# Inputs

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### **Example inputs**

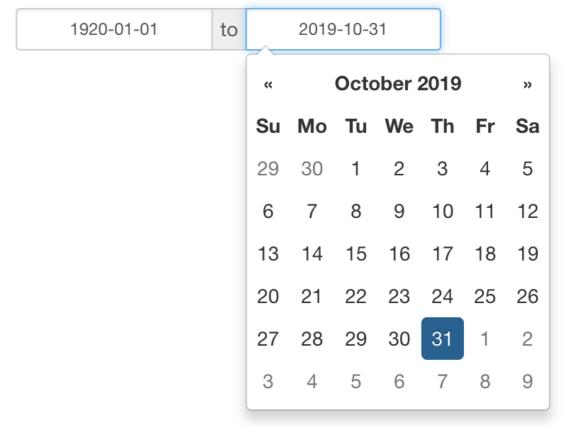
Shiny provides a variety of inputs to choose from.

#### Select a year 1,900 1,925 2,000 1,900 1,910 1,920 1,930 1,940 1,950 1,960 1,970 1,980 1,990 2,000 Dogs or cats? dogs dogs cats

#### Enter a number:

2

#### Enter your birthday:



### Input functions

```
selectInput("inputId",
            "label",
            choices = c("A", "B", "C"))
sliderInput("inputId",
            "label",
            value = 1925,
            min = 1900,
            max = 2000)
?dateRangeInput
help(checkboxInput)
```



#### Where to use inputs

```
ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
  textInput("name", "Enter a name:"),
  selectInput("animal", "Dogs or cats?", choices = c("dogs", "cats")),
  textOutput("greeting"),
  textOutput("answer")
server <- function(input, output, session) {</pre>
  output$greeting <- renderText({</pre>
    paste("Do you prefer dogs or cats,", input$name, "?")
  })
  output$answer <- renderText({</pre>
    paste("I prefer", input$animal, "!")
 })
```

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## Outputs

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#### Render functions

```
ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
  textInput("name", "Enter a name:"),
  selectInput("animal", "Dogs or cats?", choices = c("dogs", "cats")),
  textOutput("question"),
  textOutput("answer")
server <- function(input, output, session) {</pre>
  output$question <- renderText({</pre>
    paste("Do you prefer dogs or cats,", input$name, "?")
  })
  output$answer <- renderText({</pre>
    paste("I prefer", input$animal, "!")
  })
```

#### Other render functions

- renderTable()
- renderImage()
- renderPlot()
- Shiny documentation

#### **Output functions**

```
ui <- fluidPage(
  textInput("name", "Enter a name:"),
  selectInput("animal", "Dogs or cats?", choices = c("dogs", "cats")),
  textOutput("question"),
  textOutput("answer")
)</pre>
```

### Other output functions

- tableOutput() or dataTableOutput
- imageOutput()
- plotOutput()

### Non-Shiny output and render functions

```
library(shiny)
library(babynames)
ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
  DT::DTOutput("babynames_table")
server <- function(input, output){</pre>
  output$babynames_table <- DT::renderDT({</pre>
    babynames %>%
      dplyr::sample_frac(.1)
  })
```

Show 10 \$ entries						Sea	arch:		
	year 🌲	sex	name	$\;\; \; \diamondsuit$		$\mathbf{n} \; \diamondsuit$			prop
1	2016	М	Theodis			5		0.00	000248
2	2017	М	Samanyu			6		0.00	000306
3	1993	М	Antwane			14		0.00	000678
4	2009	М	Cail			8		0.00	000378
5	1999	М	Kincade			10		0.00	000491
6	1976	М	Derrik			19		0.00	001163
7	1986	F	Coleen			73		0.00	003957
8	1920	М	Ezra			142		0.	.000129
9	1981	М	Elena			5		0.00	000268
10	2006	F	Elianny			9		0.00	000431
Showing 1 to 10 of 192,46	66 entries		Previous	1 :	2 3	4	5	 19247	Next

