

Data Science



Workbook v1.0

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Unit 1

- Many important questions ("what's the best restaurant in town?", "is this law good for citizens?", etc.) are answered with data. Data Scientists try and answer these questions, by writing programs that ask questions of data.
- Data of all types can be organized into **Tables**
- Every Table has a **header row**, and some number of **data rows**
- **Quantitative data** is data usually numeric that measures *quantity*, such as a person's height, a score on test, a measure of distance, etc. A list of quantitative data can be ordered from smallest to largest.
- Categorical data is data that specifies categories, such as eye color, country of origin, etc. A list of categorical data has no notion of "smallest" or "largest", and cannot be ordered.
- **Programming languages** involves different *datatypes*, such as Numbers, Strings, Booleans and Images.
- Operators (like +, -, *, <, etc.) are written between values. For example: 4 + 2
- **Functions** (like triangle, star, string-repeat, etc.) are written first, followed by a list of **arguments** in parentheses. For example: star(50, "solid", "red")

Numbers and Strings

Make sure you've loaded the Unit 1 Starter File, and clicked "Run".

- 1. Try typing 42 into the Interactions Area and hitting "Enter". What happens?
- 2. Try typing in other Numbers. What happens if you try a decimal like 0.5? A fraction like 1/3? Try really big Numbers, and really small ones.
- 3. String values are always in quotes. Try typing your name in quotes, and see what happens when you hit "Enter".
- 4. Try typing your name without the closing quote. What happens? Now try typing it without any quotes.
- 5. Is 42 the same as "42"? Why or why not? Write your answer below:
- 6. Just like in math, Pyret has operators like + and -. Try typing in 4 + 2, and then 4+2 (without the spaces). What can you conclude from this? Write your answer below:
- 7. Try typing in 4 + 2 + 6, 4 + 2 * 6, and 4 + (2 * 6). What can you conclude from this? Write your answer below:
- 8. Try typing in 4 + "cat", and then "dog" + "cat". What can you conclude from this? Write your answer below:

Booleans

Boolean expressions are yes-or-no questions, and you probably already know some Boolean operators from math class, which compare Numbers. What do you think each of the following expressions will evaluate to? Try typing some into Pyret to experiment.

3 <= 4	 "a" > "b"	
3 == 2	 "a" <> "b"	
2 <> 4	 "a" == "b"	
3 <> 3	 "a" <> "a"	

- 2. How many String values are there?
- 3. How many Boolean values are there?

Boolean Operators

Pyret also has operators that work on *Booleans*. For each expression below, write down your guess about what it will evaluate to. Then type them in and see if you were right!

$$(3 \le 4)$$
 and $(3 == 2)$
 $("a" == "b")$ and $(3 <> 4)$
 $(3 <= 4)$ or $(3 == 2)$
 $("a" == "b")$ or $(3 <> 4)$

Unit 2

- Programming languages let us **define our own function**.
- We use the **Design Recipe** to help us define functions without making mistakes.
- The first step is to write a **Contract** and **Purpose Statement** for the function, which specify the Name, Domain and Range of the function and give a summary of what it does.
- The second step is to **write at least two examples**, which show how the function should work for specific inputs. These examples help us see patterns, and we express those patterns by **circling and labeling** what changes.
- The final step is to **define the function**, which generalizes our examples.

The Animals Dataset

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2.	Some	of the	columns	in	my	dataset	are	:
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Name (capitalization matters!)	Datatype	Quantitative/Categorical

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The Design Recipe

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Unit 3

- Methods are special functions that are attached to pieces of data. We use them to manipulate Tables.
- They are different from functions in several ways:
 - 1. Their names can't be used alone: they can only be used as part of data, separated by a dot. (For example, animals.order-by)
 - 2. Their contracts are different: they include the type of the data as part of their names. (eg, .order-by :: (column :: String) > Table)
 - 3. They have a "secret" argument, which is the data they are attached to
- We will use three **Table Methods** to manipulate our datasets:
 - 1. <Table>.order-by order the rows of a table based on a column
 - 2. <Table>.filter create a **subset** of the data, with only certain rows
 - 3. <Table>.build-column use the columns of a table to compute a new one
- We use Table Plans to help us use these methods correctly, without making mistakes

