

R and the tidyverse  
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- ▶ Well-developed graphical facilities
- ▶ A programming language

## Why use R (and Python)?

- ▶ R: standard for data analysis, modeling, graphics
- ▶ High-quality, powerful, flexible, extensible
- ▶ International community (including here!)
- ▶ Platform independent (Mac OSX, Windows, Linux/Unix)
- ▶ Free + Open Source
- ▶ Reads `.xlsx`, `.dta`, `.csv`, `.txt`, `.json`, ...
- ▶ Interfaces with C, C++, Ruby, Java, Python, Unix, ...
- ▶ Command line (Mac OS Terminal prompt),  
Windows/Mac/Linux GUIs
- ▶ RStudio: excellent IDE (code, plots, etc. 1 window;  
GitHub)
- ▶ Let R teach you R: `swirl`

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```
example(mean)
```

```
##  
## mean> x <- c(0:10, 50)  
##  
## mean> xm <- mean(x)  
##  
## mean> c(xm, mean(x, trim = 0.10))  
## [1] 8.75 5.50
```

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### ▶ Courses and references

- ▶ `rseek.org` (custom Google search)
- ▶ `CRANsearcher` (RStudio add-in for pkgs)
- ▶ Lynda.com video courses through AU Portal
- ▶ Many good books and documents: Cookbook, Intro Statistics, Student Companion, Graphics, Mapping, Programming, Short Ref Card, ...
- ▶ Wickham and Grolemund (2017)

# R Functions

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function(arg1, arg2, ...){  
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```
mean(1:4)
```

```
## [1] 2.5
```

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```
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```
## function (x, na.rm = FALSE, ...)
```

```
## NULL
```



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```
median(1:3)
```

```
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```
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```

```
median(TRUE, x)
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

## Some Useful Functions

Managing the workspace:

```
# Get the working directory ("Where am I?"):  
getwd()
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```
## [1] "/Users/rtm/Documents/github/winter-inst/01-intro"
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setwd("~/Desktop/")
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```

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```
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```
## [1] "/Users/rtm/Documents/github/winter-inst" 69 / 256
```

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Managing the workspace:

```
# List objects in working dir:
```

```
ls()
```

```
## [1] "a"    "b"    "tmp"  "us"   "x"    "xm"
```

```
# Remove `x' from working dir:
```

```
rm(x)
```

```
# Remove everything from working dir:
```

```
# rm(list = ls())
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Better, start a fresh session to *really* reset environment:

RStudio - Session - Restart R

Mac: Shift - Cmd - F10

## Some Useful Mathematical Functions

```
5 + 2
```

```
## [1] 7
```

```
5 - 2
```

```
## [1] 3
```

```
5 * 2
```

```
## [1] 10
```

```
5 / 2
```

```
## [1] 2.5
```



## Some Useful Mathematical Functions

```
5 ^ 2
```

```
## [1] 25
```

```
sqrt(25)
```

```
## [1] 5
```

```
20 %% 3
```

```
## [1] 2
```

## Some Useful Mathematical Functions and Values

```
pi
```

```
## [1] 3.141593
```

```
abs(-3)
```

```
## [1] 3
```

```
exp(1)
```

```
## [1] 2.718282
```

```
log(exp(2))
```

```
## [1] 2
```

```
sin(pi / 2)
```

```
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# Logicals

```
TRUE
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```
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```
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```

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```

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```
c(1, 2) > c(1, 3)
```

```
## [1] FALSE FALSE
```

```
c(1, 2) <= c(1, 3)
```

```
## [1] TRUE TRUE
```

```
c(1, 2) >= c(1, 3)
```

```
## [1] TRUE FALSE
```

## How to Write a New Function

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```

```
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```

```
## [1] 8 2
```



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```
## [1] 22 -18
```

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```
sumDiff(1, "yes")
```

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```
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```

```
## Error in num1 + num2: non-numeric argument
```

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↪ categorical vars: stored as numeric, but w/  
char label

↪ great for statistical modeling (auto  
indicators, e.g.)

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- ▶ Scalar
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- ▶ Matrix



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- ▶ List (flexible storage; regression output)

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## [1] TRUE
```

```
is.numeric(x)
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

```
is.character(x)
```



## What is this thing?

