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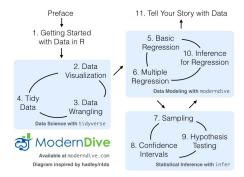
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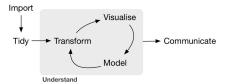
Visualization 1

ModernDive Preface and Chapter 1

PREFACE



- Data/Science Pipeline:



- Reproducible Research:
 - computational reproducibility. This refers to being able to pass all of one's
 data analysis, datasets, and conclusions to someone else and have them get
 exactly the same results on their machine.

CHAPTER 1: Getting Started w/ Data in R

- *Vectors*: a series of values. These are created using the c() function, where c() stands for "combine" or "concatenate." For example, c(6, 11, 13, 31, 90, 92) creates a six element series of positive integer values.
- Logical operators: a representing "and" as well as representing "or."

Errors, warnings, & messages

- **Error:** something legitimately went wrong; prefaced with "Error in..." & will try to explain what went wrong. Generally, code will not run.
 - Something is wrong; figure out what's causing it.
- Warnings: code will generally still work, but with caveats.

- Everything is working fine; but watch out / pay attention.
- <u>Messages:</u> just a friendly message. Helpful diagnostic messages.
 - Everything is working fine; keep going.

Packages:

- Always load them first. library(packagename)

Functions for viewing data:

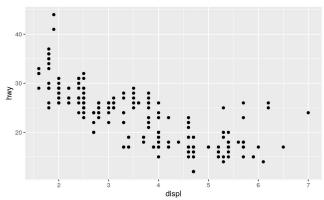
- kable(dataframename): used to display data in a print-friendly format.
- \$ operator: extracts only specified variable, and returns a vector of length (row)

Variable Types:

- Identification variable: uniquely identifies each observational unit (like airport name, GRR, LAX, SNA, MDW, or Gerald R Ford International Airport, Los Angeles International, John Wayne Airport, Chicago Midway International Airport, etc)
 - Good practice = ID variable on left side of dataframe
- **Measurement/Characteristic Variable**: describe the properties of each observational variable (like latitude, longitude, altitude, etc)

Data Viz Basics Tutorial

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



Mapping argument: defines which variables are mapped to which axes in the graph.

Mapping is always paired w/ aes()

Graphing workflow: common for making graphs w/ ggplot2

- Start graph w/ ggplot()
- 2. Add elements to graph w/ geom_[] function
- 3. Select variables with the mapping = aes() argument ggplot(data = <DATA>) +

```
<GEOM FUNCTION>(mapping = aes(<MAPPINGS>))
```

Helpful hints:

"+" must be at the end of a line, not the start.

Aesthetics: an aesthetic is a visual property of the objects in your plot. Aesthetics include things like the size, the shape, or the color of your points.

- x, y, colour, size...
- Do this inside of mapping = aes (HERE)
- MAPPING tells us which variables to map to which visual properties
- The same variable can be mapped to multiple aesthetics.

If you want all your data to have the same color/size/anything, do this *outside* of the aes() function, like:

geom_point(mapping = aes(x=,y=), color = "blue") [need quotes for color names]

Setting vs. Mapping

Setting: set the aesthetic to a *value* in the visual space, set it outside of aes() Mapping: map the aesthetic to a *variable* in the data space, map it inside of aes

То	the aesthetic to a	in the space,	do so of aes().
SET	value	visual	Outside
MAP	variable	data	Inside

^{*} if you need a *legend* to understand the color/shape/etc., then put it *inside* of aes().

Geometric Objects

- Geoms: the geometrical object that a plot uses to represent observations
- (like bar, line, boxplot, point, smooth [fitted line])
- See ggplot2 cheatsheet
- See any geom's help page (?geom_smooth)

Exercise 1:

What geom would you use to draw a:

Line chart: geom_line()
Boxplot: geom_boxplot()
Histogram: geom_histogram()

Area chart: geom_area()

Exercise 2:

'se' argument to geom smooth(): add/remove a standard error ribbon around the smooth line

^{*} if there's no meaning, do it outside of aes()

This is the $\underline{\textbf{\textit{G}}}$ rammar of $\underline{\textbf{\textit{G}}}$ raphics... or, $\underline{\textbf{\textit{gg}}}$ plot

Lecture, Day 1: Intro to Data Science

What is Data Science??

- People ---> computers ---> people
- Collecting, analyzing, sharing/communicating, visualizing.
- "Systematic collection & study of data"
- A tool that helps us see

What does data science help you see??

- Viz, Inference, Prediction.
- See patterns on a large scale
- Show inequalities: every individual decision may seem fair, but *aggregated*, there's inequalities that appear. (trade off depth for breath)
- How countries are *doing w/* COVID: able to use specific metrics, can geet overall trends.
 - U.S.: investing economically? Or, investing in health.

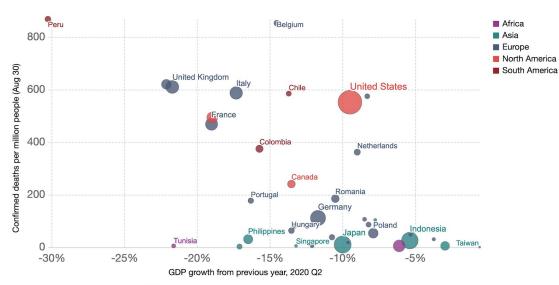
VISUALIZATION:

- Econ:
- Health: case/population, death/case,
- Is there a correlation between econ & health?

Economic decline in the second quarter of 2020 vs rate of confirmed deaths due to COVID-19



The vertical axis shows the number of COVID-19 deaths per million, as of August 30. The horizontal axis shows the percentage decline of GDP relative to the same quarter in 2019. It is adjusted for inflation.



Source: European CDC, Eurostat, OECD and individual national statistics agencies

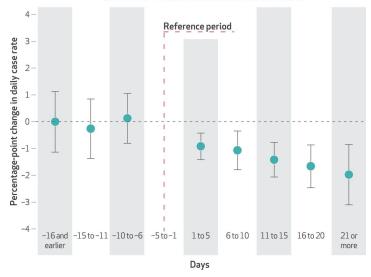
CC BN
Note: Limited testing and challenges in the attribution of the cause of death means that the number of confirmed deaths may not be an accurate count of the true number of deaths from COVID-19. Data for China is not shown given the earlier timing of its economic downturn. The country saw positive growth of 3.2% in Q2 preceded by a fall of 6.8% in Q1.

- Opposite of what you might expect... it doesn't just "trade off"
- Countries w/ better health = w/ better economy

- Just hit not as hard?
 - In the visualization with the relationship between COVID death rates and economic decline, I wondered if the relationship was due to how hard the countries were hit by COVID. For example, a county with a low death rate might simply be indicative of a low number of COVID cases, not necessarily of large health interventions put into place. This seemed to differ from the explanation you had provided in class, so my question (probably outside the scope of this class) would be what is really causing this relationship between death rate and GDP decline. Obviously, I would have to read the article to get more information on this, but I thought that was interesting.

