Axis Components

construct axis generators for given scales

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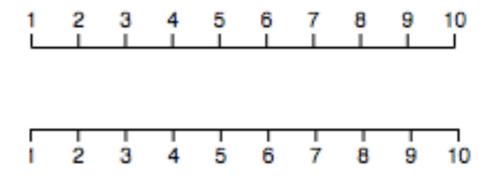
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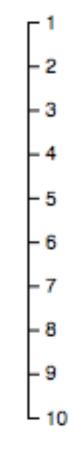
d3.axisTop()

d3.axisBottom()

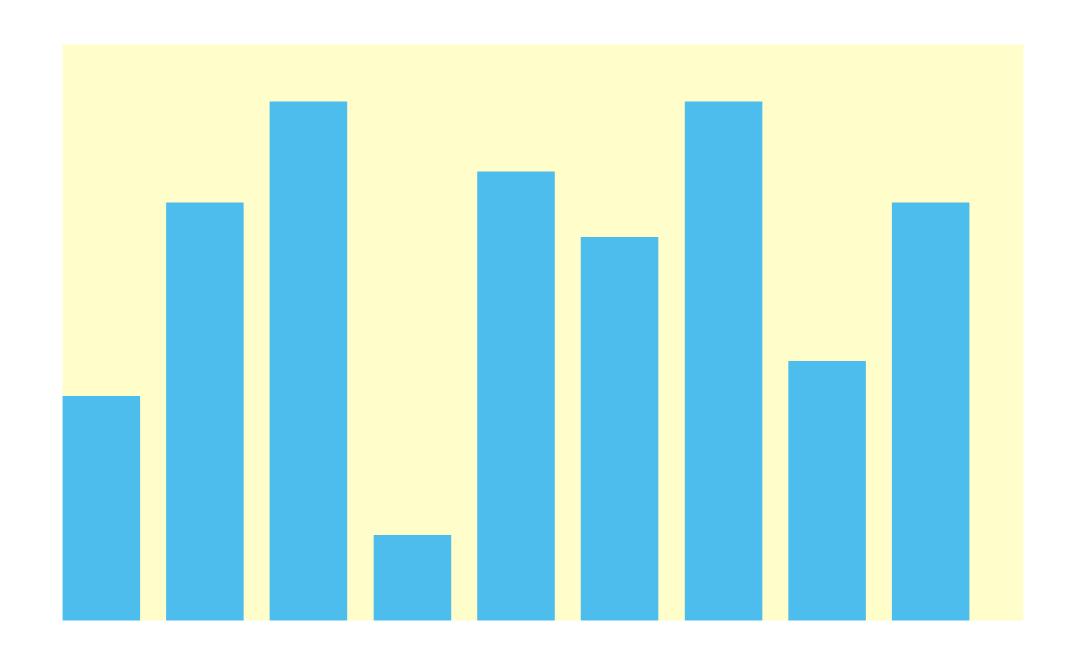
d3.axisLeft()



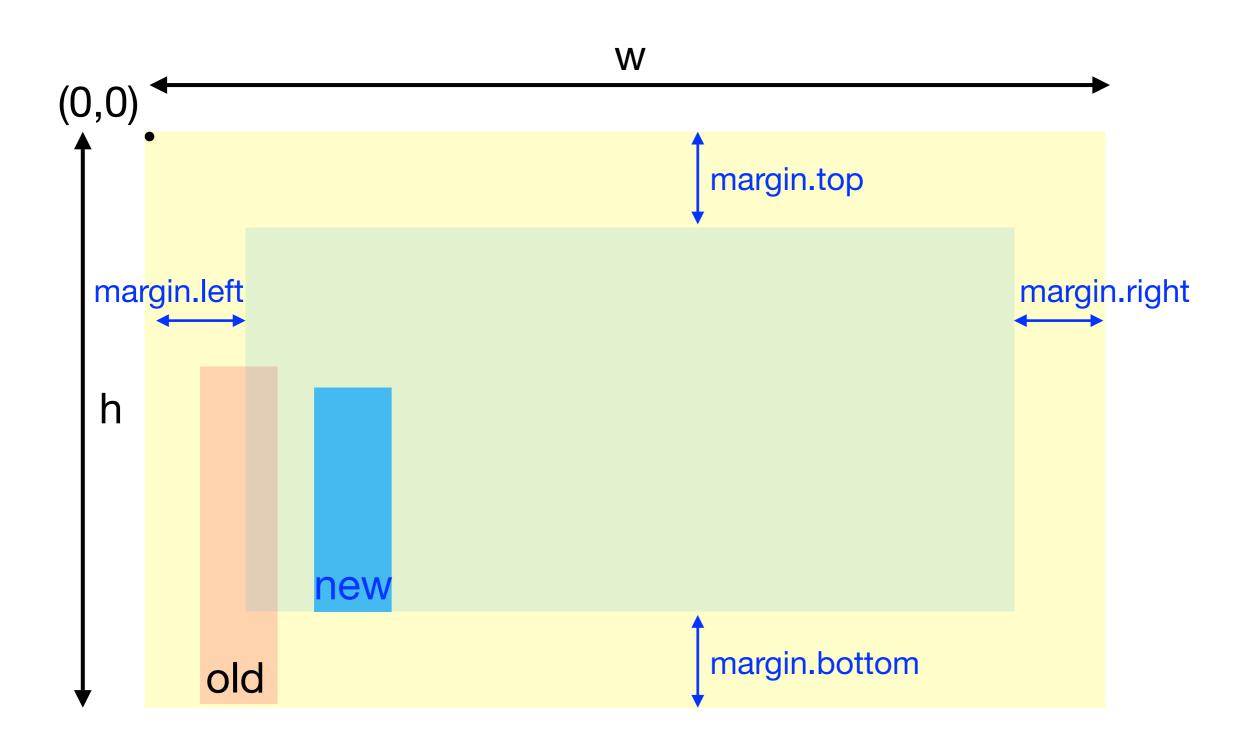
d3.axisRight()



