

Class 5: Data Viz with ggplot

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Background

There are many graphic systems available in R. These include “base” R and tones and tones of added packages like **ggplot2**.

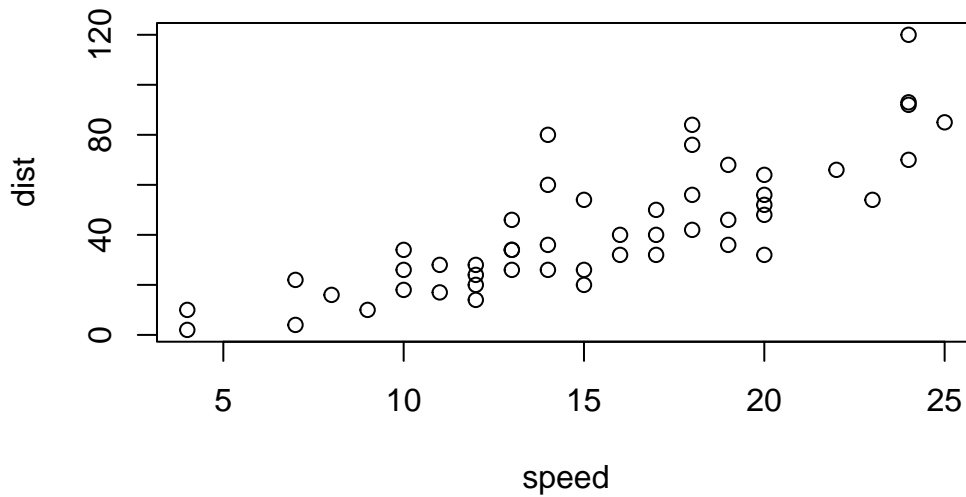
Let’s compare “base” and **ggplot2** briefly. We can use some example data that is built-in with R called **cars**:

```
head(cars)
```

```
  speed dist
1     4    2
2     4   10
3     7    4
4     7   22
5     8   16
6     9   10
```

In base R I can just call `plot()`

```
plot(cars)
```



How can we do this with **ggplot2**

First, we need to install the package. We do this `install.packages("ggplot2")`. I only need to do this once, and then it will be available on my computer from then on.

Key Points: I only install packages in the R console, not writing quarto docs or R scripts

Before I use any add-on packages, I must load it up with a call to `library()`

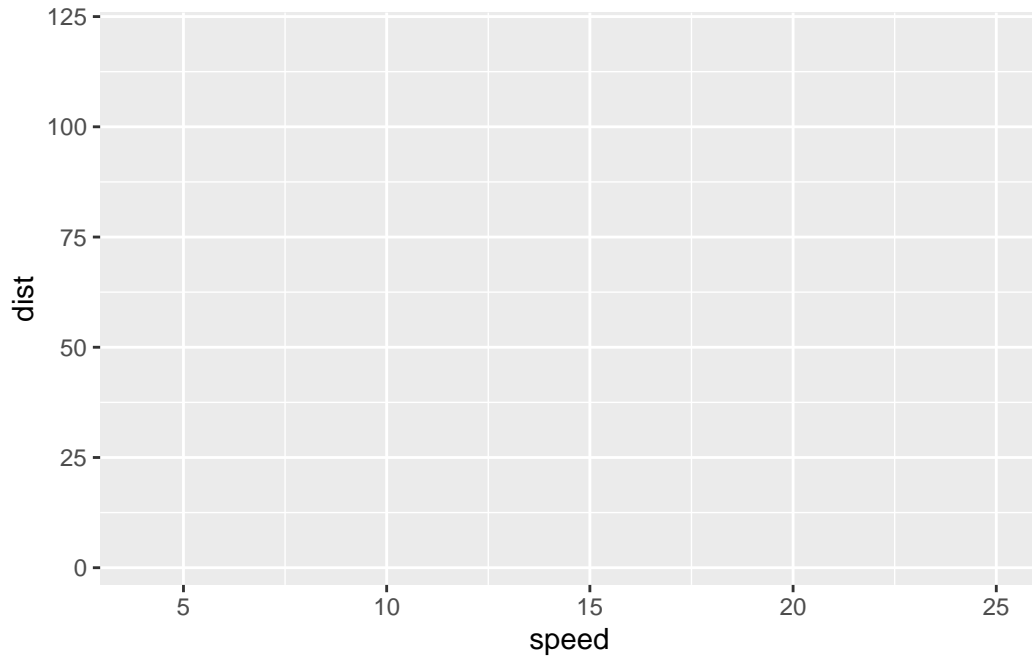
```
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(cars)
```



