# Manipulating Tables with dplyr (contd)

Data Wrangling: Session 3

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# Window functions and moving averages

# Load our libraries

```
library(here)  # manage file paths
library(socviz)  # data and some useful functions
library(tidyverse)  # your friend and mine
```

# dplyr's window functions

## Ranking and cumulation within groups.

```
## Data on COVID-19
library(covdata)
covnat_weekly
## # A tibble: 4,020 × 11
     date
                year_week cname iso3
                                      pop cases deaths cu_ca...¹ cu_de...² r14_c...³
                          <chr> <chr> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
                                                             <dbl>
                                                                     <dbl>
     <date>
                <chr>
                                                                           <dbl>
   1 2019-12-30 2020-01 Austr... AUT
                                       8.93e6
                                                                            NA
   2 2020-01-06 2020-02 Austr... AUT
                                       8.93e6
                                                                             0
   3 2020-01-13 2020-03
                                       8.93e6
                         Austr… AUT
   4 2020-01-20 2020-04
                                       8.93e6
                         Austr… AUT
   5 2020-01-27 2020-05
                         Austr… AUT
                                       8.93e6
   6 2020-02-03 2020-06
                         Austr… AUT
                                       8.93e6
   7 2020-02-10 2020-07
                          Austr… AUT
                                       8.93e6
   8 2020-02-17 2020-08
                                       8.93e6
                         Austr… AUT
   9 2020-02-24 2020-09
                                                                12
                                                                             0.134
                        Austr… AUT
                                       8.93e6
## 10 2020-03-02 2020-10
                         Austr… AUT
                                       8.93e6
                                                114
                                                               126
                                                                            1.41
## # ... with 4,010 more rows, 1 more variable: r14 deaths <dbl>, and abbreviated
      variable names ¹cu cases, ²cu deaths, ³r14 cases
```

# dplyr's window functions

#### cumsum() gives cumulative sums

```
covnat_weekly |>
  filter(iso3 == "USA") |>
  select(date, cname, iso3, cases) |>
  mutate(cumulative = cumsum(cases))

## # A tibble: 0 × 5

## # ... with 5 variables: date <date>, cname <chr>, iso3 <chr>, cases <dbl>,

## # cumulative <dbl>
```

# dplyr's window functions

cume\_dist() gives the proportion of values less than or equal to the current value.

```
covnat_weekly |>
  select(date, cname, iso3, deaths) |>
  filter(iso3 == "USA") |>
  filter(cume_dist(desc(deaths)) < 0.1) # i.e. Top 10%

## # A tibble: 0 × 4

## # ... with 4 variables: date <date>, cname <chr>, iso3 <chr>, deaths <dbl>
```

The dplyr vignette on Window functions is good.

# An application

```
covus |>
  filter(measure == "death") |>
  group by(state) |>
  arrange(state, desc(date)) |>
  filter(state %in% "NY")
## # A tibble: 371 × 7
## # Groups:
              state [1]
                            data_quality_grade measure count measure_label
     date
              state fips
              <chr> <chr> <lql>
                                               <chr>
                                                       <dbl> <chr>
     <date>
   1 2021-03-07 NY
                      36
                            NΑ
                                               death
                                                       39029 Deaths
   2 2021-03-06 NY
                      36
                            NΑ
                                               death
                                                     38970 Deaths
                                                     38891 Deaths
   3 2021-03-05 NY
                                               death
                            NΑ
   4 2021-03-04 NY
                            NΑ
                                                     38796 Deaths
                                               death
   5 2021-03-03 NY
                            NA
                                                     38735 Deaths
                                               death
   6 2021-03-02 NY
                            NA
                                               death
                                                     38660 Deaths
   7 2021-03-01 NY
                            NA
                                               death
                                                     38577 Deaths
                                                     38497 Deaths
   8 2021-02-28 NY
                            NΑ
                                               death
   9 2021-02-27 NY
                                                     38407 Deaths
                            NA
                                               death
                                                      38321 Deaths
## 10 2021-02-26 NY
                            NA
                                               death
## # ... with 361 more rows
```

Here the count measure is *cumulative* deaths. What if we want to recover the daily count for all the states in the data?

# An application

dplyr has **lead()** and **lag()** functions. These allow you to access the previous and next values in a vector. You can calculate offsets this way.

# An application

### We can write the expression directly:

```
covus |>
  select(-data quality grade) |>
  filter(measure == "death") |>
  group by(state) |>
  arrange(date) |>
  mutate(deaths_daily = count - lag(count, order_by = date)) |>
  arrange(state, desc(date)) |>
  filter(state %in% "NY")
## # A tibble: 371 × 7
## # Groups: state [1]
     date state fips measure count measure label deaths daily
     <date>
              <chr> <chr> <chr>
                                    <dbl> <chr>
                                                                <dbl>
   1 2021-03-07 NY
                             death
                                    39029 Deaths
                                                                   59
   2 2021-03-06 NY
                                                                   79
                             death
                                    38970 Deaths
   3 2021-03-05 NY
                             death
                                    38891 Deaths
                                                                   95
   4 2021-03-04 NY
                             death
                                    38796 Deaths
                                                                   61
   5 2021-03-03 NY
                             death
                                    38735 Deaths
                                                                   75
   6 2021-03-02 NY
                                    38660 Deaths
                                                                   83
                             death
   7 2021-03-01 NY
                                    38577 Deaths
                                                                   80
                             death
   8 2021-02-28 NY
                                    38497 Deaths
                                                                   90
                             death
   9 2021-02-27 NY
                            death
                                    38407 Deaths
                                                                   86
## 10 2021-02-26 NY
                             death
                                    38321 Deaths
                                                                   94
## # ... with 361 more rows
```

# Writing our own functions

But we could also write a function to do this.