```
x <- 1:4  
is.vector(x)
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

```
is.numeric(x)
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

```
is.character(x)
```

```
## [1] FALSE
```

What is this thing?

```
y <- c("a", "hello")  
is.vector(y)
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```
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```

```
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```

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```

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```



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```
isNAz
```

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```

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isNAz
```

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```

```
sum(isNAz)
```

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```

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isNAz
```

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```

```
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```

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isNAz
```

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```

```
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```

```
mean(isNAz)
```

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```

```
isNAz
```

```
## [1] FALSE FALSE FALSE  TRUE
```

```
sum(isNAz)
```

```
## [1] 1
```

```
mean(isNAz)
```

```
## [1] 0.25
```

## What is this thing?

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z <- c(1, 2, 3, NA)
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```

```
isNAz
```

```
## [1] FALSE FALSE FALSE  TRUE
```

```
sum(isNAz)
```

```
## [1] 1
```

```
mean(isNAz)
```

```
## [1] 0.25
```

```
("coercion")
```

## Data from Where?

- ▶ From the keyboard
- ▶ From within a package
- ▶ From `.RData` file
- ▶ From a local `.txt`, `.csv`, `.dta`, `.xlsx`, etc. file
- ▶ From a remote file on the web
- ▶ From remote HTML

## Data: Extracting and Assigning Vector Elements

```
y <- c(20, 20, 30, 70, 10)
x <- c(10, 20, 30, 40, 25)
x[2]
```



## Data: Extracting and Assigning Vector Elements

```
y <- c(20, 20, 30, 70, 10)
x <- c(10, 20, 30, 40, 25)
x[2]
```

```
## [1] 20
```

## Data: Extracting and Assigning Vector Elements

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y <- c(20, 20, 30, 70, 10)
x <- c(10, 20, 30, 40, 25)
x[2]
```

```
## [1] 20
```

```
y[3:5]
```

## Data: Extracting and Assigning Vector Elements

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x[2]
```

```
## [1] 20
```

```
y[3:5]
```

```
## [1] 30 70 10
```

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x[2]
```

```
## [1] 20
```

```
y[3:5]
```

```
## [1] 30 70 10
```

```
x[c(1, 5)]
```

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y <- c(20, 20, 30, 70, 10)
x <- c(10, 20, 30, 40, 25)
x[2]
```

```
## [1] 20
```

```
y[3:5]
```

```
## [1] 30 70 10
```

```
x[c(1, 5)]
```

```
## [1] 10 25
```

## Data: Extracting and Assigning Vector Elements

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y <- c(20, 20, 30, 70, 10)
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x[2]
```

```
## [1] 20
```

```
y[3:5]
```

```
## [1] 30 70 10
```

```
x[c(1, 5)]
```

```
## [1] 10 25
```

```
x[3] <- 100
x
```

## Data: Extracting and Assigning Vector Elements

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y <- c(20, 20, 30, 70, 10)
x <- c(10, 20, 30, 40, 25)
x[2]
```

```
## [1] 20
```

```
y[3:5]
```

```
## [1] 30 70 10
```

```
x[c(1, 5)]
```

```
## [1] 10 25
```

```
x[3] <- 100
x
```

```
## [1] 10 20 100 40 25
```

## Data: Extracting and Assigning Matrix Elements

```
m <- matrix(c(20, 20, 30, 10, 20, 30), 3, 2)
```

```
m
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]  
## [1,]   20  10  
## [2,]   20  20  
## [3,]   30  30
```



## Data: Extracting and Assigning Matrix Elements

```
m <- matrix(c(20, 20, 30, 10, 20, 30), 3, 2)
```

```
m
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]  
## [1,]   20  10  
## [2,]   20  20  
## [3,]   30  30
```

```
m[1, 2]
```

## Data: Extracting and Assigning Matrix Elements

```
m <- matrix(c(20, 20, 30, 10, 20, 30), 3, 2)
```

```
m
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]  
## [1,]   20  10  
## [2,]   20  20  
## [3,]   30  30
```