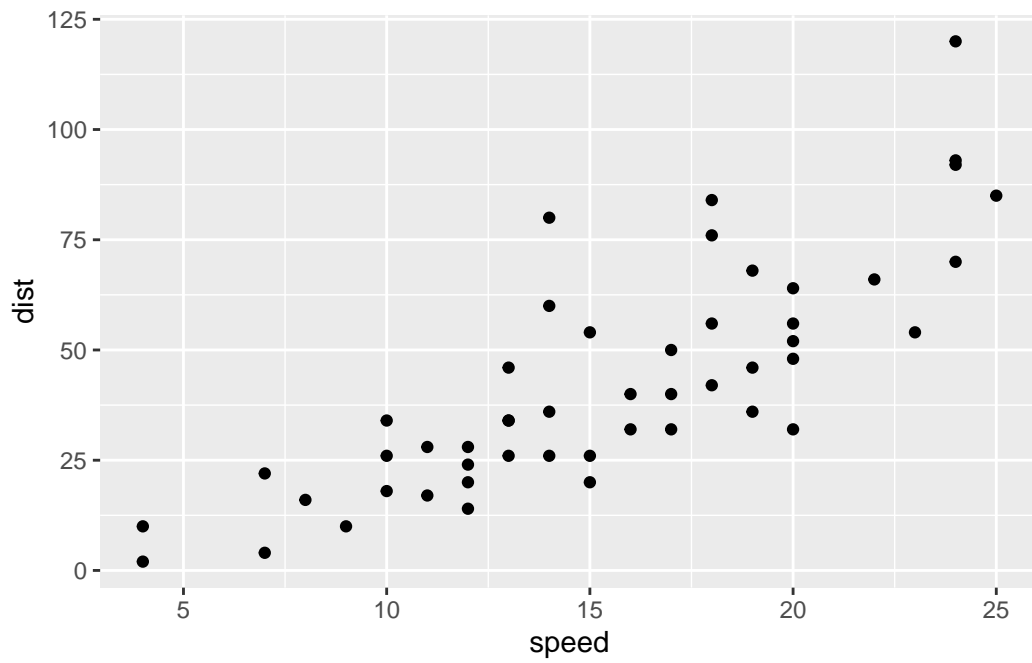
Every ggplot has at least 3 things:

- the **data** (in our case **cars**)
- the **aesthetics** (how the data map to the plot)
- the **geoms** that determine how the plot is drawn (lines, points, columns, etc.)

```
ggplot(cars)+  
  aes(x=speed, y=dist)
```



```
ggplot(cars)+  
  aes(x=speed, y=dist)+  
  geom_point()
```



For “simple” plots, ggplots is much more verbose than base R, but the defaults are nicer, and for complicated plots, it becomes much more efficient and structured.

