

# Data Visualization in R with **ggplot2**

The Structure of ggplot2 (Part 2)

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Part 2

# Scales & Coordinate Systems

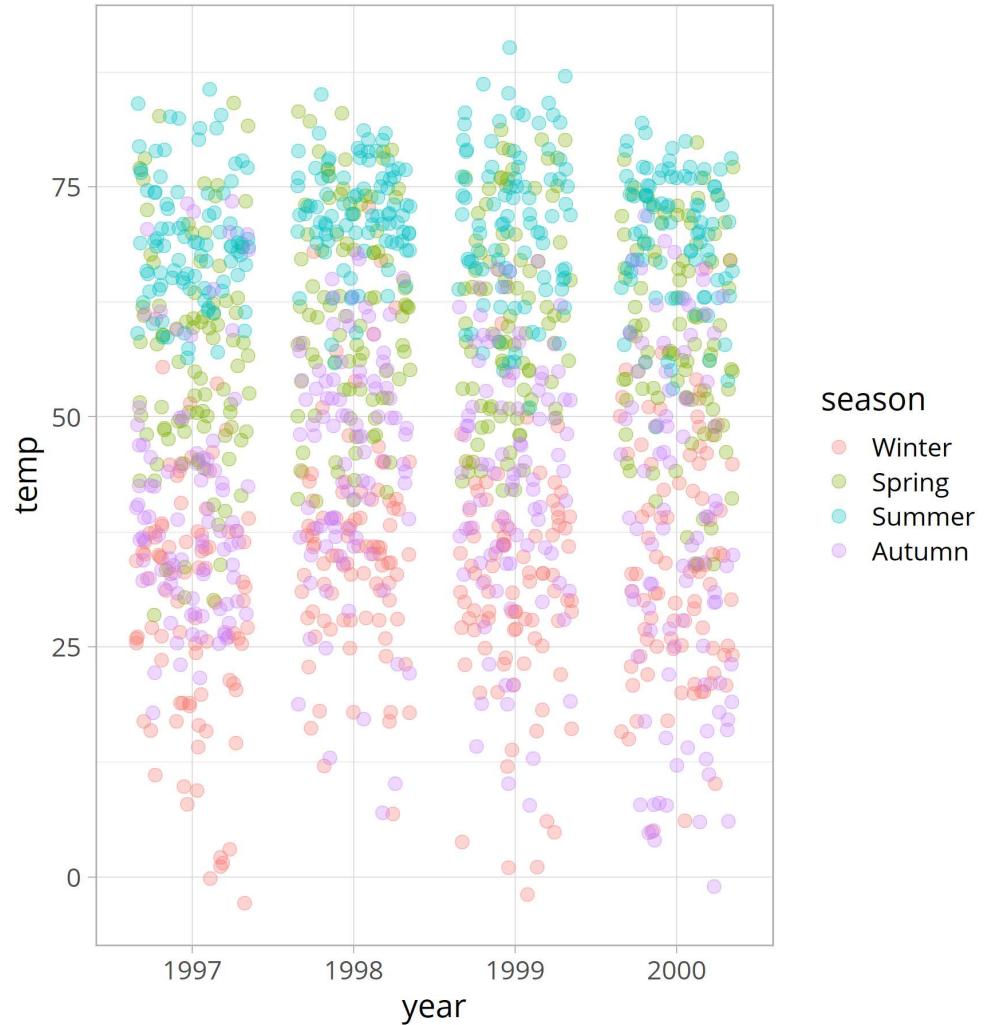
# ggplot2: Build a data MASTERpiece



Illustration by Allison Horst ([github.com/allisonhorst/stats-illustrations](https://github.com/allisonhorst/stats-illustrations))

# A Masterpiece?

```
chic <- readr::read_csv("https://raw.githubusercontent.com/rfordatascience/tidytuesday/master/data/2020/2020-01-01/Chicago.csv")  
col_types = cols(  
  year = col_double(),  
  temp = col_double(),  
  season = col_factor()  
)  
  
(g <-  
  ggplot(chic,  
  aes(  
    year,  
    temp,  
    color = season  
  geom_jitter(  
    size = 3,  
    alpha = .3,  
    position = position_jitter(  
      width = .35,  
      seed = 2020  
    )  
  )  
)
```



# The Structure of `ggplot2`

Layer	Function	Explanation
Data	<code>ggplot(data)</code>	The raw data that you want to visualise.
Aesthetics	<code>aes()</code>	Aesthetic mappings of the geometric and statistical objects.
Layers	<code>geom_*</code> () and <code>stat_*</code> ()	The geometric shapes and statistical summaries representing the data.
Scales	<code>scale_*</code> ()	Maps between the data and the aesthetic dimensions.
Coordinate System	<code>coord_*</code> ()	Maps data into the plane of the data rectangle.
Facets	<code>facet_*</code> ()	The arrangement of the data into a grid of plots.
Visual Themes	<code>theme()</code> and <code>theme_*</code> ()	The overall visual defaults of a plot.
Annotations	<code>annotate()</code>	Add additional labels, geometries or images to a plot.

# Scales

`scale_*`

# `scale_*`( )

One can use `scale_*`( ) to change properties of all the aesthetic dimensions mapped to the data.

Consequently, there are `scale_*`( ) functions for all aesthetics such as:

- positions via `scale_x_*`( ) and `scale_y_*`( )
- colors via `scale_color_*`( ) and `scale_fill_*`( )
- sizes via `scale_size_*`( ) and `scale_radius_*`( )
- shapes via `scale_shape_*`( ) and `scale_linetype_*`( )
- transparency via `scale_alpha_*`( )

# scale\_\*( )

One can use `scale_*( )` to change properties of all the aesthetic dimensions mapped to the data

The extensions (`*`) can be filled by e.g.:

- `continuous()`, `discrete()`, `reverse()`, `log10()`, `sqrt()`, `date()` for positions
- `continuous()`, `discrete()`, `manual()`, `gradient()`, `gradient2()`, `brewer()` for colors
- `continuous()`, `discrete()`, `manual()`, `ordinal()`, `area()`, `date()` for sizes
- `continuous()`, `discrete()`, `manual()`, `ordinal()` for shapes
- `continuous()`, `discrete()`, `manual()`, `ordinal()`, `date()` for transparency

# Scales

`scale_x|y_*`( )

## CONTINUOUS

measured data, can have  $\infty$  values within possible range.



I AM 3.1" TALL

I WEIGH 34.16 grams

## DISCRETE

OBSERVATIONS CAN ONLY EXIST AT LIMITED VALUES, OFTEN COUNTS.

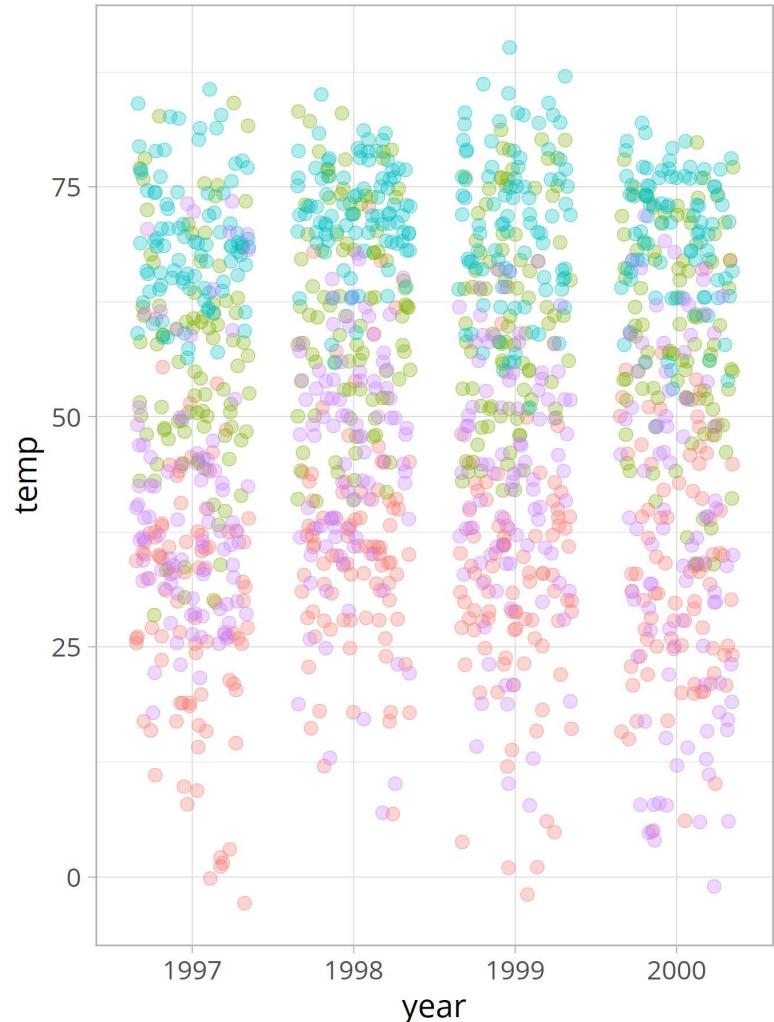


I HAVE 8 LEGS  
and  
4 SPOTS!

@allison\_horst

# scale\_x|y\_continuous()

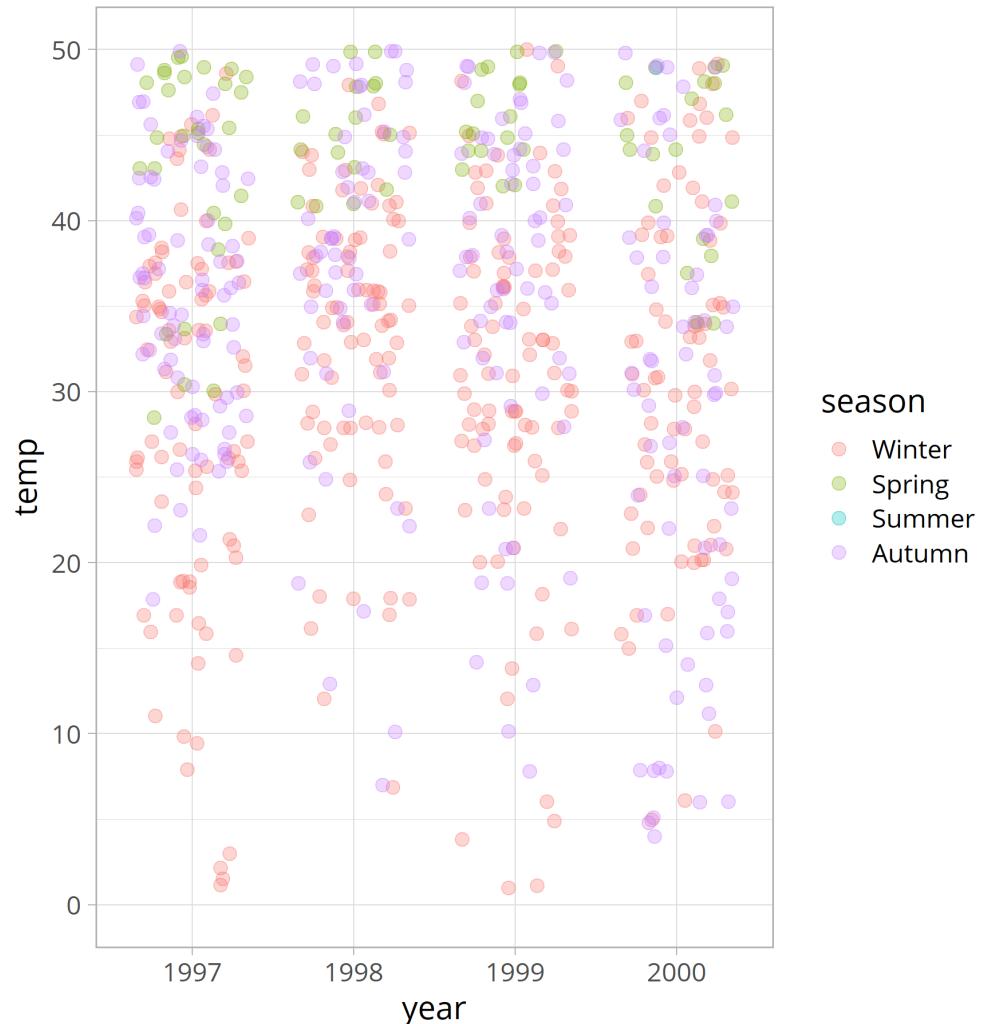
```
gg
```



```
season  
  Winter  
  Spring  
  Summer  
  Autumn
```

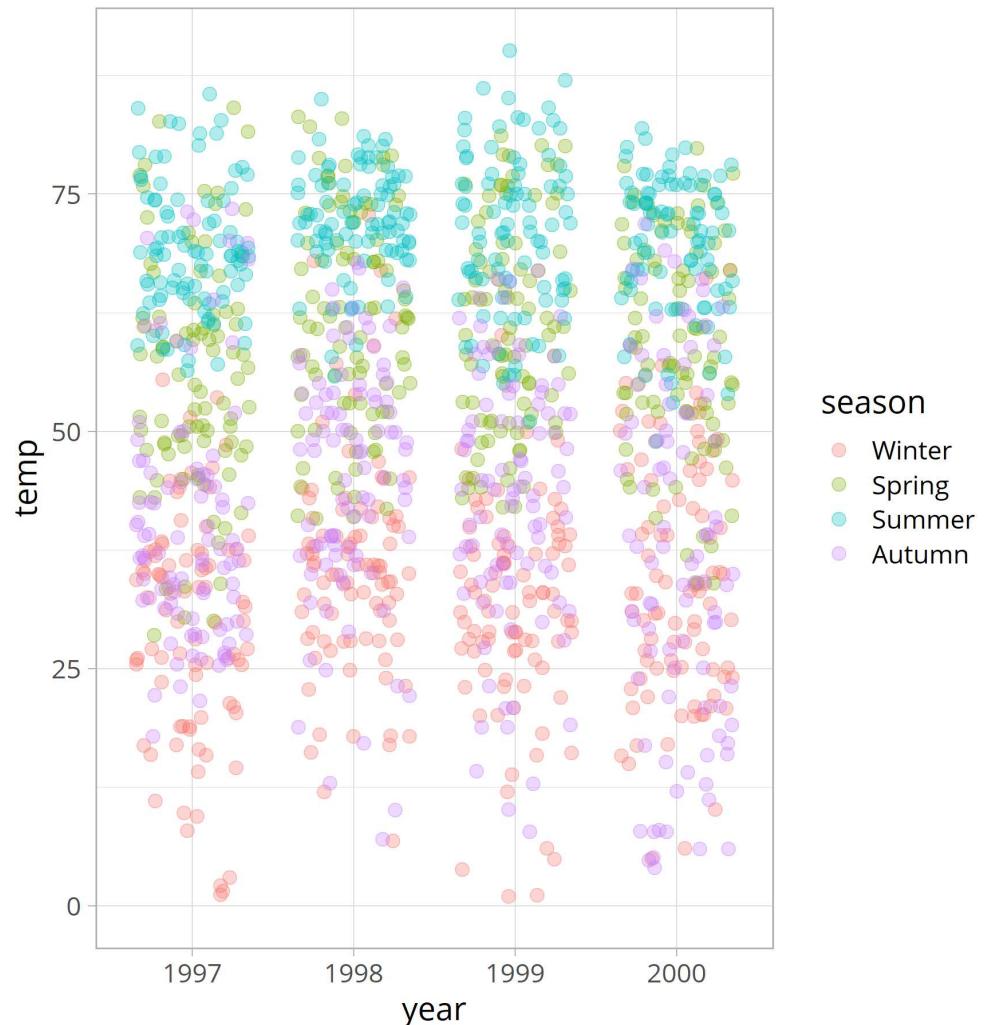
# scale\_x|y\_continuous()

```
g +  
  scale_y_continuous(  
    limits = c(0, 50)  
)
```



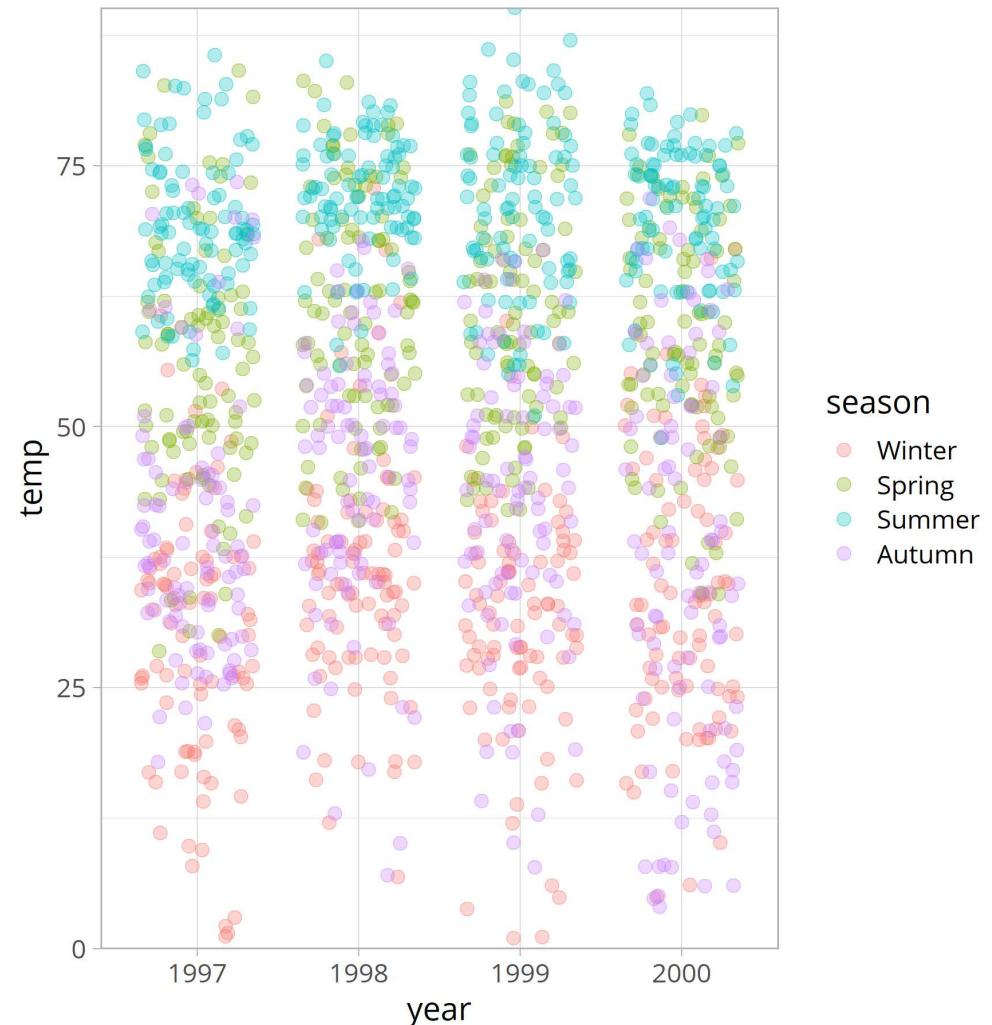
# scale\_x|y\_continuous()

```
g +  
  scale_y_continuous(  
    limits = c(0, NA)  
)
```



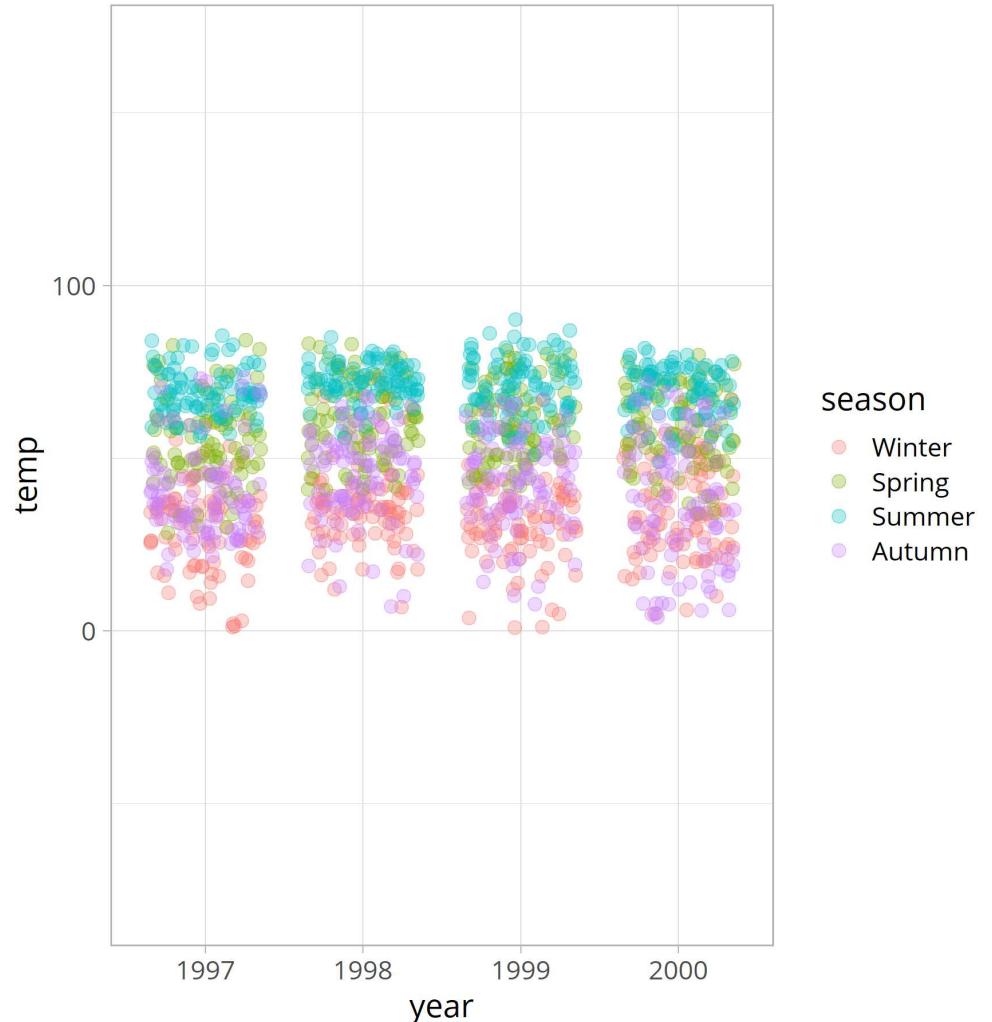
# scale\_x|y\_continuous()

```
g +  
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    limits = c(0, NA),  
    expand = c(0, 0)  
)
```



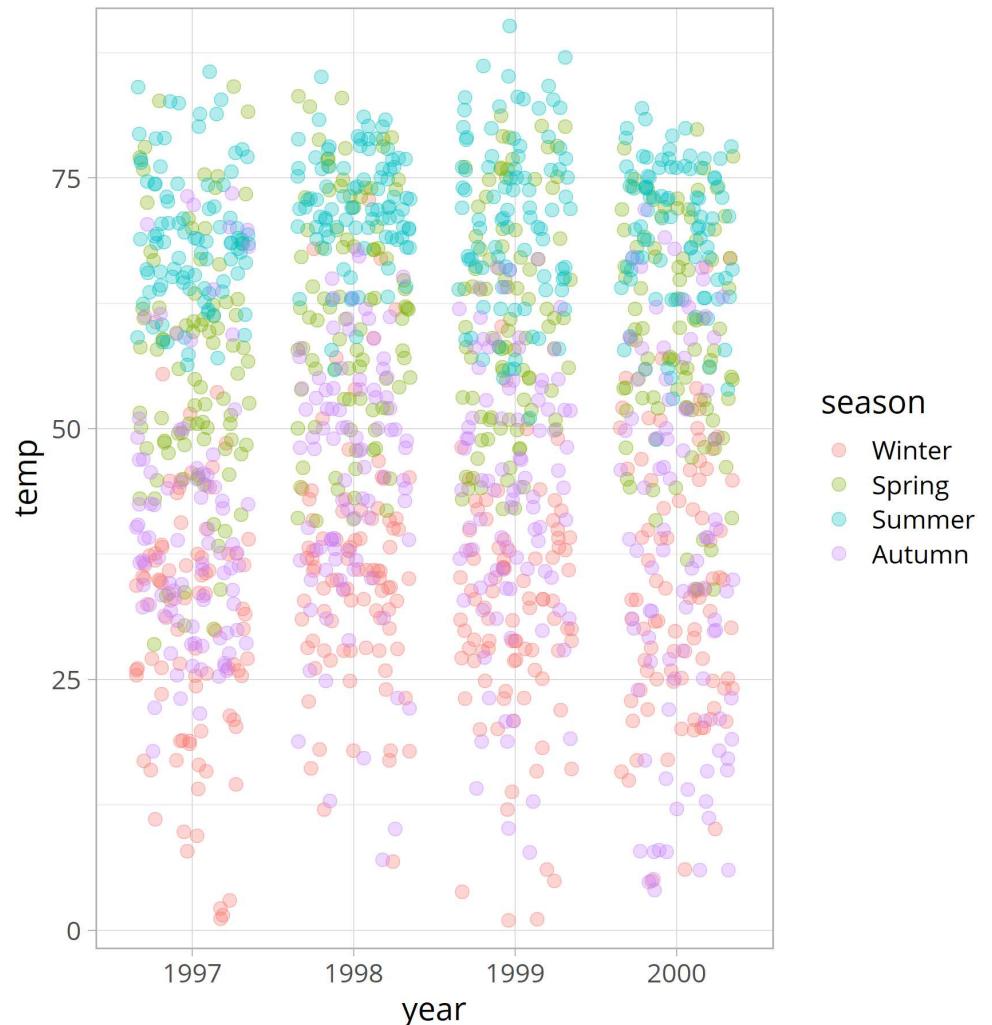
# scale\_x|y\_continuous()

```
g +  
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    limits = c(0, NA),  
    expand = c(1, 1)  
)
```



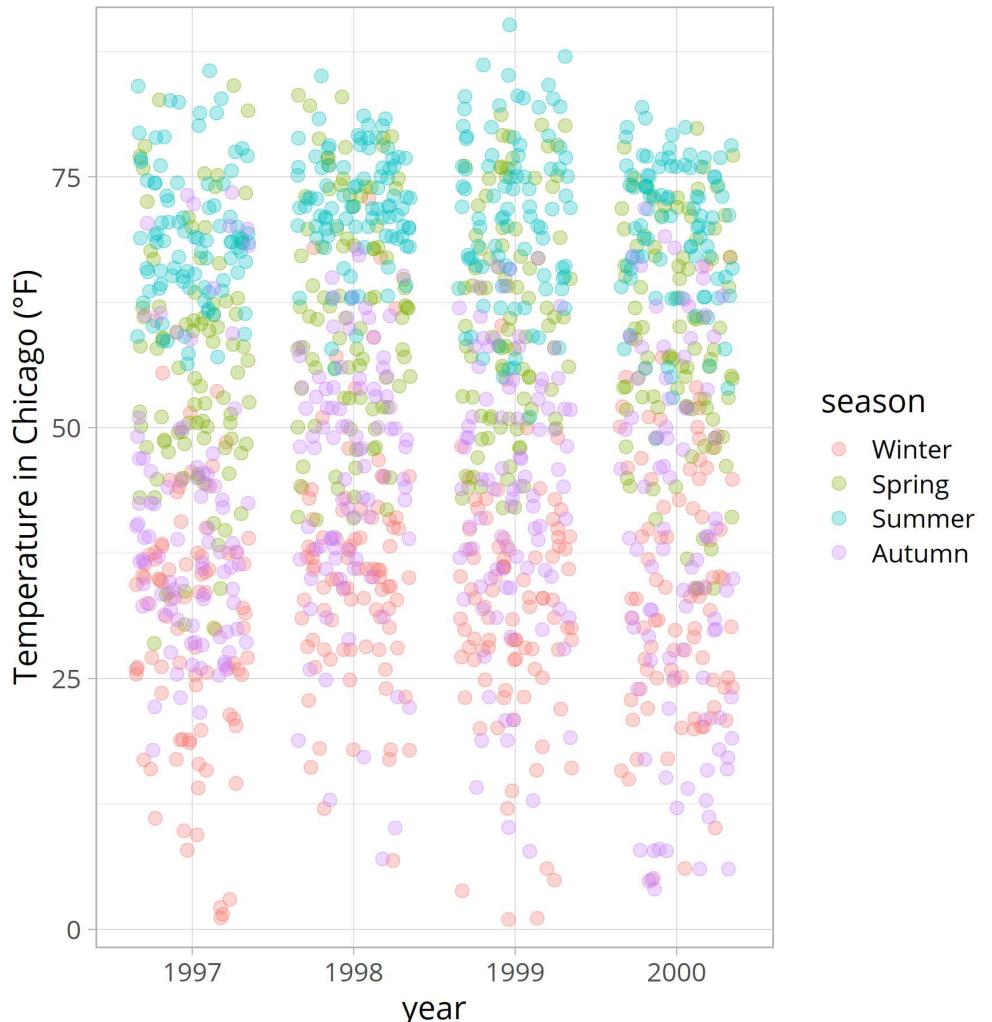
# scale\_x|y\_continuous()

```
g +  
  scale_y_continuous(  
    limits = c(0, NA),  
    expand = c(.02, .02)  
)
```



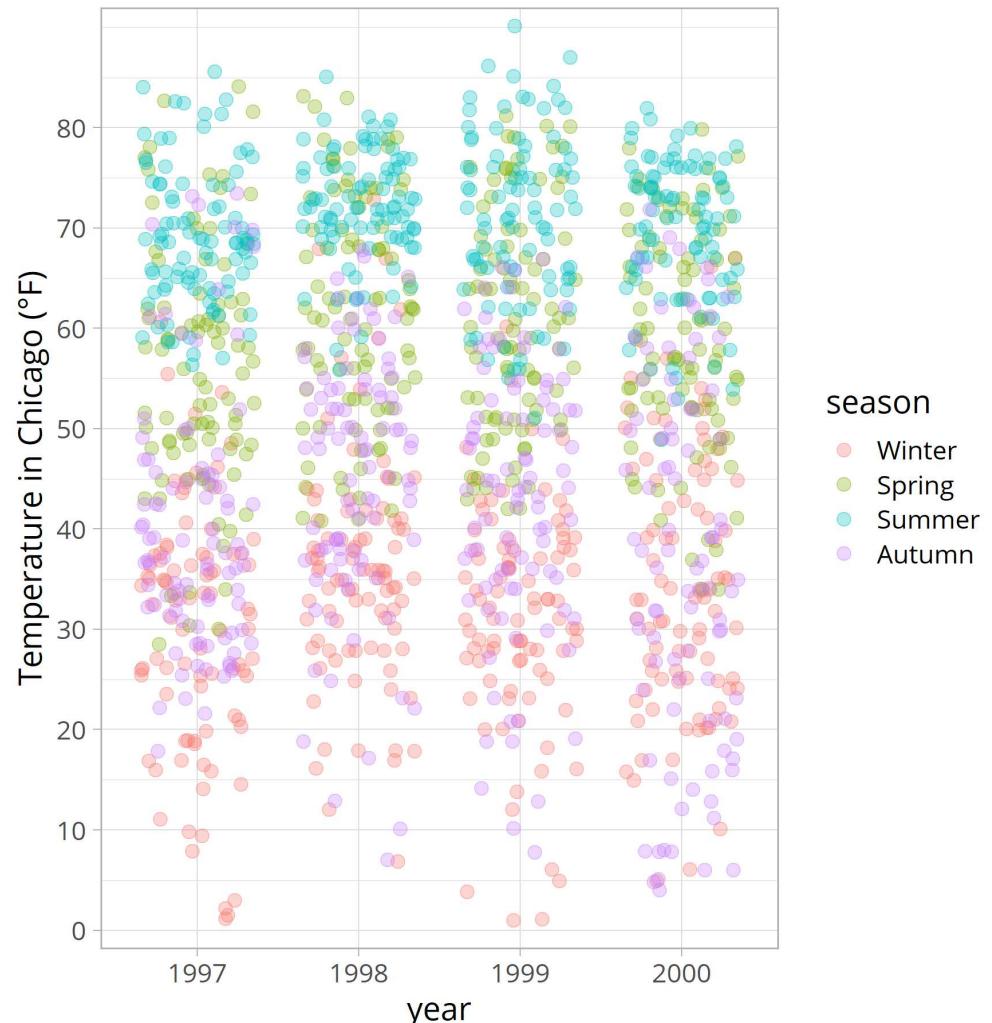
# scale\_x|y\_continuous()

```
g +
  scale_y_continuous(
    name = "Temperature in Chicago (°F)",
    limits = c(0, NA),
    expand = c(.02, .02)
  )
```



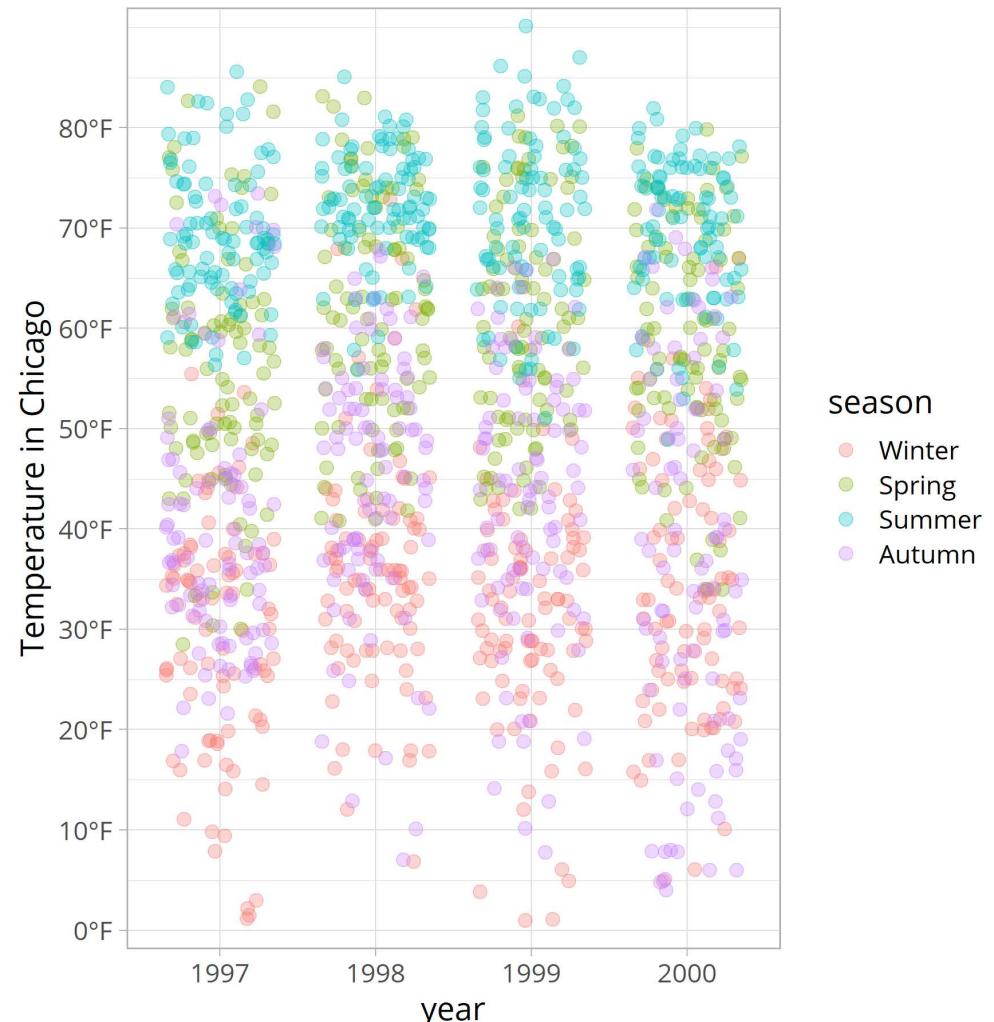
# scale\_x|y\_continuous()

```
g +
  scale_y_continuous(
    name = "Temperature in Chicago (°F)",
    limits = c(0, NA),
    expand = c(.02, .02),
    breaks = seq(0, 80, by = 10)
  )
```



