# Filtering joins JOINING DATA WITH PANDAS



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# Mutating versus filtering joins

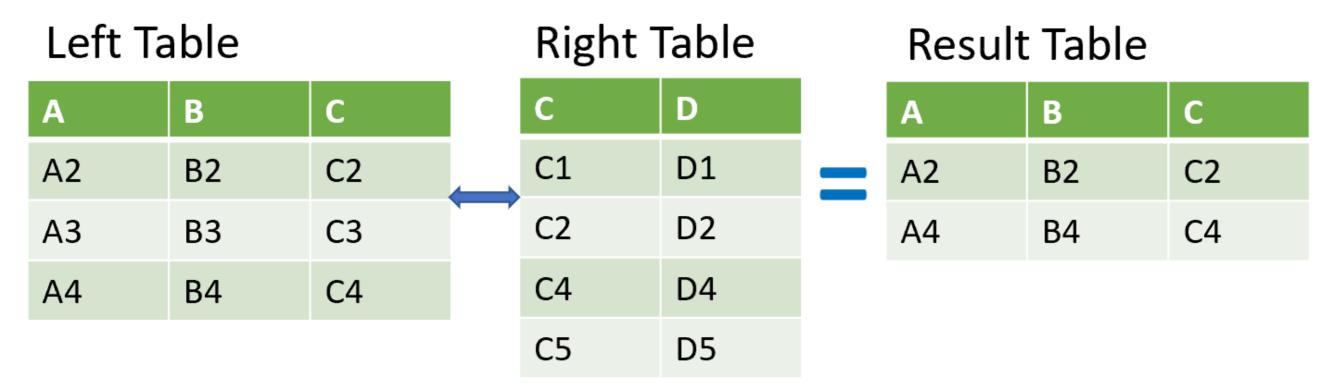
#### Mutating joins:

Combines data from two tables based on matching observations in both tables

#### Filtering joins:

• Filter observations from table based on whether or not they match an observation in another table

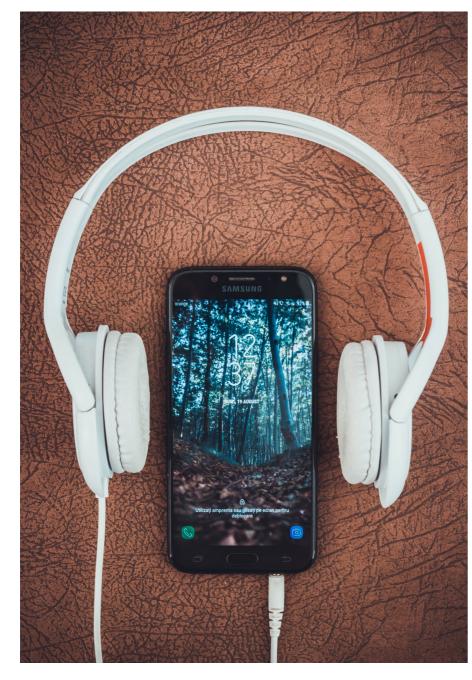
# What is a semi join?



#### Semi joins

- Returns the intersection, similar to an inner join
- Returns only columns from the left table and not the right
- No duplicates

#### Musical dataset



<sup>1</sup> Photo by Vlad Bagacian from Pexels



# **Example datasets**

```
gid name
0 1 Rock
1 2 Jazz
2 3 Metal
3 4 Alternative ...
4 5 Rock And Roll
```

```
tid
                         mtid
                                                  u_price
                     aid
                              gid
                                   composer
      name
0 1
      For Those Ab... 1
                                   Angus Young,...
                                                  0.99
      Balls to the... 2 2
                                                  0.99
                                   nan
2 3
      Fast As a Shark 3 2
                            1 F. Baltes, S... 0.99
      Restless and... 3 2
3 4
                            1 F. Baltes, R... 0.99
4 5
      Princess of ... 3
                                   Deaffy & R.A... 0.99
```

