GG606

Intro & Data Vis

Background

- Not a lot of data skills/courses
- Various ways to teach
 - Teach language
 - Teach stats

Why

- Why grad courses?
- Thesis vs project
- Pedagogy

Introductions

- Why are you in GG606
- Undergrad degree
- Research
- Experience with R, other languages

Caveats

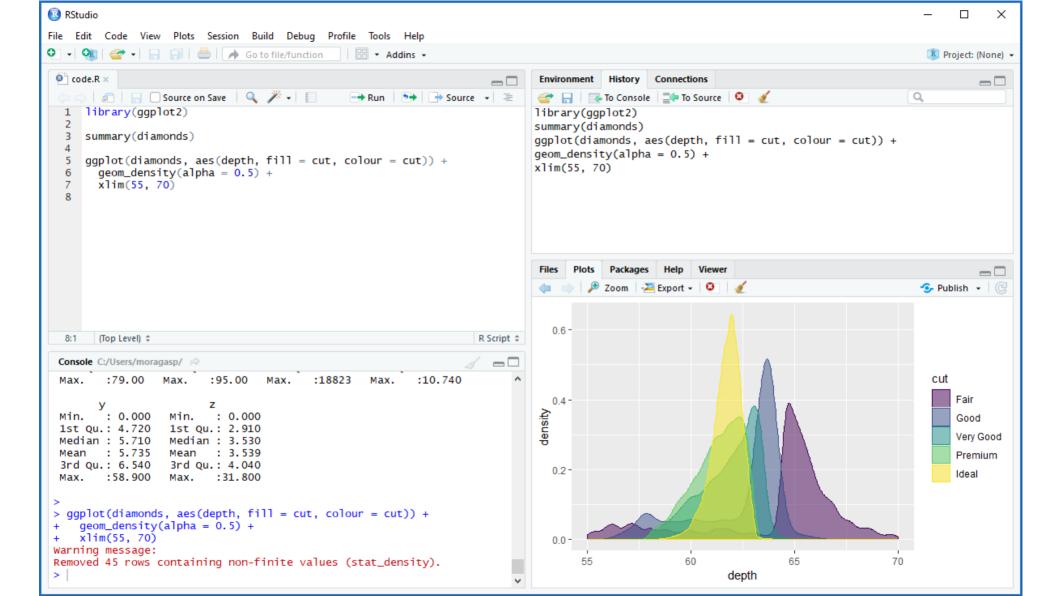
- Not a 'Learn R' course per se
 - Use R to discuss concepts
 - Pros + Cons to R
- Based around R4DS book
 - Also the IDS book from UBC
 - You will bring new data most weeks

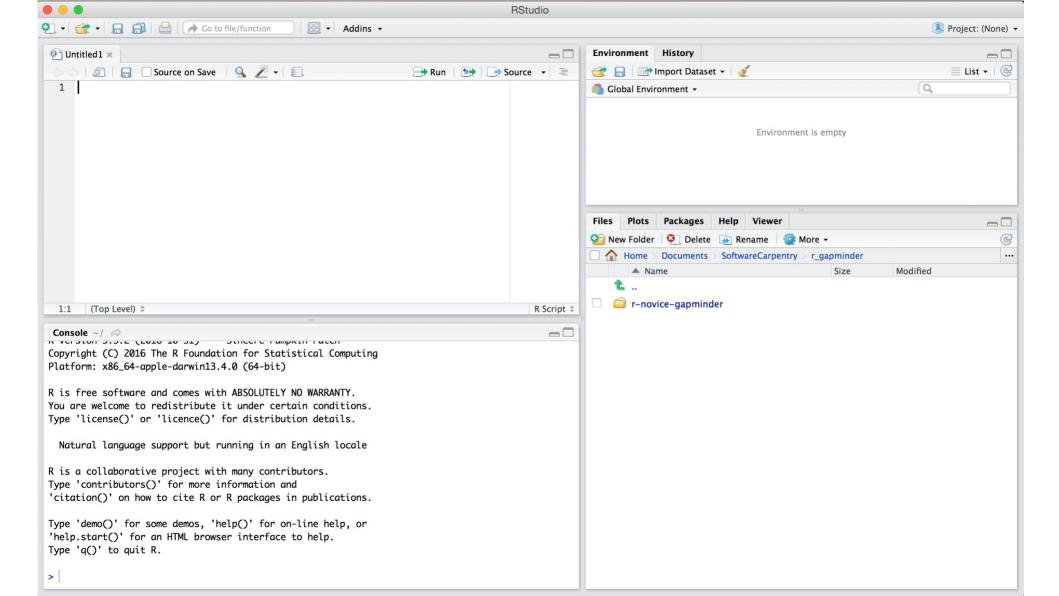
Structure of Grad Courses

- Topics & Discussions
- Lectures & Assignments
- Professional Development
- Skill & Practicum

