

Programming Principles in Python (CSCI 503/490)

Data

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Reading and Writing Data

- Reading:
 - `df = pd.read_csv(fname)`
- Writing
 - `df.to_csv(fname)`
- Many options also possible on both
 - `sep`: the separator (defaults to comma)
 - `skiprows`: when reading, number of list of lines to skip
 - `index`: set to `None` when writing if unimportant
- Also methods for other formats (`json`, `parquet`, `sql`)
- Methods are `read_*` and `to_*`

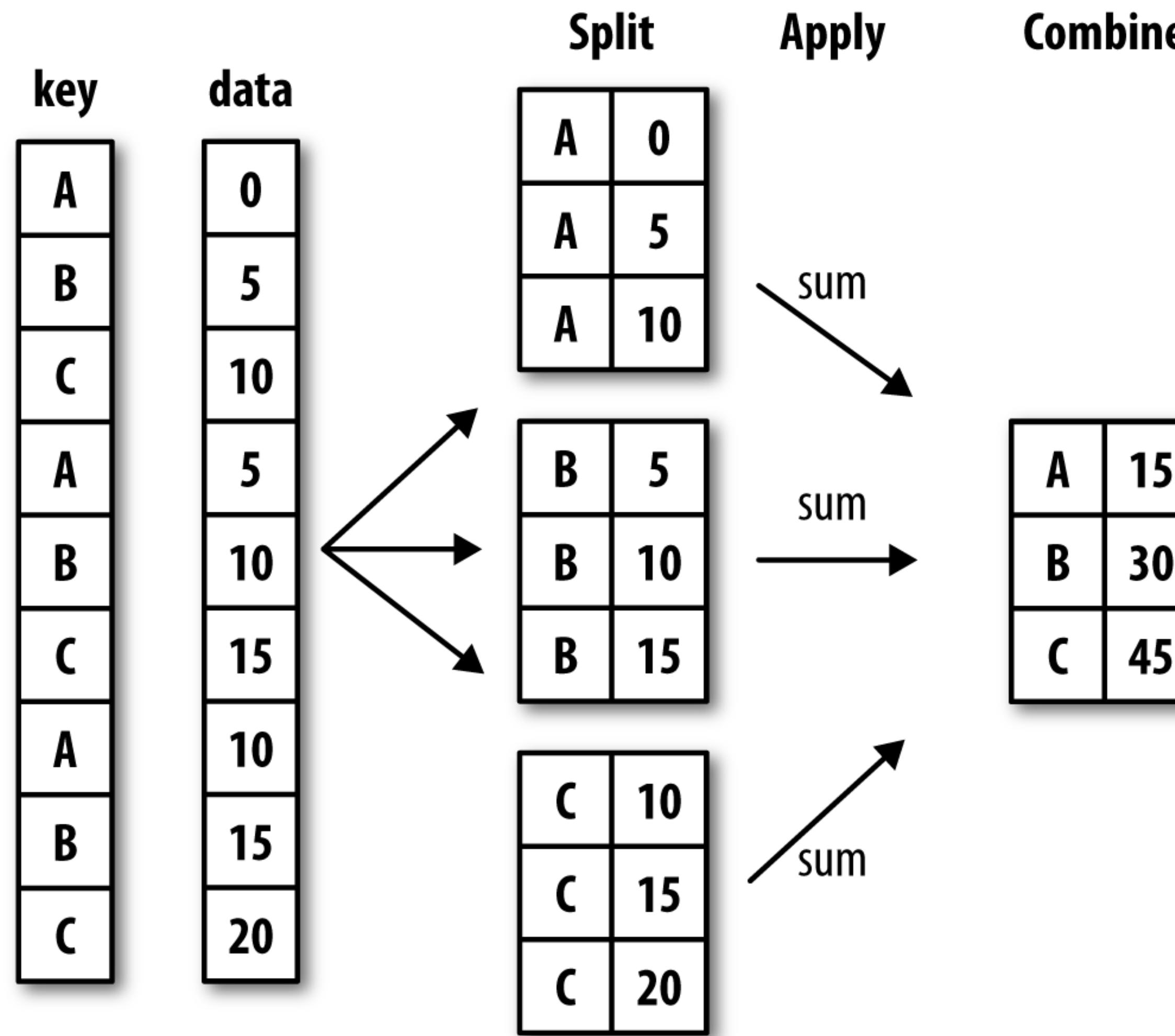
Writing CSV data with pandas

- Basic: `df.to_csv(<fname>)`
- Change delimiter with `sep` kwarg:
 - `df.to_csv('example.dsv', sep='|')`
- Change missing value representation
 - `df.to_csv('example.dsv', na_rep='NULL')`
- Don't write row or column labels:
 - `df.to_csv('example.csv', index=False, header=False)`
- Series may also be written to csv

Derived Data

- Create new columns from existing columns
 - `r["PctFail"] = r['Fail'] / r['Total']`
- Note that operations are computed in a vectorized manner
- Similarities to functional paradigm (map/filter):
 - specify the operation once
 - no loops
 - interpreted as an operation on the entire column

Aggregation: Split-Apply-Combine



[W. McKinney, Python for Data Analysis]

Split-Apply-Combine

- `df.groupby('Island')[['Culmen Length (mm)', 'Culmen Depth (mm)']].mean()`
- `df.groupby('Island').agg({'Culmen Length (mm)': 'mean', 'Culmen Depth (mm)': 'mean'})`
- `df.groupby('Island').agg(
 cul_length=('Culmen Length (mm)', 'mean'),
 cul_depth=('Culmen Depth (mm)', 'mean'))`

cul_length cul_depth

