

Python Tips for Data Scientist

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Welcome to my **Python Tips for Data Scientist** notes! In those notes, you will learn some useful tips for Data Scientist daily work. The PDF version can be downloaded from HERE.

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PREFACE

Chinese proverb

The palest ink is better than the best memory. – old Chinese proverb

1.1 About

1.1.1 About this note

This document is a summary of our valueable experiences in using Python for Data Scientist daily work. The PDF version can be downloaded from HERE.

You may download and distribute it. Please be aware, however, that the note contains typos as well as inaccurate or incorrect description.

In this repository, we try to use the detailed Data Scientist related demo code and examples to share some useful python tips for Data Scientist work. If you find your work wasn't cited in this note, please feel free to let me know.

Although we are by no means a python programming and Data Scientist expert, We decided that it would be useful for us to share what we learned about Python in the form of easy note with detailed example. We hope those notes will be a valuable tool for your studies.

The notes assume that the reader has a preliminary knowledge of python programing, LaTex and Linux. And this document is generated automatically by using sphinx. More details can be found at [Georg2018].

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1.2 Motivation for this note

No matter you like it or not, Python has been one of the most popular programming languages. I have been using Python for almost 4 years. Frankly speaking, I wasn't impressed and attracted by Python at the first using. After starting working in industry, I have to use Python. Gradually I recognize the elegance of Python and use it as one of my main programming language. But I found that:

- Most of the Python books or tutorials which emphasize on programming will overwhelm the green hand.
- While most of the Python books or tutorials for Data Scientist or Data Analysis didn't cover some essential skills from the engineer side.

So I want to keep some of my valuable tips which are heavily applied in my daily work.

1.3 Feedback and suggestions

Your comments and suggestions are highly appreciated. I am more than happy to receive corrections, suggestions or feedbacks through email (Wenqiang Feng: von198@gmail.com, Jing Yang: jingyangharvard@gmail.com) for improvements.

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PYTHON INSTALLATION

Note: This Chapter *Python Installation* is for beginner. If you have some Python programming experience, you may skip this chapter.

No matter what operator system is, I will strongly recommend you to install Anaconda which contains Python, Jupyter, spyder, Numpy, Scipy, Numba, pandas, DASK, Bokeh, HoloViews, Datashader, matplotlib, scikit-learn, H2O.ai, TensorFlow, CONDA and more.

Download link: https://www.anaconda.com/distribution/



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NOTEBOOKS

Note: This Chapter *Notebooks* is for beginner. If you have alreay know Nteract, Zeppelin and Python, you may skip this chapter.

If you are a Data Scientist, it's not enough to just know Jupyter Notebook. You should also take a look at nbviewer, Nteract and Zeppelin notebooks.

3.1 Nteract

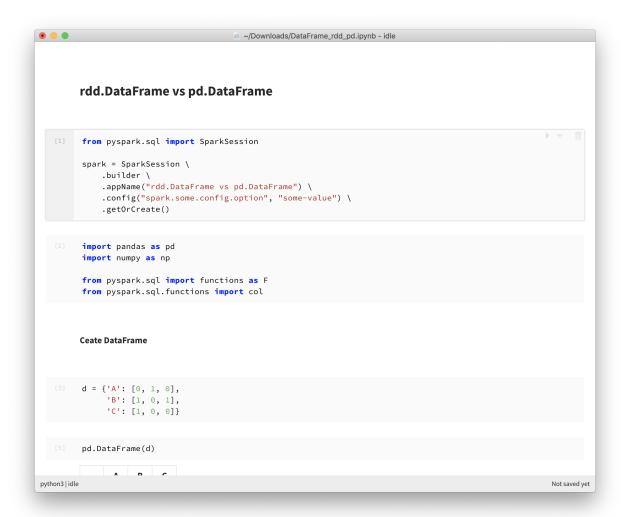
Nteract is an amazing .ipynb reader. You can open and run the .ipynb by just double clicking the .ipynb file.

Download from: https://nteract.io/

3.2 Jupyter Notebook Viewer

If you are a MAC user, you can also install the Jupyter Notebook Viewer—nbviewer—app which is much faster than Nteract.

Download from: https://github.com/tuxu/nbviewer-app

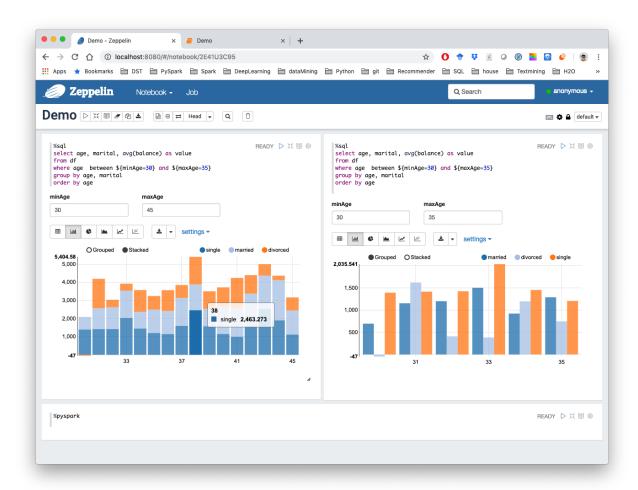


```
DataFrame_rdd_pd.ipynb
              rdd.DataFrame vs pd.DataFrame
    In [1]: from pyspark.sql import SparkSession
               spark = SparkSession \
                   .builder \
                   .appName("rdd.DataFrame vs pd.DataFrame") \
.config("spark.some.config.option", "some-value") \
                    .getOrCreate()
   In [98]: import pandas as pd
               import numpy as np
              from pyspark.sql import functions as F
from pyspark.sql.functions import col
              Ceate DataFrame
  In [353]:  d = \{'A': [0, 1, 0], \\ 'B': [1, 0, 1], \\ 'C': [1, 0, 0]\} 
  In [354]: pd.DataFrame(d)
 Out [354]: A B C
              0 0 1 1
              1 1 0 0
               2 0 1 0
```

