

Describing Data

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- This presentation is based on (Chapman and Feit 2019, chap. 3)

Purpose

- Utilize descriptive statistics and single variable visualization techniques for summarizing and exploring a data set

Weekly store data

- **storeNum**: store identifier
- **Year**: year identifier
- **Week**: week as it would appear in the ISO 8601 system (1-52)
- **p1sales**: units sold of product 1
- **p2sales**: units sold of product 2
- **p1price**: price of product 1
- **p2price**: price of product 2
- **p1prom**: whether product 1 was promoted (1) or not (0)
- **p2prom**: whether product 2 was promoted (1) or not (0)
- **country**: two-letter country codes defined in ISO 3166-1

Weekly store data

• Import data

```
weekly_store <- read_csv(file = "http://goo.gl/QPDdM1")  
weekly_store |> head(n=5)
```

```
# A tibble: 5 x 10  
  storeNum Year Week p1sales p2sales p1price p2price p1prom p2prom country  
    <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <chr>  
1     101     1     1    127     106     2.29     2.29     0       0 US  
2     101     1     2    137     105     2.49     2.49     0       0 US  
3     101     1     3    156     97      2.99     2.99     1       0 US  
4     101     1     4    117     106     2.99     3.19     0       0 US  
5     101     1     5    138     100     2.49     2.59     0       1 US
```

Weekly store data

• Transform data

```
weekly_store <- weekly_store |>
  mutate(storeNum = factor(storeNum, ordered = FALSE),
         Year = factor(Year, levels = 1:2, ordered = TRUE),
         Week = factor(Week, levels = 1:52, ordered = TRUE),
         p1prom = as.logical(p1prom),
         p2prom = as.logical(p2prom))
weekly_store |> head(n=5)
```

A tibble: 5 x 10

	storeNum	Year	Week	pisales	p2sales	p1price	p2price	p1prom	p2prom	country
	<fct>	<ord>	<ord>	<dbl>	<dbl>	<dbl>	<dbl>	<lgl>	<lgl>	<chr>
1	101	1	1	127	106	2.29	2.29	FALSE	FALSE	US
2	101	1	2	137	105	2.49	2.49	FALSE	FALSE	US
3	101	1	3	156	97	2.99	2.99	TRUE	FALSE	US
4	101	1	4	117	106	2.99	3.19	FALSE	FALSE	US
5	101	1	5	138	100	2.49	2.59	FALSE	TRUE	US

Weekly store data

• Inspect data: the base R way

```
as.data.frame(weekly_store) |> str()
```

```
'data.frame':  2080 obs. of  10 variables:
 $ storeNum: Factor w/ 20 levels "101","102","103",...: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
 $ Year    : Ord.factor w/ 2 levels "1"<"2": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
 $ Week    : Ord.factor w/ 52 levels "1"<"2"<"3"<"4"<...: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ...
 $ p1sales : num  127 137 156 117 138 115 116 106 116 145 ...
 $ p2sales : num  106 105 97 106 100 127 90 126 94 91 ...
 $ p1price : num  2.29 2.49 2.99 2.99 2.49 2.79 2.99 2.99 2.29 2.49 ...
 $ p2price : num  2.29 2.49 2.99 3.19 2.59 2.49 3.19 2.29 2.29 2.99 ...
 $ p1prom  : logi  FALSE FALSE TRUE  FALSE FALSE FALSE ...
 $ p2prom  : logi  FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE TRUE  FALSE ...
 $ country : chr   "US" "US" "US" "US" ...
```


