Introduction to Data Structures

Pandas in Python

Begin from the Beginning

- Pandas is used typically along with numpy
- import numpy as np
 import pandas as pd
- Two important data structures
 pd.Series, pd.DataFrame
- The data are labeled, and the link between will not be broken unless explicitly done so. That is the data alignment is intrinsic.

DataFrame from dict of Series

```
d = \{ 'one': pd.Series([1, 2, 3], index=['a', 'b', 'c']), \}
     'two': pd.Series([1, 2, 3, 4], index=['a', 'b', 'c',
'd'])}
df = pd.DataFrame(d)     pd.DataFrame(d, index=['d', 'b', 'a'])
                                  Out[40]:
In [39]: df
                                  one two
                       2
Out[39]:
                                  d NaN 4.0
                      3
                                  b 2.0 2.0
   one two
  1.0 1.0
                                  a 1.0 1.0
                pd.DataFrame(d, index=['d', 'b', 'a'],
 2.0 2.0
                              columns=['two', 'three'])
  3.0 3.0
                Out[41]:
   NaN 4.0
                  two three
                  4.0
                       NaN
                  2.0
                       NaN
                а
                  1.0
                        NaN
```

DataFrame from dict of ndarrays

- The ndarrays must all be the same length.
- If an index is passed, it must clearly also be the same length as the arrays.
- If no index is passed, the result will be range(n), where n is the array length.

```
d = \{'one': [1., 2., 3., 4.],
     'two': [4., 3., 2., 1.]}
pd.DataFrame(d)
                       pd.DataFrame(d, index=['a', 'b', 'c', 'd'])
Out[45]:
                       Out[46]:
  one
       two
                          one
                               two
  1.0 4.0
                       a 1.0 4.0
  2.0 3.0
                       b 2.0 3.0
  3.0 2.0
                       c 3.0 2.0
  4.0 1.0
                       d 4.0 1.0
```

DataFrame from record array

```
data = np.zeros((2, ), dtype=[('A', 'i4'), ('B', 'f4'), ('C', 'a10')])
data[:] = [(1, 2., 'Hello'), (2, 3., "World")]
pd.DataFrame(data)
                      pd.DataFrame(data, index=['first', 'second'])
Out[49]:
                      Out[50]:
  A B
                                 В
0 1 2.0 b'Hello'
                      first 1 2.0 b'Hello'
1 2 3.0 b'World'
                      second 2 3.0 b'World'
pd.DataFrame(data, columns=['C', 'A', 'B'])
Out[51]:
         C A B
 b'Hello' 1 2.0
  b'World' 2 3.0
```

DataFrame is not intended to work exactly like a 2-dimensional NumPy ndarray.

DataFrame from list of dicts

```
In [52]: data2 = [\{'a': 1, 'b': 2\}, \{'a': 5, 'b': 10, 'c': 20\}]
pd.DataFrame(data2)
                   pd.DataFrame(data2, index=['first', 'second'])
Out[53]:
                    Out[54]:
      b
                               b
                            a
        С
                                     C
0 1 2 NaN
                    first 1 2 NaN
1 5 10 20.0
                    second 5 10 20.0
pd.DataFrame(data2, columns=['a', 'b'])
Out[55]:
  а
0 1 2
 5 10
```

DataFrame from dict of objects

```
In [9]: df2 = pd.DataFrame({'A': 1.,
                             'B': pd.Timestamp('20130102'),
   . . . :
                             'C': pd.Series(1, index=list(range(4)), dtype='float32'),
   . . . :
                             'D': np.array([3] * 4, dtype='int32'),
   . . . :
                             'E': pd.Categorical(["test", "train", "test", "train"]),
   . . . :
                             'F': 'foo'})
   . . . :
   . . . :
                                                      In [11]: df2.dtypes
                                                      Out[11]:
In [10]: df2
                                                                   float64
Out[10]:
                                                            datetime64[ns]
                B C D
                                                                   float32
  1.0 2013-01-02 1.0
                       3 test
                                                                      int32
  1.0 2013-01-02 1.0 3 train
                                  foo
                                                                  category
  1.0 2013-01-02 1.0 3
                            test
                                   foo
                                                                     object
  1.0 2013-01-02 1.0
                        3
                           train
                                   foo
                                                      dtype: object
```

DataFrame from Series

 The result will be a DataFrame with the same index as the input Series, and with one column whose name is the original name of the Series (only if no other column name provided).

