# Assignment 4: Data Wrangling

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#### **OVERVIEW**

This exercise accompanies the lessons in Environmental Data Analytics on Data Wrangling

#### **Directions**

- 1. Change "Student Name" on line 3 (above) with your name.
- 2. Work through the steps, creating code and output that fulfill each instruction.
- 3. Be sure to **answer the questions** in this assignment document.
- 4. When you have completed the assignment, **Knit** the text and code into a single PDF file.
- 5. After Knitting, submit the completed exercise (PDF file) to the dropbox in Sakai. Add your last name into the file name (e.g., "Fay\_A04\_DataWrangling.Rmd") prior to submission.

The completed exercise is due on Monday, Feb 7 @ 7:00pm.

#### Set up your session

- 1. Check your working directory, load the tidyverse and lubridate packages, and upload all four raw data files associated with the EPA Air dataset. See the README file for the EPA air datasets for more information (especially if you have not worked with air quality data previously).
- 2. Explore the dimensions, column names, and structure of the datasets.

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#1
library(tidyverse)
library(lubridate)
getwd()
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## [1] "/Users/michaelgaffney/Documents/Duke University/Nicholas School of the Environment/05 Spring 20

```
#import data
EPA.03.2018 <- read.csv("../Data/Raw/EPAair_03_NC2018_raw.csv", stringsAsFactors = TRUE)
EPA.03.2019 <- read.csv("../Data/Raw/EPAair_03_NC2019_raw.csv", stringsAsFactors = TRUE)
EPA.PM25.2018 <- read.csv("../Data/Raw/EPAair_PM25_NC2018_raw.csv", stringsAsFactors = TRUE)
EPA.PM25.2019 <- read.csv("../Data/Raw/EPAair_PM25_NC2019_raw.csv", stringsAsFactors = TRUE)
## explore dimensions, column names, and structure for each dataset.
dim(EPA.03.2018); colnames(EPA.03.2018); str(EPA.03.2018)
## [1] 9737 20
## [1] "Date"</pre>
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## [1] "Date"
## [2] "Source"
## [3] "Site.ID"
## [4] "POC"
## [5] "Daily.Max.8.hour.Ozone.Concentration"
## [6] "UNITS"
## [7] "DAILY_AQI_VALUE"
## [8] "Site.Name"
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## [9] "DAILY_OBS_COUNT"
## [10] "PERCENT_COMPLETE"
## [11] "AQS_PARAMETER_CODE"
## [12] "AQS_PARAMETER_DESC"
## [13] "CBSA_CODE"
## [14] "CBSA NAME"
## [15] "STATE CODE"
## [16] "STATE"
## [17] "COUNTY_CODE"
## [18] "COUNTY"
## [19] "SITE_LATITUDE"
## [20] "SITE_LONGITUDE"
                   9737 obs. of 20 variables:
## 'data.frame':
  $ Date
                                         : Factor w/ 364 levels "01/01/2018", "01/02/2018",...: 60 61 62
## $ Source
                                         : Factor w/ 1 level "AQS": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
                                         : int 370030005 370030005 370030005 370030005 370030005 3700
## $ Site.ID
## $ POC
                                         : int 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ Daily.Max.8.hour.Ozone.Concentration: num 0.043 0.046 0.047 0.049 0.047 0.03 0.036 0.044 0.049 0
                                         : Factor w/ 1 level "ppm": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ UNITS
## $ DAILY_AQI_VALUE
                                         : int 40 43 44 45 44 28 33 41 45 40 ...
                                         : Factor w/ 40 levels "", "Beaufort", ...: 35 35 35 35 35 35 3
## $ Site.Name
## $ DAILY_OBS_COUNT
                                         : int 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 ...
## $ PERCENT COMPLETE
                                         : num 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 ...
## $ AQS_PARAMETER_CODE
                                         : int 44201 44201 44201 44201 44201 44201 44201 44201 44201
## $ AQS PARAMETER DESC
                                         : Factor w/ 1 level "Ozone": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
                                         : int 25860 25860 25860 25860 25860 25860 25860 25860 2
## $ CBSA_CODE
                                         : Factor w/ 17 levels "", "Asheville, NC",..: 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9
## $ CBSA_NAME
                                        : int 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 ...
## $ STATE_CODE
## $ STATE
                                        : Factor w/ 1 level "North Carolina": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
                                         : int 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 ...