Reviewing Functions

1.	How many functions are defined in this file?	
2.	What is the name of the last function?	
3.	What is the Domain of the last function?	
4.	What is the Range of the last function?	
5.	What is the Range of the last function?	
6.	What is the variable name that the last function uses?	
7.	Which function will tell us if an animal is a kitten?	
8.	Which function will print out " <name> the <species>"?</species></name>	
9.	Which function will tell us if an animal is a dog older than 10?	
10	.Which function will tell us if an animal has been fixed?	
11	. Which function will draw a nametag for an animal?	

12. One of the examples for the last function is broken. Fix this example in the Definitions Area.

Plans for the Animals Dataset

What are two ways you might want to order the animals dataset?
1)
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What are two subsets into which you might filter the animals dataset?
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What are two new columns you might want to build from the animals dataset?
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Methods

Methods are a lot like functions, but they differ in three important ways:

- They can only be called as **part of a value**, using the **dot-accessor**. For example: **animals.**row-n(2)
- Their Contracts are different, because they contain a **Type** as part of their name. For example: <**Table>.**row-n :: (index :: Number) -> Row
- They have a "secret argument", which is the value they are attached to. In the examples above, the row-n method consumes only a Number as part of its Domain, but it also consumes a Table.

Here is the Contract for a method, which consumes the name of a food and produces True if the person likes that food:

	<person>.likes :: (food :: String) -> Boolean</person>
1.	What Type of data is the method attached to?
2.	What is the name of this method?
3.	How many things are in its Domain?
4.	What is the name of the argument in its Domain?
5.	What is the Type of the argument in its Domain?
6.	What Type of data will this method will produce?
7.	Below are 3 expressions. Based on the contract above, circle the correct one.
	emma.likes("pizza") likes("pizza") likes(emma, pizza)

8. On the line below, write your own expression that uses this method, replacing emma and "pizza" with your own name and a food you like.

On Kitten Day, the shelter prints up a list of all the cats in their database that are less than 2 years old, and makes nametags for them. They need a function that will help them out! Define a function called get-kittens-tags, which takes in the dataset and produces the correct table.

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The first weekend of every month, the shelter holds a "meet the dogs" picnic, to encourage families to adopt their dogs. Write a function called get-dogs-by-age, that takes their database and produces a table of all the dogs in the shelter, sorted from youngest to oldest.

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It's important for animals to stay healthy, especially when they get older. The veterinarians at the shelter want to put some of the dogs on a diet! They need a regular report of all the older dogs, sorted from heaviest-to-lightest. Define a function old-dogs-diet, which does just that!

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The shelter is tracking birth-years for all the animals who've been fixed. They need a function that takes in their database and returns a table that contains the birth-year for each one. Define get-fixed-birth that will do this for them.

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My Dataset

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What are two new columns you might want to build from this dataset?
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Unit 4

- Bar charts show the absolute quantity of each row in a dataset. The larger the quantity, the longer the bar. Bar charts provide a visual representation of values in a dataset.
- **Pie charts** show the *relative* quantity of each row in a dataset. The greater the percentage, the larger the pie slice. Pie charts provide a visual representation of proportions in a dataset.
- Choosing a Sample Table is important when coming up with small examples for Table Plans. A good sample table has:
 - 1. At least all the relevant columns
 - 2. Enough rows to accurately represent the dataset
 - 3. Rows that are randomly-ordered

Statements about Columns

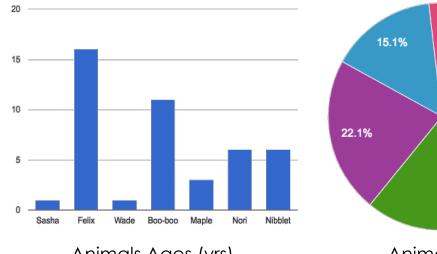
Use the Table below to help you answer the questions.

name	species	age	pounds
Sasha	cat	1	6.5
Felix	cat	16	9.2
Wade	cat	1	3.2
Boo-boo	dog	11	123
Maple	dog	3	51.6
Nori	dog	6	35.3
Nibblet	rabbit	6	4.3

Which animal(s) is/are the heaviest?
 Which animal(s) is/are the youngest?
 How much of the total weight comes from Maple?
 How much of the combined age comes from Nori?
 Would these questions be harder to answer if the table had 100 rows? If so, why?

