

# From wide to long data

RESHAPING DATA WITH TIDYR



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`separate()`

title	type	duration

  

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`separate_rows()`

drink	ingredients		
A	1	2	3
B	1	2	

  

drink	ingredients
A	1
A	2
A	3
B	1
B	2

# Values in column headers

```
nuke_df
```

```
# A tibble: 2 x 6
  country      `1945` `1946` `1948` `1949` `1951`
  <chr>      <int> <int> <int> <int> <int>
1 United States      3      2      3     NA     16
2 Russian Federation NA     NA     NA      1      2
```

# Values in column headers

country	1945	1946
USA	3	2
USSR	NA	NA

country	year	n_bombs
USA	1945	3
USA	1946	2
USSR	1945	NA
USSR	1946	NA

# The pivot\_longer() function

```
nuke_df %>%  
  pivot_longer(`1945`:`1951`)
```

```
# A tibble: 10 x 3  
  country      name value  
  <chr>      <chr> <int>  
1 United States 1945     3  
2 United States 1946     2  
3 United States 1948     3  
4 United States 1949    NA  
5 United States 1951    16  
6 Russian Federation 1945    NA  
# ... with 4 more rows
```

# The pivot\_longer() function

```
nuke_df %>%  
  pivot_longer(c(`1945`, `1946`, `1948`, `1949`, `1951`))
```

```
# A tibble: 10 x 3  
  country      name value  
  <chr>      <chr> <int>  
1 United States 1945     3  
2 United States 1946     2  
3 United States 1948     3  
4 United States 1949    NA  
5 United States 1951    16  
6 Russian Federation 1945    NA  
# ... with 4 more rows
```

# The `pivot_longer()` function

```
nuke_df %>%  
  pivot_longer(-country)
```

```
# A tibble: 10 x 3  
  country      name value  
  <chr>      <chr> <int>  
1 United States 1945     3  
2 United States 1946     2  
3 United States 1948     3  
4 United States 1949    NA  
5 United States 1951    16  
6 Russian Federation 1945    NA  
# ... with 4 more rows
```

# pivot\_longer() arguments

```
nuke_df %>%  
  pivot_longer(-country, names_to = "year", values_to = "n_bombs")
```

```
# A tibble: 10 x 3  
  country      year n_bombs  
  <chr>      <chr> <int>  
1 United States 1945     3  
2 United States 1946     2  
3 United States 1948     3  
4 United States 1949    NA  
5 United States 1951    16  
6 Russian Federation 1945    NA  
# ... with 4 more rows
```



# pivot\_longer() arguments

```
nuke_df %>%  
  pivot_longer(  
    -country,  
    names_to = "year",  
    values_to = "n_bombs",  
    values_drop_na = TRUE  
  )
```

```
# A tibble: 6 x 3  
  country      year n_bombs  
  <chr>      <chr>   <int>  
1 United States 1945      3  
2 United States 1946      2  
3 United States 1948      3  
4 United States 1951     16  
5 Russian Federation 1949      1  
6 Russian Federation 1951      2
```

# pivot\_longer() arguments

```
nuke_df %>%  
  pivot_longer(  
    -country,  
    names_to = "year",  
    values_to = "n_bombs",  
    values_drop_na = TRUE,  
    names_transform = list(year = as.integer)  
  )
```

```
# A tibble: 6 x 3  
  country      year n_bombs  
  <chr>      <int>   <int>  
1 United States  1945     3  
2 United States  1946     2  
3 United States  1948     3  
4 United States  1951    16  
5 Russian Federation 1949     1  
6 Russian Federation  1951     2
```

# Let's practice!

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# Deriving variables from column headers

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# Soviet space dogs

```
space_dogs_df
```

```
# A tibble: 42 x 4
  date      name_1 name_2 result
<date>   <chr>   <chr>   <chr>
1 1951-06-26 Lisa-2   Ryzhik-2 recovered safely
2 1951-07-22 Dezik    Tsygan  recovered safely
3 1951-07-29 Dezik    Lisa    parachute failed, both dogs died
4 1951-08-15 Chizhik  Mishka  recovered safely
5 1951-08-19 Ryzhik   Smeliy  recovered safely
# ... with 37 more rows
```

