



MANIPULATING AND PROCESSING DATA IN R

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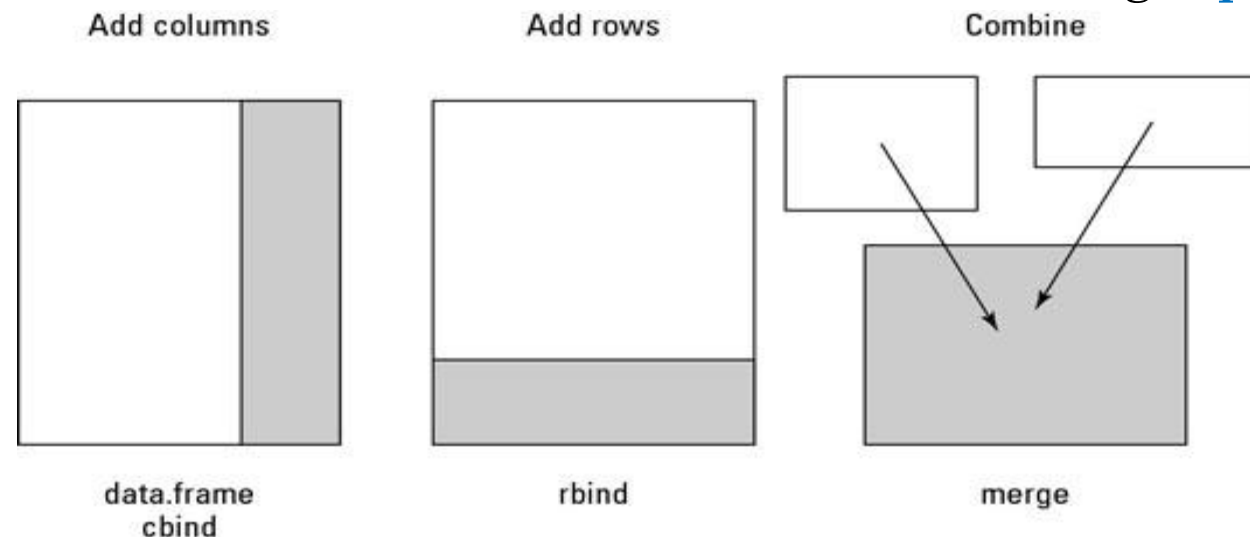
RESHAPING DATA - NEED

- Reshaping data is a general practice in the data analysis and it is very tedious task.
- Data often has multiple levels of grouping and **typically requires investigation at multiple levels.**
- For example,
 - From a long term clinical study we may be interested in investigating relationships over time, or between times or patients or treatments.
 - Performing these investigations fluently requires the data to be reshaped in different ways, but most software packages make it difficult to generalize these tasks and code needs to be written for each specific case.



MERGING DATASETS IN R

- Similar datasets obtained from the same data sources, need to be merged together for further processing.
- R provides following functions for merging different data sets
 - **The merge() function** : Used to merge the data contained in different data frames on the **basis of common columns**
 - **The cbind() function**: Used to add the columns of datasets having an **equal set and identical order of rows**.
 - **The rbind() function**: Used to add rows in datasets having **equal number of columns**



MERGING DATASETS IN R- MERGE()

- The `merge()` function combines the data of two data frames on the basis of the existence of a **common column** between the two.
- Following are the arguments taken by `merge()` function
 - **x**: specifies a data frame
 - **y**: specifies a data frame
 - **by, by.x, by.y**: specifies the names of the common columns in both x and y



MERGING DATASETS IN R- MERGE()

- Example merge is shown.
- Data Frames **mydata1** and **mydata2** are merged based on common column “ID”

```
> d<-c(1,2,3)
> e<-c("Annie", "John", "Berkely")
> mydata1<-data.frame(d,e)
> names(mydata1)<-c("ID", "Names")
> mydata1
  ID  Names
1  1  Annie
2  2   John
3  3 Berkely
> f<-c(1,2,3)
> g<-c(45,78,78)
> h<-c(67,89,76)
> mydata2<-data.frame(f,g,h)
> names(mydata2)<-c("ID", "English", "Maths")
> mydata2
  ID English Maths
1  1      45    67
2  2      78    89
3  3      78    76
> |
```

```
> ##Applying merge function on mydata1
> ## and on mydata2 data frames
> mydata3<-merge(mydata1, mydata2, by.x="ID")
> mydata3
  ID  Names English Maths
1  1  Annie      45     67
2  2   John      78     89
3  3 Berkely      78     76
> |
```



MERGING DATASETS IN R- MERGE()

- Example merge is shown.
- Data Frames **mydata1** and **mydata2** are merged based on **different columns**.

```
> mydata1
  ID  Names
1  1  Annie
2  2   John
3  3 Berkely
> mydata2
  StudentID English Maths
1         1      45     67
2         2      78     89
3         3      78     76
> mydata2<-merge(x=mydata1, y=mydata2, by.x="ID", by.y="StudentID")
> mydata2
  ID  Names English Maths
1  1  Annie      45     67
2  2   John      78     89
3  3 Berkely      78     76
> |
```

Combines mydata1 and mydata2 on the basis of "ID" and "StudentID" columns respectively



MERGING DATASETS IN R- MERGE()

- Example merge is shown.
- Data Frames **mydata1** and **mydata2** are merged based on **two common columns**.

```
> mydata1
  ID  Names Social
1  1  Annie    23
2  2   John    56
3  3 Berkely    78
> mydata2
  ID  Names English Maths
1  1  Annie     45     67
2  2   John     78     89
3  3 Berkely     78     76
> merge(mydata1, mydata2, c("ID", "Names"))
  ID  Names Social English Maths
1  1  Annie     23     45     67
2  2   John     56     78     89
3  3 Berkely     78     78     76
> |
```

Combines the data of mydata1 and mydata2 on the basis of “ID” and “Names” columns respectively



MERGING DATASETS IN R- CBIND()

- The `cbind()` function is used to bind the columns of two datasets.
- It helps in restricting the number of columns to be included in the new dataset.

```
> mydata1
  ID  Names Social
1  1  Annie    23
2  2   John    56
3  3 Berkely    78
> mydata2
  ID  Names English Maths
1  1  Annie     45    67
2  2   John     78    89
3  3 Berkely     78    76
> cbind(mydata1[,c("ID", "Names")], mydata2[,c("English", "Maths")])
  ID  Names English Maths
1  1  Annie     45    67
2  2   John     78    89
3  3 Berkely     78    76
> cbind(mydata1[,c("ID", "Names", "Social")], mydata2[,c("English", "Maths")])
  ID  Names Social English Maths
1  1  Annie    23     45     67
2  2   John    56     78     89
3  3 Berkely    78     78     76
> |
```

Combines “ID” and “Names” of mydata1 and “English” and “Maths” columns of mydata2

Combines “ID”, “Names” and “Social” of mydata1 and “English” and “Maths” columns of mydata2

MERGING DATASETS IN R- RBIND()

- The `rbind()` function is used to bind the rows of two datasets.
- The `rbind()` function combines vector, matrix or data frame by rows.

```
> mydata1
  ID   Names Social
1  1   Annie    23
2  2    John    56
3  3 Berkely    78
> mydata3
  ID   Names Social
1  4    Alan    67
2  5 Johnny    78
3  6    Tom    89
> rbind(mydata1, mydata3)
  ID   Names Social
1  1   Annie    23
2  2    John    56
3  3 Berkely    78
4  4    Alan    67
5  5 Johnny    78
6  6    Tom    89
> |
```

```
> mydata1
  ID   Names Social
1  1   Annie    23
2  2    John    56
3  3 Berkely    78
> mydata2
  ID   Names English Maths
1  1   Annie      45     67
2  2    John      78     89
3  3 Berkely      78     76
> rbind(mydata1, mydata2)
Error in rbind(deparse.level, ...) :
  numbers of columns of arguments do not match
> |
```

SORTING DATA

- R provides various functions that allow you to define the order of your data in a data structure.
- The following functions are used for sorting the data.
 - `sort()` : Used to sort the values contained in a vector
 - `order()`: Used to organize/arrange values or columns in a dataset
- **Example : Sorting and Reverse Sorting of Vector**

```
> vec1<-c(23,45,10,10,78,65,44,23)
> ##Sorting a vector
> sort(vec1)
[1] 10 10 23 23 44 45 65 78
> ##Reversing a vector
> sort(vec1, decreasing=TRUE)
[1] 78 65 45 44 23 23 10 10
> sort(vec1, decreasing=FALSE)
[1] 10 10 23 23 44 45 65 78
> |
```



