Solutions to G. Grolemund & H. Wickhams's R for Data Science, Chapter 5

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A Brief Introduction to This File

This R file walks through G. Grolemund & H. Wickhams's online text, "R for Data Science." Much of the code is sourced directly from the book and credit belongs to the authors. Here, some sections of code are heavily commented so that the beginning R programmer can read through and understand what each line of code does and compare it to their own as they work through the text. Throughout, the book provides the primary and most thorough explanation. For the greatest learning benefit, I suggest you attempt each exercise on your own before looking at the code or write-ups provided here. Of course, there is more than one way to write code and you may find a more elegant solution that you prefer.

For those new to R and RStudio, it may be of additional benefit to knit the document and examine how the code in the Rmd file is visually expressed in the resultant knitted document. For example, see how the ["R for Data Science."] (http://r4ds.had.co.nz/index.html) is expressed as a hyperlink in the preceding paragraph where it was not surrounded by tick-marks and compare that to how the same text is expressed in this paragraph when surrounded by ticks. See also the difference in appearance when knitting to different document types (HTML, PDF, Word).

Tip: If you are using RStudio, click the text next to the orange # box at the bottom of the editor window to easily navigate the code chunks.

Tip: Use the ? before any command to view the documentation on that function. Do this often. For example, type ?setwd to see a description, usage, arguments, and more for the function setwd().

Tip: Find RStudio Cheatsheets at https://www.rstudio.com/resources/cheatsheets/

Chapter 5, Data transformation

Introduction

```
?flights
flights
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
##
        year month
                       day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
                                                            <dbl>
       <int> <int>
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                                                               -3
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## 9 2013
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## 10 2013
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                                                                   753
                 1
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
#View(flights) # This line is commented out because the View function will prevent the document from kn
The six key dplyr functions:
filter()
arrange()
select()
mutate()
summarise()
groupby()
filter()
filter(flights, month == 1, day == 1)
## # A tibble: 842 x 19
##
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
       year month
                                                       <dbl>
##
      <int> <int> <int>
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   2 2013
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## # ... with 832 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
jan1 <- filter(flights, month == 1, day == 1)</pre>
(dec25 <- filter(flights, month ==12, day == 25))</pre>
## # A tibble: 719 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                            <int>
                                                       <dbl>
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##
   1 2013
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               12
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    2 2013
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               12
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                              546
                                              550
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                                                                 1022
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   6 2013
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##
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    9 2013
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               12
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## 10 2013
                             600
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               12
                     25
                                            600
## # ... with 709 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
      arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
      origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
      minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
Comparisons
Comparison operators:
>=
<
<=
# filter(flights, month = 1) # wrong
filter(flights, month == 1) # corrected
## # A tibble: 27,004 x 19
##
                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
      year month
      <int> <int> <int>
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## # ... with 26,994 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
      arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
      origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
      minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
sqrt(2) ^ 2 == 2
## [1] FALSE
1/49 * 49 == 1
## [1] FALSE
near(sqrt(2) ^ 2, 2)
## [1] TRUE
near(1/49 * 49, 1)
```

[1] TRUE

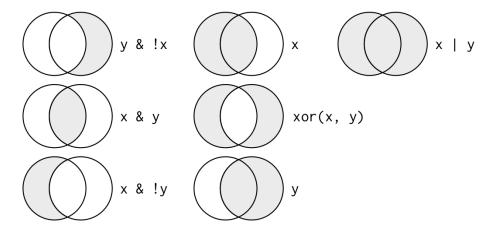


Figure 1: Boolean operations

Logical operators

##

6 2013

```
# Find all flights that departed in November or December
filter(flights, month == 11 | month == 12)
## # A tibble: 55,403 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                            <int>
                                                       <dbl>
                                                                 <int>
##
       2013
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                11
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                                                                   749
## # ... with 55,393 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched arr time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
nov_dec <- filter(flights, month %in% c(11,12))</pre>
# Find all flights that weren't delayed (on arrival or departure) by more than two hours
filter(flights, !(arr_delay > 120 | dep_delay > 120))
## # A tibble: 316,050 x 19
##
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
       year month
##
      <int> <int>
                  <int>
                            <int>
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## # ... with 316,040 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
filter(flights, arr_delay <= 120, dep_delay <= 120)</pre>
## # A tibble: 316,050 x 19
##
       year month
                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                           <int>
                                                     <dbl>
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## # ... with 316,040 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time hour <dttm>
Missing values
NA > 5
## [1] NA
10 == NA
## [1] NA
NA + 10
## [1] NA
NA / 2
## [1] NA
NA == NA
## [1] NA
# Let x be Mary's age. We don't know how old she is.
\# Let y be John's age. We don't know how old he is.
y < - NA
```

```
# Are John and Mary the same age?
x == y
## [1] NA
# We don't know!
is.na(x) # Is the value of x missing
## [1] TRUE
Exercises 5.2.4
1. Find all flights that
1. Had an arrival delay of two or more hours
filter(flights, arr_delay >= 120)
## # A tibble: 10,200 x 19
##
       year month
                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                           <int>
                                                      <dbl>
                                                               <int>
##
   1 2013
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                              811
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                                                                1047
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## 3 2013
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   8 2013
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## 9 2013
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                             1732
                                            1630
                                                         62
                                                                2028
                1
## 10 2013
                      1
                             1803
                                            1620
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                1
## # ... with 10,190 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
2. Flew to Houston (IAH or HOU)
filter(flights, dest %in% c("IAH", "HOU"))
## # A tibble: 9,313 x 19
##
                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
       year month
##
      <int> <int> <int>
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  6 2013
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                      1
## # ... with 9,303 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
```

arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,

```
origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
filter(flights, dest == "IAH" | dest == "HOU")
## # A tibble: 9,313 x 19
##
       year month
                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
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## # ... with 9,303 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time hour <dttm>
3. Were operated by United, American, or Delta
filter(flights, carrier %in% c("AA", "UA"))
## # A tibble: 91,394 x 19
                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
       year month
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## # ... with 91,384 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time hour <dttm>
filter(flights, carrier == "AA" | carrier == "UA")
## # A tibble: 91,394 x 19
##
       year month
                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                           <int>
                                           <int>
                                                     <dbl>
                                                               <int>
##
  1 2013
                1
                      1
                             517
                                             515
                                                         2
                                                                 830
## 2 2013
                                                         4
                                                                 850
                1
                      1
                              533
                                             529
##
  3 2013
                      1
                              542
                                             540
                                                         2
                                                                 923
                1
## 4 2013
                1
                      1
                             554
                                             558
                                                         -4
                                                                 740
## 5 2013
                      1
                             558
                                             600
                                                         -2
                                                                 753
                1
## 6 2013
                      1
                             558
                                             600
                                                         -2
                                                                 924
```

```
923
## 7 2013
                       1
                              558
                                              600
                                                         -2
                1
##
   8 2013
                              559
                                              600
                                                         -1
                                                                  941
                1
                       1
##
   9 2013
                       1
                              559
                                              600
                                                         -1
                                                                  854
## 10 2013
                                                         -4
                                                                  858
                       1
                              606
                                              610
                1
## # ... with 91,384 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
4. Departed in summer (July, August, and September)
filter(flights, month %in% c(7, 8, 9))
## # A tibble: 86,326 x 19
##
       year month
                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                            <int>
                                                      <dbl>
                                                                <int>
##
   1 2013
                                             2029
                                                        212
                                                                  236
                7
                       1
                                1
##
   2 2013
                7
                                2
                                             2359
                                                          3
                                                                  344
                       1
    3 2013
                7
##
                       1
                               29
                                             2245
                                                        104
                                                                  151
##
   4 2013
                7
                               43
                                                        193
                                                                  322
                       1
                                            2130
##
   5 2013
                7
                       1
                               44
                                             2150
                                                        174
                                                                  300
   6 2013
                7
                                                        235
##
                               46
                                             2051
                                                                  304
                       1
##
    7 2013
                7
                       1
                                             2001
                                                        287
                                                                  308
                               48
##
   8 2013
                7
                                                        183
                       1
                               58
                                             2155
                                                                  335
##
  9 2013
                7
                              100
                                             2146
                                                        194
                                                                  327
## 10 2013
                7
                       1
                              100
                                             2245
                                                        135
                                                                  337
## # ... with 86,316 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
filter(flights, month == 7 | month == 8 | month == 9)
## # A tibble: 86,326 x 19
                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
       year month
##
                                                      <dbl>
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                            <int>
                                                                <int>
##
   1 2013
                7
                                             2029
                                                        212
                                                                  236
                       1
                                1
  2 2013
                7
##
                       1
                                2
                                             2359
                                                          3
                                                                  344
##
   3 2013
                7
                       1
                               29
                                             2245
                                                        104
                                                                  151
## 4 2013
                7
                                                                  322
                                             2130
                                                        193
                       1
                               43
   5 2013
                7
                                                        174
                                                                  300
##
                       1
                               44
                                             2150
##
   6 2013
                7
                                                        235
                                                                  304
                       1
                               46
                                            2051
   7 2013
##
                7
                       1
                               48
                                             2001
                                                        287
                                                                  308
##
   8 2013
                7
                                                        183
                                                                  335
                       1
                               58
                                             2155
       2013
                7
##
                       1
                              100
                                             2146
                                                        194
                                                                  327
## 10 2013
                7
                              100
                                             2245
                                                        135
                                                                  337
                       1
## # ... with 86,316 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
5. Arrived more than two hours late, but didn't leave late
filter(flights, arr_delay > 120 & dep_delay < 1)</pre>
## # A tibble: 29 x 19
```

year month day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time

```
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                           <int>
                                                      <dbl>
                                                               <int>
   1 2013
##
                             1419
                                            1420
                                                                1754
                1
                     27
                                                         -1
                             1350
                                            1350
                                                                1736
##
    2 2013
               10
                      7
                                                          0
   3 2013
                      7
                                            1359
                                                         -2
##
               10
                             1357
                                                                1858
##
    4 2013
               10
                     16
                              657
                                             700
                                                         -3
                                                                1258
##
   5 2013
                                             700
                                                         -2
               11
                      1
                              658
                                                                1329
   6 2013
                3
                     18
                                                         -3
##
                            1844
                                            1847
                                                                  39
   7 2013
                                                         -5
##
                4
                     17
                             1635
                                            1640
                                                                2049
##
    8 2013
                4
                     18
                              558
                                             600
                                                         -2
                                                                1149
##
   9 2013
                4
                     18
                              655
                                             700
                                                         -5
                                                                1213
## 10 2013
                5
                     22
                             1827
                                            1830
                                                         -3
                                                                2217
## # ... with 19 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
6. Were delayed by at least an hour, but made up over 30 minutes in flight
filter(flights, dep_delay >= 60 & arr_delay < -30)</pre>
## # A tibble: 0 x 19
## # ... with 19 variables: year <int>, month <int>, day <int>,
       dep_time <int>, sched_dep_time <int>, dep_delay <dbl>, arr_time <int>,
       sched_arr_time <int>, arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>,
       tailnum <chr>, origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>,
       distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>, minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
## #
7. Departed between midnight and 6am (inclusive)
filter(flights, dep_time > 0 & dep_time < 600)</pre>
## # A tibble: 8,730 x 19
##
       year month
                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                           <int>
                                                      <dbl>
                                                               <int>
##
   1 2013
                                             515
                                                          2
                                                                 830
                1
                      1
                              517
##
   2 2013
                1
                      1
                              533
                                             529
                                                          4
                                                                 850
##
   3 2013
                              542
                                             540
                                                          2
                                                                 923
                1
                      1
   4 2013
##
                1
                      1
                              544
                                             545
                                                         -1
                                                                1004
##
   5 2013
                                                         -6
                1
                      1
                              554
                                             600
                                                                 812
##
   6 2013
                1
                      1
                              554
                                             558
                                                         -4
                                                                 740
   7 2013
##
                1
                      1
                              555
                                             600
                                                         -5
                                                                 913
##
   8 2013
                      1
                              557
                                             600
                                                         -3
                                                                 709
                1
##
  9 2013
                1
                      1
                              557
                                             600
                                                         -3
                                                                 838
                                                         -2
## 10 2013
                              558
                                             600
                                                                 753
                1
                      1
## # ... with 8,720 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched arr time <int>,
## #
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
```