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## Layouts and themes

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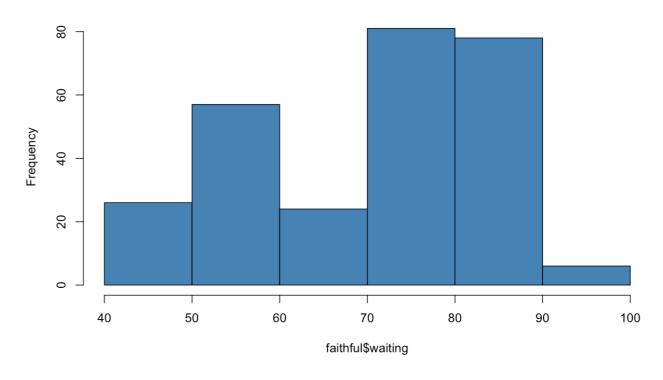
### Default Shiny app layout

```
ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
  titlePanel("Histogram"),
  sliderInput('nb_bins', '# Bins', 5, 10, 5),
  plotOutput('hist')
server <- function(input, output, session){</pre>
  output$hist <- renderPlot({</pre>
    hist(faithful$waiting,
         breaks = input$nb_bins,
         col = 'steelblue')
 })
shinyApp(ui = ui, server = server)
```

#### Histogram



#### Histogram of faithful\$waiting

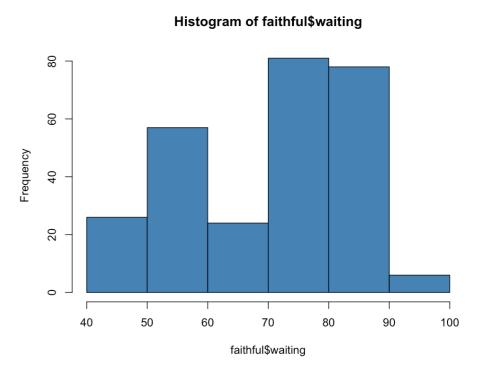


#### Sidebar layout

```
ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
  titlePanel("Histogram"),
  sidebarLayout(
    sidebarPanel(sliderInput('nb_bins',
                               '# Bins', 5, 10, 5))
    mainPanel(plotOutput('hist'))
server <- function(input, output, session){</pre>
  output$hist <- renderPlot({</pre>
    hist(faithful$waiting, breaks = input$nb_bins
         col = 'steelblue')
  })
shinyApp(ui = ui, server = server)
```

