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3.2 Exercises: Charts

Datasets used:

expenditures.txt unemployement-rate-1948-2010.csv

Summary

I began this exercise as I have the prior, working first from Power BI, Python, then R. My two main challenges were managing the data so that it could be graphed and understanding how to apply the required graphs to the data. It was very circular in nature and even as I progressed through the application/languages I revisited my previously created graphs and adjusted what I was attempting to depict.

The greatest frustration came from the area charts. I was not pleased with the output from either of the application/languages. The Power BI was the best, as the colored line depicting 2001 helps the reader associate the information from the legend within the chart. For the Python chart, 2001 is defined as pink, however it shows up as a deeper blue than 2008. This occurred regardless of the colors I chose. Finally, R turned out a little better than Python in that the colors were more distinct for both years used. As an afterthought, this data may not have been the best use for the area charts as it is meant to depict a volume/quantity and unemployment is simply a rate. A simple line chart would be the best representation of this data, but I wanted to experiment with both datasets.

The stacked area charts turned out much better than the area charts and I enjoyed working the data into an easy-to-use format for all application/languages.

The code support contains a few more iterations and attempts of the graphs. Please consider the snippets prior to the 'Appendix' my submission.

The following pages contain:

Power BI – Tree map

Power BI – Area chart

Power BI – Stacked Area chart

Python – Tree map

Python – Area chart

Python – Stacked Area chart

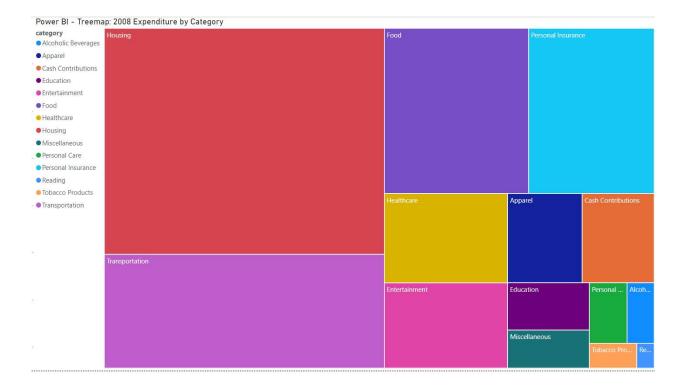
R – Tree map

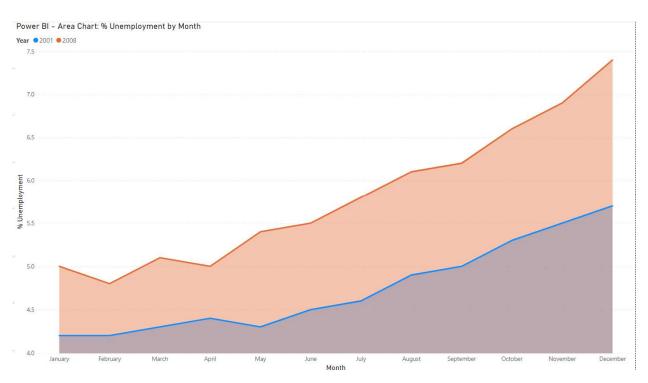
R - Area chart

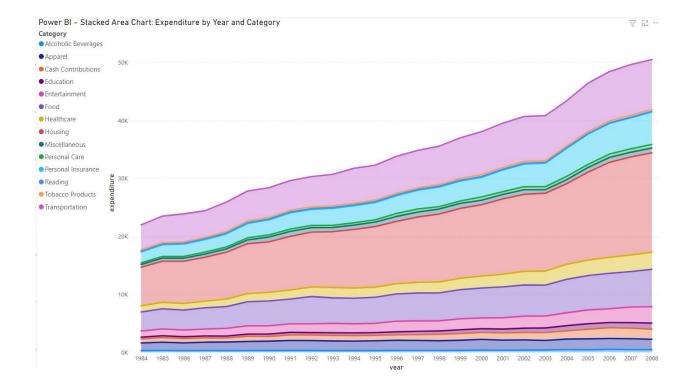
R – Stacked Area chart

Appendix

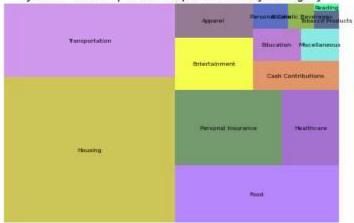
Code support for both Python and R notebooks

