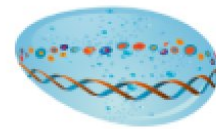

R WORKSHOP ON MILIEU INTERIEUR DATASETS

DATA WRANGLING

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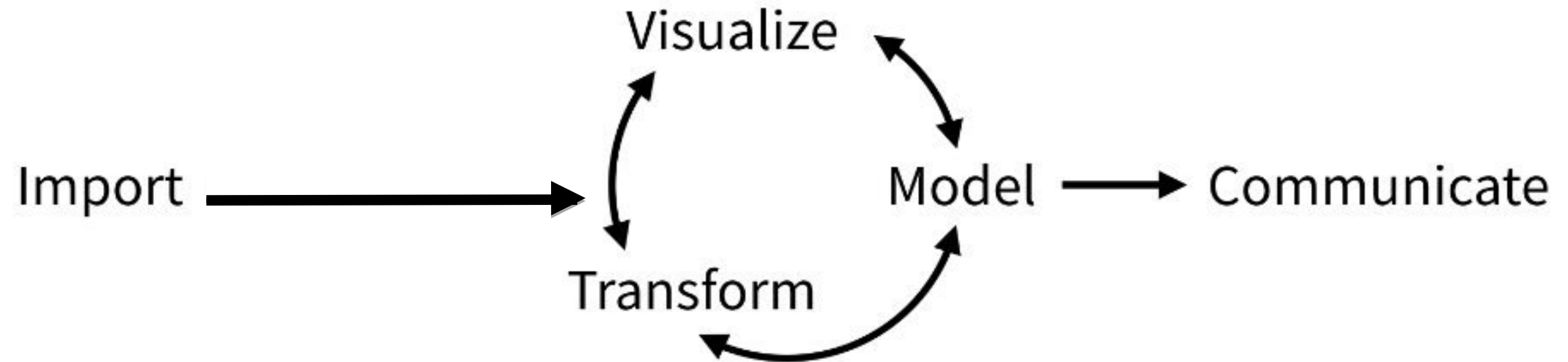


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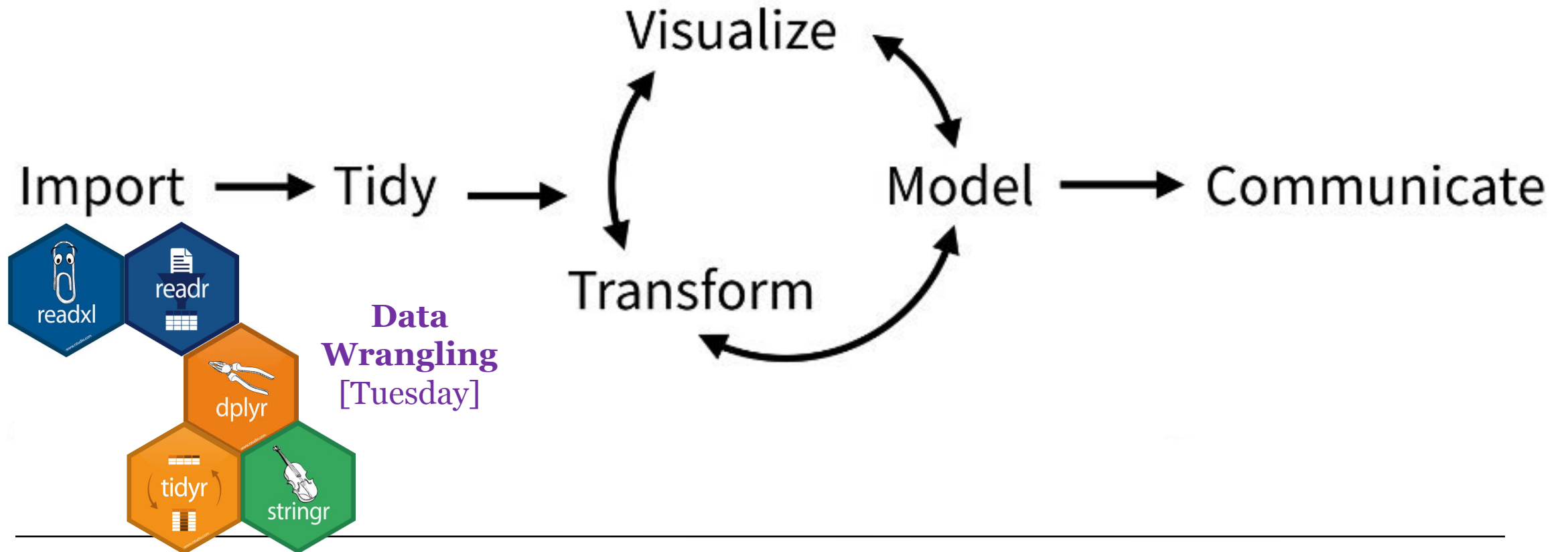
R WORKSHOP PROGRAM