Island

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Dream 44.167742 18.344355

Torgersen 38.950980 18.429412

Assignment 7

- Download using requests (490) or aiohttp (503)
- Find matching files
- Use threads to process files using pandas

Tidy Data

Different Data Layouts

	treatmenta	treatmentb
John Smith	—	2
Jane Doe	16	11
Mary Johnson	3	1

Initial Data

	John Smith	Jane Doe	Mary Johnson
treatmenta	—	16	3
treatmentb	2	11	1

Transpose

name	trt	result
John Smith	a	—
Jane Doe	a	16
Mary Johnson	a	3
John Smith	b	2
Jane Doe	b	11
Mary Johnson	b	1

Tidy Data

Problem: Variables stored in both rows & columns

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MX17004	2010	1	tmin	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
MX17004	2010	2	tmax	—	27.3	24.1	—	—	—	—	—
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[H. Wickham, 2014]

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Variable in columns: day; Variable in rows: tmax/tmin

[H. Wickham, 2014]

Solution: Melting + Pivot

id	date	element	value
MX17004	2010-01-30	tmax	27.8
MX17004	2010-01-30	tmin	14.5
MX17004	2010-02-02	tmax	27.3
MX17004	2010-02-02	tmin	14.4
MX17004	2010-02-03	tmax	24.1
MX17004	2010-02-03	tmin	14.4
MX17004	2010-02-11	tmax	29.7
MX17004	2010-02-11	tmin	13.4
MX17004	2010-02-23	tmax	29.9
MX17004	2010-02-23	tmin	10.7

(a) Molten data

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MX17004	2010-03-05	32.1	14.2
MX17004	2010-03-10	34.5	16.8
MX17004	2010-03-16	31.1	17.6
MX17004	2010-04-27	36.3	16.7
MX17004	2010-05-27	33.2	18.2

(b) Tidy data

[H. Wickham, 2014]