We write functions using the special function() function.\*

```
my_fun <- function(x) {
    x + 1
}

my_fun # we've created the function; it's just an object

## function(x) {
    ##    x + 1
    ## }

my_fun(x = 1) # But we can supply it with an input!

## [1] 2

my_fun(10)

## [1] 11</pre>
```

<sup>\*</sup>Nerds love this sort of stuff.

# Writing our own functions

We write our function. It's just the expression we originally wrote, wrapped up.

```
get_daily_count <- function(count, date){
  count - lag(count, order_by = date)
}</pre>
```

This function has no generality, error-handling, or anything else. It's a once-off.

# Writing our own functions

#### Now we can use it like any other:

```
covus |>
  filter(measure == "death") |>
  select(-data quality grade) |>
  group by(state) |>
  arrange(date) |>
  mutate(deaths_daily = get_daily_count(count, date)) |>
  arrange(state, desc(date)) |>
  filter(state %in% "NY")
## # A tibble: 371 × 7
## # Groups: state [1]
     date state fips measure count measure label deaths daily
     <date>
             <chr> <chr> <chr>
                                   <dbl> <chr>
                                                               <dbl>
   1 2021-03-07 NY
                            death
                                    39029 Deaths
                                                                  59
   2 2021-03-06 NY
                            death
                                   38970 Deaths
   3 2021-03-05 NY
                                   38891 Deaths
                                                                  95
                            death
   4 2021-03-04 NY
                            death
                                   38796 Deaths
                                                                  61
   5 2021-03-03 NY
                            death
                                   38735 Deaths
                                                                  75
   6 2021-03-02 NY
                                                                  83
                            death
                                   38660 Deaths
   7 2021-03-01 NY
                                   38577 Deaths
                                                                  80
                            death
   8 2021-02-28 NY
                                   38497 Deaths
                                                                  90
                            death
   9 2021-02-27 NY
                            death
                                    38407 Deaths
                                                                  86
## 10 2021-02-26 NY
                                    38321 Deaths
                                                                  94
                            death
## # ... with 361 more rows
```

Not super-useful quite yet, but if our task had more steps ...

# Tidy moving averages with slider

**dplyr**'s window functions don't include moving averages.

There are several options, notably RcppRoll

We'll use the slider package.

```
# install.packages("slider")
library(slider)
```

# Tidy moving averages with slider

```
covus |>
  filter(measure == "death") |>
  select(-data quality grade) |>
  group by(state) |>
  arrange(date) |>
  mutate(
    deaths daily = get daily count(count, date),
    deaths7 = slide mean(deaths daily.
                         before = 7,
                         na rm = TRUE)) |>
  arrange(state, desc(date)) |>
  filter(state %in% "NY")
## # A tibble: 371 × 8
## # Groups: state [1]
     date state fips measure count measure label deaths daily deaths7
             <chr> <chr> <chr> <dbl> <chr>
     <date>
                                                               <dbl> <dbl>
   1 2021-03-07 NY
                            death
                                   39029 Deaths
                                                                      77.8
   2 2021-03-06 NY
                            death
                                   38970 Deaths
                                                                       81.1
   3 2021-03-05 NY
                            death
                                   38891 Deaths
                                                                  95
                                                                       83
   4 2021-03-04 NY
                            death
                                   38796 Deaths
                                                                       82.6
                                                                  75
   5 2021-03-03 NY
                            death
                                   38735 Deaths
                                                                        88
   6 2021-03-02 NY
                            death
                                   38660 Deaths
                                                                       89.9
```

90.8

90.1 91.5

95.6

90

86

7 2021-03-01 NY

8 2021-02-28 NY

9 2021-02-27 NY

## # ... with 361 more rows

## 10 2021-02-26 NY

death

death

death

death

38577 Deaths

38497 Deaths

38407 Deaths

38321 Deaths

# Tidy moving averages with slider

Notice the Tidyverse-style na\_rm argument rather than the usual base na.rm

The package provides a lot of different functions, from general-purpose **slide\_max()**, **slide\_min()** to more specialized sliding functions. In particular note e.g. **slide\_index\_mean()** that addresses some subtleties in averaging over dates with gaps.

# Tidy up after yourself with relocate()

gss\_sm ## # A tibble: 2,867 × 32

```
id ballot
                            age childs sibs degree race sex region incom...¹ relig
##
       vear
      <dbl> <dbl> <lab> <fct> <fct> <fct> <fct> <fct> <fct> <fct>
                                               Bache... White Male New E... $17000... None
   1 2016
                 1 1
                                      3 2
       2016
                2 2
                             61
                                      0 3
                                              High ... White Male New E... $50000... None
       2016
                3 3
                                      2 3
                                               Bache... White Male New E... $75000... Cath...
    3
                             72
       2016
                4 1
                             43
                                      4 3
                                              High ... White Fema... New E... $17000... Cath...
       2016
                5 3
                             55
                                      2 2
                                              Gradu... White Fema... New E... $17000... None
       2016
                6 2
                             53
                                      2 2
                                               Junio... White Fema... New E... $60000... None
       2016
                             50
                                      2 2
                                              High ... White Male New E... $17000... None
                7 1
       2016
                 8 3
                             23
                                      3 6
                                              High ... Other Fema... Middl... $30000... Cath...
       2016
                 9 1
                             45
                                      3 5
                                              High ... Black Male Middl... $60000... Prot...
                                      4 1
## 10
       2016
                10 3
                             71
                                               Junio... White Male Middl... $60000... None
## # ... with 2,857 more rows, 20 more variables: marital <fct>, padeq <fct>,
       madeg <fct>, partyid <fct>, polviews <fct>, happy <fct>, partners <fct>,
## #
## #
       grass <fct>, zodiac <fct>, pres12 <labelled>, wtssall <dbl>,
## #
       income rc <fct>, agegrp <fct>, ageg <fct>, siblings <fct>, kids <fct>,
## #
       religion <fct>, bigregion <fct>, partners rc <fct>, obama <dbl>, and
       abbreviated variable name <sup>1</sup>income16
## #
```

