

bonus_multiindex

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1 Bonus video: How do I use the MultiIndex in pandas?

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```
[1]: import pandas as pd
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```
[2]: stocks = pd.read_csv('http://bit.ly/smallstocks')
stocks
```

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[2]:
```

	Date	Close	Volume	Symbol
0	2016-10-03	31.50	14070500	CSCO
1	2016-10-03	112.52	21701800	AAPL
2	2016-10-03	57.42	19189500	MSFT
3	2016-10-04	113.00	29736800	AAPL
4	2016-10-04	57.24	20085900	MSFT
5	2016-10-04	31.35	18460400	CSCO
6	2016-10-05	57.64	16726400	MSFT
7	2016-10-05	31.59	11808600	CSCO
8	2016-10-05	113.05	21453100	AAPL

```
[3]: stocks.index
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```
[3]: RangeIndex(start=0, stop=9, step=1)
```

```
[4]: stocks.groupby('Symbol').Close.mean()
```

```
[4]: Symbol
AAPL    112.856667
CSCO     31.480000
MSFT     57.433333
Name: Close, dtype: float64
```

1.1 Series with MultiIndex

```
[5]: ser = stocks.groupby(['Symbol', 'Date']).Close.mean()  
ser
```

```
[5]: Symbol  Date  
AAPL      2016-10-03    112.52  
          2016-10-04    113.00  
          2016-10-05    113.05  
CSCO      2016-10-03     31.50  
          2016-10-04     31.35  
          2016-10-05     31.59  
MSFT      2016-10-03     57.42  
          2016-10-04     57.24  
          2016-10-05     57.64  
Name: Close, dtype: float64
```

```
[6]: ser.index
```

```
[6]: MultiIndex([('AAPL', '2016-10-03'),  
               ('AAPL', '2016-10-04'),  
               ('AAPL', '2016-10-05'),  
               ('CSCO', '2016-10-03'),  
               ('CSCO', '2016-10-04'),  
               ('CSCO', '2016-10-05'),  
               ('MSFT', '2016-10-03'),  
               ('MSFT', '2016-10-04'),  
               ('MSFT', '2016-10-05')],  
              names=['Symbol', 'Date'])
```

```
[7]: ser.unstack()
```

```
[7]: Date      2016-10-03  2016-10-04  2016-10-05  
Symbol  
AAPL          112.52      113.00      113.05  
CSCO           31.50      31.35      31.59  
MSFT           57.42      57.24      57.64
```

```
[8]: df = stocks.pivot_table(values='Close', index='Symbol', columns='Date')  
df
```

```
[8]: Date      2016-10-03  2016-10-04  2016-10-05  
Symbol  
AAPL          112.52      113.00      113.05  
CSCO           31.50      31.35      31.59  
MSFT           57.42      57.24      57.64
```

1.2 Selection from Series with MultiIndex

```
[9]: ser
```

```
[9]: Symbol  Date
     AAPL    2016-10-03    112.52
           2016-10-04    113.00
           2016-10-05    113.05
     CSC0    2016-10-03     31.50
           2016-10-04     31.35
           2016-10-05     31.59
     MSFT    2016-10-03     57.42
           2016-10-04     57.24
           2016-10-05     57.64
     Name: Close, dtype: float64
```

```
[10]: ser.loc['AAPL']
```

```
[10]: Date
     2016-10-03    112.52
     2016-10-04    113.00
     2016-10-05    113.05
     Name: Close, dtype: float64
```

```
[11]: ser.loc['AAPL', '2016-10-03']
```

```
[11]: 112.52
```

```
[12]: ser.loc[:, '2016-10-03']
```

```
[12]: Symbol
     AAPL    112.52
     CSC0     31.50
     MSFT     57.42
     Name: Close, dtype: float64
```

```
[13]: df
```

```
[13]: Date    2016-10-03  2016-10-04  2016-10-05
     Symbol
     AAPL      112.52      113.00      113.05
     CSC0       31.50       31.35       31.59
     MSFT       57.42       57.24       57.64
```

```
[14]: df.loc['AAPL']
```

```
[14]: Date
     2016-10-03    112.52
```

```
2016-10-04    113.00
2016-10-05    113.05
Name: AAPL, dtype: float64
```

```
[15]: df.loc['AAPL', '2016-10-03']
```

```
[15]: 112.52
```

```
[16]: df.loc[:, '2016-10-03']
```

```
[16]: Symbol
AAPL    112.52
CSCO     31.50
MSFT     57.42
Name: 2016-10-03, dtype: float64
```

1.3 DataFrame with MultiIndex

```
[17]: stocks.set_index(['Symbol', 'Date'], inplace=True)
stocks
```

```
[17]:
```

		Close	Volume
Symbol	Date		
CSCO	2016-10-03	31.50	14070500
AAPL	2016-10-03	112.52	21701800
MSFT	2016-10-03	57.42	19189500
AAPL	2016-10-04	113.00	29736800
MSFT	2016-10-04	57.24	20085900
CSCO	2016-10-04	31.35	18460400
MSFT	2016-10-05	57.64	16726400
CSCO	2016-10-05	31.59	11808600
AAPL	2016-10-05	113.05	21453100

```
[18]: stocks.index
```

```
[18]: MultiIndex([('CSCO', '2016-10-03'),
              ('AAPL', '2016-10-03'),
              ('MSFT', '2016-10-03'),
              ('AAPL', '2016-10-04'),
              ('MSFT', '2016-10-04'),
              ('CSCO', '2016-10-04'),
              ('MSFT', '2016-10-05'),
              ('CSCO', '2016-10-05'),
              ('AAPL', '2016-10-05')],
              names=['Symbol', 'Date'])
```

```
[19]: stocks.sort_index(inplace=True)
stocks
```

```
[19]:
```

