# tu14\_DataWranglingII

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# 1 Wraggling, Summarizing, and Plotting

#### 1.1 Preliminaries

You don't need to import numpy to run pandas, but numpy comes in handy so often, we generally import it as well.

```
[1]: import numpy as np import pandas as pd
```

Let's re-use our function to load and clean up data from last time (but with a new name).

```
[2]: def bcd_load_clean():
    bcd = pd.read_csv('./data/breast_cancer_data.csv')
    bcd['patient_id'] = bcd['patient_id'].astype('string')
    bcd['doctor_name'] = bcd['doctor_name'].str.split().str[1]
    bcd['bare_nuclei'] = bcd['bare_nuclei'].replace('?', '')
    bcd['bare_nuclei'] = pd.to_numeric(bcd['bare_nuclei'])
    return bcd
```

Load our data:

```
[3]: bcd = bcd_load_clean()
```

Now, for convenience, let's make a smaller data set to play with. We'll do this by dropping some of the columns.

We can do this in one of two ways. We can either .drop the columns we don't want, or .copy the columns we do. Here's the first method:

```
inplace = False)
                                               # we could modify bcd itself with True
[5]: bcd2
[5]:
           clump_thickness
                             bland_chromatin
                                                    class doctor_name
     0
                        5.0
                                          3.0
                                                   benign
                                                                   Doe
     1
                       5.0
                                          3.0
                                                   benign
                                                                 Smith
     2
                                                                   Lee
                        3.0
                                          3.0
                                                   benign
     3
                        6.0
                                                                 Smith
                                          3.0
                                                   benign
     4
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                                                   benign
                                                                  Wong
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     694
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                                                                 Smith
     696
                        5.0
                                          8.0
                                               malignant
                                                                   Lee
     697
                        4.0
                                                malignant
                                         10.0
                                                                   Lee
     698
                        4.0
                                         10.0
                                               malignant
                                                                  Wong
     [699 rows x 4 columns]
    In the cell below, make the same new data frame using column indexing and the .copy() method.
[6]: bcd2 = bcd[['clump_thickness','bland_chromatin','class','doctor_name']].copy()
[7]:
     bcd2
```

[7]:	clump_thickness	bland_chromatin	class	doctor_name
0	5.0	3.0	benign	Doe
1	5.0	3.0	benign	Smith
2	3.0	3.0	benign	Lee
3	6.0	3.0	benign	Smith
4	4.0	3.0	benign	Wong
	•••	•••	•••	•••
694	3.0	1.0	benign	Lee
695	2.0	1.0	benign	Smith
696	5.0	8.0	malignant	Lee
697	4.0	10.0	malignant	Lee
698	4.0	10.0	malignant	Wong

[699 rows x 4 columns]

## 1.2 What might we want from this data set?

The main thing that comes to mind is whether any of the measures are related to the kind of tumor. To do this, we can

- group the data by the "class" column
- perform some operation, like computing the mean, separately for the groups.

We might also want to see if the doctors are behaving consistently with respect to one another.

### 1.2.1 The split-apply-combine workflow

Much of data wrangling can be thought of "split-apply-combine". This is where we

- *split* the data into groups
- do ("apply") some function or manipulation on a per-group basis
- combine the results back into a data frame, series, etc.

Happily, the "combine" step is often handled for you by the methods that do the "apply" step.

Splitting - the groupby() method Grouping the data is easy using the groupby() method. We just provide the name of a grouping variable. Since the main question at hand is how the measurements might relate to the type of tumor, Let's group by tumor "class".

```
[8]: grpd = bcd2.groupby('class')
```

If we try to look at it:

- [9]: grpd
- [9]: <pandas.core.groupby.generic.DataFrameGroupBy object at 0x7f9af245a880>

we see that the output of '.groupby() isn't a regular data frame, but rather a DataFrameGroupBy object. To interegate it, well need to use its methods or look at its attributes.

