

Lecture Assignment 13

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```
library(tidyverse)
```

```
## -- Attaching packages ----- tidyverse 1.3.1 --
```

```
## v ggplot2 3.3.5      v purrr   0.3.4  
## v tibble  3.1.6      v dplyr  1.0.8  
## v tidyr   1.2.0      v stringr 1.4.0  
## v readr   2.1.2      v forcats 0.5.1
```

```
## -- Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() --
```

```
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()  
## x dplyr::lag()    masks stats::lag()
```

Part 12.4.3

Question 1

The extra and fill arguments in separate() tells what to do if there are too many values and what to do if there aren't enough values respectively.

```
tibble(x = c("a,b,c", "d,e,f,g", "h,i,j")) %>%  
  separate(x, c("one", "two", "three"))
```

```
## Warning: Expected 3 pieces. Additional pieces discarded in 1 rows [2].
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 3  
##   one  two  three  
##   <chr> <chr> <chr>  
## 1 a    b    c  
## 2 d    e    f  
## 3 h    i    j
```

```
tibble(x = c("a,b,c", "d,e", "f,g,i")) %>%  
  separate(x, c("one", "two", "three"))
```

```
## Warning: Expected 3 pieces. Missing pieces filled with 'NA' in 1 rows [2].
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 3  
##   one  two  three  
##   <chr> <chr> <chr>  
## 1 a    b    c  
## 2 d    e   <NA>  
## 3 f    g    i
```

By default, separate() drops extra values and fill fills columns with missing values, giving a warning for both.

```
tibble(x = c("a,b,c", "d,e,f,g", "h,i,j")) %>%  
  separate(x, c("one", "two", "three"), extra = "drop")
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 3  
##   one  two  three  
##   <chr> <chr> <chr>  
## 1 a    b    c  
## 2 d    e    f  
## 3 h    i    j
```

```
tibble(x = c("a,b,c", "d,e", "f,g,i")) %>%  
  separate(x, c("one", "two", "three"), fill = "right")
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 3  
##   one  two  three  
##   <chr> <chr> <chr>  
## 1 a    b    c  
## 2 d    e   <NA>  
## 3 f    g    i
```

With `extra = "drop"` or `fill = "right"`, it produces the same results as before but without warnings. Alternatively, we can also use `extra = "merge"` and `fill = "left"`.

```
tibble(x = c("a,b,c", "d,e,f,g", "h,i,j")) %>%  
  separate(x, c("one", "two", "three"), extra = "merge")
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 3  
##   one  two  three  
##   <chr> <chr> <chr>  
## 1 a    b    c  
## 2 d    e    f,g  
## 3 h    i    j
```

```
tibble(x = c("a,b,c", "d,e", "f,g,i")) %>%  
  separate(x, c("one", "two", "three"), fill = "left")
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 3  
##   one  two  three  
##   <chr> <chr> <chr>  
## 1 a    b    c  
## 2 <NA> d    e  
## 3 f    g    i
```

With `extra = "merge"`, the extra values merge into one so `f` and `g` becomes `"f,g"`. With `fill = "left"`, it fills the missing value but, from the left.

Question 2

The `remove()` argument, in both `unite()` and `separate()`, discards the input columns in resulted data frame. In the case of creating a new variable, but keeping the old one, you would set it to `FALSE`.

Part 12.5.1

Question 1

The `fill` arguments to `pivot_wider()` and `complete()` both are used to set values to replace NAs. While `fill` to `pivot_wider()` sets all values to replace NAs, `fill` to `complete()` does the same going through a list of names allowing for different variables and values.

Question 2

The `direction` argument to `fill()` states whether NA value(s) should be replaced by the next non-missing value(s), using `"up"`, or replaced by the previous non-missing value(s), using `"down"`.

Part 12.6.1

```
who1 <- who %>%
  pivot_longer(
    cols = new_sp_m014:newrel_f65,
    names_to = "key",
    values_to = "cases",
    values_drop_na = TRUE
  )

who1 %>%
  count(key)
```

```
## # A tibble: 56 x 2
##   key          n
##   <chr>      <int>
## 1 new_ep_f014  1032
## 2 new_ep_f1524 1021
## 3 new_ep_f2534 1021
## 4 new_ep_f3544 1021
## 5 new_ep_f4554 1017
## 6 new_ep_f5564 1017
## 7 new_ep_f65   1014
## 8 new_ep_m014  1038
## 9 new_ep_m1524 1026
## 10 new_ep_m2534 1020
## # ... with 46 more rows
```

```
who2 <- who1 %>%
  mutate(key = stringr::str_replace(key, "newrel", "new_rel"))

who3 <- who2 %>%
  separate(key, c("new", "type", "sexage"), sep = "_")

who3 %>%
  count(new)
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 x 2
##   new          n
##   <chr> <int>
## 1 new   76046
```

```
who4 <- who3 %>%
  select(-new, -iso2, -iso3)

who5 <- who4 %>%
  separate(sexage, c("sex", "age"), sep = 1)
```

Question 2

```
temp_who3 <- who1 %>%  
  separate(key, c("new", "type", "sexage"), sep = "_")
```

```
## Warning: Expected 3 pieces. Missing pieces filled with 'NA' in 2580 rows [243,  
## 244, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 903,  
## 904, 905, 906, ...].
```

Neglecting the mutate step results in separate() giving a warning for too few values as it expects 3 pieces.

Question 3

```
select(who3, country, iso2, iso3) %>%  
  distinct() %>%  
  group_by(country) %>%  
  filter(n() > 1)
```

```
## # A tibble: 0 x 3  
## # Groups:   country [0]  
## # ... with 3 variables: country <chr>, iso2 <chr>, iso3 <chr>
```

There is only one distinct combination of iso2 and iso3 values within each country, therefore, iso2 and iso3 are redundant with country.

Question 4

```
who5 %>%  
  group_by(country, year, sex) %>%  
  filter(year > 1995) %>%  
  summarise(cases = sum(cases)) %>%  
  unite(new, country, sex, remove = FALSE) %>%  
  ggplot(aes(x = year, y = cases, group = new, colour = sex)) +  
  geom_line()
```

```
## 'summarise()' has grouped output by 'country', 'year'. You can override using  
## the '.groups' argument.
```

