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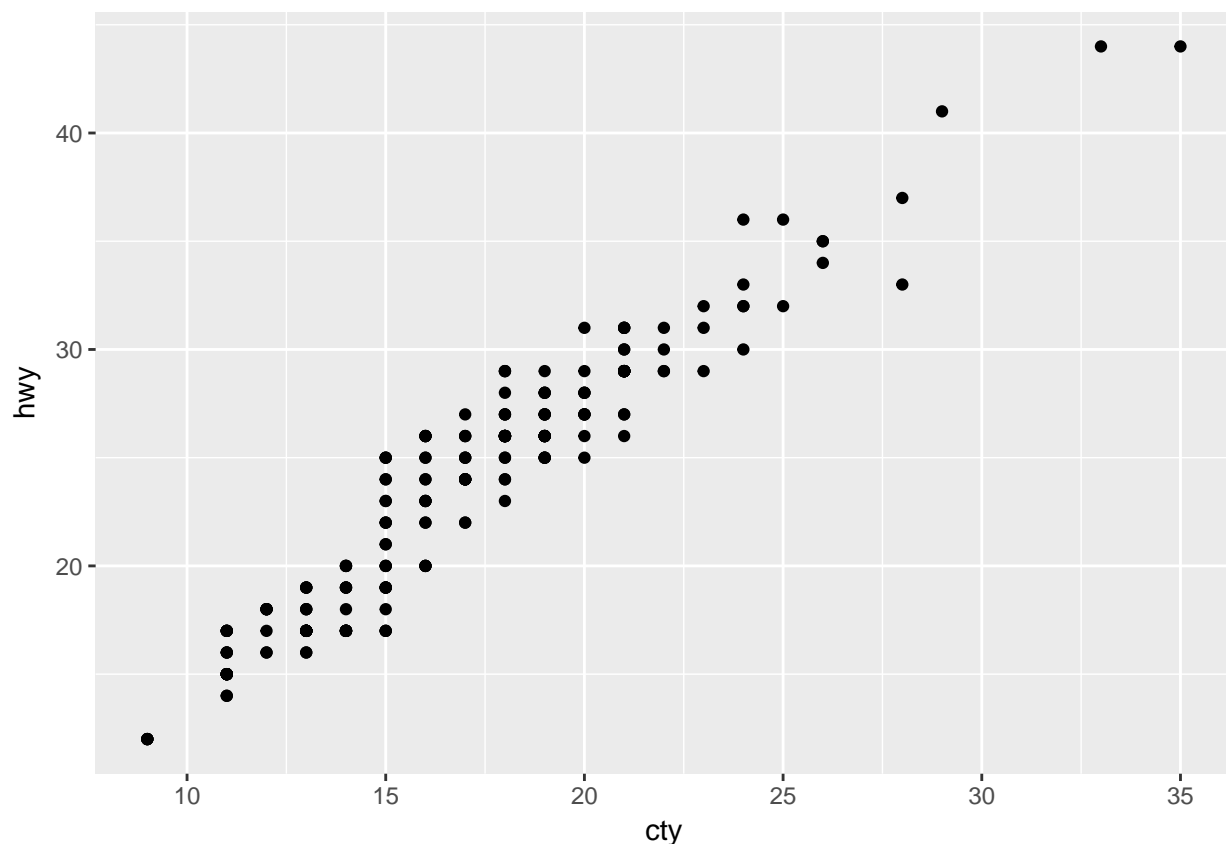
My Github repository for my assignments can be found at this URL:<https://github.com/gsaravanan1/rstudiodemo.git>

```
library(mdsr)
library(tidyverse)
library(ggplot2)
library(nycflights13)
```

