Pandas

What is Pandas?

- Pandas is an open-source data analysis library written in Python.
- It leverages the power and speed of **NumPy** to make data analysis and preprocessing easy for data scientists.
- Provides rich and highly robust data operations.

Pandas Data Structures

Pandas has two main data structures:

- **Series** → A one-dimensional array with indexes. It stores a single column or row of data in a DataFrame.
- DataFrame → A tabular, spreadsheet-like structure where each row contains one or multiple columns.

Key Differences:

- **Series** → A one-dimensional labeled array capable of holding any type of data.
- **DataFrame** → A two-dimensional labeled data structure with columns of potentially different types of data.

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In [1]: # Import necessary Libraries
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd

In [2]: # Create a dictionary
dict1 = {
    "Name" : ["Kushal", "Mukesh", "Ashok", "Shailendra"],
    "Marks" : [92, 34, 24, 17],
    "City" : ["Kathmandu", "Dhangadhi", "Dharan", "Chitwan"]
}

In [3]: df = pd.DataFrame(dict1) # Converts our dictionary to data frame
df
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Out[3]:
               Name Marks
                                   City
        0
              Kushal
                         92
                             Kathmandu
             Mukesh
                         34
                             Dhangadhi
        2
               Ashok
                         24
                                Dharan
        3 Shailendra
                                Chitwan
                         17
In [4]: df.to_csv("friends.csv") # Create a csv file with the data
In [5]: df.to_csv("no-index-friends.csv", index = False) # Create a csv file neglecting ind
In [6]: df.head(2) # Displlays given number rows from the head side
Out[6]:
            Name Marks
                                 City
            Kushal
                           Kathmandu
                       92
         1 Mukesh
                           Dhangadhi
In [7]: df.tail(2) # Displays given number of rows from tail side
Out[7]:
               Name Marks
                                City
                         24
        2
               Ashok
                             Dharan
        3 Shailendra
                             Chitwan
In [8]: df.describe() # Statistical analysis for all the numerical columns
Out[8]:
                 Marks
                4.00000
        count
         mean 41.75000
           std 34.21866
          min 17.00000
          25% 22.25000
          50% 29.00000
          75% 48.50000
          max 92.00000
In [9]: friends = pd.read_csv("friends.csv") # This will open our csv file by adding a inde
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friends

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Out[9]:
            Unnamed: 0
                            Name Marks
                                                City
         0
                      0
                            Kushal
                                      92 Kathmandu
          1
                      1
                           Mukesh
                                      34
                                          Dhangadhi
         2
                      2
                            Ashok
                                      24
                                              Dharan
         3
                      3 Shailendra
                                             Chitwan
                                      17
In [10]: friends = pd.read_csv("no-index-friends.csv") # Since we don't have index in csv it
         friends
Out[10]:
                Name Marks
                                    City
         0
               Kushal
                          92 Kathmandu
              Mukesh
                          34
                              Dhangadhi
         2
                Ashok
                          24
                                 Dharan
         3 Shailendra
                          17
                                 Chitwan
In [11]: type(friends) # It displays the type of the objects
Out[11]: pandas.core.frame.DataFrame
In [12]: friends.dtypes # Shows the datatypes of all the columns in data frame
Out[12]: Name
                   object
         Marks
                    int64
                   object
         City
         dtype: object
In [13]: # Changing values in the data frame
         friends["Marks"] # Provides only the selected column data
Out[13]: 0
               92
               34
          1
          2
              24
              17
         Name: Marks, dtype: int64
In [14]: friends["Marks"][0] # Provides only the data in selected index of selected column
Out[14]: np.int64(92)
In [15]: # So you can change the data at that index
         friends["Marks"][0] = 98 # This will be confusing for python interpreter whether to
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ing:

A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame

See the caveats in the documentation: https://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/user_guide/indexing.html#returning-a-view-versus-a-copy

friends["Marks"][0] = 98 # This will be confusing for python interpreter whether t
o return copy or view so we use loc() function

In [16]: # Now can see that the value has been changed
friends

Out[16]: Name Marks City 0 Kushal 98 Kathmandu 1 Mukesh 34 Dhangadhi 2 Ashok 24 Dharan 3 Shailendra 17 Chitwan

