2 - Reshaping

Rearranging Data

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Outline

- Reshaping Data Using Spreadsheets
- `reshapeGUI`
- melt and cast in the command line

Mac users should be using the terminal server for this session.

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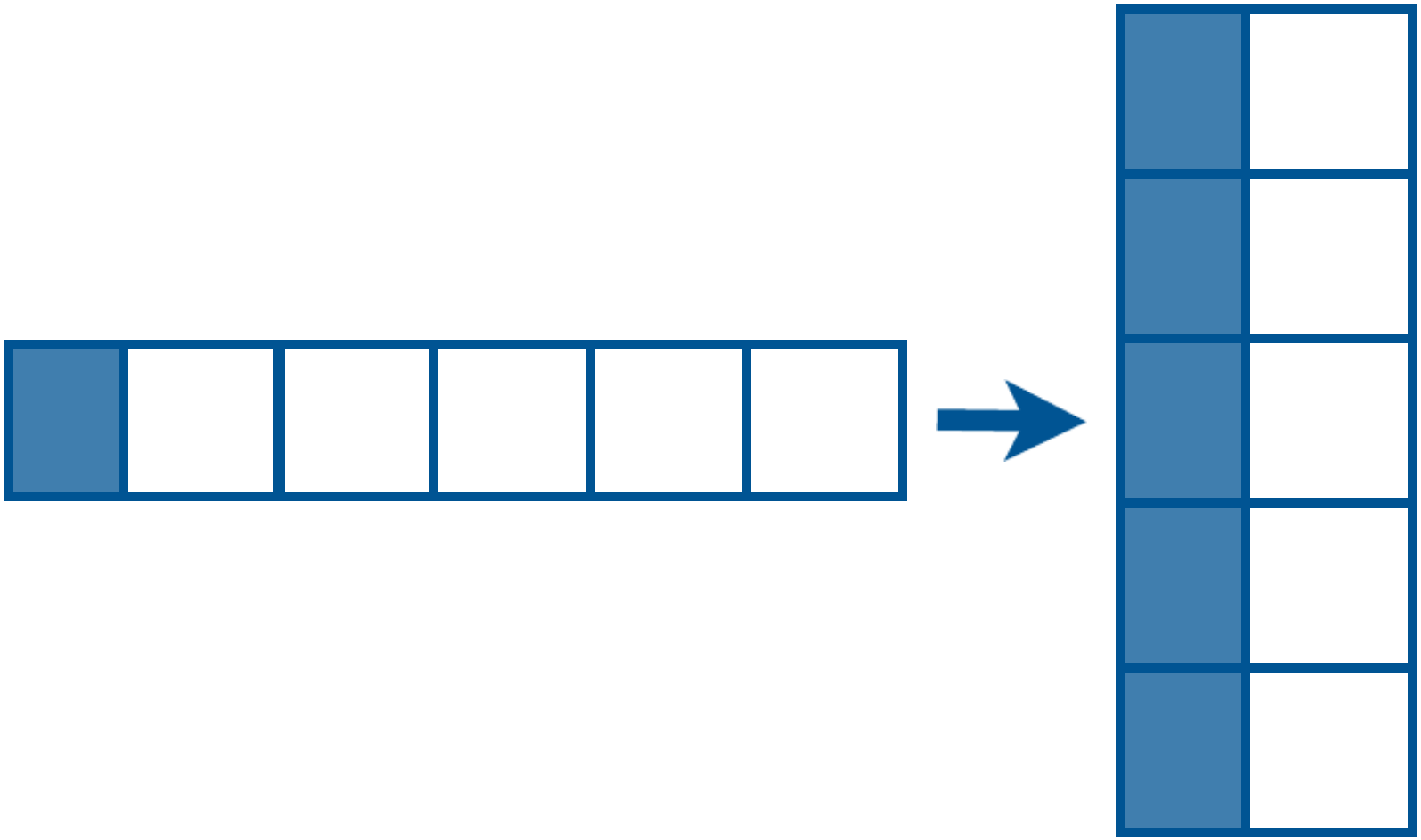
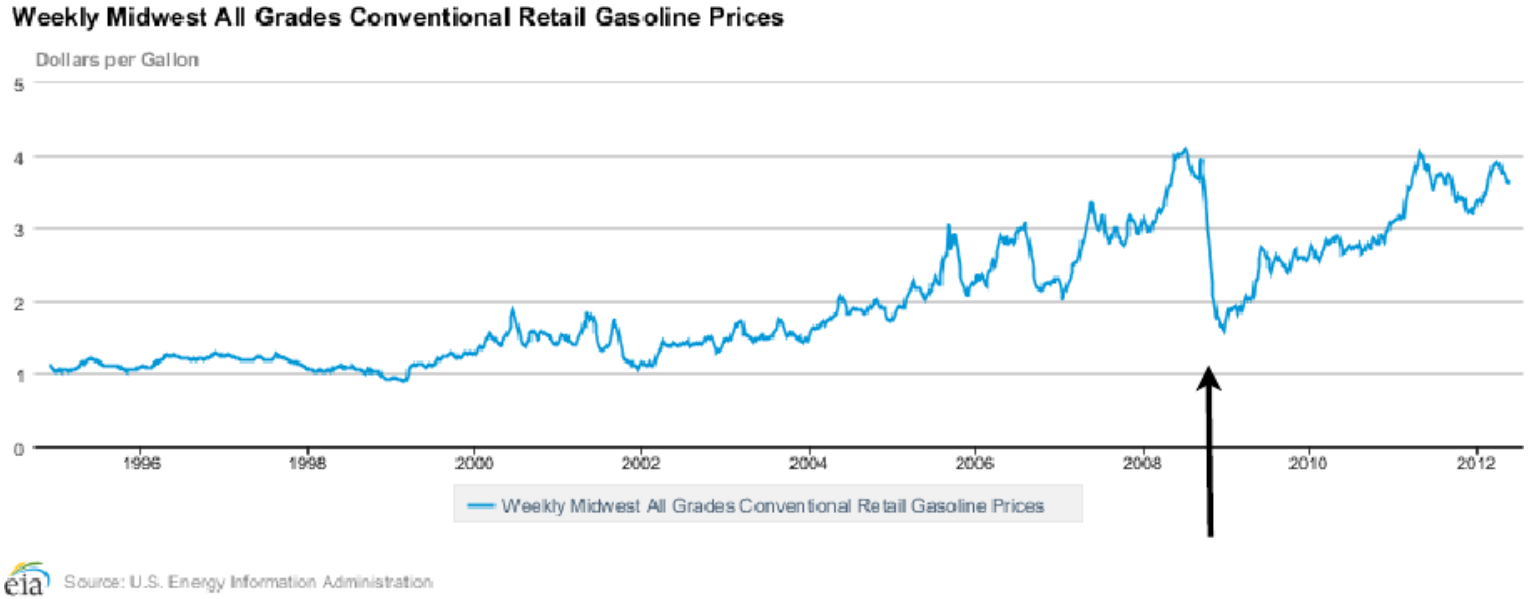