R & RStudio

- Use R & RStudio example platforms
 - R language
 - RStudio integrated development environment IDE
 - posit.cloud

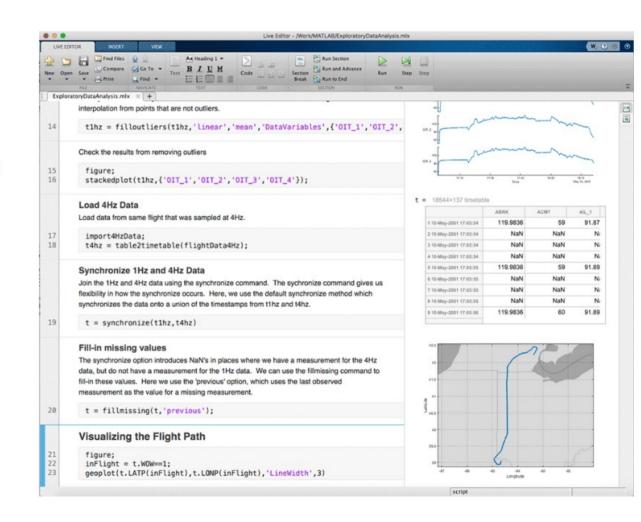


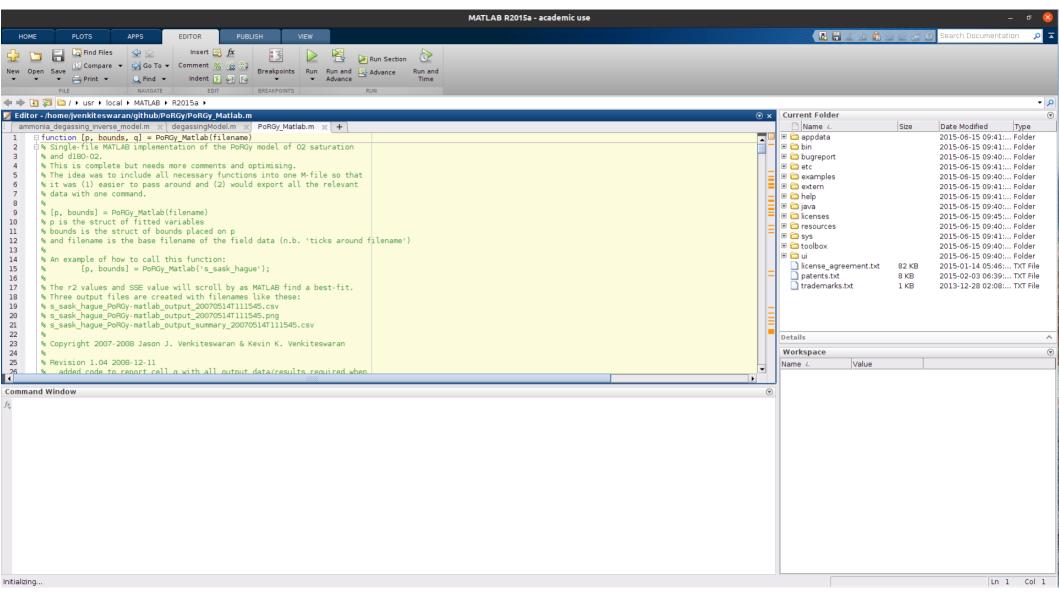


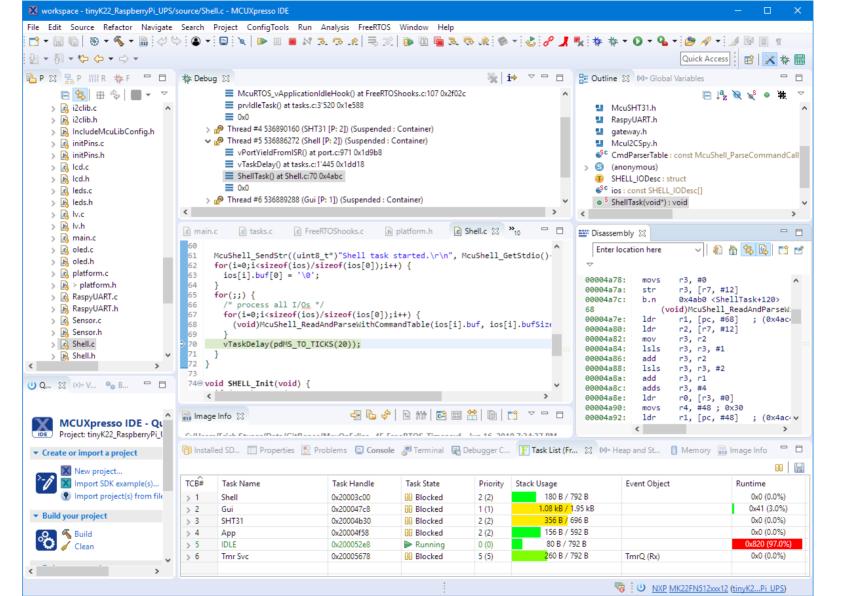
Why Use MATLAB for Data Science?

Exploratory Data Analysis

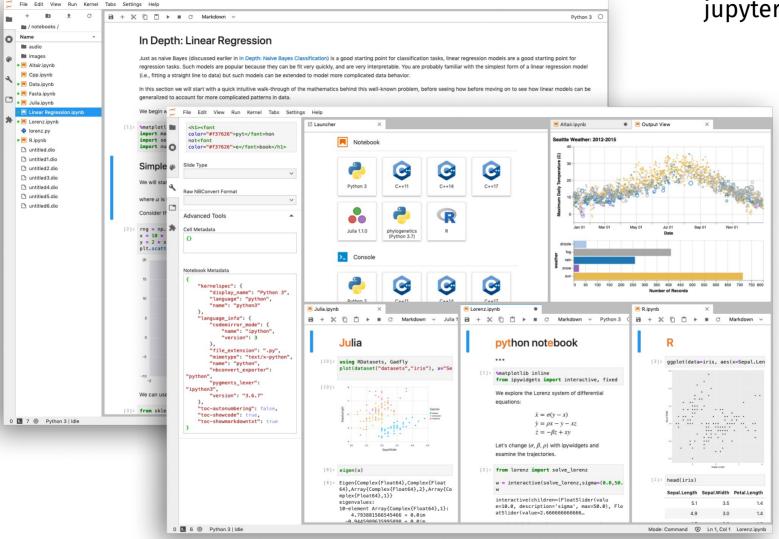
Spend less time preprocessing data. From time-series sensor data to images to text, MATLAB datatypes significantly reduce the time required to preprocess data. High-level functions make it easy to synchronize disparate time series, replace outliers with interpolated values, filter noisy signals, split raw text into words, and much more. Quickly visualize your data to understand trends and identify data quality issues with plots and the Live Editor.







jupyter.org/try



R

- S (John Chambers et al.) at Bell Labs, 1976
 - Implemented as fortran libs
- Rewritten in C, 1988 as v3, v4 in 1998
- R, 1993 (Ross Ihaka & Robert Gentleman)
- 1995 GNU GPL, paper 1996
- 'packages' to expand capabilities

R + 'tidyverse'

- Hadley Wickham PhD thesis 2008
- 'ggplot' 2005/7, Grammar of Graphics (Leland Wilkinson)
- 'plyr' 2008, tools 'split-apply-combine'
- 'tidy data'
- opinionated



