

covid19_vacc_prog

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1 World Vaccination Progress EDA

Okay, we have a vaccine; that's exciting news! But how are we doing? Is the vaccination progressing quick enough? This lecture, we will explore a dataset downloaded from kaggle, you can follow [this link](#) to learn more about this dataset. The dataset is collected by the organization [Our World in Data](#) that publish papers about solutions to world issues.

```
[1]: # list of imports
import scipy as sp
import numpy as np
import warnings
warnings.simplefilter(action='ignore', category=FutureWarning)

import pandas as pd
import datascience
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline
from datascience import Table
import seaborn as sns
```

We very briefly walked through how to interact with an API (it's very simple!) If you are interested, you can look at more in the official [github](#) page: <https://github.com/Kaggle/kaggle-api>

```
[2]: # kaggle API
! kaggle datasets list -s "covid vaccination" --sort-by 'hottest' | head -10
```

| ref | title | | | |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------|
| size | lastUpdated | downloadCount | voteCount | usabilityRating |
| gpreda/covid-world-vaccination-progress | COVID-19 World Vaccination | | | |
| Progress | 101KB 2021-03-01 08:15:06 | 19482 | 888 | 1.0 |
| fedesoriano/coronavirus-covid19-vaccinations-data | COVID-19 World Vaccination | | | |
| Progress Data | 3MB 2021-01-27 06:37:50 | 186 | 7 | 1.0 |
| keplaxo/twitter-vaccination-dataset | Twitter Vaccination Dataset | | | |
| 305MB 2020-04-15 17:33:37 | 346 | 13 | 0.9411765 | |
| padmajabuggaveeti/covid-vaccination-dataset-2021 | COVID VACCINATION DATASET - | | | |
| 2021 | 29KB 2021-01-27 11:04:44 | 75 | 5 | |

```

0.5882353
mpwolke/cusersmarildownloads vaccinationcsv      Covid-19 Vaccination Doses
Administered          681B 2020-12-28 21:06:44           7      2 1.0
teesoong/covid-vaccination-forecast      Covid Vaccination forecast
2KB 2021-02-27 14:33:03          10      2 0.47058824
alechelyar/facebook-antivaccination-dataset      Facebook Anti-Vaccination
Dataset            53MB 2019-04-02 17:24:22          206      8
0.3529412
rtatman/animal-bites      Animal Bites
95KB 2017-09-15 17:21:38          3496      60 0.85294116

```

[4]: # find the files in dataset
! kaggle datasets files gpreda/covid-world-vaccination-progress -v

[7]: # download the file in csv format
! kaggle datasets download -f country_vaccinations.csv -p "./data" gpreda/
↳ covid-world-vaccination-progress
! echo ">>> check if data is there"
! ls "./data"

```

country_vaccinations.csv: Skipping, found more recently modified local copy (use
--force to force download)
>>> check if data is there
country_vaccinations.csv

```

Data wrangling and EDA are the most initial steps in our data science lifecycle. Most often than not in research, the data is newly collected or simulated; no one has had time to write up extensive descriptions of the data. Therefore, an important step is getting to know our data.

[9]: # read data in
path = "./data/"
filename = "country_vaccinations.csv"
read_path = path + filename
vax = pd.read_csv(read_path)
what columns does it have
what are data types
vax.dtypes

| | |
|-------------------------|---------|
| country | object |
| iso_code | object |
| date | object |
| total_vaccinations | float64 |
| people_vaccinated | float64 |
| people_fully_vaccinated | float64 |
| daily_vaccinations_raw | float64 |

```

daily_vaccinations           float64
total_vaccinations_per_hundred float64
people_vaccinated_per_hundred float64
people_fully_vaccinated_per_hundred float64
daily_vaccinations_per_million float64
vaccines                      object
source_name                    object
source_website                 object
dtype: object

```

Now that we have the data, let's load it in and look at what it has to offer. To learn more about this dataset, it is often helpful to look at its README file or just directly go to kaggle and read the descriptions. <https://www.kaggle.com/gpreda/covid-world-vaccination-progress>

