



Advanced Data Wrangling and Analysis

Going Deeper with R



Importing Data



Downloading Data Directly

The `download.file()` function lets us download files directly from websites.

```
download.file(url, destfile = "data-raw/name-of-file.xlsx")
```



Importing Excel Files





Importing Excel Files

```
data_frame <- read_excel(path = "directory_name/file_name.xlsx",
                         sheet = "name of sheet")
```



Importing Excel Files

```
german_speakers <- read_excel(path = "data-raw/german-and-french-speakers.xlsx",  
                               sheet = "German speakers") %>%  
  clean_names()
```

state	number_of_german_speakers_2017
<chr>	<chr>
Alabama	426
Alaska	331
Arizona	636
Arkansas	-
California	440

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Other Packages for Importing Data

Got SAS, Stata, or SPSS data? Use the [haven package](#).





Other Packages for Importing Data

The [rio package](#) makes it as simple as possible to import and export data.

You give it the location of the data file in the `import()` function and it auto-detects the file type.





My Turn

Throughout, I'll be working with data on third grade math proficiency in Oregon schools.

I'll do the following:

1. Create a new project
2. Create a new R script file where I'll do all of my data cleaning work
3. Download math proficiency scores from 2017-2018 and 2018-2019 and put them in a data-raw folder
4. Import the two spreadsheets into two data frames (`math_scores_17_18` and `math_scores_18_19`)



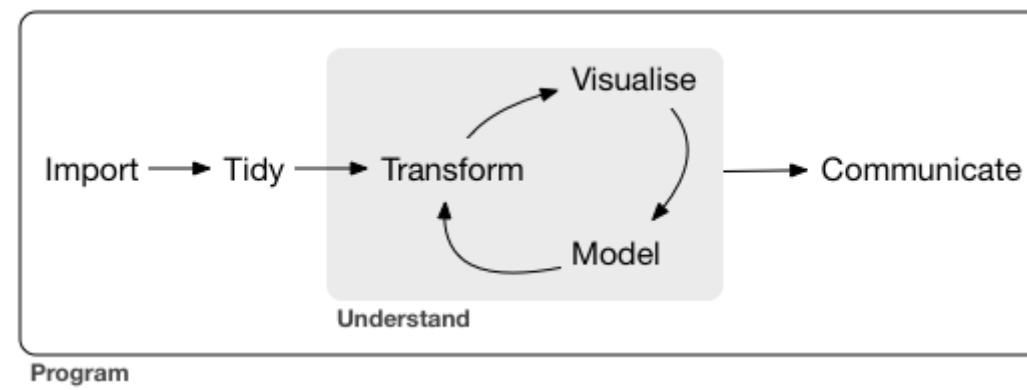
Your Turn

You'll be working with data on Oregon school enrollment by race/ethnicity.

1. Create a new project. Make sure you put it somewhere you'll be able to find it again later!
2. Download the two files (links below) using the `download.file()` function into a `data-raw` folder (which you'll need to create)
3. Create a new R script file where you'll do all of your data cleaning work
4. Import the two spreadsheets into two data frames (`enrollment_17_18` and `enrollment_18_19`)



Tidy Data





Untidy Data

state	number_of_german_speakers_2017
	<dbl>
Alabama	426
Alaska	331
Arizona	636
Arkansas	NA
California	440

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Untidy Data

```
german_speakers_numeric %>%
  mutate(total = number_of_german_speakers_2017 + number_of_german_speakers_2018 + number_of_german_speakers_2019,
        select(state, total)
```

state	total
<chr>	<dbl>
Alabama	1532
Alaska	663
Arizona	1630
Arkansas	NA
California	1612

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Tidy Data

state	year	number
<chr>	<chr>	<dbl>
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2017	426
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2018	395
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2019	711
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2017	331
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2018	201

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Tidy Data

```
german_speakers_tidy %>%  
  group_by(state) %>%  
  summarize(total = sum(number, na.rm = TRUE))
```

	state	total
	<chr>	<dbl>
1	Alabama	1532
2	Alaska	663
3	Arizona	1630
4	Arkansas	1192
5	California	1612

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The Three Rules of Tidy Data

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

We'll focus on #1 and #3. To read about examples of untidy data, check out the [Tidy Data vignette](#).



