# Introduction to relational plots and subplots

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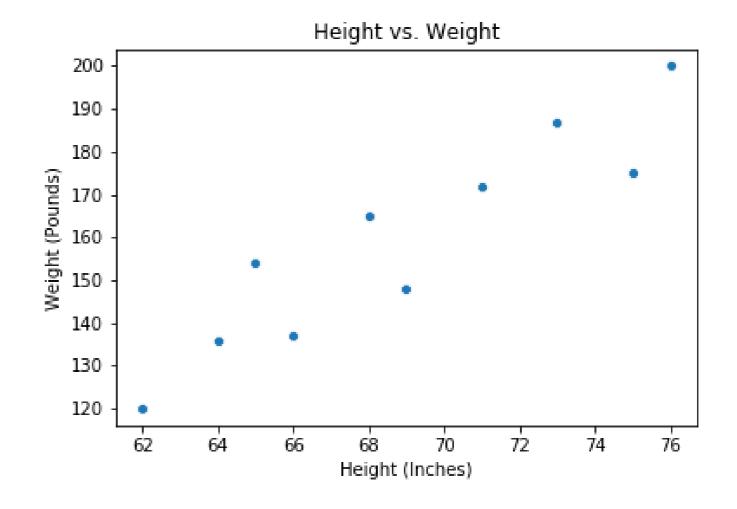
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### Questions about quantitative variables

Relational plots

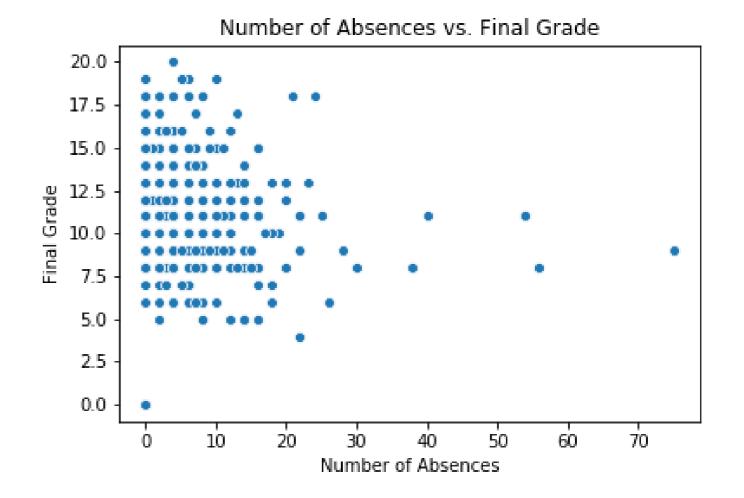
Height vs. weight



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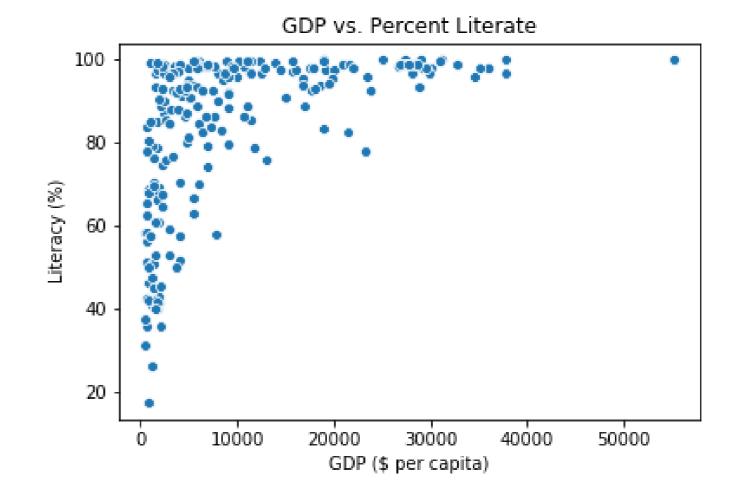
- Height vs. weight
- Number of school absences vs. final grade

