Enter the tidyverse: pipes and dplyr

Managing and Manipulating Data Using R

Lecture outline

1 Introduction

Libraries we will use today

"Load" the package we will use today (output omitted)

- **you must run this code chunk**

```
library(tidyverse)
```

If package not yet installed, then must install before you load. Install in "console" rather than .Rmd file

- Generic syntax: `install.packages("package_name")`
- Install "tidyverse": `install.packages("tidyverse")`

Note: when we load package, name of package is not in quotes; but when we install package, name of package is in quotes:

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

1.1 Data for lecture sections on select(), filter(), and arrange() functions

Load .Rdata data frames, `df_event` and `df_school`

Data on off-campus recruiting events by public universities

- Data frame object `df_event`
  - One observation per university, recruiting event
- Data frame object `df_school`
  - One observation per high school (visited and non-visited)

```
rm(list = ls()) # remove all objects in current environment

getwd()
#> [1] "C:/Users/ozanj/Documents/rclass1/lectures/enter_the_tidyverse"
#load dataset with one obs per recruiting event
load(url("https://github.com/ozanj/rclass/raw/master/data/recruiting/recruit_ev
#load("../../data/recruiting/recruit_event_somevars.Rdata")

#load dataset with one obs per high school
load(url("https://github.com/ozanj/rclass/raw/master/data/recruiting/recruit_sc
#load("../../data/recruiting/recruit_school_somevars.Rdata")
```

1.2 Data for lecture sections on pipes and mutate() function

Load .Rdata data frame `wwlist`, "prospects" purchased by Western Washington U.

Note: we won't use this data frame until the lecture section on "pipes"

- You can ignore `wwlist` data frame for lecture sections on select(), filter(), and arrange() functions

The "Student list" business

- Universities identify/target "prospects" by buying "student lists" from College Board/ACT (e.g., $.40 per prospect)
- Prospect lists contain contact info (e.g., address, email), academic achievement, socioeconomic, demographic characteristics
- Universities choose which prospects to purchase by filtering on criteria like zip-code, GPA, test score range, etc.

```
#load prospect list data
load(url("https://github.com/ozanj/rclass/raw/master/data/prospect_list/wwlist_
```

Object `wwlist`

- De-identified list of prospective students purchased by Western Washington University from College Board
- We collected these data using public records requests request

Data frame `wwlist`, "prospects" purchased by Western Washington U.

Observations on `wwlist`

- each observation represents a prospective student

```
typeof(wwlist)
#> [1] "list"
dim(wwlist)
#> [1] 268396     41
```

Variables on `wwlist`

- some vars provide de-identified data on individual prospects
  - e.g., `psat_range`, `state`, `sex`, `ethn_code`
- some vars provide data about zip-code student lives in
  - e.g., `med_inc`, `pop_total`, `pop_black`
- some vars provide data about school student enrolled in
  - e.g., `fr_lunch` is number of students on free/reduced lunch
  - note: bad merge between prospect-level data and school-level data

```
names(wwlist)
str(wwlist)
glimpse(wwlist) # tidyverse function, similar to str()
```

Data frame `wwlist`, "prospects" purchased by Western Washington U.

Variable `firstgen` identifies whether prospect is a first-generation college student

Imagine we want to isolate all the first-generation prospects

1. Investigate variable type/structure.

- A dichotomous var, but stored as character in `wwlist`. So must use quotes (`''` or `""`) to filter/subset based on values of `firstgen`

```
str(wwlist$firstgen)
#>  chr [1:268396] NA "N" "N" "N" NA "N" "N" "Y" "Y" "N" "N" "N" "N" "N" "N" ...
```

2. Create frequency table to identify possible values of `firstgen`

```
table(wwlist$firstgen, useNA = "always")
#>
#>      N      Y   <NA>
#> 193333  65046  10017
```

3. Isolate all the first-gen prospects (output omitted)

```
filter(wwlist, firstgen == "Y")
```

2 Investigating data patterns

Introduction to the `dplyr` library

`dplyr`, a package within the `tidyverse` suite of packages, provide tools for manipulating data frames

- Wickham describes functions within `dplyr` as a set of "verbs" that fall in the broader categories of **subsetting**, **sorting**, and **transforming**

Today	Upcoming weeks
Subsetting data	**Transforming data**
- `select()` variables	- `mutate()` creates new variables
- `filter()` observations	- `summarize()` calculates across rows
Sorting data	- `group_by()` to calculate across rows within groups
- `arrange()`	

All `dplyr` verbs (i.e., functions) work as follows

1. first argument is a data frame
2. subsequent arguments describe what to do with variables and observations in data frame
   - refer to variable names without quotes
3. result of the function is a new data frame

2.1 select() variables

Select variables using `select()` function

Printing observations is key to investigating data, but datasets often have hundreds, thousands of variables

`select()` function selects **columns** of data (i.e., variables) you specify

- first argument is the name of data frame object
- remaining arguments are variable names, which are separated by commas and without quotes

Without **assignment** (`<-`), `select()` by itself simply prints selected vars

```
#?select
select(df_event,instnm,event_date,event_type,event_state,med_inc)
#> # A tibble: 18,680 x 5
#>    instnm      event_date event_type event_state med_inc
#>    <chr>       <date>     <chr>      <chr>         <dbl>
#>  1 UM Amherst  2017-10-12 public hs  MA           71714.
#>  2 UM Amherst  2017-10-04 public hs  MA           89122.
#>  3 UM Amherst  2017-10-25 public hs  MA           70136.
#>  4 UM Amherst  2017-10-26 public hs  MA           70136.
#>  5 Stony Brook 2017-10-02 public hs  MA           71024.
#>  6 USCC        2017-09-18 private hs MA           71024.
#>  7 UM Amherst  2017-09-18 private hs MA           71024.
#>  8 UM Amherst  2017-09-26 public hs  MA           97225
#>  9 UM Amherst  2017-09-26 private hs MA           97225
#> 10 UM Amherst  2017-10-12 public hs  MA           77800.
#> # ... with 18,670 more rows
```

Select variables using `select()` function

Recall that all `dplyr` functions (e.g., `select()`) return a new data frame object

- **type** equals "list"
- **length** equals number of vars you select

```
typeof(select(df_event,instnm,event_date,event_type,event_state,med_inc))
#> [1] "list"
length(select(df_event,instnm,event_date,event_type,event_state,med_inc))
#> [1] 5
```

`glimpse()`: tidyverse function for viewing data frames

- a cross between `str()` and simply printing data

```
?glimpse
glimpse(df_event)
```

`glimpse()` a `select()` set of variables

```
glimpse(select(df_event,instnm,event_date,event_type,event_state,med_inc))
#> Rows: 18,680
#> Columns: 5
#> $ instnm      <chr> "UM Amherst", "UM Amherst", "UM Amherst", "UM Amherst", "
#> $ event_date  <date> 2017-10-12, 2017-10-04, 2017-10-25, 2017-10-26, 2017-10-
#> $ event_type  <chr> "public hs", "public hs", "public hs", "public hs", "publ
#> $ event_state <chr> "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA
#> $ med_inc     <dbl> 71713.5, 89121.5, 70136.5, 70136.5, 71023.5, 71023.5, 710
```

Select variables using `select()` function

With **assignment** (`<-`), `select()` creates a new object containing only the variables you specify

```
event_small <- select(df_event,instnm,event_date,event_type,event_state,
  med_inc)

glimpse(event_small)
#> Rows: 18,680
#> Columns: 5
#> $ instnm      <chr> "UM Amherst", "UM Amherst", "UM Amherst", "UM Amherst", "
#> $ event_date  <date> 2017-10-12, 2017-10-04, 2017-10-25, 2017-10-26, 2017-10-
#> $ event_type  <chr> "public hs", "public hs", "public hs", "public hs", "publ
#> $ event_state <chr> "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA", "MA
#> $ med_inc     <dbl> 71713.5, 89121.5, 70136.5, 70136.5, 71023.5, 71023.5, 710
```

Select

`select()` can use "helper functions" `starts_with()`, `contains()`, and `ends_with()` to choose columns

```
?select
```

Example:

```
#names(df_event)

select(df_event,instnm,starts_with("event"))
#> # A tibble: 18,680 x 8
#>    instnm      event_date event_type event_state event_inst event_name
#>    <chr>       <date>     <chr>      <chr>       <chr>      <chr>
#>  1 UM Amherst  2017-10-12 public hs  MA          In-State   Amherst-Pelham Re
#>  2 UM Amherst  2017-10-04 public hs  MA          In-State   Hampshire County
#>  3 UM Amherst  2017-10-25 public hs  MA          In-State   Chicopee High Sch
#>  4 UM Amherst  2017-10-26 public hs  MA          In-State   Chicopee Comprehe
#>  5 Stony Brook 2017-10-02 public hs  MA          Out-State  Easthampton High
#>  6 USCC        2017-09-18 private hs MA          Out-State  Williston Northam
#>  7 UM Amherst  2017-09-18 private hs MA          In-State   Williston-Northam
#>  8 UM Amherst  2017-09-26 public hs  MA          In-State   Granby Jr Sr High
#>  9 UM Amherst  2017-09-26 private hs MA          In-State   MacDuffie School
#> 10 UM Amherst  2017-10-12 public hs  MA          In-State   Smith Academy Vis
#> # ... with 18,670 more rows, and 2 more variables: event_location_name <chr>,
#> #   event_datetime_start <dttm>
```