My Turn

Let's take a look at my data and see which principles of tidy data it violates



Your Turn

1. Read the [Tidy Data vignette](#)
2. Take a look at your data and see which principles of tidy data it violates



Reshaping Data



Reshaping Data: `pivot_longer()`

The `pivot_longer()` function helps us in situations where **column headers are values, not variable names**.

```
data_frame %>%  
  pivot_longer(cols = columns_to_use)
```

```
data_frame %>%  
  pivot_longer(cols = columns_to_use,  
               names_to = "name_of_identifier_variable")
```

```
data_frame %>%  
  pivot_longer(cols = columns_to_use,  
               names_to = "name_of_identifier_variable",  
               values_to = "name_of_value_variable")
```



Reshaping Data: `pivot_longer()`

state	number_of_german_speakers_2017
<chr>	<chr>
Alabama	426
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Reshaping Data: `pivot_longer()`

```
german_speakers %>%  
  pivot_longer(cols = -state)
```

state	name	value
<chr>	<chr>	<chr>
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2017	426
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2018	395
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2019	711
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2017	331
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2018	201

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Reshaping Data: `pivot_longer()`

```
german_speakers %>%  
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,  
               names_to = "year",  
               values_to = "number")
```

state	year	number
<chr>	<chr>	<chr>
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2017	426
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2018	395
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2019	711
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2017	331
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2018	201

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Reshaping Data: `pivot_wider()`

```
german_speakers %>%  
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,  
               names_to = "year",  
               values_to = "number") %>%  
  pivot_wider(id_cols = year,  
             names_from = "state",  
             values_from = "number")
```

year <chr>	Alabama <chr>	Alaska <chr>	Arizona <chr>	Arkansas <chr>	...
number_of_german_speakers_2017	426	331	636	-	
number_of_german_speakers_2018	395	201	858	635	
number_of_german_speakers_2019	711	131	136	557	

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My Turn

I'll do the following to create a new data frame called third_grade_math_proficiency_18_19:

1. Use `filter()` to only keep rows where the `student_group` variable is "Total Population (All Students)"
2. Use `filter()` to only keep third grade students
3. Use `select()` to only keep variables related to the **number** (not percentage) of students who are proficient in math
4. Use `pivot_longer()` to make my data frame tidy



Your Turn

Do the following to create a new data frame called enrollment_by_race_ethnicity_18_19:

1. Start with the enrollment_18_19 data frame
2. select() the district_id variable as well as those about number of students by race/ethnicity and get rid of all others (hint: use the [contains\(\) helper function](#) within select())
3. Use pivot_longer() to convert all of the race/ethnicity variables into one variable
4. Within pivot_longer(), use the names_to argument to call that variable race_ethnicity
5. Within pivot_longer(), use the values_to argument to call that variable count



Dealing with Missing Data



na_if()

```
german_speakers %>%  
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,  
               names_to = "year",  
               values_to = "number")
```

state	year	number
<chr>	<chr>	<chr>
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2017	426
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2018	395
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2019	711
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2017	331
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2018	201

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na_if()

```
german_speakers %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,
               names_to = "year",
               values_to = "number") %>%
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-"))
```



na_if()

state	year	number
<chr>	<chr>	<chr>
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2017	426
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2018	395
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2019	711
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2017	331
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2018	201

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replace_na()

```
german_speakers %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,
               names_to = "year",
               values_to = "number") %>%
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0))
```



replace_na()

state	year	number
<chr>	<chr>	<chr>
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2017	426
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2018	395
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2019	711
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2017	331
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2018	201

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My Turn

I'll convert all of the missing values in the `number_proficient` variable to NA using `na_if()`

I don't have any values where using `replace_na()` makes sense, but you'll use it shortly!



Your Turn

1. Convert all of the missing values in the `number_of_students` variable to NA using `na_if()`
2. Convert all of the NA values you just made to 0 using `replace_na()`.