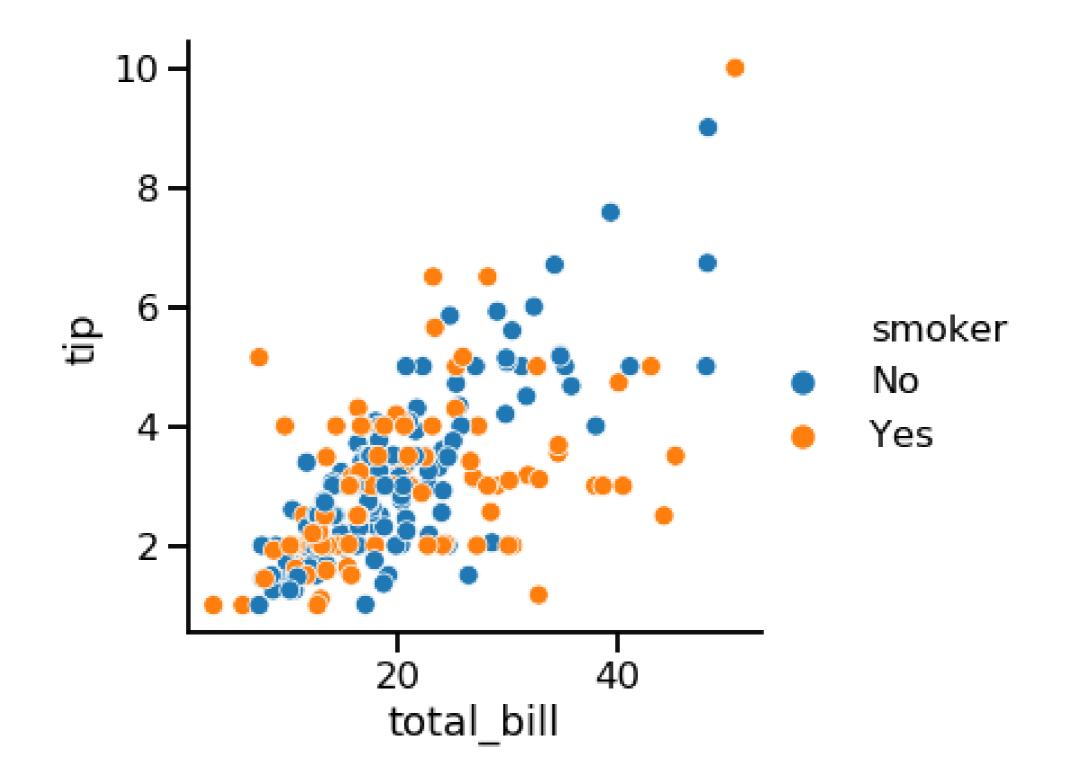


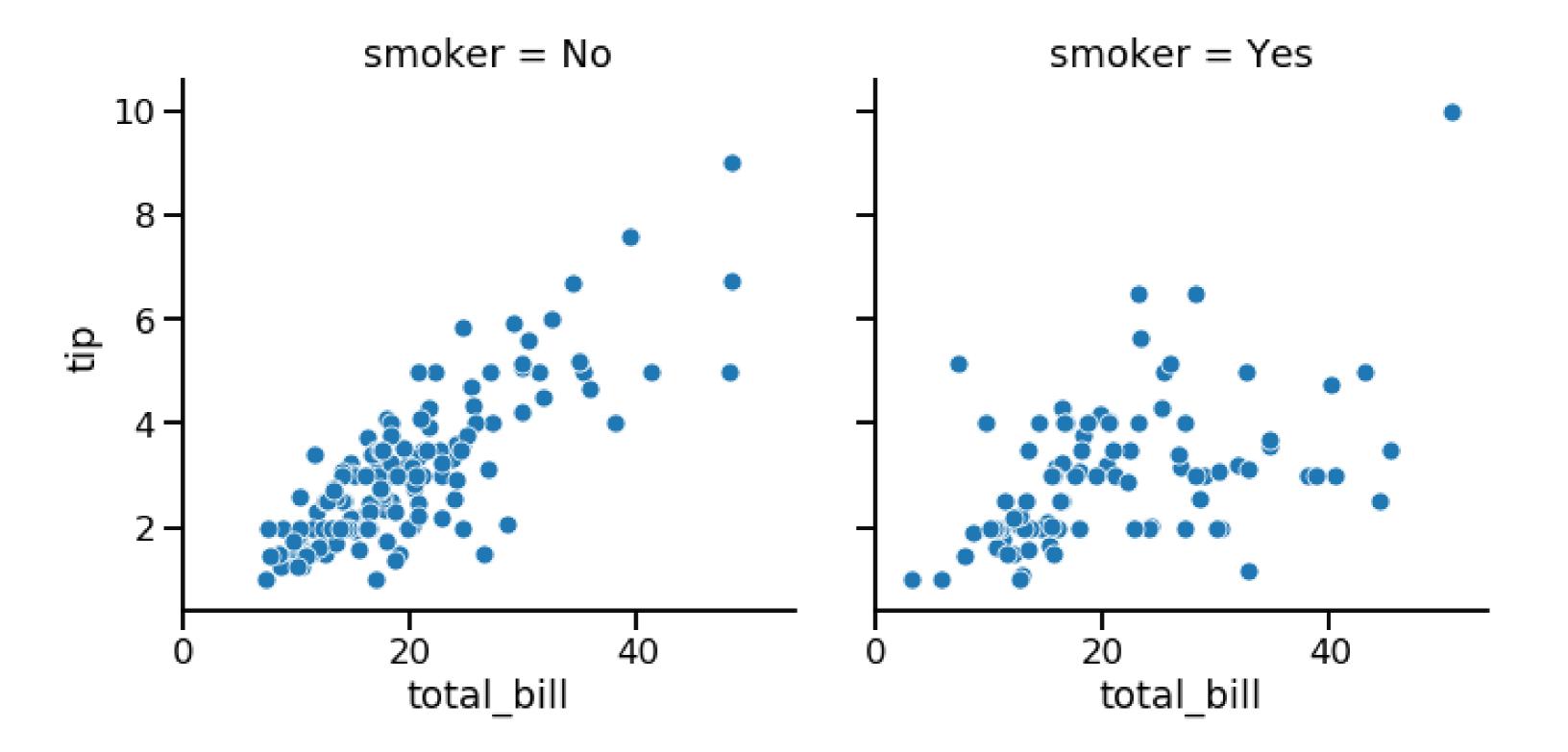
### Questions about quantitative variables

### Relational plots

- Height vs. weight
- Number of school absences vs. final grade
- GDP vs. percent literate







### Introducing relplot()

Create "relational plots": scatter plots or line plots

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Why use relplot() instead of scatterplot() ?
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• relplot() lets you create subplots in a single figure

### scatterplot() vs. relplot()

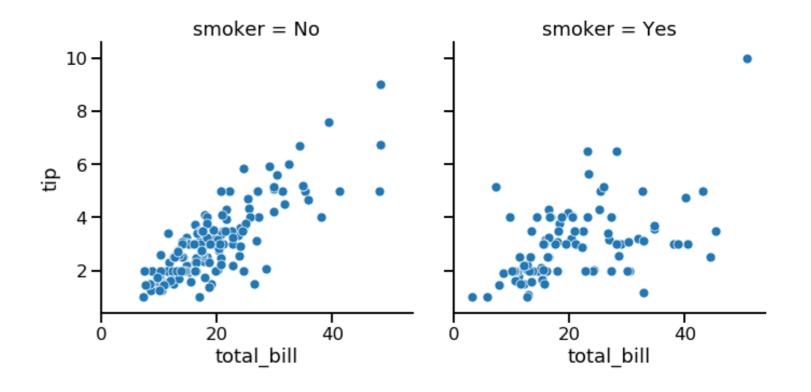
Using scatterplot()