Alternate constructors

```
pd.DataFrame.from_dict(dict([('A', [1, 2, 3]),
                          ('B', [4, 5, 6])]))
Out[57]:
  A B
0 1 4
1 2 5
2 3 6
pd.DataFrame.from_dict(dict([('A', [1, 2, 3]),
                          ('B', [4, 5, 6])]), orient='index',
                          columns=['one', 'two', 'three'])
Out[58]:
  one two three
A 1 2
               3
 4
         5
R
```

Alternate constructors

```
data = array([(1, 2., b'Hello'),
              (2, 3., b'World')],
   dtype=[('A', '<i4'), ('B', '<f4'), ('C', 'S10')])
pd.DataFrame.from_records(data, index='C')
Out[60]:
b'Hello' 1 2.0
b'World' 2 3.0
```

Column selection, addition, deletion

```
In [62]: df['three'] = df['one'] * df['two']
  [63]: df['flag'] = df['one'] > 2
In [64]: df
                             In [61]: df['one']
Out[64]:
                             Out[61]:
                                 1.0
        two
             three
                     flag
                             a
  one
                                 2.0
                             b
  1.0 1.0
               1.0 False
a
                                 3.0
                             C
  2.0 2.0
              4.0 False
                                 NaN
                             d
 3.0 3.0
           9.0 True
                             Name: one, dtype:
d
  NaN
       4.0
               NaN False
                             float64
```

More del/ins operations with df

```
When inserting a Series that
Columns can be deleted or popped
                                   does not have the same index as
like with a dict:
                                   the DataFrame, it will be
                                    conformed to the DataFrame's
del df['two']
                                    index:
three = df.pop('three')
                                   df['one trunc'] = df['one'][:2]
In [67]: df
                                   In [71]: df
Out[67]:
                                   Out[71]:
        flag
                                            flag
                                                  foo
                                                      one trunc
   one
                                      one
                                   a 1.0 False
  1.0 False
                                                  bar
                                                             1.0
                                   b 2.0 False
 2.0 False
                                                  bar
                                                             2.0
                                   c 3.0 True
c 3.0 True
                                                  bar
                                                             NaN
                                      NaN False
                                                             NaN
  NaN False
                                                  bar
```

Insert method of DataFrame

- You can insert raw ndarrays but their length must match the length of the DataFrame's index.
- By default, columns get inserted at the end.
- The insert function is available to insert at a particular location in the columns:

```
In [72]: df.insert(1, 'bar', df['one'])
In [73]: df
Out[73]:
       bar flag
                  foo
                       one trunc
  one
  1.0 1.0 False
                  bar
                             1.0
а
  2.0 2.0 False bar
                             2.0
  3.0 3.0 True bar
                             NaN
  NaN
      NaN False bar
                             NaN
```

Assign new cols in method chains

```
In [74]: iris = pd.read csv('data/iris.data')
In [75]: iris.head()
Out[75]:
   SepalLength SepalWidth PetalLength PetalWidth
                                                           Name
0
           5.1
                      3.5
                                    1.4
                                               0.2 Iris-setosa
           4.9
                      3.0
                                   1.4
                                               0.2 Iris-setosa
1
          4.7
                      3.2
                                               0.2 Iris-setosa
                                   1.3
          4.6
                      3.1
                                   1.5
                                               0.2 Iris-setosa
           5.0
                      3.6
                                   1.4
                                               0.2 Iris-setosa
In [76]: (iris.assign(sepal ratio=iris['SepalWidth'] / iris['SepalLength']).head())
Out[76]:
   SepalLength SepalWidth PetalLength PetalWidth
                                                           Name
                                                                 sepal ratio
                                               0.2 Tris-setosa
                                                                    0.686275
0
           5.1
                      3.5
                                    1.4
          4.9
                      3.0
                                               0.2 Iris-setosa
1
                                   1.4
                                                                    0.612245
          4.7
                      3.2
                                                                    0.680851
2
                                   1.3
                                               0.2 Iris-setosa
3
          4.6
                      3.1
                                   1.5
                                               0.2 Iris-setosa
                                                                    0.673913
           5.0
                      3.6
                                   1.4
                                               0.2 Iris-setosa
                                                                    0.720000
```