- INFERENCE

- Community face mask use when in public
- https://www.healthaffairs.org/doi/10.1377/hlthaff.2020.00818



PREDICTION

- Focus of this class... predictive analytics
- Used minivan price estimates
 - Based on past sales of used cars
 - The #s comse from data
- Good model: Number tells you @ what price it'll be
- Why is this useful? -- ultimately, the prediction from a model is used for the benefit of people.

This class...

- Covers:
 - wrangling

- predictive modeling and validation
- visualization and communication
- but touches on all of the DS lifecycle.
- Uses:
 - **R** (tidyverse, tidymodels, ggplot/plotly) the *first* time we see something
 - **Python** (Pandas, sklearn) the <u>second</u> time we see something
 - occasionally: SQL, other tools according to student interest -- there's some flexibility towards the end of the course
- Goals:
 - Skill: how to do these things
 - Knowledge: understanding the underlying concepts
 - Character: wisdom in practicing these skills
 - humility (cite sources for data & processes, acknowledge limitations, transparent processes, validation of results) [RMarkdown -- the whole process is that code!]
 - integrity (resisting the temptation to manipulate data to get the answer you want) (evaluation claims, articulate analysis decisions and rationale, using exploratory analytics to validate data against assumptions)
 - hospitality (choose our tools to clarify, not obscuring) (good visualizations = hard to misunderstand, making your processes clear to others)
 - compassion & justice (don't cause harm; reveal it)
 - Bring up issues in Random channel, or email him.

Day 2: Lab — Dino Data

Why R? -- it gives names to concepts

- Python: using syntax to do something
- R: use a named function to do that same thing)

Why git?

reproducibility, hospitality, everybody uses it!

Dino Data Lab -- Helpful Notes & Tips

<u>pipe operator: %>%</u>, takes what comes before it and sends it as the first argument to what comes after it. We can pronounce it "then".

Insert chunk: CMD+OPT+i

Day 2.5: HW —

Getting started:

Open RStudio -> File -> New Proj -> Version Control -> Git -> Repository URL -> Tab -> Create!

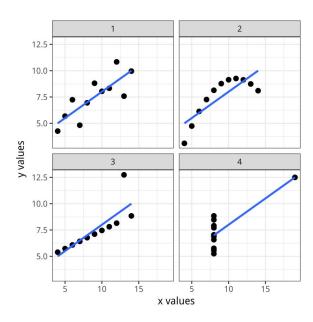
Visualization 2

<u>WHY</u>: Healy "Look at Data" (from Data Visualization)

Look @ Data: Look at the examples: can you explain to someone else what those examples show?

Anscombe's Quartet: shows that standard measures of the association (correlation coeff, mean, med, mode, etc) aren't enough to tell you about data. This is why viz is important.

- summary statistics alone are not sufficient for data exploration



Types of problems with figures:

- Aesthetic -- ugly, inconsistent design choices
- Substantive -- due to data being presented
- Perceptual -- confusing/misleading because of how people perceive it

Tips to make things better:

- maximize the "data-to-ink" ratio
 - Delete backgrounds, gridlinees, superfluous axis marks, legends
 - YET: it's not memorable if it doesn't have all that extra stuff

Continue looking @ other plots on this website for good and bad plots. You know most of this intuitively or from DATA 101, though.

HOW: ModernDive "Data Visualization"

Data Visualization: Try to actually answer the "Learning Check" questions for yourself. Yes this takes longer than just skimming right past them. But they may show up on a quiz...

5 Named Graphs:

- 1. scatterplots
- 2. linegraphs
- 3. histograms
- 4. boxplots
- 5. barplots

<u>Application</u>: You did some visualization in Lab 1. How did that exercise relate to the "why" reading?

Class, Week 2, Day 1: Meet the Toolkit

Reproducible Data Analysis

- Someone can replicate your work & get the same results
- Share the steps (how) & the reasoning (why)
- "Near term goals:"
 - Can you **re-make** all tables and figures easily?
 - Does the code **actually do** what you think it does?
 - Is it clear <u>why</u> decisions were made? (e.g., how were parameter settings chosen?)
 - Rmarkdown lets you seamlessly embed a discussion about your code!
- "Long-term goals:"
 - Can the code be used for **other data**?
 - Not great for excel, if you have references to rows 1:17... if you add a row 18, you have to change everything
 - Can you extend the code to <u>do other things</u>?
- Ideally: document, explain, share everything (the code, data, & report)

Toolkit

What we're using:

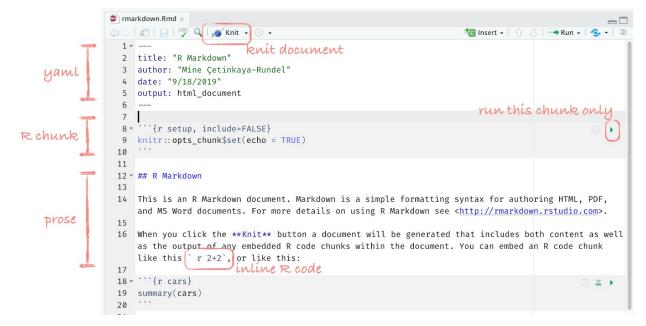
- Scriptability: R
- Literate programming (all in one place): R Markdown
- Version control: Git / GitHub

R

- Most common data type = "data frame"
 - Rows = same structure
 - Columns = same structure
 - Example: nursing: people, and their pulse, blood pressure, & other vitals
 - Example: `mtcars` in R
- The \$ operator to access a variable w/in a data frame
- Functions = verbs (glimpse, view, make_plot)
 - You can arrange these into a pipeline
 - Something %>% another thing %>% etc.
- Package = basic unit shareable code
 - Tidyverse, ggplot2, dplyr...
 - Over 16k packages on CRAN (comprehensive R Archive Network)
 - Contain nice functions! Prepackaged for you! No need to program yourself!

- How do you combine the pieces that exist to do what we want?
- Using packages:
 - install.packages("x")
 - library(x) (or `require` if it's in a function...)
 - ?x (or, click their name in the page list in RStudio)

RMarkdown



- This is a yaml file?!?!?! (metadata)
- R chunk
 - He names them?
 - Benefit of naming chunk
- Markdown
 - **bold**
 - *italics*
 - in line r code`
- TIPS
 - Environment
 - 2 environments... R Markdown document env, vs. Console env
 - Always run a chunk after editing it

GUAC

CNTL+SHIFT+ALT: allows for clipboard functionality within guacamole Vignettes = helpful text walkthrough

TODAY'S QUESTIONS:

Saving workspace?