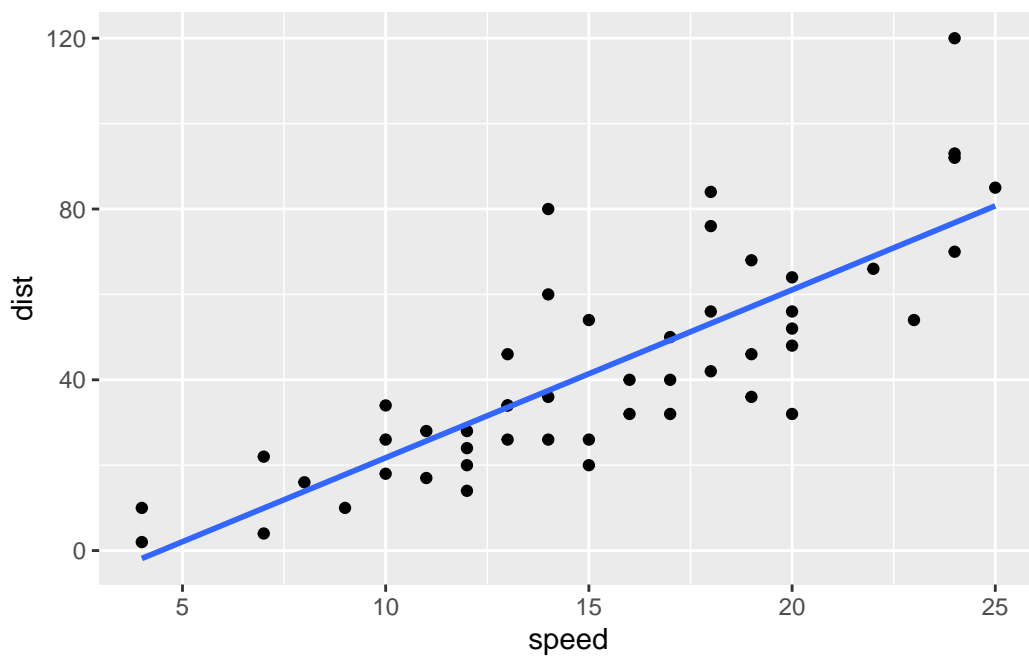
Add a line to show relationship of speed to stopping distance (i.e. add another “layer”)

```
p<- ggplot(cars)+  
  aes(x=speed, y=dist)+  
  geom_point()+  
  geom_smooth (se=FALSE, method="lm")
```

I can always save any ggplot object (i.e. plot) and then use it later for adding more layers

p

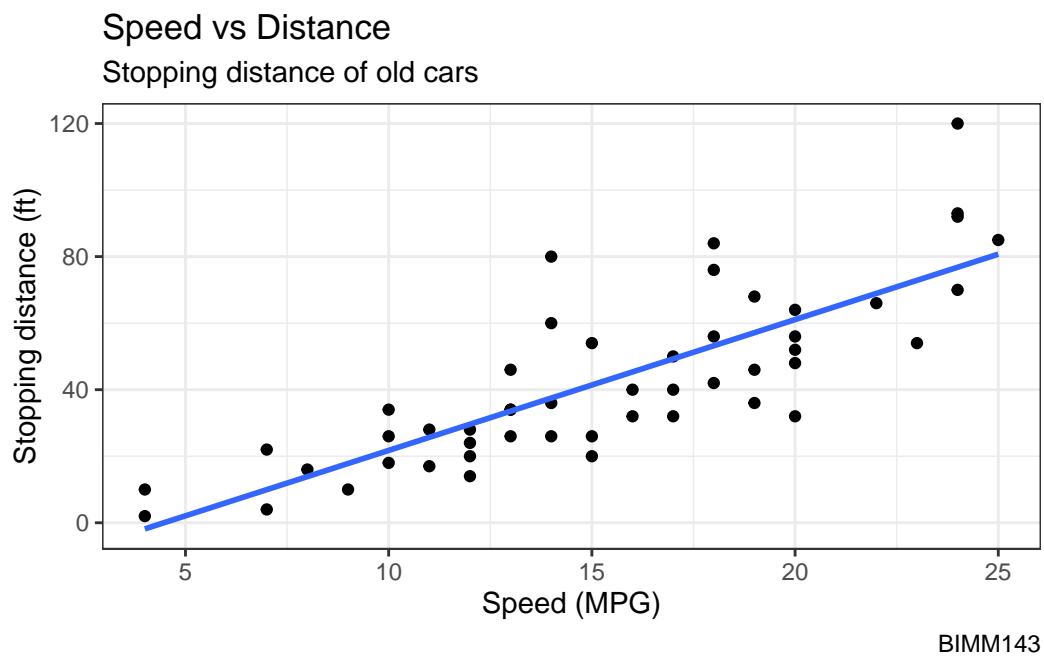
`geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'



Q. Add a title and subtitle to the plot

```
p + labs(
  title="Speed vs Distance",
  subtitle="Stopping distance of old cars",
  captions="BIMM143",
  x= "Speed (MPG)",
  y= "Stopping distance (ft)")+
theme_bw()
```

`geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'



Using different aes and geoms

Gene expression plot

Read input data

```
url <- "https://bioboot.github.io/bimm143_S20/class-material/up_down_expression.txt"
genes <- read.delim(url)
head(genes)
```

