pandas-datareader Documentation

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Warning: v0.8.0 is the last version which officially supports Python 2.7. Future versions of pandas_datareader will end support for Python 2.x.

Warning: As of v0.8.0 Robinhood has been immediately deprecated due to large changes in their API and no stable replacement.

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CHAPTER 1

Usage

Starting in 0.19.0, pandas no longer supports pandas.io.data or pandas.io.wb, so you must replace your imports from pandas.io with those from pandas_datareader:

```
from pandas.io import data, wb # becomes
from pandas_datareader import data, wb
```

Many functions from the data module have been included in the top level API.

```
import pandas_datareader as pdr
pdr.get_data_fred('GS10')
```

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Documentation

Stable documentation is available on github.io. A second copy of the stable documentation is hosted on read the docs for more details.

Development documentation is available for the latest changes in master.

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CHAPTER 3

Installation

3.1 Requirements

Using pandas datareader requires the following packages:

- pandas>=0.19.2
- lxml
- requests>=2.3.0

Building the documentation additionally requires:

- matplotlib
- ipython
- requests_cache
- sphinx
- sphinx_rtd_theme

Development and testing additionally requires:

- black
- coverage
- codecov
- · coveralls
- flake8
- pytest
- pytest-cov
- wrapt

3.2 Install latest release version via pip

\$ pip install pandas-datareader

3.3 Install latest development version

\$ pip install git+https://github.com/pydata/pandas-datareader.git

or

\$ git clone https://github.com/pydata/pandas-datareader.git
\$ python setup.py install

CHAPTER 4

Documentation

Contents:

4.1 What's New

These are new features and improvements of note in each release.

4.1.1 v0.8.0 (September 22, 2019)

Highlights include:

- A new connector for Econdb was introduced. Econdb provides aggregated economic data from 90+ official statistical agencies (GH615)
- Migrated IEX readers to IEX Cloud. All readers now require an API token (IEX_API_KEY) (GH638)
- Removal of Google Finance and Morningstar, which were deprecated in 0.7.0
- Immediate deprecation of Robinhood for quotes and historical data. Robinhood ended support for these endpoints in 1/2019

What's new in v0.8.0

- Enhancements
- Backwards incompatible API changes
- Bug Fixes
- Contributors

Enhancements

- Added Tiingo IEX Historical reader. (GH619)
- Added support for Alpha Vantage intraday time series prices (:issue: 631)
- Up to 15 years of historical prices from IEX with new platform, IEX Cloud
- Added testing on Python 3.7 (GH667)
- Allow IEX to read less than 1 year of data (GH649)
- Allow data download from Poland using stooq (GH597)
- All time series readers now use a rolling default starting date (most are 5 years before the current date. Intraday readers are 3-5 days from the current date)

Backwards incompatible API changes

- Immediate deprecation of Robinhood for quotes and historical data. Robinhood ended support for these endpoints in 1/2019. The Robinhood quotes and daily readers will raise an ImmediateDeprecationError when called.
- Usage of all IEX readers requires an IEX Cloud API token, which can be passed as a parameter or stored in the environment variable IEX_API_TOKEN
- Deprecated access_key in favor of api_key in DataReader. (GH693)

Bug Fixes

- Fix Yahoo! actions issue where dividends are adjusted twice as a result of a change to the Yahoo! API. (:issue: 583)
- Fix AlphaVantage time series data ordering after provider switch to descending order (maintains ascending order for consistency). (:issue: 662)
- Refactored compatibility library to be independent of pandas version.
- Fixed quarter value handling in JSDMX and OECD. (GH685)
- Fixed a bug in base so that the reader does not error when response.encoding is None. (GH674)
- Correct EcondbReader's API URL format. (GH670)
- Fix eurostat URL. (GH669)
- Adjust Alphavantage time series reader to account for descending ordering. (GH666)
- Fix bug in downloading index historical constituents. (GH591)
- Fix a bug that occurs when an endpoint returns has no data for a date range. (GH640)

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4.1.2 v0.7.0 (September 11, 2018)

Warning: Google finance and Morningstar for historical price data have been immediately deprecated.

Highlights include:

- Immediate deprecation of Google finance and Morningstar for historical price data, as these API endpoints are no longer supported by their respective providers. Alternate methods are welcome via pull requests, as PDR would like to restore these features.
- Removal of EDGAR, which was deprecated in v0.6.0.

What's new in v0.7.0

- Enhancements
- Backwards incompatible API changes
- Bug Fixes

Enhancements

- A new data connector for data provided by Alpha Vantage was introduced to obtain Foreign Exchange (FX) data. (GH389)
- A new data connector for data provided by Alpha Vantage was introduced to obtain historical time series data.
 (GH389)
- A new data connector for data provided by Alpha Vantage was introduced to obtain sector performance data, accessed through the top-level function get_sector_performance_av. (GH389)
- A new data connector for data provided by Alpha Vantage was introduced to obtain real-time Batch Stock Quotes through the top-level function get_quote_av. (GH389)
- MOEX data connector now supports multiple symbols in constructor. (GH562)

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Backwards incompatible API changes

- Deprecation of Google finance daily reader. Google retired the remaining financial data end point in June 2018. It is not possible to reliably retrieve historical price data without this endpoint. The Google daily reader will raise an *ImmediateDeprecationError* when called.
- Deprecation of Morningstar daily reader. Morningstar ended support for the historical price data endpoint in July 2018. It is not possible to retrieve historical price data without this endpoint. The Morningstar daily reader will raise an *ImmediateDeprecationError* when called.
- When requesting multiple symbols from a DailyReader (ex: google, yahoo, IEX) a MultiIndex DataFrame is now returned. Previously Panel or dict of DataFrames were returned. (GH297).

Bug Fixes

- Fixed import of pandas.compat (GH657)
- Added support for passing the API KEY to QuandlReader either directly or by setting the environmental variable QUANDL API KEY (GH485).
- Added support for optionally passing a custom base_url to the EnigmaReader (GH499).
- Fix Yahoo! price data (GH498).
- Added back support for Yahoo! price, dividends, and splits data for stocks and currency pairs (GH487).
- Add is list like to compatibility layer to avoid failure on pandas >= 0.23 (GH520).
- Fixed Yahoo! time offset (GH487).
- Fix Yahoo! quote reader (:issue: 540).
- Remove import of deprecated tm.get_data_path (:issue: 566)
- Allow full usage of stooq url parameters.
- Removed unused requests-file and requests-ftp dependencies.
- Fix Yahoo! actions issue where the default reporting adjusts dividends. The unadjusted dividends may lack precision due to accumulated numerical error when converting adjusted to the original dividend amount. (:issue: 495)

4.1.3 v0.6.0 (January 24, 2018)

This is a major release from 0.5.0. We recommend that all users upgrade.

Warning: Yahoo!, Google Options, Google Quotes and EDGAR have been immediately deprecated.

Note: Google finance is still functioning for historical price data, although there are frequent reports of failures. Failure is frequently encountered when bulk downloading historical price data.

Highlights include:

• Immediate deprecation of Yahoo!, Google Options and Quotes and EDGAR. The end points behind these APIs have radically changed and the existing readers require complete rewrites. In the case of most Yahoo! data the endpoints have been removed. PDR would like to restore these features, and pull requests are welcome.

- A new connector for Tiingo was introduced. Tiingo provides historical end-of-day data for a large set of equities, ETFs and mutual funds. Free registration is required to get an API key (GH478).
- A new connector for Robinhood was introduced. This provides up to 1 year of historical end-of-day data. It also provides near real-time quotes. (GH477).
- A new connector for Morningstar Open, High, Low, Close and Volume was introduced (GH467)
- A new connector for IEX daily price data was introduced (GH465).
- A new connector for IEX the majority of the IEX API was introduced (GH446).
- A new data connector for stock index data provided by Stooq was introduced (GH447).
- A new data connector for data provided by the Bank of Canada was introduced (GH440).
- A new data connector for data provided by Moscow Exchange (MOEX) introduced (GH381).

What's new in v0.6.0

- Enhancements
- Backwards incompatible API changes
- Bug Fixes
- · Other Changes

Enhancements

- A new data connector for data provided by the Bank of Canada was introduced. (GH440)
- A new data connector for stock index data provided by Stooq was introduced. (GH447)
- A new connector for IEX the majority of the IEX API was introduced (GH446).
- A new connector for IEX daily price data was introduced (GH465).
- A new data connector for stock pricing data provided by Morningstar was introduced. (GH467)
- A new data connector for stock pricing data provided by Robinhood was introduced. (GH477)
- A new data connector for stock pricing data provided by Tiingo was introduced. (GH478)
- A new data connector for data provided by Moscow Exchange was introduced. (GH381).

