Introduction to R

Lecture 2: Introduction to tidy Environment

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Lecture's Objectives

- 1. Quick overview of how to transform the data
 - operation on rows
 - operation on columns
 - operation = verbs
- 2. Learn about pipes
 - Concatenation of verbs through pipes
- 3. How to work with groups

Illustrative Data

• We are going to use the gapminder data

```
head(gapminder)
## # A tibble: 6 × 6
    country continent year lifeExp pop gdpPercap
##
                               <dbl> <int>
                                                  <dbl>
    <fct>
          <frt>
                         <int>
###
## 1 Afghanistan Asia
                          1952 28.8 8425333
                                                   779.
## 2 Afghanistan Asia
                         1957 30.3 9240934
                                                   821.
  3 Afghanistan Asia
                         1962 32.0 10267083
                                               853.
                                                   836.
## 4 Afghanistan Asia
                         1967
                                 34.0 11537966
## 5 Afghanistan Asia
                         1972
                                 36.1 13079460
                                                   740.
## 6 Afghanistan Asia
                          1977
                                                   786.
                                 38.4 14880372
colnames(gapminder)
## [1] "country" "continent" "year"
                                        "lifeExp"
                                                    "pop"
                                                               "gdpPercap"
nrow(gapminder)
  [1] 1704
```

Illustrative Data

We are going to use the gapminder data

Notice the difference between head and glimpse

Difference: tibble and dataframe

- tibbles are special types of data frame
- Main differences
 - 1. tibbles are designed for large datasets
 - 2. tibble prints are concise: only few rows and only those columns that fit the screen
- To view the full dataset:
 - view(gapminder): interactive dataviewer
 - print(gapminder, width = Inf):show all columns

Recommendation

Use the combination of glimpse() and View() functions

Data transformation using dplyr

- To transform data, you have to rely on dplyr package's functions
- Automatically loads with command library(tidyverse)
- Huge repository of functions

```
#number of functions in dplyr package
funcsDplyr ← ls('package:dplyr') #note the package has to be loaded first
numFuncsDplyr ← length(funcsDplyr)
numFuncsDplyr
```

[1] 297

```
#first twenty functions
print(funcsDplyr[1:20])
                                                                "add row"
   [1] "%>%"
                     "across"
                                   "add count"
                                                  "add count "
   [6] "add_rownames" "add_tally"
                                                 "all equal"
                                   "add tally "
                                                                "all of"
                                                  "anv vars"
                                                               "arrange"
  [11] "all vars"
                     "anti join"
                                   "anv of"
## [16] "arrange "
                     "arrange all"
                                    "arrange at" "arrange if"
                                                                "as.tbl"
```

Data transformation using dplyr

- Each function in dplyr perform a **single** task
- Data transformation requires multiple task
- Single task → multiple task: use pipes i.e. ▷
- An inscrutable example at this moment

```
newGapminder ← gapminder ▷

# keep only Asian continent
filter(continent = "Asia") ▷

# life expectancy > 70
filter(lifeExp > 70)
```

glimpse(newGapminder)

Organization of dplyr functions

- Functions can be broadly classified as
 - row functions
 - column functions
 - group functions
 - tables functions
- This course we mostly cover the first three
- Let's deal them one by one

- filter
 - keep only rows satisfying certain criteria

```
#keep only those observation with gdp per capital greater thann 1000
newGapminder ← gapminder ▷
filter(lifeExp > 1000)
```

• Operations

- > greater than
- >= greater than or equal to
- < less than</p>
- <= less than or equal to</p>
- != not equal to

• Combination:

- o в and
- o | or

```
gapminder ▷
  # focus only on Asian countries with life expectancy greater than 70
  filter(lifeExp > 70 & continent='Asia') ▷
  #focus only on countries with per capita GDP greater than 2000
  filter(gdpPercap > 2000)
## # A tibble: 91 × 6
     country
                      continent year lifeExp
                                                     pop gdpPercap
##
##
     <fct>
                      <fct>
                                 <int>
                                        <dbl>
                                                   <int>
                                                             <dbl>
##
   1 Bahrain
                      Asia
                                 1987
                                         70.8
                                                  454612
                                                            18524.
                                 1992
                                        72.6
   2 Bahrain
                      Asia
                                                  529491
                                                            19036.
###
   3 Bahrain
                      Asia
                                  1997
                                         73.9
                                                  598561
                                                            20292.
###
   4 Bahrain
                                         74.8
                      Asia
                                 2002
                                                            23404.
###
                                                  656397
   5 Bahrain
                      Asia
                                 2007
                                         75.6
                                                  708573
                                                            29796.
###
###
   6 China
                      Asia
                                  1997
                                         70.4 1230075000
                                                              2289.
   7 China
                      Asia
                                 2002
                                         72.0 1280400000
                                                             3119.
##
   8 China
                                 2007
                                         73.0 1318683096
                                                             4959.
###
                      Asia
   9 Hong Kong, China Asia
                                 1972
                                                 4115700
                                                             8316.
                                         72
   10 Hong Kong, China Asia
                                  1977
                                         73.6 4583700
                                                             11186.
## # i 81 more rows
```

• Use %in% when combining | and =

```
gapminder ▷
  filter(country = 'Afghanistan' | country = 'Mali' )
## # A tibble: 24 × 6
                            year lifeExp
##
      country continent
                                               pop gdpPercap
      <fct>
                  <fct>
                            <int>
                                    <dbl>
                                             <int>
                                                       <dbl>
##
##
    1 Afghanistan Asia
                             1952
                                     28.8 8425333
                                                        779.
   2 Afghanistan Asia
                                                        821.
##
                             1957 30.3 9240934
    3 Afghanistan Asia
##
                             1962
                                     32.0 10267083
                                                        853.
    4 Afghanistan Asia
                             1967
                                     34.0 11537966
                                                        836.
###
    5 Afghanistan Asia
                                                        740.
###
                             1972
                                     36.1 13079460
###
    6 Afghanistan Asia
                             1977
                                     38.4 14880372
                                                        786.
###
   7 Afghanistan Asia
                             1982
                                     39.9 12881816
                                                        978.
   8 Afghanistan Asia
                             1987
                                     40.8 13867957
                                                        852.
###
   9 Afghanistan Asia
##
                             1992
                                     41.7 16317921
                                                        649.
   10 Afghanistan Asia
                             1997
                                     41.8 22227415
                                                        635.
## # i 14 more rows
```

```
gapminder ▷
   filter(country %in% c('Afghanistan', 'Mali') )
## # A tibble: 24 × 6
                  continent
                              year lifeExp
      country
                                                 pop gdpPercap
##
      <fct>
                  <fct>
                             <int>
                                     <dbl>
                                               <int>
                                                         <dbl>
###
##
    1 Afghanistan Asia
                              1952
                                      28.8 8425333
                                                          779.
                                      30.3
##
    2 Afghanistan Asia
                              1957
                                            9240934
                                                          821.
##
    3 Afghanistan Asia
                              1962
                                      32.0 10267083
                                                          853.
    4 Afghanistan Asia
                                                          836.
                              1967
                                      34.0 11537966
###
    5 Afghanistan Asia
###
                              1972
                                      36.1 13079460
                                                          740.
##
    6 Afghanistan Asia
                              1977
                                      38.4 14880372
                                                          786.
    7 Afghanistan Asia
##
                              1982
                                      39.9 12881816
                                                          978.
    8 Afghanistan Asia
                              1987
                                      40.8 13867957
                                                          852.
###
    9 Afghanistan Asia
##
                              1992
                                      41.7 16317921
                                                          649.
   10 Afghanistan Asia
                              1997
                                      41.8 22227415
                                                          635.
  # i 14 more rows
```