- Always clear it, go into settings to set this as the default

Naming chunks?

- Shows up on bottom & is read

Logging out of guac?

- Log out as if you're a user logging out

Env

- Saverds

Class, Week 2, Day 2: Fundamentals of Data Viz

Misc. Q & A:

- Assignment operators? <- and =

<-	assigns variables in current environment	data <- read_csv()
=	labels arguments to functions	ggplot(data = dino_data)

- .Rmd vs. .md
 - html doesn't show up nicely in github, so if we make an md that works.
 - Knit (CMD+SHIFT+K)
- STEPS:
 - 1. Knit
 - 2. Commit (everything)
 - 3. Push
- %>% takes the thing on the left and uses it as an argument for what's on the right.
 - glimpse(data)
 - data %>% glimpse()
- HOW TO ASK Qs:
 - Always include your code and the error
 - Create a minimum working example (we'll keep working on this throughout the semester)
 - Use code formatting

GAPMINDER: see 0909healthandwealth.Rmd

```
'``{r}
library(tidyverse)
library(ggplot2)
library(dplyr)
gapminder <- read.csv('https://sldr.netlify.app/data/gapminder_clean.csv')
ggplot(data = gapminder) +</pre>
```

. . .

Wrangling 1

Prep: ModernDive Ch3 & "Working w/ Data" Tutorial

ModernDive Ch3

- filter(): subset observations
- summarize():
- group_by(): assign different rows to be part of the same group.
- mutate(): mutate its existing columns/vars to create new ones
- arrange(): sort in ascending or descending order (use desc())
- join(): merge two data frames together using a "key" variable.

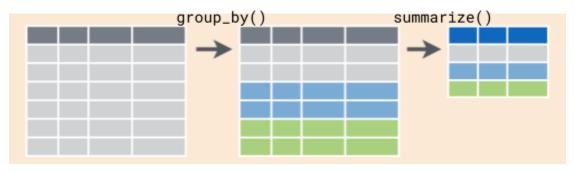
3.3 summarize variables

Summarise Data



- Returns a data frame w/ only one row with summary statistics
- na.rm: remove NAs.
- Functions that take many values & returns one. SUCH AS:
- mean(): the average
- sd(): the standard deviation, which is a measure of spread
- min() and max(): the minimum and maximum values, respectively
- IQR(): interquartile range
- sum(): the total amount when adding multiple numbers
- n(): a count of the number of rows in each group. This particular summary function will make more sense when group_by() is covered in Section 3.4.

3.4 group by rows



Uses:

- Computing 12 mean temperatures, one for each month separately
 - "Group" temp observations by the values of another variable (by month)
 - Use group_by —> summarise

It is important to note that the <code>group_by()</code> function doesn't change data frames by itself. Rather it changes the meta-data, or data about the data, specifically the grouping structure. It is only after we apply the <code>summarize()</code> function that the data frame changes.

To remove this grouping structure meta-data, pipe the resulting data frame into the <code>ungroup()</code> function

sum() **VS.** n()

- while <code>sum()</code> returns the sum of a numerical variable, <code>n()</code> returns a count of the number of rows/observations.

Working w. Data

<u>Animated Plots?</u>: Plotly, frame = date

Class, Week 3, Day 1: Grammar of Data Transformation

ggplot2: concepts worn on their sleeve, obvious what is doing what dplyr: similar.... But for data transformation instead of viz

- Functions = verbs
- Concepts show up again in Python w/ Pandas & SQL

Grammar of Data Wrangling:

- select: pick columns by name

- arrange: reorder rows
- slice: pick rows by index(es)
- slice sample: randomly sample rows
- filter: pick rows matching criteria
- distinct: filter for unique rows
- mutate: add new variables maybe better renamed as derive
- summarize: reduce variables to values
- Rules for dplyr functions:
 - Don't modify in place, it makes a new data frame
 - 1st argument: data frame
 - Subsequent args: what to do w/ that df
 - Returns: a data frame

Looking @ Bike Crashes in NC 2007-2014 -- selecting only a few columns, and sorting by the values in a column

Select:

3 Lincoln

6 Robeson

8 Wake

7 Richmond

9 Columbus

10 Craven

4 Columbus

5 New Hanover 22

33

52

41

14

16

54

... with 7,457 more rows

```
ncbikecrash %>%
  select(county, bike_age) %>%
  arrange(bike_age)
```

Select, then arrange:

```
## # A tibble: 7,467 x 2
##
   county bike_age
##
     <chr>
               <chr>
## 1 New Hanover 0
## 2 Carteret
## 3 Guilford
## 4 Pitt
## 5 Cumberland 10
## 6 Carteret 10
## 7 Hoke
## 8 Martin
## 9 New Hanover 10
## 10 Onslow
## # ... with 7,457 more rows
```

** be aware of **data types**... if you try sorting bike_age in order, and if it's of character type, it's going to be 0, 1, 10, 2, etc... weird.

%>%: a pipe

- Normally: nested functions
 - arrange(select(ncbikecrash, county, bike_age), bike_age)
- w/ Pipes: you "pipe" the output of the previous line of code as the first input of the next line of code

- ncbikecrash %>%
 select(county, bike_age) %>%
 arrange(bike_age)

Looking @ Hotel bookings

Class, Week 3, Day 2: Practice with Data Transformation

- How to: sort in descending order
 - desc() around a variable w/ arrange()
- Class Structure Changes:
 - enrichment activities: Do one or two optional activities throughout the semester,
 report back to the class
 - ICPSR Data Fair next week, "Philosophy of Data Science" podcast, propose others!
 - Data Science in the News: share current events related to DS
 - Articles that use data science to tell a story
 - Articles about data science

Wrangling 2

Class, Week 4, Day 1:

To plot the number of covid cases over time, what should the table look like? Each row is a case.

DAY	STATE	COUNTY
09/20/2020	MI	Kent

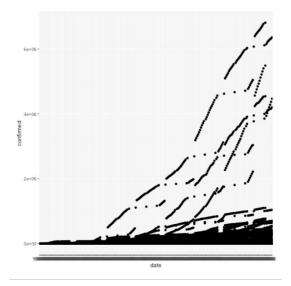
Or, what if each row is a state-day?

Tidying Step 1: pivot longer

```
confirmed_global %>%
  pivot_longer(
   -(1:4) # the first 4 columns are not part of the pivot
## # A tibble: 64,638 x 6
   province_or_state country_or_region    Lat Long name
                 ##
                                                    value
              <chr>
    <chr>
## 1 <NA>
##
   2 <NA>
## 3 <NA>
## 4 <NA>
## 5 <NA>
## 6 <NA>
## 7 <NA>
## 8 <NA>
## 9 <NA>
                                                       0
## 10 <NA>
## # ... with 64,628 more rows
```

```
confirmed_global_long <-
confirmed_global %>%
pivot_longer(
  -(1:4),
  names_to = "date",
  values_to = "confirmed"
)
```

```
confirmed_global_long %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = date, y = confirmed)) +
  geom_point()
```

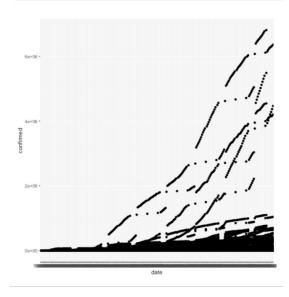


What is so terribly wrong with this graph? Geom line would be even worse....?

