

Triathlon Challenge

The data shows the top 50 runners in the men's triathlon in the 2008 Summer Olympics: the position and swimming, running and cycling times as well as the total time. Note that the total time is slightly longer than the total of the three activities since athletes spend a few seconds changing between activities.

The original data comes from the Wikipedia page at

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Triathlon_at_the_2008_Summer_Olympics_%E2%80%93_Men%27s

The triathlon data wide.csv file contains this data in a cleaned-up format, with all times in seconds rather than hours minutes and seconds.

Please analyse the data, build a few visualisations and consider:

- What makes a good triathlete?
- Is there any relationship between the swimming, running and cycling times?