Rename variables

`rename()` function renames variables within a data frame object

Syntax:

- `rename(obj_name, new_name = old_name,...)`

```
rename(df_event, g12_offered = g12offered,
       titlei = titlei_status_pub)
names(df_event)
```

Variable names do not change permanently unless we combine rename with assignment

```
rename_event <- rename(df_event, g12_offered = g12offered, titlei = titlei_stat
names(rename_event)
rm(rename_event)
```

2.2 filter() rows

The `filter()` function

`filter()` allows you to **select observations** based on values of variables

- Arguments
  - first argument is name of data frame
  - subsequent arguments are *logical expressions* to filter the data frame
  - Multiple expressions separated by commas work as **AND** operators (e.g., condtion 1 `TRUE` AND condition 2 `TRUE`)
- What is the result of a `filter()` command?
  - `filter()` returns a data frame consisting of rows where the condition is `TRUE`

```
?filter
```

Example from data frame object `df_school`, each obs is a high school

- Show all obs where the high school received 1 visit from UC Berkeley (110635) [output omitted]

```
filter(df_school,visits_by_110635 == 1)
```

Note that resulting object is list, consisting of obs where condition `TRUE`

```
nrow(df_school)
#> [1] 21301
nrow(filter(df_school,visits_by_110635 == 1))
#> [1] 528
```

The `filter()` function, base R equivalents

Task: Count the number of high schools that received 1 visit from UC Berkeley.

[tidyverse] Using `filter()`:

```
nrow(filter(df_school, visits_by_110635 == 1))
#> [1] 528
```

[base R] Using `[]` and `$`:

```
nrow(df_school[df_school$visits_by_110635 == 1, ])
#> [1] 528
```

[base R] Using `subset()`:

```
nrow(subset(df_school, visits_by_110635 == 1))
#> [1] 528
```

Filter, character variables

Use single quotes `''` or double quotes `""` to refer to values of character variables

```
glimpse(select(df_school, school_type, state_code))
#> Rows: 21,301
#> Columns: 2
#> $ school_type <chr> "public", "public", "public", "public", "public", "public
#> $ state_code  <chr> "AK", "AK", "AK", "AK", "AK", "AK", "AK", "AK", "AK", "AK
```

Identify all private high schools in CA that got 1 visit by particular universities

- Visited once by UC Berkeley (ID=110635)

```
filter(df_school,visits_by_110635 == 1, school_type == "private",
       state_code == "CA")
```

- Visited once by University of Alabama (ID=100751)

```
filter(df_school,visits_by_100751 == 1, school_type == "private",
       state_code == "CA")
```

- Visited once by Berkeley and University of Alabama

```
filter(df_school,visits_by_100751 == 1, visits_by_110635 == 1,
       school_type == "private", state_code == "CA")
```

Filter by multiple conditions, base R equivalents

Task: Count the number of private high schools in CA that received 1 visit each from UC Berkeley and University of Alabama.

[tidyverse] Using `filter()`:

```
nrow(filter(df_school, visits_by_100751 == 1, visits_by_110635 == 1,
            school_type == "private", state_code == "CA"))
#> [1] 9
```

[base R] Using `[]` and `$`:

```
nrow(df_school[df_school$visits_by_100751 == 1 &
                 df_school$visits_by_110635 == 1 &
                 df_school$school_type == "private" &
                 df_school$state_code == "CA", ])
#> [1] 9
```

[base R] Using `subset()`:

```
nrow(subset(df_school, visits_by_100751 == 1 & visits_by_110635 == 1 &
            school_type == "private" & state_code == "CA"))
#> [1] 9
```

Logical operators for comparisons

logical operators useful for: filter obs w/ `filter()` ; create variables w/ `mutate()`

- logical operators also work when using Base R functions

Operator symbol	Operator meaning
`==`	Equal to
`!=`	Not equal to
`>`	greater than
`>=`	greater than or equal to
`<`	less than
`<=`	less than or equal to
`&`	AND
`|`	OR
`%in%`	includes

- Visualization of "Boolean" operators (e.g., AND, OR, AND NOT)

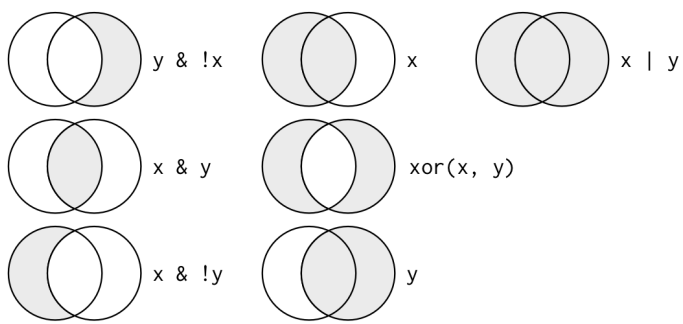

Figure 1: "Boolean" operations, x=left circle, y=right circle, from Wichkam (2018)

Aside: `count()` function

`count()` function from `dplyr` package counts the number of obs by group

Syntax [see help file for full syntax]

- `count(x,...)`

Arguments [see help file for full arguments]

- `x`: an object, often a data frame
- `...`: variables to group by

Examples of using `count()`

- Without vars in `...` argument, counts number of obs in object

```
count(df_school)
  # df_school %>% count() # same as above but using pipes
str(count(df_school))
  # #df_school %>% count() %>% str() # same as above but using pipes
```

- With vars in `...` argument, counts number of obs per variable value
  - This is the best way to create frequency table, better than `table()`
  - note: by default, `count()` always shows `NAs` [this is good!]

```
count(df_school,school_type)
  # df_school %>% count(school_type) # same as above but using pipes
str(count(df_school,school_type))
  # df_school %>% count(school_type) %>% str() # same as above but using ptpes
```

Filters and comparisons, Demonstration

Schools visited by Bama (100751) and/or Berkeley (110635)

```
# Berkeley AND Bama
filter(df_school,visits_by_100751 >= 1, visits_by_110635 >= 1)
filter(df_school,visits_by_100751 >= 1 & visits_by_110635 >= 1) # same same

df_school[df_school$visits_by_100751 >= 1 &
            df_school$visits_by_110635 >= 1, ] # using [] and $

subset(df_school,visits_by_100751 >= 1 &
         visits_by_110635 >= 1) # using subset()
```

```
# Berkeley OR Bama
filter(df_school,visits_by_100751 >= 1 | visits_by_110635 >= 1)

df_school[df_school$visits_by_100751 >= 1 |
            df_school$visits_by_110635 >= 1, ] # using [] and $

subset(df_school,visits_by_100751 >= 1 |
         visits_by_110635 >= 1) # using subset()
```

Filters and comparisons, Demonstration (cont.)

Apply `count()` function on top of `filter()` function to count the number of observations that satisfy criteria

- Avoids printing individual observations

```
# Number of schools that get visit by Berkeley AND Bama
count(filter(df_school, visits_by_100751 >= 1 & visits_by_110635 >= 1))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1   247

# Number of schools that get visit by Berkeley OR Bama
count(filter(df_school, visits_by_100751 >= 1 | visits_by_110635 >= 1))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1  2763
```

- Note: You could also use any of the base R equivalents from the previous slide

Filters and comparisons, `>=`

Number of public high schools that are at least 50% Black in Alabama compared to number of schools that received visit by Bama:

```
# at least 50% black
count(filter(df_school, school_type == "public", pct_black >= 50,
             state_code == "AL"))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1    86

# at least 50% black and received visit by Bama
count(filter(df_school, school_type == "public", pct_black >= 50,
             state_code == "AL", visits_by_100751 >= 1))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1    21
```

Filters and comparisons, `>=` (cont.)

