# Lab 2: Table operations

Welcome to Lab 2! This week, we'll learn how to import a module and practice table operations!

Recommended Reading:

• Introduction to tables (https://www.inferentialthinking.com/chapters/03/4/Introduction\_to\_Tables)

First, set up the tests and imports by running the cell below.

```
In []: # Just run this cell
    import numpy as np
    from datascience import *

# These lines load the tests.
# When you log-in please hit return (not shift + return) after typing in yo
    ur email
    from client.api.notebook import Notebook
    ok = Notebook('lab02.ok')
    _ = ok.submit()
```

# 1. Review: The building blocks of Python code

The two building blocks of Python code are *expressions* and *statements*. An **expression** is a piece of code that

- · is self-contained, meaning it would make sense to write it on a line by itself, and
- · usually evaluates to a value.

Here are two expressions that both evaluate to 3:

3 5 - 2

One important type of expression is the **call expression**. A call expression begins with the name of a function and is followed by the argument(s) of that function in parentheses. The function returns some value, based on its arguments. Some important mathematical functions are listed below.

Function	Description
abs	Returns the absolute value of its argument
max	Returns the maximum of all its arguments
min	Returns the minimum of all its arguments
pow	Raises its first argument to the power of its second argument
round	Rounds its argument to the nearest integer

Here are two call expressions that both evaluate to 3:

```
abs(2 - 5)
max(round(2.8), min(pow(2, 10), -1 * pow(2, 10)))
```

The expression 5 - 2 and the two call expressions given above are examples of **compound expressions**, meaning that they are actually combinations of several smaller expressions. 5 - 2 combines the expressions 5 and 2 by subtraction. In this case, 5 and 2 are called **subexpressions** because they're expressions that are part of a larger expression.

A **statement** is a whole line of code. Some statements are just expressions. The expressions listed above are examples.

Other statements *make something happen* rather than *having a value*. For example, an **assignment statement** assigns a value to a name.

A good way to think about this is that we're **evaluating the right-hand side** of the equals sign and **assigning it to the left-hand side**. Here are some assignment statements:

```
height = 1.3
the_number_five = abs(-5)
absolute_height_difference = abs(height - 1.688)
```

An important idea in programming is that large, interesting things can be built by combining many simple, uninteresting things. The key to understanding a complicated piece of code is breaking it down into its simple components.

For example, a lot is going on in the last statement above, but it's really just a combination of a few things. This picture describes what's going on.

**Question 1.1.** In the next cell, assign the name <code>new\_year</code> to the larger number among the following two numbers:

```
1. the absolute value of 2^5-2^{11}-2^1+1 , and 2. 5\times 13\times 31+4 .
```

Try to use just one statement (one line of code). Be sure to check your work by executing the test cell afterward.

```
name: q11

In [2]: new_year = max(abs(2**5 - 2**11 - 2 ** 1 + 1), 5*13*31 + 4) #SOLUTION
    new_year
```

Out[2]: 2019

**BEGIN QUESTION** 

We've asked you to use one line of code in the question above because it only involves mathematical operations. However, more complicated programming questions will more require more steps. It isn't always a good idea to jam these steps into a single line because it can make the code harder to read and harder to debug.

Good programming practice involves splitting up your code into smaller steps and using appropriate names. You'll have plenty of practice in the rest of this course!

# 2. Importing code

```
What has been will be again, what has been done will be done again; there is nothing new under the sun.
```

Most programming involves work that is very similar to work that has been done before. Since writing code is time-consuming, it's good to rely on others' published code when you can. Rather than copy-pasting, Python allows us to **import modules**. A module is a file with Python code that has defined variables and functions. By importing a module, we are able to use its code in our own notebook.

Python includes many useful modules that are just an import away. We'll look at the math module as a first example. The math module is extremely useful in computing mathematical expressions in Python.

Suppose we want to very accurately compute the area of a circle with a radius of 5 meters. For that, we need the constant  $\pi$ , which is roughly 3.14. Conveniently, the math module has pi defined for us:

```
In [4]: import math
    radius = 5
    area_of_circle = radius**2 * math.pi
    area_of_circle
Out[4]: 78.53981633974483
```

In the code above, the line import math imports the math module. This statement creates a module and then assigns the name math to that module. We are now able to access any variables or functions defined within math by typing the name of the module followed by a dot, then followed by the name of the variable or function we want.

