(freq='M', key='PayDay'),
   . . . . :
                        aggfunc=np.sum)
  . . . . :
Out [75]:
PayDay
          2013-09-30 2013-10-31 2013-11-30
Date
                              3.0
2013-09-30
                  NaN
                                           NaN
2013-10-31
                  6.0
                              NaN
                                           1.0
2013-11-30
                  NaN
                               9.0
                                           NaN
[3 rows x 3 columns]
```

- Arrays of strings can be wrapped to a specified width (str.wrap) (GH6999)
- Add nsmallest () and Series.nlargest () methods to Series, See the docs (GH3960)
- PeriodIndex fully supports partial string indexing like DatetimeIndex (GH7043)

```
In [76]: prng = pd.period_range('2013-01-01 09:00', periods=100, freg='H')
In [77]: ps = pd.Series(np.random.randn(len(prng)), index=prng)
In [78]: ps
Out [78]:
2013-01-01 09:00
                 0.015696
2013-01-01 10:00
                 -2.242685
2013-01-01 11:00
                   1.150036
2013-01-01 12:00
                   0.991946
2013-01-01 13:00
                  0.953324
                     . . .
                 0.285296
2013-01-05 08:00
2013-01-05 09:00
                 0.484288
2013-01-05 10:00
                 1.363482
2013-01-05 11:00 -0.781105
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2013-01-05 12:00 -0.468018
Freq: H, Length: 100, dtype: float64
In [79]: ps['2013-01-02']
Out [79]:
2013-01-02 00:00
                  0.553439
2013-01-02 01:00
                   1.318152
2013-01-02 02:00
                 -0.469305
2013-01-02 03:00
                 0.675554
2013-01-02 04:00
                 -1.817027
2013-01-02 19:00
                 0.036142
2013-01-02 20:00 -2.074978
2013-01-02 21:00 0.247792
2013-01-02 22:00 -0.897157
2013-01-02 23:00 -0.136795
Freq: H, Length: 24, dtype: float64
```

- read_excel can now read milliseconds in Excel dates and times with xlrd >= 0.9.3. (GH5945)
- pd.stats.moments.rolling_var now uses Welford's method for increased numerical stability (GH6817)
- pd.expanding_apply and pd.rolling_apply now take args and kwargs that are passed on to the func (GH6289)
- DataFrame.rank() now has a percentage rank option (GH5971)
- Series.rank() now has a percentage rank option (GH5971)
- Series.rank() and DataFrame.rank() now accept method='dense' for ranks without gaps (GH6514)
- Support passing encoding with xlwt (GH3710)
- Refactor Block classes removing *Block.items* attributes to avoid duplication in item handling (GH6745, GH6988).
- Testing statements updated to use specialized asserts (GH6175)

Performance

- \bullet Performance improvement when converting <code>DatetimeIndex</code> to floating ordinals using <code>DatetimeConverter(GH6636)</code>
- Performance improvement for DataFrame.shift (GH5609)
- Performance improvement in indexing into a MultiIndexed Series (GH5567)
- Performance improvements in single-dtyped indexing (GH6484)
- Improve performance of DataFrame construction with certain offsets, by removing faulty caching (e.g. MonthEnd,BusinessMonthEnd), (GH6479)
- Improve performance of CustomBusinessDay (GH6584)
- improve performance of slice indexing on Series with string keys (GH6341, GH6372)
- Performance improvement for DataFrame.from_records when reading a specified number of rows from an iterable (GH6700)
- Performance improvements in timedelta conversions for integer dtypes (GH6754)

- Improved performance of compatible pickles (GH6899)
- Improve performance in certain reindexing operations by optimizing take_2d (GH6749)
- GroupBy.count () is now implemented in Cython and is much faster for large numbers of groups (GH7016).