ORDERING DATA

- The `order()` function is used to organize or arrange values or columns in a dataset.

```
> sampleDF
  id weight  size
1  1     25 small
2  2     37 large
3  3     14 medium
4  4     62 large
5  5     55 medium
> |
```

```
> sampleDF<-data.frame(id=1:5,
+ weight=c(25,37,14,62,55),
+ size=c("small","large","medium","large","medium"))
> sampleDF[order(sampleDF$weight), ]
  id weight  size
3  3     14 medium
1  1     25 small
2  2     37 large
5  5     55 medium
4  4     62 large
> ##Sort by size, then weight
> sampleDF[order(sampleDF$size, sampleDF$weight), ]
  id weight  size
2  2     37 large
4  4     62 large
3  3     14 medium
5  5     55 medium
1  1     25 small
> ##Sort by weight, then size
> sampleDF[order(sampleDF$weight, sampleDF$size), ]
  id weight  size
3  3     14 medium
1  1     25 small
2  2     37 large
5  5     55 medium
4  4     62 large
> |
```



REVERSE ORDER

- You can reverse the order of the data contained in a column of a data frame in 2 ways.
 - By using `decreasing=TRUE`, in the `order()` function
 - By using `-` (**minus**) before the column name

```
> sampleDF
  id weight  size
1  1     25 small
2  2     37 large
3  3     14 medium
4  4     62 large
5  5     55 medium
> ##Sort by weight
> sampleDF[order(sampleDF$weight,decreasing=TRUE), ]
  id weight  size
4  4     62 large
5  5     55 medium
2  2     37 large
1  1     25 small
3  3     14 medium
> sampleDF[order(-sampleDF$weight), ]
  id weight  size
4  4     62 large
5  5     55 medium
2  2     37 large
1  1     25 small
3  3     14 medium
> |
```

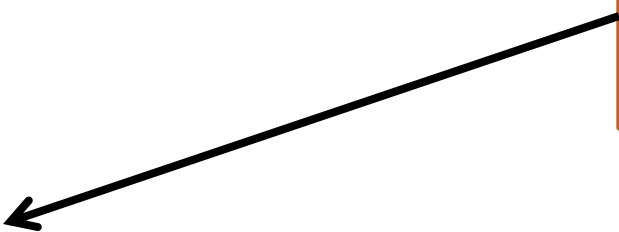


TRANSPOSING THE DATA

- You can use `t()` function to transpose a matrix or a data frame
- This function converts rows to columns and columns to rows.

```
> sampleDF
  id weight  size
1  1     25 small
2  2     37 large
3  3     14 medium
4  4     62 large
5  5     55 medium
> t(sampleDF)
      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]
id      "1"  "2"  "3"  "4"  "5"
weight "25"  "37"  "14"  "62"  "55"
size   "small" "large" "medium" "large" "medium"
> |
```

Converts rows to columns and
columns to rows



DATA WRANGLING TOOLS



DATA WRANGLING TOOLS

- Some of the freely available data wrangling tools are
 - **Tabula** : Extracting **tabular data** from PDF's mainly tables.
 - **OpenRefine** : Tool for working with **messy data**, **cleaning** it up, **transforming** it from one format into another.
 - **“R” packages** : R is a open source programming/scripting language that's useful both for statistics and data science.
 - **DataWrangler**: Data Wrangler is an interactive tool for data cleaning and transformation. It is a web application
 - **CSVkit**: Suite of utilities for converting to and working with **CSV files**
 - **Python**: Pandas package for data cleaning.
 - **Mr. Data Converter**: It will convert your Excel data into one of several web-friendly formats, including **HTML**, **JSON** and **XML**.



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○ **Tabula**

- **Type:** Desktop application
- **Technology:** Ruby, JavaScript
- **License:** Open source
- **Author:** Manuel Arístarán, Mike Tigas and Jeremy B. Merrill
- **Links:**
 - **Website:** <http://tabula.technology/>
- A web application that lets you easily **extract tabular data/images/text** from PDF files.



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○ Open Refine

- **Type:** Desktop application
- **Technology:** Java
- **License:** Free
- **Author:** Google Inc. (United States)
- **Links:**
 - **Website:** <http://code.google.com/p/google-refine/>
 - **Documentation for users:**
<http://code.google.com/p/googlerefine/wiki/DocumentationForUsers>
 - **Documentation for developers:**
<http://code.google.com/p/googlerefine/wiki/DocumentationForDevelopers>
 - **Tutorials**
<https://github.com/OpenRefine/OpenRefine/wiki/External-Resources>



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○ Open Refine

- **Input Formats supported:** TSV, CSV, Excel (.xls and.xlsx), JSON, XML and Google Data documents.
- **Output Formats:** TSV, CSV, Excel and in table
- **Types of Data source:**
 - Upload a file from **local system**
 - Can provide **URL** (importing data from tables in web pages, in XML documents)
 - Copy and **Paste** data
 - Provide **link of Google Docs**.
- **Features**
 - Data cleaning, Data transformation, Creation of new fields



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○ Data Wrangler

DataWrangler^{alpha}

- **Type:** Web application
- **Technology:** HTML
- **License:** Free to use
- **Author:** The Stanford Visualization Group (United States)
- **Links:**
 - **Website:** <http://vis.stanford.edu/wrangler/>
 - **Research:** <http://vis.stanford.edu/papers/wrangler>
- **Interactive** web application for transformation and cleaning
- It combines direct manipulation of visualized data with automatic inference of relevant data transformation.



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○ CSVkit



- **Type:** Library
- **Technology:** Python
- **License:** MIT
- **Author:** Christopher Groskopf
- **Links:**
 - **Repository:** <https://github.com/onyxfish/csvkit>
 - **Issues:** <https://github.com/onyxfish/csvkit/issues>
 - **Documentation:** <http://csvkit.rtfld.org/>
 - **Schemas:** <https://github.com/onyxfish/ffs>
- CSVkit is a suite of utilities for converting to and working with CSV



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○ Features of CSVkit

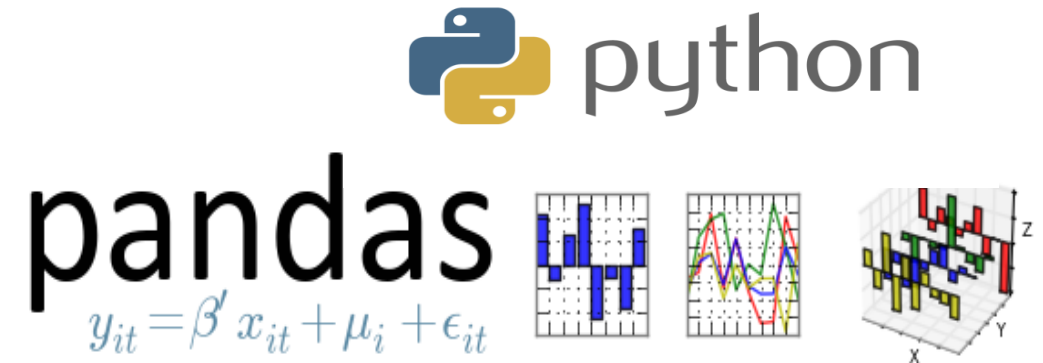
- Convert Excel to CSV
- Convert JSON to CSV
- csvcut: data scalpel
- csvstat: statistics on the data
- csvgrep: find the data you need
- csvsort: ordering
- csvjoin: merging related data
- csvstack: combining subsets



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○ Pandas: Python Data Analysis Library

- **Type:** Library
- **Technology:** Python
- **License:** Open source
- **Links:**
 - **Website:** <http://pandas.pydata.org/>



- Python with pandas is in use in a wide variety of academic and commercial domains, including **Finance**, **Neuroscience**, **Economics**, **Statistics**, **Web Analytics**, and more.



