How DataEditR works

It's super-simple. Just run this code to:

1. **Load Libraries:** Load `DataEditR`, `tidyverse` and `tidyquant`.
2. **Import Data:** We're using the `mpg` dataset that comes with `ggplot2`.
3. **Start Data Editing:** Use the `data_edit()` function.

Get the code.

This launches the **Data Editor.**

The Data Editor

Try Editing Cells

Click on a cell and make any edits.

Editing Cells

Try Selecting Columns

Click the target icon. Then select columns you are interested in.
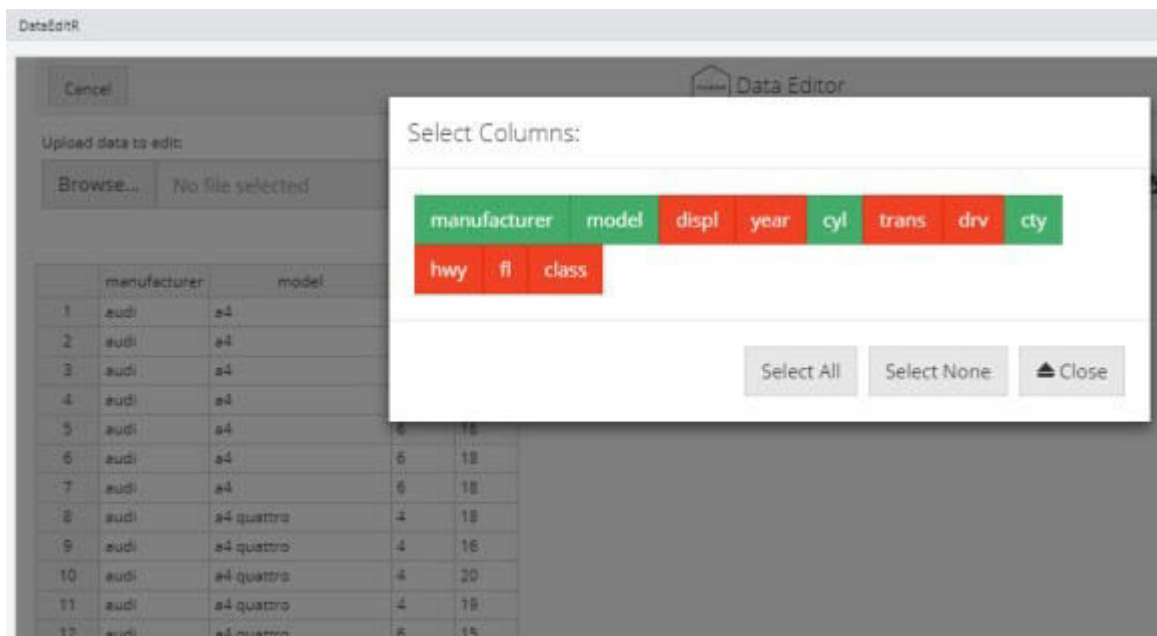
Selecting Columns

When you're done, save a CSV

After you've made your edits, you can optionally save a CSV File. Alternatively, you can return a data frame in your active R Session.
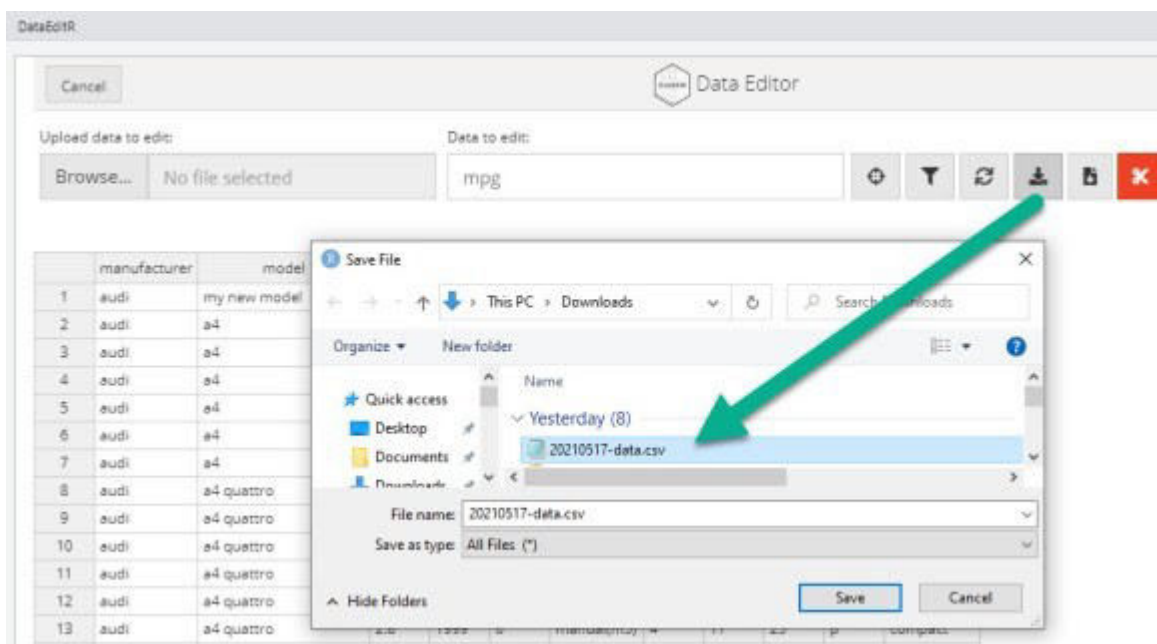
Save as CSV File

Going Further
with `dplyr` and `ggplot2`

`DataEditR` is great for making simple edits. But, eventually you're going to need to go further by using code to wrangle data and prepare visualizations. For this, I'll circle back to `dplyr` and `ggplot2`, and my Ultimate R Cheat Sheet.