Changing Variable Types



Changing Variable Types

```
german_speakers %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,
               names_to = "year",
               values_to = "number") %>%
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0))
```

state	year	number
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2017	426
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2018	395
Alabama	number_of_german_speakers_2019	711
Alaska	number_of_german_speakers_2017	331
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Changing Variable Types

```
german_speakers %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,
               names_to = "year",
               values_to = "number") %>%
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0)) %>%
  summarize(total = sum(number))
```

```
## Error: `summarise()` argument `total` errored.
## i `total` is `sum(number)` .
## x invalid 'type' (character) of argument
```



Changing Variable Types

To change variable types, you use the `mutate()` function combined with `as.numeric()`, `as.character()`, etc.

```
german_speakers %>%  
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,  
               names_to = "year",  
               values_to = "number") %>%  
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%  
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0)) %>%  
  mutate(number = as.numeric(number)) %>%  
  summarize(total = sum(number))
```

	total
	<dbl>
	80314

1 row



My Turn

1. Convert the `number_proficient` variable to numeric by using `as.numeric()`
2. Count the number of students at each proficiency level



Your Turn

1. Convert the `number_of_students` variable to numeric by using `as.numeric()`
2. Make sure you can use your `number_of_students` variable to count the total number of students in Oregon



Advanced Variable Creation



recode ()

```
data_frame %>%
  mutate(variable = recode(variable, "old_value" = "new_value"))
```



recode ()

```
german_speakers %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,
               names_to = "year",
               values_to = "number") %>%
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0)) %>%
  mutate(number = as.numeric(number)) %>%
  mutate(year = recode(year,
                       "number_of_german_speakers_2017" = "2017",
                       "number_of_german_speakers_2018" = "2018",
                       "number_of_german_speakers_2019" = "2019"))
```



recode ()

state	year	number
<chr>	<chr>	<dbl>
Alabama	2017	426
Alabama	2018	395
Alabama	2019	711
Alaska	2017	331
Alaska	2018	201

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if_else()

```
data_frame %>%
  mutate(variable = if_else(variable == "some_value",
                            "if_true_value",
                            "else_value"))
```



if_else()

```
german_speakers %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,
               names_to = "year",
               values_to = "number") %>%
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0)) %>%
  mutate(number = as.numeric(number)) %>%
  mutate(year = if_else(year == "number_of_german_speakers_2017", "2017", year)) %>%
  mutate(year = if_else(year == "number_of_german_speakers_2018", "2018", year)) %>%
  mutate(year = if_else(year == "number_of_german_speakers_2019", "2019", year))
```



if_else()

state	year	number
<chr>	<chr>	<dbl>
Alabama	2017	426
Alabama	2018	395
Alabama	2019	711
Alaska	2017	331
Alaska	2018	201

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str_remove()

```
data_frame %>%
  mutate(variable = str_remove(variable, "text to remove"))
```



str_remove()

```
german_speakers %>%  
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,  
               names_to = "year",  
               values_to = "number") %>%  
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%  
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0)) %>%  
  mutate(number = as.numeric(number)) %>%  
  mutate(year = str_remove(year, "number_of_german_speakers_"))
```



str_remove()

state	year	number
<chr>	<chr>	<dbl>
Alabama	2017	426
Alabama	2018	395
Alabama	2019	711
Alaska	2017	331
Alaska	2018	201

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readr::parse_number()
(just give me the numbers)