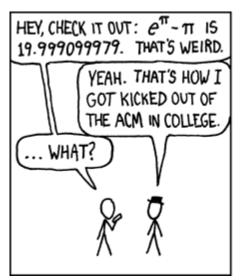
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<module name>.<name>
```

**BEGIN QUESTION** 

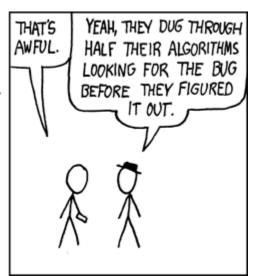
**Question 2.1.** The module math also provides the name e for the base of the natural logarithm, which is roughly 2.71. Compute  $e^{\pi}-\pi$ , giving it the name near\_twenty.

```
name: q21
In [5]: near_twenty = math.e ** math.pi - math.pi # SOLUTION
    near_twenty
```

Out[5]: 19.99909997918947



DURING A COMPETITION, I TOLD THE PROGRAMMERS ON OUR TEAM THAT  $e^{\pi}$ - $\pi$  WAS A STANDARD TEST OF FLOATING-POINT HANDLERS -- IT WOULD COME OUT TO 20 UNLESS THEY HAD ROUNDING ERRORS.



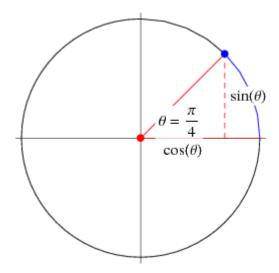
Source: <a href="http://imgs.xkcd.com/comics/e">http://imgs.xkcd.com/comics/e</a> to the pi\_minus\_pi.png (<a href="http://imgs.xkcd.com/comics/e">http://imgs.xkcd.com/comics/e</a> to the pi\_minus\_pi.png)

## 2.1. Accessing functions

In the question above, you accessed variables within the math module.

**Modules** also define **functions**. For example, math provides the name  $\sin$  for the sine function. Having imported math already, we can write math. $\sin(3)$  to compute the sine of 3. (Note that this sine function considers its argument to be in <u>radians (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radian)</u>, not degrees. 180 degrees are equivalent to  $\pi$  radians.)

Question 2.1.1. A  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ -radian (45-degree) angle forms a right triangle with equal base and height, pictured below. If the hypotenuse (the radius of the circle in the picture) is 1, then the height is  $\sin(\frac{\pi}{4})$ . Compute that value using  $\sin$  and  $\sin$  from the math module. Give the result the name  $\sin$ \_of\_pi\_over\_four.



Source: Wolfram MathWorld (http://mathworld.wolfram.com/images/eps-gif/TrigonometryAnglesPi4 1000.gif)

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```
In [7]: sine_of_pi_over_four = math.sin(math.pi / 4) #SOLUTION
sine_of_pi_over_four
```

Out[7]: 0.7071067811865476

For your reference, below are some more examples of functions from the math module.

Notice how different functions take in different numbers of arguments. Often, the <u>documentation</u> (<u>https://docs.python.org/3/library/math.html</u>) of the module will provide information on how many arguments are required for each function.

```
In [9]: # Calculating Logarithms (the Logarithm of 8 in base 2).
# The result is 3 because 2 to the power of 3 is 8.
math.log(8, 2)

Out[9]: 3.0

In [10]: # Calculating square roots.
math.sqrt(5)
Out[10]: 2.23606797749979
```

There are various ways to import and access code from outside sources. The method we used above — import <module\_name> — imports the entire module and requires that we use <module\_name>.<name> to access its code.

We can also import a specific constant or function instead of the entire module. Notice that you don't have to use the module name beforehand to reference that particular value. However, you do have to be careful about reassigning the names of the constants or functions to other values!

```
In [11]: # Importing just cos and pi from math.
# We don't have to use `math.` in front of cos or pi
from math import cos, pi
print(cos(pi))

# We do have to use it in front of other functions from math, though
math.log(pi)

-1.0

Out[11]: 1.1447298858494002
```

Or we can import every function and value from the entire module.

```
In [12]: # Lastly, we can import everything from math using the *
# Once again, we don't have to use 'math.' beforehand
from math import *
log(pi)
Out[12]: 1.1447298858494002
```

Don't worry too much about which type of import to use. It's often a coding style choice left up to each programmer. In this course, you'll always import the necessary modules when you run the setup cell (like the first code cell in this lab).