Experimental

There are no experimental changes in 0.14.0

Bug Fixes

- Bug in Series ValueError when index doesn't match data (GH6532)
- Prevent segfault due to MultiIndex not being supported in HDFStore table format (GH1848)
- Bug in pd.DataFrame.sort_index where mergesort wasn't stable when ascending=False (GH6399)
- Bug in pd.tseries.frequencies.to_offset when argument has leading zeros (GH6391)
- Bug in version string gen. for dev versions with shallow clones / install from tarball (GH6127)
- Inconsistent tz parsing Timestamp / to_datetime for current year (GH5958)
- Indexing bugs with reordered indexes (GH6252, GH6254)
- Bug in .xs with a Series multiindex (GH6258, GH5684)
- Bug in conversion of a string types to a DatetimeIndex with a specified frequency (GH6273, GH6274)
- Bug in eval where type-promotion failed for large expressions (GH6205)
- Bug in interpolate with inplace=True (GH6281)
- HDFStore.remove now handles start and stop (GH6177)
- HDFStore.select_as_multiple handles start and stop the same way as select (GH6177)
- HDFStore.select_as_coordinates and select_column works with a where clause that results in filters (GH6177)
- Regression in join of non_unique_indexes (GH6329)
- Issue with groupby agg with a single function and a mixed-type frame (GH6337)
- Bug in DataFrame.replace() when passing a non-bool to_replace argument (GH6332)
- Raise when trying to align on different levels of a MultiIndex assignment (GH3738)
- Bug in setting complex dtypes via boolean indexing (GH6345)
- Bug in TimeGrouper/resample when presented with a non-monotonic DatetimeIndex that would return invalid results. (GH4161)
- Bug in index name propagation in TimeGrouper/resample (GH4161)
- TimeGrouper has a more compatible API to the rest of the groupers (e.g. groups was missing) (GH3881)
- Bug in multiple grouping with a TimeGrouper depending on target column order (GH6764)
- Bug in pd.eval when parsing strings with possible tokens like '&' (GH6351)
- Bug correctly handle placements of -inf in Panels when dividing by integer 0 (GH6178)
- DataFrame.shift with axis=1 was raising (GH6371)

- Disabled clipboard tests until release time (run locally with nosetests -A disabled) (GH6048).
- Bug in DataFrame.replace() when passing a nested dict that contained keys not in the values to be replaced (GH6342)
- str.match ignored the na flag (GH6609).
- Bug in take with duplicate columns that were not consolidated (GH6240)
- Bug in interpolate changing dtypes (GH6290)
- Bug in Series.get, was using a buggy access method (GH6383)
- Bug in hdfstore queries of the form where=[('date', '>=', datetime(2013,1,1)), ('date', '<=', datetime(2014,1,1))](GH6313)
- Bug in DataFrame.dropna with duplicate indices (GH6355)
- Regression in chained getitem indexing with embedded list-like from 0.12 (GH6394)
- Float 64 Index with nans not comparing correctly (GH6401)
- eval/query expressions with strings containing the @ character will now work (GH6366).
- Bug in Series.reindex when specifying a method with some nan values was inconsistent (noted on a resample) (GH6418)
- Bug in *DataFrame.replace()* where nested dicts were erroneously depending on the order of dictionary keys and values (GH5338).
- Performance issue in concatenating with empty objects (GH3259)
- Clarify sorting of sym diff on Index objects with NaN values (GH6444)
- Regression in MultiIndex.from_product with a DatetimeIndex as input (GH6439)
- Bug in str.extract when passed a non-default index (GH6348)
- Bug in str.split when passed pat=None and n=1 (GH6466)
- Bug in io.data.DataReader when passed "F-F_Momentum_Factor" and data_source= "famafrench" (GH6460)
- Bug in sum of a timedelta64 [ns] series (GH6462)
- Bug in resample with a timezone and certain offsets (GH6397)
- Bug in iat/iloc with duplicate indices on a Series (GH6493)
- Bug in read_html where nan's were incorrectly being used to indicate missing values in text. Should use the empty string for consistency with the rest of pandas (GH5129).
- Bug in read html tests where redirected invalid URLs would make one test fail (GH6445).
- Bug in multi-axis indexing using .loc on non-unique indices (GH6504)
- Bug that caused _ref_locs corruption when slice indexing across columns axis of a DataFrame (GH6525)
- Regression from 0.13 in the treatment of numpy datetime64 non-ns dtypes in Series creation (GH6529)
- .names attribute of MultiIndexes passed to set_index are now preserved (GH6459).
