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Pandas Basics Cheat Sheet

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Pandas

The **Pandas** library is built on NumPy and provides easy-to-use **data structures** and **data analysis** tools for the Python programming language.

Use the following import convention:

```
>>> import pandas as pd
```

> Pandas Data Structures

Series

A **one-dimensional** labeled array capable of holding any data type

Index →

a	3
b	-5
c	7
d	4

```
>>> s = pd.Series([3, -5, 7, 4], index=['a', 'b', 'c', 'd'])
```

Dataframe

A **two-dimensional** labeled data structure with columns of potentially different types

Columns →

Index →	Country	Capital	Population
0	Belgium	Brussels	11190846
1	India	New Delhi	1303171035
2	Brazil	Brasilia	207847528

```
>>> data = {'Country': ['Belgium', 'India', 'Brazil'],
            'Capital': ['Brussels', 'New Delhi', 'Brasília'],
            'Population': [11190846, 1303171035, 207847528]}
>>> df = pd.DataFrame(data,
                      columns=['Country', 'Capital', 'Population'])
```

> Dropping

```
>>> s.drop(['a', 'c']) #Drop values from rows (axis=0)
>>> df.drop('Country', axis=1) #Drop values from columns(axis=1)
```

> Asking For Help

```
>>> help(pd.Series.loc)
```

> Sort & Rank

```
>>> df.sort_index() #Sort by labels along an axis
>>> df.sort_values(by='Country') #Sort by the values along an axis
>>> df.rank() #Assign ranks to entries
```

> I/O

Read and Write to CSV

```
>>> pd.read_csv('file.csv', header=None, nrows=5)
>>> df.to_csv('myDataFrame.csv')
```

Read and Write to Excel

```
>>> pd.read_excel('file.xlsx')
>>> df.to_excel('dir/myDataFrame.xlsx', sheet_name='Sheet1')
```

Read multiple sheets from the same file

```
>>> xlsx = pd.ExcelFile('file.xls')
>>> df = pd.read_excel(xlsx, 'Sheet1')
```

Read and Write to SQL Query or Database Table

```
>>> from sqlalchemy import create_engine
>>> engine = create_engine('sqlite:///:memory:')
>>> pd.read_sql("SELECT * FROM my_table;", engine)
>>> pd.read_sql_table('my_table', engine)
>>> pd.read_sql_query("SELECT * FROM my_table;", engine)
```

read_sql() **is a convenience wrapper around** read_sql_table() **and** read_sql_query()

```
>>> df.to_sql('myDf', engine)
```

> Selection

Also see NumPy Arrays

Getting

```
>>> s['b'] #Get one element
 -5
>>> df[1:] #Get subset of a DataFrame
   Country Capital Population
 1 India New Delhi 1303171035
 2 Brazil Brasília 207847528
```

Selecting, Boolean Indexing & Setting

By Position

```
>>> df.iloc[[0],[0]] #Select single value by row & column
 'Belgium'
>>> df.iat([0],[0])
 'Belgium'
```

By Label

```
>>> df.loc[[0], ['Country']] #Select single value by row & column labels
 'Belgium'
>>> df.at([0], ['Country'])
 'Belgium'
```

By Label/Position

```
>>> df.ix[2] #Select single row of subset of rows
 Country Brazil
 Capital Brasília
 Population 207847528
>>> df.ix[:,'Capital'] #Select a single column of subset of columns
 0 Brussels
 1 New Delhi
 2 Brasília
>>> df.ix[1,'Capital'] #Select rows and columns
 'New Delhi'
```

Boolean Indexing

```
>>> s[~(s > 1)] #Series s where value is not >1
>>> s[(s < -1) | (s > 2)] #s where value is <-1 or >2
>>> df[df['Population']>1200000000] #Use filter to adjust DataFrame
```

Setting

```
>>> s['a'] = 6 #Set index a of Series s to 6
```

> Retrieving Series/DataFrame Information

Basic Information

```
>>> df.shape #(rows,columns)
>>> df.index #Describe index
>>> df.columns #Describe DataFrame columns
>>> df.info() #Info on DataFrame
>>> df.count() #Number of non-NA values
```

Summary

```
>>> df.sum() #Sum of values
>>> df.cumsum() #Cummulative sum of values
>>> df.min()/df.max() #Minimum/maximum values
>>> df.idxmin()/df.idxmax() #Minimum/Maximum index value
>>> df.describe() #Summary statistics
>>> df.mean() #Mean of values
>>> df.median() #Median of values
```

> Applying Functions

```
>>> f = lambda x: x*2
>>> df.apply(f) #Apply function
>>> df.applymap(f) #Apply function element-wise
```

> Data Alignment

Internal Data Alignment

NA values are introduced in the indices that don't overlap:

```
>>> s3 = pd.Series([7, -2, 3], index=['a', 'c', 'd'])
>>> s + s3
 a 10.0
 b NaN
 c 5.0
 d 7.0
```

Arithmetic Operations with Fill Methods

You can also do the internal data alignment yourself with the help of the fill methods:

```
>>> s.add(s3, fill_values=0)
 a 10.0
 b -5.0
 c 5.0
 d 7.0
>>> s.sub(s3, fill_value=2)
>>> s.div(s3, fill_value=4)
>>> s.mul(s3, fill_value=3)
```

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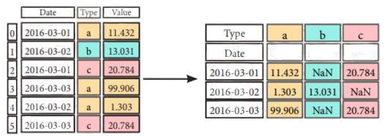
> Reshaping Data