gss\_sm

```
## # A tibble: 2,867 × 32
               id ballot
                            age childs sibs degree race sex region incom...¹ relig
##
       year
      <dbl> <dbl> <lab> <fct> <fct> <fct> <fct> <fct> <fct>
   1 2016
                1 1
                                     3 2
                                              Bache... White Male New E... $17000... None
                             47
   2
       2016
                2 2
                             61
                                     0 3
                                              High ... White Male New E... $50000... None
   3
       2016
                3 3
                             72
                                     2 3
                                              Bache... White Male New E... $75000... Cath...
       2016
                4 1
                             43
                                     4 3
                                              High ... White Fema... New E... $17000... Cath...
       2016
                5 3
                             55
                                     2 2
                                              Gradu... White Fema... New E... $17000... None
       2016
                6 2
                             53
                                     2 2
                                              Junio... White Fema... New E... $60000... None
       2016
                7 1
                             50
                                     2 2
                                              High ... White Male New E... $17000... None
       2016
                                     3 6
                8 3
                             23
                                              High ... Other Fema... Middl... $30000... Cath...
                             45
       2016
                9 1
                                     3 5
                                             High ... Black Male Middl... $60000... Prot...
                             71
                                     4 1
## 10
       2016
               10 3
                                              Junio... White Male Middl... $60000... None
## # ... with 2,857 more rows, 20 more variables: marital <fct>, padeq <fct>,
       madeg <fct>, partyid <fct>, polviews <fct>, happy <fct>, partners <fct>,
       grass <fct>, zodiac <fct>, pres12 <labelled>, wtssall <dbl>,
       income rc <fct>, agegrp <fct>, ageg <fct>, siblings <fct>, kids <fct>,
## #
       religion <fct>, bigregion <fct>, partners rc <fct>, obama <dbl>, and
## #
       abbreviated variable name income16
```

```
gss_sm |>
  select(region, bigregion, year,
        id:region,
        starts_with("p"),
        contains("income"))
```

```
## # A tibble: 2,867 × 19
      region bigre...¹
                                id ballot
                                             age childs sibs degree race sex
                       year
                                                                                    paded
      <fct> <fct>
                      <dbl> <dbl> <labe> <dbl> <lab> <fct> <fct> <fct> <fct><</pre>
    1 New E... Northe... 2016
                                 1 1
                                                       3 2
                                                               Bache... White Male Grad...
                                              47
    2 New E... Northe...
                       2016
                                 2 2
                                              61
                                                       0 3
                                                               High ... White Male Lt H...
    3 New E... Northe...
                       2016
                                 3 3
                                                       2 3
                                                               Bache... White Male High...
                       2016
                                 4 1
   4 New E... Northe...
                                              43
                                                       4 3
                                                               High ... White Fema... <NA>
    5 New E... Northe...
                       2016
                                 5 3
                                              55
                                                       2 2
                                                               Gradu... White Fema... Bach...
    6 New E... Northe...
                       2016
                                 6 2
                                              53
                                                       2 2
                                                               Junio... White Fema... <NA>
## 7 New E... Northe...
                       2016
                                 7 1
                                              50
                                                       2 2
                                                               High ... White Male High...
                                                       3 6
   8 Middl... Northe...
                       2016
                                 8 3
                                                               High ... Other Fema... Lt H...
                                              23
## 9 Middl... Northe... 2016
                                 9 1
                                              45
                                                       3 5
                                                               High ... Black Male Lt H...
## 10 Middl... Northe... 2016
                                                       4 1
                                10 3
                                              71
                                                               Junio... White Male High...
## # ... with 2,857 more rows, 7 more variables: partyid <fct>, polviews <fct>,
       partners <fct>, pres12 <labelled>, partners_rc <fct>, income16 <fct>,
       income_rc <fct>, and abbreviated variable name ¹bigregion
```

```
gss_sm |>
  select(region, bigregion, year,
        id:region,
        starts_with("p"),
        contains("income")) |>
  rename(children = childs,
        siblings = sibs)
```

```
## # A tibble: 2,867 × 19
      region
                 bigre...¹ year
                                    id ballot
                                                 age child...² sibli...³ degree race sex
      <fct>
                 <fct>
                          <dbl> <dbl> <labe> <dbl>
                                                        <dbl> <label> <fct> <fct> <fct>
    1 New Engl... Northe... 2016
                                     1 1
                                                            3 2
                                                                       Bache... White Male
                                                  47
    2 New Engl... Northe...
                           2016
                                     2 2
                                                  61
                                                            0 3
                                                                       High ... White Male
                                     3 3
    3 New Engl... Northe...
                           2016
                                                            2 3
                                                                       Bache... White Male
                                     4 1
                                                                       High ... White Fema...
    4 New Engl... Northe...
                           2016
                                                  43
                                                            4 3
                                                                       Gradu... White Fema...
    5 New Engl... Northe...
                           2016
                                     5 3
                                                  55
                                                            2 2
    6 New Engl... Northe...
                           2016
                                     6 2
                                                  53
                                                            2 2
                                                                       Junio... White Fema...
   7 New Engl... Northe...
                           2016
                                     7 1
                                                  50
                                                            2 2
                                                                       High ... White Male
                                                            3 6
                                                                       High ... Other Fema...
   8 Middle A... Northe... 2016
                                     8 3
## 9 Middle A... Northe... 2016
                                     9 1
                                                  45
                                                            3 5
                                                                       High ... Black Male
                                                            4 1
## 10 Middle A... Northe... 2016
                                    10 3
                                                  71
                                                                       Junio... White Male
## # ... with 2,857 more rows, 8 more variables: padeg <fct>, partyid <fct>,
       polviews <fct>, partners <fct>, pres12 <labelled>, partners rc <fct>,
       income16 <fct>, income_rc <fct>, and abbreviated variable names ¹bigregion,
## #
       <sup>2</sup>children, <sup>3</sup>siblings
```

```
## # A tibble: 2,867 × 19
          id region
                        bigre...¹ year ballot
                                                 age child...² sibli...³ degree race sex
      <dbl> <fct>
                        <fct>
                                 <dbl> <labe> <dbl>
                                                        <dbl> <label> <fct> <fct> <fct>
           1 New Engl... Northe... 2016 1
                                                            3 2
                                                                       Bache... White Male
                                                  47
           2 New Engl... Northe...
                                 2016 2
                                                  61
                                                            0 3
                                                                       High ... White Male
## 3
           3 New Engl... Northe...
                                  2016 3
                                                            2 3
                                                                       Bache... White Male
## 4
           4 New Engl... Northe...
                                  2016 1
                                                   43
                                                            4 3
                                                                       High ... White Fema...
##
           5 New Engl... Northe...
                                  2016 3
                                                   55
                                                            2 2
                                                                       Gradu... White Fema...
##
    6
           6 New Engl... Northe...
                                  2016 2
                                                   53
                                                            2 2
                                                                       Junio... White Fema...
## 7
           7 New Engl... Northe... 2016 1
                                                   50
                                                            2 2
                                                                       High ... White Male
                                                            3 6
## 8
           8 Middle A... Northe... 2016 3
                                                   23
                                                                       High ... Other Fema...
## 9
           9 Middle A... Northe... 2016 1
                                                   45
                                                            3 5
                                                                       High ... Black Male
                                                            4 1
## 10
          10 Middle A... Northe... 2016 3
                                                  71
                                                                       Junio... White Male
## # ... with 2,857 more rows, 8 more variables: padeg <fct>, partyid <fct>,
        polviews <fct>, partners <fct>, pres12 <labelled>, partners_rc <fct>,
       income16 <fct>, income rc <fct>, and abbreviated variable names ¹bigregion,
## #
## #
        <sup>2</sup>children, <sup>3</sup>siblings
```

```
gss_sm |>
  select(region, bigregion, year,
        id:region,
        starts_with("p"),
        contains("income")) |>
  rename(children = childs,
        siblings = sibs) |>
  relocate(id) |>
  select(-ballot)
```

```
## # A tibble: 2,867 × 18
                            id region
                                                                      bigre...¹ year
                                                                                                                       age child...² sibli...³ degree race sex
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              paded
                  <dbl> <fct>
                                                                      <fct>
                                                                                             <dbl> <dbl>
                                                                                                                                         <dbl> <label> <fct> <fct > <fct
                              1 New Engla... Northe...
                                                                                                 2016
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                                                                                                                                                                                     Bache... White Male Grad...
                                                                                                                          47
                              2 New Engla... Northe...
                                                                                                 2016