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In [17]: # You can update it to the csv file or create a new csv file
    # Note that use same name if you want to update and different name if you want to c
    friends.to_csv("no-index-friends.csv", index = False)
    # index = False is necessary because it avoids addition of an extra index column in
```

In [18]: # Changing the index of the data frame
friends.index = ["first", "second", "third", "fourth"]
friends

Out[18]: Name Marks City

first Kushal 98 Kathmandu

secondMukesh34DhangadhithirdAshok24DharanfourthShailendra17Chitwan

In [19]: ser = pd.Series(np.random.rand(34)) # Create a series with random numbers
ser

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Out[19]: 0
                0.360879
          1
                0.762553
          2
                0.904318
          3
                0.281279
                0.159259
          4
          5
                0.691495
                0.883009
          7
                0.472963
                0.313954
          8
          9
                0.233485
          10
                0.170632
          11
                0.501466
          12
                0.576821
          13
                0.400094
          14
                0.976389
          15
                0.619292
          16
                0.987180
          17
                0.515985
          18
                0.322008
          19
                0.294672
          20
                0.320987
          21
                0.421319
          22
                0.217760
          23
                0.519052
          24
                0.367007
          25
                0.971693
          26
                0.554057
          27
                0.939355
          28
                0.352071
          29
                0.685393
          30
                0.853083
          31
                0.197149
          32
                0.611799
                0.107569
          33
          dtype: float64
In [20]: # Create a Data Frame with random numbers
         new_df = pd.DataFrame(np.random.rand(334, 5), index = np.arange(334))
In [21]: new_df.index # Shows all the index in the data frame
Out[21]: Index([ 0,
                        1,
                             2,
                                  3,
                                            5,
                                                 6,
                                                     7,
                                                          8,
                                                                 9,
                 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333],
                dtype='int64', length=334)
In [22]: new_df.columns # Show all the columns in the data frame
Out[22]: RangeIndex(start=0, stop=5, step=1)
In [23]: new_df.to_numpy() # Converts data frame to numpy object
```

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Out[23]: array([[0.42550724, 0.7916049 , 0.20794834, 0.99392538, 0.2920232 ],
                [0.96222715, 0.81145081, 0.43916541, 0.85014979, 0.93406513],
                [0.28807486, 0.64877028, 0.37987549, 0.77244959, 0.14713672],
                [0.11327033, 0.88943813, 0.84111197, 0.51922324, 0.51869155],
                [0.2435048 , 0.15433019, 0.18761044, 0.08846024, 0.47176376],
                [0.5880696, 0.07941395, 0.81143397, 0.93159245, 0.0161998]]
               shape=(334, 5))
In [24]: new df.T # It transpose the data frame like matrices
Out[24]:
                                             3
                                                               5
                                                                        6
                                                                                 7
                                                                                          8
         0 0.425507 0.962227 0.288075 0.251557 0.507984 0.042327 0.953632 0.369517 0.695066
         1 0.791605 0.811451 0.648770 0.046233 0.588743 0.115894 0.143614 0.364205 0.334907
         2 0.207948 0.439165 0.379875 0.403854 0.817332 0.375170 0.509991 0.324721 0.388108
         3 0.993925 0.850150 0.772450 0.154160 0.218569 0.280429 0.778723 0.274897 0.827896
         4 0.292023 0.934065 0.147137 0.298002 0.822953 0.909996 0.908635 0.704739 0.219064
        5 rows × 334 columns
In [25]: new_df.sort_index(axis = 0, ascending=False) # Sort the index of data frame: axis =
Out[25]:
                                      2
                                               3
                                                        4
         333 0.588070 0.079414 0.811434 0.931592 0.016200
         332 0.243505 0.154330 0.187610 0.088460 0.471764
         331 0.113270 0.889438 0.841112 0.519223
                                                  0.518692
             330
                                                  0.676302
         329 0.927718 0.160133 0.311260 0.212767 0.373772
           4 0.507984 0.588743 0.817332 0.218569
                                                  0.822953
           3 0.251557 0.046233 0.403854 0.154160
                                                 0.298002
           2 0.288075 0.648770 0.379875 0.772450 0.147137
           1 0.962227 0.811451 0.439165 0.850150
                                                 0.934065
           0 0.425507 0.791605 0.207948 0.993925 0.292023
        334 rows × 5 columns
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In [27]: new_df2 = new_df # Here new_df2 is just a view of new_df,
# If you change new_df2 then new_df will also change because both are pointing same
new_df2[0][0] = 0
new_df # The element in new_df will also be changed
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C:\Users\kusha\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_24672\74676621.py:3: FutureWarning: Chai nedAssignmentError: behaviour will change in pandas 3.0!

You are setting values through chained assignment. Currently this works in certain c ases, but when using Copy-on-Write (which will become the default behaviour in panda s 3.0) this will never work to update the original DataFrame or Series, because the intermediate object on which we are setting values will behave as a copy.