2. Another useful dplyr filtering helper is between(). What does it do? Can you use it to simplify the code needed to answer the previous challenges?

```
?between
# 1.5 simplified
filter(flights, between(flights$month, 7, 9))
```

```
## # A tibble: 86,326 x 19
##
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
       year month
                                                       <dbl>
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                             <int>
    1 2013
                 7
                                                         212
##
                                              2029
                                                                   236
                       1
                                 1
                 7
##
    2
       2013
                       1
                                 2
                                              2359
                                                            3
                                                                   344
##
    3 2013
                 7
                                29
                                              2245
                                                         104
                       1
                                                                   151
    4 2013
                 7
##
                       1
                                43
                                              2130
                                                         193
                                                                   322
    5 2013
                 7
##
                       1
                                44
                                              2150
                                                         174
                                                                   300
##
    6
       2013
                 7
                       1
                                46
                                              2051
                                                         235
                                                                   304
##
   7 2013
                 7
                                                                   308
                       1
                                48
                                              2001
                                                         287
##
    8
       2013
                 7
                       1
                                58
                                              2155
                                                         183
                                                                   335
       2013
                 7
                                                                   327
##
    9
                       1
                               100
                                              2146
                                                         194
                 7
## 10 2013
                       1
                               100
                                              2245
                                                         135
                                                                   337
## # ... with 86,316 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
# 1.7 simplified
filter(flights, between(flights$dep_time, 0, 600))
## # A tibble: 9,344 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep time sched dep time dep delay arr time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                             <int>
                                             <int>
                                                       <dbl>
                                                                 <int>
##
    1 2013
                               517
                                               515
                                                           2
                                                                   830
                 1
                       1
    2 2013
                              533
                                               529
                                                            4
                                                                   850
##
                       1
                 1
                                                            2
##
    3 2013
                 1
                       1
                               542
                                               540
                                                                   923
##
   4 2013
                                               545
                       1
                               544
                                                          -1
                                                                  1004
                 1
##
   5 2013
                 1
                       1
                               554
                                               600
                                                          -6
                                                                   812
##
    6 2013
                                               558
                                                          -4
                                                                   740
                 1
                       1
                               554
##
    7
       2013
                       1
                               555
                                               600
                                                           -5
                 1
                                                                   913
##
    8 2013
                                                          -3
                                                                   709
                       1
                               557
                                               600
                 1
       2013
                                               600
                                                          -3
                                                                   838
##
    9
                 1
                       1
                               557
                                                          -2
## 10 2013
                 1
                       1
                               558
                                               600
                                                                   753
## # ... with 9,334 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
```

3. How many flights have a missing dep_time? What other variables are missing? What might these rows represent?

```
## # A tibble: 8,255 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                             <int>
                                              <int>
                                                         <dbl>
                                                                   <int>
    1 2013
##
                 1
                        1
                                NA
                                               1630
                                                            NA
                                                                      NA
    2 2013
##
                                NA
                                               1935
                                                            NA
                                                                      NA
                 1
                        1
    3 2013
                                               1500
##
                 1
                        1
                                NA
                                                            NA
                                                                      NA
##
    4 2013
                        1
                                NA
                                                600
                                                            NA
                                                                      NA
                 1
##
   5 2013
                 1
                        2
                                NA
                                               1540
                                                            NA
                                                                      NA
##
    6 2013
                        2
                                                                      NA
                 1
                                NA
                                               1620
                                                            NA
                        2
##
    7
       2013
                 1
                                NA
                                               1355
                                                            NA
                                                                      NA
##
    8 2013
                 1
                        2
                                NA
                                               1420
                                                            NA
                                                                      NA
```

filter(flights, is.na(dep_time))

```
2013
                               NA
                                             1321
                                                         NA
                                                                  NA
## 10 2013
                1
                       2
                               NΑ
                                             1545
                                                         NΑ
                                                                  NΑ
## # ... with 8,245 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched arr time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
       minute <dbl>, time hour <dttm>
## #
# or
table(is.na(flights$dep_time))
##
   FALSE
            TRUE
##
## 328521
            8255
```

- 4. Why is NA ^ 0 not missing? Why is NA | TRUE not missing? Why is FALSE & NA not missing? Can you figure out the general rule? (NA * 0 is a tricky counterexample!)
 - NA^O is not missing because any value to the 0th power is 1
 - NA | TRUE is not missing because the | operand will return TRUE as long as one condition is true. TRUE is TRUE.
 - FALSE & NA is not missing because the NA is ignored
 - In operations, any value interacting with an NA becomes missing. Missing values are ignored in conditional exressions.