                                                                                                                          61
                                                                                                                                                     0 3
                                                                                                                                                                                    High ... White Male Lt H...
## 3
                              3 New Engla... Northe...
                                                                                                  2016
                                                                                                                                                     2 3
                                                                                                                                                                                    Bache... White Male High...
## 4
                                                                                                                                                     4 3
                              4 New Engla... Northe...
                                                                                                  2016
                                                                                                                          43
                                                                                                                                                                                    High ... White Fema... <NA>
##
                              5 New Engla... Northe...
                                                                                                  2016
                                                                                                                          55
                                                                                                                                                     2 2
                                                                                                                                                                                    Gradu... White Fema... Bach...
            6
##
                              6 New Engla... Northe...
                                                                                                  2016
                                                                                                                          53
                                                                                                                                                     2 2
                                                                                                                                                                                    Junio... White Fema... <NA>
## 7
                              7 New Engla... Northe...
                                                                                                  2016
                                                                                                                          50
                                                                                                                                                     2 2
                                                                                                                                                                                    High ... White Male High...
                                                                                                                                                     3 6
## 8
                              8 Middle At... Northe...
                                                                                                 2016
                                                                                                                          23
                                                                                                                                                                                   High ... Other Fema... Lt H...
                              9 Middle At... Northe... 2016
## 9
                                                                                                                          45
                                                                                                                                                     3 5
                                                                                                                                                                                    High ... Black Male Lt H...
                                                                                                                                                     4 1
## 10
                           10 Middle At... Northe... 2016
                                                                                                                          71
                                                                                                                                                                                    Junio... White Male High...
## # ... with 2,857 more rows, 7 more variables: partyid <fct>, polviews <fct>,
                      partners <fct>, pres12 <labelled>, partners_rc <fct>, income16 <fct>,
## #
                     income rc <fct>, and abbreviated variable names ¹bigregion, ²children,
## #
## #
                      ³siblinas
```

```
## # A tibble: 2,867 × 18
          id year
                      age children siblings pres12 region bigre...¹ degree race sex
      <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
                             <dbl> <labelle> <labe> <fct> <fct> <fct> <fct> <fct>
              2016
                                  3 2
                                                      New E... Northe... Bache... White Male
           2 2016
                                 0 3
                                                      New E... Northe... High ... White Male
                                 2 3
##
              2016
                                                      New E... Northe... Bache... White Male
##
              2016
                       43
                                  4 3
                                                      New E... Northe... High ... White Fema...
                                 2 2
##
              2016
                       55
                                                      New E... Northe... Gradu... White Fema...
    6
                       53
                                 2 2
##
              2016
                                                      New E... Northe... Junio... White Fema...
              2016
                       50
                                 2 2
                                                      New E... Northe... High ... White Male
                                               NA
                                 3 6
##
    8
             2016
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                                                      Middl... Northe... High ... Other Fema...
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##
   9
              2016
                       45
                                 3 5
                                               NA
                                                      Middl... Northe... High ... Black Male
                                  4 1
## 10
             2016
                       71
                                                2
                                                      Middl... Northe... Junio... White Male
## # ... with 2,857 more rows, 7 more variables: padeq <fct>, partyid <fct>,
       polviews <fct>, partners <fct>, partners rc <fct>, income16 <fct>,
## #
       income rc <fct>, and abbreviated variable name ¹bigregion
## #
```

```
## # A tibble: 2,867 × 18
                             id year region
                                                                                           bigre...¹
                                                                                                                            age child...² sibli...³ pres12 degree race sex
                   <dbl> <dbl> <fct>
                                                                                           <fct>
                                                                                                                                               <dbl> <label> <fct> <fct < <fc <
                                                                                                                     <dbl>
                                         2016 New Engl... Northe...
                                                                                                                                                             3 2
                                                                                                                                                                                                                     Bache... White Male
                                2 2016 New Engl... Northe...
                                                                                                                                                             0 3
                                                                                                                                                                                                                     High ... White Male
## 3
                                         2016 New Engl... Northe...
                                                                                                                                                             2 3
                                                                                                                                                                                                                     Bache... White Male
## 4
                                                                                                                               43
                                                                                                                                                             4 3
                                          2016 New Engl... Northe...
                                                                                                                                                                                                                     High ... White Fema...
                                                                                                                               55
##
                                         2016 New Engl... Northe...
                                                                                                                                                             2 2
                                                                                                                                                                                                                     Gradu... White Fema...
                                                                                                                                53
                                         2016 New Engl... Northe...
                                                                                                                                                             2 2
                                                                                                                                                                                                                     Junio... White Fema...
                                         2016 New Engl... Northe...
                                                                                                                                50
                                                                                                                                                             2 2
                                                                                                                                                                                                                     High ... White Male
                                                                                                                                                             3 6
## 8
                                8 2016 Middle A... Northe...
                                                                                                                               23
                                                                                                                                                                                                                     High ... Other Fema...
## 9
                                         2016 Middle A... Northe...
                                                                                                                               45
                                                                                                                                                             3 5
                                                                                                                                                                                                                     High ... Black Male
                                                                                                                                                             4 1
## 10
                             10 2016 Middle A... Northe...
                                                                                                                                                                                                 2
                                                                                                                                                                                                                     Junio... White Male
## # ... with 2,857 more rows, 7 more variables: padeg <fct>, partyid <fct>,
## #
                       polviews <fct>, partners <fct>, partners_rc <fct>, income16 <fct>,
                      income rc <fct>, and abbreviated variable names ¹bigregion, ²children,
## #
## #
                       ³siblinas
```

