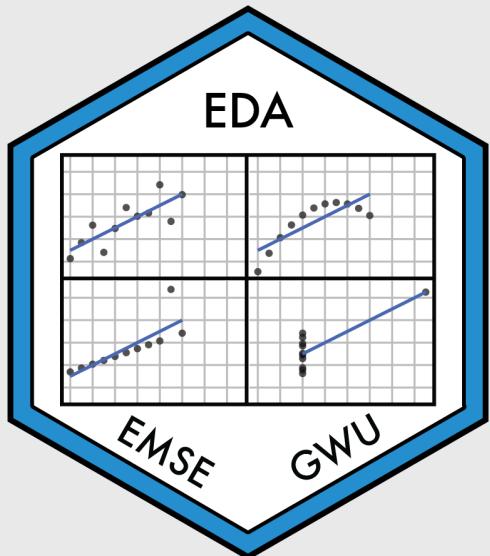


class: middle, inverse



Week 8: *Trends*

🏛️ EMSE 4575: Exploratory Data Analysis

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Tip of the week

Code outline in RStudio

Today's data

Old:

```
gapminder      <- read_csv(here::here('data', 'gapminder.csv'))
milk_production <- read_csv(here::here('data', 'milk_production.csv'))
global_temps    <- read_csv(here::here('data', 'nasa_global_temps.csv'))
internet_region <- read_csv(here::here('data', 'internet_users_region.csv'))
```

New:

```
us_covid        <- read_csv(here::here('data', 'us_covid.csv'))
internet_country <- read_csv(here::here('data', 'internet_users_country.csv'))
hotdogs         <- read_csv(here::here('data', 'hot_dog_winners.csv'))
us_diseases     <- read_csv(here::here('data', 'us_contagious_diseases.csv'))
```

New packages:

```
install.packages('viridis')
install.packages('gganimate')
install.packages('magick')
```

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1. Single Variables

2. Animations

BREAK

3. Multiple Variables

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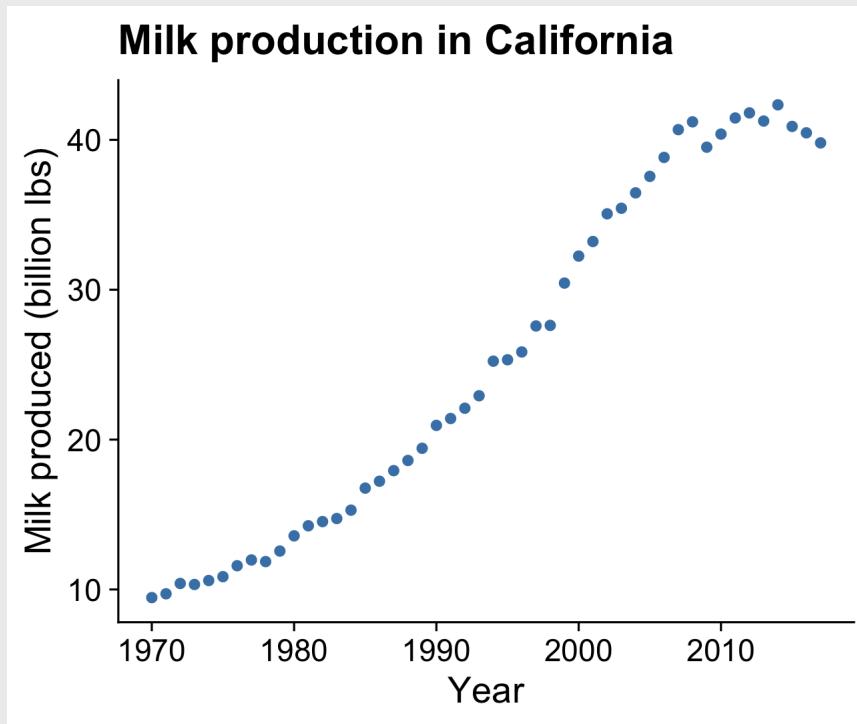
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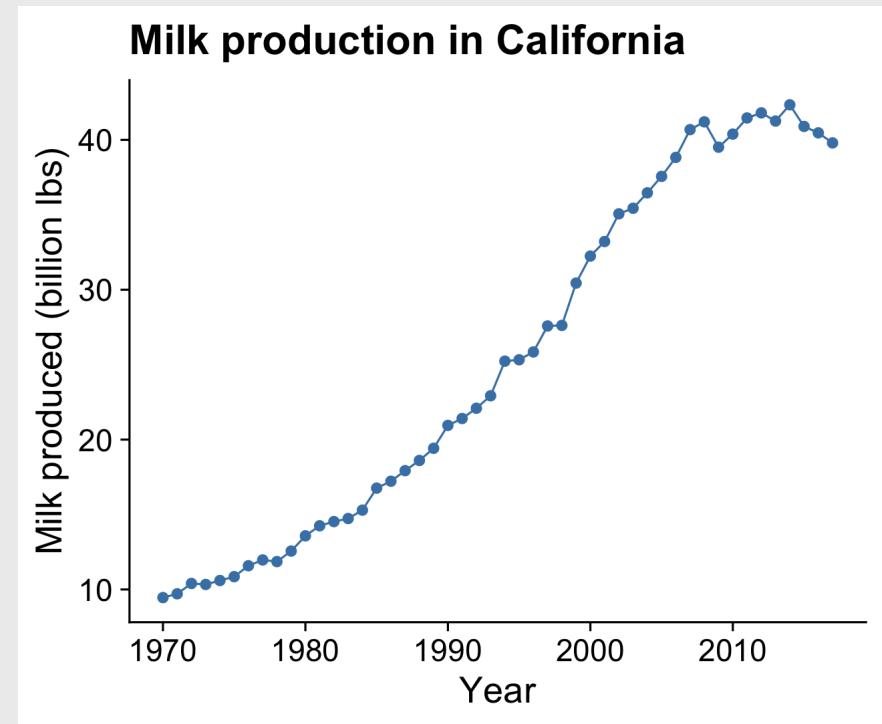
Points

Plotting the data points is a good starting point for viewing trends



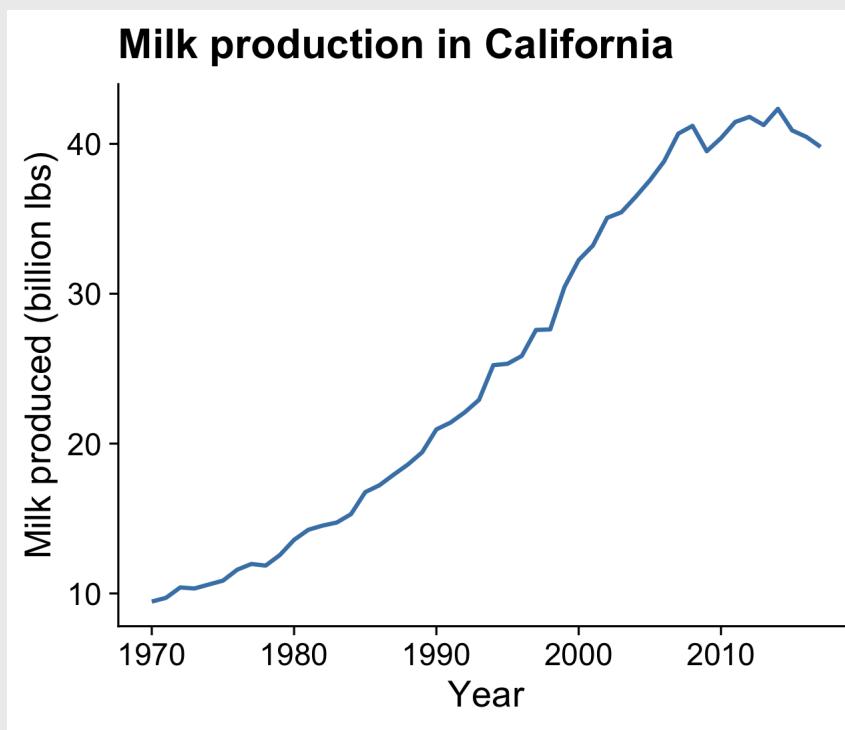
Points + line

Adding lines between the points helps see the overall trend



Line

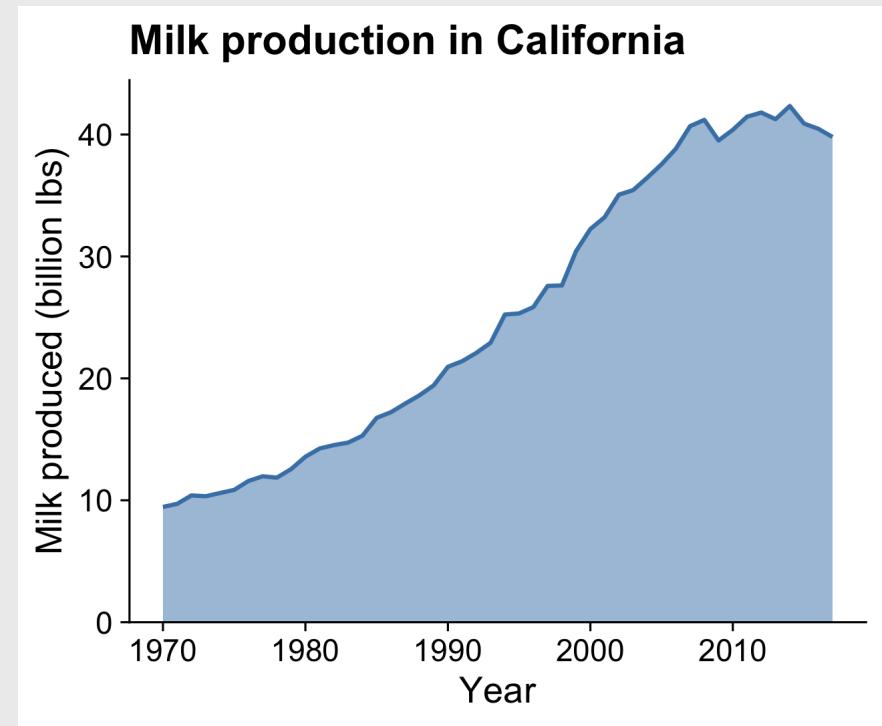
Omitting the points emphasizes the overall trend



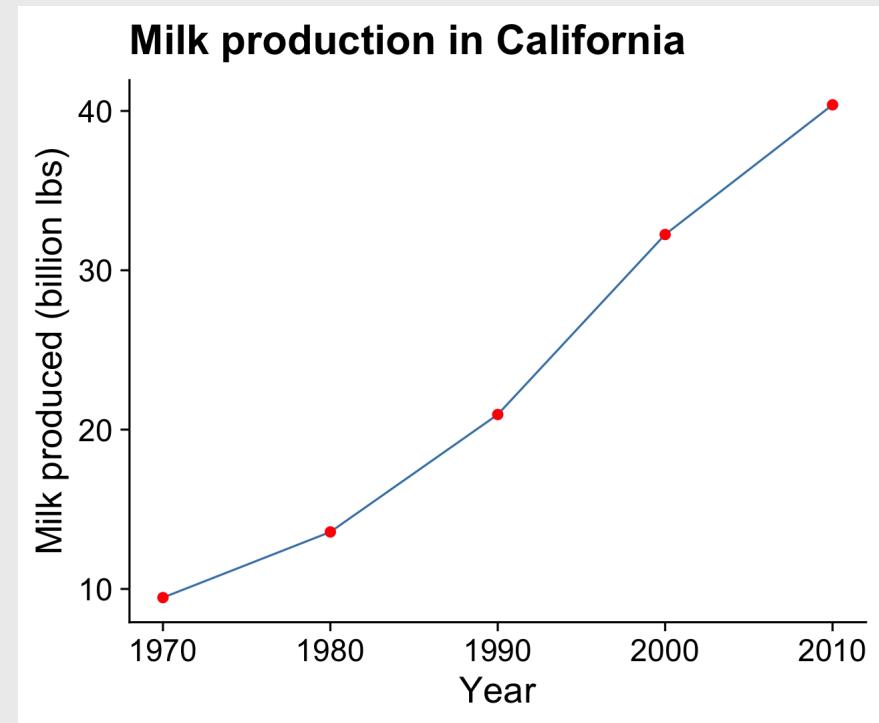
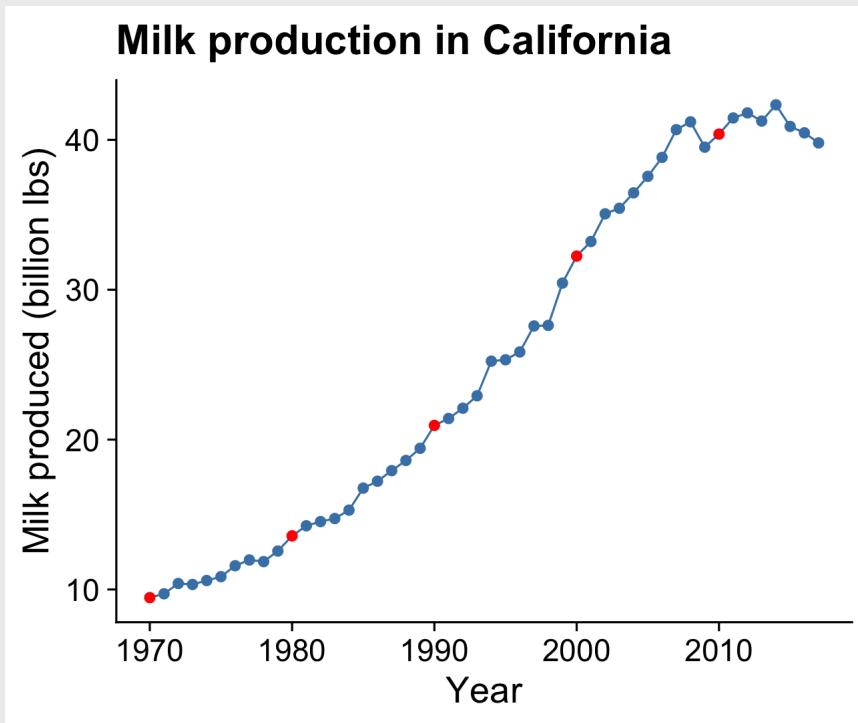
Line + area

Filling area below line emphasizes cumulative over time

(y-axis should start at 0)