Backwards incompatible API changes

- Deprecation of Yahoo readers. Yahoo! retired the financial data end points in late 2017. It is not possible to reliably retrieve data from Yahoo! without these endpoints. The Yahoo! readers have been immediately deprecated and will raise an *ImmediateDeprecationError* when called.
- Deprecation of EDGAR readers. EDGAR substantially altered their API. The EDGAR readers have been immediately deprecated and will raise an *ImmediateDeprecationError* when called.
- Google finance data will raise an *UnstableAPIWarning* when first called. Google has also altered their API in a way that makes reading data unreliable. It many call it works. However it also regularly fails, especially when used for bulk downloading. Google may be removed in the future.

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Bug Fixes

- freq parameter was added to the WorldBank connector to address a limitation (GH198, GH449).
- The Enigma data connector was updated to the latest API (GH380).
- The Google finance endpoint was updated to the latest value (GH404).
- The end point for FRED was updated to the latest values (GH436).
- The end point for WorldBank was updated to the latest values (GH456).

Other Changes

- The minimum tested pandas version was increased to 0.19.2 (GH441).
- Added versioneer to simplifying release (GH442).
- Added doctr to automatically build docs for gh-pages (GH459).

4.1.4 v0.5.0 (July 25, 2017)

This is a major release from 0.4.0. We recommend that all users upgrade.

Highlights include:

 Compat with the new Yahoo iCharts API. Yahoo removed the older API, this release restores ability to download from Yahoo. (GH315)

What's new in v0.5.0

- Enhancements
- · Backwards incompatible API changes
- Bug Fixes

Enhancements

• DataReader now supports Quandl, see here (GH361).

Backwards incompatible API changes

Removed Oanda as it became subscription only (GH296).

Bug Fixes

- web sessions are closed properly at the end of use (GH355)
- Handle commas in large price quotes (GH345)
- Test suite fixes for test_get_options_data (GH352)
- Test suite fixes for test_wdi_download (GH350)
- avoid monkey patching requests. Session (GH301)

• get_data_yahoo() now treats 'null' strings as missing values (GH342)

4.1.5 v0.4.0 (May 15, 2017)

This is a major release from 0.3.0 and includes compat with pandas 0.20.1, and some backwards incompatible API changes.

Highlights include:

What's new in v0.4.0

- Enhancements
- Backwards incompatible API changes

Enhancements

- Compat with pandas 0.20.1 (GH304, GH320)
- Switched test framework to use pytest (GH310, GH312)

Backwards incompatible API changes

- Support has been dropped for Python 2.6 and 3.4 (GH313)
- Support has been dropped for *pandas* versions before 0.17.0 (GH313)

4.1.6 v0.3.0 (January 14, 2017)

This is a major release from 0.2.1 and includes new features and a number of bug fixes.

Highlights include:

What's new in v0.3.0

- · New features
 - Other enhancements
- Bug Fixes

New features

- DataReader now supports dividend only pulls from Yahoo! Finance (GH138).
- DataReader now supports downloading mutual fund prices from the Thrift Savings Plan, see here (GH157).
- DataReader now supports Google options data source (GH148).
- DataReader now supports Google quotes (GH188).
- DataReader now supports Enigma dataset. see here (GH245).

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• DataReader now supports downloading a full list of NASDAQ listed symbols. see here (GH254).

Other enhancements

- Eurostat reader now supports larger data returned from API via zip format. (GH205)
- Added support for Python 3.6.
- Added support for pandas 19.2

Bug Fixes

- Fixed bug that caused DataReader to fail if company name has a comma. (GH85).
- Fixed bug in YahooOptions caused as a result of change in yahoo website format. (GH244).

4.1.7 v0.2.1 (November 26, 2015)

This is a minor release from 0.2.0 and includes new features and bug fixes.

Highlights include:

What's new in v0.2.1

- New features
- Backwards incompatible API changes

New features

- DataReader now supports Eurostat data sources, see *here* (GH101).
- Options downloading is approximately 4x faster as a result of a rewrite of the parsing function. (GH122)
- DataReader and Options now support caching, see here (GH110),(GH116),(GH121), (GH122).

Backwards incompatible API changes

• Options columns PctChg and IV (Implied Volatility) are now type float rather than string. (GH122)

4.1.8 v0.2.0 (October 9, 2015)

This is a major release from 0.1.1 and includes new features and a number of bug fixes.

Highlights include:

What's new in v0.2.0

- New features
- Backwards incompatible API changes

• Bug Fixes

New features

- Added latitude and longitude to output of wb.get_countries (GH47).
- Extended DataReader to fetch dividends and stock splits from Yahoo (GH45).
- Added get_available_datasets to famafrench (GH56).
- DataReader now supports OECD data sources, see *here* (GH101).

Backwards incompatible API changes

• Fama French indexes are not Pandas.PeriodIndex for annual and monthly data, and pandas.DatetimeIndex otherwise (GH56).

Bug Fixes

- Update Fama-French URL (GH53)
- Fixed bug where get_quote_yahoo would fail if a company name had a comma (GH85)

4.2 Remote Data Access

Warning: The access_key keyword argument of DataReader has been deprecated in favor of api_key.

Warning: Robinhood has been immediately deprecated. Endpoints from this provider have been retired.

Functions from pandas_datareader.data and pandas_datareader.wb extract data from various Internet sources into a pandas DataFrame. Currently the following sources are supported:

- Tiingo
- IEX
- Alpha Vantage
- Enigma
- Quandl
- St.Louis FED (FRED)
- Kenneth French's data library
- World Bank
- OECD
- Eurostat
- Thrift Savings Plan

- Nasdaq Trader symbol definitions
- Stoog
- MOEX

It should be noted, that various sources support different kinds of data, so not all sources implement the same methods and the data elements returned might also differ.

4.2.1 Tiingo

Tiingo is a tracing platform that provides a data api with historical end-of-day prices on equities, mutual funds and ETFs. Free registration is required to get an API key. Free accounts are rate limited and can access a limited number of symbols (500 at the time of writing).

```
In [1]: import os
In [2]: import pandas_datareader as pdr
In [3]: df = pdr.get_data_tiingo('GOOG', api_key=os.getenv('TIINGO_API_KEY'))
In [4]: df.head()
                                     high
                             close
                                             low
                                                     open volume adjClose
→adjHigh adjLow adjOpen adjVolume divCash splitFactor
symbol date
GOOG 2014-03-27 00:00:00+00:00 558.46 568.00 552.92 568.000
                                                              13100
                                                                      558.46
→568.00 552.92 568.000 13100 0.0
                                                 1.0
      2014-03-28 00:00:00+00:00 559.99 566.43 558.67 561.200
                                                              41100
                                                                      559.99
→566.43 558.67 561.200 41100
                                      0.0
                                                  1.0
      2014-03-31 00:00:00+00:00 556.97 567.00 556.93 566.890
                                                                      556.97
→567.00 556.93 566.890
                           10800
                                      0.0
                                                  1.0
      2014-04-01 00:00:00+00:00 567.16 568.45 558.71 558.710
                                                                      567.16
→568.45 558.71 558.710 7900
                                      0.0
                                                  1.0
      2014-04-02 00:00:00+00:00 567.00 604.83 562.19 565.106
                                                                      567.00
→604.83 562.19 565.106
                        146700
                                      0.0
                                                  1.0
```

4.2.2 IEX

Warning: Usage of all IEX readers now requires an API key. See below for additional information.

The Investors Exchange (IEX) provides a wide range of data through an API. Historical stock prices are available for up to 15 years. The usage of these readers requires the publishable API key from IEX Cloud Console, which can be stored in the <code>IEX_API_KEY</code> environment variable.

```
In [1]: import pandas_datareader.data as web
In [2]: from datetime import datetime
In [3]: start = datetime(2016, 9, 1)
In [4]: end = datetime(2018, 9, 1)
In [5]: f = web.DataReader('F', 'iex', start, end)
In [6]: f.loc['2018-08-31']
```

```
Out[6]:
open 9.64
high 9.68
low 9.40
close 9.48
volume 76424884.00
Name: 2018-08-31, dtype: float64
```

There are additional interfaces to this API that are directly exposed: tops ('iex-tops') and last ('iex-lasts'). A third interface to the deep API is exposed through Deep class or the get_iex_book function.