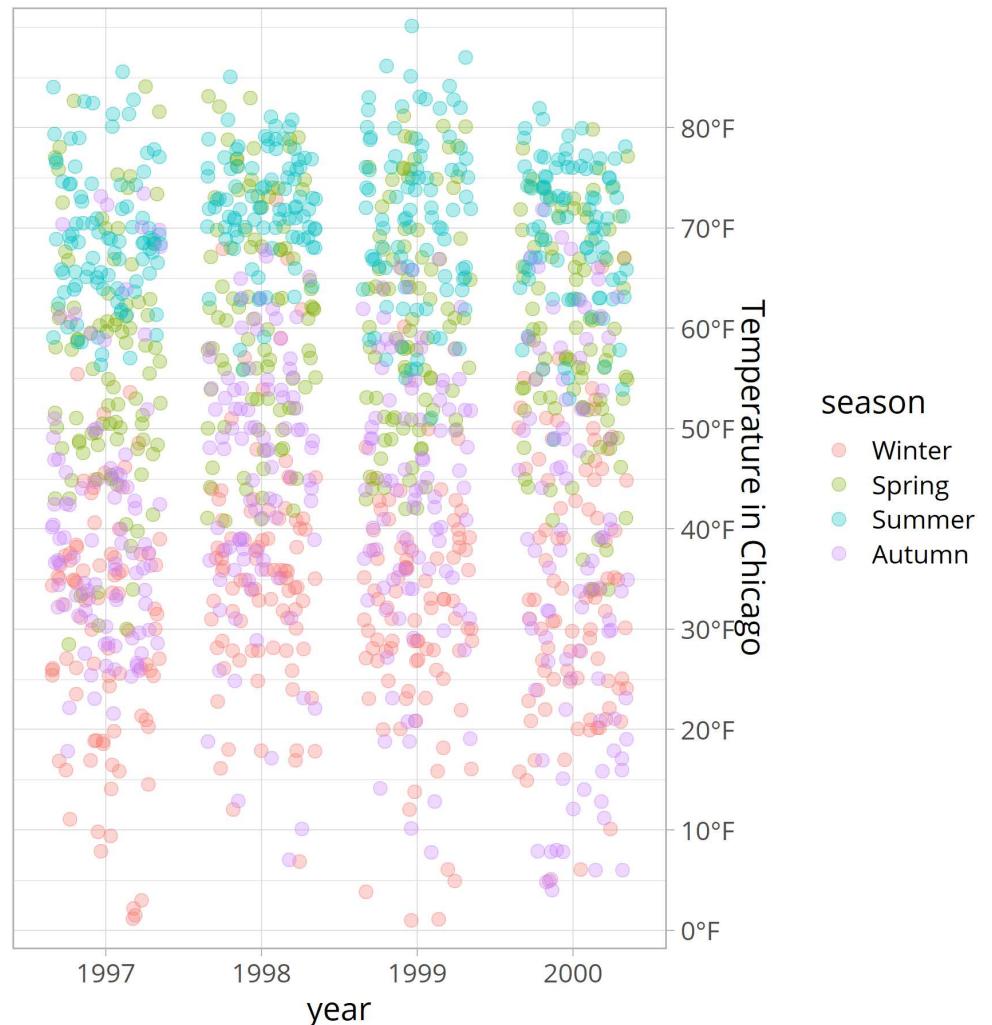
# scale\_x|y\_continuous()

```
g +
  scale_y_continuous(
    name = "Temperature in Chicago",
    limits = c(0, NA),
    expand = c(.02, .02),
    breaks = seq(0, 80, by = 10),
    labels = glue::glue(
      "{seq(0, 80, by = 10)}°F"
    )
  )
```



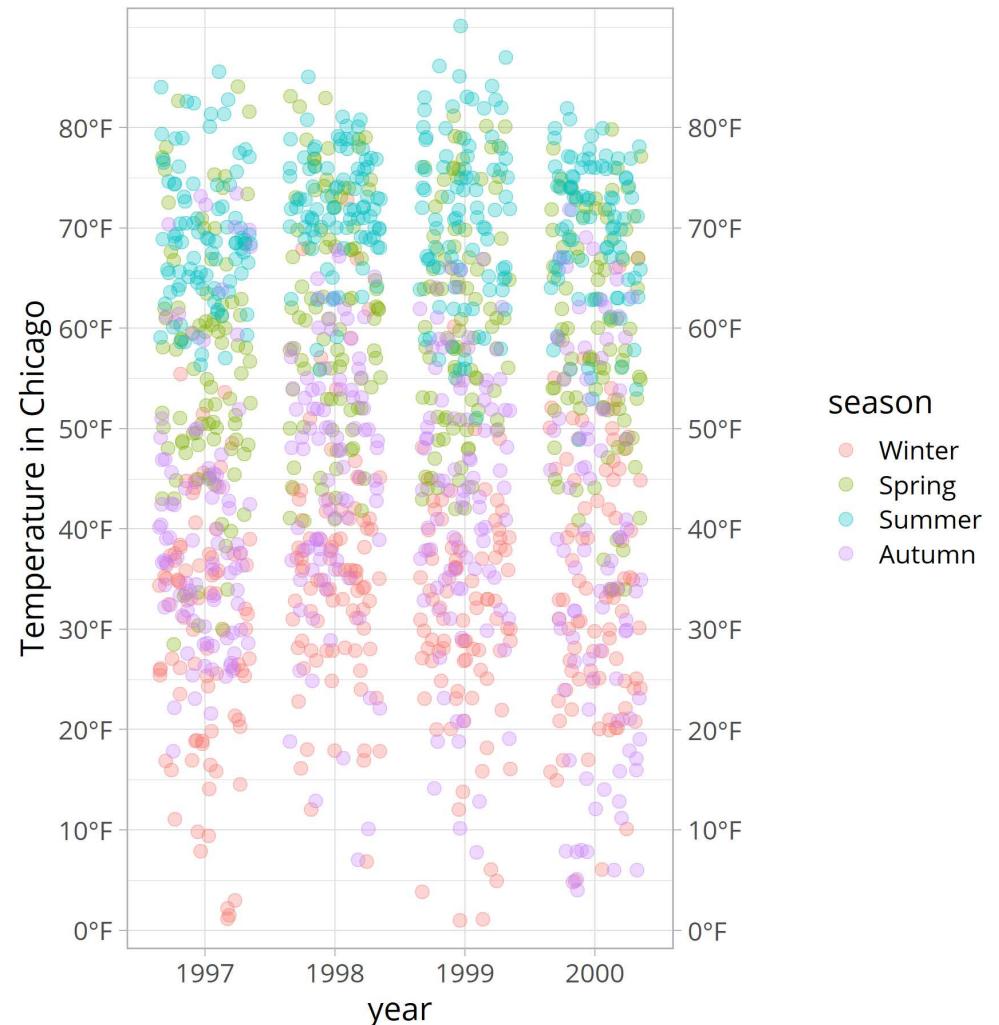
# scale\_x|y\_continuous()

```
g +
  scale_y_continuous(
    name = "Temperature in Chicago",
    limits = c(0, NA),
    expand = c(.02, .02),
    breaks = seq(0, 80, by = 10),
    labels = glue::glue(
      "{seq(0, 80, by = 10)}°F"
    ),
    position = "right"
  )
```



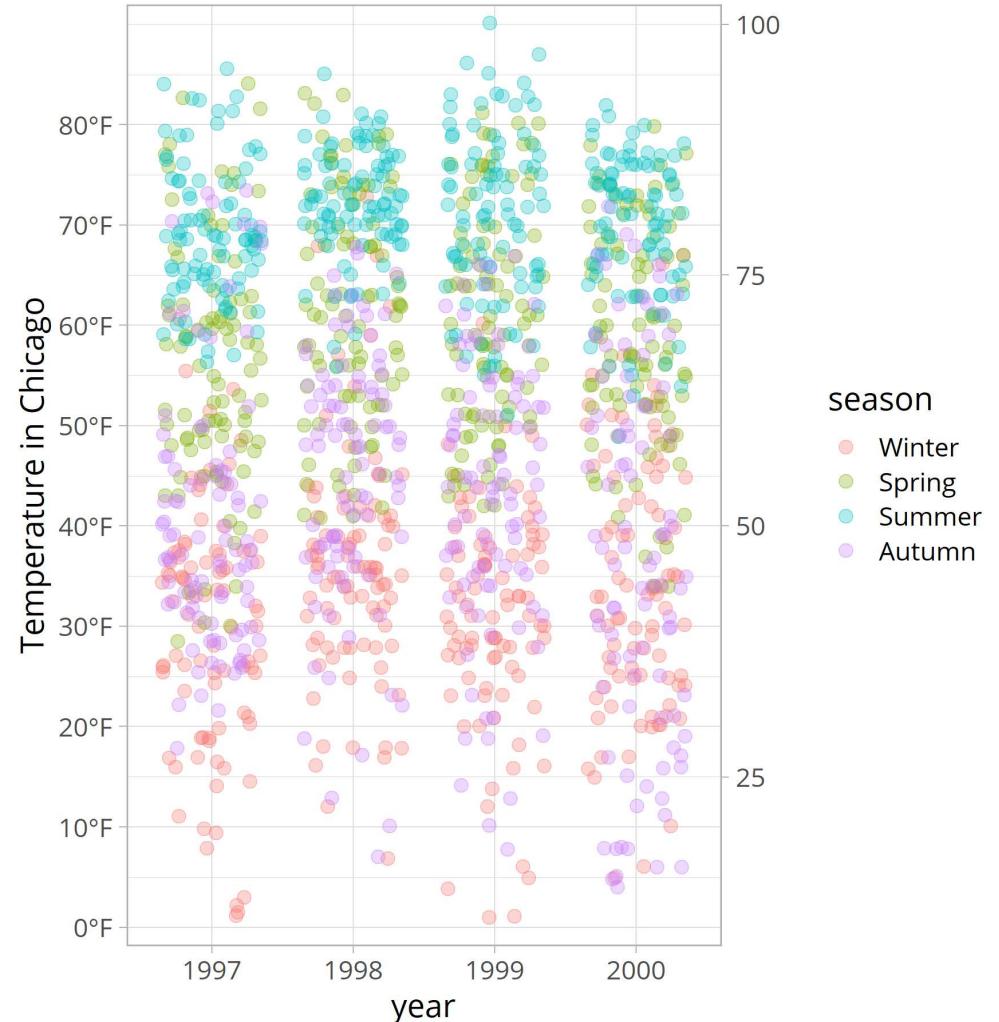
# scale\_x|y\_continuous()

```
g +
  scale_y_continuous(
    name = "Temperature in Chicago",
    limits = c(0, NA),
    expand = c(.02, .02),
    breaks = seq(0, 80, by = 10),
    labels = glue::glue(
      "{seq(0, 80, by = 10)}°F"
    ),
    sec.axis = dup_axis(name = "")
  )
```



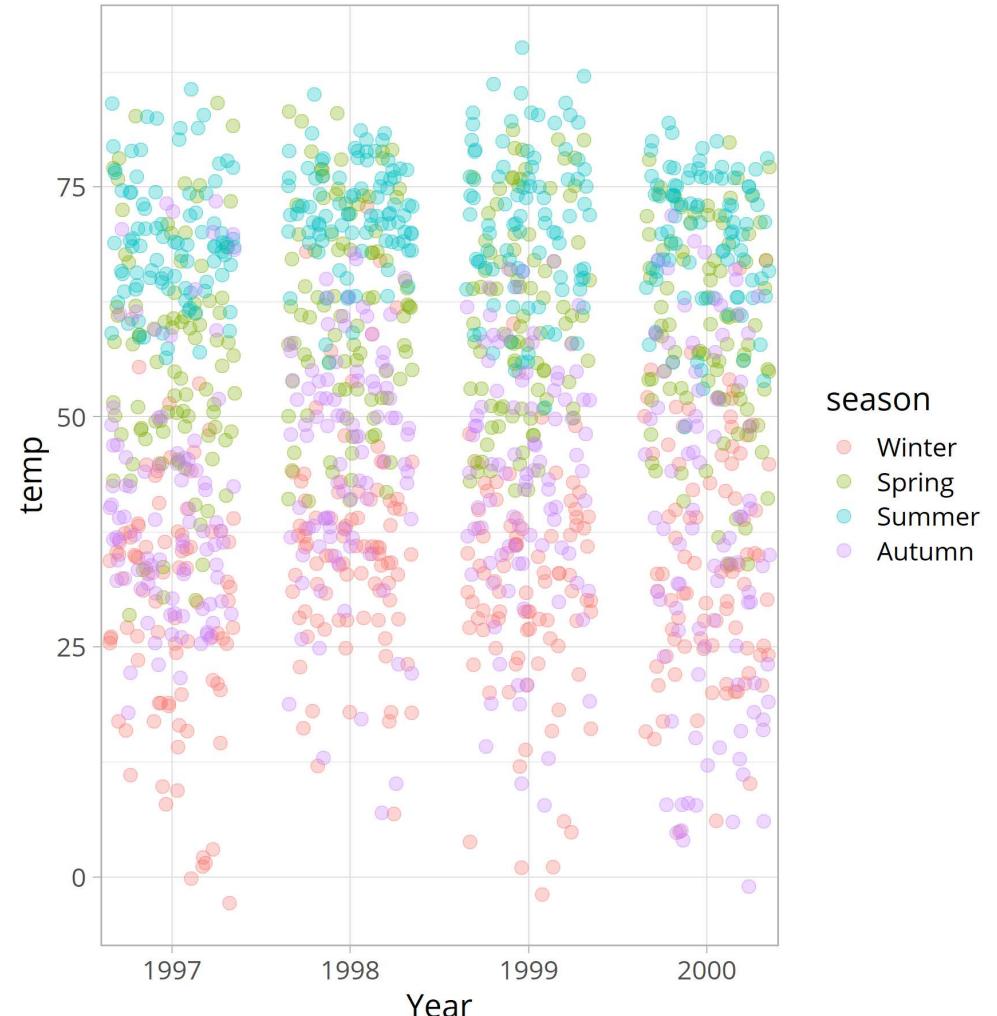
# scale\_x|y\_continuous()

```
g +
  scale_y_continuous(
    name = "Temperature in Chicago",
    limits = c(0, NA),
    expand = c(.02, .02),
    breaks = seq(0, 80, by = 10),
    labels = glue::glue(
      "{seq(0, 80, by = 10)}°F"
    ),
    sec.axis = sec_axis(~ . + 10)
  )
```



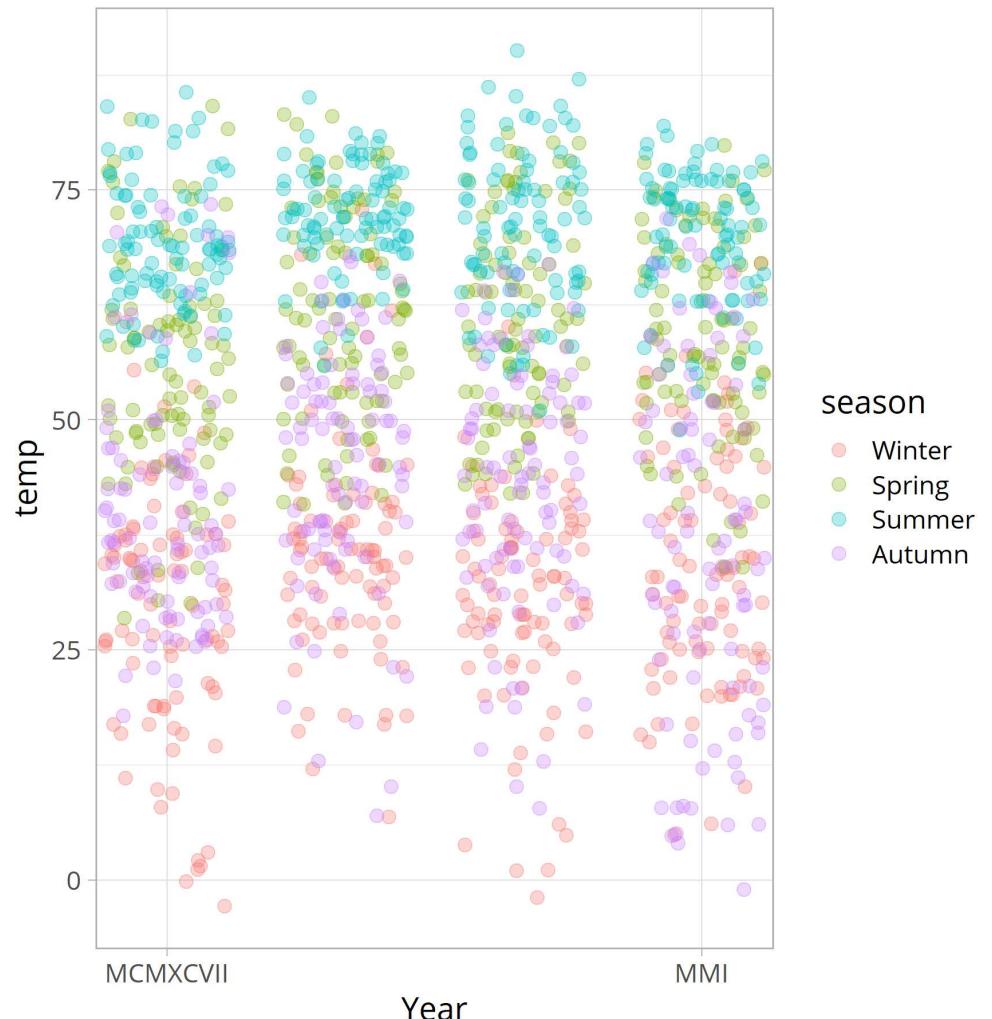
# scale\_x|y\_discrete()

```
g +
  scale_x_discrete(
    name = "Year",
    expand = c(.1, .1)
  )
```



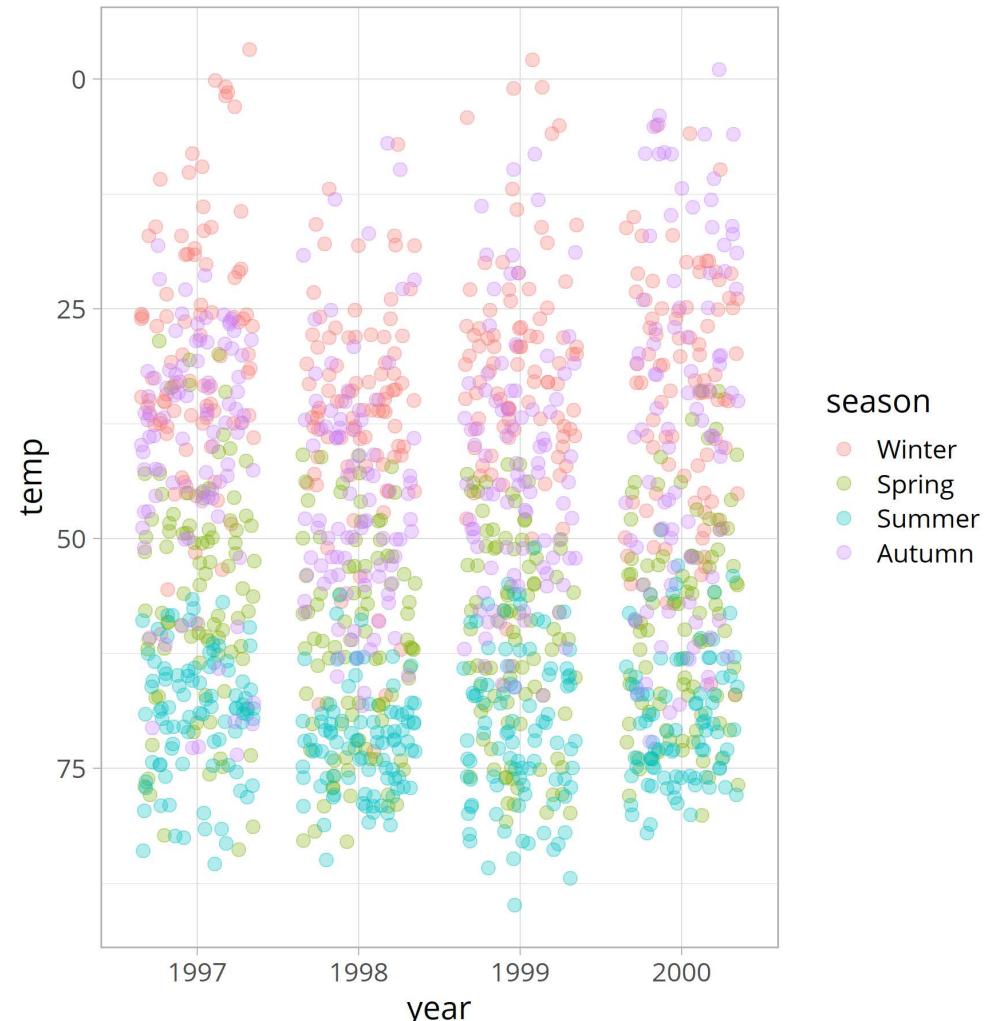
# scale\_x|y\_discrete()

```
g +
  scale_x_discrete(
    name = "Year",
    expand = c(.1, .1),
    breaks = c(1997, 2000),
    labels = c("MCMXCVII", "MMI")
  )
```



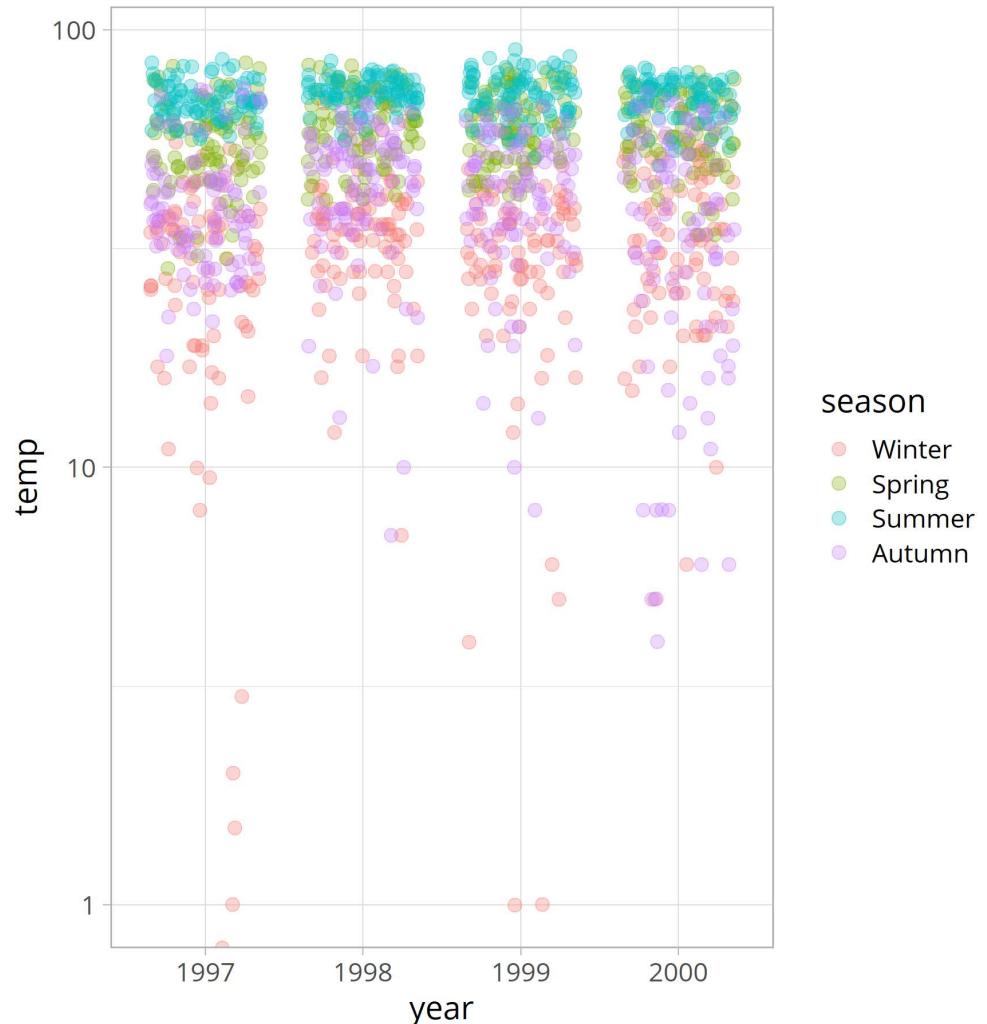
# scale\_x|y\_reverse()

```
g +  
  #scale_x_reverse() +  
  ## doesn't work with factors  
  scale_y_reverse()
```



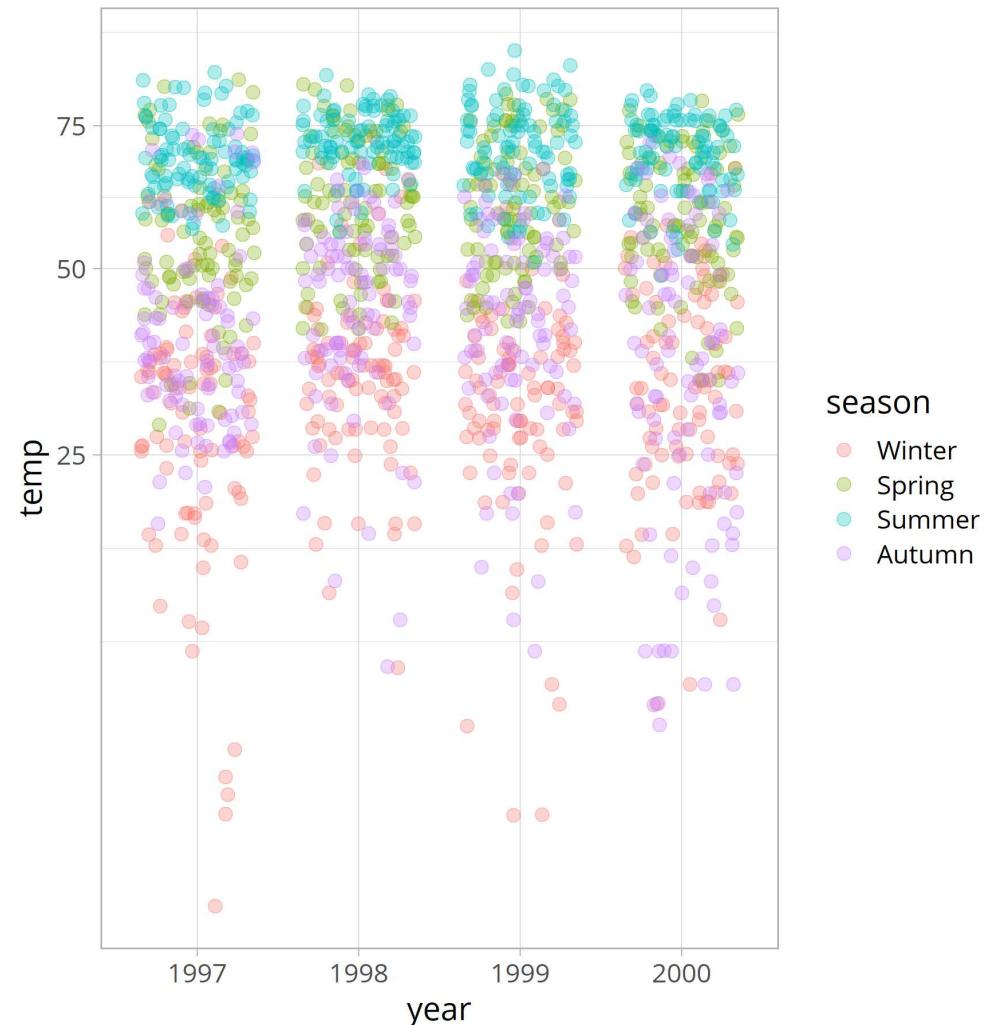
# scale\_x|y\_log10()

```
g +  
  #scale_x_log10() +  
  ## doesn't work with factors  
  scale_y_log10()
```



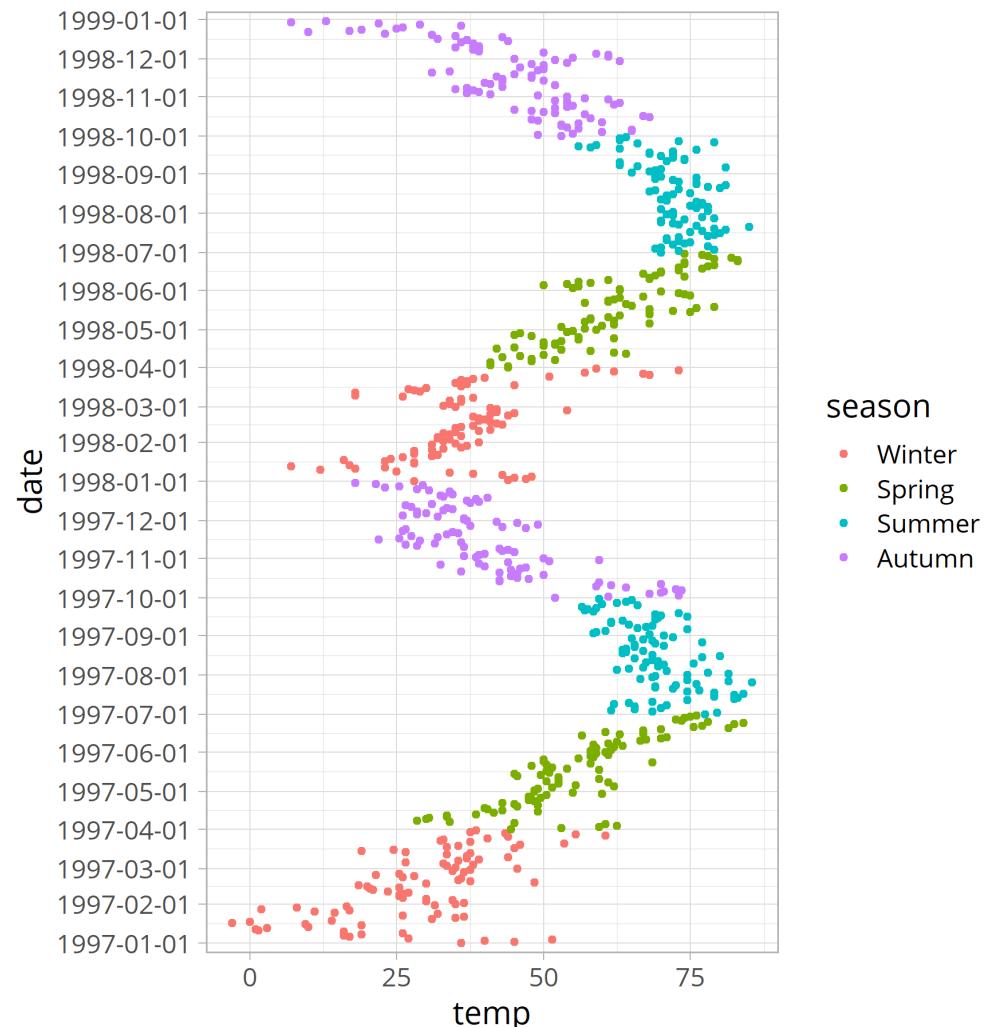
# scale\_x|y\_sqrt()

```
g +
  #scale_x_sqrt() +
  ## doesn't work with factors
  scale_y_sqrt()
```



# scale\_x|y\_date()

```
chic %>%
  filter(year %in% 1997:1998) %>%
  ggplot(aes(temp, date)) +
  geom_point(aes(color = season)) +
  scale_y_date(
    date_breaks = "1 month",
    date_labels = "%Y-%m-%d",
    expand = c(.01, .01)
  )
```



# Scales

`scale_color|fill_*`

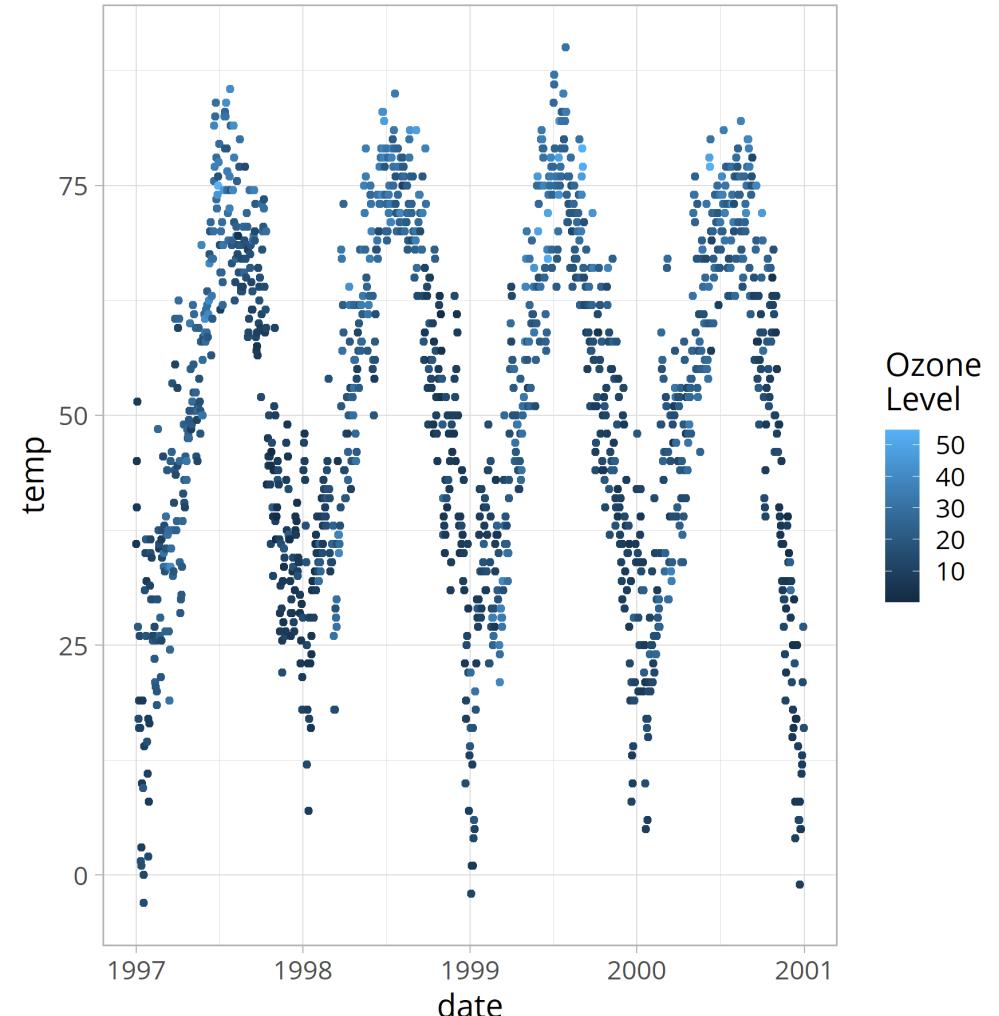
# scale\_color|fill\_continuous()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_continuous(  
    guide = FALSE  
)
```



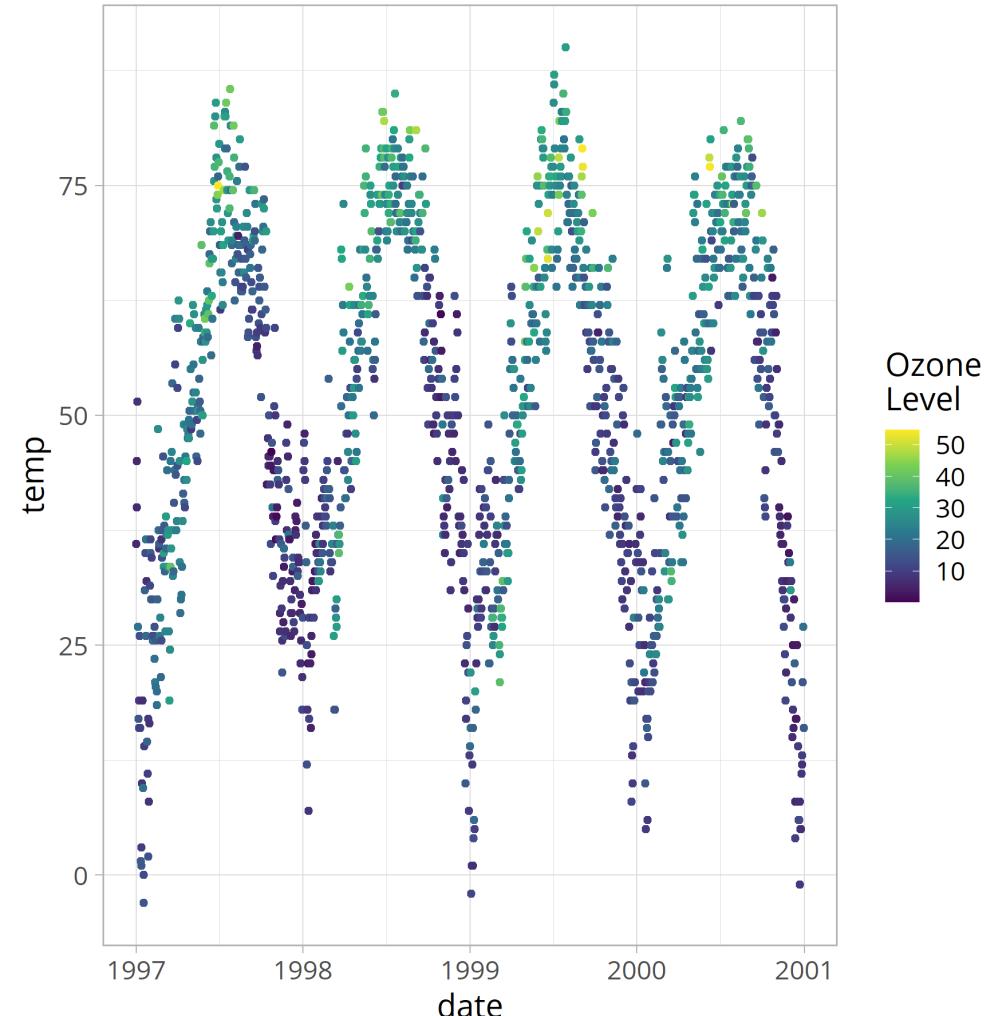
# scale\_color|fill\_continuous()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_continuous(  
    name = "Ozone\nLevel"  
)
```