Times	Tuesday, June 17th.	Wednesday, June 18th.	Thursday, June 19th	Friday, June 20th
9am	Lecture: Welcome & Workshop Introduction Vincent Rouilly	Lecture: Milieu Intérieur Healthy Donor Studies Darragh Duffy	Lecture: Comparing Immune Phenotypes Across Cohorts Etienne Villain	Lecture: Transcriptional gene regulation & SES effects Anthony Bertrand
10am	Break	Break	Break	Break
10.15am	RStudio set-up & Student introduction	Data Visualization	PCA and Clustering	Linear models
12pm	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1pm	Data Wrangling	PCA and Clustering	Statistical tests (NHST)	Linear models
2.30pm	Break	Break	Break	Break
2.45pm	Data Wrangling / Data Visualization	PCA and Clustering	Statistical tests (NHST)	Linear models
4pm	End of day	End of day	End of day	End of workshop

TYPICAL DATA ANALYSIS WORKFLOW



TIDY DATA ANALYSIS



Data import with the tidyverse :: CHEATSHEET



Read Tabular Data with readr

`read_*(file, col_names = TRUE, col_types = NULL, col_select = NULL, id = NULL, locale, n_max = Inf, skip = 0, na = c("", "NA"), guess_max = min(1000, n_max), show_col_types = TRUE)` See `?read_delim`

A|B|C
1|2|3
4|5|NA

A	B	C
1	2	3
4	5	NA

read_delim("file.txt", delim = "|") Read files with any delimiter. If no delimiter is specified, it will automatically guess.
To make file.txt, run: `write_file("A|B|C\n1|2|3\n4|5|NA", file = "file.txt")`

A,B,C
1,2,3
4,5,NA

A	B	C
1	2	3
4	5	NA

read_csv("file.csv") Read a comma delimited file with period decimal marks.
`write_file("A,B,C\n1,2,3\n4,5,NA", file = "file.csv")`

A;B;C
1,5;2;3
4,5;5;NA

A	B	C
1.5	2	3
4.5	5	NA

read_csv2("file2.csv") Read semicolon delimited files with comma decimal marks.
`write_file("A;B;C\n1,5;2;3\n4,5;5;NA", file = "file2.csv")`

A B C
1 2 3
4 5 NA

A	B	C
1	2	3
4	5	NA

read_tsv("file.tsv") Read a tab delimited file. Also **read_table()**.
read_fwf("file.tsv", fwf_widths(c(2, 2, NA))) Read a fixed width file.
`write_file("A\tB\tC\n1\t2\t3\n4\t5\tNA", file = "file.tsv")`

USEFUL READ ARGUMENTS

A	B	C
1	2	3
4	5	NA

No header
`read_csv("file.csv", col_names = FALSE)`

x	y	z
A	B	C
1	2	3
4	5	NA

Provide header
`read_csv("file.csv",
col_names = c("x", "y", "z"))`

file1.csv file2.csv file3.csv

Read multiple files into a single table
`read_csv(c("f1.csv", "f2.csv", "f3.csv"),
id = "origin_file")`

1	2	3
4	5	NA

Skip lines
`read_csv("file.csv", skip = 1)`

A	B	C
1	2	3

Read a subset of lines
`read_csv("file.csv", n_max = 1)`

A	B	C
NA	2	3
4	5	NA

Read values as missing
`read_csv("file.csv", na = c("1"))`

A;B;C
1,5;2;3,0

Specify decimal marks
`read_delim("file2.csv", locale =
locale(decimal_mark = ";"))`

Save Data with readr

`write_*(x, file, na = "NA", append, col_names, quote, escape, eol, num_threads, progress)`

A	B	C
1	2	3
4	5	NA

A,B,C
1,2,3
4,5,NA

write_delim(x, file, delim = "|") Write files with any delimiter.

write_csv(x, file) Write a comma delimited file.

write_csv2(x, file) Write a semicolon delimited file.

write_tsv(x, file) Write a tab delimited file.

One of the first steps of a project is to import outside data into R. Data is often stored in tabular formats, like csv files or spreadsheets.



The front page of this sheet shows how to import and save text files into R using **readr**.



The back page shows how to import spreadsheet data from Excel files using **readxl** or Google Sheets using **googlesheets4**.

