

Introduction to R for Biologists

Day 3 – Data transformation with dplyr

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Tidy data

Three rules:

1. Each variable forms a column
2. Each observation forms a row
3. Each type of observational unit forms a table

Working with tidy data in R: tidyverse

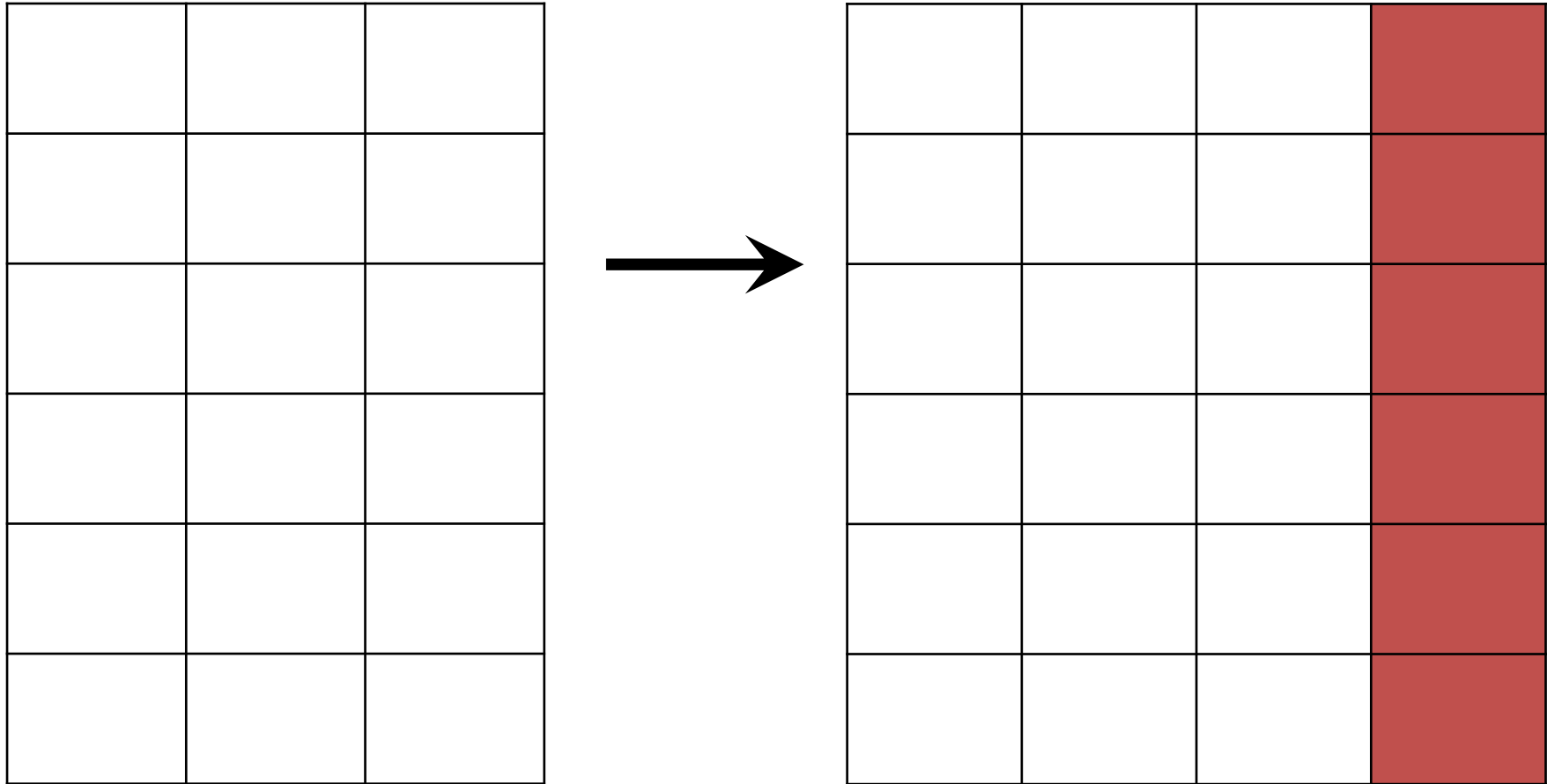
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1	5.1	3.5	1.4	0.2	setosa	1.457143
2	4.9	3.0	1.4	0.2	setosa	1.633333
3	4.7	3.2	1.3	0.2	setosa	1.468750
4	4.6	3.1	1.5	0.2	setosa	1.483871
5	5.0	3.6	1.4	0.2	setosa	1.388889
6	5.4	3.9	1.7	0.4	setosa	1.384615
7	4.6	3.4	1.4	0.3	setosa	1.352941
8	5.0	3.4	1.5	0.2	setosa	1.470588
9	4.4	2.9	1.4	0.2	setosa	1.517241
10	4.9	3.1	1.5	0.1	setosa	1.580645
11	5.4	3.7	1.5	0.2	setosa	1.459459
12	4.8	3.4	1.6	0.2	setosa	1.411765
13	4.8	3.0	1.4	0.1	setosa	1.600000
14	4.3	3.0	1.1	0.1	setosa	1.433333
15	5.8	4.0	1.2	0.2	setosa	1.450000
16	5.7	4.4	1.5	0.4	setosa	1.295455
17	5.4	3.9	1.3	0.4	setosa	1.384615
18	5.1	3.5	1.4	0.3	setosa	1.457143
19	5.7	3.8	1.7	0.3	setosa	1.500000
20	5.1	3.8	1.5	0.3	setosa	1.342105