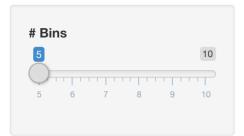
#### Histogram

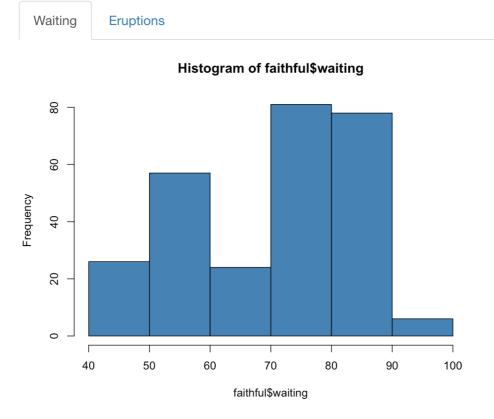




## Tab layout

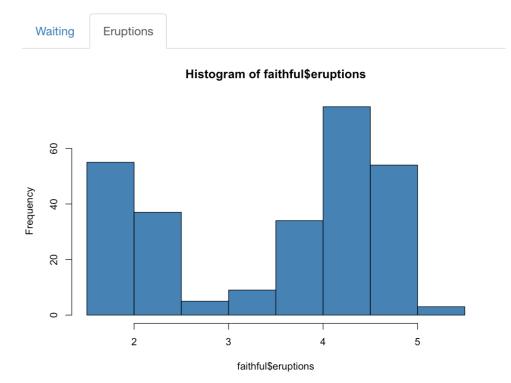
#### Histogram





#### Histogram





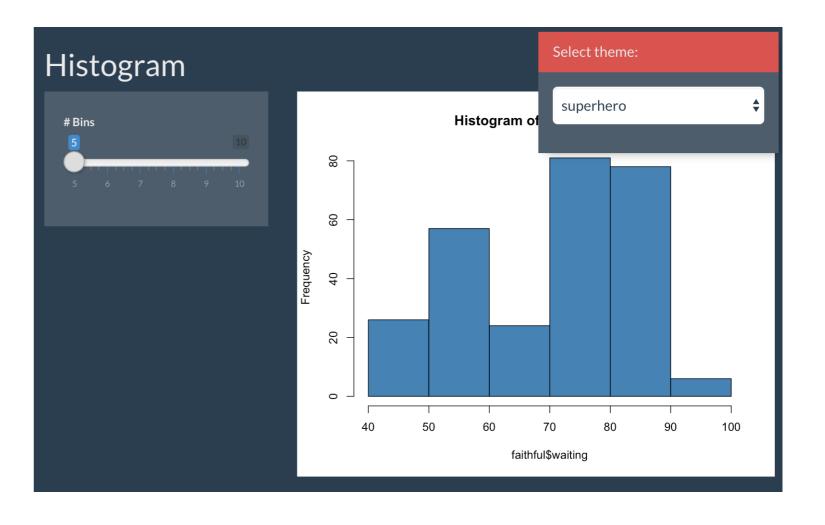
#### Tab layout

```
ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
 titlePanel("Histogram"),
  sidebarLayout(
    sidebarPanel(sliderInput('nb_bins', '# Bins',
                              5, 10, 5)),
    mainPanel(
      tabsetPanel(
        tabPanel('Waiting',
                 plotOutput('hist_waiting')),
        tabPanel('Eruptions',
                 plotOutput('hist_eruptions'))
```

```
server <- function(input, output, session){</pre>
  output$hist_waiting <- renderPlot({</pre>
    hist(faithful$waiting,
         breaks = input$nb_bins,
         col = 'steelblue')
 })
  output$hist_eruptions <- renderPlot({</pre>
    hist(faithful$eruptions,
         breaks = input$nb_bins,
         col = 'steelblue')
 })
shinyApp(ui = ui, server = server)
```

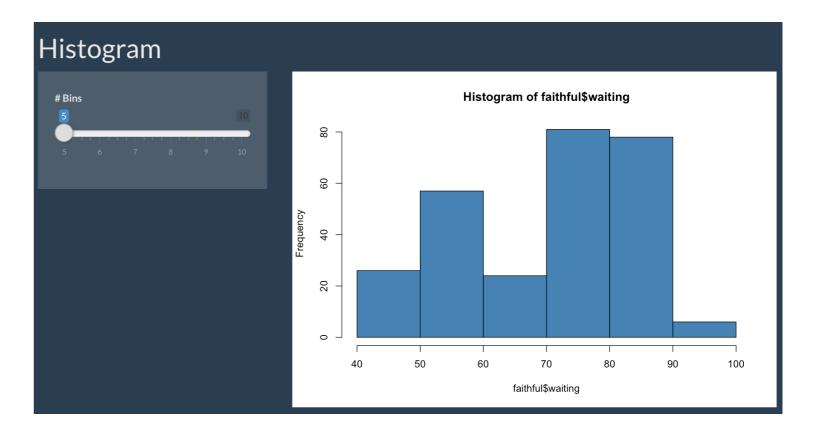
#### Theme selector

```
ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
  titlePanel("Histogram"),
  shinythemes::themeSelector(),
  sidebarLayout(
    sidebarPanel(sliderInput('nb_bins', '# Bins',
                               5, 10, 5)),
    mainPanel(plotOutput('hist'))
server <- function(input, output, session){</pre>
  output$hist <- renderPlot({</pre>
    hist(faithful$waiting, breaks = input$nb_bins,
         col = 'steelblue')
  })
shinyApp(ui = ui, server = server)
```



### Adding a theme

```
ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
  titlePanel("Histogram"),
  theme = shinythemes::shinytheme('superhero'),
  sidebarLayout(
    sidebarPanel(sliderInput('nb_bins', '# Bins',
                              5, 10, 5)),
    mainPanel(plotOutput('hist'))
server <- function(input, output, session){</pre>
  output$hist <- renderPlot({</pre>
    hist(faithful$waiting, breaks = input$nb_bins,
         col = 'steelblue')
  })
shinyApp(ui = ui, server = server)
```



