

2: Data Wrangling with dplyr

Suppose we have the following toy data set, named `df`. The first two columns are numeric while the third column is categorical.

x1	x2	cat1	y1	new var
1	3	Yes	0.333	small x1
7	NA	Yes	NA	large x1
4	2	No	2	large x1

Create New Variables with `mutate()` (Perhaps with `case_when()` or `if_else()`)

`df %>% mutate(y1 = x1 / x2)`
`df %>% mutate(newvar = if_else(x1 > 3,`

`true = "large x1",`
`false = "small x1"))`

Choose Rows to Keep with `filter()`

`df %>% filter(x1 > 6)`
`df %>% filter(cat1 == "No")`

`df %>% filter(x1 == max(x1))`

Choose Columns to Keep with `select()`

`df %>% select(x2, cat1)`

`=>`

x2	cat1
3	Yes
NA	Yes
2	No

x1	x2	cat1
1	3	Yes
7	NA	Yes
4	2	No

Order/Sort Your Data Set with `arrange()`

df %>% arrange(x1)

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x1	x2	cat1
1	3	Yes
4	2	No
7	NA	Yes

Obtain Numerical Summaries with `summarise()`

df %>% summarise(~~x1m~~ = median(x1))

=>

x1m
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Obtain Numerical Summaries by Group with `group_by()` and `summarise()`

df %>% group_by(cat1) %>%

summarise(~~numms~~ⁱⁿ = ~~min~~^{max}(x1))

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cat1	numms
Yes	1
No	4

mean(), median(),
max(), min(),
sd(), var(),
quantile(), etc.