`left_join()`: combine two tables

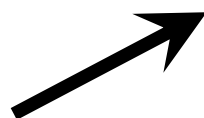
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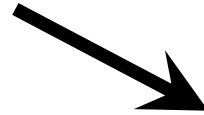
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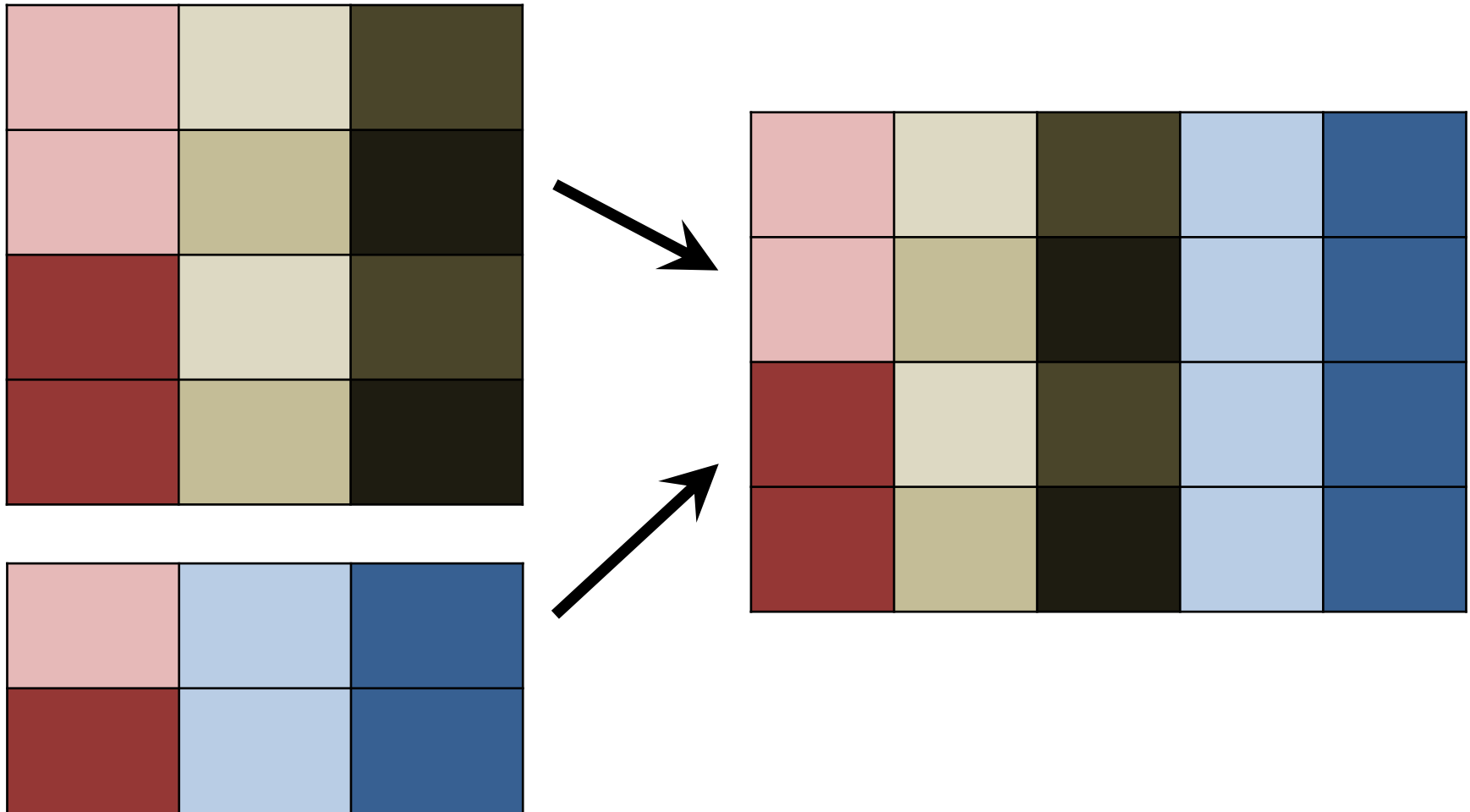
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3	Mountain beaver	Rodentia
4	Greater short-tailed shrew	Soricomorpha
5	Cow	Artiodactyla
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8	Vesper mouse	Rodentia
9	Dog	Carnivora
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```