Journal of Statistical Software

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http://www.jstatsoft.org/

Tidy Data

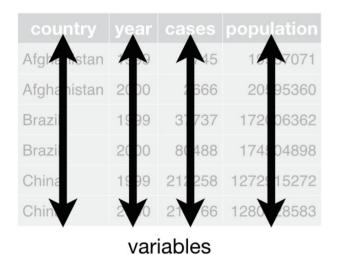
Hadley Wickham RStudio

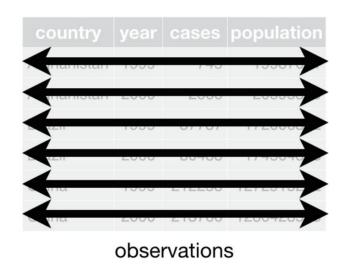
Abstract

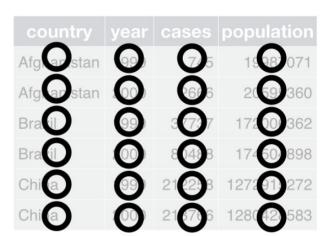
A huge amount of effort is spent cleaning data to get it ready for analysis, but there has been little research on how to make data cleaning as easy and effective as possible. This paper tackles a small, but important, component of data cleaning: data tidying. Tidy datasets are easy to manipulate, model and visualise, and have a specific structure: each variable is a column, each observation is a row, and each type of observational unit is a table. This framework makes it easy to tidy messy datasets because only a small set of tools are needed to deal with a wide range of un-tidy datasets. This structure also makes it easier to develop tidy tools for data analysis, tools that both input and output tidy datasets. The advantages of a consistent data structure and matching tools are demonstrated with a case study free from mundane data manipulation chores.

Tidy vs Messy Data

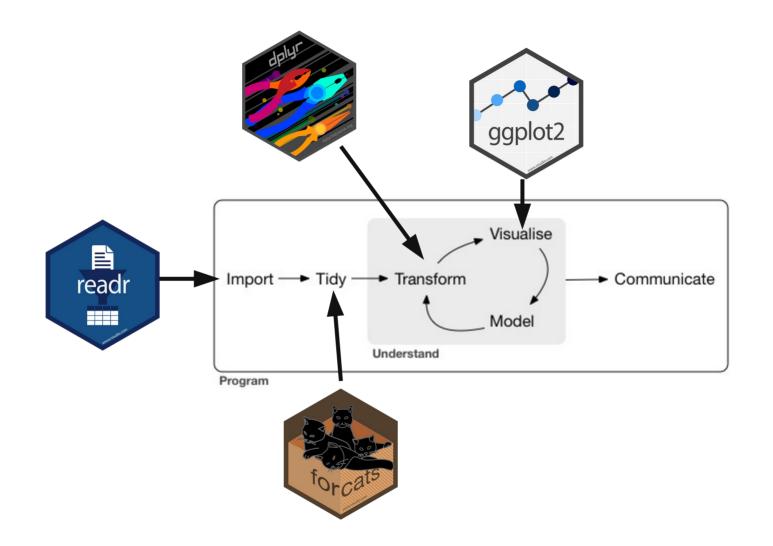
- each variable is a column
- each observation (or case) is a row
- Give an example where you didn't follow this in the past







values











Break?

Putting Little Things Together

- RStudio IDE
- Project Management
- R Intro



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RStudio IDE

Default 4 pane layout

RStudio Project

- Click the "File" menu button, then "New Project".
- Click "New Directory".
- Click "Empty Project".
- Type in the name of the directory to store your project, e.g. "my_project".
- If available, select the checkbox for "Create a git repository."
- Click the "Create Project" button.

R Intro 1

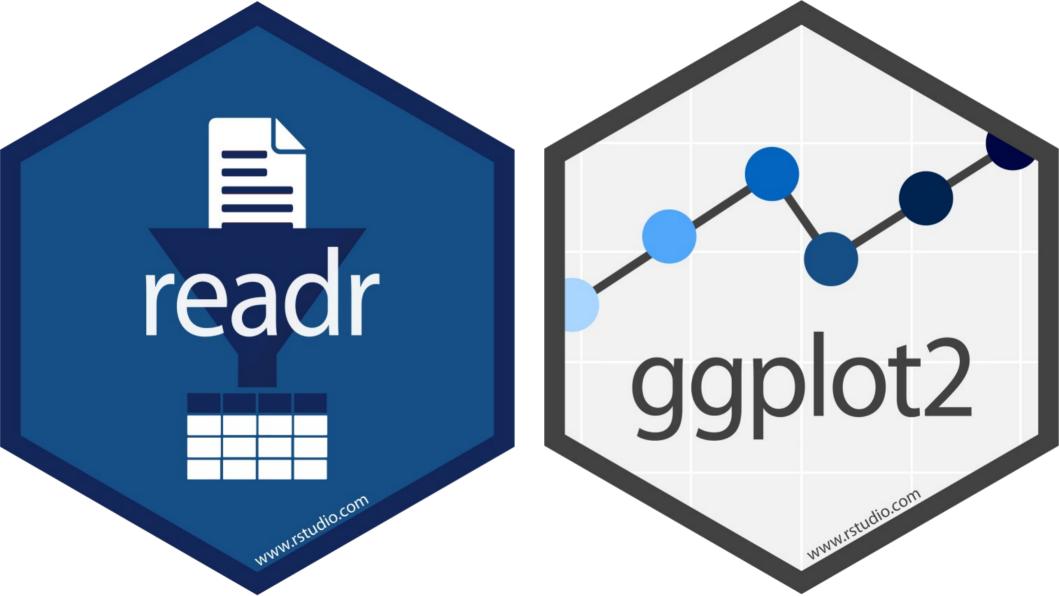
- Calculator
- Functions
- Comparisons
- Assignment
- R-Scripts