	Gene	Condition1	Condition2	State
1	A4GNT	-3.6808610	-3.4401355	unchanging
2	AAAS	4.5479580	4.3864126	unchanging
3	AASDH	3.7190695	3.4787276	unchanging
4	AATF	5.0784720	5.0151916	unchanging
5	AATK	0.4711421	0.5598642	unchanging
6	AB015752.4	-3.6808610	-3.5921390	unchanging

Q. How many genes are on the data set?

```
nrow(genes)
```

```
[1] 5196
```

```
ncol(genes)
```

```
[1] 4
```

Q. What are the column names

```
colnames(genes)
```

```
[1] "Gene" "Condition1" "Condition2" "State"
```

Q. How many “up” and “down” regulated genes are there ?

```
head(genes$State)
```

```
[1] "unchanging" "unchanging" "unchanging" "unchanging" "unchanging"
[6] "unchanging"
```

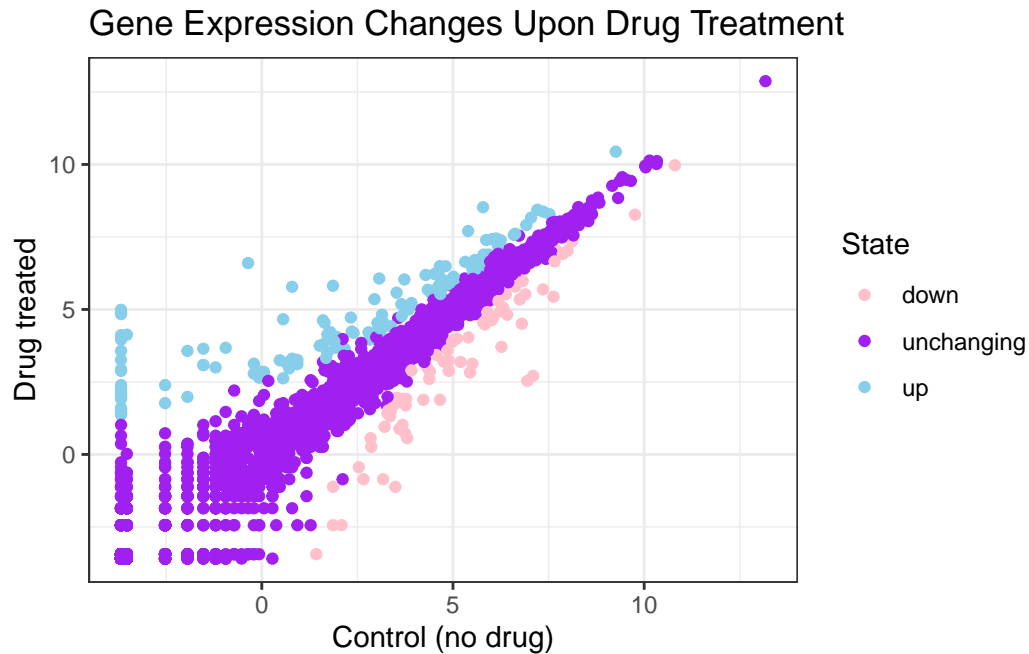
```
table(genes$State)
```

down	unchanging	up
72	4997	127

Custom color plot

Q. Make a first plot of this data

```
ggplot(genes)+
  aes(x=Condition1, y=Condition2, col=State)+
  scale_color_manual(values= c("pink", "purple", "skyblue"))+
  geom_point()+
  labs(title= "Gene Expression Changes Upon Drug Treatment", x= "Control (no drug)", y="Drug")
  theme_bw()
```



Using Differnt geoms

Lets plot some aspect of the in-built `mtcars` dataset

```
head(mtcars)
```

	mpg	cyl	disp	hp	drat	wt	qsec	vs	am	gear	carb
Mazda RX4	21.0	6	160	110	3.90	2.620	16.46	0	1	4	4
Mazda RX4 Wag	21.0	6	160	110	3.90	2.875	17.02	0	1	4	4
Datsun 710	22.8	4	108	93	3.85	2.320	18.61	1	1	4	1
Hornet 4 Drive	21.4	6	258	110	3.08	3.215	19.44	1	0	3	1
Hornet Sportabout	18.7	8	360	175	3.15	3.440	17.02	0	0	3	2
Valiant	18.1	6	225	105	2.76	3.460	20.22	1	0	3	1