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1	Cheetah	11.90
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3	Mountain beaver	9.60
4	Greater short-tailed shrew	9.10
5	Cow	20.00
6	Three-toed sloth	9.60
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Joining by: "name"

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Several different join functions are available

- `left_join()`
- `right_join()`
- `inner_join()`
- `semi_join()`
- `full_join()`
- `anti_join()`

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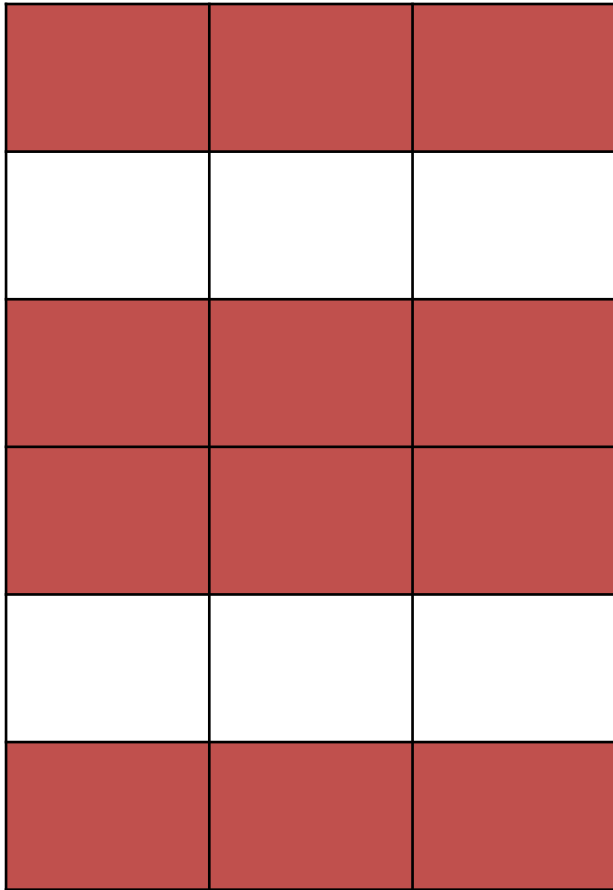
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`filter()`: pick rows



A 6x3 grid of squares, each with a black border. The squares are colored either red or white. The colors of the squares in each row are as follows:

Red	Red	Red
White	White	White
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`filter()`: pick rows



Choose rows with Sepal.Width > 4

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> filter(iris, Sepal.Width > 4)
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1	5.7	4.4	1.5	0.4	setosa
2	5.2	4.1	1.5	0.1	setosa
3	5.5	4.2	1.4	0.2	setosa

select (): pick columns

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Choose the two columns Species and Sepal.Width

