

1 How-to-count-distance-to-the-previous-zero For each value, count the difference back to the previous zero (or the start of the Series, whichever is closer) create a new column 'Y' Consider a DataFrame df where there is an integer column 'X'

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In [9]: #Import the Packages
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np

#Create a Data frame with the given input.
df = pd.DataFrame({'X': [7, 2, 0, 3, 4, 2, 5, 0, 3, 4]})

#Indices where the Zero in the array.
Indice_zero = np.r_[-1, (df['X'] == 0).nonzero()[0]]

# numpy array with elements
idx = np.arange(len(df))

# To find the indices into a sorted array. so that order will remain before the
df['Y'] = idx - Indice_zero[np.searchsorted(Indice_zero - 1, idx) - 1]
df
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Out[9]:

	X	Y
0	7	1
1	2	2
2	0	0
3	3	1
4	4	2
5	2	3
6	5	4
7	0	0
8	3	1
9	4	2

2 Create a DatetimeIndex that contains each business day of 2015 and use it to index a Series of random numbers.

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In [10]: #Import the Packages
import pandas as pd

datetime_index = pd.date_range(start='2015-01-01', end='2015-12-31', freq='B')
x = pd.Series(np.random.rand(len(datetime_index)), index = datetime_index)
print(x)
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2015-11-27	0.155228
2015-11-30	0.352738
2015-12-01	0.226182
2015-12-02	0.706000
2015-12-03	0.609752
2015-12-04	0.810085
2015-12-07	0.059580
2015-12-08	0.567866
2015-12-09	0.976595
2015-12-10	0.254486
2015-12-11	0.073495
2015-12-14	0.082542
2015-12-15	0.282766
2015-12-16	0.096696
2015-12-17	0.788688
2015-12-18	0.553764
2015-12-21	0.012416
2015-12-22	0.269311
2015-12-23	0.999005
2015-12-24	0.594739

1. Find the sum of the values in s for every Wednesday.

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In [11]: print(x[x.index.weekday == 2].sum())
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28.862119202167147

1. Average For each calendar month

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In [12]: print(x.resample('M').mean())
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2015-01-31	0.565538
2015-02-28	0.487172
2015-03-31	0.504879
2015-04-30	0.559887
2015-05-31	0.522871
2015-06-30	0.440166
2015-07-31	0.583680
2015-08-31	0.504864
2015-09-30	0.395847
2015-10-31	0.548270
2015-11-30	0.439723
2015-12-31	0.516117

Freq: M, dtype: float64

1. For each group of four consecutive calendar months in s, find the date on which the highest value occurred.

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In [13]: print(x.groupby(pd.Grouper(freq='4M')).max())  
print(x.groupby(pd.Grouper(freq='4M', closed='left')).max())
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2015-01-31    0.997669  
2015-05-31    0.992141  
2015-09-30    0.979704  
2016-01-31    0.999005  
dtype: float64  
2015-04-30    0.997669  
2015-08-31    0.992141  
2015-12-31    0.999005  
2016-04-30    0.693773  
Freq: 4M, dtype: float64
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