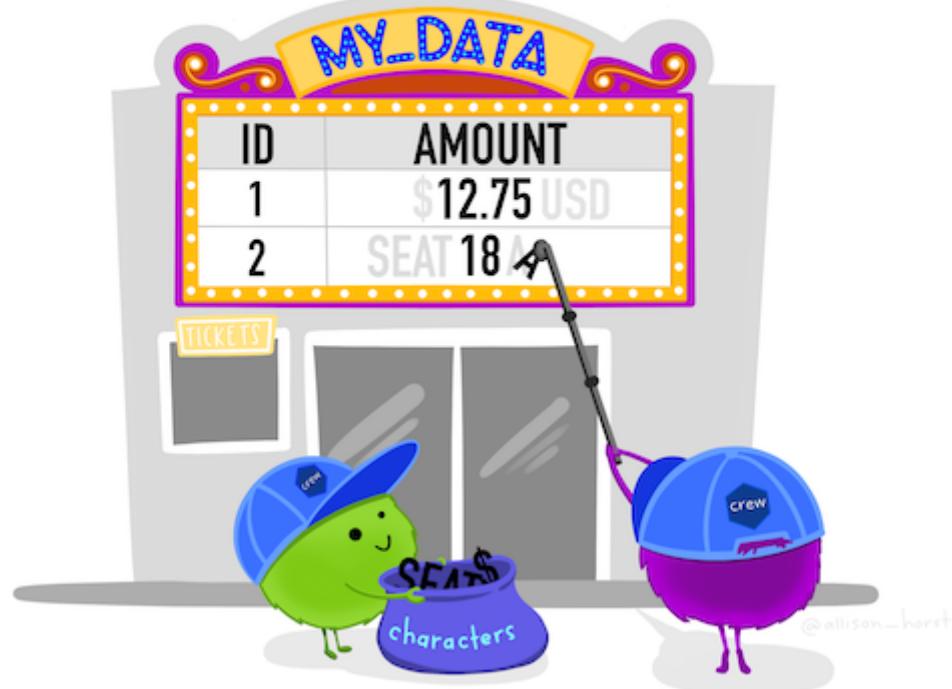


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parse_number()

```
data_frame %>%
  mutate(variable = parse_number(variable))
```



parse_number()

```
german_speakers %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,
               names_to = "year",
               values_to = "number") %>%
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0)) %>%
  mutate(number = as.numeric(number)) %>%
  mutate(year = parse_number(year))
```



parse_number()

state	year	number
<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>
Alabama	2017	426
Alabama	2018	395
Alabama	2019	711
Alaska	2017	331
Alaska	2018	201

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case_when ()

```
data_frame %>%
  mutate(variable = case_when(
    variable == "some_value" ~ "new_value",
    variable == "some_other_value" ~ "new_value_2",
    variable == "some_third_value" ~ "new_value_3",
    TRUE ~ "value_for_all_observations_that_dont_match_any_above_criteria"
  ))
```



case_when ()

```
german_speakers %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,
               names_to = "year",
               values_to = "number") %>%
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0)) %>%
  mutate(number = as.numeric(number)) %>%
  mutate(year = case_when(
    year == "number_of_german_speakers_2017" ~ "2017",
    year == "number_of_german_speakers_2018" ~ "2018",
    year == "number_of_german_speakers_2019" ~ "2019"
  ))
```



case_when()

state	year	number
<chr>	<chr>	<dbl>
Alabama	2017	426
Alabama	2018	395
Alabama	2019	711
Alaska	2017	331
Alaska	2018	201

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More complicated `case_when()`

```
german_speakers %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,
               names_to = "year",
               values_to = "number") %>%
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0)) %>%
  mutate(number = as.numeric(number)) %>%
  mutate(year = parse_number(year)) %>%
  mutate(number_categorical = case_when(
    number < 500 ~ "Less than 500",
    between(number, 500, 1000) ~ "Between 500 and 1000",
    number > 1000 ~ "Greater than 1000"
  ))
```



More complicated case_when()

state	year	number	number_categorical
<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>	<chr>
Alabama	2017	426	Less than 500
Alabama	2018	395	Less than 500
Alabama	2019	711	Between 500 and 1000
Alaska	2017	331	Less than 500
Alaska	2018	201	Less than 500

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My Turn

I'll convert all instances of the `proficiency_level` variable to more meaningful observations using:

1. `recode()`
2. `if_else()`
3. `str_remove()`
4. `parse_number()`
5. `case_when()`

I'll then use `case_when()` to convert the proficiency level into a dichotomous (i.e. Proficient/Not Proficient).



Your Turn

1. Remove the "x_2018_2019" portion of the `race_ethnicity` variable using `str_remove()`
2. Convert all instances of the `race_ethnicity` variable to more meaningful observations (e.g. turn "american_indian_alaska_native" into "American Indian/Alaskan Native") using any of the following:
 - o `recode()`
 - o `if_else()`
 - o `case_when()`



