

# assignment1

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## Dataloading

Use `data.table` to read in the data and assign the correct class to the variables.

Merge the data datasets using `data.table`.

**read in the data&assign the correct class to the variables.**

```
library(data.table)

hdro_indicators_irl <- fread('hdro_indicators_irl.csv')
hdro_indicators_irl <- hdro_indicators_irl[-1]
hdro_indicators_irl[, year := as.integer(year)]
hdro_indicators_irl[, value := as.numeric(value)]
hdro_indicators_irl[, country_code := as.factor(country_code)]
hdro_indicators_irl[, country_name := as.factor(country_name)]
hdro_indicators_irl[, indicator_id := as.factor(indicator_id)]
hdro_indicators_irl[, indicator_name := as.factor(indicator_name)]
hdro_indicators_irl[, index_id := as.factor(index_id)]
hdro_indicators_irl[, index_name := as.factor(index_name)]
```

**read in the data&assign the correct class to the variables.**

```
hdro_indicators_jpn <- fread('hdro_indicators_jpn.csv')
hdro_indicators_jpn <- hdro_indicators_jpn[-1]
hdro_indicators_jpn[, year := as.integer(year)]
hdro_indicators_jpn[, value := as.numeric(value)]
hdro_indicators_jpn[, country_code := as.factor(country_code)]
hdro_indicators_jpn[, country_name := as.factor(country_name)]
hdro_indicators_jpn[, indicator_id := as.factor(indicator_id)]
hdro_indicators_jpn[, indicator_name := as.factor(indicator_name)]
hdro_indicators_jpn[, index_id := as.factor(index_id)]
hdro_indicators_jpn[, index_name := as.factor(index_name)]
```

**read in the data&assign the correct class to the variables.**

```
hdro_indicators_chn <- fread('hdro_indicators_chn.csv')
hdro_indicators_chn <- hdro_indicators_chn[-1]
hdro_indicators_chn[, year := as.integer(year)]
hdro_indicators_chn[, value := as.numeric(value)]
hdro_indicators_chn[, country_code := as.factor(country_code)]
hdro_indicators_chn[, country_name := as.factor(country_name)]
hdro_indicators_chn[, indicator_id := as.factor(indicator_id)]
hdro_indicators_chn[, indicator_name := as.factor(indicator_name)]
hdro_indicators_chn[, index_id := as.factor(index_id)]
hdro_indicators_chn[, index_name := as.factor(index_name)]
```

**Merge the data datasets**

```
data <- list(hdro_indicators_irl,
             hdro_indicators_jpn,
             hdro_indicators_chn)
hdro_data <- rbindlist(data)
```

**Exploratory Data Analysis(EDA)**

**part1 quick data exploration**

```
library(dplyr)
str(hdro_data) # structure
```

Classes 'data.table' and 'data.frame': 2664 obs. of 8 variables:

```
$ country_code : Factor w/ 3 levels "IRL","JPN","CHN": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
$ country_name : Factor w/ 3 levels "Ireland","Japan",...: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
$ indicator_id : Factor w/ 44 levels "abr","co2_prod",...: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
$ indicator_name: Factor w/ 44 levels "Adolescent Birth Rate (births per 1,000 women ages 15-19)",...: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
$ index_id      : Factor w/ 6 levels "GDI","GII","HDI",...: 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 ...
$ index_name    : Factor w/ 6 levels "Gender Development Index",...: 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 ...
$ value         : num  15.8 16.6 16.5 15.5 14.4 ...
$ year         : int   1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 ...
```

```
- attr(*, ".internal.selfref")=<externalptr>
```

From the dataset structure, there are 2 numerical variables and 6 factor variables.

