Day 1 R review

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Arithmetic

```
1 + 100

## [1] 101

1 == 2

## [1] FALSE

log(1)

## [1] 0
```

Creating variables

```
x <- 1/40
log(x)

## [1] -3.688879

x + x

## [1] 0.05

x <- 100

x

## [1] 100
```

Vectors

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# Create some vectors
y <- c(1, 4.5, 2.7, 9)
y

## [1] 1.0 4.5 2.7 9.0

z <- 1:5
z

## [1] 1 2 3 4 5
# Create a vector of animals
animals <- c("monkey", "rabbit", "dog")
animals

## [1] "monkey" "rabbit" "dog"

# Add 4 to each element of y
y + 4
```

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## [1] 5.0 8.5 6.7 13.0
y \leftarrow y + 4 # save y as the original y + 4
У
## [1] 5.0 8.5 6.7 13.0
paste("The animal is: ", animals)
## [1] "The animal is: monkey" "The animal is: rabbit"
## [3] "The animal is: dog"
To inspect the type of an object:
typeof(y)
## [1] "double"
typeof(z)
## [1] "integer"
typeof(animals)
## [1] "character"
Predict what happens when I do this:
new_vec <- c(5, 7.5, "hat")</pre>
typeof(new_vec)
## [1] "character"
new_vec
## [1] "5" "7.5" "hat"
What is the value of each variable after each statement in the following:
mass <-47.5
age <- 122
mass <- mass * 2.3
age <- age - 20
Remove a variable:
y2 \leftarrow c(1, 5, 7)
rm(y2)
у2
## Error in eval(expr, envir, enclos): object 'y2' not found
```

Loading data

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# View the class of the object (a data frame)
class(cats)
## [1] "data.frame"
# Extract a column
cats$weight
## [1] 2.1 5.0 3.2
cats$weight + 2
## [1] 4.1 7.0 5.2
# Show the structure of an object
str(cats)
## 'data.frame': 3 obs. of 3 variables:
## $ coat
                : Factor w/ 3 levels "black", "calico", ...: 2 1 3
## $ weight : num 2.1 5 3.2
## $ likes_string: int 1 0 1
# Read in data without treating strings as factors
cats2 <- read.csv(file = "data/feline-data.csv",</pre>
                 stringsAsFactors = FALSE)
str(cats2)
## 'data.frame':
                   3 obs. of 3 variables:
                 : chr "calico" "black" "tabby"
## $ coat
## $ weight
                 : num 2.1 5 3.2
## $ likes_string: int 1 0 1
# Load gapminder dataset
gapminder <- read.csv(file = "data/gapminder.csv",</pre>
                     stringsAsFactors = FALSE)
View information about the data frame:
# Structure of the dataset
str(gapminder)
## 'data.frame':
                   1704 obs. of 6 variables:
## $ country : chr "Afghanistan" "Afghanistan" "Afghanistan" "...
## $ continent: chr "Asia" "Asia" "Asia" "Asia" ...
           : int 1952 1957 1962 1967 1972 1977 1982 1987 1992 1997 ...
## $ year
## $ lifeExp : num 28.8 30.3 32 34 36.1 ...
              : num 8425333 9240934 10267083 11537966 13079460 ...
   $ pop
## $ gdpPercap: num 779 821 853 836 740 ...
# Number of rows, columns, rows & columns
nrow(gapminder)
## [1] 1704
ncol(gapminder)
## [1] 6
dim(gapminder)
## [1] 1704
```

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# Column names
colnames(gapminder)
## [1] "country"
                   "continent" "year"
                                                                    "gdpPercap"
                                           "lifeExp"
                                                        "pop"
# View first few rows
head(gapminder, n = 5)
         country continent year lifeExp
                                             pop gdpPercap
## 1 Afghanistan
                      Asia 1952
                                 28.801 8425333
                                                  779.4453
## 2 Afghanistan
                      Asia 1957
                                 30.332 9240934
                                                  820.8530
## 3 Afghanistan
                      Asia 1962
                                 31.997 10267083
                                                  853.1007
## 4 Afghanistan
                                 34.020 11537966
                      Asia 1967
                                                  836.1971
## 5 Afghanistan
                      Asia 1972 36.088 13079460
                                                  739.9811
tail(gapminder)
         country continent year lifeExp
                                             pop gdpPercap
##
## 1699 Zimbabwe
                    Africa 1982 60.363 7636524
                                                  788.8550
## 1700 Zimbabwe
                    Africa 1987
                                 62.351 9216418
                                                  706.1573
## 1701 Zimbabwe
                    Africa 1992
                                 60.377 10704340
                                                  693.4208
## 1702 Zimbabwe
                    Africa 1997
                                 46.809 11404948
                                                  792.4500
## 1703 Zimbabwe
                    Africa 2002
                                 39.989 11926563
                                                  672.0386
## 1704 Zimbabwe
                                 43.487 12311143
                    Africa 2007
                                                  469.7093
# Summarize data
summary(gapminder)
                                               year
##
      country
                        continent
                                                             lifeExp
  Length: 1704
                       Length: 1704
                                                 :1952
                                                                 :23.60
                                          Min.
                                                         Min.
## Class :character
                       Class : character
                                          1st Qu.:1966
                                                          1st Qu.:48.20
##
  Mode :character
                       Mode :character
                                          Median:1980
                                                         Median :60.71
##
                                          Mean
                                                 :1980
                                                          Mean
                                                                 :59.47
##
                                          3rd Qu.:1993
                                                          3rd Qu.:70.85
##
                                          Max.
                                                  :2007
                                                          Max.
                                                                 :82.60
##
        pop
                          gdpPercap
  Min.
          :6.001e+04
                        Min. :
                                   241.2
   1st Qu.:2.794e+06
                        1st Qu.: 1202.1
## Median :7.024e+06
                        Median:
                                 3531.8
## Mean
          :2.960e+07
                        Mean : 7215.3
                        3rd Qu.: 9325.5
## 3rd Qu.:1.959e+07
## Max.
          :1.319e+09
                        Max.
                              :113523.1
Subsetting: Vectors
First, we'll create a named vector:
x \leftarrow c(5.4, 6.2, 7.1, 4.8, 7.5)
## [1] 5.4 6.2 7.1 4.8 7.5
names(x) <- c("a", "b", "c", "d", "e")</pre>
         b
             С
                 d
## 5.4 6.2 7.1 4.8 7.5
```

