

# Class 5: Data Vis with ggplot

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## Background

There are lots of ways to make figures in R. These include so-called “base R” graphics (e.g. `plot()`) and tons of add-on packages like `ggplot2`.

For example, here we make the same plot with both:

```
head(cars)
```

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

```
plot(cars)
```



First, I need to install the package with the command `install.packages()`.

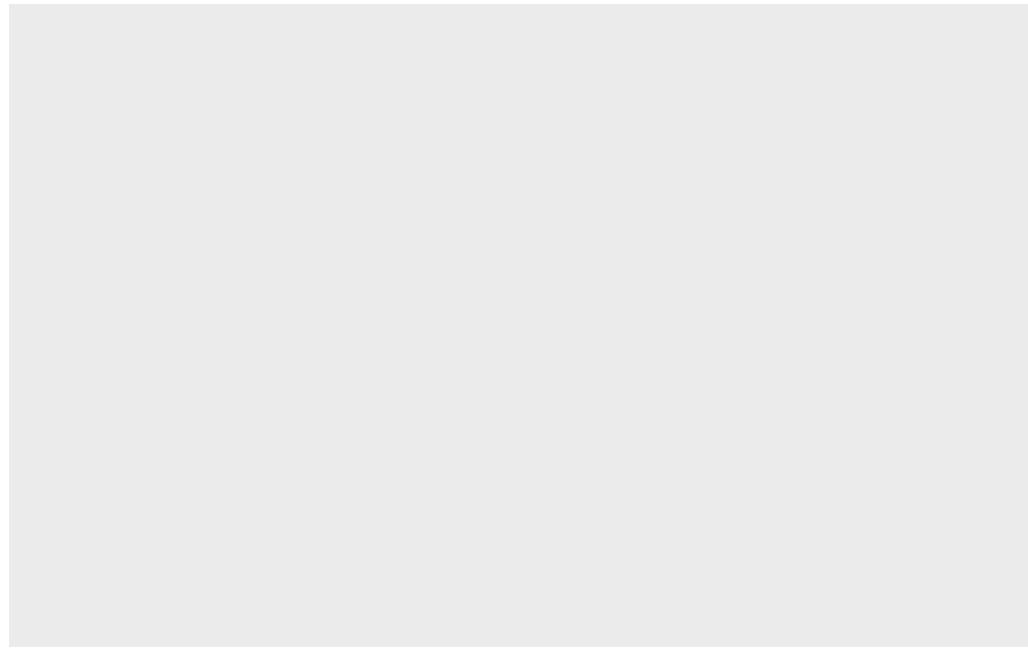
**NB** We never run an `install` cmd in a quarto code chunk or we will end up re-installing packages many, many times - which is not what we want!

Every time we want to use one of these “add-ons” packages, we need to load it up with the `library()` function.

```
library(ggplot2)
```

```
Warning: package 'ggplot2' was built under R version 4.4.3
```

```
ggplot(cars)
```



Every ggplot needs at least 3 things:

- The **data**, the stuff you want plotted
- The **aesthetics**, , how the data map to the plot
- The **geometry**, the type of plot

Add a line to better show relationship between speed and dist wtih `geom_smooth()` and setting `method = "lm"`

```
P <- ggplot(cars) +  
  aes(x = speed, y = dist) +  
  geom_point() +  
  geom_smooth(method = "lm", se= FALSE) +  
  labs(title = "Stopping Distance of Old Cars",  
       subtitle = "Data from the `cars` object",  
       x = "Speed (mph)",  
       y = "Distance (ft)")
```

