

# Tidying Data



Getting and Cleaning Data

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1	area	gender	age	State	Area (sq km)	Eligible participants	Participation rate (%)	Total participants	Total Participants
2	Adelaide	Female	18-19 years	SA	76	1341	83.5	1120	1120
3	Adelaide	Female	20-24 years	SA	76	4620	81.2	3750	3750
4	Adelaide	Female	25-29 years	SA	76	4897	81.8	4004	4004
5	Adelaide	Female	30-34 years	SA	76	4784	79.8	3820	3820
6	Adelaide	Female	35-39 years	SA	76	4319	79	3411	3411
7	Adelaide	Female	40-44 years	SA	76	4310	80.6	3472	3472
8	Adelaide	Female	45-49 years	SA	76	4579	81.4	3728	3728
9	Adelaide	Female	50-54 years	SA	76	4475	84.7	3791	3791
10	Adelaide	Female	55-59 years	SA	76	4622	87.3	4033	4033
11	Adelaide	Female	60-64 years	SA	76	4342	89.3	3879	3879
12	Adelaide	Female	65-69 years	SA	76	3970	90.7	3602	3602
13	Adelaide	Female	70-74 years	SA	76	3009	90.3	2716	2716
14	Adelaide	Female	75-79 years	SA	76	2156	88.5	1908	1908
15	Adelaide	Female	80-84 years	SA	76	1673	85.1	1423	1423

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# dplyr functions

```
# to install and load dplyr  
install.packages("dplyr")  
library(dplyr)
```

- `%>%` - pipe operator for chaining a sequence of operations
- `glimpse()` - get an overview of what's included in dataset
- `filter()` - filter rows
- `select()` - select, rename, and re-order columns
- `rename()` - rename columns
- `arrange()` - reorder rows
- `mutate()` - create a new column
- `group_by()` - group variables
- `summarize()` - summarize information within a dataset
- `left_join()` - combining data across data frame



# tidyr functions

```
# to install and load tidyr  
install.packages("tidyr")  
library(tidyr)
```

- unite() - combine contents of two or more columns into a single column
- separate() - separate contents of a column into two or more columns



# janitor functions

```
# to install and load janitor  
install.packages("janitor")  
library(janitor)
```

- `clean_names()` - clean names of a data frame
- `tabyl()` - get a helpful summary of a variable



# skimr functions

```
# to install and load skimr  
install.packages("skimr")  
library(skimr)
```

- `skim()` - summarize a data frame



# The pipe operator: %>%

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If you want to: `A --> B`

Data frame `A`

Function `B()`

In R:

Without the pipe operator `B(A)`

With the pipe operator `A %>% B`

# The pipe operator: %>%

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If you want to: `A --> B`

In R:

Without the pipe operator    **`B (A)`**  
With the pipe operator        **`A %>% B`**

Data frame `A`

Function `B ()`

Function `C ()`

Function `D ()`

If you want to: `A --> B --> C --> D`

In R:

Without the pipe operator    **`D (C (B (A) ) )`**  
With the pipe operator        **`A %>% B %>% C %>% D`**



# Summarizing: Tidying Data



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