#### A function that displays a picture

People have written Python functions that do very cool and complicated things, like crawling web pages for data, transforming videos, or doing machine learning with lots of data. Before you write code for a task that seems common, you can check to see if someone has already written it for you!

Let's take a look at a function used for downloading and displaying pictures.

The module IPython.display provides a function called Image. The Image function takes a single argument, text that is the URL of the image on the web. It returns an *image* value that this Jupyter notebook understands how to display. To display an image, make the image value the last expression in a cell, just like you'd display a number or text.

Question 2.1.2. In the next cell, import the module IPython.display and pass in

```
'https://uploads0.wikiart.org/images/lee-krasner/noon-1947.jpg'
```

as an argument to its Image function. This will display the image at this URL.

Assign the name art to the output of the call to Image. (It might take a few seconds to load the image. It's a 1947 painting by Lee Krasner called *Noon*. Lee Krasner was an influential woman in American art who created abstract impressionist works such as *Noon*. Jackson Pollock was married to her!)

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BEGIN QUESTION name: q212 image: true
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In []: # Import the module IPython.display. Watch out for capitalization.
import IPython.display # SOLUTION

# Replace the ... below with a call to the Image function
# in the IPython.display module, which should produce a picture.
art = IPython.display.Image('https://uploads0.wikiart.org/images/lee-krasne r/noon-1947.jpg') # SOLUTION
art
```

Let's move on to practicing some of the table operations you've learned in lecture!

## 3. Table operations

The table <code>farmers\_markets.csv</code> contains data on farmers' markets in the United States (data collected <code>by the USDA (https://apps.ams.usda.gov/FarmersMarketsExport/ExcelExport.aspx))</code>. Each row represents one such market.

Run the next cell to load the farmers\_markets table.

```
In [18]: # Just run this cell
farmers_markets = Table.read_table('farmers_markets.csv')
```

Let's examine our table to see what data it contains.

Question 3.1. Use the method show to display the first 5 rows of farmers\_markets.

*Note:* The terms "method" and "function" are technically not the same thing, but for the purposes of this course, we will use them interchangeably.

**Hint:** tbl.show(3) will show the first 3 rows of tbl. Additionally, make sure not to call .show() without an argument, as this will crash your kernel!

In [19]:	farmers	_markets.sh	ow(5) #	SOLUTION						
	FMID	MarketName	street	city	County	State	zip	x	у	
	1012063	Caledonia Farmers Market Association - Danville	nan	Danville	Caledonia	Vermont	05828	-72.1403	44.411	https
	1011871	Stearns Homestead Farmers' Market	6975 Ridge Road	Parma	Cuyahoga	Ohio	44130	-81.7286	41.3751	
	1011878	100 Mile Market	507 Harrison St	Kalamazoo	Kalamazoo	Michigan	49007	-85.5749	42.296	
	1009364	106 S. Main Street Farmers Market	106 S. Main Street	Six Mile	nan	South Carolina	29682	-82.8187	34.8042	
	1010691	10th Steet Community Farmers Market	10th Street and Poplar	Lamar	Barton	Missouri	64759	-94.2746	37.4956	
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... (8541 rows omitted)

Notice that some of the values in this table are missing, as denoted by "nan." This means either that the value is not available (e.g. if we don't know the market's street address) or not applicable (e.g. if the market doesn't have a street address). You'll also notice that the table has a large number of columns in it!

### num\_columns

The table property num\_columns returns the number of columns in a table. (A "property" is just a method that doesn't need to be called by adding parentheses.)

Example call: <tbl>.num\_columns

Question 3.2. Use num\_columns to find the number of columns in our farmers' markets dataset.

Assign the number of columns to num\_farmers\_markets\_columns .

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name: q32
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In [20]: num_farmers_markets_columns = farmers_markets.num_columns #SOLUTION
    print("The table has", num_farmers_markets_columns, "columns in it!")
```

The table has 59 columns in it!