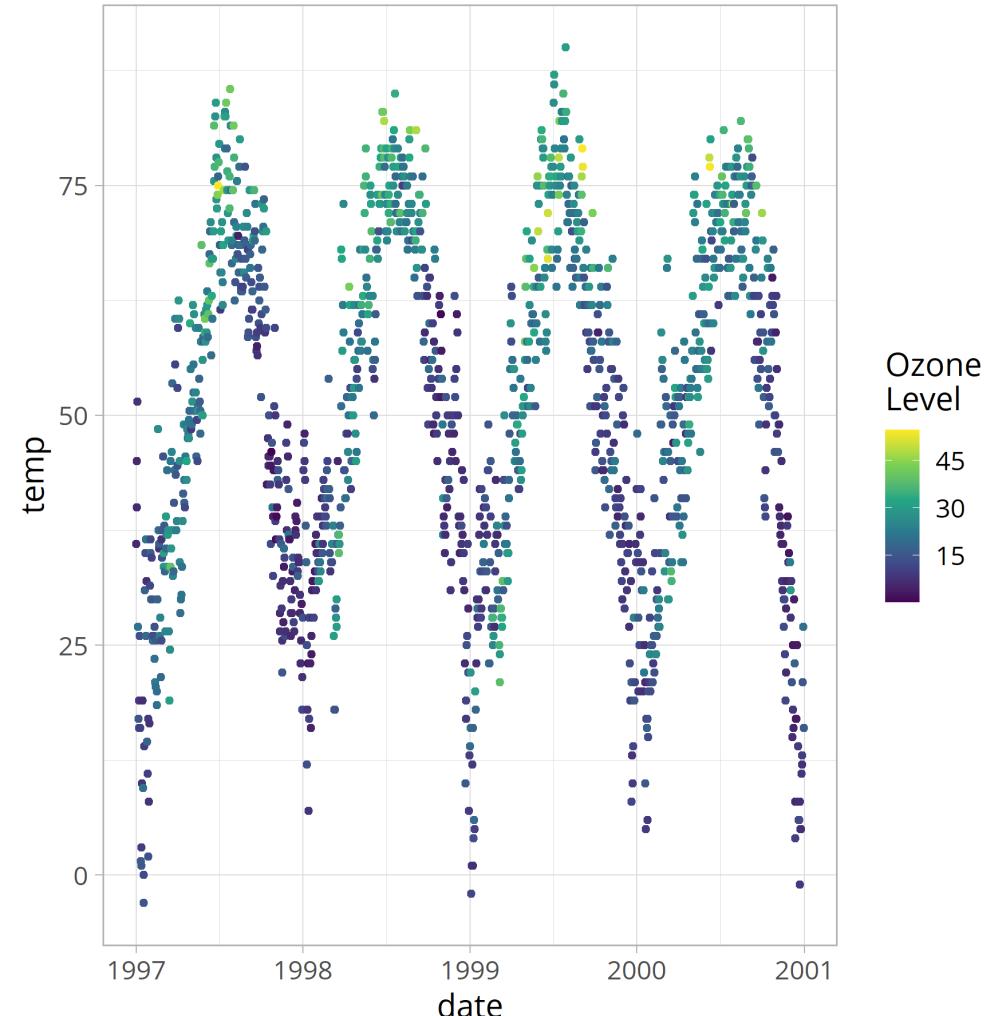
# scale\_color|fill\_continuous()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_continuous(  
    name = "Ozone\\nLevel",  
    type = "viridis"  
)
```



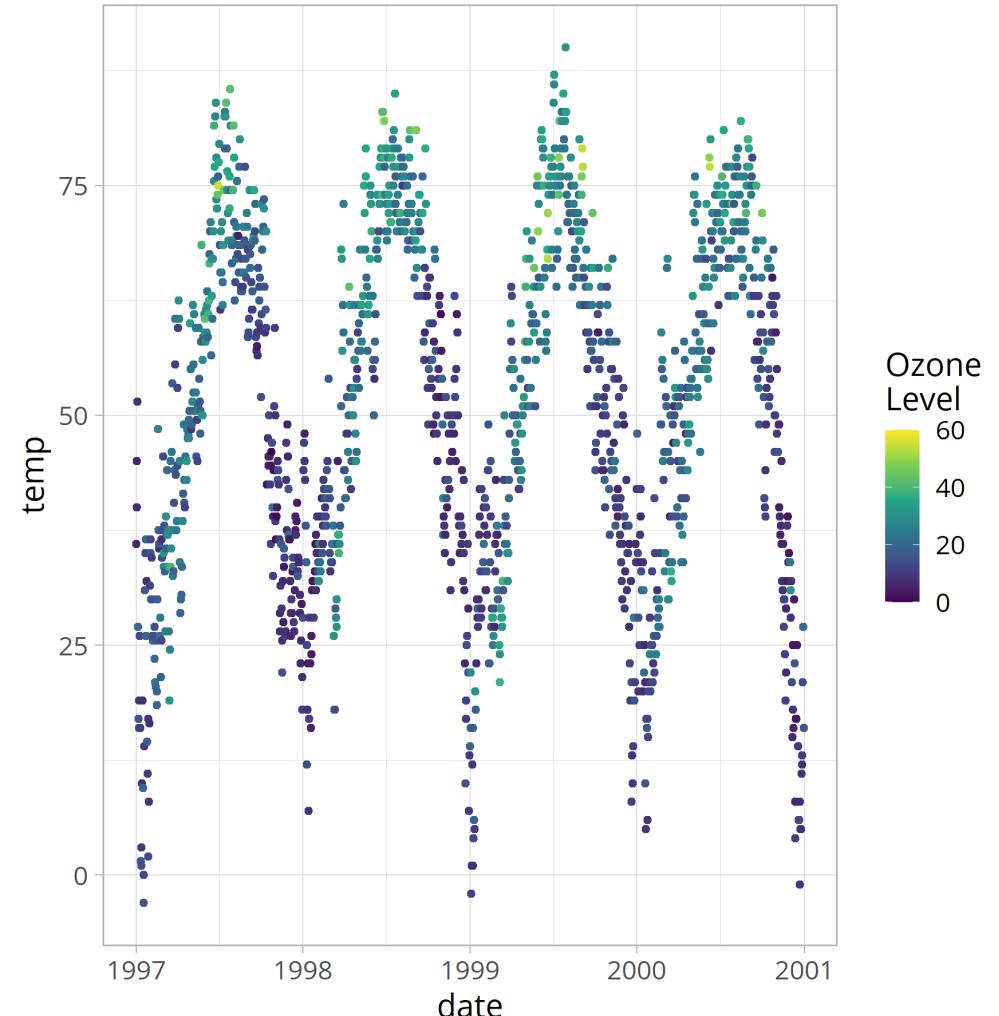
# scale\_color|fill\_continuous()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_continuous(  
    name = "Ozone\\nLevel",  
    type = "viridis",  
    breaks = seq(0, 60, length.out = 5)  
)
```



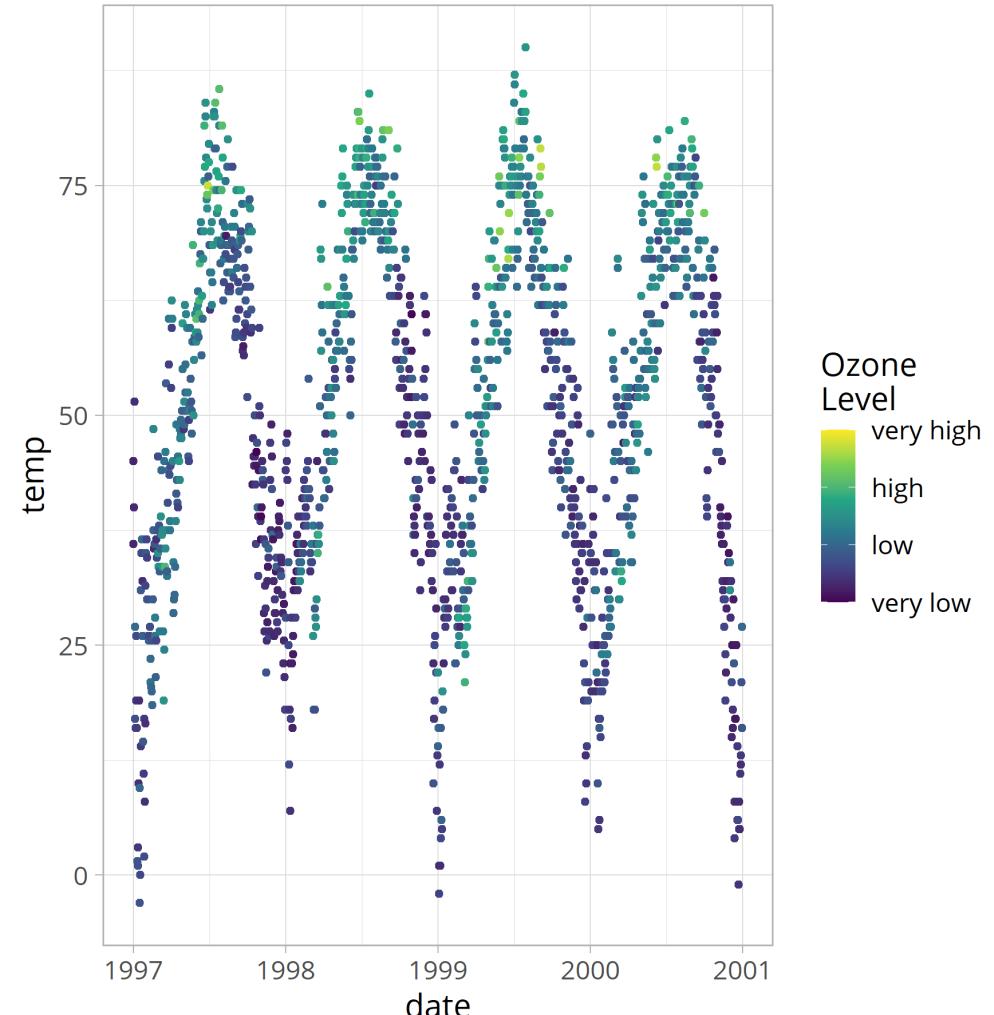
# scale\_color|fill\_continuous()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_continuous(  
    name = "Ozone\\nLevel",  
    type = "viridis",  
    breaks = seq(0, 60, length.out = 4),  
    limits = c(0, 60)  
)
```



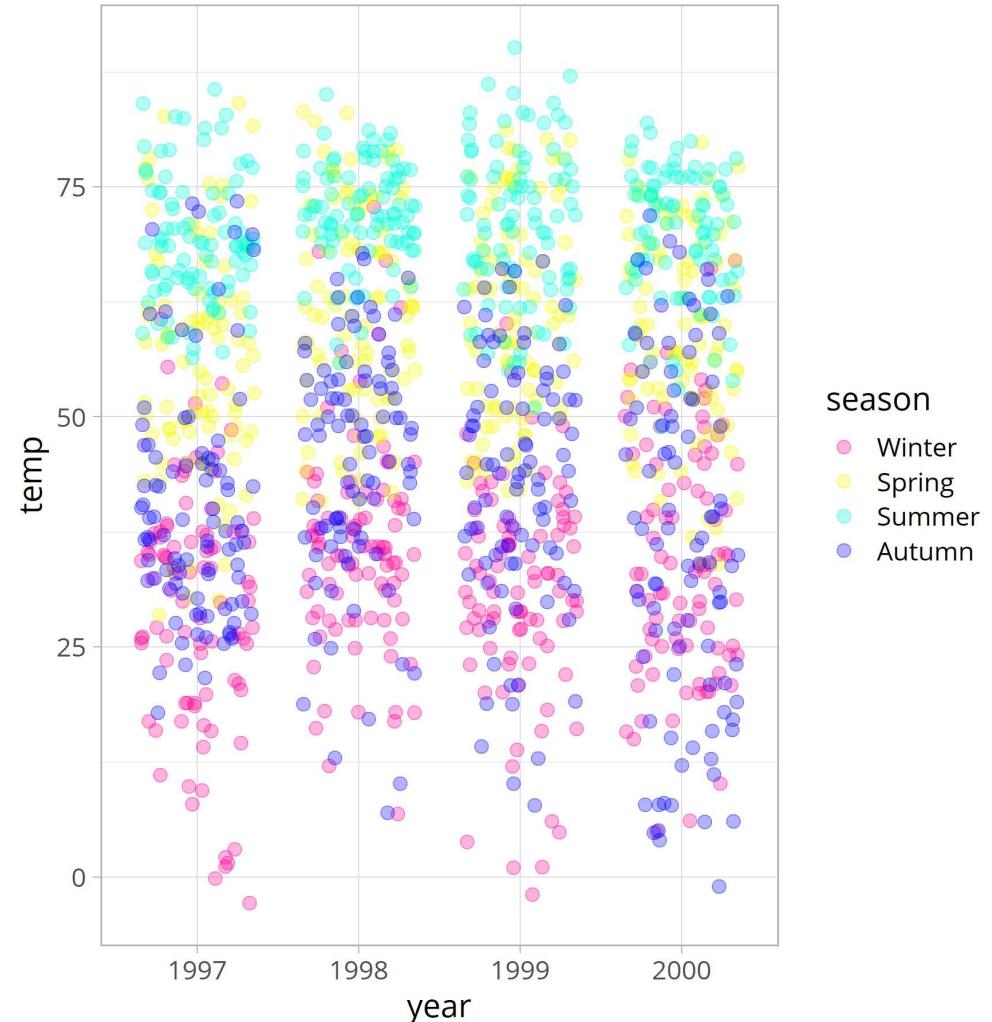
# scale\_color|fill\_continuous()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_continuous(  
    name = "Ozone\\nLevel",  
    type = "viridis",  
    breaks = seq(0, 60, length.out = 4),  
    limits = c(0, 60),  
    labels = c("very low", "low",  
              "high", "very high"))
```



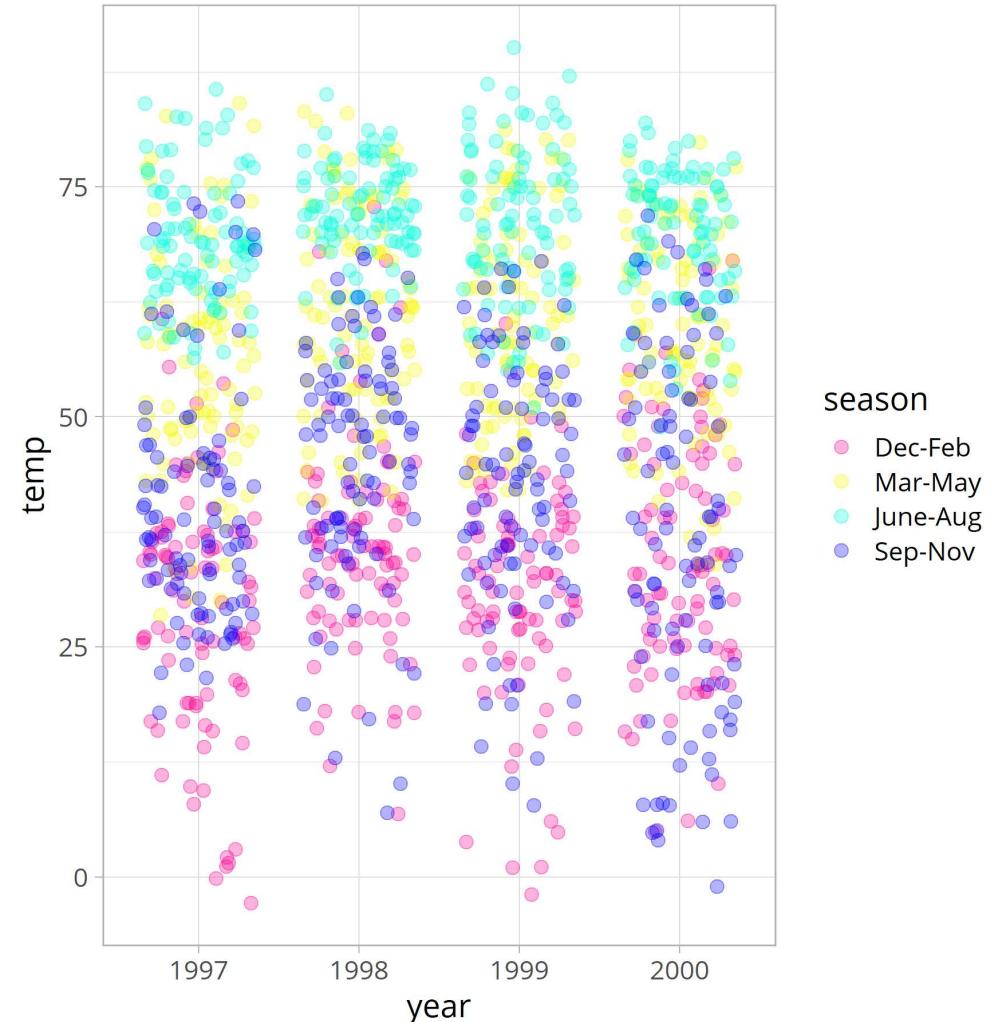
# scale\_color|fill\_discrete()

```
g +  
  scale_color_discrete(  
    h = c(0, 260), ## hue: [0,360]  
    c = 500, ## chroma: [0,x]  
    l = 90 ## luminance: [0,100]  
)
```



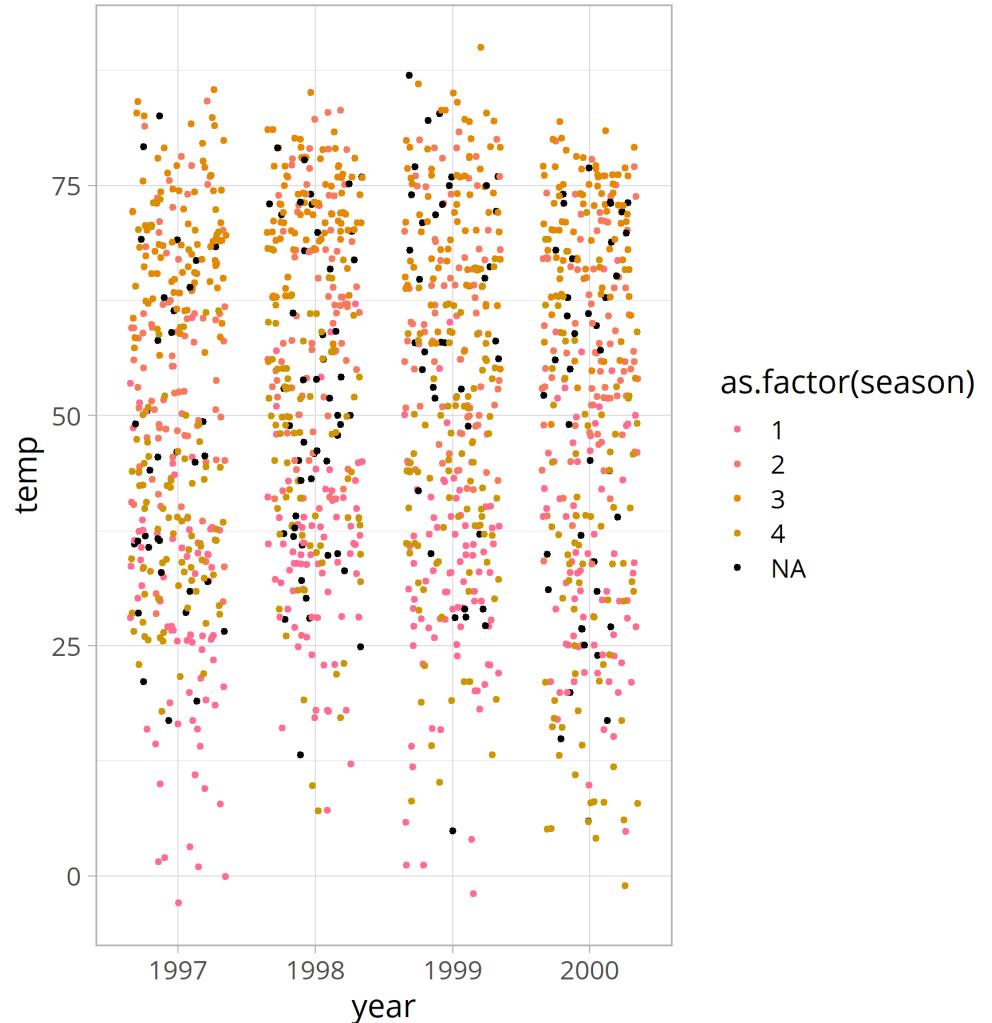
# scale\_color|fill\_discrete()

```
g +
  scale_color_discrete(
    h = c(0, 260), ## hue: [0,360]
    c = 500, ## chroma: [0,x]
    l = 90, ## luminance: [0,100]
    labels = c("Dec-Feb", "Mar-May",
              "June-Aug", "Sep-Nov")
  )
```



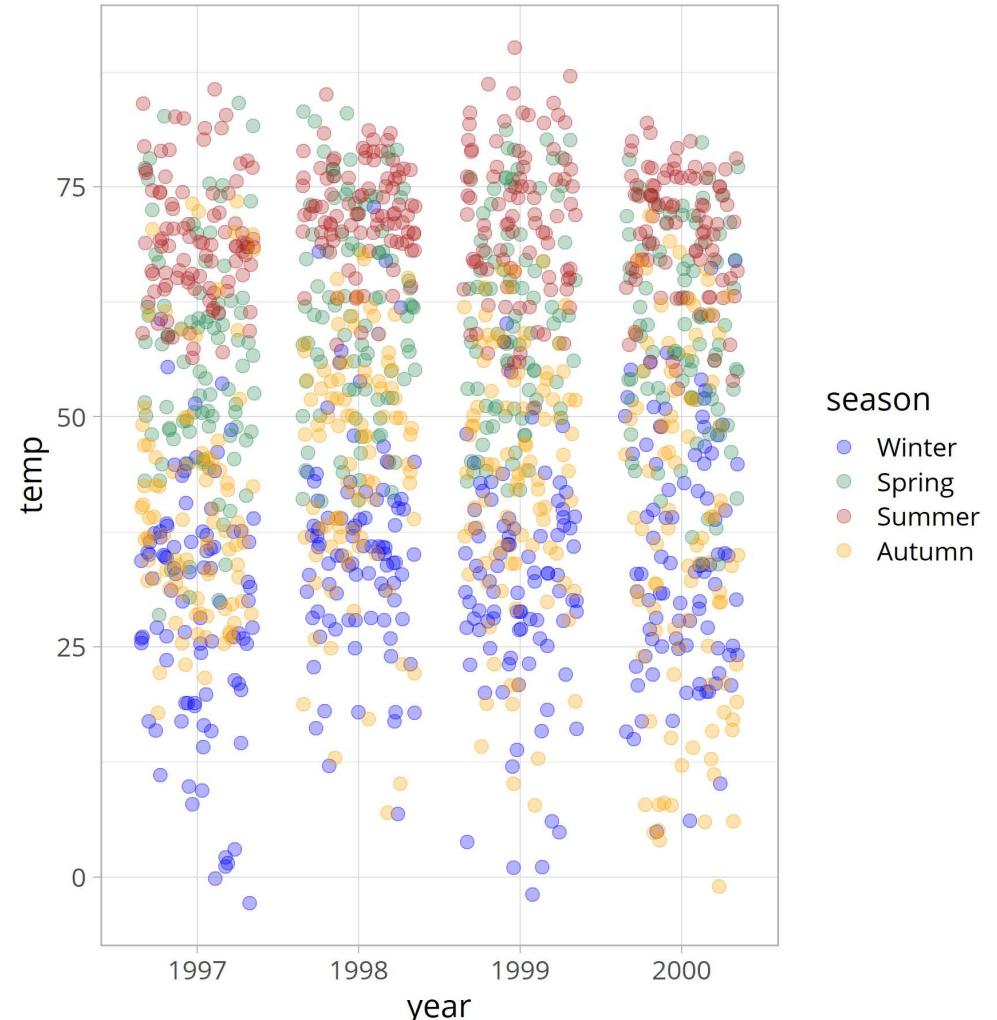
# scale\_color|fill\_discrete()

```
chic %>%
  group_by(date) %>%
  mutate(
    season = if_else(
      runif(1, min = 0, max = 1) > .9,
      NA_integer_,
      as.integer(season)
    )) %>%
  ggplot(
    aes(
      year, temp,
      color = as.factor(season)
    )) +
  geom_jitter(
    size = 1.3,
    width = .35
  ) +
  scale_color_discrete(
    h = c(0, 60), ## hue: [0,360]
    na.value = "black"
  )
```



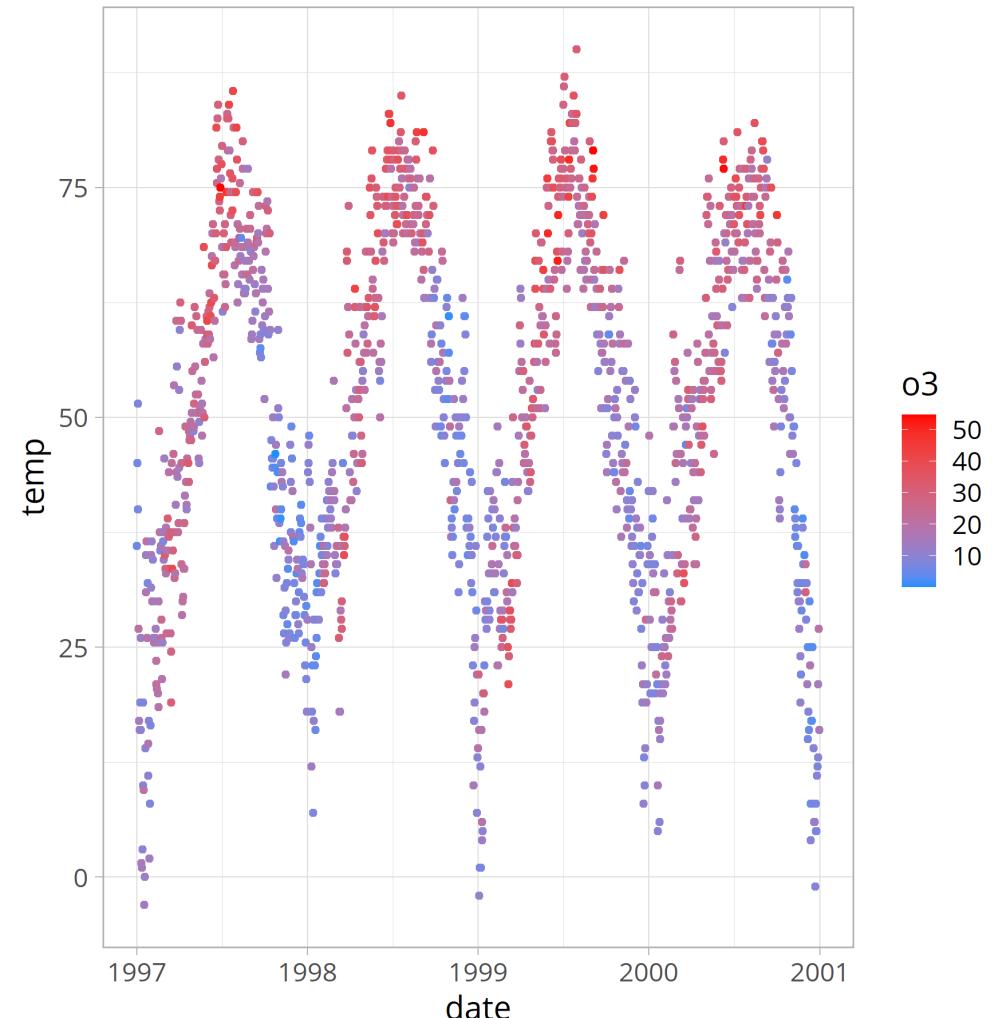
# scale\_color|fill\_manual()

```
g +  
  scale_color_manual(  
    values = c("blue", "seagreen",  
              "firebrick", "orange")  
)
```



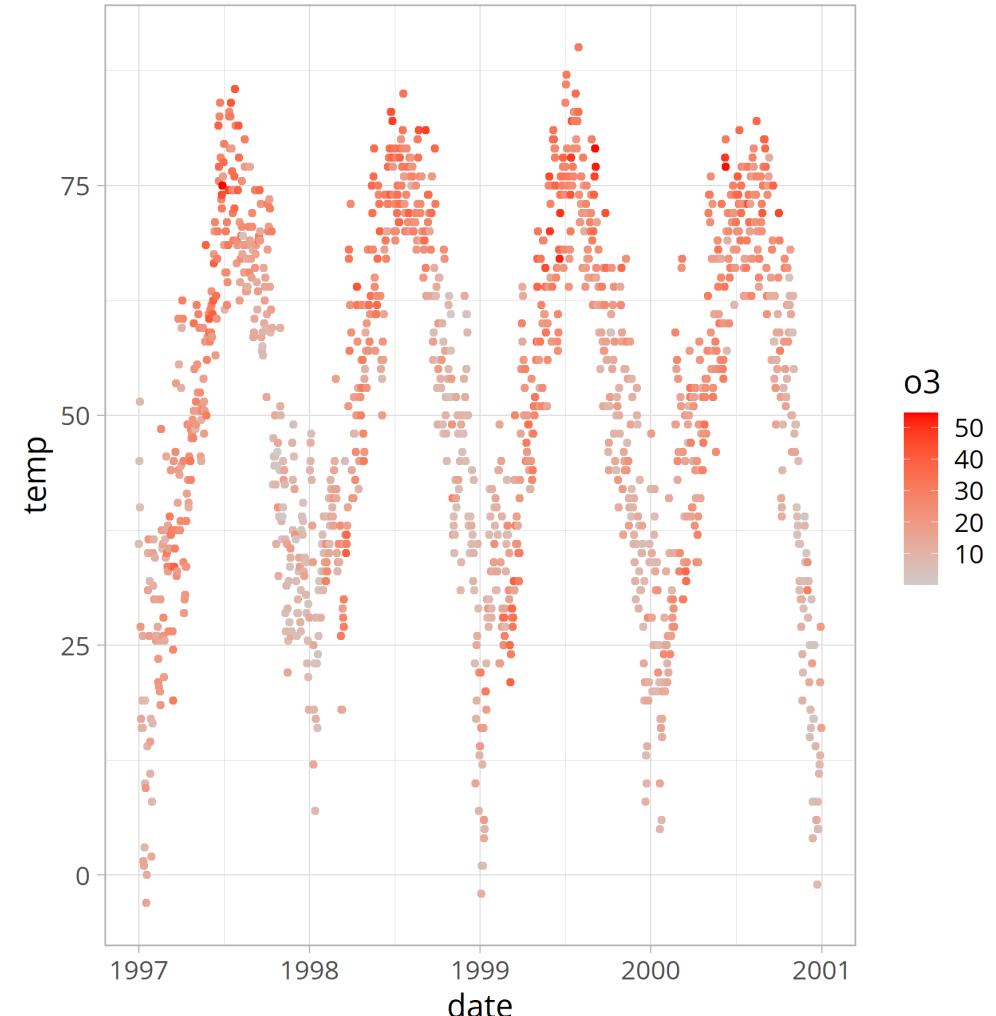
# scale\_color|fill\_gradient()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_gradient(  
    low = "dodgerblue",  
    high = "red"  
)
```



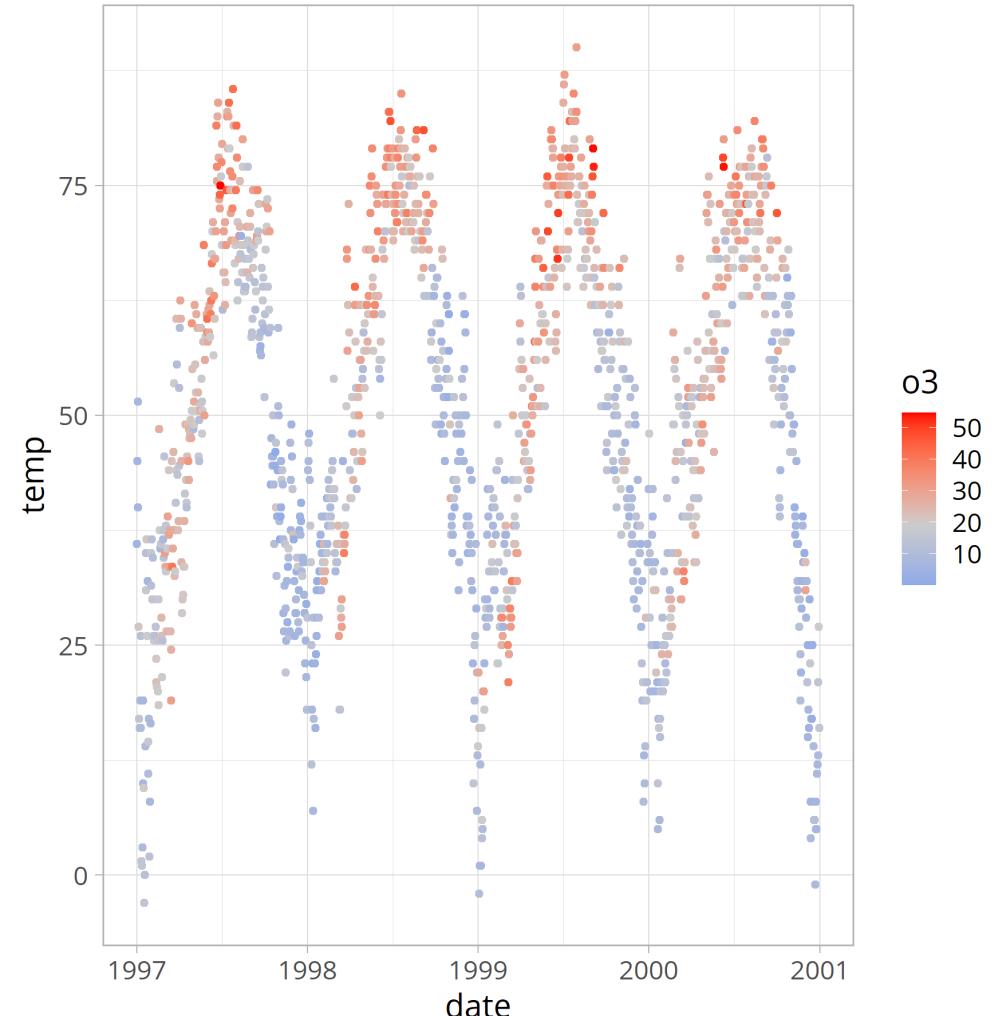
# scale\_color|fill\_gradient2()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_gradient2(  
    low = "dodgerblue",  
    mid = "grey80",  
    high = "red"  
)
```