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> select(iris, Species, Sepal.Width)
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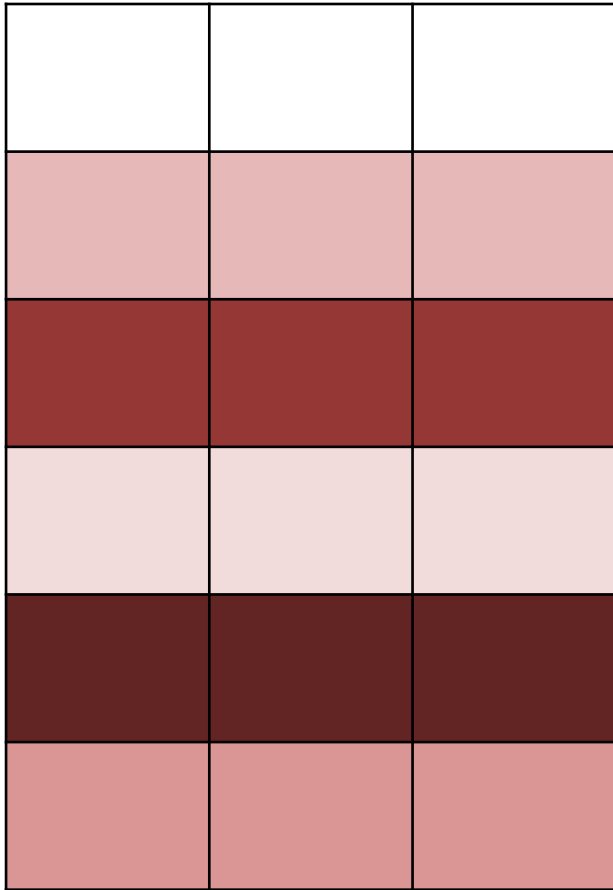
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> select(iris, Species, Sepal.Width)
```

	Species	Sepal.Width
1	setosa	3.5
2	setosa	3.0
3	setosa	3.2
4	setosa	3.1
5	setosa	3.6
6	setosa	3.9
7	setosa	3.4
8	setosa	3.4
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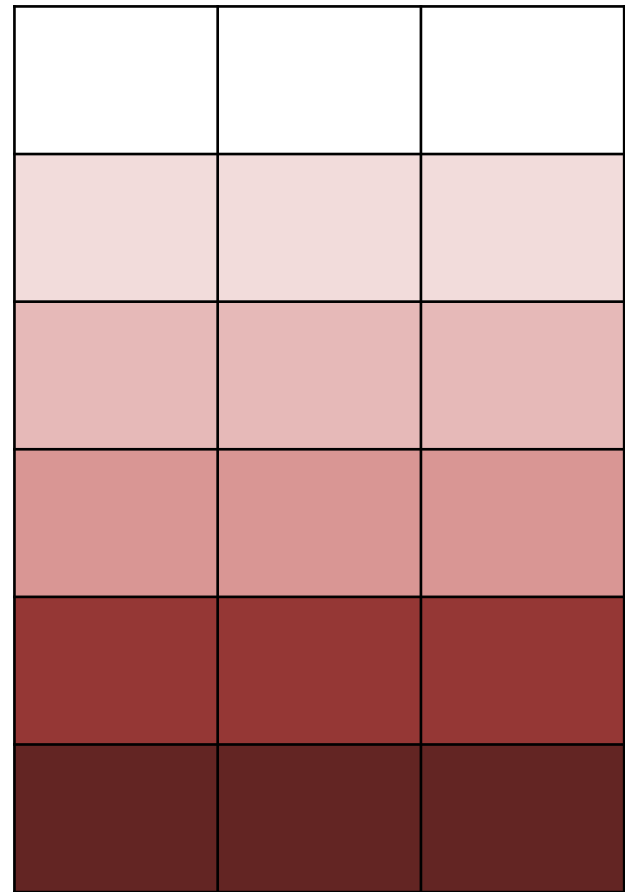
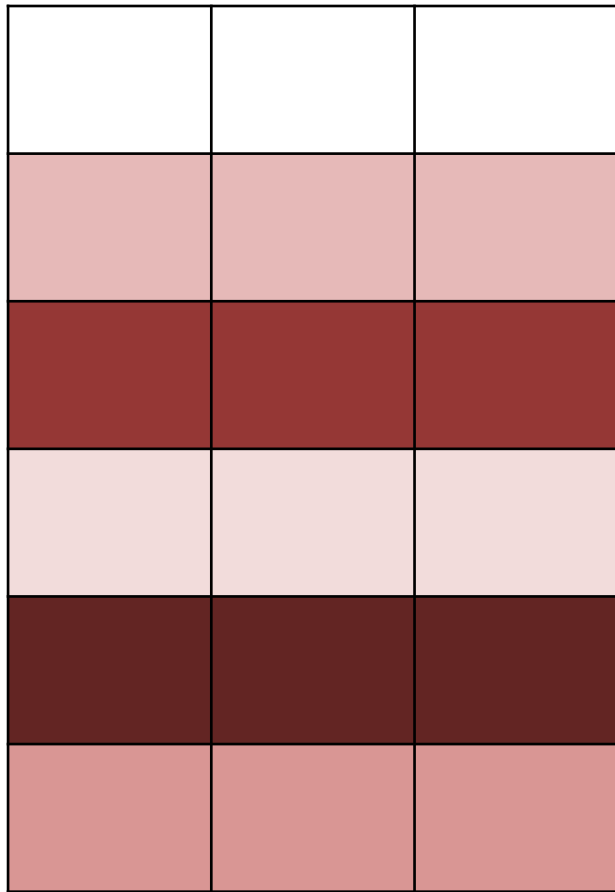
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arrange (): change row order