Reshaping Data

- Earlier we read the midwest gas prices



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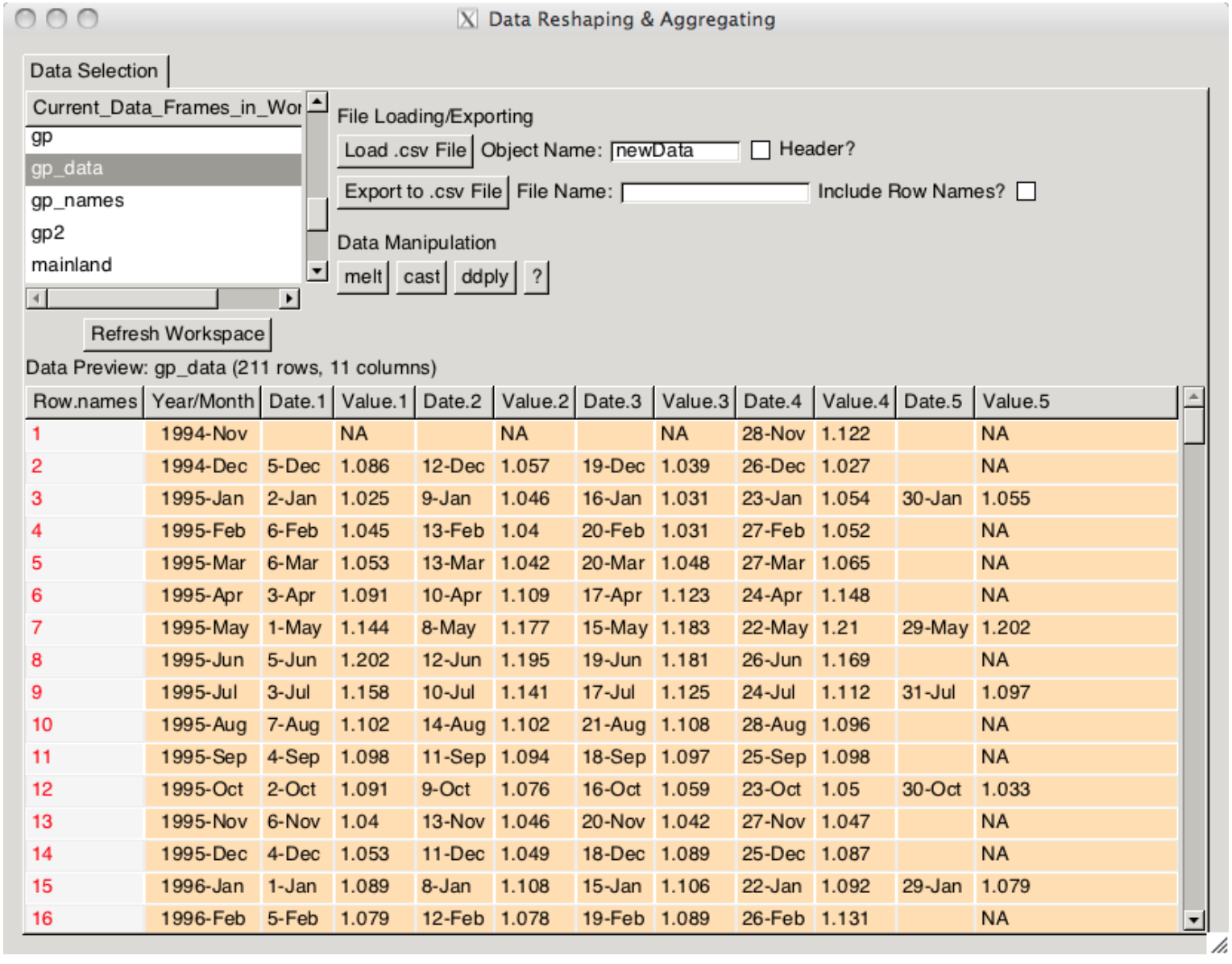
Your Turn

- Use a spreadsheet program to reshape the Midwest Gas Price data from “wide” form to “long” form