- 1+2
- sin(1)
- 1 = 1
- x ← 3
- File, New File, R Script

R Intro 2

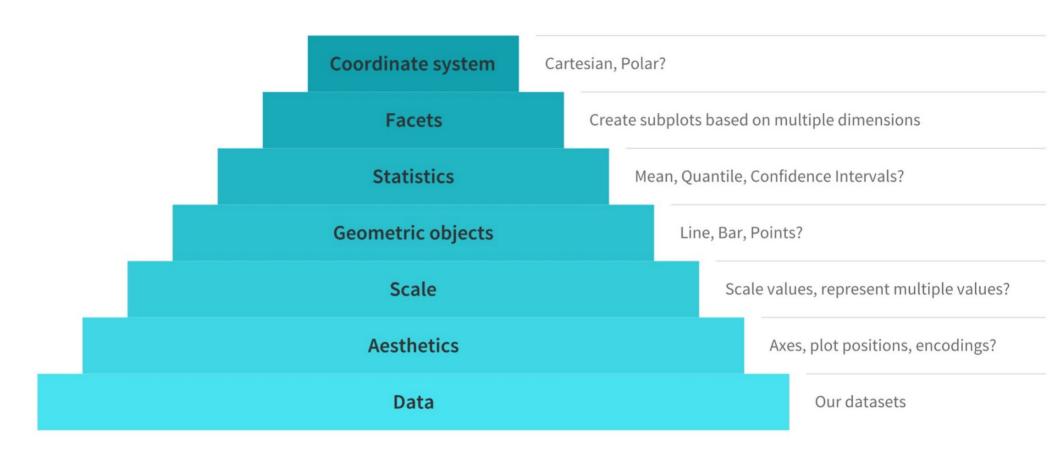
- Write commands in an R Script and save it
- periods.between.words
- underscores_between_words
- camelCaseForWords
- Do you want to create a variable if that name is already in use?

install.packages("tidyverse")



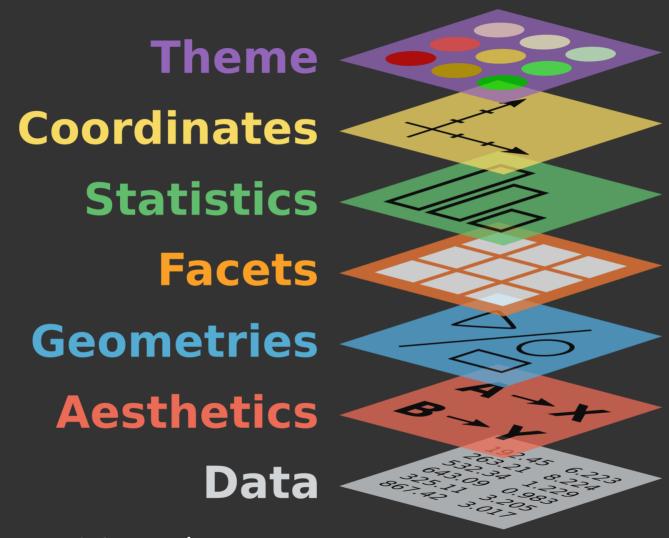
ggplot2

- grammar is about structure
- data, variables mapped to aesthetics
- layer (geom elements, stat transforms)
- mapping (aesthetics)
- scale (data space to aes space, colour, size, shape)
- coord (Cartesian, polar, map)
- facet (small multiples, latticing, trellising)
- theme (details)
- What does this not do?