## part1 quick data exploration

```
summary(hdro_data)
```

```
country_code  country_name      indicator_id
IRL:894      Ireland:894  abr          : 99
JPN:894      Japan  :894  co2_prod     : 99
CHN:876      China  :876  diff_hdi_phdi: 99
              eys          : 99
              eys_f        : 99
              eys_m        : 99
              (Other)      :2070

              indicator_name index_id
Adolescent Birth Rate (births per 1,000 women ages 15-19): 99  GDI :993
Carbon dioxide emissions per capita (production) (tonnes): 99  GII :779
Difference from HDI value (%)                               : 99  HDI :399
Expected Years of Schooling (years)                         : 99  IHDI:183
Expected Years of Schooling, female (years)                 : 99  PHDI:300
Expected Years of Schooling, male (years)                   : 99  MPI : 10
(Other)                                                      :2070

              index_name      value
Gender Development Index          :993  Min.   : -22.00
Gender Inequality Index           :779  1st Qu.:  9.39
Human Development Index           :399  Median : 17.12
Inequality-adjusted Human Development Index :183  Mean   : 3500.71
Planetary pressures-adjusted Human Development Index:300  3rd Qu.: 78.16
Multidimensional Poverty Index    : 10  Max.   :108423.61

      year
Min.   :1990
1st Qu.:1999
Median :2007
Mean   :2007
3rd Qu.:2015
Max.   :2022
```

## Explanation

- The `value` field ranges widely from -22 (possibly indicating some form of deficit or decrease) to 108,423.61, reflecting substantial variation possibly due to different types of indicators included (such as monetary values, rates, or counts).
- Data collection spans from 1990 to 2022, allowing for longitudinal studies and trend analysis over a significant period.

## part1 quick data exploration

```
# Calculate the number of data rows for each combination
# of country and indicator using data.table syntax
result <- hdro_data[, .N, by = .(country_name,
                                indicator_name)]

result[order(-N)]
```

	country_name	indicator_name
	<fctr>	<fctr>
1:	Ireland	Adolescent Birth Rate (births per 1,000 women ages 15-19)
2:	Ireland	Carbon dioxide emissions per capita (production) (tonnes)
3:	Ireland	Difference from HDI value (%)
4:	Ireland	Expected Years of Schooling (years)
5:	Ireland	Expected Years of Schooling, female (years)
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108:	China	Nutrition (%)
109:	China	Difference from HDI rank
110:	China	Sanitation (%)
111:	China	School attendance (%)
112:	China	Years of schooling (%)
	N	
	<int>	
1:	33	
2:	33	
3:	33	
4:	33	
5:	33	
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108:	1	

```
109:      1
110:      1
111:      1
112:      1
```

```
# Use dplyr syntax to group data by country name and
# calculate the mean value and count of records for each group
hdro_data %>%
  group_by(country_name) %>%
  summarise(mean_value = mean(value), n = n())
```

```
# A tibble: 3 x 3
  country_name mean_value     n
  <fct>         <dbl> <int>
1 Ireland      5234.    894
2 Japan        4331.    894
3 China         884.    876
```

## Explanation

Above is the number of data rows for each combination of country and indicator using data.table syntax and then use dplyr syntax to group data by country name and calculate the mean value and count of records for each group. The mean value of Ireland, Japan, China are 5234.4765, 4331.2698, 883.6944.

## part2 More data exploration analysis

```
setDT(hdro_data)

# Calculate the average Human Development Index (HDI)
# for each country and year
average_HDI_by_country <- hdro_data[index_name ==
  "Human Development Index",
  .(average_HDI = mean(value,
    na.rm = TRUE)),
  keyby = .(country_name, year)]

# Identify the latest year of data for each country
```

```

latest_year_idx <- average_HDI_by_country[, .I[year == max(year)],
                                             by = country_name]$V1

latest_HDI_by_country <- average_HDI_by_country[latest_year_idx][
  order(-average_HDI)]

average_HDI_by_country

