Introducing DataFrames

DATA MANIPULATION WITH PANDAS



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What's the point of pandas?

- Data Manipulation skill track
- Data Visualization skill track

Course outline

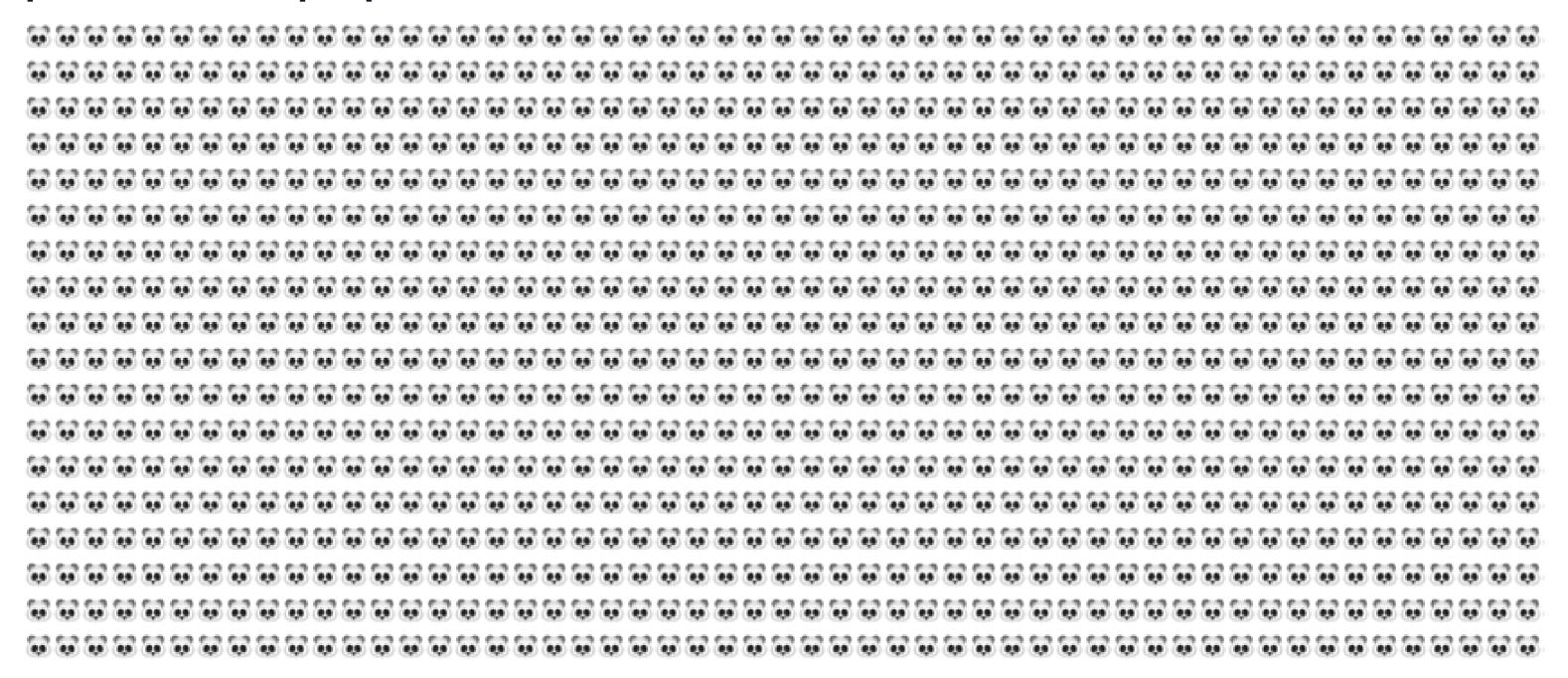
- Chapter 1: DataFrames
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- Chapter 4: Creating and Visualizing Data
 - Plo ing
 - Handling missing data
 - Reading data into a DataFrame

pandas is built on NumPy and Matplotlib



pandas is popular



¹h ps://pypistats.org/packages/pandas



Rectangular data

Name	Breed	Color	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Date of Birth
Bella	Labrador	Brown	56	25	2013-07-01
Charlie	Poodle	Black	43	23	2016-09-16
Lucy	Chow Chow E	Brown	46	22	2014-08-25
Cooper	Schnauzer	Gray	49	17	2011-12-11
Max	Labrador	Black	59	29	2017-01-20
Stella	Chihuahua	Tan	18	2	2015-04-20
Bernie	St. Bernard	White	77	74	2018-02-27

pandas DataFrames

print(dogs)

```
breed color height_cm weight_kg date_of_birth
 name
 Bella
       Labrador Brown
                          56
                                     2013-07-01
                                    2016-09-16
         Poodle Black
                         43
Charlie
                                24
                                       2014-08-25
       Chow Chow Brown
                            46
 Lucy
        Schnauzer Gray
                         49
                                      2011-12-11
Cooper
        Labrador Black
                          59
                                 29
                                     2017-01-20
  Max
Stella Chihuahua
                 Tan
                          18
                                     2015-04-20
Bernie St. Bernard White
                                      2018-02-27
                           77
                                  74
```