Class, Week 4, Day 2: Tidying & Joining Data

https://github.com/Calvin-DS202-FA20/lab04-E2

```
confirmed_global_long %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = date, y = confirmed)) +
  geom_point()
```



Date is kinda weird....

- Is it writing every single date value on top of each other?
- How is it sorting? (factor?)

Select! == heym I want this data

- select(-Lat, -Long)
 - Take out Lat & Long

Homework 4: Python & Plotly Plot.ly and Seaborn.

%>% Code here!

Wrangling 3

Class, Week 5, Day 1: Joining Data from Multiple Sources

Discussion 3: Collect example visualizations; post a critique;

- A visual you RESPECT, but DISAGREE with.
- Different POV, and reason WHY you disagree w/ it.
- From a different point on the spectrum

mutate()

- Actually, poorly named.
- Should be: add computed column

count() vs. group_by %>% summarize()

- Group by & summarize is better
- count() is mostly just shorthand for group_by(s) %>% summarize(n = n())

select vs. filter

- Select: select_columns
- Filter: select rows
- Filter IN rows. Keep these.

~ approach ~

- Think about what you WANT
- And THEN write the code.
- Draw out in detail what you want the result to look like.
- If you don't know how to do the code from there, show your sketch to everyone else & ask on Q&A.

tests & assessments

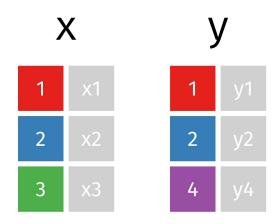
- Open-everything (except for people)
- Goal: be able to get conceptual foundation that can be used & applied in various other scenarios
- Not know how to do things very specifically from memory

joins!!!

Data frame, x (COVID cases)

Extra information about the things in x, y (population of countries)

Needs a **key**: what has to match -- must match EXACTLY.





full_join(x, y)

Types of Joins

"What you do when things don't exactly line up."

FULL / OUTER: leaves blanks (NA) for matches

INNER: drops rows w/ *any* mis-matchees

LEFT / RIGHT: drops rows where *one* of the sides has a mismatch

inner_join(x, y)





left_join(x, y)

Going through Lab4:

How do you rename a column?

```
left_join(
```

```
Confirmed_global_long %>%

rename(country = country of region),

Population,

By = "country"
```

11 x1 y1 22 x2 y2

3 x3

If you do group_by & summarize, you'll only ever get those columns you specified. So...

1. group_by(ADD IN YOUR EXTRA COLNAME!)

right_join(x, y)



2 x2 y2

4

у4

- 2. Add something to summarize??
- 3. Do join the opposite way?????

```
confirmed_global_long %>%
mutate(country = case_when(
    country_or_region == "Russia" ~ "Russian Federation",
    country_or_region == "US" ~ "United States",
    country_or_region == "Korea, South" ~ "Korea, Rep.",
    TRUE ~ country_or_region
))
```

Class, Week 5, Day 2: Problem Solving

- Know your goal... have a very specific picture in mind of what you want
- **Understand your data**: at the input and at each step in a pipeline.
 - Read the first row out loud. What does it say?
 - How many rows are there? What does each row represent? Express what that row is telling you.
- Think about your goal
 - What should the first row of my output be?
 - If I had to work out each value in that row by hand, what parts of the input would I need?
- Take small steps
 - Look at the results after each step
 - Work out your computation for one datum first, then go to all of them.

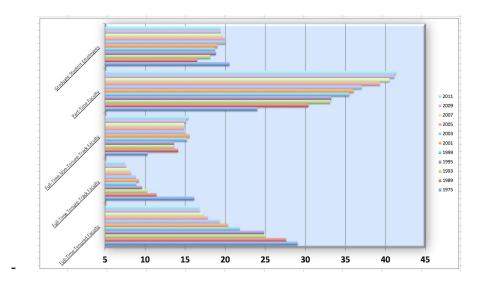
- Data science is **not magic**. Deliberate application of concepts and strategies will (eventually) bear fruit, no matter what language / library.

Class, Week 5, Day 3: Data tidying and reshaping

tidyr

Data we're looking at:

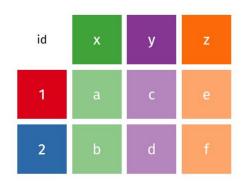
- Trends in instructional staff employment
- Ugly graph: (-- it doesn't obviously show what it could so clearly & obviously show!



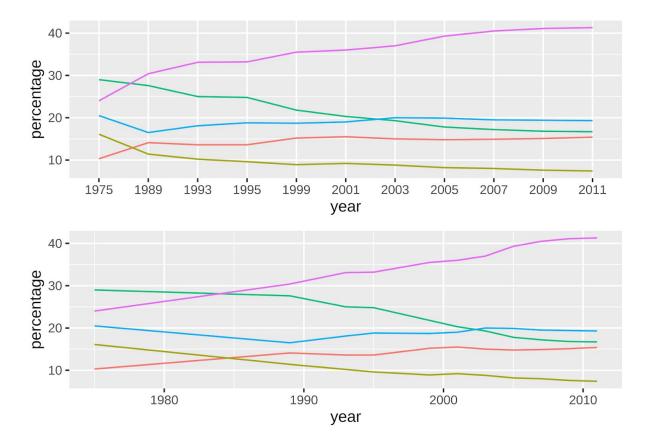
Faculty type	Year	Percentage of hires
Full time tenured	1975	29
Full time tenure track	1975	16.1
Full time non tenured	1975	10.3
Part time faculty	1975	24
Grad student	1975	20.5
[same]	1989	etc.

We want: 5*11 = 55 total rows Tidy dataframes are *longer*.

wide



```
staff_long <- staff %>%
pivot_longer(
  cols = -faculty_type,
  names_to = "year",
  values_to = "percentage"
)
```



- Spacing of first one uses factor, or character
 - Doesn't maintain the distances, because it doesn't know what they MEAN...
- Second one uses the actually date... this is a NUMBER
 - mutate(year = as.numeric(year))

Voice Threads Case_when

... it's like an if / elif / else in python.

```
case_when(
    age < 0 ~ "invalid",
    age < 18 ~ "child",
    TRUE ~ "adult"
)</pre>
```

- First to True wins! (in both python and R)

- TRUE corresponds to else (the default)

```
Case_when can be used on vectors! Nice!!!
So, if...
Age <- c(-1, 0, 17, 18)
Case_when will be applied to every element of the vector.
```

That's gross -- case_when is just a lot more readable and understandable.