3.3 Apache Zeppelin

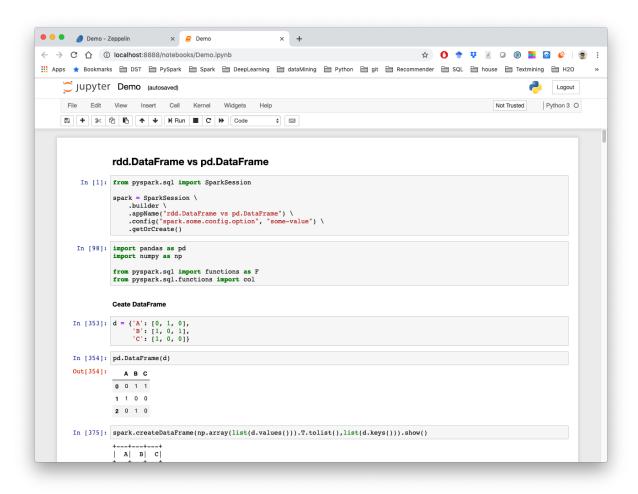
The Zeppelin (Apache Zeppelin) is an open-source Web-based notebook that enables datadriven, interactive data analytics and collaborative documents with Python, PySpark, SQL, Scala and more.

Download from: https://zeppelin.apache.org/



3.4 Jupyter Notebook

The Jupyter Notebook (Ipython Notebook) is an open-source web application that allows you to create and share documents that contain live code, equations, visualizations and narrative text. Uses include: data cleaning and transformation, numerical simulation, statistical modeling, data visualization, machine learning, and much more.



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CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

Chinese proverb

Be mindful of guarding against harm from others, and stay away from placing harming upon others.

If you are a real Data Scientist, you have to share your code with your colleagues or release your code for Code Review or Quality assurance(QA). You will definitely do not want to have your User Information in the code. So you can save them in login.txt in a safe folder:

```
runawayhorse001
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```

and use the following code to import your User Information:

```
#User Information
try:
    login = pd.read_csv(r'login.txt', header=None)
    user = login[0][0]
    pw = login[0][1]
    print('User information is ready!')
except:
    print('Login information is not available!!!')
```

You may also want to get the User Information by using os.environ in Python:

```
try:
    user = os.environ['LOGNAME']
except OSError:
    user = os.environ['USER']
except OSError:
    user = os.environ['USERNAME']
    print(err)
except OSError as err:
    print('The user information is not available!!!')
```

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PRIMER FUNCTIONS

Note: This Chapter *Primer Functions* is for beginner. If you have some Python programming experience, you may skip this chapter.

The following functions have been heavily used in my daily Data Scientist work.

5.1 *

Single asterisk as used in function declaration allows variable number of arguments passed from calling environment. Inside the function it behaves as a tuple.

:: Python Code:

```
my_list = [1,2,3]
print(my_list)
print(*my_list)
```

:: Ouput:

```
[1, 2, 3]
1 2 3
```

5.2 range

:: Python Code:

```
print(range(5))
print(*range(5))
print(*range(3,8))
```

:: Ouput:

```
range(0, 5)
0 1 2 3 4
3 4 5 6 7
```

5.3 random

More details can be found at:

- a. random: https://docs.python.org/3/library/random.html#random.randint
- b. np.random: https://docs.scipy.org/doc/numpy/reference/routines.random.html

5.3.1 random.random

:: Python Code:

```
import random
random.random()

# (b - a) * random() + a
random.uniform(3,8)
```

:: Ouput:

```
0.33844051243073625
7.772024014335885
```

5.3.2 np.random

:: Python Code:

```
np.random.random_sample()
np.random.random_sample(4)
np.random.random_sample([2,4])

# (b - a) * random_sample() + a
a = 3; b = 8
(b-a) *np.random.random_sample([2,4])+a
```

:: Ouput:

5.4 round

Sometimes, we really do not need the scientific decimals for output results. So you can use this function to round an array to the given number of decimals.

:: Python Code:

```
np.round(np.random.random_sample([2,4]),2)
```

:: Ouput:

```
array([[0.76, 0.06, 0.41, 0.4], [0.07, 0.51, 0.84, 0.76]])
```

5.5 TODO...

:: Python Code:

```
:: Python Code:

:: Ouput:

:: Python Code:

:: Ouput:
```

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::	Ouput:
::	Python Code:
::	Ouput:

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DATA STRUCTURES

Note: This Chapter *Data Structures* is for beginner. If you have some Python programming experience, you may skip this chapter.

6.1 List

list is one of data sctructures which is heavily using in my daily work.

6.1.1 Create list

1. Create empty list

The empty list is used to initialize a list.

:: Python Code:

```
my_list = []
type(my_list)
```

:: Ouput:

```
list
```

I applied the empty list to initialize my silhouette score list when I try to find the optimal number of the clusters.

:: Example:

```
min_cluster = 3
max_cluster =8
```

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```
# silhouette_score
scores = []

for i in range(min_cluster, max_cluster):
    score = np.round(np.random.random_sample(),2)
    scores.append(score)

print(scores)
```

:: Ouput:

```
[0.16, 0.2, 0.3, 0.87, 0.59]
```

6.1.2 Unpack list

:: Example:

```
num = [1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10]
print(*num)
```

:: Ouput:

```
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
```

6.1.3 Methods of list objects

Methods of list objects:

Name	Description
list. append (x)	Add an item to the end of the list
list. extend(iterable)	Extend the list by appending all
list.insert(i, x)	Insert an item at a given position
list. remove(x)	Remove the first item
list. pop([i])	Remove the item at given position
list. clear()	Remove all items from the list
<pre>list. index(x[,s[,e]])</pre>	Return zero-based index in the list
list. count (x)	Return the number of times x
list. sort (key, reverse)	Sort the items of the list
list. reverse()	Reverse the elements of the list
list. copy ()	Return a shallow copy ¹ of list

¹ Shallow Copy vs Deep Copy Reference: https://stackoverflow.com/posts/184780/revisions

6.1.4 list.append(x) vs. list.extend(iterable)

The difference of list. append(x) vs. list. extend(iterable) is easy to understand from the example below:

:: Example:

```
list1 = ['A','B','C']
list2 = ['D','E','F']
list1.append(list2)
print(list1)
```

:: Ouput:

```
['A', 'B', 'C', ['D', 'E', 'F']]
```

:: Example:

```
list1 = ['A','B','C']
list2 = ['D','E','F']
list1.extend(list2)
print(list1)
```

:: Ouput:

```
['A', 'B', 'C', 'D', 'E', 'F']
```

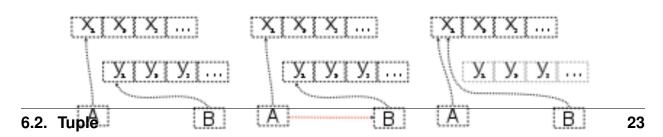
6.2 Tuple

A tuple is an assortment of data, separated by commas, which makes it similar to the Python list, but a tuple is fundamentally different in that a tuple is "immutable." This means that it cannot be changed, modified, or manipulated.