Number of public high schools that are at least 50% White in Alabama compared to number of schools that received visit by Bama:

```
# at least 50% white
count(filter(df_school, school_type == "public", pct_white >= 50,
             state_code == "AL"))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1   238

# at least 50% white and received visit by Bama
count(filter(df_school, school_type == "public", pct_white >= 50,
             state_code == "AL", visits_by_100751 >= 1))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1    82
```

Filters and comparisons, not equals (!=)

Count the number of high schools visited by University of Colorado (126614) that are not located in CO

```
#number of high schools visited by U Colorado
count(filter(df_school, visits_by_126614 >= 1))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1  1056

#number of high schools visited by U Colorado not located in CO
count(filter(df_school, visits_by_126614 >= 1, state_code != "CO"))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1   873

#number of high schools visited by U Colorado located in CO
#count(filter(df_school, visits_by_126614 >= 1, state_code == "CO"))
```

Filters and comparisons, `%in%` operator

What if you wanted to count the number of schools visited by Bama (100751) in a group of states?

```
count(filter(df_school,visits_by_100751 >= 1, state_code == "MA" |
               state_code == "VT" | state_code == "ME"))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1   108
```

Easier way to do this is with `%in%` operator

```
count(filter(df_school,visits_by_100751 >= 1, state_code %in% c("MA","ME","VT")))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1   108
```

Select the private high schools that got either 2 or 3 visits from Bama

```
count(filter(df_school, visits_by_100751 %in% 2:3, school_type == "private"))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1   183
```

Identifying data type and possible values helpful for filtering

- `typeof()` and `str()` shows internal data type of a variable
- `table()` to show potential values of categorical variables

```
typeof(df_event$event_type)
#> [1] "character"
str(df_event$event_type)  # double quotes indicate character
#>  chr [1:18680] "public hs" "public hs" "public hs" "public hs" "public hs" ..
table(df_event$event_type, useNA="always")
#>
#> 2yr college 4yr college       other  private hs   public hs        <NA>
#>         951         531        2001        3774       11423           0

typeof(df_event$med_inc)
#> [1] "double"
str(df_event$med_inc)
#>  num [1:18680] 71714 89122 70137 70137 71024 ...
```

Now that we know `event_type` is a character, we can filter values

```
count(filter(df_event, event_type == "public hs", event_state =="CA"))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1  1100
#below code would return an error because variables are character
#count(filter(df_event, event_type == public hs, event_state ==CA))
```

Filtering and missing values

Wickham (2018) states:

- "`filter()` only includes rows where condition is TRUE; it excludes both `FALSE` and `NA` values. To preserve missing values, ask for them explicitly:"

Investigate var `df_event$fr_lunch`, number of free/reduced lunch students

- only available for visits to public high schools

```
#visits to public HS with less than 50 students on free/reduced lunch
count(filter(df_event,event_type == "public hs", fr_lunch<50))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1   910
#visits to public HS, where free/reduced lunch missing
count(filter(df_event,event_type == "public hs", is.na(fr_lunch)))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1    26
#visits to public HS, where free/reduced is less than 50 OR is missing
count(filter(df_event,event_type == "public hs", fr_lunch<50 | is.na(fr_lunch))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1   936
```

Exercise

Task

- Create a filter to identify all the high schools that recieved 1 visit from UC Berkeley (110635) AND 1 visit from CU Boulder (126614)[output omitted]

Solution

```
filter(df_school,visits_by_110635 == 1, visits_by_126614==1)

nrow(filter(df_school,visits_by_110635 == 1, visits_by_126614==1))
count(filter(df_school,visits_by_110635 == 1, visits_by_126614==1))
```

- Must **assign** to create new object based on filter

```
berk_boulder <- filter(df_school,visits_by_110635 == 1, visits_by_126614==1)
count(berk_boulder)
```

Exercises

Use the data from df_event, which has one observation for each off-campus recruiting event a university attends

1. Count the number of events attended by the University of Pittsburgh (Pitt) `univ_id == 215293`
2. Count the number of recruiting events by Pitt at public or private high schools
3. Count the number of recruiting events by Pitt at public or private high schools located in the state of PA
4. Count the number of recruiting events by Pitt at public high schools not located in PA where median income is less than 100,000
5. Count the number of recruiting events by Pitt at public high schools not located in PA where median income is greater than or equal to 100,000
6. Count the number of out-of-state recruiting events by Pitt at private high schools or public high schools with median income of at least 100,000

Solution

1. Count the number of events attended by the University of Pittsburgh (Pitt)
   `univ_id == 215293`

```
count(filter(df_event, univ_id == 215293))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1  1225
```

2. Count the number of recruiting events by Pitt at public or private high schools

```
str(df_event$event_type)
#>  chr [1:18680] "public hs" "public hs" "public hs" "public hs" "public hs" ..
table(df_event$event_type, useNA = "always")
#>
#> 2yr college 4yr college       other  private hs   public hs        <NA>
#>         951         531        2001        3774       11423           0
count(filter(df_event, univ_id == 215293, event_type == "private hs" |
               event_type == "public hs"))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1  1030
```

Solution

3. Count the number of recruiting events by Pitt at public or private high schools located in the state of PA

```
count(filter(df_event, univ_id == 215293, event_type == "private hs" |
               event_type == "public hs", event_state == "PA"))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1   262
```

4. Count the number of recruiting events by Pitt at public high schools not located in PA where median income is less than 100,000

```
count(filter(df_event, univ_id == 215293, event_type == "public hs",
             event_state != "PA", med_inc < 100000))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1   213
```

Solution

5. Count the number of recruiting events by Pitt at public high schools not located in PA where median income is greater than or equal to 100,000

```
count(filter(df_event, univ_id == 215293, event_type == "public hs",
             event_state != "PA", med_inc >= 100000))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1   344
```

6. Count the number of out-of-state recruiting events by Pitt at private high schools or public high schools with median income of at least 100,000

```
count(filter(df_event, univ_id == 215293, event_state != "PA",
             (event_type == "public hs" & med_inc >= 100000) |
               event_type == "private hs"))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1   553
```

2.3 arrange() rows (i.e., sort rows)

`arrange()` function

`arrange()` function "arranges" rows in a data frame; said different, it sorts observations

Syntax: `arrange(x,...)`

- First argument, `x`, is a data frame
- Subsequent arguments are a "comma separated list of unquoted variable names"

```
df_event
arrange(df_event, event_date)
```

Data frame goes back to previous order unless you **assign** the new order

```
df_event
df_event <- arrange(df_event, event_date)
df_event
```

`arrange()` function

Ascending and descending order

- `arrange()` sorts in **ascending** order by default
- use `desc()` to sort a column by descending order

```
arrange(df_event, desc(event_date))
```

Can sort by multiple variables

```
arrange(df_event, univ_id, desc(event_date), desc(med_inc))

#sort by university and descending by size of 12th grade class; combine with sel
select(arrange(df_event, univ_id, desc(g12)),instnm,event_type,event_date,g12)
```

`arrange()`, missing values sorted at the end

Missing values automatically sorted at the end, regardless of whether you sort ascending or descending

Below, we sort by university, then by date of event, then by ID of high school

```
#by university, date, ascending school id
select(arrange(df_event, univ_id, desc(event_date), school_id),
       instnm,event_date,event_type,school_id)

#by university, date, descending school id
select(arrange(df_event, univ_id, desc(event_date), desc(school_id)),
       instnm,event_date,event_type,school_id)
```

Can sort by `is.na` to put missing values first

```
select(arrange(df_event, univ_id, desc(event_date), desc(is.na(school_id))),
       instnm,event_date,event_type,school_id)
#> # A tibble: 18,680 x 4
#>    instnm event_date event_type school_id
#>    <chr>  <date>     <chr>      <chr>
#>  1 Bama   2017-12-18 other      <NA>
#>  2 Bama   2017-12-18 private hs A9106483
#>  3 Bama   2017-12-15 other      <NA>
#>  4 Bama   2017-12-15 public hs  484473005095
#>  5 Bama   2017-12-15 public hs  062927004516
#>  6 Bama   2017-12-14 other      <NA>
#>  7 Bama   2017-12-13 other      <NA>
```

Exercise, arranging

Use the data from df_event, which has one observation for each off-campus recruiting event a university attends

1. Sort ascending by "univ_id" and descending by "event_date"
2. Select four variables in total and sort ascending by "univ_id" and descending by "event_date"
3. Now using the same variables from above, sort by `is.na` to put missing values in "school_id" first

Solution

1. Sort ascending by "univ_id" and descending by "event_date"

```
arrange(df_event, univ_id, desc(event_date))
#> # A tibble: 18,680 x 33
#>    instnm univ_id instst   pid event_date event_type zip   school_id    ipeds
#>    <chr>    <int> <chr>  <int> <date>     <chr>      <chr> <chr>           <i
#>  1 Bama    100751 AL      7115 2017-12-18 private hs 77089 A9106483
#>  2 Bama    100751 AL      7121 2017-12-18 other      <NA>  <NA>
#>  3 Bama    100751 AL      7114 2017-12-15 public hs  75165 484473005095
#>  4 Bama    100751 AL      7100 2017-12-15 public hs  93012 062927004516
#>  5 Bama    100751 AL      7073 2017-12-15 other      98027 <NA>
#>  6 Bama    100751 AL      7072 2017-12-14 other      98007 <NA>
#>  7 Bama    100751 AL      7118 2017-12-13 public hs  31906 130387001439
#>  8 Bama    100751 AL      7099 2017-12-13 private hs 90293 00071151
#>  9 Bama    100751 AL      7109 2017-12-13 public hs  92630 063386005296
#> 10 Bama    100751 AL      7071 2017-12-13 other      98032 <NA>
#> # ... with 18,670 more rows, and 24 more variables: event_state <chr>,
#> #   event_inst <chr>, med_inc <dbl>, pop_total <dbl>, pct_white_zip <dbl>,
#> #   pct_black_zip <dbl>, pct_asian_zip <dbl>, pct_hispanic_zip <dbl>,
#> #   pct_amerindian_zip <dbl>, pct_nativehawaii_zip <dbl>,
#> #   pct_tworaces_zip <dbl>, pct_otherrace_zip <dbl>, fr_lunch <dbl>,
#> #   titlei_status_pub <fct>, total_12 <dbl>, school_type_pri <int>,
#> #   school_type_pub <int>, g12offered <dbl>, g12 <dbl>, ...
```