- Can be used within mutate!

```
Country == "United STates" ~ "USA",
Iso3c == "GBR" ~ "UK",
TRUE ~ country
```

NICEEEE

Modeling 1

Class, Week 6, Day 1: Predictive Modeling Intro

Predictive Modeling: powerful tool to turn data into action

- Works because the universe is predictable (the world has actionable structure)
 - So, if we learn how to perceive that structure & act within it,
 - We can have better actions, be less surprised by what we see (predicting our perceptions)
- Need for wisdom -- great good & great harm....
- Harm due to...
 - Lack of Fairness: facial recognition, sentencing, lending, job applicant scoring
 - Lack of Transparency: how "Big Data" systems make conclusions
 - Lack of Privacy: as data is increasingly collected & aggregated
 - Amplification of extreme positions in social media, YouTube, etc.
 - Oversimplification of human experience
 - Hidden human labour
 - Illusion of objectivity

Stating and refining the question

- This is what data science tasks often start with!
- 6 TYPES of guestions
- Six types of questions
 - Descriptive: summarize a characteristic of a set of data
 - severity of viral illnesses in a set of data collected from a group of individuals
 - Exploratory: analyze to see if there are patterns, trends, or relationships between variables (hypothesis generating)
 - examine <u>relationships</u> between a range of dietary factors and viral illnesses
 - Inferential: analyze patterns, trends, or relationships in representative data from a population
 - examine whether <u>any relationship</u> between dietary factors and viral illnesses found in the sample <u>hold for the population at large</u>
 - **Predictive**: make predictions for individuals or groups of individuals
 - given a person's demographics and diet, *predict the severity* of illness
 - Causal: whether changing one factor will change another factor, on average, in a population
 - whether people who were <u>randomly assigned</u> to eat a diet high in fresh fruits and vegetables or one that was low in fresh fruits and vegetables contract more severe viral illnesses
 - *Mechanistic*: explore "how" as opposed to whether
 - <u>how</u> a diet high in fresh fruits and vegetables leads to a reduction in the severity of viral illnesses
- & of these, our focus: prediction....

Prediction

What we'll do:

Predict something unknown from something known. Specifically: complete-the-table model

How we'll do it:

- methods that consider similar examples (Nearest Neighbors)
- methods that look at overall trends (linear/logistic regression)
- more advanced methods, time permitting

Example: Home Sale Prices

From Ames, Iowa home sales, 2006-2010. (De Cock, 2011)

Lot_Area	Total_Bsmt_SF	Gr_Liv_Area	Garage_Cars	Sale_Price
31770	1080	1656	2	215000
11622	882	896	1	105000
14267	1329	1329	1	172000
11160	2110	2110	2	244000
13830	928	1629	2	189900

(2930 total rows)

- Y: response variable (aka outcome, dependent variable): Sale_Price
- X: features (aka predictors, covariates, etc.): everything else

Note: X is much easier to measure than Y

Class, Week 6, Day 2: Predictive Modeling Intro

Types of Tasks

Regression: predict a *number* ("continuous") -- number should be "close" to the correct number **Classification**: predict a *category* -- 2 groups? 500000 groups? How likely is it to be in group *i*?

Regression	Classification
How much rain in GR next year?	Inside / outside of a restaurant?
How much will this home sell for?	Is this person having a seizure?
How much time will this person spend watching this video?	Which word did this person mean to type?
How big a fruit will this plant produce?	Will this person "like" this post?

Examples for Today:

CLASSIFICATION: The embrace2 -- a wrist-worn wearable that detects seizures. (seizure

classication)

REGRESSION: Ames, IA home prices

~~ What makes a good prediction?: Regression ~~

Measuring a good prediction... how do you know if it's a *good* prediction vs. a *bad* prediction?

For one data point:

Residual: actual – predicted (200 - 250 = -50k)

absolute error: |200-250 = -50k| = +50k

squared error: (50k)^2 = 2500k -- because being off my 50k might be more than twice as bad

as 25k

Across the entire dataset:

average error: tend to predict too high? Too low?

Max absolute error Mean absolute error

Mean squared error (MSE)

Normalized Squared Error: MSE / Variance

- & the confusingly named "R2" (R^2) = (1 – normalized squared error)

~~ What makes a good prediction?: Classification ~~

Make a 2x2 matrix!

	Seizure Happened	No Seizure Happened
Seizure Predicted	True +	False + (type 1 error)
No seizure predicted	False – (type 2 error)	True –

Accuracy (% correct) = (TP + TN) / (# episodes)

False negative ("miss") rate = FN / (# actual seizures)

False positive ("false alarm") rate = FP / (# true non-seizures)

Trade Offs: for a seizure alert system, do you want sensitivity & specificity to be high or low?

- Ideally, you want both sensitivity and specificity to be high -- this will give you the most True Positives and True Negatives. For the seizure alert system specifically, it's probably better to have higher sensitivity (err on the side of too many false positives), because you could follow up and check if a seizure is actually occuring or not.
- If you prioritize sensitivity: a lot of false positives -- "boy who cried wolf" scenario
 - If it's important to catch every single event, you'll choose this.
 - If there's even a *slight* possibility that the event is occurring, prioritize sensitivity.
- If you prioritize specitivity: a lot of false negatives --

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Mean Absolute Error:

- When we set incept to MEDIAN, we get lowest M.A.E.
- (Lowest M.S.E. when we set intercept to mean)

Training vs. Testing Dataset

- On test set, M.A.E. is higher (bad):(
- Training (26.17)
- Testing (56.16)

ADDING Slope:

- Int: 121

- Slope: .0046 (lot area)

MAE: 22.12MSE: 984.23

- OR... - Int: 113

- Slope: .0046 (lot area)

MAE: 23.59MSE: 932.41

- OR...

- Int = 141?

- Slope = .0002? Lot_Area

- 906.39?

Qs:

- When adding slope, i needed to adjust the intercept -- because
- Better error was achieved using slope & intercept, beecause more parameters = better fit.

Validation:

- You must validate your model on unseen data.
- No overfitting -- failure to generalize

Class, Week 7, Day 2: P

RECAP: regression error measures

MAE: mean absolute error (\$) MSE: mean squared error (\$^2)

RMSE: sqrt/(MSE) \$!! :)

If we're looking @ sale price in \$s...

Abbreviation	Error measure	Units
MAE	Mean absolute error	\$
MSE	mean squared error	\$ ²
RMSE	sqrt(MSE)	\$

- Make sure to report it in units of understandable things.

When to use what? (MSE, MAE...?)

