

Exercise 5: Base R vs. Tidyverse

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Base R tasks

1. Download the food_coded.csv file
2. Load the CSV file into your R environment.

```
food <- read.csv("food_coded.csv")
```

Open the `codebook_food.docx` file for guidance.

3. Extract the first 95 rows.

```
food_2 <- food[1:95,]
```

4. Look at the following variables using both name and column index/number.

- GPA
- calories_chicken
- drink
- fav_cuisine
- father_profession
- mother_profession

```
food_3 <- food[, c("GPA", "calories_chicken", "drink", "fav_cuisine", "father_profession", "mother_profession")]
food_4 <- food[, c(1, 4, 16, 26, 25, 45)]
```

5. Create a new variable for how healthy each person feels but convert the scale from 1 to 10 to 1 to 100.

```
food_5 <- food
food_5$health <- food_5$healthy_feeling * 10
```

6. Filter to students who are female and have GPAs that are above 3.0.

```
food_6 <- food[food$Gender == 1 & food$GPA > 3, ]
```

7. Find the mean and standard deviation for the following variables, and summarize them in a data frame.

```
food_7 <- food[, c("calories_chicken", "tortilla_calories", "turkey_calories", "waffle_calories" )]

cal_means <- sapply(food_7, mean, na.rm = T)
cal_sd <- sapply(food_7, sd, na.rm = T)
cal_summary <- rbind(cal_means, cal_sd)
rownames(cal_summary) <- c("Mean calories", "SD of calories")
cal_summary
```

```
##               calories_chicken tortilla_calories turkey_calories
## Mean calories           577.3200           947.5806           555.0400
## SD of calories           131.2142           202.0902           152.3704
```

```
##                waffle_calories
## Mean calories      1073.4000
## SD of calories     248.6671

* chicken_calories
* tortilla_calories
* turkey_calories
* waffle_calories
```

8. Summarize GPA and weight within the gender and cuisine variables.

```
food$GPA <- as.numeric(food$GPA)

## Warning: NAs introduced by coercion

food$weight <- as.numeric(food$weight)

## Warning: NAs introduced by coercion

food$GPA[74] <- 3.79
food$weight[4] <- 240
food$weight[68] <- 144
food_men <- food[food$Gender == 1,]
food_women <- food[food$Gender == 2, ]
men_GPA_mean <- tapply(food_men$GPA, food_men$cuisine, mean, na.rm = T)
women_GPA_mean <- tapply(food_women$GPA, food_women$cuisine, mean, na.rm = T)
men_weight_mean <- tapply(food_men$weight, food_men$cuisine, mean, na.rm = T)
women_weight_mean <- tapply(food_women$weight, food_women$cuisine, mean, na.rm = T)

men_GPA_sd <- tapply(food_men$GPA, food_men$cuisine, sd, na.rm = T)
women_GPA_sd <- tapply(food_women$GPA, food_women$cuisine, sd, na.rm = T)
men_weight_sd <- tapply(food_men$weight, food_men$cuisine, sd, na.rm = T)
women_weight_sd <- tapply(food_women$weight, food_women$cuisine, sd, na.rm = T)

men_summary <- rbind(men_GPA_mean, men_GPA_sd, men_weight_mean, men_weight_sd)
men_summary <- cbind(men_summary, rep(0, length(men_summary[,1])))

rbind(women_GPA_mean, women_GPA_sd, women_weight_mean, women_weight_sd)

##                1          2          3          4          5          6
## women_GPA_mean    3.3869375    3.6300000    3.87    2.75500000    3.2    3.9
## women_GPA_sd      0.3796562    0.2875761     NA    0.06363961     NA     NA
## women_weight_mean 177.8787879 178.0000000 195.00 138.00000000 185.0 185.0
## women_weight_sd   29.6929680  22.5277607     NA           NA     NA     NA
##                NaN
## women_GPA_mean    3.2716667
## women_GPA_sd      0.5219355
## women_weight_mean 191.8000000
## women_weight_sd   38.8805864
```

Tidyverse tasks

1. Download the facebook-fact-check.csv
2. Load the CSV file into your R environment.

```
fb_data <- read_csv("facebook-fact-check.csv")
```

```
## Rows: 2282 Columns: 12

## -- Column specification -----
## Delimiter: ","
## chr  (6): Category, Page, Post URL, Post Type, Rating, Debate
## dbl  (5): account_id, post_id, share_count, reaction_count, comment_count
## date (1): Date Published

##
## 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.
```

