Pandas **dtype** mapping

| Pandas dtype | Python type | NumPy type | Usage |
|---|---|---|---|
| object | str | string_, unicode_ | Text |
| int64 | int | int_, int8, int16, int32, int64, uint8, uint16, uint32, uint64 | Integer numbers |
| float64 | float | float_, float16, float32, float64 | Floating point numbers |
| bool | bool | bool_ | True/False values |
| datetime64 | NA | datetime64[ns] | Date and time values |
| timedelta[ns] | NA | NA | Differences between two datetimes |
| category | NA | NA | Finite list of text values |