- Bug in setitem with a duplicate index and an alignable rhs (GH6541)
- Bug in setitem with .loc on mixed integer Indexes (GH6546)
- Bug in pd. read_stata which would use the wrong data types and missing values (GH6327)

- Bug in DataFrame.to_stata that lead to data loss in certain cases, and could be exported using the wrong data types and missing values (GH6335)
- StataWriter replaces missing values in string columns by empty string (GH6802)
- Inconsistent types in Timestamp addition/subtraction (GH6543)
- Bug in preserving frequency across Timestamp addition/subtraction (GH4547)
- Bug in empty list lookup caused IndexError exceptions (GH6536, GH6551)
- Series.quantile raising on an object dtype (GH6555)
- Bug in .xs with a nan in level when dropped (GH6574)
- Bug in fillna with method='bfill/ffill' and datetime64[ns] dtype (GH6587)
- Bug in sql writing with mixed dtypes possibly leading to data loss (GH6509)
- Bug in Series.pop (GH6600)
- Bug in iloc indexing when positional indexer matched Int64Index of the corresponding axis and no reordering happened (GH6612)
- Bug in fillna with limit and value specified
- Bug in DataFrame.to_stata when columns have non-string names (GH4558)
- Bug in compat with np.compress, surfaced in (GH6658)
- Bug in binary operations with a rhs of a Series not aligning (GH6681)
- Bug in DataFrame.to_stata which incorrectly handles nan values and ignores with_index keyword argument (GH6685)
- Bug in resample with extra bins when using an evenly divisible frequency (GH4076)
- Bug in consistency of groupby aggregation when passing a custom function (GH6715)
- Bug in resample when how=None resample freq is the same as the axis frequency (GH5955)
- Bug in downcasting inference with empty arrays (GH6733)
- Bug in obj.blocks on sparse containers dropping all but the last items of same for dtype (GH6748)
- Bug in unpickling NaT (NaTType) (GH4606)
- Bug in DataFrame.replace() where regex meta characters were being treated as regex even when regex=False(GH6777).
- Bug in timedelta ops on 32-bit platforms (GH6808)
- Bug in setting a tz-aware index directly via .index (GH6785)
- Bug in expressions by where numexpr would try to evaluate arithmetic ops (GH6762).
- Bug in Makefile where it didn't remove Cython generated C files with make clean (GH6768)
- Bug with numpy < 1.7.2 when reading long strings from HDFStore (GH6166)
- Bug in DataFrame._reduce where non bool-like (0/1) integers were being converted into bools. (GH6806)
- Regression from 0.13 with fillna and a Series on datetime-like (GH6344)
- Bug in adding np.timedelta64 to DatetimeIndex with timezone outputs incorrect results (GH6818)
- Bug in DataFrame.replace() where changing a dtype through replacement would only replace the first occurrence of a value (GH6689)
- Better error message when passing a frequency of 'MS' in Period construction (GH5332)

- Bug in Series.__unicode__ when max_rows=None and the Series has more than 1000 rows. (GH6863)
- Bug in groupby.get_group where a datelike wasn't always accepted (GH5267)
- Bug in groupBy.get_group created by TimeGrouper raises AttributeError (GH6914)
- Bug in DatetimeIndex.tz_localize and DatetimeIndex.tz_convert converting NaT incorrectly (GH5546)
- Bug in arithmetic operations affecting NaT (GH6873)
- Bug in Series.str.extract where the resulting Series from a single group match wasn't renamed to the group name
- Bug in DataFrame.to_csv where setting index=False ignored the header kwarg (GH6186)
- Bug in DataFrame.plot and Series.plot, where the legend behave inconsistently when plotting to the same axes repeatedly (GH6678)
- Internal tests for patching __finalize__/ bug in merge not finalizing (GH6923, GH6927)
- accept TextFileReader in concat, which was affecting a common user idiom (GH6583)
- Bug in C parser with leading white space (GH3374)
- Bug in C parser with delim_whitespace=True and \r-delimited lines
- Bug in python parser with explicit MultiIndex in row following column header (GH6893)
- Bug in Series.rank and DataFrame.rank that caused small floats (<1e-13) to all receive the same rank (GH6886)
- Bug in DataFrame.apply with functions that used *args or **kwargs and returned an empty result (GH6952)
- Bug in sum/mean on 32-bit platforms on overflows (GH6915)
- Moved Panel.shift to NDFrame.slice_shift and fixed to respect multiple dtypes. (GH6959)
- Bug in enabling subplots=True in DataFrame.plot only has single column raises TypeError, and Series.plot raises AttributeError (GH6951)
- Bug in DataFrame.plot draws unnecessary axes when enabling subplots and kind=scatter (GH6951)
- Bug in read_csv from a filesystem with non-utf-8 encoding (GH6807)
- Bug in iloc when setting / aligning (GH6766)
- Bug causing UnicodeEncodeError when get_dummies called with unicode values and a prefix (GH6885)
- Bug in timeseries-with-frequency plot cursor display (GH5453)
- Bug surfaced in groupby.plot when using a Float 64 Index (GH7025)
- Stopped tests from failing if options data isn't able to be downloaded from Yahoo (GH7034)
- Bug in parallel_coordinates and radviz where reordering of class column caused possible color/class mismatch (GH6956)
- Bug in radviz and andrews_curves where multiple values of 'color' were being passed to plotting method (GH6956)
- Bug in Float 64 Index.isin() where containing nans would make indices claim that they contained all the things (GH7066).