A typical example is when you are setting values in a column of a DataFrame, like:

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df["col"][row_indexer] = value
```

Use `df.loc[row_indexer, "col"] = values` instead, to perform the assignment in a single step and ensure this keeps updating the original `df`.

See the caveats in the documentation: https://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/user_guide/indexing.html#returning-a-view-versus-a-copy

 $new_df2[0][0] = 0$

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	0	1	2	3	4
0	0.000000	0.791605	0.207948	0.993925	0.292023
1	0.962227	0.811451	0.439165	0.850150	0.934065
2	0.288075	0.648770	0.379875	0.772450	0.147137
3	0.251557	0.046233	0.403854	0.154160	0.298002
4	0.507984	0.588743	0.817332	0.218569	0.822953
•••		•••			
329	0.927718	0.160133	0.311260	0.212767	0.373772
330	0.344206	0.034836	0.027302	0.710629	0.676302
331	0.113270	0.889438	0.841112	0.519223	0.518692
332	0.243505	0.154330	0.187610	0.088460	0.471764
333	0.588070	0.079414	0.811434	0.931592	0.016200

334 rows × 5 columns

```
In [28]: new_df3 = new_df.copy() # Creates a copy.
# Now changes will not affect new_df
new_df3[0][0] = 0.5
new_df # No change in original while changing copy
```

C:\Users\kusha\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_24672\924715784.py:3: FutureWarning: Cha inedAssignmentError: behaviour will change in pandas 3.0!

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 $new_df3[0][0] = 0.5$

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	0	1	2	3	4
0	0.000000	0.791605	0.207948	0.993925	0.292023
1	0.962227	0.811451	0.439165	0.850150	0.934065
2	0.288075	0.648770	0.379875	0.772450	0.147137
3	0.251557	0.046233	0.403854	0.154160	0.298002
4	0.507984	0.588743	0.817332	0.218569	0.822953
•••		•••			
329	0.927718	0.160133	0.311260	0.212767	0.373772
330	0.344206	0.034836	0.027302	0.710629	0.676302
331	0.113270	0.889438	0.841112	0.519223	0.518692
332	0.243505	0.154330	0.187610	0.088460	0.471764
333	0.588070	0.079414	0.811434	0.931592	0.016200

334 rows × 5 columns

In [29]: $new_df.loc[0,0] = 654 \# Using loc() function is a proper way to change objects in D$ new_df.head()

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Out[29]:
              0
                   1
                          2
                                 3
                                       4
      0 654.000000 0.791605 0.207948 0.993925 0.292023
      1
          2
          0.251557  0.046233  0.403854  0.154160  0.298002
      3
          0.507984 0.588743 0.817332 0.218569 0.822953
In [30]: new_df.columns = list("ABCDE") # Change columns name to A B C D E
      new_df
Out[30]:
               Α
                      В
                            C
                                  D
                                         Ε
        0 654.000000 0.791605 0.207948 0.993925 0.292023
           2
           0.288075 \quad 0.648770 \quad 0.379875 \quad 0.772450 \quad 0.147137
        3
           0.251557  0.046233  0.403854  0.154160  0.298002
        4
           329
           0.927718  0.160133  0.311260  0.212767  0.373772
      330
           331
           0.113270  0.889438  0.841112  0.519223  0.518692
      332
```

334 rows × 5 columns

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In [31]: #new_df.loc[0, 0] = 100
    # Will create a new column 0 with all other elements NaN as we have changed columns

# So we can use loc() function to change the value of the column A
# Here we are changing the value of first row in column A to 90
    new_df.loc[0, "A"] = 90
    new_df
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0.588070 0.079414 0.811434 0.931592 0.016200

Out[31]: Α В C D Ε **0** 90.000000 0.791605 0.207948 0.993925 0.292023 2 0.251557 0.046233 0.403854 0.154160 0.298002 0.507984 0.588743 0.817332 0.218569 0.822953 0.927718 0.160133 0.311260 0.212767 0.373772 329 330 331 332 333 0.588070 0.079414 0.811434 0.931592 0.016200

334 rows × 5 columns

In [32]: new_df = new_df.drop("E", axis = 1) # Remove E column
Always remember axis = 0 for row and axis = 1 for column
new_df