Melt

- Want to keep each observation separate (tidy), aka pivot_longer

	location	Temperature	Jan-2010	Feb-2010	Mar-2010
0	CityA	Predict	30	45	24
1	CityB	Actual	32	43	22

```
df.melt(id_vars=["location", "Temperature"],  
        var_name="Date", value_name="Value")
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	location	Temperature	Date	Value
0	CityA	Predict	Jan-2010	30
1	CityB	Actual	Jan-2010	32
2	CityA	Predict	Feb-2010	45
3	CityB	Actual	Feb-2010	43
4	CityA	Predict	Mar-2010	24
5	CityB	Actual	Mar-2010	22

[AB Abhi]

Pivot

- Sometimes, we have data that is given in "long" format and we would like "wide" format (aka pivot_wider)
- Long format: column names are data values...
- Wide format: more like spreadsheet format
- Example:

	date	item	value	.pivot ('date', 'item', 'value')
0	1959-03-31	realgdp	2710.349	item
1	1959-03-31	infl	0.000	date
2	1959-03-31	unemp	5.800	1959-03-31
3	1959-06-30	realgdp	2778.801	0.00
4	1959-06-30	infl	2.340	2710.349
5	1959-06-30	unemp	5.100	5.1
6	1959-09-30	realgdp	2775.488	1959-06-30
7	1959-09-30	infl	2.740	2.74
8	1959-09-30	unemp	5.300	2775.488
9	1959-12-31	realgdp	2785.204	5.3

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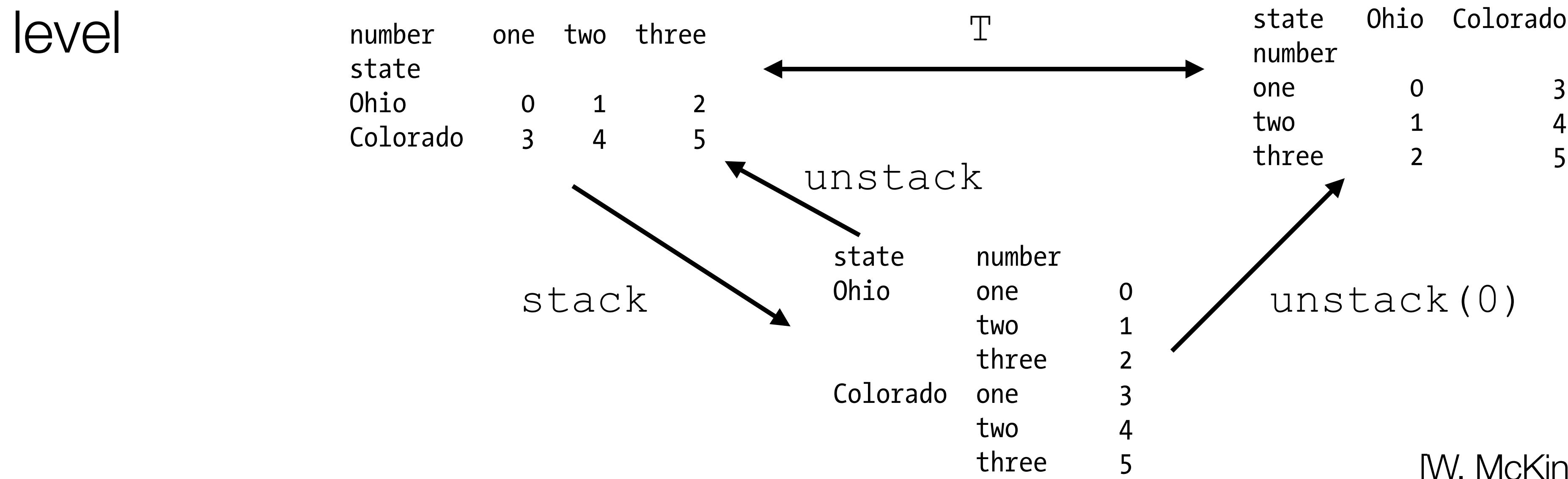
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MultIndex

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Stack and Unstack

- stack: pivots from the columns into rows (may produce a Series!)
- unstack: pivots from rows into columns
- unstacking may add missing data
- stacking filters out missing data (unless dropna=False)
- can unstack at a different level by passing it (e.g. 0), defaults to innermost level



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String Methods

- Can do many of the same methods used for single strings on entire columns
- Requires `.str` prefix before calling the method
 - `violations.value.str.strip().str.split(' - Comments:')`
- Also helps when extracting from a list
 - `comments.str[1]`

String Methods

Argument	Description
<code>count</code>	Return the number of non-overlapping occurrences of substring in the string.
<code>endswith</code>	Returns <code>True</code> if string ends with suffix.
<code>startswith</code>	Returns <code>True</code> if string starts with prefix.
<code>join</code>	Use string as delimiter for concatenating a sequence of other strings.
<code>index</code>	Return position of first character in substring if found in the string; raises <code>ValueError</code> if not found.
<code>find</code>	Return position of first character of <i>first</i> occurrence of substring in the string; like <code>index</code> , but returns <code>-1</code> if not found.