In the cell below, use the <TAB> key trick to browse the methods and properties that grpd has.

```
[10]: grpd.
```

```
File "/var/folders/zc/6v283x0929j5f38j6cvlvbwr0000gn/T/ipykernel_22248/

□1579351624.py", line 1

grpd.

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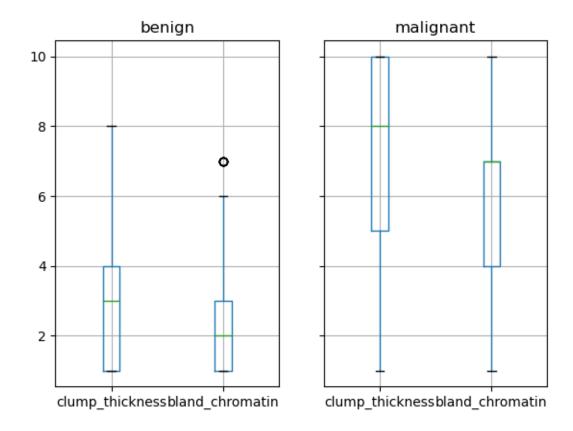
SyntaxError: invalid syntax
```

One of the early methods on the list is .boxplot - see what that does in the cell below!

```
[11]: grpd.boxplot()
```

```
[11]: benign AxesSubplot(0.1,0.15;0.363636x0.75)
malignant AxesSubplot(0.536364,0.15;0.363636x0.75)
```

dtype: object



While not the prettiest plot in the world, it does give us a hint that both of these variables might be related to tumor size.

(Make sure you remember or remind yourself what a box shows you.)

Now let's see if we can .describe the grouped data using the cell below.

## [12]: grpd.describe()

[12]:		clump_thickness								\
		count	mean	std	${\tt min}$	25%	50%	75%	max	
	class									
	benign	458.0	2.956332	1.674318	1.0	1.0	3.0	4.0	8.0	
	malignant	240.0	7.204167	2.429763	1.0	5.0	8.0	10.0	10.0	
		bland_chromatin								
		count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%	max	
	class									
	benign	455.0	2.105495	1.081417	1.0	1.0	2.0	3.0	7.0	

malignant 240.0 5.991667 2.270406 1.0 4.0 7.0 7.0 10.0

What is the approximate mean difference between the groups for each of the two measures?

For clump thickness the approximate difference is around 4.25 and for bland chromatin 3.89.

Do a very rough guesstimate of Student's t for the clump thickness (e.g., just use the larger std and smaller countn). You can use the cell below as a calculator if you like.

```
[13]: 7.204167/(2.429763/(240*(1/2)))
```

[13]: 355.79603442804915

What does that tell you?

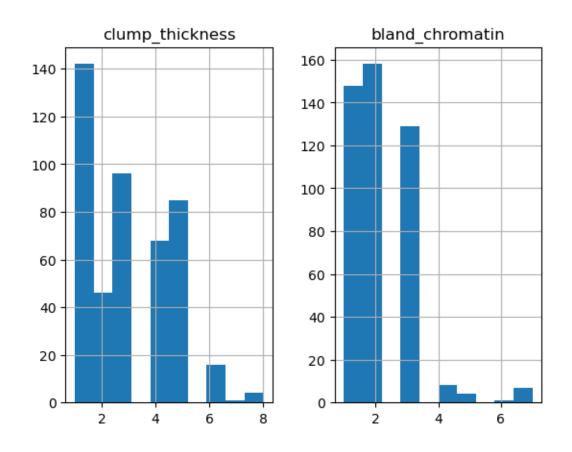
Now let's make a histogram of grouped data using the appropriate method.

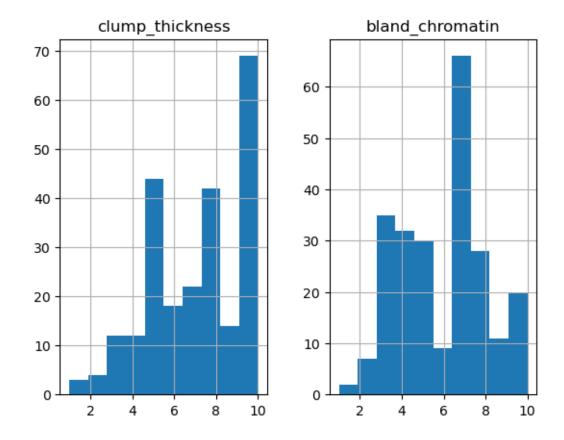
```
[14]: grpd.hist()
```

[14]: class

benign [[AxesSubplot(0.125,0.11;0.336957x0.77), AxesS... malignant [[AxesSubplot(0.125,0.11;0.336957x0.77), AxesS...

dtype: object





Again, not the prettiest plot in the world. By comparison with the boxplot above, we can see that the top row of these histograms correspond to the benign tumors. We can also see that, consistent with the box plots, there is quite a bit overlap in the data values across groups. Is this consistent with your calculation of t?