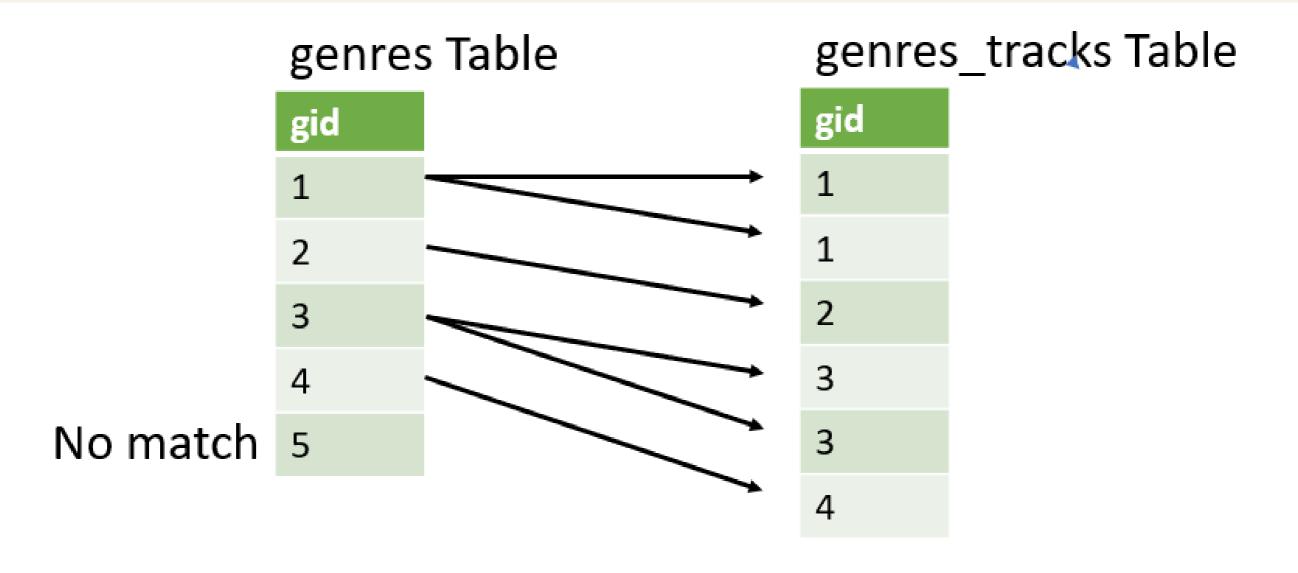
# Step 1 - semi join

```
genres_tracks = genres.merge(top_tracks, on='gid')
print(genres_tracks.head())
```

```
gid
                                     aid mtid
                                                composer
                                                                u_price
      name_x
              tid
                    name_y
0 1
              2260
                    Don't Stop M... 185 1
                                                Mercury, Fre...
      Rock
                                                                0.99
                                                                0.99
              2933
                    Mysterious Ways
                                                U2
1 1
      Rock
                                     232 1
2 1
                    Speed Of Light
                                                Billy Duffy/...
              2618
                                     212
                                                                0.99
      Rock
3 1
                    When Love Co...
                                                Bono/Clayton...
      Rock
              2998
                                     237 1
                                                                0.99
4 1
                    Who'll Stop ... 54 1
                                                J. C. Fogerty
                                                                0.99
      Rock
              685
```

# Step 2 - semi join

```
genres['gid'].isin(genres_tracks['gid'])
```



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```

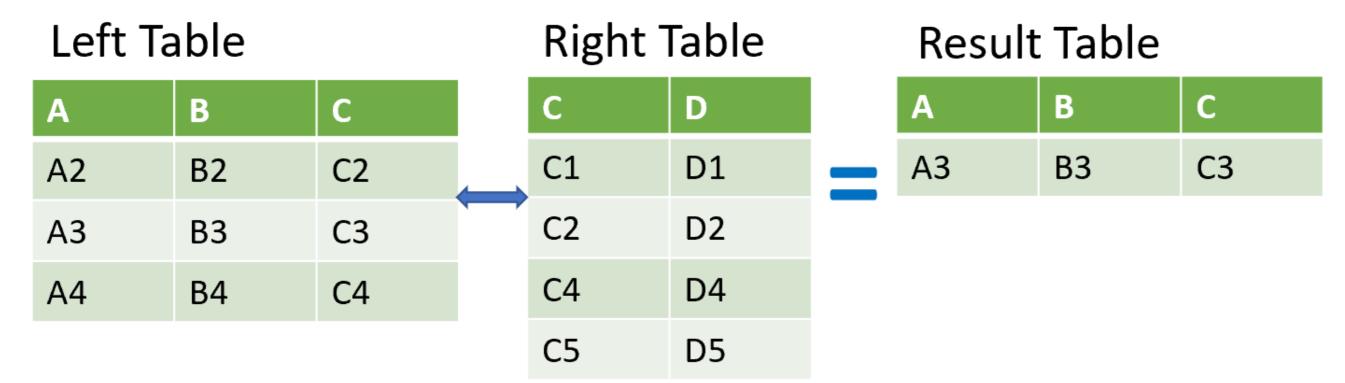
```
0 True
1 True
2 True
3 True
4 False
Name: gid, dtype: bool
```

# Step 3 - semi join

```
genres_tracks = genres.merge(top_tracks, on='gid')
top_genres = genres[genres['gid'].isin(genres_tracks['gid'])]
print(top_genres.head())
```

```
gid name
0 1 Rock
1 2 Jazz
2 3 Metal
3 4 Alternative & Punk
4 6 Blues
```

# What is an anti join?



#### Anti join:

- Returns the left table, excluding the intersection
- Returns only columns from the left table and not the right

