

Counts and percentages

Data source

This program uses data from a study of sharing services (like sharing an automobile) and produces counts and percentages for a few demographic variables. There is a [data dictionary](#) that provides more details about the data.

Libraries

Here are the libraries you need for this program.

```
library(readxl)
library(tidyverse)
```

Reading the data

Here is the code to read the data and show a glimpse. There are 31 columns total, but I am showing just a few of the columns here.

```
fn <- "../data/sharing.xlsx"
sharing <- read_excel(fn)
glimpse(sharing[ , c(1, 5:7)])
```

Rows: 190

Columns: 4

```
$ id          <dbl> 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 1...
$ age         <chr> "36-45", "36-45", "over 60", "46-60", "36-45", "over...
$ gender      <chr> "M", "F", "F", "M", "F", "F", "F", "F", "F", "F", "F"...
$ employment_status <chr> "employed", "employed", "employed", "employed", "emp...
```

Calculate counts and percentages for gender

```
sharing |>
  group_by(gender) |>
  summarize(n=n()) |>
  mutate(total=sum(n)) |>
  mutate(pct=100*n/total)
```

```
# A tibble: 3 × 4
  gender      n total  pct
  <chr> <int> <int> <dbl>
1 F      114   190  60
2 M       70   190  36.8
3 <NA>     6   190   3.16
```

The survey respondents were mostly female with only 37% of respondents identifying as male. Six ages were missing.

Calculate the counts and percentages for employment_status.

```
sharing |>
  group_by(employment_status) |>
  summarize(n=n()) |>
  mutate(total=sum(n)) |>
  mutate(pct=100*n/total)
```

```
# A tibble: 7 × 4
  employment_status      n total  pct
  <chr>          <int> <int> <dbl>
1 employed          108   190  56.8
2 entrepreneur       13   190   6.84
3 full-time student   37   190  19.5
4 self-employed       16   190   8.42
5 temporarily unemployed  5   190   2.63
6 unemployed          5   190   2.63
7 <NA>              6   190   3.16
```

Most of the survey respondents were either employed or full time students. About half were employed while 19.5% were students. Only 2.6% were unemployed and there were 6 respondents whose status was unknown.