Advanced Summarizing



group_by() + mutate()

```
german_speakers %>%  
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,  
               names_to = "year",  
               values_to = "number") %>%  
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%  
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0)) %>%  
  mutate(number = as.numeric(number)) %>%  
  mutate(year = parse_number(year)) %>%  
  group_by(year) %>%  
  mutate(pct = number / sum(number)) %>%  
  arrange(year, state)
```



group_by() + mutate()

state	year	number	pct
<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>	<dbl>
Alabama	2017	426	0.016217451
Alaska	2017	331	0.012600883
Arizona	2017	636	0.024211969
Arkansas	2017	0	0.000000000
California	2017	440	0.016750419

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ungroup ()

```
german_speakers %>%  
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,  
               names_to = "year",  
               values_to = "number") %>%  
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%  
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0)) %>%  
  mutate(number = as.numeric(number)) %>%  
  mutate(year = parse_number(year)) %>%  
  group_by(year) %>%  
  mutate(pct = number / sum(number)) %>%  
  slice_max(pct, 1) %>%  
  arrange(year, state)
```



ungroup ()

state	year	number	pct
<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>	<dbl>
Ohio	2017	960	0.03654637
Delaware	2018	998	0.03721381
West Virginia	2019	974	0.03577200

3 rows



ungroup ()

```
german_speakers %>%  
  pivot_longer(cols = -state,  
               names_to = "year",  
               values_to = "number") %>%  
  mutate(number = na_if(number, "-")) %>%  
  mutate(number = replace_na(number, 0)) %>%  
  mutate(number = as.numeric(number)) %>%  
  mutate(year = parse_number(year)) %>%  
  group_by(year) %>%  
  mutate(pct = number / sum(number)) %>%  
  ungroup() %>%  
  slice_max(pct, 1)
```



ungroup ()

state	year	number	pct
<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>	<dbl>
Delaware	2018	998	0.03721381
1 row			



My Turn

I'll calculate the percent of students at each school who are proficient in math. To do this, I'll need to use both:

- `group_by()` and `summarize()`
- `group_by()` and `mutate()`

And I can't forget to `ungroup()`!



Your Turn

Create a new variable called `pct` that shows each race/ethnicity as a percentage of all students in each district

You'll need to use `group_by()` and `mutate()`

Don't forget to `ungroup()` at the end!



Binding Data Frames



bind_rows()

german_speakers_2018

state	number
	<dbl>
Alabama	395
Alaska	201
Arizona	858
Arkansas	635
California	318

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german_speakers_2019

state	number
	<dbl>
Alabama	711
Alaska	131
Arizona	136
Arkansas	557
California	854

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bind_rows()

```
german_speakers_2018_2019 <- bind_rows(german_speakers_2018,  
                                         german_speakers_2019)
```

```
german_speakers_2018_2019
```

	state	number
	<chr>	<dbl>
1	Alabama	395
2	Alaska	201
3	Arizona	858
4	Arkansas	635
5	California	318

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bind_rows()

```
german_speakers_2018 <- german_speakers_2018 %>%
  mutate(year = 2018)

german_speakers_2019 <- german_speakers_2019 %>%
  mutate(year = 2019)

german_speakers_2018_2019 <- bind_rows(german_speakers_2018,
                                         german_speakers_2019)
```



bind_rows()

german_speakers_2018_2019

	state	number	year
	<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>
1	Alabama	395	2018
2	Alaska	201	2018
3	Arizona	858	2018
4	Arkansas	635	2018
5	California	318	2018

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bind_cols()

```
german_speakers_2018 <- german_speakers_2018 %>%
  mutate(year = 2018)

german_speakers_2019 <- german_speakers_2019 %>%
  mutate(year = 2019)

german_speakers_2018_2019 <- bind_cols(german_speakers_2018,
                                         german_speakers_2019)
```



bind_cols()

german_speakers_2018_2019

	state...1 <chr>	number...2 <dbl>	year...3 <dbl>	state...4 <chr>	▶
1	Alabama	395	2018	Alabama	
2	Alaska	201	2018	Alaska	
3	Arizona	858	2018	Arizona	
4	Arkansas	635	2018	Arkansas	
5	California	318	2018	California	

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My Turn

I'll import 2017-2018 math proficiency data and then use bind_rows() to make a third_grade_math_proficiency data frame.



Your Turn

1. Import 2017-2018 enrollment data into a data frame called `enrollment_by_race_ethnicity_17_18` and clean it using the code you used for the 2018-2019 data

2. Use `bind_rows()` to make a `enrollment_by_race_ethnicity` data frame.

Hint: You'll need to change some of your code from importing the 2018-2019 data to make the `race_ethnicity` variable get recoded correctly!



