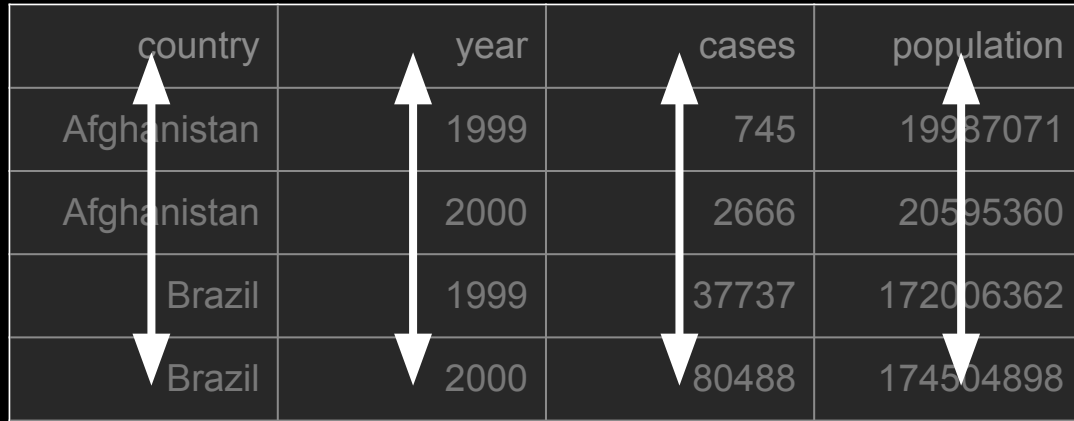# TIDY DATA

tidy data

each variable is a column;
each column is a variable.

each observation is a row;
each row is an observation.

each value is a cell;
each cell is a single value.

country	year	cases	population
Afghanistan	1999	745	19987071
Afghanistan	2000	2666	20595360
Brazil	1999	37737	172006362
Brazil	2000	80488	174504898

Example from: Wickham, Hadley, et al. R for Data Science: Import, Tidy, Transform, Visualize, and Model Data. 2nd edition, O'Reilly Media, Inc, 2023. Chapter 5.

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longer

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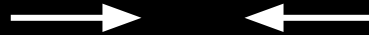
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vector

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pivot_wider()
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pivot_longer()
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STRINGS

{{ stringr }}

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str_trim()
str_squish()
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str_starts()
str_ends()
str_detect()
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"Annabel Miller"

"**Anna**bel Miller"

str_starts(txt, "**Anna**")

"Annabel Miller"

str_ends(txt, "Miller")

"Annabel Miller"

str_detect(txt, "Mill")