- When filtering, dplyr::filter operates on gapminder and prints the final results
- gapminder data by itself is untouched
- You can store the result in the new dataframe

```
newGapminder ← gapminder ▷
  filter(country %in% c('Afghanistan', 'Mali') )
newGapminder
## # A tibble: 24 × 6
                 continent
                           ###
     country
     <fct>
                 <fct>
                           <int>
                                   <dbl>
                                            <int>
                                                      <dbl>
##
   1 Afghanistan Asia
##
                            1952
                                    28.8 8425333
                                                       779.
   2 Afghanistan Asia
                            1957
                                    30.3 9240934
                                                      821.
###
   3 Afghanistan Asia
                                    32.0 10267083
                                                      853.
##
                            1962
   4 Afghanistan Asia
                                    34.0 11537966
                                                      836.
###
                            1967
   5 Afghanistan Asia
##
                            1972
                                    36.1 13079460
                                                       740.
   6 Afghanistan Asia
                            1977
                                    38.4 14880372
                                                       786.
###
   7 Afghanistan Asia
                            1982
                                    39.9 12881816
                                                       978.
##
   8 Afghanistan Asia
##
                            1987
                                    40.8 13867957
                                                       852.
   9 Afghanistan Asia
                            1992
                                    41.7 16317921
                                                      649.
###
  10 Afghanistan Asia
                                    41.8 22227415
                                                       635.
                            1997
                                                                                 13 / 42
## # 14 more rows
```

Row functions: arrange

• Change the ordering of rows based on the value of column(s)

```
gapminder ▷
  arrange(year, gdpPercap)
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 6
                        continent year lifeExp
                                                      pop gdpPercap
##
      country
      <fct>
                        <fct>
                                  <int>
                                          <dbl>
                                                    <int>
                                                               <dbl>
##
##
    1 Lesotho
                        Africa
                                   1952
                                         42.1
                                                 748747
                                                                299.
   2 Guinea-Bissau
                        Africa
                                   1952 32.5
                                                                300.
###
                                                   580653
###
   3 Eritrea
                        Africa
                                   1952
                                           35.9
                                                  1438760
                                                                329.
                                           36.3
    4 Myanmar
                        Asia
                                   1952
                                                 20092996
                                                                331
###
   5 Burundi
                        Africa
                                   1952
                                           39.0
                                                                339.
###
                                                 2445618
###
    6 Ethiopia
                        Africa
                                   1952
                                           34.1
                                                 20860941
                                                                362.
   7 Cambodia
                                                                368.
###
                        Asia
                                   1952
                                           39.4
                                                 4693836
   8 Malawi
                        Africa
                                   1952
                                           36.3 2917802
                                                                369.
###
   9 Equatorial Guinea Africa
                                           34.5 216964
                                                                376.
##
                                   1952
   10 China
                        Asia
                                   1952
                                           44
                                                556263527
                                                                400.
## # i 1,694 more rows
```

Row functions: arrange

- Use desc within arrange for sorting from largest to smallest
 - Caveat: can use only one argument

```
gapminder ▷
  arrange(desc( gdpPercap))
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 6
##
      country
                continent
                          year lifeExp
                                            pop gdpPercap
      <fct>
                <fct>
                          <int>
                                  <dbl> <int>
                                                     <dbl>
##
##
    1 Kuwait
                Asia
                           1957
                                   58.0
                                         212846
                                                  113523.
              Asia
##
   2 Kuwait
                           1972
                                   67.7
                                         841934
                                                  109348.
   3 Kuwait
              Asia
##
                           1952
                                   55.6 160000
                                                  108382.
                Asia
##
    4 Kuwait
                           1962
                                   60.5
                                         358266
                                                    95458.
   5 Kuwait
              Asia
                           1967
                                   64.6
                                         575003
                                                   80895.
##
##
    6 Kuwait
                Asia
                           1977
                                   69.3 1140357
                                                    59265.
###
    7 Norway
                Europe
                           2007
                                   80.2 4627926
                                                    49357.
                Asia
##
   8 Kuwait
                           2007
                                   77.6 2505559
                                                    47307.
   9 Singapore Asia
                           2007
                                   80.0 4553009
                                                   47143.
##
   10 Norway
                Europe
                           2002
                                   79.0 4535591
                                                    44684.
  # i 1,694 more rows
```