Visualizing Quantity

In the table below, there are two observations drawn from the following charts. Add two more.



Sasha Felix Wade Boo-boo Maple Nori 52.8% Nibblet

Animals Ages (yrs)

Animals Weights (lbs)

Based on a chart of	I notice that
Based on a bar chart of 7 animals' ages	Felix is by far the oldest
Based on a pie chart of 7 animals' weights	Boo-boo weighs more than the other six animals combined!
Based on a bar chart of 7 animals' ages	
Based on a pie chart of 7 animals' weights	

Dogs are generally a lot bigger heavier than cats, so the shelter wants to look at a chart of *only* the dogs to determine who needs more exercise time. Define a function pie-dog-weight, which will make a pie chart showing the relative weights of all the dogs in the shelter.

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Bad Sample Tables!

For each word problem, a Sample Table must have (1) all the columns that matter, (2) a representative sample of the rows, and be in (3) random order. For each problem below, check the boxes to determine if the Sample Table meets those criteria.

1.	The shelter wan	ts to know	the median age	of all the cats

name	species	age	fixed	legs	pounds	weeks	Relevant columns
Sasha	cat	1	FALSE	4	6.5	3	Representative sample of rows
Mittens	cat	2	TRUE	4	7.4	5	Random order
Sunfower	cat	5	TRUE	4	8.1	10	

2. The shelter wants a pie chart showing all the dogs' weight

name	species	age
Fritz	dog	4
Wade	cat	2
Nibblet	rabbit	6
Daisy	dog	5

3. Sort all the animals alphabetically by name

name	species	age	fixed	legs	pounds	weeks	Delevered a alcusare
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Во	dog	4	TRUE	4	76.1	10	□ Representative sample of fows □ Random order
Boo-boo	dog	11	TRUE	4	123	10	Random order

4. Make a bar chart for all the fixed animals

name	species	age	fixed	legs	pounds	weeks	П	Relevant columns
Sasha	cat	1	FALSE	4	6.5	3	П	Representative sample of rows
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Define a function bar-kitten-adoption, which takes in a Table of animals and creates a bar chart showing how many weeks it took for each kitten to be adopted

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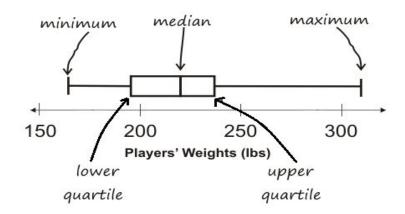
Visualizing My Dataset

What quantity charts did you make, and what do you notice? Fill in the table below.

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Unit 5

- There are three ways to measure the "center" of a dataset, to talk about a whole column of data using just one number:
 - 1. The **mean** of a dataset is the average of all the numbers
 - 2. The **median** of a dataset is a value that is smaller than half the dataset, and larger than the other half
 - 3. The **modes** of a dataset are the numbers that appear the most often.
- Data Scientists can also measure the "variation" of a dataset using a **five number summary:**
 - 1. The **minimum** the smallest value in the dataset
 - 2. The **first**, **or "lower" quartile (Q1)** the median value that separates the first quarter of the values in the dataset from the second quarter
 - 3. The **median (Q2)** the "middle point" that separates the data into "top" and "bottom" halves.
 - 4. The **third**, **or "upper" quartile (Q3)** the median value that separates the third quarter of the values in the dataset from the fourth quarter
 - 5. The **maximum** the largest value in the dataset
- The five number summary can be used to draw a **box-and-whisker plot**, also called a **stem and leaf plot**.



Summarizing a Column in Animals

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3.	The median of	f that column is					
4.	The mode(s) c	of that column is/c	are				
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The shelter wants a summary of the variation in ages among the dogs. Write a function called variation-dog-age that will take in a table of animals produce a box-plot that shows this variation.

