

# Add and Rename Variables

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## Preliminaries

```
> library(fishWiDNR) # for setDBClasses(), changeDBNames()
> library(dplyr)      # for filter(), select(), mutate(), rename()
> library(lubridate)  # for month()
> library(FSA)        # for capFirst(), expandCounts()

> setwd("C:/aaaWork/Web/fishR/Courses/WiDNR_Statewide_2015/Day1_IntroR_FMDData")
> d <- read.csv("SAWYER_fish_raw_data_012915.csv", stringsAsFactors=FALSE, na.strings=c("-", "NA", ""))
> d <- setDBClasses(d, type="RDNR")
> d <- expandCounts(d, ~Number.of.Fish, ~Length.or.Lower.Length.IN+Length.Upper.IN, new.name="Len")
> d1 <- filter(d, Species=="LAKE STURGEON", Waterbody.Name=="BARKER LAKE", !is.na(Weight.Pounds))
> d1 <- select(d1, Species, Survey.Year, Survey.Begin.Date, Len, Weight.Pounds)
> head(d1, n=4)
```

	Species	Survey.Year	Survey.Begin.Date	Len	Weight.Pounds
1	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	58.0	43.9
2	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	61.5	70.5
3	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	59.7	55.6
4	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	62.5	66.5

## Variable Additions

### Simple Mutations

```
> tmp <- mutate(d1, loglen=log(Len), logwt=log(Weight.Pounds))
> head(tmp, n=4)
```

	Species	Survey.Year	Survey.Begin.Date	Len	Weight.Pounds	loglen	logwt
1	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	58.0	43.9	4.060443	3.781914
2	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	61.5	70.5	4.119037	4.255613
3	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	59.7	55.6	4.089332	4.018183
4	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	62.5	66.5	4.135167	4.197202

### Simple Special Purpose Mutations

```
> tmp <- mutate(d1, mon1=month(Survey.Begin.Date),
  mon2=month(Survey.Begin.Date, label=TRUE))
> head(tmp, n=4)
```

	Species	Survey.Year	Survey.Begin.Date	Len	Weight.Pounds	mon1	mon2
1	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	58.0	43.9	5	May
2	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	61.5	70.5	5	May
3	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	59.7	55.6	5	May
4	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	62.5	66.5	5	May

```
> tmp <- mutate(d1, Species1=capFirst(Species),
  Species2=capFirst(Species, which="first"))
> head(tmp, n=4)
```

	Species	Survey.Year	Survey.Begin.Date	Len	Weight.Pounds	Species1	Species2
1	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	58.0	43.9	Lake Sturgeon	Lake sturgeon

2 LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	61.5	70.5 Lake Sturgeon Lake sturgeon
3 LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	59.7	55.6 Lake Sturgeon Lake sturgeon
4 LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	62.5	66.5 Lake Sturgeon Lake sturgeon

## Length Category Mutations

```
> tmp <- mutate(d1, lcat2=lencat(Len,w=2),
  lcat2a=lencat(Len,w=2,as.fact=TRUE),
  lcatA=lencat(Len,breaks=c(46,54,56,58,70)),
  lcatB=lencat(Len,breaks=c(small=0,medium=50,large=60,very_large=70),use.names=TRUE) )
```

```
> head(tmp)
```

	Species	Survey.Year	Survey.Begin.Date	Len	Weight.Pounds	lcat2	lcat2a	lcatA	lcatB
1	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	58.0	43.9	58	58	58	medium
2	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	61.5	70.5	60	60	58	large
3	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	59.7	55.6	58	58	58	medium
4	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	62.5	66.5	62	62	58	large
5	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	55.7	38.8	54	54	54	medium
6	LAKE STURGEON	2010	2010-05-04	56.4	45.7	56	56	56	medium

```
> xtabs(~lcat2,data=tmp)
lcat2
46 54 56 58 60 62 66
 1  6  1  6  7  2  2
```

```
> xtabs(~lcat2a,data=tmp)
lcat2a
46 48 50 52 54 56 58 60 62 64 66
 1  0  0  0  6  1  6  7  2  0  2
```

```
> xtabs(~lcatA,data=tmp)
lcatA
46 54 56 58
 1  6  1 17
```

```
> xtabs(~lcatB,data=tmp)
lcatB
      small      medium      large very_large
      1         13         11          0
```

## Rename Variables

```
> tmp <- rename(d1,year=Survey.Year,wt=Weight.Pounds)
> head(tmp)
  Species year Survey.Begin.Date Len wt
1 LAKE STURGEON 2010          2010-05-04 58.0 43.9
2 LAKE STURGEON 2010          2010-05-04 61.5 70.5
3 LAKE STURGEON 2010          2010-05-04 59.7 55.6
4 LAKE STURGEON 2010          2010-05-04 62.5 66.5
5 LAKE STURGEON 2010          2010-05-04 55.7 38.8
6 LAKE STURGEON 2010          2010-05-04 56.4 45.7

> tmp <- changeDBNames(d1)
> names(tmp)
[1] "srvy_begin" "species"      "year"          "Len"          "wt_lbs"

> tmp <- changeDBNames(tmp,from="R",to="RDNR")
> names(tmp)
[1] "Species"          "Survey.Year"      "Survey.Begin.Date" "Len"
[5] "Weight.Pounds"

> tmp <- changeDBNames(tmp,from="RDNR",to="DNR")
> write.csv(tmp,"LKS_Barker.csv",row.names=FALSE)
```

# Application Assignment

Create a script that performs the following tasks:

1. Load and prepare (set classes, expand counts, examine structure) your FM data in R (**HINT:** *use all or some of your scripts from previous application assignments*).
2. Rename two or more variables to names that better fit your usage (or change all names according to the definitions in `changeDBNames()`).
3. Create a new variable that has the species names with only the first letters capitalized.
4. Create a new variable that has the water body names with only the first letters capitalized.
5. Create a new variable that is the length in mm computed from the length in inches (even though this is already in the FM database).
6. Isolate a game species from a waterbody (and possibly a gear) of interest to you.
7. Create a new variable that contains evenly-spaced length categories that are appropriate for your species. Construct a frequency table of that variable.
8. Create a new variable that contains length categories that could be defined as “not of interest”, “marginally interesting”, “preferred”, and “very interesting” to anglers for your species. Construct a frequency table of that variable.
9. (*Time Permitting*) Create a new variable that contains the Gabelhouse length categories (“stock”, “quality”, etc.) for your species (**HINT:** *use, for example, `psdVal("Largemouth Bass",units="in")` to find Gablehouse lengths for a particular species*).

**Save your script!**