## **MERGE**

\* Merging two datasets is the process of bringing two datasets together into one, and aligning the rows from each based on common attributes or columns.

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In [1]: import pandas as pd
executed in 454ms, finished 10:49:23 2021-10-26
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```
In [21]: employee_details_1
    executed in 8ms, finished 11:21:21 2021-10-26
```

#### Out[21]:

employee		group	
0	Bob	Accounting	
1	Jake	Engineering	
2	Lisa	Engineering	
3	Sue	HR	

```
In [22]: employee_details_2
executed in 7ms, finished 11:21:22 2021-10-26
```

#### Out[22]:

employee		hire_date
0	Lisa	2004
1	Bob	2008
2	Jake	2012
3	Sue	2014

## 1] Merge using on

#### Out[23]:

	employee	group	hire_date
0	Bob	Accounting	2008
1	Jake	Engineering	2012
2	Lisa	Engineering	2004
3	Sue	HR	2014

# 2] Using left on and right on

#### Out[47]:

employee		employee	group	name	hire_date
	0	Bob	Accounting	Bob	2008
	1	Jake	Engineering	Jake	2012
	2	Lisa	Engineering	Lisa	2004
	3	Sue	HR	Sue	2014

# using drop function in merge

```
In [48]: new_employee_details_2.drop('name',axis=1)
    executed in 15ms, finished 11:32:17 2021-10-26
```

Out[48]:

		employee	group	hire_date
	0	Bob	Accounting	2008
	1	Jake	Engineering	2012
	2	Lisa	Engineering	2004
	3	Sue	HR	2014

# 3] Using Right index and Left index

```
In [49]: pd.merge(employee_details_1,employee_details_2,left_index=True,right_index=True)
    executed in 15ms, finished 11:32:18 2021-10-26
```

Out[49]:

employee		group	name	hire_date
0	Bob	Accounting	Lisa	2004
1	Jake	Engineering	Bob	2008
2	Lisa	Engineering	Jake	2012
3	Sue	HR	Sue	2014

# 4] Using how option

```
In [77]: pd.merge(fav_foods,fav_drinks,how='inner') # Using inner option
executed in 23ms, finished 11:52:13 2021-10-26
```

Out[77]:

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name food drink

0 Mary bread wine
```

In [78]: pd.merge(fav\_foods,fav\_drinks,how='outer') # Using outer option (which provides executed in 23ms, finished 11:52:34 2021-10-26

#### Out[78]:

	name	food	drink
0	Peter	fish	NaN
1	Paul	beans	NaN
2	Mary	bread	wine
3	Joseph	NaN	beer

### Out[79]:

name		food	drink
<b>0</b> Mary		bread	wine
1	Joseph	NaN	beer

In [80]: pd.merge(fav\_foods,fav\_drinks,how='left') # Using Left option

executed in 21ms, finished 11:53:08 2021-10-26

#### Out[80]:

		name	food	drink
	0	Peter	fish	NaN
	1	Paul	beans	NaN
	2	Mary	bread	wine

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