```
m[1, 2]
```

```
## [1] 10
```

## Data: Extracting and Assigning Matrix Elements

```
m <- matrix(c(20, 20, 30, 10, 20, 30), 3, 2)
```

```
m
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]  
## [1,]   20  10  
## [2,]   20  20  
## [3,]   30  30
```

```
m[1, 2]
```

```
## [1] 10
```

```
m[2, 2] <- NA
```

```
m
```

## Data: Extracting and Assigning Matrix Elements

```
m <- matrix(c(20, 20, 30, 10, 20, 30), 3, 2)
```

```
m
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]  
## [1,]   20  10  
## [2,]   20  20  
## [3,]   30  30
```

```
m[1, 2]
```

```
## [1] 10
```

```
m[2, 2] <- NA
```

```
m
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]  
## [1,]   20  10  
## [2,]   20  NA  
## [3,]   30  30
```

## Data from Keyboard, into a Data Frame

```
y <- c(20, 20, 30, 70, 10)
x <- c(10, 20, 30, 40, 25)
df <- data.frame(age = y, score = x)
```

## Data from Keyboard, into a Data Frame

```
y <- c(20, 20, 30, 70, 10)
x <- c(10, 20, 30, 40, 25)
df <- data.frame(age = y, score = x)
```

```
df
```

```
##   age score
## 1  20    10
## 2  20    20
## 3  30    30
## 4  70    40
## 5  10    25
```

## Data from Keyboard, into a Data Frame

```
df$age
```

```
## [1] 20 20 30 70 10
```

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```
df$age
```

```
## [1] 20 20 30 70 10
```

```
rownames(df)
```

```
## [1] "1" "2" "3" "4" "5"
```



## Data from Keyboard, into a Data Frame

```
df$age
```

```
## [1] 20 20 30 70 10
```

```
rownames(df)
```

```
## [1] "1" "2" "3" "4" "5"
```

```
colnames(df)
```

```
## [1] "age" "score"
```

## Data: From Keyboard, into a List

```
my_list <- list(x = 1:3, y = letters[1:5],  
               final = matrix(1:4, 2, 2))
```

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```
my_list <- list(x = 1:3, y = letters[1:5],  
               final = matrix(1:4, 2, 2))
```

```
my_list
```

```
## $x  
## [1] 1 2 3  
##  
## $y  
## [1] "a" "b" "c" "d" "e"  
##  
## $final  
##      [,1] [,2]  
## [1,]    1    3  
## [2,]    2    4
```

Data: From Keyboard, into a List

```
my_list[[1]]
```

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```
my_list[[1]]
```

```
## [1] 1 2 3
```

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```
my_list[[1]]
```

```
## [1] 1 2 3
```

```
my_list[["final"]]
```

## Data: From Keyboard, into a List

```
my_list[[1]]
```

```
## [1] 1 2 3
```

```
my_list[["final"]]
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]
```

```
## [1,]    1    3
```

```
## [2,]    2    4
```

## Data: Lists

```
my_list$x
```

```
## [1] 1 2 3
```

```
my_list$y
```

```
## [1] "a" "b" "c" "d" "e"
```



## Data: Lists

```
my_list$x
```

```
## [1] 1 2 3
```

```
my_list$y
```

```
## [1] "a" "b" "c" "d" "e"
```

A data frame is a list.

## Data from a Package

```
library(car)  
data(Chile)
```

## Data from a Package

```
library(car)  
data(Chile)
```

```
head(Chile)
```

##	region	population	sex	age	education	income	status
## 1	N	175000	M	65	P	35000	1.008
## 2	N	175000	M	29	PS	7500	-1.296
## 3	N	175000	F	38	P	15000	1.230
## 4	N	175000	F	49	P	35000	-1.031
## 5	N	175000	F	23	S	35000	-1.104
## 6	N	175000	F	28	P	7500	-1.046

## Core tidyverse Transformation Functions

# What is a Package?

An R package is an extension of R that includes

- ▶ a set of functions for users
- ▶ datasets
- ▶ demonstration code
- ▶ “background” code (in R or a compiled language)
- ▶ documentation
- ▶ metadata (authors, license, e.g.)

How do I get package `thispackage`?

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```
install.packages("thispackage")
```

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```
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```

Then,

```
library(thispackage)
```



## What is the tidyverse?

Coherent, consistent *set* of R packages for data import, manipulation, visualization, etc.