Weekly store data

• Inspect data: the tidyverse way

```
weekly_store |> glimpse()
```

```
Rows: 2,080
```

```
Columns: 10
```

```
$ storeNum <fct> 101, 101, 101, 101, 101, 101, 101, 101, 101, 101, 101, 101, 1~  
$ Year      <ord> 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1~  
$ Week      <ord> 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18~  
$ p1sales   <dbl> 127, 137, 156, 117, 138, 115, 116, 106, 116, 145, 123, 169, 1~  
$ p2sales   <dbl> 106, 105, 97, 106, 100, 127, 90, 126, 94, 91, 104, 73, 79, 10~  
$ p1price   <dbl> 2.29, 2.49, 2.99, 2.99, 2.49, 2.79, 2.99, 2.99, 2.29, 2.49, 2~  
$ p2price   <dbl> 2.29, 2.49, 2.99, 3.19, 2.59, 2.49, 3.19, 2.29, 2.29, 2.99, 2~  
$ p1prom    <lgl> FALSE, FALSE, TRUE, FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, ~  
$ p2prom    <lgl> FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, TRUE, FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, ~  
$ country   <chr> "US", "US", "US", "US", "US", "US", "US", "US", "US", "US", "~
```

Weekly store data

• Summarize data: the R base way

```
weekly_store |> summary()
```

storeNum	Year	Week	p1sales	p2sales
101 : 104	1:1040	1 : 40	Min. : 73	Min. : 51.0
102 : 104	2:1040	2 : 40	1st Qu.:113	1st Qu.: 84.0
103 : 104		3 : 40	Median :129	Median : 96.0
104 : 104		4 : 40	Mean :133	Mean :100.2
105 : 104		5 : 40	3rd Qu.:150	3rd Qu.:113.0
106 : 104		6 : 40	Max. :263	Max. :225.0
(Other):1456		(Other):1840		

p1price	p2price	p1prom	p2prom
Min. :2.190	Min. :2.29	Mode :logical	Mode :logical
1st Qu.:2.290	1st Qu.:2.49	FALSE:1872	FALSE:1792
Median :2.490	Median :2.59	TRUE :208	TRUE :288
Mean :2.544	Mean :2.70		
3rd Qu.:2.790	3rd Qu.:2.99		
Max. :2.990	Max. :3.19		

country
Length:2080
Class :character
Mode :character

Weekly store data

- Summarize data: the skimr way

- Ups the table is really big!!! Try it in your console to see the complete table

```
weekly_store |> skim()
```

Table 1: Data summary

Name	weekly_store
Number of rows	2080
Number of columns	10
Column type frequency:	
character	1
factor	3
logical	2
numeric	4
Group variables	
None	

Variable type: character

skim_variable	n_missing	complete_rate	min	max	empty	n_unique	whitespace
country	0	1	2	2	0	7	0

Weekly store data

- Count data: the R base way

```
table(weekly_store$plprice)
```

```
2.19 2.29 2.49 2.79 2.99
395  444  423  443  375
```

- Count data: the tidyverse way

```
weekly_store |> count(plprice)
```

```
# A tibble: 5 x 2
  plprice     n
  <dbl> <int>
1    2.19   395
2    2.29   444
3    2.49   423
4    2.79   443
5    2.99   375
```

Weekly store data

- Data visualization

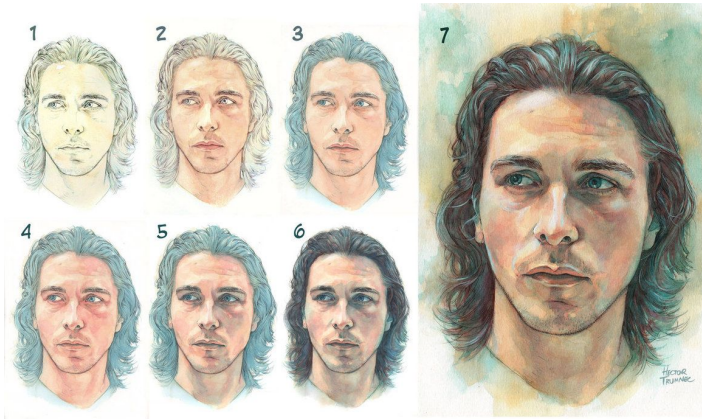
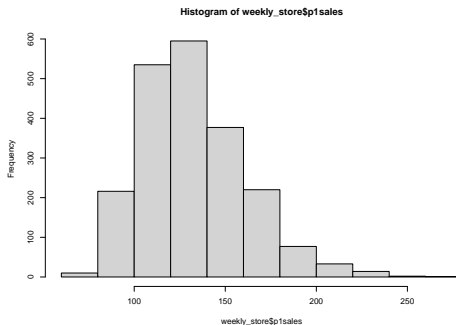