# Soviet space dogs: a basic pivot operation

```
dog_df %>%  
  pivot_longer(  
    c(name_1, name_2),  
    names_to = "id",  
    values_to = "name",  
    values_drop_na = TRUE  
  ) %>%  
  select(-result)
```

```
# A tibble: 81 x 3  
  date      id      name  
  <date>    <chr>  <chr>  
1 1951-06-26 name_1 Lisa-2  
2 1951-06-26 name_2 Ryzhik-2  
3 1951-07-22 name_1 Dezik  
4 1951-07-22 name_2 Tsygan  
5 1951-07-29 name_1 Dezik  
6 1951-07-29 name_2 Lisa  
7 1951-08-15 name_1 Chizhik  
8 1951-08-15 name_2 Mishka  
9 1951-08-19 name_1 Ryzhik  
# ... with 72 more rows
```

# Soviet space dogs: removing a prefix

```
dog_df %>%  
  pivot_longer(  
    c(name_1, name_2),  
    names_to = "id",  
    values_to = "name",  
    values_drop_na = TRUE,  
    names_prefix = "name_"  
  ) %>%  
  select(-result)
```

```
# A tibble: 81 x 3  
  date      id name  
  <date>   <chr> <chr>  
1 1951-06-26 1 Lisa-2  
2 1951-06-26 2 Ryzhik-2  
3 1951-07-22 1 Dezik  
4 1951-07-22 2 Tsygan  
5 1951-07-29 1 Dezik  
6 1951-07-29 2 Lisa  
7 1951-08-15 1 Chizhik  
8 1951-08-15 2 Mishka  
9 1951-08-19 1 Ryzhik  
# ... with 72 more rows
```

# Soviet space dogs: transforming data types

```
dog_df %>%
  pivot_longer(
    c(name_1, name_2),
    names_to = "id",
    values_to = "name",
    values_drop_na = TRUE,
    names_prefix = "name_",
    names_transform = list(id = as.integer)
  ) %>%
  select(-result)
```

```
# A tibble: 81 x 3
   date          id name
  <date>      <int> <chr>
1 1951-06-26     1 Lisa-2
2 1951-06-26     2 Ryzhik-2
3 1951-07-22     1 Dezik
4 1951-07-22     2 Tsygan
5 1951-07-29     1 Dezik
6 1951-07-29     2 Lisa
7 1951-08-15     1 Chizhik
8 1951-08-15     2 Mishka
9 1951-08-19     1 Ryzhik
# ... with 72 more rows
```



# Soviet space dogs: the starts\_with() function

```
dog_df %>%  
  pivot_longer(  
    starts_with("name_"),  
    names_to = "id",  
    values_to = "name",  
    values_drop_na = TRUE,  
    names_prefix = "name_",  
    names_transform = list(id = as.integer)  
  ) %>%  
  select(-result)
```

```
# A tibble: 81 x 3  
  date          id name  
  <date>      <int> <chr>  
1 1951-06-26     1 Lisa-2  
2 1951-06-26     2 Ryzhik-2  
3 1951-07-22     1 Dezik  
4 1951-07-22     2 Tsygan  
5 1951-07-29     1 Dezik  
6 1951-07-29     2 Lisa  
7 1951-08-15     1 Chizhik  
8 1951-08-15     2 Mishka  
9 1951-08-19     1 Ryzhik  
# ... with 72 more rows
```

# Apple revenue: two variables per column name

```
apple_revenue_df
```

```
# A tibble: 4 x 5
  segment `2019_Q1` `2019_Q2` `2019_Q3` `2019_Q4`
  <chr>      <dbl>      <dbl>      <dbl>      <dbl>
1 iPhone    52.0        31.0        26.0        33.4
2 Mac        7.42         5.51         5.82         6.99
3 iPad       6.73         4.87         5.02         4.66
4 Other     18.2        16.6        17.0        19.0
```

