

Objective: This worksheet focuses on simple operations using **Pandas** series objects.

- Let us define a series data as shown in the table below (units are not shown):

KIA Seltos Car				
Mileage	Engine Displacement	Torque	BHP	Boot Space
18	1493	250	113	433

- This is created in a series object using Pandas:

```
import pandas as pd
kiaSeltos = pd.Series(data = [18, 1493, 250, 113, 433], index = ['mileage', 'engDisp', 'torque', 'bhp', 'boot'])
```

- The different indices' values can be viewed using **loc** and **iloc** as discussed in the previous worksheet:

<code>kiaSeltos.loc['mileage']</code>
18
<code>kiaSeltos.iloc[0]</code>
18

- Notice the subtle difference when the **loc** and **iloc** are used to access the values using range. When range is provided in case of **loc**, both the ends are inclusive. When range is provided in **iloc**, the last end is exclusive.

<code>kiaSeltos.loc['mileage':'boot']</code>
mileage 18
engDisp 1493
torque 250
bhp 113
boot 433
dtype: int64
<code>kiaSeltos.iloc[0:4]</code>
mileage 18
engDisp 1493
torque 250
bhp 113
dtype: int64

All values for 'mileage' to 'boot' are printed.

All values for indices 0 to 3 are printed. 4th value is excluded.

- To demonstrate other operations let us define another series object as per the table below:

Planet Diameters (km)							
Mercury	Earth	Saturn	Mars	Neptune	Jupiter	Venus	Uranus
4879	12742	116460	6779	49244	139820	12104	50724

```
planetDia = pd.Series(data = [4879, 12742, 116460, 6779, 49244, 139820, 12104, 50724],
                      index = ['Mercury', 'Earth', 'Saturn', 'Mars', 'Neptue', 'Jupiter',
                              'Venus', 'Uranus'])
```

- Let us say if we are interested to see only those planets whose diameters are above 15000 km. How can we do that? If we simply execute **planetDia > 15000**, what will happen? A new series is created with Boolean values: False where the planet diameter is ≤ 15000 and True where the planet diameter is > 15000 .

```
planetDia > 15000
```

Mercury	False
Earth	False
Saturn	True
Mars	False
Neptue	True
Jupiter	True
Venus	False
Uranus	True

dtype: bool

- This operation sounds useful, but how the list of planets can be obtained whose diameters are > 15000 ? The above conditional expression can be used as index for the series object to filter the data as shown below. This operation is used extensively in data science for conditional filtering.

```
planetDia [planetDia > 15000]
```

Saturn	116460
Neptue	49244
Jupiter	139820
Uranus	50724

dtype: int64

- More complex filtering can also be done. For example getting the planets whose diameters are more 15000 but less than 100000:

```
planetDia [(planetDia > 15000) & (planetDia < 100000)]
```

Neptue	49244
Uranus	50724

dtype: int64

- Remember that the above two examples show conditional filtering. There will be no change in the content of original series planetDia.
- Scalar broadcasting operation will also work as it happens in NumPy. Let us say, the diameter are to be represented in the units of 1000 km. Now, all the data values are to be divided by 1000. This can be done simply by planetDia/1000 as shown below. Note that data type is also changed to float.

```
planetDia/1000
```

```
Mercury      4.879
Earth        12.742
Saturn       116.460
Mars         6.779
Neptue       49.244
Jupiter     139.820
Venus        12.104
Uranus       50.724
dtype: float64
```

- Since Pandas is built over NumPy, NumPy mathematical operations can also be directly used over Pandas objects. The min, max and mean of the diameters can be calculated as shown below using NumPy methods:

```
import numpy as np
print (np.min(planetDia))
print (np.max(planetDia))
print (np.mean(planetDia))
```

```
4879
139820
49094.0
```

- Let us take another example where two bags are filled with different vegetables.

Weights in kg					
	Potato	Tomato	Cabbage	Radish	Turnip
Bag-1	2	1	3		3
Bag-2		2		4	

- Let us create two Pandas series objects from this data.

```
bag1 = pd.Series(data = [2, 1, 3, 3], index = ['potato', 'tomato', 'cabbage', 'turnip'])
bag2 = pd.Series(data = [2, 4], index = ['tomato', 'radish'])
```

- These series do not include which those respective bags do not carry. So can these two objects be added? If yes, what would be the result?
- Since only Tomato is the common vegetable, its weights are added and other values are reported as NaN (Not a Number). The reason is because addition cannot be performed with the non-existent data.

```
bag1+bag2
```

```
cabbage      NaN
potato       NaN
radish       NaN
tomato        3.0
turnip       NaN
dtype: float64
```

- `isnull()` is a function in Pandas that returns boolean values showing what all is null and what all is not.

```
newBag = bag1 + bag2
pd.isnull(newBag)

cabbage      True
potato       True
radish       True
tomato       False
turnip       True
dtype: bool
```

- Conditional filtering can be done using `isnull()` function and NOT operator which is the tilde (~) as shown below:

```
newBag[~pd.isnull(newBag)]

tomato      3.0
dtype: float64
```

- The above statement attempts to print only those values in the newBag series object which are not null.
- New values with indices can also be added and dropped as shown below. To drop the function `drop()` is used.

```
planetDia['Moon'] = 3474
planetDia

Mercury      4879
Earth       12742
Saturn     116460
Mars        6779
Neptue      49244
Jupiter    139820
Venus       12104
Uranus      50724
Moon        3474
dtype: int64

planetDia.drop('Moon')

Mercury      4879
Earth       12742
Saturn     116460
Mars        6779
Neptue      49244
Jupiter    139820
Venus       12104
Uranus      50724
dtype: int64
```

Exercise:

1. Find the mass (M) in kg for the planets shown in the above examples through online search and assuming these planets as sphere, calculate the densities of each planet. Volume (V) of a sphere of radius (r) can be calculated as: $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$. $Density = \frac{mass}{volume}$.

2. Prepare a dictionary of 10^6 elements, repeatedly filled with the values 0 to 99. Now take an array of 100 random elements from 0 to 99. Prepare a Pandas series object also from this dictionary.
 - i. Which is faster to search all elements of the array? Dictionary or Series?
 - ii. Which is faster to sum all elements? Dictionary or Series? (Note: NumPy sum() function can be used with the series object but not on dictionary)