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```
install.packages("tidyverse")
```

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```
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```

```
install.packages("tidyverse")
```

```
library(tidyverse)
```

# The Core Transformation Functions

- ▶ `filter()`
- ▶ `arrange()`
- ▶ `group_by()` (and `ungroup()`)
- ▶ `select()` (and `rename()`)
- ▶ `mutate()`
- ▶ `transmute()`
- ▶ `summarise()`

## Core Transformation Funcs: Social Pressure Experiment

```
# URL is "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/kosukeimai/  
#       qss/master/CAUSALITY/social.csv"  
url <- "http://j.mp/2Et71U0"  
social <- read_csv(url)  
dim(social)
```

```
## [1] 305866      6
```

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#       qss/master/CAUSALITY/social.csv"  
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social <- read_csv(url)  
dim(social)
```

```
## [1] 305866      6
```

```
head(social, 4)
```

```
## # A tibble: 4 x 6  
##   sex      yearofbirth primary2004 messages      primary2006 hhsize  
##   <chr>      <dbl>      <dbl> <chr>      <dbl>      <dbl>  
## 1 male        1941          0 Civic Duty          0          2  
## 2 female      1947          0 Civic Duty          0          2  
## 3 male        1951          0 Hawthorne          1          3  
## 4 female      1950          0 Hawthorne          1          3
```



`filter()`

Keep only voters in households that might have interference:

## filter()

Keep only voters in households that might have interference:

```
table(social$hhsiz)
```

```
##  
##      1      2      3      4      5      6      7  
## 42524 190294 51057 18596  2955   390   42
```

## filter()

Keep only voters in households that might have interference:

```
table(social$hysize)
```

```
##  
##      1      2      3      4      5      6      7  
## 42524 190294 51057 18596  2955   390   42
```

```
df_interf <- filter(social, hysize > 1)  
dim(df_interf)
```

```
## [1] 263342      6
```

`filter()`

Keep only non-voters who might be subject to interference:

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```
filter(social, (hhsiz > 1) & (primary 2004 == 0))
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```
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```

```
## Error: <text>:1:40: unexpected numeric constant
## 1: filter(social, (hhsiz > 1) & (primary 2004
##                                     ^
```

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```

```
## Error: <text>:1:40: unexpected numeric constant
## 1: filter(social, (hysize > 1) & (primary 2004
##                                     ^
```

```
filter(social, (hysize > 1) & (primary2004 == 0))
```

```
## # A tibble: 161,275 x 6
```

```
##   sex      yearofbirth primary2004 messages      primary2006 hhsi
##   <chr>         <dbl>         <dbl> <chr>         <dbl>    <dbl>
## 1 male          1941             0 Civic Duty         0
## 2 female        1947             0 Civic Duty         0
## 3 male          1951             0 Hawthorne          1
## 4 female        1950             0 Hawthorne          1
## 5 female        1982             0 Hawthorne          1
## 6 male          1981             0 Control            0
## 7 female        1959             0 Control            0
```

`arrange()`

Sort by birth year, then household size



## arrange()

Sort by birth year, then household size

```
arrange(social, yearofbirth, hhsize)
```

```
## # A tibble: 305,866 x 6
##   sex      yearofbirth primary2004 messages  primary2006 hhsize
##   <chr>         <dbl>         <dbl> <chr>         <dbl>   <dbl>
## 1 female      1900             0 Control             0       1
## 2 female      1900             0 Control             0       2
## 3 male        1900             1 Control             0       2
## 4 male        1900             1 Control             1       2
## 5 female      1900             0 Hawthorne            0       2
## 6 female      1900             1 Control             1       3
## 7 female      1902             1 Control             0       1
## 8 female      1902             1 Control             0       3
## 9 male        1903             1 Control             0       1
## 10 female     1904             0 Control             0       1
## # ... with 305,856 more rows
```

```
# social %>% arrange(yearofbirth, hhsize)
```