```

Key: <country\_name, year>

	country_name	year	average_HDI
	<fctr>	<int>	<num>
1:	Ireland	1990	6175.0917
2:	Ireland	1991	6284.7792
3:	Ireland	1992	6369.4932
4:	Ireland	1993	6537.3030
5:	Ireland	1994	6917.5000
6:	Ireland	1995	7490.5770
7:	Ireland	1996	8023.0878
8:	Ireland	1997	8691.4825
9:	Ireland	1998	9290.3662
10:	Ireland	1999	9900.1390
11:	Ireland	2000	10669.5450
12:	Ireland	2001	10826.5572
13:	Ireland	2002	11074.6342
14:	Ireland	2003	11537.6292
15:	Ireland	2004	12169.5342
16:	Ireland	2005	12622.5552
17:	Ireland	2006	13055.0710
18:	Ireland	2007	13189.1900
19:	Ireland	2008	12354.0122
20:	Ireland	2009	11220.5382
21:	Ireland	2010	11426.1793
22:	Ireland	2011	11134.8978
23:	Ireland	2012	10994.0742
24:	Ireland	2013	11515.0302
25:	Ireland	2014	12443.3267
26:	Ireland	2015	13787.0850
27:	Ireland	2016	14735.1433
28:	Ireland	2017	15529.1108
29:	Ireland	2018	16269.8488
30:	Ireland	2019	16941.0940
31:	Ireland	2020	17305.4448

32:	Ireland	2021	19766.3380
33:	Ireland	2022	17517.6026
34:	Japan	1990	8299.8805
35:	Japan	1991	8559.9460
36:	Japan	1992	8617.7405
37:	Japan	1993	8552.8302
38:	Japan	1994	8613.9682
39:	Japan	1995	8820.8795
40:	Japan	1996	9109.4390
41:	Japan	1997	9186.5217
42:	Japan	1998	9038.8560
43:	Japan	1999	8991.5300
44:	Japan	2000	9244.2620
45:	Japan	2001	9267.9825
46:	Japan	2002	9241.3002
47:	Japan	2003	9377.2375
48:	Japan	2004	9608.4237
49:	Japan	2005	9807.1517
50:	Japan	2006	9978.0212
51:	Japan	2007	10151.6770
52:	Japan	2008	9981.5175
53:	Japan	2009	9403.8337
54:	Japan	2010	9798.8288
55:	Japan	2011	9839.3405
56:	Japan	2012	9975.6358
57:	Japan	2013	10254.9517
58:	Japan	2014	10325.4860
59:	Japan	2015	10524.8742
60:	Japan	2016	10566.3477
61:	Japan	2017	10772.4095
62:	Japan	2018	10865.3865
63:	Japan	2019	10847.2157
64:	Japan	2020	10389.6390
65:	Japan	2021	10780.2738
66:	Japan	2022	8756.1618
67:	China	1990	376.5030
68:	China	1991	403.7172
69:	China	1992	452.9095
70:	China	1993	506.9002
71:	China	1994	565.3340
72:	China	1995	611.2890
73:	China	1996	663.9145
74:	China	1997	717.9883



75:	China	1998	762.6985
76:	China	1999	814.5865
77:	China	2000	876.0490
78:	China	2001	938.7942
79:	China	2002	1019.4932
80:	China	2003	1116.7580
81:	China	2004	1224.2115
82:	China	2005	1347.8358
83:	China	2006	1515.4725
84:	China	2007	1725.9025
85:	China	2008	1887.9455
86:	China	2009	2037.7178
87:	China	2010	2235.4358
88:	China	2011	2421.4490
89:	China	2012	2610.8107
90:	China	2013	2777.3675
91:	China	2014	2991.0213
92:	China	2015	3162.6370
93:	China	2016	3357.8415
94:	China	2017	3581.0648
95:	China	2018	3792.0033
96:	China	2019	4008.6277
97:	China	2020	4067.3083
98:	China	2021	4400.1743
99:	China	2022	3640.3598

	country_name	year	average_HDI
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```
latest_HDI_by_country
```

Key: <country\_name, year>

	country_name	year	average_HDI
	<fctr>	<int>	<num>
1:	Ireland	2022	17517.603
2:	Japan	2022	8756.162
3:	China	2022	3640.360

## Explanation

Above is the average Human Development Index (HDI) for each country and year and the latest year of data for each country.

## part2 More data exploration analysis

