

08-Pandas-Exercises-Solutions

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1 Pandas Exercises

Time to test your new pandas skills! Use the `population_by_county.csv` file in the Data folder to complete the tasks in bold below!

NOTE: ALL TASKS CAN BE DONE IN ONE LINE OF PANDAS CODE. GET STUCK? NO PROBLEM! CHECK OUT THE SOLUTIONS LECTURE!

IMPORTANT NOTE! Make sure you don't run the cells directly above the example output shown, otherwise you will end up writing over the example output!

1. Import pandas and read in the `population_by_county.csv` file into a dataframe called `pop`.

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[1]: import pandas as pd
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[2]: pop = pd.read_csv('../Data/population_by_county.csv')
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2. Show the head of the dataframe

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[3]: # DON'T WRITE HERE
pop.head()
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	County	State	2010Census	2017PopEstimate
0	Abbeville County	South Carolina	25417	24722
1	Acadia Parish	Louisiana	61773	62590
2	Accomack County	Virginia	33164	32545
3	Ada County	Idaho	392365	456849
4	Adair County	Iowa	7682	7054

3. What are the column names?

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[4]: # DON'T WRITE HERE
pop.columns
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[4]: Index(['County', 'State', '2010Census', '2017PopEstimate'], dtype='object')
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4. How many States are represented in this data set? Note: the data includes the District of Columbia

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[5]: # DON'T WRITE HERE
pop['State'].nunique()
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5. Get a list or array of all the states in the data set.

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[6]: # DON'T WRITE HERE
pop['State'].unique()
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[6]: array(['South Carolina', 'Louisiana', 'Virginia', 'Idaho', 'Iowa',
        'Kentucky', 'Missouri', 'Oklahoma', 'Colorado', 'Illinois',
        'Indiana', 'Mississippi', 'Nebraska', 'North Dakota', 'Ohio',
        'Pennsylvania', 'Washington', 'Wisconsin', 'Vermont', 'Minnesota',
        'Florida', 'North Carolina', 'California', 'New York', 'Wyoming',
        'Michigan', 'Alaska', 'Maryland', 'Kansas', 'Tennessee', 'Texas',
        'Maine', 'Arizona', 'Georgia', 'Arkansas', 'New Jersey',
        'South Dakota', 'Alabama', 'Oregon', 'West Virginia',
        'Massachusetts', 'Utah', 'Montana', 'New Hampshire', 'New Mexico',
        'Rhode Island', 'Nevada', 'District of Columbia', 'Connecticut',
        'Hawaii', 'Delaware'], dtype=object)
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6. What are the five most common County names in the U.S.?

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[7]: # DON'T WRITE HERE
pop['County'].value_counts().head()
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[7]: Washington County    30
      Jefferson County    25
      Franklin County    24
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Jackson County      23
Lincoln County      23
Name: County, dtype: int64
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7. What are the top 5 most populated Counties according to the 2010 Census?

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[8]: # DON'T WRITE HERE
pop.sort_values('2010Census', ascending=False).head()
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	County	State	2010Census	2017PopEstimate
1713	Los Angeles County	California	9818605	10163507
628	Cook County	Illinois	5194675	5211263
1209	Harris County	Texas	4092459	4652980
1784	Maricopa County	Arizona	3817117	4307033
2501	San Diego County	California	3095313	3337685

8. What are the top 5 most populated States according to the 2010 Census?

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[9]: # DON'T WRITE HERE
pop.groupby('State').sum().sort_values('2010Census', ascending=False).head()
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	2010Census	2017PopEstimate
State		
California	37253956	39536653
Texas	25145561	28304596
New York	19378102	19849399
Florida	18801310	20984400
Illinois	12830632	12802023

9. How many Counties have 2010 populations greater than 1 million?

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[10]: # DON'T WRITE HERE
# pop['2010Census'].apply(lambda qty: qty>1000000).value_counts()
sum(pop['2010Census']>1000000)
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10. How many Counties don't have the word "County" in their name?

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[11]: # DON'T WRITE HERE
# pop['County'].apply(lambda name: 'County' not in name).value_counts()
sum(pop['County'].apply(lambda name: 'County' not in name))
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11. Add a column that calculates the percent change between the 2010 Census and the 2017 Population Estimate

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# USE THIS TO SHOW THE RESULT
pop.head()
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[12]: # DON'T WRITE HERE
pop['PercentChange'] = 100*(pop['2017PopEstimate']-pop['2010Census'])/
    ↳pop['2010Census']
pop.head()
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	County	State	2010Census	2017PopEstimate	\
0	Abbeville County	South Carolina	25417	24722	
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	PercentChange
0	-2.734390
1	1.322584
2	-1.866482
3	16.434697
4	-8.174954

Bonus: What States have the highest estimated percent change between the 2010 Census and the 2017 Population Estimate? This will take several lines of code, as it requires a recalculation of PercentChange.

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[13]: # DON'T WRITE HERE
pop2 = pd.DataFrame(pop.groupby('State').sum())
pop2['PercentChange'] = 100*(pop2['2017PopEstimate']-pop2['2010Census'])/
    ↳pop2['2010Census']
pop2.sort_values('PercentChange', ascending=False).head()
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	2010Census	2017PopEstimate	PercentChange
State			

District of Columbia	601723	693972	15.330808
Texas	25145561	28304596	12.562993
North Dakota	672591	755393	12.310899
Utah	2763885	3101833	12.227282
Florida	18801310	20984400	11.611372

2 GREAT JOB!