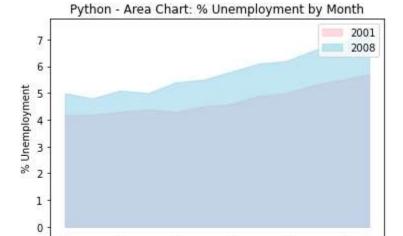






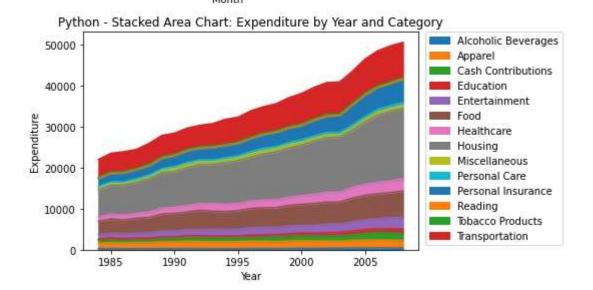
Python - Treemap: 2008 Expenditures by Category





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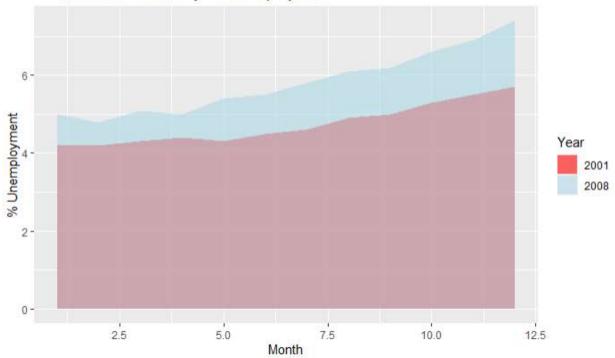
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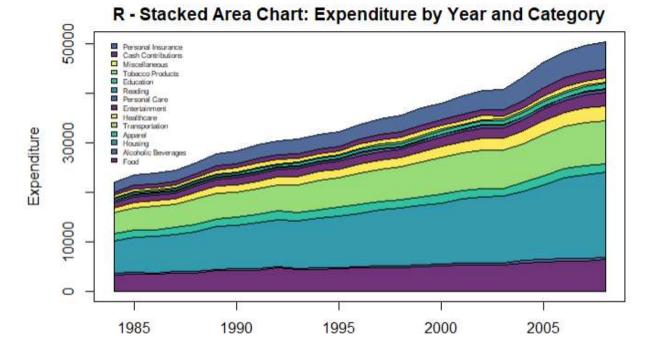
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R - Treemap: Expenditures 2008

Housing	Food	Pe	Personal Insurance		
	Healthcare	Apparel Cast			
Transportation	Entertainment	Education	ducation Personal Care		Alcoholic Beveragea Tobacco Products Reading

R - Area Chart: Monthly % Unemployment





Year

APPENDIX

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In [1]: #Load Libraries
        import pandas as pd
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import squarify
        import numpy as np
        import matplotlib.ticker as plticker # for plot ticks
In [2]: #import data as dataframe
        data = pd.read_csv('expenditures.txt',names=['Year','Category','Expenditure','Sex
        data2 = pd.read csv('unemployement-rate-1948-2010.csv')
In [3]: #data.info()
In [4]: #data.head()
In [5]: #data2.head()
In [6]: #create date column for unemployment df
        data2['Month'] = pd.to_numeric(data2['Period'].str[-2:])
        data2['Day'] = 1
        data2['Date'] = pd.to datetime(data2[['Year', 'Month', 'Day']])
In [7]: data2.info()
        <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
        RangeIndex: 746 entries, 0 to 745
        Data columns (total 7 columns):
             Column
         #
                        Non-Null Count Dtype
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             Series id 746 non-null
                                        object
         0
         1
             Year
                        746 non-null
                                         int64
         2
             Period
                        746 non-null
                                        object
         3
                        746 non-null
                                        float64
             Value
         4
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                                         int64
             Month
                                        int64
         5
                        746 non-null
             Day
         6
             Date
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                                         datetime64[ns]
        dtypes: datetime64[ns](1), float64(1), int64(3), object(2)
        memory usage: 40.9+ KB
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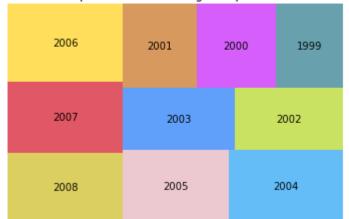
Treemap