Todo: Execute block when markets are open

```
import pandas_datareader.data as web
f = web.DataReader('gs', 'iex-tops')
f[:10]
```

4.2.3 Alpha Vantage

Alpha Vantage provides realtime equities and forex data. Free registration is required to get an API key.

Historical Time Series Data

Through the Alpha Vantage Time Series endpoints, it is possible to obtain historical equities data for individual symbols. For daily, weekly, and monthly frequencies, 20+ years of historical data is available. The past 3-5 days of intraday data is also available.

The following endpoints are available:

- av-intraday Intraday Time Series
- av-daily Daily Time Series
- av-daily-adjusted Daily Time Series (Adjusted)
- av-weekly Weekly Time Series
- av-weekly-adjusted Weekly Time Series (Adjusted)
- av-monthly Monthly Time Series
- av-monthly-adjusted Monthly Time Series (Adjusted)

```
In [1]: import os
In [2]: from datetime import datetime
In [3]: import pandas_datareader.data as web
In [4]: f = web.DataReader("AAPL", "av-daily", start=datetime(2017, 2, 9),
```

The top-level function get_data_alphavantage is also provided. This function will return the TIME_SERIES_DAILY endpoint for the symbol and date range provided.

Quotes

Alpha Vantage Batch Stock Quotes endpoint allows the retrieval of realtime stock quotes for up to 100 symbols at once. These quotes are accessible through the top-level function get_quote_av.

Note: Most quotes are only available during market hours.

Forex

Alpha Vantage provides realtime currency exchange rates (for physical and digital currencies).

To request the exchange rate of physical or digital currencies, simply format as "FROM/TO" as in "USD/JPY".

Multiple pairs are are allowable:

```
In [1]: import os
In [2]: import pandas_datareader.data as web
In [3]: f = web.DataReader(["USD/JPY", "BTC/CNY"], "av-forex",
                          api_key=os.getenv('ALPHAVANTAGE_API_KEY'))
In [4]: f
Out[4]:
                                USD/JPY
                                                    BTC/CNY
From_Currency Code
                                                         BTC
From_Currency Name United States Dollar
                                                     Bitcoin
To_Currency Code
                                   JPY
                                                         CNY
To_Currency Name
                          Japanese Yen Chinese Yuan 108.17000000 72230.38039500
                                              Chinese Yuan
Exchange Rate
Last Refreshed 2019-09-17 10:44:35 2019-09-17 10:44:01
Time Zone
                                                         UTC
Bid Price
                           108.17000000
                                              72226.26407700
Ask Price
                            108.17000000
                                              72230.02554000
```

Sector Performance

Alpha Vantage provides sector performances through the top-level function get_sector_performance_av.

```
In [1]: import os
In [2]: import pandas_datareader.data as web
In [3]: web.get_sector_performance_av().head()
Out[4]:
                                                                     5Y _
              RT
                    1D
                            5D
                                  1M
                                        ЗМ
                                             YTD
                                                  1 Y
                                                             3 Y
→ 10Y
                        4.82% 11.69% 3.37% 9.07% -15.26% -7.69% -32.31%
Energy
           3.29% 3.29%
→ 12.15%
Real Estate 1.02% 1.02% -1.39% 1.26% 3.49% 24.95% 16.55%
                                                           NaN
                                                                     NaN
→ NaN
                                                                  48.41%
Utilities
          0.08% 0.08% 0.72%
                                2.77% 3.72% 18.16% 16.09% 27.95%
→113.09%
Industrials -0.15% -0.15% 2.42%
                                8.59% 5.10% 22.70% 0.50% 34.50%
                                                                  43.53% _
→183.47%
Health Care -0.23% -0.23% 0.88% 1.91% 0.09% 5.20% -2.38% 26.37%
                                                                  43.43%
→216.01%
```

4.2.4 Econdb

Econdb provides economic data from 90+ official statistical agencies. Free API allows access to the complete Econdb database of time series aggregated into datasets.

4.2.5 Enigma

Access datasets from Enigma, the world's largest repository of structured public data. Note that the Enigma URL has changed from app.enigma.io as of release 0.6.0, as the old API deprecated.

Datasets are unique identified by the uuid4 at the end of a dataset's web address. For example, the following code downloads from USDA Food Recalls 1996 Data.

4.2.6 Quandl

Daily financial data (prices of stocks, ETFs etc.) from Quandl. The symbol names consist of two parts: DB name and symbol name. DB names can be all the free ones listed on the Quandl website. Symbol names vary with DB name; for WIKI (US stocks), they are the common ticker symbols, in some other cases (such as FSE) they can be a bit strange. Some sources are also mapped to suitable ISO country codes in the dot suffix style shown above, currently available for BE, CN, DE, FR, IN, JP, NL, PT, UK, US.

As of June 2017, each DB has a different data schema, the coverage in terms of time range is sometimes surprisingly small, and the data quality is not always good.

```
In [1]: import pandas_datareader.data as web
In [2]: symbol = 'WIKI/AAPL' # or 'AAPL.US'
In [3]: df = web.DataReader(symbol, 'quandl', '2015-01-01', '2015-01-05')
In [4]: df.loc['2015-01-02']
Out [4]:
                   High
                           Low Close
            Open
                                           Volume ...
                                                          Adj0pen
                                                                      AdjHigh _
→ AdjLow
             AdjClose AdjVolume
Date
2015-01-02 111.39 111.44 107.35 109.33 53204626.0 ... 105.820966 105.868466
→101.982949 103.863957 53204626.0
```

4.2.7 FRED

```
In [5]: import pandas_datareader.data as web
In [6]: import datetime
In [7]: start = datetime.datetime(2010, 1, 1)
In [8]: end = datetime.datetime(2013, 1, 27)
In [9]: gdp = web.DataReader('GDP', 'fred', start, end)
In [10]: gdp.loc['2013-01-01']
Out[10]:
      16569.591
Name: 2013-01-01 00:00:00, dtype: float64
# Multiple series:
In [11]: inflation = web.DataReader(['CPIAUCSL', 'CPILFESL'], 'fred', start, end)
In [12]: inflation.head()
Out[12]:
           CPIAUCSL CPILFESL
DATE
2010-01-01 217.488 220.633
2010-02-01 217.281 220.731
2010-03-01 217.353 220.783
2010-04-01 217.403
                      220.822
2010-05-01 217.290
                      220.962
```

4.2.8 Fama/French

Access datasets from the Fama/French Data Library. The get_available_datasets function returns a list of all available datasets.

```
In [13]: from pandas_datareader.famafrench import get_available_datasets
```

```
In [14]: import pandas datareader.data as web
In [15]: len(get_available_datasets())
Out[15]: 295
In [16]: ds = web.DataReader('5_Industry_Portfolios', 'famafrench')
In [17]: print(ds['DESCR'])
5 Industry Portfolios
This file was created by CMPT_IND_RETS using the 201907 CRSP database. It contains.
→value- and equal-weighted returns for 5 industry portfolios. The portfolios are
→constructed at the end of June. The annual returns are from January to December.
→Missing data are indicated by -99.99 or -999. Copyright 2019 Kenneth R. French
 0 : Average Value Weighted Returns -- Monthly (59 rows x 5 cols)
 1 : Average Equal Weighted Returns -- Monthly (59 rows x 5 cols)
 2 : Average Value Weighted Returns -- Annual (5 rows x 5 cols)
 3 : Average Equal Weighted Returns -- Annual (5 rows x 5 cols)
 4 : Number of Firms in Portfolios (59 rows x 5 cols)
 5 : Average Firm Size (59 rows x 5 cols)
 6 : Sum of BE / Sum of ME (6 rows x 5 cols)
 7 : Value-Weighted Average of BE/ME (6 rows x 5 cols)
In [18]: ds[4].head()
Cnsmr Manuf HiTec Hlth Other
Date
                677
                             531
2.014-09
          566
                      764
2014-10
                                   1107
          562
                675
                       758
                             530
2014-11
                673
                             525
                                   1101
2014 - 12
          556
                671
                       747
                             524
                                   1094
2015-01
                669
                       741
                             521
```

4.2.9 World Bank

pandas users can easily access thousands of panel data series from the World Bank's World Development Indicators by using the wb I/O functions.