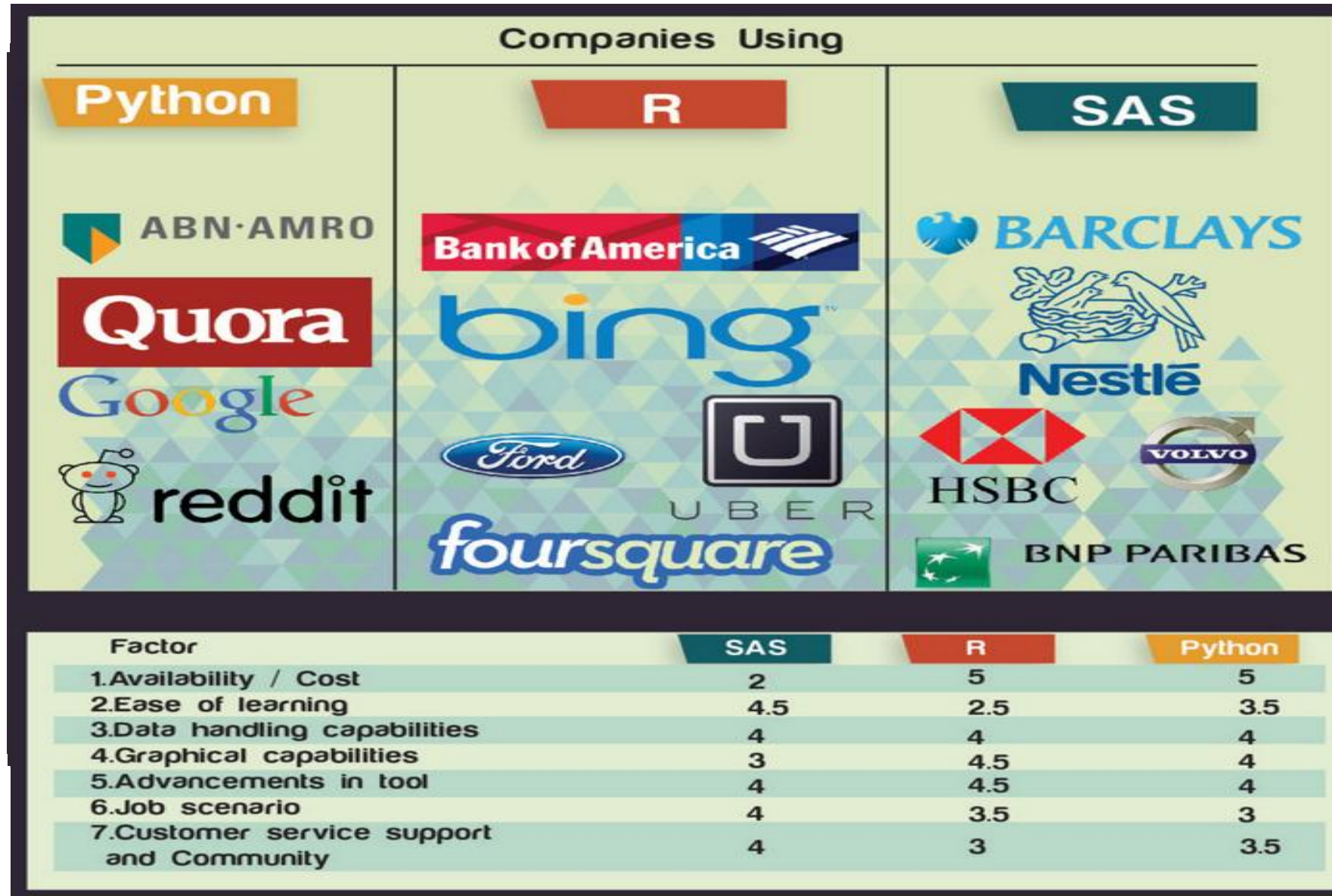
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○ Features of Pandas:

- Tools for **reading** and **writing** data (CSV and text files, Microsoft Excel, SQL databases)
- **merging** and **joining** of data sets;
- Flexible **reshaping** and **pivoting** of data sets;
- A fast and efficient **DataFrame** object for data manipulation.
- **Aggregating** or **transforming** data with a powerful group by engine allowing **split-apply-combine** operations on data sets;

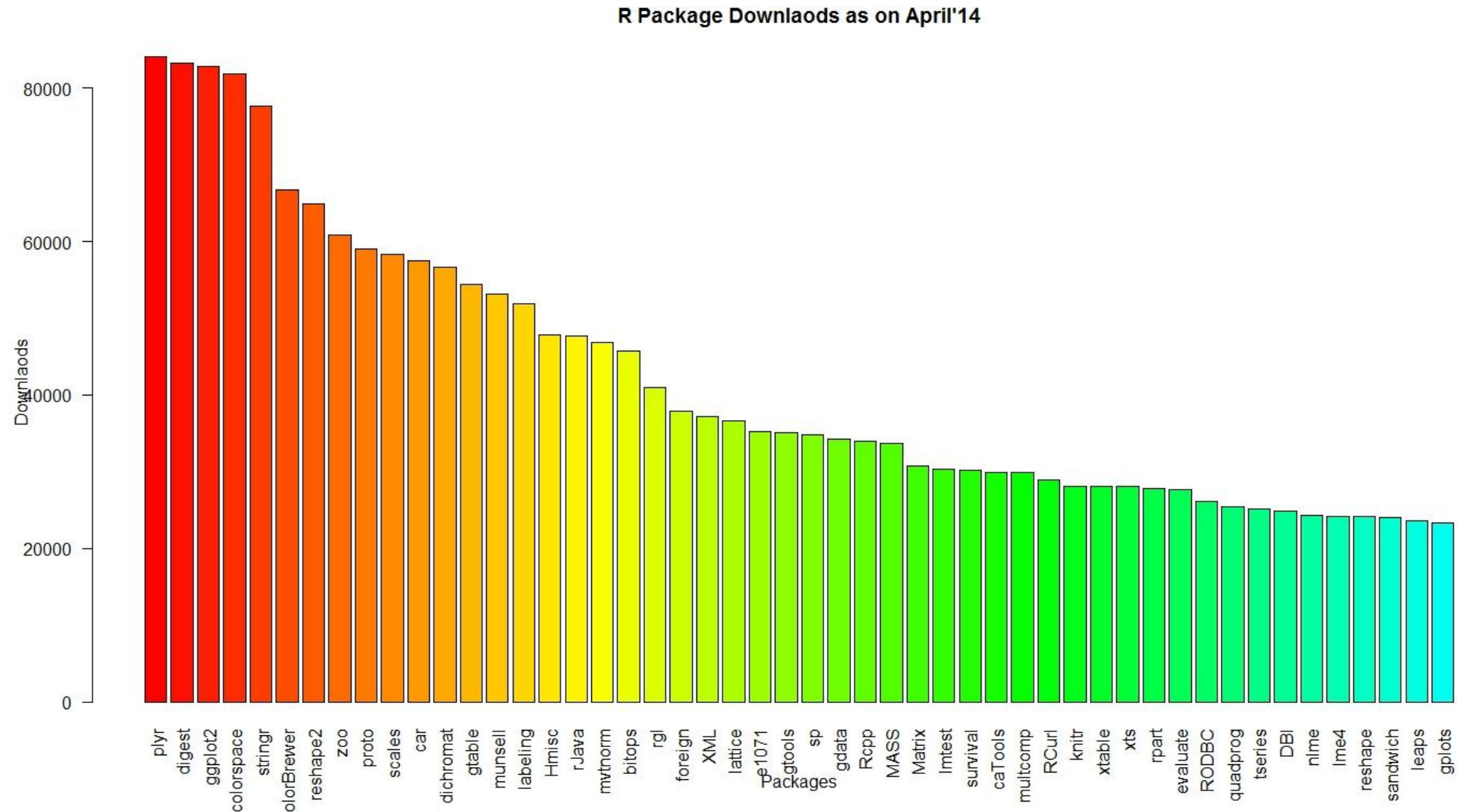


COMPARISON



Source: <http://www.analyticsvidhya.com/blog/2015/05/infographic-quick-guide-sas-python/>

WHY R FOR DATA WRANGLING



R PACKAGES FOR DATA WRANGLING

- The **sqldf**: R package for running **SQL Statements on R** data frames
- The **tidyr**: Easily makes Tidy Data with **spread()** and **gather()** Functions
- The **plyr** & **dplyr**: The **split-apply-combine** strategy for R.
- The **reshape2**: For **restructure** and **aggregate** data.
- The **Data.table**: Speed with **large data sets**
- The **Stringr**: Package for **text manipulation**