The description of columns is usually called a **data dictionary**. By reading the documentation we learn that this data is directly sourced from John Hopkins University: <https://github.com/owid/covid-19-data/tree/master/public/data>. This is sometimes important to know because different organizations, institutions, or even individuals often collect and record data following different conventions (how are NA values represented, how are categorical values stored, etc.). You can explore the data source's description a little more closely: <https://ourworldindata.org/coronavirus-source-data>.

```
[10]: # how much space does this dataset take?
display(vax.memory_usage())
# how many kilobytes?
print("{} kB".format(np.round(vax.memory_usage().sum()/2**10, 2)))
```

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Index | 128 |
| country | 35480 |
| iso_code | 35480 |
| date | 35480 |
| total_vaccinations | 35480 |
| people_vaccinated | 35480 |
| people_fully_vaccinated | 35480 |
| daily_vaccinations_raw | 35480 |
| daily_vaccinations | 35480 |
| total_vaccinations_per_hundred | 35480 |
| people_vaccinated_per_hundred | 35480 |
| people_fully_vaccinated_per_hundred | 35480 |
| daily_vaccinations_per_million | 35480 |
| vaccines | 35480 |
| source_name | 35480 |
| source_website | 35480 |
| dtype: int64 | |

519.85 kB

A more comprehensive description of the data types is `df.info` function.

```
[11]: vax.info();
# vax.dim, vix.shape, vix.dtypes
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 4435 entries, 0 to 4434
Data columns (total 15 columns):
country                               4435 non-null object
iso_code                             4131 non-null object
date                                 4435 non-null object
total_vaccinations                   2916 non-null float64
people_vaccinated                    2483 non-null float64
people_fully_vaccinated              1662 non-null float64
daily_vaccinations_raw               2467 non-null float64
daily_vaccinations                  4281 non-null float64
total_vaccinations_per_hundred      2916 non-null float64
people_vaccinated_per_hundred       2483 non-null float64
people_fully_vaccinated_per_hundred 1662 non-null float64
daily_vaccinations_per_million     4281 non-null float64
vaccines                             4435 non-null object
source_name                           4435 non-null object
source_website                        4435 non-null object
dtypes: float64(9), object(6)
memory usage: 519.9+ KB
```

```
'b'        boolean 'i'        (signed) integer 'u'        unsigned integer 'f'
floating-point 'c'        complex-floating point 'O'        (Python) objects 'S',
'a'        (byte-)string 'U'        Unicode 'V'        raw data (void)
```

```
[13]: # what are these "object" values, let's look at "country" for example
countries = vax['country']
countries.dtype # probably not very helpful
```

```
[13]: dtype('O')
```

```
[14]: type(countries[0])
```

```
[14]: str
```

Now that we know what the columns are and (roughly) what they represent, let's also look at the table as a whole.

1.0.1 Q: What is the granularity of this dataset?

Discussion: Is it better to have more granularity, or less granularity?

```
[15]: vax.head()
```

```
[15]:    country iso_code      date  total_vaccinations  people_vaccinated \
0  Albania     ALB  2021-01-10                  0.0                  0.0
1  Albania     ALB  2021-01-11                  NaN                  NaN
2  Albania     ALB  2021-01-12                 128.0                 128.0
3  Albania     ALB  2021-01-13                 188.0                 188.0
4  Albania     ALB  2021-01-14                 266.0                 266.0

   people_fully_vaccinated  daily_vaccinations_raw  daily_vaccinations \
0                      NaN                  NaN                  NaN
1                      NaN                  NaN                 64.0
2                      NaN                  NaN                 64.0
3                      NaN                  60.0                 63.0
4                      NaN                  78.0                 66.0

   total_vaccinations_per_hundred  people_vaccinated_per_hundred \
0                     0.00                  0.00
1                     NaN                  NaN
2                     0.00                  0.00
3                     0.01                  0.01
4                     0.01                  0.01

   people_fully_vaccinated_per_hundred  daily_vaccinations_per_million \
0                           NaN                  NaN
1                           NaN                 22.0
2                           NaN                 22.0
3                           NaN                 22.0
4                           NaN                 23.0

   vaccines      source_name \
0 Pfizer/BioNTech  Ministry of Health
1 Pfizer/BioNTech  Ministry of Health
2 Pfizer/BioNTech  Ministry of Health
3 Pfizer/BioNTech  Ministry of Health
4 Pfizer/BioNTech  Ministry of Health

   source_website
0 https://shendetesia.gov.al/covid19-ministria-e...
1 https://shendetesia.gov.al/covid19-ministria-e...
2 https://shendetesia.gov.al/covid19-ministria-e...
3 https://shendetesia.gov.al/covid19-ministria-e...
4 https://shendetesia.gov.al/covid19-ministria-e...
```