OTHER TYPES OF DATA

Try one of the following packages to import other types of files:

- **haven** - SPSS, Stata, and SAS files
- **DBI** - databases
- **jsonlite** - json
- **xml2** - XML
- **httr** - Web APIs
- **rvest** - HTML (Web Scraping)
- **readr::read_lines()** - text data

Column Specification with readr

Column specifications define what data type each column of a file will be imported as. By default readr will generate a column spec when a file is read and output a summary.

spec(x) Extract the full column specification for the given imported data frame.

```
spec(x)
# cols(
#   age = col_integer(),
#   edu = col_character(),
#   earn = col_double()
# )
```

age is an integer
edu is a character
earn is a double (numeric)

COLUMN TYPES

Each column type has a function and corresponding string abbreviation.

- **col_logical()** - "l"
- **col_integer()** - "i"
- **col_double()** - "d"
- **col_number()** - "n"
- **col_character()** - "c"
- **col_factor(levels, ordered = FALSE)** - "f"
- **col_datetime(format = "")** - "T"
- **col_date(format = "")** - "D"
- **col_time(format = "")** - "t"
- **col_skip()** - "._" - "_"
- **col_guess()** - "?"

USEFUL COLUMN ARGUMENTS

Hide col spec message

`read_*(file, show_col_types = FALSE)`

Select columns to import

Use names, position, or selection helpers.
`read_*(file, col_select = c(age, earn))`

Guess column types

To guess a column type, `read_*` looks at the first 1000 rows of data. Increase with **guess_max**.
`read_*(file, guess_max = Inf)`

DEFINE COLUMN SPECIFICATION

Set a default type

```
read_csv(
  file,
  col_type = list(default = col_double())
)
```

Use column type or string abbreviation

```
read_csv(
  file,
  col_type = list(x = col_double(), y = "l", z = "_")
)
```

Use a single string of abbreviations

```
# col types: skip, guess, integer, logical, character
read_csv(
  file,
  col_type = "_?ilc"
)
```


Import Spreadsheets with readxl



READ EXCEL FILES

	A	B	C	D	E
1	x1	x2	x3	x4	x5
2	x		z	8	
3	y	7		9	10

s1

x1	x2	x3	x4	x5
x	NA	z	8	NA
y	7	NA	9	10

read_excel(path, sheet = NULL, range = NULL)
Read a .xls or .xlsx file based on the file extension. See front page for more read arguments. Also **read_xls()** and **read_xlsx()**.
`read_excel("excel_file.xlsx")`

READ SHEETS

A	B	C	D	E

s1 s2 s3

read_excel(path, sheet = NULL) Specify which sheet to read by position or name.
`read_excel(path, sheet = 1)`
`read_excel(path, sheet = "s1")`

s1	s2	s3
----	----	----

excel_sheets(path) Get a vector of sheet names.
`excel_sheets("excel_file.xlsx")`

A	B	C	D	E

s1

A	B	C	D	E

s1 s2 s3

To read multiple sheets:

1. Get a vector of sheet names from the file path.
2. Set the vector names to be the sheet names.
3. Use `purrr::map()` and `purrr::list_rbind()` to read multiple files into one data frame.

```
path <- "your_file_path.xlsx"
path |>
  excel_sheets() |>
  set_names() |>
  map(read_excel, path = path) |>
  list_rbind()
```

OTHER USEFUL EXCEL PACKAGES

For functions to write data to Excel files, see:

- **openxlsx**
- **writexl**

For working with non-tabular Excel data, see:

- **tidyxl**

READXL COLUMN SPECIFICATION

Column specifications define what data type each column of a file will be imported as.

Use the **col_types** argument of **read_excel()** to set the column specification.

Guess column types

To guess a column type, **read_excel()** looks at the first 1000 rows of data. Increase with the **guess_max** argument.
`read_excel(path, guess_max = Inf)`

Set all columns to same type, e.g. character
`read_excel(path, col_types = "text")`

Set each column individually

```
read_excel(
  path,
  col_types = c("text", "guess", "guess", "numeric")
)
```

COLUMN TYPES

logical	numeric	text	date	list
TRUE	2	hello	1947-01-08	hello
FALSE	3.45	world	1956-10-21	1

- skip
- guess
- logical
- numeric
- text
- date
- list

Use **list** for columns that include multiple data types. See **tidyr** and **purrr** for list-column data.

