

Samples questions

Motivation (5 - 10 minutes)

1. What is your experience with R (years)? And what about when starting tidyuesday?

Got on twitter to learn R better

2. How did you discover #tidytuesday and why did you choose to participate?

a. Was learning more R a big motivation?

b. Was it more about learning data analysis?

3. Have you participated in anything like this before, where the practice is community-driven?

a. For e.g. why this versus consulting Stack Overflow?

b. If so, how did that go compared to this?

Learning process (10 minutes)

1. How was it like participating for the first time?

a. What resources did you gravitate towards?

b. Did you use tools to assist in this process?

2. What kinds of skills were you hoping to improve?

a. Data munging?

b. Data visualization?

c. Stats?

3. Can you talk about what kinds of things you learned in the process?

4. When you set out to do a tidyuesday do you have a specific goal in mind for that particular dataset in terms of what new visualization or technique to explore?

Obstacles (10 minutes)

1. What would you say were the biggest obstacles when starting out?

a. What were some difficulties in sharing your #tidytuesday post?

2. Did you look at other tidy tuesday posts to help you on your own?

Community (10 - 15 minutes)

1. How was your overall experience interacting with the R community?
2. Did you ever reach out to the twitter rstats community or the r4ds online community when you had questions? Or was it more just looking at the docs and Stack Overflow?
3. Did you get any feedback on your tidy tuesday post?
 - a. What were some of the memorable feedback you got from the R community when sharing your work?
 - b. Did that help your subsequent participation?
4. Do you feel like the R community was welcoming and provided constructive criticism on your work?

Improvements (3 - 5 minutes)

1. Do you have any further suggestions on how tidyuesday could be improved?