First Year Exam (Bioinfo)

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Import data

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```
var <- read.csv( "covid19_variants.csv" )</pre>
head(var)
##
                       area area_type variant_name specimens percentage
           date
## 1 2021-01-01 California
                                 State
                                              Gamma
                                                             0
                                                                      0.00
## 2 2021-01-01 California
                                 State
                                               Beta
                                                             0
                                                                      0.00
## 3 2021-01-01 California
                                State
                                             Lambda
                                                             0
                                                                      0.00
## 4 2021-01-01 California
                                State
                                              Alpha
                                                                      1.69
## 5 2021-01-01 California
                                State
                                            Epsilon
                                                            28
                                                                     47.46
## 6 2021-01-01 California
                                State
                                              Other
                                                            29
                                                                     49.15
     specimens_7d_avg percentage_7d_avg
## 1
                    NA
## 2
                    NA
                                       NA
## 3
                    NA
                                       NA
## 4
                    NA
                                       NA
## 5
                    NA
                                       NA
```

Notice that one of these column is a date column. Working with time and dates get's annoying quickly. We can use the **lubridate** package to make this easy

NA

```
library("lubridate")
```

I will make the as of date column Data format

NA

```
var$as_of_date <- ymd(var$date)</pre>
```

Use the filter() function to do Subsetting

```
library("dplyr")
```

```
var_in_ca <- filter(var, variant_name != "Total"& variant_name != "Other")</pre>
```

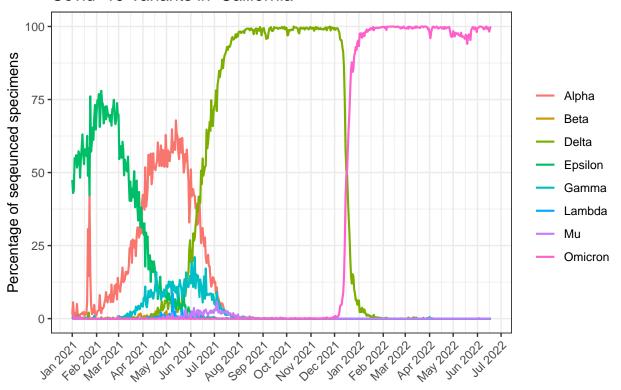
Use the ggplot() function to plot the data

```
library("ggplot2")
Set the data to English format
Sys.setlocale(locale = "English")
```

[1] "LC_COLLATE=English_United States.1252;LC_CTYPE=English_United States.1252;LC_MONETARY=English_United States.1252;LC_MONETARY=En

```
ggplot(var_in_ca) +
  aes(as_of_date,
      percentage, colour = variant_name) +
  geom_line(size=0.75) +
  labs(x=NULL, y="Percentage of sequenced specimens",
      title="Covid-19 Variants in California",
      caption="Data Source: <a href="https://data.chhs.ca.gov/>")+" scale_x_date(date_breaks = "1 month", date_labels = " %b %Y")+
  theme_bw()+
  theme(axis.text.x= element_text( angle = 45, hjust = 1),
      legend.title = element_blank())
```

Covid-19 Variants in California



Data Source: https://data.chhs.ca.gov/>