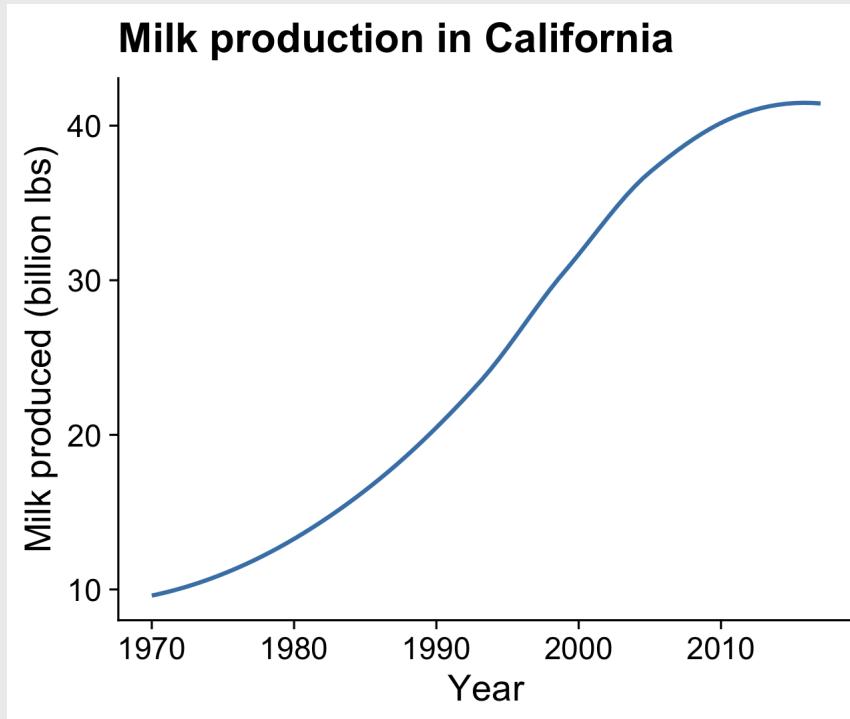


If points are too sparse, a line can be misleading



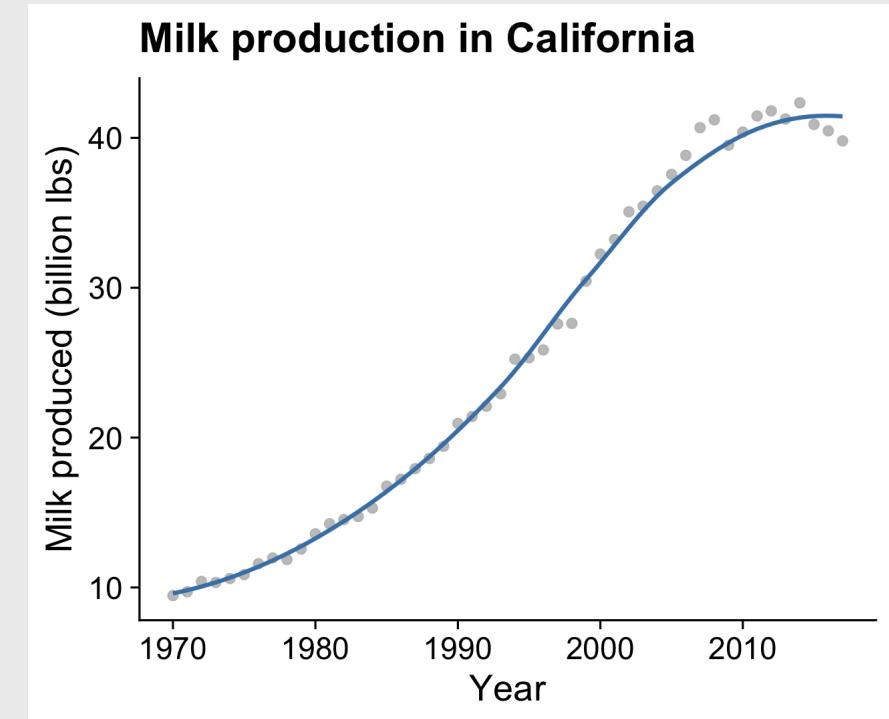
Smoothed line

Adding a "smoothed" line shows a modeled representation of the overall trend

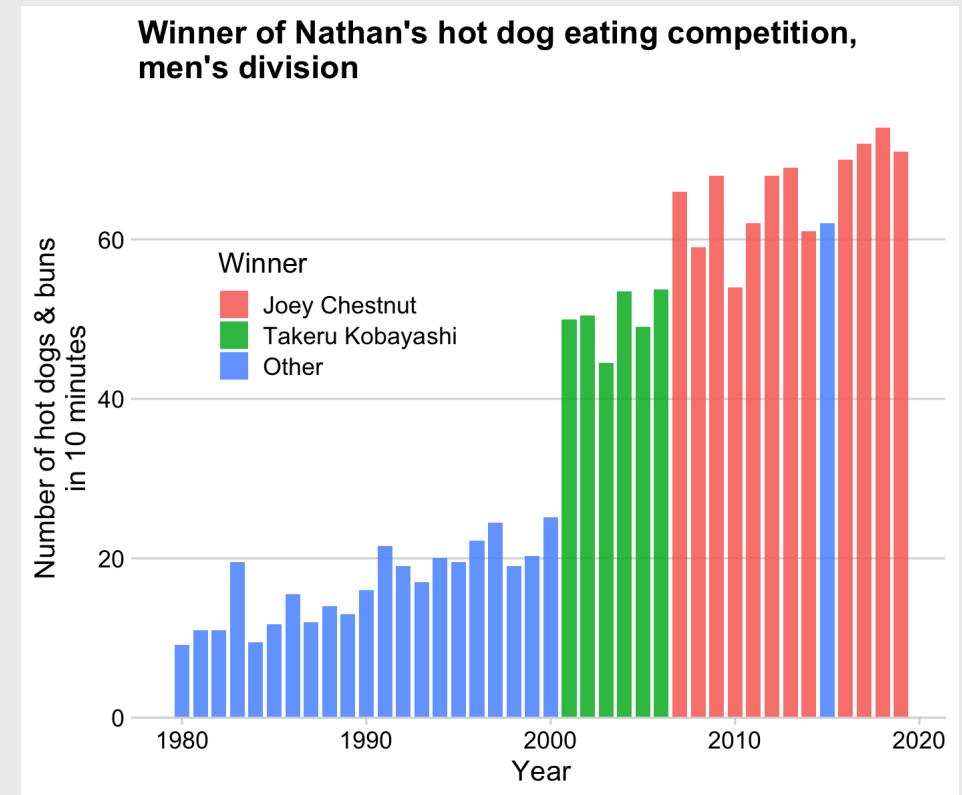
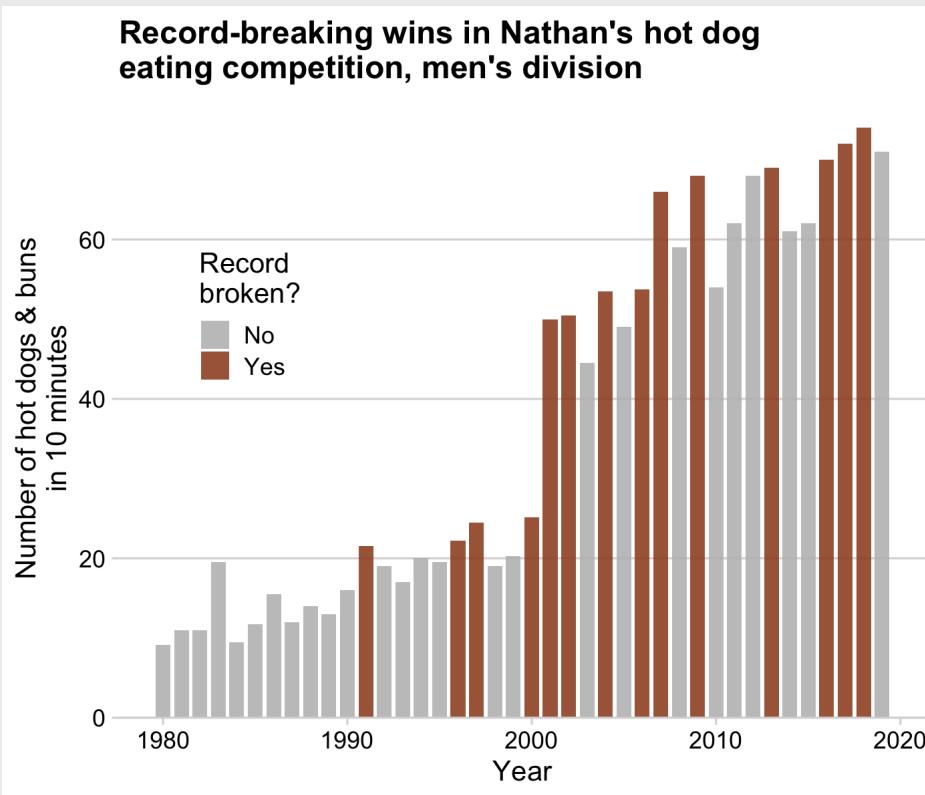


Smoothed line + points

Putting the smoothed line over the data points helps show whether **outliers** are driving the trend line



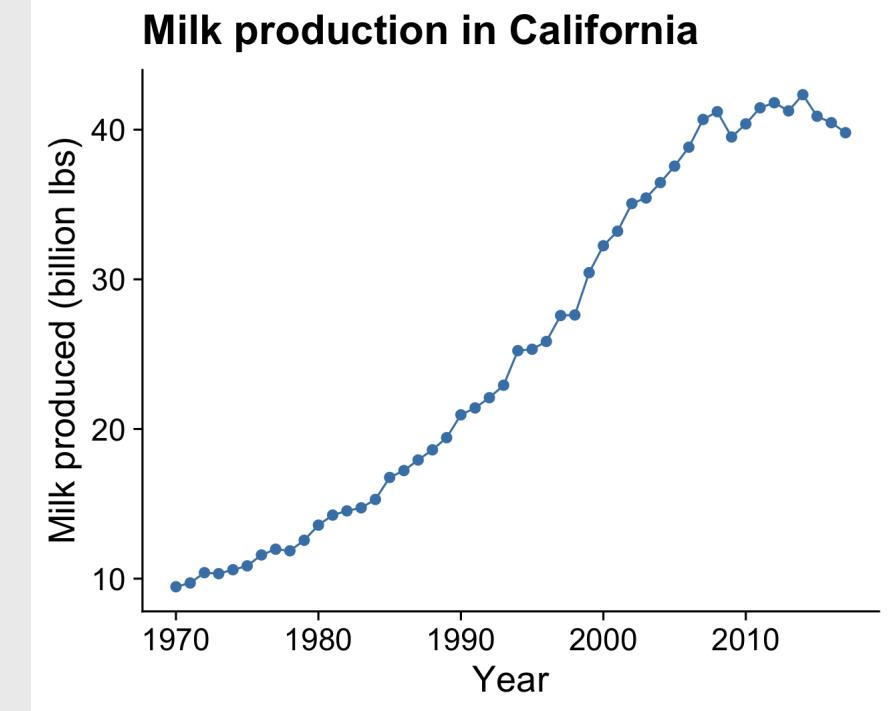
Bars are useful when emphasizing the **data points**
rather than the **slope between them**



How to: Points + line

Be sure to draw the line first,
then overlay the points

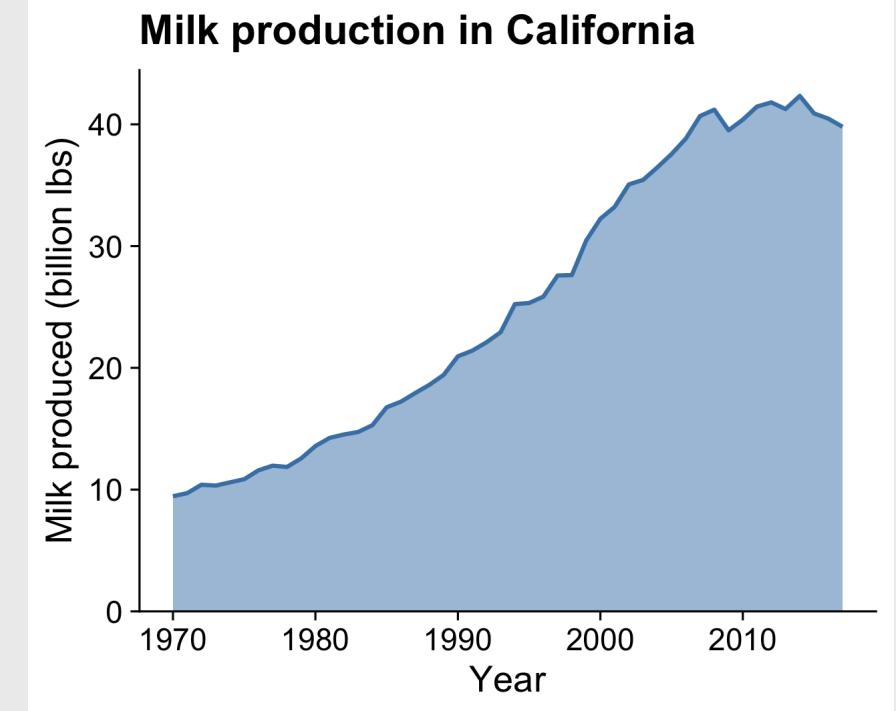
```
ggplot(milk_ca,
       aes(x = year, y = milk_produced)) +
  geom_line(color = 'steelblue', size = 0.5) +
  geom_point(color = 'steelblue', size = 2) +
  theme_half_open(font_size = 18) +
  labs(x = 'Year',
       y = 'Milk produced (billion lbs)',
       title = 'Milk production in California')
```



How to: Line + area

Likewise, draw the area first then overlay the line

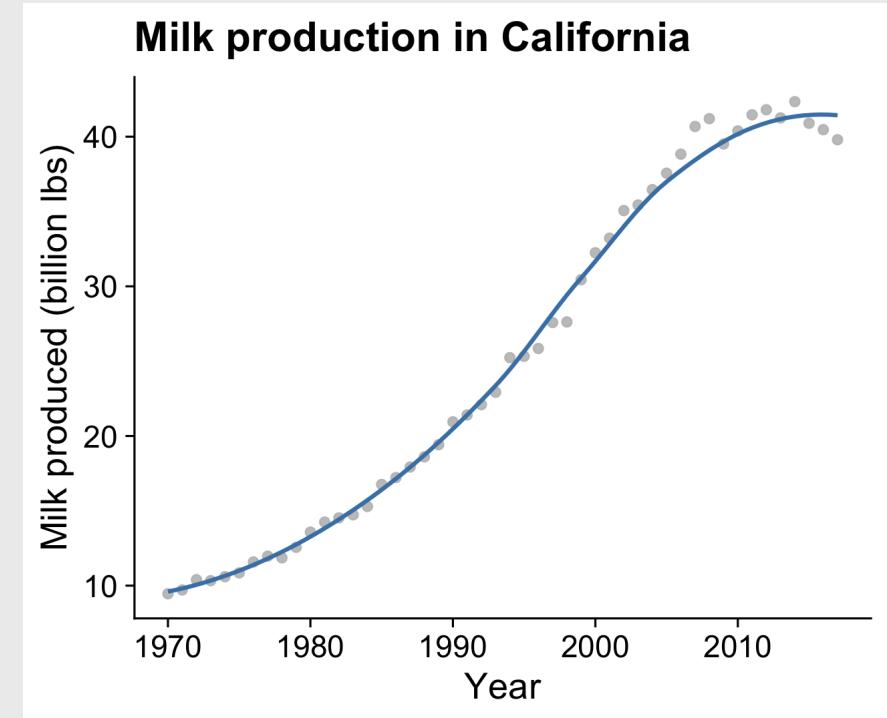
```
ggplot(milk_ca,  
       aes(x = year, y = milk_produced)) +  
  geom_area(fill = 'steelblue', alpha = 0.5) +  
  geom_line(color = 'steelblue', size = 1) +  
  scale_y_continuous(  
    expand = expansion(mult = c(0, 0.05))) +  
  theme_half_open(font_size = 18) +  
  labs(x = 'Year',  
       y = 'Milk produced (billion lbs)',  
       title = 'Milk production in California')
```



How to: Smoothed line + points

Use `alpha` to make points slightly transparent

```
ggplot(milk_ca,  
       aes(x = year, y = milk_produced)) +  
  geom_point(color = 'grey',  
             size = 2, alpha = 0.9) +  
  geom_smooth(color = 'steelblue',  
              size = 1, se = FALSE) +  
  theme_half_open(font_size = 18) +  
  labs(  
    x = 'Year',  
    y = 'Milk produced (billion lbs)',  
    title = 'Milk production in California')
```



20:00

Your turn

Use the `global_temps` data frame to explore ways to visualize the change in average global temperatures.