- To use the above packages; install and load
- **Installing:**

```
install.packages("Package_Name")
```
- **Loading**

```
library(Package_Name)
```



RESHAPING THE DATA IN R



CONVERTING DATA TO WIDE OR LONG FORMATS

- Wide and Long data

- Wide data has **more number of columns than rows**
- Long data has **more number of rows than columns**

- We can convert from One form to another form in R

#	ozone	wind	temp
# 1	23.62	11.623	65.55
# 2	29.44	10.267	79.10
# 3	59.12	8.942	83.90
# 4	59.96	8.794	83.97

#	variable	value
# 1	ozone	23.615
# 2	ozone	29.444
# 3	ozone	59.115
# 4	ozone	59.962
# 5	wind	11.623
# 6	wind	10.267
# 7	wind	8.942
# 8	wind	8.794
# 9	temp	65.548
# 10	temp	79.100
# 11	temp	83.903
# 12	temp	83.968

CONVERTING DATA TO WIDE OR LONG FORMATS

- Wide data has a column for each variable.
- Long-format data has a column for all possible variable types and a column for the values of those variables.
 - It is not necessarily 2 columns; it can be more than that
- In some data analysis, you need long data format and vice-versa.
- In reality, you need long-format data much more commonly than wide-format data.
- For example
 - The ggplot2 requires wide-format data.
 - The plyr requires long-format data, and most modelling functions (such as lm(), glm()) require long-format data.
- But people often find it easier to record their data in wide format.



CONVERTING DATA TO WIDE OR LONG FORMATS

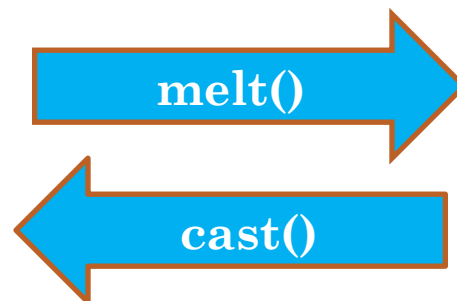
- R provides the `reshape2()` package to convert data into wide to long format and vice-versa.
- Two functions we use
 - Use `melt()` function to convert wide data to long format
 - Use `dcast()` function to convert long data to wide format
- When converting data from long to wider format, it is important to understand the **identifier variables** and **measured variables**.
 - Identifier variables identifies the observations
 - Measured variables represents the observed measurements



MELTING DATA TO LONG FORMAT

- The `melt()` function is used for converting the data from **wide format to long format**.
- The `melt()` function contained in **reshape2** package.
- So, reshape2 package should be installed and loaded.
- Sample example is shown here.

id	time	x1	x2
1	1	5	6
1	2	3	5
2	1	6	1
2	2	2	4



id	time	variable	value
1	1	x1	5
1	2	x1	3
2	1	x1	6
2	2	x1	2
1	1	x2	6
1	2	x2	5
2	1	x2	1
2	2	x2	4

MELTING DATA TO LONG FORMAT

- Example 1 : The `melt()` function.
- We have considered “airquality” dataset
- By **default settings** for melt function
- Command is `melt(AQsample)`

```
> AQsample
  Ozone Solar.R Wind Temp Month Day
1    41    190  7.4   67     5    1
2    36    118  8.0   72     5    2
3    12    149 12.6   74     5    3
4    18    313 11.5   62     5    4
5    NA     NA 14.3   56     5    5
6    28     NA 14.9   66     5    6
```

```
> melt(AQsample)
No id variables; using all as measure variables
  variable value
1      Ozone  41.0
2      Ozone  36.0
3      Ozone  12.0
4      Ozone  18.0
5      Ozone   NA
6      Ozone  28.0
7  Solar.R 190.0
8  Solar.R 118.0
9  Solar.R 149.0
10 Solar.R 313.0
11 Solar.R   NA
12 Solar.R   NA
13     Wind   7.4
14     Wind   8.0
15     Wind  12.6
16     Wind  11.5
```

- By default, melt has assumed that all columns with numeric values are variables with values



MELTING DATA TO LONG FORMAT

- Example 1: The `melt()` function
- Applying some more arguments
- Based on Identifier variables, the whole dataset is reshaped.
- Here, `id.vars` are “Month” and “Day” and the remaining variables are treated as `measure.vars`.
- Data is never lost while reshaping

```
> melt(AQsample, id.vars = c("Month", "Day"))
```

	Month	Day	variable	value
1	5	1	Ozone	41.0
2	5	2	Ozone	36.0
3	5	3	Ozone	12.0
4	5	4	Ozone	18.0
5	5	5	Ozone	NA
6	5	6	Ozone	28.0
7	5	1	Solar.R	190.0
8	5	2	Solar.R	118.0
9	5	3	Solar.R	149.0
10	5	4	Solar.R	313.0
11	5	5	Solar.R	NA
12	5	6	Solar.R	NA
13	5	1	Wind	7.4
14	5	2	Wind	8.0
15	5	3	Wind	12.6
16	5	4	Wind	11.5
17	5	5	Wind	14.3
18	5	6	Wind	14.9
19	5	1	Temp	67.0
20	5	2	Temp	72.0
21	5	3	Temp	74.0
22	5	4	Temp	62.0
23	5	5	Temp	56.0
24	5	6	Temp	66.0

MELTING DATA TO LONG FORMAT

- Example 1: The `melt()` function.
- If you want to change the default names of “variable” and “value”, following command is used.

```
> melt(AQsample, id.vars = c("Month", "Day"),  
+ variable.name="Climate_Variable",  
+ value.name="Climate_Value")  
   Month Day Climate_Variable Climate_Value  
1      5   1             Ozone           41.0
```

- **Syntax**

```
melt(data, id.vars, measure.vars, variable.name = "variable",  
na.rm = FALSE, value.name = "value")
```



MELTING DATA TO LONG FORMAT

○ Example 2 : The `melt()` function

1. Here, data frame, named **dataMelt** is created.
2. Here, `melt()` function, explicitly specifies ID variables, source columns, destination columns and the measurement column

```
> dataMelt<-data.frame(c(1,2,3,4),c("M","F","F","M"),  
+ c(8.9,6.2,9.4,10.5),c(11.3,10.7,12.1,13.5),  
+ c(10.6,12.1,13.6,13.9))  
> names(dataMelt)<-c("Subject","Sex","Control","Cond1","Cond2")  
> dataMelt  
  Subject Sex Control Cond1 Cond2  
1        1   M    8.9  11.3  10.6  
2        2   F    6.2  10.7  12.1  
3        3   F    9.4  12.1  13.6  
4        4   M   10.5  13.5  13.9
```

```
> library(reshape2)  
Error in library(reshape2)  
> library(reshape2)  
Warning message:  
package 'reshape2' was built  
> melt(dataMelt)  
Using Sex as id variables  
      Sex variable value  
1      M Subject    1.0  
2      F Subject    2.0  
3      F Subject    3.0  
4      M Subject    4.0  
5      M Control    8.9  
6      F Control    6.2  
7      F Control    9.4  
8      M Control   10.5  
9      M  Cond1   11.3  
10     F  Cond1   10.7  
11     F  Cond1   12.1  
12     M  Cond1   13.5  
13     M  Cond2   10.6  
14     F  Cond2   12.1  
15     F  Cond2   13.6  
16     M  Cond2   13.9  
> |
```

MELTING DATA TO LONG FORMAT

- The `melt()` function, by default, **considers all categorical variables into identifier variables**.
- We can also change the default settings

Here, we are applying additional parameters to specify the identifiers, Measurement Variable & Value names

```
> melt(dataMelt, id.vars=c("Subject", "Sex"),  
+       measure.vars=c("Control", "Cond1", "Cond2"),  
+       variable.name="Condition",  
+       value.name="Measurement")  
  Subject Sex Condition Measurement  
1        1   M   Control         8.9  
2        2   F   Control         6.2  
3        3   F   Control         9.4  
4        4   M   Control        10.5  
5        1   M    Cond1        11.3  
6        2   F    Cond1        10.7  
7        3   F    Cond1        12.1  
8        4   M    Cond1        13.5  
9        1   M    Cond2        10.6  
10       2   F    Cond2        12.1  
11       3   F    Cond2        13.6  
12       4   M    Cond2        13.9  
> |
```

CASTING DATA TO WIDE FORMAT

- In reshape2 there are multiple cast functions.
 - Since you will most commonly work with data.frame objects, the `dcast()` function is used here.
 - There is also `acast()` to return a vector, matrix, or array.
- The `dcast()` function uses a formula to describe the shape of the data.
- The arguments on the `left` side of the formula refers to the “`id.vars`” and the arguments on the `right` side of the formula refers to the “`measure.vars`”.
- Here, we are using `long data format of Airquality dataset`



CASTING DATA TO WIDE FORMAT

- Exemple 1: The `dcast()` function
- Dataset used : Long data format of Airquality dataset.
- Here, we need to dcast the “Month” and “Day” (which are again id.vars) and remaining are variable is the measures.vars.