### num\_rows

Similarly, the property num rows tells you how many rows are in a table.

The table has 8546 rows in it!

### select

Most of the columns are about particular products -- whether the market sells tofu, pet food, etc. If we're not interested in that information, it just makes the table difficult to read. This comes up more than you might think, because people who collect and publish data may not know ahead of time what people will want to do with it.

In such situations, we can use the table method select to choose only the columns that we want in a particular table. It takes any number of arguments. Each should be the name of a column in the table. It returns a new table with only those columns in it. The columns are in the order in which they were listed as arguments.

For example, the value of farmers\_markets.select("MarketName", "State") is a table with only the name and the state of each farmers' market in farmers markets.

Question 3.3. Use select to create a table with only the name, city, state, latitude ( y ), and longitude ( x ) of each market. Call that new table farmers markets locations.

Hint: Make sure to be exact when using column names with select; double-check capitalization!

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Out[23]:

In [23]: farmers markets locations = farmers markets.select("city", "State", "y", arketName","x") #SOLUTION farmers\_markets\_locations

Out[23]:	city	State	у	MarketName	x
	Danville	Vermont	44.411	Caledonia Farmers Market Association - Danville	-72.1403
	Parma	Ohio	41.3751	Stearns Homestead Farmers' Market	-81.7286
	Kalamazoo	Michigan	42.296	100 Mile Market	-85.5749
	Six Mile	South Carolina	34.8042	106 S. Main Street Farmers Market	-82.8187
	Lamar	Missouri	37.4956	10th Steet Community Farmers Market	-94.2746
	New York	New York	40.7939	112st Madison Avenue	-73.9493
	Nashville	Tennessee	36.1184	12 South Farmers Market	-86.7907
	New York	New York	40.809	125th Street Fresh Connect Farmers' Market	-73.9482
	Wilmington	Delaware	39.7421	12th & Brandywine Urban Farm Market	-75.5345

38.917

... (8536 rows omitted)

Washington District of Columbia

14&U Farmers' Market -77.0321

### drop

drop serves the same purpose as select, but it takes away the columns that you provide rather than the ones that you don't provide. Like select, drop returns a new table.

**Question 3.4.** Suppose you just didn't want the FMID or updateTime columns in farmers\_markets . Create a table that's a copy of farmers\_markets but doesn't include those columns. Call that table farmers\_markets\_without\_fmid .

**BEGIN QUESTION** 

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Out[26]:	MarketName	street	city	County	State	zip	x	у	
	Caledonia Farmers Market Association - Danville	nan	Danville	Caledonia	Vermont	05828	-72.1403	44.411	https://site
	Stearns Homestead Farmers' Market	6975 Ridge Road	Parma	Cuyahoga	Ohio	44130	-81.7286	41.3751	
	100 Mile Market	507 Harrison St	Kalamazoo	Kalamazoo	Michigan	49007	-85.5749	42.296	
	106 S. Main Street Farmers Market	106 S. Main Street	Six Mile	nan	South Carolina	29682	-82.8187	34.8042	
	10th Steet Community Farmers Market	10th Street and Poplar	Lamar	Barton	Missouri	64759	-94.2746	37.4956	
	112st Madison Avenue	112th Madison Avenue	New York	New York	New York	10029	-73.9493	40.7939	
	12 South Farmers <i>M</i> arket	3000 Granny White Pike	Nashville	Davidson	Tennessee	37204	-86.7907	36.1184	
	125th Street Fresh	163 West 125th Street and							

12th & 12th & Brandywine New Brandywine Wilmington Delaware 19801 -75.5345 39.7421 Urban Farm Castle Streets Market 14&U 1400 U District of District of 20009 -77.0321 Farmers' Washington 38.917 Columbia Street NW Columbia Market

New York

New York 10027 -73.9482

40.809

... (8536 rows omitted)

Connect

Farmers'

Market

Adam

Clayton

Powell, Jr. Blvd. New York

Now, suppose we want to answer some questions about farmers' markets in the US. For example, which market(s) have the largest longitude (given by the x column)?

