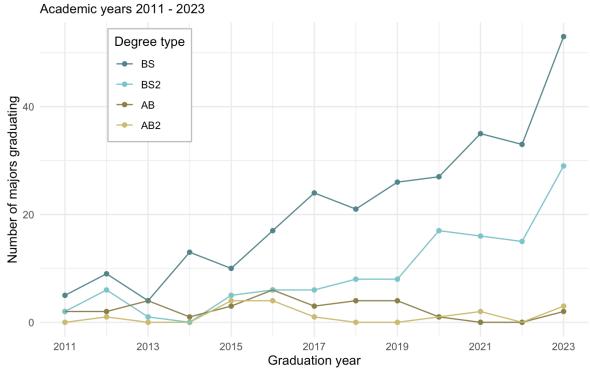
AE 05: Tidying StatSci Majors

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Goal

Our ultimate goal in this application exercise is to make the following data visualization.

Statistical Science majors over the years



Source: Office of the University Registrar https://registrar.duke.edu/registration/enrollment-statistics

Data

The data come from Duke's Office of the University Registrar. The data were downloaded from Duke as a PDF file. The data have been exported to a CSV file for you. Let's load that in.

```
library(tidyverse)

statsci <- read_csv("data/statsci.csv")</pre>
```

And let's take a look at the data.

```
statsci
```

```
# A tibble: 4 x 14
            `2011` `2012` `2013` `2014` `2015` `2016` `2017` `2018` `2019` `2020`
  degree
  <chr>
             <dbl>
                     <dbl>
                            <dbl>
                                    <dbl>
                                            <dbl>
                                                    <dbl>
                                                            <dbl>
                                                                   <dbl>
                                                                           <dbl>
                                                                                   <dbl>
1 Statist~
                NA
                         1
                                NA
                                       NA
                                                4
                                                        4
                                                                      NA
                                                                              NA
                                                                                       1
                         2
                                                3
2 Statist~
                                        1
                                                        6
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3 Statist~
                 2
                         6
                                 1
                                       NA
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                                                                                      17
                 5
                         9
                                 4
4 Statist~
                                       13
                                               10
                                                       17
                                                               24
                                                                       21
                                                                              26
                                                                                      27
# i 3 more variables: `2021` <dbl>, `2022` <dbl>, `2023` <dbl>
```

Pivoting

• **Demo:** Pivot the **statsci** data frame *longer* such that each row represents a degree type / year combination and **year** and **number** of graduates for that year are columns in the data frame.

```
statsci %>%
  pivot_longer(
    cols = -degree,
    names_to = "year",
    values_to = "n")
```

```
3 Statistical Science (AB2) 2013
                                       NA
4 Statistical Science (AB2) 2014
                                       NA
5 Statistical Science (AB2) 2015
                                        4
6 Statistical Science (AB2) 2016
                                        4
7 Statistical Science (AB2) 2017
                                        1
8 Statistical Science (AB2) 2018
                                       NA
9 Statistical Science (AB2) 2019
                                       NA
10 Statistical Science (AB2) 2020
                                        1
# i 42 more rows
```

• Question: What is the type of the year variable? Why? What should it be?

The "Year" column is a character type string because it's values were previously the name of columns, it should be a numerical value.

• **Demo:** Start over with pivoting, and this time also make sure **year** is a numerical variable in the resulting data frame.

```
statsci %>%
  pivot_longer(
    cols = -degree,
    names_to = "year",
    values_to = "n") %>%
  mutate(year = as.numeric(year))
```

```
# A tibble: 52 x 3
   degree
                                year
                                         n
   <chr>
                               <dbl> <dbl>
 1 Statistical Science (AB2)
                                2011
                                        NA
2 Statistical Science (AB2)
                                2012
                                         1
3 Statistical Science (AB2)
                                2013
                                        NA
4 Statistical Science (AB2)
                                2014
                                        ΝA
5 Statistical Science (AB2)
                                2015
                                         4
6 Statistical Science (AB2)
                                2016
                                         4
7 Statistical Science (AB2)
                               2017
                                         1
8 Statistical Science (AB2)
                                2018
                                        NA
9 Statistical Science (AB2)
                               2019
                                        NA
10 Statistical Science (AB2)
                                         1
                               2020
# i 42 more rows
```

• Question: What does an NA mean in this context? *Hint:* The data come from the university registrar, and they have records on every single graduates, there shouldn't be anything "unknown" to them about who graduated when.

The "NA"s indicate that there were no graduates for that degree in that year.