Q. Scatter plot of mpg vs disp

```
p1<- ggplot(mtcars)+  
  aes(x=mpg, y=disp)+  
  geom_point()+  
  labs(title= "Miles per Gallon vs Displacement", x= "Miles per Gallon", y="Distance")+  
  theme_bw()
```

Q. boxplot of gear vs disp

```
p2<-ggplot(mtcars)+  
  aes(x=gear, y=disp, group=gear)+  
  geom_boxplot()+  
  labs(title= "Gear vs Displacement", x= "gear", y="Distance")+  
  theme_bw()
```

Q. barplot of carb

```
p3<-ggplot(mtcars)+  
  aes(carb)+  
  geom_bar()+  
  theme_bw()
```

Smooth of disp vs qsec

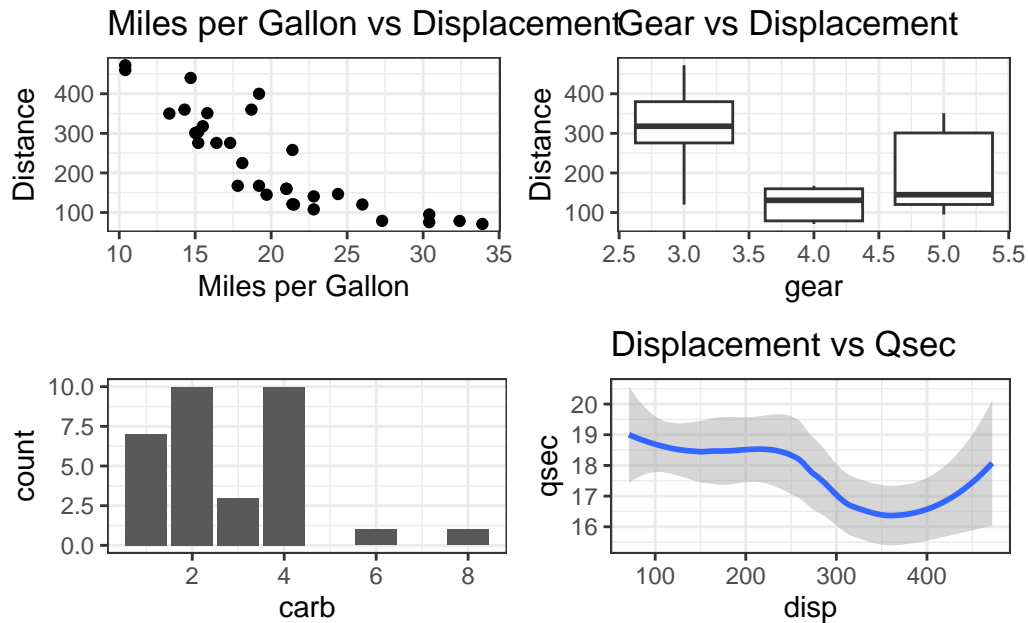
```
p4<-ggplot(mtcars)+  
  aes(x=disp, y=qsec)+  
  geom_smooth()+  
  labs(title= "Displacement vs Qsec")+  
  theme_bw()
```

I want to combine all these plots into one figure with multiple pannels

We can use the **patchwork** package to do this.

```
library(patchwork)  
  
((p1| p2) / (p3 |p4))
```

`geom_smooth()` using method = 'loess' and formula = 'y ~ x'



```
ggsave(filename= "myplot.png", width=10,height=10)
```

`geom_smooth()` using method = 'loess' and formula = 'y ~ x'

File location online

```
url <- "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/jennybc/gapminder/master/inst/extdata/gapminder.tsv"
gapminder <- read.delim(url)
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```

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Q. How many countries are in this dataset?

```
length(table(gapminder$country))
```

```
[1] 142
```

Q. Plot gdpPercap vs lifeExp colored by continent

```
ggplot(gapminder)+  
  aes(gdpPercap,lifeExp, color=continent)+  
  geom_point(alpha=0.3) +  
  facet_wrap(~continent)+  
  theme_bw()
```