`mutate()`

Create new variable (`under_30`), TRUE/FALSE

## mutate()

Create new variable (under\_30), TRUE/FALSE

```
social %>% mutate(under_30 = yearofbirth > 1976)
```

```
## # A tibble: 305,866 x 7
##   sex      yearofbirth primary2004 messages    primary2006 hhsize under_30
##   <chr>      <dbl>      <dbl> <chr>      <dbl>    <dbl> <lgl>
## 1 male        1941          0 Civic Duty      0        2 FALSE
## 2 female      1947          0 Civic Duty      0        2 FALSE
## 3 male        1951          0 Hawthorne      1        3 FALSE
## 4 female      1950          0 Hawthorne      1        3 FALSE
## 5 female      1982          0 Hawthorne      1        3 TRUE
## 6 male        1981          0 Control        0        3 TRUE
## 7 female      1959          0 Control        1        3 FALSE
## 8 male        1956          0 Control        1        3 FALSE
## 9 female      1968          0 Control        0        2 FALSE
## 10 male       1967          0 Control        0        2 FALSE
## # ... with 305,856 more rows
```

## mutate()

Create new variable (under\_30), TRUE/FALSE

```
social %>% mutate(under_30 = yearofbirth > 1976)
```

```
## # A tibble: 305,866 x 7
##   sex      yearofbirth primary2004 messages      primary2006 hhsize under_30
##   <chr>         <dbl>         <dbl> <chr>         <dbl>   <dbl> <lgl>
## 1 male          1941             0 Civic Duty      0         2 FALSE
## 2 female        1947             0 Civic Duty      0         2 FALSE
## 3 male          1951             0 Hawthorne       1         3 FALSE
## 4 female        1950             0 Hawthorne       1         3 FALSE
## 5 female        1982             0 Hawthorne       1         3 TRUE
## 6 male          1981             0 Control         0         3 TRUE
## 7 female        1959             0 Control         1         3 FALSE
## 8 male          1956             0 Control         1         3 FALSE
## 9 female        1968             0 Control         0         2 FALSE
## 10 male         1967             0 Control         0         2 FALSE
## # ... with 305,856 more rows
```

(There is also `recode()`.)

`mutate_all()`, `mutate_at()`, `mutate_if()`

```
soc_numeric <- select(social, -sex, -messages)
```

```
mutate_all(), mutate_at(), mutate_if()
```

```
soc_numeric <- select(social, -sex, -messages)
```

```
# Halve every column's values:
```

```
divide_by_two <- function(x){x / 2}
```

```
mutate_all(soc_numeric, divide_by_two)
```

```
## # A tibble: 305,866 x 4
```

```
##   yearofbirth primary2004 primary2006 hhsize
```

```
##           <dbl>         <dbl>         <dbl>  <dbl>
```

```
## 1         970.           0           0       1
```

```
## 2         974.           0           0       1
```

```
## 3         976.           0           0.5     1.5
```

```
## 4         975           0           0.5     1.5
```

```
## 5         991           0           0.5     1.5
```

```
## 6         990.           0           0       1.5
```

```
## 7         980.           0           0.5     1.5
```

```
## 8         978           0           0.5     1.5
```

```
## 9         984           0           0       1
```

```
mutate_all(), mutate_at(), mutate_if()
```

```
# Double values of columns:
```

```
mult_by_two <- function(x){x * 2}
```

```
mutate_at(soc_numeric, c(2, 3), mult_by_two)
```

```
## # A tibble: 305,866 x 4
```

```
##   yearofbirth primary2004 primary2006 hhsize
```

```
##           <dbl>         <dbl>         <dbl>  <dbl>
```

```
## 1      1941           0           0      2
```

```
## 2      1947           0           0      2
```

```
## 3      1951           0           2      3
```

```
## 4      1950           0           2      3
```

```
## 5      1982           0           2      3
```

```
## 6      1981           0           0      3
```

```
## 7      1959           0           2      3
```

```
## 8      1956           0           2      3
```

```
## 9      1968           0           0      2
```

```
## 10     1967           0           0      2
```

```
## # ... with 305,856 more rows
```

`mutate_all()`, `mutate_at()`, `mutate_if()`

What does this do?

```
mutate_at(soc_numeric, vars(matches("primary")),  
          mult_by_two)
```



```
mutate_all(), mutate_at(), mutate_if()
```