Consider using:

- points
- lines
- areas
- smoothed lines

```
global_temps <- read_csv(here::here(  
  'data', 'nasa_global_temps.csv'))  
  
head(global_temps)
```

```
#> # A tibble: 6 x 3  
#>   year  meanTemp smoothTemp  
#>   <dbl>    <dbl>     <dbl>  
#> 1 1880    -0.15    -0.08  
#> 2 1881    -0.07    -0.12  
#> 3 1882    -0.1      -0.15  
#> 4 1883    -0.16    -0.19  
#> 5 1884    -0.27    -0.23  
#> 6 1885    -0.32    -0.25
```

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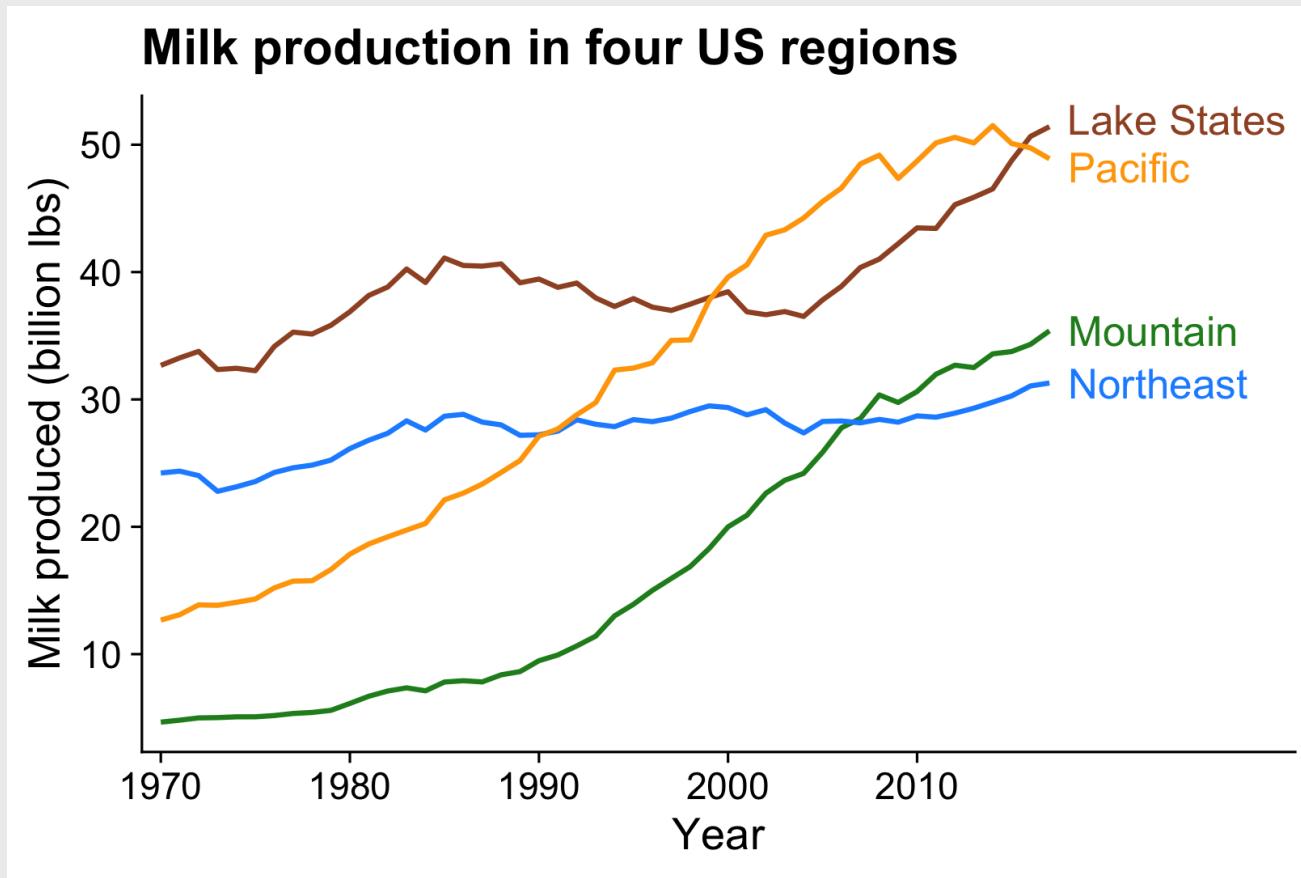
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3. Multiple Variables

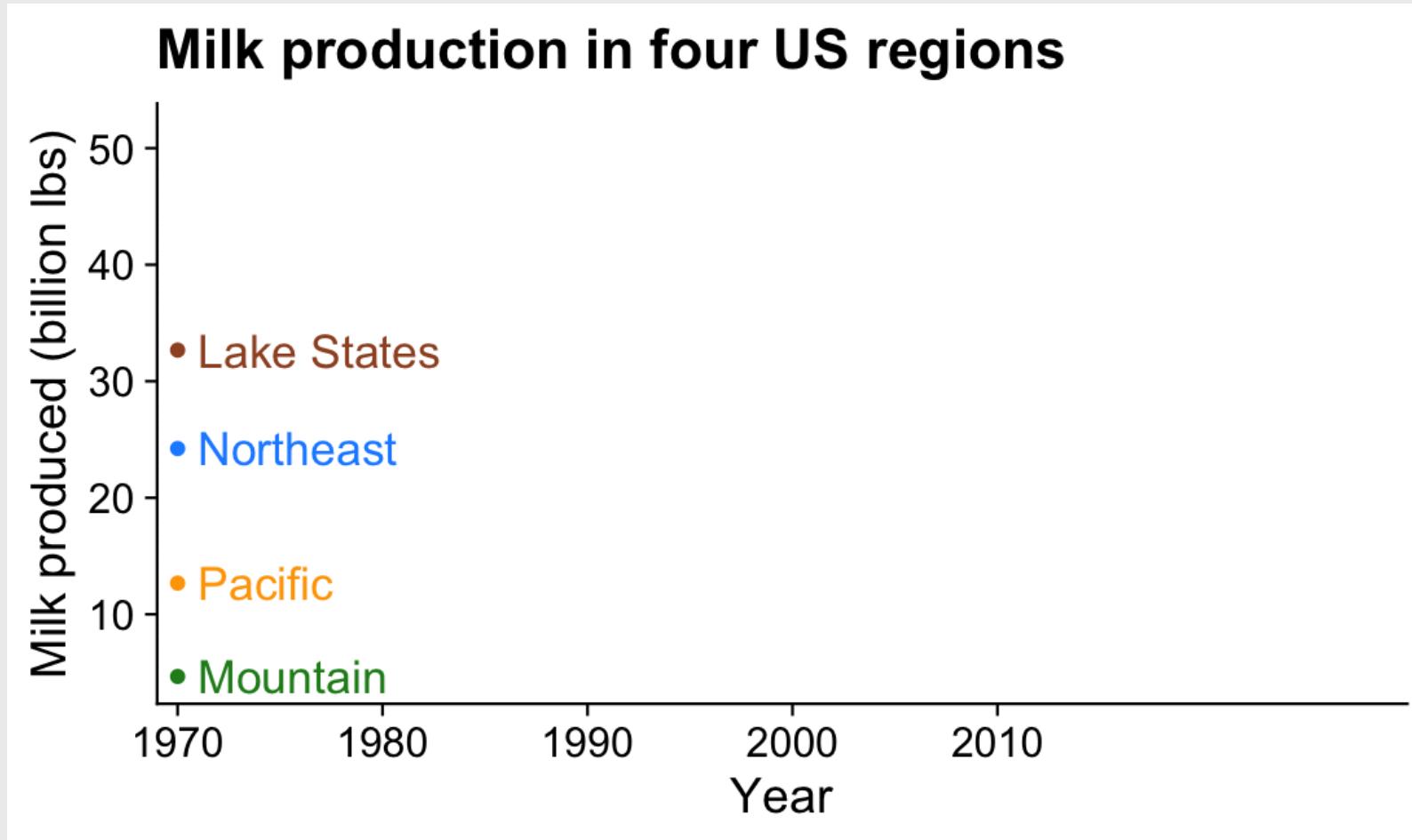
Animation adds emphasis to the **change over time**

...plus it's fun!

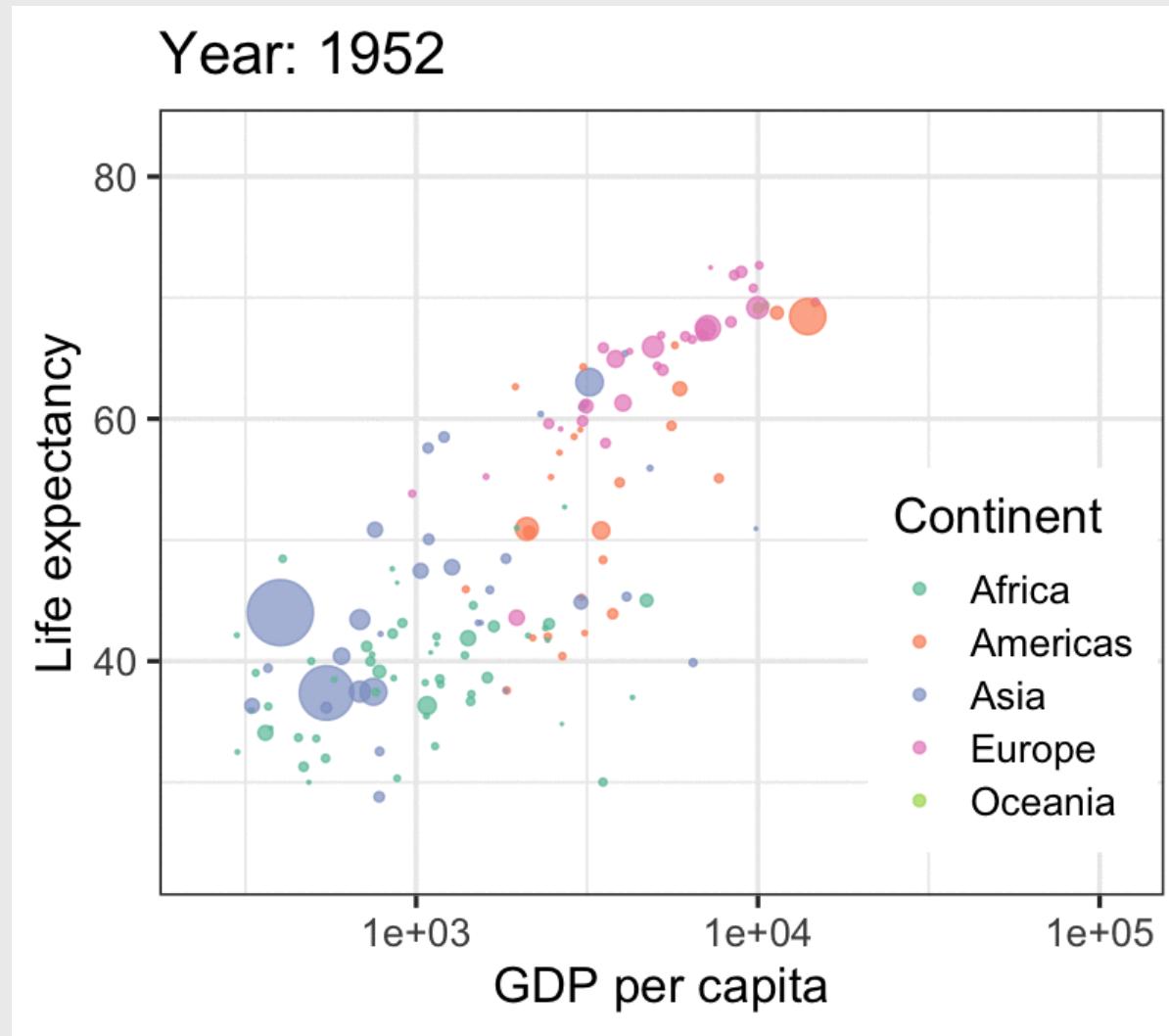
Static chart



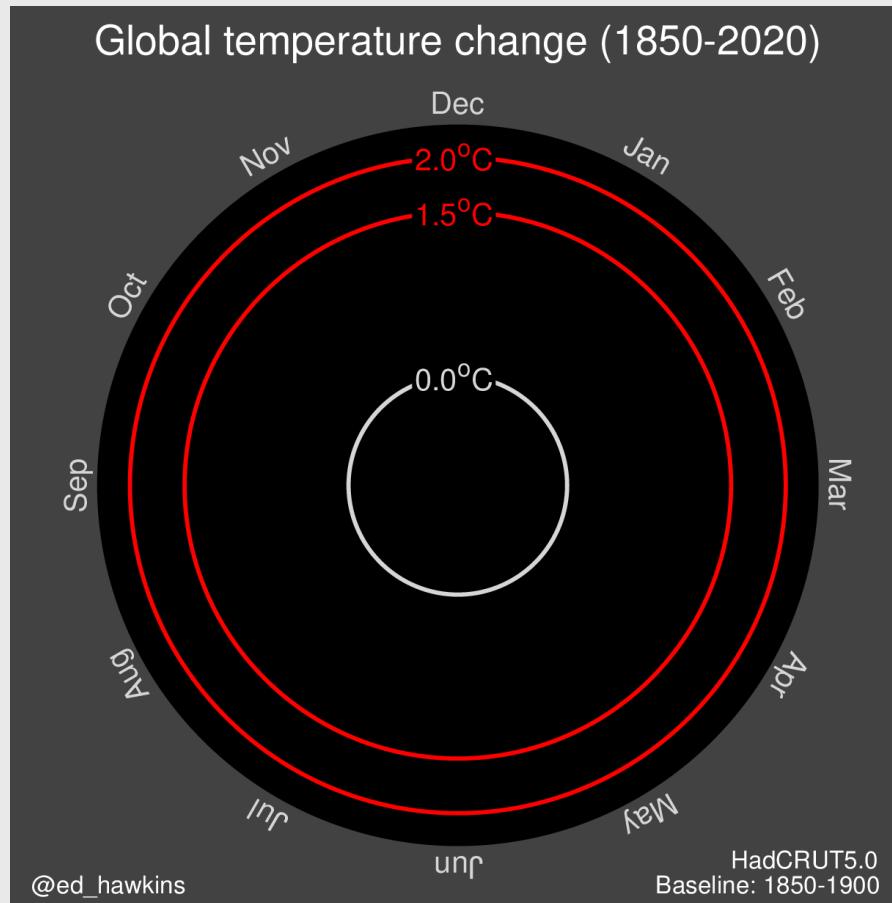
Animated chart



Animation is particularly helpful for the **time dimension**



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Source: <https://www.climate-lab-book.ac.uk/spirals/>

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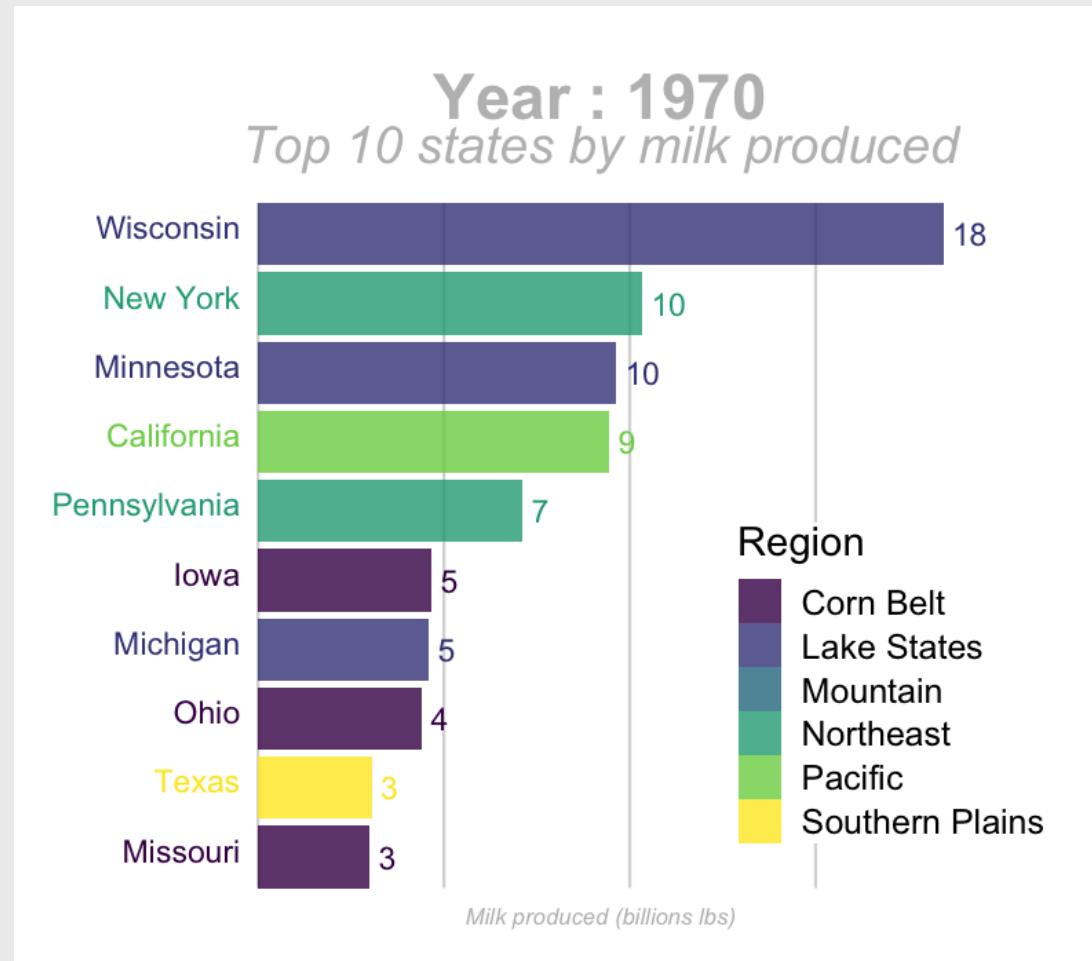
'Hospitals are always full in winter'... is it that simple?