3.8.1 Exercises

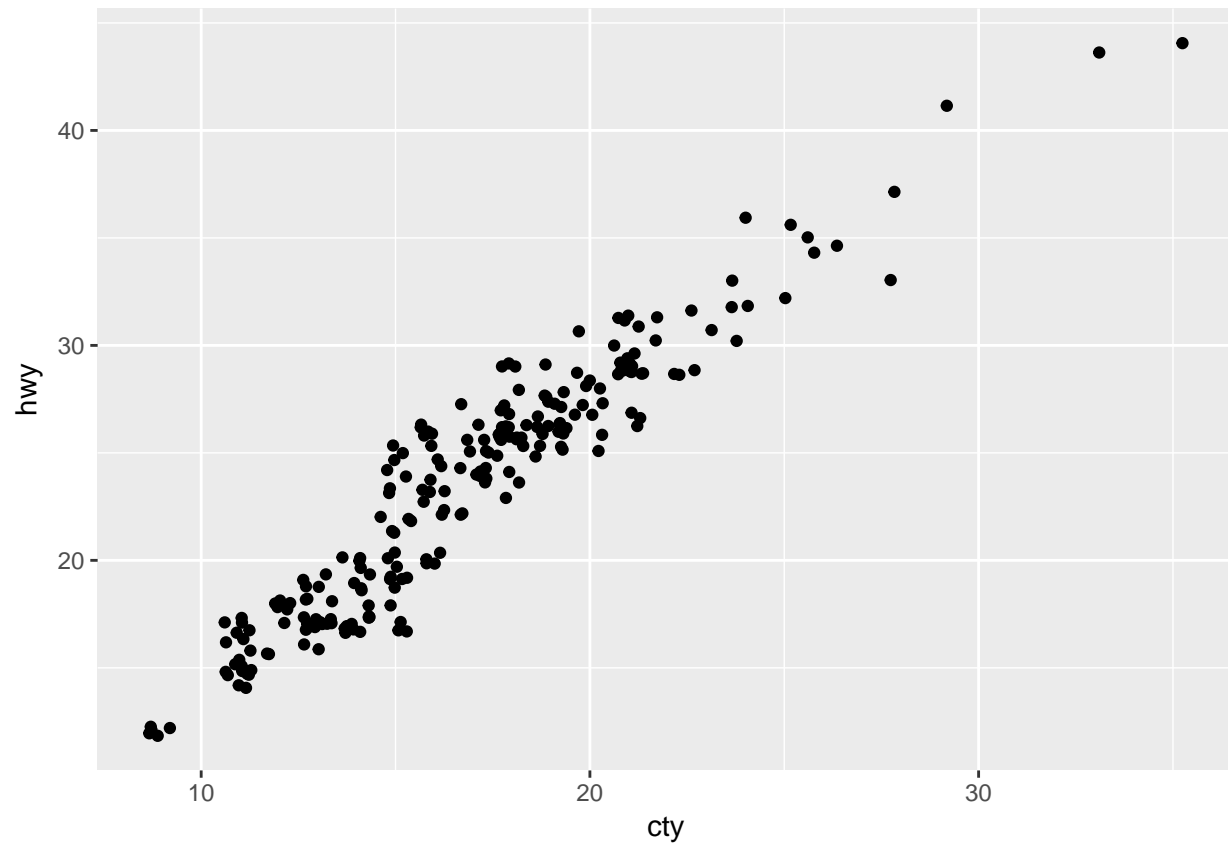
1 What is the problem with this plot? How could you improve it?

```
ggplot(data = mpg, mapping = aes(x = cty, y = hwy)) +
  geom_point()
```



ANSWER: Add a small amount of random variation

```
ggplot(data = mpg, mapping = aes(x = cty, y = hwy)) +  
  geom_jitter()
```



2. What parameters to `geom_jitter()` control the amount of jittering?

ANSWER: width and height.