Row functions: distinct

• distinct searches and keeps all unique rows in a dataset

```
gapminder ▷
  distinct()
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 6
                  continent
                             year lifeExp
##
      country
                                               pop gdpPercap
      <fct>
                  <fct>
                            <int>
                                    <dbl>
                                             <int>
                                                       <fd>>
##
##
    1 Afghanistan Asia
                             1952
                                     28.8 8425333
                                                        779.
   2 Afghanistan Asia
                                                        821.
##
                             1957 30.3 9240934
    3 Afghanistan Asia
##
                             1962
                                     32.0 10267083
                                                        853.
    4 Afghanistan Asia
                             1967
                                     34.0 11537966
                                                        836.
###
    5 Afghanistan Asia
                                                        740.
###
                             1972
                                     36.1 13079460
###
    6 Afghanistan Asia
                             1977
                                     38.4 14880372
                                                        786.
###
   7 Afghanistan Asia
                             1982
                                     39.9 12881816
                                                        978.
   8 Afghanistan Asia
                                                        852.
                             1987
                                     40.8 13867957
###
    9 Afghanistan Asia
##
                             1992
                                     41.7 16317921
                                                        649.
   10 Afghanistan Asia
                             1997
                                     41.8 22227415
                                                        635.
  # i 1,694 more rows
```

Row functions: distinct

- distinct on it own is not very useful
- When we want to keep distinct combination of some variables, it is very useful

```
gapminder >
  distinct(year) >
  head(n=4)

## # A tibble: 4 × 1

## year

## <int>
## 1 1952

## 2 1957

## 3 1962

## 4 1967
```

Row functions: distinct

- Note that only year column is kept
- To rectify, use .keep_all = TRUE

```
gapminder ▷
  distinct(year, .keep all = TRUE) ▷
  head(n=4)
## # A tibble: 4 × 6
    country continent year lifeExp pop gdpPercap
###
##
    <fct>
           <fct>
                         <int>
                                <dbl>
                                        <int>
                                                  <dbl>
## 1 Afghanistan Asia
                                                   779.
                         1952
                                 28.8 8425333
  2 Afghanistan Asia
                         1957 30.3 9240934
                                                   821.
## 3 Afghanistan Asia
                                 32.0 10267083
                         1962
                                                   853.
## 4 Afghanistan Asia
                                 34.0 11537966
                                                   836.
                          1967
```

Column functions: mutate

• mutate helps add new columns using existing columns

```
gapminder ▷
  mutate(logGdpPerCapita = log(gdpPercap))
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 7
      country continent
                             year lifeExp
                                               pop gdpPercap logGdpPerCapita
##
      <fct>
                  <fct>
                            <int>
                                    <dbl>
                                             <int>
                                                        <dbl>
                                                                        <fdb>
###
##
    1 Afghanistan Asia
                             1952
                                     28.8 8425333
                                                         779.
                                                                         6.66
   2 Afghanistan Asia
                                                        821.
##
                             1957 30.3 9240934
                                                                         6.71
    3 Afghanistan Asia
##
                             1962
                                     32.0 10267083
                                                        853.
                                                                         6.75
    4 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                         6.73
                             1967
                                     34.0 11537966
                                                        836.
###
    5 Afghanistan Asia
                                                         740.
                                                                         6.61
##
                             1972
                                     36.1 13079460
###
    6 Afghanistan Asia
                             1977
                                     38.4 14880372
                                                         786.
                                                                         6.67
###
   7 Afghanistan Asia
                             1982
                                     39.9 12881816
                                                        978.
                                                                         6.89
   8 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                         6.75
                             1987
                                     40.8 13867957
                                                        852.
###
   9 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                         6.48
##
                             1992
                                     41.7 16317921
                                                        649.
   10 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                         6.45
                             1997
                                     41.8 22227415
                                                        635.
  # i 1,694 more rows
```