CELL SPECIFICATION FOR READXL AND GOOGLESHEETS4

A	B	C	D	E
1	2	3	4	5
2	x	y	z	
3	6	7		9 10

s1

2	3	4
NA	y	z

Use the **range** argument of **readxl::read_excel()** or **googlesheets4::read_sheet()** to read a subset of cells from a sheet.

```
read_excel(path, range = "Sheet1!B1:D2")
read_sheet(ss, range = "B1:D2")
```

Also use the range argument with cell specification functions **cell_limits()**, **cell_rows()**, **cell_cols()**, and **anchored()**.

with googlesheets4



READ SHEETS

A	B	C	D	E
1	x1	x2	x3	x4 x5
2	x		z	8
3	y	7		9 10

s1

x1	x2	x3	x4	x5
x	NA	z	8	NA
y	7	NA	9	10

read_sheet(ss, sheet = NULL, range = NULL)
Read a sheet from a URL, a Sheet ID, or a dribble from the googledrive package. See front page for more read arguments. Same as **range_read()**.

SHEETS METADATA

URLs are in the form:
`https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/
SPREADSHEET_ID/edit#gid=SHEET_ID`

gs4_get(ss) Get spreadsheet meta data.

gs4_find(...) Get data on all spreadsheet files.

sheet_properties(ss) Get a tibble of properties for each worksheet. Also **sheet_names()**.

WRITE SHEETS

1	x	4
2	y	5
3	z	6

s1

A	B	C	D
1			
2			

s1

x1	x2	x3
2	y	5
3	z	6

s1

write_sheet(data, ss = NULL, sheet = NULL)
Write a data frame into a new or existing Sheet.

gs4_create(name, ..., sheets = NULL) Create a new Sheet with a vector of names, a data frame, or a (named) list of data frames.

sheet_append(ss, data, sheet = 1) Add rows to the end of a worksheet.

GOOGLESHEETS4 COLUMN SPECIFICATION

Column specifications define what data type each column of a file will be imported as.

Use the **col_types** argument of **read_sheet()** or **range_read()** to set the column specification.

Guess column types

To guess a column type **read_sheet()** or **range_read()** looks at the first 1000 rows of data. Increase with **guess_max**.
`read_sheet(path, guess_max = Inf)`

Set all columns to same type, e.g. character
`read_sheet(path, col_types = "c")`

Set each column individually

```
# col types: skip, guess, integer, logical, character
read_sheets(ss, col_types = "?_?ilc")
```

COLUMN TYPES

l	n	c	D	L
TRUE	2	hello	1947-01-08	hello
FALSE	3.45	world	1956-10-21	1

- skip - "?" or "-"
- guess - "?"
- logical - "l"
- integer - "i"
- double - "d"
- numeric - "n"
- date - "D"
- datetime - "T"
- character - "c"
- list-column - "L"
- cell - "C" Returns list of raw cell data.

Use **list** for columns that include multiple data types. See **tidyr** and **purrr** for list-column data.

FILE LEVEL OPERATIONS

googlesheets4 also offers ways to modify other aspects of Sheets (e.g. freeze rows, set column width, manage (work)sheets). Go to **googlesheets4.tidyverse.org** to read more.

For whole-file operations (e.g. renaming, sharing, placing within a folder), see the tidyverse package **googledrive** at **googledrive.tidyverse.org**.

Data transformation with dplyr: CHEATSHEET



dplyr functions work with pipes and expect **tidy data**. In tidy data:



Each **variable** is in its own **column**

&



Each **observation**, or **case**, is in its own **row**

pipes

$x > f(y)$ becomes $f(x, y)$

Summarize Cases

Apply **summary functions** to columns to create a new table of summary statistics. Summary functions take vectors as input and return one value (see back).

summary function



summarize(.data, ...)
Compute table of summaries.
`mtcars > summarize(avg = mean(mpg))`



count(.data, ..., wt = NULL, sort = FALSE, name = NULL) Count number of rows in each group defined by the variables in ... Also **tally()**, **add_count()**, **add_tally()**.
`mtcars > count(cyl)`

Group Cases

Use **group_by(.data, ..., .add = FALSE, .drop = TRUE)** to create a "grouped" copy of a table grouped by columns in ... dplyr functions will manipulate each "group" separately and combine the results.



`mtcars > group_by(cyl) > summarize(avg = mean(mpg))`

Use **rowwise(.data, ...)** to group data into individual rows. dplyr functions will compute results for each row. Also apply functions to list-columns. See tidyr cheat sheet for list-column workflow.



`starwars > rowwise() > mutate(film_count = length(films))`

ungroup(x, ...) Returns ungrouped copy of table.
`g_mtcars <- mtcars > group_by(cyl)`
`ungroup(g_mtcars)`

Manipulate Cases

EXTRACT CASES

Row functions return a subset of rows as a new table.