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Hercules	cat	3	FALSE	4	13.4	7													
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Interpreting Variation

Summarizing a Column in My Dataset

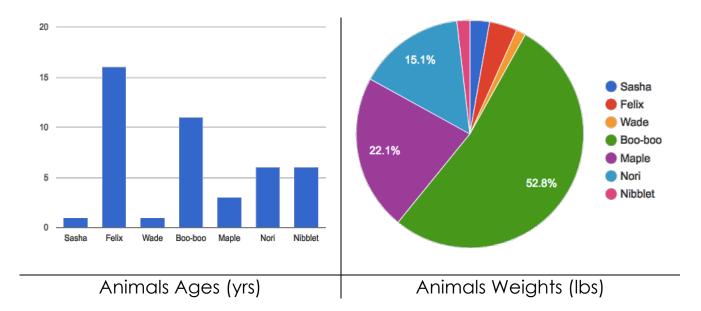
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Unit 6

- Frequency Bar charts show the number of rows belonging to a given category. The more rows in each category, the longer the bar. Frequency bar charts provide a visual representation of the frequency of values in a categorical column. Since categorical data cannot be ordered, there is no strict ordering of bars in a frequency bar chart.
- Histograms show the number of rows that fall within certain ranges, or "bins" of a
 dataset. The more rows that that fall within a particular "bin", the longer the bar.
 Histograms provide a visual representation of the frequency of values in a
 quantitative column. Quantitative data can be ordered, so the bars of a
 histogram are always sorted.
- When dealing with histograms, it's important to select a good **bin size**. If the bins are too small or too large, it is difficult to see the distribution in the dataset.

Visualizing Quantity (Review)

Use the charts below to help you answer the questions.



1. Which animal(s) is the heaviest?

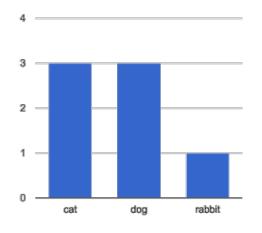
2. Which animal(s) is the youngest?

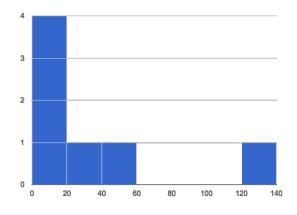
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- 3. How much of the total weight comes from Maple?
- ____
- 4. How much of the combined age comes from Nori?
- ____
- 5. Which chart did you use for questions 1 and 2?
- _____
- 6. Which chart did you use for questions 3 and 4?
- ____
- 7. Why are some questions easier to answer with one kind of chart or another?

Visualizing Frequency

name	species	age	pounds
"Sasha"	"cat"	1	6.5
"Boo-boo"	"dog"	11	123
"Felix"	"cat"	16	9.2
"Buddy"	"lizard"	2	0.3
"Nori"	"dog"	6	35.3
"Wade"	"cat"	1	3.2
"Nibblet"	"rabbit"	6	4.3
"Maple"	"dog"	3	51.6

- 1. How many cats are there?
- 2. How many dogs are there?
- 3. How many animals are between 3-6 years old?
- 4. How many weigh between 0-5 pounds?
- 5. Are there more animals weighing 0-5 than 6-10 pounds?
- 6. The charts below are based on the Sample Table above. What is each one measuring? Write down your guess underneath each one.





Define a function freq-bar-gender, which takes in a Table of animals and creates a frequency bar chart showing how many animals are male v. female.

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Define a function histogram-adoption, which takes in a Table of animals and creates a histogram showing how long it took for animals to get adopted

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Visualizing My Dataset

What frequency charts did you make, and what do you notice? Fill in the table below.

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Matching Charts to Questions

For each of the questions below, draw a line to the chart that will best answer it.

als at the shelter	Are there more of the animals at the shelter fixed or unfixed?	1.
cat wait to be	How many weeks did each cat wait to be adopted?	2.
dogs are there? Bar Chart	How many male v. female dogs are there?	3.
	How many animals have 4 legs? 8? 3?	4.
	What percent of the total weight at the shelter is made up by Boo-boo?	5.
eights across all	What is the distribution of weights across all the animals older than 3?	6.
re of each Histogram	How many animals are there of each species?	7.
be adopted?	Who waited the longest to be adopted?	8.