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1	5.0	2.0	3.5	1.0	versicolor
2	6.0	2.2	4.0	1.0	versicolor
3	6.2	2.2	4.5	1.5	versicolor
4	6.0	2.2	5.0	1.5	virginica
5	4.5	2.3	1.3	0.3	setosa
6	5.5	2.3	4.0	1.3	versicolor
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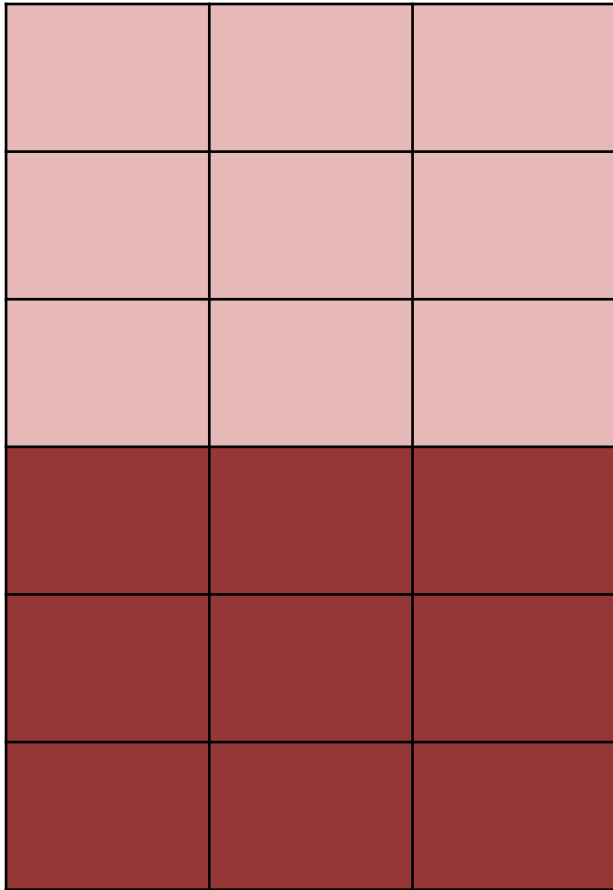
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3	7.7	2.6	6.9	2.3	virginica
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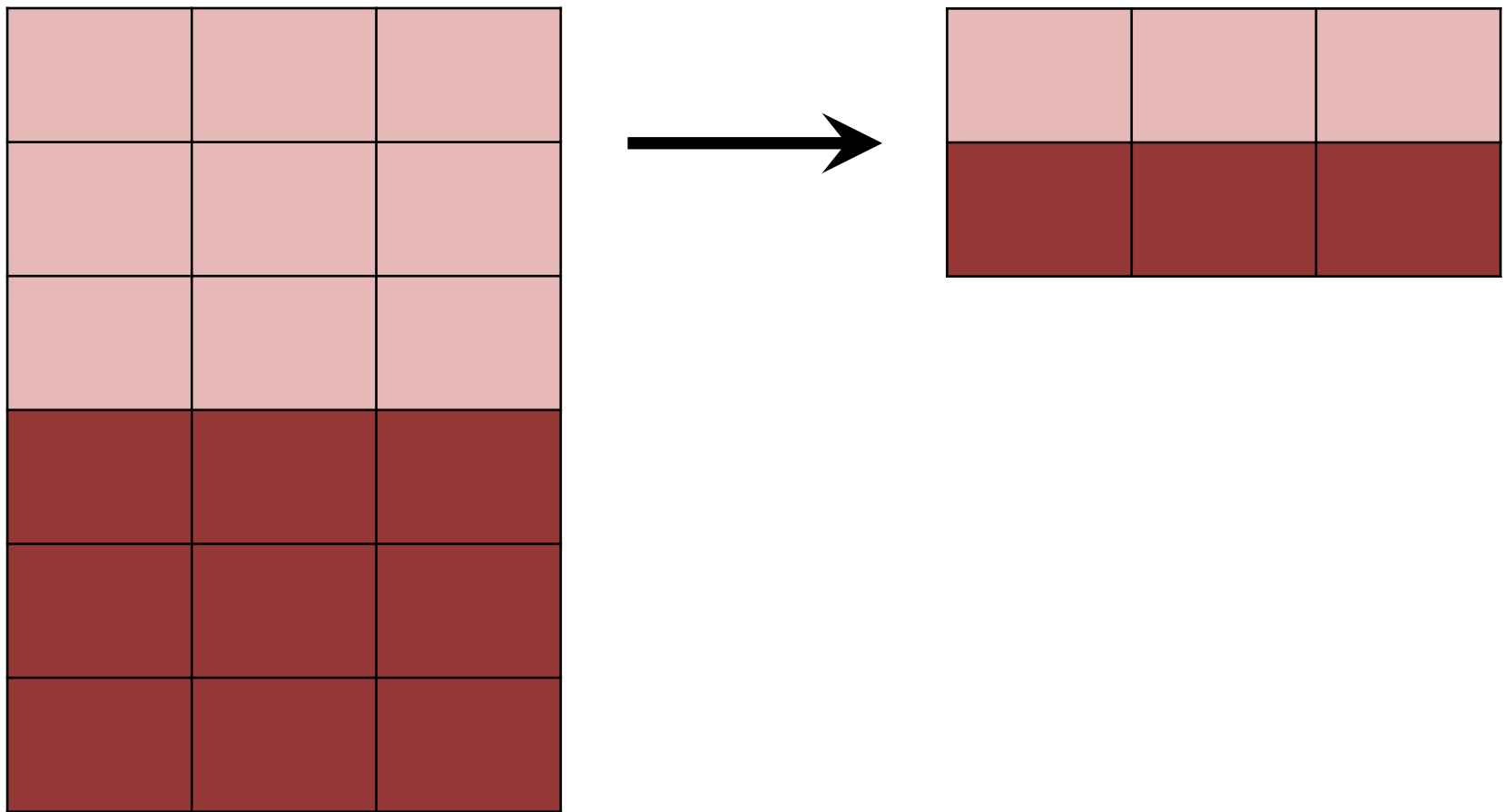
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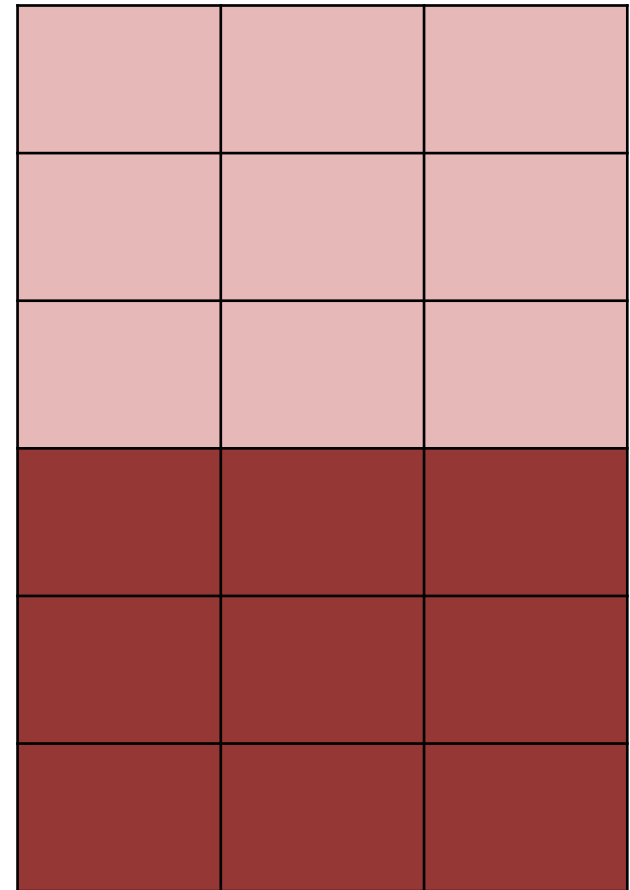
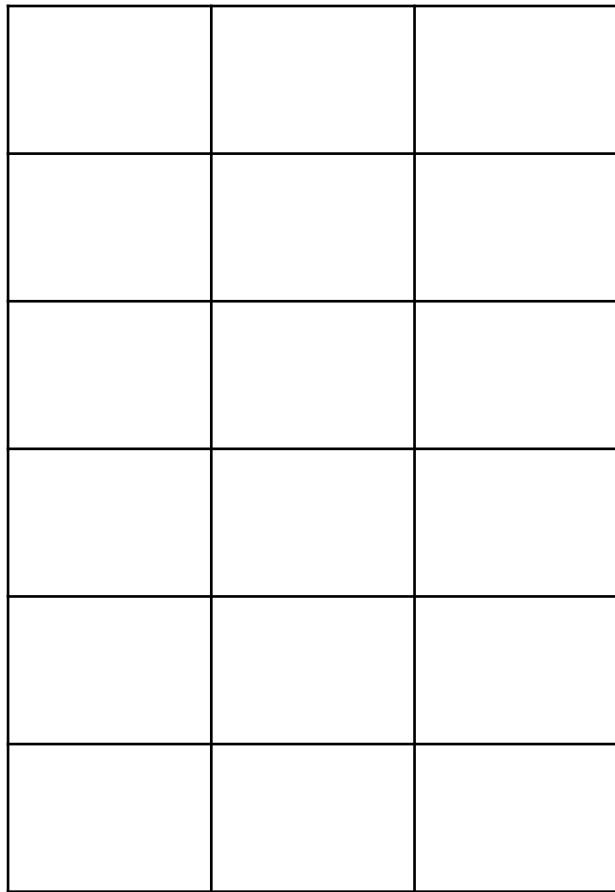
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1           5.843333           0.8280661
```

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Calculate mean and standard deviation of Sepal.Length, grouped by Species

```
> summarize(group_by(iris, Species),  
             mean_sepal_length = mean(Sepal.Length),  
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```

Demonstration Time!

Work on Section #3

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```
> summarize(group_by(iris, Species),  
             mean_sepal_length = mean(Sepal.Length),  
             sd_sepal_length   = sd(Sepal.Length))
```

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	Species	mean_sepal_length	sd_sepal_length
1	setosa	5.006	0.3524897
2	versicolor	5.936	0.5161711
3	virginica	6.588	0.6358796

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1	Rodentia	16
2	Artiodactyla	5
3	Perissodactyla	3
4	Hyracoidea	2
5	Proboscidea	2
6	Diprotodontia	1
7	Lagomorpha	1
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9	Primates	1

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	order	med_awake
1	Chiroptera	4.20
2	Didelphimorphia	5.30
3	Cingulata	6.25
4	Afrosoricida	8.40
5	Pilosa	9.60
6	Rodentia	11.10
7	Diprotodontia	11.60
8	Soricomorpha	13.70
9	Carnivora	13.75
10	Erinaceomorpha	13.80

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Work on Section #4