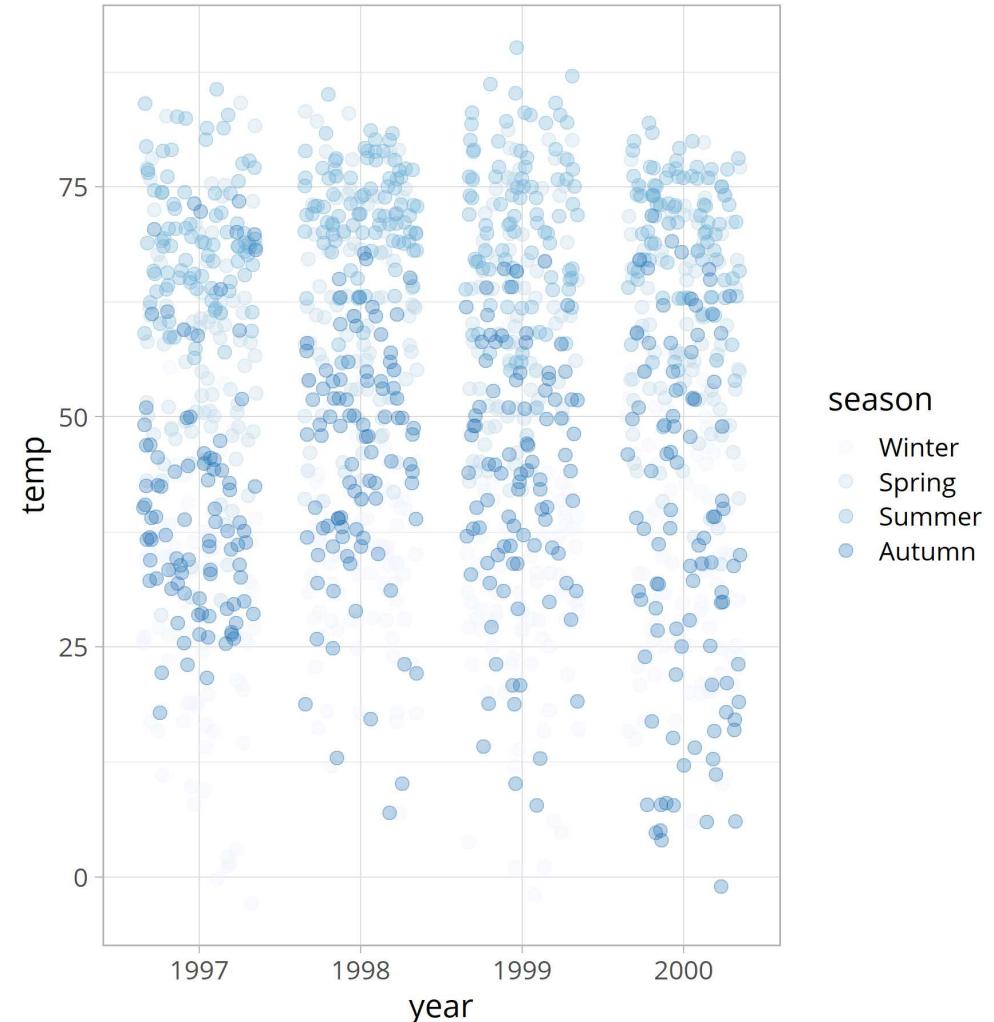
# scale\_color|fill\_gradient2()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_gradient2(  
    low = "dodgerblue",  
    mid = "grey80",  
    high = "red",  
    midpoint = mean(chic$o3)  
)
```



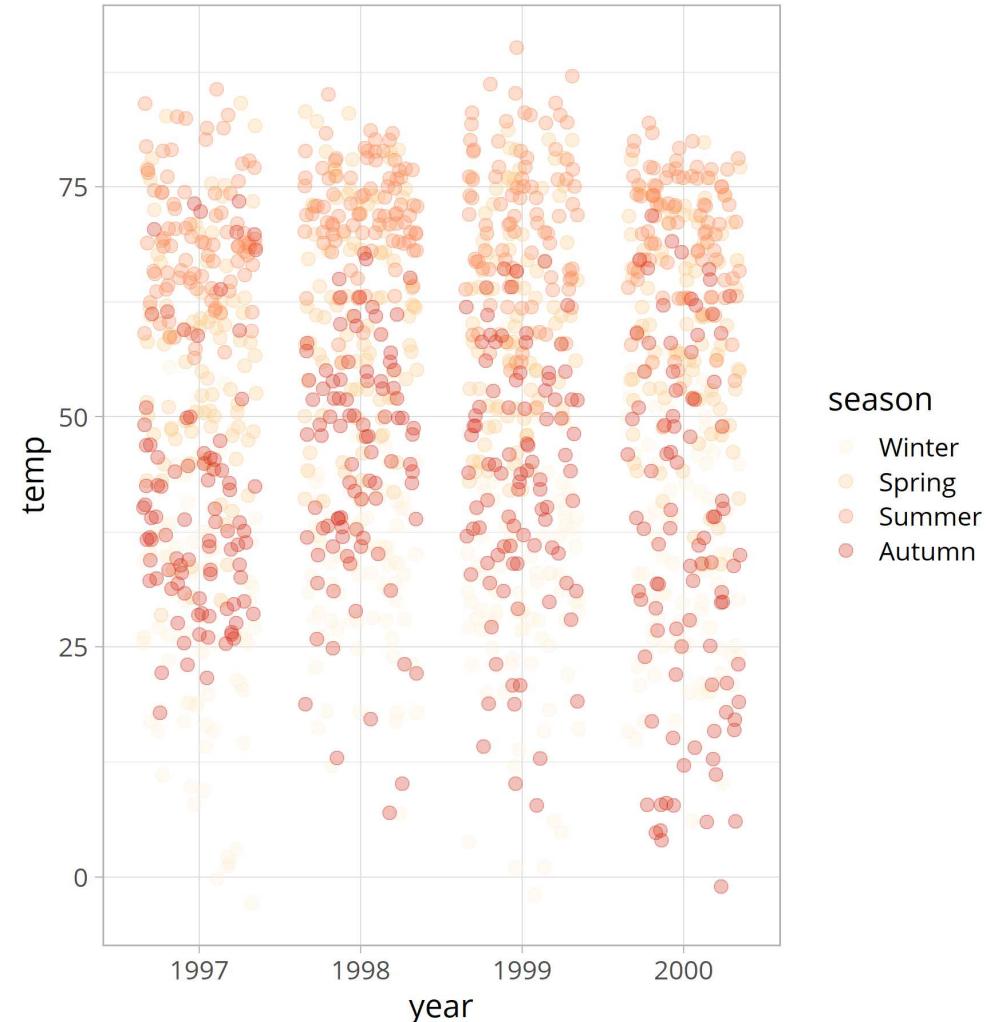
# scale\_color|fill\_brewer()

```
g +  
  scale_color_brewer()
```



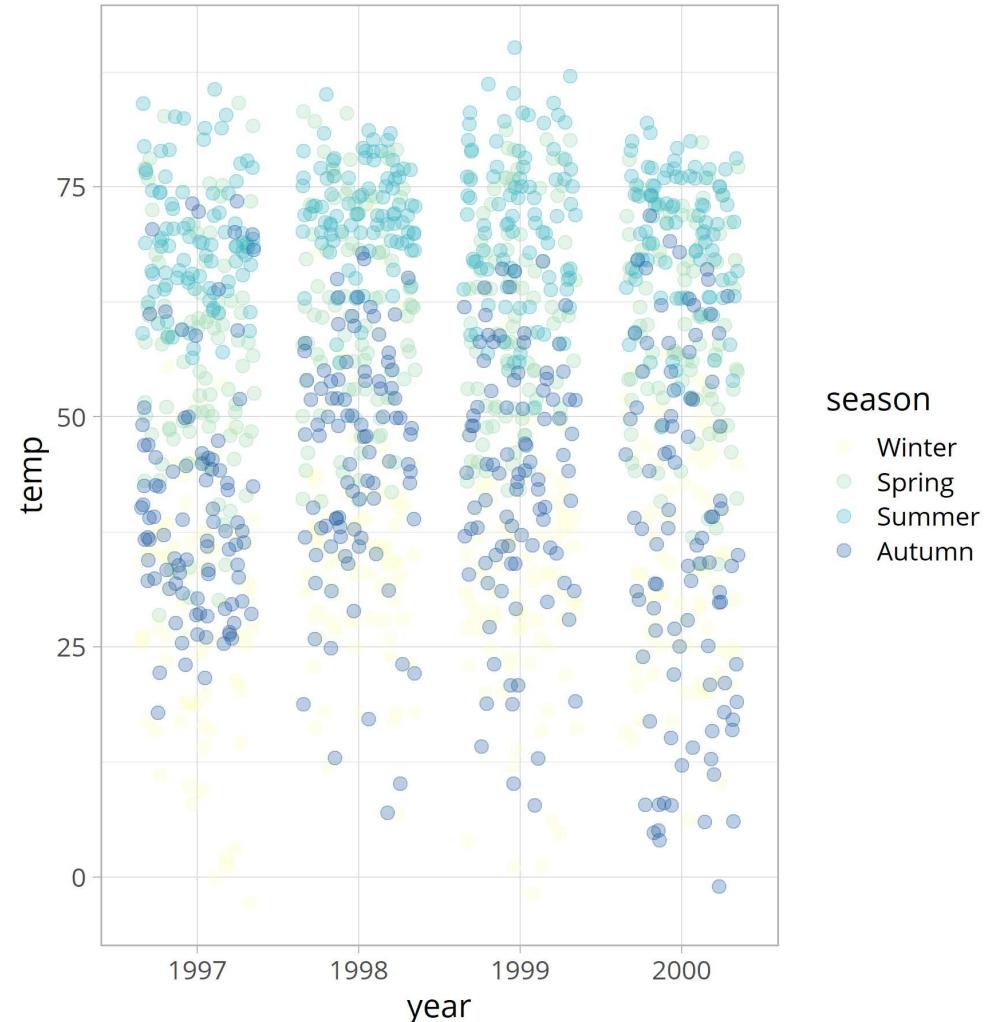
# scale\_color|fill\_brewer()

```
g +  
  scale_color_brewer(  
    palette = 8  
)
```



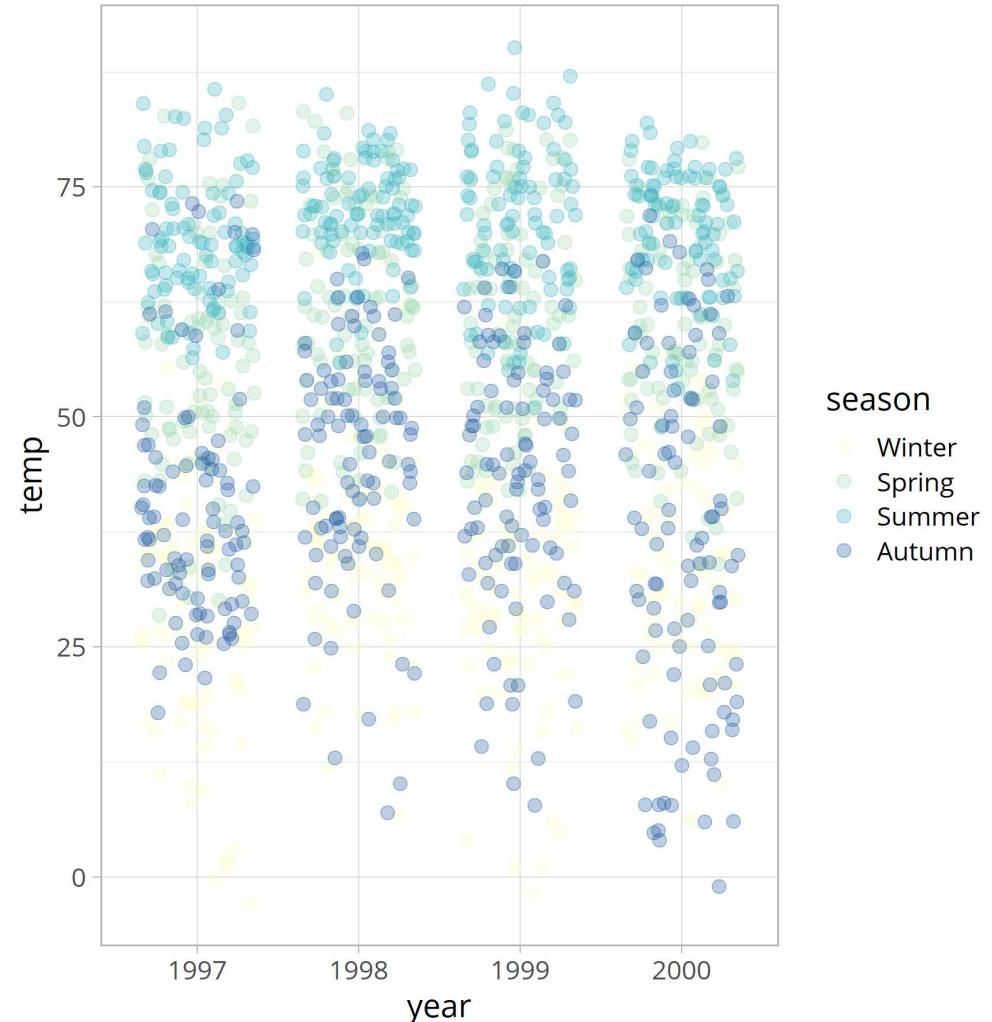
# scale\_color|fill\_brewer()

```
g +  
  scale_color_brewer(  
    palette = "YlGnBu"  
)
```



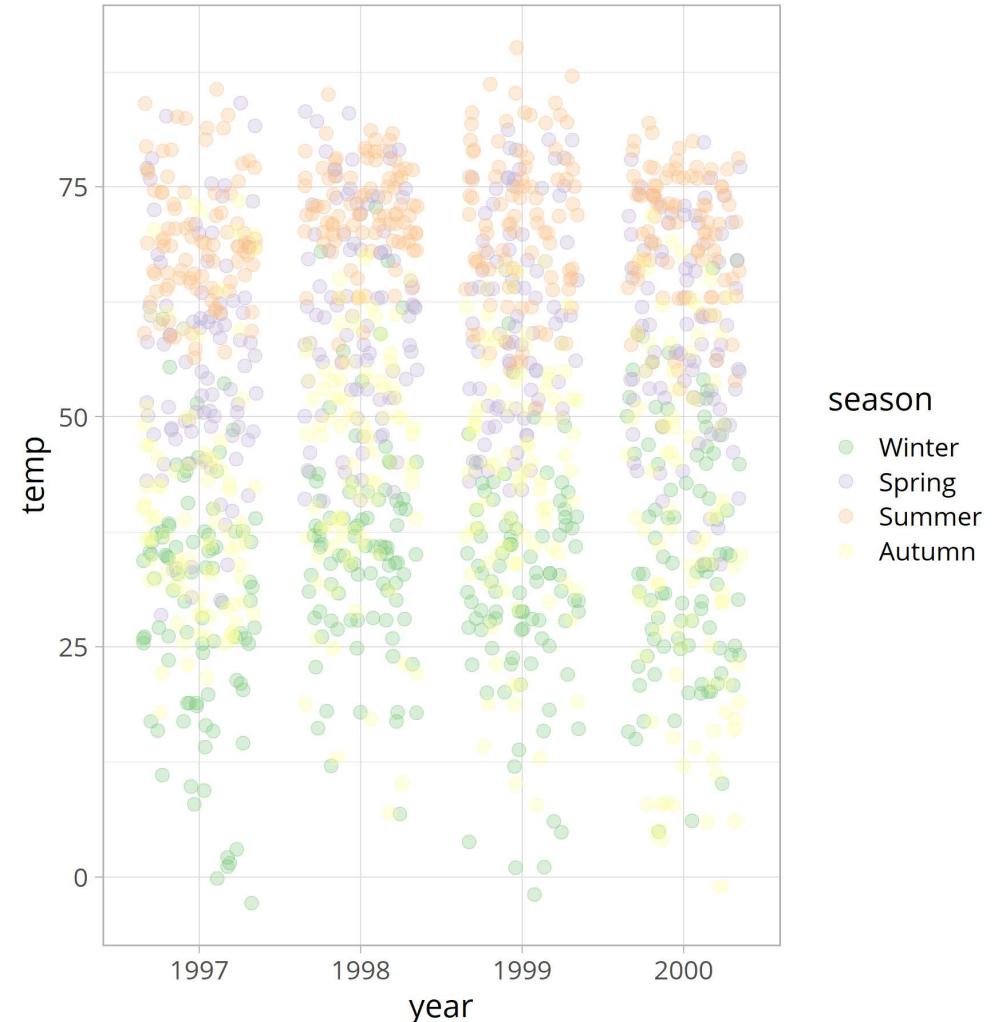
# scale\_color|fill\_brewer()

```
g +
  scale_color_brewer(
    type = "seq", ## the default
    palette = "YlGnBu"
  )
```



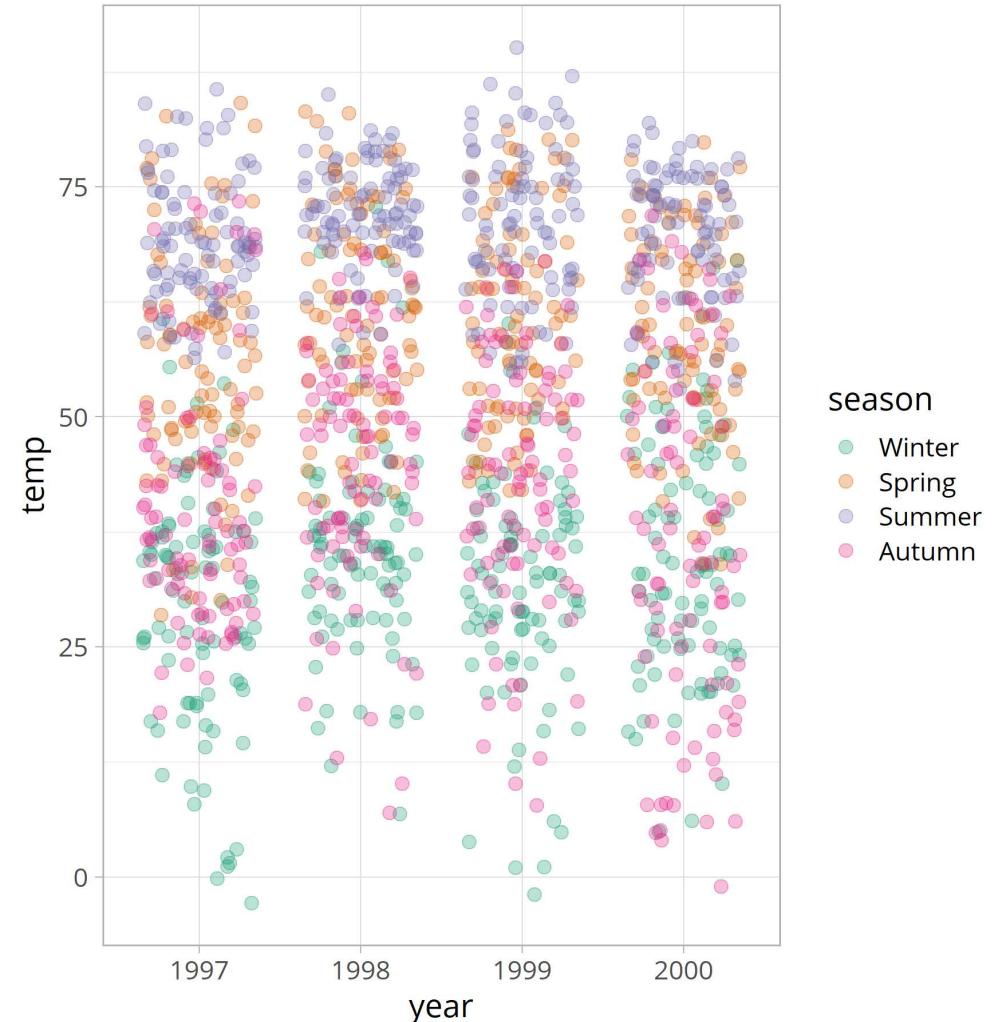
# scale\_color|fill\_brewer()

```
g +  
  scale_color_brewer(  
    type = "qual"  
)
```



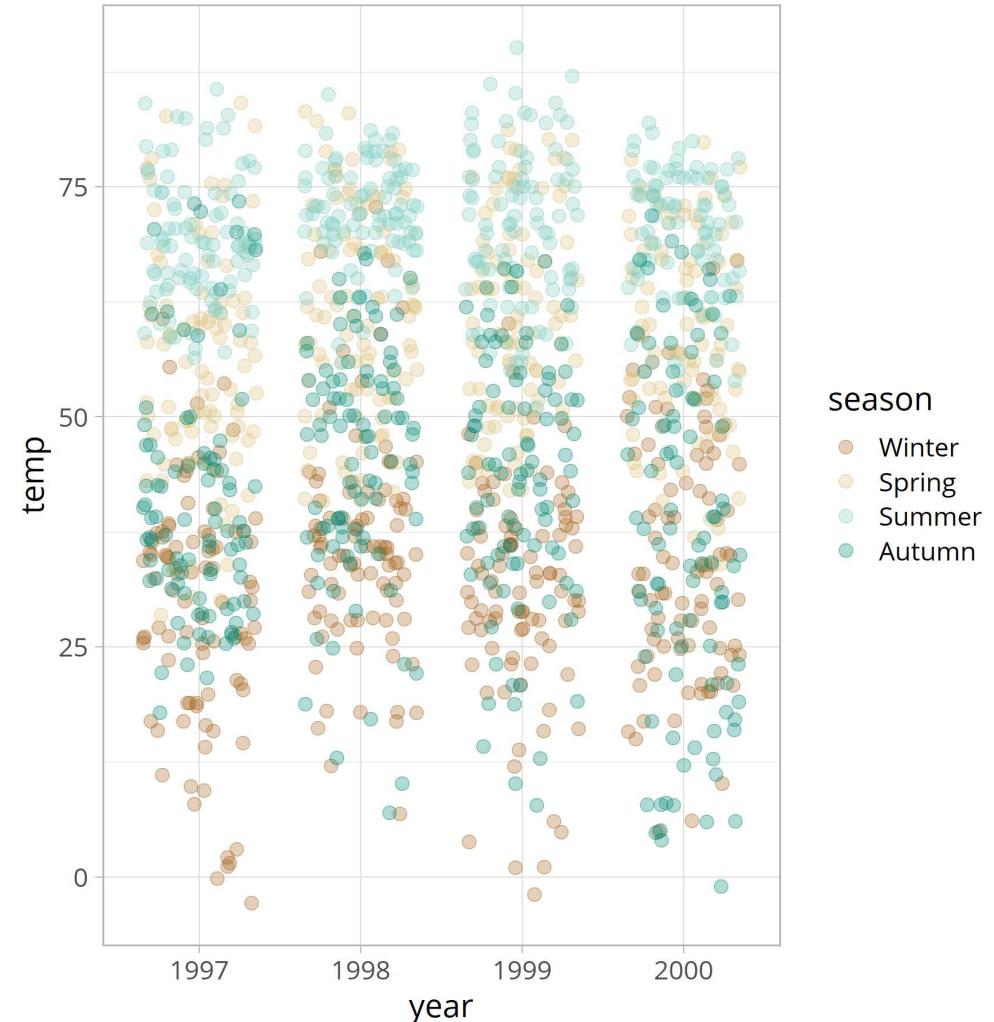
# scale\_color|fill\_brewer()

```
g +
  scale_color_brewer(
    type = "qual",
    palette = "Dark2"
  )
```



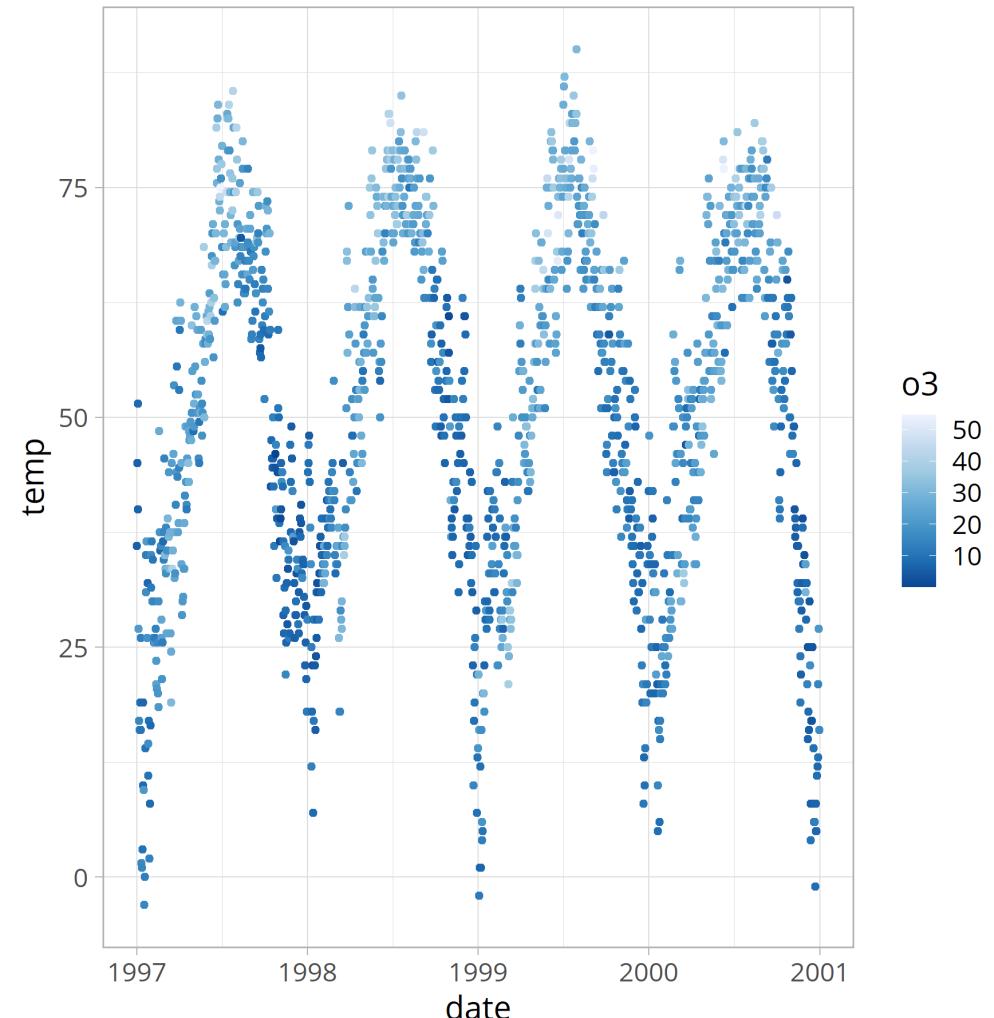
# scale\_color|fill\_brewer()

```
g +  
  scale_color_brewer(  
    type = "div"  
)
```



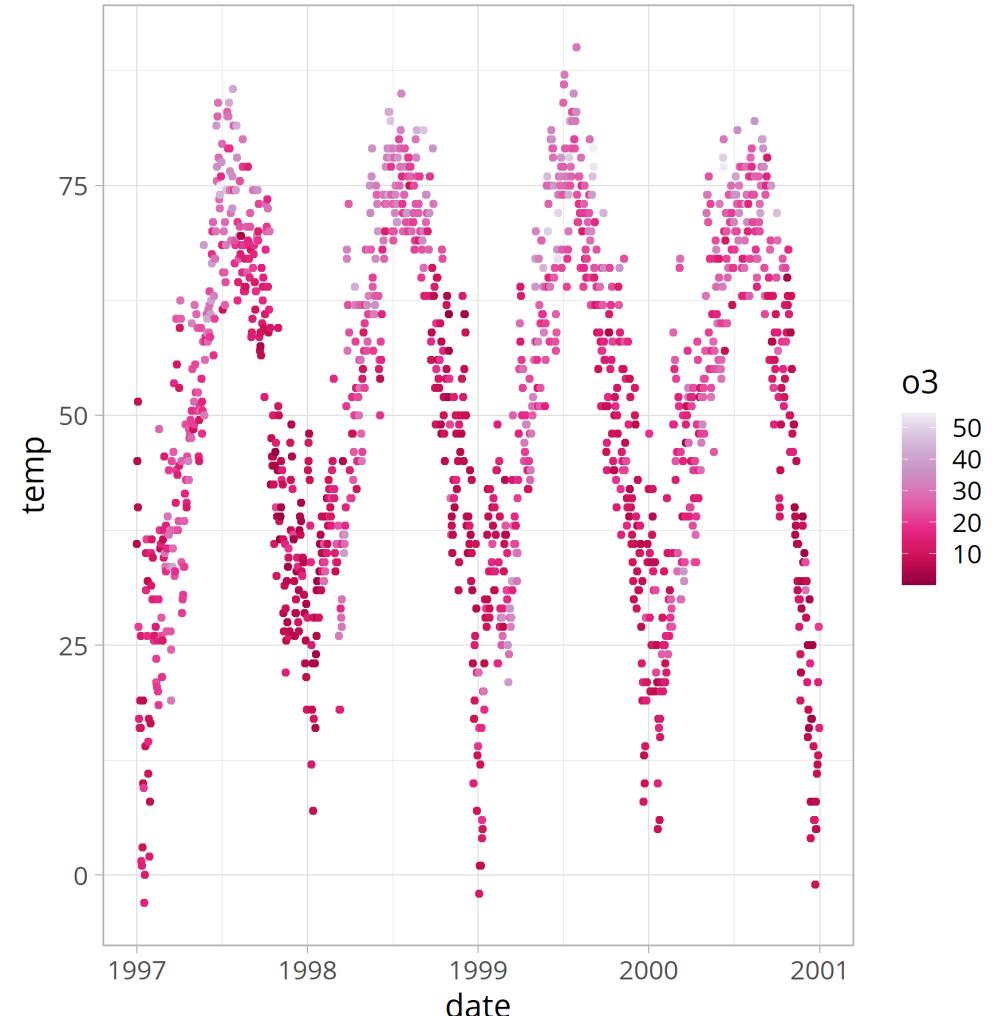
# scale\_color|fill\_distiller()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_distiller()
```



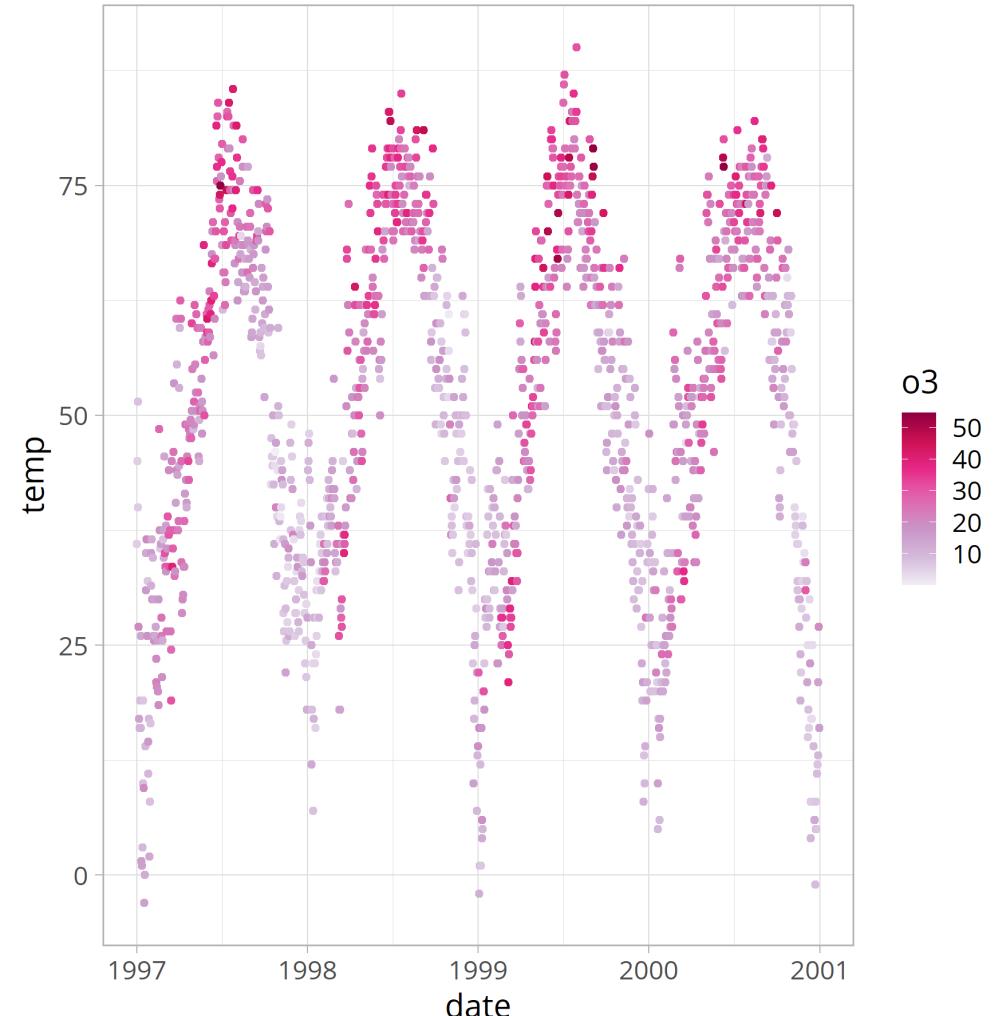
# scale\_color|fill\_distiller()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_distiller(  
    palette = "PuRd"  
)
```



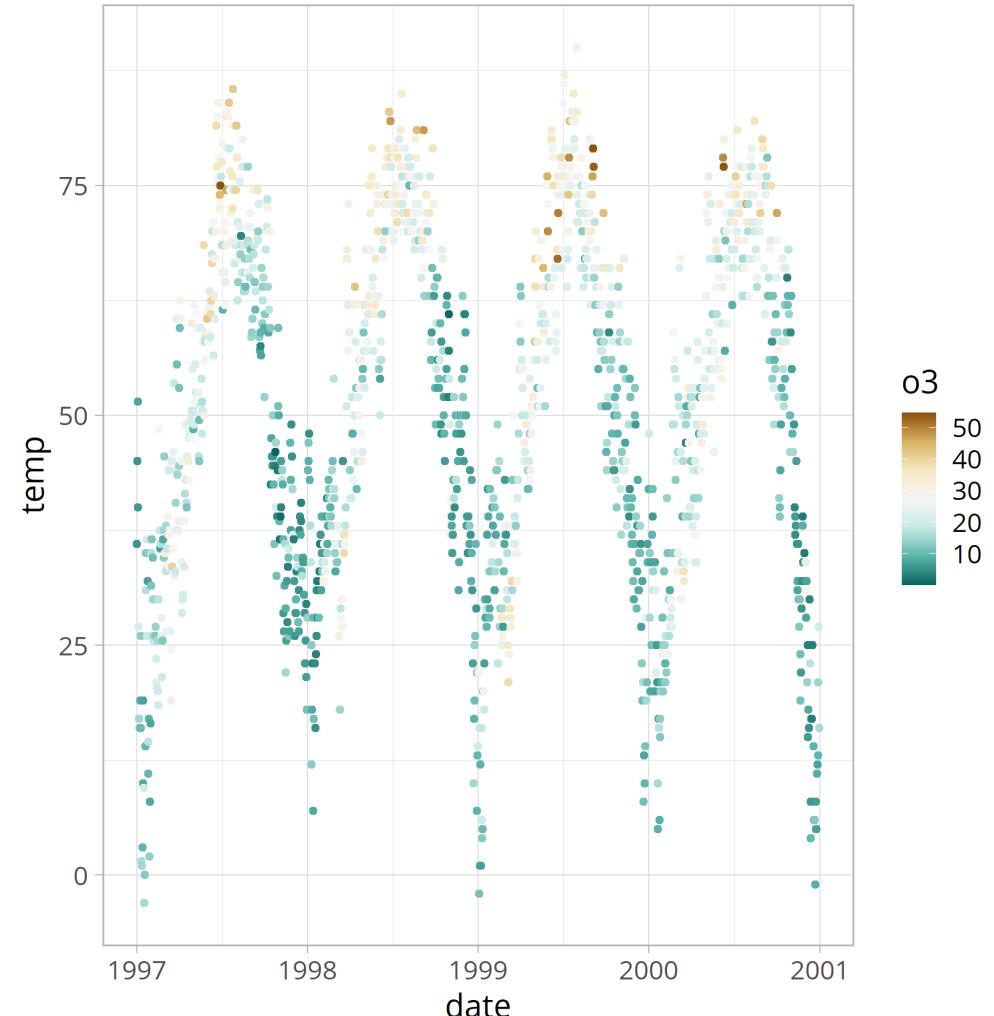
# scale\_color|fill\_distiller()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_distiller(  
    palette = "PuRd",  
    direction = 1  
    ## note that -1 is the default  
)
```



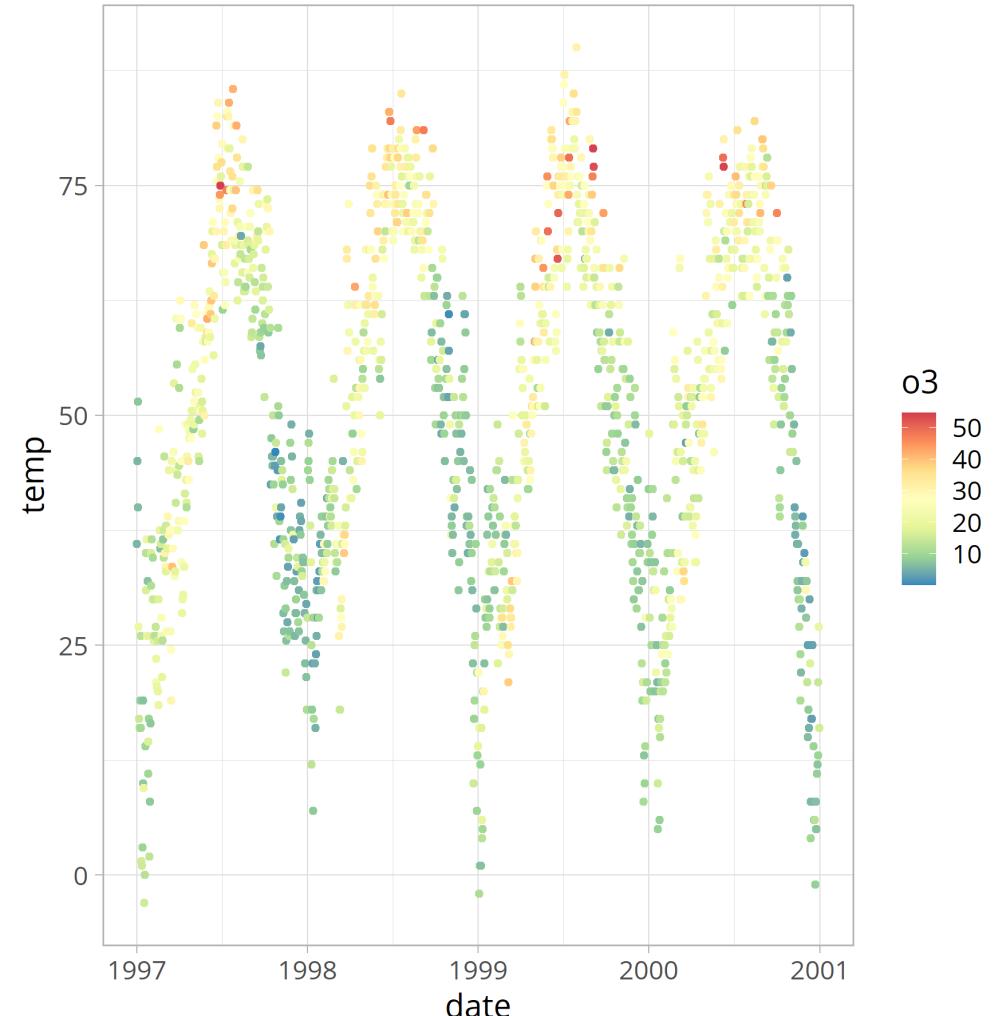
# scale\_color|fill\_distiller()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_distiller(  
    type = "div"  
)
```



# scale\_color|fill\_distiller()

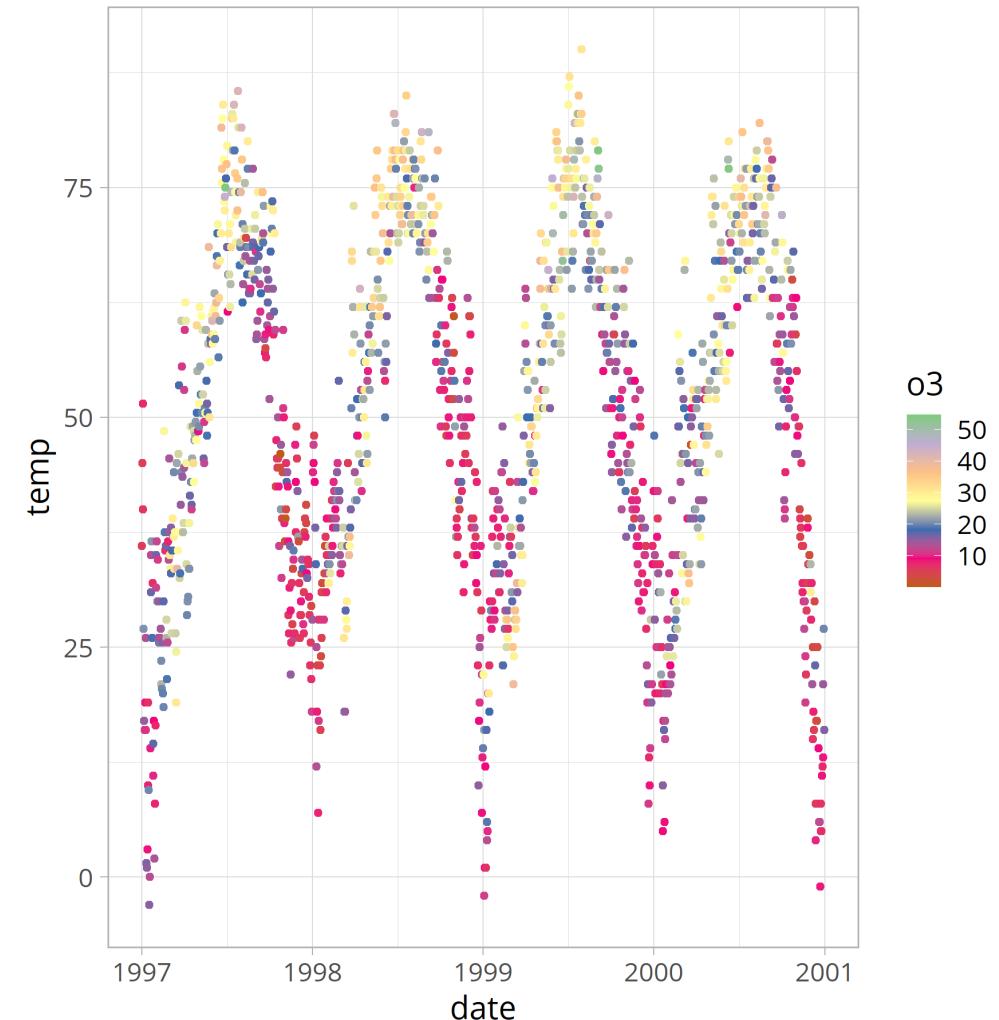
```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_distiller(  
    type = "div",  
    palette = "Spectral"  
)
```



# scale\_color|fill\_distiller()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scale_color_distiller(  
    type = "qual"  
)
```

Warning message: Using a discrete colour palette  
in a continuous scale. Consider using type = "seq"  
or type = "div" instead.



