\usepackage{booktabs} \usepackage{longtable} \usepackage{array}
\usepackage{multirow} \usepackage{wrapfig} \usepackage{float}
\usepackage{colortbl} \usepackage{pdflscape} \usepackage{tabu}
\usepackage{threeparttable} \usepackage{threeparttablex}
\usepackage[normalem]{ulem} \usepackage{makecell}
\usepackage{xcolor}

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Pipes

Pipes, expressed as %>% or |>, are very useful and make our code clearer. Using pipes, our data *flow* from one function to another.

Exercises

• Rewrite these chunks of code using the pipes

```
sum(c(2.2,4.1,2,pi))
round(sum(c(2.2,4.1,2,pi)))
round(sum(c(2.2,4.1,2,pi)), digits = 3)
```

Tidy the data with tidyr

As seen in the slides, a tidy table has:

- 1. Each variable in its own column
- 2. Each observation in its own row

To reach this, tidyr has 4 key functions:

- 1. pivot_longer
- 2. pivot_wider
- 3. unite
- 4. separate

Exercises

• If this is not done yet, download the dataset zooplankton_seasonality.csv

You can download the dataset on GitHub

• Import the dataset in your environment

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- Is this dataset a tidy dataset?
- Separate the column Coordinates in 2 news columns: Longitude and Latitude
- Combine the column Groupand Taxa into a new column Group_Taxa and save the dataframe as tidy_df
- Create a wide table with columns having the Biomass values for each Group_Taxa and save the dataframe as wide_df

Data handling withdplyr

After finishing tidying the data, we often use the dplyr package to process our data.

Exercises

- What is the class of the Year columns of the tidy_df dataframe? If they are not numeric, mutate them as numeric values.
- Then, kepp all Year between 2012 and 2015
- Then, only keep the data from the Station BY31
- Then, select all columns except Longitude and Latitude
- Then, rename Month_abb as Month
- Then, group_by: Month and Group_Taxa and take the Biomass average and standard deviation and save the dataframe as summarized_df

Ploting the data withggplot2

In this part, we will build a plot step by step using the grammar of graphic in ggplot2

- Load the package and only keep the values for the copepod Acartia from the summarised_df dataset in a new dataset called acartia
- Initiate a ggplot with the dataset acartia with the Month as the x-axis and the average biomass as the y-axis
- Add a barplot geometry to the plot
- Arrange the bar from the lowest to the highest values
- Add a color filling in the bars according the Month
- Change the axis as Biomass and Month, and add a title