# Step 1 - anti join

```
genres_tracks = genres.merge(top_tracks, on='gid', how='left', indicator=True)
print(genres_tracks.head())
```

	gid	name_x	tid	name_y	aid	mtid	composer	u_price	_merge
0	1	Rock	2260.0	Don't Stop M	185.0	1.0	Mercury, Fre	0.99	both
1	. 1	Rock	2933.0	Mysterious Ways	232.0	1.0	U2	0.99	both
2	2 1	Rock	2618.0	Speed Of Light	212.0	1.0	Billy Duffy/	0.99	both
3	5 1	Rock	2998.0	When Love Co	237.0	1.0	Bono/Clayton	0.99	both
4	i 5	Rock And Roll	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	left_only

## Step 2 - anti join

```
gid_list = genres_tracks.loc[genres_tracks['_merge'] == 'left_only', 'gid']
print(gid_list.head())
```

```
23 5
34 9
36 11
37 12
38 13
Name: gid, dtype: int64
```

# Step 3 - anti join

```
genres_tracks = genres.merge(top_tracks, on='gid', how='left', indicator=True)
gid_list = genres_tracks.loc[genres_tracks['_merge'] == 'left_only','gid']
non_top_genres = genres[genres['gid'].isin(gid_list)]
print(non_top_genres.head())
```

```
gid name

0 5 Rock And Roll

1 9 Pop

2 11 Bossa Nova

3 12 Easy Listening

4 13 Heavy Metal
```

# Let's practice!

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# Concatenate DataFrames together vertically

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# Concatenate two tables vertically

A	В	С
A1	B1	C1
A2	B2	C2
A3	В3	C3



A	В	С
A4	B4	C4
A5	B5	C5
A6	B6	C6

- pandas .concat() method can concatenate both vertical and horizontal.
  - axis=0, vertical

#### **Basic concatenation**

- 3 different tables
- Same column names
- Table variable names:

```
o inv_jan (top)
```

- o inv\_feb (middle)
- o inv\_mar (bottom)

```
iid
       cid
            invoice_date
                          total
                          1.98
0 1
       2
            2009-01-01
                          3.96
1 2
       4
            2009-01-02
2 3
            2009-01-03
                          5.94
       8
```

```
cid
            invoice_date
  iid
                           total
0 7
       38
            2009-02-01
                          1.98
            2009-02-01
1 8
       40
                          1.98
2 9
       42
            2009-02-02
                          3.96
```

```
invoice_date
       cid
                           total
  iid
0 14
       17
            2009-03-04
                          1.98
1 15
            2009-03-04
                          1.98
       19
            2009-03-05
2 16
       21
                          3.96
```

#### **Basic concatenation**

```
pd.concat([inv_jan, inv_feb, inv_mar])
```

```
invoice_date
  iid
       cid
                          total
             2009-01-01
                           1.98
0
            2009-01-02
                          3.96
  3
            2009-01-03
                           5.94
0
             2009-02-01
       38
                          1.98
  8
            2009-02-01
                          1.98
       40
            2009-02-02
                          3.96
            2009-03-04
  14
                          1.98
  15
            2009-03-04
                          1.98
  16
            2009-03-05
       21
                           3.96
```

# Ignoring the index

```
invoice_date
   iid
        cid
                            total
        2
0
             2009-01-01
                            1.98
        4
             2009-01-02
                            3.96
  3
        8
             2009-01-03
                            5.94
3
             2009-02-01
        38
                            1.98
4
  8
        40
             2009-02-01
                            1.98
             2009-02-02
        42
                            3.96
             2009-03-04
   14
        17
                            1.98
   15
        19
             2009-03-04
                            1.98
   16
        21
             2009-03-05
                            3.96
```

# Setting labels to original tables

		iid	cid	invoice_date	total
jan	0	1	2	2009-01-01	1.98
	1	2	4	2009-01-02	3.96
	2	3	8	2009-01-03	5.94
feb	0	7	38	2009-02-01	1.98
	1	8	40	2009-02-01	1.98
	2	9	42	2009-02-02	3.96
mar	0	14	17	2009-03-04	1.98
	1	15	19	2009-03-04	1.98
	2	16	21	2009-03-05	3.96

#### Concatenate tables with different column names

Table: inv\_jan

```
iid cid invoice_date total
0 1 2 2009-01-01 1.98
1 2 4 2009-01-02 3.96
2 3 8 2009-01-03 5.94
```

Table: inv\_feb

```
iid
       cid
            invoice_date
                           total
                                  bill_ctry
0 7
            2009-02-01
                           1.98
                                  Germany
       38
1 8
       40
            2009-02-01
                           1.98
                                  France
       42
2 9
            2009-02-02
                           3.96
                                  France
```