Fuel Economy by Vehicle Model

Say that you wanted to make a visualization that shows the differences in vehicle models and their fuel economy measured as miles per gallon (MPG). We can do this with `dplyr` and `ggplot2`.

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38  mpg %>%
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40      select(manufacturer, model, cty, hwy, class) %>%
41      pivot_longer(cols = c(cty, hwy)) %>%
42      mutate(
43          model = fct_reorder(
44              str_glue("{manufacturer} {model}") %>% str_to_title(),
45              value
46          ),
47          name = str_to_upper(name)
48      ) %>%

50      ggplot(aes(x = model, y = value, fill = class)) +
51      geom_boxplot() +
52      facet_grid(cols = vars(name), scales = "free_y") +
53      coord_flip() +
54      scale_fill_tq() +
55      theme_tq() +
56      labs(title = "Fuel Economy by Model", y = "MPG", x = "")
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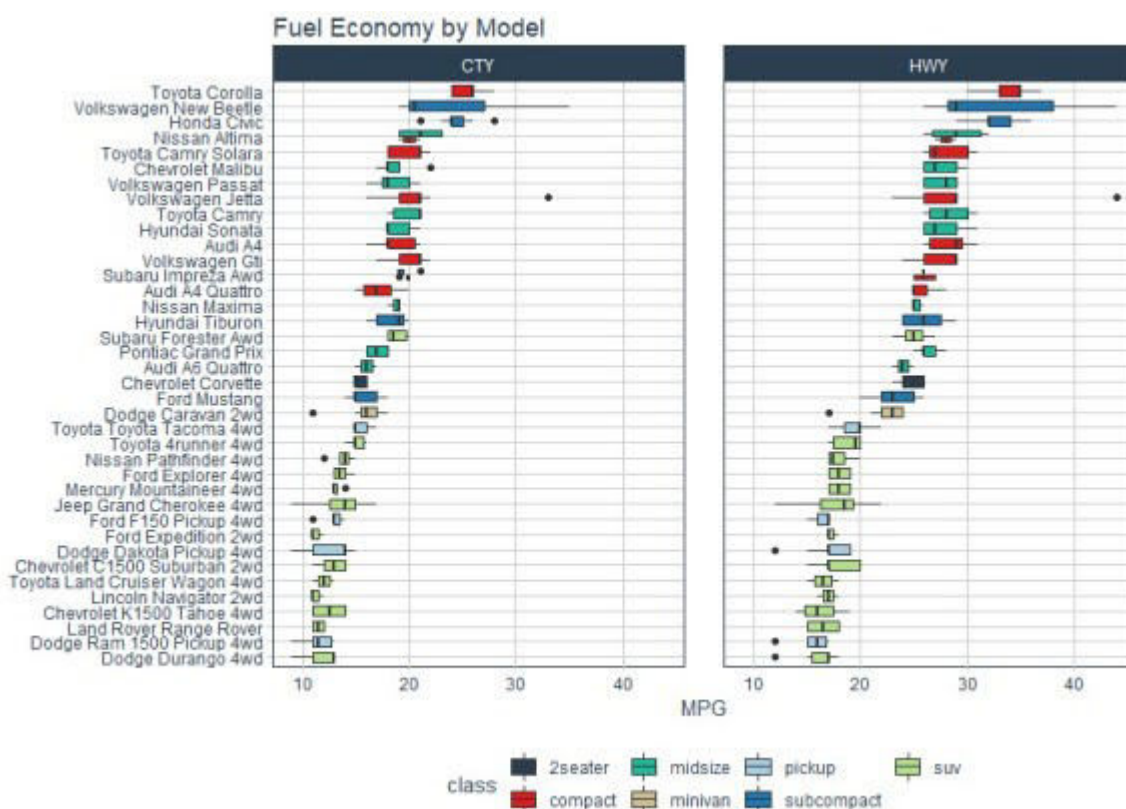
dplyr
data wrangling

ggplot2
visualization

Visualization and Insights

The code makes a stunning `ggplot2` visualization that highlights the differences in fuel economy by vehicle model and class. We can see:

- **SUV's** clearly have the lowest fuel economy although the Subaru Forester AWD seems to be an outlier.
- **Toyota Corolla** is leading the pack with Highway MPG in the mid-30s.

In Summary

You've seen how `DataEditR` can be used for making simple edits inside of R. You've also seen that learning `dplyr` and `ggplot2` can generate insights through visualizations.

What if you want to go further? Read on.