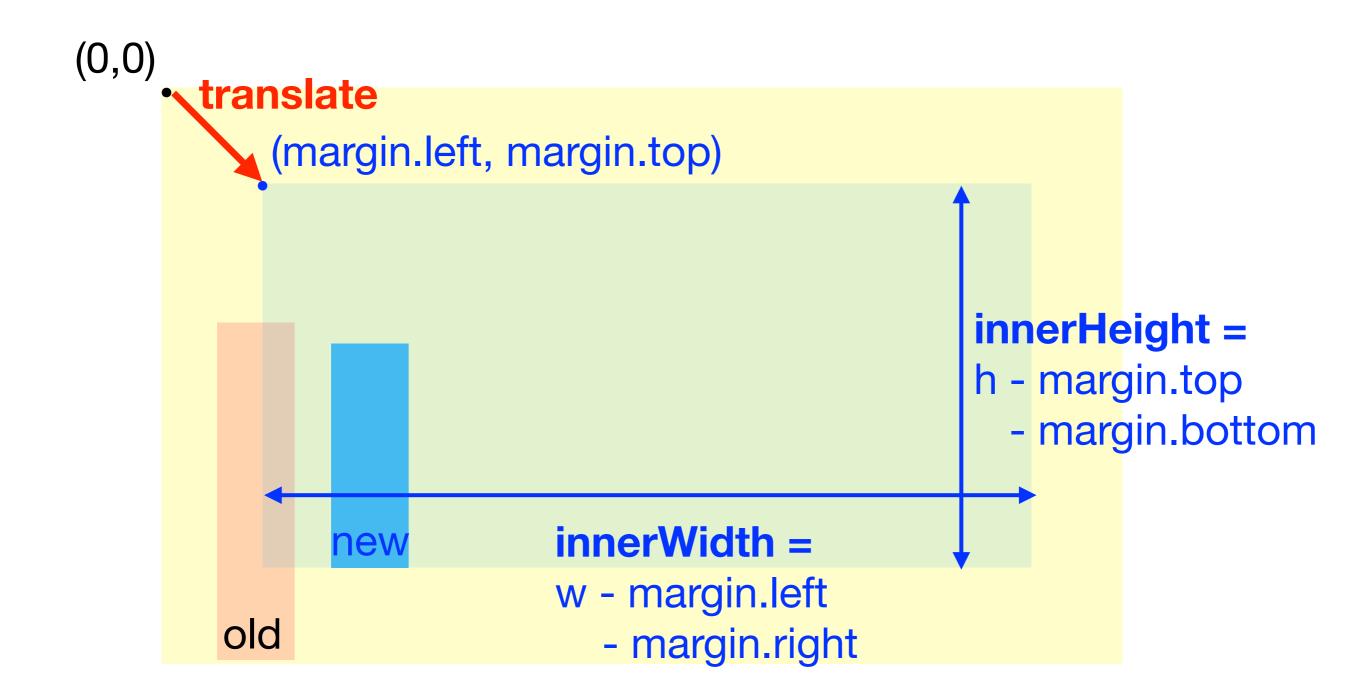
Axes need space



Margin convention



Margin convention



Add background rectangle

```
svg.append("rect")
    .attr("x", 0)
    .attr("y", 0)
    .attr("width", w)
    .attr("height", h)
    .attr("fill", "lightblue");
```

```
var bars = svg.append("g")
.selectAll("rect").data(bardata)
.enter().append("rect");
```

```
      before
      after

      <svg>
      <svg>

      <rect>
      <rect></tect></tect></tect>

      <rect>
      <rect></tect>

      </svg>
      </rect>

      </g>
      </svq>
```