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# Building apps

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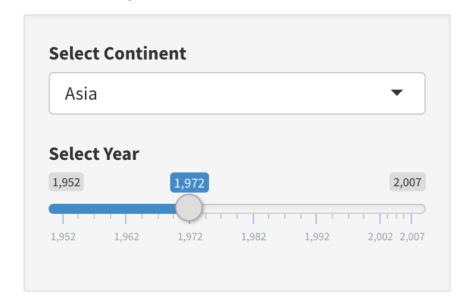


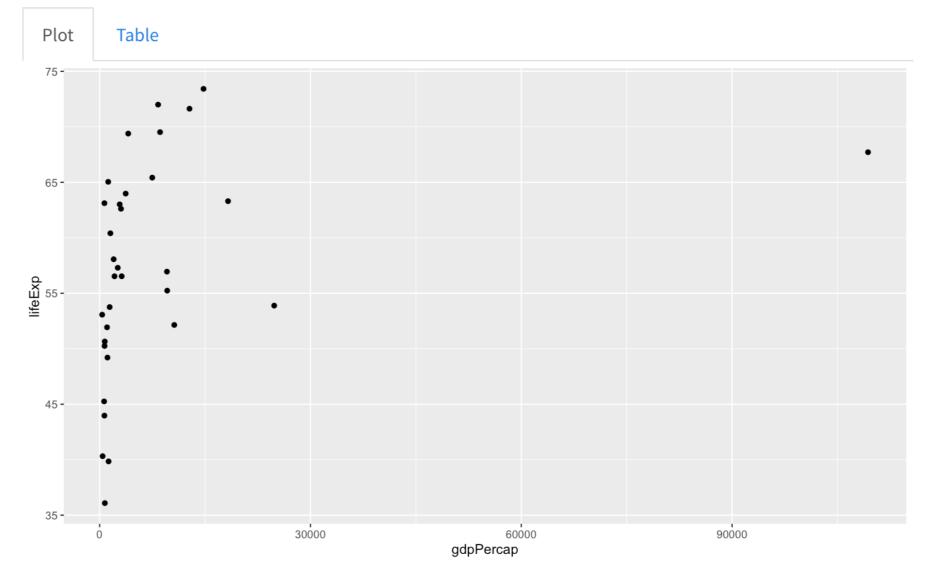
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## Explore Life Expectation vs. GDP per Capita