Out[32]: Α В C D **0** 90.000000 0.791605 0.207948 0.993925 0.288075 0.648770 0.379875 0.772450 0.251557 0.046233 0.403854 0.154160 0.507984 0.588743 0.817332 0.218569 0.927718 0.160133 0.311260 0.212767 329 330 0.113270 0.889438 0.841112 0.519223 331 0.243505 0.154330 0.187610 0.088460 332 0.588070 0.079414 0.811434 0.931592 333

334 rows × 4 columns

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Out[33]: C
                       D
        1 0.439165 0.85015
        2 0.379875 0.77245
In [34]: #If we need all row and columns we use : on the requird place
        new_df.loc[[1, 2], :]
Out[34]:
          Α
                        В
                                C
                                       D
        1 0.962227 0.811451 0.439165 0.85015
        2 0.288075 0.648770 0.379875 0.77245
In [35]: new_df.loc[(new_df["A"] > 0.3)] # Locate the rows in which column A has vlaue > 0.3
Out[35]:
                           В
                                   C
                                           D
                  Α
          0 90.000000 0.791605 0.207948 0.993925
          1 0.962227 0.811451 0.439165 0.850150
          4 0.507984 0.588743 0.817332 0.218569
             0.953632  0.143614  0.509991  0.778723
             0.369517  0.364205  0.324721  0.274897
        327
             0.796684 0.023844 0.061294 0.631596
        328
        329
             0.927718  0.160133  0.311260  0.212767
             330
        333
             0.588070 0.079414 0.811434 0.931592
        225 rows × 4 columns
In [36]: # Locate the rows in which column A has vlaue > 0.3 and column C has value > 0.1
        new_df.loc[(new_df["A"] > 0.3) & (new_df["C"] > 0.1)]
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0.507984  0.588743  0.817332  0.218569
              0.953632  0.143614  0.509991  0.778723
           7
              0.369517  0.364205  0.324721  0.274897
         322
              0.972578  0.752600  0.841395  0.002945
         323
              0.437006 0.209989 0.980634 0.122960
              327
         329
              0.927718  0.160133  0.311260  0.212767
         333
              0.588070 0.079414 0.811434 0.931592
        204 rows × 4 columns
In [37]: new_df.iloc[0, 3] # ilock() takes value of [i, j] just like in matrices
Out[37]: np.float64(0.9939253763603781)
In [38]: new_df.loc[0, "D"] # loc() takes values of [row, column] in Data Frame
Out[38]: np.float64(0.9939253763603781)
In [39]: # iloc() can be used instead of loc() every where just remember that it takes [i, j
         new_df.iloc[[0, 5], [1, 2]]
Out[39]:
                          C
                 В
         0 0.791605 0.207948
         5 0.115894 0.375170
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In [40]: new_df.drop(["A", "C"], axis = 1) # Delete the selected columns as axis = 1 (Return

Remember that this will not change the original Data Frame until we same it like:

Out[36]:

Α

В

0 90.000000 0.791605 0.207948 0.993925

C

D

```
Out[40]:
                    В
                            D
           0 0.791605 0.993925
           1 0.811451 0.850150
           2 0.648770 0.772450
           3 0.046233 0.154160
           4 0.588743 0.218569
              ... ...
         329 0.160133 0.212767
         330 0.034836 0.710629
         331 0.889438 0.519223
         332 0.154330 0.088460
         333 0.079414 0.931592
        334 rows × 2 columns
In [41]: # If we use inplace=True it will change the original Data Frame
         new_df.drop(["C", "D"], axis = 1, inplace=True)
In [42]: new_df
Out[42]:
                    Α
                             В
           0 90.000000 0.791605
              0.962227 0.811451
              0.288075 0.648770
               0.251557  0.046233
               0.507984 0.588743
         329
               0.927718 0.160133
         330
               331
               0.113270 0.889438
         332
               0.243505 0.154330
         333
               0.588070 0.079414
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334 rows × 2 columns

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In [43]: # Lets remove some rows from middle
         new_df.drop([i for i in range(6, 330)], axis=0, inplace=True)
In [44]: new_df
Out[44]:
                      Α
                               В
            0 90.000000 0.791605
                0.962227  0.811451
               0.288075 0.648770
               0.251557 0.046233
               0.507984 0.588743
                0.042327 0.115894
            5
          330
               0.344206 0.034836
          331
                0.113270 0.889438
                0.243505 0.154330
          332
          333
                0.588070 0.079414
In [45]: # We need to reset the index now
         # new_df.reset_index() # This will add a new column named index so drop=True is nec
         # new_df.reset_index(drop=True) #This will not change the original Data Frame so in
         new_df.reset_index(drop=True, inplace=True)
In [46]: new_df
Out[46]:
                    Α
          0 90.000000 0.791605
             0.962227 0.811451
            0.288075 0.648770
            0.251557 0.046233
          3
             0.507984 0.588743
             0.042327 0.115894
             0.344206 0.034836
          7 0.113270 0.889438
          8
             0.243505 0.154330
             0.588070 0.079414
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In [47]: new_df["B"].isnull() # Returns True if the null and False otherwise

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Out[47]: 0
              False
              False
         1
         2
              False
          3
              False
             False
         5
              False
              False
         7
              False
              False
         8
         9
              False
         Name: B, dtype: bool
In [48]: \# new_df["A"] = None \# Make all the values in A column null
         new_df.loc[:, "A"] = None # Good practice
        C:\Users\kusha\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_24672\2896297378.py:2: FutureWarning: Se
        tting an item of incompatible dtype is deprecated and will raise in a future error o
        f pandas. Value 'None' has dtype incompatible with float64, please explicitly cast t
        o a compatible dtype first.
          new_df.loc[:, "A"] = None # Good practice
In [49]: new_df
Out[49]:
                        В
               Α
         0 None 0.791605
          1 None 0.811451
         2 None 0.648770
         3 None 0.046233
         4 None 0.588743
         5 None 0.115894
         6 None 0.034836
         7 None 0.889438
         8 None 0.154330
         9 None 0.079414
```