Using relplot()

```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
sns.relplot(x="total_bill",
            y="tip",
            data=tips,
            kind="scatter")
plt.show()
```

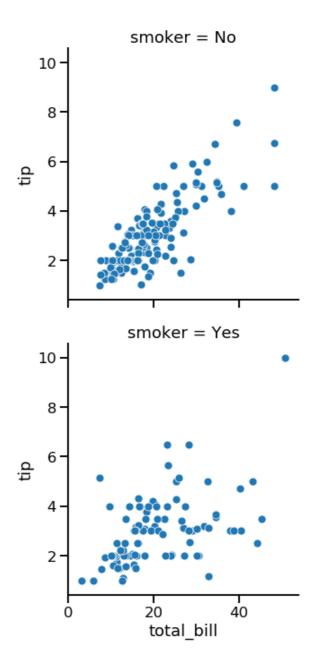
### Subplots in columns

```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
sns.relplot(x="total_bill",
            y="tip",
            data=tips,
            kind="scatter",
            col="smoker")
plt.show()
```



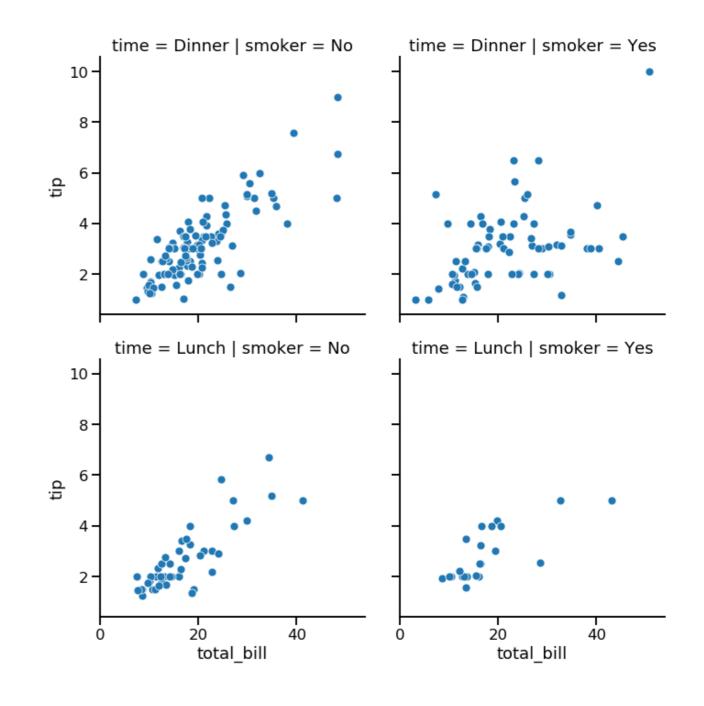
## Subplots in rows

```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
sns.relplot(x="total_bill",
            y="tip",
            data=tips,
            kind="scatter",
            row="smoker")
plt.show()
```

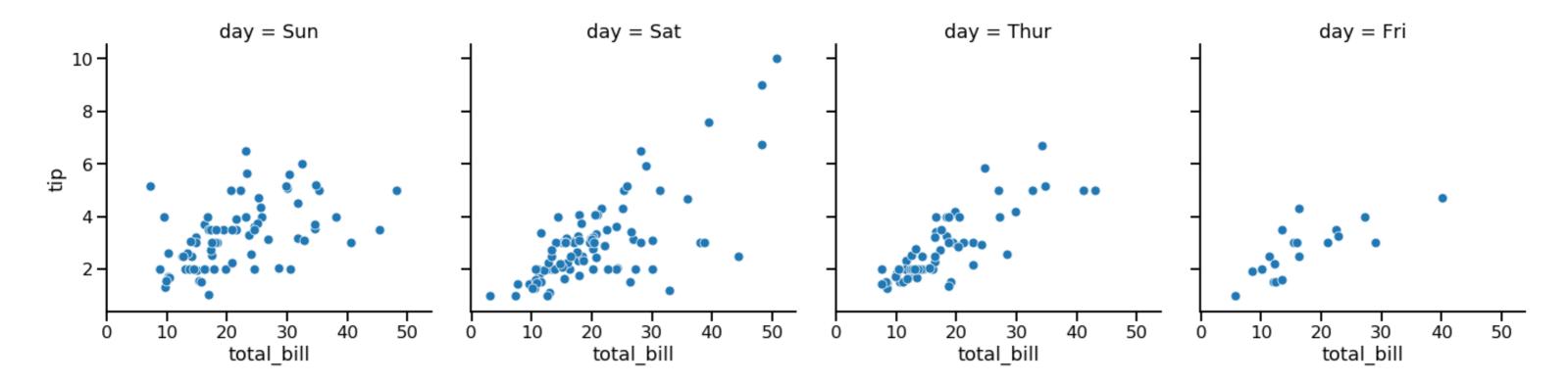


### Subplots in rows and columns

```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
sns.relplot(x="total_bill",
            y="tip",
            data=tips,
            kind="scatter",
            col="smoker",
            row="time")
plt.show()
```

