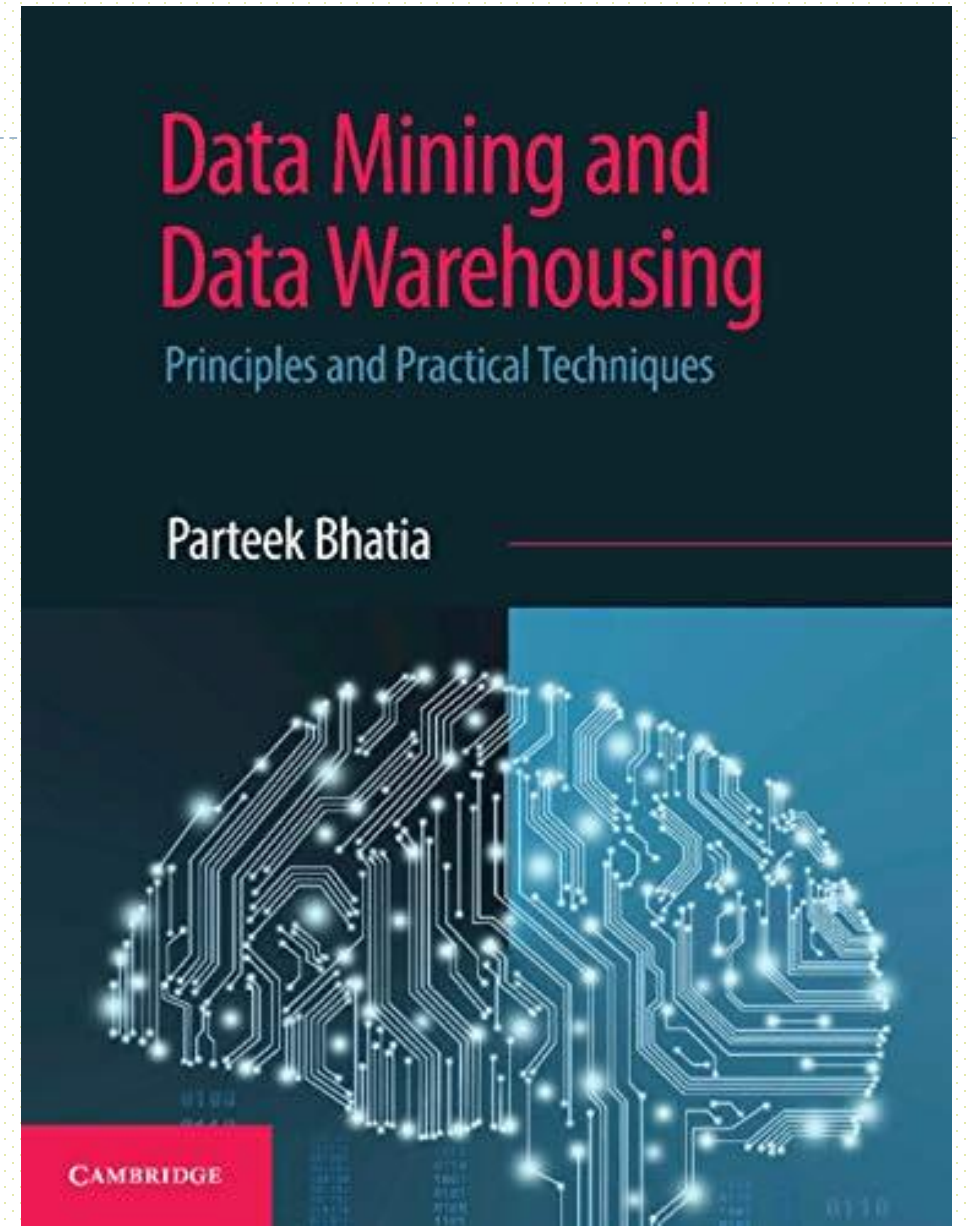


# Chapter 4

## Data Preprocessing



# CHAPTER OBJECTIVES

- 1. To understand the need for data preprocessing.**
- 2. To identify different phases of data preprocessing such as data cleaning, data integration,**
- 3. Data transformation and data reduction**

# Need for Data Processing

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- Data preprocessing is a data mining technique that involves transformation of raw data into an understandable format, because real world data can often be incomplete, inconsistent or even erroneous in nature.
- Data preprocessing resolves such issues. Data preprocessing ensures that further data mining process are free from errors. It is a prerequisite preparation for data mining, it prepares raw data for the core processes.