3. Extract the last 500 rows.

Hint: Check out the `top_n()` page to figure out how to extract the last 500 rows instead of the first 500 rows.

```
fb_data %>% slice_tail(n = 500)

## # A tibble: 500 x 12
##   account_id post_id Category Page `Post URL` `Date Published` `Post Type`
##   <dbl>    <dbl> <chr>    <chr> <chr>          <date>          <chr>
## 1 62317591679 1.02e16 mainstr~ Poli~ https://www.~ 2016-09-26      video
## 2 62317591679 1.02e16 mainstr~ Poli~ https://www.~ 2016-09-26      video
## 3 62317591679 1.02e16 mainstr~ Poli~ https://www.~ 2016-09-26      link
## 4 62317591679 1.02e16 mainstr~ Poli~ https://www.~ 2016-09-26      video
## 5 62317591679 1.02e16 mainstr~ Poli~ https://www.~ 2016-09-26      video
## 6 62317591679 1.02e16 mainstr~ Poli~ https://www.~ 2016-09-26      video
## 7 62317591679 1.02e16 mainstr~ Poli~ https://www.~ 2016-09-26      link
## 8 62317591679 1.02e16 mainstr~ Poli~ https://www.~ 2016-09-26      video
## 9 62317591679 1.02e16 mainstr~ Poli~ https://www.~ 2016-09-26      video
## 10 62317591679 1.02e16 mainstr~ Poli~ https://www.~ 2016-09-26      video
## # ... with 490 more rows, and 5 more variables: Rating <chr>, Debate <chr>,
## #   share_count <dbl>, reaction_count <dbl>, comment_count <dbl>
```

4. Look at the even-numbered column indices only. Identify them by name.

```
fb_data %>% select(seq(from = 0, to = ncol(fb_data), by = 2)) %>% colnames()

## [1] "post_id"      "Page"          "Date Published" "Rating"
## [5] "share_count"  "comment_count"
```

5. Using `mutate`, create a new variable called `post_type_coded` that renames each post type to the following:

- link = 1
- photo = 2
- text = 3
- video = 4

Hint: look up `case_when` within tidyverse. You can also use `if_else`

```
fb_data <- fb_data %>%
  mutate(post_type_coded = case_when(
    `Post Type` == "link" ~ 1,
    `Post Type` == "photo" ~ 2,
    `Post Type` == "text" ~ 3,
    `Post Type` == "video" ~ 4
  ))
```

6. Arrange page names in reverse order.

```
fb_data %>% arrange(desc(Page))

## # A tibble: 2,282 x 13
##   account_id post_id Category Page `Post URL` `Date Published` `Post Type`
##   <dbl> <dbl> <chr> <chr> <chr> <date> <chr>
## 1 1.15e14 1.46e15 left The 0~ https://www.~ 2016-09-19 photo
## 2 1.15e14 1.46e15 left The 0~ https://www.~ 2016-09-19 video
## 3 1.15e14 1.46e15 left The 0~ https://www.~ 2016-09-19 link
## 4 1.15e14 1.46e15 left The 0~ https://www.~ 2016-09-19 link
## 5 1.15e14 1.46e15 left The 0~ https://www.~ 2016-09-19 link
## 6 1.15e14 1.46e15 left The 0~ https://www.~ 2016-09-19 video
## 7 1.15e14 1.46e15 left The 0~ https://www.~ 2016-09-19 video
## 8 1.15e14 1.46e15 left The 0~ https://www.~ 2016-09-19 link
## 9 1.15e14 1.46e15 left The 0~ https://www.~ 2016-09-19 link
## 10 1.15e14 1.46e15 left The 0~ https://www.~ 2016-09-19 video
## # ... with 2,272 more rows, and 6 more variables: Rating <chr>, Debate <chr>,
## # share_count <dbl>, reaction_count <dbl>, comment_count <dbl>,
## # post_type_coded <dbl>
```

7. Find the mean and standard deviation for the following variables, and summarize them.

- share_count
- reaction_count
- comment_count

```
fb_data %>%
  summarise(across(c(share_count, reaction_count, comment_count), list(mean = mean, sd = sd), na.rm =

## # A tibble: 1 x 6
##   share_count_mean share_count_sd reaction_count_mean reaction_count_sd
##   <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
## 1 4045. 29832. 5364. 19127.
## # ... with 2 more variables: comment_count_mean <dbl>, comment_count_sd <dbl>

fb_data %>%
  group_by(Page) %>%
  summarise(Mean_Share_Count = mean(share_count, na.rm=T),
            SD_Share_count = sd(share_count, na.rm = T))

## # A tibble: 9 x 3
##   Page Mean_Share_Count SD_Share_count
##   <chr> <dbl> <dbl>
## 1 ABC News Politics 44.5 108.
## 2 Addicting Info 1270. 2037.
## 3 CNN Politics 183. 1159.
## 4 Eagle Rising 616. 2004.
## 5 Freedom Daily 2474. 4844.
## 6 Occupy Democrats 29205. 89934.
## 7 Politico 182. 904.
## 8 Right Wing News 1398. 3639.
## 9 The Other 98% 18007. 40251.
```

8. Summarize the mean and standard deviations in Question 7 with the “mainstream” values in the category variable.

```
fb_data %>%
  filter(Category == "mainstream") %>%
  summarise(across(c(share_count, reaction_count, comment_count), list(mean = mean, sd = sd), na.rm =

## # A tibble: 1 x 6
##   share_count_mean share_count_sd reaction_count_mean reaction_count_sd
##           <dbl>         <dbl>           <dbl>           <dbl>
## 1           161.           940.             694.           1864.
## # ... with 2 more variables: comment_count_mean <dbl>, comment_count_sd <dbl>
```

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