 DataFrame's assign() method is inspired by dplyr's mutate verb, that allows you to easily create new columns from existing columns; leaves orig dataframe unmodified.

Assign using lambda

Pass in a function of one argument to be evaluated on the DataFrame being assigned to.

```
In [77]: iris.assign(sepal_ratio=lambda x: (x['SepalWidth'] /
x['SepalLength'])).head() # iris is renamed as x in the lambda, redundant??
Out[77]:
```

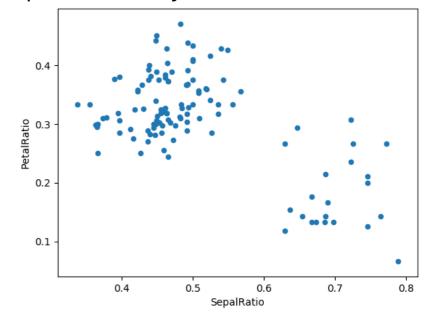
	SepalLength	SepalWidth	PetalLength	PetalWidth	Name	sepal_ratio
0	5.1	3.5	1.4	0.2	Iris-setosa	0.686275
1	4.9	3.0	1.4	0.2	Iris-setosa	0.612245
2	4.7	3.2	1.3	0.2	Iris-setosa	0.680851
3	4.6	3.1	1.5	0.2	Iris-setosa	0.673913
4	5.0	3.6	1.4	0.2	Iris-setosa	0.720000

Chaining methods

Passing a callable, as opposed to an actual value to be inserted, is useful when you don't have a reference to the DataFrame at hand.

This is common when using assign in a chain of operations.

For example, we can limit the DataFrame to just those observations with a Sepal Length greater than 5, calculate the ratio, and plot:



Indexing / selection

Operation	Syntax	Result
Select column	df[col]	Series
Select row by label	<pre>df.loc[label]</pre>	Series
Select row by integer location		Series
Slice rows	df[5:10]	DataFrame
Select rows by boolean vector	df[bool_vec]	DataFrame

Single row selection

 Row selection, for example, returns a Series whose index is the columns of the DataFrame:

```
In [83]: df.loc['b']
                                In [84]: df.iloc[2]
Out[83]:
                                Out[84]:
one
                                one
bar
                                bar
flag
             False
                                flag
                                              True
foo
               bar
                                foo
                                               bar
one trunc
                                one trunc
                                               NaN
Name: b, dtype: object
                                Name: c, dtype: object
```