6.3 Dictionary

dict is one of another data sctructures which is heavily using in my daily work. I heavily applied the dict in my PyAudit package, more details can be found at PyAudit.

Shallow copy:



6.3.1 Create dict from lists

:: Example:

```
col_names = ['name','Age', 'Sex', 'Car']
col_values = ['Michael', '30', 'Male', ['Honda','Tesla']]
#
d = {key: value for key, value in zip(col_names, col_values)}
print(d)
#
import pandas as pd

df = pd.DataFrame(d)
print(df)
```

:: Ouput:

6.3.2 dict.get()

When get () is called, Python checks if the specified key exists in the dict. If it does, then get () returns the value of that key. If the key does not exist, then get () returns the value specified in the second argument to get (). A good application of get () can be found at *Update Keys in Dict*.

:: Example:

```
data1 = d.get("name", "best")
data2 = d.get("names", "George")
print(data1) # Michael
print(data2) # George
```

:: Ouput:

```
Michael
George
```

6.3.3 Looping Techniques

:: Example:

```
print([(key, val) for key, val in d.items()])
```

:: Ouput:

6.3.4 Update Values in Dict

1. Replace values in dict

:: Example:

```
replace = {'Car': ['Tesla S', 'Tesla X']}
print(d)
d.update(replace)
print(d)
```

:: Ouput:

```
{'name': 'Michael', 'Age': '30', 'Sex': 'Male', 'Car

→': ['Honda', 'Tesla']}
{'name': 'Michael', 'Age': '30', 'Sex': 'Male', 'Car

→': ['Tesla S', 'Tesla X']}
```

2. Add key and values in dict

:: Example:

```
# add key and values in dict
added = {'Kid': ['Tom', 'Jim']}
print(d)
d.update(added)
print(d)
```

:: Ouput:

```
{'name': 'Michael', 'Age': '30', 'Sex': 'Male', 'Car

→': ['Tesla S', 'Tesla X']}
{'name': 'Michael', 'Age': '30', 'Sex': 'Male', 'Car

→': ['Tesla S', 'Tesla X'], 'Kid': ['Tom', 'Jim']}
```

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6.3.5 Update Keys in Dict

:: Example:

```
# update keys in dict
mapping = {'Car': 'Cars', 'Kid': 'Kids'}
#
print({mapping.get(key, key): val for key, val in d.items()})
```

:: Ouput:

```
{'name': 'Michael', 'Age': '30', 'Sex': 'Male', 'Car': [

'Tesla S', 'Tesla X'], 'Kid': ['Tom', 'Jim']}

{'name': 'Michael', 'Age': '30', 'Sex': 'Male', 'Cars': [

'Tesla S', 'Tesla X'], 'Kids': ['Tom', 'Jim']}
```

6.4 One line if-else statement

6.4.1 With filter

::syntax:

```
[ RESUT for x in seq if COND ]
```

:: Python Code:

```
num = [1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10]
[x for x in num if x%2 ==0]
```

:: Ouput:

```
[2, 4, 6, 8, 10]
```

6.4.2 Without filter

::syntax:

```
[ RESUT1 if COND1 else RESUT2 if COND2 else RESUT3 for x in_ seq]
```

:: Python Code:

```
num = [1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10]

['Low' if 1<= x <=3 else 'Median' if 3<x<8 else 'High' for x

in num]
```

:: Ouput:

```
['Low',
  'Low',
  'Low',
  'Median',
  'Median',
  'Median',
  'Median',
  'High',
  'High',
  'High']
```

[VanderPlas2016] [McKinney2013]

DATA READ AND INGESTION WITH DATABASE

7.1 Data Ingestion from Local to DataBase

```
# User Information
try:
   login = pd.read_csv(r'login.txt', header=None)
   user = login[0][0]
   pw = login[0][1]
   print('User information is ready!')
except:
   print('Login information is not available!!!')
# Database information
host = '##.###.##'
db_name = 'db_name'
table_name = 'table_name'
# Setup connection
conn = psycopg2.connect(host=host, database=db_name, user=user,_
→password=pw)
cur = conn.cursor()
# Creat table in DataBase
conn.commit()
query = """
   DROP TABLE IF EXISTS {table name};
   CREATE TABLE {table_name}
    ( id character varying(20)
      , val1 double precision
      , val2 double precision
      , val3 double precision
      , val4 text
   DISTRIBUTED BY (id);
```

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```
GRANT SELECT ON TABLE {table_name} TO xxxx;
    """.format(table_name=table_name)
cur.execute(query)
conn.commit()
# load the data
df = pd.read_csv('xx.csv')
# Write dataframe to memory as csv
csv_io = io.StringIO()
df.to_csv(csv_io, sep='\t', header=True, index=False)
csv io.seek(0)
# Copy the dataframe in memory to GP
conn.commit()
copy_sql = """
           COPY {table_name} FROM stdin WITH CSV HEADER
           DELIMITER as '\t'
           """.format(table_name=table_name)
cur.copy_expert(sql=copy_sql, file=csv_io)
conn.commit()
```

Note: You can also use copy_to to copy the dataframe from local memory to GP

```
cur.copy_to(df, table_name)
```

7.2 Data Read from DataBase to Local

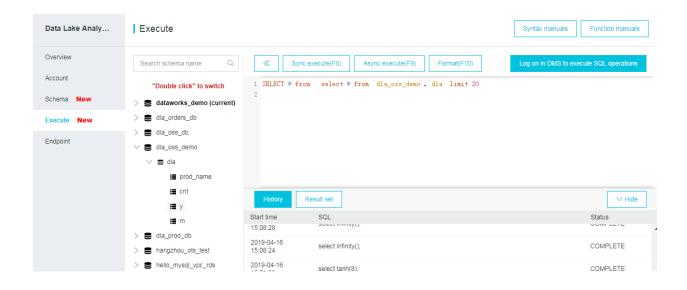
```
# User information
try:
    login = pd.read_csv(r'login.txt', header=None)
    user = login[0][0]
    pw = login[0][1]
    print('User information is ready!')
except:
    print('Login information is not available!!!')