Figure 1: Analogy of data visualization as painting step by step (Watercolor portrait - Step by Step by Hector Trunnec (Valencia, Spain) 2015-03-03)

Weekly store data

- Histograms: the base R way

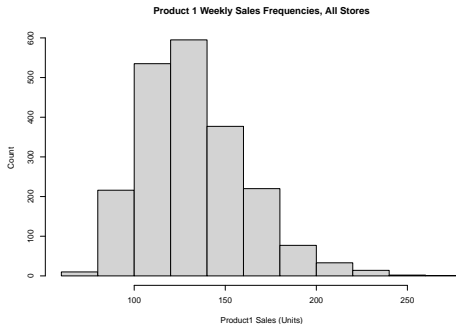
```
weekly_store$psales |> hist()
```



Weekly store data

• Histograms: the base R way

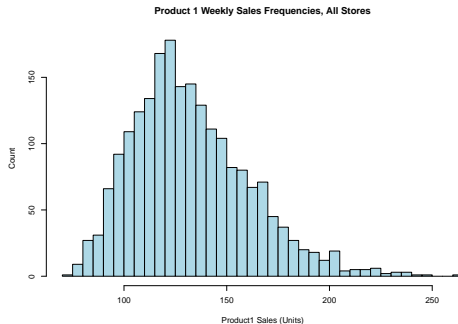
```
weekly_store$psales |> hist(main = "Product 1 Weekly Sales Frequencies, All Stores",  
  xlab = "Product1 Sales (Units)" ,  
  ylab = "Count")
```



Weekly store data

• Histograms: the base R way

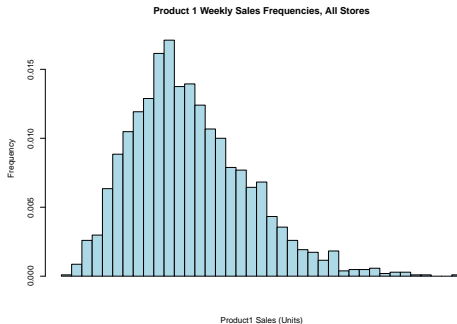
```
weekly_store$p1sales |> hist(main = "Product 1 Weekly Sales Frequencies, All Stores",  
  xlab = "Product1 Sales (Units)" ,  
  ylab = "Count",  
  breaks = 30,  
  col = "lightblue")
```



Weekly store data

• Histograms: the base R way

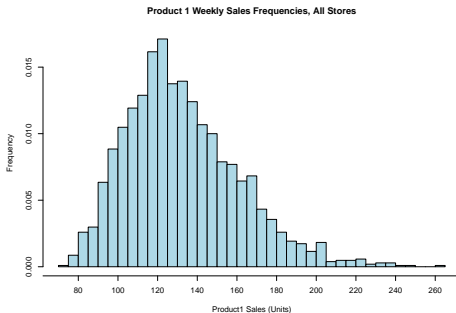
```
weekly_store$psales |> hist(main = "Product 1 Weekly Sales Frequencies, All Stores",  
  xlab = "Product1 Sales (Units)" ,  
  ylab = "Frequency",  
  breaks = 30,  
  col = "lightblue",  
  freq = FALSE,  
  xaxt = "n")
```



Weekly store data

• Histograms: the base R way

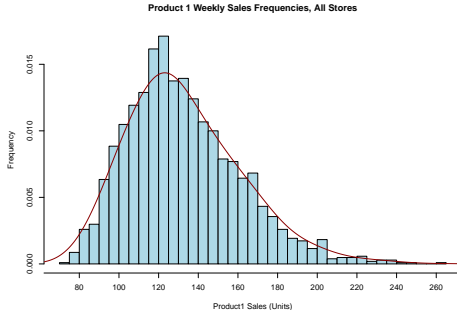
```
weekly_store$psales |> hist(main = "Product 1 Weekly Sales Frequencies, All Stores",  
  xlab = "Product1 Sales (Units)" ,  
  ylab = "Frequency",  
  breaks = 30,  
  col = "lightblue",  
  freq = FALSE,  
  xaxt = "n")  
axis(side=1 , at=seq(from = 60, to = 300, by = 20))
```