Solution

2. Select four variables in total and sort ascending by "univ_id" and descending by "event_date"

```
select(arrange(df_event, univ_id, desc(event_date)), univ_id, event_date,
       instnm, event_type)
#> # A tibble: 18,680 x 4
#>    univ_id event_date instnm event_type
#>      <int> <date>     <chr>  <chr>
#>  1  100751 2017-12-18 Bama   private hs
#>  2  100751 2017-12-18 Bama   other
#>  3  100751 2017-12-15 Bama   public hs
#>  4  100751 2017-12-15 Bama   public hs
#>  5  100751 2017-12-15 Bama   other
#>  6  100751 2017-12-14 Bama   other
#>  7  100751 2017-12-13 Bama   public hs
#>  8  100751 2017-12-13 Bama   private hs
#>  9  100751 2017-12-13 Bama   public hs
#> 10  100751 2017-12-13 Bama   other
#> # ... with 18,670 more rows
```

Solution

3. Select the variables "univ_id", "event_date", and "school_id" and sort by `is.na` to put missing values in "school_id" first.

```
select(arrange(df_event, univ_id, desc(event_date), desc(is.na(school_id))),
       univ_id, event_date, school_id)
#> # A tibble: 18,680 x 3
#>    univ_id event_date school_id
#>      <int> <date>     <chr>
#>  1  100751 2017-12-18 <NA>
#>  2  100751 2017-12-18 A9106483
#>  3  100751 2017-12-15 <NA>
#>  4  100751 2017-12-15 484473005095
#>  5  100751 2017-12-15 062927004516
#>  6  100751 2017-12-14 <NA>
#>  7  100751 2017-12-13 <NA>
#>  8  100751 2017-12-13 130387001439
#>  9  100751 2017-12-13 00071151
#> 10  100751 2017-12-13 063386005296
#> # ... with 18,670 more rows
```

3 Pipes

What are "pipes", %>%

Pipes are a means of performing multiple steps in a single line of code

- When writing code, the pipe symbol is `%>%`
- The pipe operator `%>%` is created by the **magrittr** package, which is not part of base R
- However, the magrittr package is automatically loaded when you load the tidyverse package

```
?magrittr::`%>%`
```

What are "pipes", %>%

pipe syntax: `LHS %>% RHS`

- `LHS` (refers to "left hand side" of the pipe) is an object or function
- `RHS` (refers to "right hand side" of the pipe) is a function

How pipes work:

- Object created by `LHS` becomes the first argument of the function (`RHS`) to the right of the `%>%` pipe symbol
- Basic code flow: `object %>% function1 %>% function2 %>% function3`
- Output of `some_function1` becomes the input (the first argument) of the function `some_function2` to the right of the `%>%` pipe symbol

Example of using pipes to calculate mean value of atomic vector

```
1:10 # an atomic vector
#>  [1]  1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9 10
mean(1:10) # calculate mean without pipes
#> [1] 5.5
1:10 %>% mean() # calculate mean with pipes
#> [1] 5.5
```

- no pipe: (1) write function; (2) data object `1:10` is 1st argument of `mean()`
- pipe: (1) write data object; (2) "pipe" (verb) object as 1st argument of `mean()`

What are "pipes", %>%

Intuitive mnemonic device for understanding pipes

- whenever you see a pipe `%>%` think of the words "**and then...**"

Example: isolate all the first-generation prospects [output omitted]

- in words: start with object `wwlist` **and then** filter first generation students

```
wwlist %>% filter(firstgen == "Y")
```

below code in words:

- start with `wwlist` **and then** select a few vars **and then** filter **and then** sort **and then** investigate structre of object

```
wwlist %>% select(firstgen, state, med_inc_zip) %>%
  filter(firstgen == "Y", state == "WA") %>%
  arrange(desc(med_inc_zip)) %>% str()
#> tibble [32,428 x 3] (S3: tbl_df/tbl/data.frame)
#>  $ firstgen   : chr [1:32428] "Y" "Y" "Y" "Y" ...
#>  $ state      : chr [1:32428] "WA" "WA" "WA" "WA" ...
#>  $ med_inc_zip: num [1:32428] 216720 216720 216720 216720 216720 ...
```

More intuition on the pipe operator, `%>%`

Example: apply "structure" function `str()` to `wwlist` with and without pipes

```
str(wwlist) # without pipe
wwlist %>% str() # with pipe
```

I use the `str()` when I add new `%>%`; shows what kind of object being piped in

- task: select a few vars from `wwlist`; isolate first-gen students in WA; sort descending by income (output omitted)

```
wwlist %>% select(firstgen, state, med_inc_zip) %>% str()

wwlist %>% select(firstgen, state, med_inc_zip) %>%
  filter(firstgen == "Y", state == "WA") %>% str()

wwlist %>% select(firstgen, state, med_inc_zip) %>%
  filter(firstgen == "Y", state == "WA") %>%
  arrange(desc(med_inc_zip)) %>% str()
```

Compare data tasks, with and without pipes

Task: Using object `wwlist` print data for "first-gen" prospects (`firstgen == "Y"`)

```
# without pipes
filter(wwlist, firstgen == "Y")

# with pipes
wwlist %>% filter(firstgen == "Y")
```

Comparing the two approaches:

- "without pipes", object `wwlist` is the first argument `filter()` function
- In "pipes" approach, you don't specify object `wwlist` as first argument in `filter()`
  - Why? Because `%>%` "pipes" the object to the left of the `%>%` operator into the function to the right of the `%>%` operator

Compare data tasks, with and without pipes

Task: Using object `wwlist`, print data for "first-gen" prospects for selected variables

```
#Without pipes
select(filter(wwlist, firstgen == "Y"), state, hs_city, sex)
#With pipes
wwlist %>% filter(firstgen == "Y") %>% select(state, hs_city, sex)
```

Comparing the two approaches:

- In the "without pipes" approach, code is written "inside out"
  - The first step in the task – identifying the object – is the innermost part of code
  - The last step in task – selecting variables to print – is the outermost part of code
- In "pipes" approach the left-to-right order of code matches how we think about the task
  - First, we start with an object ***and then*** (`%>%`) we use `filter()` to isolate first-gen students ***and then*** (`%>%`) we select which variables to print

`str()` helpful to understand object piped in from one function to another

```
#object that was "piped" into `select()` from `filter()`
wwlist %>% filter(firstgen == "Y") %>% str()

#object that was created after `select()` function
wwlist %>% filter(firstgen == "Y") %>% select(state, hs_city, sex) %>% str()
```

Aside: `count()` function

`count()` function from `dplyr` package counts the number of obs by group

Syntax [see help file for full syntax]

- `count(x,...)`

Arguments [see help file for full arguments]

- `x`: an object, often a data frame
- `...`: variables to group by

Examples of using `count()`

- Without vars in `...` argument, counts number of obs in object

```
count(wwlist)
wwlist %>% count()
wwlist %>% count() %>% str()
```

- With vars in `...` argument, counts number of obs per variable value
  - This is the best way to create frequency table, better than `table()`
  - note: by default, `count()` always shows `NAs` [this is good!]

```
count(wwlist,school_category)
wwlist %>% count(school_category)
wwlist %>% count(school_category) %>% str()
```

pipe operators and new lines

Often want to insert line breaks to make long line of code more readable

- When inserting line breaks, **pipe operator `%>%` should be the last thing before a line break, not the first thing after a line break**

This works

```
wwlist %>% filter(firstgen == "Y") %>%
  select(state, hs_city, sex) %>%
  count(sex)
```

This works too

```
wwlist %>% filter(firstgen == "Y",
                  state != "WA") %>%
  select(state, hs_city, sex) %>%
  count(sex)
```

This doesn't work

```
wwlist %>% filter(firstgen == "Y")
  %>% select(state, hs_city, sex)
  %>% count(sex)
```

The power of pipes

You might be thinking, "what's the big deal?"