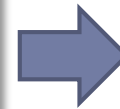
# Data Pre-processing example

**Table 4.1** Vendor's record extracted from the first source system

Supplier Name	Jugnoo Food Limited
Address	86 Gandhi Road
City	Indore
State	Madhya Pradesh
PIN	452001
Mobile Number	0731-7766028
Fax	0731-77766022
Email	info@jugnoo.co.in
Owner	Samitra nandan Singh
Last updated	7/12/2017

**Table 4.2** Vendor's record extracted from the second source system by Supplier ID

Supplier ID	23234
Business name	JF Limited
Address	855 Gandhi Road
City	Indore
State	Madhya Pradesh
PIN	452001
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Fax	0731-77766022
Email	info@jugnoo.co.in



**Table 4.4** Vendor's record after pre-processing

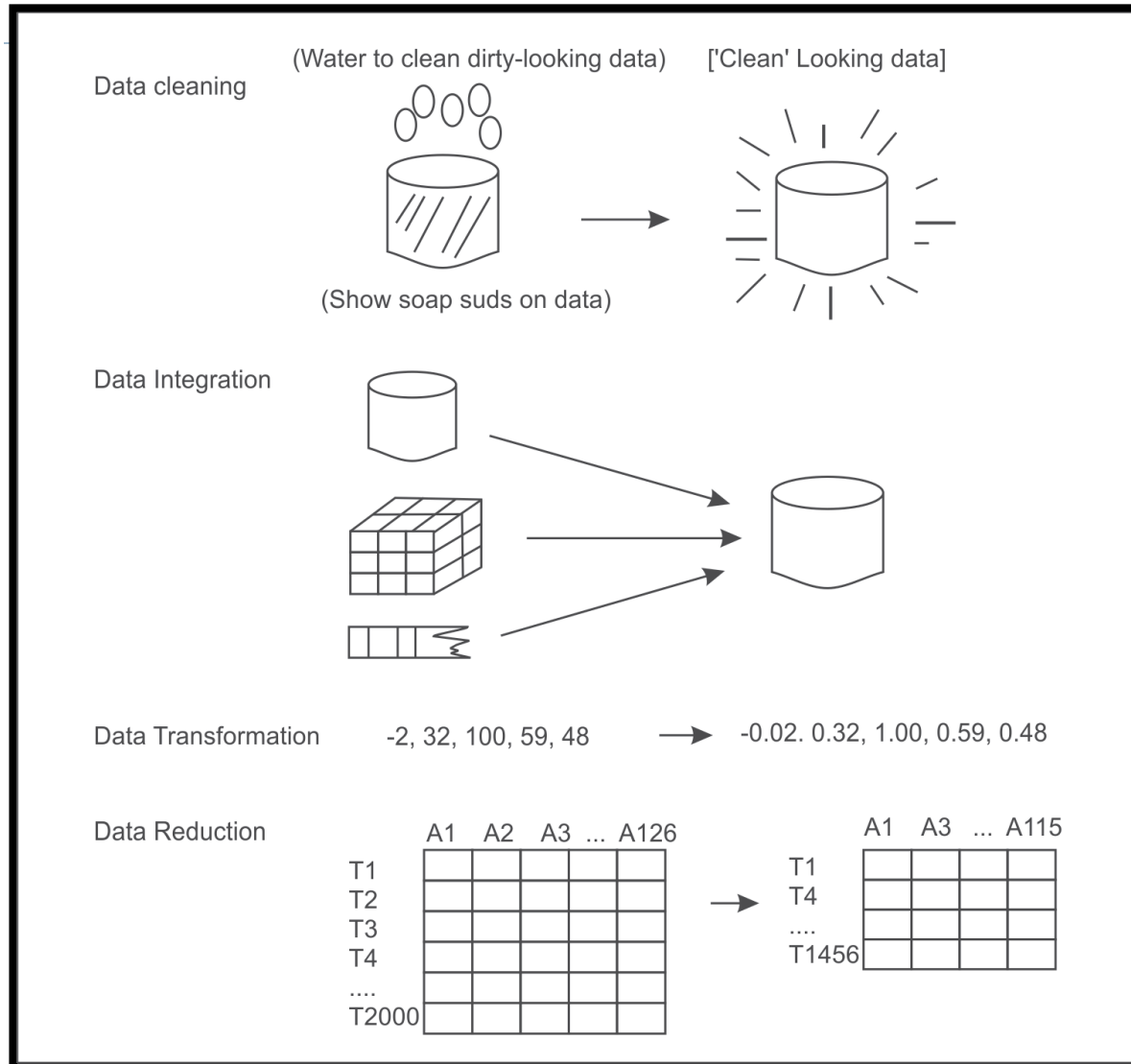
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Fax	0731-7766022
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# Data Pre-processing Methods

Raw data is highly vulnerable to missing values, noise and inconsistency and the quality of data affects the data mining results.