What does this do?

```
mutate_at(soc_numeric, vars(matches("primary")),  
          mult_by_two)
```

```
## # A tibble: 305,866 x 4  
##   yearofbirth primary2004 primary2006 hhsize  
##       <dbl>         <dbl>         <dbl> <dbl>  
## 1      1941             0             0      2  
## 2      1947             0             0      2  
## 3      1951             0             2      3  
## 4      1950             0             2      3  
## 5      1982             0             2      3  
## 6      1981             0             0      3  
## 7      1959             0             2      3  
## 8      1956             0             2      3  
## 9      1968             0             0      2  
## 10     1967             0             0      2
```

`mutate_all()`, `mutate_at()`, `mutate_if()`

What does this do?

```
mutate_if(social, is.numeric, mean)
```

```
mutate_all(), mutate_at(), mutate_if()
```

What does this do?

```
mutate_if(social, is.numeric, mean)
```

```
## # A tibble: 305,866 x 6
```

```
##   sex      yearofbirth primary2004 messages      primary2006
```

```
##   <chr>         <dbl>         <dbl> <chr>         <dbl>
```

```
## 1 male      1956.         0.401 Civic Duty      0.312
```

```
## 2 female    1956.         0.401 Civic Duty      0.312
```

```
## 3 male      1956.         0.401 Hawthorne        0.312
```

```
## 4 female    1956.         0.401 Hawthorne        0.312
```

```
## 5 female    1956.         0.401 Hawthorne        0.312
```

```
## 6 male      1956.         0.401 Control          0.312
```

```
## 7 female    1956.         0.401 Control          0.312
```

```
## 8 male      1956.         0.401 Control          0.312
```

```
## 9 female    1956.         0.401 Control          0.312
```

```
## 10 male     1956.         0.401 Control          0.312
```

```
## # ... with 305,856 more rows
```

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Useful for recoding, if want values of a function:

```
is_CD <- function(x){ x == "Civic Duty"}  
mutate_at(social, vars(matches("messages")), is_CD)
```

## # A tibble: 305,866 x 6

##	sex	yearofbirth	primary2004	messages	primary2006
##	<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>	<lgl>	<dbl>
##	1 male	1941	0	TRUE	0
##	2 female	1947	0	TRUE	0
##	3 male	1951	0	FALSE	1
##	4 female	1950	0	FALSE	1
##	5 female	1982	0	FALSE	1
##	6 male	1981	0	FALSE	0
##	7 female	1959	0	FALSE	0

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```

```
## # A tibble: 305,866 x 1
##       age
##   <dbl>
## 1     65
## 2     59
## 3     55
## 4     56
## 5     24
## 6     25
## 7     47
## 8     50
## 9     38
## 10    39
## # ... with 305,856 more rows
```



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```

```
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          avg_age = mean(2006 - yearofbirth))
```

```
## # A tibble: 305,866 x 2  
## # Groups:   messages [4]  
##   messages    avg_age  
##   <chr>         <dbl>  
## 1 Civic Duty    49.7  
## 2 Civic Duty    49.7  
## 3 Hawthorne     49.7  
## 4 Hawthorne     49.7  
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```

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What information does this provide about the experiment?

select()

```
select(social, yearofbirth, messages, primary2006) # or  
social %>% select(yearofbirth, messages, primary2006)
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```
## # A tibble: 305,866 x 3
```

```
##   yearofbirth messages   primary2006
```

```
##           <dbl> <chr>           <dbl>
```

```
## 1         1941 Civic Duty             0
```

```
## 2         1947 Civic Duty             0
```

```
## 3         1951 Hawthorne             1
```

```
## 4         1950 Hawthorne             1
```

```
## 5         1982 Hawthorne             1
```

```
## 6         1981 Control                0
```

```
## 7         1959 Control                1
```

```
## 8         1956 Control                1
```

```
## 9         1968 Control                0
```

```
## 10        1967 Control                0
```

```
## # ... with 305,856 more rows
```

## Other Common Transformation Functions



## Other Common Transformation Functions: `slice()`