TasK:

- in one line of code, modify `wwlist` and create bar chart that counts number of prospects purchased by race/ethnicity, separately for in-state vs. out-of-state

```
wwlist %>%  filter(is.na(state)==0) %>% # drop obs where variable state missing
  mutate( # create out-of-state indicator; create recoded ethnicity var
    out_state = as_factor(if_else(state != "WA", "out-of-state", "in-state")),
    ethn_race = recode(ethn_code,
      "american indian or alaska native" = "nativeam",
      "asian or native hawaiian or other pacific islander" = "api",
      "black or african american" = "black",
      "cuban" = "latinx",
      "mexican/mexican american" = "latinx",
      "not reported" = "not_reported",
      "other-2 or more" = "multirace",
      "other spanish/hispanic" = "latinx",
      "puerto rican" = "latinx",
      "white" = "white")) %>%
    group_by(out_state) %>% # group_by "in-state" vs. "out-of-state"
    count(ethn_race) %>%  # count of number of prospects purchased by race
    ggplot(aes(x=ethn_race, y=n)) +  # plot
    ylab("number of prospects") + xlab("race/ethnicity") +
    geom_col() +  coord_flip() + facet_wrap(~ out_state)
```

The power of pipes

TasK:

- in one line of code, modify `wwlist` and create bar chart of median income (in zip-code) of prospects purchased by race/ethnicity, separately for in-state vs. out-of-state

```
wwlist %>%  filter(is.na(state)==0) %>% # drop obs where variable state missing
  mutate( # create out-of-state indicator; create recoded ethnicity var
    out_state = as_factor(if_else(state != "WA", "out-of-state", "in-state")),
    ethn_race = recode(ethn_code,
      "american indian or alaska native" = "nativeam",
      "asian or native hawaiian or other pacific islander" = "api",
      "black or african american" = "black",
      "cuban" = "latinx",
      "mexican/mexican american" = "latinx",
      "not reported" = "not_reported",
      "other-2 or more" = "multirace",
      "other spanish/hispanic" = "latinx",
      "puerto rican" = "latinx",
      "white" = "white")) %>%
    group_by(out_state, ethn_race) %>% # group_by "out-state" and ethnicity
    summarize(avg_inc_zip = mean(med_inc_zip, na.rm = TRUE)) %>% # calculate av
    ggplot(aes(x=out_state, y=avg_inc_zip)) +
    ylab("avg. income in zip code") + xlab("") +
    geom_col() +  coord_flip() + facet_wrap(~ ethn_race) # plot
```

The power of pipes

Example R script from Ben Skinner, which creates analysis data for Skinner (2018)

- Link to R script

Other relevant links

- Link to Github repository for Skinner (2018)
- Link to published paper
- Link to Skinner's Github page
  - A lot of cool stuff here
- Link to Skinner's personal website
  - A lot of cool stuff here

Which objects and functions are pipeable

Which objects and functions are "pipeable" (i.e., work with pipes)

- function is pipeable if it takes a data object as first argument and returns an object of same type
- In general, doesn't seem to be any limit on which kinds of objects are pipeable (could be atomic vector, list, data frame)

```
# applying pipes to atomic vectors
1:10 %>% mean
#> [1] 5.5
1:10 %>% mean %>% str()
#>  num 5.5
```

But some pipeable functions restrict which kinds of data objects they accept

- In particular, the `dplyr` functions (e.g., `filter`, `arrange`, etc.) expect the first argument to be a data frame.
- `dpylr` functions won't even accept a list as first argument, even though data frames are a particular class of list

```
wwlist %>% filter(firstgen == "Y") %>% str()

as.data.frame(wwlist)  %>% str()
as.data.frame(wwlist) %>% filter(firstgen == "Y") %>% str()

as.list(wwlist)  %>% str()
# as.list(wwlist) %>% filter(firstgen == "Y") %>% str() # error
```

Do task with and without pipes [STUDENTS WORK ON THEIR OWN]

Task:

- Count the number "first-generation" prospects from the state of Washington

Without pipes

```
count(filter(wwlist, firstgen == "Y", state == "WA"))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1 32428
```

With pipes

```
wwlist %>% filter(firstgen == "Y", state == "WA") %>% count()
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1 32428
```

Do task with and without pipes [STUDENTS WORK ON THEIR OWN]

Task: frequency table of `school_type` for non first-gen prospects from WA

Without pipes

```
wwlist_temp <- filter(wwlist, firstgen == "N", state == "WA")
table(wwlist_temp$school_type, useNA = "always")
#>
#> private  public    <NA>
#>      11   46146   12489
rm(wwlist_temp) # cuz we don't need after creating table
```

With pipes

```
wwlist %>% filter(firstgen == "N", state == "WA") %>% count(school_type)
#> # A tibble: 3 x 2
#>   school_type     n
#>   <chr>       <int>
#> 1 private        11
#> 2 public      46146
#> 3 <NA>        12489
```

Comparison of two approaches

- without pipes, task requires multiple lines of code (this is quite common)
  - first line creates object; second line analyzes object
- with pipes, task can be completed in one line of code and you aren't left with objects you don't care about

Student exercises with pipes

1. Using object `wwlist` select the following variables (state, firstgen, ethn_code) and assign `<-` them to object `wwlist_temp`. (ex. wwlist_temp <- wwlist)
2. Using the object you just created `wwlist_temp`, create a frequency table of `ethn_code` for first-gen prospects from California.
3. **Bonus**: Try doing question 1 and 2 together. Use original object `wwlist`, but do not assign to a new object.

Once finished you can `rm(wwlist_temp)`

Solution to exercises with pipes

1. Using object `wwlist` select the following variables (state, firstgen, ethn_code) and assign them to object `wwlist_temp`

```
wwlist_temp <- wwlist %>%
  select(state, firstgen, ethn_code)
```

Solution to exercises with pipes

2. Using the object you just created `wwlist_temp`, create a frequency table of `ethn_code` for first-gen prospects from California.

```
#names(wwlist)
wwlist_temp %>%
  filter(firstgen == "Y", state == "CA") %>% count(ethn_code)
#> # A tibble: 10 x 2
#>    ethn_code                                          n
#>    <chr>                                          <int>
#>  1 american indian or alaska native                   4
#>  2 asian or native hawaiian or other pacific islander    86
#>  3 black or african american                         10
#>  4 cuban                                              1
#>  5 mexican/mexican american                         643
#>  6 not reported                                     113
#>  7 other-2 or more                                 4197
#>  8 other spanish/hispanic                           179
#>  9 puerto rican                                       8
#> 10 white                                          2933
```

Solution to exercises with pipes

3. **Bonus**: Try doing question 1 and 2 together.

```
wwlist %>%
  select(state, firstgen, ethn_code) %>%
  filter(firstgen == "Y", state == "CA") %>%
  count(ethn_code)
#> # A tibble: 10 x 2
#>    ethn_code                                          n
#>    <chr>                                          <int>
#>  1 american indian or alaska native                   4
#>  2 asian or native hawaiian or other pacific islander    86
#>  3 black or african american                         10
#>  4 cuban                                              1
#>  5 mexican/mexican american                         643
#>  6 not reported                                     113
#>  7 other-2 or more                                 4197
#>  8 other spanish/hispanic                           179
#>  9 puerto rican                                       8
#> 10 white                                          2933
#rm(wwlist_temp)
```

```
rm(wwlist_temp)
```

4 Creating variables using mutate

Our plan for learning how to create new variables

Recall that `dplyr` package within `tidyverse` provide a set of functions that can be described as "verbs": **subsetting**, **sorting**, and **transforming**

What we've done	Where we're going
Subsetting data	**Transforming data**
- `select()` variables	- `mutate()` creates new variables
- `filter()` observations	- `summarize()` calculates across rows
Sorting data	- `group_by()` to calculate across rows within groups
- `arrange()`	

Today

- we'll use `mutate()` to create new variables based on calculations across columns within a row

Next week

- we'll combine `mutate()` with `summarize()` and `group_by()` to create variables based on calculations across rows

Create new data frame based on `df_school_all`

Data frame `df_school_all` has one obs per US high school and then variables identifying number of visits by particular universities

```
load(url("https://github.com/ozanj/rclass/raw/master/data/recruiting/recruit_sc
names(df_school_all)
#>  [1] "state_code"          "school_type"         "ncessch"
#>  [4] "name"                "address"             "city"
#>  [7] "zip_code"            "pct_white"           "pct_black"
#> [10] "pct_hispanic"        "pct_asian"           "pct_amerindian"
#> [13] "pct_other"           "num_fr_lunch"        "total_students"
#> [16] "num_took_math"       "num_prof_math"       "num_took_rla"
#> [19] "num_prof_rla"        "avgmedian_inc_2564"  "latitude"
#> [22] "longitude"           "visits_by_196097"    "visits_by_186380"
#> [25] "visits_by_215293"    "visits_by_201885"    "visits_by_181464"
#> [28] "visits_by_139959"    "visits_by_218663"    "visits_by_100751"
#> [31] "visits_by_199193"    "visits_by_110635"    "visits_by_110653"
#> [34] "visits_by_126614"    "visits_by_155317"    "visits_by_106397"
#> [37] "visits_by_149222"    "visits_by_166629"    "total_visits"
#> [40] "inst_196097"         "inst_186380"         "inst_215293"
#> [43] "inst_201885"         "inst_181464"         "inst_139959"
#> [46] "inst_218663"         "inst_100751"         "inst_199193"
#> [49] "inst_110635"         "inst_110653"         "inst_126614"
#> [52] "inst_155317"         "inst_106397"         "inst_149222"
#> [55] "inst_166629"
```