How current pressure on hospitals compares to a typical winter

Total number of adult critical care beds occupied in London over winter 2013-14



Animation is particularly helpful for the **time dimension**



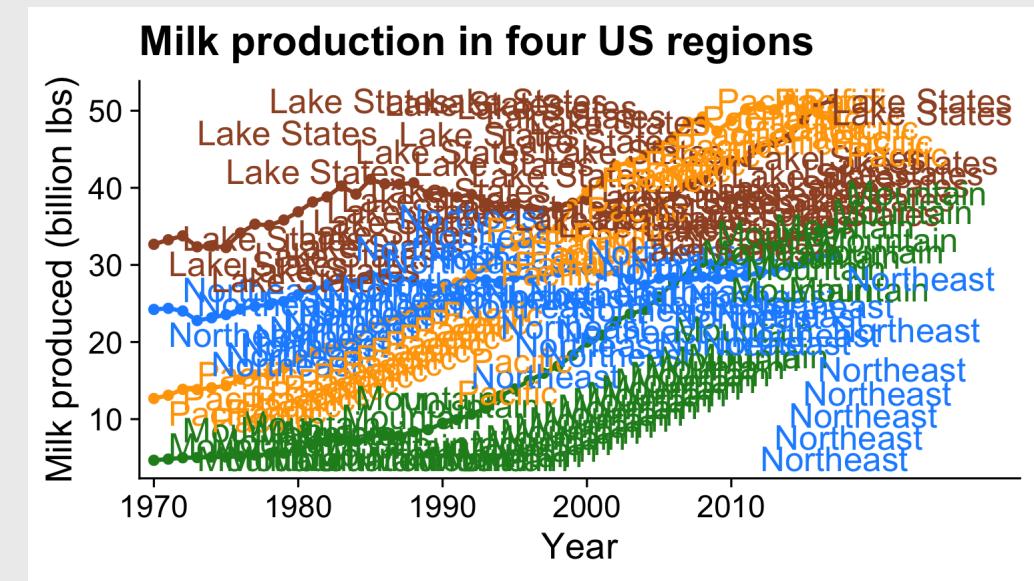
"Bar chart race" of top 10 milk producing states

How to: Animate a line plot

Make a static plot w/labels for each year

```
milk_region_anim_plot <- milk_region %>%
  ggplot(
    aes(x = year, y = milk_produced,
        color = region)) +
  geom_line(size = 1) +
  geom_point(size = 2) +
  geom_text_repel(
    aes(label = region),
    hjust = 0, nudge_x = 1, direction = "y",
    size = 6, segment.color = NA) +
  scale_x_continuous(
    breaks = seq(1970, 2010, 10),
    expand = expansion(add = c(1, 13))) +
  scale_color_manual(values = c(
    'sienna', 'forestgreen', 'dodgerblue', 'orange'))
  theme_half_open(font_size = 18) +
  theme(legend.position = 'none') +
  labs(x = 'Year',
       y = 'Milk produced (billion lbs)',
       title = 'Milk production in four US regions')

milk_region_anim_plot
```



How to: Animate a line plot

Now animate it

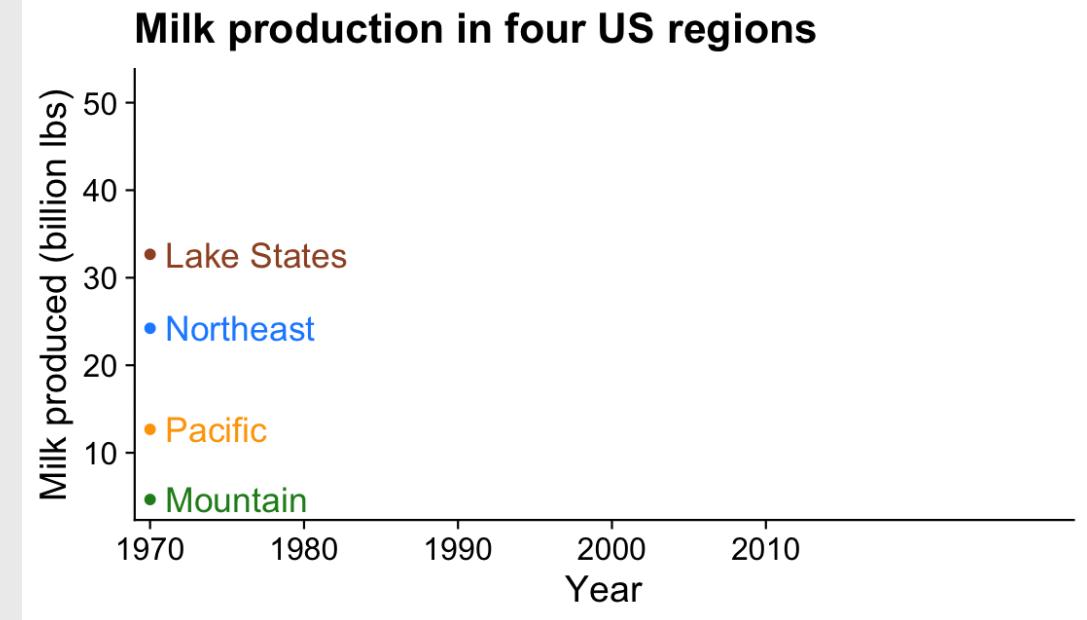
Note the pause at the end!

```
library(gganimate)

milk_region_anim <- milk_region_anim_plot +
  transition_reveal(year)

# Render the animation
animate(milk_region_anim,
       end_pause = 15,
       duration = 10,
       width = 1100, height = 650, res = 150,
       renderer = magick_renderer())

# Save last animation
anim_save(here::here(
  'figs', 'milk_region_animation.gif'))
```

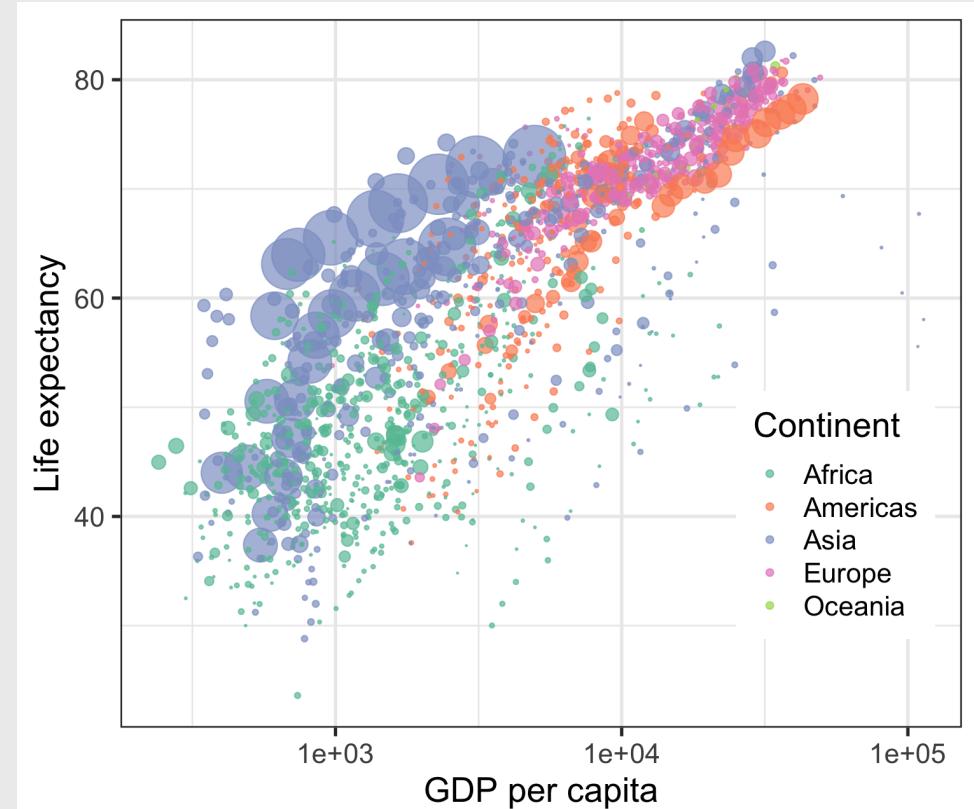


How to: Change label based on year

First make a static plot

```
gapminder_anim_plot <- ggplot(gapminder,
  aes(x = gdpPercap, y = lifeExp,
      size = pop, color = continent)) +
  geom_point(alpha = 0.7) +
  scale_size_area(
    guide = FALSE, max_size = 15) +
  scale_color_brewer(palette = 'Set2') +
  scale_x_log10() +
  theme_bw(base_size = 18) +
  theme(legend.position = c(0.85, 0.3)) +
  labs(x = 'GDP per capita',
       y = 'Life expectancy',
       color = 'Continent')
```

```
gapminder_anim_plot
```

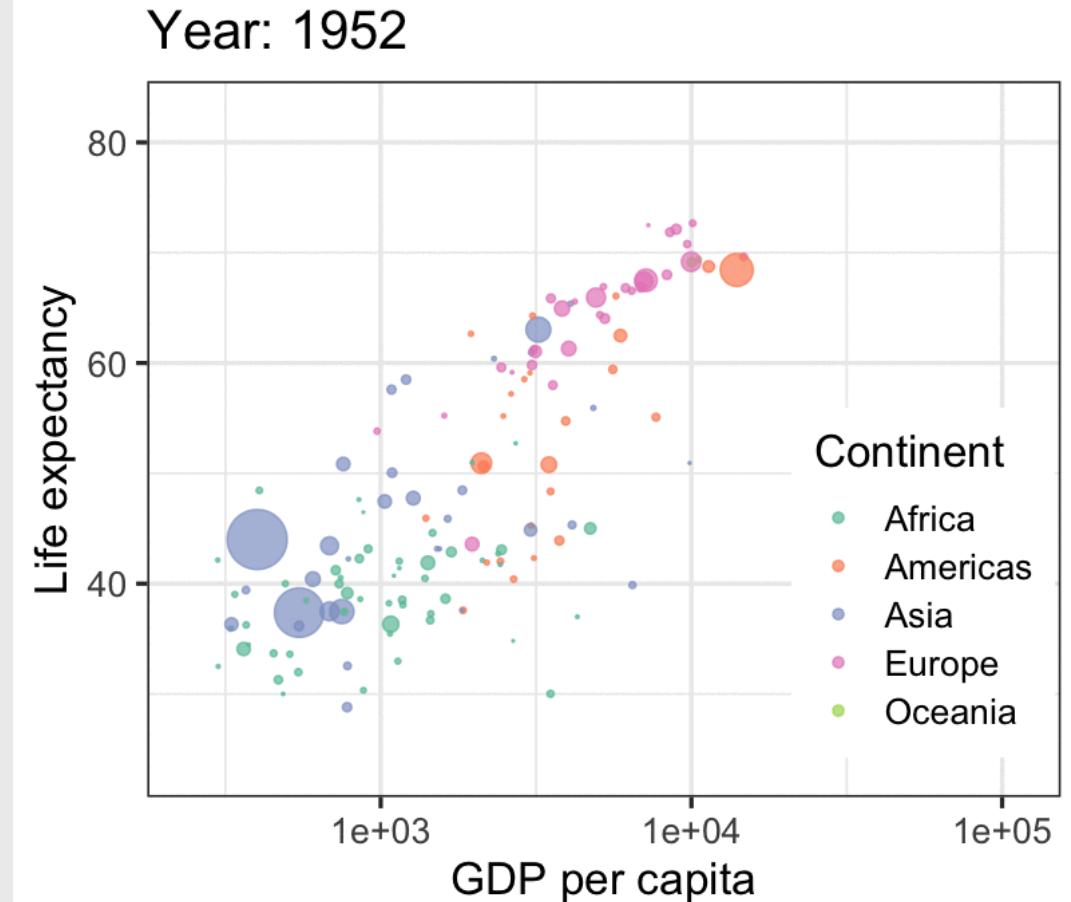


How to: Change label based on year

Now animate it

Note: Year must be an integer!

```
gapminder_anim <- gapminder_anim_plot +  
  transition_time(year) +  
  labs(title = "Year: {frame_time}")  
  
# Render the animation  
animate(gapminder_anim, end_pause = 10,  
       width = 800, height = 600,  
       res = 150,  
       renderer = magick_renderer())
```



```

milk_race_anim <- milk_production %>%
  group_by(year) %>%
  mutate(
    rank = rank(-milk_produced),
    Value_rel = milk_produced / milk_produced[rank==1],
    Value_lbl = paste0(' ', round(milk_produced))) %>%
  group_by(state) %>%
  filter(rank <= 10) %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  mutate(year = as.integer(year)) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = rank, group = state,
             fill = region, color = region)) +
  geom_tile(aes(y = milk_produced / 2,
                height = milk_produced),
            width = 0.9, alpha = 0.8, color = NA) +
  geom_text(aes(y = 0, label = paste(state, " ")),
            vjust = 0.2, hjust = 1) +
  geom_text(aes(y = milk_produced, label = Value_lbl),
            hjust = 0) +
  coord_flip(clip = 'off', expand = FALSE) +
  scale_y_continuous(labels = scales::comma) +
  scale_fill_viridis(discrete = TRUE) +
  scale_color_viridis(discrete = TRUE) +
  scale_x_reverse() +
  guides(color = FALSE) +
  theme_minimal_vgrid() +
  theme(
    axis.line = element_blank(),
    axis.text = element_blank(),
    axis.ticks = element_blank(),
    axis.title = element_blank(),
    legend.position = c(0.7, 0.3),
    legend.background = element_rect(fill = 'white'),
    plot.title = element_text(
      size = 22, hjust = 0.5, face = 'bold',
      colour = 'grey', vjust = -1),
    plot.subtitle = element_text(
      size = 18, hjust = 0.5,
      face = 'italic', color = 'grey'),
    plot.caption = element_text(
      size = 8, hjust = 0.5,
      face = 'italic', color = 'grey'),
    plot.margin = margin(0.5, 2, 0.5, 3, 'cm')) +
  transition_time(year) +
  view_follow(fixed_x = TRUE) +
  labs(title = 'Year : {frame_time}',
       subtitle = 'Top 10 states by milk produced',
       fill = 'Region',
       caption = 'Milk produced (billions lbs)')