Weekly store data

• Histograms: the base R way

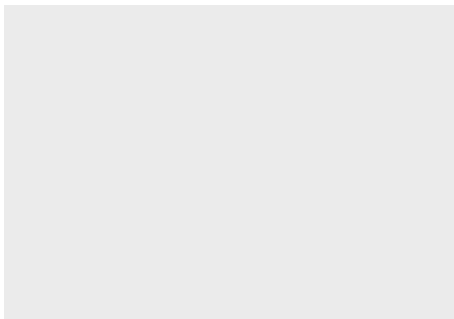
```
weekly_store$psales |> hist(main = "Product 1 Weekly Sales Frequencies, All Stores",  
  xlab = "Product1 Sales (Units)" ,  
  ylab = "Frequency",  
  breaks = 30,  
  col = "lightblue",  
  freq = FALSE,  
  xaxt = "n")  
axis(side=1 , at=seq(from = 60, to = 300, by = 20))  
lines(x = density(weekly_store$psales, bw=10), type="l", col="darkred", lwd=2)
```



Weekly store data

- **Histograms: the tidyverse way**

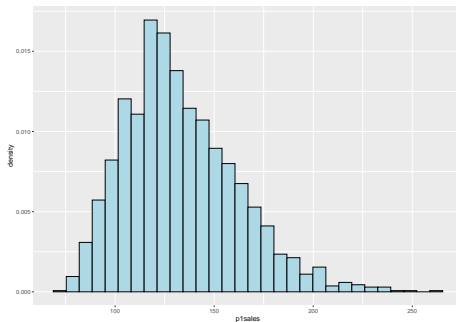
```
weekly_store |> ggplot()
```



Weekly store data

• Histograms: the tidyverse way

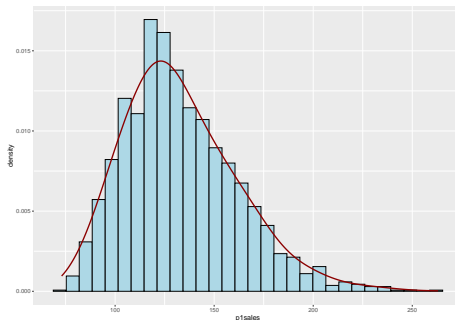
```
weekly_store |> ggplot() +  
  geom_histogram(aes(x = p1sales, y = after_stat(density)),  
    color = "black", fill = "lightblue", bins = 30)
```



Weekly store data

• Histograms: the tidyverse way

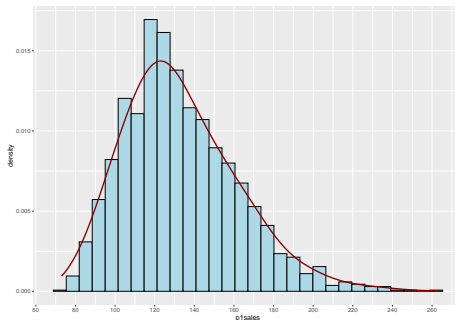
```
weekly_store |> ggplot() +  
  geom_histogram(aes(x = p1sales, y = after_stat(density)),  
    color = "black", fill = "lightblue", bins = 30) +  
  geom_density(aes(x=p1sales),  
    bw=10, color="darkred",  
    linetype = "solid", linewidth = 1)
```



Weekly store data

• Histograms: the tidyverse way

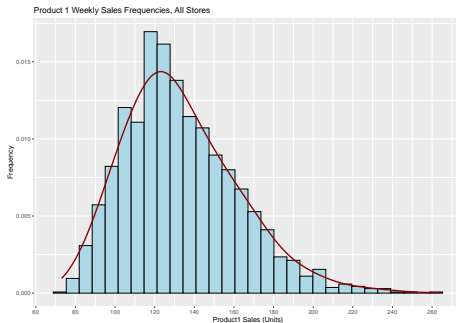
```
weekly_store |> ggplot() +  
  geom_histogram(aes(x=pjsales, y = after_stat(density)),  
    color = "black", fill = "lightblue", bins = 30) +  
  geom_density(aes(x=pjsales),  
    bw=10, color="darkred", linetype="solid", linewidth=1) +  
  scale_x_continuous(breaks = seq(from = 60, to = 300, by = 20))
```