- Bug in DataFrame. boxplot where it failed to use the axis passed as the ax argument (GH3578)

- Bug in the XlsxWriter and XlwtWriter implementations that resulted in datetime columns being formatted without the time (GH7075) were being passed to plotting method
- read_fwf() treats None in colspec like regular python slices. It now reads from the beginning or until the end of the line when colspec contains a None (previously raised a TypeError)
- Bug in cache coherence with chained indexing and slicing; add _is_view property to NDFrame to correctly predict views; mark is_copy on xs only if its an actual copy (and not a view) (GH7084)
- Bug in DatetimeIndex creation from string ndarray with dayfirst=True (GH5917)
- Bug in MultiIndex.from_arrays created from DatetimeIndex doesn't preserve freq and tz (GH7090)
- Bug in unstack raises ValueError when MultiIndex contains PeriodIndex (GH4342)
- Bug in boxplot and hist draws unnecessary axes (GH6769)
- Regression in groupby.nth() for out-of-bounds indexers (GH6621)
- Bug in quantile with datetime values (GH6965)
- Bug in Dataframe.set_index, reindex and pivot don't preserve DatetimeIndex and PeriodIndex attributes (GH3950, GH5878, GH6631)
- Bug in MultiIndex.get_level_values doesn't preserve DatetimeIndex and PeriodIndex attributes (GH7092)
- Bug in Groupby doesn't preserve tz (GH3950)
- Bug in PeriodIndex partial string slicing (GH6716)
- Bug in the HTML repr of a truncated Series or DataFrame not showing the class name with the *large_repr* set to 'info' (GH7105)
- Bug in DatetimeIndex specifying freq raises ValueError when passed value is too short (GH7098)
- Fixed a bug with the info repr not honoring the display.max_info_columns setting (GH6939)
- Bug PeriodIndex string slicing with out of bounds values (GH5407)
- Fixed a memory error in the hashtable implementation/factorizer on resizing of large tables (GH7157)
- Bug in isnull when applied to 0-dimensional object arrays (GH7176)
- Bug in query/eval where global constants were not looked up correctly (GH7178)
- Bug in recognizing out-of-bounds positional list indexers with iloc and a multi-axis tuple indexer (GH7189)
- Bug in setitem with a single value, MultiIndex and integer indices (GH7190, GH7218)
- Bug in expressions evaluation with reversed ops, showing in series-dataframe ops (GH7198, GH7192)
- Bug in multi-axis indexing with > 2 ndim and a MultiIndex (GH7199)
- Fix a bug where invalid eval/query operations would blow the stack (GH5198)

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- · michaelws +
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- · ojdo +
- · onesandzeroes +
- phaebz +
- ribonoous +
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5.14 Version 0.13

5.14.1 v0.13.1 (February 3, 2014)

This is a minor release from 0.13.0 and includes a small number of API changes, several new features, enhancements, and performance improvements along with a large number of bug fixes. We recommend that all users upgrade to this version.

Highlights include:

- Added infer_datetime_format keyword to read_csv/to_datetime to allow speedups for homogeneously formatted datetimes.
- Will intelligently limit display precision for datetime/timedelta formats.
- Enhanced Panel apply () method.

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