## $ COUNTY_CODE
## $ COUNTY
                                         : Factor w/ 32 levels "Alexander", "Avery", ...: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
## $ SITE_LATITUDE
                                         : num 35.9 35.9 35.9 35.9 35.9 ...
                                         : num -81.2 -81.2 -81.2 -81.2 ...
  $ SITE_LONGITUDE
dim(EPA.03.2019); colnames(EPA.03.2019); str(EPA.03.2019)
## [1] 10592
##
   [1] "Date"
##
   [2] "Source"
   [3] "Site.ID"
##
##
   [4] "POC"
## [5] "Daily.Max.8.hour.Ozone.Concentration"
## [6] "UNITS"
## [7] "DAILY_AQI_VALUE"
   [8] "Site.Name"
##
  [9] "DAILY_OBS_COUNT"
##
## [10] "PERCENT_COMPLETE"
## [11] "AQS_PARAMETER_CODE"
## [12] "AQS_PARAMETER_DESC"
## [13] "CBSA_CODE"
## [14] "CBSA_NAME"
## [15] "STATE_CODE"
## [16] "STATE"
## [17] "COUNTY_CODE"
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## [18] "COUNTY"
## [19] "SITE_LATITUDE"
## [20] "SITE_LONGITUDE"
                10592 obs. of 20 variables:
## 'data.frame':
                                        : Factor w/ 365 levels "01/01/2019", "01/02/2019", ...: 1 2 3 4
## $ Date
## $ Source
                                        : Factor w/ 2 levels "AirNow", "AQS": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
                                        : int 370030005 370030005 370030005 370030005 370030005 3700
## $ Site.ID
                                        : int 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ POC
## $ Daily.Max.8.hour.Ozone.Concentration: num 0.029 0.018 0.016 0.022 0.037 0.037 0.029 0.038 0.038
                                        : Factor w/ 1 level "ppm": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ UNITS
                                        : int 27 17 15 20 34 34 27 35 35 28 ...
## $ DAILY_AQI_VALUE
                                        : Factor w/ 38 levels "", "Beaufort", ..: 33 33 33 33 33 33 33
## $ Site.Name
## $ DAILY_OBS_COUNT
                                       : int 24 24 24 24 24 24 24 24 24 ...
## $ PERCENT_COMPLETE
                                       : num 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 ...
                                       : int 44201 44201 44201 44201 44201 44201 44201 44201 44201 -
## $ AQS_PARAMETER_CODE
## $ AQS_PARAMETER_DESC
                                       : Factor w/ 1 level "Ozone": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ CBSA_CODE
                                       : int 25860 25860 25860 25860 25860 25860 25860 25860 25860 :
## $ CBSA NAME
                                       : Factor w/ 15 levels "", "Asheville, NC", ...: 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8
## $ STATE CODE
                                       : int 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 ...
## $ STATE
                                       : Factor w/ 1 level "North Carolina": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ COUNTY_CODE
                                       : int 333333333...
                                       : Factor w/ 30 levels "Alexander", "Avery", ...: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
## $ COUNTY
## $ SITE_LATITUDE
                                        : num 35.9 35.9 35.9 35.9 35.9 ...
## $ SITE LONGITUDE
                                        : num -81.2 -81.2 -81.2 -81.2 -81.2 ...
dim(EPA.PM25.2018); colnames(EPA.PM25.2018); str(EPA.PM25.2018)
## [1] 8983
  [1] "Date"
                                       "Source"
   [3] "Site.ID"
                                       "POC"
## [5] "Daily.Mean.PM2.5.Concentration" "UNITS"
## [7] "DAILY_AQI_VALUE"
                                     "Site.Name"
## [9] "DAILY_OBS_COUNT"
                                       "PERCENT_COMPLETE"
## [11] "AQS_PARAMETER_CODE"
                                       "AQS_PARAMETER_DESC"
                                       "CBSA_NAME"
## [13] "CBSA_CODE"
                                       "STATE"
## [15] "STATE_CODE"
## [17] "COUNTY_CODE"
                                       "COUNTY"
## [19] "SITE_LATITUDE"
                                       "SITE_LONGITUDE"
## 'data.frame': 8983 obs. of 20 variables:
## $ Date
                                  : Factor w/ 365 levels "01/01/2018", "01/02/2018", ...: 2 5 8 11 14 17
## $ Source
                                  : Factor w/ 1 level "AQS": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ Site.ID
                                  : int 370110002 370110002 370110002 370110002 370110002 370110002
                                  : int 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ Daily.Mean.PM2.5.Concentration: num 2.9 3.7 5.3 0.8 2.5 4.5 1.8 2.5 4.2 1.7 ...