The various stages in which data preprocessing is performed:

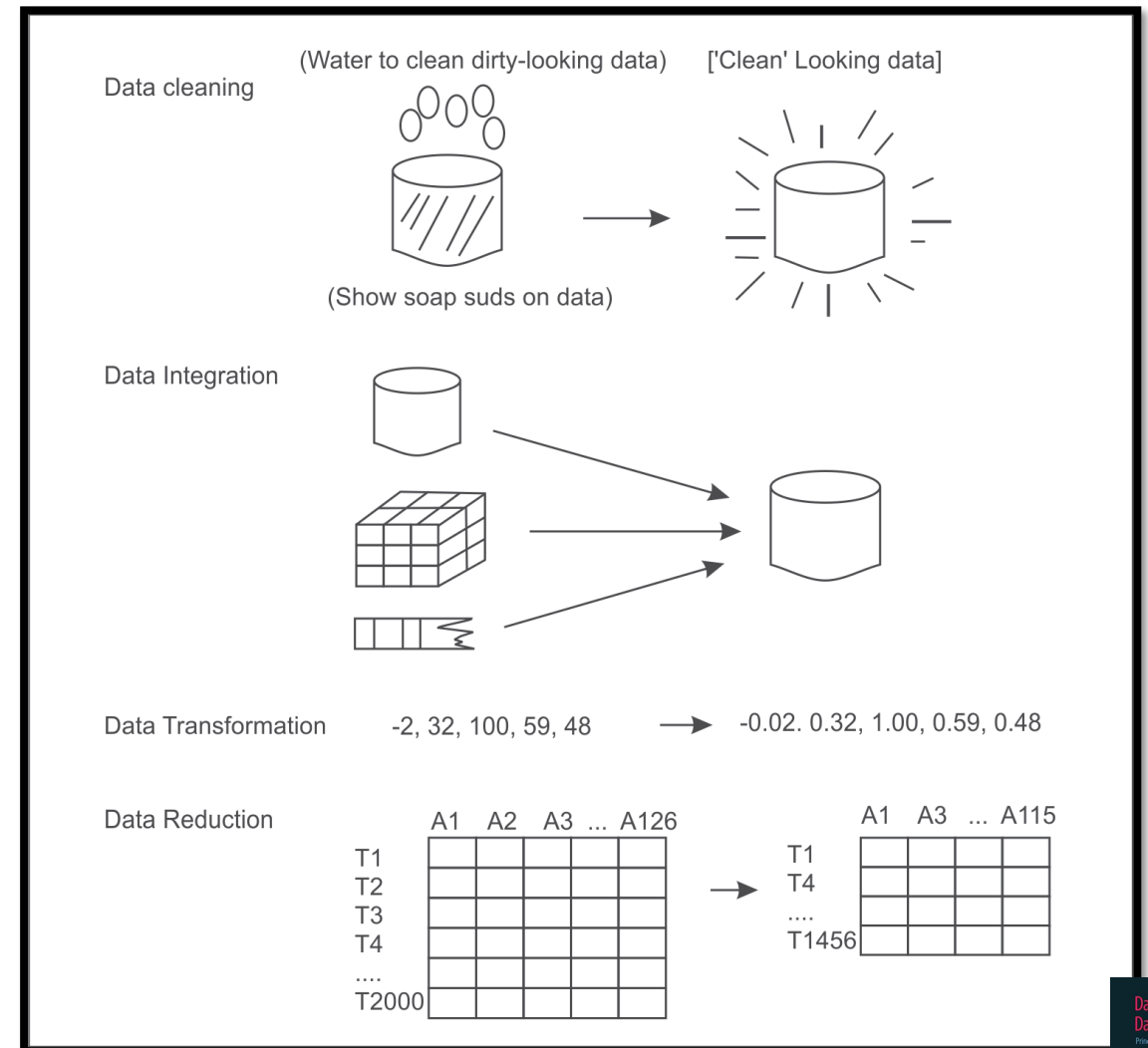
1. Data Cleaning
2. Data Integration
3. Data Transformation
4. Data Reduction