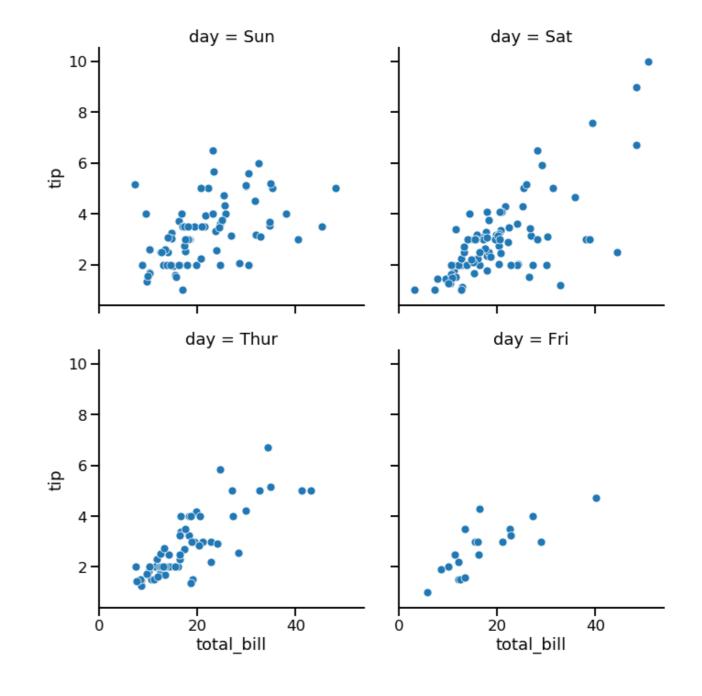


### Subgroups for days of the week



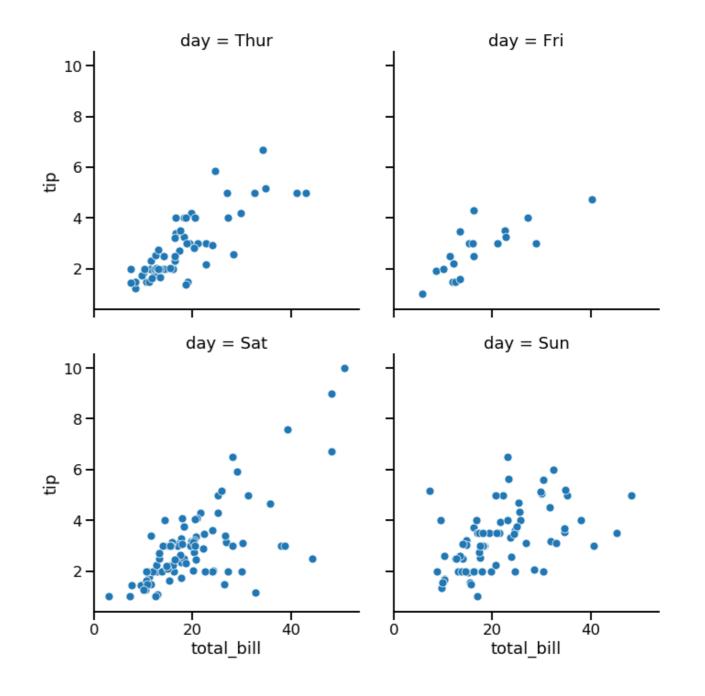
### Wrapping columns

```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
sns.relplot(x="total_bill",
            y="tip",
            data=tips,
            kind="scatter",
            col="day",
            col_wrap=2)
plt.show()
```



### Ordering columns

```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
sns.relplot(x="total_bill",
            y="tip",
            data=tips,
            kind="scatter",
            col="day",
            col_wrap=2,
            col_order=["Thur",
                        "Fri",
                        "Sat",
                        "Sun"])
plt.show()
```



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# Customizing scatter plots

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### Scatter plot overview

Show relationship between two quantitative variables

#### We've seen:

- Subplots ( col and row )
- Subgroups with color ( hue )