We have quite a few numerical features, such as `people_vaccinated`, `daily_vaccinations` ... We may be generally interested in some statistics.

```
[20]: # compute mean
sum(vax['daily_vaccinations'])/len(vax['daily_vaccinations']) # comments?
```

```
vax['daily_vaccinations'].mean()
```

[20]: 55316.880168185

We have some NaN values, this can be due to a few different reasons depending on context. But remember: **If there is no data, it does not mean that there is no problem.**

1.0.2 Q: Is getting rid of data points that contain NaN's a good idea?

Now that we know in general:

- * the (physical) size of data
- * the dimensions of data
- * what each row / column represents
- * the data types contained in this data
- * anomalies

Now we can dive into the data values themselves and find out what properties this dataset has.

```
[24]: # what happens if we get rid of Nan's
vax_clean = vax.dropna()
vax_clean = vax_clean.sort_values(by="date", ascending=False).reset_index()
display(vax_clean.head())
print(vax_clean.shape)

# so getting rid of Nan's may not always be the best idea
```

```
index      country iso_code      date total_vaccinations \
0    4342  United States     USA 2021-02-27      72806180.0
1    3417        Romania    ROU 2021-02-27      1521737.0
2     580         Brazil    BRA 2021-02-27      8322042.0
3   1981  Indonesia     IDN 2021-02-27      2598535.0
4   2794       Morocco    MAR 2021-02-27      3597903.0

people_vaccinated  people_fully_vaccinated daily_vaccinations_raw \
0            48435536.0                  23698627.0                2352116.0
1            905142.0                   616595.0                 15704.0
2           6437836.0                  1884206.0                220255.0
3           1616165.0                  982370.0                 149084.0
4           3435997.0                  161906.0                 173608.0

daily_vaccinations  total_vaccinations_per_hundred \
0            1645240.0                      21.77
1             24351.0                      7.91
2            215553.0                      3.92
3             91687.0                      0.95
4            162387.0                      9.75

people_vaccinated_per_hundred  people_fully_vaccinated_per_hundred \
0                      14.48                      7.09
1                      4.71                      3.21
2                      3.03                      0.89
3                      0.59                      0.36
4                      9.31                      0.44
```

```

daily_vaccinations_per_million \
0 4919.0
1 1266.0
2 1014.0
3 335.0
4 4399.0

vaccines \
0 Moderna, Pfizer/BioNTech
1 Moderna, Oxford/AstraZeneca, Pfizer/BioNTech
2 Oxford/AstraZeneca, Sinovac
3 Sinovac
4 Oxford/AstraZeneca, Sinopharm/Beijing

source_name \
0 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
1 Government of Romania
2 Regional governments via Coronavirus Brasil
3 Ministry of Health
4 Ministry of Health

source_website
0 https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#vacc...
1 https://vaccinare-covid.gov.ro/wp-content/uplo...
2 https://coronavirusbra1.github.io/
3 https://www.kemkes.go.id/
4 http://www.covidmaroc.ma/Documents/BULLETIN/27...

(1316, 16)