The reshape GUI



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7	1995-May	1-May	1.144	8-May	1.177	15-May	1.183	22-May	1.21	29-May	1.202
8	1995-Jun	5-Jun	1.202	12-Jun	1.195	19-Jun	1.181	26-Jun	1.169		NA
9	1995-Jul	3-Jul	1.158	10-Jul	1.141	17-Jul	1.125	24-Jul	1.112	31-Jul	1.097
10	1995-Aug	7-Aug	1.102	14-Aug	1.102	21-Aug	1.108	28-Aug	1.096		NA
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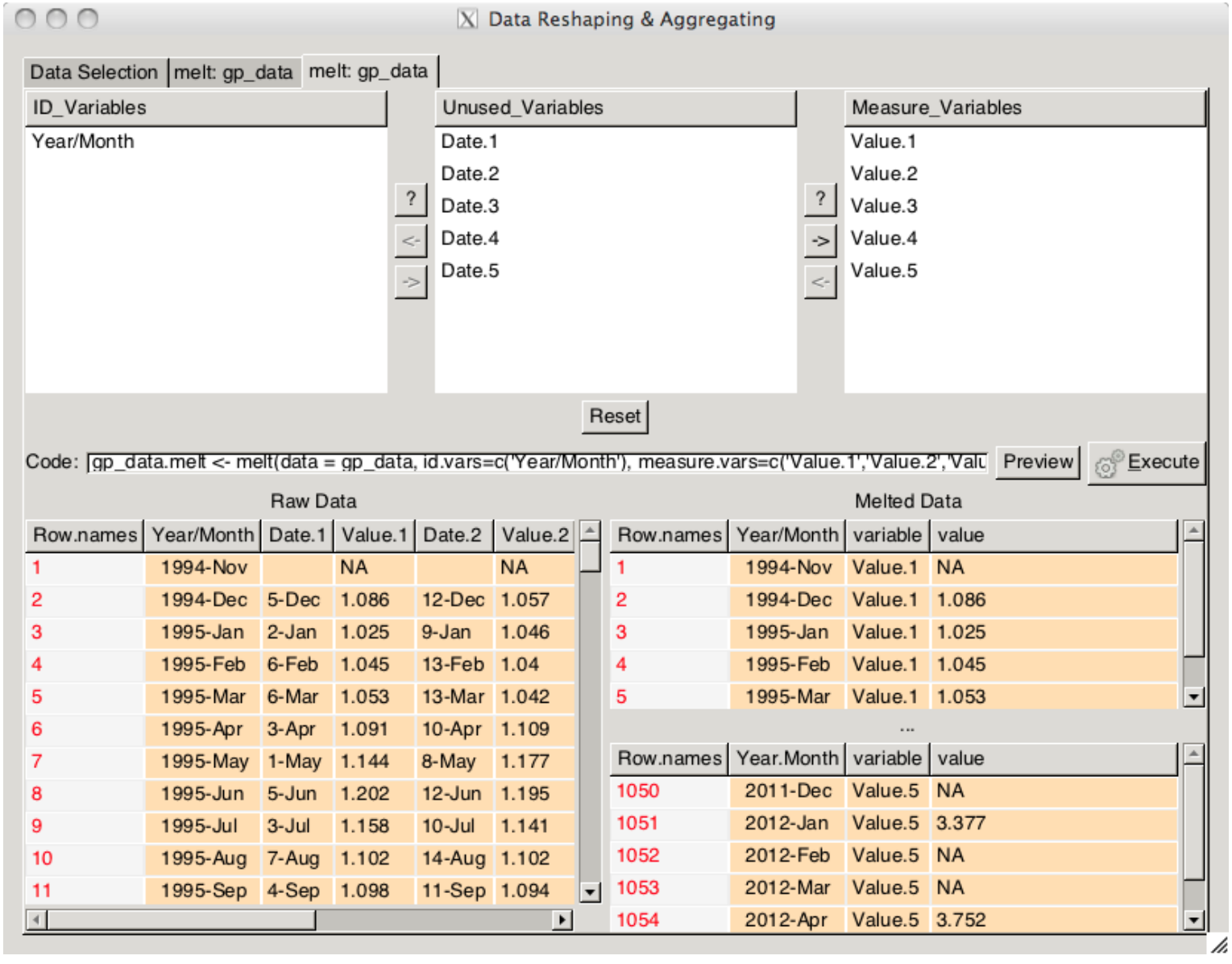


Melting Gas Prices

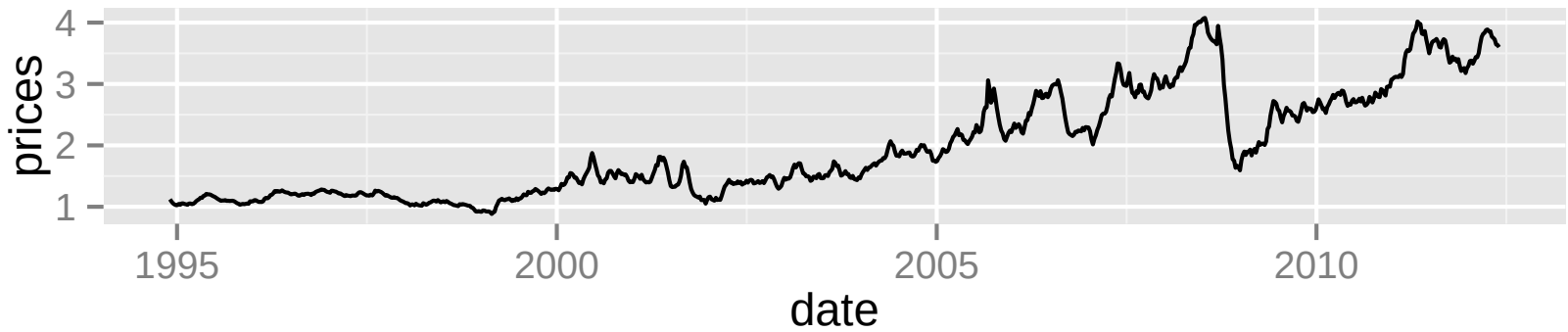
```
library(reshape2)
gp_data.melt <- melt(data=gp_data, id.vars="YM",
  measure.vars=c("Value.1", "Value.2", "Value.3", "Value.4", "Value.5"))
gp_prices <- gp_data.melt
head(gp_prices)
##         YM variable value
## 1 1994-Nov  Value.1    NA
## 2 1994-Dec  Value.1 1.086
## 3 1995-Jan  Value.1 1.025
## 4 1995-Feb  Value.1 1.045
## 5 1995-Mar  Value.1 1.053
## 6 1995-Apr  Value.1 1.091
```