Titles can be added using the `labs()` function

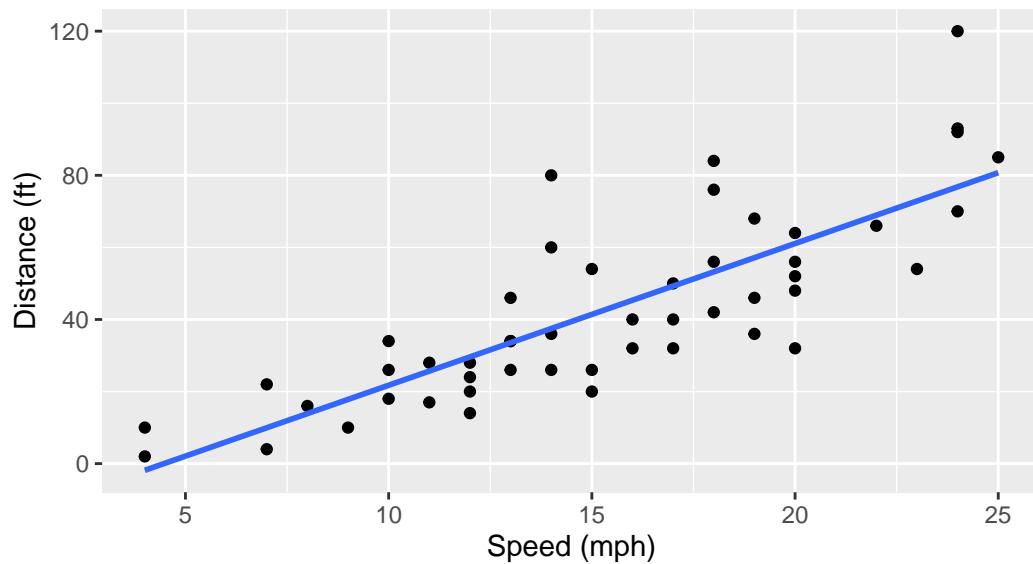
By saving it as a variable, it doesn't print the chart, let's render it out

```
P
```

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

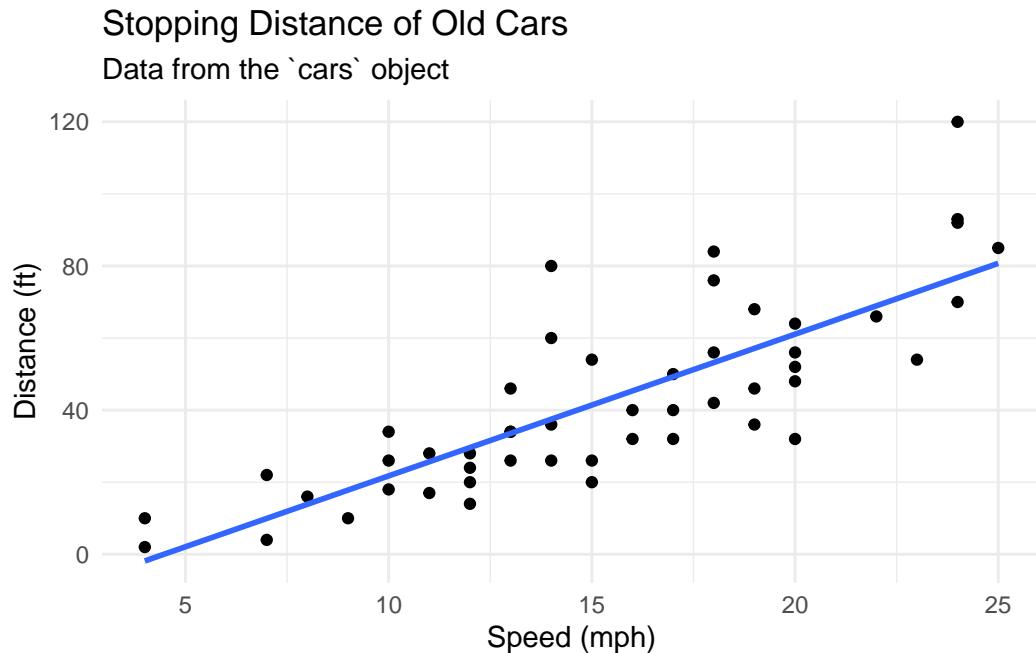
## Stopping Distance of Old Cars

Data from the `cars` object



```
P + theme_minimal()
```

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



By using `theme_minimal`, it removes the gray background from the ggplot

The `plot()` cmd is *less code*, but gives *less formatting options*. The `ggplot()` cmd is *more code*, but has *more formatting options* available