# Data Pre-processing Methods

## Data Cleaning

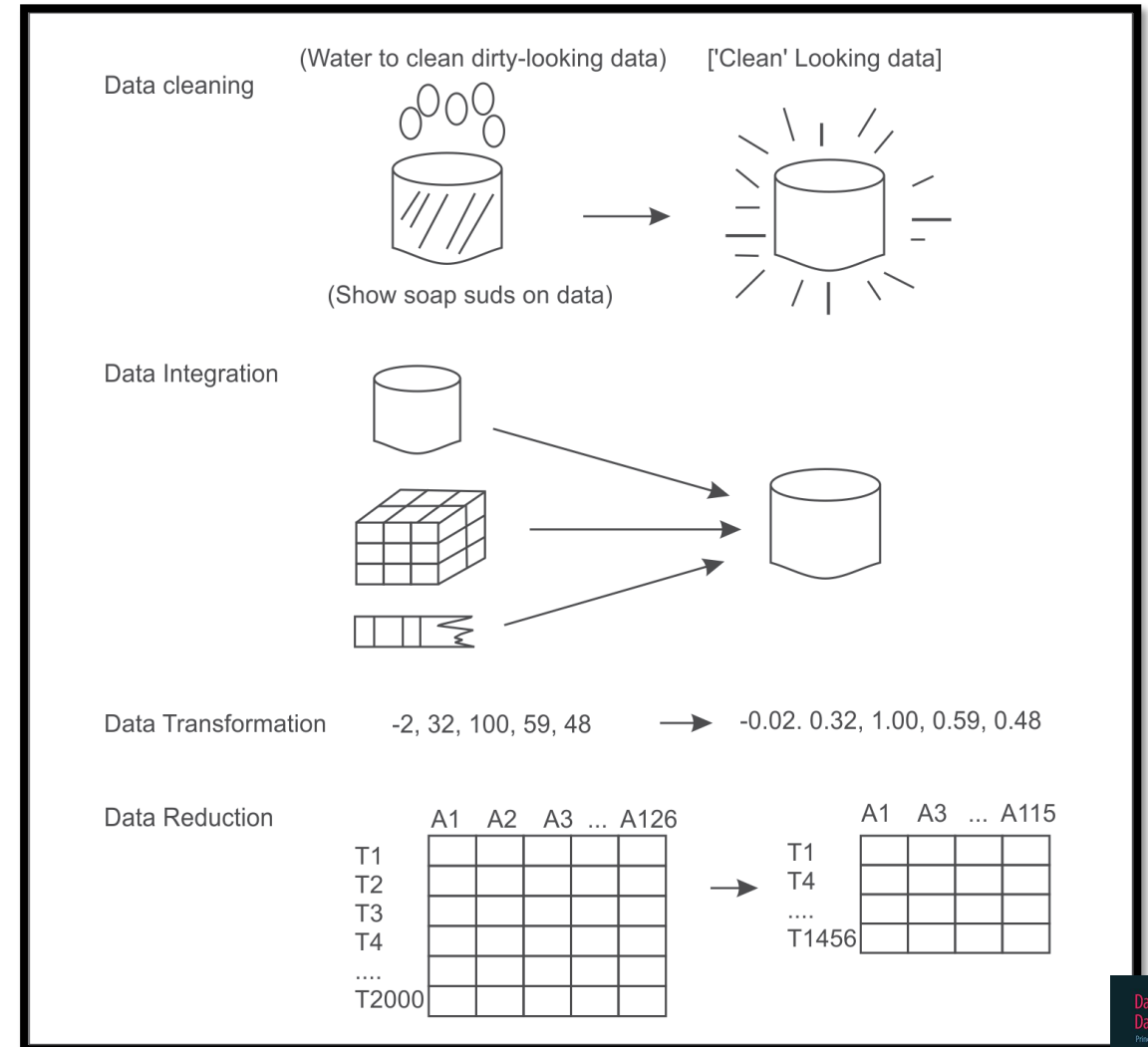
- ▶ Raw data or noisy data goes through the process of cleansing first. In Data cleansing missing values are filled, noisy data is smoothened, inconsistencies are resolved, outliers are identified and removed in order to clean the data.