#### library(ukelection2019)

#### ukvote2019

```
## # A tibble: 3,320 × 13
##
      cid
                const...¹ elect...² party...³ candi...⁴ votes vote ...⁵ vote ...⁶ total...<sup>7</sup> vrank
                          <int> <chr>      <int> <dbl>      <dbl> <int> <int>
      <chr>
                <chr>
   1 W07000049 Aberav... 50747 Labour Stephe... 17008
                                                          53.8 -14.3
                                                                         31598
   2 W07000049 Aberav...
                         50747 Conser... Charlo... 6518
                                                          20.6
                                                                         31598
                         50747 The Br... Glenda... 3108
   3 W07000049 Aberav...
                                                           9.8
                                                                   9.8
                                                                         31598
                         50747 Plaid ... Nigel ... 2711
   4 W07000049 Aberav...
                                                           8.6
                                                                   0.3
                                                                         31598
    5 W07000049 Aberav...
                         50747 Libera... Sheila... 1072
                                                           3.4
                                                                         31598
                                                                   1.6
   6 W07000049 Aberav...
                         50747 Indepe... Captai... 731
                                                           2.3
                                                                   2.3
                                                                         31598
   7 W07000049 Aberav... 50747 Green Giorgi... 450 1.4
                                                                  1.4
                                                                         31598
    8 W07000058 Aberco... 44699 Conser... Robin ... 14687
                                                          46.1 1.5
                                                                         31865
   9 W07000058 Aberco... 44699 Labour Emily ... 12653
                                                          39.7
                                                                   -2.9
                                                                          31865
## 10 W07000058 Aberco... 44699 Plaid ... Lisa G... 2704
                                                           8.5
                                                                   -1.4
                                                                         31865
## # ... with 3,310 more rows, 3 more variables: turnout <dbl>, fname <chr>,
       lname <chr>, and abbreviated variable names ¹constituency, ²electorate,
## #
      <sup>3</sup>party_name, <sup>4</sup>candidate, <sup>5</sup>vote_share_percent, <sup>6</sup>vote share change.
## #
## #
       <sup>7</sup>total votes cast
```

Use **sample\_n()** to sample n rows of your tibble.

```
library(ukelection2019)
ukvote2019 |>
   sample_n(10)
## # A tibble: 10 × 13
      cid
                 const...¹ elect...² party...³ candi...⁴ votes vote_...⁵ vote_...⁶ total...<sup>7</sup> vrank
      <chr>
                            <chr>
                                                                    <dbl>
                                                                             <int> <int>
    1 E14000780 Leeds ...
                           67741 Conser... Stewar... 13222
                                                             26.8
                                                                      7.2
                                                                             49283
    2 S14000056 Ruther...
                            80918 Scotti... Margar... 23775
                                                             44.2
                                                                      7.2
                                                                             53794
                           66928 Sinn F... Ryan C... 555
    3 N06000016 Strang...
                                                              1.5
                                                                      -1.3
                                                                             37485
    4 E14000896 Richmo...
                            82696 Labour Sandra... 3407
                                                              5.2
                                                                      -3.9
                                                                             65067
    5 E14000794 Liverp...
                            62628 Conser... Alex P... 4018
                                                              9.9
                                                                      1.3
                                                                             40786
    6 E14000728 Harbor...
                           80480 Libera... Zuffar... 9103
                                                                      3.2
                                                             15.9
                                                                             57319
   7 E14000744 Hertfo...
                           82407 Indepe... Brian ...
                                                     308
                                                                      0.5
                                                                             60094
                                                              0.5
    8 E14000800 Luton ...
                           68185 The Br... Sudhir... 1215
                                                              2.9
                                                                      2.9
                                                                             42589
                                                             34.3
                                                                     -5.2
                                                                             42114
    9 W07000066 Carmar...
                           58629 Labour Marc T... 14438
## 10 E14000907 Runnym...
                           77196 Conser... Ben Sp... 29262
                                                             54.9
                                                                      -6
                                                                             53289
## # ... with 3 more variables: turnout <dbl>, fname <chr>, lname <chr>, and
       abbreviated variable names 'constituency, 'electorate, 'party name,
       <sup>4</sup>candidate, <sup>5</sup>vote_share_percent, <sup>6</sup>vote_share change, <sup>7</sup>total votes cast
## #
```