arrange()

```
arrange(flights, year, month, day)
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
##
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
       year month
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                            <int>
                                                       <dbl>
                                                                 <int>
       2013
                                                           2
##
    1
                 1
                       1
                               517
                                              515
                                                                   830
##
    2 2013
                              533
                                              529
                                                           4
                                                                   850
                 1
                       1
   3 2013
##
                 1
                       1
                              542
                                              540
                                                           2
                                                                   923
    4 2013
##
                 1
                       1
                              544
                                              545
                                                          -1
                                                                  1004
##
    5
       2013
                 1
                       1
                              554
                                              600
                                                          -6
                                                                   812
##
   6 2013
                                                          -4
                 1
                       1
                              554
                                              558
                                                                   740
##
    7 2013
                               555
                                              600
                                                          -5
                                                                   913
                 1
                       1
##
    8 2013
                 1
                       1
                               557
                                              600
                                                          -3
                                                                   709
##
    9
       2013
                 1
                       1
                               557
                                              600
                                                          -3
                                                                   838
## 10 2013
                       1
                              558
                                              600
                                                          -2
                                                                   753
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
arrange(flights, desc(arr_delay))
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                            <int>
                                                       <dbl>
```

```
##
    1 2013
                       9
                               641
                                                900
                                                          1301
                                                                   1242
                 1
                              1432
##
    2
       2013
                       15
                                               1935
                                                          1137
                 6
                                                                   1607
##
    3 2013
                 1
                       10
                              1121
                                               1635
                                                          1126
                                                                   1239
    4 2013
##
                 9
                       20
                              1139
                                                          1014
                                                                   1457
                                               1845
##
    5
       2013
                 7
                       22
                               845
                                               1600
                                                          1005
                                                                   1044
    6 2013
##
                 4
                       10
                              1100
                                               1900
                                                          960
                                                                   1342
    7
       2013
                 3
##
                       17
                              2321
                                                810
                                                          911
                                                                    135
                 7
##
    8
       2013
                       22
                              2257
                                                759
                                                           898
                                                                     121
##
    9
       2013
                12
                        5
                               756
                                               1700
                                                           896
                                                                   1058
                        3
## 10 2013
                 5
                              1133
                                               2055
                                                          878
                                                                   1250
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
df \leftarrow tibble(x = c(5, 2, NA))
arrange(df, x)
## # A tibble: 3 x 1
##
         X
##
     <dbl>
## 1
         2
## 2
         5
## 3
        NA
arrange(df, desc(x))
## # A tibble: 3 x 1
##
         х
##
     <dbl>
## 1
         5
         2
## 2
## 3
        NA
```

Exercises 5.3.1

1. How could you use arrange() to sort all missing values to the start? (Hint: use is.na()).

```
# Example using arrival times
arrange(flights, !is.na(arr_time))
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                             <int>
                                             <int>
                                                        <dbl>
                                                                  <int>
    1 2013
##
                 1
                        1
                              2016
                                              1930
                                                           46
                                                                     NA
##
    2 2013
                        1
                                NA
                                              1630
                                                           NA
                                                                     NA
                 1
##
    3 2013
                 1
                        1
                                NA
                                              1935
                                                           NA
                                                                     NA
##
    4 2013
                                              1500
                                                                     NA
                 1
                        1
                                NA
                                                           NA
##
    5
       2013
                 1
                        1
                                NA
                                               600
                                                           NA
                                                                     NA
    6 2013
                       2
##
                                                           -4
                                                                     NA
                 1
                              2041
                                              2045
##
    7 2013
                        2
                              2145
                                              2129
                                                                     NA
                 1
                                                           16
    8 2013
                       2
                                                                     NA
##
                 1
                                NA
                                              1540
                                                           NA
##
    9
       2013
                        2
                                NA
                                              1620
                                                           NA
                                                                     NA
## 10 2013
                 1
                        2
                                NA
                                              1355
                                                           NA
                                                                     NA
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched arr time <int>,
```

```
## # origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## # minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
```

2. Sort flights to find the most delayed flights. Find the flights that left earliest.

```
# Most delayed at departure
arrange(flights, desc(dep_delay))
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
       year month
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                                       <dbl>
                                                                <int>
                                            <int>
##
   1 2013
                       9
                              641
                                                       1301
                                                                 1242
                1
                                              900
    2 2013
##
                6
                      15
                             1432
                                             1935
                                                       1137
                                                                 1607
    3
       2013
##
                1
                      10
                             1121
                                             1635
                                                       1126
                                                                 1239
   4 2013
##
                9
                      20
                             1139
                                             1845
                                                       1014
                                                                 1457
   5 2013
##
                7
                      22
                              845
                                             1600
                                                       1005
                                                                 1044
    6 2013
##
                4
                      10
                             1100
                                             1900
                                                        960
                                                                 1342
##
   7 2013
                3
                      17
                             2321
                                              810
                                                        911
                                                                  135
##
   8 2013
                6
                      27
                              959
                                             1900
                                                        899
                                                                 1236
##
   9 2013
                7
                      22
                             2257
                                              759
                                                        898
                                                                  121
## 10 2013
               12
                      5
                              756
                                             1700
                                                        896
                                                                 1058
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
# Left earliest
arrange(flights, dep_delay)
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                            <int>
                                                      dbl>
                                                                <int>
##
   1 2013
               12
                      7
                             2040
                                             2123
                                                         -43
                                                                   40
##
   2 2013
                2
                      3
                             2022
                                             2055
                                                         -33
                                                                 2240
   3 2013
                                             1440
                                                         -32
##
                      10
                             1408
                                                                 1549
               11
    4 2013
##
                1
                      11
                             1900
                                             1930
                                                         -30
                                                                 2233
##
   5 2013
                1
                      29
                             1703
                                             1730
                                                         -27
                                                                 1947
##
   6 2013
                8
                      9
                              729
                                              755
                                                         -26
                                                                 1002
    7 2013
                                                         -25
##
               10
                      23
                             1907
                                             1932
                                                                 2143
       2013
                3
                      30
                                             2055
                                                         -25
##
    8
                             2030
                                                                 2213
                       2
##
   9 2013
                3
                             1431
                                             1455
                                                         -24
                                                                 1601
## 10 2013
                5
                       5
                              934
                                              958
                                                        -24
                                                                 1225
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
## #
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
```

3. Sort flights to find the fastest flights

minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>

#

```
arrange(flights, desc(distance / air_time))

## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19

## year month day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time

## <int> <int> <int> <int> <int>
```

```
##
    1 2013
                 5
                      25
                              1709
                                              1700
                                                            9
                                                                  1923
##
    2
       2013
                 7
                       2
                                                           45
                              1558
                                              1513
                                                                  1745
##
    3 2013
                 5
                      13
                              2040
                                              2025
                                                           15
                                                                  2225
    4 2013
##
                 3
                      23
                              1914
                                              1910
                                                            4
                                                                  2045
##
    5
       2013
                 1
                      12
                              1559
                                              1600
                                                           -1
                                                                  1849
    6 2013
##
                11
                      17
                               650
                                               655
                                                           -5
                                                                  1059
    7
       2013
##
                 2
                      21
                              2355
                                              2358
                                                           -3
                                                                   412
    8 2013
##
                11
                      17
                               759
                                               800
                                                           -1
                                                                  1212
##
    9
       2013
                11
                      16
                              2003
                                              1925
                                                           38
                                                                    17
                                                          -10
                                                                   402
## 10 2013
                11
                      16
                              2349
                                              2359
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
## #
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
```