Column functions: mutate

- Imagine you have a dataset of 500 columns
- You do a mutate and then View it
- By default new column is added to the last
- Use .before to put the new column first

```
gapminder ▷
  mutate(logGdpPerCapita = log(gdpPercap), .before=1)
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 7
     logGdpPerCapita country continent year lifeExp
##
                                                              pop gdpPercap
               <dbl> <fct>
                                 <fct>
                                           <int>
                                                   <dbl> <int>
                                                                      <dbl>
##
                6.66 Afghanistan Asia
                                            1952 28.8 8425333
                                                                       779.
###
   1
                6.71 Afghanistan Asia
                                            1957 30.3 9240934
                                                                       821.
###
                6.75 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                       853.
###
                                            1962
                                                    32.0 10267083
                6.73 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                       836.
###
                                            1967
                                                    34.0 11537966
                6.61 Afghanistan Asia
   5
                                            1972
                                                    36.1 13079460
                                                                       740.
###
   6
                6.67 Afghanistan Asia
                                            1977
                                                    38.4 14880372
                                                                       786.
###
                6.89 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                       978.
###
   7
                                            1982
                                                    39.9 12881816
                6.75 Afghanistan Asia
                                            1987 40.8 13867957
                                                                       852.
###
   8
                6.48 Afghanistan Asia
                                            1992
                                                    41.7 16317921
                                                                       649.
###
## 10
                6.45 Afghanistan Asia
                                            1997
                                                    41.8 22227415
                                                                       635.
  # i 1,694 more rows
```

Column functions: mutate

• Can use .after also

```
gapminder ▷
  mutate(logGdpPerCapita = log(gdpPercap), .after=year)
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 7
                             year logGdpPerCapita lifeExp
                                                               pop gdpPercap
##
      country continent
      <fct>
                  <fct>
                                            < [db] >
                                                    <dbl>
                                                             <int>
                                                                        <fdb>
##
                            <int>
##
    1 Afghanistan Asia
                             1952
                                             6.66
                                                     28.8
                                                           8425333
                                                                        779.
                                                    30.3
   2 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                        821.
##
                             1957
                                             6.71
                                                           9240934
    3 Afghanistan Asia
##
                             1962
                                             6.75
                                                     32.0 10267083
                                                                        853.
    4 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                        836.
                             1967
                                             6.73
                                                     34.0 11537966
##
    5 Afghanistan Asia
                                             6.61
                                                                         740.
###
                             1972
                                                     36.1 13079460
###
    6 Afghanistan Asia
                             1977
                                             6.67
                                                     38.4 14880372
                                                                         786.
###
   7 Afghanistan Asia
                             1982
                                             6.89
                                                     39.9 12881816
                                                                         978.
   8 Afghanistan Asia
                                             6.75
                                                                         852.
                             1987
                                                     40.8 13867957
###
   9 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                         649.
##
                             1992
                                             6.48
                                                     41.7 16317921
   10 Afghanistan Asia
                             1997
                                             6.45
                                                     41.8 22227415
                                                                         635.
  # i 1,694 more rows
```

• Select columns by name

```
gapminder ▷
  select(country,year, lifeExp)
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 3
     country year lifeExp
###
     <fct>
               <int>
                          <dbl>
##
##
    1 Afghanistan 1952
                           28.8
   2 Afghanistan
                  1957
                        30.3
##
   3 Afghanistan
                  1962
                           32.0
##
   4 Afghanistan
                  1967
                          34.0
##
   5 Afghanistan
                  1972
                           36.1
##
##
    6 Afghanistan
                   1977
                           38.4
   7 Afghanistan
                  1982
                           39.9
##
   8 Afghanistan
                  1987
                           40.8
##
   9 Afghanistan
                  1992
                           41.7
##
   10 Afghanistan
                  1997
                           41.8
  # i 1,694 more rows
```

```
colnames(gapminder)
## [1] "country" "continent" "year"
                                          "lifeExp"
                                                       "gop"
                                                                  "gdpPercap"
# select columns between country and pop, inclusive
# don't recommend this though
gapminder ▷
  select(country:pop)
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 5
     country continent year lifeExp
###
                                              pop
     <fct>
            <fct>
                           <int>
                                   <dbl> <int>
##
    1 Afghanistan Asia
##
                            1952 28.8 8425333
   2 Afghanistan Asia
                            1957 30.3 9240934
##
###
   3 Afghanistan Asia
                            1962
                                   32.0 10267083
    4 Afghanistan Asia
##
                            1967
                                    34.0 11537966
   5 Afghanistan Asia
                                    36.1 13079460
##
                            1972
   6 Afghanistan Asia
                            1977
                                    38.4 14880372
###
   7 Afghanistan Asia
##
                            1982
                                    39.9 12881816
##
   8 Afghanistan Asia
                            1987
                                    40.8 13867957
   9 Afghanistan Asia
##
                            1992
                                    41.7 16317921
   10 Afghanistan Asia
                                    41.8 22227415
                            1997
  # i 1,694 more rows
```