Data Alignment

```
df = pd.DataFrame(np.random.randn(10, 4), columns=['A', 'B', 'C', 'D'])
df2 = pd.DataFrame(np.random.randn(7, 3), columns=['A', 'B', 'C'])
In [87]: df + df2
                                        In [88]: df - df.iloc[0] # Row broadcast
Out[87]:
                                        Out[88]:
                    В
          Α
                                   D
                                                  Α
                                                            В
                                                                      \mathbf{C}
                                                                                D
  0.045691 -0.014138
                       1.380871 NaN
                                           0.000000
                                                     0.000000 \quad 0.000000
                                                                         0.000000
  -0.955398 -1.501007
                      0.037181 NaN
                                        1 -1.359261 -0.248717 -0.453372 -1.754659
  -0.662690
            1.534833 -0.859691 NaN
                                           0.253128  0.829678  0.010026 -1.991234
  -2.452949 1.237274 -0.133712 NaN
                                        3 -1.311128 0.054325 -1.724913 -1.620544
  1.414490
            1.951676 -2.320422 NaN
4
                                           0.573025 1.500742 -0.676070 1.367331
  -0.494922 -1.649727 -1.084601 NaN
                                        5 -1.741248 0.781993 -1.241620 -2.053136
                                        6 -1.240774 -0.869551 -0.153282
  -1.047551 -0.748572 -0.805479 NaN
                                                                         0.000430
                                        7 -0.743894 0.411013 -0.929563 -0.282386
        NaN
                  NaN
                             NaN NaN
                                        8 -1.194921 1.320690 0.238224 -1.482644
8
        NaN
                  NaN
                             NaN NaN
                                           2.293786
                                                     1.856228 0.773289 -1.446531
9
        NaN
                  NaN
                             NaN NaN
       In [20]: row = df.iloc[1], In [21]: column = df['B']
       df.sub(row, axis='columns') == df.sub(row, axis=1) # Row Broadcast
       df.sub(column, axis='index') == df.sub(column, axis=0) # Column Broadcast
```

DataFrame from a NumPy array, datetime index, & labeled columns

```
dates = pd.date range('20130101', periods=6) # YYYY MM DD
In [6]: dates
Out[6]:
DatetimeIndex(['2013-01-01', '2013-01-02', '2013-01-03',
'2013-01-04','2013-01-05', '2013-01-06'],
dtype='datetime64[ns]', freq='D')
df = pd.DataFrame(np.random.randn(6, 4), index=dates,
columns=list('ABCD'))
In [8]: df
Out[8]:
        2013-01-01 0.469112 -0.282863 -1.509059 -1.135632
        2013-01-02 1.212112 -0.173215 0.119209 -1.044236
        2013-01-03 -0.861849 -2.104569 -0.494929 1.071804
        2013-01-04 0.721555 -0.706771 -1.039575 0.271860
        2013-01-05 -0.424972 0.567020 0.276232 -1.087401
        2013-01-06 -0.673690  0.113648 -1.478427  0.524988
```

Functions, Operators, Reductions

```
df1 = pd.DataFrame(\{'a': [1, 0, 1], 'b': [0, 1, 1]\}, dtype=bool)
df2 = pd.DataFrame(\{'a': [0, 1, 1], 'b': [1, 1, 0]\}, dtype=bool)
dfs = pd.Series(np.random.randn(1000))
df1 & df2, df1 | df2, df1 ^ df2, - df1,
df1.qt/lt/qe/le/ne/eq(df2) # elementwise
(df1 > 0).all/any() # columnwise reductions
dfl.equals(df2) # True / False, treats nan=nan as True, unlike df1==df2
dfl.combibe first(df2) # substitution of Nan in df1 from df2
dfl.mean(0) is colmeans, dfl.mean(1) is row means.
df.sum(axis=1, skipna=True)
(df - df.mean()) / df.std(), df.sub(df.mean(1), axis=0).div(df.std(1), axis=0)
dfs.describe(percentiles=[.05, .25, .75, .95]) # try with and w/o percentiles
dfl.idxmin/idxmax(axis=0/1) # index of min and max
df1[:5].T # Transpose
df.sort values(by=column label)
df.loc[start_row:end_row, ['A', 'B']] # A, B are sample column list
df.iloc[[1, 2, 4], [0, 2]] #row list, followed by col list
DataFrame interoperability with NumPy functions
np.exp(df) #all ufuncs applicable, log, sin, sqrt
```