Your Turn

- Open the reshapeGUI
- load gp_data
- use melt to get one column of dates, similar to how we got a single column of weekly gas prices
- export the data as 'gp_dates'

Piecing datasets together

```
gasprices <- gp_dates
gasprices$prices <- gp_prices$value
#--
tmp <- with(gasprices, paste(YM, value, sep="/"))
gasprices$date <- as.Date(tmp, format="%Y-%b/%d-%b")
#--
qplot(date, prices, data=gasprices, geom="line")
```



A Closer Look at reshape

First, melt

- First we need to melt the data into a long form
- This form is useful for "casting" it into new formats
- When melting, you need to specify the **measured** variables and the **identifiers**

```
melt(data, measure.var=..., id.var=...)
```

Measured variables & identifiers

Identifiers/Keys:

- Identify a record (must be unique)
- Example: Indices on an random variable
- Fixed by design of experiment (known in advance)
- May be single or composite (may have one or more variables)

Measured Variables:

- Collected during the experiment (not known in advance)
- Usually numeric quantities

Example: French Fries

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```
library("reshape2")
head(french_fries)
##    time treatment subject rep potato buttery grassy rancid painty
## 61    1         1       3   1    2.9     0.0    0.0    0.0    5.5
## 25    1         1       3   2   14.0     0.0    0.0    1.1    0.0
## 62    1         1      10   1   11.0     6.4    0.0    0.0    0.0
## 26    1         1      10   2    9.9     5.9    2.9    2.2    0.0
## 63    1         1      15   1    1.2     0.1    0.0    1.1    5.1
## 27    1         1      15   2    8.8     3.0    3.6    1.5    2.3
```

```
ffm <- melt(french_fries, id.vars=1:4)
head(ffm)
##   time treatment subject rep variable value
## 1    1         1       3   1   potato   2.9
## 2    1         1       3   2   potato  14.0
## 3    1         1      10   1   potato  11.0
## 4    1         1      10   2   potato   9.9
## 5    1         1      15   1   potato   1.2
## 6    1         1      15   2   potato   8.8
```

```
summary(ffm)
##       time      treatment    subject          rep        variable       value       
##  1      : 360   1:1160    10     : 300   Min.   :1.0   potato :696   Min.   : 0.00  
##  2      : 360   2:1160    15     : 300   1st Qu.:1.0   buttery:696   1st Qu.: 0.00  
##  3      : 360   3:1160    16     : 300   Median :1.5   grassy :696   Median : 1.50  
##  4      : 360             19     : 300   Mean   :1.5   rancid :696   Mean   : 3.16  
##  5      : 360             51     : 300   3rd Qu.:2.0   painty :696   3rd Qu.: 5.50  
##  6      : 360             52     : 300   Max.   :2.0                 Max.   :14.90  
##  (Other):1320             (Other):1680                               NA's   :9
```

Your Turn

- Explore inter-replicate consistency
- Pattern of missingness?

Casting