Weekly store data

• Histograms: the tidyverse way

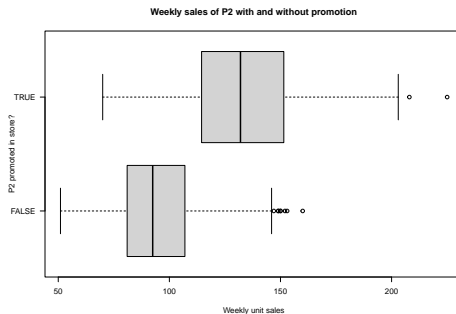
```
weekly_store |> ggplot() +  
  geom_histogram(aes(x = p1sales, y = after_stat(density)),  
    color = "black", fill = "lightblue", bins = 30) +  
  geom_density(aes(x = p1sales),  
    bw = 10, color = "darkred", linetype = "solid", linewidth = 1) +  
  scale_x_continuous(breaks = seq(from = 60, to = 300, by = 20)) +  
  labs(x = "Product1 Sales (Units)", y = "Frequency",  
    title = "Product 1 Weekly Sales Frequencies, All Stores")
```



Weekly store data

- **Boxplots: the base R way**
 - Boxplot product 2 sales by promotion

```
boxplot(weekly_store$p2sales ~ weekly_store$p2prom,  
        main = "Weekly sales of P2 with and without promotion",  
        xlab = "Weekly unit sales", ylab = "P2 promoted in store?",  
        horizontal = TRUE, las = 1)
```

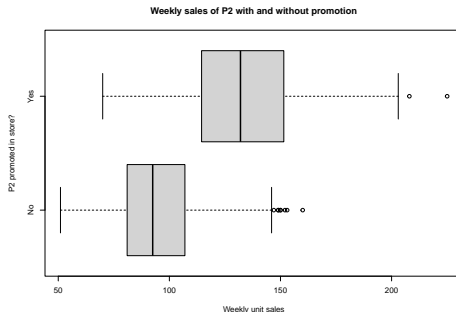


Weekly store data

- **Boxplots: the base R way**

- Boxplot product 2 sales by promotion

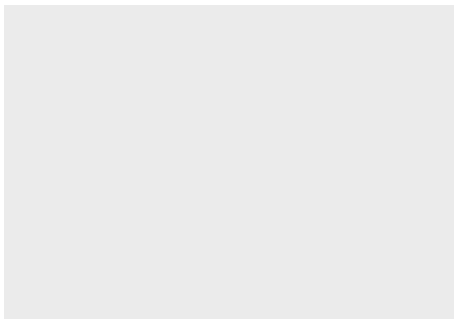
```
boxplot(weekly_store$p2sales ~ weekly_store$p2prom,  
        main = "Weekly sales of P2 with and without promotion",  
        xlab = "Weekly unit sales", ylab = "P2 promoted in store?",  
        horizontal = TRUE, las = 1, yaxt = "n")  
axis(side = 2, at = c(1,2), labels = c("No", "Yes"))
```



Weekly store data

- **Boxplots: the tidyverse way**
 - Boxplot product 2 sales by promotion

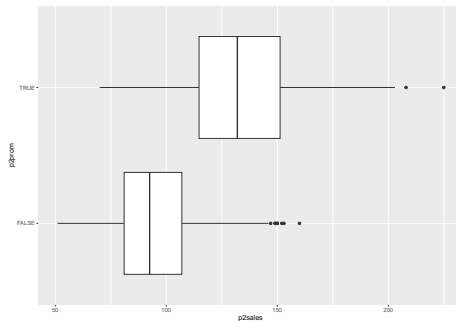
```
weekly_store |> ggplot()
```



Weekly store data

- **Boxplots: the tidyverse way**
 - Boxplot product 2 sales by promotion

```
weekly_store |> ggplot() +  
  geom_boxplot(aes(x = p2sales, y = p2prom))
```