```

How many countries are represented?

```
[28]: np.unique(vax['country'])
```

```
[28]: array(['Albania', 'Algeria', 'Andorra', 'Anguilla', 'Argentina',
       'Australia', 'Austria', 'Azerbaijan', 'Bahrain', 'Bangladesh',
       'Barbados', 'Belarus', 'Belgium', 'Bermuda', 'Bolivia', 'Brazil',
       'Bulgaria', 'Cambodia', 'Canada', 'Cayman Islands', 'Chile',
       'China', 'Colombia', 'Costa Rica', 'Croatia', 'Cyprus', 'Czechia',
       'Denmark', 'Dominican Republic', 'Ecuador', 'Egypt', 'El Salvador',
       'England', 'Estonia', 'Faeroe Islands', 'Falkland Islands',
       'Finland', 'France', 'Germany', 'Gibraltar', 'Greece', 'Greenland',
       'Guernsey', 'Guyana', 'Hungary', 'Iceland', 'India', 'Indonesia',
       'Iran', 'Ireland', 'Isle of Man', 'Israel', 'Italy', 'Japan',
       'Jersey', 'Kazakhstan', 'Kuwait', 'Latvia', 'Lebanon',
       'Liechtenstein', 'Lithuania', 'Luxembourg', 'Macao', 'Maldives',
       'Malta', 'Mauritius', 'Mexico', 'Monaco', 'Montenegro', 'Morocco',
```

```
'Myanmar', 'Nepal', 'Netherlands', 'New Zealand',
'Northern Cyprus', 'Northern Ireland', 'Norway', 'Oman',
'Pakistan', 'Panama', 'Paraguay', 'Peru', 'Poland', 'Portugal',
'Qatar', 'Romania', 'Russia', 'Saint Helena', 'Saudi Arabia',
'Scotland', 'Senegal', 'Serbia', 'Seychelles', 'Singapore',
'Slovakia', 'Slovenia', 'South Africa', 'South Korea', 'Spain',
'Sri Lanka', 'Sweden', 'Switzerland', 'Trinidad and Tobago',
'Turkey', 'Turks and Caicos Islands', 'Ukraine',
'United Arab Emirates', 'United Kingdom', 'United States',
'Venezuela', 'Wales', 'Zimbabwe'], dtype=object)
```

How much data do we have on each country, are they equal?

```
[30]: vax['country'].value_counts()
```

```
[30]: Lithuania      82
Scotland        76
United Kingdom  76
Wales            76
England          76
..
Senegal          5
South Korea      3
Ukraine          3
Saint Helena     1
Greenland         1
Name: country, Length: 112, dtype: int64
```

What is the range of dates?

```
[33]: # these achieves the same goal
print("the dates are from {} to {}".format(np.amin(vax['date']), np.
    amax(vax['date'])))
# or you can do this
(vax['date'].min(), vax['date'].max())
# so, about 3 months worth of data
```

the dates are from 2020-12-08 to 2021-02-27

```
[33]: ('2020-12-08', '2021-02-27')
```

How is the world vaccination progressing? Namely, on average, how many people get vaccinated everyday?

```
[34]: # these achieves the same goal
print("daily vaccination average: {}".format(vax['daily_vaccinations'].mean()))
# or you can do this
```

```

print("daily vaccination average: {}".format(np.
    ↪mean(vax['daily_vaccinations'])))
# that's a bit slow, but we are making progress

```

daily vaccination average: 55316.880168185
 daily vaccination average: 55316.880168185

[]: # you can do numerical computations on pd.Series directly
 vax['people_fully_vaccinated'] / vax['']

Here is a quick way: `df.describe` gives you some quick statistics of your numerical data. It has a few advantages, but need to be careful about interpretability.

[35]: `vax.describe()`

| | total_vaccinations | people_vaccinated | people_fully_vaccinated |
|-------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| count | 2.916000e+03 | 2.483000e+03 | 1.662000e+03 |
| mean | 1.709487e+06 | 1.481442e+06 | 4.888581e+05 |
| std | 5.774372e+06 | 4.646374e+06 | 1.899838e+06 |
| min | 0.000000e+00 | 0.000000e+00 | 1.000000e+00 |
| 25% | 3.154575e+04 | 2.799900e+04 | 1.119425e+04 |
| 50% | 2.049345e+05 | 1.822800e+05 | 5.062800e+04 |
| 75% | 8.565680e+05 | 7.471645e+05 | 2.607428e+05 |
| max | 7.280618e+07 | 4.843554e+07 | 2.369863e+07 |

| | daily_vaccinations_raw | daily_vaccinations |
|-------|------------------------|--------------------|
| count | 2.467000e+03 | 4.281000e+03 |
| mean | 7.517774e+04 | 5.531688e+04 |
| std | 2.111072e+05 | 1.744120e+05 |
| min | -5.001200e+04 | 1.000000e+00 |
| 25% | 2.282000e+03 | 1.121000e+03 |
| 50% | 1.183300e+04 | 5.857000e+03 |
| 75% | 5.366500e+04 | 2.704700e+04 |
| max | 2.352116e+06 | 1.916190e+06 |

| | total_vaccinations_per_hundred | people_vaccinated_per_hundred |
|-------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| count | 2916.000000 | 2483.000000 |
| mean | 7.078261 | 5.751832 |
| std | 13.147480 | 9.446641 |
| min | 0.000000 | 0.000000 |
| 25% | 0.620000 | 0.600000 |
| 50% | 2.735000 | 2.530000 |
| 75% | 6.675000 | 5.200000 |
| max | 106.530000 | 67.410000 |

