



## SENTIMENT ANALYSIS IN R: THE TIDY WAY

# Welcome!

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# In this course, you will...

- learn how to implement sentiment analysis using tidy data principles
- explore sentiment lexicons
- apply these skills to real-world case studies



# Case studies

- Geocoded Twitter data
- six of Shakespeare's plays
- text spoken on TV news programs
- lyrics from pop songs over the last 50 years



# Sentiment Lexicons

```
> library(tidytext)

> get_sentiments("bing")

# A tibble: 6,788 x 2
  word sentiment
  <chr>    <chr>
1 2-faced negative
2 2-faces negative
3 a+ positive
4 abnormal negative
5 abolish negative
6 abominable negative
7 abominably negative
8 abominate negative
9 abomination negative
10 abort negative
# ... with 6,778 more rows
```



# Sentiment Lexicons

```
> get_sentiments("afinn")  
  
# A tibble: 2,476 x 2  
  word score  
  <chr> <int>  
1  abandon -2  
2  abandoned -2  
3  abandons -2  
4  abducted -2  
5  abduction -2  
6  abductions -2  
7    abhor -3  
8  abhorred -3  
9  abhorrent -3  
10   abhors -3  
# ... with 2,466 more rows
```



# Sentiment Lexicons

```
> get_sentiments("nrc")  
  
# A tibble: 13,901 x 2  
  word sentiment  
  <chr>      <chr>  
1  abacus    trust  
2  abandon   fear  
3  abandon   negative  
4  abandon   sadness  
5  abandoned anger  
6  abandoned fear  
7  abandoned negative  
8  abandoned sadness  
9  abandonment anger  
10 abandonment fear  
# ... with 13,891 more rows
```



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**Let's get started!**



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# Sentiment analysis using an inner join

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# Geocoded Tweets

The `geocoded_tweets` dataset contains three columns:

- `state`, a state in the United States
- `word`, a word used in tweets posted on Twitter
- `freq`, the average frequency of that word in that state (per billion words)

# Inner Join

A		B		<code>inner_join(A, B, by = "id")</code>		
id	value1	id	value2	id	value1	value2



# Inner Join

```
> text

# A tibble: 7 x 1
  word
<chr>
1   wow
2   what
3    an
4 amazing
5 beautiful
6 wonderful
7    day
```

```
> lexicon

# A tibble: 4 x 1
  word
<chr>
1 amazing
2 wonderful
3    sad
4 terrible
```



# Inner Join

```
> library(dplyr)

> text %>%
  inner_join(lexicon)
Joining, by = "word"

# A tibble: 2 x 1
  word
  <chr>
1 amazing
2 wonderful
```



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**Let's practice!**



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# Analyzing sentiment analysis results

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# Getting to know dplyr verbs

Want to find only certain kinds of results? Use filter!

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tweets_nrc %>%  
  filter(sentiment == "positive")
```



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```

Need to do something for groups defined by your variables? Use `group_by`!

```
tweets_nrc %>%  
  filter(sentiment == "positive") %>%  
  group_by(word)
```





# Getting to know dplyr verbs

Need to calculate something for defined groups? Use summarize!

```
tweets_nrc %>%  
  filter(sentiment == "sadness") %>%  
  group_by(word) %>%  
  summarize(freq = mean(freq))
```

# Getting to know dplyr verbs

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```
tweets_nrc %>%  
  filter(sentiment == "sadness") %>%  
  group_by(word) %>%  
  summarize(freq = mean(freq))
```

Want to arrange your results in some order? Use arrange!

```
tweets_nrc %>%  
  filter(sentiment == "sadness") %>%  
  group_by(word) %>%  
  summarize(freq = mean(freq)) %>%  
  arrange(desc(freq))
```



# Common patterns

```
your_df %>%  
  group_by(your_variable) %>%  
  {DO_SOMETHING_HERE} %>%  
  ungroup
```



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**Let's practice!**



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# Differences by state

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# Exploring states

## Examining one state

```
tweets_nrc %>%  
  filter(state == "texas",  
         sentiment == "positive")
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## Calculating a quantity for all states

```
tweets_nrc %>%  
  group_by(state)
```



# spread() converts long data

id	group	value
1	A	5.5
2	A	2.2
3	A	9.9
1	B	6.6
2	B	7.7
3	B	1.1
1	C	8.8
2	C	3.3
3	C	4.4





`spread()` converts long data to wide data

id	group A value	group B value	group C value
1	5.5	6.6	8.8
2	2.2	7.7	3.3
3	9.9	1.1	4.4



# Using spread()

```
tweets_bing %>%  
  group_by(state, sentiment) %>%  
  summarize(freq = mean(freq)) %>%  
  spread(sentiment, freq) %>%  
  ungroup()
```



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**Let's go!**