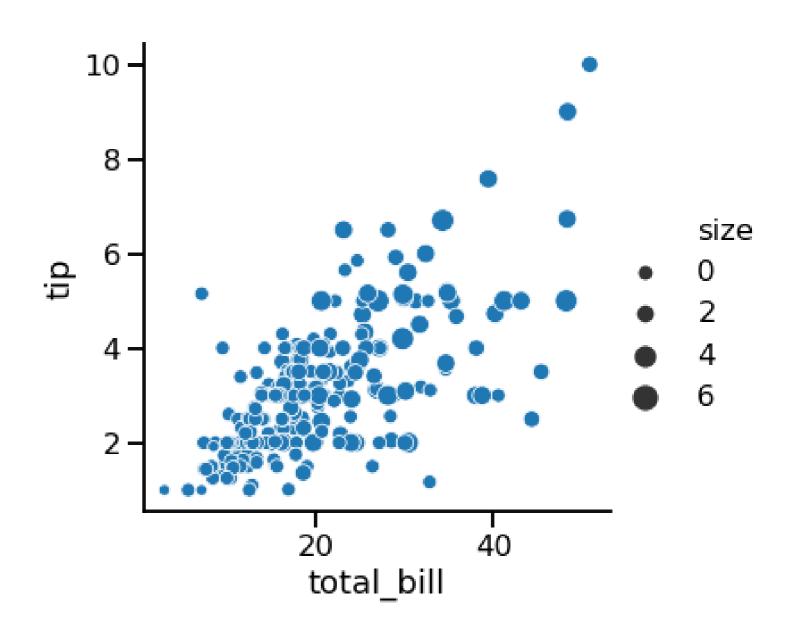
#### **New Customizations:**

- Subgroups with point size and style
- Changing point transparency

```
Use with both scatterplot() and relplot()
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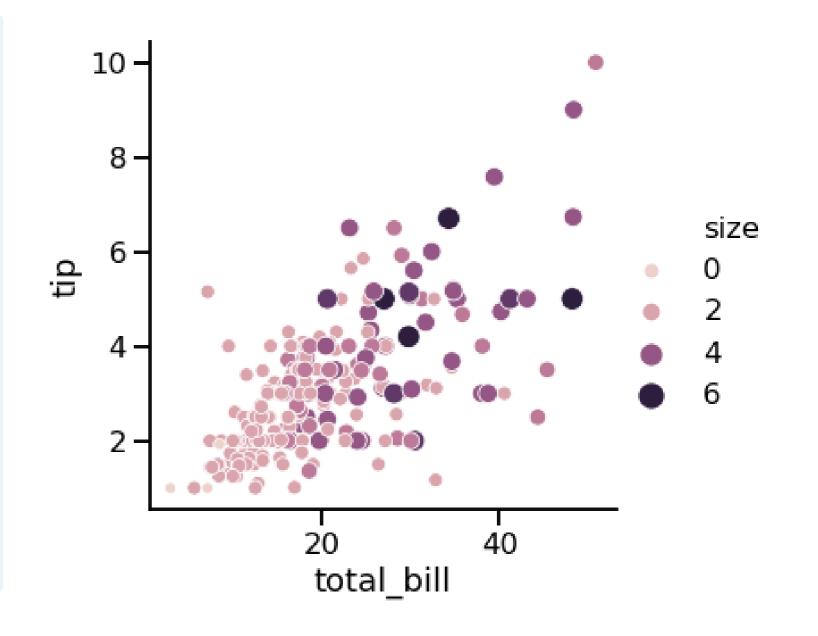
### Subgroups with point size

```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
sns.relplot(x="total_bill",
            y="tip",
            data=tips,
            kind="scatter",
            size="size")
plt.show()
```



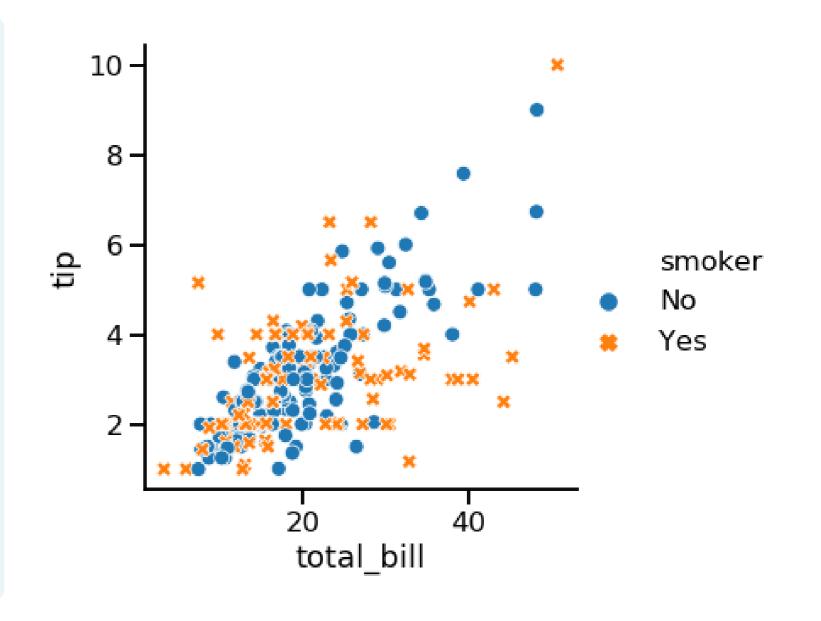
### Point size and hue

```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
sns.relplot(x="total_bill",
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            hue="size")
plt.show()
```



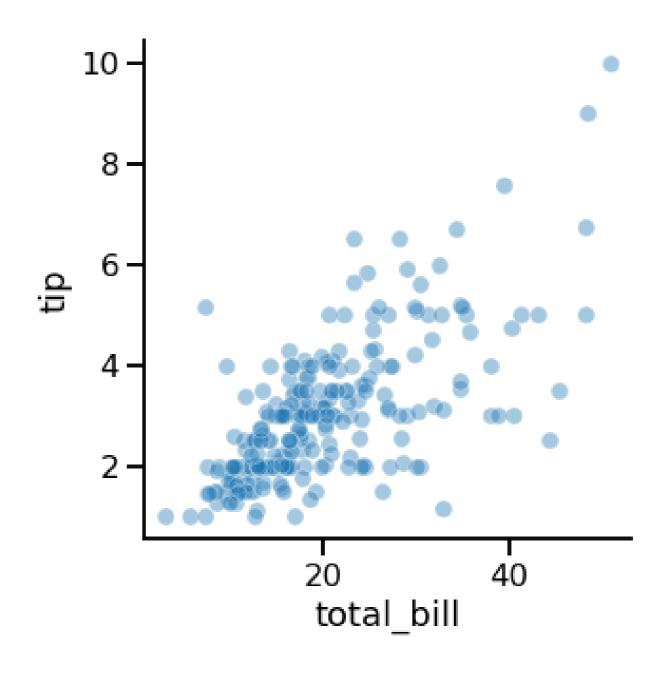
### Subgroups with point style

```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
sns.relplot(x="total_bill",
            y="tip",
            data=tips,
            kind="scatter",
            hue="smoker",
            style="smoker")
plt.show()
```



### Changing point transparency