```
cast(molten, rows ~ columns, aggregate)
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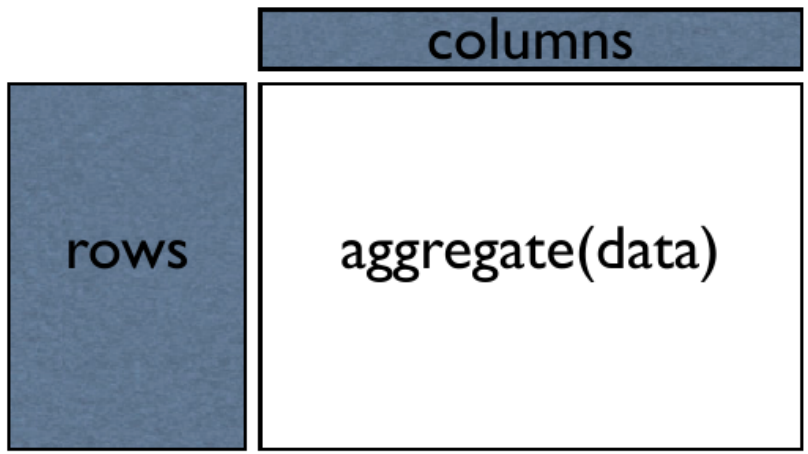

Casting

- Just like pivot tables and facetting plots
- Row variables, column variables, and a summary function (sum, mean, max...)

```
cast(molten, row~col, summary)
cast(molten, row1 + row2~col, summary)
cast(molten, row~., summary)
cast(molten, .~col, summary)
```

Inter-rep consistency

```
reps <- dcast(ffm, time+subject+
       treatment+variable~rep)
head(reps)
##   time subject treatment variable    1    2
## 1    1       3         1   potato  2.9 14.0
## 2    1       3         1  buttery  0.0  0.0
## 3    1       3         1   grassy  0.0  0.0
## 4    1       3         1   rancid  0.0  1.1
## 5    1       3         1   painty  5.5  0.0
## 6    1       3         2   potato 13.9 13.4
```

```
qplot(`1`, `2`, data=reps)
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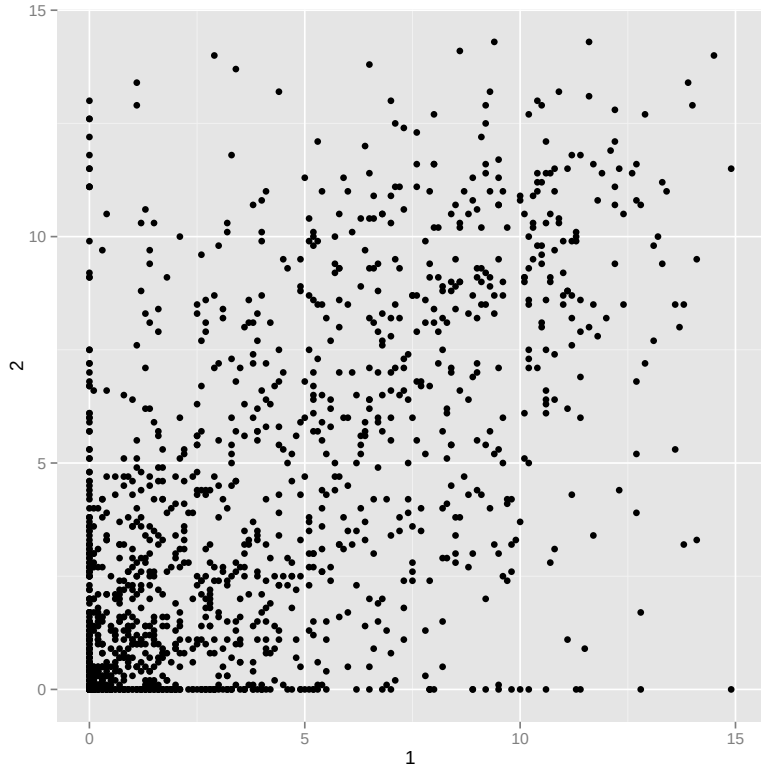

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- How do average ratings by scale (potato-y, buttery, ...) vary over time?

  Hint: Start with a cast by scale, then include averages by scale, then include time...

- Challenge: find the correlation between replicate 1 and replicate 2 over time.