# `scale_color|fill_*`()

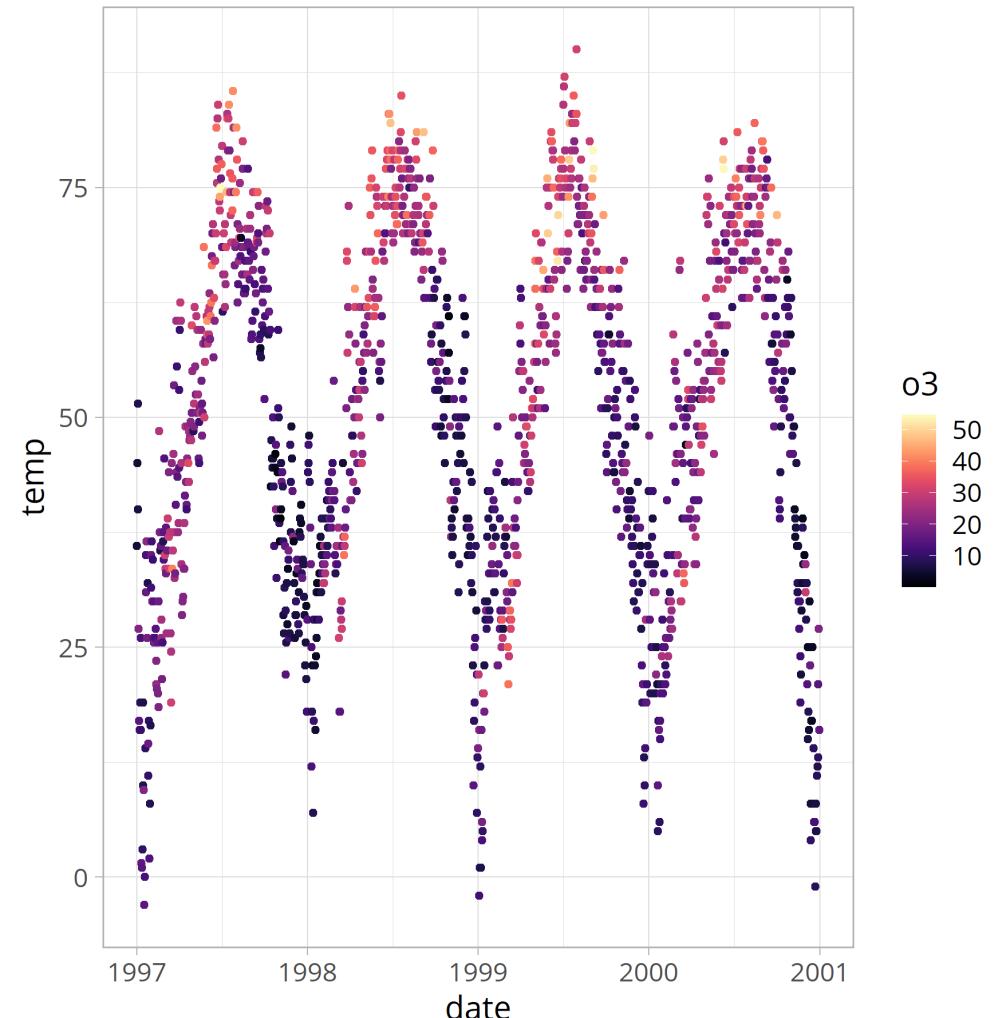
Several packages offer predefined palettes, e.g.:

- `{viridis}` for perceptually uniform palettes
- `{scico}` for more perceptually uniform palettes
- `{rcartocolor}` for map color palettes
- `{ggsci}` for scientific journal and sci-fi themed color
- `{ggthemes}` for colors of popular software & publishers
- `{LaCroixColoR}` for vibrant summery colors

Check the [collection by Emil Hvitfeldt](#) for an extensive list of color palettes available in R!

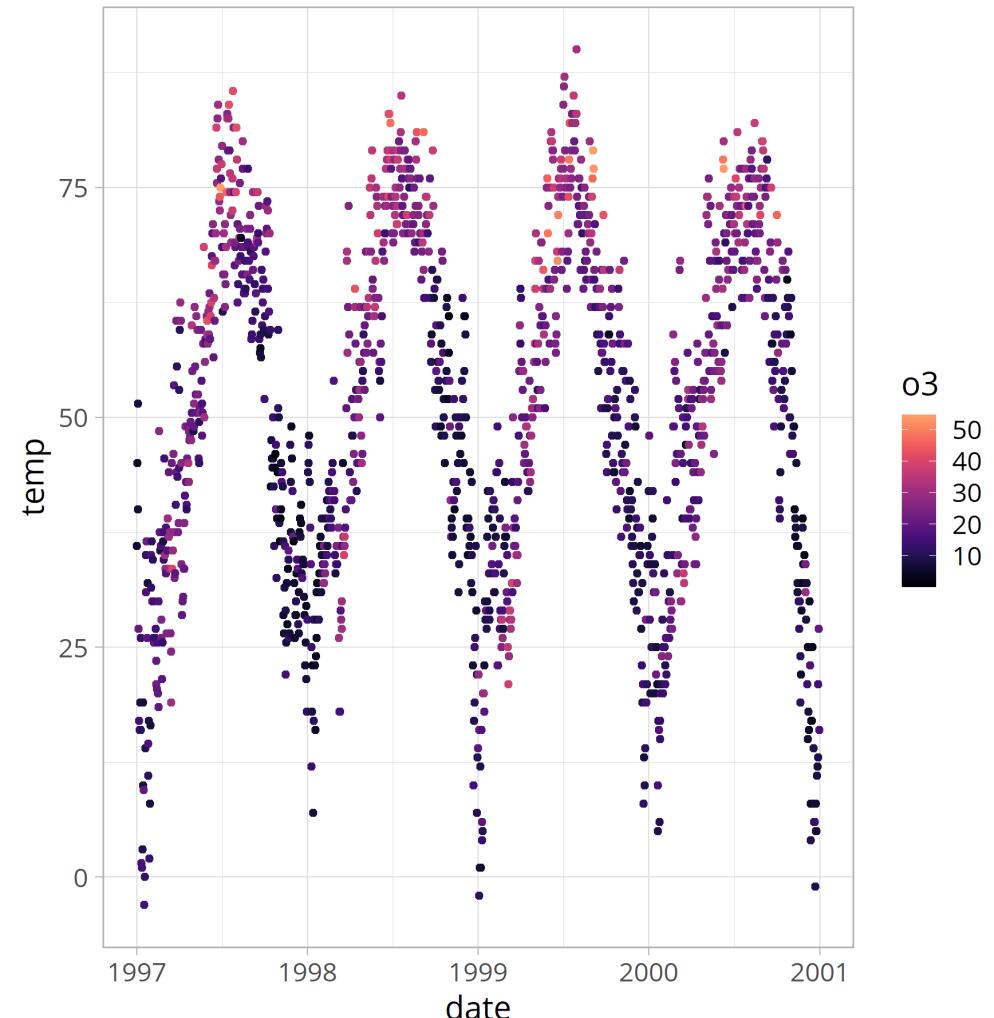
# `viridis::scale_color|fill_viridis()`

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  viridis::scale_color_viridis(  
    option = "magma"  
)
```



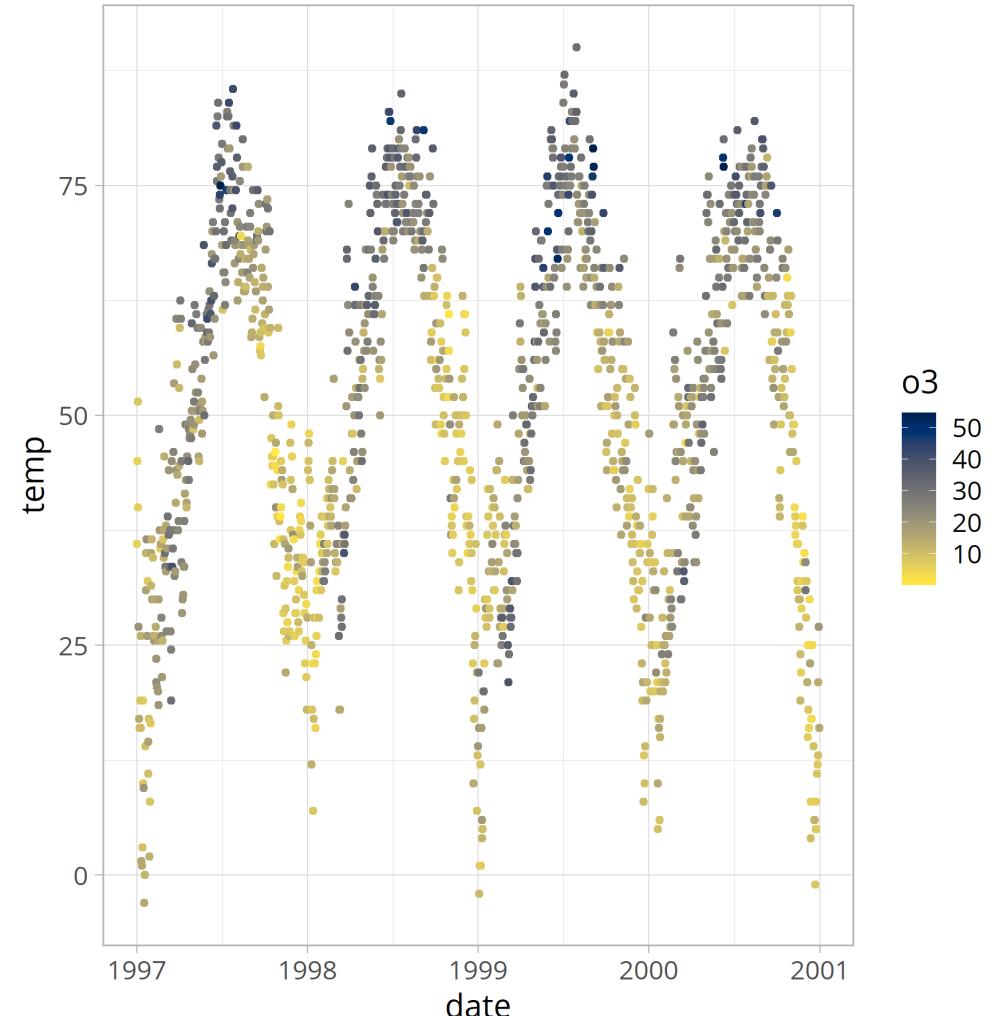
# `viridis::scale_color|fill_viridis()`

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  viridis::scale_color_viridis(  
    option = "magma",  
    end = .8  
)
```



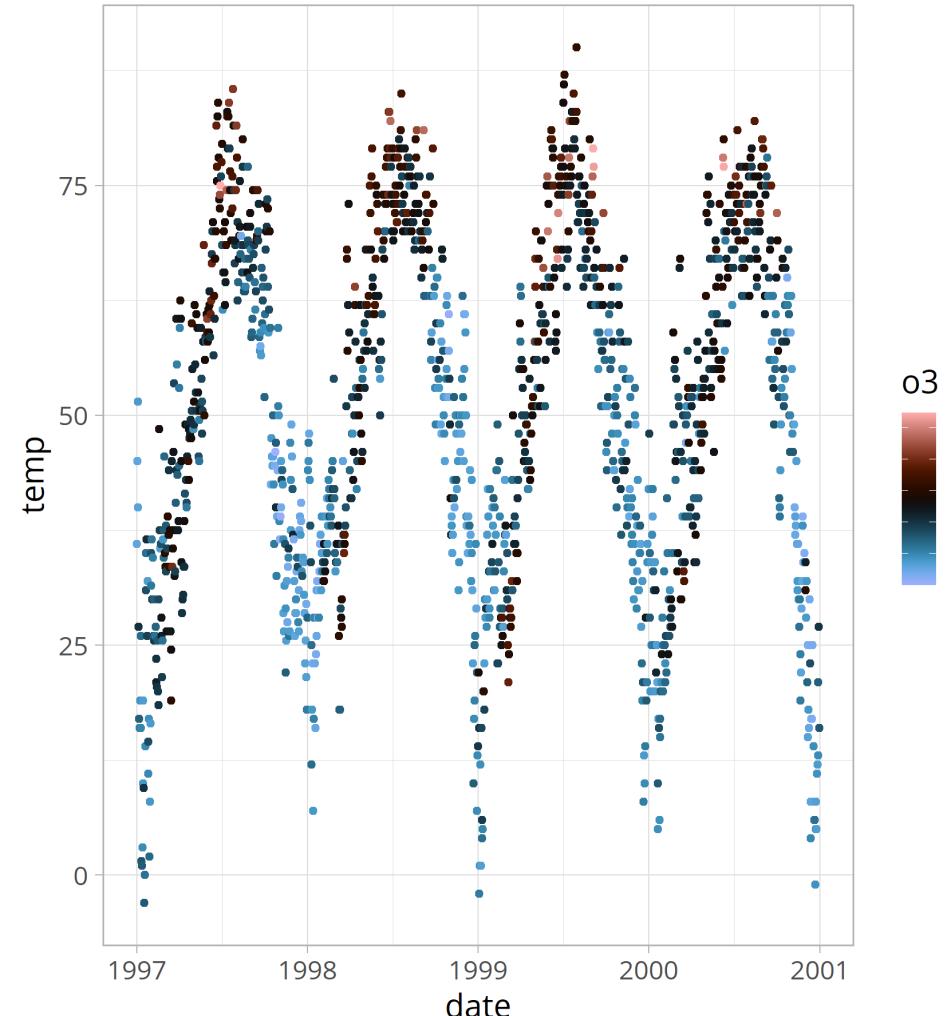
# `viridis::scale_color|fill_viridis()`

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  viridis::scale_color_viridis(  
    option = "cividis",  
    direction = -1  
)
```



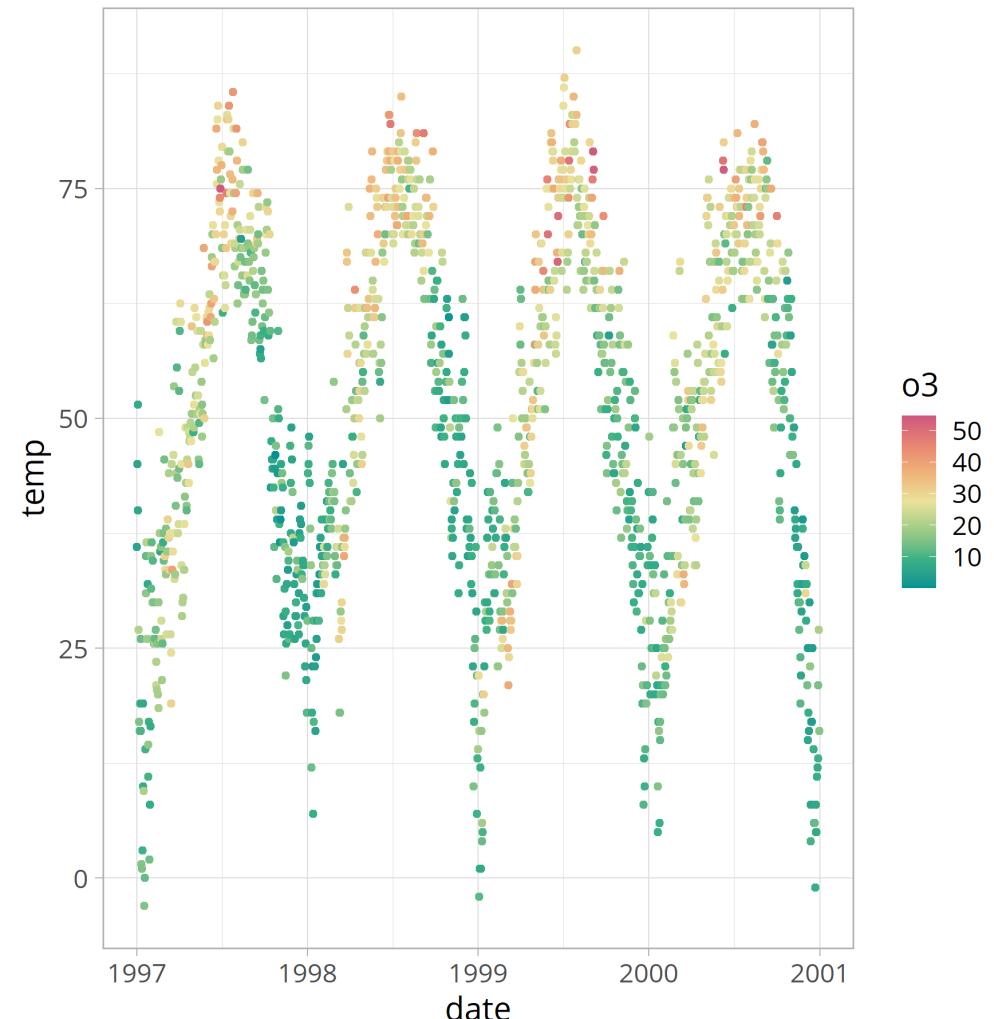
# scico::scale\_color|fill\_scico()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  scico::scale_color_scico(  
    palette = "berlin"  
)
```



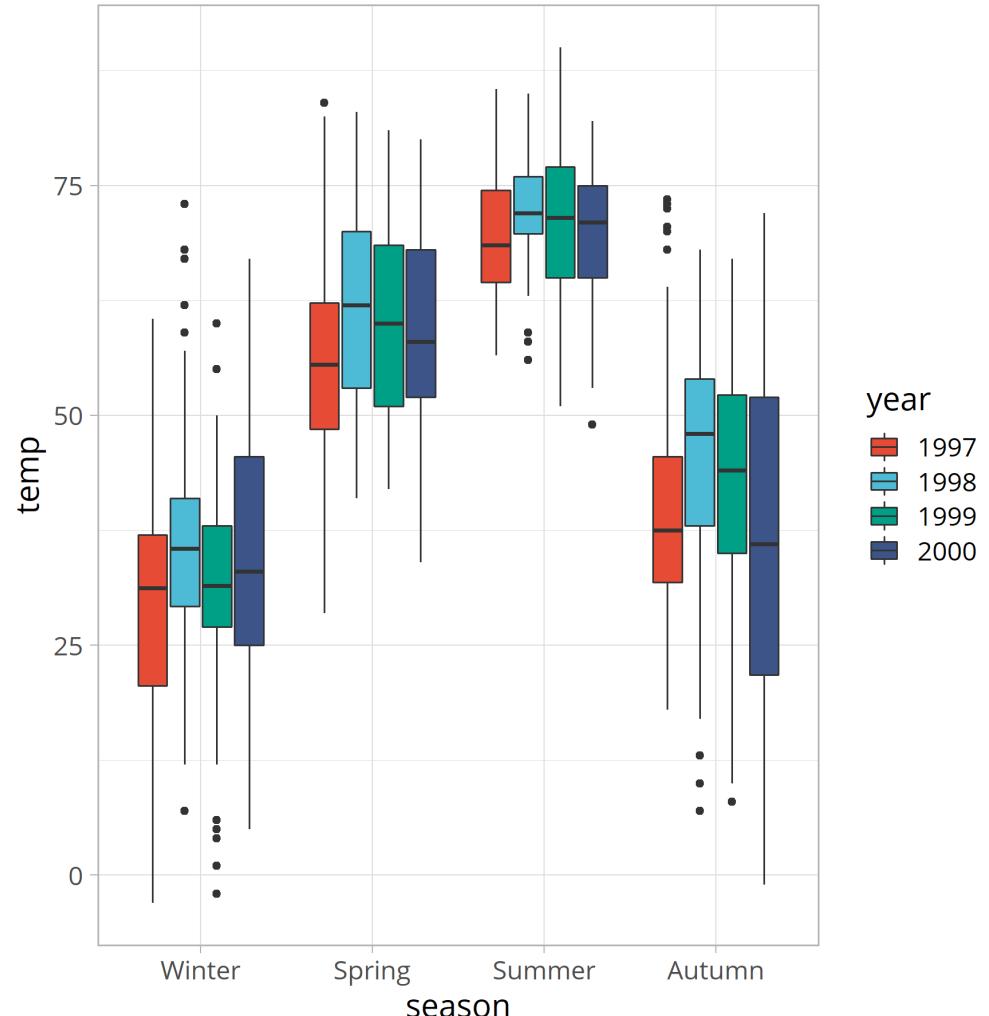
# rcartocolor::scale\_color|fill\_carto\_c()

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(aes(color = o3)) +  
  rcartocolor::scale_color_carto_c(  
    palette = "Temps"  
)
```



# ggsci::scale\_color|fill\_\*

```
ggplot(chic, aes(season, temp)) +  
  geom_boxplot(aes(fill = year)) +  
  ggsci::scale_fill_npg()
```



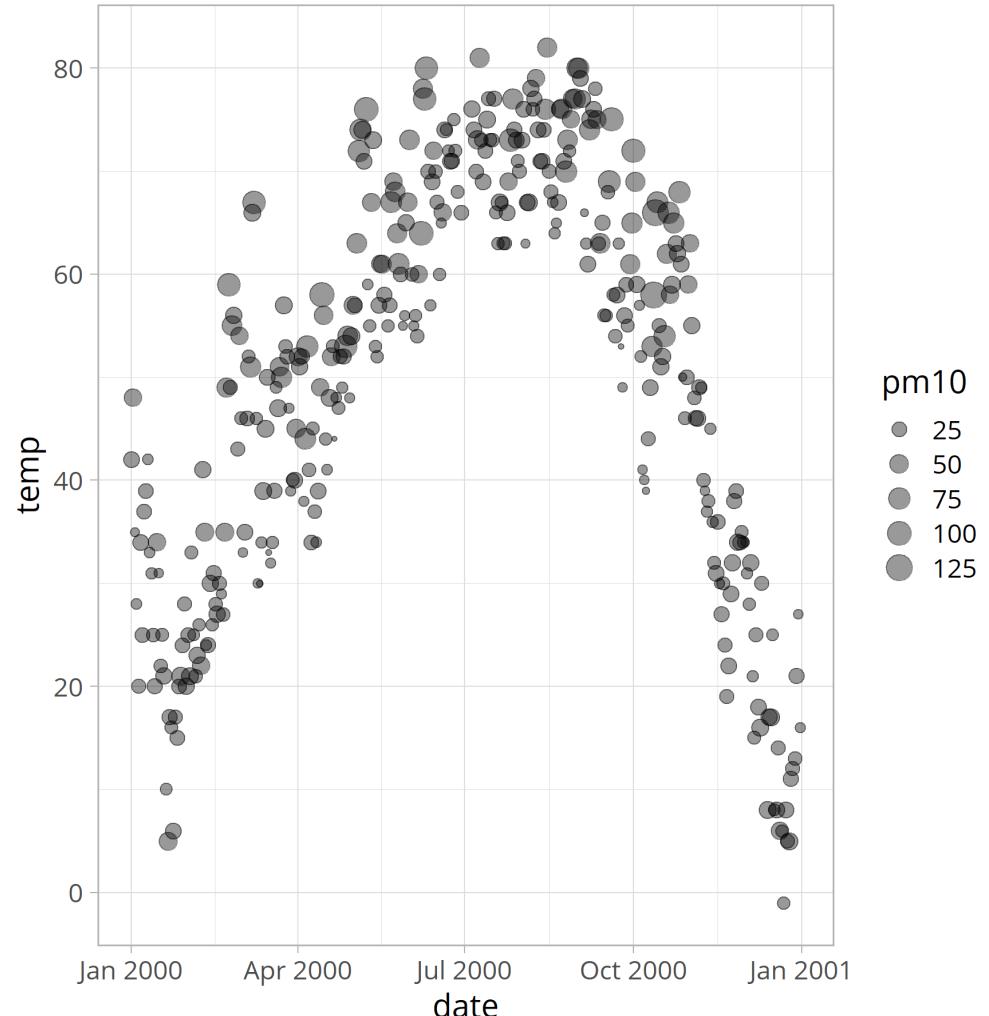
# Scales

`scale_size|radius_*`(`)`

# scale\_size|radius\_\*

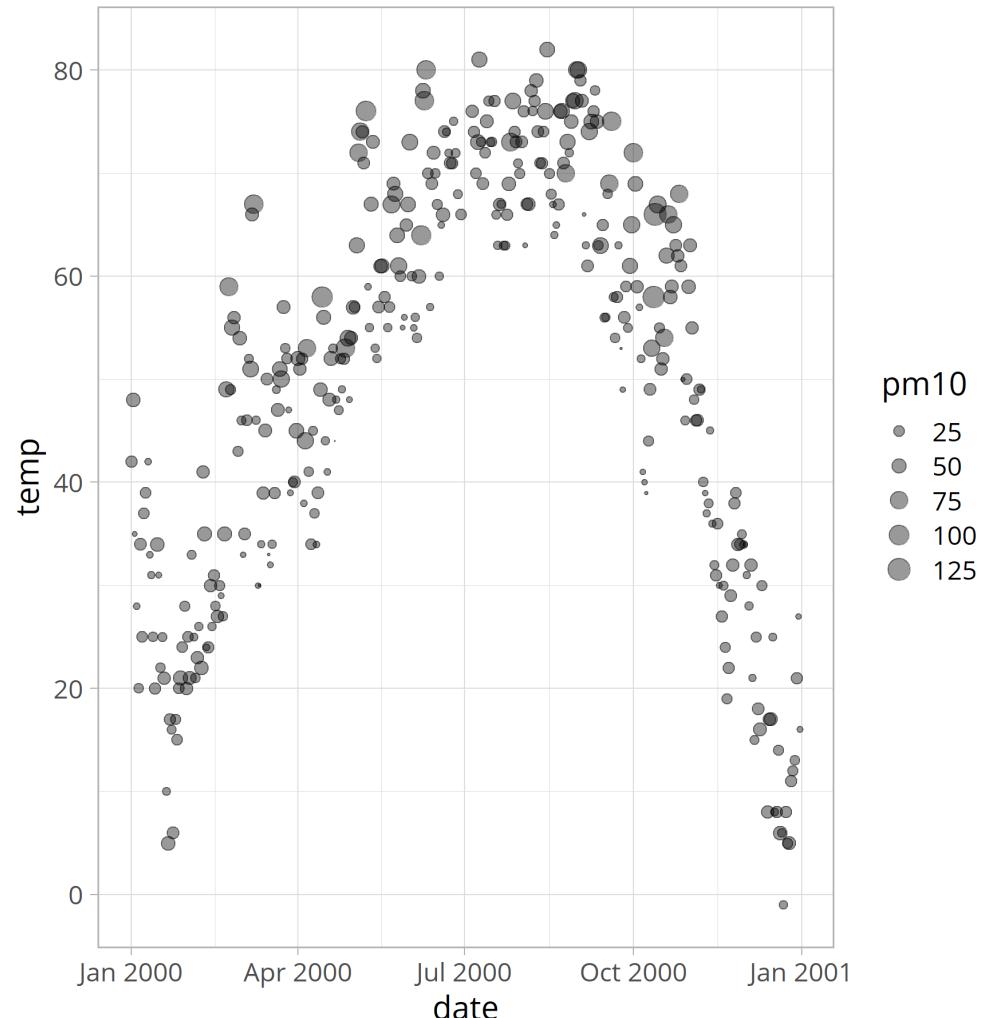
```
chic2k <- filter(chic, year == 2000)

ggplot(chic2k, aes(date, temp)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(size = pm10),
    alpha = .4
  )
```



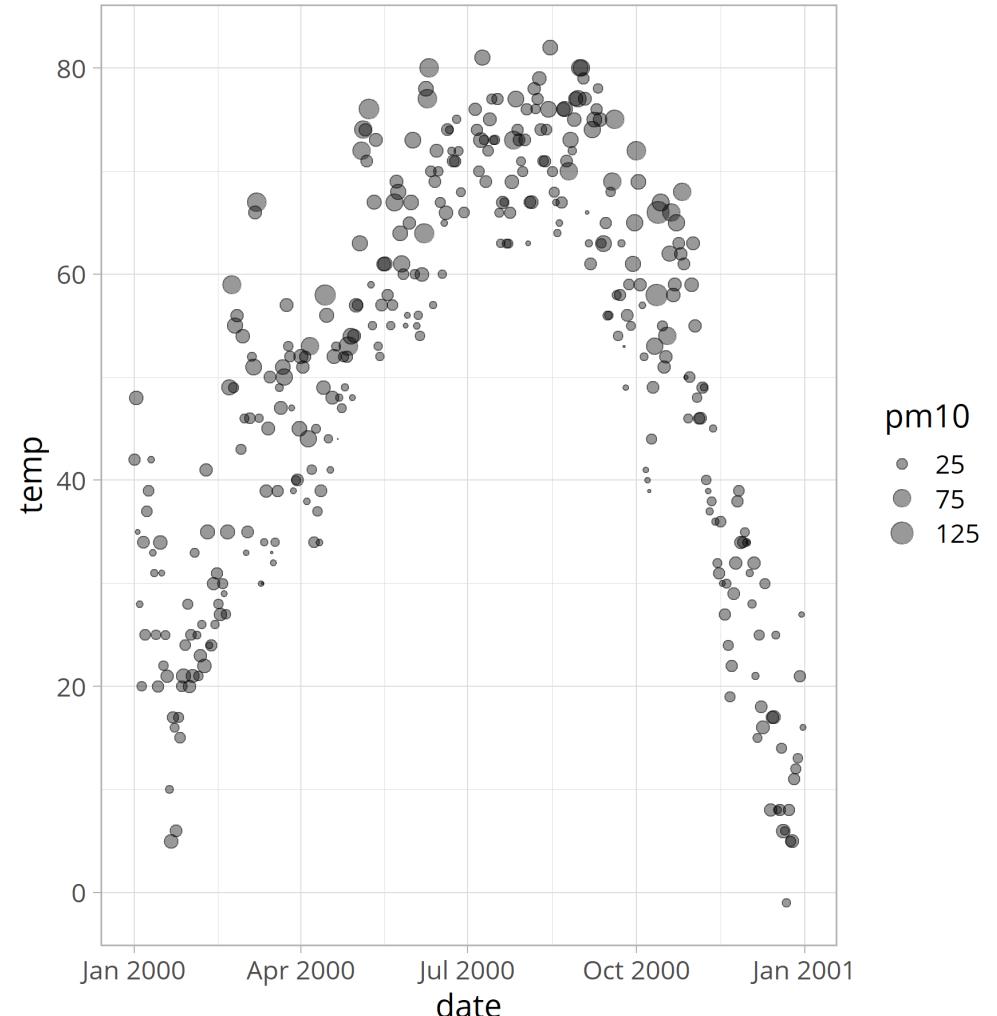
# scale\_size()