```

Making a bar chart race (tutorial here)

```

animate(milk_race_anim, duration = 17, end_pause = 15,
        width = 800, height = 700, res = 150,
        renderer = magick_renderer())

```

Resources

More animation options:

- More on gapminder + line charts
- Customizing the animation

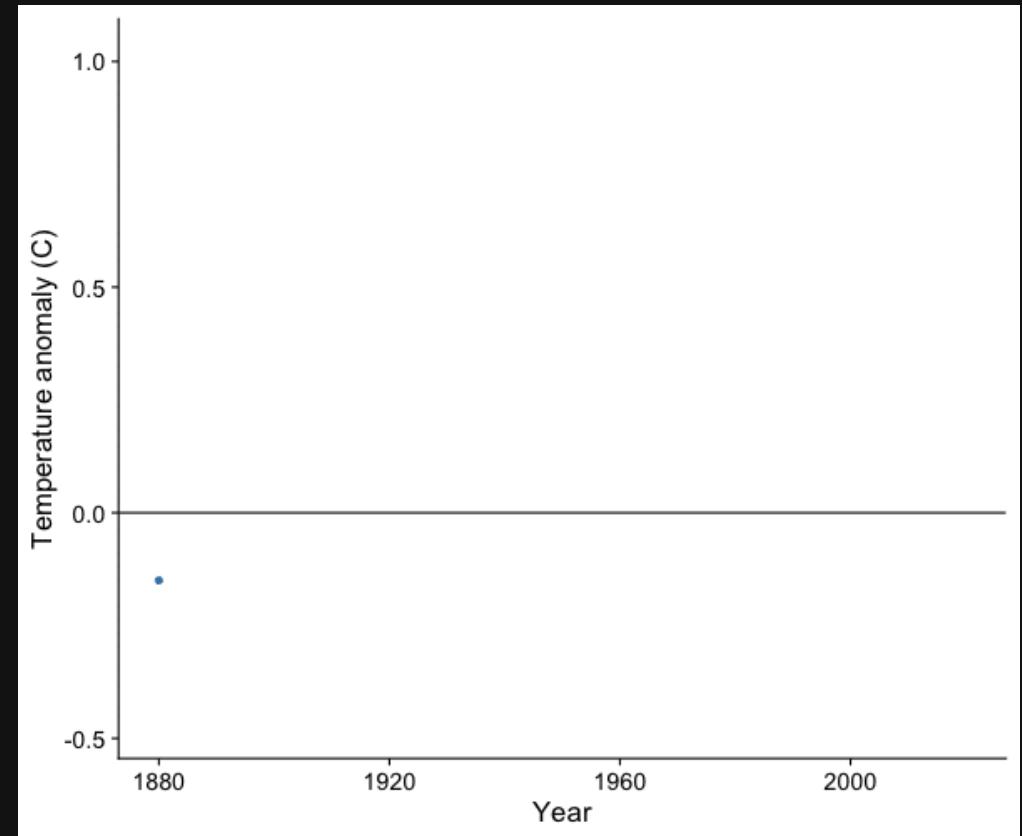
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Your turn

Use the `global_temps` data frame to explore ways to *animate* the change in average global temperatures.

Consider using:

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- lines
- areas



Break!

Stand up, Move around, Stretch!

05 : 00

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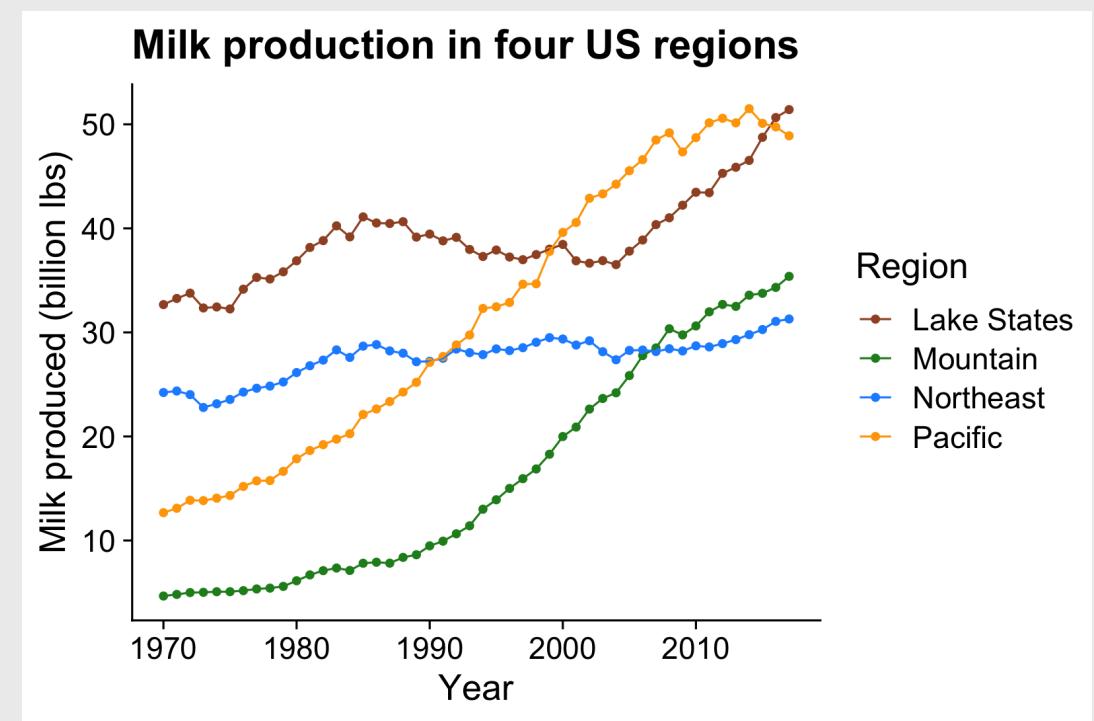
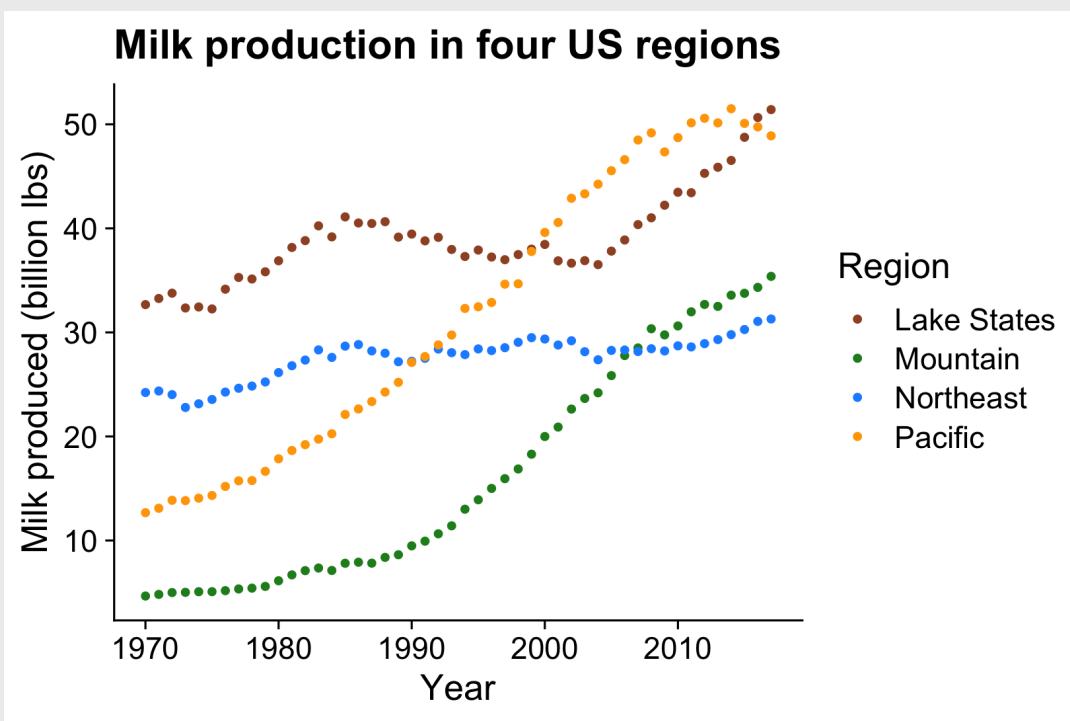
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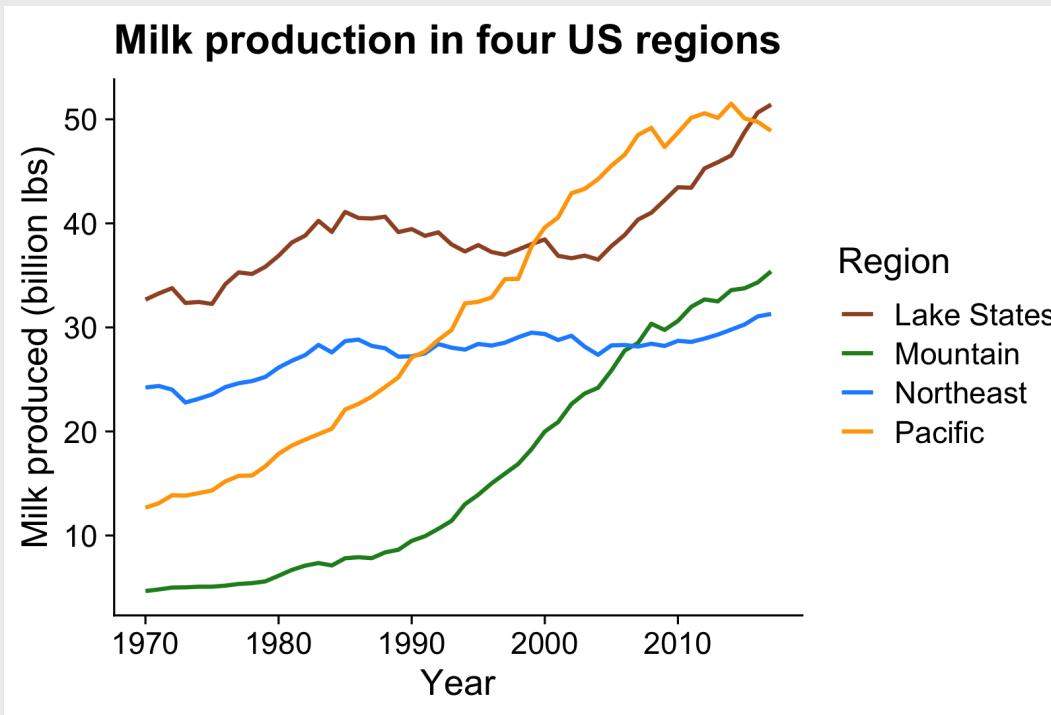
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3. Multiple Variables

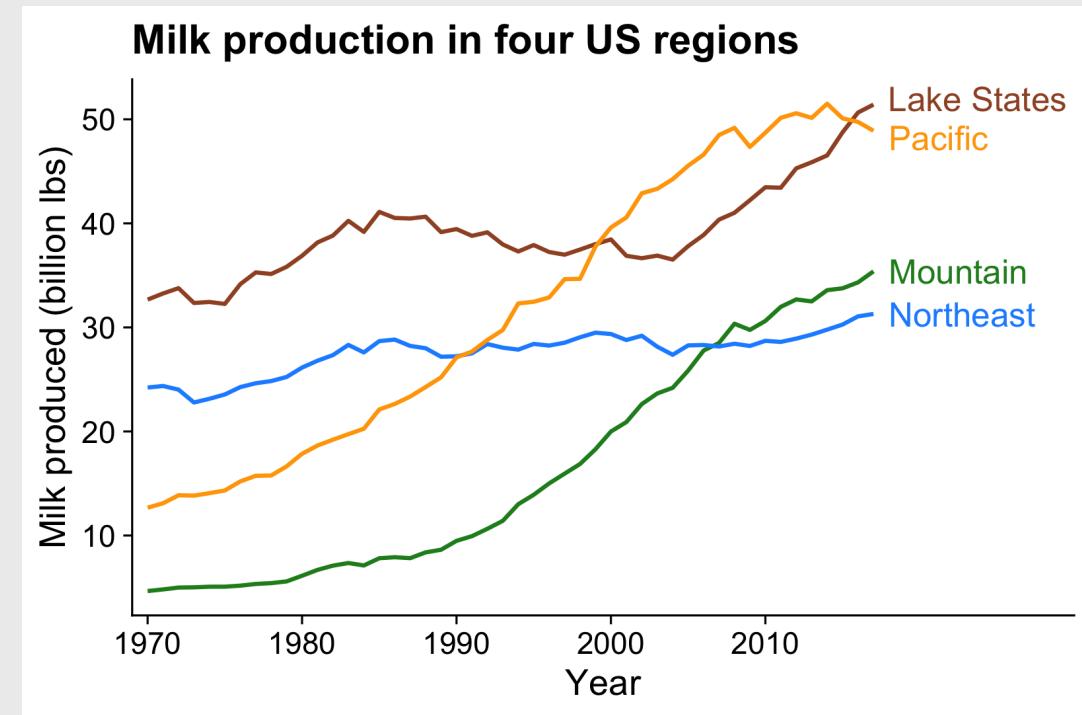
With multiple categories, points & lines can get messy



Better: Lines alone makes distinguishing trends easier

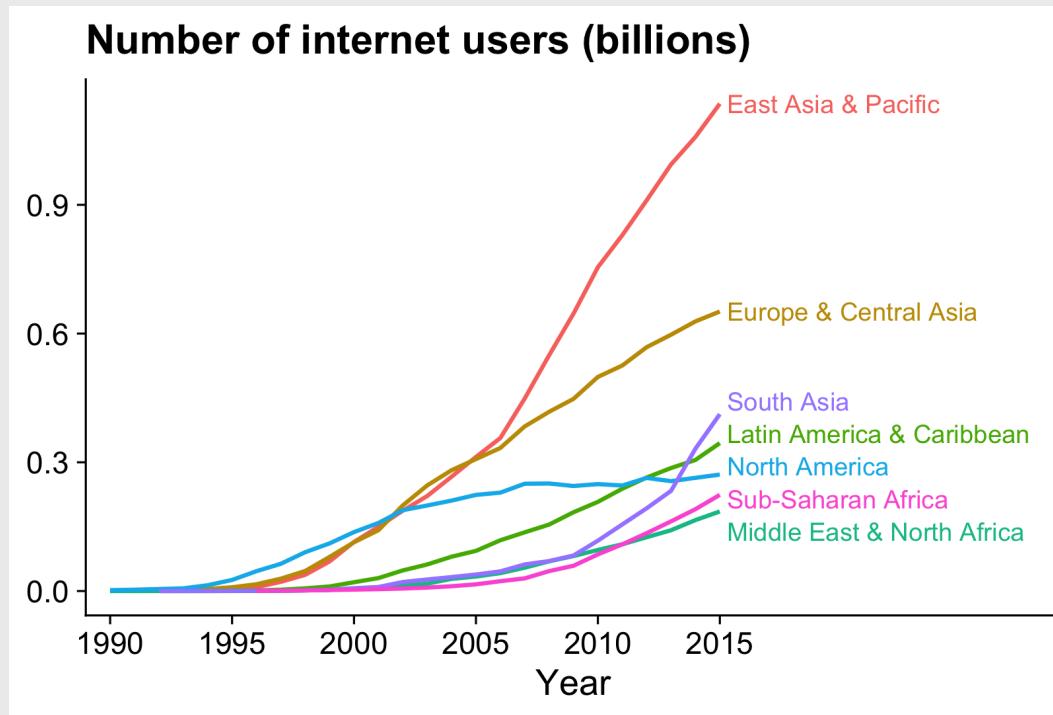


Even better: Directly label lines to remove legend

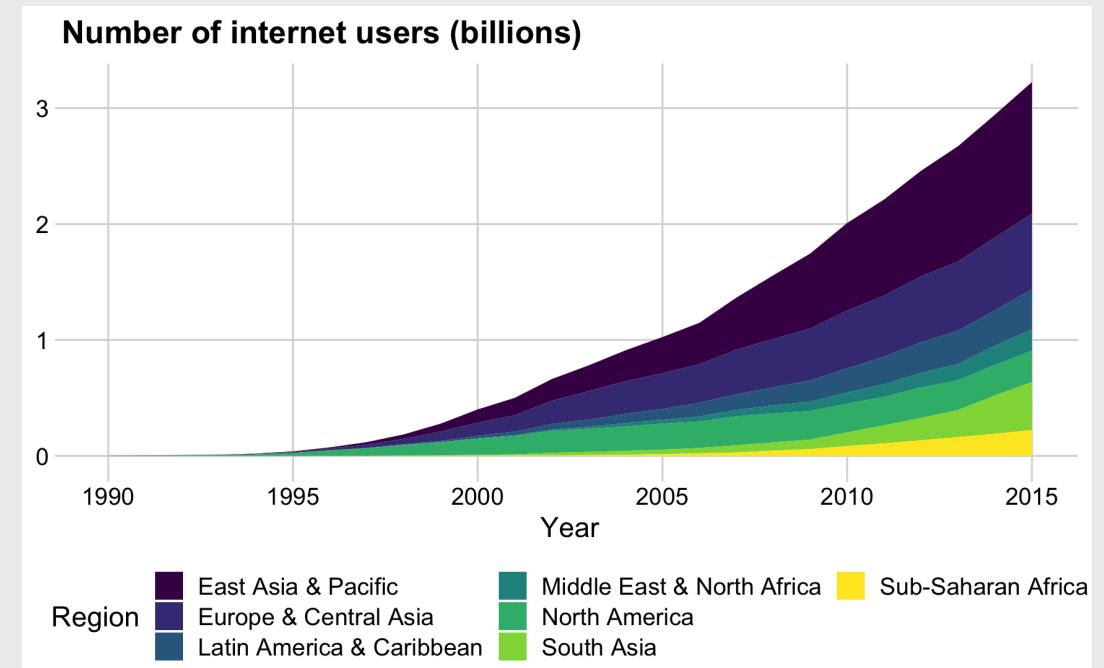


If goal is to communicate the **overall / total** trend,
consider a stacked area chart