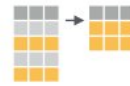
filter(.data, ..., .preserve = FALSE) Extract rows that meet logical criteria.
`mtcars > filter(mpg > 20)`



distinct(.data, ..., .keep_all = FALSE) Remove rows with duplicate values.
`mtcars > distinct(gear)`



slice(.data, ..., .preserve = FALSE) Select rows by position.
`mtcars > slice(10:15)`



slice_sample(.data, ..., n, prop, weight_by = NULL, replace = FALSE) Randomly select rows. Use `n` to select a number of rows and `prop` to select a fraction of rows.
`mtcars > slice_sample(n = 5, replace = TRUE)`



slice_min(.data, order_by, ..., n, prop, with_ties = TRUE) and **slice_max()** Select rows with the lowest and highest values.
`mtcars > slice_min(mpg, prop = 0.25)`

slice_head(.data, ..., n, prop) and **slice_tail()** Select the first or last rows.
`mtcars > slice_head(n = 5)`

Logical and boolean operators to use with filter()

<code>==</code>	<code><</code>	<code><=</code>	<code>is.na()</code>	<code>%in%</code>	<code> </code>	<code>xor()</code>
<code>!=</code>	<code>></code>	<code>>=</code>	<code>is.na()</code>	<code>!</code>	<code>&</code>	

See **?base::Logic** and **?Comparison** for help.

ARRANGE CASES



arrange(.data, ..., .by_group = FALSE) Order rows by values of a column or columns (low to high), use with **desc()** to order from high to low.
`mtcars > arrange(mpg)`
`mtcars > arrange(desc(mpg))`

ADD CASES



add_row(.data, ..., .before = NULL, .after = NULL) Add one or more rows to a table.
`cars > add_row(speed = 1, dist = 1)`

Manipulate Variables

EXTRACT VARIABLES

Column functions return a set of columns as a new vector or table.



pull(.data, var = -1, name = NULL, ...) Extract column values as a vector, by name or index.
`mtcars > pull(wt)`



select(.data, ...) Extract columns as a table.
`mtcars > select(mpg, wt)`



relocate(.data, ..., .before = NULL, .after = NULL) Move columns to new position.
`mtcars > relocate(mpg, cyl, .after = last_col())`

Use these helpers with select() and across()

e.g. `mtcars > select(mpg:cyl)`

contains(match)	num_range(prefix, range)	!; e.g., <code>mpg:cyl</code>
ends_with(match)	all_of(x)/any_of(x, ..., vars)	!; e.g., <code>!gear</code>
starts_with(match)	matches(match)	everything()

MANIPULATE MULTIPLE VARIABLES AT ONCE

`df <- tibble(x_1 = c(1, 2), x_2 = c(3, 4), y = c(4, 5))`



across(.cols, .funs, ..., .names = NULL) Summarize or mutate multiple columns in the same way.
`df > summarize(across(everything(), mean))`

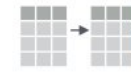


c_across(.cols) Compute across columns in row-wise data.
`df > rowwise() > mutate(x_total = sum(c_across(1:2)))`

MAKE NEW VARIABLES

Apply **vectorized functions** to columns. Vectorized functions take vectors as input and return vectors of the same length as output (see back).

vectorized function



mutate(.data, ..., .keep = "all", .before = NULL, .after = NULL) Compute new column(s). Also **add_column()**.
`mtcars > mutate(gpm = 1 / mpg)`
`mtcars > mutate(gpm = 1 / mpg, .keep = "none")`



rename(.data, ...) Rename columns. Use **rename_with()** to rename with a function.
`mtcars > rename(miles_per_gallon = mpg)`



Vectorized Functions

TO USE WITH MUTATE ()

mutate() applies vectorized functions to columns to create new columns. Vectorized functions take vectors as input and return vectors of the same length as output.

vectorized function

OFFSET

dplyr::**lag()** - offset elements by 1
dplyr::**lead()** - offset elements by -1

CUMULATIVE AGGREGATE

dplyr::**cumall()** - cumulative all()
dplyr::**cumany()** - cumulative any()
dplyr::**cummax()** - cumulative max()
dplyr::**cummean()** - cumulative mean()
dplyr::**cummin()** - cumulative min()
dplyr::**cumprod()** - cumulative prod()
dplyr::**cumsum()** - cumulative sum()

RANKING

dplyr::**cume_dist()** - proportion of all values <=
dplyr::**dense_rank()** - rank w ties = min, no gaps
dplyr::**min_rank()** - rank with ties = min
dplyr::**ntile()** - bins into n bins
dplyr::**percent_rank()** - min_rank scaled to [0,1]
dplyr::**row_number()** - rank with ties = "first"