CASTING DATA TO WIDE FORMAT

- Example 1: The `dcast()` function

```
> dcast(aq, Month + Day ~ variable)
  Month Day Ozone Solar.R Wind Temp
1     5   1    41     190   7.4   67
2     5   2    36     118   8.0   72
3     5   3    12     149  12.6   74
4     5   4    18     313  11.5   62
5     5   5     NA      NA  14.3   56
6     5   6    28      NA  14.9   66
> |
```

- Check with the following formula
`month ~ variable`

```
Month Day variable value
1     5   1    Ozone  41.0
2     5   2    Ozone  36.0
3     5   3    Ozone  12.0
4     5   4    Ozone  18.0
5     5   5    Ozone   NA
6     5   6    Ozone  28.0
7     5   1  Solar.R 190.0
8     5   2  Solar.R 118.0
9     5   3  Solar.R 149.0
10    5   4  Solar.R 313.0
11    5   5  Solar.R   NA
12    5   6  Solar.R   NA
13    5   1    Wind   7.4
14    5   2    Wind   8.0
15    5   3    Wind  12.6
16    5   4    Wind  11.5
17    5   5    Wind  14.3
18    5   6    Wind  14.9
19    5   1    Temp  67.0
20    5   2    Temp  72.0
21    5   3    Temp  74.0
22    5   4    Temp  62.0
23    5   5    Temp  56.0
24    5   6    Temp  66.0
```



CASTING DATA TO WIDE FORMAT

- Example 2 : Sample dataset
- Formula here is Subject + Sex ~ Condition
- The id.vars are Subject and Sex
- The measure.vars are Condition

```
> Datalong
  Subject Sex Condition Measurement
1        1   M   Control         8.9
2        2   F   Control         6.2
3        3   F   Control         9.4
4        4   M   Control        10.5
5        1   M    Cond1        11.3
6        2   F    Cond1        10.7
7        3   F    Cond1        12.1
8        4   M    Cond1        13.5
9        1   M    Cond2        10.6
10       2   F    Cond2        12.1
11       3   F    Cond2        13.6
12       4   M    Cond2        13.9
> Datawide<-dcast(Datalong, Subject + Sex ~ Condition,
+ value.var="Measurement"
+ )
> Datawide
  Subject Sex Control Cond1 Cond2
1        1   M    8.9  11.3  10.6
2        2   F    6.2  10.7  12.1
3        3   F    9.4  12.1  13.6
4        4   M   10.5  13.5  13.9
> |
```


THE TIDYR PACKAGE

- The **tidyr** is new package that makes it easy to “tidy” your data

- **Main Features (Fucntions)**

- Gather and Spread
- Unite and Separate

- **To install**

```
install.packages("tidyr")
```

- **To load**

```
library("tidyr")
```

- **Help**

```
help(package="tidyr")
```

Country	2011	2012	2013
FR	7000	6900	7000
DE	5800	6000	6200
US	15000	14000	13000

city	size	amount
New York	large	23
New York	small	14
London	large	22
London	small	16
Beijing	large	121
Beijing	small	56



THE TIDYR PACKAGE

- The **gather()** function
- The **gather()** function takes **multiple columns** and collapses into **key-value pairs**, duplicating all other columns as needed.
- The **gather()** function can be used when the **columns are not variables**.
- Example :
 - Dataset used is TB data. Number of TB cases in 3 different countries
- Here, 3 rows and 4 columns.
- Column names [2:4] are simple numbers.
- So, we can apply gather to these columns under one column (For example : Year)

Country	2011	2012	2013
FR	7000	6900	7000
DE	5800	6000	6200
US	15000	14000	13000



THE TIDYR PACKAGE

- The `gather()` function
- Syntax

```
gather(data, key, value, ..., na.rm = FALSE/TRUE)
```

- Example : The `gather()` function
- The following command is used to convert the data.

```
gather(cases, "Year", "n", 2:4)
```

 - `cases` : Dataset Name
 - `Year`: Key
 - `n`: value
 - `2:4` : Specifications of columns (from 2nd column to 4th column, the values should be gathered)

Country	2011	2012	2013
FR	7000	6900	7000
DE	5800	6000	6200
US	15000	14000	13000

key		value (former cells)
Country	Year	n
FR	2011	7000
DE	2011	5800
US	2011	15000
FR	2012	6900
DE	2012	6000
US	2012	14000
FR	2013	7000
DE	2013	6200
US	2013	13000

THE TIDYR PACKAGE

- The **spread()** function
- The **spread()** function spreads a **key-value pair across multiple columns**.
- Dataset used here is the pollution data, which has 6 rows and 3 columns.
- We can spread the values (amount) in two different columns (For example: Large and Small)

key		value (new cells)
city	size	amount
New York	large	23
New York	small	14
London	large	22
London	small	16
Beijing	large	121
Beijing	small	56



THE TIDYR PACKAGE

- The `spread()` function

- Syntax `spread(data, key, value)`

- Example : The `spread()` function

- Command is follows

`spread(pollution, size, amount)`

- Pollution : data
- Size: key
- Amount : value

key value (new cells)

city	size	amount
New York	large	23
New York	small	14
London	large	22
London	small	16
Beijing	large	121
Beijing	small	56

city	large	small
New York	23	14
London	22	16
Beijing	121	56

THE TIDYR PACKAGE

- The **unite()** function
- It is convenience function to **paste together multiple columns into one**.
- **Syntax**

```
unite(data, col, ..., sep = "_")
```

- **Example**

```
unite(storms2, "date", year, month,  
day, sep = "-")
```

storms2

storm	wind	pressure	year	month	day
Alberto	110	1007	2000	08	12
Alex	45	1009	1998	07	30
Allison	65	1005	1995	06	04
Ana	40	1013	1997	07	1
Arlene	50	1010	1999	06	13
Arthur	45	1010	1996	06	21

storms

storm	wind	pressure	date
Alberto	110	1007	2000-08-12
Alex	45	1009	1998-07-30
Allison	65	1005	1995-06-04
Ana	40	1013	1997-07-01
Arlene	50	1010	1999-06-13
Arthur	45	1010	1996-06-21

THE TIDYR PACKAGE

- The **separate()** function
 - It turns a single character column into multiple columns.
- **Syntax**

```
separate(data, col, into, sep = "_/;/;grep")
```

- **Example**
- `separate(storms, date, c("year", "month", "day"), sep = "-")`

storms

storm	wind	pressure	date
Alberto	110	1007	2000-08-12
Alex	45	1009	1998-07-30
Allison	65	1005	1995-06-04
Ana	40	1013	1997-07-01
Arlene	50	1010	1999-06-13
Arthur	45	1010	1996-06-21

storms2

storm	wind	pressure	year	month	day
Alberto	110	1007	2000	08	12
Alex	45	1009	1998	07	30
Allison	65	1005	1995	06	04
Ana	40	1013	1997	07	1
Arlene	50	1010	1999	06	13
Arthur	45	1010	1996	06	21

THE SQLDF PACKAGE

- Many business users had to dealt to RDBMS previously.
- In R, there is a package called “**sqldf**” for **running sql statements and data manipulation** in R
- To install