```
ggplot(chic2k, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(size = pm10),  
    alpha = .4  
) +  
  scale_size(  
    range = c(.1, 5)  
)
```



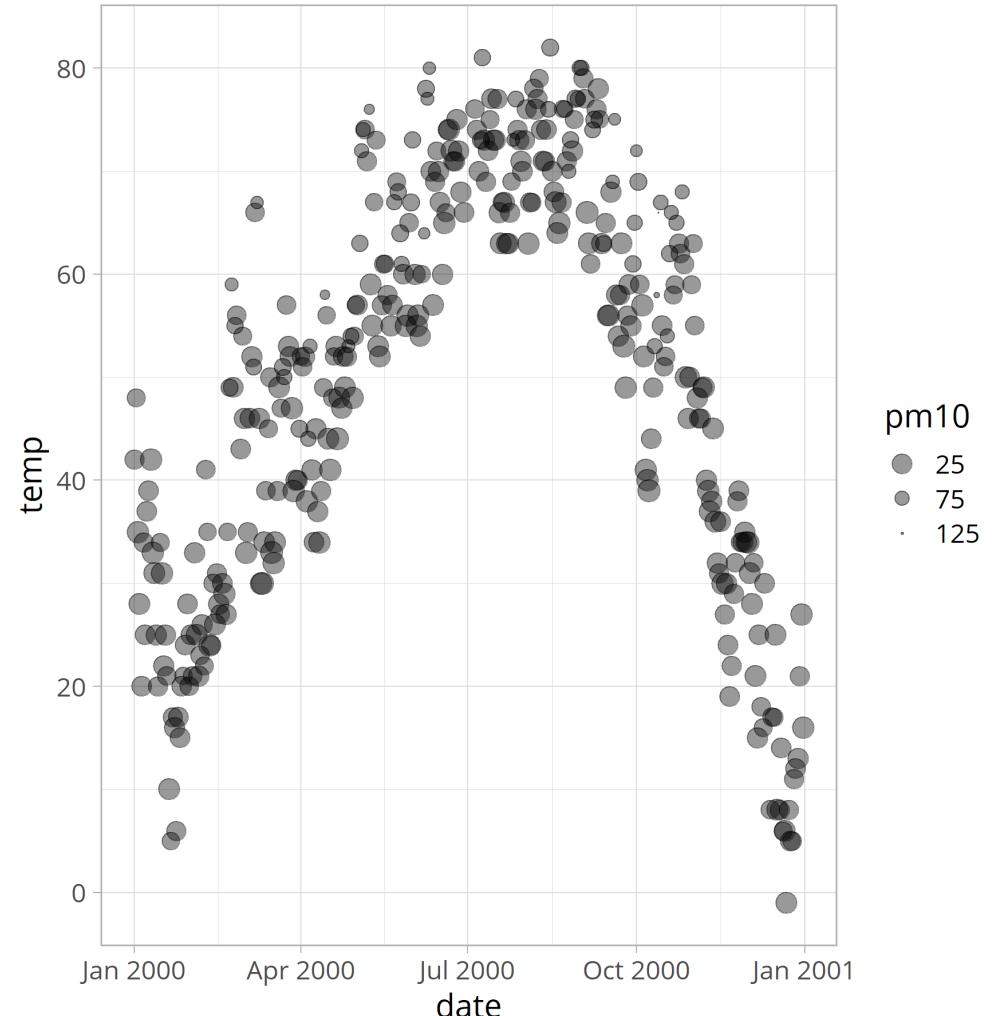
# scale\_size()

```
ggplot(chic2k, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(size = pm10),  
    alpha = .4  
) +  
  scale_size(  
    range = c(.1, 5),  
    breaks = c(25, 75, 125)  
)
```



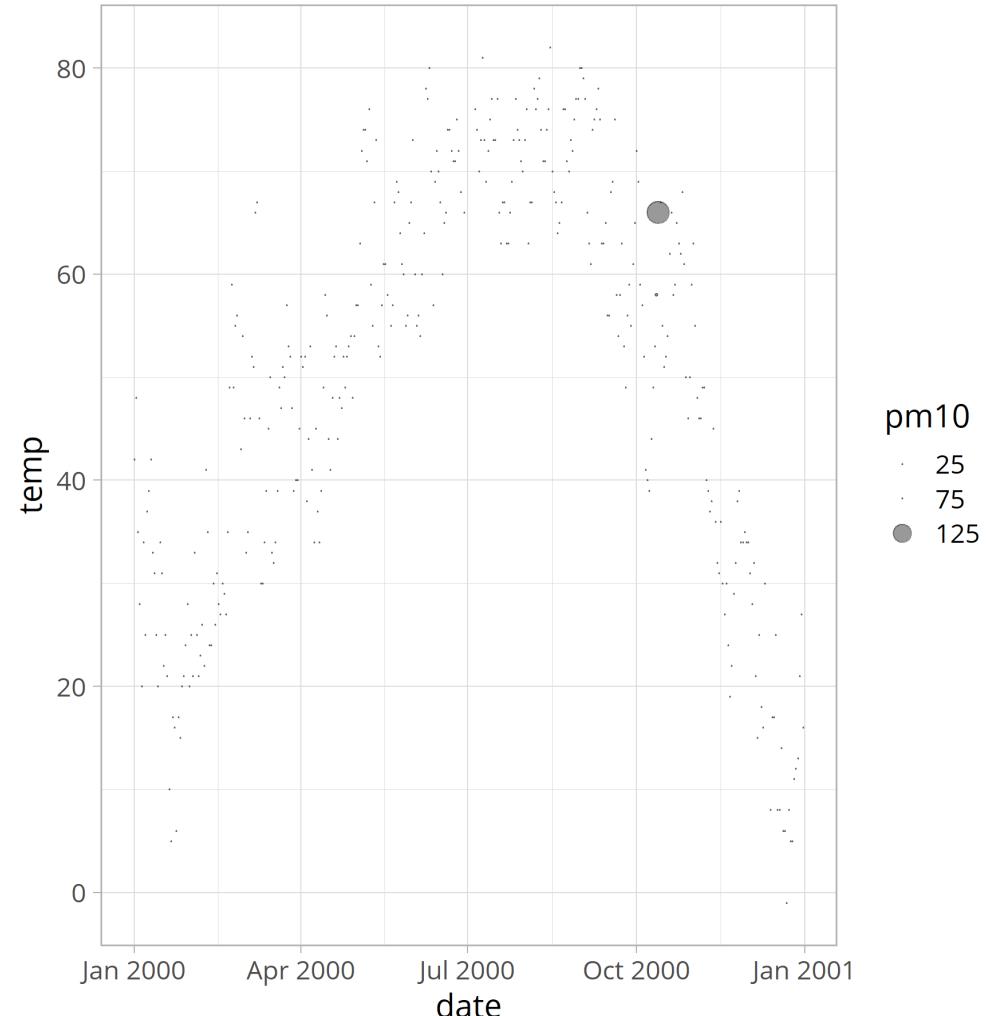
# scale\_size()

```
ggplot(chic2k, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(size = pm10),  
    alpha = .4  
  ) +  
  scale_size(  
    range = c(.1, 5),  
    breaks = c(25, 75, 125),  
    trans = "reverse"  
  )
```



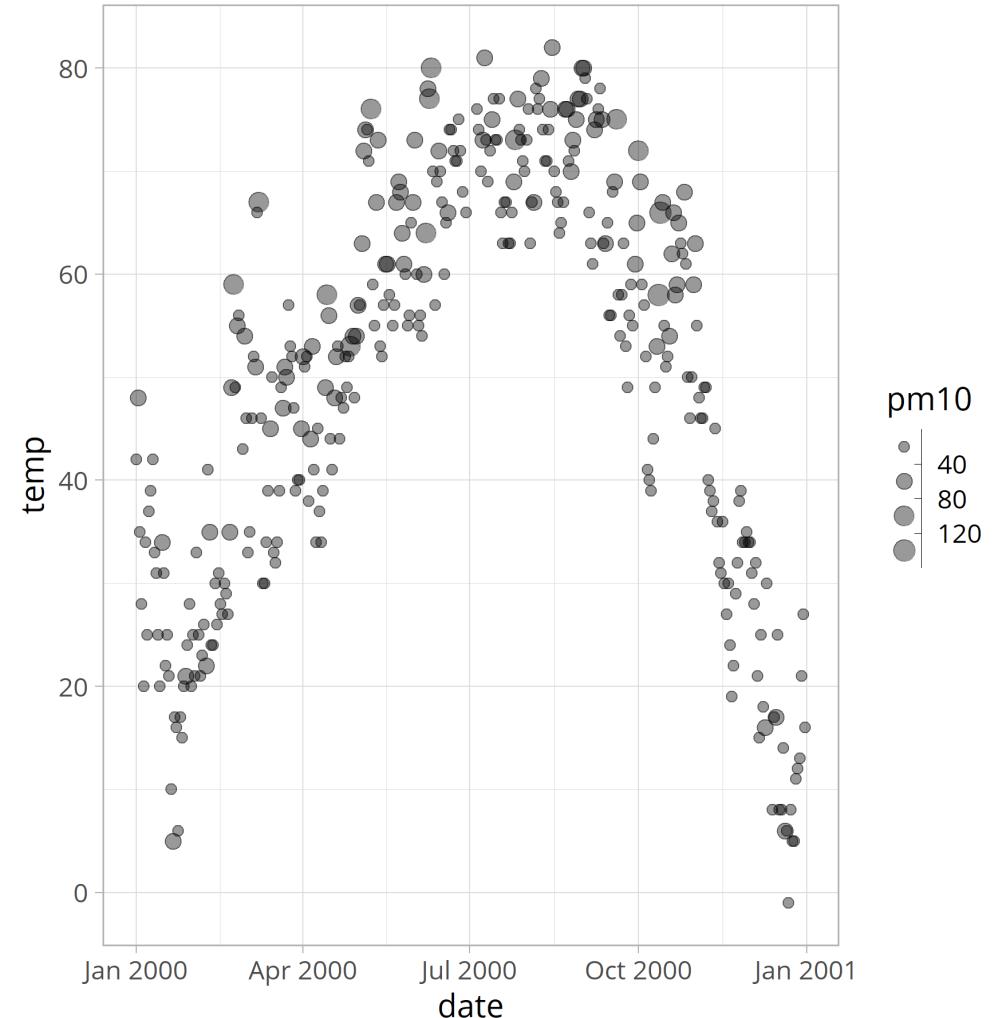
# scale\_size()

```
ggplot(chic2k, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(size = pm10),  
    alpha = .4  
  ) +  
  scale_size(  
    range = c(.1, 5),  
    breaks = c(25, 75, 125),  
    trans = "exp"  
  )
```



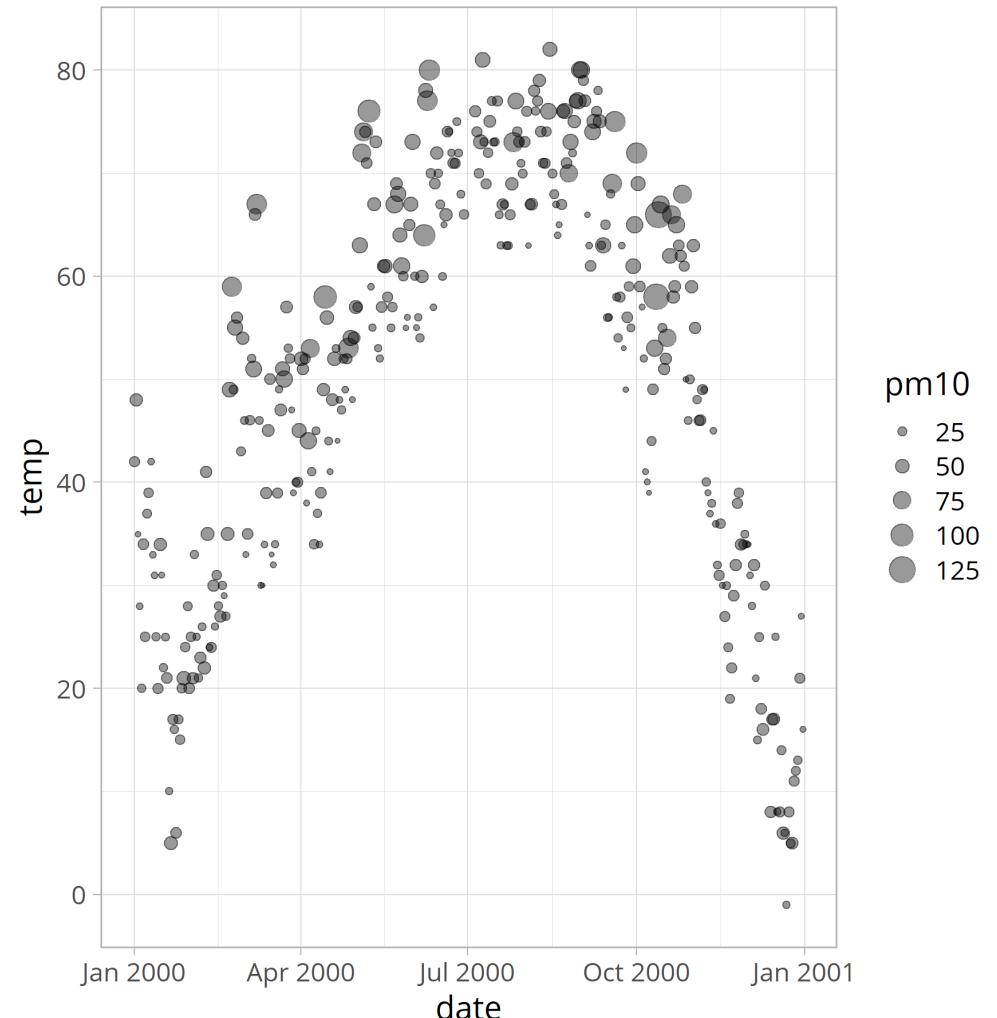
# scale\_size()

```
ggplot(chic2k, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(size = pm10),  
    alpha = .4  
  ) +  
  scale_size_binned(  
    n.breaks = 3,  
    range = c(.5, 5)  
  )
```

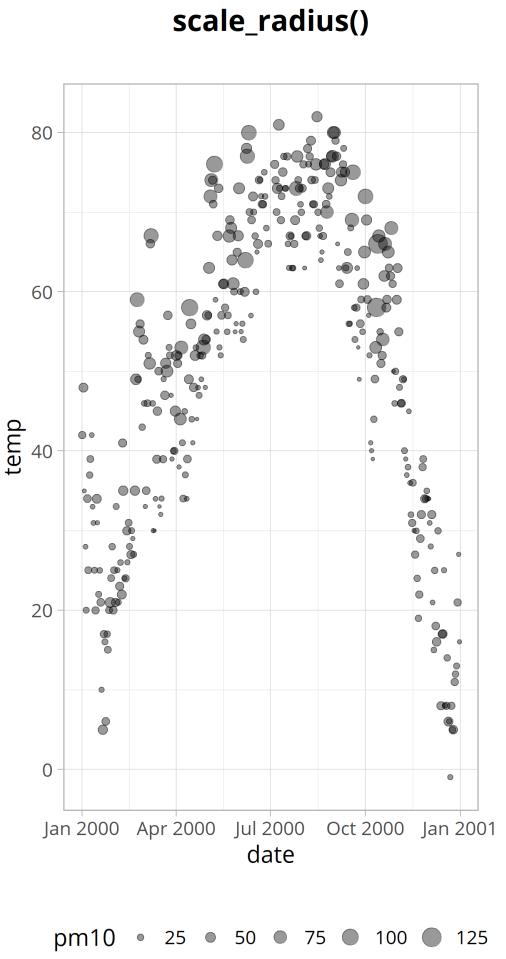
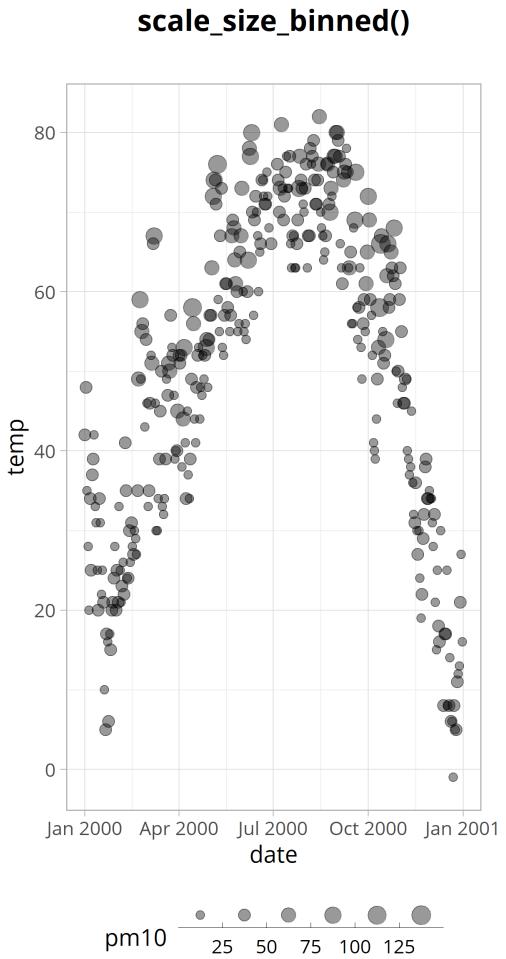
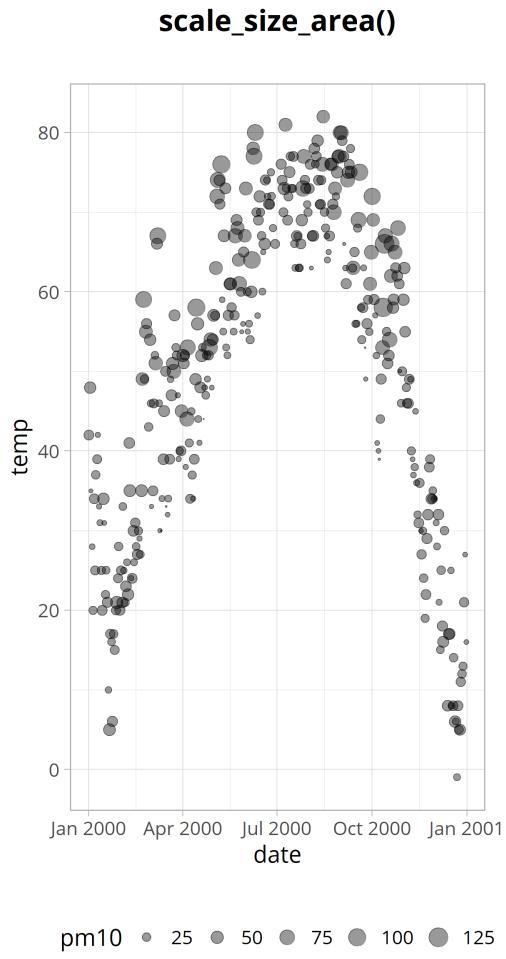
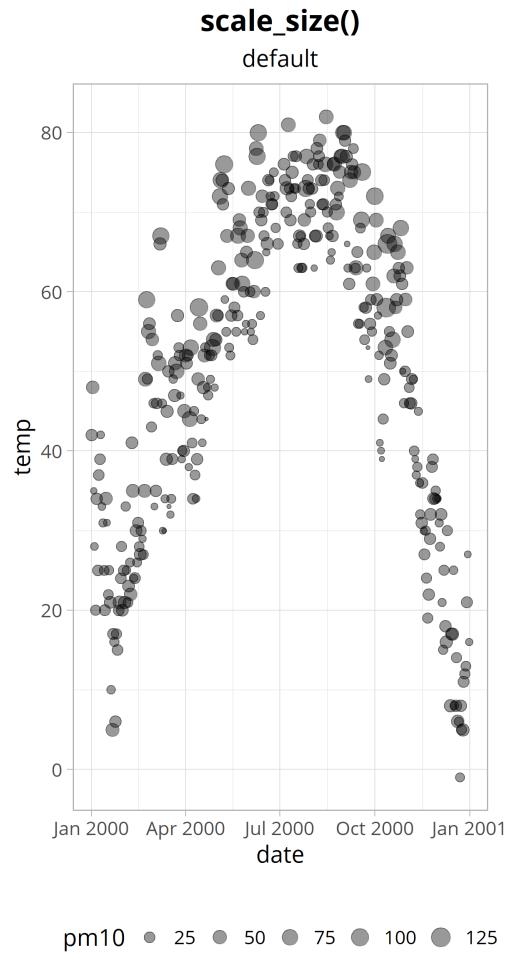


# scale\_radius()

```
ggplot(chic2k, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(size = pm10),  
    alpha = .4  
) +  
  scale_radius()
```



# scale\_size|radius\_\*

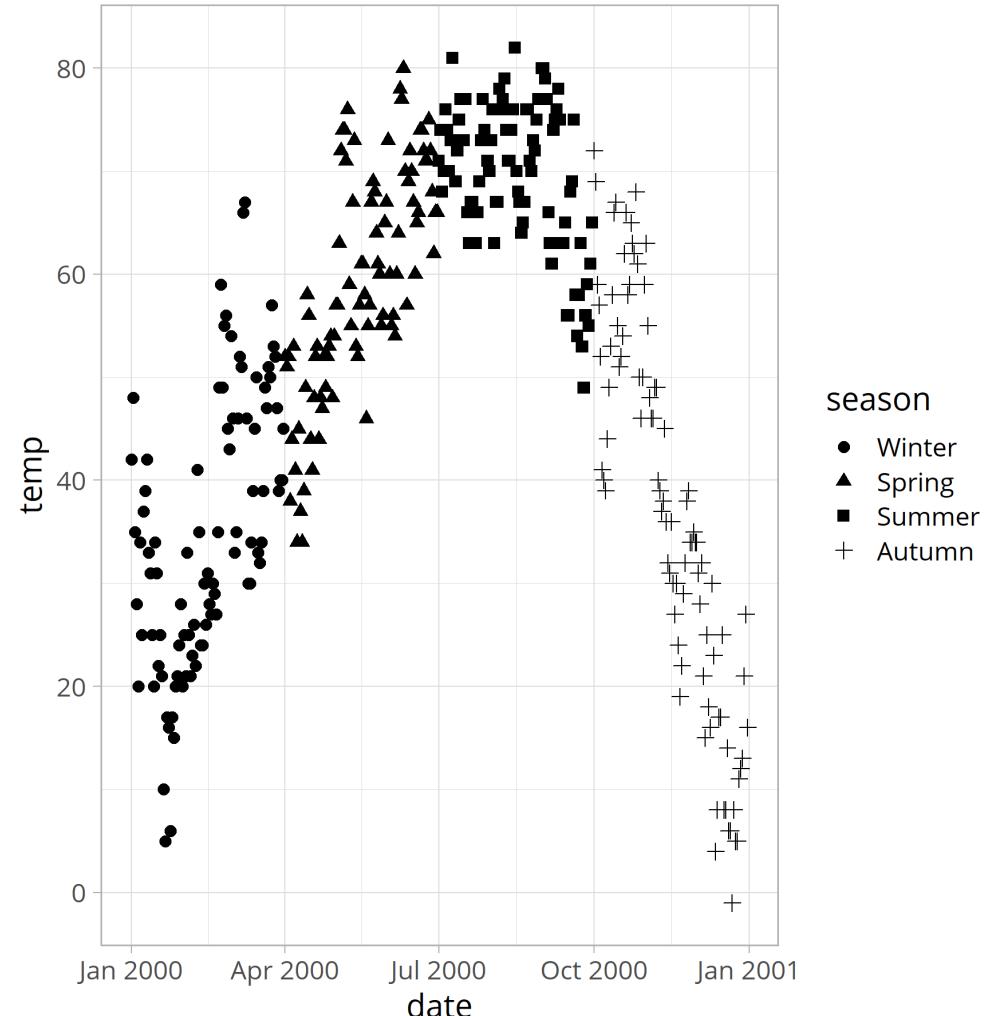


# Scales

**scale\_shape | linetype\_\***( )

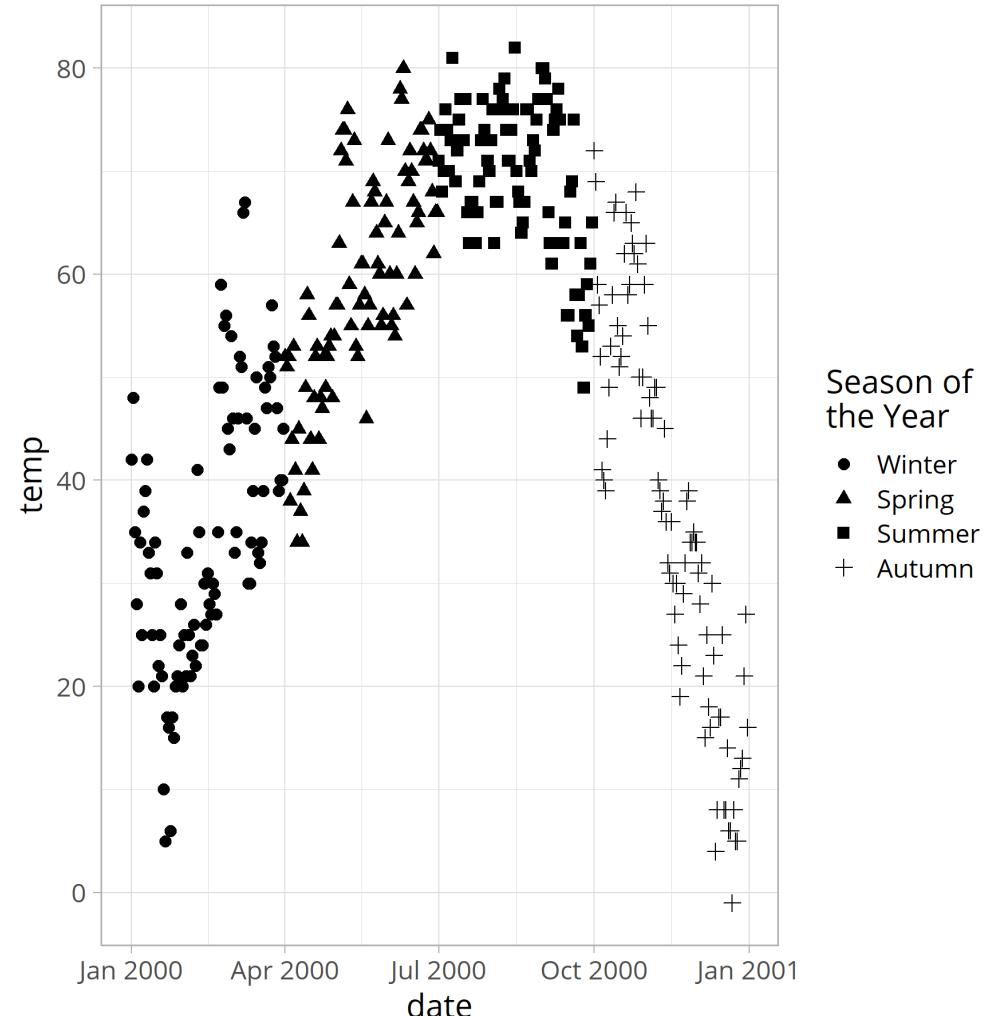
# scale\_shape\_\*

```
ggplot(chic2k, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(shape = season),  
    size = 2.5  
)
```



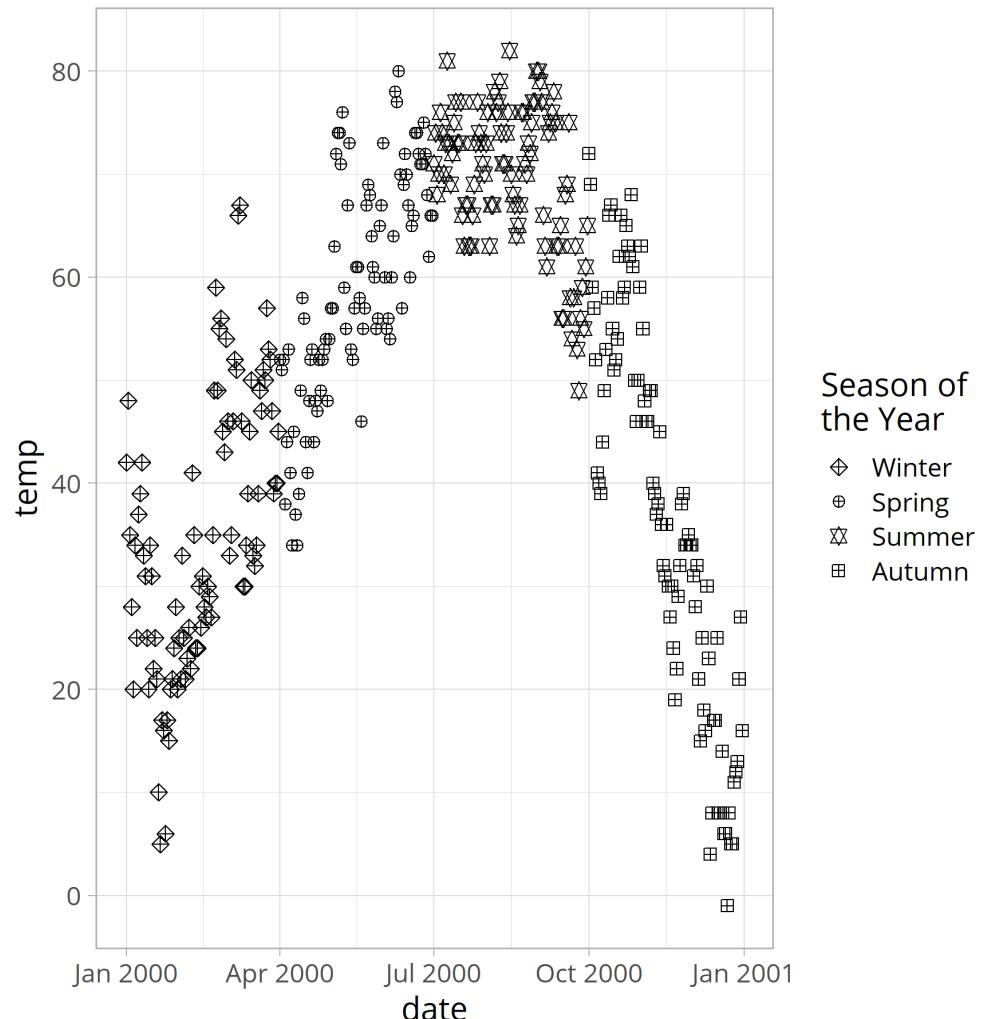
# scale\_shape()

```
ggplot(chic2k, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(shape = season),  
    size = 2.5  
  ) +  
  scale_shape(  
    name = "Season of\nthe Year"  
  )
```



# scale\_shape\_manual()

```
ggplot(chic2k, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(shape = season),  
    size = 2.5  
  ) +  
  scale_shape_manual(  
    name = "Season of\nthe Year",  
    values = 9:12  
  )
```



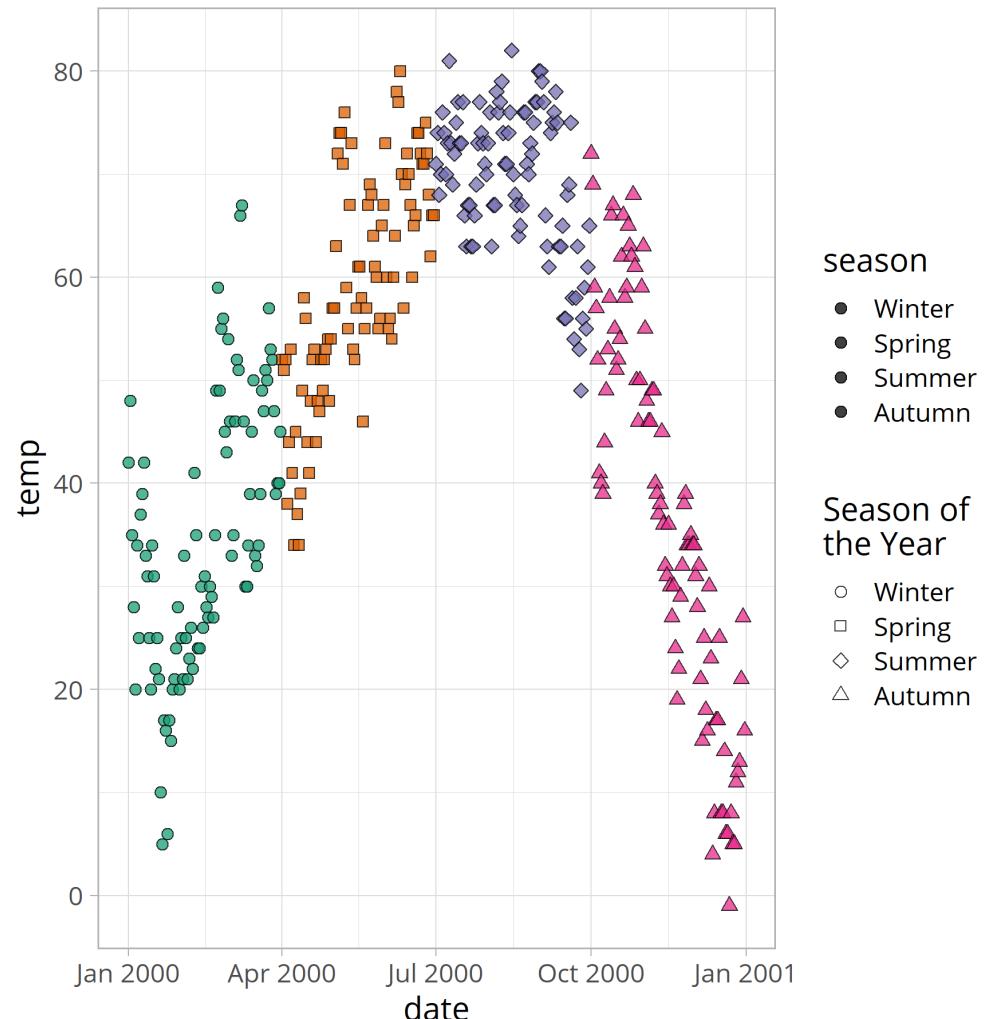
# scale\_shape\_\*( )

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5	6	7	8	9
◇	▽	⊗	*	◇
10	11	12	13	14
⊕	⊗	田	⊗	田
15	16	17	18	19
■	●	▲	◆	●
20	21	22	23	24
●	●	■	◆	▲

Source: [ggplot2.tidyverse.org/articles/ggplot2-specs.html](https://ggplot2.tidyverse.org/articles/ggplot2-specs.html)

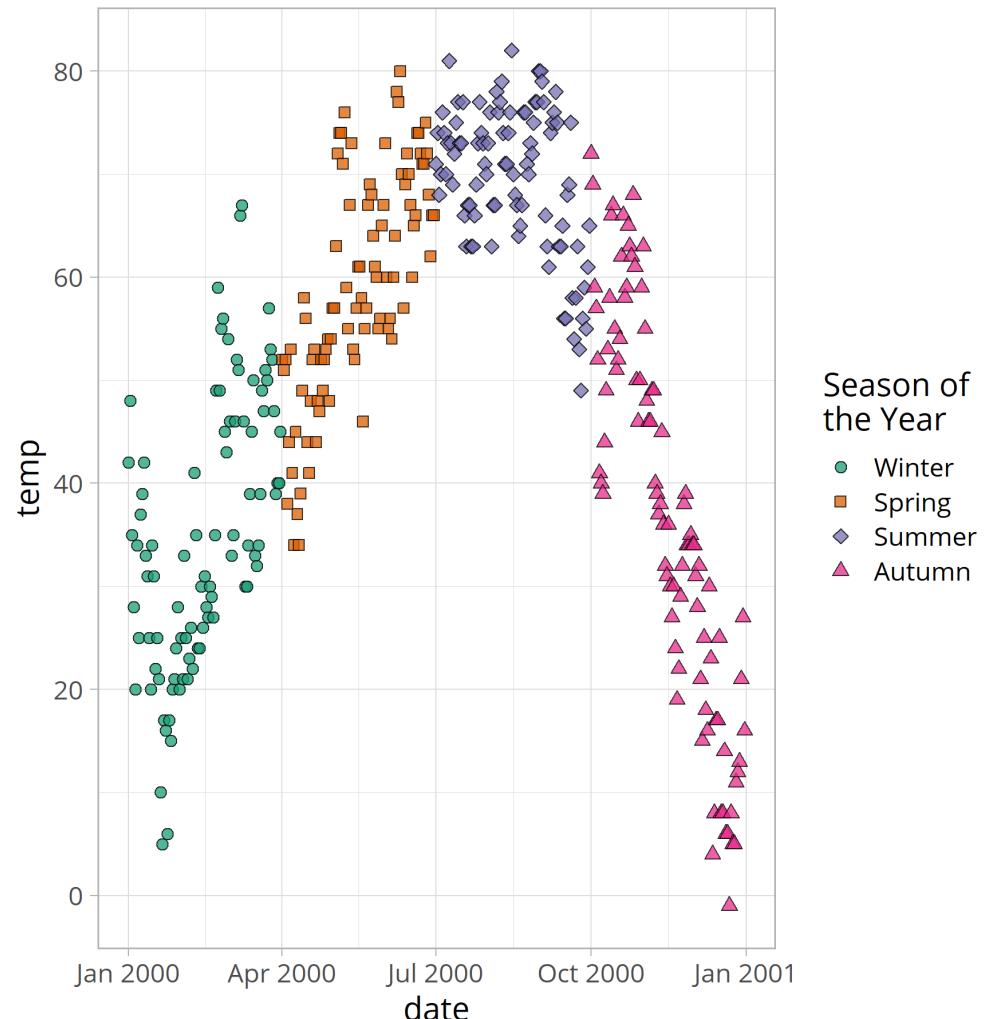
# scale\_shape\_manual()