```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
# Set alpha to be between 0 and 1
sns.relplot(x="total_bill",
            y="tip",
            data=tips,
            kind="scatter",
            alpha=0.4)
plt.show()
```



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# Introduction to line plots

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### What are line plots?

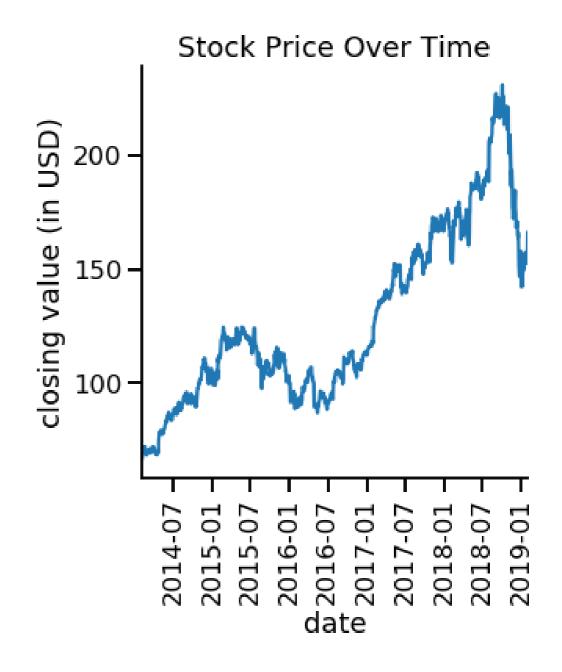
Two types of relational plots: scatter plots and line plots

### **Scatter plots**

• Each plot point is an independent observation

#### Line plots

Each plot point represents the same "thing",
 typically tracked over time

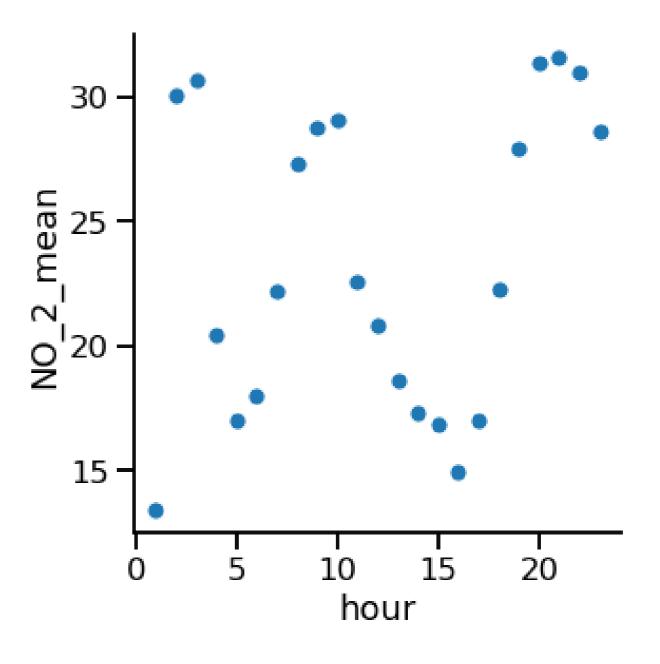


### Air pollution data

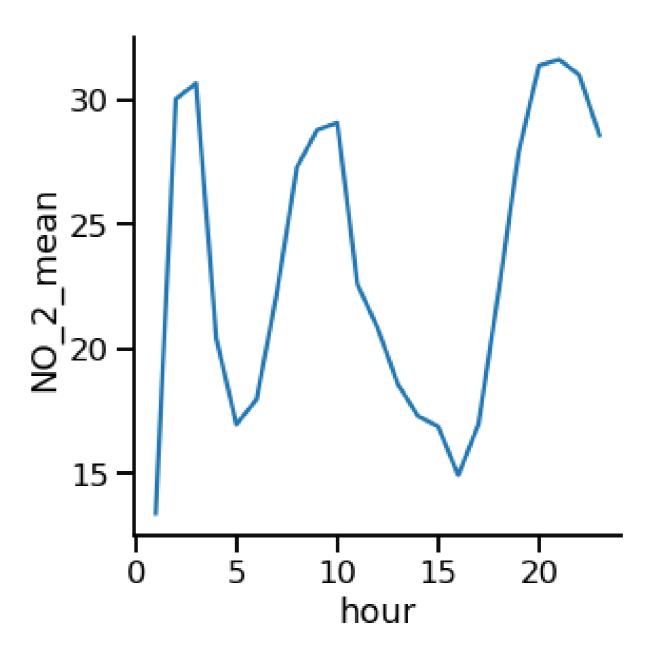
- Collection stations throughout city
- Air samples of nitrogen dioxide levels

|   | hour | NO_2_mean |
|---|------|-----------|
| 0 | 1    | 13.375000 |
| 1 | 2    | 30.041667 |
| 2 | 3    | 30.666667 |
| 3 | 4    | 20.416667 |
| 4 | 5    | 16.958333 |

### Scatter plot



### Line plot



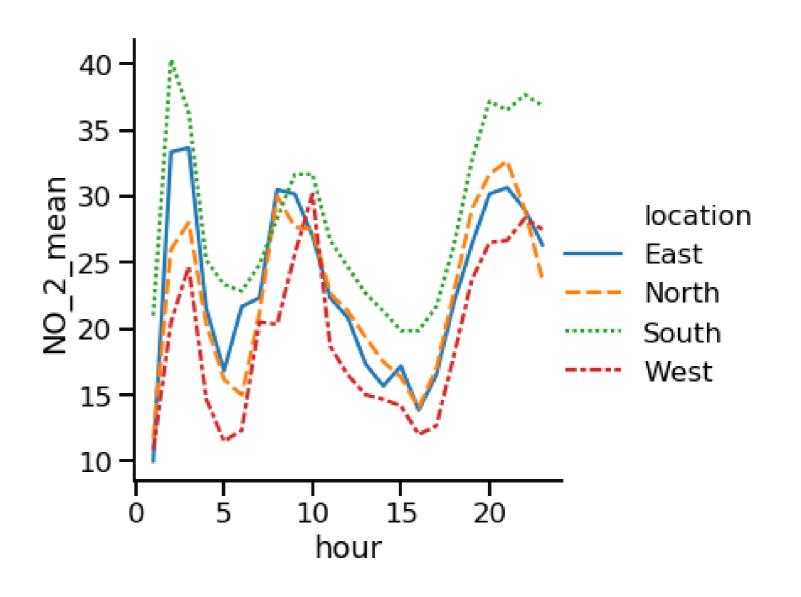
# Subgroups by location

|   | hour | location | NO_2_mean |
|---|------|----------|-----------|
| 0 | 1    | East     | 10.000000 |
| 1 | 1    | North    | 11.666667 |
| 2 | 1    | South    | 21.000000 |
| 3 | 1    | West     | 10.833333 |
| 4 | 2    | East     | 33.333333 |
|   |      |          |           |



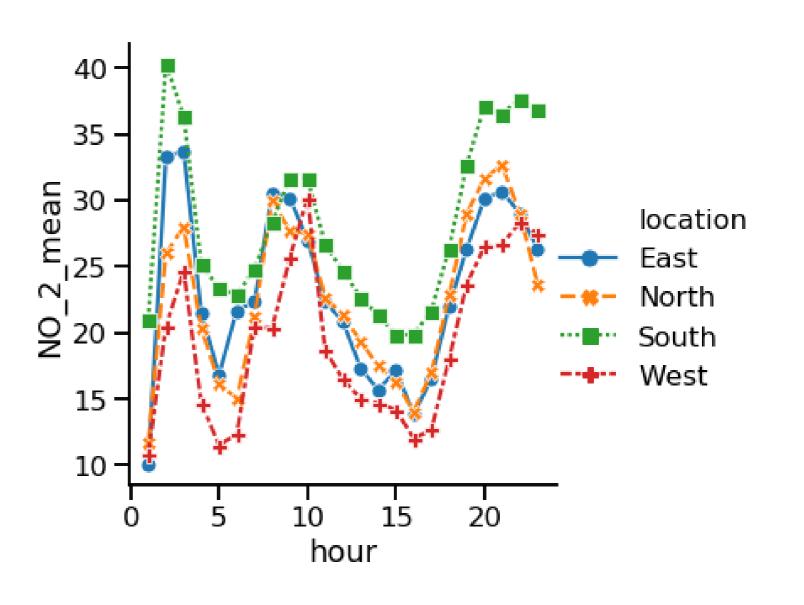
### Subgroups by location

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
sns.relplot(x="hour", y="NO_2_mean",
            data=air_df_loc_mean,
            kind="line",
            style="location",
            hue="location")
plt.show()
```