isin method of DataFrame

```
df = pd.DataFrame(np.random.randn(6, 4), index=dates, columns=list('ABCD'))
In [41]: df2 = df.copy()
In [42]: df2['E'] = ['one', 'one', 'two', 'three', 'four', 'three']
In [43]: df2
Out[43]:
                            В
                                      C
                                                       F
                                                 D
                   Α
2013-01-01  0.469112  -0.282863  -1.509059  -1.135632
                                                      one
2013-01-02 1.212112 -0.173215 0.119209 -1.044236
                                                      one
2013-01-03 -0.861849 -2.104569 -0.494929 1.071804
                                                      two
2013-01-04 0.721555 -0.706771 -1.039575 0.271860 three
2013-01-05 -0.424972 0.567020 0.276232 -1.087401
                                                     four
2013-01-06 -0.673690 0.113648 -1.478427 0.524988 three
In [44]: df2[df2['E'].isin(['two', 'four'])]
Out[44]:
                            В
                                      C
                                                       Ε
2013-01-03 -0.861849 -2.104569 -0.494929 1.071804
                                                     two
2013-01-05 -0.424972 0.567020 0.276232 -1.087401 four
```

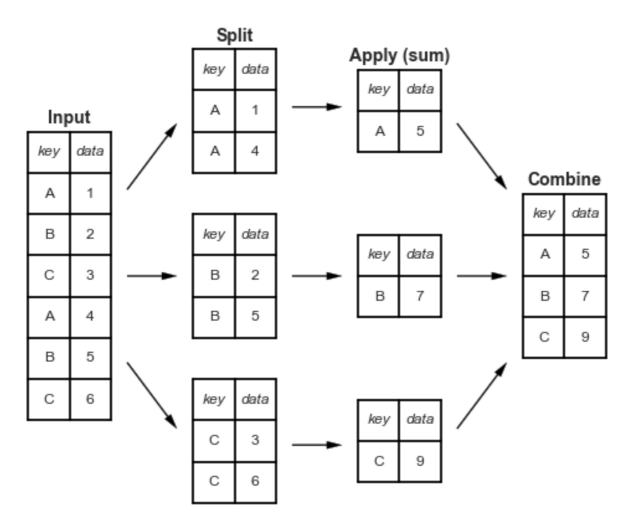
More methods

- df1.dropna(how='any') #drop rows having nan
- df1.fillna(value=5) #presets for nan
- pd.isna(df1) #bool matrix
- df.apply(np.cumsum)
- df.apply(lambda x: x.max() x.min())
- pieces = [df[:3], df[3:7], df[7:]]
- pd.concat(pieces) #get back df

Join as in SQL

```
In [82]: left = pd.DataFrame({'key': ['foo', 'bar'], 'lval': [1, 2]})
In [83]: right = pd.DataFrame({'key': ['foo', 'bar'], 'rval': [4, 5]})
Out[84]:
      Out[85]:
  key lval key rval
0 foo 1 0 foo
1 bar 2 1 bar 5
In [86]: pd.merge(left, right, on='key')
Out[86]:
  key lval rval
0 foo 1 4
 bar 2 5
```

Split, Apply, Combine ~ Groupby + Aggregate



Groupby as in SQL

```
df = pd.DataFrame({'A': ['foo', 'bar', 'foo', 'bar', 'foo', 'bar', 'foo', 'foo'],
                   'B': ['one', 'one', 'two', 'three', 'two', 'two', 'one', 'three'],
   . . . . :
                   'C': np.random.randn(8), 'D': np.random.randn(8)})
   . . . . :
   . . . . :
In [92]: df
                                                                  df.groupby('A').sum()
                                    df.groupby(['A', 'B']).sum()
Out[92]:
                                                                  Out[931:
                                    Out[94]:
     Α
            В
                                                                              C
                                                                                       D
                                                      C
                                                               D
   foo
         one -1.202872 -0.055224
                                        В
                                                                  Α
1
         one -1.814470 2.395985
   bar
                                              -1.814470 2.395985
                                                                  bar -2.802588
                                                                                 2.42611
                                    bar one
2
          two 1.018601
                        1.552825
                                                                  foo 3.146492 -0.63958
   foo
                                        three -0.595447 0.166599
3
        three -0.595447 0.166599
                                        two
                                              -0.392670 -0.136473
                                              -1.195665 -0.616981
                                    foo one
4
   foo
              1.395433 0.047609
          two
                                        three 1.928123 -1.623033
   bar
         two -0.392670 -0.136473
5
                                               2.414034 1.600434
                                        two
               0.007207 -0.561757
   foo
          one
   foo
       three 1.928123 -1.623033
```