# Database information
host = '##.###.##"
db_name = 'db_name'
```

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7.3 Hive and Impala Tabel Ingestion





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PD.DATAFRAME MANIPULATION

Note: This Chapter *Notebooks* is for beginner. If you have some Python programming experience, you may skip this chapter.

8.1 TODO...

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RDD. DATAFRAME MANIPULATION

Note: This Chapter *Notebooks* is for beginner. If you have some Python programming experience, you may skip this chapter.

9.1 TODO...

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PD. DATAFRAME VS PYSPARK DATAFRAME

10.1 Create DataFrame

10.1.1 From List

```
my_list = [['a', 1, 2], ['b', 2, 3],['c', 3, 4]]
col_name = ['A', 'B', 'C']
```

:: Python Code:

```
# caution for the columns=
pd.DataFrame(my_list,columns= col_name)
#
spark.createDataFrame(my_list, col_name).show()
```

:: Comparison:

Attention: Pay attentation to the parameter columns= in pd.DataFrame. Since the default value will make the list as rows.

```
:: Python Code:
```

```
# caution for the columns=
pd.DataFrame(my_list, columns= col_name)
#
pd.DataFrame(my_list, col_name)
```

```
:: Comparison:

A B C 0 1 2
0 a 1 2 A a 1 2
1 b 2 3 B b 2 3
2 c 3 4 C c 3 4
```

10.1.2 From Dict

```
d = {'A': [0, 1, 0],

'B': [1, 0, 1],

'C': [1, 0, 0]}
```

:: Python Code:

:: Comparison:

10.2 Load DataFrame

10.2.1 From DataBase

Most of time, you need to share your code with your colleagues or release your code for Code Review or Quality assurance(QA). You will definitely do not want to have your User Information in the code. So you can save them in login.txt:

```
runawayhorse001
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```

and use the following code to import your User Information:

```
#User Information
try:
    login = pd.read_csv(r'login.txt', header=None)
    user = login[0][0]
    pw = login[0][1]
    print('User information is ready!')
except:
    print('Login information is not available!!!')

#Database information
host = '##.###.##".##"
db_name = 'db_name'
table_name = 'table_name'
```

:: Comparison:

Attention: Reading tables from Database with PySpark needs the proper drive for the corresponding Database. For example, the above demo needs org.postgresql.Driver and you need to download it and put it in jars folder of your spark installation path. I download postgresql-42.1.1.jar from the official website and put it in jars folder.

10.2.2 From .csv

:: Comparison:

10.2.3 From . json

Data from: http://api.luftdaten.info/static/v1/data.json

```
dp = pd.read_json("data/data.json")
ds = spark.read.json('data/data.json')
```

:: Python Code:

```
dp[['id','timestamp']].head(4)
#
ds[['id','timestamp']].show(4)
```

```
id
→timestamp|
         id timestamp
0 2994551481 2019-02-28 17:23:52
                                        |2994551481|2019-02-28

→17:23:52 |

2994551482 2019-02-28 17:23:52
                                        |2994551482|2019-02-28...

→17:23:52 |

 2994551483 2019-02-28 17:23:52
                                        |2994551483|2019-02-28...
→17:23:52|
3 2994551484 2019-02-28 17:23:52
                                        |2994551484|2019-02-28
→17:23:52|
                                         only showing top 4 rows
```

10.3 First n Rows

:: Python Code:

```
dp.head(4)
#
ds.show(4)
```

:: Comparison:

```
TV|Radio|Newspaper|Sales|
                               +----+
    TV Radio Newspaper Sales
0 230.1 37.8
                69.2
                     22.1
                               |230.1| 37.8|
                                             69.2| 22.1|
1 44.5 39.3
                45.1 10.4
                               | 44.5| 39.3|
                                            45.1 | 10.4 |
 17.2 45.9
                69.3 9.3
                               | 17.2| 45.9|
                                             69.3| 9.3|
3 151.5 41.3
                58.5 18.5
                               |151.5| 41.3|
                                            58.5| 18.5|
                               +----+
                               only showing top 4 rows
```

10.4 Column Names

:: Python Code:

```
dp.columns
#
ds.columns
```

:: Comparison:

```
Index(['TV', 'Radio', 'Newspaper', 'Sales'], dtype='object')
['TV', 'Radio', 'Newspaper', 'Sales']
```

10.5 Data types

:: Python Code:

```
dp.dtypes
#
ds.dtypes
```

:: Comparison:

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```
TV float64 [('TV', 'double'),
Radio float64 ('Radio', 'double'),
Newspaper float64 ('Newspaper', 'double'),
Sales float64 ('Sales', 'double')]
dtype: object
```

10.6 Replace Data types

```
col1 object
col2 int64
col3 int64
dtype: object
```

:: Python Code:

10.7 Fill Null

```
my_list = [['a', 1, None], ['b', 2, 3],['c', 3, 4]]
dp = pd.DataFrame(my_list, columns=['A', 'B', 'C'])
ds = spark.createDataFrame(my_list, ['A', 'B', 'C'])
#
dp.head()
ds.show()
```

:: Comparison:

```
+----+
| A | B | C |
| A | B | C |
| The state of the sta
```

:: Python Code:

```
dp.fillna(-99)
#
ds.fillna(-99).show()
```

:: Comparison:

```
+----+--+
| A | B | C |
| A | B | C |
| The state of the
```

10.8 Replace Values

:: Python Code:

```
# caution: you need to chose specific col
dp.A.replace(['male', 'female'],[1, 0], inplace=True)
dp
#caution: Mixed type replacements are not supported
ds.na.replace(['male','female'],['1','0']).show()
```

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:: Comparison:

10.9 Rename Columns

10.9.1 Rename all columns

:: Python Code:

```
dp.columns = ['a','b','c','d']
dp.head(4)
#
ds.toDF('a','b','c','d').show(4)
```

:: Comparison:

10.9.2 Rename one or more columns

```
mapping = {'Newspaper':'C','Sales':'D'}
```

:: Python Code:

```
dp.rename(columns=mapping).head(4)
#
new_names = [mapping.get(col,col) for col in ds.columns]
ds.toDF(*new_names).show(4)
```

:: Comparison:

Note: You can also use withColumnRenamed to rename one column in PySpark.

:: Python Code:

```
ds.withColumnRenamed('Newspaper','Paper').show(4
```

:: Comparison:

```
+----+
| TV|Radio|Paper|Sales|
+----+
|230.1| 37.8| 69.2| 22.1|
|44.5| 39.3| 45.1| 10.4|
|17.2| 45.9| 69.3| 9.3|
|151.5| 41.3| 58.5| 18.5|
+----+----+
only showing top 4 rows
```

10.10 Drop Columns

```
drop_name = ['Newspaper','Sales']
```

:: Python Code:

```
dp.drop(drop_name,axis=1).head(4)
#
ds.drop(*drop_name).show(4)
```

```
+----+
| TV|Radio|
TV Radio +----+
0 230.1 37.8 | 230.1| 37.8|
1 44.5 39.3 | 44.5| 39.3|
2 17.2 45.9 | 17.2| 45.9|
3 151.5 41.3 | 151.5| 41.3|
+----+
only showing top 4 rows
```

10.11 Filter

:: Python Code:

```
dp[dp.Newspaper<20].head(4)
#
ds[ds.Newspaper<20].show(4)</pre>
```

```
→+---+
→TV|Radio|Newspaper|Sales|
    TV Radio Newspaper Sales
                                   +----
→+----+
7 120.2 19.6 11.6 13.2
                                   |120.2| 19.6| 11.
→6 | 13.2 |
8 8.6 2.1 1.0 4.8
                                   | 8.6| 2.1| 1.
→0 | 4.8 |
11 214.7 24.0 4.0 17.4
                                   |214.7| 24.0|
                                                 4.
\rightarrow 0 \mid 17.4 \mid
13 97.5 7.6 7.2 9.7
                                   | 97.5| 7.6| 7.
→2 | 9.7 |
                                    +----
→+---+
                                    only showing top 4 rows
```

:: Python Code:

```
dp[(dp.Newspaper<20)&(dp.TV>100)].head(4)
#
ds[(ds.Newspaper<20)&(ds.TV>100)].show(4)
```

:: Comparison:

				+
↔ ++				l u
→TV Radio	Newspa	per Sales		
TV	Radio	Newspaper	Sales	++
→ ++				
7 120.2	19.6	11.6	13.2	120.2 19.6 11.
→ 6 13.2				
11 214.7	24.0	4.0	17.4	214.7 24.0 4.
→0 17.4				
19 147.3	23.9	19.1	14.6	147.3 23.9 19.
→ 1 14.6				
25 262.9	3.5	19.5	12.0	262.9 3.5 19.
→5 12.0				
				++
→ ++				
				only showing top 4 rows

10.12 With New Column

:: Python Code:

```
+----+

TV Radio | Newspaper | Sales | tv_norm |

TV Radio Newspaper Sales tv_norm +----+

0 230.1 37.8 69.2 22.1 0.007824 | 230.1 | 37.8 | 69.

$\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$
```

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```
1 44.5 39.3 45.1 10.4 0.001513 | 44.5 | 39.3 | 45.

→1 | 10.4 | 0.001513167961643... |

2 17.2 45.9 69.3 9.3 0.000585 | 17.2 | 45.9 | 69.

→3 | 9.3 | 5.848649200061207E-4 |

3 151.5 41.3 58.5 18.5 0.005152 | 151.5 | 41.3 | 58.

→5 | 18.5 | 0.005151571824472517 | +----+

→+----+ only showing top 4 rows
```

:: Python Code:

:: Comparison:

```
+----
<u>-+----</u>
→TV|Radio|Newspaper|Sales|cond|
                                +----
   TV Radio Newspaper Sales cond
→+----+
0 230.1 37.8 69.2 22.1 1
                                |230.1| 37.8| 69.
→2| 22.1| 1|
1 44.5 39.3 45.1 10.4 2 | 44.5 | 39.3 | 45.
→1 | 10.4 | 2 |
2 17.2 45.9
              69.3 9.3 3
                                | 17.2| 45.9|
                                             69.
→3| 9.3| 3|
3 151.5 41.3 58.5 18.5 2 | | 151.5 | 41.3 | 58.
→5 | 18.5 | 2 |
                                 +----
\hookrightarrow+----+
                                 only showing top 4 rows
```

:: Python Code:

```
dp['log_tv'] = np.log(dp.TV)
dp.head(4)
#
ds.withColumn('log_tv',F.log(ds.TV)).show(4)
```

:: Comparison:

```
+----
→+----+
                     log_tv|
→TV|Radio|Newspaper|Sales|
  TV Radio Newspaper Sales log_tv +----+
→+----+
0 230.1 37.8 69.2 22.1 5.438514 |230.1| 37.8| 69.
→2 | 22.1 | 5.43851399704132 |
1 44.5 39.3 45.1 10.4 3.795489 | 44.5 | 39.3 | 45.
\rightarrow 1 | 10.4 | 3.7954891891721947 |
2 17.2 45.9 69.3 9.3 2.844909 | 17.2 | 45.9 |
                                              69.
\rightarrow3| 9.3|2.8449093838194073|
3 151.5 41.3 58.5 18.5 5.020586 |151.5| 41.3| 58.
→5 | 18.5 | 5.020585624949423 |
                                  +----
→+----+
                                  only showing top 4 rows
```