## Gene expression plot

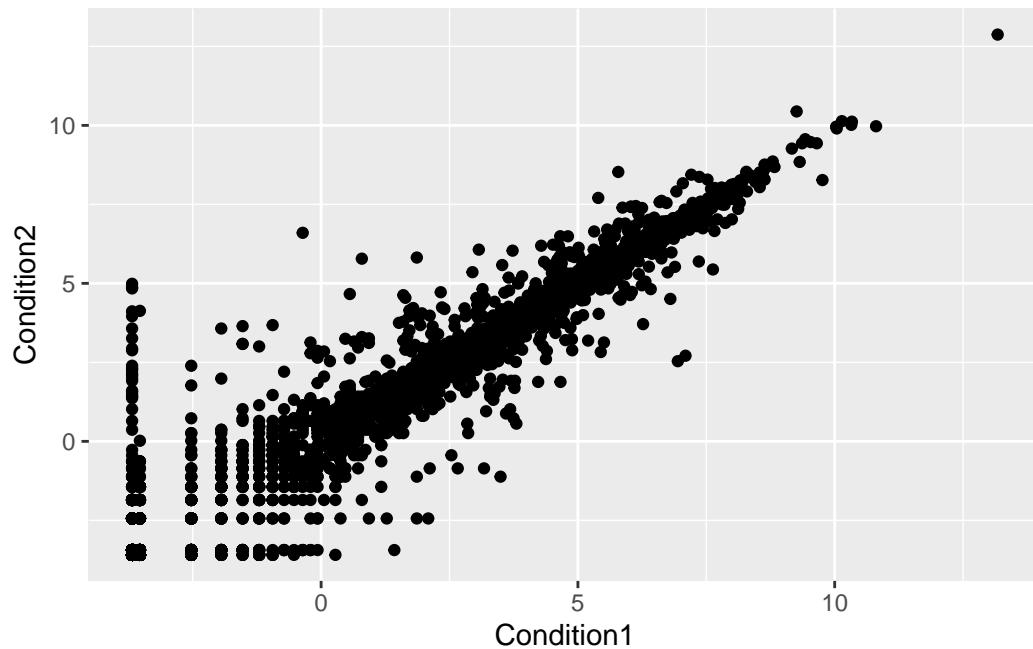
We can read the input data from the class website!

```
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

A first version plot

```
ggplot(genes,) +  
  aes(Condition1, Condition2) +  
  geom_point()
```

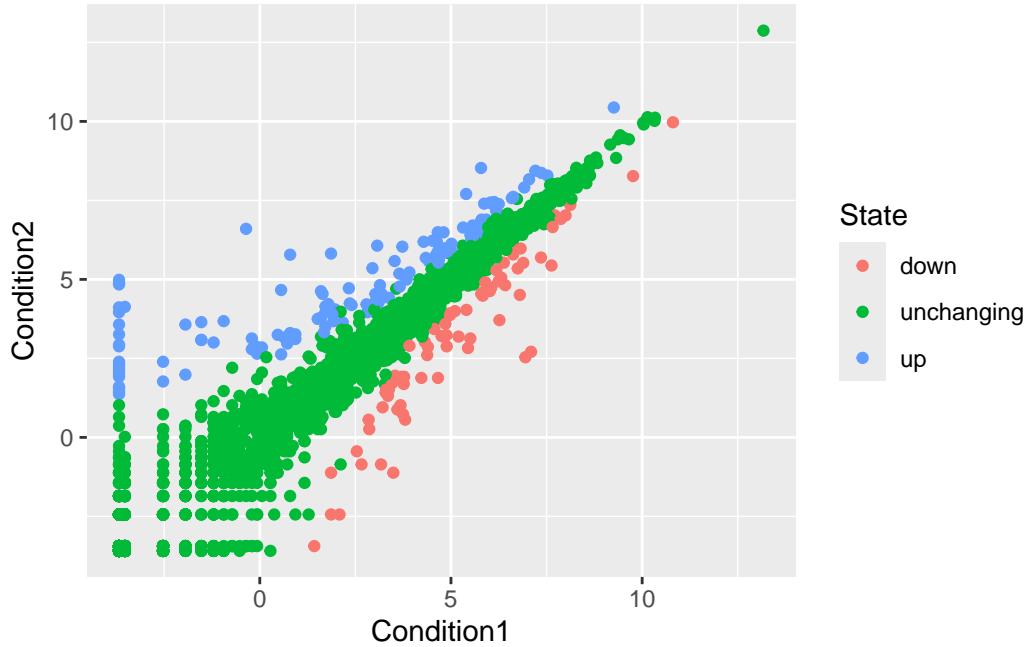