Pivot Tables

When users create a pivot table, there are four main components:

- Columns- When a field is chosen for the column area, only the unique values of the field are listed across the top.
- Rows- When a field is chosen for the row area, it populates as the first column. Similar to the columns, all row labels are the unique values and duplicates are removed.
- Values- Each value is kept in a pivot table cell and display the summarized information. The most common values are sum, average, minimum and maximum.
- Filters Filters apply a calculation or restriction to the entire table.

Pivot Tables

```
df = pd.DataFrame({"A": ["foo", "foo", "foo", "foo", "foo", "bar", "bar", "bar", "bar"],
                 "B": ["one", "one", "one", "two", "two", "one", "one", "two", "two"],
                 "C": ["small", "large", "large", "small", small", "large", "small",
"small", "large"],
                 "D": [1, 2, 2, 3, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7],
                 "E": [2, 4, 5, 5, 6, 6, 8, 9, 9]})
>>> df
                                            >>> table
              CDE
    Α
        В
                                                        large
                                                                 small
  foo one small 1 2
  foo one large 2 4
                                                 В
                                            Α
  foo one large 2 5
                                                          4.0
                                            bar one
                                                                   5.0
  foo two small 3 5
  foo two small 3 6
                                                          7.0 6.0
                                                 two
  bar
          large 4 6
      one
                                            foo one
                                                          4.0
                                                                   1.0
  bar one small 5 8
                                                          NaN
                                                                   6.0
       two small 6 9
  bar
                                                 two
  bar two large 7 9
```

table = pd.pivot_table(df, values='D', index=['A', 'B'], columns=['C'], aggfunc=np.sum)

Pivot tables

```
table1 = pd.pivot_table(df,
values='D', index=['A', 'B'], columns=['C'],
aggfunc=np.sum, fill_value=0)

table2 = pd.pivot_table(df,
values=['D', 'E'], index=['A', 'C'],
aggfunc={'D': np.mean,'E': np.mean})
```

Mean across multiple columns

Multi-level index pivot table

Earlier only one feature was used in the index, i.e., a single level index.

We can, however, create pivot tables using multiple indices.

Whenever data is organized hierarchically, a pivot table with multilevel indexes can provide very useful and detailed summary information.

```
table3 = pd.pivot_table(df,
    values=['D', 'E'],
    index=['A', 'C'],
    aggfunc={'D': np.mean, 'E':
[min, max, np.mean]})
```

```
>>> table3
                    Е
           mean
                                  min
                    max
                            mean
bar large
                    9.0 7.500000
          5.500000
                                  6.0
   small
                    9.0
          5.500000
                        8.500000
                                  8.0
                    5.0 4.500000
foo large 2.000000
                                  4.0
          2,333333 6.0 4,333333
   small
                                 2.0
```

Multiple aggregates for a value column

Groupby vs pivot_table

Both pivot_table and groupby are used to aggregate your dataframe. The difference is only with regard to the shape of the result.

Using groupby, the dimensions given are placed into columns, and rows are created for each combination of those dimensions.

pivot_table = groupby + unstack
groupby = pivot_table + stack

In particular, if columns parameter of pivot_table() is not used, then groupby() and pivot_table() both produce the same result (if the same aggregator function is used).