• **Demo:** Add on to your pipeline that you started with pivoting and convert NAs in n to Os.

```
#| label: convert-na

statsci %>%
  pivot_longer(
    cols = -degree,
    names_to = "year",
    values_to = "n") %>%
  mutate(year = as.numeric(year)) %>%
  mutate(n = replace(n, is.na(n), 0))
```

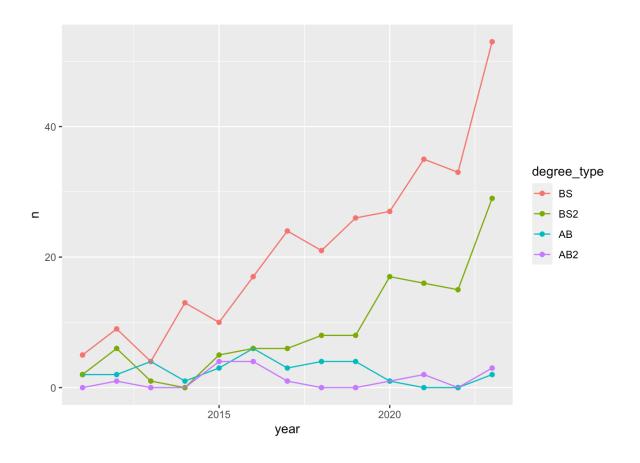
```
# A tibble: 52 x 3
  degree
                              year
                                        n
   <chr>
                              <dbl> <dbl>
1 Statistical Science (AB2)
                              2011
2 Statistical Science (AB2)
                              2012
                                        1
3 Statistical Science (AB2) 2013
                                        0
4 Statistical Science (AB2) 2014
                                        0
5 Statistical Science (AB2)
                              2015
                                        4
6 Statistical Science (AB2)
                              2016
                                        4
7 Statistical Science (AB2)
                              2017
                                        1
8 Statistical Science (AB2)
                              2018
                                        0
9 Statistical Science (AB2)
                              2019
                                        0
10 Statistical Science (AB2)
                              2020
                                        1
# i 42 more rows
```

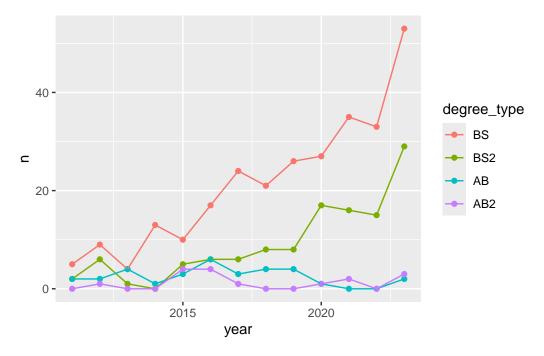
• **Demo:** In our plot the degree types are BS, BS2, AB, and AB2. This information is in our dataset, in the degree column, but this column also has additional characters we don't need. Create a new column called degree_type with levels BS, BS2, AB, and AB2 (in this order) based on degree. Do this by adding on to your pipeline from earlier.

```
statsci %>%
  pivot_longer(
    cols = -degree,
    names_to = "year",
    values_to = "n") %>%
  mutate(year = as.numeric(year)) %>%
  mutate(n = replace(n, is.na(n), 0)) %>%
```

```
# A tibble: 52 x 4
  degree
                             year
                                       n degree_type
  <chr>
                             <dbl> <dbl> <fct>
                             2011
                                       5 BS
1 Statistical Science (BS)
                                       9 BS
2 Statistical Science (BS)
                             2012
3 Statistical Science (BS)
                             2013
                                      4 BS
4 Statistical Science (BS)
                             2014
                                      13 BS
5 Statistical Science (BS)
                             2015
                                      10 BS
6 Statistical Science (BS)
                             2016
                                      17 BS
7 Statistical Science (BS)
                             2017
                                      24 BS
8 Statistical Science (BS)
                                      21 BS
                             2018
9 Statistical Science (BS)
                             2019
                                      26 BS
10 Statistical Science (BS)
                             2020
                                      27 BS
# i 42 more rows
```

• Your turn: Now we start making our plot, but let's not get too fancy right away. Create the following plot, which will serve as the "first draft" on the way to our Goal. Do this by adding on to your pipeline from earlier.



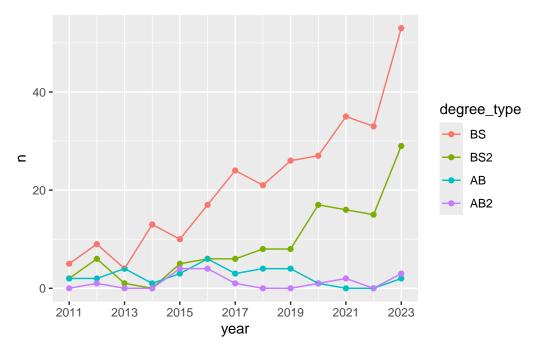


• Your turn: What aspects of the plot need to be updated to go from the draft you created above to the Goal plot at the beginning of this application exercise.