Resources: https://www.analyticsvidhya.com/blog/2021/06/build-treemaps-in-python-using-squarify/)

https://jingwen-z.github.io/data-viz-with-matplotlib-series5-treemap/ (https://jingwen-z.github.io/data-viz-with-matplotlib-series5-treemap/)

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In [8]: # get filtered data
         #selecting rows based year column
         treemapdata = data[((data['Year'] >= 1999) & (data['Category'] == "Alcoholic Beve
 In [9]: treemapdata.info()
         <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
         Int64Index: 10 entries, 1 to 127
         Data columns (total 4 columns):
                           Non-Null Count
              Column
                                            Dtype
          0
              Year
                            10 non-null
                                            int64
          1
              Category
                           10 non-null
                                            object
          2
              Expenditure 10 non-null
                                            int64
          3
              Sex
                           10 non-null
                                            int64
         dtypes: int64(3), object(1)
         memory usage: 400.0+ bytes
In [10]: def get_cmap(n, name='hsv'):
              '''Returns a function that maps each index in 0, 1, ..., n-1 to a distinct
             RGB color; the keyword argument name must be a standard mpl colormap name.'''
             return plt.cm.get cmap(name, n)
In [11]: | squarify.plot(sizes=treemapdata['Expenditure'],
                       label=treemapdata['Year'],
                       color=np.random.rand(len(treemapdata['Year']),3), #creates a random
                       alpha=0.7)
         #plt.xlabel("not used") # X-axis label
         #plt.ylabel("not used") # Y-axis label
         plt.axis('off') # turns axis off
         plt.title("Python - Treemap: Alcoholic Beverages Expenditures 1999-2008") # titl
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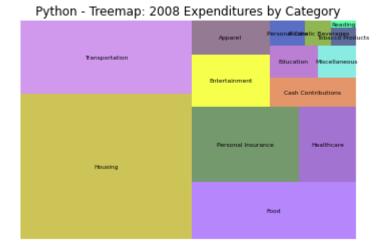
Out[11]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Python - Treemap: Alcoholic Beverages Expenditures 1999-2008')



Out[43]:

	Year	Category	Expenditure	Sex
2	2008	Housing	17109	1
4	2008	Transportation	8604	1
0	2008	Food	6443	1
13	2008	Personal Insurance	5605	1
5	2008	Healthcare	2976	1
6	2008	Entertainment	2835	1
3	2008	Apparel	1801	1
12	2008	Cash Contributions	1737	1
9	2008	Education	1046	1
11	2008	Miscellaneous	840	1
7	2008	Personal Care	616	1
1	2008	Alcoholic Beverages	444	1
10	2008	Tobacco Products	317	1
8	2008	Reading	116	1

Out[54]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Python - Treemap: 2008 Expenditures by Category')



Area Chart

References

https://jingwen-z.github.io/data-viz-with-matplotlib-series7-area-chart/ (https://jingwen-z.github.io/data-viz-with-matplotlib-series7-area-chart/)

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In [12]: # area chart data
areadata = data2[((data2['Year'] == 2001) | (data2['Year'] == 2008))]

#areadata=areadata.set_index('Date')
#Year2001 = data2(data2['Year'] == 2001)
#Year2001 = data2[(data2['Year'] == 2001)]
#Year2008 = data2[(data2['Year'] == 2008)]
In [13]: pivareadata=areadata.pivot(index='Month',columns='Year',values='Value')
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pivareadata.columns = ['2001','2008']

In [15]: pivareadata

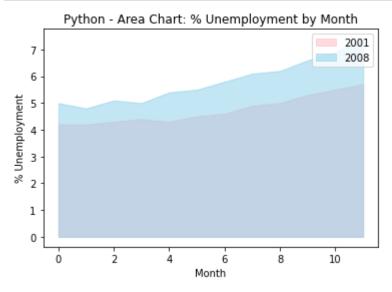
Out[15]:

	2001	2008
Month		
1	4.2	5.0
2	4.2	4.8
3	4.3	5.1
4	4.4	5.0
5	4.3	5.4
6	4.5	5.5
7	4.6	5.8
8	4.9	6.1
9	5.0	6.2
10	5.3	6.6
11	5.5	6.9
12	5.7	7.4