Indicators

Either from exploring the World Bank site, or using the search function included, every world bank indicator is accessible.

For example, if you wanted to compare the Gross Domestic Products per capita in constant dollars in North America, you would use the search function:

```
In [1]: from pandas_datareader import wb
In [2]: matches = wb.search('gdp.*capita.*const')
```

Then you would use the download function to acquire the data from the World Bank's servers:

```
In [3]: dat = wb.download(indicator='NY.GDP.PCAP.KD', country=['US', 'CA', 'MX'],...
\rightarrowstart=2005, end=2008)
In [4]: print(dat)
                      NY.GDP.PCAP.KD
country
              year
Canada
              2008 36005.5004978584
              2007 36182.9138439757
              2006 35785.9698172849
              2005 35087.8925933298
              2008 8113.10219480083
Mexico
              2007 8119.21298908649
              2006
                    7961.96818458178
              2005
                    7666.69796097264
United States 2008 43069.5819857208
              2007 43635.5852068142
                   43228.111147107
              2006
              2005 42516.3934699993
```

The resulting dataset is a properly formatted DataFrame with a hierarchical index, so it is easy to apply .groupby transformations to it:

```
In [6]: dat['NY.GDP.PCAP.KD'].groupby(level=0).mean()
Out[6]:
country
Canada 35765.569188
Mexico 7965.245332
United States 43112.417952
dtype: float64
```

Now imagine you want to compare GDP to the share of people with cellphone contracts around the world.

Notice that this second search was much faster than the first one because pandas now has a cached list of available data series.

```
In [13]: ind = ['NY.GDP.PCAP.KD', 'IT.MOB.COV.ZS']
In [14]: dat = wb.download(indicator=ind, country='all', start=2011, end=2011).
→dropna()
In [15]: dat.columns = ['gdp', 'cellphone']
In [16]: print(dat.tail())
                       gdp cellphone
country
        year
Swaziland 2011 2413.952853
                                 94.9
Tunisia 2011 3687.340170
                                100.0
               405.332501
Uganda
        2011
                                100.0
                                 62.0
Zambia
         2011
                767.911290
                                 72.4
Zimbabwe 2011
                419.236086
```

Finally, we use the statsmodels package to assess the relationship between our two variables using ordinary least squares regression. Unsurprisingly, populations in rich countries tend to use cellphones at a higher rate:

```
In [17]: import numpy as np
In [18]: import statsmodels.formula.api as smf
In [19]: mod = smf.ols('cellphone ~ np.log(gdp)', dat).fit()
In [20]: print(mod.summary())
                       OLS Regression Results
______
Dep. Variable: cellphone R-squared:

Model: OLS Adj. R-squared:

Method: Least Squares F-statistic:

Date: Thu, 25 Jul 2013 Prob (F-statistic):

Time: 15:24:42 Log-Likelihood:

No. Observations: 33 AIC:
                                                               13.08
                                                          0.00105
-139.16
                                                               282.3
                               31
Df Residuals:
                                   BIC:
                                                                285.3
                              1
Df Model:
              coef std err t P>|t| [95.0% Conf. Int.]
Intercept 16.5110 19.071 0.866 0.393 -22.384 55.406 np.log(gdp) 9.9333 2.747 3.616 0.001 4.331 15.535
_____
                          36.054 Durbin-Watson:
Omnibus:
                           0.000 Jarque-Bera (JB):
-2.314 Prob(JB):
Prob(Omnibus):
                                                             119.133
                                                            1.35e-26
Skew:
                          11.077 Cond. No.
Kurtosis:
_____
```

Country Codes

The country argument accepts a string or list of mixed two or three character ISO country codes, as well as dynamic World Bank exceptions to the ISO standards.

For a list of the the hard-coded country codes (used solely for error handling logic) see pandas_datareader. wb.country_codes.

Problematic Country Codes & Indicators

Note: The World Bank's country list and indicators are dynamic. As of 0.15.1, wb.download() is more flexible. To achieve this, the warning and exception logic changed.

The world bank converts some country codes, in their response, which makes error checking by pandas difficult. Retired indicators still persist in the search.

Given the new flexibility of 0.15.1, improved error handling by the user may be necessary for fringe cases.

To help identify issues:

There are at least 4 kinds of country codes:

- 1. Standard (2/3 digit ISO) returns data, will warn and error properly.
- 2. Non-standard (WB Exceptions) returns data, but will falsely warn.
- 3. Blank silently missing from the response.
- 4. Bad causes the entire response from WB to fail, always exception inducing.

There are at least 3 kinds of indicators:

- 1. Current Returns data.
- 2. Retired Appears in search results, yet won't return data.
- 3. Bad Will not return data.

Use the errors argument to control warnings and exceptions. Setting errors to ignore or warn, won't stop failed responses. (ie, 100% bad indicators, or a single 'bad' (#4 above) country code).

See docstrings for more info.

4.2.10 OECD

OECD Statistics are available via DataReader. You have to specify OECD's data set code.

To confirm data set code, access to each data -> Export -> SDMX Query. Following example is to download 'Trade Union Density' data which set code is 'TUD'.

```
In [19]: import pandas_datareader.data as web
In [20]: import datetime
In [21]: df = web.DataReader('TUD', 'oecd')
In [22]: df.columns
Out [22]:
MultiIndex(levels=[['Australia', 'Austria', 'Belgium', 'Canada', 'Chile', 'Czech_
→Republic', 'Denmark', 'Estonia', 'Finland', 'France', 'Germany', 'Greece', 'Hungary
→', 'Iceland', 'Ireland', 'Israel', 'Italy', 'Japan', 'Korea', 'Latvia', 'Lithuania',
→ 'Luxembourg', 'Mexico', 'Netherlands', 'New Zealand', 'Norway', 'Poland', 'Portugal
→', 'Slovak Republic', 'Slovenia', 'Spain', 'Sweden', 'Switzerland', 'Turkey',
→'United Kingdom', 'United States'], ['Administrative data', 'Survey data'], [
\hookrightarrow 'Employees', 'Trade union density', 'Union members']],
                 → 14, 34, 34, 34, 34, 34, 34, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 26, 26, 26, 26, 26, 26, 31, 31,
→ 31, 31, 31, 31, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3, 8, 8, 8, 8, 8, 8, 13, 13, 13, __
→13, 13, 13, 9, 9, 9, 9, 9, 9, 17, 17, 17, 17, 17, 17, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 23, 23, 23, ...
\hookrightarrow1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, ...
\hookrightarrow0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0,
\rightarrow1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1,
                                                                                                               1, 1, 0, 0,
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\rightarrow0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1,
→1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, □
→1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, □
\leftarrow 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1], [0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2]
→2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, □
→1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, ∪,
\hookrightarrow 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1,
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→2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1
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                                                                                                               0, 2,
                               1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1,
\hookrightarrow 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2,
                                                                                                          0,
                                                                                                               2,
                          1, 0, 2,
                                         1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2,
            0, 2,
                     1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2,
                 1. 0. 2. 1. 0. 2. 111.
                                                                                                                  (continues on next page)
```

```
names=['Country', 'Source', 'Series'])
In [23]: df[['Japan', 'United States']]
... United States
Country
                      Japan
Source Administrative data
                                          ... Survey data
Series
           Employees Union members ... Union members Trade union density
Year
                                          . . .

      44480.0
      12271.909
      ...
      16913.0

      45650.0
      12227.223
      ...
      17002.0

2015-01-01
                                                                         16.516
2016-01-01
                                                                         16.248
[2 rows x 12 columns]
```

4.2.11 Eurostat

Eurostat are available via DataReader.

