

# Programming-Assignment-1

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## 1 Assignment 1

In this assignment, you'll be working with messy medical data and using regex to extract relevant information from the data.

Each line of the `dates.txt` file corresponds to a medical note. Each note has a date that needs to be extracted, but each date is encoded in one of many formats.

The goal of this assignment is to correctly identify all of the different date variants encoded in this dataset and to properly normalize and sort the dates.

Here is a list of some of the variants you might encounter in this dataset: \* 04/20/2009; 04/20/09; 4/20/09; 4/3/09 \* Mar-20-2009; Mar 20, 2009; March 20, 2009; Mar. 20, 2009; Mar 20 2009; \* 20 Mar 2009; 20 March 2009; 20 Mar. 2009; 20 March, 2009 \* Mar 20th, 2009; Mar 21st, 2009; Mar 22nd, 2009 \* Feb 2009; Sep 2009; Oct 2010 \* 6/2008; 12/2009 \* 2009; 2010

Once you have extracted these date patterns from the text, the next step is to sort them in ascending chronological order according to the following rules: \* Assume all dates in `xx/xx/xx` format are `mm/dd/yy` \* Assume all dates where year is encoded in only two digits are years from the 1900's (e.g. 1/5/89 is January 5th, 1989) \* If the day is missing (e.g. 9/2009), assume it is the first day of the month (e.g. September 1, 2009). \* If the month is missing (e.g. 2010), assume it is the first of January of that year (e.g. January 1, 2010). \* Watch out for potential typos as this is a raw, real-life derived dataset.

With these rules in mind, find the correct date in each note and return a pandas Series in chronological order of the original Series' indices.

For example if the original series was this:

```
0    1999
1    2010
2    1978
3    2015
4    1985
```

Your function should return this:

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0    2
1    4
2    0
3    1
4    3

```

Your score will be calculated using [Kendall's tau](#), a correlation measure for ordinal data. This function should return a Series of length 500 and dtype int.

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[1]: import pandas as pd
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doc = []
with open('dates.txt') as file:
    for line in file:
        doc.append(line)

df = pd.Series(doc)
df.head(10)

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[1]: 0      03/25/93 Total time of visit (in minutes):\n
1          6/18/85 Primary Care Doctor:\n
2  sshe plans to move as of 7/8/71 In-Home Servic...\n
3          7 on 9/27/75 Audit C Score Current:\n
4  2/6/96 sleep studyPain Treatment Pain Level (N...\n
5          .Per 7/06/79 Movement D/O note:\n
6  4, 5/18/78 Patient's thoughts about current su...\n
7  10/24/89 CPT Code: 90801 - Psychiatric Diagnos...\n
8          3/7/86 SOS-10 Total Score:\n
9      (4/10/71)Score-1Audit C Score Current:\n
dtype: object

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[2]: def date_sorter():
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    regex1 = '(\d{1,2}[/-]\d{1,2}[/-]\d{2,4})'
    regex2 = '((?:
→Jan|Feb|Mar|Apr|May|Jun|Jul|Aug|Sep|Oct|Nov|Dec) [\S]*[+\s]\d{1,2}[,\s]{0,1}[+\s]\d{4})'
    regex3 = '(\d{1,2}[+\s](?:
→Jan|Feb|Mar|Apr|May|Jun|Jul|Aug|Sep|Oct|Nov|Dec) [\S]*[+\s]\d{4})'
    regex4 = '((?:
→Jan|Feb|Mar|Apr|May|Jun|Jul|Aug|Sep|Oct|Nov|Dec) [\S]*[+\s]\d{4})'
    regex5 = '(\d{1,2}[/-] [1|2]\d{3})'
    regex6 = '([1|2]\d{3})'
    full_regex = '(%s|%s|%s|%s|%s|%s)' % (regex1, regex2, regex3, regex4,
→regex5, regex6)
    parsed_date = df.str.extract(full_regex)
    parsed_date = parsed_date.iloc[:,0].str.replace('Janaury', 'January').str.
→replace('Decemeber', 'December')
    parsed_date = pd.Series(pd.to_datetime(parsed_date))
    parsed_date = parsed_date.sort_values(ascending=True).index

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return pd.Series(parsed_date.values)
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[3]: date_sorter()
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/opt/conda/lib/python3.6/site-packages/ipykernel_launcher.py:10: FutureWarning:  
currently extract(expand=None) means expand=False (return  
Index/Series/DataFrame) but in a future version of pandas this will be changed  
to expand=True (return DataFrame)
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# Remove the CWD from sys.path while we load stuff.
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[3]: 0      9  
     1     84  
     2      2  
     3     53  
     4     28  
     5    474  
     6    153  
     7     13  
     8    129  
     9     98  
    10    111  
    11    225  
    12     31  
    13    171  
    14    191  
    15    486  
    16    335  
    17    415  
    18     36  
    19    405  
    20    323  
    21    422  
    22    375  
    23    380  
    24    345  
    25     57  
    26    481  
    27    436  
    28    104  
    29    299  
     ...  
    470    220  
    471    208  
    472    243  
    473    139  
    474    320  
    475    383
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476	244
477	286
478	480
479	431
480	279
481	198
482	381
483	463
484	366
485	439
486	255
487	401
488	475
489	257
490	152
491	235
492	464
493	253
494	427
495	231
496	141
497	186
498	161
499	413

Length: 500, dtype: int64