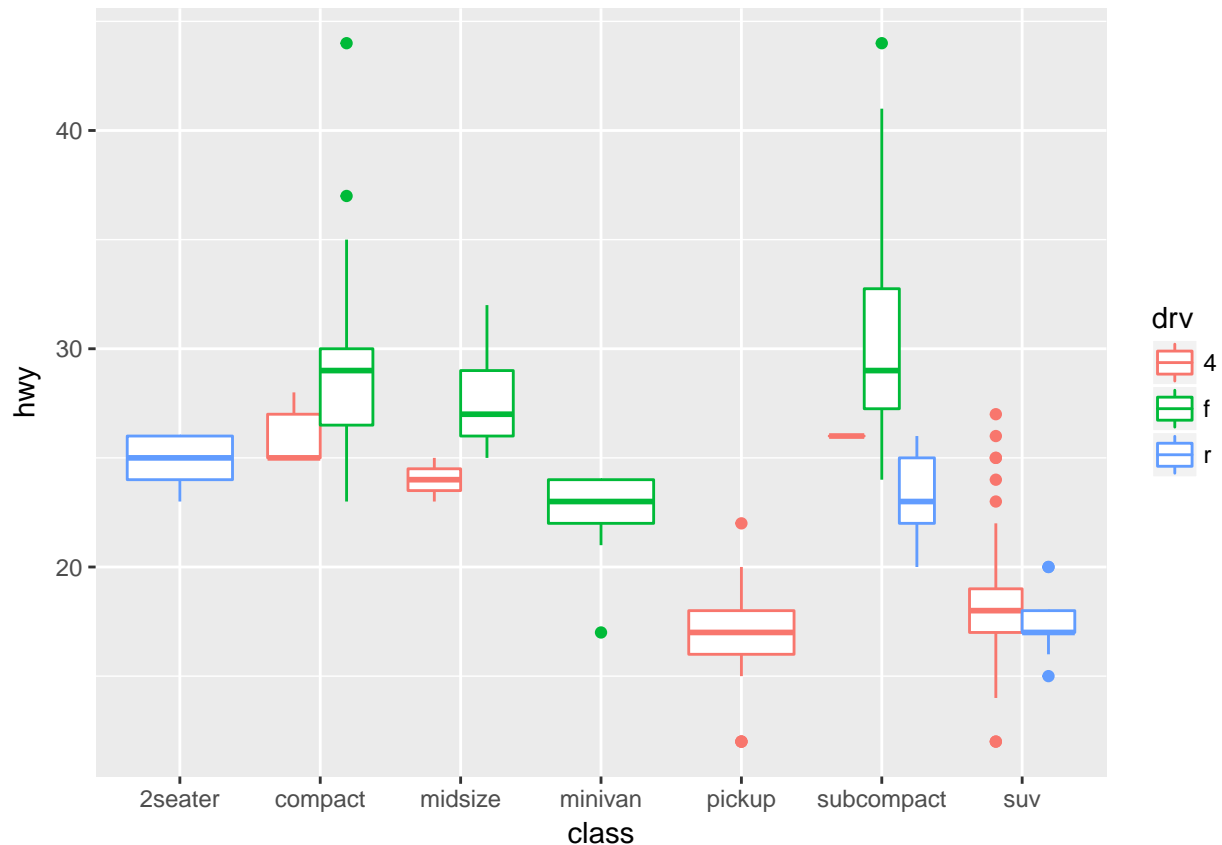
3. Compare and contrast `geom_jitter()` with `geom_count()`.

ANSWER: Jittering is adding a small amount of random noise to data. It is often used to spread out points that would otherwise be overplotted. It is only effective in the non-continuous data case where overplotted points typically are surrounded by whitespace - jittering the data into the whitespace allows the individual points to be seen. It effectively un-discretizes the discrete data.

4. What's the default position adjustment for `geom_boxplot()`? Create a visualisation of the mpg dataset that demonstrates it.

ANSWER: The default position adjustment is `position_dodge()`.

```
ggplot(data = mpg, mapping = aes(x = class, y = hwy, color = drv)) +  
  geom_boxplot(position = "dodge")
```