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In [16]: plt.fill_between(np.arange(12), pivareadata['2001'], color="lightpink", alpha=0.5
plt.fill_between(np.arange(12), pivareadata['2008'], color="skyblue", alpha=0.5,

plt.xlabel("Month") # X-axis Label
plt.ylabel("% Unemployment") # Y-axis Label
plt.title("Python - Area Chart: % Unemployment by Month") # title

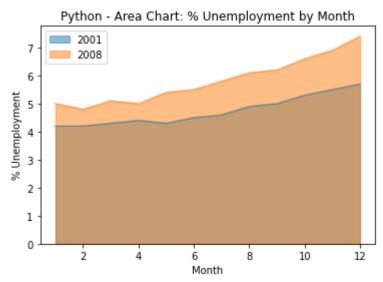
plt.legend()
plt.show()
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In [17]: pivareadata.plot(kind='area',stacked=False)

plt.xlabel("Month") # X-axis LabeL
plt.ylabel("% Unemployment") # Y-axis LabeL
plt.title("Python - Area Chart: % Unemployment by Month") # title

plt.show(block=True)
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Stacked Area Chart

plt.stackplot(pivareadata.index, [pivareadata['2001'], pivareadata['2008']], labels=['2001', '2008'], alpha=0.8)

plt.xlabel("Month") # X-axis label plt.ylabel("% Unemployment") # Y-axis label plt.title("Python -Stacked Area Chart: % Unemployment by Month") # title

plt.legend(loc=2, fontsize='large') plt.show()

In [18]: data

Out[18]:

	Year	Category	Expenditure	Sex
0	2008	Food	6443	1
1	2008	Alcoholic Beverages	444	1
2	2008	Housing	17109	1
3	2008	Apparel	1801	1
4	2008	Transportation	8604	1
345	1984	Education	303	1
346	1984	Tobacco Products	228	1
347	1984	Miscellaneous	451	1
348	1984	Cash Contributions	706	1
349	1984	Personal Insurance	1897	1

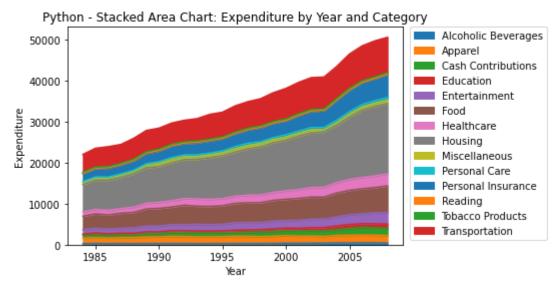
350 rows × 4 columns

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In [19]: newdf=data.pivot(index='Year',columns='Category',values='Expenditure')
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In [20]: #newdf

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In [21]: newdf.plot.area()

plt.legend(bbox_to_anchor=(1.02, 1), loc='upper left', borderaxespad=0)
plt.xlabel("Year") # X-axis Label
plt.ylabel("Expenditure") # Y-axis Label
plt.title("Python - Stacked Area Chart: Expenditure by Year and Category") # tit
plt.show()
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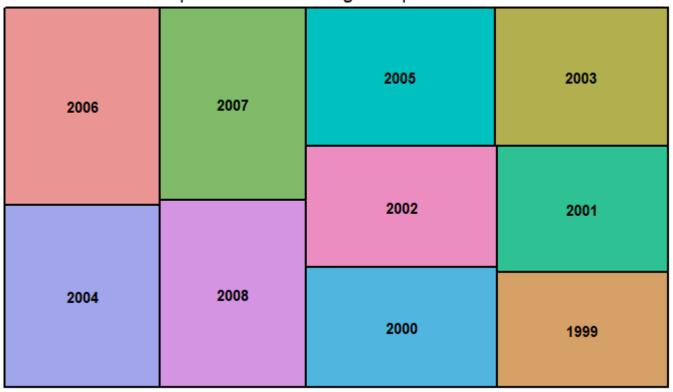
Week 5 & 6