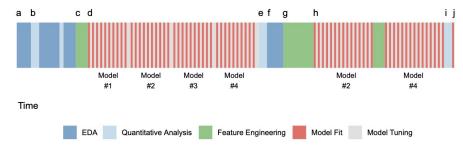
Think: use Mean or Median to summarize errors? (Mean: sensitive to outliers)

- (*) If the model is mostly good but makes a few large errors, is that bad (use MSE), or does it mean we should probably ignore those points as outliers (use MAE)
- Median minimizes MAE. Mean minimizes MSE.
 - What choice would minimize max absolute error?

Instead of finding coeffs by guessing, is there a better way?

- Practically: ML / stats. Just throw @ computer at it.
- Mathematically: Gradient descent
 - From your data, randomly pick a batch of a few observations.
 - Put those X's through your model, tracing the computations on the way.
 - Compute error (e.g., MSE) on that batch.
 - Compute what small change to each coefficient would have reduced error?
 - Make all of those small changes, repeat.

EDA: exploratory data analysis.



Predictive Modeling Workflow

- 1. **Define the problem**: predict what, based on what? What metrics will indicate success? (Measure success in multiple ways!)
- 2. **Explore** your data (EDA): understand its structure, make lots of plots
- Pick a model: Which type(s) of models are appropriate for task and data?
- Transform the data as needed by the model ("feature engineering", preprocessing", "recipe")
- 5. **Split the data** to allow for validation.
- 6. Fit and evaluate the model
- 7. **Tune**: adjust model hyperparameters
- 8. Analyze model errors and refine all earlier steps

How we'll do this...

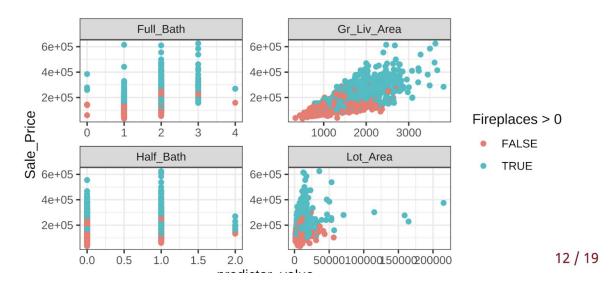
library(tidymodels)

- parsnip: **Specify** and **train** the model you want
- recipes: **Prepare** the data

- rsample: Split data into training and validation
- yardstick: Compute *metrics* for performance
- tune: Helps you set the dials.

Adsf

```
ames %>% select(Sale_Price, Gr_Liv_Area, Lot_Area, Full_Bath, Half_Bath, Fireplaces) %>%
  pivot_longer(-c(Sale_Price, Fireplaces), names_to = "predictor", values_to = "predictor_value") %:
  ggplot(aes(x = predictor_value, y = Sale_Price, color = Fireplaces > 0)) + geom_point() +
  facet_wrap(vars(predictor), scales = "free") + theme_bw()
```



Validation

Hold out some data to use for validation:

```
set.seed(10)
ames_split <- initial_split(ames, prop = 3/4)
ames_train <- training(ames_split)
ames_test <- testing(ames_split)
glue("Using {nrow(ames_train)} sales to train, {nrow(ames_test)} to test")</pre>
```

Using 1809 sales to train, 603 to test

Specify the model to use.

Train the model on the training set

```
my_trained_model <- my_model_spec %>%
fit(Sale_Price ~ Lot_Area + Gr_Liv_Area + Full_Bath, data = ames_train)
```

Make predictions on training set:

```
train predictions <-
                                                                                 train predictions %>%
                                                                                bind_cols(ames_train) %>% # Put back the origonal back::metrics(truth = Sale_Price, estimate)
  my_trained_model %>%
   predict(ames_train)
train_predictions
                                                                                ## # A tibble: 3 x 3
                                                                               ## .metric .estimator .estimate

## <chr> <chr> <chr> <chr> try <chr> <chr> <chr> ## 1 rmse standard 47334.
## # A tibble: 1,809 x 1
     .pred <dbl>
## <dbl>## 1 115287.
                                                                                                                         0.557
                                                                                ## 2 rsq
                                                                                                    standard
                                                                                                standard 0.
standard 31936.
## 2 156986.
## 4 194610.
## 5 210156.
## 6 199231.
## # ... with 1,803 more rows
```

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Evaluate on test set:

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Formula interface

```
y \sim x

y \sim x1 + x2 + x3
```

* note: this doesn't include coefficients, right? Yeah. So it'd actually look more like: y = c1*x1 + c2*x2 + c3*x3 + c4, yeah.

Class, Week 8, Day 3: Feature Engineering

Project:

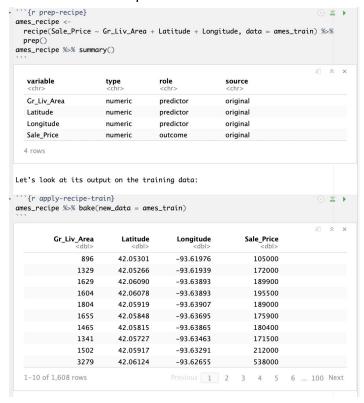
- 1. Data: source & assumptions
- 2. Vis design: retinal variables chosen for which data variables & why?

Midterm Quiz: Quiz 8 open for a week... similar structure to Quiz 7 RECIPES:

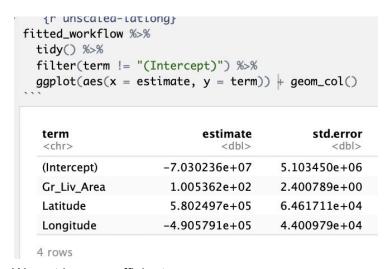
- A recipe is a data processing pipeline (like %>%) where the steps can be "smart". Why Recipes:
 - Add expressive power (like conditional logic) to simple modeels
 - Make the model more (/less) understandable

```
ames_recipe <-
  recipe(Sale_Price ~ Gr_Liv_Area + Latitude + Longitude, data =
ames_train) %>%
  prep()
ames_recipe %>% summary()
```

Get the structure in place....







We get huge coefficients...