| | people_fully_vaccinated_per_hundred | daily_vaccinations_per_million |
|-------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| count | 1662.000000 | 4281.000000 |

| | | |
|------|-----------|--------------|
| mean | 2.262515 | 2404.288951 |
| std | 5.501138 | 4378.201585 |
| min | 0.000000 | 0.000000 |
| 25% | 0.212500 | 321.000000 |
| 50% | 0.840000 | 1064.000000 |
| 75% | 1.935000 | 2190.000000 |
| max | 39.110000 | 54264.000000 |

Now we understand better the numerical properties of our data. We can start to ask some more complex questions.

1.1 Q: Who's not vaccinated?

$$(\text{Total number of people vaccinated per hundred}) = \frac{(\text{Total number of people fully vaccinated})}{(\text{Total population up to the date in the country})} \times 100\%$$

```
[37]: vax['total_population'] = vax['people_fully_vaccinated'] / vax['total_vaccinations_per_hundred'] / 100
vax[['country', 'total_population']].dropna()
```

```
[37]:    country  total_population
 23    Albania      5.000000e+03
 30    Albania      1.095000e+06
 38    Albania      1.018333e+06
 39    Albania      5.554545e+05
 43    Albania      2.847826e+05
 ...
 4420   Wales        1.705384e+05
 4421   Wales        1.993241e+05
 4422   Wales        2.296220e+05
 4423   Wales        2.569384e+05
 4424   Wales        2.792505e+05
```

[1654 rows x 2 columns]

Now we can see who's not vaccinated in each country.

```
[38]: vax['people_unvaccinated'] = vax['total_population'] - vax['people_fully_vaccinated']
vax[['country', 'people_unvaccinated']].dropna()
```

```
[38]:    country  people_unvaccinated
 23    Albania      4.999000e+03
 30    Albania      1.094562e+06
 38    Albania      1.017722e+06
 39    Albania      5.548435e+05
 43    Albania      2.841276e+05
 ...
 ...          ...
```

```

4420    Wales        1.208094e+05
4421    Wales        1.400451e+05
4422    Wales        1.597710e+05
4423    Wales        1.768764e+05
4424    Wales        1.901975e+05

```

[1654 rows x 2 columns]

We can even ask further questions as to which country is most recently, most vaccinated, and most un-vaccinated?

```
[39]: # let's move to the same recorded day
vax_curr = vax[vax['date'] == '2021-02-26']
```

```
[40]: vax.iloc[vax_curr['people_fully_vaccinated'].idxmax()]
```

```

[40]: country
United States
iso_code
USA
date
2021-02-26
total_vaccinations
7.04541e+07
people_vaccinated
4.71842e+07
people_fully_vaccinated
2.26134e+07
daily_vaccinations_raw
2.17995e+06
daily_vaccinations
1.55272e+06
total_vaccinations_per_hundred
21.07
people_vaccinated_per_hundred
14.11
people_fully_vaccinated_per_hundred
6.76
daily_vaccinations_per_million
4643
vaccines                               Moderna,
Pfizer/BioNTech
source_name                            Centers for Disease Control and
Prevention
source_website                         https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-
tracker/#vacc...
total_population

```

```
1.07325e+08  
people_unvaccinated  
8.47116e+07  
Name: 4341, dtype: object
```

```
[41]: vax.iloc[vax_curr['people_fully_vaccinated'].idxmin]
```

```
[41]: country  
Isle of Man  
iso_code  
IMN  
date  
2021-02-26  
total_vaccinations  
19884  
people_vaccinated  
13600  
people_fully_vaccinated  
6284  
daily_vaccinations_raw  
1089  
daily_vaccinations  
391  
total_vaccinations_per_hundred  
23.38  
people_vaccinated_per_hundred  
15.99  
people_fully_vaccinated_per_hundred  
7.39  
daily_vaccinations_per_million  
4598  
vaccines  
Oxford/AstraZeneca,  
Pfizer/BioNTech  
source_name  
Isle of Man  
Government  
source_website  
https://covid19.gov.im/general-  
information/cov...  
total_population  
26877.7  
people_unvaccinated  
20593.7  
Name: 2084, dtype: object
```

There are many more topics we can explore (feel free to try to answer these on your own: How effective are vaccines? What's the busiest day, is there a pattern?). Notice that all we are doing are just computing simple statistics, but the key is to learn about our data in that: (1) get familiar with manipulating this dataset and (2) explore the **scope** and **temporality** of this dataset.