4. Which flights travelled the longest? Which travelled the shortest?

```
# Flights with the longest travel time
arrange(flights, desc(air_time))
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                             <int>
                                             <int>
                                                       <dbl>
                                                                 <int>
##
    1 2013
                 3
                      17
                              1337
                                              1335
                                                           2
                                                                  1937
                                                          -7
##
    2
       2013
                 2
                       6
                              853
                                               900
                                                                  1542
    3 2013
##
                 3
                      15
                             1001
                                              1000
                                                           1
                                                                  1551
##
    4 2013
                 3
                      17
                              1006
                                              1000
                                                           6
                                                                  1607
##
    5 2013
                 3
                      16
                             1001
                                              1000
                                                           1
                                                                  1544
##
    6
       2013
                 2
                       5
                              900
                                               900
                                                           0
                                                                  1555
##
   7
      2013
                      12
                              936
                                               930
                                                           6
                11
                                                                  1630
##
    8 2013
                 3
                                                          -2
                      14
                              958
                                              1000
                                                                  1542
    9
       2013
                                              1000
                                                           6
                                                                  1639
##
                11
                      20
                              1006
                 3
## 10 2013
                      15
                             1342
                                             1335
                                                                  1924
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
# Flights with the shortest travel time
```

```
arrange(flights, air_time)
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                             <int>
                                              <int>
                                                         <dbl>
                                                                   <int>
##
    1 2013
                 1
                       16
                              1355
                                               1315
                                                            40
                                                                    1442
##
    2 2013
                 4
                       13
                               537
                                                527
                                                            10
                                                                     622
    3 2013
##
                12
                        6
                               922
                                                851
                                                            31
                                                                    1021
##
    4 2013
                 2
                        3
                              2153
                                               2129
                                                            24
                                                                    2247
##
    5 2013
                 2
                       5
                              1303
                                               1315
                                                           -12
                                                                    1342
##
    6 2013
                 2
                       12
                              2123
                                               2130
                                                            -7
                                                                    2211
##
    7
       2013
                 3
                        2
                              1450
                                               1500
                                                           -10
                                                                    1547
##
    8 2013
                 3
                        8
                              2026
                                                                    2131
                                               1935
                                                            51
##
    9
       2013
                 3
                       18
                              1456
                                               1329
                                                            87
                                                                    1533
## 10 2013
                       19
                              2226
                                               2145
                                                            41
                                                                    2305
                 3
```

... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,

```
arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
      origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
      minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
select()
# Select columns by name
select(flights, year, month, day)
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 3
##
      year month
                    day
##
      <int> <int> <int>
   1 2013
                1
   2 2013
##
                1
                      1
## 3 2013
                1
## 4 2013
                1
## 5 2013
                1
## 6 2013
                1
                      1
##
   7 2013
                1
## 8 2013
                      1
                1
## 9 2013
                1
                      1
## 10 2013
                1
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
# Select all columns between year and day (inclusive)
select(flights, year:day)
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 3
##
      year month
                    day
##
      <int> <int> <int>
##
  1 2013
               1
                      1
##
   2 2013
                1
                      1
## 3 2013
                1
                      1
## 4 2013
                1
## 5 2013
                1
                      1
## 6 2013
                1
                      1
## 7 2013
                1
## 8 2013
## 9 2013
                      1
                1
## 10 2013
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
# Select all columns except those from year to day
select(flights, -(year:day))
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 16
##
      dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time sched_arr_time arr_delay
                        <int>
                                  <dbl>
##
         <int>
                                           <int>
                                                          <int>
                                                                    <dbl>
##
   1
           517
                          515
                                      2
                                             830
                                                            819
                                                                       11
## 2
                          529
                                                            830
                                                                       20
           533
                                      4
                                             850
##
   3
           542
                          540
                                      2
                                             923
                                                            850
                                                                       33
##
   4
           544
                          545
                                     -1
                                            1004
                                                           1022
                                                                      -18
                          600
                                     -6
                                             812
                                                            837
                                                                      -25
##
  5
           554
```

740

-4

554

6

558

12

728

```
##
    7
             555
                               600
                                             -5
                                                      913
                                                                        854
                                                                                      19
##
    8
             557
                               600
                                             -3
                                                      709
                                                                        723
                                                                                     -14
##
    9
             557
                               600
                                            -3
                                                      838
                                                                        846
                                                                                      -8
             558
                               600
                                            -2
                                                                                       8
## 10
                                                      753
                                                                        745
```

... with 336,766 more rows, and 10 more variables: carrier <chr>,

- ## # flight <int>, tailnum <chr>, origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>,
- ## # distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>, minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>

Helper functions to use with select()

- starts_with("abc"): matches names that begin with "abc".
- ends_with("xyz"): matches names that end with "xyz".
- contains("ijk"): matches names that contain "ijk".
- matches("(.)\\1"): selects variables that match a regular expression. This one matches any variables that contain repeated characters. You'll learn more about regular expressions in strings.
- num_range("x", 1:3): matches x1, x2 and x3.

rename()

```
rename(flights, tail_num = tailnum)
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
```

```
##
                       day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
        year month
##
       <int> <int> <int>
                               <int>
                                                <int>
                                                            <dbl>
                                                                      <int>
##
       2013
                                 517
                                                  515
                                                                2
                                                                        830
    1
                  1
                         1
##
       2013
                  1
                         1
                                 533
                                                  529
                                                                4
                                                                        850
##
    3
       2013
                         1
                                 542
                                                  540
                                                                2
                                                                        923
                  1
##
    4
       2013
                         1
                                 544
                                                  545
                                                               -1
                                                                       1004
                  1
##
    5
       2013
                                                               -6
                         1
                                 554
                                                  600
                                                                        812
                  1
       2013
##
    6
                  1
                         1
                                 554
                                                  558
                                                               -4
                                                                        740
    7
       2013
##
                  1
                         1
                                 555
                                                  600
                                                               -5
                                                                        913
##
    8
       2013
                  1
                         1
                                 557
                                                  600
                                                               -3
                                                                        709
##
    9
       2013
                                                               -3
                                                                        838
                  1
                         1
                                 557
                                                  600
## 10 2013
                  1
                         1
                                 558
                                                  600
                                                               -2
                                                                        753
```

... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,

arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tail_num <chr>,

origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,

minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>

everything()

```
# Move handful of variables to the start of the data frame
select(flights, time_hour, air_time, everything())
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
##
                 time_hour air_time year month
                                                    day dep_time sched_dep_time
                                                            <int>
##
                    <dttm>
                               <dbl> <int> <int>
                                                  <int>
                                                                            <int>
##
   1 2013-01-01 05:00:00
                                 227
                                      2013
                                                1
                                                       1
                                                              517
                                                                              515
    2 2013-01-01 05:00:00
                                 227
                                      2013
                                                1
                                                       1
                                                              533
                                                                              529
    3 2013-01-01 05:00:00
                                      2013
                                                                              540
##
                                 160
                                                1
                                                       1
                                                              542
##
    4 2013-01-01 05:00:00
                                 183
                                      2013
                                                1
                                                       1
                                                              544
                                                                              545
##
   5 2013-01-01 06:00:00
                                 116
                                      2013
                                                1
                                                       1
                                                              554
                                                                              600
  6 2013-01-01 05:00:00
                                 150
                                      2013
                                                       1
                                                                              558
                                                1
                                                              554
```

```
7 2013-01-01 06:00:00
                                158
                                     2013
                                                            555
                                                                           600
   8 2013-01-01 06:00:00
                                53
                                     2013
                                              1
                                                    1
                                                            557
                                                                           600
## 9 2013-01-01 06:00:00
                                     2013
                                140
                                                    1
                                                            557
                                                                           600
## 10 2013-01-01 06:00:00
                                                            558
                                                                           600
                                138
                                     2013
                                                    1
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: dep_delay <dbl>,
       arr_time <int>, sched_arr_time <int>, arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>,
       flight <int>, tailnum <chr>, origin <chr>, dest <chr>, distance <dbl>,
       hour <dbl>, minute <dbl>
## #
```

Exercises 5.4.1

##

<int>

<int>

<dbl>

1. Brainstorm as many ways as possible to select dep_time, dep_delay, arr_time, and arr_delay from flights.

```
# select
select(flights, dep_time, dep_delay, arr_time, arr_delay)
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##
      dep_time dep_delay arr_time arr_delay
##
         <int>
                    <dbl>
                                         <dbl>
                              <int>
##
    1
           517
                        2
                                830
                                            11
##
    2
           533
                        4
                                            20
                                850
##
   3
           542
                        2
                                923
                                            33
##
   4
                               1004
                                           -18
           544
                       -1
##
    5
                       -6
                                           -25
           554
                                812
##
   6
                       -4
                                            12
           554
                                740
##
   7
           555
                       -5
                                913
                                            19
##
    8
           557
                       -3
                                709
                                           -14
##
   9
           557
                       -3
                                838
                                            -8
## 10
                       -2
                                             8
           558
                                753
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
# starts_with
select(flights, starts_with("dep_"), starts_with("arr_"))
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##
      dep_time dep_delay arr_time arr_delay
##
         <int>
                    <dbl>
                              <int>
                                         <dbl>
    1
                        2
##
           517
                                830
                                            11
                                            20
##
    2
           533
                        4
                                850
   3
                        2
                                            33
##
           542
                                923
##
   4
           544
                       -1
                               1004
                                           -18
##
    5
           554
                       -6
                                812
                                           -25
##
   6
           554
                       -4
                                740
                                            12
##
   7
           555
                       -5
                                913
                                            19
    8
           557
                       -3
                                709
                                           -14
##
##
    9
           557
                       -3
                                838
                                            -8
## 10
           558
                       -2
                                753
                                             8
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
# ends with
select(flights, ends_with("time"), ends_with("delay"), -(starts_with("sched")), -(starts_with("air")))
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##
      dep_time arr_time dep_delay arr_delay
```

<dbl>

```
##
    1
            517
                      830
                                    2
                                              11
##
    2
            533
                      850
                                    4
                                              20
##
    3
            542
                      923
                                    2
                                              33
##
    4
            544
                                             -18
                     1004
                                   -1
##
    5
            554
                      812
                                   -6
                                             -25
    6
                                   -4
                                              12
##
            554
                      740
    7
                                   -5
##
            555
                      913
                                              19
##
    8
            557
                      709
                                   -3
                                             -14
##
    9
            557
                      838
                                   -3
                                              -8
                                   -2
                                               8
## 10
            558
                      753
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
# contains
select(flights, contains("dep"), contains("arr_"), -(contains("sched")))
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##
      dep_time dep_delay arr_time arr_delay
##
          <int>
                     <dbl>
                                <int>
                                           <dbl>
##
    1
            517
                          2
                                  830
                                              11
##
    2
            533
                          4
                                  850
                                              20
                          2
    3
                                              33
##
            542
                                  923
##
    4
                                 1004
                                             -18
            544
                         -1
##
    5
            554
                         -6
                                  812
                                             -25
##
    6
            554
                         -4
                                  740
                                              12
##
    7
            555
                         -5
                                  913
                                              19
##
    8
            557
                         -3
                                  709
                                             -14
                         -3
##
    9
            557
                                  838
                                               -8
```

2. What happens if you include the name of a variable multiple times in a select() call?

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The variable is included only once in the data frame

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... with 336,766 more rows

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```
select(flights, arr_delay, dep_delay, dep_delay)
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 2
##
       arr_delay dep_delay
##
           <dbl>
                       <dbl>
##
    1
              11
                           2
    2
##
              20
                           4
##
    3
              33
                           2
##
    4
             -18
                          -1
##
    5
             -25
                          -6
##
    6
              12
                          -4
    7
                          -5
##
              19
##
    8
             -14
                          -3
              -8
                          -3
##
    9
## 10
               8
                          -2
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
```

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3. What does the one_of() function do? Why might it be helpful in conjunction with this vector?