To answer this, we'll sort farmers\_markets\_locations by longitude.

x	MarketName	у	State	city	ut[29]:
-166.54	Trapper Creek Farmers Market		Alaska	Trapper Creek	
-159.718	Kekaha Neighborhood Center (Sunshine Markets)	21.9704	Hawaii	Kekaha	
-159.588	Hanapepe Park (Sunshine Markets)	21.9101	Hawaii	Hanapepe	
-159.527	Kalaheo Neighborhood Center (Sunshine Markets)	21.9251	Hawaii	Kalaheo	
-159.514	Hawaiian Farmers of Hanalei	22.2033	Hawaii	Hanalei	
-159.492	Hanalei Saturday Farmers Market	22.2042	Hawaii	Hanalei	
-159.469	Kauai Culinary Market	21.9067	Hawaii	Koloa	
-159.465	Koloa Ball Park (Knudsen) (Sunshine Markets)	21.9081	Hawaii	Koloa	
-159.435	West Kauai Agricultural Association	21.8815	Hawaii	Poipu	
-159.406	Kilauea Neighborhood Center (Sunshine Markets)	22.2112	Hawaii	Kilauea	

Oops, that didn't answer our question because we sorted from smallest to largest longitude. To look at the largest longitudes, we'll have to sort in reverse order.

it[30]:	city	State	у	MarketName	х
	Saint Croix	Virgin Islands	17.7449	Christian "Shan" Hendricks Vegetable Market	-64.7043
	Saint Croix	Virgin Islands	17.7322	La Reine Farmers Market	-64.7789
	Saint Croix	Virgin Islands	17.7099	Anne Heyliger Vegetable Market	-64.8799
	St. Thomas	Virgin Islands	18.3428	Rothschild Francis Vegetable Market	-64.9326
	Luquillo	Puerto Rico	18.3782	Feria Agrícola de Luquillo	-65.7207
	San Lorenzo	Puerto Rico	18.1871	El Mercado Familiar	-65.9674
	Gurabo	Puerto Rico	18.2526	El Mercado Familiar	-65.9786
	Patillas	Puerto Rico	18.0069	El Mercado Familiar	-66.0135
	Caguas zona urbana	Puerto Rico	18.2324	El Mercado Familiar	-66.039
	Arroyo zona urbana	Puerto Rico	17.9686	El Maercado Familiar	-66.0617

... (8536 rows omitted)

(The descending=True bit is called an *optional argument*. It has a default value of False, so when you explicitly tell the function descending=True, then the function will sort in descending order.)

#### sort

Some details about sort:

- 1. The first argument to sort is the name of a column to sort by.
- 2. If the column has text in it, sort will sort alphabetically; if the column has numbers, it will sort numerically.
- 3. The value of farmers\_markets\_locations.sort("x") is a *copy* of farmers\_markets\_locations; the farmers\_markets\_locations table doesn't get modified. For example, if we called farmers\_markets\_locations.sort("x"), then running farmers\_markets\_locations by itself would still return the unsorted table.
- 4. Rows always stick together when a table is sorted. It wouldn't make sense to sort just one column and leave the other columns alone. For example, in this case, if we sorted just the x column, the farmers' markets would all end up with the wrong longitudes.

**Question 3.5.** Create a version of farmers\_markets\_locations that's sorted by **latitude ( y )**, with the largest latitudes first. Call it farmers\_markets\_locations\_by\_latitude .

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Out[31]:

city	State	у	MarketName	х
Fairbanks	Alaska	64.8628	Tanana Valley Farmers Market	-147.781
Ester	Alaska	64.8459	Ester Community Market	-148.01
Fairbanks	Alaska	64.8444	Fairbanks Downtown Market	-147.72
Nenana	Alaska	64.5566	Nenana Open Air Market	-149.096
Delta Junction	Alaska	64.0385	Highway's End Farmers' Market	-145.733
Talkeetna	Alaska	62.3231	MountainTraders	-150.118
Talkeetna	Alaska	62.3228	Talkeetna Farmers Market	-150.118
Anchorage	Alaska	62.3163	Denali Farmers Market	-150.234
Valdez	Alaska	62.1079	Kenny Lake Harvest II	-145.476
Copper Valley	Alaska	62.0879	Copper Valley Community Market	-145.444

... (8536 rows omitted)

Now let's say we want a table of all farmers' markets in California. Sorting won't help us much here because California is closer to the middle of the dataset.