### A vector of unique constituency names

```
ukvote2019 |>
  distinct(constituency)
## # A tibble: 650 × 1
     constituency
   <chr>
## 1 Aberavon
## 2 Aberconwy
## 3 Aberdeen North
## 4 Aberdeen South
## 5 Aberdeenshire West & Kincardine
## 6 Airdrie & Shotts
## 7 Aldershot
## 8 Aldridge-Brownhills
## 9 Altrincham & Sale West
## 10 Alyn & Deeside
## # ... with 640 more rows
```

### Tally them up

```
ukvote2019 |>
  count(party name) |>
  arrange(desc(n))
## # A tibble: 69 × 2
     party_name
                                    n
     <chr>
                                <int>
   1 Conservative
                                   636
## 2 Labour
                                   631
## 3 Liberal Democrat
                                   611
                                   497
## 4 Green
## 5 The Brexit Party
                                   275
   6 Independent
                                   224
## 7 Scottish National Party
                                    59
## 8 UKIP
                                    44
## 9 Plaid Cymru
                                    36
## 10 Christian Peoples Alliance
                                    29
## # ... with 59 more rows
```

#### Top 5

#### Top 5

#### Bottom 5

```
ukvote2019 |>
  count(party name) |>
  slice min(order by = n, n = 5)
## # A tibble: 25 × 2
     party_name
   <chr>
                                         <int>
   1 Ashfield Independents
   2 Best for Luton
## 3 Birkenhead Social Justice Party
## 4 British National Party
## 5 Burnley & Padiham Independent Party
## 6 Church of the Militant Elvis Party
## 7 Citizens Movement Party UK
## 8 CumbriaFirst
## 9 Heavy Woollen District Independents
## 10 Independent Network
## # ... with 15 more rows
```

## ukvote2019 |> count(constituency)

```
## # A tibble: 650 × 2
     constituency
                                         n
   <chr>
                                     <int>
## 1 Aberavon
## 2 Aberconwy
## 3 Aberdeen North
## 4 Aberdeen South
## 5 Aberdeenshire West & Kincardine
## 6 Airdrie & Shotts
## 7 Aldershot
## 8 Aldridge-Brownhills
## 9 Altrincham & Sale West
## 10 Alyn & Deeside
## # ... with 640 more rows
```

```
ukvote2019 |>
  count(constituency) |>
  count(n)
## # A tibble: 8 × 2
            nn
    <int> <int>
## 1
        4 194
       5 226
        6 139
      7 49
## 5
## 6
      8 18
## 7
## 8
```

ukvote2019

```
## # A tibble: 3,320 × 13
      cid
                 const...¹ elect...² party...³ candi...⁴ votes vote ...⁵ vote ...⁶ total...ⁿ vrank
##
      <chr>
                 <chr>
                            <int> <chr> <chr> <int>
                                                            <dbl>
                                                                    <dbl>
                                                                             <int> <int>
    1 W07000049 Aberav...
                           50747 Labour Stephe... 17008
                                                             53.8
                                                                     -14.3
                                                                             31598
   2 W07000049 Aberav...
                            50747 Conser... Charlo... 6518
                                                             20.6
                                                                       2.9
                                                                             31598
   3 W07000049 Aberav...
                            50747 The Br... Glenda... 3108
                                                              9.8
                                                                       9.8
                                                                             31598
                                                                                        3
   4 W07000049 Aberav...
                            50747 Plaid ... Nigel ... 2711
                                                              8.6
                                                                       0.3
                                                                             31598
   5 W07000049 Aberav...
                            50747 Libera... Sheila... 1072
                                                              3.4
                                                                       1.6
                                                                             31598
    6 W07000049 Aberav...
                            50747 Indepe... Captai...
                                                     731
                                                              2.3
                                                                       2.3
                                                                             31598
## 7 W07000049 Aberav...
                           50747 Green Giorgi...
                                                     450
                                                              1.4
                                                                       1.4
                                                                             31598
   8 W07000058 Aberco...
                           44699 Conser… Robin … 14687
                                                             46.1
                                                                       1.5
                                                                             31865
## 9 W07000058 Aberco...
                           44699 Labour Emily ... 12653
                                                             39.7
                                                                      -2.9
                                                                             31865
                                                              8.5
## 10 W07000058 Aberco...
                           44699 Plaid ... Lisa G... 2704
                                                                      -1.4
                                                                             31865
## # ... with 3,310 more rows, 3 more variables: turnout <dbl>, fname <chr>,
       lname <chr>, and abbreviated variable names ¹constituency, ²electorate,
## #
       <sup>3</sup>party name, <sup>4</sup>candidate, <sup>5</sup>vote share percent, <sup>6</sup>vote share change,
## #
       <sup>7</sup>total votes cast
```

```
ukvote2019 |>
  count(constituency, name = "n_cands")
```

```
## # A tibble: 650 × 2
## constituency
                                    n cands
## <chr>
                                      <int>
## 1 Aberavon
## 2 Aberconwy
## 3 Aberdeen North
## 4 Aberdeen South
## 5 Aberdeenshire West & Kincardine
## 6 Airdrie & Shotts
## 7 Aldershot
## 8 Aldridge-Brownhills
## 9 Altrincham & Sale West
## 10 Alyn & Deeside
## # ... with 640 more rows
```

```
ukvote2019 |>
  count(constituency, name = "n_cands") |>
  count(n_cands, name = "n_const")
```

```
## # A tibble: 8 × 2
   n_cands n_const
      <int> <int>
##
## 1
                 21
## 2
                194
## 3
                226
                139
## 4
                 49
## 5
## 6
                 18
                  2
## 7
         12
## 8
```

