

Week1

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0.1 Question 1

```
[1]: import pandas as pd

# Load the dataset
url = 'https://web.stanford.edu/class/archive/cs/cs109/cs109.1166/stuff/titanic.
      ↪CSV'
titanic_data = pd.read_csv(url)

# Check for missing values
print(titanic_data.isnull().sum())
```

```
Survived          0
Pclass            0
Name              0
Sex               0
Age              0
Siblings/Spouses Aboard  0
Parents/Children Aboard  0
Fare              0
dtype: int64
```

ChatGPT Chatlog Summary

Here's a summary of this chat session:

1. **Dataset Requests:** You asked for links to datasets that can be imported into Python for analysis. I provided you with several datasets:
 - **Iris Dataset:** A classic dataset for flower classification.
 - **Titanic Dataset:** Data on Titanic passengers, which is useful for survival prediction.
 - **Wine Quality Dataset:** A dataset about wine characteristics, with no missing values.
 - **World Happiness Report:** Data on global happiness rankings.
2. **Missing Values:** You requested a dataset that contains missing values. Initially, I mistakenly provided links that didn't work, but I later corrected that with a working **Titanic Dataset** link that contains missing values in the **Age**, **Cabin**, and **Embarked** columns.
3. **Python Import Instructions:** For each dataset, I provided code snippets for importing the data into Python and checking for missing values using **pandas**. For instance, checking for missing values in the Titanic dataset can be done with:

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```

In summary, this session focused on finding datasets that you can use in Python for analysis, particularly focusing on datasets with missing values for data cleaning practice.

link: <https://chatgpt.com/share/0506ae9e-1d60-43e2-a50d-bc282e2eada2>

0.2 Question 2

```
[3]: import pandas as pd

# Load the dataset
df = pd.read_csv('https://web.stanford.edu/class/archive/cs/cs109/cs109.1166/
stuff/titanic.csv')
# Get the number of rows and columns
num_rows, num_columns = df.shape

print(f'Number of rows: {num_rows}')
print(f'Number of columns: {num_columns}')
```

Number of rows: 887

Number of columns: 8

Observation - In statistics, an observation is a single piece of qualitative or quantitative information about a given variable. A dataset is comprised of these observations. For example, in the Titanic dataset above, the female gender of a specific passenger would be a observation. These observations are often recorded in tables or graphs.

Variable - A variable is a measurable characteristic or attribute that varies between observations. The observations of a variable can be numerical such as height, or it can be categorical such as species. Variables allow you to compare and contrast the different attributes of different entities.

ChatGPT Chatlog Summary

Here's a summary of our chat:

1. **Dataset Information:** You asked about the Titanic dataset and the typical number of rows and columns. I explained that the dataset usually has 887 rows and 12 columns, detailing the column names.
2. **Observations in Statistics:** I clarified that in statistics, "observations" are individual data points or records in a dataset, represented by rows in a table, and are essential for analysis.
3. **Variables in Statistics:** I described that a variable is a characteristic or attribute that can vary between observations, such as age or gender. Variables can be categorical or numerical and are crucial for organizing and analyzing data.
4. **Code for Data Dimensions:** I provided Python code to determine the number of rows and columns in your dataset using pandas.

Feel free to use or modify this summary as needed for your homework!

Link: <https://chatgpt.com/share/e32c1223-d3c4-43ca-9f87-1d0d1c88e510>

0.3 Question 3

```
[4]: import pandas as pd

# Load data
url = 'https://web.stanford.edu/class/archive/cs/cs109/cs109.1166/stuff/titanic.
      ↪csv'
titanic_data = pd.read_csv(url)

# Get statistical summary of numerical columns
summary = titanic_data.describe()
print(summary)
```

	Survived	Pclass	Age	Siblings/Spouses Aboard \
count	887.000000	887.000000	887.000000	887.000000
mean	0.385569	2.305524	29.471443	0.525366
std	0.487004	0.836662	14.121908	1.104669
min	0.000000	1.000000	0.420000	0.000000
25%	0.000000	2.000000	20.250000	0.000000
50%	0.000000	3.000000	28.000000	0.000000
75%	1.000000	3.000000	38.000000	1.000000
max	1.000000	3.000000	80.000000	8.000000

	Parents/Children Aboard	Fare
count	887.000000	887.000000
mean	0.383315	32.30542
std	0.807466	49.78204
min	0.000000	0.00000
25%	0.000000	7.92500
50%	0.000000	14.45420
75%	0.000000	31.13750
max	6.000000	512.32920

```
[5]: categorical_summary = titanic_data['Pclass'].value_counts()
print("Categorical Summary:")
print(categorical_summary)
```

Categorical Summary:

Pclass

3 487

1 216

2 184

Name: count, dtype: int64

ChatGPT Chat Summary

Here's a summary of our chat:

1. Code Explanation:

- You provided a code snippet that loads a Titanic dataset from a URL into a Pandas DataFrame and prints the count of missing values for each column.
- The `print(titanic_data.isnull().sum())` line shows the number of missing values per column in the dataset.