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Indexing:
x[1]
## a
## 5.4
x[4]
## d
## 4.8
x[c(1, 3)]
## a c
## 5.4 7.1
x[1:4]
## a b c d
## 5.4 6.2 7.1 4.8
x[c(1, 1, 3)]
## a a c
## 5.4 5.4 7.1
x[6]
## <NA>
## NA
Excluding:
x[-2]
\#\# a c d e
## 5.4 7.1 4.8 7.5
x[c(-1, -5)]
## b c d
## 6.2 7.1 4.8
x[-c(1, 5)]
## b c d
## 6.2 7.1 4.8
Subsetting by name:
x[c("a", "c")]
## a c
## 5.4 7.1
Several ways to get b, c, and d:
x[c(-1, -5)]
## b c d
## 6.2 7.1 4.8
x[2:4]
```

```
## b c d
## 6.2 7.1 4.8
x[c("b", "c", "d")]
    ъ с
## 6.2 7.1 4.8
x[c(2, 3, 4)]
   b c d
## 6.2 7.1 4.8
Logical subsetting:
x > 6
##
             b
                   С
                         d
## FALSE TRUE TRUE FALSE TRUE
##
     a b c
                 d
## 5.4 6.2 7.1 4.8 7.5
x[x > 6]
   b c
## 6.2 7.1 7.5
x[x < 7]
   a b
## 5.4 6.2 4.8
Counting how many elements of a variable meet some condition:
length(x)
## [1] 5
x_new \leftarrow x[x > 6]
length(x_new)
## [1] 3
Subsetting: Data Frames
Extract a column (I'll wrap this in head so we don't have to see all the output):
head(gapminder$year)
## [1] 1952 1957 1962 1967 1972 1977
Subset rows and columns by index
gapminder[1:3,]
         country continent year lifeExp
                                             pop gdpPercap
## 1 Afghanistan
                      Asia 1952 28.801 8425333 779.4453
```

Asia 1957 30.332 9240934 820.8530 Asia 1962 31.997 10267083 853.1007

2 Afghanistan

3 Afghanistan