```
slice(social, 1000:1004)
```

```
## # A tibble: 5 x 6
```

```
##   sex      yearofbirth primary2004 messages  primary2006 l
```

```
##   <chr>          <dbl>          <dbl> <chr>          <dbl>
```

```
## 1 male          1955              1 Neighbors      1
```

```
## 2 female        1952              0 Control       1
```

```
## 3 male          1947              1 Control       1
```

```
## 4 female        1985              0 Hawthorne     0
```

```
## 5 male          1956              0 Hawthorne     0
```

## Other Common Transformation Functions: `slice()`

```
slice(social, n())
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 x 6
```

```
##   sex      yearofbirth primary2004 messages primary2006 hl
```

```
##   <chr>      <dbl>      <dbl> <chr>      <dbl> <
```

```
## 1 female      1949          1 Control          1
```

## Other Common Transformation Functions:

`sample_n()`, `sample_frac()`

```
sample_n(social, 4)
```

```
## # A tibble: 4 x 6
```

```
##   sex      yearofbirth primary2004 messages  primary2006 h
```

```
##   <chr>          <dbl>          <dbl> <chr>          <dbl> <
```

```
## 1 male          1980              1 Control          0
```

```
## 2 male          1986              0 Neighbors          0
```

```
## 3 male          1971              0 Control          0
```

```
## 4 male          1961              0 Control          0
```

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```
sample_frac(social, 0.00001)
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 6
```

##	sex	yearofbirth	primary2004	messages	primary2006
##	<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>	<chr>	<dbl>
## 1	female	1956	1	Control	0
## 2	male	1950	0	Civic Duty	0
## 3	male	1945	1	Neighbors	0

## Other Common Transformation Functions: `distinct()`

```
social_distinct <- distinct(social)  
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$(100 \text{ yrs}) \cdot (4 \text{ msgs}) \cdot (4 \text{ votes}) \cdot (2 \text{ sex}) \cdot (3 \text{ HHsize}) = 9600$

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To be able to reorder *depends* on functions all

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- ▶ producing output of same type as input

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(For similar missing data example, see Amelia.)

## Helper Functions

## Helpers for `select()`-ing Variables

- ▶ `contains()`
- ▶ `starts_with()`, `ends_with()`
- ▶ `matches()`
- ▶ `num_range()`
- ▶ `one_of()`
- ▶ `everything()`

## Helpers for `select()`-ing Variables

```
social %>% select(contains("s")) %>% slice(1:2) # literal
```

```
## # A tibble: 2 x 3  
##   sex      messages  hhsize  
##   <chr>   <chr>      <dbl>  
## 1 male    Civic Duty      2  
## 2 female Civic Duty      2
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```
social %>% select(starts_with("primary")) %>% slice(1:2)
```

```
## # A tibble: 2 x 2
##   primary2004 primary2006
##         <dbl>         <dbl>
## 1           0           0
## 2           0           0
```

## Helpers for `select()`-ing Variables

```
social %>% select(ends_with("size")) %>% slice(1:2)
```

```
## # A tibble: 2 x 1
```

```
##   hhsize
```

```
##   <dbl>
```

```
## 1     2
```

```
## 2     2
```

## Helpers for `select()`-ing Variables

```
social %>% select(ends_with("size")) %>% slice(1:2)
```

```
## # A tibble: 2 x 1
##   hhsize
##   <dbl>
## 1     2
## 2     2
```

```
social %>% select(matches(".00.")) %>% slice(1:2) # regex
```

```
## # A tibble: 2 x 2
##   primary2004 primary2006
##   <dbl>         <dbl>
## 1         0           0
## 2         0           0
```



## Helpers for `select()`-ing Variables

```
social %>% select(num_range("primary", 2000:2008)) %>% slice
```

```
## # A tibble: 2 x 2
##   primary2004 primary2006
##         <dbl>         <dbl>
## 1           0           0
## 2           0           0
```

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```
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```

```
## # A tibble: 2 x 2
##   primary2004 primary2006
##         <dbl>         <dbl>
## 1             0             0
## 2             0             0
```

But

```
social %>% select(num_range("primary", 2000:2005)) %>% slice
```

```
## # A tibble: 2 x 1
##   primary2004
##         <dbl>
## 1             0
## 2             0
```

## Helpers for `select()`-ing Variables