Highlights **regional** trends



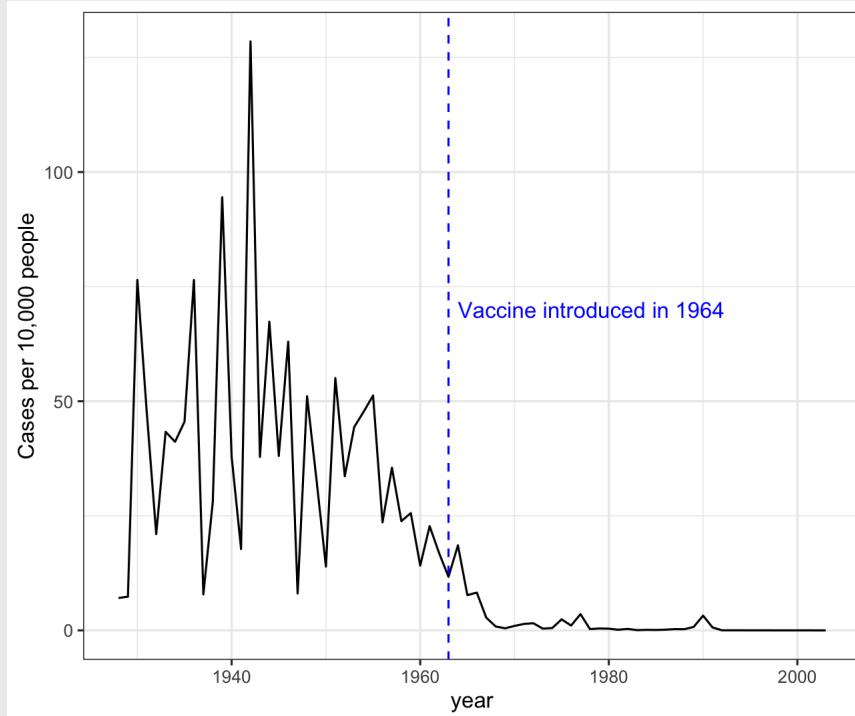
Highlights **overall / total** trend



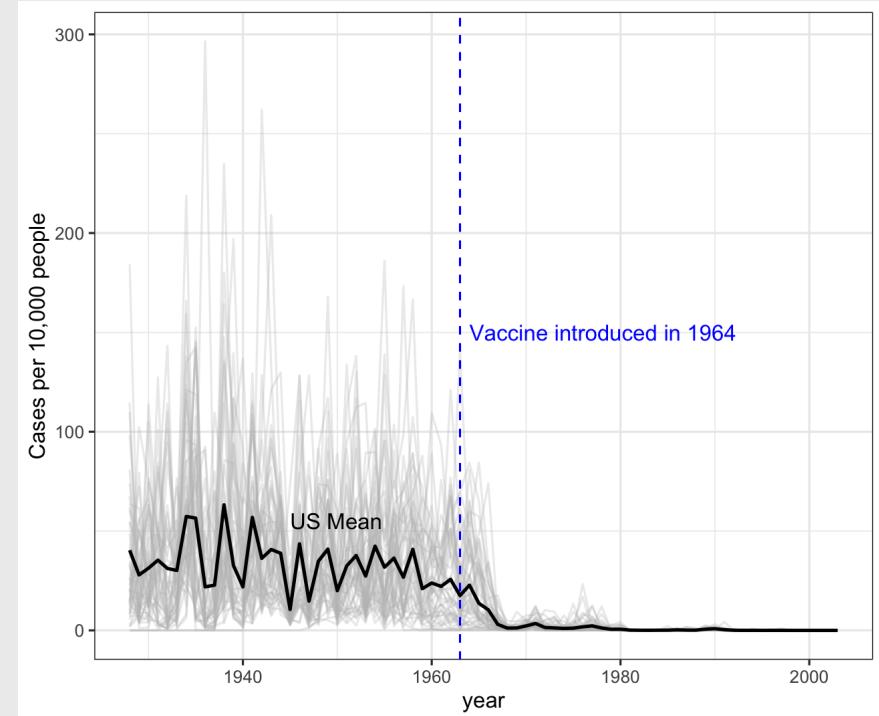
If you have **lots** of categories:

1) Plot all the data with the average highlighted

Measles in **California**

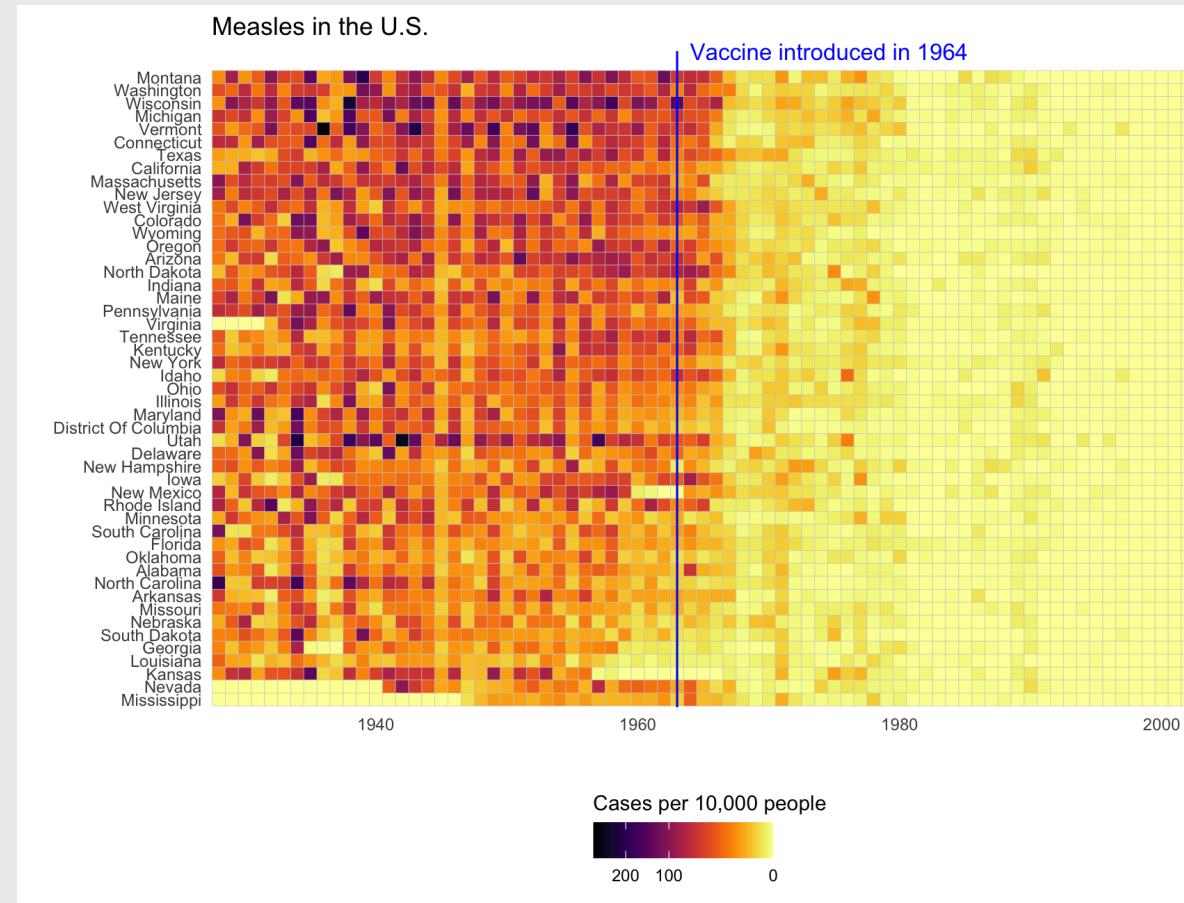


Measles in **all 50 states**



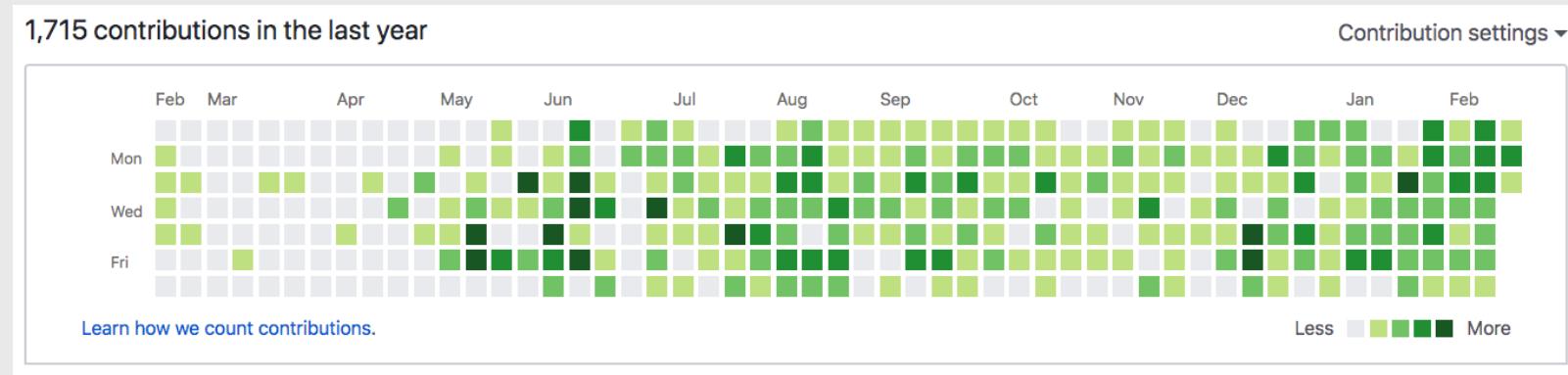
If you have **lots** of categories:

- 1) Plot all the data with the average highlighted
- 2) Plot all the data with a heat map**



Heatmaps are great for multiple divisions of time

My activity on Github:



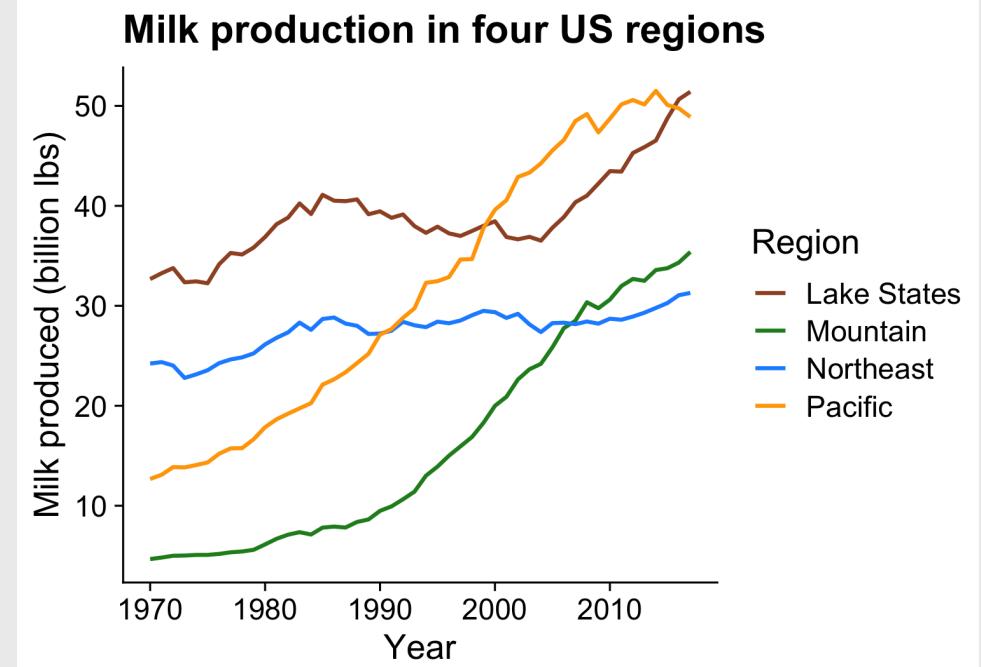
Check out this heat map on [Traffic fatalities](#)

Make the basic line chart first

```
# Format the data
milk_region <- milk_production %>%
  filter(region %in% c(
    'Pacific', 'Northeast', 'Lake States', 'Mountain')) %>%
  group_by(year, region) %>%
  summarise(milk_produced = sum(milk_produced)) %>%
  ungroup()

# Make the line chart
ggplot(milk_region,
       aes(x = year, y = milk_produced,
            color = region)) +
  geom_line(size = 1) +
  scale_color_manual(values = c(
    'sienna', 'forestgreen', 'dodgerblue', 'orange')) +
  theme_half_open(font_size = 18) +
  labs(
    x      = 'Year',
    y      = 'Milk produced (billion lbs)',
    color = 'Region',
    title = 'Milk production in four US regions')
```