2. Using `df.describe()`:

- `df.describe()` provides a statistical summary of numerical columns, including count, mean, standard deviation, min, 25th percentile, median, 75th percentile, and max.

3. Using `df['column'].value_counts()`:

- `df['column'].value_counts()` provides the frequency of each unique value in a specific categorical column, helping understand the distribution of different categories.

4. Combining Both Approaches:

- Use `df.describe()` for numerical columns to get a summary of their distribution.
- Use `df['column'].value_counts()` for categorical columns to get the frequency distribution of unique values.

By using these methods, you can gain insights into both numerical and categorical data within your dataset.

link: <https://chatgpt.com/share/ae9e9fe9-b4d1-4427-86e1-4f6a78169548>

0.4 Question 4

Using the `df.shape` function in pandas, the reported number of rows for the Titanic dataset is 887 while the reported number of columns in the dataset is 7. However, using the `df.describe()` function only two columns appear: Age and Fare. This is because the other columns/variables contain non-numerical values which cannot be counted. The count value for Age is also less than the count value for Fare because there are missing data entries in the Age dataset.

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[7]: import pandas as pd

# Load data
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      ↪CSV'
titanic_data = pd.read_csv(url)

# Get the shape of the DataFrame
shape = titanic_data.shape
print(shape)
```

(887, 8)

```
[6]: import pandas as pd

# Load data
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      ↪CSV'
```

```
titanic_data = pd.read_csv(url)

# Get summary statistics for numerical columns
summary = titanic_data.describe()
print(summary)
```

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ChatGPT chatlog

Here's a summary of our chat:

1. Code Explanation:

- Your code snippet loads the Titanic dataset from a URL into a Pandas DataFrame and prints the count of missing values for each column.

2. Using `df.describe()`:

- `df.describe()` provides a statistical summary of numerical columns in the DataFrame, including count, mean, standard deviation, minimum, percentiles, and maximum values.

3. Using `df['column'].value_counts()`:

- `df['column'].value_counts()` shows the frequency of each unique value in a specific categorical column.

4. Combining Both Approaches:

- Use `df.describe()` for numerical columns to understand their distribution.
- Use `df['column'].value_counts()` for categorical columns to understand the distribution of categories.

5. `df.shape` Method:

- `df.shape` provides the dimensions of the DataFrame, returning a tuple with the number of rows and columns.

6. `df.describe()` Details:

- `df.describe()` includes count, mean, standard deviation, minimum, percentiles, and maximum values for numerical columns. You can use `df.describe(include='all')` to

include categorical columns as well.

link: <https://chatgpt.com/share/ae9e9fe9-b4d1-4427-86e1-4f6a78169548>

0.5 Question 5

In pandas, **attributes** usually display some feature of the dataset. For example, the `df.shape` function shows us how big the particular dataset is. Attributes are called without parenthesis. On the other hand, methods usually perform some action on the dataset or manipulate the dataset in some way. For example, the `df.describe()` function calculates the mean and variance of variables. Methods are called with parenthesis.

ChatGPT Chat Log Sure! Here's a summary of our chat:

- **Difference Between Attribute and Method in Pandas:**

- **Attribute:** Provides information about a pandas object (e.g., `df.shape` gives the dimensions of a DataFrame) and is accessed without parenthesis.
- **Method:** Performs actions or operations on a pandas object (e.g., `df.head()` returns the first few rows) and is called with parenthesis.

Link: <https://chatgpt.com/share/82d70231-3d87-4292-91ba-cf68403d2811>

0.6 Question 6

In the summary statistics of the `df.describe()` method, the **count** of a column refers to the number of non-null entries in that particular column. The **mean** of a column refers to the mathematical average for all entries into that column. It can be calculated by summing up all entries in the column and then dividing that sum by the count of the column. The **std** of a column refers to the standard deviation of the column, or how spread out the data is. A higher **std** implies that the data is more spread out. The **min** of a column refers to the value of the smallest data entry in that column and likewise, the **max** of a column refers to the value of the biggest data entry in that column. **25%** refers to the first quartile value. This means that exactly 25% of the entries in the data set are smaller than the first 25% value. Similarly exactly 50% of the data set is smaller than the **50%** value and exactly 75% of the data set is smaller than the **75%** value.

0.7 Question 7

1. Using `df.dropna()` would be preferred over using `del df['col']` when we want to know all the attributes of complete data entries. For example, if there was a class survey and we wanted to know the name, age, and sex of all students who fully completed the class survey we would use `df.dropna()` instead of `del df['col']`.
2. Using `del df['col']` would be preferred over using `df.dropna()` if we want to know only certain attributes about the data entries. For example, if we only wanted to know the names of the students who did the survey we would use `del df['age']` and `del df['sex']`.
3. `del df['col']` is more time efficient than `df.dropna()` because it does not require the computer to look through every single row and column for missing values. If we know that we already

don't need a column, we can delete it first so that the computer doesn't search through that column's values when we are deleting the necessary rows.

4.