```
ggplot(chic2k, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(  
      shape = season,  
      fill = season  
    ),  
    size = 2.5,  
    alpha = .75  
  ) +  
  scale_shape_manual(  
    name = "Season of\nthe Year",  
    values = 21:24  
  ) +  
  scale_fill_brewer(  
    palette = "Dark2"  
  )
```

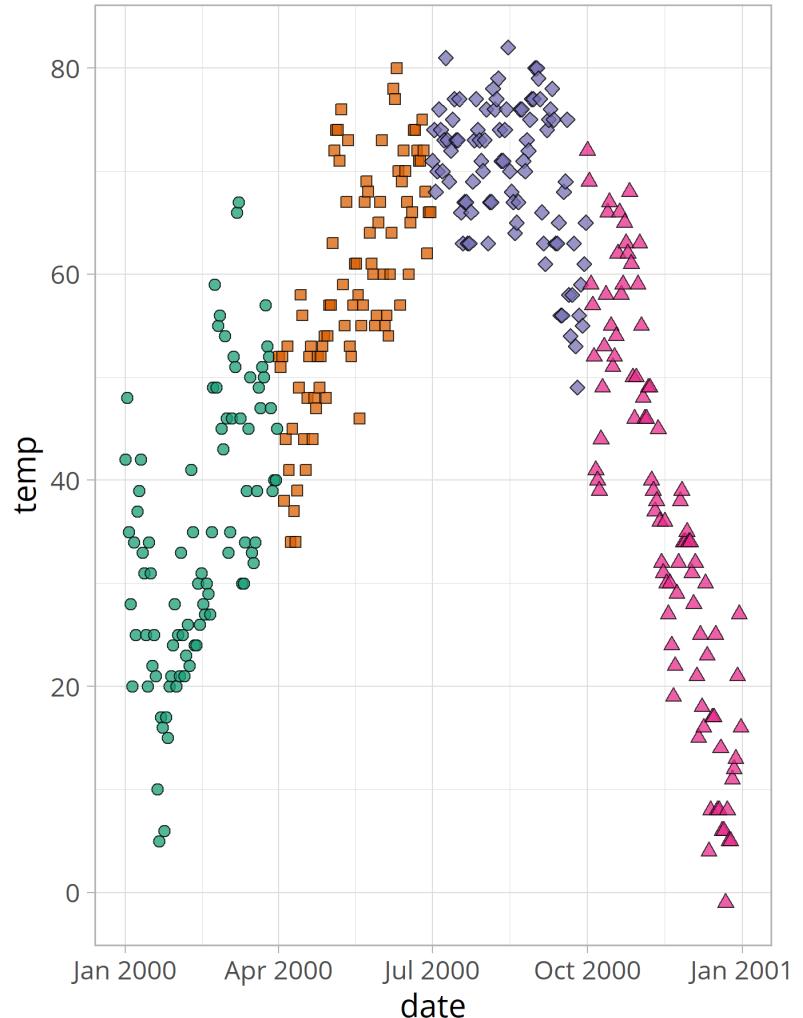


# scale\_shape\_manual()

```
ggplot(chic2k, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(  
      shape = season,  
      fill = season  
    ),  
    size = 2.5,  
    alpha = .75  
  ) +  
  scale_shape_manual(  
    name = "Season of\nthe Year",  
    values = 21:24  
  ) +  
  scale_fill_brewer(  
    palette = "Dark2",  
    name = "Season of\nthe Year"  
  )
```

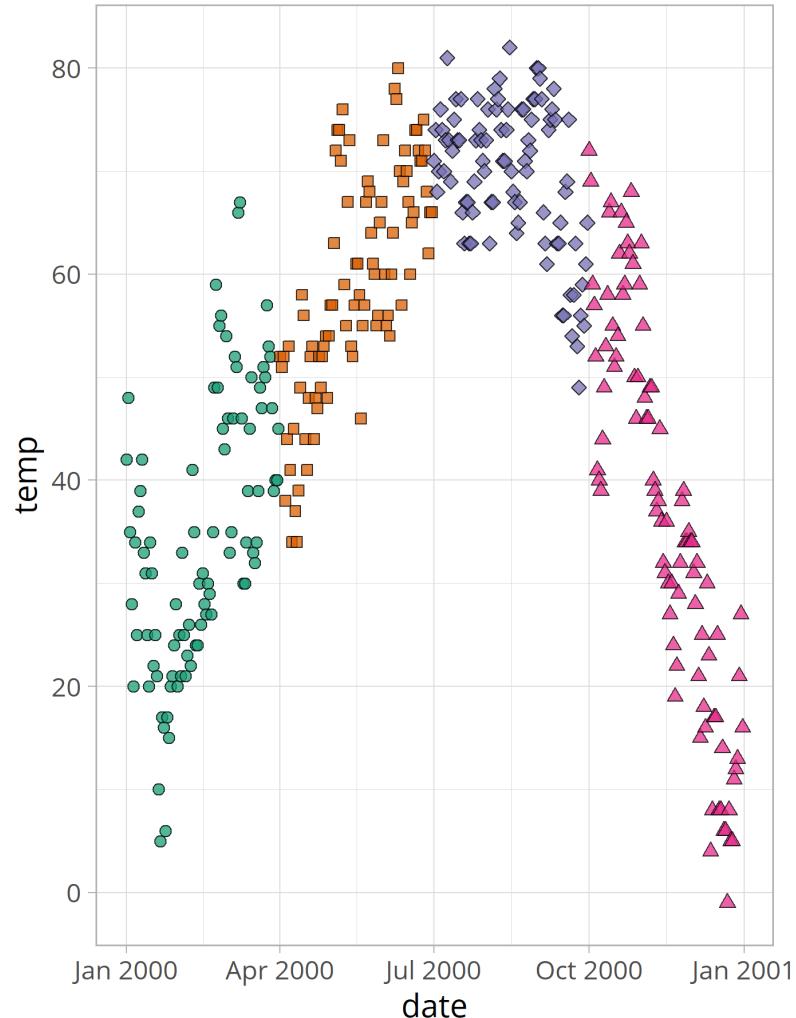


# scale\_shape\_manual()



Season of the Year

- Winter
- Spring
- ◊ Summer
- △ Autumn

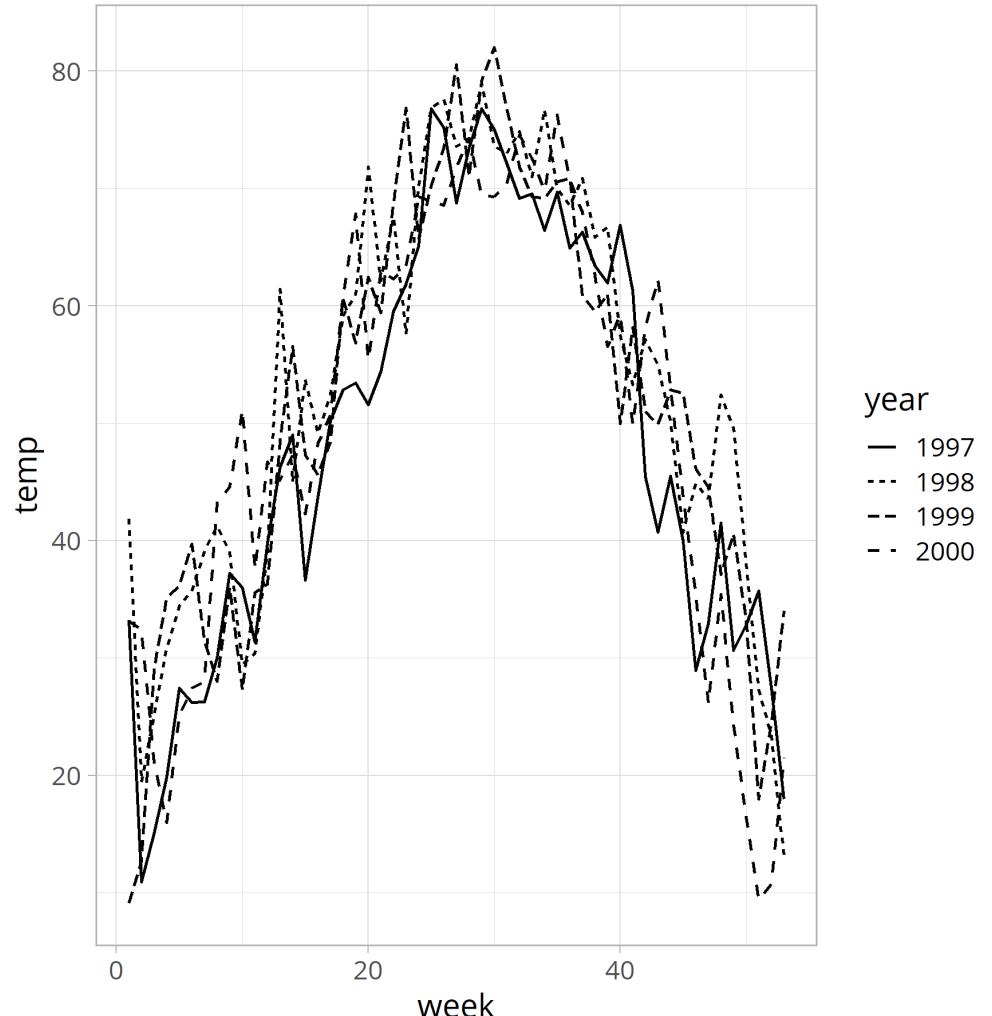


Season of the Year

- Winter
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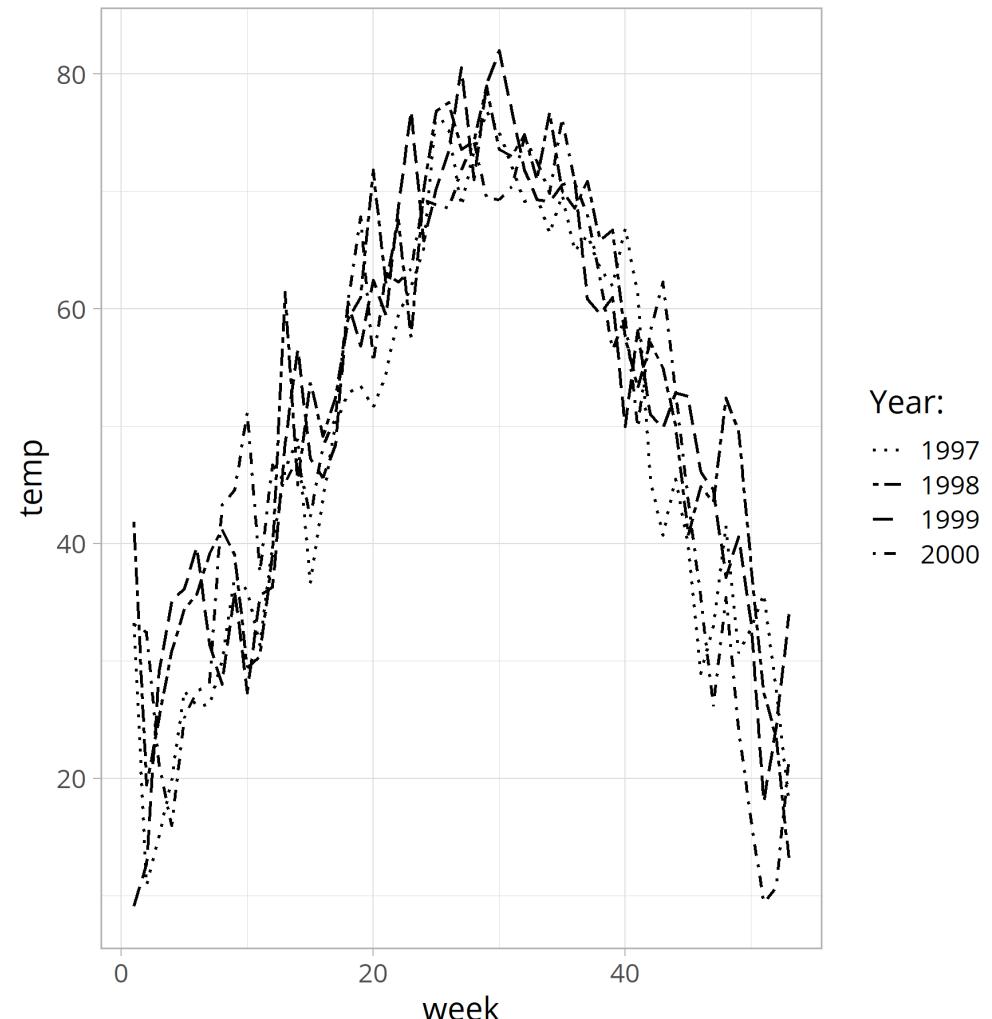
# scale\_linetype\_\*

```
chic_wy <-  
  chic %>%  
  mutate(  
    week = lubridate::week(date)  
  ) %>%  
  group_by(week, year) %>%  
  summarize(temp = mean(temp))  
  
ggplot(chic_wy, aes(week, temp)) +  
  geom_line(  
    aes(linetype = year),  
    size = .7  
)
```



# scale\_linetype\_manual()

```
ggplot(chic_wy, aes(week, temp)) +  
  geom_line(  
    aes(linetype = year),  
    size = .7  
  ) +  
  scale_linetype_manual(  
    name = "Year:",  
    values = c("dotted",  
              "twodash",  
              "longdash",  
              "dotdash")  
  )
```

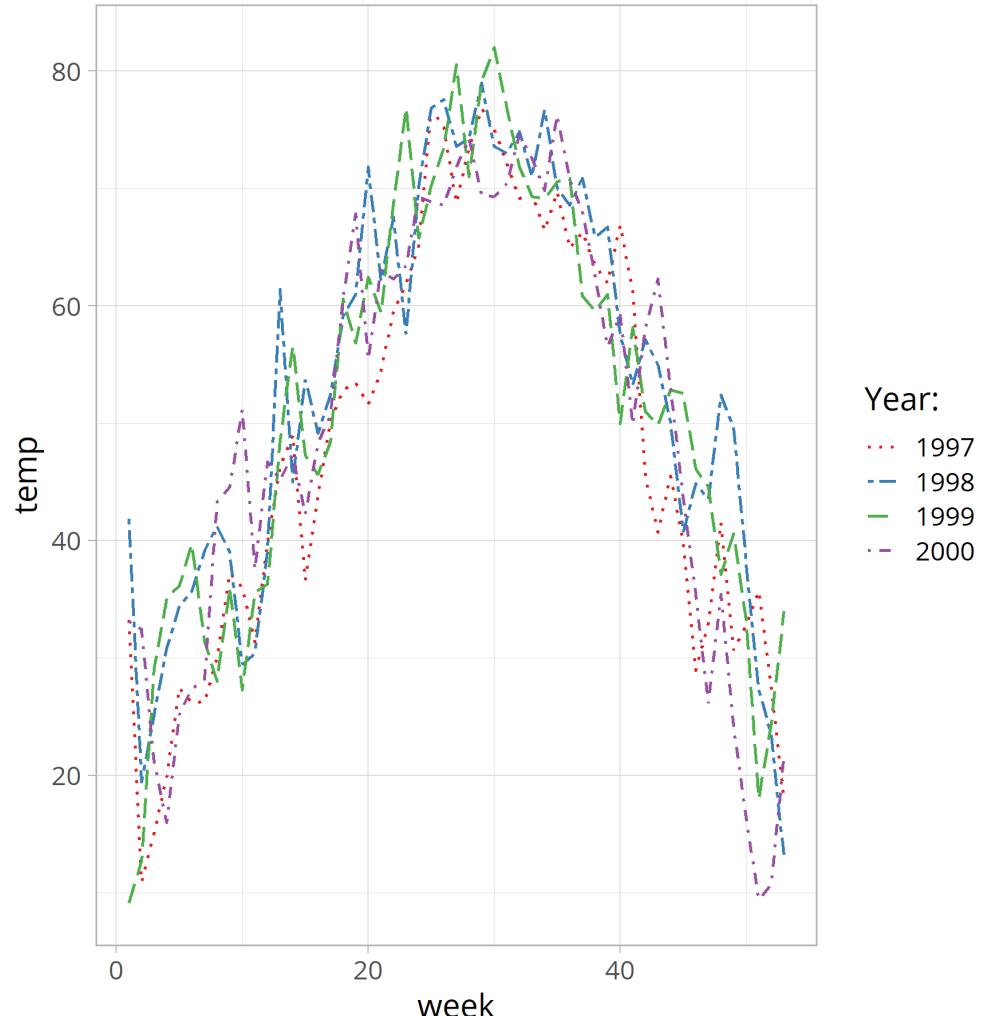


# scale\_linetype\_\*

—	lty=1 or 'solid'
- - - - -	lty=2 or 'dashed'
· · · · ·	lty=3 or 'dotted'
· - - - -	lty=4 or 'dotdash'
- - - - -	lty=5 or 'longdash'
— - - - -	lty=6 or 'twodash'

# scale\_linetype\_manual()

```
ggplot(chic_wy, aes(week, temp)) +  
  geom_line(  
    aes(  
      linetype = year,  
      color = year  
    ),  
    size = .7  
  ) +  
  scale_linetype_manual(  
    name = "Year:",  
    values = c("dotted",  
              "twodash",  
              "longdash",  
              "dotdash")  
  ) +  
  scale_color_brewer(  
    name = "Year:",  
    palette = "Set1",  
  )
```



# Scales

**scale\_alpha\_\***()

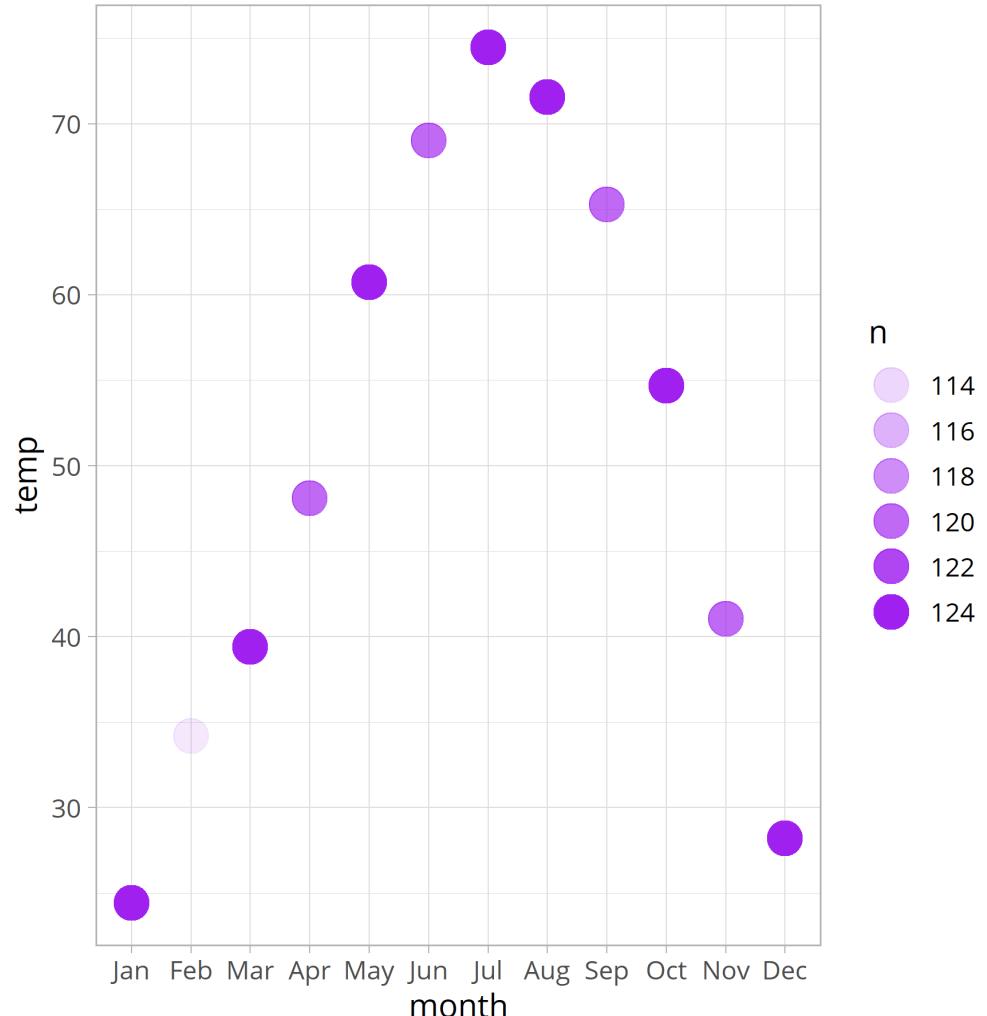
# scale\_alpha\_\*

```
chic_month <-  
  chic %>%  
  mutate(  
    month = lubridate::month(  
      date,  
      label = T  
    )  
  ) %>%  
  group_by(month) %>%  
  summarize(  
    temp = mean(temp),  
    n = n()  
  ) %>%  
  ungroup()  
  
chic_month
```

```
## # A tibble: 12 x 3  
##   month   temp     n  
##   <ord>   <dbl> <int>  
## 1 Jan     24.4    124  
## 2 Feb     34.2    113  
## 3 Mar     39.4    124  
## 4 Apr     48.1    120  
## 5 May     60.7    124  
## 6 Jun     69.0    120  
## 7 Jul     74.5    124  
## 8 Aug     71.6    124  
## 9 Sep     65.3    120  
## 10 Oct    54.7    124  
## 11 Nov    41.0    120  
## 12 Dec    28.2    124
```

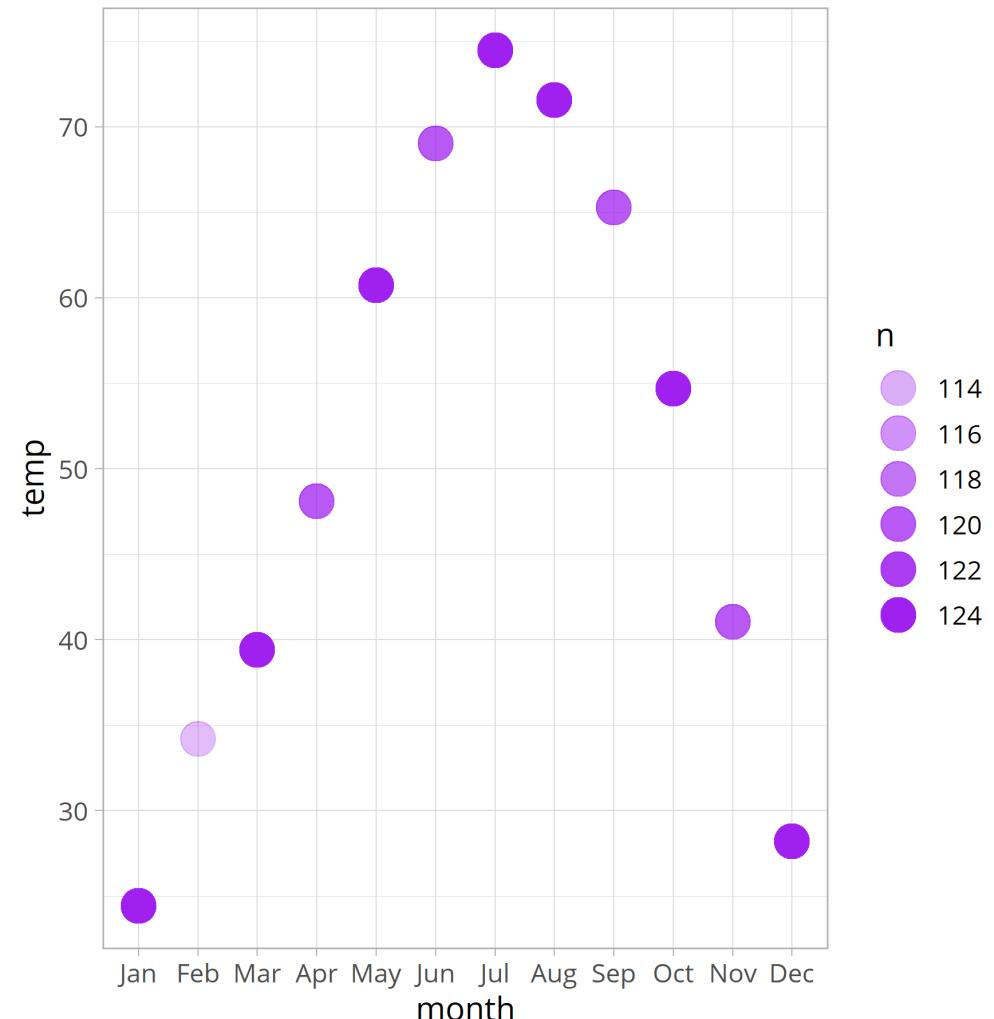
# scale\_alpha\_\*

```
ggplot(chic_month, aes(month, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(alpha = n),  
    size = 8,  
    color = "purple"  
)
```



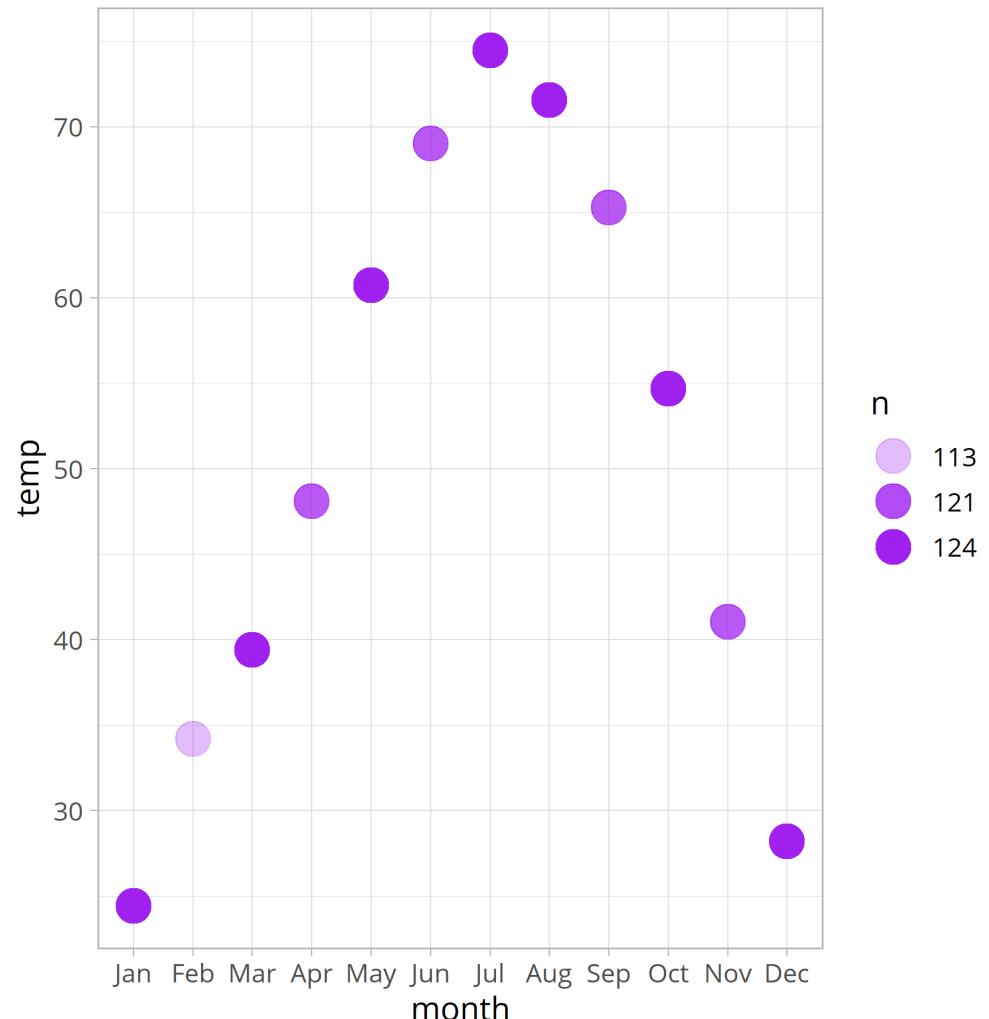
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```
ggplot(chic_month, aes(month, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(alpha = n),  
    size = 8,  
    color = "purple"  
) +  
  scale_alpha(  
    range = c(.3, 1)  
)
```



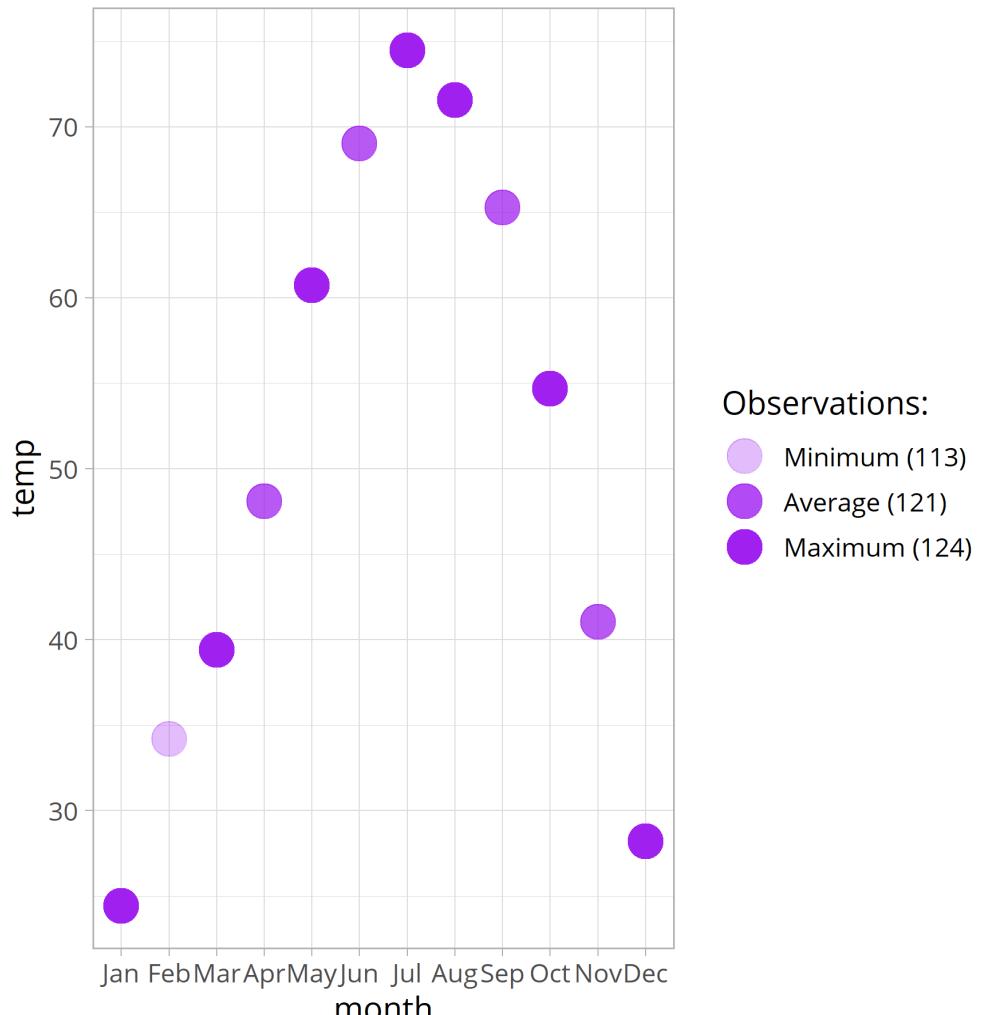
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ggplot(chic_month, aes(month, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(alpha = n),  
    size = 8,  
    color = "purple"  
  ) +  
  scale_alpha(  
    range = c(.3, 1),  
    breaks = c(  
      min(chic_month$n),  
      floor(mean(chic_month$n)),  
      max(chic_month$n)  
    )  
  )
```



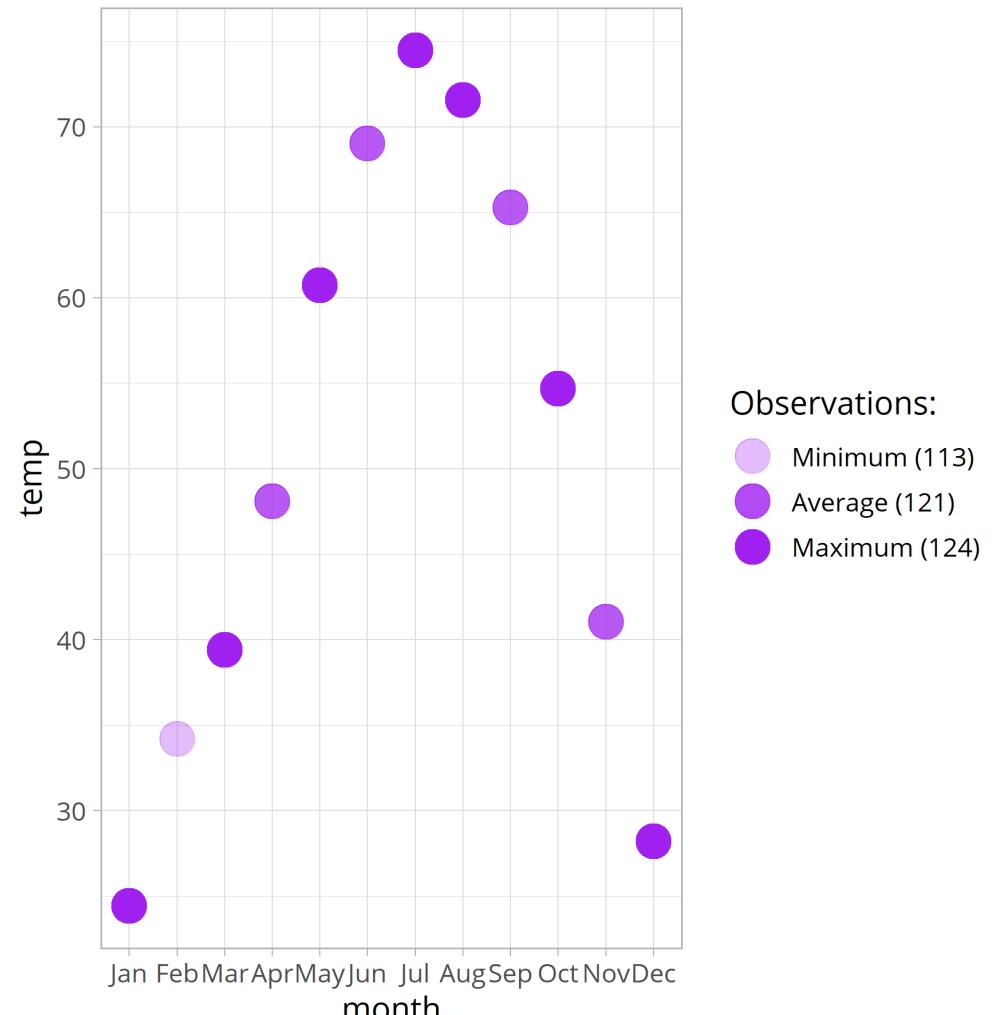
# scale\_alpha()

```
ggplot(chic_month, aes(month, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(alpha = n),  
    size = 8,  
    color = "purple"  
  ) +  
  scale_alpha(  
    name = "Observations:",  
    range = c(.3, 1),  
    breaks = c(  
      min(chic_month$n),  
      floor(mean(chic_month$n)),  
      max(chic_month$n)  
    ),  
    labels = c(  
      "Minimum (113)",  
      "Average (121)",  
      "Maximum (124)"  
    )  
  )
```



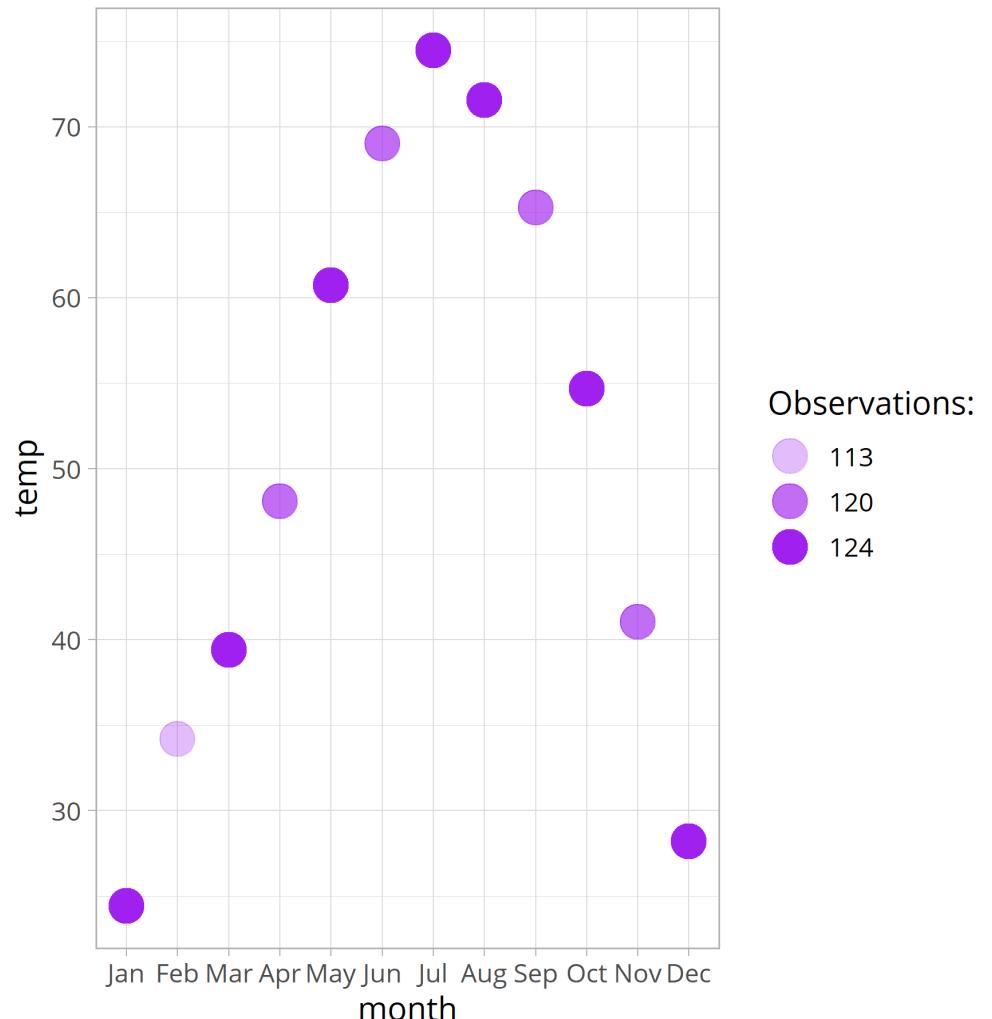
# scale\_alpha\_continuous()