Code ▼

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#load libraries
library(ggplot2)
library(dplyr)
Attaching package: 'dplyr'
The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
    filter, lag
The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
    intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
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library(tidyr)
library(treemap) #for treemap
Registered S3 method overwritten by 'data.table':
  method
                   from
  print.data.table
Registered S3 methods overwritten by 'htmltools':
  method
                       tools:rstudio
  print.html
  print.shiny.tag
                       tools:rstudio
  print.shiny.tag.list tools:rstudio
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library(hrbrthemes)
Registering Windows fonts with R
NOTE: Either Arial Narrow or Roboto Condensed fonts are required to use these themes.
      Please use hrbrthemes::import_roboto_condensed() to install Roboto Condensed and
      if Arial Narrow is not on your system, please see https://bit.ly/arialnarrow
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library(pivottabler)
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Registered S3 method overwritten by 'htmlwidgets':
  method
                   from
  print.htmlwidget tools:rstudio
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library(areaplot)
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#import data
data1 = read.delim("C:\\Users\\longr\\Documents\\DSC 640\\Week 5 & 6\\3.2 Exercises\\expenditure
s.txt", sep = '\t')
data2 = read.csv("C:\\Users\\longr\\Documents\\DSC 640\\Week 5 & 6\\3.2 Exercises\\unemployement
-rate-1948-2010.csv")
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#filter data for treemap
tmd <- filter(data1, year >= 1999 & category == "Alcoholic Beverages")
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#create treemap
treemap(tmd,
        index="year",
        vSize="expenditure",
        type="index",
        title ='R - Treemap: Alcoholic Beverages Expenditures 1999-2008'
            )
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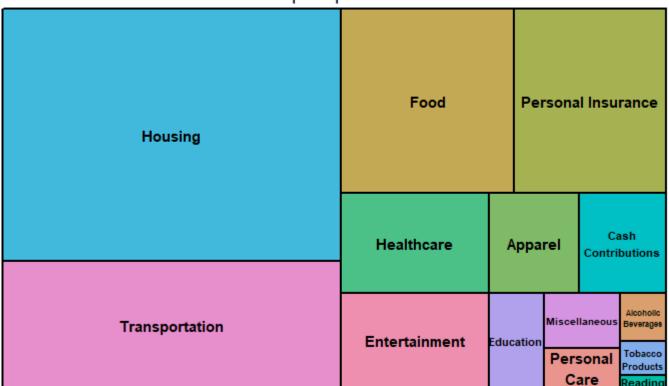




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#filter data for treemap
tmd2 <- filter(data1, year == 2008)</pre>
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#create another treemap
treemap(tmd2,
    index="category",
    vSize="expenditure",
    type="index",
    title ='R - Treemap: Expenditures 2008'
    )
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R - Treemap: Expenditures 2008

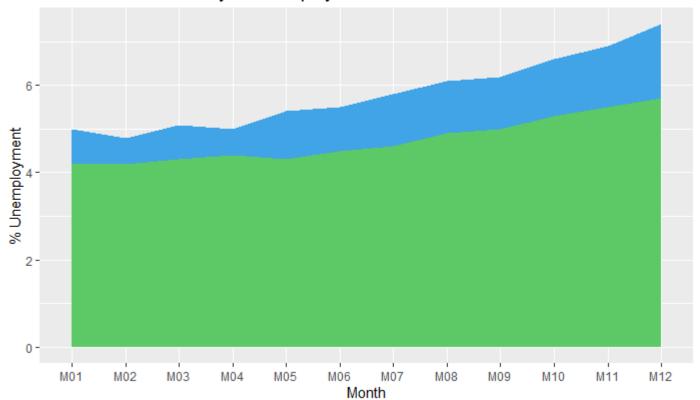


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#create new dataframe
areadata1 <- filter(data2, Year == 2001)
areadata8 <- filter(data2, Year == 2008)
newdf <- data.frame(areadata1$Period, areadata1$Value, areadata8$Value)
names(newdf) <- c("Period","Year01","Year08")</pre>
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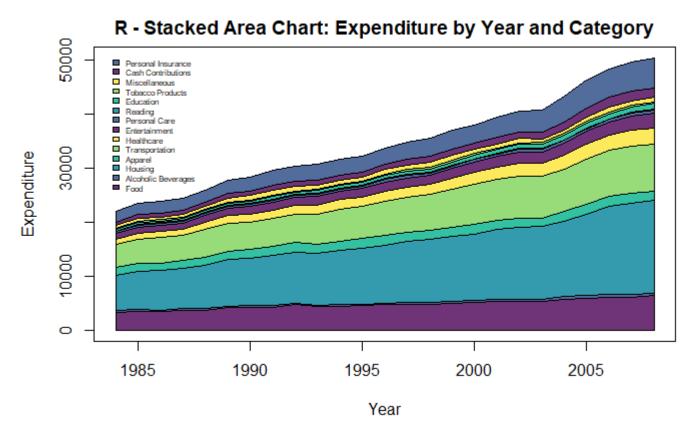
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#Don't use
# Area chart
ggplot(newdf) +
  geom_area(aes(x = Period, y = Year08, group=1),fill = 4, alpha = 0.85)+
  geom_area(aes(x = Period, y = Year01, group=1),fill = 3, alpha = 0.85)+
  xlab("Month")+ylab("% Unemployment")+
  ggtitle("R - Area Chart: Monthly % Unemployment")
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R - Area Chart: Monthly % Unemployment