We can also get the data for a specific group out of the grouped object. This will return a regular data frame the same width as the original, but only containing the requested group's data.

# [15]: grpd.get\_group('benign')

[15]:	clump_th	nickness	bland_chromatin	class	doctor_name
0	)	5.0	3.0	benign	Doe
1		5.0	3.0	benign	Smith
2	!	3.0	3.0	benign	Lee
3	;	6.0	3.0	benign	Smith
4	:	4.0	3.0	benign	Wong
	•	•••	•••	•••	•••
6	90	1.0	1.0	benign	Doe
6	92	3.0	1.0	benign	Wong
6	93	3.0	2.0	benign	Lee

694	3.0	1.0	benign	Lee
695	2.0	1.0	benign	Smith
[458 rows x	x 4 columns]			

In the cell below, confirm that the returned object is indeed a pandas DataFrame.

```
[16]: benign_df = pd.DataFrame(grpd.get_group('benign'))
benign_df
```

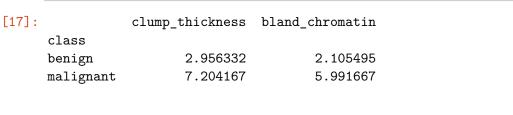
```
[16]:
           clump_thickness
                             bland_chromatin
                                                 class doctor_name
                        5.0
                                                benign
                                                                Doe
      1
                        5.0
                                          3.0
                                               benign
                                                              Smith
      2
                        3.0
                                          3.0
                                               benign
                                                                Lee
      3
                        6.0
                                          3.0
                                               benign
                                                              Smith
      4
                        4.0
                                          3.0
                                               benign
                                                               Wong
                        1.0
      690
                                          1.0 benign
                                                                Doe
      692
                        3.0
                                          1.0
                                               benign
                                                               Wong
      693
                        3.0
                                          2.0 benign
                                                                Lee
      694
                        3.0
                                          1.0 benign
                                                                Lee
      695
                                          1.0 benign
                        2.0
                                                              Smith
```

[458 rows x 4 columns]

**Applying - doing things to the data within groups** Once we have grouped data, we can easily caluculate things per group. Using the <TAB> trick, we can see that these objects produced by groupby() have methods for all the common statistical summaries.

Simple calculations We can compute the mean for each measure by group

```
[17]: my_means = grpd.mean(numeric_only = True)
my_means
```



In the cells below, compute and show the standard deviations:

[18]: my\_sds = grpd.std()

my\_sds

[18]: clump\_thickness bland\_chromatin

class

benign 1.674318 1.081417 malignant 2.429763 2.270406

and the counts

[19]: my\_count = grpd.count()
my\_count

[19]: clump\_thickness bland\_chromatin doctor\_name

class

benign 458 455 458 malignant 240 240 241

We can easily do simple maths on data frames of a compatible size. Here's a comparison of how many z-scores above zero each of the means are:

[20]: my\_zeds = my\_means/my\_sds
my\_zeds

[20]: clump\_thickness bland\_chromatin

class

benign 1.765693 1.946977 malignant 2.964967 2.639029

We can look at the difference between the z-scores for each measure using the diff() method, which takes the first difference down the rows.

[21]: my\_zeds.diff()

[21]: clump\_thickness bland\_chromatin

class

benign NaN NaN malignant 1.199274 0.692052

This difference in z-scores – how far apart two means are in terms of the standard deviation of the data – is roughly what statisticians call "effect size".

Why do the NaNs appear in the first row?

Because the malignant rows are showing the difference between malignant and benign, the top row is not needed.