In [50]: new_df["B"].isnull() # All the values in B columns are changed to null

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1
               False
          2
              False
              False
          3
              False
          5
               False
              False
          7
               False
               False
          8
               False
          9
         Name: B, dtype: bool
In [51]: df_new = pd.DataFrame( {"name" : ['Alfred', 'Batman', 'Catwoman'],
                              "toy" : [np.nan, 'Batmobile', 'Bullwhip'],
                              "born" : [pd.NaT, pd.Timestamp("1940-04-25"), pd.NaT]})
         df_new
Out[51]:
                name
                                      born
                            toy
         0
                Alfred
                            NaN
                                       NaT
               Batman Batmobile 1940-04-25
         2 Catwoman
                        Bullwhip
                                       NaT
In [52]: df_new.dropna() # Removes all rows containing na because default axis=0
Out[52]:
              name
                          toy
                                    born
          1 Batman Batmobile 1940-04-25
In [53]: df_new.dropna(how="all") # Removes rows if all values in it are na because default
Out[53]:
                name
                            toy
                                      born
         0
                Alfred
                            NaN
                                       NaT
               Batman Batmobile 1940-04-25
         2 Catwoman
                        Bullwhip
                                       NaT
In [54]: # You can also choose axis for deletion
         df_new.dropna(axis=1)
Out[54]:
                name
                Alfred
         0
               Batman
         2 Catwoman
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Out[50]: 0

False

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In [55]: # Lets make some duplicates in Data Frame
         df_new.loc[2, "name"] = "Alfred"
         df new
Out[55]:
              name
                          toy
                                   born
             Alfred
                         NaN
                                    NaT
         1 Batman Batmobile 1940-04-25
              Alfred
                      Bullwhip
                                    NaT
In [56]: # Lets remove the duplicates now
         df_new.drop_duplicates(subset=['name'], keep= 'last')
         # keep = 'first' is default
         # keep = 'last' removes all other than last
         # keep = False removes all
Out[56]:
              name
                          toy
                                   born
          1 Batman Batmobile 1940-04-25
              Alfred
                      Bullwhip
                                    NaT
In [57]: df_new.shape # Provides information about number of rows and columns
Out[57]: (3, 3)
In [58]: df_new.info() # Displays information about the Data Frame
        <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
        RangeIndex: 3 entries, 0 to 2
        Data columns (total 3 columns):
         # Column Non-Null Count Dtype
         0
                     3 non-null
                                     object
             name
         1
             toy
                     2 non-null
                                     object
         2
             born
                     1 non-null
                                     datetime64[ns]
        dtypes: datetime64[ns](1), object(2)
        memory usage: 204.0+ bytes
In [59]: df_new['toy'].value_counts(dropna=False) # Displays counts of the elements in colum
         # if dropna=False it displays without removing NaN values
         # if dropna=True it displays after removing NaN values
Out[59]: toy
         NaN
                      1
         Batmobile
                      1
         Bullwhip
                       1
         Name: count, dtype: int64
In [60]: df_new.notnull() # Returns True if value is not null else return False
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Out[60]:nametoyborn0TrueFalseFalse1TrueTrueTrue

2 True True False