Functions



When to Use Functions?

You should consider writing a function whenever you've copied and pasted a block of code more than twice (i.e. you now have three copies of the same code).



What is a Function?



Source: [R for the Rest of Us Blog](#)



Why Use Functions?

1. You can give a function an evocative name that makes your code easier to understand.
2. As requirements change, you only need to update code in one place, instead of many.
3. You eliminate the chance of making incidental mistakes when you copy and paste (i.e. updating a variable name in one place, but not in another).

Source: [R for Data Science, Chapter 19](#)



My Turn

I'll create a function to clean each year of math proficiency data, then use `bind_rows()` to bind them together



Your Turn

Create a function to clean each year of enrollment data, then use `bind_rows()` to bind them together

Arguments you'll need to use:

- Data year
- Text to remove in the `str_remove()` line



Data Merging



Data Merging

All of the animations and explanations used here come from the [tidyexplain project by Garrick Aden-Buie](#).



Data Merging

german_speakers_2019

state	number
<chr>	<dbl>
Alabama	711
Alaska	131
Arizona	136
Arkansas	557
California	854

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Data Merging

```
french_speakers_2019 <- read_excel(path = "data-raw/german-and-french-speakers.xlsx",
                                         sheet = "French speakers 2019")
```

state	french_speakers
<chr>	<dbl>
Alabama	1678
Alaska	1441
Arizona	1002
Arkansas	1558
California	1935

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Joins

X

1	x1
2	x2
3	x3

y

1	y1
2	y2
4	y4



Joins

```
type_of_join(x, y,  
             by = "id_variable"))
```

What if we don't have a variable with the same name in both data frames?

```
type_of_join(x, y,  
             by = c("id_variable_x" = "id_variable_y"))
```

What if we need to join on multiple variables with different names in both data frames?

```
type_of_join(x, y,  
             by = c("id_variable_a" = "id_variable_b",  
                   "id_variable_c" = "id_variable_d"))
```



Which join should I use?



Mutating joins

A mutating join allows you to combine variables from two tables. It first matches observations by their keys, then copies across variables from one table to the other. - [R for Data Science](#)



`left_join()`

All rows from x, and all columns from x and y. Rows in x with no match in y will have NA values in the new columns.



`left_join()`

`left_join(x, y)`

1	x1	1	y1
2	x2	2	y2
3	x3	4	y4



left_join()

```
left_join(german_speakers_2019,  
          french_speakers_2019,  
          by = "state")
```

	state	number	french_speakers
	<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>
1	Alabama	711	1678
2	Alaska	131	1441
3	Arizona	136	1002
4	Arkansas	557	1558
5	California	854	1935

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`right_join()`

All rows from y, and all columns from x and y. Rows in y with no match in x will have NA values in the new columns.



`right_join()`

`right_join(x, y)`

1	x1	1	y1
2	x2	2	y2
3	x3	4	y4



right_join()

```
right_join(german_speakers_2019,  
          french_speakers_2019,  
          by = "state")
```

state	number	french_speakers
	<dbl>	<dbl>
1 Alabama	711	1678
2 Alaska	131	1441
3 Arizona	136	1002
4 Arkansas	557	1558
5 California	854	1935

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full_join()

All rows and all columns from both x and y. Where there are not matching values, returns NA for the one missing.



full_join()

full_join(x, y)

1	x1	1	y1
2	x2	2	y2
3	x3	4	y4



full_join()

```
full_join(german_speakers_2019,  
          french_speakers_2019,  
          by = "state")
```

	state	number	french_speakers
	<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>
1	Alabama	711	1678
2	Alaska	131	1441
3	Arizona	136	1002
4	Arkansas	557	1558
5	California	854	1935

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inner_join()

All rows and all columns from both x and y. Where there are not matching values, returns NA for the one missing.



inner_join()

inner_join(x, y)

1	x1	1	y1
2	x2	2	y2
3	x3	4	y4



inner_join()

```
inner_join(german_speakers_2019,  
          french_speakers_2019,  
          by = "state")
```

state	number	french_speakers
	<dbl>	<dbl>
1 Alabama	711	1678
2 Alaska	131	1441
3 Arizona	136	1002
4 Arkansas	557	1558
5 California	854	1935

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Filtering joins

Filtering joins match observations in the same way as mutating joins, but affect the observations, not the variables - [R for Data Science](#)



semi_join()

All rows from x where there are matching values in y, keeping just columns from x.