Exploring a DataFrame: .head()

dogs.head()

```
breed color height_cm weight_kg date_of_birth
 name
 Bella
       Labrador Brown
                                     2013-07-01
                          56
                                    2016-09-16
         Poodle Black
                         43
Charlie
                               24
       Chow Chow Brown
                            46
                                       2014-08-25
 Lucy
        Schnauzer Gray 49
                                      2011-12-11
Cooper
        Labrador Black
                         59
                                29
                                    2017-01-20
  Max
```

Exploring a DataFrame: .info()

dogs.info()

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 7 entries, 0 to 6
Data columns (total 6 columns):
            7 non-null object
name
            7 non-null object
breed
color
           7 non-null object
height_cm 7 non-null int64
weight kg 7 non-null int64
date_of_birth 7 non-null object
dtypes: int64(2), object(4)
memory usage: 464.0+ bytes
```



Exploring a DataFrame: .shape

dogs.shape

(7, 6)



Exploring a DataFrame: .describe()

dogs.describe()

```
height_cm_weight_kg
count 7.000000 7.000000
mean 49.714286 27.428571
std
    17.960274 22.292429
    18.000000 2.000000
min
25%
     44.500000 19.500000
     49.000000 23.000000
50%
     57.500000 27.000000
75%
     77.000000 74.000000
max
```

Components of a DataFrame: .values

dogs.values

Components of a DataFrame: .columns and .index

dogs.columns

Index(['name', 'breed', 'color', 'height_cm', 'weight_kg', 'date_of_birth'],
dtype='object')

dogs.index

RangeIndex(start=0, stop=7, step=1)

pandas Philosophy

There should be one -- and preferably only one -- obvious way to do it.

- The Zen of Pythonby Tim Peters, Item 13



¹h ps://www.python.org/dev/peps/pep-0020/



Sorting and subsetting

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Sorting

dogs.sort_values("weight_kg")

```
breed color height_cm weight_kg date_of_birth
 name
Stella
       Chihuahua
                                     2015-04-20
                          18
                  Tan
        Schnauzer Gray
                            49
                                       2011-12-11
Cooper
                           56
                                 24
 Bella
        Labrador Brown
                                      2013-07-01
         Poodle Black
                          43
Charlie
                                 24 2016-09-16
 Lucy Chow Chow Brown
                             46
                                        2014-08-25
        Labrador Black
  Max
                          59
                                 29
                                      2017-01-20
Bernie St. Bernard White
                           77
                                       2018-02-27
                                   74
```

Sorting in descending order

dogs.sort_values("weight_kg", ascending=FalseFalse

```
breed color height cm weight kg date of birth
 name
Bernie St. Bernard White
                                    2018-02-27
                          77
                                74
       Labrador Black
                         59
                                    2017-01-20
  Max
                      56
 Bella
       Labrador Brown
                                    2013-07-01
                        43
Charlie
         Poodle Black
                               24 2016-09-16
       Chow Chow Brown
                           46
                                      2014-08-25
 Lucy
Cooper
        Schnauzer Gray
                        49 17
                                     2011-12-11
                                   2015-04-20
Stella Chihuahua
                         18
                 Tan
```

Sorting by multiple variables

dogs.sort_values(["weight_kg", "height_cm"])

```
breed color height cm weight kg date of birth
 name
Stella
       Chihuahua
                  Tan
                                     2015-04-20
                          18
        Schnauzer Gray
                           49
                                       2011-12-11
Cooper
Charlie
        Poodle Black
                         43
                                24 2016-09-16
 Lucy Chow Chow Brown
                            46
                                       2014-08-25
 Bella
       Labrador Brown
                          56
                                     2013-07-01
                                 24
  Max
        Labrador Black
                          59
                                 29
                                     2017-01-20
Bernie St. Bernard White
                           77
                                  74
                                      2018-02-27
```

Sorting by multiple variables

dogs.sort_values(["weight_kg", "height_cm"], ascending=[True, False])e False

```
breed color height cm weight kg date of birth
 name
Stella
      Chihuahua
                                  2015-04-20
                Tan
                        18
Cooper Schnauzer Gray 49 17
                                    2011-12-11
 Bella
       Labrador Brown
                     56
                               24 2013-07-01
                          46
       Chow Chow Brown
                                 24 2014-08-25
 Lucy
       Poodle Black
Charlie
                        43
                              24 2016-09-16
  Max
       Labrador Black
                        59
                              29
                                  2017-01-20
Bernie St. Bernard White
                         77
                                74
                                   2018-02-27
```

Subsetting columns

dogs["name"]