```
gender_inequality_index <- hdro_data[index_name ==  
  "Gender Inequality Index",  
  .(mean_value = mean(  
    value, na.rm = TRUE)),  
  keyby = .(country_name, year)]  
  
gender_inequality_index[, prev_value := shift(mean_value),  
  by = country_name]  
  
gender_inequality_index[, change := mean_value - prev_value]  
print(gender_inequality_index)
```

Key: <country\_name, year>

	country_name	year	mean_value	prev_value	change
	<fctr>	<int>	<num>	<num>	<num>
1:	Ireland	1990	43.91563	NA	NA
2:	Ireland	1991	44.42612	43.91563	0.5105000
3:	Ireland	1992	44.70575	44.42612	0.2796250
4:	Ireland	1993	44.93212	44.70575	0.2263750
5:	Ireland	1994	45.37050	44.93212	0.4383750
6:	Ireland	1995	45.82850	45.37050	0.4580000
7:	Ireland	1996	46.37788	45.82850	0.5493750
8:	Ireland	1997	47.21425	46.37788	0.8363750
9:	Ireland	1998	47.93337	47.21425	0.7191250
10:	Ireland	1999	48.56712	47.93337	0.6337500
11:	Ireland	2000	49.36538	48.56712	0.7982500
12:	Ireland	2001	49.69513	49.36538	0.3297500
13:	Ireland	2002	49.71637	49.69513	0.0212500
14:	Ireland	2003	50.26725	49.71637	0.5508750
15:	Ireland	2004	50.67225	50.26725	0.4050000
16:	Ireland	2005	51.51250	50.67225	0.8402500
17:	Ireland	2006	51.76313	51.51250	0.2506250
18:	Ireland	2007	52.63113	51.76313	0.8680000
19:	Ireland	2008	52.42200	52.63113	-0.2091250
20:	Ireland	2009	51.76387	52.42200	-0.6581250
21:	Ireland	2010	51.09350	51.76387	-0.6703750
22:	Ireland	2011	51.35788	51.09350	0.2643750
23:	Ireland	2012	51.21125	51.35788	-0.1466250

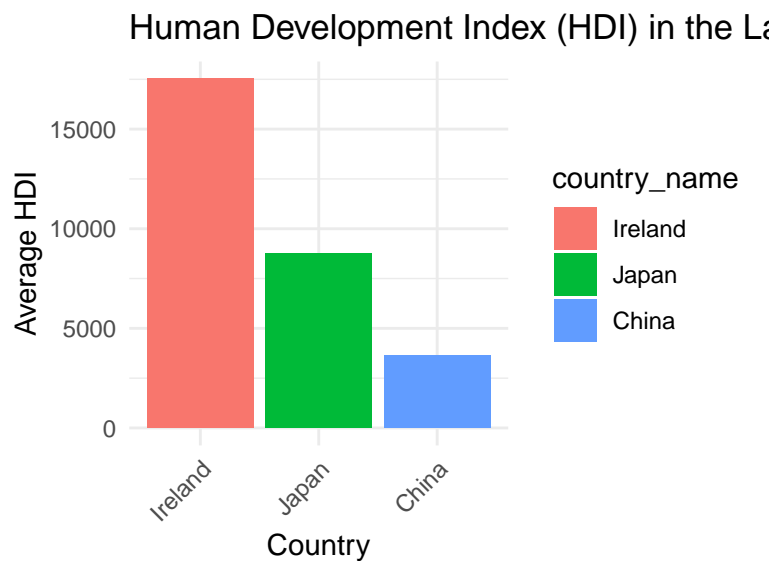
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25:	Ireland	2014	51.01650	51.12050	-0.1040000
26:	Ireland	2015	51.09887	51.01650	0.0823750
27:	Ireland	2016	51.06700	51.09887	-0.0318750
28:	Ireland	2017	51.07975	51.06700	0.0127500
29:	Ireland	2018	51.19013	51.07975	0.1103750
30:	Ireland	2019	51.28800	51.19013	0.0978750
31:	Ireland	2020	51.04050	51.28800	-0.2475000
32:	Ireland	2021	51.59225	51.04050	0.5517500
33:	Ireland	2022	48.41878	51.59225	-3.1734722
34:	Japan	1990	47.60575	NA	NA
35:	Japan	1991	48.04800	47.60575	0.4422500
36:	Japan	1992	48.45225	48.04800	0.4042500
37:	Japan	1993	48.72575	48.45225	0.2735000
38:	Japan	1994	48.92912	48.72575	0.2033750
39:	Japan	1995	49.36325	48.92912	0.4341250
40:	Japan	1996	49.52600	49.36325	0.1627500
41:	Japan	1997	49.86725	49.52600	0.3412500
42:	Japan	1998	50.06625	49.86725	0.1990000
43:	Japan	1999	50.21063	50.06625	0.1443750
44:	Japan	2000	50.37300	50.21063	0.1623750