`semi_join()`

`semi_join(x, y)`

1	x1	1	y1
2	x2	2	y2
3	x3	4	y4



semi_join()

```
semi_join(german_speakers_2019,  
          french_speakers_2019,  
          by = "state")
```

state	number
<chr>	<dbl>
Alabama	711
Alaska	131
Arizona	136
Arkansas	557
California	854

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anti_join()

All rows from x where there are not matching values in y, keeping just columns from x.



anti_join()

anti_join(x, y)

1	x1	1	y1
2	x2	2	y2
3	x3	4	y4



anti_join()

```
anti_join(german_speakers_2019,  
          french_speakers_2019,  
          by = "state")
```

state	number
	<dbl>
Florida	958
Georgia	821
Hawaii	931
Idaho	0
Illinois	827

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My Turn

1. Download the oregon-districts-and-schools.xlsx file into the data-raw folder.
2. Import a new data frame called `oregon_districts_and_schools` from `oregon-districts-and-schools.xlsx`
3. Merge the `oregon_districts_and_schools` data frame into the `third_grade_math_proficiency` data frame so I can see the names of the schools as well as associated districts



Your Turn

1. Download the oregon-districts.xlsx file into the data-raw folder.
2. Import a new data frame called `oregon_districts` from `oregon-districts.xlsx`
3. Merge the `oregon_districts` data frame into the `enrollment_by_race_ethnicity` data frame so you can see the names of the districts



Renaming Variables



Renaming Variables

```
french_and_german_speakers_2019 <- left_join(german_speakers_2019,  
                                              french_speakers_2019,  
                                              by = "state")
```

state	number	french_speakers
	<dbl>	<dbl>
1 Alabama	711	1678
2 Alaska	131	1441
3 Arizona	136	1002
4 Arkansas	557	1558
5 California	854	1935

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rename ()

```
data_frame %>%  
  rename(new_variable_name = old_variable_name)
```



rename ()

```
french_and_german_speakers_2019 <- left_join(german_speakers_2019,  
                                              french_speakers_2019,  
                                              by = "state") %>%  
  rename(german_speakers = number)
```

```
french_and_german_speakers_2019
```

state	german_speakers	french_speakers
<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>
1 Alabama	711	1678
2 Alaska	131	1441
3 Arizona	136	1002
4 Arkansas	557	1558
5 California	854	1935

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set_names()

```
french_and_german_speakers_2019 <- left_join(german_speakers_2019,  
                                              french_speakers_2019,  
                                              by = "state") %>%  
  set_names("state", "german_speakers", "french_speakers")
```

```
french_and_german_speakers_2019
```

state	german_speakers	french_speakers
<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>
1 Alabama	711	1678
2 Alaska	131	1441
3 Arizona	136	1002
4 Arkansas	557	1558
5 California	854	1935

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My Turn

I'll use `rename()` and/or `set_names()` to give the `third_grade_math_proficiency` data frame more meaningful names.



Your Turn

Use either `rename()` or `set_names()` to give the `enrollment_by_race_ethnicity` data frame more meaningful variable names. In particular, change the `pct` variable to something more descriptive.



Quick Interlude to Reorganize Your Code





Your Turn

Reorganize your code so that you only create the `enrollment_by_race_ethnicity` data frame in one place.



Exporting Data



write_csv()

```
write_csv(french_and_german_speakers_2019,  
          path = "data/french_and_german_speakers_2019.csv")
```



write_rds()

```
write_rds(french_and_german_speakers_2019,  
          path = "data/french_and_german_speakers_2019.rds")
```



My Turn

1. Export my third_grade_math_proficiency data frame as a CSV
2. Export my third_grade_math_proficiency data frame as an RDS file



Your Turn

Export the enrollment_by_race_ethnicity data frame as an RDS file in the data directory (you'll need to make this directory)