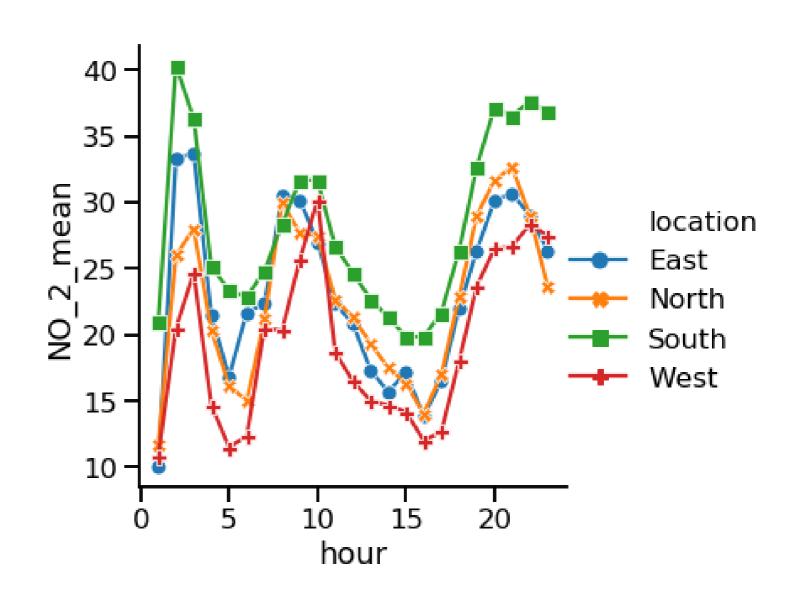
### Adding markers

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
sns.relplot(x="hour", y="NO_2_mean",
            data=air_df_loc_mean,
            kind="line",
            style="location",
            hue="location",
            markers=True)
plt.show()
```



### Turning off line style

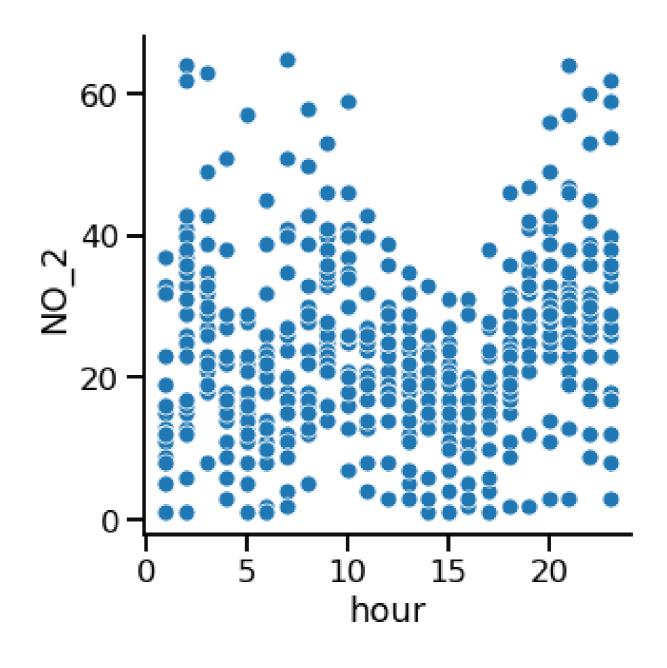
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import seaborn as sns
sns.relplot(x="hour", y="NO_2_mean",
            data=air_df_loc_mean,
            kind="line",
            style="location",
            hue="location",
            markers=True,
            dashes=False)
plt.show()
```



|   | hour | NO_2 | station  | location |
|---|------|------|----------|----------|
| 0 | 1    | 15.0 | 28079004 | South    |
| 1 | 1    | 33.0 | 28079008 | South    |
| 2 | 1    | 11.0 | 28079011 | South    |
| 3 | 1    | 12.0 | 28079016 | South    |
| 4 | 1    | 23.0 | 28079017 | South    |

