

Reshaping data

Warmup activity

Work on the activity (handout) with a neighbor, then we will discuss as a class

Warmup

```
# A tibble: 260 × 38
  country `1975` `1976` `1977` `1978` `1979` `1980` `1981` `1982`
`1983` `1984`
  <chr>    <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
<dbl> <dbl>
1 Afghan...    NA    NA    NA    NA    4.99    NA    NA    NA
NA    NA
2 Albania      NA    NA    NA    NA    NA      NA    NA    NA
NA    NA
3 Algeria      NA    NA    NA    NA    NA      NA    NA    NA
NA    NA
4 Andorra      NA    NA    NA    NA    NA      NA    NA    NA
NA    NA
```

Question: What does a row in this data represent?

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4 Andorra      NA    NA    NA    NA    NA    NA    NA    NA
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Question: What does a row in this data represent?

Each row is one country

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4 Andorra      NA    NA    NA    NA    NA      NA    NA    NA
NA    NA
```

Question: Is this table in “wide” or “narrow” format?

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<dbl> <dbl>
```

1	Afghan...	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.99	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA								
2	Albania	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA								
3	Algeria	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA								
4	Andorra	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA								

Question: Is this table in “wide” or “narrow” format?

Wide format – there is a column for each value of a variable (year)

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```

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<dbl> <dbl>
```

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1 Afghan...    NA    NA    NA    NA    4.99    NA    NA    NA  
NA    NA  
2 Albania     NA    NA    NA    NA    NA     NA    NA    NA  
NA    NA  
3 Algeria     NA    NA    NA    NA    NA     NA    NA    NA  
NA    NA  
4 Andorra     NA    NA    NA    NA    NA     NA    NA    NA  
NA    NA
```

Question: What would the data look like in *narrow* form?

<u>country</u>	<u>year</u>	<u>literacy rate</u>
Afghanistan	1975	NA
	1976	NA
		.
		.

Warmup

Literacy data in narrow form:

A tibble: 571 × 3

	country	year	literacy_rate
	<chr>	<chr>	<dbl>
1	Afghanistan	1979	4.99
2	Afghanistan	2011	13
3	Albania	2001	98.3
4	Albania	2008	94.7
5	Albania	2011	95.7
6	Algeria	1987	35.8
7	Algeria	2002	60.1
8	Algeria	2006	63.9
9	Angola	2001	54.2
10	Angola	2011	58.6

year has

its own

column

Now a row is a
country-year combination

Another example

Data on three patients (A, B, C), with two blood pressure measurements (bp1 and bp2) per patient:

	id	bp1	bp2
1	A	100	120
2	B	140	115
3	C	120	125

How might we want to reshape this data?

id	measurement	value
A	bp1	100
A	bp2	120
B	bp1	140
	⋮	
	etc.	



Another example

Original data:

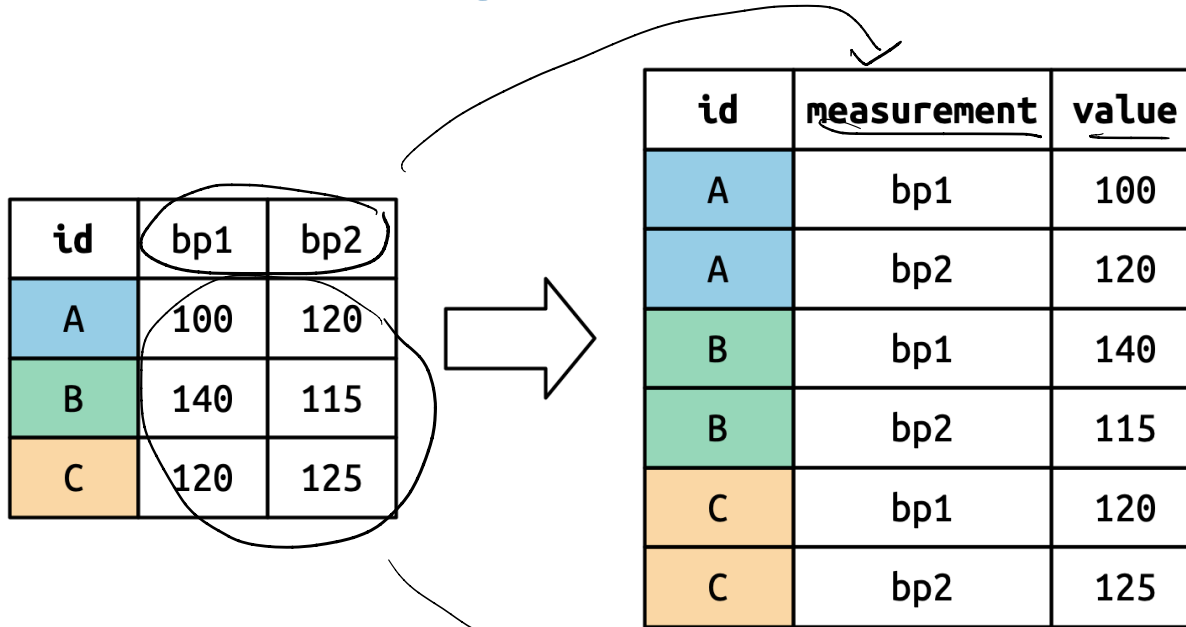
	id	bp1	bp2
1	A	100	120
2	B	140	115
3	C	120	125

Reshaped data:

	id	measurement	value
1	A	bp1	100
2	A	bp2	120
3	B	bp1	140
4	B	bp2	115
5	C	bp1	120
6	C	bp2	125

Question: how do we do this reshaping in R?