2 Visualizing Our Data

Depending on our needs and whether the data is categorical / numerical, we can have different ways to look at data. We can understand the dataset in a much more direct and intuitive way by visualizing. We will discuss more in the upcoming lectures.

Today, we will be working with `datascience` which provides some useful visualization tools, and see a few examples of more standard packages such as `pandas`, `matplotlib` and `seaborn`.

2.1 Q: Is the vaccination rate in the United States looking up?

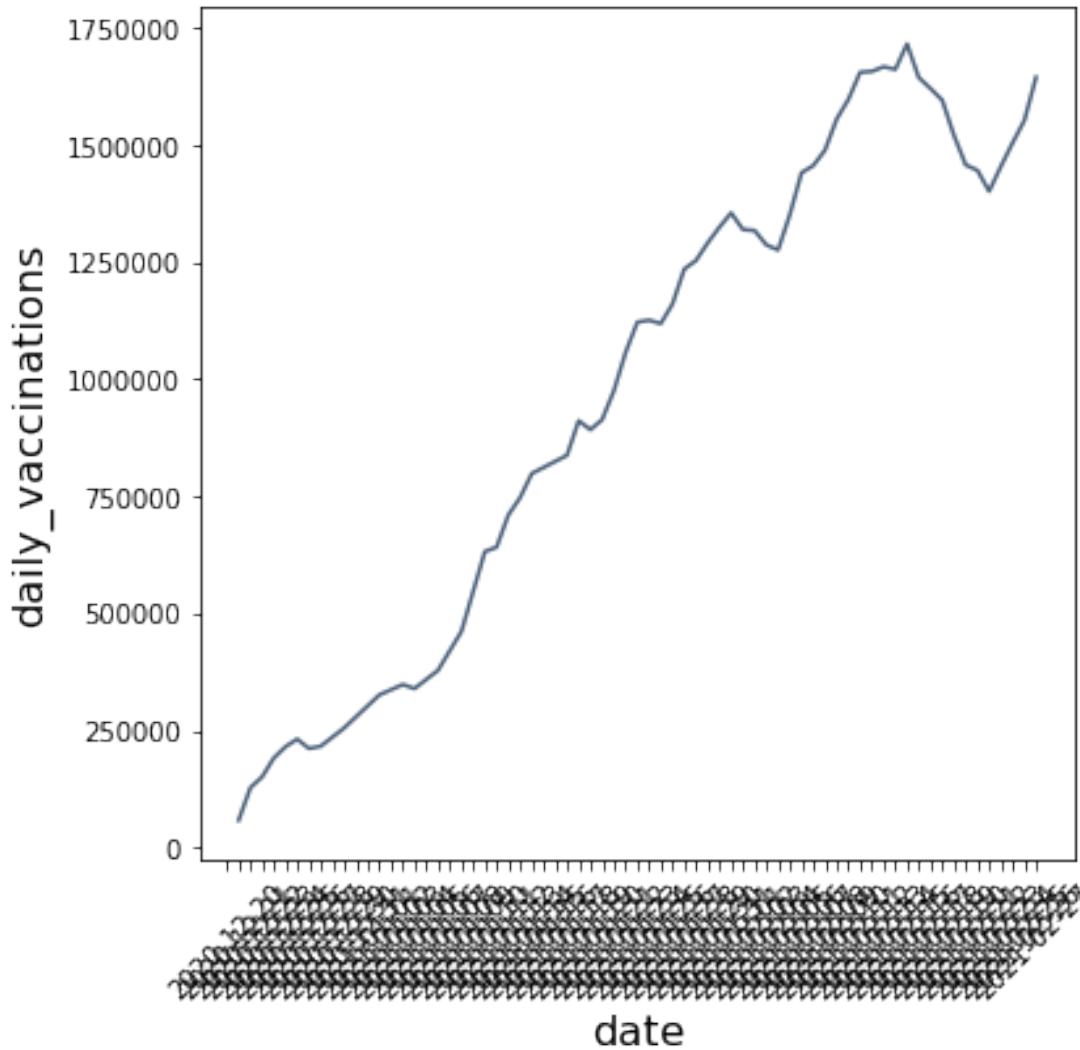
```
[43]: # focus on the US
us_vax = vax[vax['country'] == "United States"]
us_vax.shape
```

```
[43]: (70, 17)
```

What is a good way to understand the temporal trend of a numerical value?