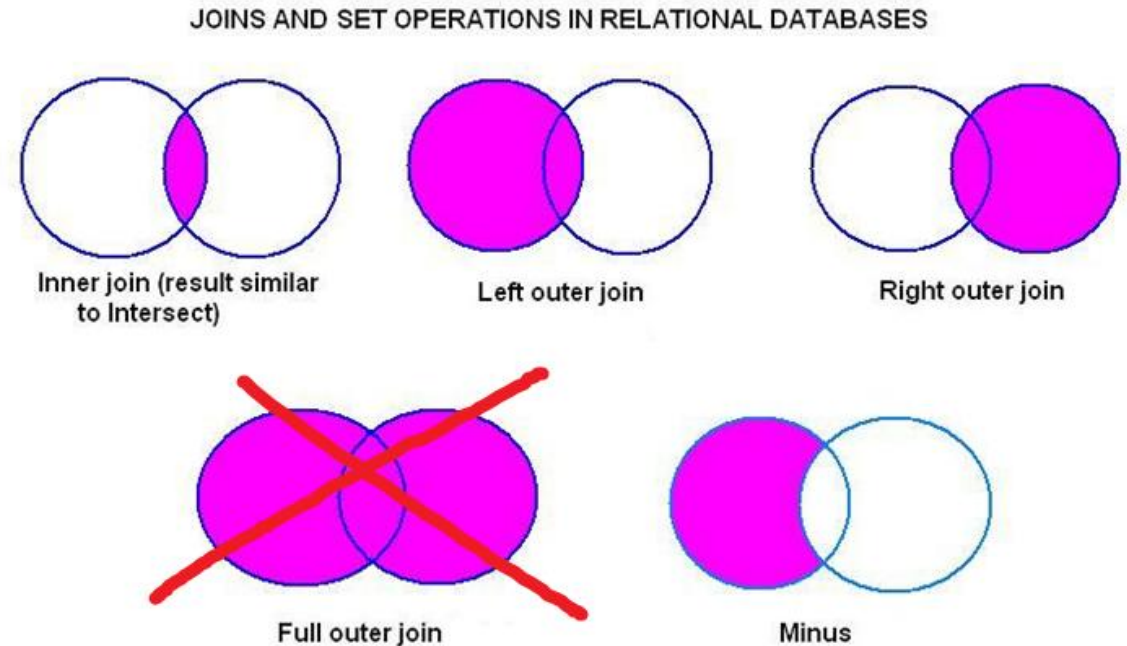
```
install.packages("sqldf")
```
- To load :

```
library(sqldf)
```



THE SQLDF PACKAGE

- Performing joins is more common in SQL.
- **Left joins** : Returns all left table.
- **Right joins** : Returns all right table.
- **Inner joins** : Returns only rows which are matching data for common variables.
- **Full outer join**: Returns all rows from all tables, if rows are not matching.



THE SQLDF PACKAGE

- Example 1: **select()** function
- The following two datasets are used

```
> df1
  id class
1   1  case
2   2  ctrl
3   3  case
4   4  ctrl
5   5  case
6   6  ctrl
7   7  case
8   8  ctrl
9   9  case
10 10  ctrl
  ---
```

```
> df2
  id cov
1   1 6.8
2   2 4.0
3   3 7.0
4   4 8.1
5   5 8.7
6   6 0.2
7   7 0.7
8   8 3.4
9   9 7.3
10 10 8.3
> |
```



THE SQLDF PACKAGE

- Example : sqldf package
- Performing **Inner Join**
- Performing **Inner Join** and **where** clause in it
- Sub setting the data
`sqldf("select id from df1")`

```
> sqldf("select * from df1 join df2 on df1.id=df2.id")
Loading required package: tcltk
```

	id	class	id	cov
1	1	case	1	6.8
2	2	ctrl	2	4.0
3	3	case	3	7.0
4	4	ctrl	4	8.1
5	5	case	5	8.7
6	6	ctrl	6	0.2
7	7	case	7	0.7
8	8	ctrl	8	3.4
9	9	case	9	7.3
10	10	ctrl	10	8.3

```
> |
```

```
> sqldf("select * from df1 join df2 on df1.id=df2.id
+ where class='case'")
```

	id	class	id	cov
1	1	case	1	6.8
2	3	case	3	7.0
3	5	case	5	8.7
4	7	case	7	0.7
5	9	case	9	7.3

```
> |
```

THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- A package that transforms tabular data.
- Functions in dplyr package
 - Select
 - Filter
 - Mutate
 - Arrange
 - Group_by and
 - Summarise
- Data set used is **storms** data

storms

storm	wind	pressure	date
Alberto	110	1007	2000-08-12
Alex	45	1009	1998-07-30
Allison	65	1005	1995-06-04
Ana	40	1013	1997-07-01
Arlene	50	1010	1999-06-13
Arthur	45	1010	1996-06-21



THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- Example : The `select()` function
- The `select()` function keeps only the variables you mention.

Select(data, ...)

- **Syntax**
- The command used for the following output

```
select(storms, storm, pressure)
```

```
select(storms, -storm)
```

storms

storm	wind	pressure	date
Alberto	110	1007	2000-08-12
Alex	45	1009	1998-07-30
Allison	65	1005	1995-06-04
Ana	40	1013	1997-07-01
Arlene	50	1010	1999-06-13
Arthur	45	1010	1996-06-21

storm	pressure
Alberto	1007
Alex	1009
Allison	1005
Ana	1013
Arlene	1010
Arthur	1010

wind	pressure	date
110	1007	2000-08-12
45	1009	1998-07-30
65	1005	1995-06-04
40	1013	1997-07-01
50	1010	1999-06-13
45	1010	1996-06-21

THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- Example : The `filter()` function
- The `filter()` function return rows with matching conditions.

- Syntax `filter(data, ...)`

- Command

```
filter(storms, wind >= 50)
```

storms

storm	wind	pressure	date
Alberto	110	1007	2000-08-12
Alex	45	1009	1998-07-30
Allison	65	1005	1995-06-04
Ana	40	1013	1997-07-01
Arlene	50	1010	1999-06-13
Arthur	45	1010	1996-06-21



storm	wind	pressure	date
Alberto	110	1007	2000-08-12
Allison	65	1005	1995-06-04
Arlene	50	1010	1999-06-13

```
filter(storms, wind >= 50,  
       storm %in% c("Alberto",  
                    "Alex", "Allison"))
```

storm	wind	pressure	date
Alberto	110	1007	2000-08-12
Allison	65	1005	1995-06-04



THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- Example : The `mutate()` function
- The `mutate()` function Derive new variables from existing variables.
- Syntax `mutate(data, ...)`
- Command

```
mutate(storms, ratio = pressure /wind)
```

storm	wind	pressure	date
Alberto	110	1007	2000-08-12
Alex	45	1009	1998-07-30
Allison	65	1005	1995-06-04
Ana	40	1013	1997-07-01
Arlene	50	1010	1999-06-13
Arthur	45	1010	1996-06-21



storm	wind	pressure	date	ratio
Alberto	110	1007	2000-08-12	9.15
Alex	45	1009	1998-07-30	22.42
Allison	65	1005	1995-06-04	15.46
Ana	40	1013	1997-07-01	25.32
Arlene	50	1010	1999-06-13	20.20
Arthur	45	1010	1996-06-21	22.44

THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- Example : The **arrange()** function
- The **arrange()** function Arrange rows by variables
- Syntax **arrange(data, ...)**
- Command

```
arrange(storms, wind)
```

```
arrange(storms, desc(wind))
```

storms

storm	wind	pressure	date
Alberto	110	1007	2000-08-12
Alex	45	1009	1998-07-30
Allison	65	1005	1995-06-04
Ana	40	1013	1997-07-01
Arlene	50	1010	1999-06-13
Arthur	45	1010	1996-06-21

storms

storm	wind	pressure	date
Alberto	110	1007	2000-08-12
Alex	45	1009	1998-07-30
Allison	65	1005	1995-06-04
Ana	40	1013	1997-07-01
Arlene	50	1010	1999-06-13
Arthur	45	1010	1996-06-21

storm	wind	pressure	date
Ana	40	1013	1997-07-01
Alex	45	1009	1998-07-30
Arthur	45	1010	1996-06-21
Arlene	50	1010	1999-06-13
Allison	65	1005	1995-06-04
Alberto	110	1007	2000-08-12



THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- Example : The `group_by()` function
- The `group_by()` function Group a table by one or more variables.
- The `group_by()` function takes an existing table and converts it into a grouped table where operations are performed "by group".