# Data Pre-processing Methods

## Operations Performed during Data Cleaning

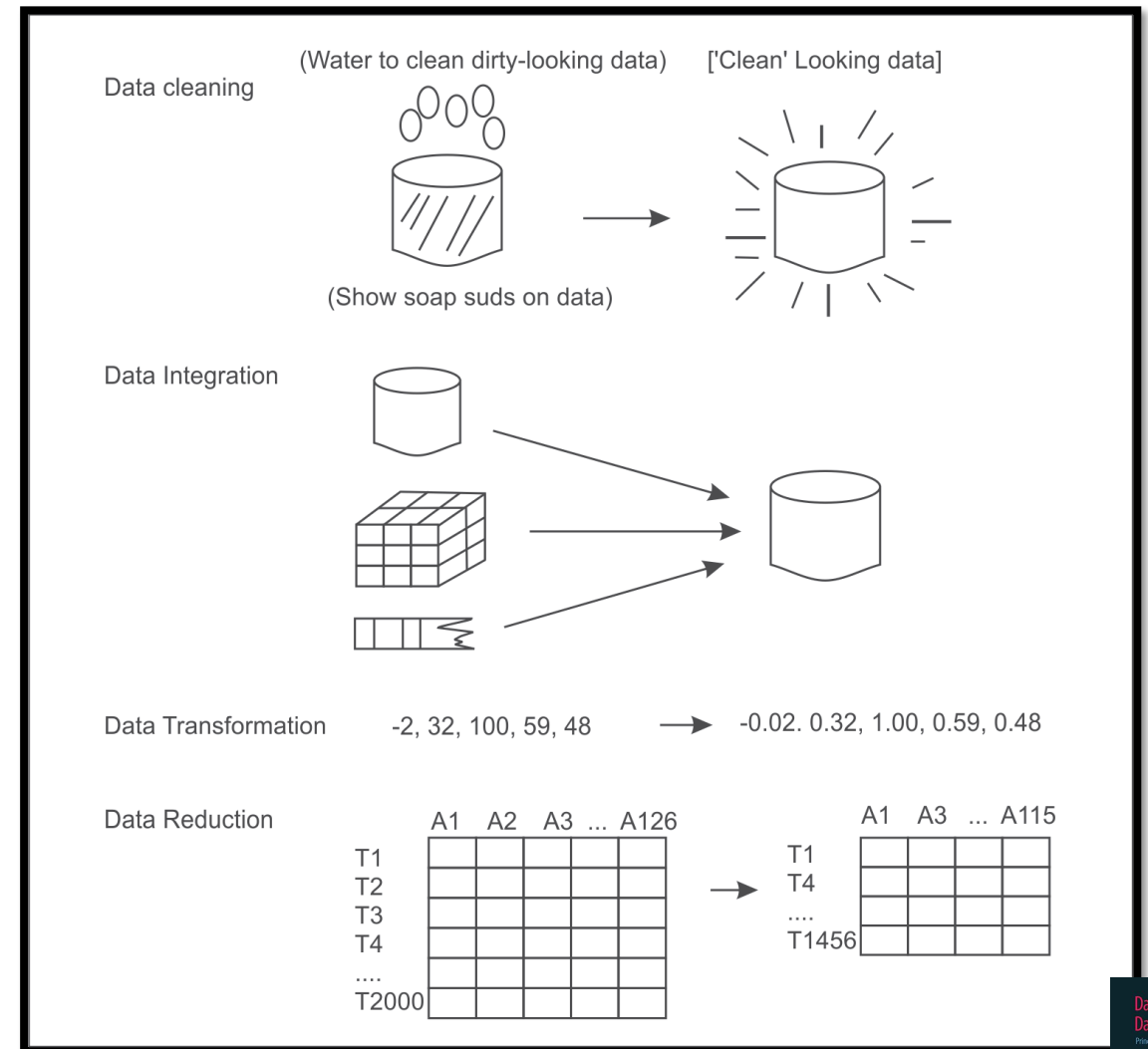
- ▶ Handling of Missing Values
- ▶ Handling of Noisy Data
- ▶ Handling of Inconsistent data



# Data Pre-processing Methods

## Data Integration

- ▶ One of the most necessary steps taken during the data analysis is Data Integration. Data integration is a method which combines data from plethora of sources (such as multiple databases, flat files or data cubes) into a unified data store.