The major elements of the grammar of graphics. Source: Towards Data Science





QCBS R Workshop Series

Start

- library(tidyverse)
- mpg
- ggplot(mpg) + geom_point(aes(x = displ, y = hwy))
- Discuss

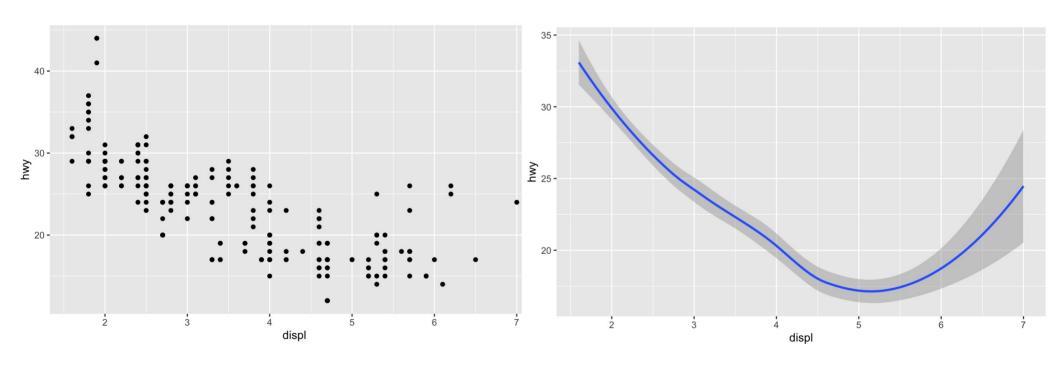
Start

- library(tidyverse)
- mpg
- ggplot(mpg) + geom_point(aes(x = displ, y = hwy))
- Discuss
- colour, size, shape, alpha
- Inside vs outside the aes()

Facets

- Splitting plot by a variable
- ggplot(data = mpg) +
 geom_point(mapping = aes(x = displ, y = hwy)) +
 facet_wrap(~ class, nrow = 2)
- ggplot(data = mpg) +
 geom_point(mapping = aes(x = displ, y = hwy)) +
 facet_grid(drv ~ cyl)
- Discuss

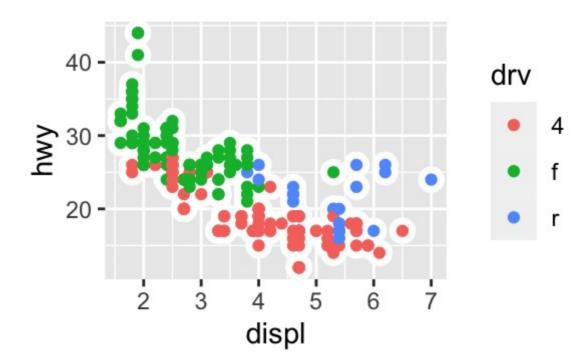
Other geom



Other geoms

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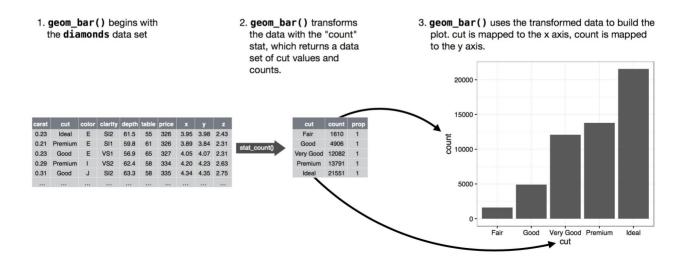
Discuss



Break?

Stats

• ggplot(diamonds) +
 geom_bar(aes(cut))