Life Expectation vs. GDP Per Capita

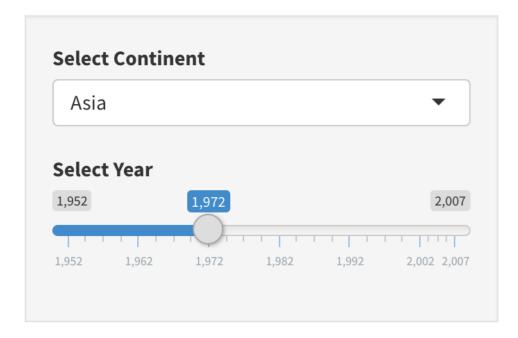


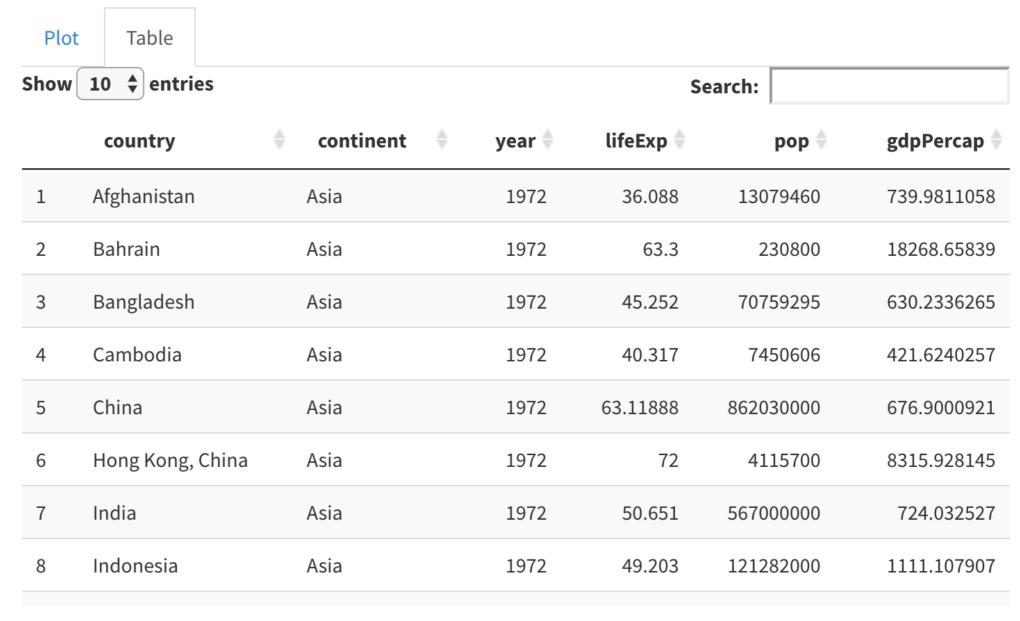




### Explore Life Expectation vs. GDP per Capita

Life Expectation vs. GDP Per Capita







## Building Shiny apps: 4 steps

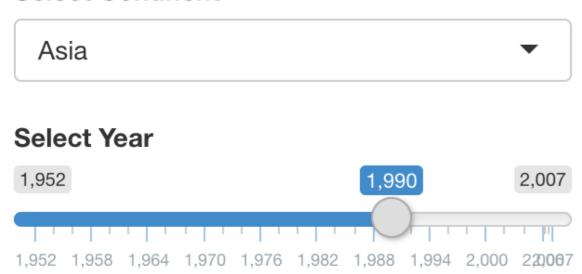
- 1. Add inputs (UI)
- 2. Add outputs (UI/Server)
- 3. Update layout (UI)
- 4. Update outputs (Server)

## Step 1: Add inputs (UI)

```
ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
  titlePanel("Life Expectation vs. GDP Per Capita"),
  selectInput('continent', 'Select Continent', unique(gapminder$continent)),
  sliderInput('year', 'Select Year', 1952, 2007, 1992, step = 5)
server <- function(input, output, session){</pre>
shinyApp(ui = ui, server = server)
```

#### Life Expectation vs. GDP Per Capita

#### **Select Continent**



## Step 2: Add outputs (UI)

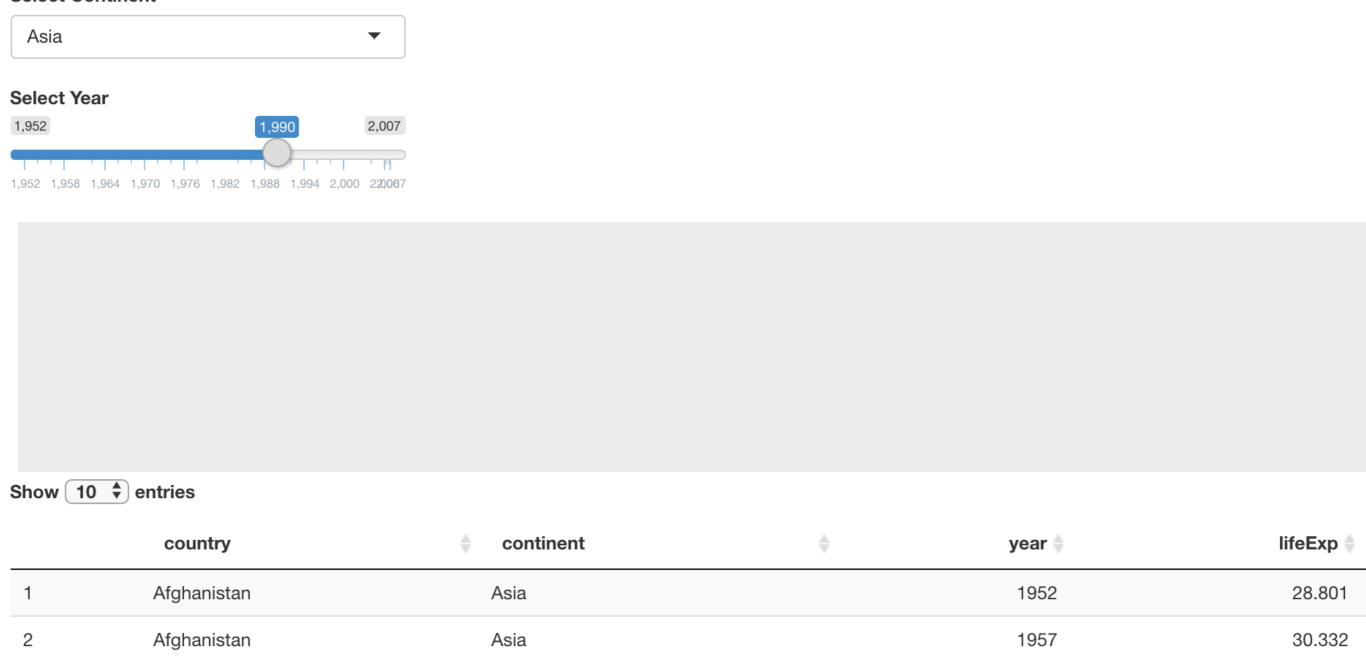
```
ui <- fluidPage(
  titlePanel("Life Expectation vs. GDP Per Capita"),
  selectInput('continent', 'Select Continent', unique(gapminder$continent)),
  sliderInput('year', 'Select Year', 1952, 2007, 1990, step = 5),
  plotOutput('plot'),
  DT::DTOutput('table')
)</pre>
```