Pivot

```
>>> df3= df2.pivot(index='Date', #Spread rows into columns
                   columns='Type',
                   values='Value')
```

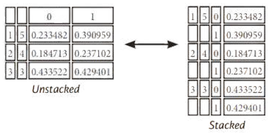


Pivot Table

```
>>> df4 = pd.pivot_table(df2, #Spread rows into
                         columns values='Value',
                         index='Date',
                         columns='Type'])
```

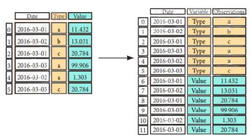
Stack / Unstack

```
>>> stacked = df5.stack() #Pivot a level of column labels
>>> stacked.unstack() #Pivot a level of index labels
```



Melt

```
>>> pd.melt(df2, #Gather columns into rows
            id_vars=["Date"],
            value_vars=["Type", "Value"],
            value_name="Observations")
```



> Iteration

```
>>> df.iteritems() #(Column-index, Series) pairs
>>> df.iterrows() #(Row-index, Series) pairs
```

> Missing Data

```
>>> df.dropna() #Drop NaN values
>>> df3.fillna(df3.mean()) #Fill NaN values with a predetermined value
>>> df2.replace("a", "f") #Replace values with others
```

> Advanced Indexing

Also see NumPy Arrays

Selecting

```
>>> df3.loc[:,(df3>1).any()] #Select cols with any vals >1
>>> df3.loc[:,(df3>1).all()] #Select cols with vals > 1
>>> df3.loc[:,df3.isnull().any()] #Select cols with NaN
>>> df3.loc[:,df3.notnull().all()] #Select cols without NaN
```

Indexing With `isin()`

```
>>> df[(df.Country.isin(df2.Type))] #Find same elements
>>> df3.filter(items="a","b"]) #Filter on values
>>> df.select(lambda x: not x%5) #Select specific elements
```

Where

```
>>> s.where(s > 0) #Subset the data
```

Query

```
>>> df6.query('second > first') #Query DataFrame
```

Setting/Resetting Index

```
>>> df.set_index('Country') #Set the index
>>> df4 = df.reset_index() #Reset the index
>>> df = df.rename(index=str, #Rename
                   DataFrame columns={"Country":"cntry",
                                      "Capital":"cptl",
                                      "Population":"ppltn"})
```

Reindexing

```
>>> s2 = s.reindex(['a','c','d','e','b'])
```

Forward Filling

```
>>> df.reindex(range(4),
               method='ffill')
```

```
   Country    Capital      Population
0 Belgium    Brussels     11190846
1 India      New Delhi    1303171035
2 Brazil     Brasília     207847528
3 Brazil     Brasília     207847528
```

Backward Filling

```
>>> s3 = s.reindex(range(5),
                   method='bfill')
```

```
0    3
1    3
2    3
3    3
4    3
```

MultiIndexing

```
>>> arrays = [np.array([1,2,3]),
              np.array([5,4,3])]
>>> df5 = pd.DataFrame(np.random.rand(3, 2), index=arrays)
>>> tuples = list(zip(*arrays))
>>> index = pd.MultiIndex.from_tuples(tuples,
                                      names=['first', 'second'])
>>> df6 = pd.DataFrame(np.random.rand(3, 2), index=index)
>>> df2.set_index(["Date", "Type"])
```

> Duplicate Data

```
>>> s3.unique() #Return unique values
>>> df2.duplicated('Type') #Check duplicates
>>> df2.drop_duplicates('Type', keep='last') #Drop duplicates
>>> df.index.duplicated() #Check index duplicates
```

> Grouping Data

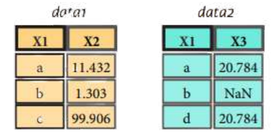
Aggregation

```
>>> df2.groupby(by=['Date','Type']).mean()
>>> df4.groupby(level=0).sum()
>>> df4.groupby(level=0).agg({'a':lambda x:sum(x)/len(x), 'b': np.sum})
```

Transformation

```
>>> customSum = lambda x: (x+x%2)
>>> df4.groupby(level=0).transform(customSum)
```

> Combining Data



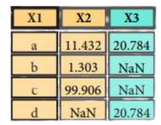
Merge

```
>>> pd.merge(data1,
             data2,
             how='left',
             on='X1')
```


```
>>> pd.merge(data1,
             data2,
             how='right',
             on='X1')
```


```
>>> pd.merge(data1,
             data2,
             how='inner',
             on='X1')
```


```
>>> pd.merge(data1,
             data2,
             how='outer',
             on='X1')
```



Join

```
>>> data1.join(data2, how='right')
```

Concatenate

Vertical

```
>>> s.append(s2)
```

Horizontal/Vertical

```
>>> pd.concat([s,s2],axis=1, keys=['One','Two'])
>>> pd.concat([data1, data2], axis=1, join='inner')
```

> Dates

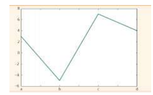
```
>>> df2['Date']= pd.to_datetime(df2['Date'])
>>> df2['Date']= pd.date_range('2000-1-1',
                               periods=6,
                               freq='M')
>>> dates = [datetime(2012,5,1), datetime(2012,5,2)]
>>> index = pd.DatetimeIndex(dates)
>>> index = pd.date_range(datetime(2012,2,1), end, freq='BM')
```

> Visualization

Also see Matplotlib

```
>>> import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

```
>>> s.plot()
>>> plt.show()
```



```
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>>> plt.show()
```