In the cell below, extract just the row with the numbers from my\_zeds into a new series. (hint: using .loc is probably easiest)

```
[22]: my_zeds.loc['benign']
```

[22]: clump\_thickness 1.765693 bland chromatin 1.946977 Name: benign, dtype: float64

We could also compute the difference by using .loc[] row indexing and simple maths.

```
[23]: my_zeds.loc['malignant'] - my_zeds.loc['benign']
```

[23]: clump thickness 1.199274 bland chromatin 0.692052

dtype: float64

Mulitiple caclulations with agg() We can do multiple calculation at once by placing function names inside the agg() ) or aggregate()) methods (they are synonyms). Here's where importing numpy comes in handy.

```
[24]: grpd.agg([np.mean, np.std])
```

/var/folders/zc/6v283x0929j5f38j6cvlvbwr0000gn/T/ipykernel\_22248/1757925766.py:1 : FutureWarning: ['doctor name'] did not aggregate successfully. If any error is raised this will raise in a future version of pandas. Drop these columns/ops to avoid this warning.

grpd.agg([np.mean, np.std])

[24]: clump\_thickness bland\_chromatin std std mean mean class 2.105495 benign 2.956332 1.674318 1.081417 7.204167 malignant 2.429763 5.991667 2.270406

That worked, but pandas still complained to us because grpd has the doctors' names in it, and we obviously can't compute the means and standard deviations of those!

In the cell below, repeat the above calculation without triggering the warning.

```
[25]: bcd_num = bcd[['clump_thickness','bland_chromatin','class']].copy()
      grpd_num = bcd_num.groupby('class')
      grpd_num.agg([np.mean,np.std])
```

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[25]: clump\_thickness bland\_chromatin mean std meanstd class benign 2.956332 1.674318 2.105495 1.081417 malignant 2.429763 5.991667 2.270406 7.204167

We can use the pandas versions of functions by placing them in quotes. This is handy because, for example, pandas has a **count** and numpy doesn't.

```
[26]: grpd[['clump_thickness', 'bland_chromatin']].agg([np.mean, 'std', 'count'])
```

[26]:	clump_thickness	bland_chromatin				
	mean	std	count	mean	std	count
class						
benign	2.956332	1.674318	458	2.105495	1.081417	455
malignant	7.204167	2.429763	240	5.991667	2.270406	240

MultiIndexing - getting at our summary data Let's store our summary table little summary table above in its own data frame. This is going to complete our *split-apply-combine* by creating and naming a DataFrame object.

```
[27]:
                 clump_thickness
                                                   bland_chromatin
                            mean
                                        std count
                                                               mean
                                                                          std count
      class
      benign
                        2.956332
                                   1.674318
                                               458
                                                          2.105495
                                                                     1.081417
                                                                                 455
      malignant
                        7.204167
                                   2.429763
                                              240
                                                          5.991667
                                                                     2.270406
                                                                                 240
```

Notice that this data frame has hierarchical column labels. In other words, there is a "clump\_thickness" meta-column that contains three colums of its own, and that these subcolumns have the same names as those in the other meta-column. Thus saying "look at the mean column" would be ambiguous because the meta-column wasn't specified.

In pandas, this is known at "multiIndexing".

Getting a meta-column is easy - it's just like getting a regular column from a data frame.

```
[28]: my_summary['clump_thickness']
```

```
[28]: mean std count class benign 2.956332 1.674318 458 malignant 7.204167 2.429763 240
```

To get a subcolumn, we can index the meta-column, and then index the subcolumn from that.

```
[29]: my_summary['clump_thickness']['mean']
[29]: class
      benign
                    2.956332
      malignant
                    7.204167
      Name: mean, dtype: float64
     If this looks confusing, consider the same thing broken up into two steps:
[30]: meta_c = my_summary['clump_thickness']
      meta_c
[30]:
                      mean
                                  std count
      class
                  2.956332
                            1.674318
                                          458
      benign
      malignant
                 7.204167
                             2.429763
                                          240
[31]:
     meta_c['mean']
[31]: class
      benign
                    2.956332
      malignant
                    7.204167
      Name: mean, dtype: float64
     In the cell below, extract the mean and std of "bland_chromatin" in one go.
[32]:
     my_summary['bland_chromatin'][['mean','std']]
[32]:
                      mean
                                  std
      class
      benign
                  2.105495
                             1.081417
                 5.991667
                             2.270406
      malignant
     If we want values from a row, we need to get a bit more fancy and use .loc.
     We can get a whole row using df.loc[row_index(s)]
[33]: my_summary.loc['benign']
[33]: clump_thickness
                        mean
                                    2.956332
                        std
                                    1.674318
                                  458.000000
                        count
                                    2.105495
      bland_chromatin
                        mean
                        std
                                    1.081417
```

count 455.000000 Name: benign, dtype: float64

(note: that this gave us a hierarchical index!)