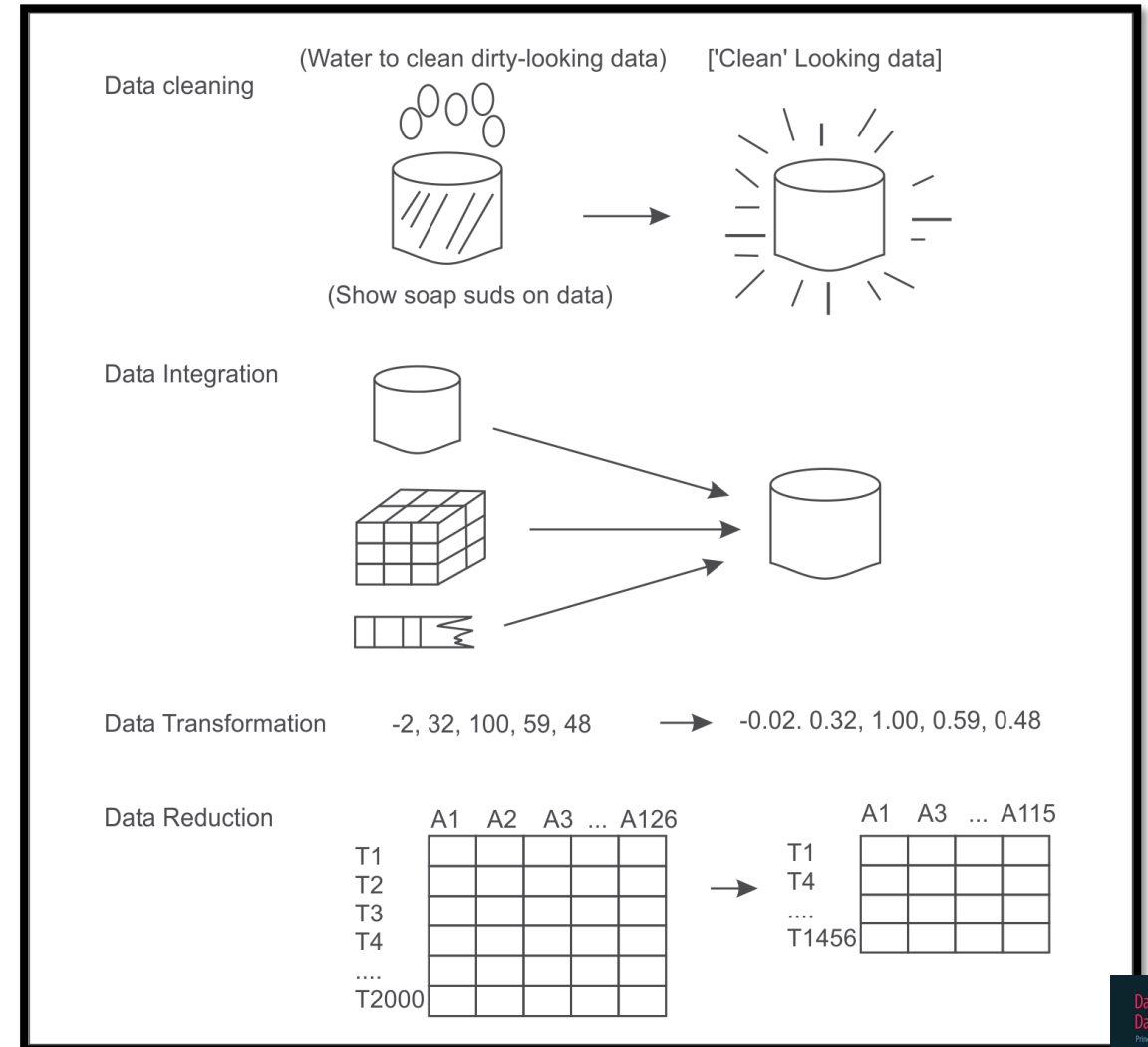




# Data Pre-processing Methods

## Data Transformation

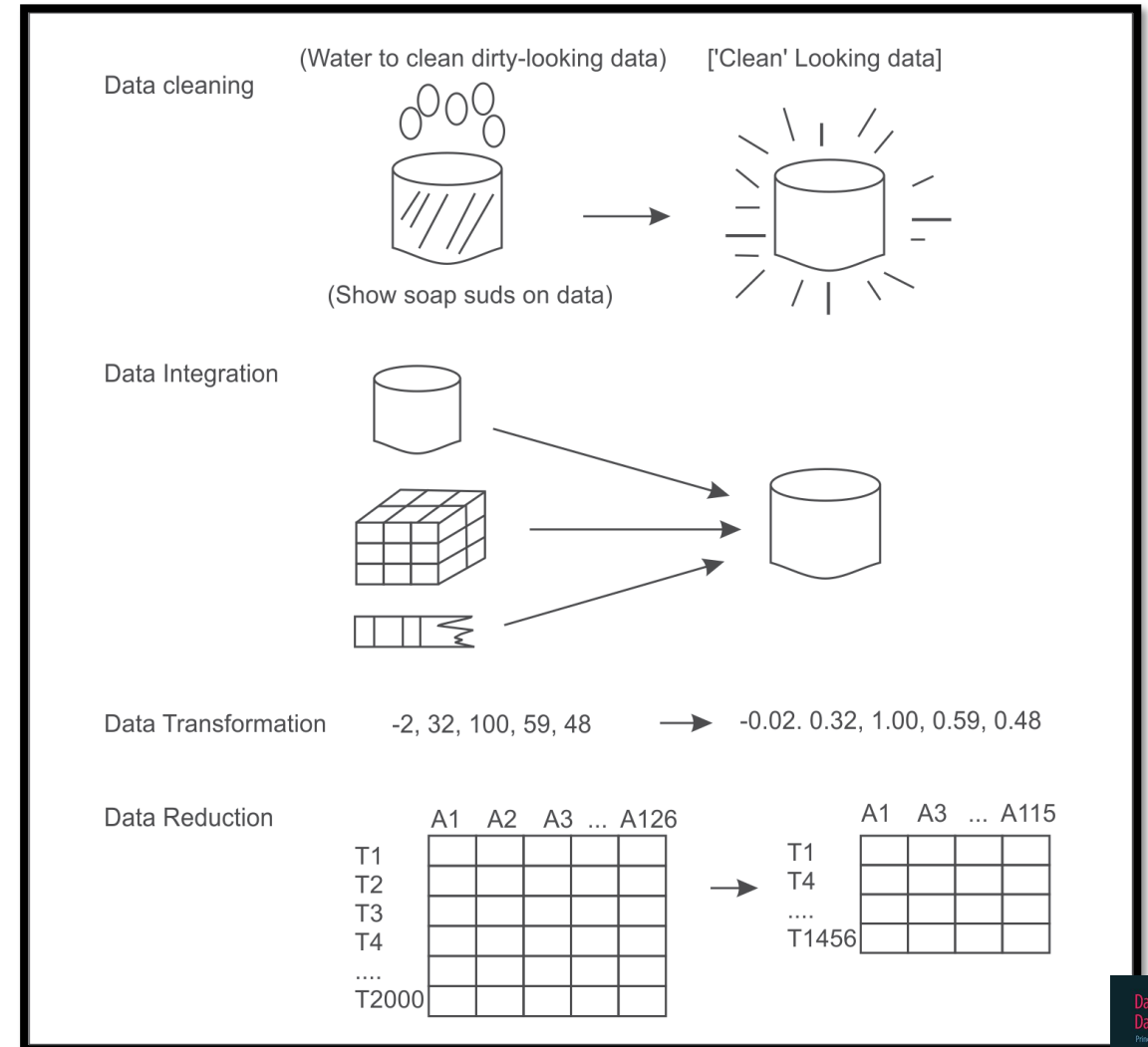
- ▶ Sometimes, the value of one attribute may be small as compared to other attributes, then in this scenario, that attribute will not have much influence on mining of information, since the values of this attribute were smaller than other attributes and the variation within the attribute will also be small.
- ▶ Normalization and Standardization are most popular and widely used Data Transformation methods.