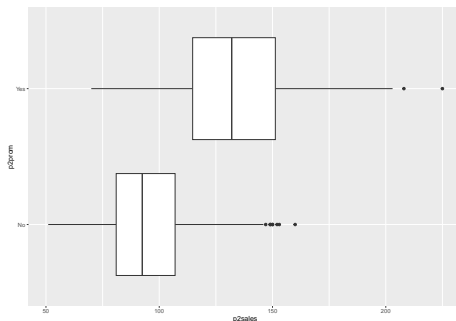


Weekly store data

- **Boxplots: the tidyverse way**

- Boxplot product 2 sales by promotion

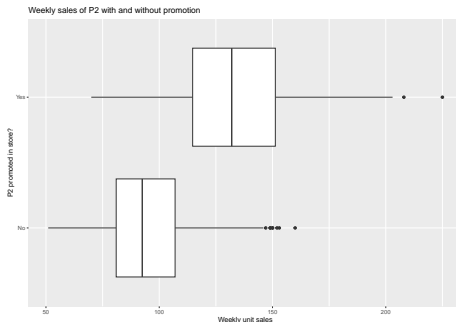
```
weekly_store |> ggplot() +  
  geom_boxplot(aes(x = p2sales, y = p2prom)) +  
  scale_y_discrete(labels = c("No", "Yes"))
```



Weekly store data

- **Boxplots: the tidyverse way**
 - Boxplot product 2 sales by promotion

```
weekly_store |> ggplot() +  
  geom_boxplot(aes(x = p2sales, y = p2prom)) +  
  scale_y_discrete(labels = c("No", "Yes")) +  
  labs(x = "Weekly unit sales", y = "P2 promoted in store?",  
       title = "Weekly sales of P2 with and without promotion")
```



Questions and answers with data

- In what countries the company sell more units of product 2?
- Preparing the data

```
weekly_store_sales_by_country <- weekly_store |>
  group_by(country)
weekly_store_sales_by_country
```

```
# A tibble: 2,080 x 10
# Groups:   country [7]
  storeNum Year Week p1sales p2sales p1price p2price p1prom p2prom country
  <fct>    <ord> <ord>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl> <lg1> <lg1> <chr>
1 101      1     1      127     106     2.29     2.29 FALSE FALSE US
2 101      1     2      137     105     2.49     2.49 FALSE FALSE US
3 101      1     3      156     97     2.99     2.99 TRUE  FALSE US
4 101      1     4      117     106     2.99     3.19 FALSE FALSE US
5 101      1     5      138     100     2.49     2.59 FALSE TRUE  US
6 101      1     6      115     127     2.79     2.49 FALSE FALSE US
7 101      1     7      116     90     2.99     3.19 FALSE FALSE US
8 101      1     8      106     126     2.99     2.29 FALSE FALSE US
9 101      1     9      116     94     2.29     2.29 FALSE FALSE US
10 101     1    10      145     91     2.49     2.99 FALSE FALSE US
# i 2,070 more rows
```

Questions and answers with data

- In what countries the company sell more units of product 2?
- Preparing the data

```
weekly_store_sales_by_country <- weekly_store |>  
  group_by(country) |>  
  summarise(sum_p2sales = sum(p2sales))  
weekly_store_sales_by_country
```

```
# A tibble: 7 x 2  
  country sum_p2sales  
  <chr>      <dbl>  
1 AU          9934  
2 BR         21362  
3 CN         20911  
4 DE         52263  
5 GB         31264  
6 JP         41344  
7 US         31248
```


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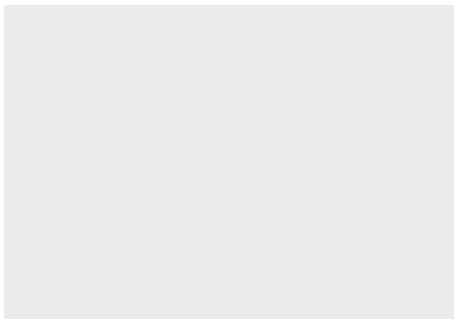
```
weekly_store_sales_by_country <- weekly_store |>
  group_by(country) |>
  summarise(sum_p2sales = sum(p2sales)) |>
  mutate(country = fct_reorder(.f = country, .x = sum_p2sales))
weekly_store_sales_by_country
```

```
# A tibble: 7 x 2
  country sum_p2sales
<fct>      <dbl>
1 AU         9934
2 BR        21362
3 CN        20911
4 DE        52263
5 GB        31264
6 JP        41344
7 US        31248
```