We can get a row and and a particular column with df.loc[row\_index(s), (metacolumn\_index, subcolumn\_index)]

```
[34]: my_summary.loc['benign', ('clump_thickness', 'mean')]
```

[34]: 2.9563318777292578

We can also get bigger slices of the data with the colon: operator:

```
[35]: my_summary.loc['benign', ('clump_thickness', 'mean'):('bland_chromatin', 'std')]
```

```
[35]: clump_thickness mean 2.956332 std 1.674318 count 458.000000 bland_chromatin mean 2.105495 std 1.081417
```

Name: benign, dtype: float64

In the cell below, extract the mean and std of the bland chromatin meta-column.

Simple caculations with pivot tables Pivot tables are summary data with the levels of one variable running down the row names (the index), the levels of another running across the column names, and values populating the interior. This should be made concrete by making one with the pivot\_table() method:

```
[37]: class benign malignant doctor_name
Doe 2.000000 5.456140
```

```
Lee 2.067227 6.150000
Smith 1.980392 6.459459
Wong 2.388889 5.714286
```

By default, pivot\_table() computes the group (row x column) means, but we can compute any of the standard summary statistics we wish. We just specify it using the aggfunc argument:

```
[38]: class benign malignant doctor_name

Doe 1.003992 2.260453

Lee 1.014564 2.121920

Smith 0.943769 2.330202

Wong 1.303004 2.263846
```

These are called "pivot tables" because their implementation makes it easy to pivot our view of the data summary.

In the cell below, "pivot" our view of the means so we have "class" down the rows, doctor name across the columns, and the means of clump thickness inside the table.

Because clumb thickness and bland chromatin only have the values 1 to 10, we could use either one as a grouping variable in a pivot table:

```
[40]: class benign malignant clump_thickness
1.0 1.978723 5.666667
2.0 2.090909 5.000000
```

3.0	2.145833	5.500000
4.0	2.117647	7.916667
5.0	2.011765	5.818182
6.0	3.062500	6.666667
7.0	2.000000	5.818182
8.0	3.750000	5.761905
9.0	NaN	5.142857
10.0	NaN	6.147059

Notice the NaNs – no benign tumors have a thickness of 9 or 10.

## 1.3 Grouped plotting

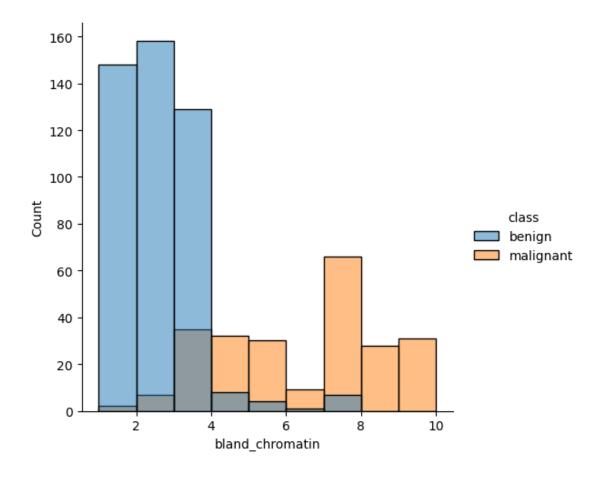
As we have already seen, the seaborn package can take care of grouping for us – we just need to assign a grouping variable to color ('hue'), style, etc. And we already know how to do all this!

```
[41]: import seaborn as sns
```

Make a distribution plot (like a histogram) of bland chromatin values grouped by tumor type.

```
[42]: sns.displot(bcd2, x="bland_chromatin", hue = 'class', bins = 9)
```