```
[8]: import pandas as pd
url = "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/KeithGalli/pandas/master/pokemon_data.
      ↪CSV"
data = pd.read_csv(url)
del data['Type 2']
print(data.isnull().sum())
```

```
#          0
Name       0
Type 1     0
HP         0
Attack     0
Defense    0
Sp. Atk    0
Sp. Def    0
Speed      0
Generation 0
Legendary  0
dtype: int64
```

ChatGPT Chat Logs

In our conversation, you initially asked about the function of `del df['col']` in pandas. I explained that this command deletes the specified column from a DataFrame, regardless of whether it contains missing data. An example demonstrated how this removes a column entirely from the DataFrame.

Next, you inquired about `df.dropna()`, which removes rows or columns with NaN values. By default, it drops rows containing any missing data, but parameters like `axis` and `how` allow for more control, such as dropping columns or handling rows where all values are missing.

You then asked if `del df['name']` would remove columns with incomplete data entries, and I clarified that it does not. Instead, to remove columns with missing data, you would use `df.dropna(axis=1)`. This method ensures columns with NaN values are specifically targeted, unlike the manual deletion with `del`.

link: <https://chatgpt.com/share/a874f911-b940-4a85-84ef-72f0a644e0e2>

0.8 Question 8

1. First, the `groupby('col1')` method groups all rows with the same 'col1' value together in the pokemon dataset. Second, the `['col2']` attribute selects the second column of all data entries in all the groups created above, and performs a `describe()` method where it outputs the mean, count, std, max, min, 25%, 50%, and 75% of the column 2s of each group.

```
[14]: titanic = pd.read_csv("https://raw.githubusercontent.com/KeithGalli/pandas/
↳master/pokemon_data.csv")
grouped = titanic.groupby('Type 1')
grouped['Attack'].describe()
```

```
[14]:
```

	count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%	max
Type 1								
Bug	69.0	70.971014	37.040904	10.0	45.00	65.0	90.00	185.0
Dark	31.0	88.387097	25.774247	50.0	65.00	88.0	100.00	150.0
Dragon	32.0	112.125000	33.742622	50.0	86.25	113.5	134.25	180.0
Electric	44.0	69.090909	23.764169	30.0	53.75	65.0	85.00	123.0
Fairy	17.0	61.529412	29.751298	20.0	45.00	52.0	72.00	131.0
Fighting	27.0	96.777778	28.290163	35.0	80.00	100.0	120.00	145.0
Fire	52.0	84.769231	28.769275	30.0	62.25	84.5	101.00	160.0
Flying	4.0	78.750000	37.500000	30.0	60.00	85.0	103.75	115.0
Ghost	32.0	73.781250	29.629687	30.0	53.75	66.0	92.75	165.0
Grass	70.0	73.214286	25.380520	27.0	55.00	70.0	93.50	132.0
Ground	32.0	95.750000	33.059087	40.0	72.00	85.0	121.00	180.0
Ice	24.0	72.750000	27.289511	30.0	50.00	67.0	87.50	130.0
Normal	98.0	73.469388	30.295862	5.0	55.00	70.5	85.00	160.0
Poison	28.0	74.678571	19.630010	43.0	60.00	74.0	90.50	106.0
Psychic	57.0	71.456140	42.309265	20.0	45.00	57.0	95.00	190.0
Rock	44.0	92.863636	35.325458	40.0	59.75	95.0	120.25	165.0
Steel	27.0	92.703704	30.388276	24.0	77.50	89.0	110.00	150.0
Water	112.0	74.151786	28.377192	10.0	53.00	72.0	92.00	155.0

2. `df.describe()` displays the overall number of non-null values in each column, but `df.groupby('col1')['col2'].describe()` tells you the count of non-null values of `col2` in each group of rows with the same `'col1'` value.

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3. I believe that a google search is more efficient for fixing errors which are generic such as errors A and C, but ChatGPT is a better way to fix errors that are more specific to your code such as errors E and G. This is because Google will usually give a short, straight to the point answer while ChatGPT outputs a long winded detailed answer to your question. If the error is generic Google will solve my issue quicker, but if my issue is very specific to my code then I need a more detailed fix.

0.9 Question 9

Yes, I have.