## Step 2: Add outputs (Server)

```
server <- function(input, output, session){
  output$plot <- renderPlot({
    ggplot()
  })
  output$table <- DT::renderDT({
    gapminder
  })
}</pre>
```

#### Life Expectation vs. GDP Per Capita

#### **Select Continent**





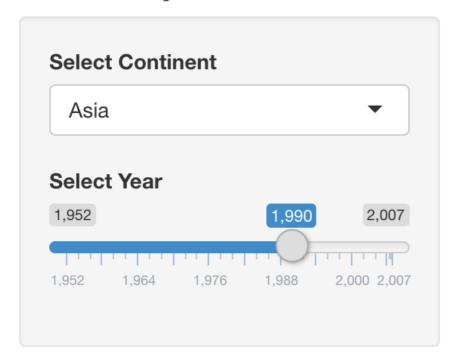
## Step 3: Update layout (UI)

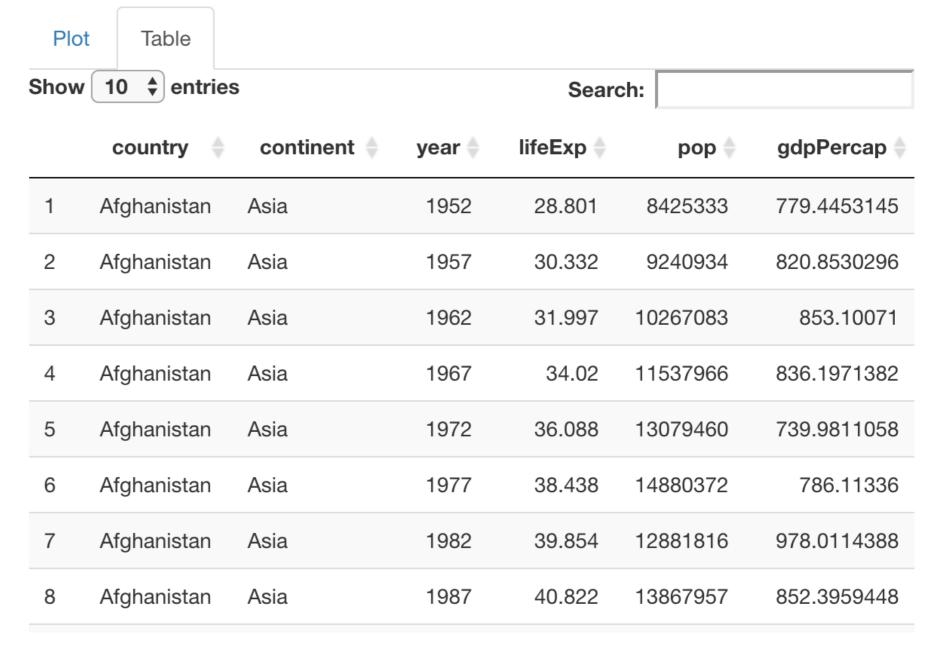
```
ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
 titlePanel("Life Expectation vs. GDP Per Capita"),
  sidebarLayout(
    sidebarPanel(
      selectInput('continent', 'Select Continent', unique(gapminder$continent)),
      sliderInput('year', 'Select Year', 1952, 2007, 1990)
    mainPanel(
      plotOutput('plot'),
      DT::DTOutput('table')
```