<code>rfind</code>	Return position of first character of <i>last</i> occurrence of substring in the string; returns <code>-1</code> if not found.
<code>replace</code>	Replace occurrences of string with another string.
<code>strip</code> , <code>rstrip</code> , <code>lstrip</code>	Trim whitespace, including newlines; equivalent to <code>x.strip()</code> (and <code>rstrip</code> , <code>lstrip</code> , respectively) for each element.
<code>split</code>	Break string into list of substrings using passed delimiter.
<code>lower</code>	Convert alphabet characters to lowercase.
<code>upper</code>	Convert alphabet characters to uppercase.
<code>casefold</code>	Convert characters to lowercase, and convert any region-specific variable character combinations to a common comparable form.
<code>ljust</code> , <code>rjust</code>	Left justify or right justify, respectively; pad opposite side of string with spaces (or some other fill character) to return a string with a minimum width.

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Support for Datetime

- Python has datetime library to support dates and times
- pandas has a Timestamp data type that functions somewhat similarly
- Pandas can convert timestamps
 - `pd.to_datetime`: versatile, can often guess format
- Like string methods, also a `.dt` accessor for datetime methods/properties
- With a timestamp, filtering based on datetimes becomes easier
 - `df[df['Inspection Date'] > '2021']`

Method chaining in pandas

- Tom Augspurger's [post](#)
- [Towards Data Science post](#) by Adiamann Keerthi
- Functions written for chaining, and pipe allows custom functions
- ```
def read(fp):
 df = (pd.read_csv(fp)
 .rename(columns=str.lower)
 .drop('unnamed: 36', axis=1)
 .pipe(extract_city_name)
 .pipe(time_to_datetime, ['dep_time', 'arr_time',
 'crs_arr_time', 'crs_dep_time'])
 .assign(fl_date=lambda x: pd.to_datetime(x['fl_date']),
 dest=lambda x: pd.Categorical(x['dest']),
 origin=lambda x: pd.Categorical(x['origin']),
 tail_num=lambda x: pd.Categorical(x['tail_num']),
 unique_carrier=lambda x: pd.Categorical(x['unique_carrier']),
 cancellation_code=lambda x: pd.Categorical(x['cancellation_code'])))
 return df
```

# Example: Inspect Intermediate Results

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- def csnap(df, fn=lambda x: x.shape, msg=None):  
 """ Custom Help function to print things in method chaining.  
 Returns back the df to further use in chaining.  
 """  
  
 if msg:  
 print(msg)  
 display(fn(df))  
 return df
- wine.pipe(csnap) # display data frame  
 .rename(columns={"color\_intensity": "ci"})  
 .assign(color\_filter=lambda x: np.where(x.hue > 1, 1, 0))  
 .pipe(csnap) # display data frame  
  
...

# Food Inspections Example

# Teaching Evaluations