Get Rail accidents by type of accident (ERA data) data. The result will be a DataFrame which has DatetimeIndex as index and MultiIndex of attributes or countries as column. The target URL is:

• http://appsso.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/nui/show.do?dataset=tran_sf_railac&lang=en

You can specify dataset ID 'tran_sf_railac' to get corresponding data via DataReader.

```
In [24]: import pandas_datareader.data as web
In [25]: df = web.DataReader('tran_sf_railac', 'eurostat')
In [26]: df
Out [26]:
          Collisions of trains, including collisions with obstacles within the
→clearance gauge ... Unknown
UNIT
    Number ...
                       Number
    Austria ... United Kingdom
FREQ
     Annual ...
                       Annual
TIME_PERIOD
2015-01-01
                                                        7.0
                          NaN
2016-01-01
                                                        7.0
                           NaN
2017-01-01
                                                        7.0
                           NaN
[3 rows x 264 columns]
```

4.2.12 TSP Fund Data

Download mutual fund index prices for the TSP.

```
In [27]: import pandas datareader.tsp as tsp
In [28]: tspreader = tsp.TSPReader(start='2015-10-1', end='2015-12-31')
In [29]: tspreader.read()
Out [29]:
            L Income L 2020 L 2030 L 2040 ...
                                                        C Fund
                                                                  S Fund
date
2015-10-01 17.5164 22.5789 24.2159 25.5690 ... 25.7953 34.0993 23.3202
2015-10-02 17.5707 22.7413 24.4472 25.8518 ... 26.1669 34.6504 23.6367
2015-10-05 \qquad 17.6395 \quad 22.9582 \quad 24.7571 \quad 26.2306 \quad \dots \quad 26.6467 \quad 35.3565 \quad 24.1475
2015-10-06 17.6338 22.9390 24.7268 26.1898 ... 26.5513 35.1320 24.2294
           17.6639 23.0324 24.8629 26.3598 ... 26.7751 35.6035 24.3671
2015-10-07
2015-10-08 17.6957 23.1364 25.0122 26.5422
                                                  ... 27.0115 35.9016 24.6406
2015-10-09 17.7048 23.1646 25.0521 26.5903 ... 27.0320 35.9772 24.7723
                                    . . .
                 . . .
                           . . .
                                              . . .
                                                                      . . .
2015-12-22 \qquad 17.7493 \quad 23.1452 \quad 24.9775 \quad 26.4695 \quad \dots \quad 27.4848 \quad 35.0903 \quad 23.8679
2015-12-23 17.8015 23.3149 25.2208 26.7663 ... 27.8272 35.5749 24.3623
2015-12-24 \qquad 17.7991 \quad 23.3039 \quad 25.2052 \quad 26.7481 \quad \dots \quad 27.7831 \quad 35.6084 \quad 24.3272
2015-12-28 \qquad 17.7950 \quad 23.2811 \quad 25.1691 \quad 26.7015 \quad \dots \quad 27.7230 \quad 35.4625 \quad 24.2816
2015-12-29 17.8270 23.3871 25.3226 26.8905 ... 28.0236 35.8047 24.4757
2015-12-30 17.8066 23.3216 25.2267 26.7707
                                                   ... 27.8239 35.5126 24.4184
2015-12-31 17.7733 23.2085 25.0635 26.5715 ... 27.5622 35.2356 24.0952
[62 rows x 11 columns]
```

4.2.13 Nasdag Trader Symbol Definitions

Download the latest symbols from Nasdaq.

Note that Nasdaq updates this file daily, and historical versions are not available. More information on the field definitions.

```
In [12]: from pandas_datareader.nasdaq_trader import get_nasdaq_symbols
In [13]: symbols = get_nasdaq_symbols()
In [14]: print(symbols.loc['IBM'])
   Nasdaq Traded
                                                                       True
    Security Name
                        International Business Machines Corporation Co...
   Listing Exchange
   Market Category
                                                                      False
   Round Lot Size
                                                                        100
   Test Issue
                                                                     False
   Financial Status
                                                                        NaN
   CQS Symbol
                                                                        IBM
   NASDAQ Symbol
                                                                        IBM
   NextShares
                                                                      False
   Name: IBM, dtype: object
```

4.2.14 Stooq Index Data

Google finance doesn't provide common index data download. The Stoog site has the data for download.

```
In [30]: import pandas_datareader.data as web
In [31]: f = web.DataReader('^DJI', 'stoog')
In [32]: f[:10]
Out [32]:
                              High
                                           Low
                                                    Close
                                                                 Volume
Date
2019-09-20 27102.18 27194.75 26926.68 26935.07
                                                                     NaN
2019-09-19 27186.05 27272.17 27064.21 27094.79 68699381.0
2019-09-18 27075.39 27161.93 26899.15 27147.08 70454821.0
2019-09-17 27010.12 27110.80 26984.14 27110.80 67020055.0
2019-09-16 27146.06 27172.87 27032.56 27076.82
                                                            72079672.0
2019-09-13 27216.67 27277.55 27193.95 27219.52
                                                            72147749.0

      2019-09-12
      27197.32
      27306.73
      27105.01
      27182.45
      80090206.0

      2019-09-11
      26928.05
      27137.04
      26885.48
      27137.04
      80088953.0

2019-09-10 26805.83 26909.43 26717.05 26909.43 87146222.0
2019-09-09 26866.23 26900.83 26762.18 26835.51 78395202.0
```

4.2.15 MOEX Data

The Moscow Exchange (MOEX) provides historical data.

```
In [33]: import pandas_datareader.data as web
In [34]: f = web.DataReader('USD000UTSTOM', 'moex', start='2017-07-01', end='2017-07-

→31')

In [35]: f.head()
Out[35]:
          BOARDID SHORTNAME
                                     SECID ... NUMTRADES
                                                                VOLRUR WAPRICE
TRADEDATE
2017-07-03 CNGD USDRUB_TOM USD000UTSTOM ...
                                                      24 1.864785e+09
                                                                           NaN
2017-07-04 CETS USDRUB_TOM USD000UTSTOM
                                                  21053 1.090265e+11 59.2700
                                           . . .
                             USD000UTSTOM ...
                  USDRUB_TOM
2017-07-04
                                                          1.046416e+09
                                                                           NaN
                                                  50108 2.874226e+11 59.9234
2017-07-05
            CETS
                  USDRUB_TOM USD000UTSTOM ...
                                                      35 6.339036e+09
2017-07-05 CNGD USDRUB_TOM USD000UTSTOM ...
                                                                           NaN
[5 rows x 10 columns]
```

4.3 Caching queries

Making the same request repeatedly can use a lot of bandwidth, slow down your code and may result in your IP being banned.

pandas—datareader allows you to cache queries using requests_cache by passing a requests_cache. Session to DataReader or Options using the session parameter.

Below is an example with Yahoo! Finance. The session parameter is implemented for all datareaders.

```
In [1]: import pandas_datareader.data as web
In [2]: import datetime
```

```
In [3]: import requests_cache
In [4]: expire_after = datetime.timedelta(days=3)
In [5]: session = requests_cache.CachedSession(cache_name='cache', backend='sqlite',_
→expire_after=expire_after)
In [6]: start = datetime.datetime(2010, 1, 1)
In [7]: end = datetime.datetime(2013, 1, 27)
In [8]: f = web.DataReader("F", 'yahoo', start, end, session=session)
In [9]: f.loc['2010-01-04']
Out[9]:
High
            1.028000e+01
Low
            1.005000e+01
            1.017000e+01
Open
Close
            1.028000e+01
Volume
            6.085580e+07
          7.339305e+00
Adj Close
Name: 2010-01-04 00:00:00, dtype: float64
```

A SQLite file named cache.sqlite will be created in the working directory, storing the request until the expiry date.

For additional information on using requests-cache, see the documentation.

4.4 Other Data Sources

Web interfaces are constantly evolving and so there is constant evolution in this space. There are a number of noteworthy Python packages that integrate into the PyData ecosystem that are more narrowly focused than pandas-datareader.

4.4.1 Alpha Vantage

Alpha Vantage provides real time and historical equity data. Users are required to get a free API key before using the API. Documentation is available.

A python package simplifying access is available on github.

4.4.2 Tiingo

Tiingo aims to make high-end financial tools accessible investors. The API is documented. Users are required to get a free API key before using the API.

A python package simplifying access is available on github.

4.4.3 Barchart

Barchart is a data provider covering a ride range of financial data. The free API provides up to two years of historical data.

A python package simplifying access is available on github.

4.4.4 List of Other Sources

Awesome Quant maintains a large list of packages designed to provide access to financial data.

4.5 Data Readers

4.5.1 AlphaVantage

Returns DataFrame of the Alpha Vantage Foreign Exchange (FX) Exchange Rates data.

New in version 0.7.0.