Questions and answers with data

- In what countries the company sell more units of product 2?
 - Visualizing data

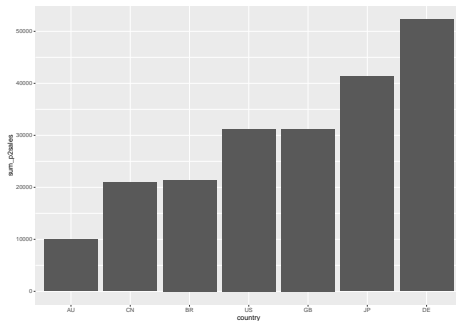
```
weekly_store_sales_by_country |> ggplot()
```



Questions and answers with data

- In what countries the company sell more units of product 2?
- Visualizing data

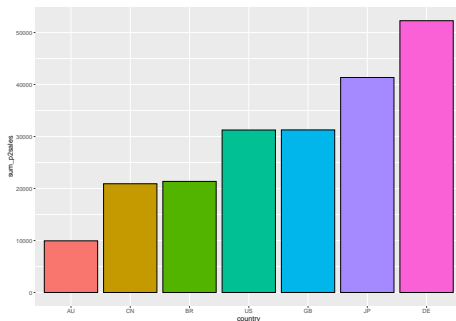
```
weekly_store_sales_by_country |> ggplot() +  
  geom_col(aes(x = country, y = sum_p2sales))
```



Questions and answers with data

- In what countries the company sell more units of product 2?
- Visualizing data

```
weekly_store_sales_by_country |> ggplot() +  
  geom_col(aes(x = country, y = sum_p2sales, fill = country),  
    color = "black", show.legend = FALSE)
```

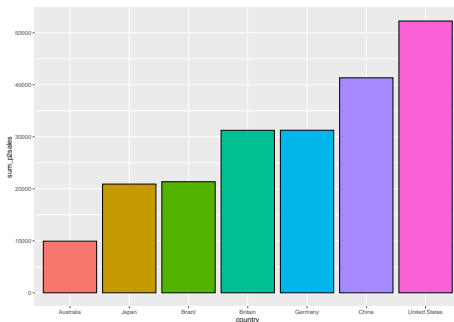


Questions and answers with data

- In what countries the company sell more units of product 2?

- Visualizing data

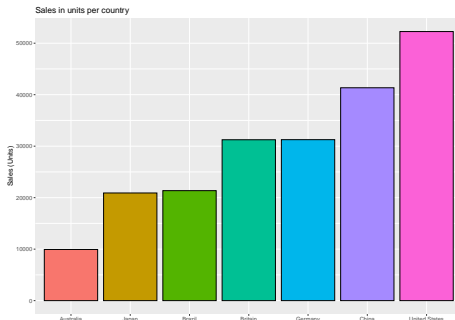
```
weekly_store_sales_by_country |> ggplot() +  
  geom_col(aes(x = country, y = sum_p2sales, fill = country),  
    color = "black", show.legend = FALSE) +  
  scale_x_discrete(labels = c("Australia", "Japan", "Brazil",  
    "Britain", "Germany", "China", "United States"))
```



Questions and answers with data

- In what countries the company sell more units of product 2?
- Visualizing data

```
weekly_store_sales_by_country |> ggplot() +  
  geom_col(aes(x = country, y = sum_p2sales, fill = country),  
    color = "black", show.legend = FALSE) +  
  scale_x_discrete(labels = c("Australia", "Japan", "Brazil",  
    "Britain", "Germany", "China", "United States")) +  
  labs(x = NULL, y = "Sales (Units)",  
    title = "Sales in units per country")
```



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