Unit 7

- **Scatter Plots** show the relationship between two quantitative columns. Each row in the dataset is represented by a point, with one column providing the x-value and the other providing the y-value. The resulting "point cloud" makes it possible to look for a relationship between those two columns.
- If the points in a scatter plot appear to follow a pattern, it is possible that a relationship or **correlation** exists between those two columns.
- If there is a pattern to the points in a scatter plot, points that are far away from the pattern are called **outliers**.
- We can express this correlation by drawing line through the data cloud, so that
 the distance between the line and each of the points is as small as possible. This
 line is called the line of best fit or predictor function and allows us to make
 predictions based on the dataset.

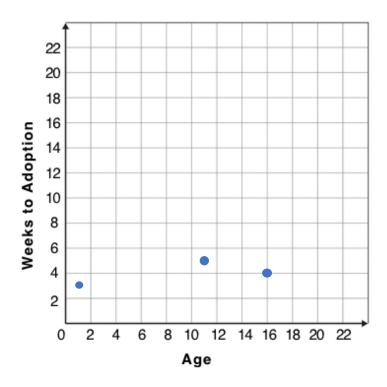
(Dis)Proving a Claim

"Younger animals are cuter, so they get adopted faster."

Do you agree? If so, why?
I hypothesize
What would you look for in the dataset to see if you are right?

Creating a Scatter Plot

name	species	age	weeks
"Sasha"	"cat"	1	3
"Boo-boo"	"dog"	11	5
"Felix"	"cat"	16	4
"Buddy"	"lizard"	2	24
"Nori"	"dog"	6	9
"Wade"	"cat"	1	2
"Nibblet"	"rabbit"	6	12
"Maple"	"dog"	3	2



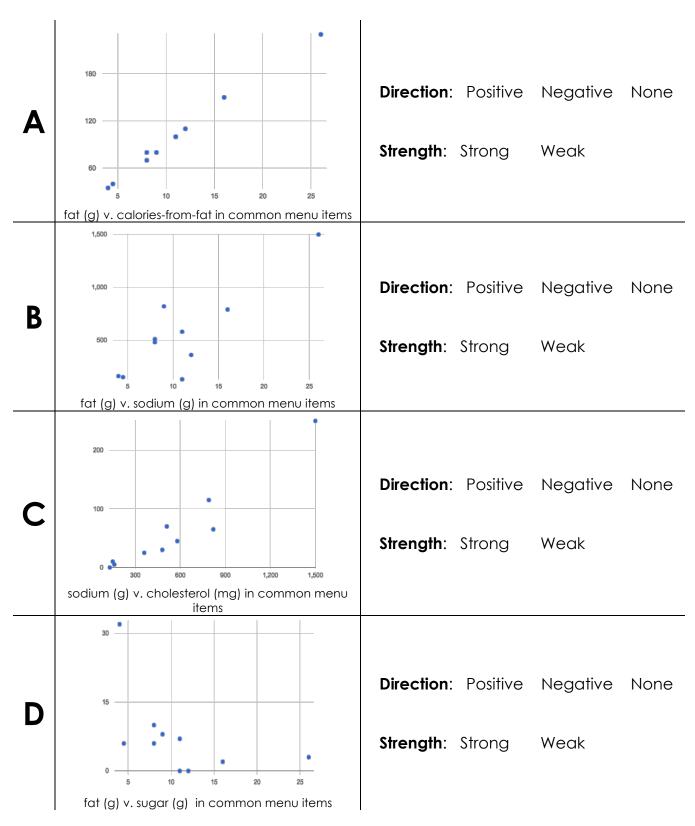
- 1. For each row in the Sample Table on the left, add a point to the scatter plot on the right. The first 3 rows have been completed for you. Use the values from the age column for the x-axis, and values from the weeks column for the y-axis.
- 2. Do you see a pattern? Do the points seem to shift up or down as age increases? **Draw a line on the scatter plot to show this pattern**.
- 3. Does the line slope upwards or downwards?
- 4. Are the points mostly close to the line?