Because these features are on such totally different scales, if we want a similar effect, we need a huge coefficient.

```
· ```{r}
                                                                         ∰ ¥
 ames_train %>% select(Gr_Liv_Area, Latitude, Longitude) %>% summary()

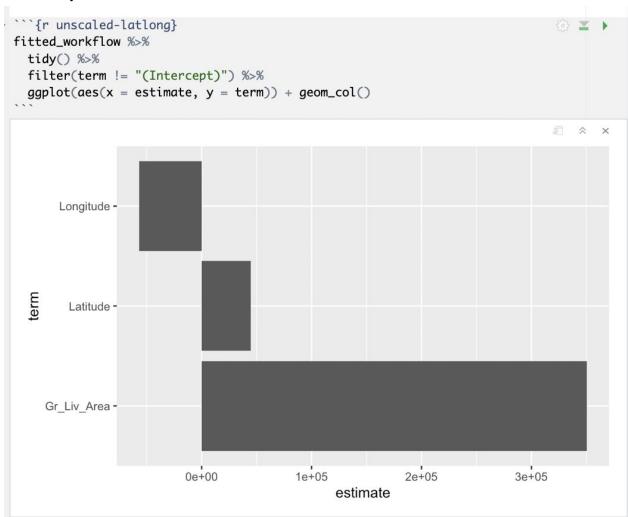
∧ ×
   Gr_Liv_Area
                    Latitude
                                  Longitude
  Min. : 334
                       :41.99
                                Min.
                                      :-93.69
                 Min.
  1st Qu.:1103
                1st Qu.:42.02 1st Qu.:-93.66
  Median :1432
                 Median :42.03
                                Median :-93.64
  Mean
         :1483
                 Mean
                       :42.03
                                Mean
                                      :-93.64
  3rd Qu.:1734
                 3rd Qu.:42.05
                                3rd Qu.:-93.62
                       :42.06
         :3820
                                       :-93.58
  Max.
                 Max.
                                Max.
 Because these features are on such totally different scalees, if we want a similar
 effect, we need a huge coefficient.
```

SO, ADD:

```
ames_recipe <-
   recipe(Sale_Price ~ Gr_Liv_Area + Latitude + Longitude, data =
ames_train) %>%
   #make the scale the SAME for all of these!!!!
   step_range(Gr_Liv_Area, Latitude, Longitude, min = 0, max = 1) %>%
   prep()
ames_recipe %>% summary()
```

```
"``{r prep-recipe}
ames_recipe <-
  recipe(Sale_Price ~ Gr_Liv_Area + Latitude + Longitude, data = ames_train) %>%
  #make the scale the SAME for all of these!!!!
  step_range(Gr_Liv_Area, Latitude, Longitude, min = 0, max = 1) %>%
  prep()
ames_recipe %>% summary()
"```
```

- Our units aren't helpful anymore... but it tells us about the relative weights of each one more easily.



Class, Week 9, Day 1: <u>Feature Engineering & Review</u>

Recipes vs. Data Wrangling Pipelines

- Recipe = a data wrangling pipeline
 - ... that can be easily applied to new data (e.g., a test set)
 - ... that can have learnable state (like ranges of data values)
 - (kinda like a... function??)
- Linear regression is linear, doesn't care what units the data is in... so the specific range didn't matter (0 to1), (-1 to 1), only the coeffs change

REVIEW

Go over summarize(), group_by(), count()

Class, Week 9, Day 2: Conditional Logic

Good Questions

- Final project?
- No final exam, just final project.
- Should demonstrate modeling and validation
- Can optionally be an extension of your midterm project
- Can optionally be groups
- Proposals and matchmaking Moodle forum next week!
 - Was there a homework or lab this week?

No, to allow time to work on midterm project & exam. But yes next week.

Can we review data wrangling stuff like joins and factors?

Review session during my office hours today (3-4pm). NH 295.

Today:

- Apply dummy encoding to add simple conditional logic to linear regression models
 - Explain how many columns get added in dummy encoding, and why
- Compare and contrast how linear regression and decision tree regression make predictions

Notes in ~/lab08-template

What computations can a linear model do?

- Add terms
- Multiple each term by a constant
- (that's it...)

He reviews papers -- interesting, i wonder which journal it's for...!

Aside: the *sum-as-count* pattern

```
ames_2 %>%
   group_by(remodeled) %>%
   summarize(n = n()) %>%
   mutate(proportion = n / sum(n))

## # A tibble: 2 x 3
## remodeled n proportion
## <\gl> <\int> <\db\>
## 1 FALSE 1303 0.540
## 2 TRUE 1109 0.460
```

Why does this work?

```
as.numeric(remodeled[1:10] == "yes")
## [1] 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0
```

Its *sum* is the number of 1's (rows where the condition is true). Its *mean* is the sum divided by the total number, i.e., the *proportion*.

```
Ames_2 %>%
  group_by (remodeled) %>%
  summarize(n = n() %>%
  mutate(proportion = n / sum(n))
~ 46% remodelled
Sum of a boolean, counting the truths
Ames_2 %>%
  summarize(num_remodelled = sum(remodelled == "yes"),
```

```
Prop_remodelled = mean(remodelled == "yes"))
<--INSERT MONDAY'S NOTES HERE!!-->
```

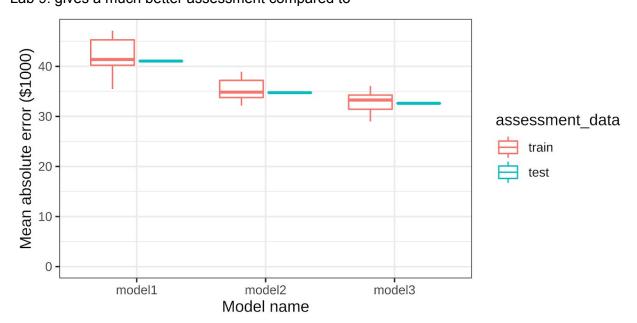
Class, Week 10, Day 2: Cross-Validation

Q&A on decision trees:

- Decision tree vs. lin regression?
 - Decision tree: crisp regions are easy, smooth variation is hard
 - Linear regression: smooth variation is easy; crisp regions are hard
- Linear regression can use different types of basis functions -- splines, sinusoids, rectifiers
 - Like more cyclic data (yearly), you don't want lin.reg., you want something that'll smooth the boundaries
- Limit to num of decisions?
 - Skldfj
- Can greedy algorithms be worse?
 - Yep... short-term gain gives long-term regret.
 - >> it's a nice analogy too lol
 - Do outliers mess it up? Or why is this bad? -- not sure, not answered.

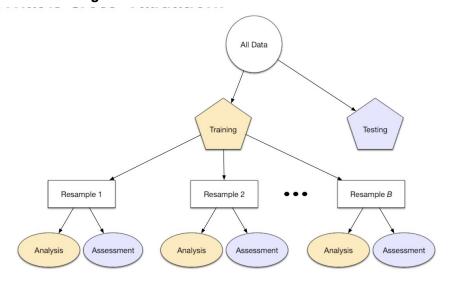
Cross-Validation

Why?: measure accuracy on unseen data without peek @ test set!! Lab 9: gives a much better assessment compared to



Estimates of model performance....

What is it doing?



