

# Joins

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```
install.packages("tidyverse", repos = "http://cran.us.r-project.org")

##
## The downloaded binary packages are in
## /var/folders/tz/sh20cj15711657_9_1d4v6m00000gn/T//RtmpJR5yYm/downloaded_packages

library(tidyverse)

## -- Attaching packages ----- tidyverse 1.3.2 --
## v ggplot2 3.4.0      v purrr   0.3.5
## v tibble  3.1.8      v dplyr  1.0.10
## v tidyr   1.2.1      v stringr 1.5.0
## v readr   2.1.3      v forcats 0.5.2
## -- Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() --
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag()    masks stats::lag()

baseball01 <- read_csv("/Users/ed/Downloads/baseball01.csv")

## Rows: 5 Columns: 4
## -- Column specification -----
## Delimiter: ","
## chr (1): Name
## dbl (3): Hits, Dingers, RBI
##
## i Use 'spec()' to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
## i Specify the column types or set 'show_col_types = FALSE' to quiet this message.

baseball02 <- read_csv("/Users/ed/Downloads/baseball02.csv")

## Rows: 4 Columns: 3
## -- Column specification -----
## Delimiter: ","
## chr (3): Name, Color, Position
##
## i Use 'spec()' to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
## i Specify the column types or set 'show_col_types = FALSE' to quiet this message.

ljbaseball <- left_join(baseball01, baseball02)

## Joining, by = "Name"
```

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ljbaseball
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```
## # A tibble: 5 x 6
##   Name      Hits Dingers   RBI Color Position
##   <chr>   <dbl>   <dbl> <dbl> <chr> <chr>
## 1 Tinker    100     15    60 blue   SS
## 2 Evers     120     20    70 <NA> <NA>
## 3 Chance    110     30    75 <NA> <NA>
## 4 Cobb      150     30    80 red    2B
## 5 Ruth       90     40    90 <NA> <NA>
```

With the `left_join` function, we get the above results. We now have a table with all of the Names from `baseball01`, but with the added variables in `baseball02` with “NA” in cells that didn’t contain any information.

```
ijbaseball <- inner_join(baseball01, baseball02)
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```
## Joining, by = "Name"
```

```
ijbaseball
```

```
## # A tibble: 2 x 6
##   Name      Hits Dingers   RBI Color Position
##   <chr>   <dbl>   <dbl> <dbl> <chr> <chr>
## 1 Tinker    100     15    60 blue   SS
## 2 Cobb      150     30    80 red    2B
```

`Inner_join` function grabs the Names that `baseball01/02` have in common. In this case, we have Tinker and Cobb as the only rows as they contain information for all of the variables in both data sets.

```
fjbaseball <- full_join(baseball01, baseball02)
```

```
## Joining, by = "Name"
```

```
fjbaseball
```

```
## # A tibble: 7 x 6
##   Name      Hits Dingers   RBI Color Position
##   <chr>   <dbl>   <dbl> <dbl> <chr> <chr>
## 1 Tinker    100     15    60 blue   SS
## 2 Evers     120     20    70 <NA> <NA>
## 3 Chance    110     30    75 <NA> <NA>
## 4 Cobb      150     30    80 red    2B
## 5 Ruth       90     40    90 <NA> <NA>
## 6 Mantle     NA      NA     NA green   CF
## 7 Maris      NA      NA     NA yellow RF
```

With `full_join`, it is fairly self-explanatory as it joins the data sets entirely and inserts “NA” in any cells that doesn’t contain data from either set.