## Step 3: Update layout (UI)

```
ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
 titlePanel("Life Expectation vs. GDP Per Capita"),
  sidebarLayout(
    sidebarPanel(
      selectInput('continent', 'Select Continent', unique(gapminder$continent)),
      sliderInput('year', 'Select Year', 1952, 2007, 1990)
    mainPanel(
      tabsetPanel(
        tabPanel("Plot", plotOutput('plot')),
        tabPanel("Table", DT::DTOutput('table'))
```

#### Life Expectation vs. GDP Per Capita



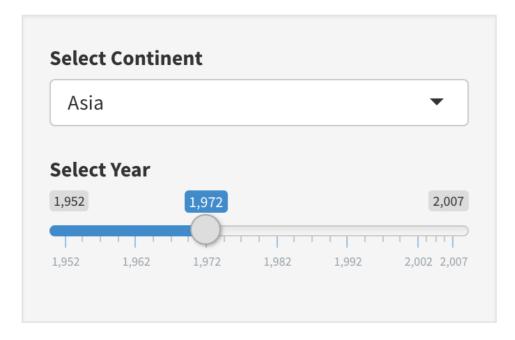


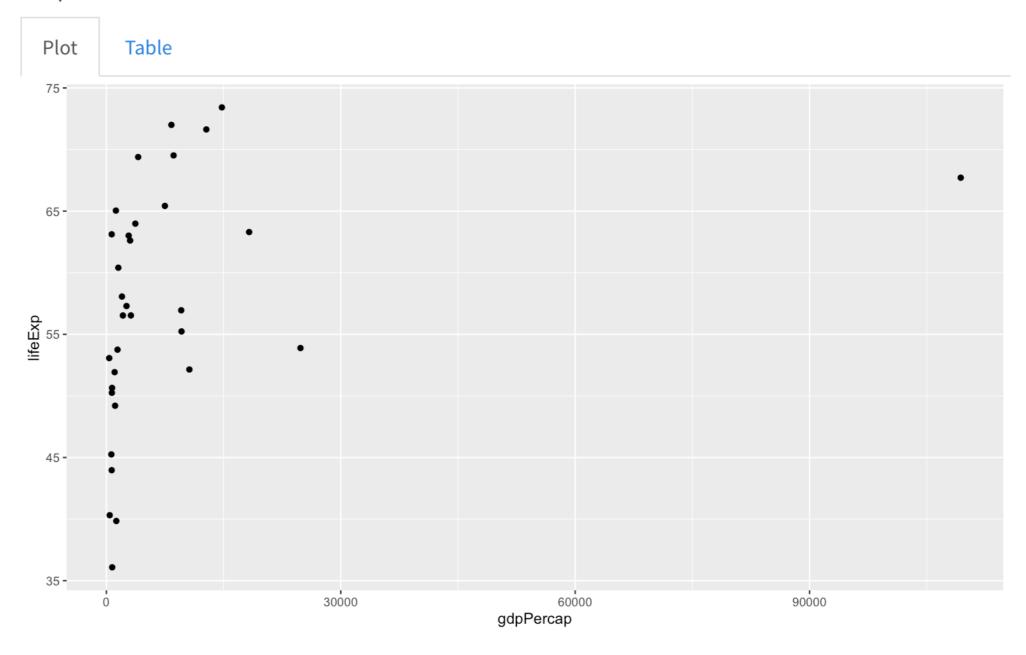


## Step 4: Update outputs (Server)

```
server <- function(input, output, session){</pre>
  output$plot <- renderPlot({</pre>
    data <- gapminder %>%
      filter(year == input$year) %>%
      filter(continent == input$continent)
    print(data)
    ggplot(data, aes(x = gdpPercap, y = lifeExp)) +
      geom_point()
 })
 output$table <- DT::renderDT({</pre>
    gapminder %>%
      filter(year == input$year) %>%
      filter(continent == input$continent)
 })
```

#### Life Expectation vs. GDP Per Capita







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