```
table(genes$State)
```

down	unchanging	up
72	4997	127

Version 2, let's color by `State` so we can see the “up” and “down” significant genes compared to all the “unchanged” genes

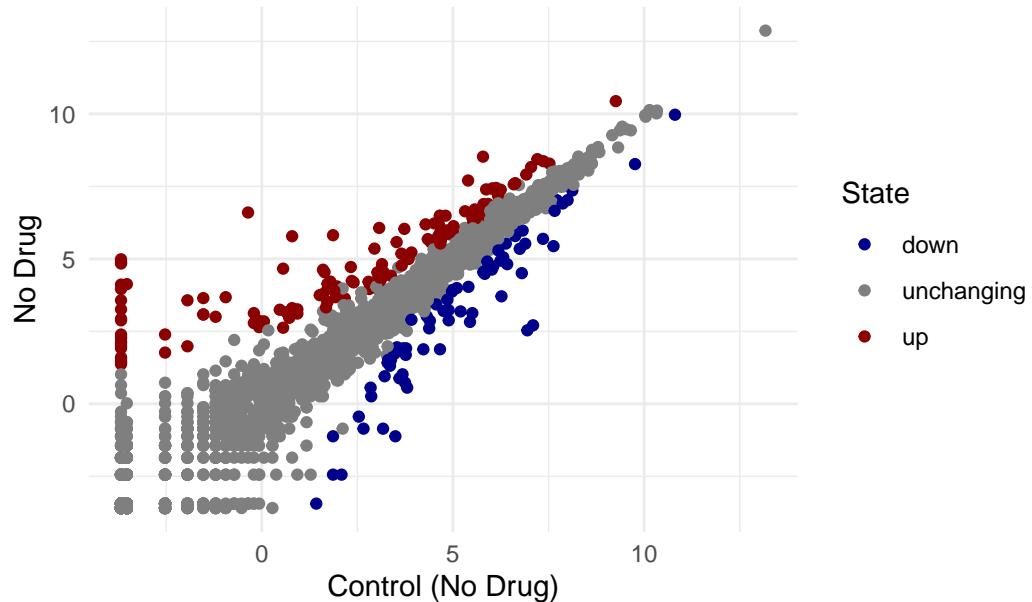
```
ggplot(genes,) +  
  aes(Condition1, Condition2, col = State) +  
  geom_point()
```



Version 3, let's modify the default colors to something we like.

```
ggplot(genes,) +
  aes(Condition1, Condition2, col = State) +
  geom_point() +
  scale_color_manual(values = c("darkblue", "gray50", "darkred")) + labs(x = "Control (No Dr
  theme_minimal()
```

## Gene Expression Changes upon GLP-1 Drug



## Going Further

Let's have a look at the famous [gapminder](#) dataset

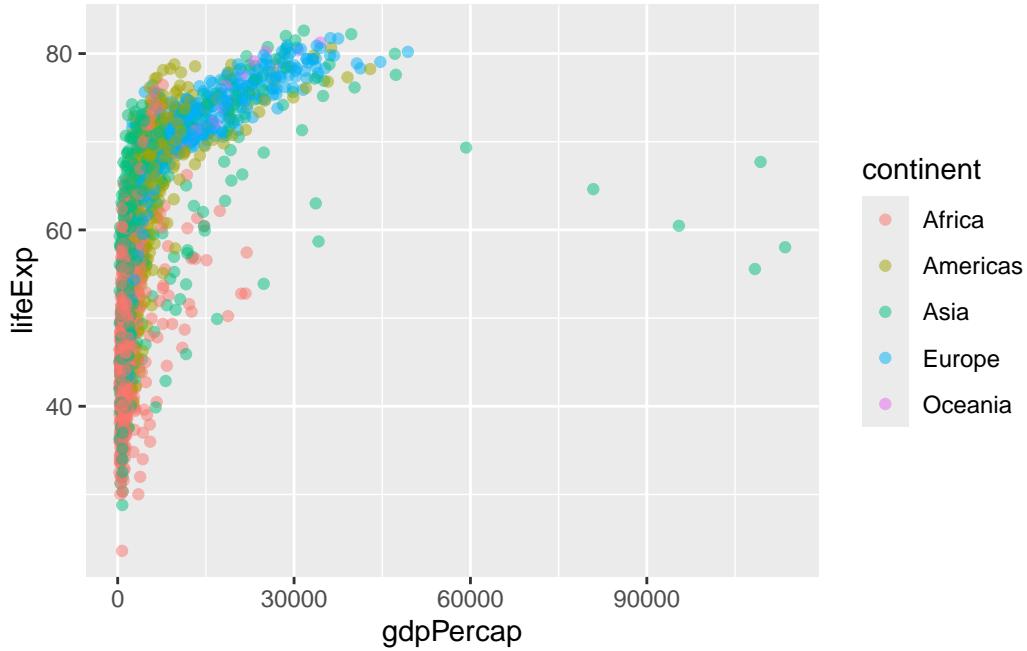
```
url <- "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/jennybc/gapminder/master/inst/extdata/gapminder.ts"

gapminder <- read.delim(url)