Select based on column characteristics.

```
# select only numeric columns
gapminder ▷
  select(where(is.numeric))
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 4
      year lifeExp pop gdpPercap
###
###
     <int> <dbl> <int>
                              <dbl>
   1 1952 28.8 8425333
                               779.
##
   2 1957 30.3 9240934
                               821.
###
   3 1962 32.0 10267083
                               853.
###
   4 1967 34.0 11537966
                               836.
##
###
   5 1972 36.1 13079460
                               740.
###
   6 1977 38.4 14880372
                               786.
   7 1982 39.9 12881816
                               978.
###
   8 1987 40.8 13867957
                               852.
###
##
   9 1992 41.7 16317921
                               649.
## 10 1997 41.8 22227415
                               635.
  # i 1,694 more rows
```

• select columns which starts with some patterns

```
gapminder ▷
  select(starts with('co'))
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 2
     country continent
###
    <fct>
           <fct>
##
##
   1 Afghanistan Asia
   2 Afghanistan Asia
##
   3 Afghanistan Asia
##
   4 Afghanistan Asia
##
   5 Afghanistan Asia
##
##
   6 Afghanistan Asia
   7 Afghanistan Asia
##
   8 Afghanistan Asia
##
   9 Afghanistan Asia
##
   10 Afghanistan Asia
## # i 1,694 more rows
```

• select columns which ends with some patterns

```
gapminder ▷
  select(ends with('p'))
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 3
     lifeExp pop gdpPercap
###
       <dbl> <int>
                           <dbl>
##
##
   1 28.8 8425333
                           779.
   2 30.3 9240934
                           821.
###
        32.0 10267083
###
                           853.
        34.0 11537966
                           836.
##
        36.1 13079460
                           740.
###
###
        38.4 14880372
                           786.
##
        39.9 12881816
                           978.
       40.8 13867957
                           852.
###
   8
   9 41.7 16317921
                           649.
###
## 10
        41.8 22227415
                           635.
## # i 1,694 more rows
```

select columns which contains some patterns

```
gapminder ▷
  select(contains('t'))
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 2
     country continent
###
   <fct>
           <fct>
##
##
   1 Afghanistan Asia
   2 Afghanistan Asia
##
   3 Afghanistan Asia
##
   4 Afghanistan Asia
##
   5 Afghanistan Asia
##
##
   6 Afghanistan Asia
   7 Afghanistan Asia
##
   8 Afghanistan Asia
##
   9 Afghanistan Asia
##
   10 Afghanistan Asia
## # i 1,694 more rows
```

Column functions: rename

```
gapminder ▷
   rename(life expectancy = lifeExp)
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 6
                              year life expectancy
                                                         pop gdpPercap
      country
                  continent
##
      <fct>
                  <fct>
                             <int>
                                              <dbl>
                                                       <int>
                                                                  <dbl>
###
##
    1 Afghanistan Asia
                              1952
                                               28.8 8425333
                                                                   779.
##
    2 Afghanistan Asia
                              1957
                                               30.3 9240934
                                                                   821.
    3 Afghanistan Asia
##
                              1962
                                               32.0 10267083
                                                                   853.
    4 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                   836.
                              1967
                                               34.0 11537966
###
    5 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                   740.
###
                              1972
                                               36.1 13079460
##
    6 Afghanistan Asia
                              1977
                                               38.4 14880372
                                                                   786.
    7 Afghanistan Asia
##
                              1982
                                               39.9 12881816
                                                                   978.
    8 Afghanistan Asia
                                                                   852.
                              1987
                                               40.8 13867957
###
    9 Afghanistan Asia
##
                              1992
                                               41.7 16317921
                                                                   649.
   10 Afghanistan Asia
                              1997
                                               41.8 22227415
                                                                   635.
   # i 1,694 more rows
```