```
gapminder[3,]
                                             pop gdpPercap
         country continent year lifeExp
                      Asia 1962 31.997 10267083 853.1007
## 3 Afghanistan
gapminder[1:3, 1:3]
         country continent year
## 1 Afghanistan
                      Asia 1952
## 2 Afghanistan
                      Asia 1957
## 3 Afghanistan
                      Asia 1962
Subset by column names (I'll wrap this in head so we don't have to see all the output):
head(gapminder[, c("lifeExp", "pop")])
##
     lifeExp
                  pop
## 1 28.801 8425333
## 2 30.332 9240934
## 3 31.997 10267083
## 4 34.020 11537966
## 5 36.088 13079460
## 6 38.438 14880372
Logical subsetting:
head(gapminder[gapminder$year < 1960, c("year", "pop")])</pre>
##
      year
                pop
## 1
     1952
           8425333
           9240934
## 2 1957
## 13 1952
           1282697
## 14 1957 1476505
## 25 1952 9279525
## 26 1957 10270856
Challenge exercise answers:
# Extract observations collected for the year 1957 (using head() to show only the first few rows)
head(gapminder[gapminder$year == 1957,])
          country continent year lifeExp
##
                                              pop gdpPercap
## 2 Afghanistan
                     Asia 1957 30.332 9240934
                                                    820.853
## 14
          Albania
                     Europe 1957 59.280 1476505 1942.284
## 26
          Algeria
                    Africa 1957 45.685 10270856 3013.976
                     Africa 1957 31.999 4561361 3827.940
## 38
           Angola
## 50
        Argentina Americas 1957 64.399 19610538 6856.856
                    Oceania 1957 70.330 9712569 10949.650
## 62
        Australia
# Extract all columns except 1 through to 4
head(gapminder[, c(-1:-4)])
          pop gdpPercap
##
## 1 8425333 779.4453
## 2 9240934 820.8530
## 3 10267083 853.1007
## 4 11537966 836.1971
## 5 13079460 739.9811
## 6 14880372 786.1134
```

```
head(gapminder[, -1:-4])
         pop gdpPercap
##
## 1
     8425333
              779.4453
## 2 9240934
              820.8530
## 3 10267083
              853.1007
## 4 11537966 836.1971
## 5 13079460 739.9811
## 6 14880372 786.1134
head(gapminder[, -c(1:4)])
         pop gdpPercap
##
## 1 8425333 779.4453
## 2 9240934 820.8530
## 3 10267083 853.1007
## 4 11537966 836.1971
## 5 13079460 739.9811
## 6 14880372 786.1134
# Extract the rows where the life expectancy is longer the 80 years
head(gapminder[gapminder$lifeExp > 80, ])
##
               country continent year lifeExp
                                                   pop gdpPercap
## 71
             Australia
                         Oceania 2002 80.370 19546792
                                                        30687.75
## 72
             Australia
                         Oceania 2007 81.235 20434176
                                                        34435.37
## 252
                Canada Americas 2007 80.653 33390141
                                                        36319.24
## 540
                France
                        Europe 2007 80.657 61083916
                                                        30470.02
## 671 Hong Kong, China
                            Asia 2002 81.495 6762476 30209.02
## 672 Hong Kong, China
                            Asia 2007 82.208 6980412 39724.98
# Extract the first row, and the fourth and fifth columns (lifeExp and gdpPercap).
gapminder[1, 4:5]
##
    lifeExp
                pop
## 1 28.801 8425333
gapminder[1, c(4, 5)]
    lifeExp
                pop
## 1 28.801 8425333
# Advanced: extract rows that contain information for the years 2002 and 2007
head(gapminder[gapminder$year == 2002 | gapminder$year == 2007, ])
##
          country continent year lifeExp
                                             pop gdpPercap
                      Asia 2002 42.129 25268405
## 11 Afghanistan
                                                  726.7341
## 12 Afghanistan
                      Asia 2007 43.828 31889923 974.5803
## 23
         Albania
                    Europe 2002 75.651 3508512 4604.2117
## 24
                    Europe 2007 76.423 3600523 5937.0295
         Albania
                    Africa 2002 70.994 31287142 5288.0404
## 35
         Algeria
## 36
                    Africa 2007 72.301 33333216 6223.3675
         Algeria
head(gapminder[gapminder$year %in% c(2002, 2007), ])
         country continent year lifeExp
                                             pop gdpPercap
## 11 Afghanistan
                   Asia 2002 42.129 25268405
## 12 Afghanistan
                      Asia 2007 43.828 31889923 974.5803
```