MATH

+, **-**, *****, **/**, **^**, **%/%**, **%%** - arithmetic ops
log(), **log2()**, **log10()** - logs
<, **<=**, **>**, **>=**, **!=**, **==** - logical comparisons
dplyr::**between()** - $x \geq \text{left} \ \& \ x \leq \text{right}$
dplyr::**near()** - safe == for floating point numbers

MISCELLANEOUS

dplyr::**case_when()** - multi-case if_else()
starwars |>
mutate(type = case_when(
 height > 200 | mass > 200 ~ "large",
 species == "Droid" ~ "robot",
 TRUE ~ "other"))

dplyr::**coalesce()** - first non-NA values by
 element across a set of vectors
dplyr::**if_else()** - element-wise if() + else()
dplyr::**na_if()** - replace specific values with NA
dplyr::**pmax()** - element-wise max()
dplyr::**pmin()** - element-wise min()

Summary Functions

TO USE WITH SUMMARIZE ()

summarize() applies summary functions to columns to create a new table. Summary functions take vectors as input and return single values as output.

summary function

COUNT

dplyr::**n()** - number of values/rows
dplyr::**n_distinct()** - # of uniques
dplyr::**sum(is.na())** - # of non-NA's

POSITION

mean() - mean, also **mean(is.na())**
median() - median

LOGICAL

mean() - proportion of TRUE's
sum() - # of TRUE's

ORDER

dplyr::**first()** - first value
dplyr::**last()** - last value
dplyr::**nth()** - value in nth location of vector

RANK

quantile() - nth quantile
min() - minimum value
max() - maximum value

SPREAD

IQR() - Inter-Quartile Range
mad() - median absolute deviation
sd() - standard deviation
var() - variance

Row Names

Tidy data does not use rownames, which store a variable outside of the columns. To work with the rownames, first move them into a column.

tibble::rownames_to_column()
Move row names into col.
a <- mtcars |>
rownames_to_column(var = "C")

tibble::column_to_rownames()
Move col into row names.
a |> column_to_rownames(var = "C")

Also **tibble::has_rownames()** and
tibble::remove_rownames().

Combine Tables

COMBINE VARIABLES

x y **bind_cols()**

bind_cols(..., .name_repair) Returns tables placed side by side as a single table. Column lengths must be equal. Columns will NOT be matched by id (to do that look at Relational Data below), so be sure to check that both tables are ordered the way you want before binding.

RELATIONAL DATA

Use a "**Mutating Join**" to join one table to columns from another, matching values with the rows that they correspond to. Each join retains a different combination of values from the tables.

left_join(x, y, by = NULL, copy = FALSE, suffix = c(".x", ".y"), ..., keep = FALSE, na_matches = "na") Join matching values from y to x.

right_join(x, y, by = NULL, copy = FALSE, suffix = c(".x", ".y"), ..., keep = FALSE, na_matches = "na") Join matching values from x to y.

inner_join(x, y, by = NULL, copy = FALSE, suffix = c(".x", ".y"), ..., keep = FALSE, na_matches = "na") Join data. Retain only rows with matches.

full_join(x, y, by = NULL, copy = FALSE, suffix = c(".x", ".y"), ..., keep = FALSE, na_matches = "na") Join data. Retain all values, all rows.

COLUMN MATCHING FOR JOINS

Use by = c("col1", "col2", ...) to specify one or more common columns to match on.
left_join(x, y, by = "A")

Use a named vector, by = c("col1" = "col2"), to match on columns that have different names in each table.
left_join(x, y, by = c("C" = "D"))

Use suffix to specify the suffix to give to unmatched columns that have the same name in both tables.
left_join(x, y, by = c("C" = "D"), suffix = c("1", "2"))

COMBINE CASES

bind_rows(..., .id = NULL) Returns tables one on top of the other as a single table. Set .id to a column name to add a column of the original table names (as pictured).

Use a "**Filtering Join**" to filter one table against the rows of another.

x y **semi_join()**

semi_join(x, y, by = NULL, copy = FALSE, ..., na_matches = "na") Return rows of x that have a match in y. Use to see what will be included in a join.

anti_join(x, y, by = NULL, copy = FALSE, ..., na_matches = "na") Return rows of x that do not have a match in y. Use to see what will not be included in a join.

Use a "**Nest Join**" to inner join one table to another into a nested data frame.

nest_join(x, y, by = NULL, copy = FALSE, keep = FALSE, name = NULL, ...) Join data, nesting matches from y in a single new data frame column.

SET OPERATIONS

intersect(x, y, ...)
Rows that appear in both x and y.

setdiff(x, y, ...)
Rows that appear in x but not y.

union(x, y, ...)
Rows that appear in x or y, duplicates removed). **union_all()** retains duplicates.