:: Python Code:

```
dp['tv+10'] = dp.TV.apply(lambda x: x+10)
dp.head(4)
#
ds.withColumn('tv+10', ds.TV+10).show(4)
```

				++
→ ++				1
→TV Radio Newsp	aper Sales	tv+10		_
TV Radio	Newspaper	Sales	tv+10	+
→ ++				
0 230.1 37.8	69.2	22.1	240.1	230.1 37.8 69.
→2 22.1 240.1				
1 44.5 39.3	45.1	10.4	54.5	44.5 39.3 45.
→1 10.4 54.5				
2 17.2 45.9	69.3	9.3	27.2	17.2 45.9 69.
→3 9.3 27.2				
3 151.5 41.3	58.5	18.5	161.5	151.5 41.3 58.
→5 18.5 161.5				
				+
→ ++				
				only showing top 4 rows

10.13 Join

```
С
  Α
      В
           D
                            Α
                               F
                                   G
                                     Н
 Α0
    B0 C0 D0
                         4 A0 B4
                                  C4 D4
    B1 C1 D1
                         5
                               B5 C5
1
 A1
                           A1
                                     D5
2
 A2 B2 C2 D2
                         6 A6 B6 C6
                                    D6
3 A3 B3 C3 D3
                         7 A7 B7 C7 D7
```

10.13.1 Left Join

:: Python Code:

:: Comparison:

```
+---+---+----
\hookrightarrow +
                                   | A| B| C| D| F| G|
→H |
      B C D
   Α
                 F G
                          Н
\hookrightarrow +
0 A0
     B0 C0 D0
                 В4
                      C4
                          D4
                                  | A0| B0| C0| D0| B4| C4|
→D4 |
1 A1
     B1 C1 D1
                 В5
                      C5
                          D5
                                  | A1| B1| C1| D1| B5| C5|
→D5|
```

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10.13.2 Right Join

:: Python Code:

:: Comparison:

```
+---+---+----+----+----+----+---
\hookrightarrow+
                                    | A| B| C| D| F| G|
→H |
          C D
                  F G
                                  +---+---+----
\hookrightarrow +
0 A0
      В0
           C0
              D0 B4 C4 D4
                                  | A0| B0| C0| D0| B4| C4|
→D4 |
1 A1
                                 | A1| B1| C1| D1| B5| C5|
      В1
           С1
              D1
                  B5 C5 D5
→D5|
2 A6
                                  | A6|null|null|null| B6| C6|,
     NaN
         NaN
              NaN
                  B6 C6
                         D6
→D6 |
3 A7
                                  | A7|null|null|null| B7| C7|...
     Nan Nan B7 C7 D7
→D7 |
                                   +---+---+---
\hookrightarrow+
```

10.13.3 Inner Join

:: Python Code:

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:: Comparison:

```
+---+
                      | A| B| C| D| F| G| H|
                      +---+
    В
       С
         D
            F
               G
                  Η
 Α
ΑO
   В0
      C0
         D0
            В4
               C4
                  D4
                     | A0 | B0 | C0 | D0 | B4 | C4 | D4 |
A1
   В1
      C1
         D1
            В5
              C5
                  D5
                     | A1| B1| C1| D1| B5| C5| D5|
                      +---+--+
```

10.13.4 Full Join

:: Python Code:

```
| A| B| C| D| F| G|
→ H |
                          G
                                      +---+---+-
        В
             С
                 D
                     F
                                Η
   Α
\hookrightarrow ---+
                          C4
                                                     D0| B4| C4|
0 A0
       В0
            C0
                 D0
                      В4
                               D4
                                      | A0 |
                                             B0 |
                                                 C0|
→ D4 |
1 A1
            C1
                          C5
                                      | A1|
                                             B1| C1| D1| B5| C5|
       В1
                 D1
                      В5
                               D5

→ D5 |

2 A2
       В2
            C2
                 D2
                     NaN
                         NaN
                                      | A2|
                                            B2| C2|
                              NaN
→D2|null|null|null|
3 A3
       ВЗ
            С3
                 D3
                                      | A3| B3| C3| _
                     NaN
                         NaN
                              NaN
→D3|null|null|null|
4 A6
      NaN
          NaN
                     В6
                          С6
                               D6
                                      | A6|null|null|null| B6| C6|
→ D6 |
5 A7 NaN NaN NaN
                          C7
                               D7
                                      | A7|null|null|null| B7| C7|
                     В7
→ D7 |
                                      +---+---+----+-
\hookrightarrow ---+
```

10.14 Concat Columns

```
col1 col2 col3
           2
                 3
1
    b
           5
                 6
2
    С
         8
3
           2
                 3
    а
4
          5
                6
    b
5
   С
```

:: Python Code:

```
dp['concat'] = dp.apply(lambda x:'%s%s'%(x['col1'],x['col2']),axis=1)
dp
#
ds.withColumn('concat',F.concat('col1','col2')).show()
```

```
+---+
                             |col1|col2|col3|concat|
 col1 col2 col3 concat
                             +---+
       2
            3
                                a|
                                   2 |
                                       3 |
       5
1
   b
           6
               b5
                               b|
                                   5 |
                                       6 |
                                          b5|
2
   С
       8
           9
               с8
                                C
                                   8 |
                                       9 |
                                          c8|
3
       2
           3
   а
               a2
                                a|
                                   2 | 3 |
                                          a2|
       5
4
   b
           6
                b5
                               b|
                                   5| 6|
                                          b5|
5
      8
           9
                                c| 8| 9|
   С
                С8
                                           c8|
                             +---+
```

10.15 GroupBy

:: Python Code:

```
dp.groupby(['col1']).agg({'col2':'min','col3':'mean'})
#
ds.groupBy(['col1']).agg({'col2': 'min', 'col3': 'avg'}).show()
```

:: Comparison:

			++
	col2	col3	<pre> col1 min(col2) avg(col3) </pre>
col1			++
a	2	3	c 8 9.0
b	5	6	b 5 6.0
С	8	9	a 2 3.0
			++

10.16 Pivot

:: Python Code:

10.17 Unixtime to Date

:: Python Code:

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KAGGLE COMPETITIONS

Chinese proverb

practice makes perfect.