```
## 23 Albania Europe 2002 75.651 3508512 4604.2117
## 24 Albania Europe 2007 76.423 3600523 5937.0295
## 35 Algeria Africa 2002 70.994 31287142 5288.0404
## 36 Algeria Africa 2007 72.301 33333216 6223.3675
```

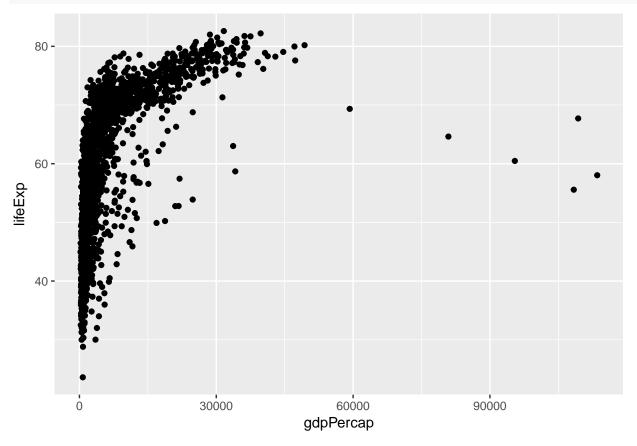
Plotting

```
# Installing the package (only needs to be done once)
install.packages("ggplot2")
```

Load the package (needs to be done in each new R session when you want to use it)
library("ggplot2")

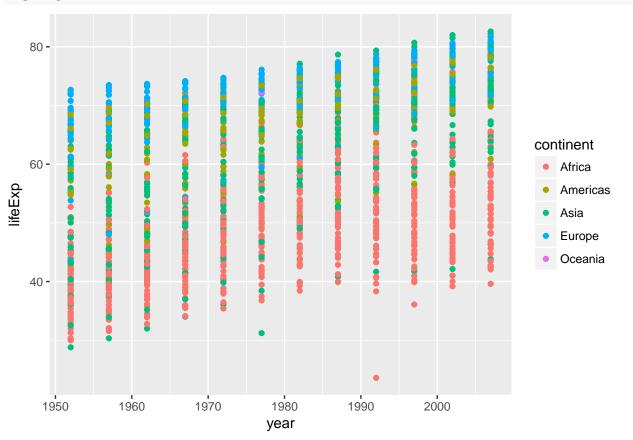
A basic scatter plot of GDP vs. life expectancy

```
ggplot(data = gapminder, aes(x = gdpPercap, y = lifeExp)) +
geom_point()
```

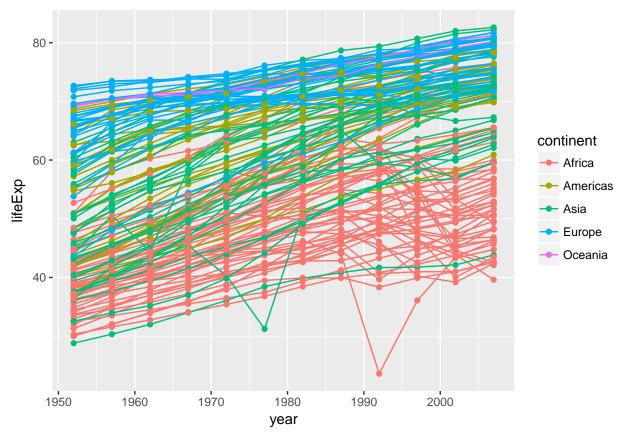


Life expectancy over time, points colored by continent:

```
ggplot(data = gapminder, aes(x = year, y = lifeExp, color = continent)) +
geom_point()
```

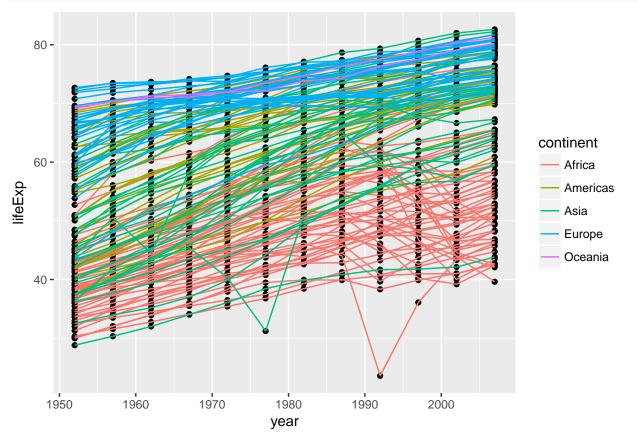


Life expectancy over time, lines and points



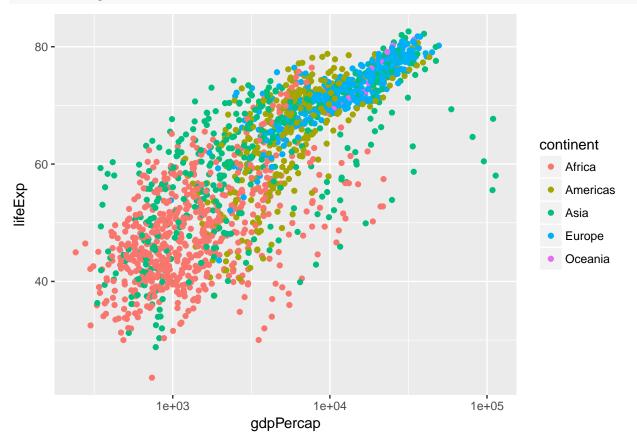
Only color the lines, not the points:

```
ggplot(data = gapminder, aes(x = year, y = lifeExp, by = country)) +
geom_point() +
geom_line(aes(color = continent))
```



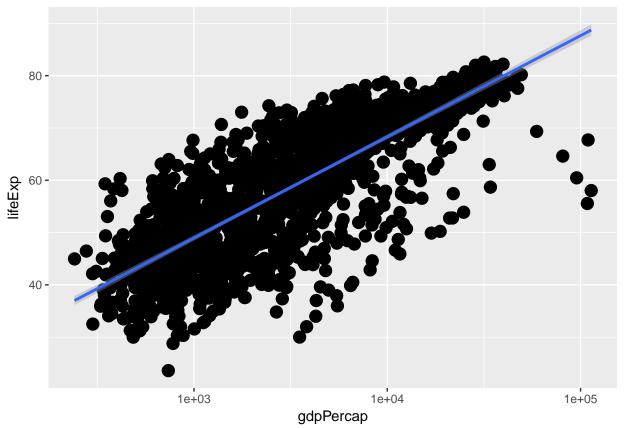
${\rm Log\ transformed\ x\ axis}$