Use **setequal()** to test whether two data sets contain the exact same rows (in any order).

Data tidying with tidyr :: CHEATSHEET



Tidy data is a way to organize tabular data in a consistent data structure across packages.

A table is tidy if:



Each **variable** is in its own **column**

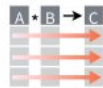
&



Each **observation**, or **case**, is in its own **row**



Access **variables** as **vectors**



Preserve **cases** in vectorized operations

Tibbles

AN ENHANCED DATA FRAME

Tibbles are a table format provided by the **tibble** package. They inherit the data frame class, but have improved behaviors:

- **Subset** a new tibble with `[]`, a vector with `[[` and `$`.
- **No partial matching** when subsetting columns.
- **Display** concise views of the data on one screen.

options(tibble.print_max = n, tibble.print_min = m, tibble.width = Inf) Control default display settings.

View() or **glimpse()** View the entire data set.

CONSTRUCT A TIBBLE

tibble(...) Construct by columns.

`tibble(x = 1:3, y = c("a", "b", "c"))`

tribble(...) Construct by rows.

`tribble(~x, ~y,`

1, "a",
2, "b",
3, "c")

Both make this tibble

```
A tibble: 3 x 2
  x     y
<int> <chr>
1     1  a
2     2  b
3     3  c
```

as_tibble(x, ...) Convert a data frame to a tibble.

enframe(x, name = "name", value = "value")

Convert a named vector to a tibble. Also **deframe()**.

is_tibble(x) Test whether x is a tibble.

Reshape Data

- Pivot data to reorganize values into a new layout.

table4a

country	1999	2000
A	0.7K	2K
B	37K	80K
C	212K	213K

→

country	year	cases
A	1999	0.7K
B	1999	37K
C	1999	212K
A	2000	2K
B	2000	80K
C	2000	213K

pivot_longer(data, cols, names_to = "name", values_to = "value", values_drop_na = FALSE)

"Lengthen" data by collapsing several columns into two. Column names move to a new names_to column and values to a new values_to column.

`pivot_longer(table4a, cols = 2:3, names_to = "year", values_to = "cases")`

table2

country	year	type	count
A	1999	cases	0.7K
A	1999	pop	19M
A	2000	cases	2K
A	2000	pop	20M
B	1999	cases	37K
B	1999	pop	172M
B	2000	cases	80K
B	2000	pop	174M
C	1999	cases	212K
C	1999	pop	1T
C	2000	cases	213K
C	2000	pop	1T

→

country	year	cases	pop
A	1999	0.7K	19M
A	2000	2K	20M
B	1999	37K	172M
B	2000	80K	174M
C	1999	212K	1T
C	2000	213K	1T

pivot_wider(data, names_from = "name", values_from = "value")

The inverse of `pivot_longer()`. "Widen" data by expanding two columns into several. One column provides the new column names, the other the values.

`pivot_wider(table2, names_from = type, values_from = count)`

Split Cells

- Use these functions to split or combine cells into individual, isolated values.

table5

country	century	year
A	19	99
A	20	00
B	19	99
B	20	00

→

country	year
A	1999
A	2000
B	1999
B	2000

unite(data, col, ..., sep = "_", remove = TRUE, na.rm = FALSE) Collapse cells across several columns into a single column.

`unite(table5, century, year, col = "year", sep = "")`

table3

country	year	rate
A	1999	0.7K/19M
A	2000	2K/20M
B	1999	37K/172M
B	2000	80K/174M

→

country	year	cases	pop
A	1999	0.7K	19M
A	2000	2K	20M
B	1999	37K	172M
B	2000	80K	174M

separate_wider_delim(data, cols, delim, ..., names = NULL, names_sep = NULL, names_repair = "check_unique", too_few, too_many, cols_remove = TRUE) Separate each cell in a column into several columns. Also **separate_wider_regex()** and **separate_wider_position()**.

`separate(table3, rate, sep = "/", into = c("cases", "pop"))`

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B	1999	172M
B	2000	80K
B	2000	174M

separate_longer_delim(data, cols, delim, ..., width, keep_empty) Separate each cell in a column into several rows.

`separate_longer_delim(table3, rate, sep = "/")`

Expand Tables

Create new combinations of variables or identify implicit missing values (combinations of variables not present in the data).

x

x1	x2	x3
A	1	3
B	1	4
B	2	3

→

x1	x2
A	1
A	2
B	1
B	2

expand(data, ...) Create a new tibble with all possible combinations of the values of the variables listed in ... Drop other variables.