Parameters

- **symbols** (string, array-like object (list, tuple, Series)) Single currency pair (formatted 'FROM/TO') or list of the same.
- retry_count (int, default 3) Number of times to retry query request.
- pause (int, default 0.1) Time, in seconds, to pause between consecutive queries of chunks. If single value given for symbol, represents the pause between retries.
- session (Session, default None) requests.sessions.Session instance to be used
- api_key (str, optional) Alpha Vantage API key. If not provided the environmental variable ALPHAVANTAGE API KEY is read. The API key is required.

close()

Close network session

data_key

Key of data returned from Alpha Vantage

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

function

Alpha Vantage endpoint function

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data from connector

url

API URL

```
class pandas_datareader.av.time_series.AVTimeSeriesReader(symbols=None, func-
                                                                            tion='TIME SERIES DAILY',
                                                                            start=None, end=None,
                                                                            retry_count=3,
                                                                            pause=0.1,
                                                                                              ses-
                                                                            sion=None,
                                                                            chunksize=25.
                                                                            api_key=None)
     Returns DataFrame of the Alpha Vantage Stock Time Series endpoints
     New in version 0.7.0.
          Parameters
                • symbols (string) – Single stock symbol (ticker)
                • start (string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) - Starting date. Parses
                  many different kind of date representations (e.g., 'JAN-01-2010', '1/1/10', 'Jan, 1, 1980').
                  Defaults to 20 years before current date.
                • end(string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) - Ending date
                • retry_count (int, default 3) - Number of times to retry query request.
                • pause (int, default 0.1) - Time, in seconds, to pause between consecutive queries
                  of chunks. If single value given for symbol, represents the pause between retries.
                • session (Session, default None) - requests.sessions. Session instance to be used
                • api key (str, optional) - Alpha Vantage API key. If not provided the environmen-
                  tal variable ALPHAVANTAGE API KEY is read. The API key is required.
     close()
          Close network session
     data_key
          Key of data returned from Alpha Vantage
     default start date
          Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date
     function
          Alpha Vantage endpoint function
     output size
          Used to limit the size of the Alpha Vantage query when possible.
     params
          Parameters to use in API calls
     read()
          Read data from connector
     url
          API URL
class pandas_datareader.av.sector.AVSectorPerformanceReader(symbols=None,
                                                                               start=None,
                                                                               end=None,
                                                                               retry\_count=3,
                                                                               pause=0.1,
                                                                                              ses-
```

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sion=None, api_key=None) Returns DataFrame of the Alpha Vantage Sector Performances SECTOR data.

New in version 0.7.0.

Parameters

- **symbols** (string, array-like object (list, tuple, Series)) Single currency pair (formatted 'FROM/TO') or list of the same.
- retry_count (int, default 3) Number of times to retry query request.
- pause (int, default 0.1) Time, in seconds, to pause between consecutive queries of chunks. If single value given for symbol, represents the pause between retries.
- session (Session, default None) requests sessions. Session instance to be used
- api_key (str, optional) Alpha Vantage API key. If not provided the environmental variable ALPHAVANTAGE_API_KEY is read. The API key is required.

close()

Close network session

data kev

Key of data returned from Alpha Vantage

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

function

Alpha Vantage endpoint function

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data from connector

url

API URL

```
 \begin{array}{lll} \textbf{class} & \texttt{pandas\_datareader.av.quotes.AVQuotesReader} (symbols=None, & \textit{retry\_count=3}, \\ & pause=0.1, & session=None, \\ & api\_key=None) \end{array}
```

Returns DataFrame of Alpha Vantage Realtime Stock quotes for a symbol or list of symbols.

Parameters

- **symbols** (string, array-like object (list, tuple, Series), or DataFrame) Single stock symbol (ticker), array-like object of symbols or DataFrame with index containing stock symbols.
- retry_count (int, default 3) Number of times to retry query request.
- pause (int, default 0.1) Time, in seconds, to pause between consecutive queries of chunks. If single value given for symbol, represents the pause between retries.
- session (Session, default None) requests.sessions. Session instance to be used

close()

Close network session

data_key

Key of data returned from Alpha Vantage

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

function

Alpha Vantage endpoint function

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data from connector

url

API URL

4.5.2 Federal Reserve Economic Data (FRED)

```
class pandas_datareader.fred.FredReader(symbols, start=None, end=None, retry\_count=3, pause=0.1, timeout=30, session=None, freq=None)
```

Get data for the given name from the St. Louis FED (FRÊD).

close()

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data

Returns data – If multiple names are passed for "series" then the index of the DataFrame is the outer join of the indicies of each series.

Return type DataFrame

url

API URL

4.5.3 Fama-French Data (Ken French's Data Library)

```
 \begin{array}{c} \textbf{class} \text{ pandas\_datareader.famafrench.FamaFrenchReader} (\textit{symbols}, \textit{start=None}, \textit{end=None}, \\ \textit{retry\_count=3}, & \textit{pause=0.1}, \\ \textit{timeout=30}, & \textit{session=None}, \\ \textit{freq=None}) \end{array}
```

Get data for the given name from the Fama/French data library.

For annual and monthly data, index is a pandas. PeriodIndex, otherwise it's a pandas. DatetimeIndex.

close()

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

get_available_datasets()

Get the list of datasets available from the Fama/French data library.

Returns datasets – A list of valid inputs for get_data_famafrench

Return type list

```
params
          Parameters to use in API calls
     read()
          Read data
              Returns df – A dictionary of DataFrames. Tables are accessed by integer keys.
                 df['DESCR'] for a description of the data set.
              Return type dict
     url
          API URL
pandas_datareader.famafrench.get_available_datasets(**kwargs)
     Get the list of datasets available from the Fama/French data library.
          Parameters session (Session, default None) - requests.sessions.Session instance to be
              used
          Returns
          Return type A list of valid inputs for get_data_famafrench.
4.5.4 Bank of Canada
class pandas_datareader.bankofcanada.BankOfCanadaReader(symbols,
                                                                                     start=None,
                                                                        end=None, retry count=3,
                                                                        pause=0.1,
                                                                        out=30,
                                                                                  session=None,
                                                                        freq=None)
     Get data for the given name from Bank of Canada.
     Notes
     See Bank of Canada
     close()
          Close network session
     default_start_date
          Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date
          Parameters to use in API calls
     read()
          Read data from connector
     url
          API URL
4.5.5 Econdb
                                                                     start=None.
                                                                                     end=None.
class pandas_datareader.econdb.EcondbReader(symbols,
```

timeout=30,

 $retry_count=3$, pause=0.1,

session=None, freq=None)

Get data for the given name from Econdb.

```
close()
    Close network session

default_start_date
    Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params
    Parameters to use in API calls

read()
    read one data from specified URL

url
    API URL
```

4.5.6 Enigma

Collects current snapshot of Enigma data located at the specified data set ID and returns a pandas DataFrame.

Parameters

- dataset_id (str) Enigma dataset UUID.
- api_key (str, optional) Enigma API key. If not provided, the environmental variable ENIGMA_API_KEY is read.
- retry_count (int, default 5) Number of times to retry query request.
- pause (float, default 0.1) Time, in seconds, of the pause between retries.
- session (Session, default None) requests.sessions.Session instance to be used.
- base_url (str, optional (defaults to https://public.enigma.com/api)) Alternative Enigma endpoint to be used.

Examples

Download current snapshot for the following Florida Inspections Dataset: https://public.enigma.com/datasets/bedaf052-5fcd-4758-8d27-048ce8746c6a

```
>>> import pandas_datareader as pdr
>>> df = pdr.get_data_enigma('bedaf052-5fcd-4758-8d27-048ce8746c6a')
```

In the event that ENIGMA_API_KEY does not exist in your env, the key can be supplied as the second argument or as the keyword argument *api_key*

```
>>> df = EnigmaReader(dataset_id='bedaf052-5fcd-4758-8d27-048ce8746c6a', api_key='INSERT_API_KEY').read()
```

close()

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

```
{\tt get\_current\_snapshot\_id} \, (\textit{dataset\_id})
```

Get ID of the most current snapshot of a dataset

```
get dataset metadata(dataset id)
```

Get the Dataset Model of this EnigmaReader's dataset https://docs.public.enigma.com/resources/dataset/index.html

get_snapshot_export (snapshot_id)

Return raw CSV of a dataset

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data

url

API URL

4.5.7 Eurostat

Get data for the given name from Eurostat.

close()

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

dsd url

API DSD URL

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data from connector

url

API URL

4.5.8 The Investors Exchange (IEX)

Returns DataFrame of historical stock prices from symbols, over date range, start to end. To avoid being penalized by IEX servers, pauses between downloading 'chunks' of symbols can be specified.