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#pivot the data for the stacked area chart
pivot_data1 = pivot_wider(data1, names_from = category, values_from = expenditure)
drops = c("sex")
pivot_data1 = pivot_data1[ , !(names(pivot_data1) %in% drops)]
pivot_data1 <- pivot_data1[order(pivot_data1$year),]</pre>
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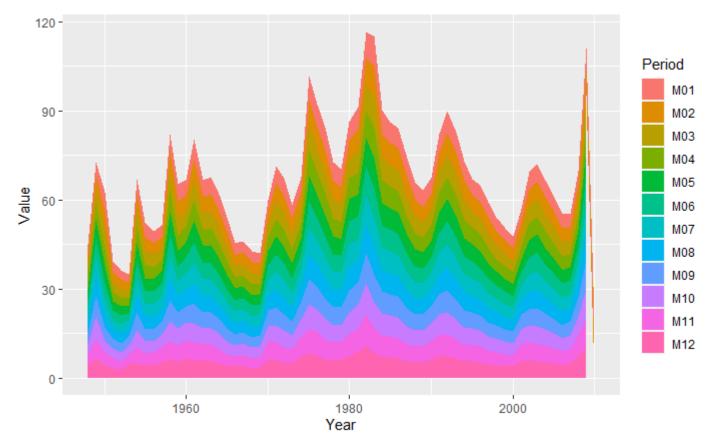
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#adjust data
data2$Month = data2$Period #make new column
data2$Month <- gsub("[^0-9.-]", "", data2$Month)
data2$Month = as.numeric(as.character(data2$Month))

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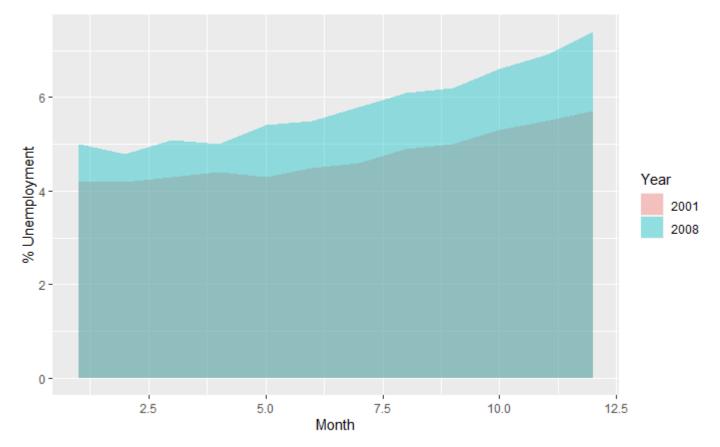
plot = ggplot(data2, aes(x=Year, y=Value, fill=Period))
plot + geom_area()
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#area data again....
data2$Year = as.character(data2$Year)
areadf <- subset(data2,(Year == 2001 | Year == 2008))</pre>
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#Area plot retry
plot = ggplot(areadf, aes(x=Month, y=Value, fill=Year))
plot + geom_area(position = "identity",alpha=.4)+ xlab("Month")+ylab("% Unemployment")
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plot = ggplot(areadf, aes(x=Month, y=Value, fill=Year))
plot + geom_area(position = "identity",alpha=.6)+ xlab("Month")+ylab("% Unemployment")+
ggtitle("R - Area Chart: Monthly % Unemployment")+scale_fill_manual(values = c('red','lightblue'
)) #this helps prevent overlapping and discoloration

R - Area Chart: Monthly % Unemployment