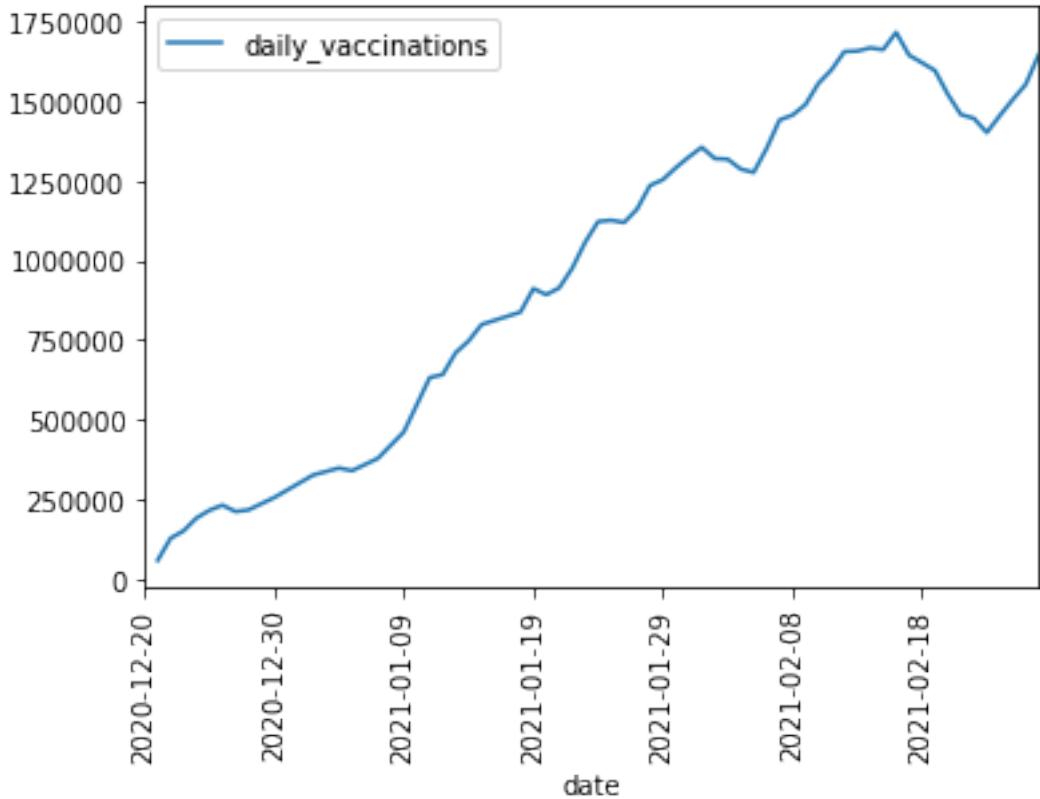
```
[44]: us_daily_trend = Table().with_columns([
    'date', us_vax['date'],
    'daily_vaccinations', us_vax['daily_vaccinations']
])

# plot
#help(us_daily_trend.plot)
us_daily_trend.plot('date');
plt.xticks(rotation = 45);
```



How to do this in pandas? Look at `pd.DataFrame().plot`.

```
[49]: us_vax.plot('date', 'daily_vaccinations', rot=90);
```



We can get even more detailed plots with `matplotlib`.

Here are a few `stackexchange` posts I consulted. Most often than not, your question has been answered.