```
vars <- c("year", "month", "day", "dep_delay", "arr_delay")</pre>
```

one_of() allows one to select variables that match those in a character vector.

```
vars <- c("year", "month", "day", "dep_delay", "arr_delay")
select(flights, one_of(vars))</pre>
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 5
##
       year month
                     day dep_delay arr_delay
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                              <dbl>
                                         <dbl>
##
    1 2013
                 1
                       1
                                  2
                                            11
##
    2 2013
                       1
                                  4
                                            20
                 1
    3 2013
                                  2
                                            33
##
                 1
                       1
##
    4 2013
                 1
                       1
                                 -1
                                           -18
##
   5 2013
                 1
                       1
                                 -6
                                           -25
    6 2013
##
                                 -4
                                            12
                 1
                       1
##
    7
       2013
                       1
                                 -5
                                            19
    8 2013
                                 -3
                                           -14
##
                       1
                 1
##
    9
       2013
                 1
                       1
                                 -3
                                            -8
## 10 2013
                       1
                                 -2
                                             8
                 1
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
```

4. Does the result of running the following code surprise you? How do the select helpers deal with case by default? How can you change that default?

```
select(flights, contains("TIME"))
```

The select() helpers are not case sensitive by default and will select all variables that contain the character string time regardless of case (e.g. "TIME", "Time", time", "TiMe", etc.). To change the default, set ignore.case = FALSE within the helper function.

```
# Default
select(flights, contains("TIME"))
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 6
##
      dep_time sched_dep_time arr_time sched_arr_time air_time
##
         <int>
                         <int>
                                   <int>
                                                   <int>
                                                             <dbl>
                                                               227
##
    1
           517
                           515
                                     830
                                                     819
##
    2
           533
                           529
                                     850
                                                     830
                                                               227
##
    3
           542
                           540
                                     923
                                                     850
                                                               160
    4
##
           544
                            545
                                    1004
                                                    1022
                                                               183
##
    5
           554
                            600
                                                     837
                                                               116
                                     812
##
    6
                                                               150
           554
                           558
                                     740
                                                     728
##
   7
           555
                            600
                                     913
                                                     854
                                                               158
           557
                            600
                                     709
                                                     723
                                                                53
##
    8
##
    9
           557
                            600
                                     838
                                                     846
                                                               140
                            600
                                                     745
                                                               138
## 10
           558
                                     753
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 1 more variables: time_hour <dttm>
# Set ignore.case = FALSE
select(flights, contains("TIME", ignore.case = FALSE))
```

mutate()

A tibble: 336,776 x 0

```
# Create a narrower dataset
flights_sml <- select(flights, year:day, ends_with("delay"), distance, air_time)</pre>
# Create new columns
mutate(flights_sml,
       gain = arr_delay - dep_delay,
       speed = distance / air_time * 60,
       hours = air_time / 60,
       gain_per_hour = gain / hours)
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 11
##
       year month
                    day dep_delay arr_delay distance air_time gain
                                                                         speed
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                             <dbl>
                                       <dbl>
                                                <dbl>
                                                          <dbl> <dbl>
                                                                          <dbl>
    1 2013
                                                  1400
                                                            227
                                                                    9 370.0441
##
                                 2
                                          11
                1
                       1
    2 2013
                                          20
                                                  1416
                                                            227
                                                                   16 374.2731
##
                1
                       1
                                 4
  3 2013
                                 2
##
                                          33
                                                  1089
                                                            160
                                                                   31 408.3750
                       1
  4 2013
##
                1
                       1
                                -1
                                         -18
                                                  1576
                                                            183
                                                                  -17 516.7213
## 5 2013
                1
                      1
                                -6
                                         -25
                                                  762
                                                            116
                                                                  -19 394.1379
##
   6 2013
                1
                      1
                                -4
                                          12
                                                  719
                                                            150
                                                                   16 287.6000
##
  7 2013
                                -5
                1
                      1
                                          19
                                                  1065
                                                            158
                                                                   24 404.4304
##
  8 2013
                      1
                                -3
                                         -14
                                                  229
                                                             53
                                                                  -11 259.2453
                1
```

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-2 ## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 2 more variables: hours <dbl>,

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gain_per_hour <dbl>

1

1

1

1

transmute()

9 2013

10 2013

Only keep the new variables.

```
transmute(flights,
            gain = arr_delay - dep_delay,
            hours = air time / 60,
            gain_per_hour = gain / hours)
```

944

733

140

138

-5 404.5714

10 318.6957

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 3
##
       gain
                hours gain_per_hour
      <dbl>
                <dbl>
##
                               <dbl>
##
   1
          9 3.7833333
                            2.378855
##
    2
         16 3.7833333
                           4.229075
##
    3
         31 2.6666667
                           11.625000
##
    4
        -17 3.0500000
                           -5.573770
##
   5
        -19 1.9333333
                           -9.827586
##
   6
         16 2.5000000
                           6.400000
         24 2.6333333
## 7
                            9.113924
## 8
        -11 0.8833333
                         -12.452830
## 9
         -5 2.3333333
                           -2.142857
         10 2.3000000
## 10
                            4.347826
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
```

Useful creation functions

1. Modular arithmatic, including:

• Division 100 / 3 ## [1] 33.33333 - Integer division 100 %/% 3 ## [1] 33 - Remainder division 100 %% 3 ## [1] 1 # Breaking up is(n't) hard to do transmute(flights, dep_time, hour = dep_time %/%100, minute = dep_time %% 100) ## # A tibble: 336,776 x 3 ## dep_time hour minute <int> <dbl> <dbl> ## ## 1 517 5 17 ## 2 533 5 33 ## 3 542 5 42 ## 4 544 5 44 ## 5 554 5 54 554 ## 6 5 54 ## 7 555 5 55 ## 8 557 5 57 ## 9 557 5 57 ## 10 558 5 58 ## # ... with 336,766 more rows 2. logs 3. Offsets (lead & lag) $(x \leftarrow 1:10)$ **##** [1] 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 lag(x) ## [1] NA 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 lead(x)