head(gapminder, 3)
```

	country	continent	year	lifeExp	pop	gdpPerCap
1	Afghanistan	Asia	1952	28.801	8425333	779.4453
2	Afghanistan	Asia	1957	30.332	9240934	820.8530
3	Afghanistan	Asia	1962	31.997	10267083	853.1007

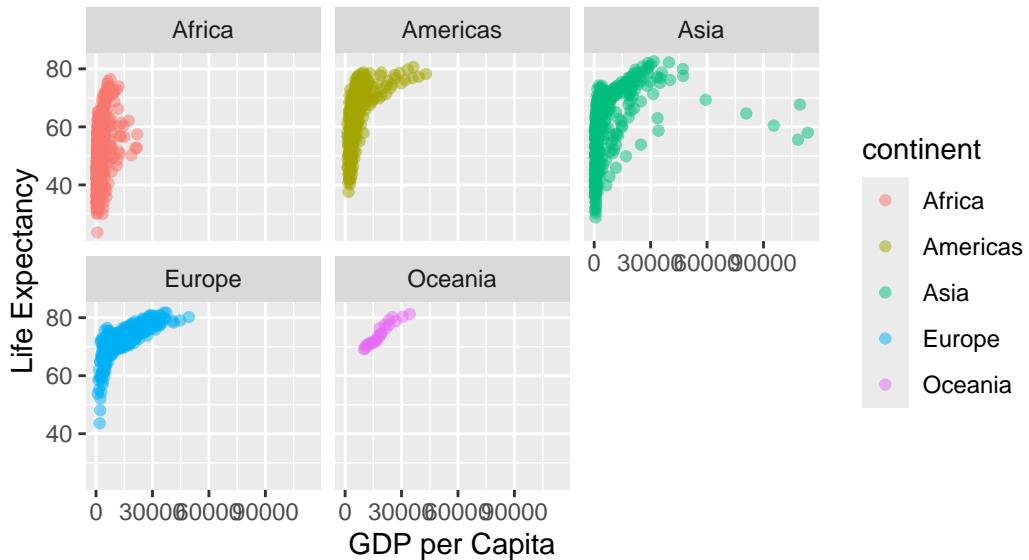
```
ggplot(gapminder) +
  aes(gdpPerCap, lifeExp, col = continent) +
  geom_point(alpha = 0.5)
```



Let's "facet" (i.e. make a separate plot) by continent rather than the big hot mess above.

```
ggplot(gapminder) +
  aes(gdpPercap, lifeExp, col = continent) +
  geom_point(alpha = 0.5) +
  facet_wrap(~continent) +
  labs(x = "GDP per Capita", y = "Life Expectancy", title = "Life Expectancy based on GDP per cap")
```

## Life Expectancy based on GDP per Capita Graph Separated by Continent



## Custom Plot

How big is this gapminder data set? Use `nrow` to specify the number of rows in a data set and `ncol` to specify the number of columns in a dataset

```
nrow(gapminder)
```

```
[1] 1704
```

```
ncol(gapminder)
```

```
[1] 6
```

I want to “filter” down to a subset of this data. I will use the `dplyr` package to help me.

First I need to install it and then load it up... `install.packages("dplyr")` and then `library(dplyr)`

```
library(dplyr)
```

```
Attaching package: 'dplyr'
```

```
The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
```

```
filter, lag
```

```
The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
```

```
intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
```

```
gap2007 <- filter(gapminder, year ==2007)  
head(gap2007)
```

	country	continent	year	lifeExp	pop	gdpPercap
1	Afghanistan	Asia	2007	43.828	31889923	974.5803
2	Albania	Europe	2007	76.423	3600523	5937.0295
3	Algeria	Africa	2007	72.301	33333216	6223.3675
4	Angola	Africa	2007	42.731	12420476	4797.2313
5	Argentina	Americas	2007	75.320	40301927	12779.3796
6	Australia	Oceania	2007	81.235	20434176	34435.3674

What is the life expectancy of United States and Ireland in 2007?

```
filter(gap2007, country == "Ireland")
```

	country	continent	year	lifeExp	pop	gdpPercap
1	Ireland	Europe	2007	78.885	4109086	40676

or

```
filter(gapminder, year == 2007, country == "Ireland")
```

	country	continent	year	lifeExp	pop	gdpPercap
1	Ireland	Europe	2007	78.885	4109086	40676

What is the life expectancy in the United states in 2007?

```
filter(gapminder, year == 2007, country == "United States")
```

```
country continent year lifeExp      pop gdpPercap
1 United States    Americas 2007  78.242 301139947  42951.65
```

Q. Make a plot comparing 1977 and 2007 for all countries

```
filter_data <- filter(gapminder, year %in% c(1977, 2007))
ggplot(filter_data) +
  aes(gdpPercap, lifeExp, col = continent) +
  geom_point(alpha = 0.6) +
  facet_wrap(~year) +
  labs(x = "GDP per Capita", y = "Life Expectancy", title = "Life Expectancy based on GDP per Capita")
```