Combination of pipes

```
gapminder ▷
  # keep only Asian continent
  filter(continent = "Asia") ▷
  #select some columns
  select(country, lifeExp, year) ▷
  #take the log of lifeExp
  mutate(logLifeExp = log(lifeExp), .after=lifeExp)
## # A tibble: 396 × 4
      country lifeExp logLifeExp year
##
      <fct>
                    < dbl >
                               <dbl> <int>
##
##
   1 Afghanistan
                     28.8
                                3.36 1952
   2 Afghanistan
                     30.3
###
                                3.41 1957
   3 Afghanistan
                     32.0
                                3.47 1962
###
   4 Afghanistan
                     34.0
##
                                3.53 1967
    5 Afghanistan
                     36.1
##
                                3.59 1972
    6 Afghanistan
                     38.4
                                3.65
                                     1977
##
   7 Afghanistan
                     39.9
                                3.69
##
                                     1982
   8 Afghanistan
                     40.8
##
                                3.71 1987
   9 Afghanistan
                     41.7
###
                                3.73 1992
   10 Afghanistan
                     41.8
                                3.73
                                      1997
  # i 386 more rows
```

Working with groups

- We learned how to use functions for rows or columns
- What can we do, if we want to operate these functions within *groups*?
 - Which country has highest life expectancy in Asia?
 - Which country has lowest life expectancy in Africa?
- We use group_by() function

```
gapminder ▷
  group by(continent)
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 6
## # Groups: continent [5]
                  continent year lifeExp
##
      country
                                               pop gdpPercap
      <fct>
                  <fct>
                            <int>
                                    <dbl>
                                             <int>
                                                        <dbl>
##
##
    1 Afghanistan Asia
                             1952
                                     28.8 8425333
                                                         779.
   2 Afghanistan Asia
                             1957
                                     30.3 9240934
                                                         821.
##
    3 Afghanistan Asia
##
                             1962
                                     32.0 10267083
                                                         853.
   4 Afghanistan Asia
##
                             1967
                                     34.0 11537966
                                                         836.
    5 Afghanistan Asia
                             1972
                                     36.1 13079460
                                                         740.
###
    6 Afghanistan Asia
##
                             1977
                                     38.4 14880372
                                                         786.
   7 Afghanistan Asia
                                     39.9 12881816
                                                         978.
###
                             1982
##
   8 Afghanistan Asia
                             1987
                                     40.8 13867957
                                                         852.
    9 Afghanistan Asia
                             1992
                                     41.7 16317921
                                                         649.
##
+++ 10 Afghanictan Acia
                             1007
                                     /1 0 22227/15
                                                         625
```

Working with groups

• Once you used group_by(), any row operations are applicable within each group

```
gapminder ▷
  group by(continent) ▷
  summarize(avgLifeExp = mean(lifeExp, na.rm = TRUE))
## # A tibble: 5 × 2
   continent avgLifeExp
###
###
  <fct>
          <dbl>
## 1 Africa 48.9
## 2 Americas 64.7
## 3 Asia
           60.1
           71.9
## 4 Europe
## 5 Oceania
           74.3
```

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71.9

74.3

More elaborate summary

4 Europe
5 Oceania

```
gapminder ▷
  group by(continent) ▷
  summarize(avgLifeExp = mean(lifeExp, na.rm = TRUE),
            medianLifeExp = median(lifeExp, na.rm=TRUE),
            numObs = n().
             avgGdpPerCap = mean(gdpPercap, na.rm = TRUE))
## # A tibble: 5 × 5
     continent avgLifeExp medianLifeExp numObs avgGdpPerCap
###
     <fct>
                   < [db>
                                  <dbl> <int>
                                                      <dbl>
###
## 1 Africa
                                   47.8
                    48.9
                                          624
                                                      2194.
## 2 Americas
                    64.7
                                   67.0 300
                                                     7136.
## 3 Asia
                    60.1
                                  61.8 396
                                                7902.
```

72.2 360

24

73.7

14469.

18622.