```
social %>% select(one_of(c("sex", "hhsize"))) %>% slice(1:2)
```

```
## # A tibble: 2 x 2
```

```
##   sex      hhsize
```

```
##   <chr>    <dbl>
```

```
## 1 male      2
```

```
## 2 female    2
```

## Helpers for `select()`-ing Variables

```
social %>% select(primary2006, messages, everything()) %>%  
  slice(1:9)
```

```
## # A tibble: 9 x 6  
##   primary2006 messages    sex   yearofbirth primary2004  
##         <dbl> <chr>      <chr>         <dbl>         <dbl>  
## 1           0 Civic Duty male           1941           0  
## 2           0 Civic Duty female          1947           0  
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## 4           1 Hawthorne female          1950           0  
## 5           1 Hawthorne female          1982           0  
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## 7           1 Control    female          1959           0  
## 8           1 Control    male           1956           0  
## 9           0 Control    female          1968           0
```

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```
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  slice(1:9)
```

```
## # A tibble: 9 x 6  
##   primary2006 messages    sex   yearofbirth primary2004  
##         <dbl> <chr>      <chr>         <dbl>         <dbl>  
## 1           0 Civic Duty male         1941           0  
## 2           0 Civic Duty female        1947           0  
## 3           1 Hawthorne male         1951           0  
## 4           1 Hawthorne female        1950           0  
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## 8           1 Control    male         1956           0  
## 9           0 Control    female        1968           0
```

(Use `select()` as the `arrange()` of columns.)

## Helpers for `mutate()`

- ▶ Offsets
- ▶ Cumulative aggregates
- ▶ Ranking functions

## Viewing the Data

- ▶ `df`
- ▶ `View(df)`
- ▶ `as.data.frame(tbl)`
- ▶ `tbl %>% as.data.frame()`

## Recently, at The Lab... preprocessing

```
df_outcomes <- df_outcomes %>%  
  rename(ic_case_id = "IC# (Household)",  
         pdc_number = "TANF PDC Case #",  
         pdc_status = "PDC Current Status",  
         renewal_date = "Renewal Date",  
         )
```



## Recently, at The Lab...

```
df_arrest <- df_arrest %>%  
  rename(age = Age,  
         race = `Defendant Race`)  
  
df_stop <- df_stop %>%  
  rename(age = `Subject Age`,  
         race = `Subject_Race`)
```

Recently, at The Lab...

```
df_stop$sex <- recode(df_stop$sex,  
                      Female = "F", Male = "M")  
  
df_stop$sex <- na_if(df_stop$sex, "Unknown")
```

## Recently, at The Lab... deduplication

```
final_baseline_data <- final_baseline_data %>%  
  filter(!((ic_case_id == 1234) & (pdc_number == 2))) %>%  
  filter(!((ic_case_id == 5678) &  
    (address == "1600 Pennsylvania Ave NW"))) %>%  
  filter(!((ic_case_id == 6961) & (pdc_number == 9))) %>%  
  filter(!((ic_case_id == 2087) & (pdc_number == 7)))
```

## Recently, at The Lab...

```
df_only_dup_months <- df_only_duplicated %>%  
  group_by(ic_case_id) %>%  
  summarise(month_count = n_distinct(recert_month)) %>%  
  filter(month_count > 1) %>%  
  select(ic_case_id)
```

# Comparing Base R vs. the Tidyverse

Which do you prefer?

```
df[1, 3]
```

vs.

```
df %>%  
  slice(1) %>%  
  select(3)
```

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Which do you prefer?

```
select(df, x1, x2)
```

vs.

```
df %>% select(x1, x2)
```

vs.

```
df[, c("x1", "x2")]
```

# Core Transformation Functions Quiz

Suppose we have dataframe `df` with 100 rows, continuous variable `x` and categorical `y`.

Hand-write code<sup>1</sup> to

1. sort `df` by the values of `x`? (largest first)
2. create a new variable `x_sq` – the square of each row's `x` value – and attach it as a column of `df`?
3. create `df2`, which has only the rows of `df` where `x > 5`?
4. calculate the median value of `x` within categories of `y`?

---

<sup>1</sup>`filter()`, `arrange()`, `group_by()`, `ungroup()`, `select()`, `rename()`, `mutate()`, `transmute()`, `summarise()`

## References

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