add an id

```
var bars = svg.append("g")
    .attr("id", "plot")
    .selectAll("rect")
    .data(bardata);
<g id="plot">
```

translate

ES6 template literals, use ``

```
var bars = svg.append("g")
    .attr("transform",
          `translate (${margin.left},
                       ${margin.top})')
  .selectAll("rect")
    .data(bardata);
  \mathsf{OR}
  "translate (" + margin.left + ","
      + margin.top + ")")
```

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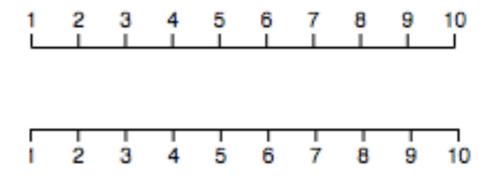
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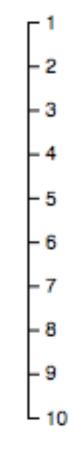
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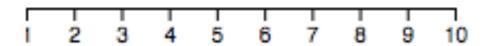
d3.axisLeft()



d3.axisRight()



d3.axisBottom()



d3.axisBottom()

```
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
```

scale

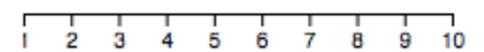
```
var xScale = d3.scaleLinear()
   .domain([1,10])
   .range([0,200]);
```

```
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
```

```
axis generator
```

```
var xAxis = d3.axisBottom()
   .scale(xScale);
```

or var xAxis = d3.axisBottom(xScale);



When called on a selection, the axis generator creates axis SVG elements

```
d3.select("svg").append("g")
    .call(xAxis);
```

or

```
xAxis(d3.select("svg").append("g"));
```

Generated SVG axis elements

```
<g fill="none" font-size="10" font-family="sans-serif" text-anchor="middle">
    <path class="domain" stroke="#000" d="M0.5,6V0.5H200.5V6"></path>
    <g class="tick" opacity="1" transform="translate(0.5,0)">
        <line stroke="#000" y2="6"></line>
        <text fill="#000" y="9" dy="0.71em">1</text>
    </g>
    <g class="tick" opacity="1" transform="translate(22.72222222222222,0)">
        <line stroke="#000" y2="6"></line>
        <text fill="#000" y="9" dy="0.71em">2</text>
    </g>
    (8 more tick mark / tick label groups)
</g>
```

Generated SVG axis elements

axis component

axis generator

d3.axisBottom(scale) --> xAxis



xAxis([selection]) --> SVG elements

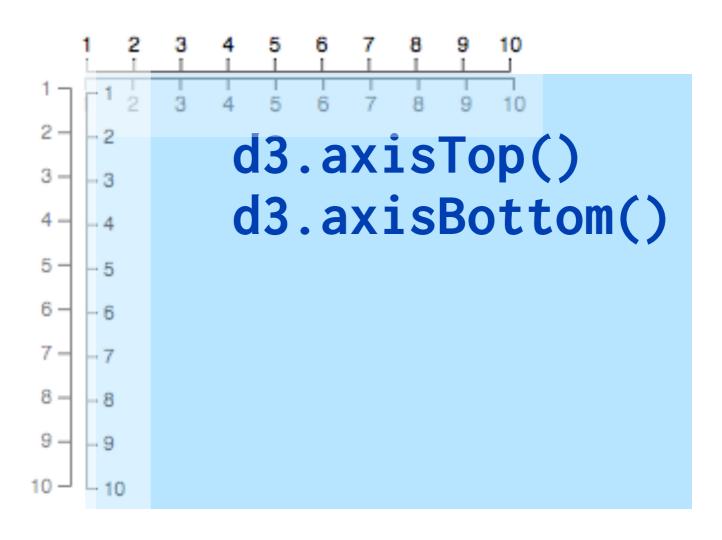
Possible, but not advisable:

```
d3.axisBottom(d3.scaleLinear()
    .domain([1,10])
       .range([0,200]))(d3.select("svg")
                           .append("g"));
```

Axis Components

control orientation not location on the svg all axes are rendered at the origin

d3.axisLeft()
d3.axisRight()



Translate axes to position them

```
var yAxis = d3.axisLeft()
    .scale(yScale);
svg.append("g")
      .attr("class", "yAxis")
      .attr("transform",
          `translate({$margin.left},
                       ${margin.top})')
      .call(yAxis);
```

EDAV6_2_yaxis.html

Practice: add x-axis