How to: Directly label lines



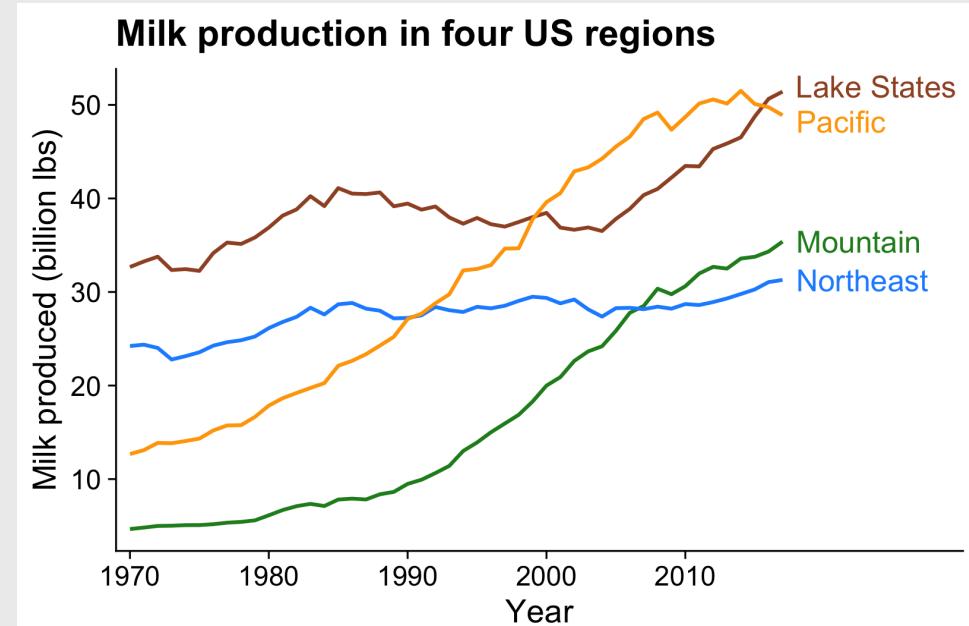
```

# Format the data
milk_region <- milk_production %>%
  filter(region %in% c(
    'Pacific', 'Northeast', 'Lake States', 'Mountain')) %>%
  group_by(year, region) %>%
  summarise(milk_produced = sum(milk_produced)) %>%
  ungroup()

# Make the line plot
ggplot(milk_region,
       aes(x = year, y = milk_produced,
            color = region)) +
  geom_line(size = 1) +
  # Add labels
  geom_text_repel(
    data = milk_region %>%
      filter(year == max(year)),
    aes(label = region),
    hjust = 0, nudge_x = 1, direction = "y",
    size = 6, segment.color = NA) +
  # Create space for labels on right side
  scale_x_continuous(
    breaks = seq(1970, 2010, 10),
    expand = expansion(add = c(1, 13))) +
  scale_color_manual(values = c(
    'sienna', 'forestgreen', 'dodgerblue', 'orange')) +
  theme_half_open(font_size = 18) +
  # Remove legend
  theme(legend.position = 'none') +
  labs(x = 'Year',
       y = 'Milk produced (billion lbs)',
       title = 'Milk production in four US regions')

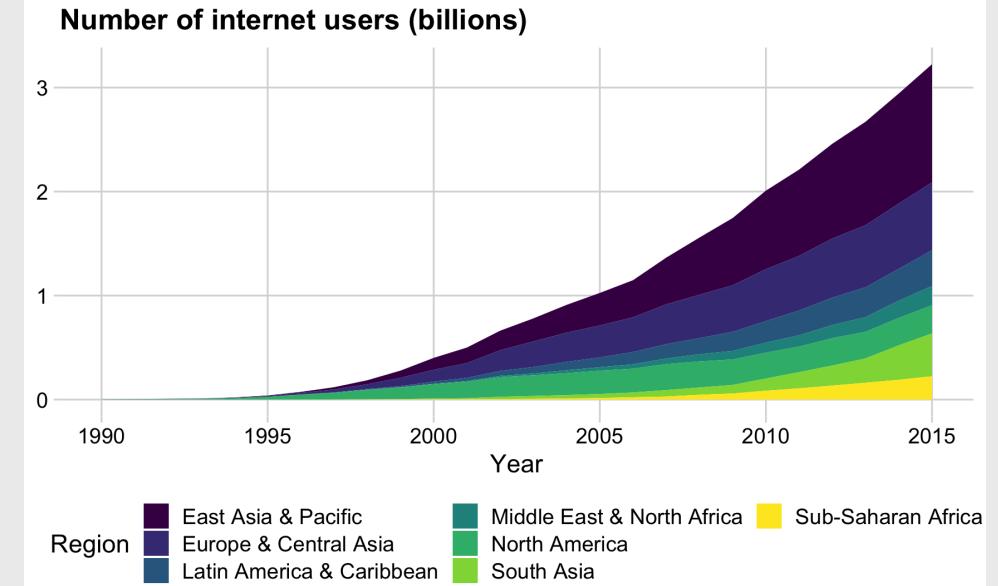
```

How to: Directly label lines



How to: Stacked area

```
internet_region %>%
  mutate(numUsers = numUsers / 10^9) %>%
  ggplot() +
  geom_area(aes(x = year, y = numUsers,
    fill = region)) +
  # Nice colors from "viridis" library:
  scale_fill_viridis(discrete = TRUE) +
  # Sort the legend into 3 rows
  guides(fill = guide_legend(
    nrow = 3, byrow = FALSE)) +
  theme_minimal_grid(font_size = 15) +
  theme(legend.position = 'bottom') +
  labs(
    x = 'Year',
    y = NULL,
    fill = 'Region',
    title = 'Number of internet users (billions)')
```



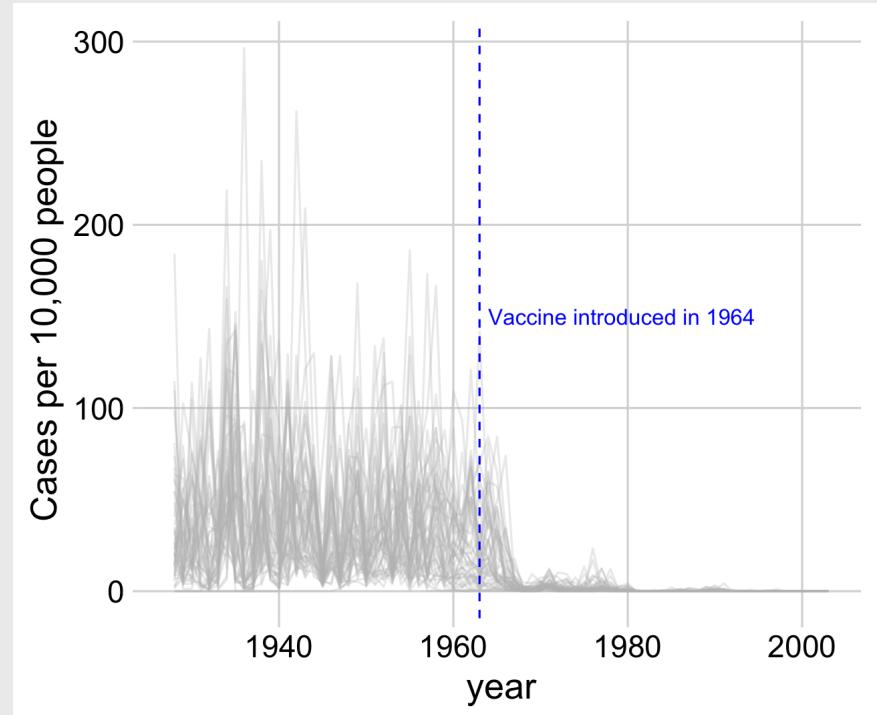
Format the data

```
# Format the data
measles <- us_diseases %>%
  filter(
    disease == 'Measles',
    !state %in% c("Hawaii", "Alaska")) %>%
  mutate(
    rate = (count / population) * 10000,
    state = fct_reorder(state, rate)) %>%
  # Compute annual mean rate across all states
  group_by(year) %>%
  mutate(
    mean_rate = sum(count) / sum(population) * 10000)
```

Make all the state lines in light grey color

```
ggplot(measles) +
  geom_line(aes(x = year, y = rate, group = state),
            color = 'grey', alpha = 0.3) +
  # Add reference line & label:
  geom_vline(xintercept = 1963, col = 'blue',
             linetype = 'dashed') +
  annotate('text', x = 1964, y = 150, hjust = 0,
          label = 'Vaccine introduced in 1964',
          color = 'blue') +
  theme_minimal_grid(font_size = 18) +
  labs(y = 'Cases per 10,000 people')
```

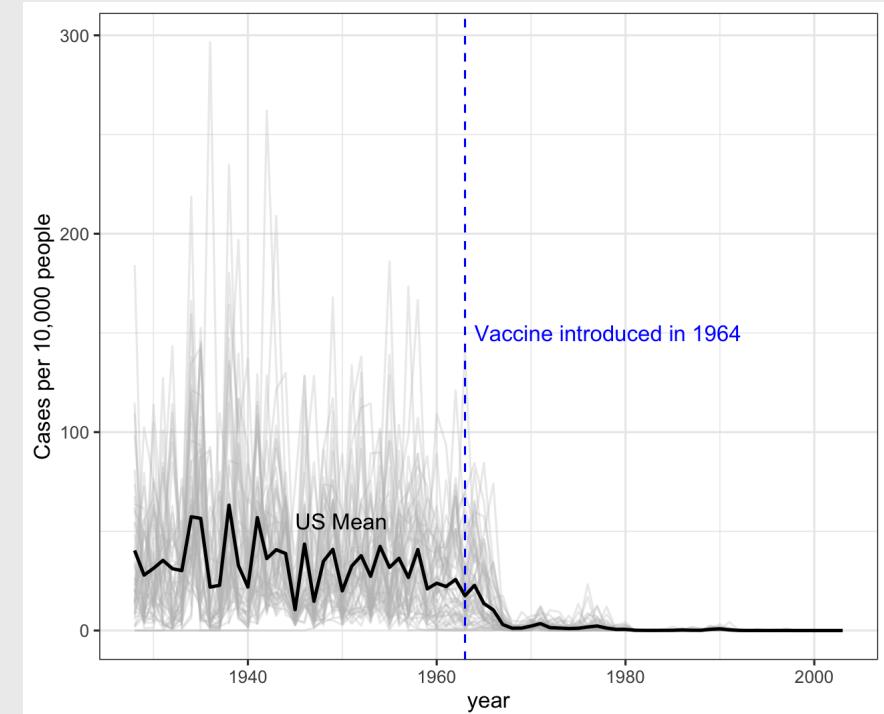
How to: Average line overlay



Now overlay the annual mean line

```
ggplot(measles) +  
  geom_line(  
    aes(x = year, y = rate, group = state),  
    color = 'grey', alpha = 0.3) +  
  geom_line(  
    aes(x = year, y = mean_rate), size = 0.8) +  
  # Add US mean label  
  annotate(  
    'text', x = 1945, y = 55, hjust = 0,  
    label = 'US Mean') +  
  # Add reference line & label  
  geom_vline(xintercept = 1963, col = 'blue',  
             linetype = 'dashed') +  
  annotate('text', x = 1964, y = 150, hjust = 0,  
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  labs(y = 'Cases per 10,000 people')
```

How to: **Average line overlay**



Create main grid with `geom_tile()`

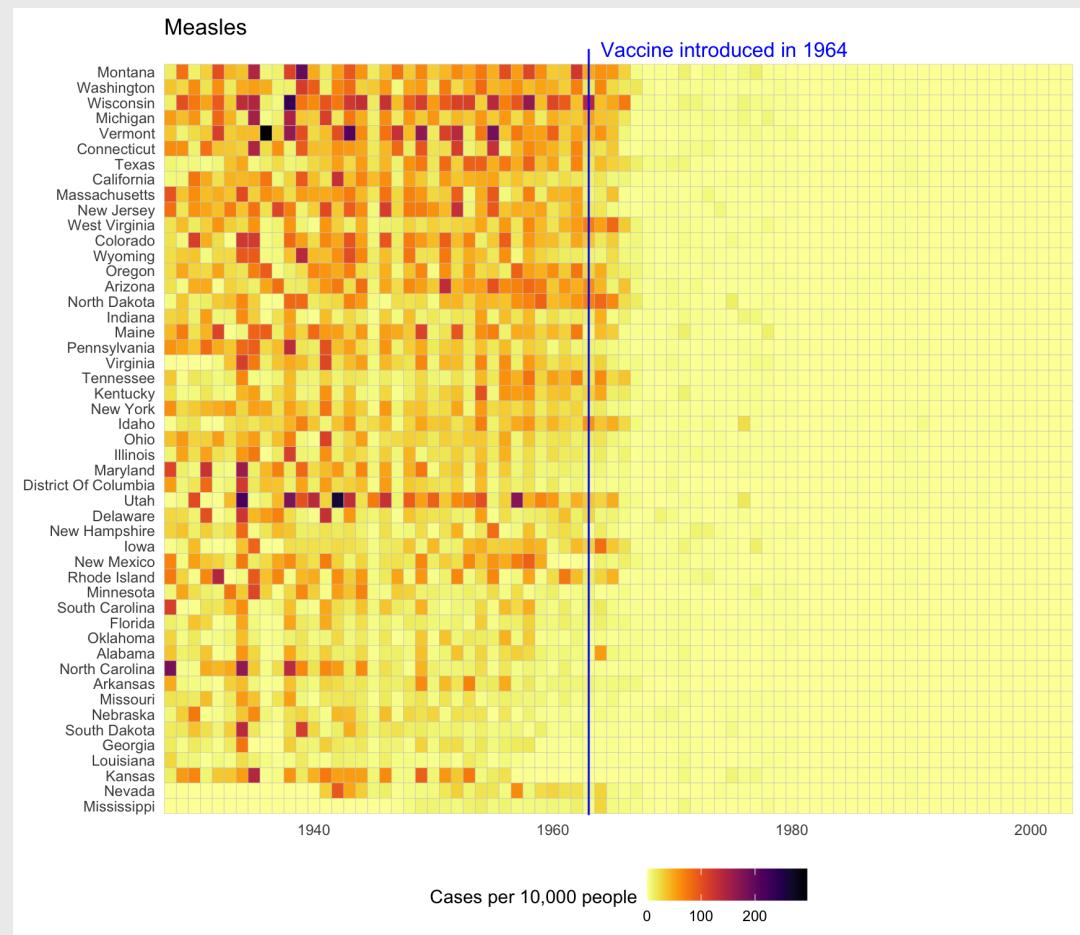
```
ggplot(measles) +  
  geom_tile(  
    aes(x = year, y = state, fill = rate),  
    color = 'grey80') +  
  # Add reference line & label  
  geom_vline(  
    xintercept = 1963, col = 'blue') +  
  annotate(  
    'text', x = 1964, y = 50.5, hjust = 0,  
    label = 'Vaccine introduced in 1964',  
    color = 'blue')
```

How to: Heat map

Adjust scales and adjust theme

```
ggplot(measles) +  
  geom_tile(aes(x = year, y = state, fill = rate),  
            color = 'grey80') +  
  # Add reference line & label  
  geom_vline(xintercept = 1963, col = 'blue') +  
  annotate(  
    'text', x = 1964, y = 50.5, hjust = 0,  
    label = 'Vaccine introduced in 1964',  
    color = 'blue') +  
  # Adjust scales  
  scale_x_continuous(expand = c(0, 0)) +  
  scale_fill_viridis(  
    option = 'inferno', direction = -1) +  
  # Adjust theme  
  theme_minimal() +  
  theme(  
    panel.grid = element_blank(),  
    legend.position = 'bottom',  
    text = element_text(size = 10)) +  
  coord_cartesian(clip = 'off') +  
  labs(  
    x = NULL, y = NULL,  
    fill = 'Cases per 10,000 people',  
    title = 'Measles')
```