Create new data frame based on `df_school_all`

Create new version of data frame, called `school_v2`, which we'll use to introduce how to create new variables

```
school_v2 <- df_school_all %>%
  select(-contains("inst_")) %>% # remove vars that start with "inst_"
  rename( # rename selected variables
    visits_by_berkeley = visits_by_110635,
    visits_by_boulder = visits_by_126614,
    visits_by_bama = visits_by_100751,
    visits_by_stonybrook = visits_by_196097,
    visits_by_rutgers = visits_by_186380,
    visits_by_pitt = visits_by_215293,
    visits_by_cinci = visits_by_201885,
    visits_by_nebraska = visits_by_181464,
    visits_by_georgia = visits_by_139959,
    visits_by_scarolina = visits_by_218663,
    visits_by_ncstate = visits_by_199193,
    visits_by_irvine = visits_by_110653,
    visits_by_kansas = visits_by_155317,
    visits_by_arkansas = visits_by_106397,
    visits_by_sillinois = visits_by_149222,
    visits_by_umass = visits_by_166629,
    num_took_read = num_took_rla,
    num_prof_read = num_prof_rla,
    med_inc = avgmedian_inc_2564
  )
```

4.1 Introduce mutate() function

Introduce `mutate()` function

`mutate()` is **tidyverse** approach to creating variables (not **Base R** approach)

Description of `mutate()`

- creates new columns (variables) that are functions of existing columns
- After creating a new variable using `mutate()`, every row of data is retained
- `mutate()` works best with pipes `%>%`

Task:

- Using data frame `school_v2` create new variable that measures the pct of students on free/reduced lunch (output omitted)

```
# create new dataset with fewer vars; not necessary to do this
school_sml <- school_v2 %>%
  select(ncessch, school_type, num_fr_lunch, total_students)

# create new var
school_sml %>%
  mutate(pct_fr_lunch = num_fr_lunch/total_students)

# remove data frame object
rm(school_sml)
```

Investigate `mutate()` syntax

Usage (i.e., syntax)

- `mutate(.data,...)`

Arguments

- `.data`: a data frame
  - if using `mutate()` after pipe operator `%>%`, then this argument can be omitted
    - Why? Because data frame object to left of `%>%` "piped in" to first argument of `mutate()`
- `...`: expressions used to create new variables
  - "Name-value pairs of expressions"
  - "The name of each argument will be the name of a new variable, and the value will be its corresponding value."
  - "Use a `NULL` value in mutate to drop a variable."
  - "New variables overwrite existing variables of the same name"

Value

- returns a (data frame) object that contains the original input data frame and new variables that were created by `mutate()`

Investigate `mutate()` syntax

Can create variables using standard mathematical or logical operators [output omitted]

```
#glimpse(school_v2)
school_v2 %>%
  select(state_code,school_type,ncessch,med_inc,num_fr_lunch,total_students,num
  mutate( # each argument creates a new variable, name of argument is name of va
    one = 1,
    med_inc000 = med_inc/1000,
    pct_fr_lunch = num_fr_lunch/total_students*100,
    took_math_na = is.na(num_took_math)==1
  ) %>%
  select(state_code,school_type,ncessch,one,med_inc,med_inc000,num_fr_lunch,tot
```

Can create variables using "helper functions" called within `mutate()` [output omitted]

- These are standalone functions can be called *within* `mutate()`
  - e.g., `if_else()`, `recode()`, `case_when()`
- will walk through helper functions in more detail in subsequent sections of lecture

```
school_v2 %>%
  select(state_code,ncessch,name,school_type) %>%
  mutate(public = if_else(school_type == "public", 1, 0))
```

Introduce `mutate()` function

New variable not retained unless we **assign** `<-` it to an object (existing or new)

- `mutate()` **without assignment**

```
school_v2 %>% mutate(pct_fr_lunch = num_fr_lunch/total_students)

names(school_v2)
```

- `mutate()` **with assignment**

```
school_v2_temp <- school_v2 %>%
  mutate(pct_fr_lunch = num_fr_lunch/total_students)

names(school_v2_temp)
rm(school_v2_temp)
```

`mutate()` can create multiple variables at once

`mutate()` can create multiple variables at once

```
school_v2 %>%
  mutate(pct_fr_lunch = num_fr_lunch/total_students,
         pct_prof_math= num_prof_math/num_took_math) %>%
  select(num_fr_lunch, total_students, pct_fr_lunch,
         num_prof_math, num_took_math, pct_prof_math)
```

Or we could write code this way:

```
school_v2 %>%
  select(num_fr_lunch, total_students, num_prof_math, num_took_math) %>%
  mutate(pct_fr_lunch = num_fr_lunch/total_students,
         pct_prof_math= num_prof_math/num_took_math)
```

`mutate()` can use variables previously created within `mutate()`

```
school_v2 %>%
  select(num_prof_math, num_took_math, num_took_read,num_prof_read) %>%
  mutate(pct_prof_math = num_prof_math/num_took_math,
         pct_prof_read = num_prof_read/num_took_read,
         avg_pct_prof_math_read = (pct_prof_math + pct_prof_read)/2)
```

`mutate()` , removing variables created by `mutate()`

Within `mutate()` use syntax `var_name = NULL` to remove variable from data frame

- note: Variable not permanently removed from data frame unless you use assignment `<-` to create new data frame or overwrite existing data frame

```
ncol(school_v2)
school_v2 %>%
  select(num_prof_math, num_took_math, num_took_read,num_prof_read) %>% glimpse

school_v2 %>%
  select(num_prof_math, num_took_math, num_took_read,num_prof_read) %>%
  mutate(num_prof_math = NULL, num_took_math = NULL) %>% glimpse()
#But variables not permanently removed because we didn't use assignment
ncol(school_v2)
```

Why would we remove variables within `mutate()` rather `select()` ?

- remove temporary "work" variables used to create desired variable
- Example: measure of average of pct who passed math and pct who passed reading

```
school_v2 %>%
  select(num_prof_math, num_took_math, num_took_read,num_prof_read) %>%
  mutate(pct_prof_math = num_prof_math/num_took_math, # create work var
         pct_prof_read = num_prof_read/num_took_read, # create work var
         avg_pct_prof_math_read = (pct_prof_math + pct_prof_read)/2, #create an
         pct_prof_math = NULL, # remove work var
         pct_prof_read = NULL) %>% # remove work var
  glimpse()
```

Student exercise using mutate()

1. Using the object `school_v2`, select the following variables (`num_prof_math`, `num_took_math`, `num_prof_read`, `num_took_read`) and create a measure of percent proficient in math `pct_prof_math` and percent proficient in reading `pct_prof_read`.
2. Now using the code for question 1, filter schools where at least 50% of students are proficient in math **&** reading.
3. Count the number of schools from question 2.
4. Using `school_v2`, using `mutate()` combined with `is.na()` create a dichotomous indicator variable `med_inc_na` that identifies whether `med_inc` is missing (`NA`) or not. And then use syntax `count(var_name)` to create frequency table of variable `med_inc_na`. How many observations are missing?

Solutions for exercise using mutate()

1. Using the object `school_v2`, select the following variables (`num_prof_math`, `num_took_math`, `num_prof_read`, `num_took_read`) and create a measure of percent proficient in math `pct_prof_math` and percent proficient in reading `pct_prof_read`.

```
school_v2 %>%
  select(num_prof_math, num_took_math, num_prof_read, num_took_read) %>%
  mutate(pct_prof_math = num_prof_math/num_took_math,
         pct_prof_read = num_prof_read/num_took_read)
#> # A tibble: 21,301 x 6
#>    num_prof_math num_took_math num_prof_read num_took_read pct_prof_math
#>            <dbl>         <dbl>         <dbl>         <dbl>         <dbl>
#>  1          24.8           146          25.0           147         0.17
#>  2           1.7            17           1.7            17         0.1
#>  3           3.5            14           3.5            14         0.25
#>  4           3              30           3              30         0.1
#>  5           2.8            28           2.8            28         0.1
#>  6           2.5            25           2.4            24         0.1
#>  7           1.55           62           1.55           62         0.025
#>  8           2.1            21           2.2            22         0.1
#>  9           2.3            23           2.3            23         0.1
#> 10           1.9            19           1.9            19         0.1
#> # ... with 21,291 more rows, and 1 more variable: pct_prof_read <dbl>
```

Solutions for exercise using mutate()