- **Syntax**

- **Command**

`group_by(data, ...)`

```
pollution %>% group_by(city)
```

city	particle size	amount ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)
New York	large	23
New York	small	14
London	large	22
London	small	16
Beijing	large	121
Beijing	small	56



city	particle size	amount ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)
New York	large	23
New York	small	14
London	large	22
London	small	16
Beijing	large	121
Beijing	small	56



THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- Example : The **summarise()** function.
- The **summarise()** function Summarises multiple values to a single value.
- Syntax

`summarise(data, ...)`

 - data : Data frame or Table
 - ... : Name-value pairs of summary functions like **min()**, **mean()**, **max()** etc.
- Applying various summary functions on **Pollution data**
- Command

```
pollution %>% summarise(median = median(amount),  
                        variance = var(amount))
```

median	variance
22.5	1731.6



THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- Applying various summary functions on Pollution data

```
pollution %>% summarise(mean = mean(amount), sum  
= sum(amount), n = n())
```

mean	sum	n
42	252	6

```
pollution %>% group_by(city) %>%  
summarise(mean = mean(amount), sum  
= sum(amount), n = n())
```

city	particle size	amount ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)
New York	large	23
New York	small	14



city	mean	sum	n
New York	18.5	37	2

Beijing	large	121
Beijing	small	56



Beijing	88.5	177	2
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Beijing	large	121
Beijing	small	56



Beijing	88.5	177	2
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THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- Example : The **bind()** function
- The **bind()** efficiently bind multiple data frames by row and column.
- It has two functions under this
 - The **bind_cols()** and **bind_rows()** function
- The **bind_cols()** efficiently bind multiple data frames by columns
- The **bind_rows()** efficiently bind multiple data frames by columns
- Syntax of **bind_cols**

```
bind_cols(x, ...)
```

- Syntax of **bind_rows**

```
bind_rows(x, ...)
```



THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- Example : The `bind()` functions
- Commands for `bind_rows()` and `bind_cols()`

`bind_cols(y, z)`

y			z		
x1	x2		x1	x2	
A	1	+	B	2	=
B	2		C	3	
C	3		D	4	
x1	x2		x1	x2	
A	1		B	2	
B	2		C	3	
C	3		D	4	

`bind_rows(y, z)`

y			z		
x1	x2		x1	x2	
A	1	+	B	2	=
B	2		C	3	
C	3		D	4	
x1	x2		x1	x2	
A	1		B	2	
B	2		C	3	
C	3		D	4	



THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- Example : **Set Operations**
- There are four functions under Set Operations in dplyr package
 - The **intersect()** function
 - The **union()** function
 - The **setdiff()** function
 - The **setequal()** function
- Syntax's

```
intersect(x, y, ...)  
union(x, y, ...)  
setdiff(x, y, ...)  
setequal(x, y, ...)
```

`intersect(y, z)`

y			z		
x1	x2		x1	x2	
A	1		B	2	
B	2	+	C	3	=
C	3		D	4	

x1	x2
B	2
C	3

`union(y, z)`

y			z		
x1	x2		x1	x2	
A	1		B	2	
B	2	+	C	3	=
C	3		D	4	

x1	x2
A	1
B	2
C	3
D	4

`setdiff(y, z)`

y			z		
x1	x2		x1	x2	
A	1		B	2	
B	2	+	C	3	=
C	3		D	4	

x1	x2
A	1
D	4

THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- Example : **The join operations**
- Types of joins in the dplyr package along with the syntax
 - `inner_join(x, y, by = NULL)`
 - `left_join(x, y, by = NULL)`
 - `right_join(x, y, by = NULL)`
 - `full_join(x, y, by = NULL)`
 - `semi_join(x, y, by = NULL)`
 - `anti_join(x, y, by = NULL)`



THE DPLYR PACKAGE

○ Example1 : Left join

```
left_join(songs, artists, by = "name")
```

songs			artists					
song	name		name	plays		song	name	plays
Across the Universe	John	+	George	sitar	=	Across the Universe	John	guitar
Come Together	John		John	guitar		Come Together	John	guitar
Hello, Goodbye	Paul		Paul	bass		Hello, Goodbye	Paul	bass
Peggy Sue	Buddy		Ringo	drums		Peggy Sue	Buddy	<NA>

○ Example2 : Left join

```
left_join(songs2, artists2, by = c("first", "last"))
```

songs2

song	first	last
Across the Universe	John	Lennon
Come Together	John	Lennon
Hello, Goodbye	Paul	McCartney
Peggy Sue	Buddy	Holly

+

artists2

first	last	plays
George	Harrison	sitar
John	Lennon	guitar
Paul	McCartney	bass
Ringo	Starr	drums
Paul	Simon	guitar
John	Coltrane	sax

=

song	first	last	plays
Across the Universe	John	Lennon	guitar
Come Together	John	Lennon	guitar
Hello, Goodbye	Paul	McCartney	bass
Peggy Sue	Buddy	Holly	<NA>

THE DPLYR PACKAGE

- Example : The inner join

```
inner_join(songs, artists, by = "name")
```

songs			artists					
song	name		name	plays		song	name	plays
Across the Universe	John	+	George	sitar	=	Across the Universe	John	guitar
Come Together	John		John	guitar		Come Together	John	guitar
Hello, Goodbye	Paul		Paul	bass		Hello, Goodbye	Paul	bass
Peggy Sue	Buddy		Ringo	drums				

TRANSFORMATIONS



TRANSFORMATIONS : REASSIGNING VARIABLE

- **Reassigning Variables:**
- It's also possible to make other changes to data frames.
- For example, suppose that we wanted to define a new column (midpoint variable that is the mean of the high and low price.)
- We can add this variable with the same notation:

```
> dow30$mid <- (dow30$High + dow30$Low) / 2
```

```
> names(dow30)
```

```
[1] "symbol" "Date" "Open" "High" "Low"
```

```
[6] "Close" "Volume" "Adj.Close" "mid"
```



TRANSFORMATIONS

- The **transform()** function : Function used for changing the number of variables in a data frame
- Syntax: **transform(data, ...)**
- To use transform, **you specify a data frame** (as the **first argument**) and a set of expressions that use variables within the data frame.
- The transform function applies each expression to the data frame and then returns the final data frame.

```
> dow30.transformed <- transform(dow30,  
  Date=as.Date(Date), mid = (High + Low)/2)
```



APPLYING A FUNCTION TO EACH ELEMENT OF AN OBJECT

- Transforming data is **applying a common function to set of objects** and returning a new set of transformed objects.
- The base R library includes set of different functions for doing this.
- **Applying a function to an array or matrix**
- To apply a function to parts of an array (or matrix), use the **apply** function:

```
apply(X, MARGIN, FUN, ...)
```

- **X** is an array (or matrix) to which function is applied
- **FUN** is the function that is applied
- **MARGIN** Dimensions of the array to which you would like to apply a function



APPLYING A FUNCTION TO AN ARRAY

- Sample example for applying a function to an array or matrix

Here, we have created the matrix called as “**x**” with dimensions 5 rows and 4 columns

Now lets show how **apply** works.