Define a function <code>dogs-age-weeks</code>, which takes in a Table of animals and creates a scatter plot of all the dogs, tracking their <code>age</code> on the x-axis and the number of <code>weeks</code> it took for them to be adopted on the y-axis.

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Drawing Predictors

For each of the scatter plots below, draw a **predictor line** that fits best.



Correlations in My Dataset

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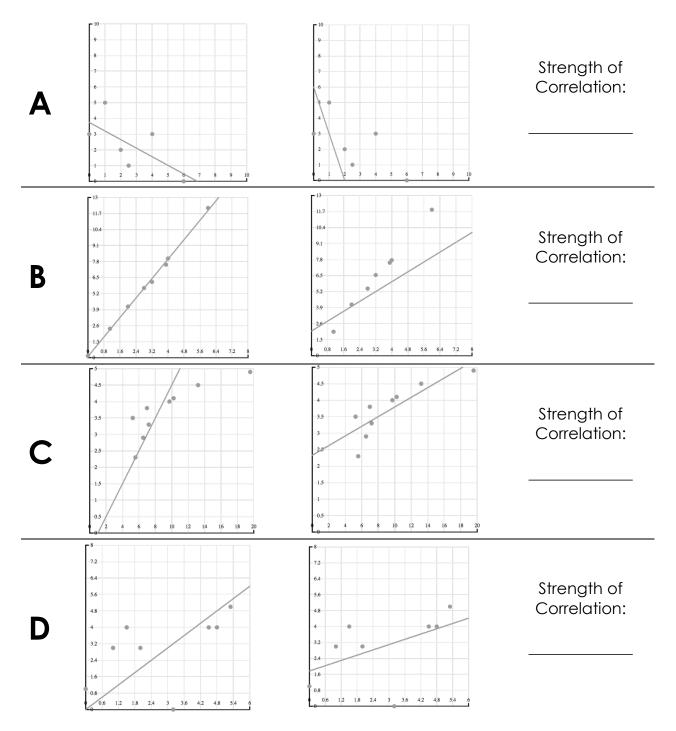
Unit 8

- Given a **predictor function** and a scatter plot, we can compute the error by adding the squares of all the distances between the function and each point in the plot. The error is called the **r**² **statistic**, which tells us how much of the variation in the y-axis can be explained by the x-axis.
- A strong correlation will have a large r². A weak correlation will have a small r².
- A **positive correlation** means the slope of the line of best fit is positive. A **negative correlation** means the slope is negative.
- **Linear Regression** is a way of computing the **line of best fit**, by taking a scatter plot and deriving the slope and y-intercept for a line that has the smallest possible r².
- <u>Correlation is not causation!</u> Correlation only suggests that two measures are related, but does not tell us if one causes the other. For example, hot days are correlated with people running their air conditioners, air conditioners do not cause hot days!

Grading Predictors

Below are the scatter plots for data sets A-D, with two different lines predictor lines drawn on top. For plots A-D:

- 1. Circle the plot with the line that fits better
- 2. Give the plot you circled a grade between 0 (no correlation) and 1 (perfect correlation)



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Unit 9

Fake News!

Every claim below is wrong! Your job is to figure out why, by looking at the data.

	Data	Claim	Why it's wrong
1	The average player on a basketball team is 6'1".	"Most of the players on the team are taller than 6'."	Wily it's wiong
2	After performing linear regression on census data, a positive correlation (r ² =0.18) was found between people's height and salary.	"Taller people get paid more."	
3	y=12.234x + -17.089; r-sq: 0.636	"According to the predictor function indicated here, the value on the x-axis is will predict the value on the y-axis 63.6% of the time."	
4	15 Sasha Felix Wade Boo-boo Maple Nori Bar Chart of Pet Ages	"According to this bar chart, Felix makes up a little more than 15% of the total ages of all the animals in the dataset."	
5	20 40 60 80 100 120 140 160 180 Weight (pounds)	"According to this histogram, most animals weigh between 40 and 60 pounds."	
6	After performing linear regression, a negative correlation (r ² =0.91) was found between the number of hairs on a person's head and their likelihood of owning a wig.	"Owning wigs causes people to go bald."	

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