```
ggplot(data = gapminder, aes(x = gdpPercap, y = lifeExp, color = continent)) +
  geom_point() +
  scale_x_log10()
```



Fit a smoothing line and increase point size:

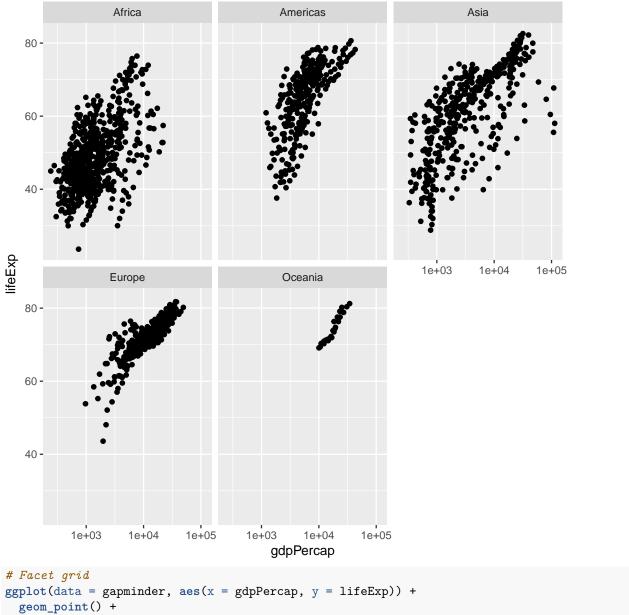
```
ggplot(data = gapminder, aes(x = gdpPercap, y = lifeExp)) +
  geom_point(size = 4) +
  scale_x_log10() +
  geom_smooth(method = "lm")
```



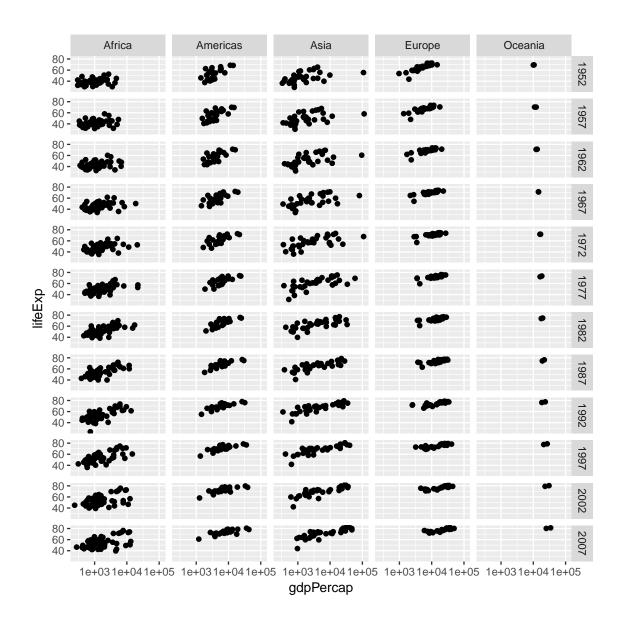
```
# Look up help for a function
?geom_smooth
```

Facetting:

```
# Facet grid
ggplot(data = gapminder, aes(x = gdpPercap, y = lifeExp)) +
  geom_point() +
  scale_x_log10() +
  facet_wrap(~ continent)
```

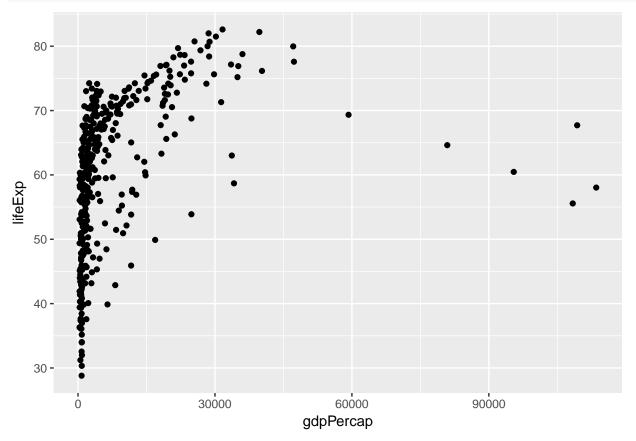


```
scale_x_log10() +
facet_grid(year ~ continent)
```



Subsetting data before plotting:

```
asia <- gapminder[gapminder$continent == "Asia", ]
ggplot(data = asia, aes(x = gdpPercap, y = lifeExp)) +
  geom_point()</pre>
```



Modifying labels and theme and saving a plot:

```
ggplot(data = gapminder, aes(x = gdpPercap, y = lifeExp)) +
  geom_point() +
  xlab("GDP per capita") +
  ylab("Life expectancy") +
  ggtitle("Figure 1") +
  theme_void() +
  ggsave("my_awesome_plot.png", width = 6, height = 4)
```

Figure 1