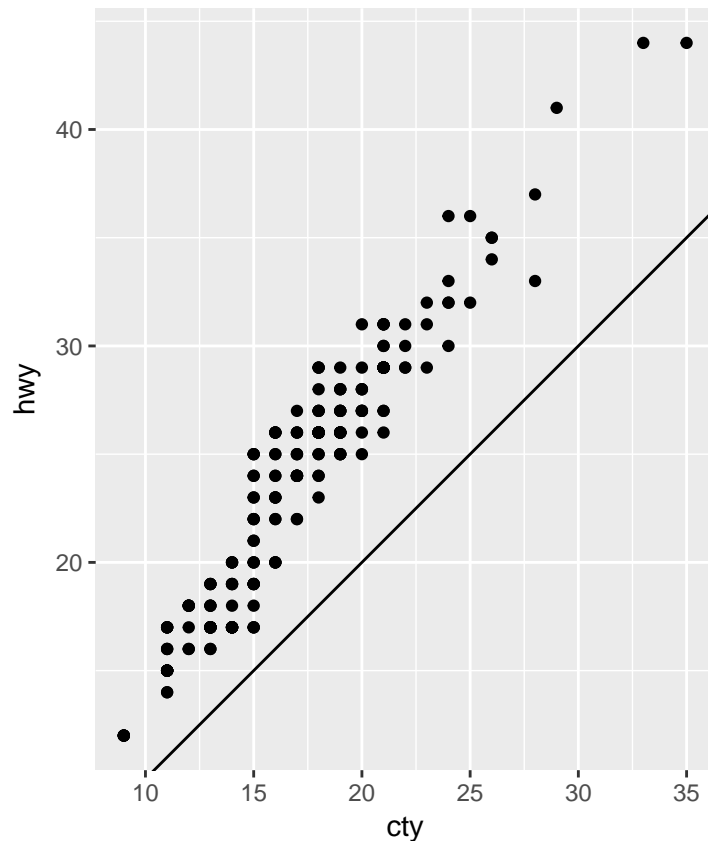
Section 3.9.1: #2 and #4 only

2 What does labs() do? Read the documentation.

ANSWER: labs() adds labels to the graph. You can add a title, subtitle, and a label for the x and y axes, as well as a caption.

4 What does the plot below tell you about the relationship between city and highway mpg? Why is coord_fixed() important? What does geom_abline() do?

```
ggplot(data = mpg, mapping = aes(x = cty, y = hwy)) +
  geom_point() +
  geom_abline() +
  coord_fixed()
```



ANSWER: Highway MPG is always (mostly) better than city MPG. `coord_fixed()` forces a specified ratio between the physical representation of data units on the axes. `geom_abline()` draws a line that, by default, has an intercept of 0 and slope of 1.

Section 4.4: #1 and #2 only

1 Why does this code not work?

```
my_variable <- 10
#my_variable
```

ANSWER: Typo

2 Tweak each of the following R commands so that they run correctly:

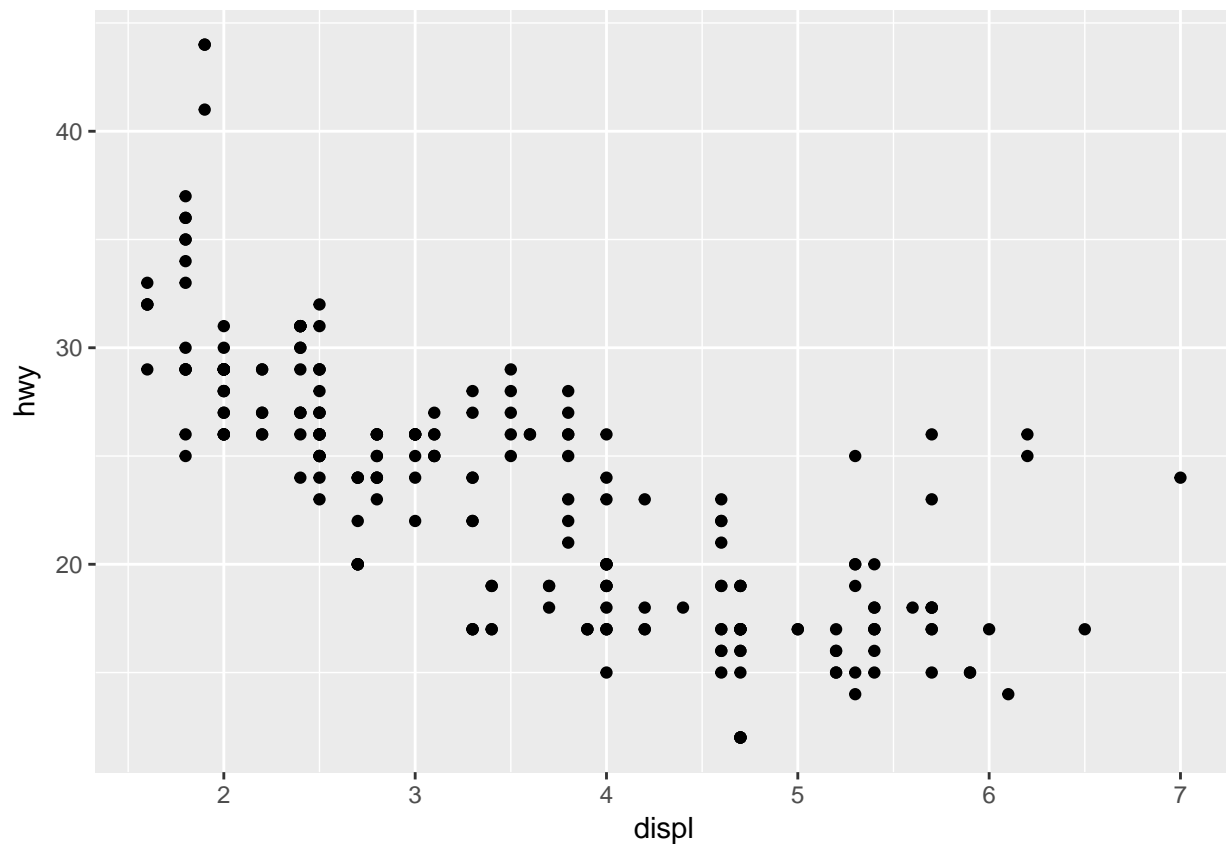
```
library(tidyverse)
```

```
ggplot(data = mpg) +
  geom_point(mapping = aes(x = displ, y = hwy))

fliter(mpg, cyl = 8)
filter(diamond, carat > 3)
```