- Resampling!
 - Draw with replacement?
 - Resample 1 MAY CONTAIN some of the same data points as Resample 2

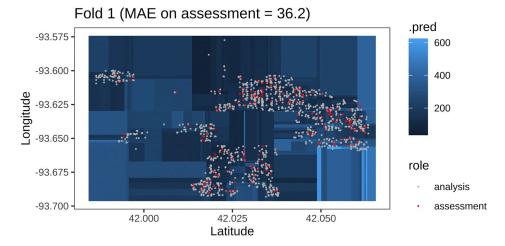
	Fold 1 Iteration	Fold 2 Iteration	Fold 3 Iteration
Model Fit Using	2 4 5 6	1 3 5 6	1 2 3 4
	7 8 9 10	8 9 12 13	7 10 11 12
	11 13 16 18	14 15 16 17	14 15 17 18
	20 22 23 25	19 20 21 24	19 21 22 23
	26 27 28 29	26 28 29 30	24 25 27 30
Estimate Performance Using	1 3 12 14 15 17 19 21 24 30	2 4 7 10 11 18 22 23 25 27	5 6 8 9 13 16 20 26 28 29

- Estimates are still somewhat related (not independent assessments) because they have some fitting overlap
- Testing has no overlap
- Good for moderate —> large datasets.
 - Nested cross-validation: reassign the folds multiple times

How to do Cross-Validation?

0. Ideally, have more data to (test/train) on???

- 1. Declare splitting strategy
 - a. rsample::vfold_cv(v = 10)
 - b. Ames_resamples <- ames_train %>% vfold_cv(v = 10)
- Fit on each resample, evaluate using a set of metrics...
 - a. Houses in the analysis set (grey, not red) tell us about the patterns the decision tree picks up on



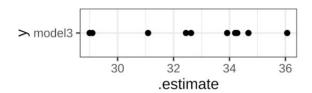
b. FIT RESAMPLES!!

```
model3_samples <- model3_spec %>%
fit_resamples(
   Sale_Price ~ Latitude + Longitude,
   resamples = ames_resamples,
   metrics = metric_set(mae))
model3_samples %>% collect_metrics(summarize = FALSE)
## # A tibble: 10 x 4
##
     id
            .metric .estimator .estimate
##
           <chr>
                   <chr>
                                  <dbl>
     <chr>
                                   34.2
## 1 Fold01 mae
                    standard
## 2 Fold02 mae
                   standard
                                   31.1
## 3 Fold03 mae
                    standard
                                   29.0
                                   33.9
## 4 Fold04 mae
                    standard
## 5 Fold05 mae
                   standard
                                   29.1
## 6 Fold06 mae
                   standard
                                   36.1
## # ... with 4 more rows
```

- 3. Plot and/or summarize the metrics
 - a. PLOT:

```
model3_samples %>%
  collect_metrics(summarize = FALSE) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = .estimate, y = "model3")) +
```

geom_point()



b. SUMMARIZE:

TIDY WAY TO COMPARE MODELS:

1. Data frame of model specs

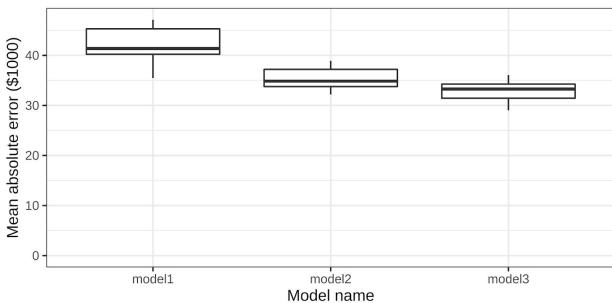
```
all_models <- tribble(
    ~model_name, ~spec,
    "model1", decision_tree(mode = "regression", tree_depth
= 2),
    "model2", decision_tree(mode = "regression", tree_depth
= 30),
    "model3", decision_tree(mode = "regression",
cost_complexity = 1e-6, min_n = 2)
)</pre>
```

2. Sample each model (using dplyr::rowwise) -- essentially making a group for each row... a for loop?

```
models_with_samples <- all_models %>%
  rowwise() %>%
mutate(samples = list(
    spec %>% fit_resamples(
        Sale_Price ~ Latitude + Longitude,
        resamples = ames_resamples,
        metrics = metric_set(mae))))
```

```
models_with_samples
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 3
  ## # Rowwise:
  ##
        model_name spec
                                 samples
  ##
        <chr>
                     <list>
                                 st>
  ## 1 model1
                     \langle spec[+] \rangle \langle tibble [10 \times 4] \rangle
                     \langle spec[+] \rangle \langle tibble [10 \times 4] \rangle
  ## 2 model2
  ## 3 model3
                     \langle spec[+] \rangle \langle tibble [10 \times 4] \rangle
models_with_samples %>%
 rowwise(model_name) %>%
 summarize(collect_metrics(samples, summarize = FALSE)) %>%
 ggplot(aes(x = model_name, y = .estimate)) +
   geom_boxplot() + labs(x = "Model name", y = "Mean
absolute error (\$1000)") + coord_cartesian(ylim = c(0, NA))
```



Week 11 Day 1: <u>Cross-Validation</u> Why?

- Puzzle:
 - We want to pick the model that works best on unseen data.... but as soon as we try one model, we've peeked at the data!
- Solution:
 - Divide training data into V piles (e.g., 10)
 - Hide one pile from yourself.
 - train on ("analyze") the rest,
 - evaluate ("assess") on the one you held out.
 - Repeat for each of the V piles.

```
cross_val_scores <- function(complete_model_spec, training_data, v, metrics = metric_set(mae)) {
    # Split the data into V folds.
    set.seed(0)
    resamples <- vfold_cv(training_data, v = v)

# For each of the V folds, assess the result of analyzing on the rest.
    raw_cv_results <- complete_model_spec %>%
        fit_resamples(resamples = resamples, metrics = metrics)

# Return the collected metrics.
    collect_metrics(raw_cv_results, summarize = FALSE)
}
```

A model spec?

- A workflow: recipe e+ model_spec
- A model spec is like a class, and a model is like a specific instance of a class.

Workflow = recipe + modelSspec.

```
spec <- workflow() %>%
  add_recipe(recipe) %>%
  add_model(model)
```

e.g.,

```
spec <- workflow() %>%
  add_recipe(
    recipe(Sale_Price ~ Latitude + Longitude, data = ames_train)
) %>%
  add_model(
    linear_reg()
)
```

Week 10, Day 2: Classification

- ~ Classification: Which of several categories? ~
 - Problem intro: EDA, Data wrangling in R
 - Classification workflow:
 - Models: decision tree, logistic regression
 - Model outputs: scores and decisions
 - Model metrics: accuracy, sensitivity, specificity
 - Validation

Logistics notes:

- Project should be:
- Interesting: should be interesting in some aspect... really thorny data wrangling, or really interesting modeling, or bringing it together with another dataset, (gene annotations / systems), or asking really interesting questions of it. >> think: which parts are the interesting parts
- **Your own:** ask a different question of the same data; here's two ways to do this, and here's what I think is better