We will use function **max** to get the highest numbers in the matrix

```
> rm(x)
> x<-c(1:20)
> dim(x)<-c(5,4)
> x
```

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]	[,4]
[1,]	1	6	11	16
[2,]	2	7	12	17
[3,]	3	8	13	18
[4,]	4	9	14	19
[5,]	5	10	15	20

```
> |
```

```
> ##Applying function to Matrix on rows (MARGIN=1)
> apply(X=x, MARGIN=1, FUN=max)
[1] 16 17 18 19 20
> ##Applying function to Matrix on columns (MARGIN=2)
> apply(X=x, MARGIN=2, FUN=max)
[1] 5 10 15 20
> |
```

APPLYING A FUNCTION TO AN ARRAY

- One more example on **apply** function
- In addition to MARGIN=1 and MARGIN=2, we can also use MARGIN over multiple dimensions
- Let us create a 3-D matrix and **apply** function on it.

```
> ##Applying paste function (MARGIN=1)
> apply(X=x1, MARGIN=1, FUN=paste,collapse="")
[1] "1,3,5,7,9,11" "2,4,6,8,10,12"
> ##Applying paste function (MARGIN=2)
> apply(X=x1, MARGIN=2, FUN=paste,collapse="")
[1] "1,2,5,6,9,10" "3,4,7,8,11,12"
> ##Applying paste function (MARGIN=3)
> apply(X=x1, MARGIN=3, FUN=paste,collapse="")
[1] "1,2,3,4" "5,6,7,8" "9,10,11,12"
> |
```

```
> x1<-c(1:12)
> dim(x1)<-c(2,2,3)
> x1
, , 1
```

```
      [,1] [,2]
[1,]    1    3
[2,]    2    4
```

```
, , 2
```

```
      [,1] [,2]
[1,]     5    7
[2,]     6    8
```

```
, , 3
```

```
      [,1] [,2]
[1,]     9   11
[2,]    10   12
```

```
> |
```

APPLYING A FUNCTION TO AN ARRAY

- One more example with `MARGIN=c(1, 2)`

```
> ##Applying paste function (MARGIN=c(1,2))
> apply(X=x1, MARGIN=c(1,2), FUN=paste, collapse=",")
```

```
      [,1]      [,2]
[1,] "1,5,9"  "3,7,11"
[2,] "2,6,10" "4,8,12"
```

```
> x1=matrix(4:12, 3,3)
> x1
```

```
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]    4    7   10
[2,]    5    8   11
[3,]    6    9   12
```

```
> apply(x1, MARGIN=1, FUN=sum)
```

```
[1] 21 24 27
```

```
> apply(x1, MARGIN=2, FUN=sum)
```

```
[1] 15 24 33
```

```
> x1<-c(1:12)
> dim(x1)<-c(2,2,3)
> x1
, , 1
```

```
      [,1] [,2]
[1,]    1    3
[2,]    2    4
```

```
, , 2
```

```
      [,1] [,2]
[1,]    5    7
[2,]    6    8
```

```
, , 3
```

```
      [,1] [,2]
[1,]    9   11
[2,]   10   12
```

```
> |
```


APPLYING A FUNCTION TO LIST OR VECTOR

- To apply a function to each element in a **vector or a list** and **return a list**, you can use the function **lapply**
- Syntax

```
lapply(X, FUNC, ...)
```
- The function lapply requires two arguments:
 - X : Name of the List or Vector
 - FUNC : Name of the function to be applied on List or Vector
- You may specify additional arguments that will be passed to FUNC.



APPLYING A FUNCTION TO LIST OR VECTOR

- Simple example of how to use **lapply**
- Lets create the list of 5 elements and apply some function on the list created.

```
> ##Creating a list of 5 elements
> Mylist<-as.list(1:5)
> Mylist
[[1]]
[1] 1

[[2]]
[1] 2

[[3]]
[1] 3

[[4]]
[1] 4

[[5]]
[1] 5

> |
```

```
> ##Applying lapply on list
> ##of elements with the
> ##Function(x) 2^x
> lapply(Mylist,function(x) 2^x)
[[1]]
[1] 2

[[2]]
[1] 4

[[3]]
[1] 8

[[4]]
[1] 16

[[5]]
[1] 32
```



APPLYING A FUNCTION TO A DATA FRAME

- You can apply a function to a **data frame**, and the function will be applied to **each vector** in the data frame.
- **Example:**

```
> ## Creating a data frame and
> ## applying function using
> ## lapply
> d<-data.frame(c(1:5),c(6:10))
> names(d)<-c("X","Y")
> d
  X  Y
1 1  6
2 2  7
3 3  8
4 4  9
5 5 10
```

```
> ## Applying lapply on data frame
> lapply(d,function(x) 2^x)
$First
[1]  2  4  8 16 32

$Second
[1]  64 128 256 512 1024

> lapply(d,FUN=max)
$First
[1] 5

$Second
[1] 10
```

BINNING DATA

- Another common data transformation is to **group a set of observations** into bins (groups) based on value of specific variables.
- **For example**
 1. Suppose that you had some **time series data** where time was measured in days, but you wanted to **summarize the data by month**.
- There are several functions available for binning numeric data in R.



BINNING DATA- CUT

- In many data analysis settings, it might be useful to **break up a continuous variable** such as age into a categorical variable.
- Or, you might want to classify a categorical variable like year into a larger bin, such as 1990-2000.
- The **cut** function in R makes this task simple!



BINNING DATA- CUT

- The function cut is useful for **taking a continuous variable** and **splitting it into discrete pieces**
- Here is the default form of cut for use with numeric vectors:

```
# numeric form  
cut(x, breaks)
```

- There is also a version of cut for manipulating Date objects:

```
# Date form  
cut(x, breaks, start.on.monday = TRUE)
```

- **The cut function takes a numeric vector as input and returns a factor**



BINNING DATA- CUT

- Example for `cut()`
- Lets create the hypothetical clinical data set here

```
> ## generate data for clinical trial example
> clinical.trail<-data.frame(patient=1:100,
+ age=rnorm(100, mean=60, sd=8),
+ year.enroll=sample(paste("19",85:99, sep=""),100,replace=TRUE))
> dim(clinical.trail)
[1] 100    3
> summary(clinical.trail)
```

patient		age		year.enroll	
Min.	: 1.00	Min.	:40.06	1997	:11
1st Qu.:	25.75	1st Qu.:	52.19	1991	:10
Median :	50.50	Median :	58.11	1992	:10
Mean :	50.50	Mean :	58.04	1996	: 9
3rd Qu.:	75.25	3rd Qu.:	63.95	1998	: 8
Max.	:100.00	Max.	:83.08	1985	: 7
				(Other)	:45

```
> |
```



BINNING DATA- CUT

- We will apply cut command on the **clinical.trail** data frame to make **age a factor (Categorical value)**.

- Lets see the structure of the data frame

```
> str(clinical.trail)
'data.frame':   100 obs. of  3 variables:
 $ patient      : int   1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ...
 $ age          : num   64 57.9 63.6 56.6 75.5 ...
 $ year.enroll: Factor w/ 15 levels "1985","1986",...: 12 12 12 13 7 13 10 10 9 15 ...
> |
```

- Applying **cut()** on the **clinical.trail\$age** (# numeric form)

```
> ##Applying cut command on the age column
> ## of clinical.trail data frame
> table(cut(clinical.trail$age, breaks=4))
```

```
 (40,50.8] (50.8,61.6] (61.6,72.3] (72.3,83.1]
      22         44         30         4
```

```
> table(cut(clinical.trail$age, breaks=5))
```

```
 (40,48.7] (48.7,57.3] (57.3,65.9] (65.9,74.5] (74.5,83.1]
      15         31         36         15         3
```

```
> |
```



BINNING DATA- CUT

- Applying `cut()` on the `clinical.trial$year.enroll` (`#Factor`)
 - Here, `year.enroll` column is a categorical data (CD). So we have to convert CD to numeric data and apply `cut()` command

```
> ## year.enroll is a factor, so must convert to numeric first!  
> table(cut(as.numeric(as.character(clinical.trial$year.enroll)),breaks=3))  
  
(1985,1990] (1990,1994] (1994,1999]  
          31          36          33  
> table(cut(as.numeric(as.character(clinical.trial$year.enroll)),breaks=4))  
  
(1985,1988] (1988,1992] (1992,1996] (1996,1999]  
          25          30          14          31  
> table(cut(as.numeric(as.character(clinical.trial$year.enroll)),breaks=5))  
  
(1985,1988] (1988,1991] (1991,1993] (1993,1996] (1996,1999]  
          18          17          26          17          22  
> |
```

DATA CLEANING

- Some of the data sets contain values like 997, 998, and 999 which are not actual values there might be duplicate records in the data.
- Finding and Removing Duplicates**
 - Data sources often contain duplicate values.
 - It's a good idea to check for duplicates in your data
 - R provides some useful functions for detecting duplicate values.

```
> my.tickers.2 <- c("GE", "GOOG", "AAPL", "AXP", "GS", "GE")
> my.tickers.2
[1] "GE"      "GOOG"    "AAPL"    "AXP"     "GS"      "GE"
> ##Removing Duplicate values
> my.tickers.2_Updated<-unique(my.tickers.2)
> my.tickers.2_Updated
[1] "GE"      "GOOG"    "AAPL"    "AXP"     "GS"
> |
```



THANK YOU !!!