```
0 Bella
1 Charlie
2 Lucy
3 Cooper
4 Max
5 Stella
6 Bernie
Name: name, dtype: object
```

Subsetting multiple columns

```
dogs[["breed", "height_cm"]]
```

```
breed height cm
    Labrador
                 56
0
     Poodle
                43
   Chow Chow
                   46
   Schnauzer
                 49
   Labrador
                 59
   Chihuahua
                  18
 St. Bernard
                 77
```

```
cols_to_subset = ["breed", "height_cm"]
dogs[cols_to_subset]
```

Subsetting rows

```
dogs["height_cm"] > 50
```

```
0 True
1 False
2 False
3 False
4 True
5 False
6 True
Name: height_cm, dtype: bool
```

Subsetting rows

```
dogs[dogs["height_cm"] > 50]
```

```
name breed color height_cm weight_kg date_of_birth

0 Bella Labrador Brown 56 24 2013-07-01

4 Max Labrador Black 59 29 2017-01-20

6 Bernie St. Bernard White 77 74 2018-02-27
```

Subsetting based on text data

```
dogs[dogs["breed"] == "Labrador"]
```

```
name breed color height_cm weight_kg date_of_birth

0 Bella Labrador Brown 56 24 2013-07-01

4 Max Labrador Black 59 29 2017-01-20
```

Subsetting based on dates

```
dogs[dogs["date_of_birth"] > "2015-01-01"]
```

```
breed color height_cm weight_kg date_of_birth
   name
1 Charlie Poodle Black
                           43
                                     2016-09-16
                                 24
         Labrador Black
                                      2017-01-20
   Max
                           59
                           18
  Stella
        Chihuahua Tan
                                      2015-04-20
  Bernie St. Bernard White
                            77
                                      2018-02-27
```

Subsetting based on multiple conditions

```
is_lab = dogs["breed"] == "Labrador"
is_brown = dogs["color"] == "Brown"
dogs[is_lab & is_brown]
```

```
name breed color height_cm weight_kg date_of_birth

0 Bella Labrador Brown 56 24 2013-07-01
```

```
dogs[ (dogs["breed"] == "Labrador") & (dogs["color"] == "Brown") ]
```

Subsetting using .isin()

```
is_black_or_brown = dogs["color"].isin(["Black", "Brown"])
dogs[is_black_or_brown]
```

```
name breed color height_cm weight_kg date_of_birth

0 Bella Labrador Brown 56 24 2013-07-01

1 Charlie Poodle Black 43 24 2016-09-16

2 Lucy Chow Chow Brown 46 24 2014-08-25

4 Max Labrador Black 59 29 2017-01-20
```

New columns

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Adding a new column

```
dogs["height_m"] = dogs["height_cm"] / 100
print(dogs)
```

```
breed color height_cm weight_kg date_of_birth height_m
 name
 Bella
       Labrador Brown
                        56
                                  2013-07-01
                                               0.56
Charlie
       Poodle Black 43 24 2016-09-16
                                              0.43
 Lucy Chow Chow Brown
                          46
                                    2014-08-25
                                               0.46
        Schnauzer Gray 49
                                    2011-12-11 0.49
Cooper
       Labrador Black
  Max
                        59
                              29
                                  2017-01-20
                                               0.59
                                  2015-04-20
Stella Chihuahua Tan
                        18
                                              0.18
Bernie St. Bernard White
                         77
                                   2018-02-27
                                               0.77
```

Doggy mass index

BMI = weight in kg/(height in $\frac{2}{m}$)

```
dogs["bmi"] = dogs["weight_kg"] / dogs["height_m"] ** 2
print(dogs.head())
```

```
breed color height_cm weight_kg date_of_birth height_m
                                                               bmi
  name
   Bella Labrador Brown
                          56
                                 24
                                                 0.56 76.530612
                                    2013-07-01
1 Charlie
          Poodle Black 43
                                24 2016-09-16 0.43 129.799892
   Lucy Chow Chow Brown
                            46
                                                    0.46 113.421550
                                       2014-08-25
                                                   0.49 70.803832
  Cooper Schnauzer Gray
                           49
                                      2011-12-11
    Max Labrador Black
                                     2017-01-20 0.59 83.309394
                          59
```

Multiple manipulations

```
name height_cm bmi
4 Max 59 83.309394
0 Bella 56 76.530612
3 Cooper 49 70.803832
5 Stella 18 61.728395
```