45:	Japan	2001	50.46462	50.37300	0.0916250
46:	Japan	2002	50.45263	50.46462	-0.0120000
47:	Japan	2003	50.49225	50.45263	0.0396250
48:	Japan	2004	50.56387	50.49225	0.0716250
49:	Japan	2005	50.71300	50.56387	0.1491250
50:	Japan	2006	50.83700	50.71300	0.1240000
51:	Japan	2007	50.97187	50.83700	0.1348750
52:	Japan	2008	51.11175	50.97187	0.1398750
53:	Japan	2009	51.20237	51.11175	0.0906250
54:	Japan	2010	51.27213	51.20237	0.0697500
55:	Japan	2011	51.50075	51.27213	0.2286250
56:	Japan	2012	51.76112	51.50075	0.2603750
57:	Japan	2013	52.15088	51.76112	0.3897500
58:	Japan	2014	52.54125	52.15088	0.3903750
59:	Japan	2015	52.83250	52.54125	0.2912500
60:	Japan	2016	53.00037	52.83250	0.1678750
61:	Japan	2017	53.15713	53.00037	0.1567500
62:	Japan	2018	53.46475	53.15713	0.3076250
63:	Japan	2019	53.53925	53.46475	0.0745000
64:	Japan	2020	53.62438	53.53925	0.0851250
65:	Japan	2021	53.66887	53.62438	0.0445000
66:	Japan	2022	50.22233	53.66887	-3.4465417

67:	China	1990	57.86683	NA	NA
68:	China	1991	54.43017	57.86683	-3.4366667
69:	China	1992	54.70650	54.43017	0.2763333
70:	China	1993	52.82500	54.70650	-1.8815000
71:	China	1994	52.49450	52.82500	-0.3305000
72:	China	1995	52.62933	52.49450	0.1348333
73:	China	1996	51.36200	52.62933	-1.2673333
74:	China	1997	51.29050	51.36200	-0.0715000
75:	China	1998	51.10675	51.29050	-0.1837500
76:	China	1999	51.82850	51.10675	0.7217500
77:	China	2000	53.53887	51.82850	1.7103750
78:	China	2001	51.43250	53.53887	-2.1063750
79:	China	2002	51.51900	51.43250	0.0865000
80:	China	2003	50.40212	51.51900	-1.1168750
81:	China	2004	51.40925	50.40212	1.0071250
82:	China	2005	51.45062	51.40925	0.0413750
83:	China	2006	51.44950	51.45062	-0.0011250
84:	China	2007	51.56600	51.44950	0.1165000
85:	China	2008	51.89600	51.56600	0.3300000
86:	China	2009	51.85800	51.89600	-0.0380000
87:	China	2010	52.69138	51.85800	0.8333750
88:	China	2011	51.97513	52.69138	-0.7162500
89:	China	2012	52.17012	51.97513	0.1950000
90:	China	2013	52.67638	52.17012	0.5062500
91:	China	2014	52.95038	52.67638	0.2740000
92:	China	2015	53.45613	52.95038	0.5057500
93:	China	2016	53.39462	53.45613	-0.0615000
94:	China	2017	53.37588	53.39462	-0.0187500
95:	China	2018	53.33450	53.37588	-0.0413750
96:	China	2019	53.59150	53.33450	0.2570000
97:	China	2020	53.50700	53.59150	-0.0845000
98:	China	2021	53.55800	53.50700	0.0510000
99:	China	2022	52.84022	53.55800	-0.7177778
	country_name	year	mean_value	prev_value	change

## part3 Plot of HDI