ANSWER:

```
ggplot(data = mpg) +
  geom_point(mapping = aes(x = displ, y = hwy))
```



```
filter(mpg, cyl == 8)
```

```
## # A tibble: 70 x 11
##   manufacturer model      displ  year  cyl trans  drv    cty   hwy fl
##   <chr>          <chr>    <dbl> <int> <int> <chr> <chr> <int> <int> <chr>
## 1 audi          a6 quatt~   4.2  2008     8 auto(~ 4     16    23 p
## 2 chevrolet     c1500 su~   5.3  2008     8 auto(~ r     14    20 r
## 3 chevrolet     c1500 su~   5.3  2008     8 auto(~ r     11    15 e
## 4 chevrolet     c1500 su~   5.3  2008     8 auto(~ r     14    20 r
## 5 chevrolet     c1500 su~   5.7  1999     8 auto(~ r     13    17 r
## 6 chevrolet     c1500 su~   6    2008     8 auto(~ r     12    17 r
## 7 chevrolet     corvette   5.7  1999     8 manua~ r     16    26 p
## 8 chevrolet     corvette   5.7  1999     8 auto(~ r     15    23 p
```

```
## 9 chevrolet    corvette    6.2  2008    8 manua~ r    16    26 p
## 10 chevrolet   corvette    6.2  2008    8 auto(~ r    15    25 p
## # ... with 60 more rows, and 1 more variable: class <chr>
```

```
filter(diamonds, carat > 3)
```

```
## # A tibble: 32 x 10
##   carat cut      color clarity depth table price      x      y      z
##   <dbl> <ord>   <ord> <ord>   <dbl> <dbl> <int> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
## 1  3.01 Premium I      I1     62.7   58  8040  9.1   8.97  5.67
## 2  3.11 Fair    J      I1     65.9   57  9823  9.15  9.02  5.98
## 3  3.01 Premium F      I1     62.2   56  9925  9.24  9.13  5.73
## 4  3.05 Premium E      I1     60.9   58 10453  9.26  9.25  5.66
## 5  3.02 Fair    I      I1     65.2   56 10577  9.11  9.02  5.91
## 6  3.01 Fair    H      I1     56.1   62 10761  9.54  9.38  5.31
## 7  3.65 Fair    H      I1     67.1   53 11668  9.53  9.48  6.38
## 8  3.24 Premium H      I1     62.1   58 12300  9.44  9.4   5.85
## 9  3.22 Ideal   I      I1     62.6   55 12545  9.49  9.42  5.92
## 10 3.5   Ideal   H      I1     62.8   57 12587  9.65  9.59  6.03
## # ... with 22 more rows
```

Section 5.2.4: #1, #3 and #4 only.

1. Find all flights that

1.1. Had an arrival delay of two or more hours.

```
filter(flights, arr_delay >= 120)
```

1.2. Flew to Houston (IAH or HOU)

```
filter(flights, dest == 'IAH' | dest == 'HOU')
```

1.3. Were operated by United, American, or Delta

```
filter(flights, carrier == 'UA' | carrier == 'AA' | carrier == 'DL')
```

1.4. Departed in summer (July, August, and September)

```
filter(flights, month >= 7 & month <= 9)
```

1.5. Arrived more than two hours late, but didn't leave late

```
filter(flights, arr_delay > 120, dep_delay <= 0)
```

1.6. Were delayed by at least an hour, but made up over 30 minutes in flight

```
filter(flights, dep_delay >= 60, dep_delay-arr_delay > 30)
```

