# **Data basics**

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#### **Activities**

- [Data frames and spreadsheets]
- Variable types
- · Variables and units
- · Response and explanatory variables

# Learning objectives

# Additional resources

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- · Instructor orientation
- · Role in statistical practice
- · Classroom discussion
- Assessment
- · Tips for an active classroom
- · Student pre-requisites
- Pitfalls

#### **Orientation for instructors**

Explaining what is data and what are the forms of data.

Role in statistical practice

Conceptual pitfalls

Student pre-requisites

Student tasks and activities

Creating an active classroom

See the document on general tips for creating an active classroom.

Assessment items

Pushing the envelope/advancing the field

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