- -> notebooks from this lecture: https://github.com/ine-rmotr-curriculum/freecodecamp-intro-to-pandas
- · -> dataframes

-> it looks like an excel table

- -> it's common to create pandas tables out of CSV files
- -> columns and rows of values
- -> a dataframe column will be a series

-> the info method <- methods for dataframes

- -> for information about the structure of the data frame
- -> what columns you have, population, gdp, surface area, the continent
- -> how many null values you have
- -> the size / shape of the dataframe

· -> the describe method

- -> for summary statistics
- -> for each numeric column, there are summary statistics for them
- -> the minimum, maximum, standard deviations

· -> in the info method

- -> the columns have associated types
- -> floats, integers
- -> the correct type is recognised and automatically assigned to the columns

-> to select data from series

- -> df.loc <- this attribute lets you select individual rows
 - -> selecting by index using the loc attribute
- -> .iloc <- to select the row by sequential position</p>
 - -> if you want to select the last row, for example
- -> df. column_name <- give me the column name</p>
- -> one gives you an element by index, the other gives you the element by position
- -> the results are all series that are being returned

-> for the last example

- -> there are the elements returned
- -> if you ask for a row, then the result will also be a series
- -> but in the dataset you are asking for it from its a row and in the result returned we have a transposed column
- -> if the index is numeric

· -> others

- -> df.size <- rows by columns</p>
- -> df.shape
- -> df.describe <- summary statistics -> median, mean, standard deviation
- -> df.types <- e.g the continent being an object
 - -> int64 is a type
- -> you can also check value counts
- -> you can also select the last row by index

-> df['Population'] <- select the entire column called population

- -> .loc <- by index</p>
- -> .iloc <- by position</p>
- -> this method is the entire column
- -> all the results are series
 - -> this is what we saw before
- -> the result is a series
 - -> it extracts, for example, an entire row from the data frame
 - -> that as a series
- -> you can use iloc to return the data from one row to another row, using :
- -> then from icloc, you can use slicing sequentially -> for example df.iloc[1:3]

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    -> you can also select entire columns from the dataframe
    -> question
    What will the following code print out?
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import pandas as pd
certificates_earned = pd.DataFrame({
   'Certificates': [8, 2, 5, 6],
  'Time (in months)': [16, 5, 9, 12]
})
certificates_earned.index = ['Tom', 'Kris', 'Ahmad', 'Beau']
print(certificates_earned.iloc[2])
Tom
        16
Kris
        5
Ahmad
          9
Beau
        12
Name: Time (in months), dtype: int64
Certificates
Time (in months)
                  12
Name: Beau, dtype: int64
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Certificates

Time (in months) 9

Name: Ahmad, dtype: int64 <- This one