#### Concatenate tables with different column names

	bill_ctry	cid	iid	invoice_date	total
0	NaN	2	1	2009-01-01	1.98
1	NaN	4	2	2009-01-02	3.96
2	NaN	8	3	2009-01-03	5.94
0	Germany	38	7	2009-02-01	1.98
1	France	40	8	2009-02-01	1.98
2	France	42	9	2009-02-02	3.96

#### Concatenate tables with different column names

```
iid
         invoice_date
    cid
                       total
         2009-01-01
                       1.98
         2009-01-02
                       3.96
         2009-01-03
                       5.94
         2009-02-01
                       1.98
    38
         2009-02-01
                      1.98
8
    40
    42
         2009-02-02
                       3.96
```

# Using append method

#### .append()

- Simplified version of the .concat() method
- Supports: ignore\_index, and sort
- Does Not Support: keys and join
  - Always join = outer

### Append these tables

```
iid cid invoice_date total
0 1 2 2009-01-01 1.98
1 2 4 2009-01-02 3.96
2 3 8 2009-01-03 5.94
```

```
invoice_date
  iid
       cid
                           total
                                  bill_ctry
0 7
       38
            2009-02-01
                           1.98
                                  Germany
1 8
       40
            2009-02-01
                          1.98
                                  France
       42
            2009-02-02
2 9
                                  France
                           3.96
```

```
iid
       cid
            invoice_date
                           total
            2009-03-04
0 14
       17
                          1.98
1 15
       19
            2009-03-04
                          1.98
2 16
       21
            2009-03-05
                           3.96
```

# Append the tables

	bill_ctry	cid	iid	invoice_date	total
0	NaN	2	1	2009-01-01	1.98
1	NaN	4	2	2009-01-02	3.96
2	NaN	8	3	2009-01-03	5.94
3	Germany	38	7	2009-02-01	1.98
4	France	40	8	2009-02-01	1.98
5	France	42	9	2009-02-02	3.96
6	NaN	17	14	2009-03-04	1.98
7	NaN	19	15	2009-03-04	1.98
8	NaN	21	16	2009-03-05	3.96

# Let's practice!

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# Verifying integrity

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#### Let's check our data

Possible merging issue:

Α	В	С		С	D
A1	B1	C1		C1	D1
A2	B2	C2	_	C1	D2
А3	В3	C3		C1	D3
				C2	D4

- Unintentional one-to-many relationship
- Unintentional many-to-many relationship

Possible concatenating issue:

A	В	С			
A1	B1	C1			
A2	B2	C2			
A3	В3	C3			
	1				
Α	В	С			
A3 (duplicate)	B3 (duplicate)	C3 (duplicate)			
A4	B4	C4			
A5	B5	C5			

Duplicate records possibly unintentionally introduced

# Validating merges

```
.merge(validate=None):
```

- Checks if merge is of specified type
- 'one\_to\_one'
- 'one\_to\_many'
- 'many\_to\_one'
- 'many\_to\_many'

# Merge dataset for example

Table Name: tracks

```
tid name aid mtid gid u_price
0 2 Balls to the... 2 2 1 0.99
1 3 Fast As a Shark 3 2 1 0.99
2 4 Restless and... 3 2 1 0.99
```

Table Name: specs

```
tid milliseconds bytes
0 2 342562 5510424
1 3 230619 3990994
2 2 252051 4331779
```

## Merge validate: one\_to\_one

```
Traceback (most recent call last):
MergeError: Merge keys are not unique in right dataset; not a one-to-one merge
```

## Merge validate: one\_to\_many

```
title
                                                       u_price
 aid
                    artid
                           tid
                                              mtid
                                                   gid
                               name
0 2
      Balls to the... 2
                               Balls to the... 2
                                                       0.99
     Restless and... 2
                          3 Fast As a Shark 2
                                                       0.99
      Restless and... 2
                               Restless and... 2
                                                       0.99
```

# Verifying concatenations

```
.concat(verify_integrity=False):
```

- Check whether the new concatenated index contains duplicates
- Default value is False

# Dataset for .concat() example

Table Name: inv\_feb Table Name: inv\_mar

	cid	invoice_date	total
iid			
7	38	2009-02-01	1.98
8	40	2009-02-01	1.98
9	42	2009-02-02	3.96

# Verifying concatenation: example

```
Traceback (most recent call last):
ValueError: Indexes have overlapping
values: Int64Index([9], dtype='int64',
name='iid')
```

```
invoice_date total
    cid
iid
         2009-02-01
    38
                       1.98
         2009-02-01
                       1.98
8
     40
         2009-02-02
                       3.96
    42
         2009-03-04
9
    17
                       1.98
         2009-03-04
15
    19
                       1.98
16
     21
         2009-03-05
                       3.96
```

# Why verify integrity and what to do

#### Why:

Real world data is often NOT clean

What to do:

- Fix incorrect data
- Drop duplicate rows

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