- ## [1] 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 NA
 - 4. Cumulative and rolling aggregates
 - cumsum()
 - cumprod()
 - cummin()
 - cummax()

```
• cummean()
## [1] 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
cumsum(x)
## [1] 1 3 6 10 15 21 28 36 45 55
cummean(x)
## [1] 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5 3.0 3.5 4.0 4.5 5.0 5.5
  5. Logical comparisons
  6. Ranking
(y \leftarrow c(1, 2, 2, NA, 3, 4))
## [1] 1 2 2 NA 3 4
min_rank(y) # Default: smallest values get small ranks
## [1] 1 2 2 NA 4 5
min_rank(desc(y)) # Give the largest values the smallest ranks
## [1] 5 3 3 NA 2 1
row_number(y)
## [1] 1 2 3 NA 4 5
dense_rank(y)
## [1] 1 2 2 NA 3 4
percent_rank(y)
## [1] 0.00 0.25 0.25
                       NA 0.75 1.00
cume_dist(y)
## [1] 0.2 0.6 0.6 NA 0.8 1.0
```

Exercises 5.5.2

1. Currently dep_time and sched_dep_time are convenient to look at, but hard to compute with because they're not really continuous numbers. Convert them to a more convenient representation of number of minutes since midnight.

```
transmute(flights,
          dep_time,
          dep_minutes = dep_time \%/\% 100 * 60 + dep_time \%% 100,
          sched dep time,
          sched_dep_minutes = sched_dep_time %/% 100 * 60 + sched_dep_time %% 100)
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##
      dep_time dep_minutes sched_dep_time sched_dep_minutes
##
         <int>
                     <dbl>
                                     <int>
                                                        <dbl>
## 1
           517
                       317
                                       515
                                                          315
## 2
           533
                       333
                                       529
                                                          329
```

```
##
    3
            542
                           342
                                            540
                                                                 340
##
    4
            544
                           344
                                            545
                                                                 345
##
    5
            554
                           354
                                            600
                                                                 360
##
    6
            554
                           354
                                            558
                                                                 358
##
    7
            555
                           355
                                            600
                                                                 360
##
    8
                                            600
            557
                           357
                                                                 360
    9
##
            557
                           357
                                            600
                                                                 360
## 10
            558
                           358
                                            600
                                                                 360
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
```

Alternatively, write a function to convert time to minutes as seen here: https://jrnold.github.io/e4qf/data-transformation.html#mutate

```
time2mins <- function(x) {
   x %/% 100 * 60 + x %% 100
}
transmute(flights,
   dep_minutes = time2mins(dep_time),
   sched_dep_minutes = time2mins(sched_dep_time))</pre>
```

```
##
   # A tibble: 336,776 x 2
##
      dep_minutes sched_dep_minutes
##
             <dbl>
                                 <dbl>
##
    1
               317
                                    315
##
    2
               333
                                    329
    3
               342
                                    340
##
    4
##
               344
                                    345
                                    360
##
    5
               354
               354
                                    358
##
    6
##
    7
               355
                                    360
##
    8
                                    360
               357
    9
##
               357
                                    360
                                    360
## 10
               358
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
```

2. Compare air_time with arr_time - dep_time. What do you expect to see? What do you see? What do you need to do to fix it?

What we want is for air_time to equal arr_time - dep_time. However, since the times are not continuous values, we will get a meaningless value. We must first convert arr_time and dep_time to a format such as minuted that represents the elapsed time on a continuous scale. However, since the plane may depart from and arrive in different time zones, and since arrival and departure times are reported in local time, some of the calculated values will be different than the air_time values.

```
# A tibble: 336,776 x 2
##
##
      air_time calculated_airtime
##
         <dbl>
                              <int>
    1
##
           227
                                313
##
    2
            227
                                317
##
    3
            160
                                381
```

```
##
    4
            183
                                 460
##
    5
                                 258
            116
##
    6
            150
                                 186
    7
##
            158
                                 358
##
    8
             53
                                 152
    9
            140
##
                                 281
## 10
            138
                                 195
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
# Now that we have converted the time format, the calculation will be correct. But wait, some still don
(flights2 <- transmute(flights,</pre>
           arr_time = time2mins(arr_time),
           dep_time = time2mins(dep_time),
           air_time,
           airtime_new = arr_time - dep_time))
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##
      arr_time dep_time air_time airtime_new
##
          <dbl>
                    <dbl>
                              <dbl>
                                           <dbl>
##
    1
            510
                      317
                                227
                                              193
    2
##
            530
                      333
                                227
                                              197
    3
##
            563
                      342
                                160
                                              221
##
    4
            604
                      344
                                183
                                              260
##
    5
            492
                      354
                                116
                                              138
##
    6
            460
                      354
                                150
                                              106
    7
            553
                                158
                                              198
##
                      355
##
    8
            429
                      357
                                              72
                                 53
    9
##
            518
                      357
                                140
                                              161
## 10
            473
                      358
                                138
                                              115
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
To fix this, let's simply view those flights that did not change time zones.
flights2 %>% filter(air_time == airtime_new)
## # A tibble: 196 x 4
##
      arr_time dep_time air_time airtime_new
##
          <dbl>
                    <dbl>
                              <dbl>
                                           <dbl>
##
    1
            821
                      710
                                111
                                              111
##
    2
           1338
                     1187
                                151
                                              151
##
    3
            554
                      411
                                143
                                              143
    4
##
            666
                      427
                                239
                                              239
##
    5
            731
                      583
                                148
                                              148
##
    6
           1106
                      979
                                127
                                              127
```

3. Compare dep_time, sched_dep_time, and dep_delay. How would you expect those three numbers to be related?

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... with 186 more rows

4. Find the 10 most delayed flights using a ranking function. How do you want to handle ties? Carefully read the documentation for min_rank().

- 5. What does 1:3 + 1:10 return? Why?
- 6. What trigonometric functions does R provide?