Multiple groups

• Nothing stops you from using multiple groups

```
gapminder ▷
  group by(continent, year)
## # A tibble: 1,704 × 6
## # Groups: continent, year [60]
                  continent year lifeExp pop gdpPercap
###
      country
###
      <fct>
                  <fct>
                            <int>
                                    <dbl>
                                             <int>
                                                       <dbl>
   1 Afghanistan Asia
##
                             1952
                                     28.8 8425333
                                                        779.
##
   2 Afghanistan Asia
                             1957
                                     30.3 9240934
                                                        821.
   3 Afghanistan Asia
                             1962
                                     32.0 10267083
                                                        853.
###
    4 Afghanistan Asia
                             1967
                                                        836.
##
                                     34.0 11537966
##
    5 Afghanistan Asia
                             1972
                                     36.1 13079460
                                                        740.
##
    6 Afghanistan Asia
                             1977
                                     38.4 14880372
                                                        786.
   7 Afghanistan Asia
                                                        978.
                             1982
                                     39.9 12881816
###
   8 Afghanistan Asia
                                                        852.
##
                             1987
                                     40.8 13867957
   9 Afghanistan Asia
                                     41.7 16317921
###
                             1992
                                                        649.
   10 Afghanistan Asia
                             1997
                                     41.8 22227415
                                                        635.
  # i 1,694 more rows
```

Coding Exercise

- Download World Bank's Fiscal Space data: link
- Unzip it and put it in folder where you can access it
- Download both STATA and Excel files
 - Excel file has glossary

```
fspace ← haven::read dta(file = paste0('raw data/', 'Fiscal-space-data.dta'))
  glimpse(fspace)
## Rows: 6,666
## Columns: 31
                                       <chr> "USA", "USA"
## $ ccode
## $ ifscode
                                       ## $ country
                                       <chr> "United States", "United States", "United States", "United S...
## $ group
                                       ## $ region
                                       ## $ inc
                                       ## $ year
                                       <dbl> 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, ...
## $ ggdv
                                       <dbl> 61.71774, 66.34741, 68.65210, 70.56248, 69.38563, 68.96503, ...
// ydq 2 ##
                                       <dbl> -0.4214212, -0.8911726, -1.8340608, -1.1126696, 0.1118852, 0...
## $ cby
                                       <dbl> -4.4734335, -4.3848381, -5.5710871, -4.6584245, -3.5298614, ...
                                       <dbl> -4.1060773, -4.9237521, -5.9139839, -5.0755329, -3.6825231, ...
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## $ fby
                                       <dbl> 318.1225, 341.9860, 353.8655, 363.7125, 357.6465, 355.4785, ...
## $ dfggd
```

• Count the number of countries in each year and store it in a dataframe called fspaceNumCountries

```
fspaceNumCountries ← fspace ▷
   group_by(year) ▷
   summarize(numCountries = n())
fspaceNumCountries
## # A tibble: 33 × 2
##
       year numCountries
###
      <dbl>
                   <int>
##
   1 1990
                     202
   2 1991
                     202
##
   3 1992
                     202
##
##
   4 1993
                     202
   5 1994
                     202
###
   6 1995
                     202
###
   7 1996
                     202
###
   8 1997
                     202
##
   9 1998
                     202
###
      1999
                     202
  10
   # i 23 more rows
```

- Compute the mean and median of following variables each year
 - general government gross debt (ggdy)
 - general government debt in foreign currency (fxsovsh)
 - total external debt in stocks (xtdebty)

```
glimpse(fspaceSummary)
```

• Construct a new dataset which contains following variables

```
yearcountryggdyfxsovshxtdebty
```

• Construct a new variable which is the logarithm of ggdy

Keep only those observations where log_ggdy > 5

Do all operations we discussed till now in one go

```
fspaceNew ← fspace ▷
  select(year, country, ggdy, fxsovsh, xtdebty) ▷
  mutate(log ggdy = log(ggdy)) ▷
  filter(log ggdv > 5)
glimpse(fspaceNew)
## Rows: 174
## Columns: 6
## $ year <dbl> 2020, 2021, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2...
## $ country <chr> "Italy", "Italy", "Japan", "Japan", "Japan", "Japan", "Japan", "Japan"...
## $ ggdv <dbl> 154.890. 149.809. 154.096. 160.021. 169.490. 174.594. 174.142...
## $ xtdebty <dbl> 149.98938, 131.50735, NA, 29.96744, 31.82130, 31.48246, 32.87...
## $ log ggdy <dbl> 5.042715, 5.009361, 5.037576, 5.075305, 5.132794, 5.162463, 5...
```