# Apple revenue: visualizing issue and solution

segment	2019_Q1	2019_Q2
iPhone	52.0	31.0
Mac	7.42	5.51

segment	year	quarter	revenue
iPhone	2019	1	52.0
iPhone	2019	2	31.0
Mac	2019	1	7.42
Mac	2019	2	5.51

# Apple revenue: Advanced pivoting

```
apple_df %>%  
  pivot_longer(  
    -segment,  
    names_to = c("year", "quarter"),  
    values_to = "revenue",  
    names_sep = "_Q",  
    names_transform = list(  
      year = as.integer,  
      quarter = as.integer  
    )  
  )
```

```
# A tibble: 16 x 4  
  segment year quarter revenue  
  <chr>   <int>   <int>   <dbl>  
1 iPhone  2019     1    52.0  
2 iPhone  2019     2    31.0  
3 iPhone  2019     3    26.0  
4 iPhone  2019     4    33.4  
5 Mac     2019     1     7.42  
6 Mac     2019     2     5.51  
7 Mac     2019     3     5.82  
8 Mac     2019     4     6.99  
# ... with 8 more rows
```

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# Deriving variables from complex column headers

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# Separating column headers into variables

segment	2019_Q1	2019_Q2
iPhone	52.0	31.0
Mac	7.42	5.51

segment	year	quarter	revenue
iPhone	2019	1	52.0
iPhone	2019	2	31.0
Mac	2019	1	7.42
Mac	2019	2	5.51

# Multiple variable combinations in column headers

who\_df

```
# A tibble: 181 x 5
```

	country	female_pct.obese	male_pct.obese	female_life.exp	male_life.exp
	<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>	<dbl>	<dbl>
1	Afghanistan	7.6	3.2	64.5	61
2	Albania	21.8	21.6	78.6	74.3
3	Algeria	34.9	19.9	77.4	75.4
4	Angola	12.1	4	64.9	60.3
5	Antigua and Barbuda	25.9	11.6	77.5	72.5
6	Argentina	29	27.3	80.3	73.5
7	Armenia	23	17.1	78.1	71.2
8	Australia	28.4	29.6	84.8	81



# Multiple variable combinations in column headers

country	female_pct.obese	male_pct.obese	female_life.exp	male_life.exp
Afghanistan	7.6	3.2	64.5	61
Albania	21.8	21.6	78.6	74.3

country	sex	pct.obese	life.exp
Afghanistan	female	7.6	52.0
Afghanistan	male	3.2	31.0
Albania	female	21.8	7.42
Albania	male	21.6	5.51

# The special `.value` name

```
who_df %>%  
  # Example input column name = male_obesity.pct  
  pivot_longer(-country,  
               names_to = c("sex", ".value"),  
               names_sep = "_")
```

```
# A tibble: 362 x 4  
  country      sex    pct.obese life.exp  
  <chr>      <chr>    <dbl>    <dbl>  
1 Afghanistan female     7.6     64.5  
2 Afghanistan male       3.2     61  
3 Albania    female    21.8     78.6
```

# pivot\_longer() recap

country	1945	1946
USA	3	2
USSR	NA	NA

segment	2019_Q1	2019_Q2
iPhone	52.0	31.0
Mac	7.42	5.51

country	female_pct.obese	male_pct.obese	female_life.exp	male_life.exp
Afghanistan	7.6	3.2	64.5	61
Albania	21.8	21.6	78.6	74.3

country	year	n_bombs
USA	1945	3
USA	1946	2
USSR	1945	NA
USSR	1946	NA

segment	year	quarter	revenue
iPhone	2019	1	52.0
iPhone	2019	2	31.0
Mac	2019	1	7.42
Mac	2019	2	5.51

country	sex	pct.obese	life.exp
Afghanistan	female	7.6	52.0
Afghanistan	male	3.2	31.0
Albania	female	21.8	7.42
Albania	male	21.6	5.51

# Uncounting data

```
nuke_df
```

```
# A tibble: 8 x 2
  country      n_bombs
  <chr>        <int>
1 Pakistan         2
2 India            6
3 North Korea      6
4 United Kingdom  21
5 China           45
6 France          200
7 Russian Federation 726
8 United States  1150
```