Instead, we use the table method where .

```
In [34]: california_farmers_markets = farmers_markets_locations.where('State', are.e
    qual_to('California'))
    california_farmers_markets
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Out[34]:	city	State	у	MarketName	x
	Victorville	California	34.5593	Adelanto Stadium Farmers Market	-117.405
	Alameda	California	37.7742	Alameda Farmers' Market	-122.277
	Salinas	California	36.6733	Alisal Certified Farmers' Market	-121.634
	Altadena	California	34.2004	Altadena Farmers' Market	-118.158
	San Jose	California	37.3678	Alum Rock Village Farmers' Market	-121.833
	Jackson	California	38.3488	Amador Farmers' Market Jackson	-120.774
	Pine Grove	California	38.3488	Amador Farmers' Market Pine Grove	-120.774
	Sutter Creek	California	38.3488	Amador Farmers' Market Sutter Creek	-120.774
	Anderson	California	40.4487	Anderson Happy Valley Farmers Market	-122.408
	Angels Camp	California	38.0722	Angels Camp Farmers Market-Fresh Fridays	-120.543
	(745 rows o	omitted)			

Ignore the syntax for the moment. Instead, try to read that line like this:

Assign the name california\_farmers\_markets to a table whose rows are the rows in the farmers\_markets\_locations table where the 'State's are equal to California.

#### where

Now let's dive into the details a bit more. where takes 2 arguments:

- 1. The name of a column. where finds rows where that column's values meet some criterion.
- 2. A predicate that describes the criterion that the column needs to meet.

The predicate in the example above called the function <code>are.equal\_to</code> with the value we wanted, 'California'. We'll see other predicates soon.

where returns a table that's a copy of the original table, but with only the rows that meet the given predicate.

**Question 3.6.** Use california\_farmers\_markets to create a table called berkeley\_markets containing farmers' markets in Berkeley, California.

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Out[35]:

X	MarketName	у	State	city
-122.273	Downtown Berkeley Farmers' Market	37.8697	California	Berkeley
-122.269	North Berkeley Farmers' Market	37.8802	California	Berkeley
-122.272	South Berkeley Farmers' Market	37.8478	California	Berkeley

Recognize any of them?

So far we've only been using where with the predicate that requires finding the values in a column to be *exactly* equal to a certain value. However, there are many other predicates. Here are a few:

Result	Example	Predicate
Find rows with values equal to 50	are.equal_to(50)	are.equal_to
Find rows with values not equal to 50	are.not_equal_to(50)	are.not_equal_to
Find rows with values above (and not equal to) 50	are.above(50)	are.above
Find rows with values above 50 or equal to 50	are.above_or_equal_to(50)	are.above_or_equal_to
Find rows with values below 50	are.below(50)	are.below
Find rows with values above or equal to 2 and below 10	are.between(2, 10)	are.between

## 4. Analyzing a dataset

Now that you're familiar with table operations, let's answer some interesting questions about a dataset!

Run the cell below to load the imdb table. It contains information about the 250 highest-rated movies on IMDb.

```
In [38]: # Just run this cell
    imdb = Table.read_table('imdb.csv')
    imdb
```

Out[38]:	Votes	Rating	Title	Year	Decade
	88355	8.4	М	1931	1930
	132823	8.3	Singin' in the Rain	1952	1950
	74178	8.3	All About Eve	1950	1950
	635139	8.6	Léon	1994	1990
	145514	8.2	The Elephant Man	1980	1980
	425461	8.3	Full Metal Jacket	1987	1980
	441174	8.1	Gone Girl	2014	2010
	850601	8.3	Batman Begins	2005	2000

8.2 Judgment at Nuremberg 1961

Relatos salvajes 2014

... (240 rows omitted)

37664

46987

**Question 4.1.** Using where and one of the predicates from the table above, find all movies with a rating higher than 8.5. Assign this filtered table to the name really\_highly\_rated. It should contain the same columns as imdb.

1960

2010

**BEGIN QUESTION** 

name: q41