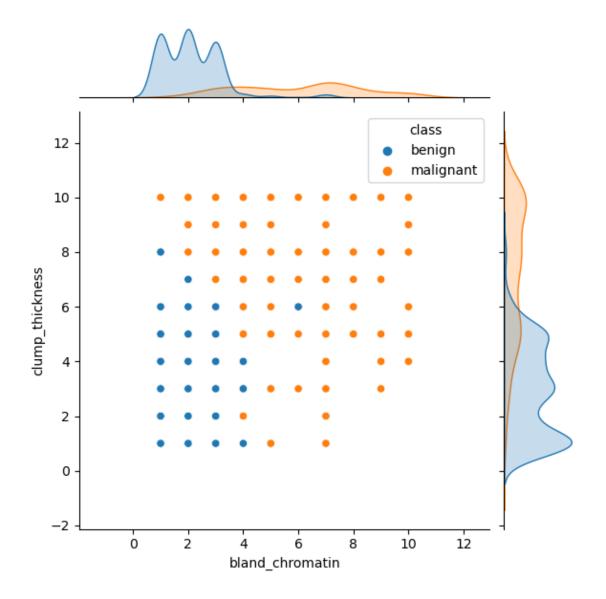
[42]: <seaborn.axisgrid.FacetGrid at 0x7f9b110589d0>



Make a joint plot grouped by tumor type:

```
[62]: sns.jointplot(data = bcd2, x = "bland_chromatin", y = "clump_thickness", hue = \Box \Box \Box "class")
```

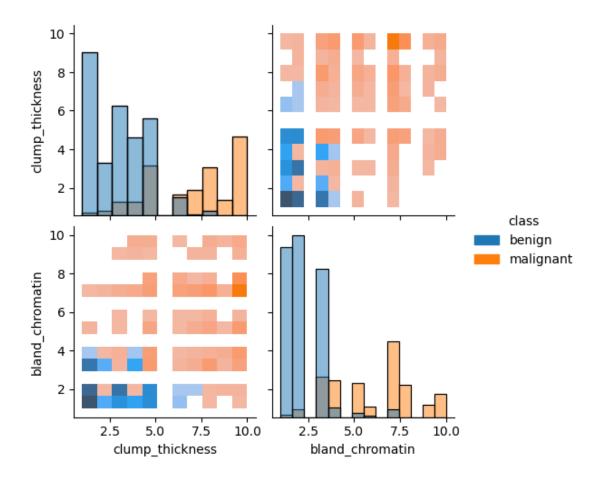
[62]: <seaborn.axisgrid.JointGrid at 0x7f9ae09aadc0>



Make a pairplot of our two measurement variables grouped by tumor type.

```
[46]: sns.pairplot(bcd2, hue="class", kind = "hist")
```

[46]: <seaborn.axisgrid.PairGrid at 0x7f9af2c22c10>

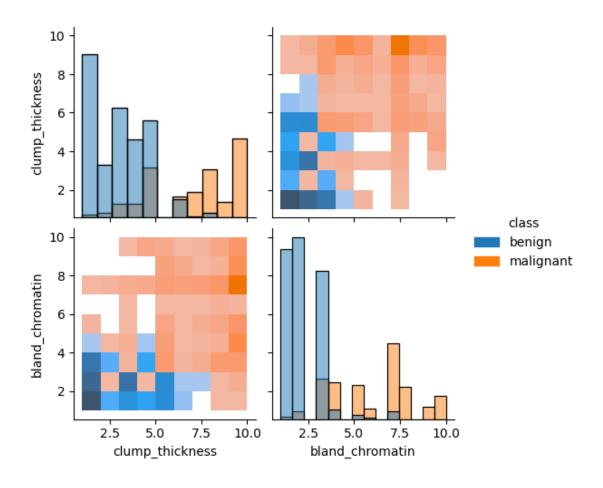


The plot above is okay except for the white space in the diagonal plots that aren't actually missing data. To fix this, we need to set our binwidth to 1, so that it matches the data (which are integers from 1 to 10).

Use the cell below to remake the plot with a binwidth of 1 for the diagonal plot. Hint: use the plot\_kws argument to adjust this.

```
[48]: sns.pairplot(bcd2, plot_kws = {'binwidth':1}, hue = 'class', kind = "hist")
```

[48]: <seaborn.axisgrid.PairGrid at 0x7f9b11e6ac40>



#### 1.4 Your conclusions

In the cell below, briefly state your conclusions from our analysis above. Are either or both of the measurements related to tumor type?

## 1.5 Summary

In this tutorial, we learned to analyze data by group:

- the split-apply-combine concept
- grouping using groupby()
- doing simple grouped calculations
- doing multiple calculations with agg()
- multiIndexing
- simple summaries with pivot tables