2. Now using the code for question 1, filter schools where at least 50% of students are proficient in math **&** reading.

```
school_v2 %>%
  select(num_prof_math, num_took_math, num_prof_read, num_took_read) %>%
  mutate(pct_prof_math = num_prof_math/num_took_math,
         pct_prof_read = num_prof_read/num_took_read) %>%
  filter(pct_prof_math >= 0.5 & pct_prof_read >= 0.5)
#> # A tibble: 7,760 x 6
#>    num_prof_math num_took_math num_prof_read num_took_read pct_prof_math
#>            <dbl>         <dbl>         <dbl>         <dbl>         <dbl>
#>  1         135.            260         149.            261         0.52
#>  2         299.            475         418             475         0.63
#>  3         213.            410         332.            410         0.52
#>  4          54.6           105          96.6           105         0.52
#>  5         111.            121         118.            121         0.92
#>  6        1057.           1994        1477.           2204         0.53
#>  7         100.            103         125.            128         0.975
#>  8          56.4            99          84.4           148         0.57
#>  9         445.            586         392.            594         0.76
#> 10          56.0            59          53.1            61         0.95
#> # ... with 7,750 more rows, and 1 more variable: pct_prof_read <dbl>
```

Solutions for exercise using mutate()

3. Count the number of schools from question 2.

```
school_v2 %>%
  select(num_prof_math, num_took_math, num_prof_read, num_took_read) %>%
  mutate(pct_prof_math = num_prof_math/num_took_math,
         pct_prof_read = num_prof_read/num_took_read) %>%
  filter(pct_prof_math >= 0.5 & pct_prof_read >= 0.5) %>%
  count()
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#>       n
#>   <int>
#> 1  7760
```

Solutions for exercise using mutate()

4. Using `school_v2`, using `mutate()` combined with `is.na()` create a dichotomous indicator variable `med_inc_na` that identifies whether `med_inc` is missing (`NA`) or not. And then use syntax `count(var_name)` to create frequency table of variable `med_inc_na`. How many observations are missing?

```
school_v2 %>%
  mutate(med_inc_na = is.na(med_inc)) %>%
  count(med_inc_na)
#> # A tibble: 2 x 2
#>   med_inc_na     n
#>   <lgl>      <int>
#> 1 FALSE      20677
#> 2 TRUE         624
```

4.2 Using if_else() function within mutate()

Using `if_else()` function within `mutate()`

Description

- if `<condition>` `TRUE`, assign value; if `<condition>` `FALSE` assign value

Usage (i.e., syntax)

- `if_else(logical condition, true, false, missing = NULL)`

Arguments

- `logical condition`: a condition that evaluates to `TRUE` or `FALSE`
- `true`: value to assign if condition `TRUE`
- `false`: value to assign if condition `FALSE`
- `missing`: value to assign to rows that have value `NA` for condition
  - default is `missing = NULL`; means that if condition is `NA`, then new_var $==$ `NA`
  - But can assign different values to `NA`s, e.g., `missing = -9`

Value

- "Where condition is TRUE, the matching value from true, where it's FALSE, the matching value from false, otherwise NA."
- Unless otherwise specified, `NA`s in "input" var(s) assigned `NA` in "output var"

Example: Create 0/1 indicator of whether got at least one visit from Berkeley

```
school_v2 %>%
  mutate(got_visit_berkeley = if_else(visits_by_berkeley>0,1,0)) %>%
  count(got_visit_berkeley)
```

`if_else()` within `mutate()` to create 0/1 indicator variables

We often create dichotomous (0/1) indicator variables of whether something happened (or whether something is TRUE)

- Variables that are of substantive interest to project
  - e.g., did student graduate from college
- Variables that help you investigate data, check quality
  - e.g., indicator of whether an observation is missing/non-missing for a particular variable

Using `if_else()` within `mutate()`

Task

- Create 0/1 indicator if school has median income greater than $100,000

Usually a good idea to investigate "input" variables **before** creating analysis vars

```
str(school_v2$med_inc) # investigate variable type
school_v2 %>% count(med_inc) # frequency count, but this isn't very helpful

school_v2 %>% filter(is.na(med_inc)) %>% count()
# shows number of obs w/ missing med_inc
```

Create variable

```
school_v2 %>% select(med_inc) %>%
  mutate(inc_gt_100k= if_else(med_inc>100000,1,0)) %>%
  count(inc_gt_100k) # note how NA values of med_inc treated
#> # A tibble: 3 x 2
#>   inc_gt_100k     n
#>         <dbl> <int>
#> 1           0 18632
#> 2           1  2045
#> 3          NA   624
```

Using `if_else()` within `mutate()`

Task:

- Create 0/1 indicator if school has median income greater than $100,000.

This time, let's experiment with the `missing` argument of `if_else()`

```
#what we wrote before
school_v2 %>% select(med_inc) %>%
  mutate(inc_gt_100k= if_else(med_inc>100000,1,0)) %>%
  count(inc_gt_100k)

#manually write out the default value for `missing`
school_v2 %>% select(med_inc) %>%
  mutate(inc_gt_100k= if_else(med_inc>100000,1,0, missing = NULL)) %>%
  count(inc_gt_100k) # note how NA values of med_inc treated

school_v2 %>% select(med_inc) %>%
  mutate(inc_gt_100k= if_else(med_inc>100000,1,0, missing = NA_real_)) %>%
  count(inc_gt_100k) # note how NA values of med_inc treated
# NA can be coerced to any other vector type except raw:
# NA_integer_, NA_real_, NA_complex_ and NA_character_

# Here we give missing values in condition the value of -9 in new variable
school_v2 %>% select(med_inc) %>%
  mutate(inc_gt_100k= if_else(med_inc>100000,1,0, missing = -9)) %>%
  count(inc_gt_100k)
```

Using `if_else()` function within `mutate()`

Task

- Create 0/1 indicator variable `nonmiss_math` which indicates whether school has non-missing values for the variable `num_took_math`
  - note: `num_took_math` refers to number of students at school that took state math proficiency test

Usually a good to investigate "input" variables before creating analysis vars

```
school_v2 %>% count(num_took_math) # this isn't very helpful
school_v2 %>% filter(is.na(num_took_math)) %>% count(num_took_math) # shows num
```

Create variable

```
school_v2 %>% select(num_took_math) %>%
  mutate(nonmiss_math= if_else(!is.na(num_took_math),1,0)) %>%
  count(nonmiss_math) # note how NA values treated
#> # A tibble: 2 x 2
#>   nonmiss_math     n
#>          <dbl> <int>
#> 1            0  4103
#> 2            1 17198
```

Student exercises `if_else()`

1. Using the object `school_v2`, create 0/1 indicator variable `in_state_berkeley` that equals `1` if the high school is in the same state as UC Berkeley (i.e., `state_code=="CA"`).
2. Create 0/1 indicator `berkeley_and_irvine` of whether a school got at least one visit from UC Berkeley **AND** from UC Irvine.
3. Create 0/1 indicator `berkeley_or_irvine` of whether a school got at least one visit from UC Berkeley **OR** from UC Irvine.

Exercise `if_else()` solutions

1. Using the object `school_v2`, create 0/1 indicator variable `in_state_berkeley` that equals `1` if the high school is in the same state as UC Berkeley (i.e., `state_code=="CA"`).

```
str(school_v2$state_code) # investigate input variable
school_v2 %>% filter(is.na(state_code)) %>% count() # investigate input var

#Create var
school_v2 %>% mutate(in_state_berkeley=if_else(state_code=="CA",1,0)) %>%
  count(in_state_berkeley)
```

Exercise `if_else()` solutions

2. Create 0/1 indicator `berkeley_and_irvine` of whether a school got at least one visit from UC Berkeley **AND** from UC Irvine.

```
#investigate input vars
school_v2 %>% select(visits_by_berkeley, visits_by_irvine) %>% str()
school_v2 %>% filter(is.na(visits_by_berkeley)) %>% count()
school_v2 %>% filter(is.na(visits_by_irvine)) %>% count()

#create variable
school_v2 %>%
  mutate(berkeley_and_irvine=if_else(visits_by_berkeley>0
    & visits_by_irvine>0,1,0)) %>%
  count(berkeley_and_irvine)
```

Exercise `if_else()` solutions

3. Create 0/1 indicator `berkeley_or_irvine` of whether a school got at least one visit from UC Berkeley **OR** from UC Irvine.

```
school_v2 %>%
  mutate(berkeley_or_irvine=if_else(visits_by_berkeley>0 | visits_by_irvine>0,1
  count(berkeley_or_irvine)
```

4.3 Using recode() function within mutate()

Using `recode()` function within `mutate()`

Description: Recode values of a variable

Usage (i.e., syntax)

- recode(.x, ..., .default = NULL, .missing = NULL)

Arguments [see help file for further details]

- `.x` A vector (e.g., variable) to modify
- `...` Specifications for recode, of form `current_value = new_recoded_value`
- `.default` : If supplied, all values not otherwise matched given this value.
- `.missing` : If supplied, any missing values in .x replaced by this value.