1.7. Departed between midnight and 6am (inclusive)

```
filter(flights, dep_time <=600 | dep_time == 2400)
```

3 How many flights have a missing dep_time? What other variables are missing? What might these rows represent?

```
summary(flights)
```

```
##      year      month      day      dep_time
## Min.   :2013   Min.   : 1.000   Min.   : 1.00   Min.   :    1
## 1st Qu.:2013   1st Qu.: 4.000   1st Qu.: 8.00   1st Qu.:  907
## Median :2013   Median : 7.000   Median :16.00   Median :1401
## Mean   :2013   Mean   : 6.549   Mean   :15.71   Mean   :1349
## 3rd Qu.:2013   3rd Qu.:10.000   3rd Qu.:23.00   3rd Qu.:1744
## Max.   :2013   Max.   :12.000   Max.   :31.00   Max.   :2400
##                                     NA's   :8255
## sched_dep_time  dep_delay      arr_time  sched_arr_time
## Min.   : 106   Min.   : -43.00   Min.   :    1   Min.   :    1
## 1st Qu.: 906   1st Qu.:  -5.00   1st Qu.:1104   1st Qu.:1124
## Median :1359   Median :  -2.00   Median :1535   Median :1556
## Mean   :1344   Mean   : 12.64   Mean   :1502   Mean   :1536
## 3rd Qu.:1729   3rd Qu.: 11.00   3rd Qu.:1940   3rd Qu.:1945
## Max.   :2359   Max.   :1301.00   Max.   :2400   Max.   :2359
##                                     NA's   :8255
##                                     NA's   :8713
##      arr_delay      carrier      flight      tailnum
## Min.   : -86.000   Length:336776   Min.   :    1   Length:336776
## 1st Qu.: -17.000   Class :character 1st Qu.:  553   Class :character
## Median :  -5.000   Mode  :character Median :1496   Mode  :character
## Mean    :   6.895                      Mean   :1972
## 3rd Qu.:  14.000                      3rd Qu.:3465
## Max.    :1272.000                      Max.   :8500
## NA's    :9430
##      origin      dest      air_time      distance
## Length:336776   Length:336776   Min.   : 20.0   Min.   : 17
## Class :character Class :character 1st Qu.: 82.0   1st Qu.: 502
## Mode  :character Mode  :character Median :129.0   Median : 872
##                                     Mean   :150.7   Mean   :1040
##                                     3rd Qu.:192.0   3rd Qu.:1389
##                                     Max.   :695.0   Max.   :4983
##                                     NA's   :9430
##      hour      minute      time_hour
## Min.   : 1.00   Min.   : 0.00   Min.   :2013-01-01 05:00:00
## 1st Qu.: 9.00   1st Qu.: 8.00   1st Qu.:2013-04-04 13:00:00
```



```
## Median :13.00 Median :29.00 Median :2013-07-03 10:00:00
## Mean :13.18 Mean :26.23 Mean :2013-07-03 05:02:36
## 3rd Qu.:17.00 3rd Qu.:44.00 3rd Qu.:2013-10-01 07:00:00
## Max. :23.00 Max. :59.00 Max. :2013-12-31 23:00:00
##
```

ANSWER :

8255 flights have a missing `dep_time`, 8255 have a missing `dep_delay`, 8713 have a missing `arr_time`, 9430 have a missing `arr_delay`, and 9430 have a missing `air_time`. We can speculate that these are flights that failed to depart or arrive, since a flight that departs normally but is then rerouted will probably have a normally recorded departure but no similar record for its arrival. However, these could also just be lost data about perfectly normal flights.

4 Why is `NA ^ 0` not missing? Why is `NA | TRUE` not missing? Why is `FALSE & NA` not missing? Can you figure out the general rule? (`NA * 0` is a tricky counterexample!)

ANSWER: `NA ^ 0` evaluates to 1 because anything to the power of 0 is 1, so although we didn't know the original value, we know it's being taken to the zeroth power.

With `NA | TRUE`, since the `|` operator returns TRUE if either of the terms are true, the whole expression returns true because the right half returns true. This is easier to see in an expression like `NA | 5 < 10` (since 5 is indeed less than 10).

For the next example, we know that `&` returns TRUE when both terms are true. So, for example, `TRUE & TRUE` evaluates to TRUE. In `FALSE & NA`, one of the terms is false, so the expression evaluates to FALSE. As does something like `FALSE & TRUE`.

`NA * 0` could be argued to be because the NA could represent Inf, and `Inf * 0` is NaN (Not a Number), rather than NA. However, I suspect that these results are dictated as much by what answer is natural, quick and sensible in C as by mathematical edge cases.