11.1 TODO..

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PACKAGE WRAPPER

It's super easy to wrap your own package in Python. I packed some functions which I frequently used in my daily work. You can download and install it from My ststspy library. The hierarchical structure and the directory structure of this package are as follows.

12.1 Hierarchical Structure

```
README.md
____init__.py
__ requirements.txt
__ setup.py
__ statspy
____init__.py
__ basics.py
__ tests.py
__ test
___ nb
____ t.test.ipynb
__ test1.py

3 directories, 9 files
```

From the above hierarchical structure, you will find that you have to have __init__.py in each directory. I will explain the __init__.py file with the example below:

12.2 Set Up

```
from setuptools import setup, find_packages
try:
   with open("README.md") as f:
        long_description = f.read()
except IOError:
   long_description = ""
try:
   with open("requirements.txt") as f:
        requirements = [x.strip() for x in f.read().splitlines() if x.
→strip()]
except IOError:
    requirements = []
setup(name='statspy',
      install_requires=requirements,
      version='1.0',
      description='Statistics python library',
      author='Wengiang Feng',
      author_email='von198@gmail.com',
      license="MIT",
      url='git@github.com:runawayhorse001/statspy.git',
      packages=find_packages(),
      long_description=long_description,
      long_description_content_type="text/markdown",
      classifiers=[
        "License :: OSI Approved :: MIT License",
        "Programming Language :: Python",
        "Programming Language :: Python :: 2",
        "Programming Language :: Python :: 3",
      include_package_data=True
```

12.3 Requirements

```
pandas
numpy
scipy
patsy
matplotlib
```

12.4 ReadMe

```
# StatsPy
This is my statistics python library repositories.
The ``API`` can be found at: https://runawayhorse001.github.io/statspy.
If you want to colne and install it, you can use
- clone
```{bash}
git clone git@github.com:runawayhorse001/statspy.git
- install
```{bash}
cd statspy
pip install -r requirements.txt
python setup.py install
- uninstall
```{bash}
pip uninstall statspy
- test
```{bash}
cd statspy/test
python test1.py
```

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PUBLISH PACKAGE TO PYPI

In this chapter, you'll learn how to upload your own package to PyPI.

13.1 Register PyPI account

If you do not have a PyPI accout, you need to register an account at https://pypi.org/account/register

13.2 Install twine

```
pip install twine
```

13.3 Build Your Package

```
python setup.py sdist bdist_wheel
```

Then you will get a new folder dist:

```
. PyAudit-1.0-py3-none-any.whl PyAudit-1.0-py3.6.egg
PyAudit-1.0.tar.gz
```

13.4 Upload Your Package

twine upload dist/*

During the uploading processing, you need to provide your PyPI account username and password:

```
Enter your username: runawayhorse001
Enter your password:
```

13.5 Package at PyPI

Here is my PyAudit package at [PyPI](https://pypi.org/project/PyAudit). You can install PyAudit using:

pip install PyAudit

FOURTEEN

MODEL DEPLOYMENT WITH FLASK

In this chapter, you'll learn how to deployment your model with flask. The main idea and code (I made some essential modification to make it work for Python 3) are from the Git repo:https://github.com/llSourcell/how_to_deploy_a_keras_model_to_production. So the copyright belongs to the original author.

14.1 Install flask

pip install Flask

14.2 Train and Save your model

You can use the following code to train and save your CNN model:

```
#python 2/3 compatibility
from __future__ import print_function
#simplified interface for building models
import keras
#our handwritten character labeled dataset
from keras.datasets import mnist
#because our models are simple
from keras.models import Sequential
#dense means fully connected layers, dropout is a technique to improve,
-convergence, flatten to reshape our matrices for feeding
#into respective layers
from keras.layers import Dense, Dropout, Flatten
#for convolution (images) and pooling is a technique to help choose.
→the most relevant features in an image
from keras.layers import Conv2D, MaxPooling2D
from keras import backend as K
```

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```
#mini batch gradient descent ftw
batch\_size = 128
#10 difference characters
num_classes = 10
#very short training time
epochs = 12
#input image dimensions
#28x28 pixel images.
img_rows, img_cols = 28, 28
#the data downloaded, shuffled and split between train and test sets
#if only all datasets were this easy to import and format
(x_train, y_train), (x_test, y_test) = mnist.load_data()
#this assumes our data format
#For 3D data, "channels_last" assumes (conv_dim1, conv_dim2, conv_dim3,
→ channels) while
#"channels_first" assumes (channels, conv_dim1, conv_dim2, conv_dim3).
if K.image_data_format() == 'channels_first':
    x_train = x_train.reshape(x_train.shape[0], 1, img_rows, img_cols)
   x_test = x_test.reshape(x_test.shape[0], 1, img_rows, img_cols)
   input_shape = (1, img_rows, img_cols)
else:
   x_train = x_train.reshape(x_train.shape[0], img_rows, img_cols, 1)
    x_test = x_test.reshape(x_test.shape[0], img_rows, img_cols, 1)
    input_shape = (img_rows, img_cols, 1)
#more reshaping
x_train = x_train.astype('float32')
x_test = x_test.astype('float32')
x_train /= 255
x_test /= 255
print('x_train shape:', x_train.shape)
print(x_train.shape[0], 'train samples')
print(x_test.shape[0], 'test samples')
#convert class vectors to binary class matrices
y_train = keras.utils.to_categorical(y_train, num_classes)
y_test = keras.utils.to_categorical(y_test, num_classes)
#build our model
model = Sequential()
```

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```
#convolutional layer with rectified linear unit activation
model.add(Conv2D(32, kernel_size=(3, 3),
                 activation='relu',
                 input_shape=input_shape))
#again
model.add(Conv2D(64, (3, 3), activation='relu'))
#choose the best features via pooling
model.add(MaxPooling2D(pool_size=(2, 2)))
#randomly turn neurons on and off to improve convergence
model.add(Dropout(0.25))
#flatten since too many dimensions, we only want a classification...
→output
model.add(Flatten())
#fully connected to get all relevant data
model.add(Dense(128, activation='relu'))
#one more dropout for convergence' sake :)
model.add(Dropout(0.5))
#output a softmax to squash the matrix into output probabilities
model.add(Dense(num_classes, activation='softmax'))
#Adaptive learning rate (adaDelta) is a popular form of gradient_
→descent rivaled only by adam and adagrad
#categorical ce since we have multiple classes (10)
model.compile(loss=keras.losses.categorical_crossentropy,
              optimizer=keras.optimizers.Adadelta(),
              metrics=['accuracy'])
#train
model.fit(x_train, y_train,
         batch_size=batch_size,
          epochs=epochs,
          verbose=1,
          validation_data=(x_test, y_test))
#how well did it do?
score = model.evaluate(x_test, y_test, verbose=0)
print('Test loss:', score[0])
print('Test accuracy:', score[1])
#Save the model
# serialize model to JSON
model_json = model.to_json()
with open ("model.json", "w") as json_file:
    json_file.write(model_json)
# serialize weights to HDF5
model.save_weights("model.h5")
print("Saved model to disk")
```