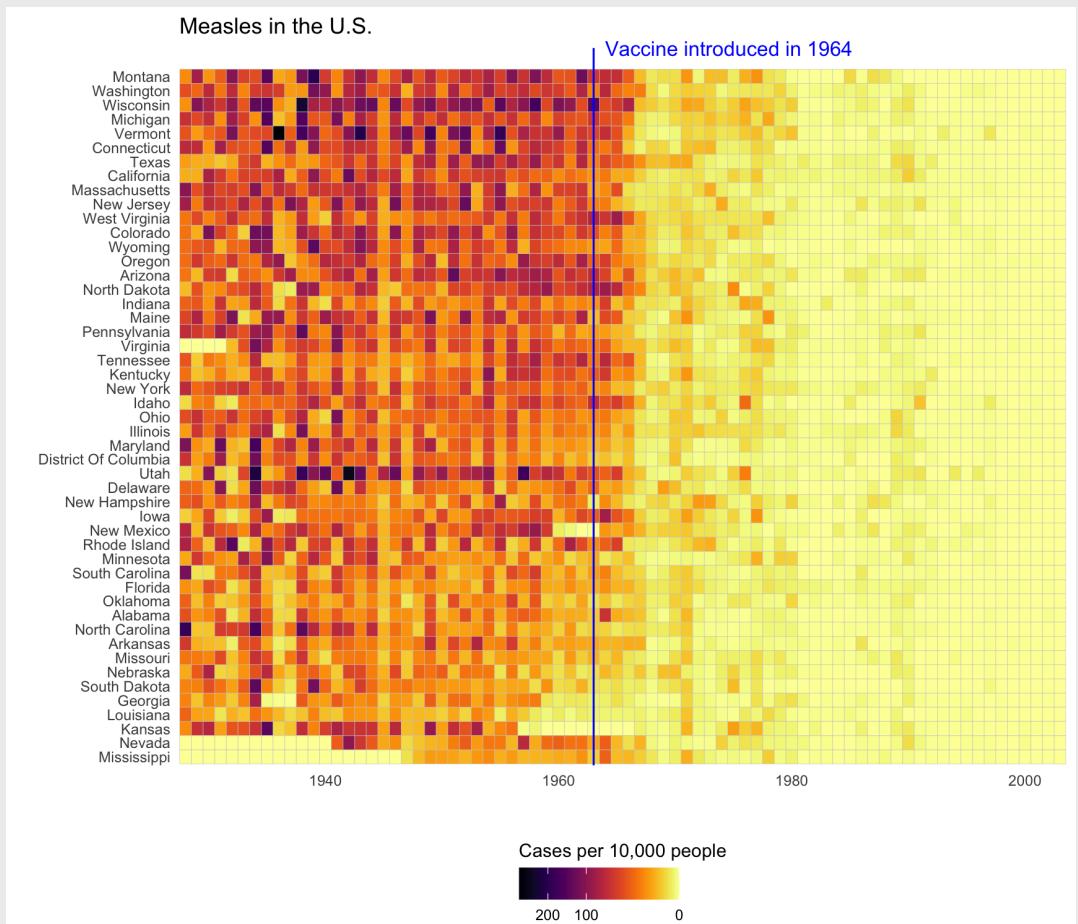
Color scale is linear in this chart



Adjust scales and adjust theme

```
ggplot(measles) +  
  geom_tile(aes(x = year, y = state, fill = rate),  
            color = 'grey80') +  
  # Add reference line & label  
  geom_vline(xintercept = 1963, col = 'blue') +  
  annotate(  
    'text', x = 1964, y = 50.5, hjust = 0,  
    label = 'Vaccine introduced in 1964',  
    color = 'blue') +  
  # Adjust scales  
  scale_x_continuous(expand = c(0, 0)) +  
  scale_fill_viridis(  
    option = 'inferno', direction = -1,  
    trans = 'sqrt') +  
  # Modify legend color bar  
  guides(fill = guide_colorbar(  
    title.position = 'top', reverse = TRUE)) +  
  # Adjust theme  
  theme_minimal() +  
  theme(  
    panel.grid = element_blank(),  
    legend.position = 'bottom',  
    text = element_text(size = 10)) +  
  coord_cartesian(clip = 'off') +  
  labs(  
    x = NULL, y = NULL,  
    fill = 'Cases per 10,000 people',  
    title = 'Measles')
```

Non-linear color scale helps with large variations



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Your turn

Use the `us_covid` data frame to explore ways to visualize the number of daily cases using:

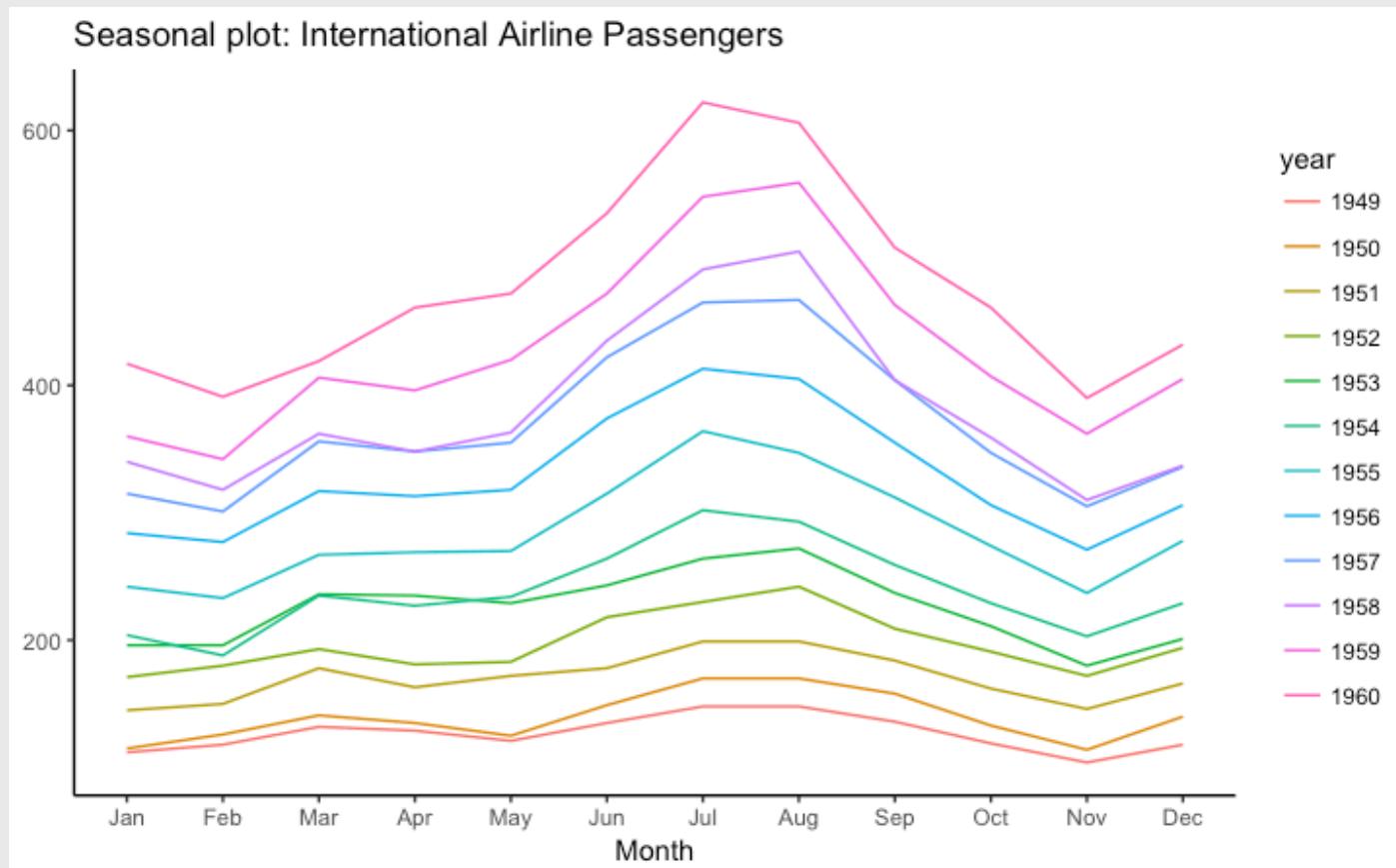
1. A labeled line chart
2. A stacked area chart
3. A heat map

```
us_covid <- read_csv(here::here(  
  'data', 'us_covid.csv'))  
  
head(us_covid)
```

```
#> # A tibble: 6 x 7  
#>   date       day state cases_daily de...  
#>   <date>     <dbl> <chr>      <dbl>  
#> 1 2020-01-23     1 Alabama        0  
#> 2 2020-01-24     2 Alabama        0  
#> 3 2020-01-25     3 Alabama        0  
#> 4 2020-01-26     4 Alabama        0  
#> 5 2020-01-27     5 Alabama        0  
#> 6 2020-01-28     6 Alabama        0
```

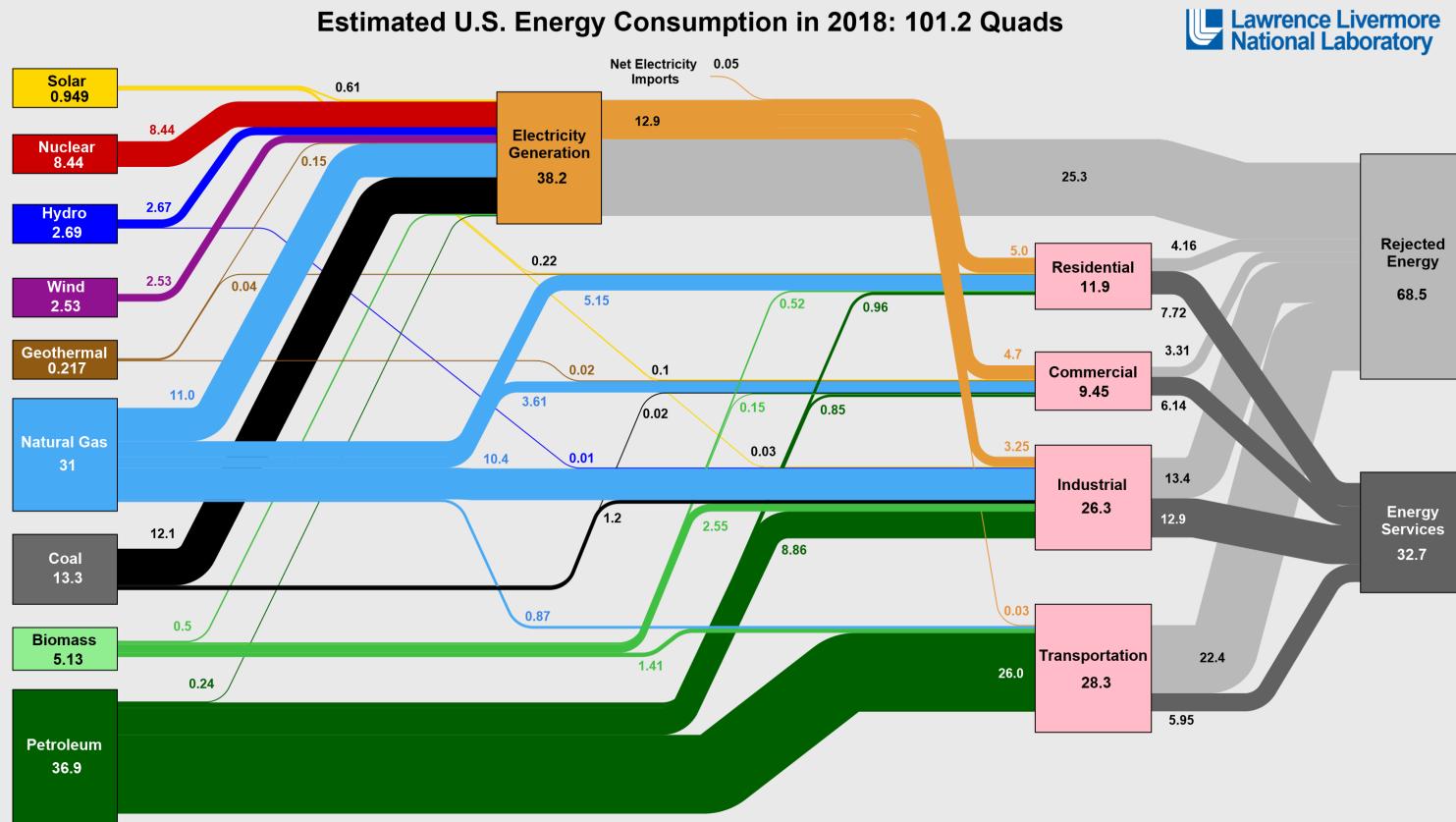
Two other examples for showing
change across mutliple categories

Seasonal chart

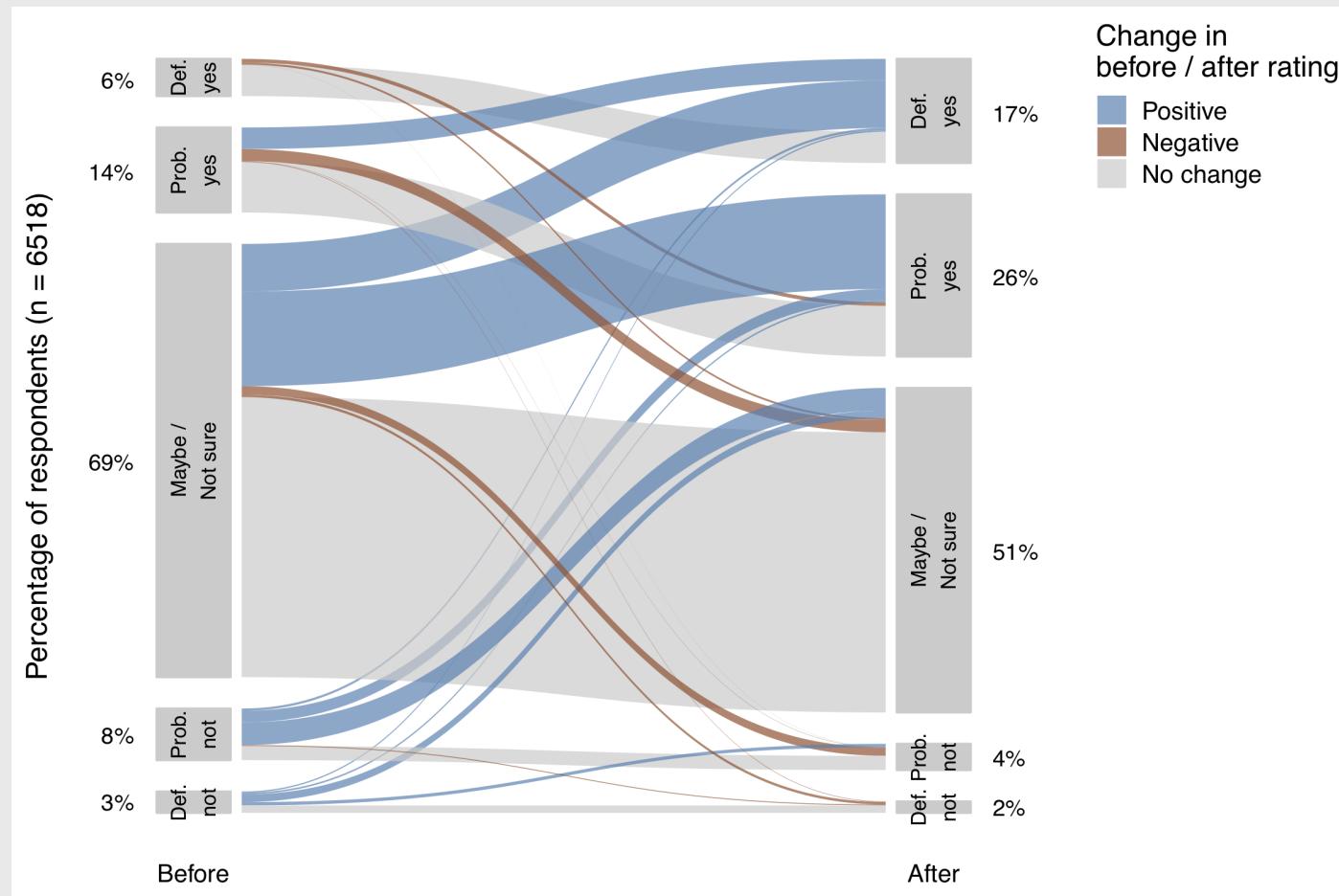


Source: <http://r-statistics.co/Top50-Ggplot2-Visualizations-MasterList-R-Code.html#Seasonal%20Plot>

Sankey chart



Would you consider purchasing an electric car?



Roberson, Laura A. & Helveston, J.P. (2020) "Electric vehicle adoption: can short experiences lead to big change?," Environmental Research Letters. 15(0940c3).
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