```
In [39]: really_highly_rated = imdb.where('Rating', are.above(8.5)) #SOLUTION
    really_highly_rated
```

Out	[39]	:
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Votes	Rating	Title	Year	Decade
635139	8.6	Léon	1994	1990
1027398	9.2	The Godfather	1972	1970
767224	8.6	The Silence of the Lambs	1991	1990
1498733	9.2	The Shawshank Redemption	1994	1990
447875	8.9	Il buono, il brutto, il cattivo (1966)	1966	1960
967389	8.7	The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers	2002	2000
689541	8.6	Interstellar	2014	2010
1473049	8.9	The Dark Knight	2008	2000
192206	8.6	C'era una volta il West	1968	1960
1271949	8.7	Inception	2010	2010

... (19 rows omitted)

Often, we want to perform multiple operations - sorting, filtering, or others - in order to turn a table we have into something more useful. You can do these operations one by one, e.g.

```
first_step = original_tbl.where("col1", are.equal_to(12))
second_step = first_step.sort('col2', descending=True)
```

However, since the value of the expression original\_tbl.where("col1", are.equal\_to(12)) is itself a table, you can just call a table method on it:

```
original_tbl.where("col1", are.equal_to(12)).sort('col2', descending=True)
```

You should organize your work in the way that makes the most sense to you, using informative names for any intermediate tables you create.

**Question 4.2.** Create a table of movies released between 2010 and 2016 (inclusive) with ratings above 8. The table should only contain the columns Title and Rating, in that order.

Assign the table to the name above\_eight .

Hint: Think about the steps you need to take, and try to put them in an order that make sense. Feel free to create intermediate tables for each step, but please make sure you assign your final table the name above eight!

**BEGIN QUESTION** 

name: q42

```
In [43]: above_eight = imdb.where('Year', are.between(2010, 2017)).where('Rating', a
    re.above(8)).select('Title', 'Rating') #SOLUTION
    above_eight
```

### Out[43]:

Title	Rating				
Gone Girl	8.1				
Warrior	8.2				
Intouchables	8.5				
Shutter Island	8.1				
12 Years a Slave	8.1				
Inside Out (2015/I)	8.5				
Jagten	8.2				
Toy Story 3	8.3				
How to Train Your Dragon	8.1				
Interstellar	8.6				
(10 rows omitted)					

... (10 rows omitted)

**Question 4.3.** Use num\_rows (and arithmetic) to find the *proportion* of movies in the dataset that were released 1900-1999, and the *proportion* of movies in the dataset that were released in the year 2000 or later.

Assign proportion\_in\_20th\_century to the proportion of movies in the dataset that were released 1900-1999, and proportion\_in\_21st\_century to the proportion of movies in the dataset that were released in the year 2000 or later.

*Hint:* The *proportion* of movies released in the 1900's is the *number* of movies released in the 1900's, divided by the *total number* of movies.

BEGIN QUESTION name: q43

Proportion in 20th century: 0.684 Proportion in 21st century: 0.316

## 5. Summary

For your reference, here's a table of all the functions and methods we saw in this lab. We'll learn more methods to add to this table in the coming week!

Name	Example	Purpose
sort	tbl.sort("N")	Create a copy of a table sorted by the values in a column
where	tbl.where("N", are.above(2))	Create a copy of a table with only the rows that match some predicate
num_rows	tbl.num_rows	Compute the number of rows in a table
num_columns	tbl.num_columns	Compute the number of columns in a table
select	<pre>tbl.select("N")</pre>	Create a copy of a table with only some of the columns
drop	tbl.drop("2*N")	Create a copy of a table without some of the columns

Alright! You're finished with lab 2! Be sure to...

- run all the tests (the next cell has a shortcut for that),
- Save and Checkpoint from the File menu,
- · run the last cell to submit your work,
- · and ask one of the staff members to check you off.

```
In [50]: # For your convenience, you can run this cell to run all the tests at once!
import os
_ = [ok.grade(q[:-3]) for q in os.listdir("tests") if q.startswith('q')]
In []: _ = ok.submit()
```