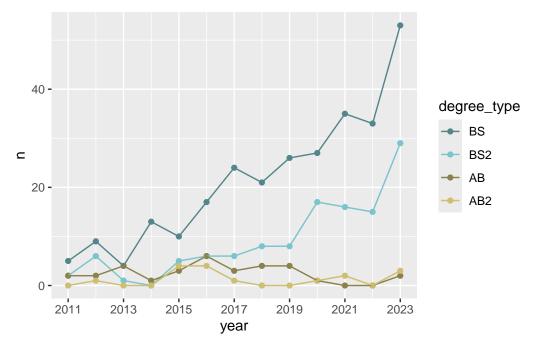
The theme needs to be changed to minimal, the placment of the legend needs to be changed to appear within the graph space, there needs to be titles created for the graph and the axes and a change in the x-axis scale and the colour of the lines needs to be changed.

• **Demo:** Update x-axis scale such that the years displayed go from 2011 to 2023 in increments of 2 years. Do this by adding on to your pipeline from earlier.

```
geom_line() +
scale_x_continuous(breaks = seq(2011, 2023, by = 2))
```

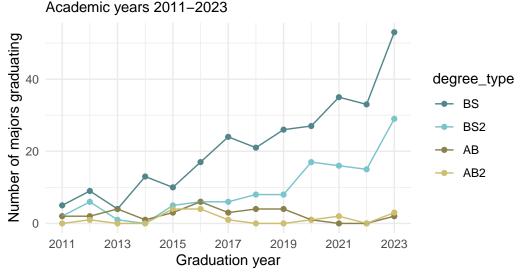


- **Demo:** Update line colors using the following level / color assignments. Once again, do this by adding on to your pipeline from earlier.
 - "BS" = "cadetblue4"
 - "BS2" = "cadetblue3"
 - "AB" = "lightgoldenrod4"
 - "AB2" = "lightgoldenrod3"



• Your turn: Update the plot labels (title, subtitle, x, y, and caption) and use theme_minimal(). Once again, do this by adding on to your pipeline from earlier.

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• Demo: Finally, adding to your pipeline you've developed so far, move the legend into the plot, make its background white, and its border gray. Set fig-width: 7 and fig-height: 5 for your plot in the chunk options.

```
statsci %>%
  pivot_longer(
```

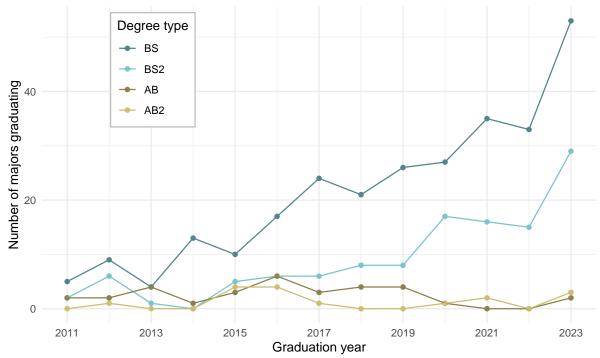
```
cols = -degree,
 names_to = "year",
 values_to = "n") %>%
mutate(year = as.numeric(year)) %>%
mutate(n = replace(n, is.na(n), 0)) %>%
mutate(degree_type = str_extract(degree, "BS2|BS|AB2|AB")) %>%
mutate(degree_type =
         factor(degree_type, levels = c("BS", "BS2", "AB", "AB2"))) %>%
arrange(degree_type) %>%
ggplot(aes(x = year, y = n, color = degree_type)) +
geom_point() +
geom_line() +
scale_x_continuous(breaks = seq(2011, 2023, by = 2)) +
scale_color_manual(values = c("BS" = "cadetblue4",
                              "BS2" = "cadetblue3",
                              "AB" = "lightgoldenrod4",
                              "AB2" = "lightgoldenrod3")) +
labs(
 title = "Statistical Science majors over the years",
 subtitle = "Academic years 2011-2023",
 x = "Graduation year",
 y = "Number of majors graduating",
 caption = "Source: Office of the University Registrar
 https://registrar.duke.edu/registration/enrollment-statistics",
 color = "Degree type"
) +
theme minimal() +
theme(
legend.position = c(0.2, 0.8),
legend.background = element_rect(fill = "white", color = "gray"),
legend.key = element_blank()
```

Warning: A numeric `legend.position` argument in `theme()` was deprecated in ggplot2 3.5.0.

i Please use the `legend.position.inside` argument of `theme()` instead.

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Academic years 2011–2023



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