Parameters

- **symbols** (string, array-like object (list, tuple, Series), or DataFrame) Single stock symbol (ticker), array-like object of symbols or DataFrame with index containing stock symbols.
- **start** (*string*, *int*, *date*, *datetime*, *Timestamp*) **Starting date**. Parses many different kind of date representations (e.g., 'JAN-01-2010', '1/1/10', 'Jan, 1, 1980'). Defaults to 15 years before current date

```
• end(string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) - Ending date
                • retry_count (int, default 3) - Number of times to retry query request.
                • pause (int, default 0.1) - Time, in seconds, to pause between consecutive queries
                  of chunks. If single value given for symbol, represents the pause between retries.
                • chunksize (int, default 25) - Number of symbols to download consecutively be-
                  fore intiating pause.
                • session (Session, default None) - requests. sessions. Session instance to be used
                • api_key (str) - IEX Cloud Secret Token
     close()
          Close network session
     default start date
          Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date
     endpoint
          API endpoint
     params
          Parameters to use in API calls
     read()
          Read data
     url
          API URL
class pandas_datareader.iex.market.MarketReader(symbols=None,
                                                                                      start=None,
                                                               end=None, retry_count=3, pause=0.1,
                                                               session=None)
     Near real-time traded volume
     Notes
     Market data is captured by the IEX system between approximately 7:45 a.m. and 5:15 p.m. ET.
     close()
          Close network session
     default_start_date
          Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date
     params
          Parameters to use in API calls
     read()
          Read data
     service
          Service endpoint
     url
          API URL
class pandas_datareader.iex.ref.SymbolsReader(symbols=None, start=None, end=None,
                                                            retry\_count=3,
                                                                              pause=0.1,
                                                            sion=None)
     Symbols available for trading on IEX
```

```
Notes
     Returns symbols IEX supports for trading. Updated daily as of 7:45 a.m. ET.
          Close network session
     default_start_date
          Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date
     params
          Parameters to use in API calls
     read()
          Read data
     service
          Service endpoint
     url
          API URL
class pandas_datareader.iex.stats.DailySummaryReader(symbols=None,
                                                                                         start=None,
                                                                       end=None,
                                                                                      retry\_count=3,
                                                                       pause=0.1, session=None)
     Daily statistics from IEX for a day or month
     close()
          Close network session
     default_start_date
          Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date
     params
          Parameters to use in API calls
     read()
          Unfortunately, IEX's API can only retrieve data one day or one month at a time. Rather than specifying a
          date range, we will have to run the read function for each date provided.
              Returns DataFrame
     service
          Service endpoint
     url
          API URL
class pandas_datareader.iex.stats.MonthlySummaryReader(symbols=None, start=None,
                                                                          end=None, retry_count=3,
                                                                          pause=0.1, session=None)
     Monthly statistics from IEX
     close()
          Close network session
     default_start_date
          Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date
          Parameters to use in API calls
     read()
```

Unfortunately, IEX's API can only retrieve data one day or one month at a time. Rather than specifying a date range, we will have to run the read function for each date provided.

Returns DataFrame

service

Service endpoint

url

API URL

Total matched volume information from IEX

close()

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data

service

Service endpoint

url

API URL

Recent trading volume from IEX

Notes

Returns 6 fields for each day:

- date: refers to the trading day.
- volume: refers to executions received from order routed to away trading centers.
- routedVolume: refers to single counted shares matched from executions on IEX.
- marketShare: refers to IEX's percentage of total US Equity market volume.
- isHalfday: will be true if the trading day is a half day.
- litVolume: refers to the number of lit shares traded on IEX (single-counted).

close()

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params

Parameters to use in API calls

```
read()
          Read data
     service
          Service endpoint
     url
          API URL
class pandas_datareader.iex.deep.Deep(symbols=None,
                                                                       service=None,
                                                                                          start=None,
                                                                  retry_count=3, pause=0.1,
                                                    end=None,
                                                    sion=None)
     Retrieve order book data from IEX
     Notes
     Real-time depth of book quotations direct from IEX. Returns aggregated size of resting displayed orders at a
     price and side. Does not indicate the size or number of individual orders at any price level. Non-displayed orders
     and non-displayed portions of reserve orders are not counted.
     Also provides last trade price and size information. Routed executions are not reported.
     close()
          Close network session
     default_start_date
          Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date
          Parameters to use in API calls
     read()
          Read data
     service
          Service endpoint
     url
          API URL
class pandas_datareader.iex.tops.TopsReader(symbols=None, start=None, end=None,
                                                            retry_count=3, pause=0.1, session=None)
     Near-real time aggregated bid and offer positions
     Notes
     IEX's aggregated best quoted bid and offer position for all securities on IEX's displayed limit order book.
     close()
          Close network session
     default_start_date
          Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date
     params
          Parameters to use in API calls
```

read()

Read data

```
service
```

Service endpoint

url

API URL

Information of executions on IEX

Notes

Last provides trade data for executions on IEX. Provides last sale price, size and time.

close()

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data

service

Service endpoint

url

API URL

4.5.9 Moscow Exchange (MOEX)

```
class pandas_datareader.moex.MoexReader(*args, **kwargs)

Returns a DataFrame of historical stock prices from symbols from Moex
```

Parameters

- **symbols** (str, an array-like object (list, tuple, Series), or a DataFrame) A single stock symbol (secid), an array-like object of symbols or a DataFrame with an index containing stock symbols.
- **start** (*string*, *int*, *date*, *datetime*, *Timestamp*) Starting date. Parses many different kind of date representations (e.g., 'JAN-01-2010', '1/1/10', 'Jan, 1, 1980'). Defaults to 20 years before current date.
- end(string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) Ending date
- retry_count (int, default 3) The number of times to retry query request.
- pause (int, default 0.1) Time, in seconds, to pause between consecutive queries of chunks. If single value given for symbol, represents the pause between retries.
- **chunksize** (*int*, *default* 25) The number of symbols to download consecutively before intiating pause.
- session (Session, default None) requests.sessions.Session instance to be used

Notes

To avoid being penalized by Moex servers, pauses more than 0.1s between downloading 'chunks' of symbols can be specified.

```
close()
```

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data

url

Return a list of API URLs per symbol

4.5.10 NASDAQ

Get the list of all available equity symbols from Nasdaq.

Returns nasdaq_tickers – DataFrame with company tickers, names, and other properties.

Return type pandas.DataFrame

4.5.11 Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

Get data for the given name from OECD.

close()

Close network session

default start date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data from connector

url

API URL

4.5.12 Quandl

New in version 0.5.0.

Parameters

- **symbols** (*string*) Possible formats: 1. DB/SYM: The Quandl 'codes': DB is the database name, SYM is a ticker-symbol-like Quandl abbreviation for a particular security. 2. SYM.CC: SYM is the same symbol and CC is an ISO country code, will try to map to the best single Quandl database for that country. Beware of ambiguous symbols (different securities per country)! Note: Cannot use more than a single string because of the inflexible way the URL is composed of url and _get_params in the superclass
- **start** (*string*, *int*, *date*, *datetime*, *Timestamp*) **Starting** date. Parses many different kind of date representations (e.g., 'JAN-01-2010', '1/1/10', 'Jan, 1, 1980'). Defaults to 20 years before current date.
- end(string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) Ending date
- retry_count (int, default 3) Number of times to retry query request.
- pause (int, default 0.1) Time, in seconds, to pause between consecutive queries of chunks. If single value given for symbol, represents the pause between retries.
- chunksize (int, default 25) Number of symbols to download consecutively before intiating pause.
- session (Session, default None) requests. sessions. Session instance to be used
- api_key (str, optional) Quandl API key. If not provided the environmental variable QUANDL API KEY is read. The API key is required.

close()

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data

url

API URL

4.5.13 Stooq.com

Returns DataFrame/dict of Dataframes of historical stock prices from symbols, over date range, start to end.

Parameters

- **symbols** (string, array-like object (list, tuple, Series), or DataFrame) Single stock symbol (ticker), array-like object of symbols or DataFrame with index containing stock symbols.
- **start** (*string*, *int*, *date*, *datetime*, *Timestamp*) **Starting date**. Parses many different kind of date representations (e.g., 'JAN-01-2010', '1/1/10', 'Jan, 1, 1980'). Defaults to 20 years before current date.