Read from stackoverflow

Method Chaining

- A pointed example for method chaining can be seen here. A must read one.
- http://tomaugspurger.github.io/method-chaining.html

I/o in pandas

See
 https://pandas.pvdata.org/pandas.docs/stable/user

https://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/user_guide/ io.html#io-excel-reader

Works

Works – Where, Select, Orderby

```
Filters-
select * from airports where iso_region = 'US-CA' and type =
'seaplane base'
airports[(airports.iso region == 'US-CA') & (airports.type ==
'seaplane base')]
Filter and Choose columns -
select ident, name, municipality from airports where iso region = 'US-CA'
and type = 'large airport'
airports[(airports.iso region == 'US-CA') & (airports.type ==
'large_airport')][['ident', 'name', 'municipality']]
Ordering -
select * from airport freq where airport ident = 'KLAX' order by type
airport freq[airport freq.airport ident == 'KLAX'].sort values('type')
select * from airport freq where airport ident = 'KLAX' order by type desc
airport freg[airport freg.airport ident == 'KLAX'].sort values('type',
ascending=False)
```

Having

```
    select type, count() from airports
    where iso_country = 'US' group by type
    having count() > 1000 order by count()
    desc
```

```
    airports[airports.iso_country == 'US']
        .groupby('type')
        .filter(lambda g: len(g) > 1000)
        .groupby('type')
        .size()
        .sort values(ascending=False)
```

Grouby, Count, Orderby

```
    select iso country, type, count() from airports group

 by iso country, type order by iso country, type
airports.groupby(['iso country', 'type']).size()
select iso country, type, count() from airports group
 by iso country, type order by iso country, count()
 desc
airports.groupby(['iso country', 'type'])
         .size()
         .to frame('size')
         .reset index()
         .sort values(['iso country', 'size'],
 ascending=[True, False])
```

JOIN / merge revisited

- Need to provide which columns to join on (left_on and right_on), and join type: inner (default), left (corresponds to LEFT OUTER in SQL), right (RIGHT OUTER), or outer (FULL OUTER).
- select airport_ident, type, description, frequency_mhz from airport_freq join airports on airport_freq.airport_ref = airports.id where airports.ident = 'KLAX'
- airport_freq.merge(airports[airports.ident ==
 'KLAX'][['id']], left_on='airport_ref',
 right_on='id', how='inner')[['airport_ident',
 'type', 'description', 'frequency mhz']]

Insert / concat

- There's no such thing as an INSERT in Pandas. Instead, you would create a new dataframe containing new records, and then concat the two
- create table heroes (id integer, name text)
- insert into heroes values (1, 'Harry Potter')
- insert into heroes values (2, 'Ron Weasley');
- df1 = pd.DataFrame({'id': [1, 2], 'name': ['Harry Potter', 'Ron Weasley']})
- insert into heroes values (3, 'Hermione Granger')
- df2 = pd.DataFrame({'id': [3], 'name': ['Hermione
 Granger']})
- pd.concat([df1, df2]).reset_index(drop=True)

Union / Concat

- Use pd.concat() to UNION ALL two dataframes:
- select name, municipality from airports
 where ident = 'KLAX'
 union all
 select name, municipality from airports
 where ident = 'KLGB'
- pd.concat([airports[airports.ident ==
 'KLAX'][['name', 'municipality']],
 airports[airports.ident == 'KLGB'][['name',
 'municipality']]])

UPDATE

- update airports set home_link =
 'http://www.lawa.org/welcomelax.asp
 x' where ident == 'KLAX'
- airports.loc[airports['ident'] ==
 'KLAX', 'home_link'] =
 'http://www.lawa.org/welcomelax.asp
 x'

DELETE / drop

- delete from lax freq where type = 'MISC'
- The easiest (and the most readable) way to "delete" things from a Pandas dataframe is to subset the dataframe to rows you want to keep.
- lax_freq = lax_freq[lax_freq.type != 'MISC']
- Alternatively, you can get the indices of rows to delete, and .drop() rows using those indices:
- lax_freq.drop(lax_freq[lax_freq.type ==
 'MISC'].index)

Aggregate functions

```
select max(length_ft),
min(length_ft), mean(length_ft),
median(length_ft) from runways
runways.agg({'length_ft': ['min', 'max', 'mean', 'median']})
```

DataFrame

- DataFrame accepts different kinds of input:
 - Dict of 1D ndarrays, lists, dicts, or Series
 - 2-D numpy.ndarray
 - Structured or record ndarray
 - A Series
 - Another DataFrame