`expand(mtcars, cyl, gear, carb)`

x

x1	x2	x3
A	1	3
B	1	4
B	2	3

→

x1	x2	x3
A	1	3
A	2	NA
B	1	4
B	2	3

complete(data, ..., fill = list()) Add missing possible combinations of values of variables listed in ... Fill remaining variables with NA.

`complete(mtcars, cyl, gear, carb)`

Handle Missing Values

Drop or replace explicit missing values (NA).

x

x1	x2
A	1
B	NA
C	NA
D	3
E	NA

→

x1	x2
A	1
D	3

drop_na(data, ...) Drop rows containing NA's in ... columns.

`drop_na(x, x2)`

x

x1	x2
A	1
B	NA
C	NA
D	3
E	NA

→

x1	x2
A	1
B	1
C	1
D	3
E	3

fill(data, ..., .direction = "down") Fill in NA's in ... columns using the next or previous value.

`fill(x, x2)`

x

x1	x2
A	1
B	NA
C	NA
D	3
E	NA

→

x1	x2
A	1
B	2
C	2
D	3
E	2

replace_na(data, replace) Specify a value to replace NA in selected columns.

`replace_na(x, list(x2 = 2))`

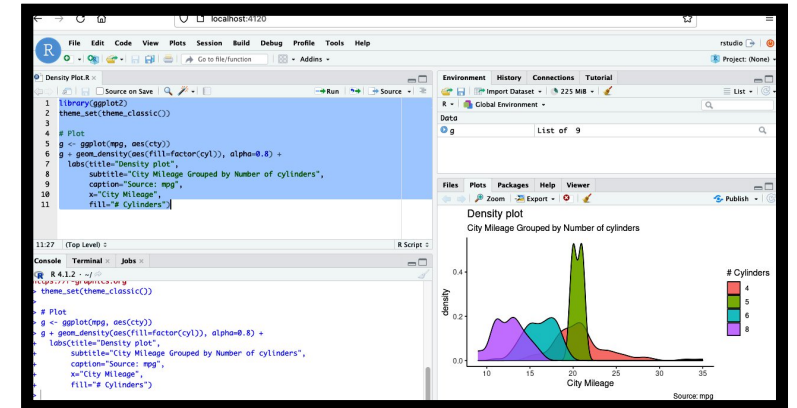
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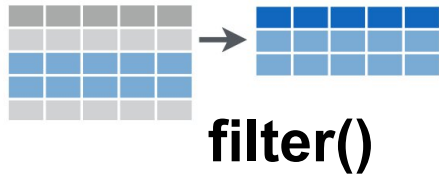
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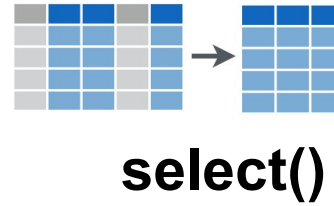
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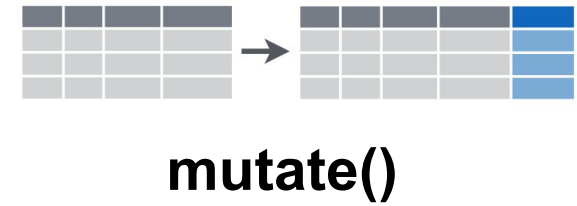
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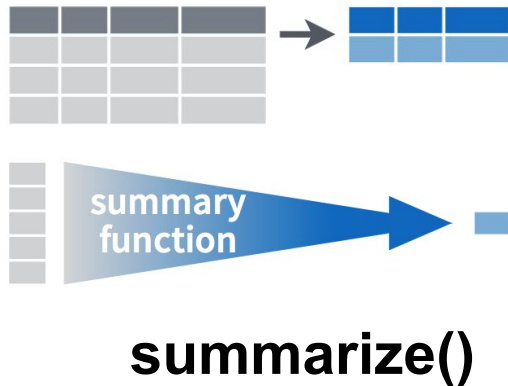
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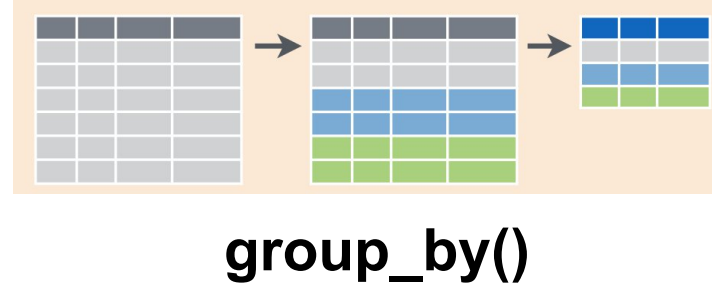
Make New Variables



Summarise Data



Group by rows



TIDY DATA

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values

THANK YOU

Questions?

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