- end(string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) Ending date
- retry_count (int, default 3) Number of times to retry query request.
- pause (int, default 0.1) Time, in seconds, to pause between consecutive queries of chunks. If single value given for symbol, represents the pause between retries.
- chunksize (int, default 25) Number of symbols to download consecutively before initiating pause.
- session (Session, default None) requests.sessions.Session instance to be used
- freq (string, d, w, m, q, y for daily, weekly, monthly, quarterly, yearly)-

Notes

```
See Stoog
```

close()

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data

url

API URL

4.5.14 Tiingo

Historical daily data from Tiingo on equities, ETFs and mutual funds

Parameters

- symbols ({str, List[str]}) String symbol of like of symbols
- **start** (*string*, *int*, *date*, *datetime*, *Timestamp*) **Starting date**, timestamp. Parses many different kind of date representations (e.g., 'JAN-01-2010', '1/1/10', 'Jan, 1, 1980'). Default is '1/1/2010'.
- end (string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) Ending date, timestamp. Same format as starting date.
- retry_count (int, default 3) Number of times to retry query request.
- pause (float, default 0.1) Time, in seconds, of the pause between retries.
- session (Session, default None) requests. sessions. Session instance to be used
- freq({str, None}) Not used.

• api_key (str, optional) - Tiingo API key . If not provided the environmental variable TIINGO API KEY is read. The API key is required.

close()

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data from connector

url

API URL

Read quotes (latest prices) from Tiingo

Parameters

- symbols ({str, List[str]}) String symbol of like of symbols
- start (string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) Not used.
- end(string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) Not used.
- retry_count (int, default 3) Number of times to retry query request.
- pause (float, default 0.1) Time, in seconds, of the pause between retries.
- session (Session, default None) requests. sessions. Session instance to be used
- freq({str, None}) Not used.
- api_key (str, optional) Tiingo API key. If not provided the environmental variable TIINGO_API_KEY is read. The API key is required.

Notes

This is a special case of the daily reader which automatically selected the latest data available for each symbol.

close()

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data from connector

url

API URL

Read metadata about symbols from Tiingo

Parameters

- symbols ({str, List[str]}) String symbol of like of symbols
- start (string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) Not used.
- end(string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) Not used.
- retry_count (int, default 3) Number of times to retry query request.
- pause (float, default 0.1) Time, in seconds, of the pause between retries.
- session (Session, default None) requests.sessions. Session instance to be used
- freq({str, None}) Not used.
- api_key (str, optional) Tiingo API key. If not provided the environmental variable TIINGO_API_KEY is read. The API key is required.

```
close()
```

Close network session

default start date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data from connector

url

API URL

```
\verb|pandas_datareader.tiingo.get_tiingo_symbols()|\\
```

Get the set of stock symbols supported by Tiingo

Returns symbols – DataFrame with symbols (ticker), exchange, asset type, currency and start and end dates

Return type DataFrame

Notes

Reads https://apimedia.tiingo.com/docs/tiingo/daily/supported_tickers.zip

4.5.15 Thrift Savings Plan (TSP)

```
class pandas_datareader.tsp.TSPReader(symbols=('Linc', 'L2020', 'L2030', 'L2040', 'L2050', 'G', 'F', 'C', 'S', 'I'), start=None, end=None, retry\_count=3, pause=0.1, session=None)
```

Returns DataFrame of historical TSP fund prices from symbols, over date range, start to end.

Parameters

- **symbols** (str, array-like object (list, tuple, Series), or DataFrame) Single stock symbol (ticker), array-like object of symbols or DataFrame with index containing stock symbols.
- **start** (*string*, *int*, *date*, *datetime*, *Timestamp*) Starting date. Parses many different kind of date representations (e.g., 'JAN-01-2010', '1/1/10', 'Jan, 1, 1980'). Defaults to 20 years before current date.
- end(string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) Ending date
- retry_count (int, default 3) Number of times to retry query request.
- pause (int, default 0.1) Time, in seconds, to pause between consecutive queries of chunks. If single value given for symbol, represents the pause between retries.
- session (Session, default None) requests.sessions. Session instance to be used

close()

Close network session

default_start_date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

read one data from specified URL

url

API URL

4.5.16 World Bank

Download data series from the World Bank's World Development Indicators

Parameters

- **symbols** (WorldBank indicator string or list of strings) taken from the id field in WDIsearch()
- **countries** (*string or list of strings*.) all downloads data for all countries 2 or 3 character ISO country codes select individual countries (e.g. "US", "CA") or (e.g. "USA", "CAN"). The codes can be mixed. The two ISO lists of countries, provided by wikipedia, are hardcoded into pandas as of 11/10/2014.
- **start** (*string*, *int*, *date*, *datetime*, *Timestamp*) First year of the data series. Month and day are ignored.
- end (string, int, date, datetime, Timestamp) Last year of the data series (inclusive). Month and day are ignored.
- errors (str {'ignore', 'warn', 'raise'}, default 'warn') Country codes are validated against a hardcoded list. This controls the outcome of that validation, and attempts to also apply to the results from world bank. errors='raise', will raise a ValueError on a bad country code.

close()

Close network session

default start date

Default start date for reader. Defaults to 5 years before current date

get_countries()

Query information about countries

Notes

Provides information such as:

- · country code
- · region
- · income level
- · capital city
- latitude
- · and longitude

get_indicators()

Download information about all World Bank data series

params

Parameters to use in API calls

read()

Read data

```
search (string='gdp.*capi', field='name', case=False)
```

Search available data series from the world bank

Parameters

- string (string) regular expression
- **field** (*string*) id, name, source, sourceNote, sourceOrganization, topics See notes below
- case (bool) case sensitive search?

Notes

The first time this function is run it will download and cache the full list of available series. Depending on the speed of your network connection, this can take time. Subsequent searches will use the cached copy, so they should be much faster.

id: Data series indicator (for use with the indicator argument of WDI()) e.g. NY.GNS.ICTR.GN.ZS" name: Short description of the data series source: Data collection project sourceOrganization: Data collection organization note: sourceNote: topics:

url

API URL

```
pandas_datareader.wb.download(country=None, indicator=None, start=2003, end=2005, freq=None, errors='warn', **kwargs)
```

Download data series from the World Bank's World Development Indicators

Parameters

- indicator (string or list of strings) taken from the id field in WDIsearch()
- **country** (string or list of strings.) all downloads data for all countries 2 or 3 character ISO country codes select individual countries (e.g. "US", "CA") or (e.g. "USA", "CAN"). The codes can be mixed.

The two ISO lists of countries, provided by wikipedia, are hardcoded into pandas as of 11/10/2014.

- **start** (*int*) First year of the data series
- end (int) Last year of the data series (inclusive)
- **freq** (str) frequency or periodicity of the data to be retrieved (e.g. 'M' for monthly, 'Q' for quarterly, and 'A' for annual). None defaults to annual.
- **errors** (str {'ignore', 'warn', 'raise'}, default 'warn') Country codes are validated against a hardcoded list. This controls the outcome of that validation, and attempts to also apply to the results from world bank. errors='raise', will raise a ValueError on a bad country code.
- kwargs keywords passed to WorldBankReader

Returns data - DataFrame with columns country, year, indicator value

Return type DataFrame

```
\verb|pandas_datareader.wb.get_countries|(**kwargs)|
```

Query information about countries

Provides information such as: country code, region, income level, capital city, latitude, and longitude

Parameters kwargs - keywords passed to WorldBankReader

```
pandas_datareader.wb.get_indicators(**kwargs)
```

Download information about all World Bank data series

Parameters kwargs - keywords passed to WorldBankReader

pandas_datareader.wb.search(string='gdp.*capi', field='name', case=False, **kwargs)
Search available data series from the world bank

Parameters

- **string** (*string*) regular expression
- field (string) id, name, source, sourceNote, sourceOrganization, topics. See notes
- case (bool) case sensitive search?
- kwargs keywords passed to WorldBankReader

Notes

The first time this function is run it will download and cache the full list of available series. Depending on the speed of your network connection, this can take time. Subsequent searches will use the cached copy, so they should be much faster.

id: Data series indicator (for use with the indicator argument of WDI()) e.g. NY.GNS.ICTR.GN.ZS"

- name: Short description of the data series
- source: Data collection project

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- sourceOrganization: Data collection organization
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