# Two dplyr gotchas

#### Let's say you are working with proportions

```
## # A tibble: 4 × 3
## id prop1 prop2
## <chr> <dbl> <dbl> ## 1 A 0.1 0.2
## 2 B 0.1 0.21
## 3 C 0.11 0.2
## 4 D 0.1 0.1
```

And you want to focus on cases where prop1 plus prop2 is greater than 0.3:

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The row with id A shouldn't have been included there.

And you want to focus on cases where prop1 *plus* prop2 is greater than 0.3:

The row with id A shouldn't have been included there.

This is not dlpyr's fault. It's our floating point friend again.

```
df |>
   filter(prop1 + prop2 == 0.3)

## # A tibble: 0 × 3
## # ... with 3 variables: id <chr>, prop1 <dbl>, prop2 <dbl>
```

The row with id A *should* have been included here!

This won't give the right behavior either:

```
df |>
  mutate(prop3 = prop1 + prop2) |>
  filter(prop3 == 0.3)

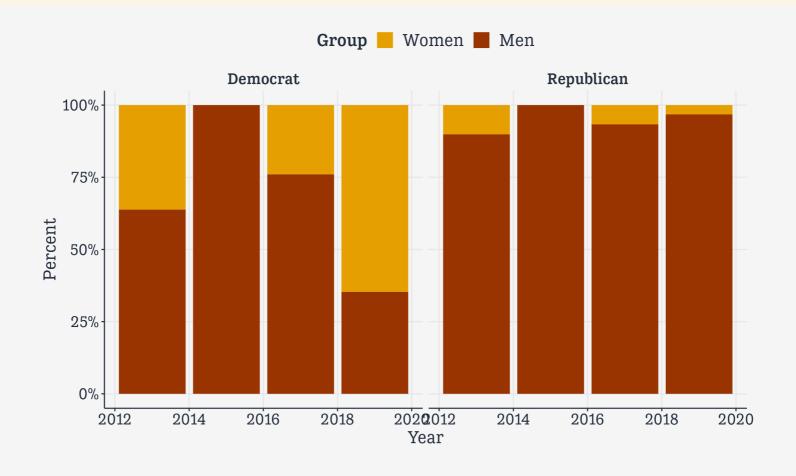
## # A tibble: 0 × 4
## # ... with 4 variables: id <chr>, prop1 <dbl>, prop2 <dbl>, prop3 <dbl>
```

#### So, beware.

```
df <- read_csv(here("data", "first_terms.csv"))</pre>
df
## # A tibble: 280 × 4
       pid start year party
                                 sex
     <dbl> <date>
                                 <chr>
                      <chr>
   1 3160 2013-01-03 Republican M
   2 3161 2013-01-03 Democrat
   3 3162 2013-01-03 Democrat
   4 3163 2013-01-03 Republican M
   5 3164 2013-01-03 Democrat
   6 3165 2013-01-03 Republican M
   7 3166 2013-01-03 Republican M
   8 3167 2013-01-03 Democrat
## 9 3168 2013-01-03 Republican M
## 10 3169 2013-01-03 Democrat M
## # ... with 270 more rows
```

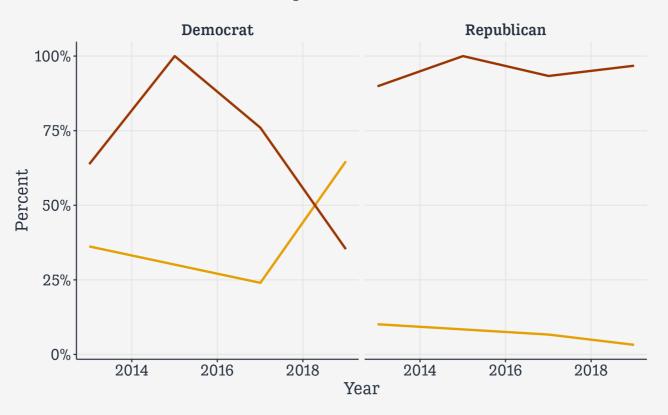
```
df |>
    group_by(start_year, party, sex) |>
    summarize(N = n()) >
    mutate(freq = N / sum(N))
## # A tibble: 14 × 5
## # Groups: start year, party [8]
     start year party
                                    N freq
                          sex
     <date>
               <chr>
                          <chr> <int> <dbl>
   1 2013-01-03 Democrat F
                                   21 0.362
   2 2013-01-03 Democrat M
                                   37 0.638
   3 2013-01-03 Republican F
                                   8 0.101
   4 2013-01-03 Republican M
                                   71 0.899
   5 2015-01-03 Democrat
                                    1 1
   6 2015-01-03 Republican M
                                    5 1
## 7 2017-01-03 Democrat
                                    6 0.24
   8 2017-01-03 Democrat M
                                   19 0.76
## 9 2017-01-03 Republican F
                                    2 0.0667
## 10 2017-01-03 Republican M
                                   28 0.933
## 11 2019-01-03 Democrat F
                                   33 0.647
## 12 2019-01-03 Democrat M
                                   18 0.353
## 13 2019-01-03 Republican F
                                   1 0.0323
## 14 2019-01-03 Republican M
                                   30 0.968
```

p\_col



p\_line





Factors are for categorical variables and are stored differently from characters.