                                 : Factor w/ 1 level "ug/m3 LC": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ UNITS
## $ DAILY_AQI_VALUE
                                 : int 12 15 22 3 10 19 8 10 18 7 ...
## $ Site.Name
                                  : Factor w/ 25 levels "", "Blackstone", ...: 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15
## $ DAILY_OBS_COUNT
                                  : int 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
                                 : num 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 ...
## $ PERCENT_COMPLETE
                                 : int 88502 88502 88502 88502 88502 88502 88502 88502 88502 88502
## $ AQS_PARAMETER_CODE
                                 : Factor w/ 2 levels "Acceptable PM2.5 AQI & Speciation Mass",..: 1
## $ AQS_PARAMETER_DESC
## $ CBSA_CODE
                                 : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ CBSA_NAME
                                 : Factor w/ 14 levels "", "Asheville, NC",..: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
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## $ STATE CODE
                                  : int 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 ...
##
   $ STATE
                                  : Factor w/ 1 level "North Carolina": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
##
  $ COUNTY CODE
                                   : int 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 ...
                                   : Factor w/ 21 levels "Avery", "Buncombe", ...: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ COUNTY
   $ SITE LATITUDE
                                   : num 36 36 36 36 ...
## $ SITE LONGITUDE
                                   : num -81.9 -81.9 -81.9 -81.9 ...
dim(EPA.PM25.2019); colnames(EPA.PM25.2019); str(EPA.PM25.2019)
## [1] 8581
   [1] "Date"
##
                                       "Source"
   [3] "Site.ID"
                                       "POC"
##
   [5] "Daily.Mean.PM2.5.Concentration" "UNITS"
   [7] "DAILY_AQI_VALUE"
                                       "Site.Name"
   [9] "DAILY_OBS_COUNT"
##
                                       "PERCENT_COMPLETE"
## [11] "AQS_PARAMETER_CODE"
                                       "AQS_PARAMETER_DESC"
## [13] "CBSA_CODE"
                                       "CBSA_NAME"
## [15] "STATE_CODE"
                                       "STATE"
## [17] "COUNTY_CODE"
                                       "COUNTY"
## [19] "SITE_LATITUDE"
                                       "SITE_LONGITUDE"
                   8581 obs. of 20 variables:
  'data.frame':
                                   : Factor w/ 365 levels "01/01/2019","01/02/2019",...: 3 6 9 12 15 18
##
   $ Date
##
   $ Source
                                   : Factor w/ 2 levels "AirNow", "AQS": 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 ...
##
  $ Site.ID
                                   : int 370110002 370110002 370110002 370110002 370110002 370110002
                                   : int 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ \dots
## $ POC
## $ Daily.Mean.PM2.5.Concentration: num 1.6 1 1.3 6.3 2.6 1.2 1.5 1.5 3.7 1.6 ...
                                  : Factor w/ 1 level "ug/m3 LC": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ UNITS
## $ DAILY_AQI_VALUE
                                  : int 7 4 5 26 11 5 6 6 15 7 ...
                                   : Factor w/ 25 levels "", "Board Of Ed. Bldg.",..: 14 14 14 14 14 14
## $ Site.Name
## $ DAILY_OBS_COUNT
                                  : int 111111111...
## $ PERCENT_COMPLETE
                                  : num 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 ...
  $ AQS_PARAMETER_CODE
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                                  : Factor w/ 2 levels "Acceptable PM2.5 AQI & Speciation Mass",..: 1
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   $ AQS_PARAMETER_DESC
## $ CBSA_CODE
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## $ CBSA_NAME
## $ STATE_CODE
                                  : Factor w/ 1 level "North Carolina": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
##
   $ STATE
## $ COUNTY_CODE
                                   : int 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 ...
## $ COUNTY
                                   : Factor w/ 21 levels "Avery", "Buncombe", ...: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ SITE_LATITUDE
                                   : num 36 36 36 36 36 ...
## $ SITE LONGITUDE
                                   : num -81.9 -81.9 -81.9 -81.9 ...
```