```
library(ggplot2)

# barplot
ggplot(latest_HDI_by_country, aes(x = reorder(country_name, -average_HDI), y = average_HDI)) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity") +
  labs(title = "Human Development Index (HDI) in the Latest Recorded Year by Country",
       x = "Country",
       y = "Average HDI") +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 45, hjust = 1))
```



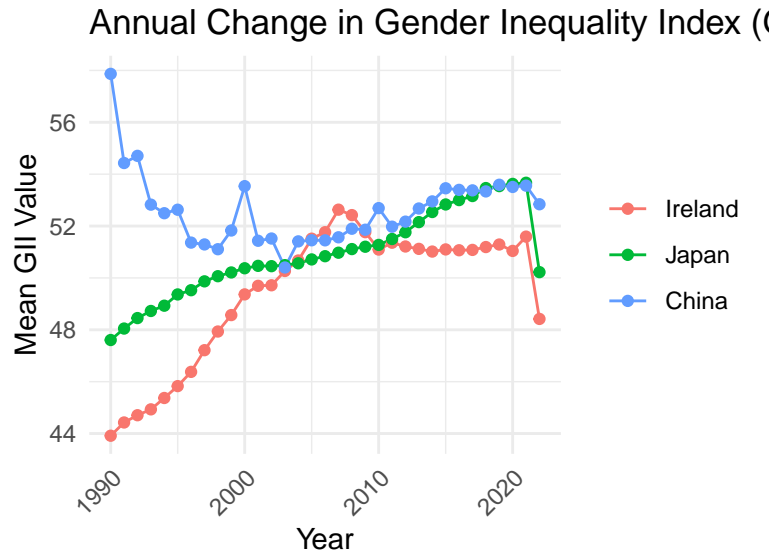
## Explanation

The bar graph titled “Human Development Index (HDI) in the Latest Recorded Year by Country” compares the average HDI for Ireland, Japan, and China. It shows Ireland with an anomalously high HDI around 15,000, followed by Japan at about 7,500, and China at around 5,000. These values are unusually high for HDI, which typically ranges between 0 and 1, suggesting a potential error in data scaling or representation. The graph uses distinct colors for each country, facilitating easy visual comparison, but caution is advised in interpreting these results due to the likely data error.

## part3 Plot of GII

```
library(ggplot2)

# Plot a line graph to display the changes in the Gender Inequality Index (GII) for the th
ggplot(gender_inequality_index, aes(x = year, y = mean_value, color = country_name, group
geom_line() +
geom_point() +
labs(title = "Annual Change in Gender Inequality Index (GII) for JPN, CHN, and IRL",
      x = "Year",
      y = "Mean GII Value") +
theme_minimal() +
theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 45, hjust = 1),
      legend.title = element_blank())
```



## Explanation

The line graph titled “Annual Change in Gender Inequality Index (GII) for JPN, CHN, and IRL” shows the trends in GII values for Japan, China, and Ireland from 1990 to around 2020. Japan exhibits a generally upward trend with some volatility, indicating a slow increase in gender inequality over the years. China’s GII also shows a steady increase, suggesting worsening gender inequality. In contrast, Ireland’s GII initially increases but shows a dramatic drop around 2020, suggesting a significant improvement in gender equality in that year.