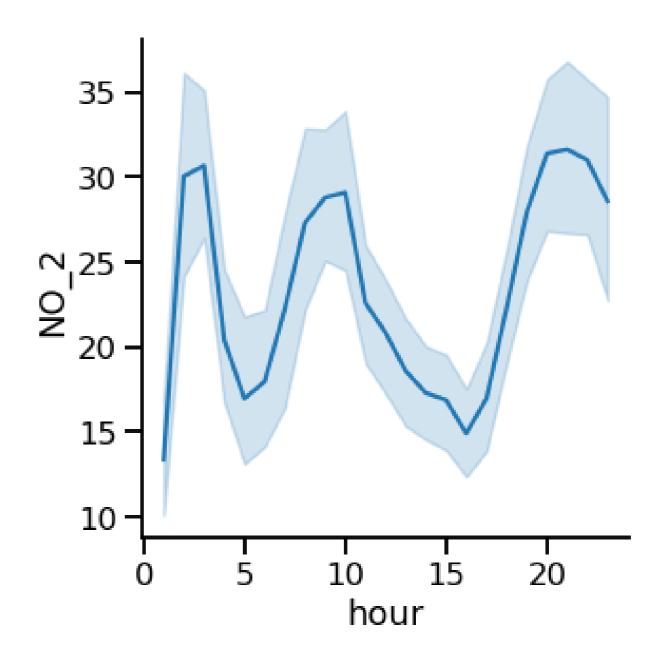


### Scatter plot



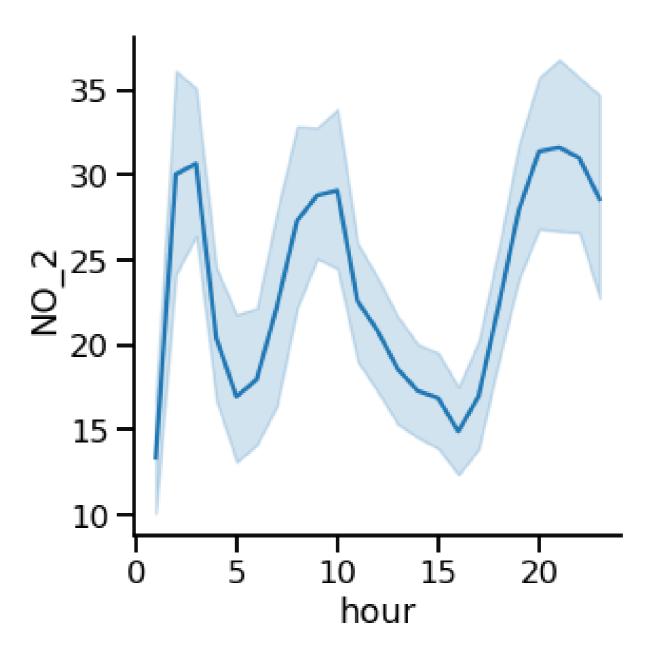
### Line plot

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
sns.relplot(x="hour", y="NO_2",
            data=air_df,
            kind="line")
plt.show()
```



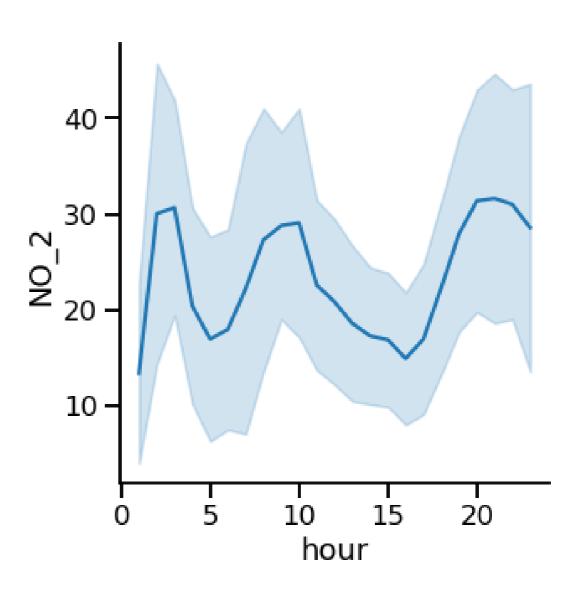
Shaded region is the confidence interval

- Assumes dataset is a random sample
- 95% confident that the mean is within this interval
- Indicates uncertainty in our estimate

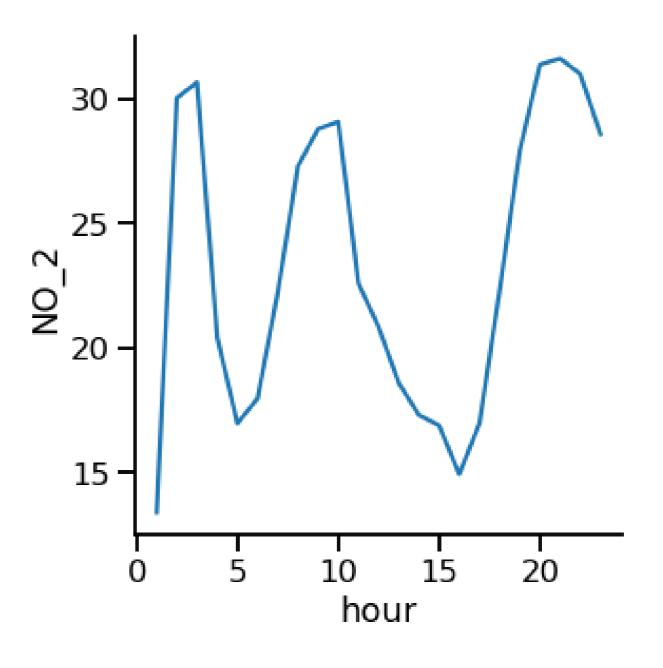


# Replacing confidence interval with standard deviation

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
sns.relplot(x="hour", y="NO_2",
            data=air_df,
            kind="line",
            ci="sd")
plt.show()
```



### Turning off confidence interval



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