Reshaping data: pivot_longer



```
1 df |>
2   pivot_longer(
3     cols = bp1:bp2, ← columns to pivot
4     names_to = "measurement",
5     values_to = "value"
6   )
```

(take column names &
make them entries
in a new column)

(Image and example from *R for Data Science*)

pivot_longer

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`1983` `1984`

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<dbl> <dbl>

1	Afghan...	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.99	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA								
2	Albania	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA								
3	Algeria	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA								
4	Andorra	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA								

```
1 litF |>
2   pivot_longer(
3     cols = ..., ← everything except country
4     names_to = ..., ← year
5     values_to = ... ← adult literacy rate
6   )
```

pivot_longer

```
1 litF |>
2   pivot_longer(
3     cols = -country,
4     names_to = "year",
5     values_to = "literacy_rate"
6   )
```

← everything except country

A tibble: 9,620 × 3

	country	year	literacy_rate
	<chr>	<chr>	<dbl>
1	Afghanistan	1975	NA
2	Afghanistan	1976	NA
3	Afghanistan	1977	NA
4	Afghanistan	1978	NA
5	Afghanistan	1979	4.99
6	Afghanistan	1980	NA
7	Afghanistan	1981	NA
8	Afghanistan	1982	NA
9	Afghanistan	1983	NA
10	Afghanistan	1984	NA

pivot_longer

```
1 litF |>
2   pivot_longer(
3     cols = -country,
4     names_to = "year",
5     values_to = "literacy_rate"
6   ) |>
7   drop_na()      ← remove rows w/ NAs
```

A tibble: 571 × 3

	country	year	literacy_rate
	<chr>	<chr>	<dbl>
1	Afghanistan	1979	4.99
2	Afghanistan	2011	13
3	Albania	2001	98.3
4	Albania	2008	94.7
5	Albania	2011	95.7
6	Algeria	1987	35.8
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9	Angola	2001	54.2
10	Angola	2011	58.6

pivot_longer

```
1 litF |>
2   pivot_longer(
3     cols = -country,
4     names_to = "year",
5     values_to = "literacy_rate",
6     values_drop_na = T
7   )
```

A tibble: 571 × 3

	country <chr>	year <chr>	literacy_rate <dbl>
1	Afghanistan	1979	4.99
2	Afghanistan	2011	13
3	Albania	2001	98.3
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Example 2

Now consider the following table:

1 ex_df					
	id	x_1	x_2	y_1	y_2
1	1	3	5	0	2
2	2	1	8	1	7
3	3	4	9	2	9

What will the following code return?

```
1 ex_df |>
2   pivot_longer(cols = -id,
3                 names_to = "group_obs",
4                 values_to = "value")
```