This can matter when modeling, and also now.

```
df f <- df |>
  mutate(party f = factor(party))
df f
## # A tibble: 280 × 5
       party_f
                           <chr> <fct>
     <dbl> <date>
                     <chr>
   1 3160 2013-01-03 Republican M
                                     Republican
   2 3161 2013-01-03 Democrat
                                     Democrat
## 3 3162 2013-01-03 Democrat
                                     Democrat
## 4 3163 2013-01-03 Republican M
                                     Republican
                                     Democrat
## 5 3164 2013-01-03 Democrat
## 6 3165 2013-01-03 Republican M
                                     Republican
## 7 3166 2013-01-03 Republican M
                                     Republican
## 8 3167 2013-01-03 Democrat
                                     Democrat
## 9 3168 2013-01-03 Republican M
                                     Republican
## 10 3169 2013-01-03 Democrat
                                     Democrat
## # ... with 270 more rows
```

#### Factors are integer values with named labels, or *levels*:

```
typeof(df_f$party_f)

## [1] "integer"

levels(df_f$party_f)

## [1] "Democrat" "Republican"
```

#### By default, unused levels won't display:

```
df f <- df |>
  mutate(party_f = factor(party,
                         levels = c("Democrat",
                                    "Republican",
                                    "Libertarian")))
df f l>
  group_by(party_f) |>
  tally()
## # A tibble: 2 × 2
## party_f
   <fct>
           <int>
## 1 Democrat
              135
## 2 Republican 145
levels(df_f$party_f)
## [1] "Democrat"
                 "Republican" "Libertarian"
```

#### By default, unused levels won't display:

```
df |>
  mutate(across(where(is.character), as factor)) |>
  group_by(start_year, party, sex) |>
  summarize(N = n()) >
  mutate(freq = N / sum(N))
## # A tibble: 14 × 5
## # Groups: start_year, party [8]
     start year party sex
                                    N
                                      freq
     <date>
               <fct> <fct> <fct> <int> <dbl>
   1 2013-01-03 Republican M
                                   71 0.899
   2 2013-01-03 Republican F
                                  8 0.101
   3 2013-01-03 Democrat M
                                   37 0.638
   4 2013-01-03 Democrat F
                                   21 0.362
   5 2015-01-03 Republican M
                                  5 1
   6 2015-01-03 Democrat
                                   1 1
   7 2017-01-03 Republican M
                                   28 0.933
   8 2017-01-03 Republican F
                               2 0.0667
   9 2017-01-03 Democrat
                                   19 0.76
## 10 2017-01-03 Democrat
                                  6 0.24
## 11 2019-01-03 Republican M
                                   30 0.968
## 12 2019-01-03 Republican F
                                  1 0.0323
## 13 2019-01-03 Democrat
                                   18 0.353
## 14 2019-01-03 Democrat
                                   33 0.647
```

You can make dplyr keep empty factor levels though:

```
df |>
  mutate(across(where(is.character), as factor)) |>
  group_by(start_year, party, sex, .drop = FALSE) |>
  summarize(N = n()) >
  mutate(freq = N / sum(N))
## # A tibble: 16 × 5
## # Groups: start_year, party [8]
     start year party sex
                                     freq
     <date>
               <fct> <fct> <int> <dbl>
   1 2013-01-03 Republican M
                                  71 0.899
   2 2013-01-03 Republican F
                             8 0.101
   3 2013-01-03 Democrat M
                                  37 0.638
   4 2013-01-03 Democrat F
                                  21 0.362
   5 2015-01-03 Republican M
                             5 1
   6 2015-01-03 Republican F
                              0 0
   7 2015-01-03 Democrat
                                 1 1
   8 2015-01-03 Democrat
                                   0 0
   9 2017-01-03 Republican M
                                  28 0.933
## 10 2017-01-03 Republican F
                                  2 0.0667
## 11 2017-01-03 Democrat
                                  19 0.76
## 12 2017-01-03 Democrat
                                  6 0.24
## 13 2019-01-03 Republican M
                                  30 0.968
## 14 2019-01-03 Republican F
                                 1 0.0323
## 15 2019-01-03 Democrat
                                  18 0.353
## 16 2019-01-03 Democrat
                                  33 0.647
```

Maybe you don't want to deal with factors.

```
df_c <- df |>
   group_by(start_year, party, sex) |>
   summarize(N = n()) |>
   mutate(freq = N / sum(N)) |>
   ungroup() |>
   complete(start_year, party, sex,
        fill = list(N = 0, freq = 0))
```

#### df\_c

```
## # A tibble: 16 × 5
     start_year party
                                     N freq
                           sex
                           <chr> <int> <dbl>
     <date>
                <chr>
   1 2013-01-03 Democrat
                                    21 0.362
   2 2013-01-03 Democrat
                                    37 0.638
   3 2013-01-03 Republican F
                                   8 0.101
   4 2013-01-03 Republican M
                                    71 0.899
   5 2015-01-03 Democrat
                                     0 0
   6 2015-01-03 Democrat
                                     1 1
                                     0 0
   7 2015-01-03 Republican F
   8 2015-01-03 Republican M
                                     5 1
   9 2017-01-03 Democrat
                                     6 0.24
## 10 2017-01-03 Democrat M
                                    19 0.76
## 11 2017-01-03 Republican F
                                     2 0.0667
## 12 2017-01-03 Republican M
                                    28 0.933
## 13 2019-01-03 Democrat F
                                    33 0.647
## 14 2019-01-03 Democrat M
                                    18 0.353
## 15 2019-01-03 Republican F
                                    1 0.0323
## 16 2019-01-03 Republican M
                                    30 0.968
```

p\_out