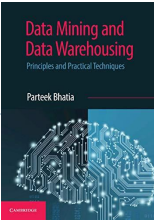
# Data Pre-processing Methods

## Data Reduction

- It is often seen that, when the complex data analysis and mining processes are carried out over humongous data sets, they cost a very long time, henceforth making the whole data mining or analysis process unsuitable (or not feasible). Data reduction techniques come for the rescue in such scenarios. Using data reduction techniques dataset could be represented in a reduced manner without actually compromising the integrity of original data.



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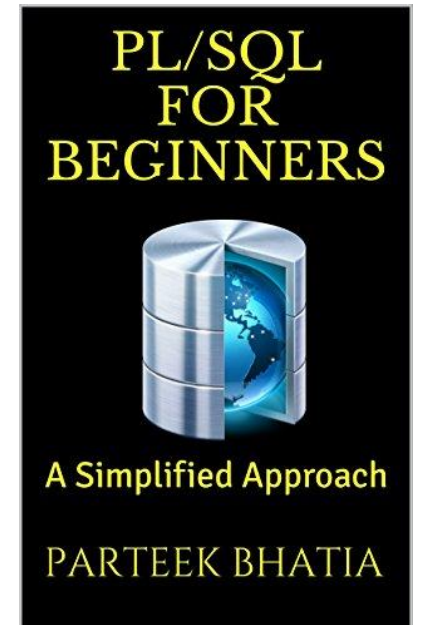
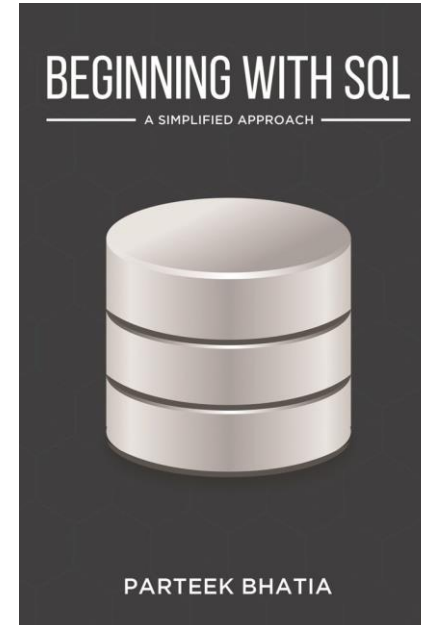
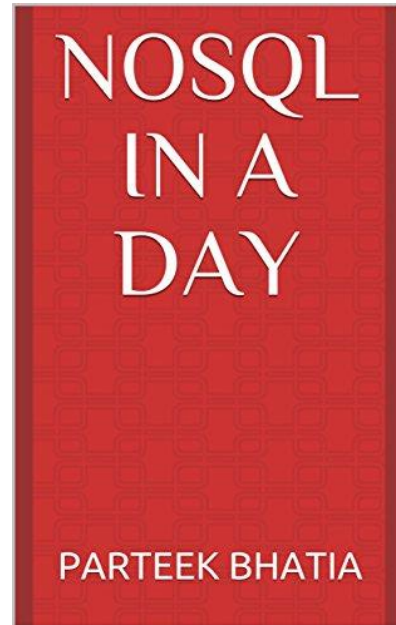
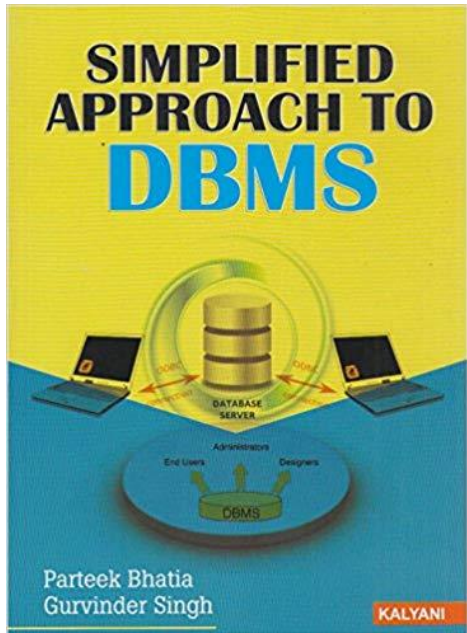