#### Wrangle individual datasets to create processed files.

- 3. Change date to a date object
- 4. Select the following columns: Date, DAILY\_AQI\_VALUE, Site.Name, AQS\_PARAMETER\_DESC, COUNTY, SITE LATITUDE, SITE LONGITUDE
- 5. For the PM2.5 datasets, fill all cells in AQS\_PARAMETER\_DESC with "PM2.5" (all cells in this column should be identical).
- 6. Save all four processed datasets in the Processed folder. Use the same file names as the raw files but replace "raw" with "processed".

```
#3 change to date object for all four datasets
EPA.03.2018$Date <- as.Date(EPA.03.2018$Date, format = "%m/%d/%Y")
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EPA.03.2019$Date <- as.Date(EPA.03.2019$Date, format = \frac{m}{d} \frac{d}{d}")
EPA.PM25.2018$Date \leftarrow as.Date(EPA.PM25.2018$Date, format = "\%m/\%d/\%Y")
EPA.PM25.2019$Date <- as.Date(EPA.PM25.2019$Date, format = "%m/%d/%Y")
#4 select out certain columns and create new datasets
EPA.03.2018. Selected <- select(EPA.03.2018, Date, DAILY_AQI_VALUE, Site.Name, AQS_PARAMETER_DESC, COUNT
EPA.03.2019.Selected <- select(EPA.03.2019, Date, DAILY_AQI_VALUE, Site.Name, AQS_PARAMETER_DESC, COUNT
EPA.PM25.2018.Selected <- select(EPA.PM25.2018, Date, DAILY_AQI_VALUE, Site.Name, AQS_PARAMETER_DESC, C
EPA.PM25.2019.Selected <- select(EPA.PM25.2019, Date, DAILY AQI VALUE, Site.Name, AQS PARAMETER DESC, C
#5 Replace AQS Parameter values
EPA.PM25.2018.Selected$AQS_PARAMETER_DESC <- "PM2.5"
EPA.PM25.2019.Selected$AQS_PARAMETER_DESC <- "PM2.5"
#6 Save processed datasets as csv files
write.csv(EPA.03.2018.Selected, row.names = FALSE, file = "../Data/Processed/EPAair_03_NC2018_processed
write.csv(EPA.03.2019.Selected, row.names = FALSE, file = "../Data/Processed/EPAair_03_NC2019_processed
write.csv(EPA.PM25.2018.Selected, row.names = FALSE, file = "../Data/Processed/EPAair_PM25_NC2018_proce
write.csv(EPA.PM25.2019.Selected, row.names = FALSE, file = "../Data/Processed/EPAair_PM25_NC2019_proce
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## Combine datasets

- 7. Combine the four datasets with rbind. Make sure your column names are identical prior to running this code.
- 8. Wrangle your new dataset with a pipe function (%>%) so that it fills the following conditions:
- Filter records to include just the sites that the four data frames have in common: "Linville Falls", "Durham Armory", "Leggett", "Hattie Avenue", "Clemmons Middle", "Mendenhall School", "Frying Pan Mountain", "West Johnston Co.", "Garinger High School", "Castle Hayne", "Pitt Agri. Center", "Bryson City", "Millbrook School". (The intersect function can figure out common factor levels if we didn't give you this list...)
- Some sites have multiple measurements per day. Use the split-apply-combine strategy to generate daily means: group by date, site, aqs parameter, and county. Take the mean of the AQI value, latitude, and longitude.
- Add columns for "Month" and "Year" by parsing your "Date" column (hint: lubridate package)
- Hint: the dimensions of this dataset should be 14,752 x 9.
- 9. Spread your datasets such that AQI values for ozone and PM2.5 are in separate columns. Each location on a specific date should now occupy only one row.
- 10. Call up the dimensions of your new tidy dataset.
- 11. Save your processed dataset with the following file name: "EPAair\_O3\_PM25\_NC2122\_Processed.csv"

## `summarise()` has grouped output by 'Date', 'Site.Name', 'AQS\_PARAMETER\_DESC'. You can override using

```
#9 spread data with pivot wider AQI values for Ozone and PM25 in separate columns
EPA.Combined.Spread <- pivot_wider(EPA.Combined.Filtered, names_from = AQS_PARAMETER_DESC, values_from =
#10
dim(EPA.Combined.Spread)
## [1] 8976 9
#11
write.csv(EPA.Combined.Spread, row.names = FALSE, file = "../Data/Processed/EPAair_03_PM25_NC2122_Proce</pre>
```

### Generate summary tables

12a. Use the split-apply-combine strategy to generate a summary data frame from your results from Step 9 above. Data should be grouped by site, month, and year. Generate the mean AQI values for ozone and PM2.5 for each group.

12b. BONUS: Add a piped statement to 12a that removes rows where both mean ozone and mean PM2.5 have missing values.

13. Call up the dimensions of the summary dataset.

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## `summarise()` has grouped output by 'Site.Name', 'Month'. You can override using the `.groups` argum
#13 Call dimensions for
dim(EPA.Summary)
```

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## [1] 223 5
```

14. Why did we use the function drop\_na rather than na.omit?

Answer: I used the is.na function combined with a not operator ("!") to remove the NAs.