14.3 Deplyment with Flask

```
#our web app framework!
#you could also generate a skeleton from scratch via
#http://flask-appbuilder.readthedocs.io/en/latest/installation.html
#Generating HTML from within Python is not fun, and actually pretty...
→cumbersome because you have to do the
#HTML escaping on your own to keep the application secure. Because of,
→that Flask configures the Jinja2 template engine
#for you automatically.
#requests are objects that flask handles (get set post, etc)
from flask import Flask, render_template, request
#scientific computing library for saving, reading, and resizing images
#from scipy.misc import imsave, imread, imresize
# import cv2 library for saving, reading, and resizing images
import cv2
#for matrix math
import numpy as np
#for importing our keras model
import keras.models
#for regular expressions, saves time dealing with string data
import re
# for convert base64 string to image
import base64
#system level operations (like loading files)
import sys
#for reading operating system data
import os
#tell our app where our saved model is
sys.path.append(os.path.abspath("./model"))
from load import *
#initalize our flask app
app = Flask(__name___)
#global vars for easy reusability
global model, graph
#initialize these variables
model, graph = init()
#decoding an image from base64 into raw representation
def convertImage(imgData1):
        imgData1 = imgData1.decode("utf-8")
        imgstr = re.search(r'base64, (.*)', imgData1).group(1)
        #print(imgstr)
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```
imgstr_64 = base64.b64decode(imgstr)
        with open ('output/output.png', 'wb') as output:
                output.write(imgstr_64)
@app.route('/')
def index():
        #initModel()
        #render out pre-built HTML file right on the index page
        return render_template("index.html")
@app.route('/predict/', methods=['GET', 'POST'])
def predict():
        #whenever the predict method is called, we're going
        #to input the user drawn character as an image into the model
        #perform inference, and return the classification
        #get the raw data format of the image
        imgData = request.get_data()
        #print(imgData)
        #encode it into a suitable format
        convertImage(imgData)
        print("debug")
        #read the image into memory
        x = cv2.imread('output/output.png',0)
        #compute a bit-wise inversion so black becomes white and vice_
→versa
        x = np.invert(x)
        #make it the right size
        x = cv2.resize(x, (28, 28))
        \#imshow(x)
        #convert to a 4D tensor to feed into our model
        x = x.reshape(1, 28, 28, 1)
        print("debug2")
        #in our computation graph
        with graph.as_default():
                #perform the prediction
                out = model.predict(x)
                #print(out)
                print (np.argmax (out, axis=1))
                print("debug3")
                #convert the response to a string
                response = np.array_str(np.argmax(out,axis=1))
                return response
```

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```
if __name__ == "__main__":
    #decide what port to run the app in
    port = int(os.environ.get('PORT', 5000))
    #run the app locally on the givn port
    app.run(host='0.0.0.0', port=port)
    #optional if we want to run in debugging mode
    #app.run(debug=False)
```

14.4 Lunch your app on server

14.4.1 1. Lunch the APP

```
python app.py
```

14.4.2 2. Run the APP

Open the browser with: http://0.0.0.0:5000



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API BOOK

If you developed an amazing library or tool, you need to teach the users how to use it. Now a API book is necessary and a good API book will save a lot of time for the users. The Sphinx provides an awesome auto API book generator. The followings are my statistics python library: statspy API demo book:

15.1 Basics Module

15.1.1 rnorm

statspy.basics.rnorm(n, mean=0, sd=1)

Random generation for the normal distribution with mean equal to mean and standard deviation equation to sd same functions as rnorm in r: rnorm (n, mean=0, sd=1)

Parameters

- \mathbf{n} the number of the observations
- mean vector of means
- **sd** vector of standard deviations

Returns the vector of the random numbers

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15.1.2 dnorm

```
statspy.basics.dnorm (x, mean=0, sd=1, log=False)
```

Density of the normal distribution with mean equal to mean and standard deviation equation to sd same functions as rnorm in r: dnorm (x, mean=0, sd=1, log=FALSE)

Parameters

- \mathbf{x} the vector od quantiles
- mean vector of means
- sd vector of standard deviations

Returns the list of the density

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15.1.3 runif

```
statspy.basics.runif(n, min=0, max=1)
```

Random generation from the uniform distribution same functions as rnorm in r: runif (n, min=0, max=1)

Parameters

- \mathbf{n} the number of the observations
- min the lower limit of the distribution
- max the upper limit of the distribution

Returns the list of n uniform random numers

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15.2 Tests Module

15.2.1 T-test

```
statspy.tests.t_test (x, y=None, mu=0.0, conf_level=0.95)

Performs one and two sample t-tests on vectors of data.

same functions as t.test in r: t.test (x, ...)

t.test(x, y = NULL,
```

```
alternative = c("two.sided", "less", "greater"),
mu = 0, paired = FALSE, var.equal = FALSE,
conf.level = 0.95, ...)
```

Parameters

- \mathbf{x} a (non-empty) numeric vector of data values.
- y an optional (non-empty) numeric vector of data values.
- mu vector of standard deviations.
- conf_level confidence level of the interval.

Returns the vector of the random numbers.

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