Section 5.4.1: #1 and #3 only

1 Brainstorm as many ways as possible to select `dep_time`, `dep_delay`, `arr_time`, and `arr_delay` from `flights`.

ANSWER:

```
select(flights, dep_time, dep_delay, arr_time, arr_delay)
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##   dep_time dep_delay arr_time arr_delay
```

```
##      <int>      <dbl>      <int>      <dbl>
## 1      517          2        830         11
## 2      533          4        850         20
## 3      542          2        923         33
## 4      544         -1       1004        -18
## 5      554         -6        812        -25
## 6      554         -4        740         12
## 7      555         -5        913         19
## 8      557         -3        709        -14
## 9      557         -3        838         -8
## 10     558         -2        753          8
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
```

```
select(flights, dep_time, dep_delay, arr_time, arr_delay)
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##   dep_time dep_delay arr_time arr_delay
##   <int>      <dbl>      <int>      <dbl>
## 1      517          2        830         11
## 2      533          4        850         20
## 3      542          2        923         33
## 4      544         -1       1004        -18
## 5      554         -6        812        -25
## 6      554         -4        740         12
## 7      555         -5        913         19
## 8      557         -3        709        -14
## 9      557         -3        838         -8
## 10     558         -2        753          8
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
```

```
select(flights, c(dep_time, dep_delay, arr_time, arr_delay))
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##   dep_time dep_delay arr_time arr_delay
##   <int>      <dbl>      <int>      <dbl>
## 1      517          2        830         11
## 2      533          4        850         20
## 3      542          2        923         33
## 4      544         -1       1004        -18
## 5      554         -6        812        -25
## 6      554         -4        740         12
## 7      555         -5        913         19
## 8      557         -3        709        -14
## 9      557         -3        838         -8
## 10     558         -2        753          8
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
```

```
flights %>% select(dep_time, dep_delay, arr_time, arr_delay)
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##   dep_time dep_delay arr_time arr_delay
##   <int>      <dbl>      <int>      <dbl>
## 1      517          2        830         11
## 2      533          4        850         20
## 3      542          2        923         33
## 4      544         -1       1004        -18
```

```
## 5      554      -6      812      -25
## 6      554      -4      740       12
## 7      555      -5      913       19
## 8      557      -3      709      -14
## 9      557      -3      838       -8
## 10     558      -2      753        8
## # ... with 336,766 more rows

flights %>% select_("dep_time", "dep_delay", "arr_time", "arr_delay")

## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##   dep_time dep_delay arr_time arr_delay
##   <int>    <dbl>    <int>    <dbl>
## 1     517        2      830        11
## 2     533        4      850        20
## 3     542        2      923        33
## 4     544       -1     1004       -18
## 5     554       -6      812       -25
## 6     554       -4      740        12
## 7     555       -5      913        19
## 8     557       -3      709       -14
## 9     557       -3      838        -8
## 10    558       -2      753         8
## # ... with 336,766 more rows

flights %>% select_(.dots=c("dep_time", "dep_delay", "arr_time", "arr_delay"))

## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##   dep_time dep_delay arr_time arr_delay
##   <int>    <dbl>    <int>    <dbl>
## 1     517        2      830        11
## 2     533        4      850        20
## 3     542        2      923        33
## 4     544       -1     1004       -18
## 5     554       -6      812       -25
## 6     554       -4      740        12
## 7     555       -5      913        19
## 8     557       -3      709       -14
## 9     557       -3      838        -8
## 10    558       -2      753         8
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
```

3 What does the `one_of()` function do? Why might it be helpful in conjunction with this vector?

ANSWER : `one_of()` allows for subset-matching

```
vars <- c("year", "month", "day", "dep_delay", "arr_delay")
flights %>% select(one_of(vars))

## # A tibble: 336,776 x 5
##   year month   day dep_delay arr_delay
```

```
##      <int> <int> <int>      <dbl>      <dbl>
##  1  2013      1      1          2         11
##  2  2013      1      1          4         20
##  3  2013      1      1          2         33
##  4  2013      1      1         -1        -18
##  5  2013      1      1         -6        -25
##  6  2013      1      1         -4         12
##  7  2013      1      1         -5         19
##  8  2013      1      1         -3        -14
##  9  2013      1      1         -3         -8
## 10  2013      1      1         -2          8
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
```