Stats

```
• ggplot(data = diamonds) +
   stat summary(
     mapping = aes(x = cut, y = depth),
     fun.min = min,
     fun.max = max,
     fun = median
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```

Position

- Colour vs fill
- ggplot(data = diamonds) +
 geom bar(aes(cut, X = clarity))

Position

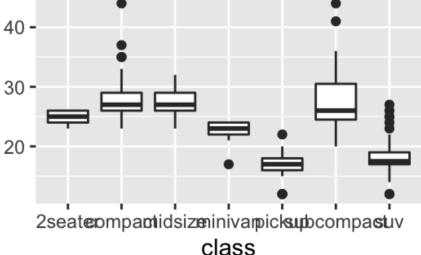
- Colour vs fill
- ggplot(data = diamonds) +
 geom_bar(aes(cut, X = clarity))
- identity special for bars, stacked, overlapping, proportion, side-by-side

Position

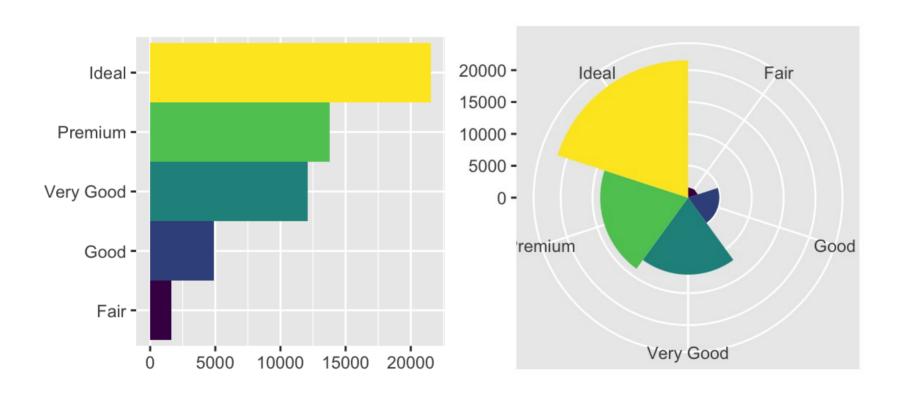
- ggplot(mpg, aes(x = cty, y = hwy)) +
 geom_point()
- 234 rows in mpg, where are they?
- position = "jitter"
 or
 geom_jitter()
- Discuss how to improve figure

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?position_
```

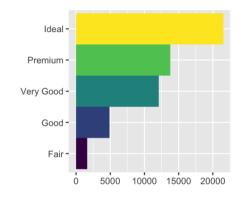
- Which coordinate system?
- ggplot(mpg, aes(class, hwy)) +
 geom_boxplot() +
 coord_flip()
- What will this do? Useful? ≥ 30-



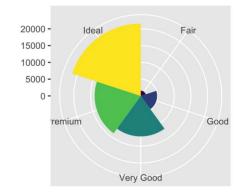
- When would other coordinate systems be useful?
- ?coord_polar



```
• bar ← ggplot(diamonds) +
    geom_bar(aes(x = cut, fill = cut),
    show.legend = FALSE,
    width = 1) +
    theme(aspect.ratio = 1) +
    labs(x = NULL, y = NULL)
```



- bar + coord_flip()
- bar + coord_polar()



Summary

```
• ggplot(data = <DATA>) +
   <GEOM FUNCTION>(
      mapping = aes(<MAPPINGS>),
      stat = <STAT>,
      position = <POSITION>
   <COORDINATE FUNCTION> +
   <FACET FUNCTION>
```

Homework

• install.packages("palmerpenguins")

```
library(palmerpenguins)
  penguins
  A tibble: 344 \times 8
   species island bill length mm bill depth mm flipper length ... body mass g
   <fct> <fct>
                              <dbl>
                                              <dbl>
                                                                 <int>
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 1 Adelie Torge...
                                               18.7
                                                                   181
                                                                               3750
                               39.1
 2 Adelie Torge...
                               39.5
                                               17.4
                                                                   186
                                                                               <u>3</u>800
 3 Adelie
                               40.3
           Torge...
                                               18
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                                                                               3250
 4 Adelie Torge...
 5 Adelie
          Torge...
                               36.7
                                               19.3
                                                                   193
                                                                               3450
 6 Adelie
           Torge...
                               39.3
                                               20.6
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                                                                               <u>3</u>650
 7 Adelie Torge...
                                               17.8
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                               38.9
 8 Adelie
                                               19.6
           Torge...
                               39.2
                                                                   195
                                                                               <u>4</u>675
 9 Adelie
                                               18.1
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           Torge...
                               34.1
                                                                   193
10 Adelie
                                               20.2
           Torge...
                               42
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  ... with 334 more rows, and 2 more variables: sex < fct>, year < int>
```

Homework

- install.packages("palmerpenguins")
- Make some interesting plots with new geom_ and theme_
- ggplot2.tidyverse.org
- Try out ggsave
- pangaea.de & www.frdr-dfdr.ca
- allisonhorst.github.io/palmerpenguins/