# The uncount() function

```
nuke_df %>%  
  uncount(n_bombs)
```

```
# A tibble: 2,156 x 1  
  country  
  <chr>  
1 Pakistan  
2 Pakistan  
3 India  
4 India  
5 India  
6 India  
# ... with 2,150 more rows
```

# The uncount() function

```
nuke_df %>%  
  uncount(2)
```

```
# A tibble: 16 x 2  
  country      n_bombs  
  <chr>      <int>  
1 Pakistan      2  
2 Pakistan      2  
3 India         6  
4 India         6  
5 North Korea   6  
6 North Korea   6  
# ... with 10 more rows
```

# The uncount() function

```
nuke_df %>%  
  uncount(n_bombs, .id = "bomb_id")
```

```
# A tibble: 2,156 x 2  
  country      bomb_id  
  <chr>        <int>  
1 Pakistan      1  
2 Pakistan      2  
3 India         1  
4 India         2  
5 India         3  
6 India         4  
# ... with 2,150 more rows
```

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# Variable names in a column

who\_df

```
# A tibble: 362 x 3
  country      metric  value
  <chr>        <chr>   <dbl>
1 Afghanistan life_exp  62.7
2 Afghanistan pct_obese  5.5
3 Albania     life_exp  76.4
4 Albania     pct_obese 21.7
# ... with 358 more rows
```

# Variable names in a column

country	metric	value
Afghanistan	life_exp	62.7
Afghanistan	pct_obese	5.5
Albania	life_exp	76.4
Albania	pct_obese	21.7

country	pct_obese	life_exp
Afghanistan	5.5	62.7
Albania	21.7	76.4

# The `pivot_wider()` function

```
who_df %>%  
  pivot_wider(names_from = metric, values_from = value)
```

```
# A tibble: 181 x 3  
  country      life_exp pct_obese  
  <chr>      <dbl>    <dbl>  
1 Afghanistan  62.7      5.5  
2 Albania      76.4     21.7  
3 Algeria      76.4     27.4  
4 Angola       62.6      8.2  
# ... with 177 more rows
```

# The `pivot_wider()` function

```
who_long_df %>%  
  pivot_wider(names_from = metric, values_from = value, names_prefix = "national_")
```

```
# A tibble: 181 x 3  
  country          national_life_exp national_pct_obese  
  <chr>              <dbl>              <dbl>  
1 Afghanistan      62.7              5.5  
2 Albania           76.4             21.7  
3 Algeria           76.4             27.4  
4 Angola            62.6              8.2  
# ... with 177 more rows
```

# Transposing a data frame

```
sideways_df
```

```
# A tibble: 2 x 5
  variable `1969` `1970` `1971` `1972`
  <chr>      <int>  <int>  <int>  <int>
1 people_on_moon      4      0      4      4
2 nuclear_bombs     82     85     59     62
```

# Transposing a data frame

variable	`1969`	`1970`	`1971`	`1972`
people_on_moon	4	0	4	4
nuclear_bombs	82	85	59	62

year	people_on_moon	nuclear_bombs
1969	4	82
1970	0	85
1971	4	59
1972	4	62

# Transposing a data frame: step 1

```
sideways_df %>%  
  pivot_longer(-variable, names_to = "year", names_transform = list(year = as.integer))
```

```
# A tibble: 8 x 3  
  variable      year  value  
  <chr>      <int> <int>  
1 people_on_moon 1969      4  
2 people_on_moon 1970      0  
3 people_on_moon 1971      4  
4 people_on_moon 1972      4  
5 nuclear_bombs  1969     82  
6 nuclear_bombs  1970     85  
7 nuclear_bombs  1971     59  
8 nuclear_bombs  1972     62
```



# Transposing a data frame: step 2

```
sideways_df %>%  
  pivot_longer(-variable, names_to = "year", names_transform = list(year = as.integer)) %>%  
  pivot_wider(names_from = variable, values_from = value)
```

```
# A tibble: 4 x 3  
  year people_on_moon nuclear_bombs  
  <int>         <int>         <int>  
1 1969             4             82  
2 1970             0             85  
3 1971             4             59  
4 1972             4             62
```

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