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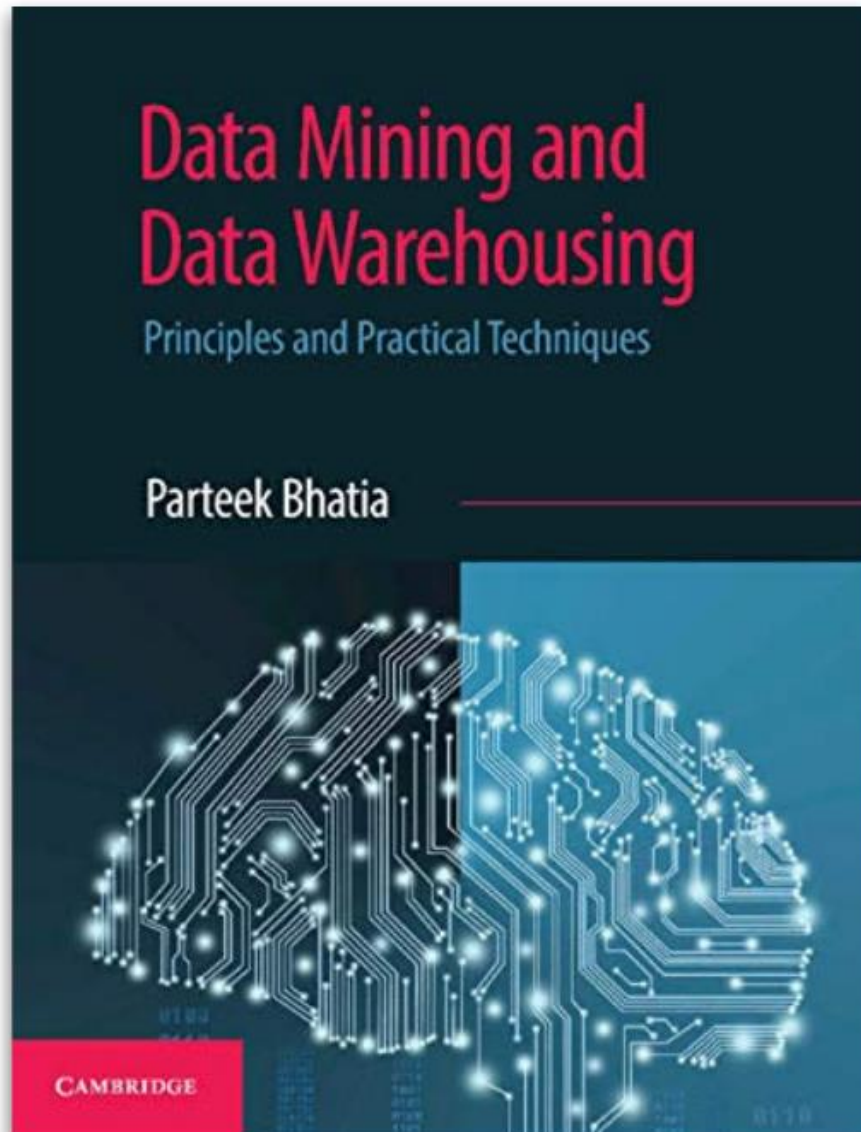
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