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Data Visualization with Python

Cheat Sheet: Plotting with Matplotlib using Pandas

Plot Type	Description	Pandas Function	Example	Visual
Line Plot	Shows trends and changes over time	<pre>DataFrame.plot.line() DataFrame.plot(kind = 'line')</pre>	<pre>df.plot(x='year', y='sales', kind='line')</pre>	5009 5009 5009 1009 1009 1009 1009 1009
Area Plot	Displays data series as filled areas, showing the relationship between them	<pre>DataFrame.plot.area() DataFrame.plot(kind = 'area')</pre>	<pre>df.plot(kind='area')</pre>	5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009- 5009-
Histogram	Displays bars representing the data count in each interval/bin	<pre>Series.plot.hist() Series.plot(kind = 'hist', bins = n)</pre>	<pre>s.plot(kind='hist', bins=10) df['age'].plot(kind='hist', bins=10)</pre>	12 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 -
Bar Chart	Displays data using rectangular bars	<pre>DataFrame.plot.bar() DataFrame.plot(kind = 'bar')</pre>	df.plot(kind='bar')	1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 1000-1 10
Pie Chart	Displays data as a circular plot divided into slices, representing proportions or percentages of a whole	<pre>Series.plot.pie() Series.plot(kind = 'pie') DataFrame.plot.pie(y, labels) DataFrame.plot(kind = 'pie')</pre>	<pre>s.plot(kind='pie',autopct='%1.1f%%') df.plot(x='Category',y='Percentage',kind='pie')</pre>	1980 1980 1981 1981
Box Plot	Displays the distribution of a dataset along with key statistical measures	<pre>DataFrame.plot.box() DataFrame.plot(kind = 'box')</pre>	<pre>df_can.plot(kind='box')</pre>	6000- 0 5000- 0 4000- 3000- 2000-
Scatter Plot	Uses Cartesian coordinates to display values for two variables	<pre>DataFrame.plot.scatter() DataFrame.plot(x, y, kind = 'scatter')</pre>	<pre>df.plot(x='Height', y='Weight', kind='scatter')</pre>	Scatter Plot with Positive Correlation 175 150 125 100 075 000 02 04 06 08 10

Cheat Sheet: Plotting directly with Matplotlib

Plot Type	Description	Matplotlib Function	Example	Visual
Line Plot	Shows trends and changes over time	plt.plot()	<pre>plt.plot(x, y, color='red', linewidth=2)</pre>	To Line Plot

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Plot Type	Description	Matplotlib Function	Example	Visual
Area Plot	Display data series as filled areas	plt.fill_between()	<pre>plt.fill_between(x, y1, y2, color='blue', alpha=0.5)</pre>	0000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 1
Histogram	Displays bars representing the data count in each interval/bin	plt.hist()	<pre>plt.hist(data, bins=10, color='orange', edgecolor='black')</pre>	Age Distribution in Titanic Dataset
Bar Chart	Displays data using rectangular bars	plt.bar()	<pre>plt.bar(x, height, color='green', width=0.5)</pre>	Sample flar Plot 25 29 30 A 6 Caregory
Pie Chart	Displays data as a circular plot divided into slices, representing proportions or percentages of a whole	plt.pie()	<pre>plt.pie(sizes, labels=labels, colors=colors, explode=explode)</pre>	1981 1980 1985 1983
Box Plot	Displays the distribution of a dataset along with key statistical measures	plt.boxplot()	plt.boxplot(data, notch=True)	Box Plot 4 4 -2 -2 -2 -2 -2 -3
Scatter Plot	Uses Cartesian coordinates to display values for two variables	plt.scatter()	<pre>plt.scatter(x, y, color='purple', marker='o', s=50)</pre>	Scatter Flot without Outliers
Subplotting	Creating multiple plots on one figure	plt.subplots()	<pre>fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=2, ncols=2)</pre>	Line plot on immigrants Scatter plot on immigrants
Customization	Customizing plot: adding labels, title, legend, grid	Various customization	<pre>plt.title('Title') plt.xlabel('X Label') plt.ylabel('Y Label') plt.legend() plt.grid(True)</pre>	

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