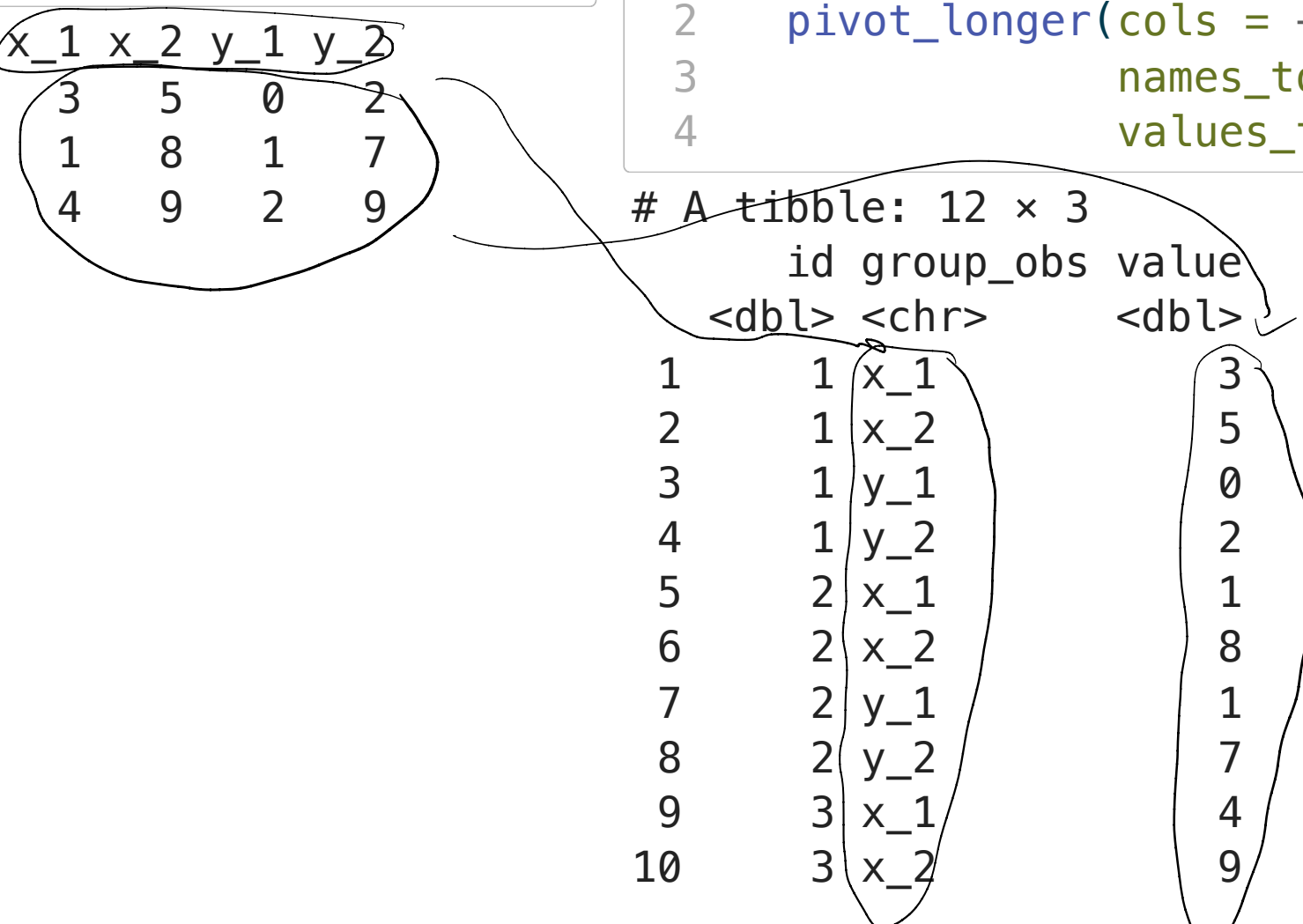
<u>id</u>	<u>group_obs</u>	<u>value</u>
1	x_1	3
1	x_2	5
1	y_1	0

Example 2

Original data:

```
1 ex_df
```

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1	1	3	5	0	2
2	2	1	8	1	7
3	3	4	9	2	9



Reshaped data:

```
1 ex_df |>
2   pivot_longer(cols = -id,
3                 names_to = "group_obs",
4                 values_to = "value")
```

A tibble: 12 × 3

	id	group_obs	value
	<dbl>	<chr>	<dbl>
1	1	x_1	3
2	1	x_2	5
3	1	y_1	0
4	1	y_2	2
5	2	x_1	1
6	2	x_2	8
7	2	y_1	1
8	2	y_2	7
9	3	x_1	4
10	3	x_2	9

Example 3

Consider the following example data:

	id	bp_1	bp_2	hr_1	hr_2
1	1	100	120	60	77
2	2	120	115	75	81
3	3	125	130	80	93

What if we want the data to look like this:

A tibble: 12 × 4

	id	measurement	stage	value
	<dbl>	<chr>	<chr>	<dbl>
1	1	bp	1	100
2	1	bp	2	120
3	1	hr	1	60
4	1	hr	2	77
5	2	bp	1	120
6	2	bp	2	115
7	2	hr	1	75
8	2	hr	2	81
9	3	bp	1	125

• pivot

• also need to separate names

bp-1 → bp 1

bp-2 → bp 2

⋮

Example 3

```
1 df_3
```

	id	bp_1	bp_2	hr_1	hr_2
1	1	100	120	60	77
2	2	120	115	75	81
3	3	125	130	80	93

```
1 df_3 |>
2   pivot_longer(cols = -id,
3                 names_to = c("measurement", "stage"),
4                 names_sep = "_", ←
5                 values_to = "value")
```

separate names of original columns
(by _)

```
# A tibble: 12 x 4
```

	id	measurement	stage	value
	<dbl>	<chr>	<chr>	<dbl>
1	1	bp	1	100
2	1	bp	2	120
3	1	hr	1	60
4	1	hr	2	77
5	2	bp	1	120
6	2	bp	2	115

Example 3

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1 df_3 |>
2   pivot_longer(cols = -id,
3                 names_to = c("measurement", "stage"),
4                 names_sep = "_",
5                 values_to = "value")
```

Step 1: Pivot

A tibble: 6 × 3

	id	measurement	value
	<dbl>	<chr>	<dbl>
1	1	bp_1	100
2	1	bp_2	120
3	1	hr_1	60
4	1	hr_2	77
5	2	bp_1	120
6	2	bp_2	115

Step 2: Separate columns

A tibble: 6 × 4

	id	measurement	stage	value
	<dbl>	<chr>	<chr>	<dbl>
1	1	bp	1	100
2	1	bp	2	120
3	1	hr	1	60
4	1	hr	2	77
5	2	bp	1	120
6	2	bp	2	115

Class activity

https://sta279-f25.github.io/class_activities/ca_04.html

- Work with a neighbor on the class activity
- At the end of class, submit your work as an HTML file on Canvas (one per group, list all your names)

For next time, read:

- Chapter 5 in *R for Data Science* (2nd ed.)