		Close	Volume
	Symbol Date		
	AAPL 2016-10-03	112.52	21701800
	2016-10-04	113.00	29736800
	2016-10-05	113.05	21453100
	CSCO 2016-10-03	31.50	14070500
	2016-10-04	31.35	18460400
	2016-10-05	31.59	11808600
	MSFT 2016-10-03	57.42	19189500
	2016-10-04	57.24	20085900
	2016-10-05	57.64	16726400

1.4 Selection from DataFrame with MultiIndex

```
[20]: stocks.loc['AAPL']
```

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[20]:
```

	Close	Volume
Date		
2016-10-03	112.52	21701800
2016-10-04	113.00	29736800
2016-10-05	113.05	21453100

```
[21]: stocks.loc(['AAPL', '2016-10-03'], :)]
```

```
[21]:
```

Close	112.52
Volume	21701800.00

Name: (AAPL, 2016-10-03), dtype: float64

```
[22]: stocks.loc(['AAPL', '2016-10-03'], 'Close']
```

```
[22]: 112.52
```

```
[23]: stocks.loc[['AAPL', 'MSFT'], :)]
```

```
[23]:
```

		Close	Volume
	Symbol Date		
	AAPL 2016-10-03	112.52	21701800
	2016-10-04	113.00	29736800
	2016-10-05	113.05	21453100
	MSFT 2016-10-03	57.42	19189500
	2016-10-04	57.24	20085900
	2016-10-05	57.64	16726400

```
[24]: stocks.loc([['AAPL', 'MSFT'], '2016-10-03'], :)]
```

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[24]:
```

		Close	Volume
	Symbol Date		
	AAPL 2016-10-03	112.52	21701800

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MSFT    2016-10-03    57.42  19189500
```

```
[25]: stocks.loc([('AAPL', 'MSFT'), '2016-10-03'], 'Close']
```

```
[25]: Symbol Date
      AAPL    2016-10-03    112.52
      MSFT    2016-10-03     57.42
      Name: Close, dtype: float64
```

```
[26]: stocks.loc(['AAPL', ['2016-10-03', '2016-10-04']], 'Close']
```

```
[26]: Symbol Date
      AAPL    2016-10-03    112.52
           2016-10-04    113.00
      Name: Close, dtype: float64
```

```
[27]: stocks.loc[(slice(None), ['2016-10-03', '2016-10-04']), :]
```

```
[27]:
      Symbol Date      Close  Volume
AAPL  2016-10-03  112.52  21701800
      2016-10-04  113.00  29736800
CSCO  2016-10-03   31.50  14070500
      2016-10-04   31.35  18460400
MSFT  2016-10-03   57.42  19189500
      2016-10-04   57.24  20085900
```

1.5 Merging DataFrames with MultiIndexes

```
[28]: close = pd.read_csv('http://bit.ly/smallstocks', usecols=[0, 1, 3],
      ↪index_col=['Symbol', 'Date']).sort_index()
      close
```

```
[28]:
      Symbol Date      Close
AAPL  2016-10-03  112.52
      2016-10-04  113.00
      2016-10-05  113.05
CSCO  2016-10-03   31.50
      2016-10-04   31.35
      2016-10-05   31.59
MSFT  2016-10-03   57.42
      2016-10-04   57.24
      2016-10-05   57.64
```

```
[29]: volume = pd.read_csv('http://bit.ly/smallstocks', usecols=[0, 2, 3],
      ↪index_col=['Symbol', 'Date']).sort_index()
```

```
volume
```

```
[29]:
```

	Symbol	Date	Volume
	AAPL	2016-10-03	21701800
		2016-10-04	29736800
		2016-10-05	21453100
	CSCO	2016-10-03	14070500
		2016-10-04	18460400
		2016-10-05	11808600
	MSFT	2016-10-03	19189500
		2016-10-04	20085900
		2016-10-05	16726400

```
[30]: both = pd.merge(close, volume, left_index=True, right_index=True)
both
```

```
[30]:
```

			Close	Volume
	Symbol	Date		
	AAPL	2016-10-03	112.52	21701800
		2016-10-04	113.00	29736800
		2016-10-05	113.05	21453100
	CSCO	2016-10-03	31.50	14070500
		2016-10-04	31.35	18460400
		2016-10-05	31.59	11808600
	MSFT	2016-10-03	57.42	19189500
		2016-10-04	57.24	20085900
		2016-10-05	57.64	16726400

```
[31]: both.reset_index()
```

```
[31]:
```

	Symbol	Date	Close	Volume
0	AAPL	2016-10-03	112.52	21701800
1	AAPL	2016-10-04	113.00	29736800
2	AAPL	2016-10-05	113.05	21453100
3	CSCO	2016-10-03	31.50	14070500
4	CSCO	2016-10-04	31.35	18460400
5	CSCO	2016-10-05	31.59	11808600
6	MSFT	2016-10-03	57.42	19189500
7	MSFT	2016-10-04	57.24	20085900
8	MSFT	2016-10-05	57.64	16726400