- <https://stackoverflow.com/questions/33382619/plot-a-horizontal-line-using-matplotlib>
- <https://stackoverflow.com/questions/23248435/fill-between-two-vertical-lines-in-matplotlib>
- <https://stackoverflow.com/questions/18089667/how-to-estimate-how-much-memory-a-pandas-dataframe-will-need/47751572>
- <https://stackoverflow.com/questions/20625582/how-to-deal-with-settingwithcopywarning-in-pandas>

The documentations are also good places to go to, they usually contain useful examples.

```
[53]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
plt.xlabel('date'); plt.ylabel('number of vaccinations'); plt.title('daily_vaccination trend');
# change date to datetime
plt.plot(pd.to_datetime(us_vax['date'], format = '%Y-%m-%d').dt.date, us_vax['daily_vaccinations'], marker='o', label='trend');
plt.xticks(rotation = 45); plt.legend(loc='upper left'); plt.grid();
```

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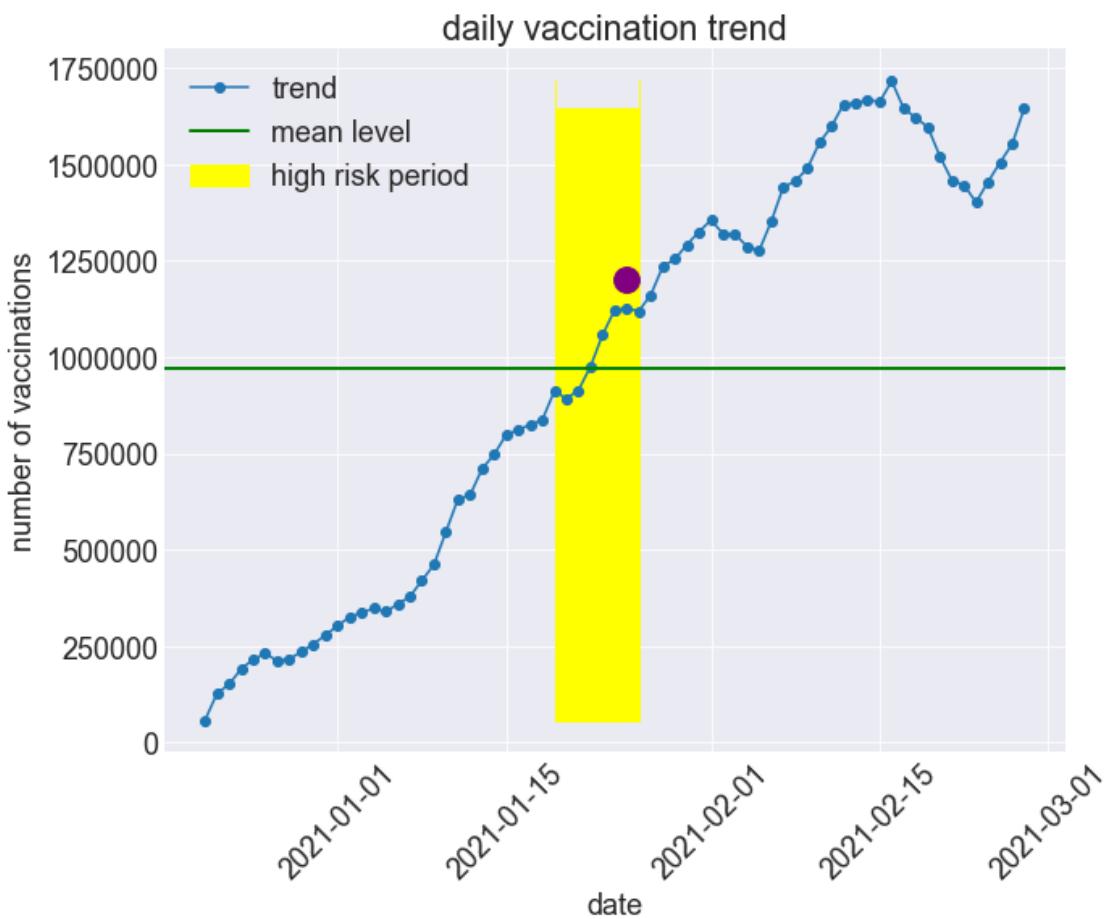
plt.axhline(np.mean(us_vax['daily_vaccinations']), color='green', lw=2, \
            label="mean level");

plt.fill_betweenx(us_vax['daily_vaccinations'], \
                 sorted(list(us_vax['date']))[30], \
                 sorted(list(us_vax['date']))[37], color='yellow', label='high \
                 risk period');

plt.scatter(sorted(list(us_vax['date']))[36], 1200000, s=250, color="purple", \
            marker='o');

plt.style.use('seaborn-dark'); plt.legend();
plt.rcParams.update({'font.size': 18})

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