Example: Using data frame `wwlist` , create new 0/1 indicator `public_school` from variable `school_type`

```
str(wwlist$school_type)
wwlist %>% count(school_type)

wwlist_temp <- wwlist %>% select(school_type) %>%
  mutate(public_school = recode(school_type,"public" = 1, "private" = 0))

wwlist_temp %>% head(n=10)
str(wwlist_temp$public_school) # note: numeric variable
wwlist_temp %>% count(public_school) # note the NAs
rm(wwlist_temp)
```

Using `recode()` function within `mutate()`

Recoding `school_type` could have been accomplished using `if_else()`

- Use `recode()` when new variable has more than two categories

Task: Create `school_catv2` based on `school_category` with these categories:

- "regular"; "alternative"; "special"; "vocational"

Investigate input var

```
str(wwlist$school_category) # character variable
wwlist %>% count(school_category)
```

Recode

```
wwlist_temp <- wwlist %>% select(school_category) %>%
  mutate(school_catv2 = recode(school_category,
    "Alternative Education School" = "alternative",
    "Alternative/other" = "alternative",
    "Regular elementary or secondary" = "regular",
    "Regular School" = "regular",
    "Special Education School" = "special",
    "Special program emphasis" = "special",
    "Vocational Education School" = "vocational")
  )
str(wwlist_temp$school_catv2) # character variable created
wwlist_temp %>% count(school_catv2)
rm(wwlist_temp)
```

Using `recode()` within `mutate()`

Task: Create `school_catv2` based on `school_category` with these categories:

- "regular"; "alternative"; "special"; "vocational"
- This time use the `.missing` argument to recode `NAs` to "unknown"

```
wwlist_temp <- wwlist %>% select(school_category) %>%
  mutate(school_catv2 = recode(school_category,
    "Alternative Education School" = "alternative",
    "Alternative/other" = "alternative",
    "Regular elementary or secondary" = "regular",
    "Regular School" = "regular",
    "Special Education School" = "special",
    "Special program emphasis" = "special",
    "Vocational Education School" = "vocational",
    .missing = "unknown")
  )
str(wwlist_temp$school_catv2)
wwlist_temp %>% count(school_catv2)
wwlist %>% count(school_category)
rm(wwlist_temp)
```

Using `recode()` within `mutate()`

Task: Create `school_catv2` based on `school_category` with these categories:

- "regular"; "alternative"; "special"; "vocational"
- This time use the `.default` argument to assign the value "regular"

```
wwlist_temp <- wwlist %>% select(school_category) %>%
  mutate(school_catv2 = recode(school_category,
    "Alternative Education School" = "alternative",
    "Alternative/other" = "alternative",
    "Special Education School" = "special",
    "Special program emphasis" = "special",
    "Vocational Education School" = "vocational",
    .default = "regular")
  )
str(wwlist_temp$school_catv2)
wwlist_temp %>% count(school_catv2)
wwlist %>% count(school_category)
rm(wwlist_temp)
```

Using `recode()` within `mutate()`

Task: Create `school_catv2` based on `school_category` with these categories:

- This time create a numeric variable rather than character:
  - `1` for "regular"; `2` for "alternative"; `3` for "special"; `4` for "vocational"

```
wwlist_temp <- wwlist %>% select(school_category) %>%
  mutate(school_catv2 = recode(school_category,
    "Alternative Education School" = 2,
    "Alternative/other" = 2,
    "Regular elementary or secondary" = 1,
    "Regular School" = 1,
    "Special Education School" = 3,
    "Special program emphasis" = 3,
    "Vocational Education School" = 4)
  )
str(wwlist_temp$school_catv2) # note: numeric variable now
wwlist_temp %>% count(school_catv2)
wwlist %>% count(school_category)
rm(wwlist_temp)
```

Student exercise using `recode()` within `mutate()`

```
load(url("https://github.com/ozanj/rclass/raw/master/data/recruiting/recruit_ev
names(df_event)
```

1. Using object `df_event`, assign new object `df_event_temp` and a numeric variable create `event_typev2` based on `event_type` with these categories:
   - `1` for "2yr college"; `2` for "4yr college"; `3` for "other"; `4` for "private hs"; `5` for "public hs"
2. This time use the `.default` argument to assign the value `5` for "public hs"

Exercise using `recode()` within `mutate()` solutions

Check input variable

```
names(df_event)
str(df_event$event_type)
df_event %>% count(event_type)
```

Exercise using `recode()` within `mutate()` solutions

1. Using object `df_event`, assign new object `df_event_temp` and create a numeric variable `event_typev2` based on `event_type` with these categories:
   - `1` for "2yr college"; `2` for "4yr college"; `3` for "other"; `4` for "private hs"; `5` for "public hs"

```
df_event_temp <- df_event %>%
  select(event_type) %>%
  mutate(event_typev2 = recode(event_type,
                               "2yr college" = 1,
                               "4yr college" = 2,
                               "other" = 3,
                               "private hs" = 4,
                               "public hs" = 5)
         )
str(df_event_temp$event_typev2)
df_event_temp %>% count(event_typev2)
df_event %>% count(event_type)
```

Exercise using `recode()` within `mutate()` solutions

2. This time assign the value use the `.default` argument to assign the value `5` for "public hs"

```
df_event_temp <- df_event %>% select(event_type) %>%
  mutate(event_typev2 = recode(event_type,
    "2yr college" = 1,
    "4yr college" = 2,
    "other" = 3,
    "private hs" = 4,
    .default = 5)
  )
str(df_event_temp$event_typev2)
df_event_temp %>% count(event_typev2)
df_event %>% count(event_type)
```

4.4 Using case_when() function within mutate()

Using `case_when()` function within `mutate()`

`case_when()` useful for creating variable that is a function of multiple "input" variables

Usage (i.e., syntax): `case_when(...)`

Arguments [from help file; see help file for more details]

- `...`: A sequence of two-sided formulas.
  - The left hand side (LHS) determines which values match this case.
    - LHS must evaluate to a logical vector.
  - The right hand side (RHS) provides the replacement value.

Example task: Using data frame `wwlist` and input vars `state` and `firstgen`, create a 4-category var with following categories:

- "instate_firstgen"; "instate_nonfirstgen"; "outstate_firstgen"; "outstate_nonfirstgen"

```
wwlist_temp <- wwlist %>% select(state,firstgen) %>%
  mutate(state_gen = case_when(
    state == "WA" & firstgen =="Y" ~ "instate_firstgen",
    state == "WA" & firstgen =="N" ~ "instate_nonfirstgen",
    state != "WA" & firstgen =="Y" ~ "outstate_firstgen",
    state != "WA" & firstgen =="N" ~ "outstate_nonfirstgen")
  )
str(wwlist_temp$state_gen)
wwlist_temp %>% count(state_gen)
```

Using `case_when()` function within `mutate()`

Task: Using data frame `wwlist` and input vars `state` and `firstgen`, create a 4-category var

Let's take a closer look at how values of inputs are coded into values of outputs

```
wwlist %>% select(state,firstgen) %>% str()
count(wwlist,state)
count(wwlist,firstgen)
```

Create variable

```
wwlist_temp <- wwlist %>% select(state,firstgen) %>%
  mutate(state_gen = case_when(
    state == "WA" & firstgen =="Y" ~ "instate_firstgen",
    state == "WA" & firstgen =="N" ~ "instate_nonfirstgen",
    state != "WA" & firstgen =="Y" ~ "outstate_firstgen",
    state != "WA" & firstgen =="N" ~ "outstate_nonfirstgen")
  )
```

Compare values of input vars to value of output var

```
wwlist_temp %>% count(state_gen)
wwlist_temp %>% filter(is.na(state)) %>% count(state_gen)
wwlist_temp %>% filter(is.na(firstgen)) %>% count(state_gen)
wwlist_temp %>% filter(is.na(firstgen) | is.na(state)) %>% count(state_gen)
```

Take-away: by default var created by `case_when()` equals `NA` for obs where one of

Student exercise using `case_when()` within `mutate()`

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   - Note: We are referring to CA as in-state for this example

Exercise using `case_when()` within `mutate()` solution

Investigate

```
school_v2 %>% select(state_code,school_type) %>% str()
count(school_v2,state_code)
school_v2 %>% filter(is.na(state_code)) %>% count()

count(school_v2,school_type)
school_v2 %>% filter(is.na(school_type)) %>% count()
```

Exercise using `case_when()` within `mutate()` solution

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```
school_v2_temp <- school_v2 %>% select(state_code,school_type) %>%
  mutate(state_type = case_when(
    state_code == "CA" & school_type == "public"  ~ "instate_public",
    state_code == "CA" & school_type == "private" ~ "instate_private",
    state_code != "CA" & school_type == "public" ~ "outstate_public",
    state_code != "CA" & school_type == "private" ~ "outstate_private")
  )

school_v2_temp %>% count(state_type)
#> # A tibble: 4 x 2
#>   state_type           n
#>   <chr>            <int>
#> 1 instate_private    366
#> 2 instate_public    1404
#> 3 outstate_private  3456
#> 4 outstate_public  16075
#school_v2_temp %>% filter(is.na(state_code)) %>% count(state_type) #no missing
#school_v2_temp %>% filter(is.na(school_type)) %>% count(state_type) #no missing
```