```
ggplot(chic_month, aes(month, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(alpha = n),  
    size = 8,  
    color = "purple"  
  ) +  
  scale_alpha_continuous(  
    name = "Observations:",  
    range = c(.3, 1),  
    breaks = c(  
      min(chic_month$n),  
      floor(mean(chic_month$n)),  
      max(chic_month$n)  
    ),  
    labels = c(  
      "Minimum (113)",  
      "Average (121)",  
      "Maximum (124)"  
    )  
  )
```



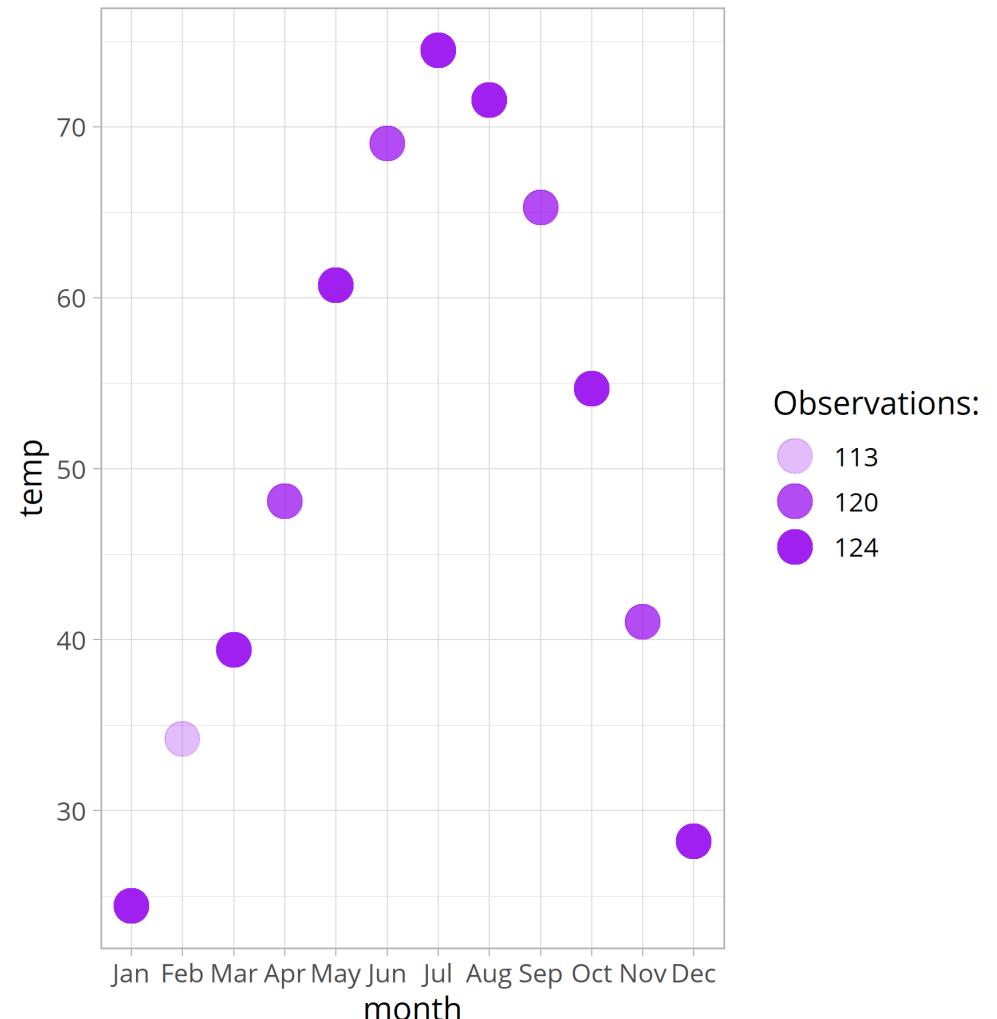
# scale\_alpha\_discrete()

```
ggplot(chic_month, aes(month, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(alpha = as.factor(n)),  
    size = 8,  
    color = "purple"  
  ) +  
  scale_alpha_discrete(  
    name = "Observations:",  
    range = c(.3, 1)  
  )
```



# scale\_alpha\_discrete()

```
ggplot(chic_month, aes(month, temp)) +  
  geom_point(  
    aes(alpha = as.factor(n)),  
    size = 8,  
    color = "purple"  
  ) +  
  scale_alpha_manual(  
    name = "Observations:",  
    values = c(.3, .8, 1)  
  )
```



# Your Turn!

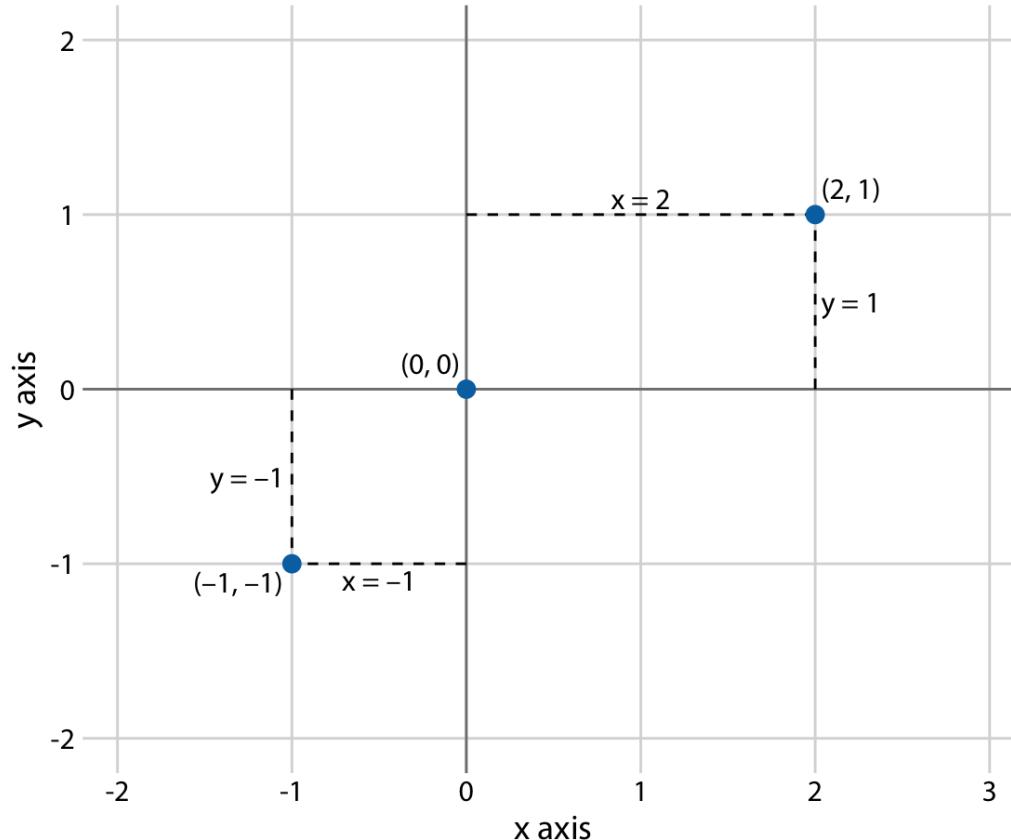
- Visualize the relationship of temperature and Ozone in Chicago using a hexagonal binning and a (non-green) viridis color palette.
- Afterwards, make the axis title more descriptive and change the legend title to "Count:".
- Now change the x axis so it shows the temperature every 10°F in a range of -10°F to 90°F.
- Turn the labels on the y axis into two string labels (e.g. "low" and "high").
- Explore some other color palettes that are available in other packages, pick one you like and change the color palette of the plot.
- Check if your final plot is color-blindness safe either online, e.g. [color-blindness.com/coblis-color-blindness-simulator](http://color-blindness.com/coblis-color-blindness-simulator) or using the package **colorblindr** (*Note: You need to install again some development versions of packages, follow the instructions on <https://github.com/clauswilke/colorblindr>*)

# Coordinate System

`coord_*`(`)`

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Source: "Fundamentals of Data Visualization" by Claus Wilke

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a Cartesian coordinate system with a fixed aspect ratio
- Non-linear coordinate systems that likely change the shapes:
  - `coord_map()` and `coord_sf()`:  
map projections
  - `coord_polar()`:  
a polar coordinate system
  - `coord_trans()`:  
arbitrary transformations to x and y positions

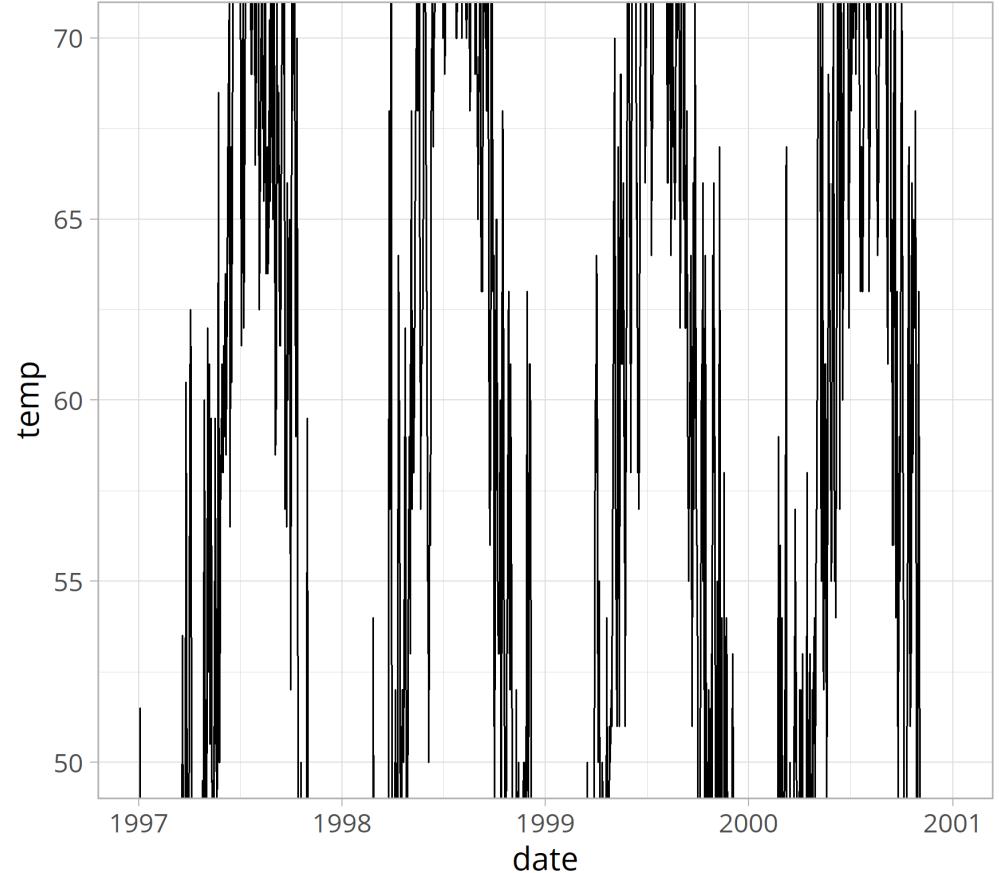
# Coordinate System

## `coord_cartesian()`

# coord\_cartesian()

coord\_\*() functions allow you to zoom in a plot:

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_line() +  
  coord_cartesian(  
    ylim = c(50, 70)  
  )
```

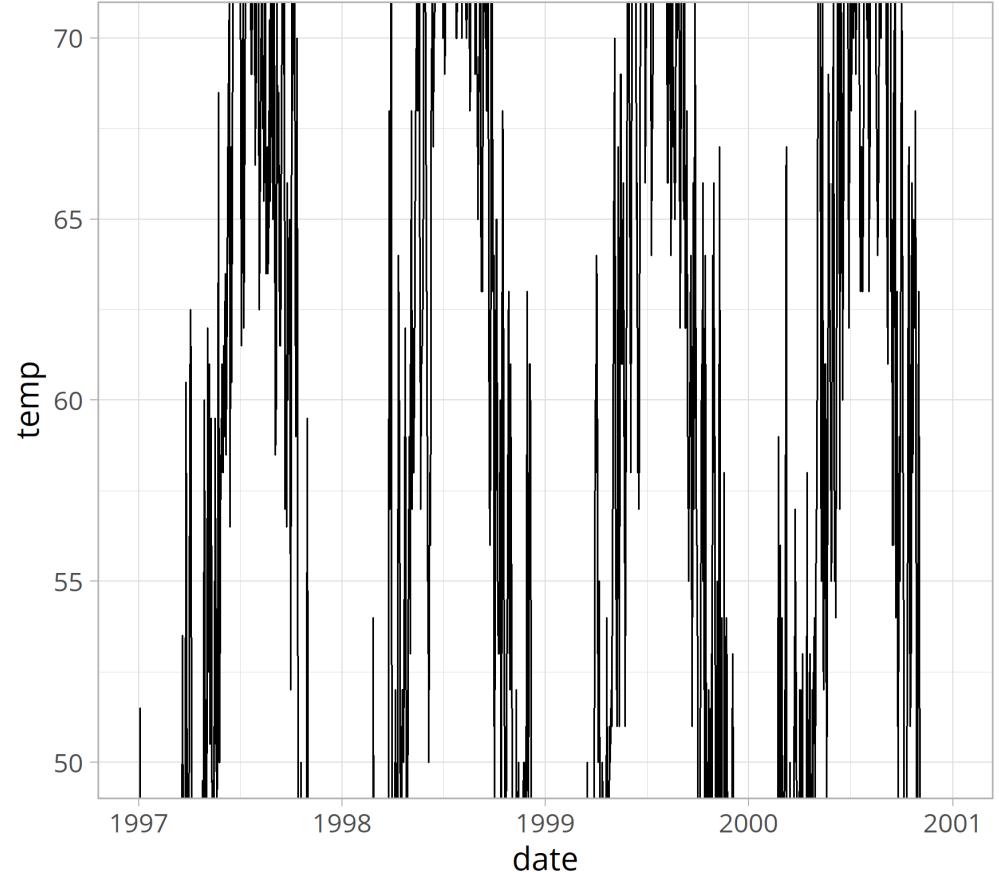


# coord\_cartesian()

coord\_\*() functions allow you to zoom in a plot:

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_line() +  
  coord_cartesian(  
    ylim = c(50, 70)  
  )
```

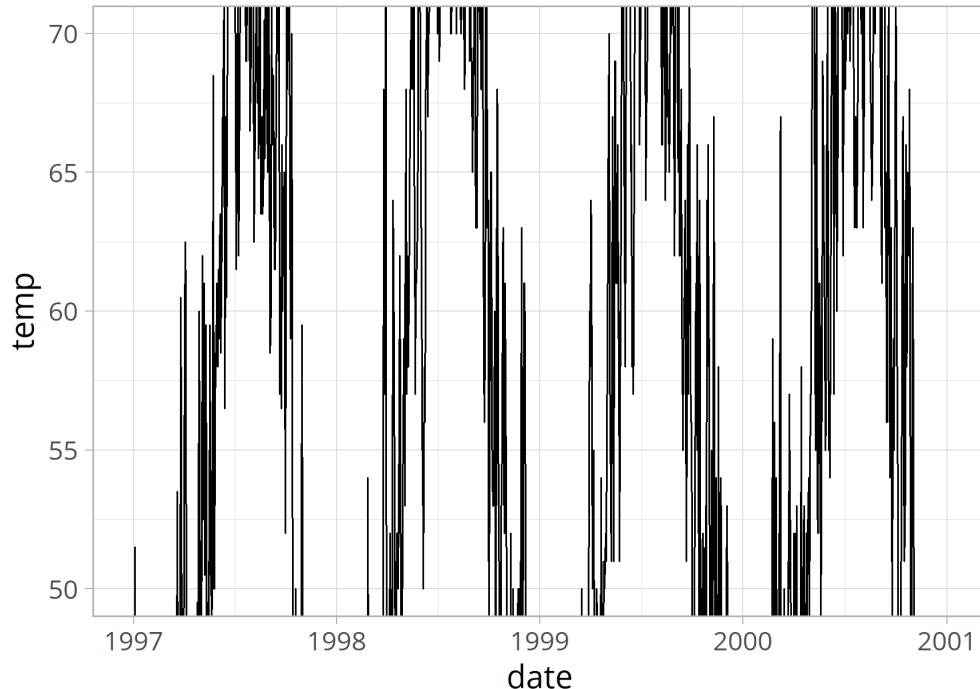
Note that data points outside the plot area are not removed!



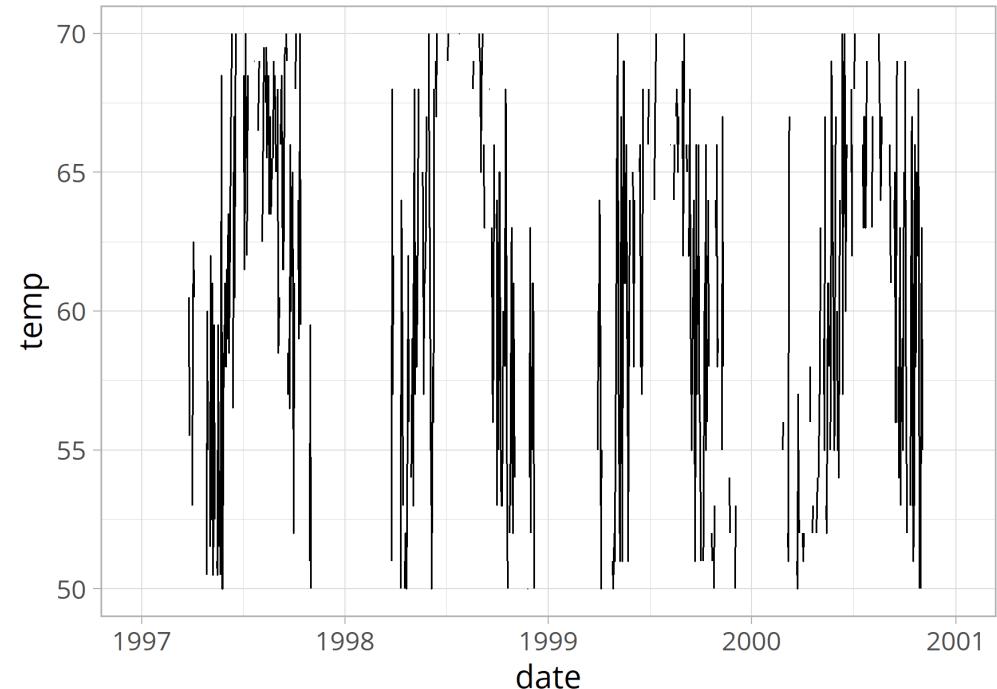
# coord\_cartesian()

In case you want to remove those data points, use `scale_y_continuous(limits = c(min, max))`.

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ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_line() +  
  coord_cartesian(ylim = c(50, 70))
```



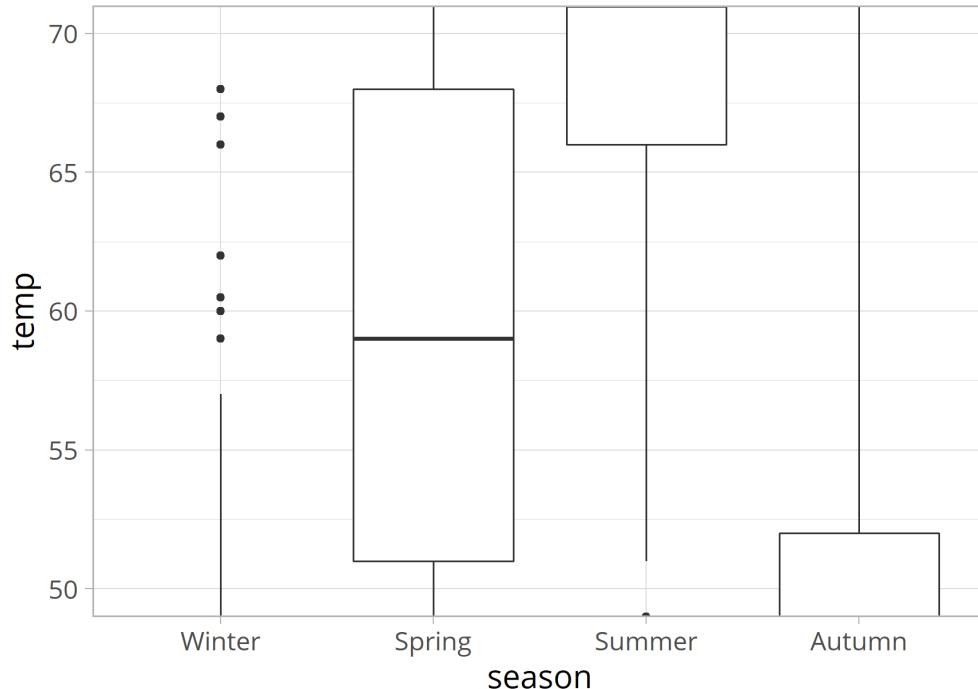
```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_line() +  
  scale_y_continuous(limits = c(50, 70))
```



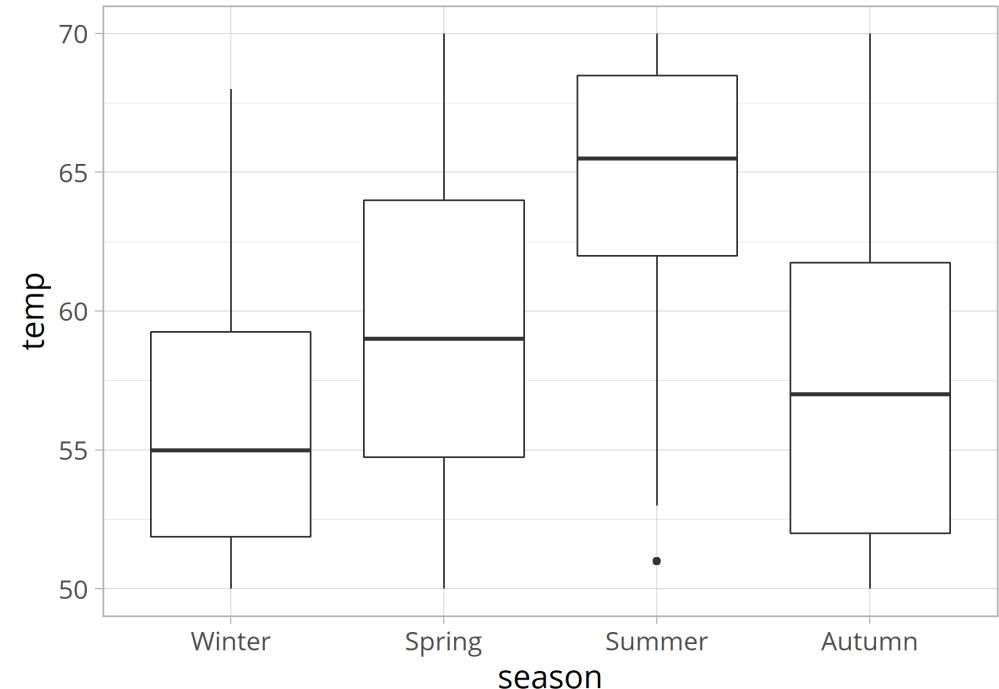
# coord\_cartesian()

In case you want to remove those data points, use `scale_y_continuous(limits = c(min, max))`.

```
ggplot(chic, aes(season, temp)) +  
  geom_boxplot() +  
  coord_cartesian(ylim = c(50, 70))
```



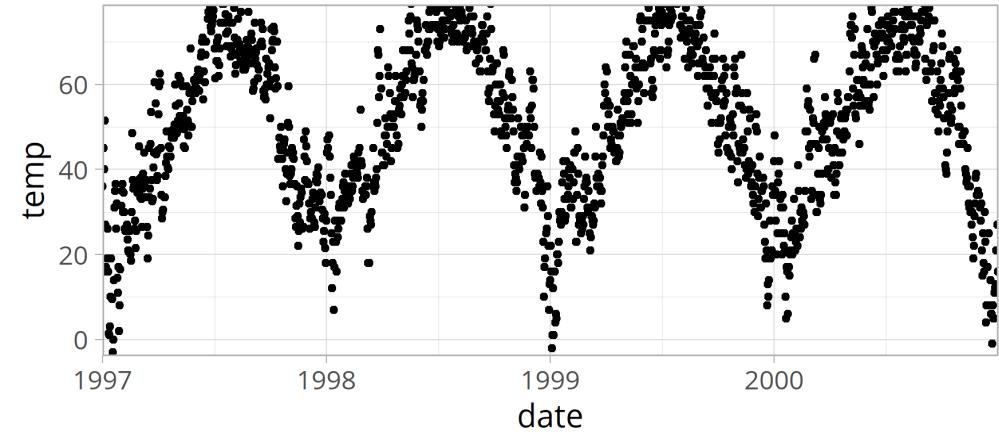
```
ggplot(chic, aes(season, temp)) +  
  geom_boxplot() +  
  scale_y_continuous(limits = c(50, 70))
```



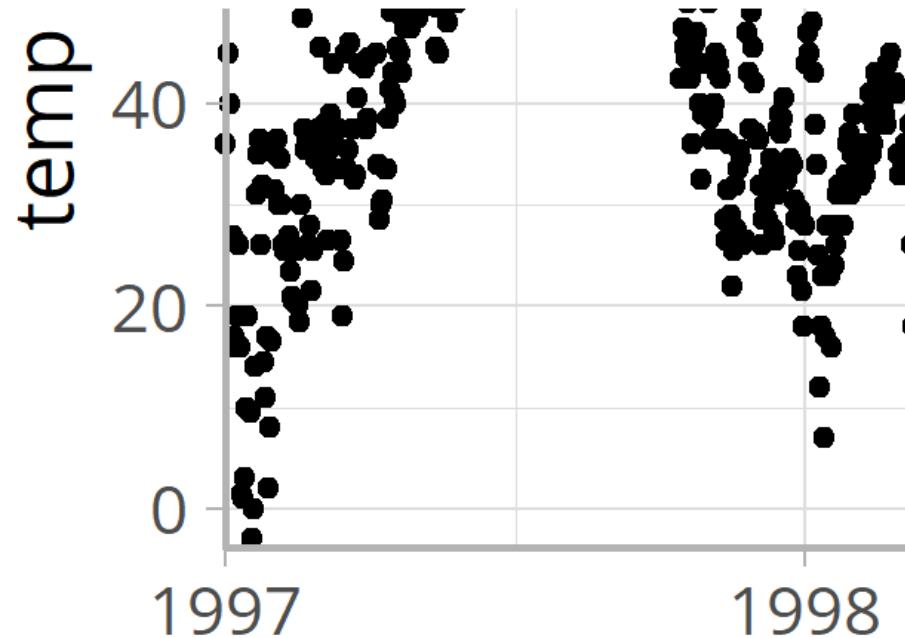
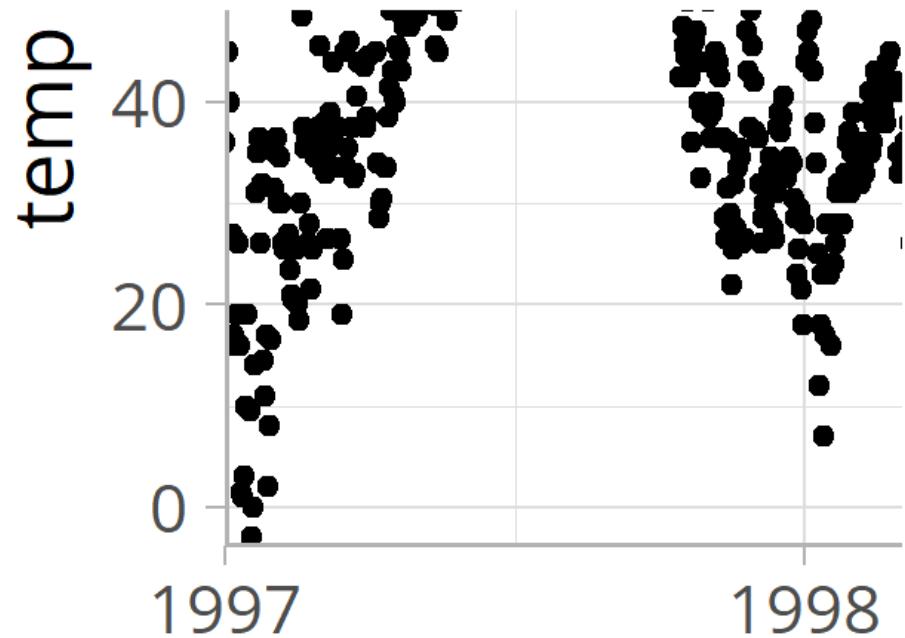
# coord\_cartesian()

coord\_\*( ) is also used to *prevent clipping* of points and the correct alignment of axis ticks:

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point() +  
  coord_cartesian(  
    ylim = c(0, 75)  
  )
```



# Clipping

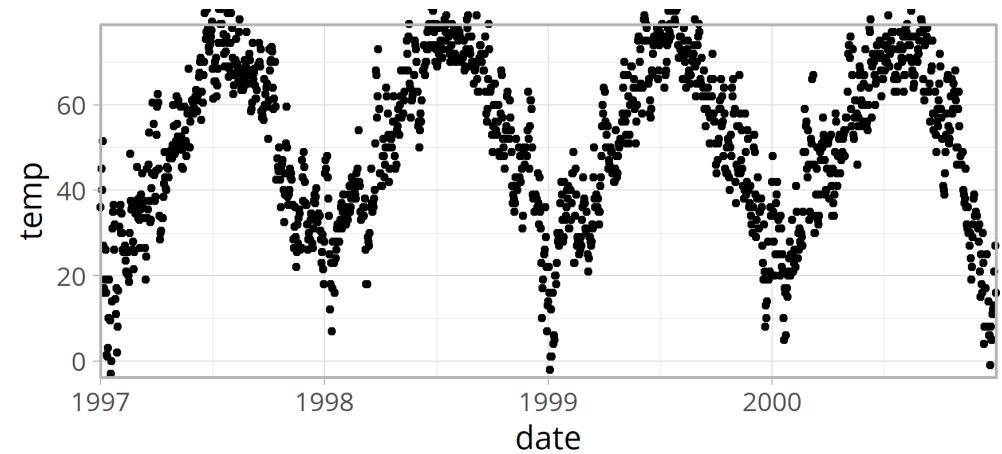
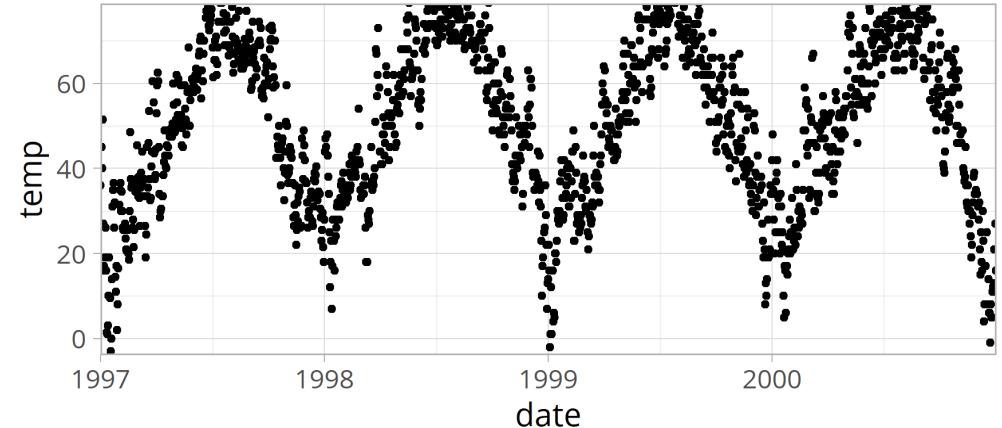


# coord\_cartesian()

coord\_\*() is also used to *prevent clipping* of points and correct alignment of axis ticks:

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point() +  
  coord_cartesian(  
    ylim = c(0, 75)  
)
```

```
ggplot(chic, aes(date, temp)) +  
  geom_point() +  
  coord_cartesian(  
    ylim = c(0, 75),  
    clip = "off"  
)
```



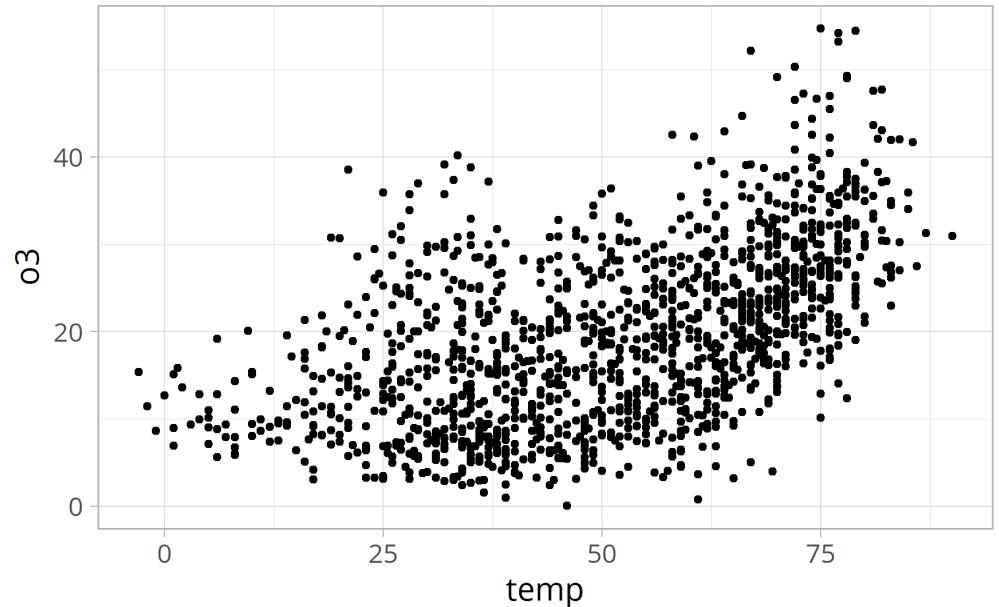
# Coordinate System

## `coord_fixed()`

# coord\_fixed()

`coord_fixed()` forces a specified ratio as physical representation of units on the axes:

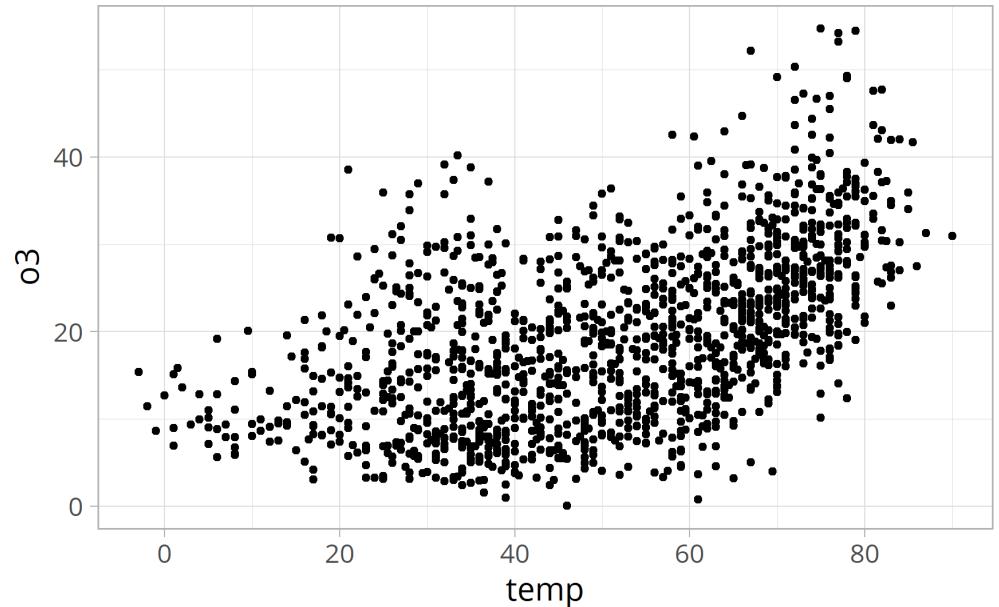
```
ggplot(chic, aes(temp, o3)) +  
  geom_point() +  
  coord_fixed()
```



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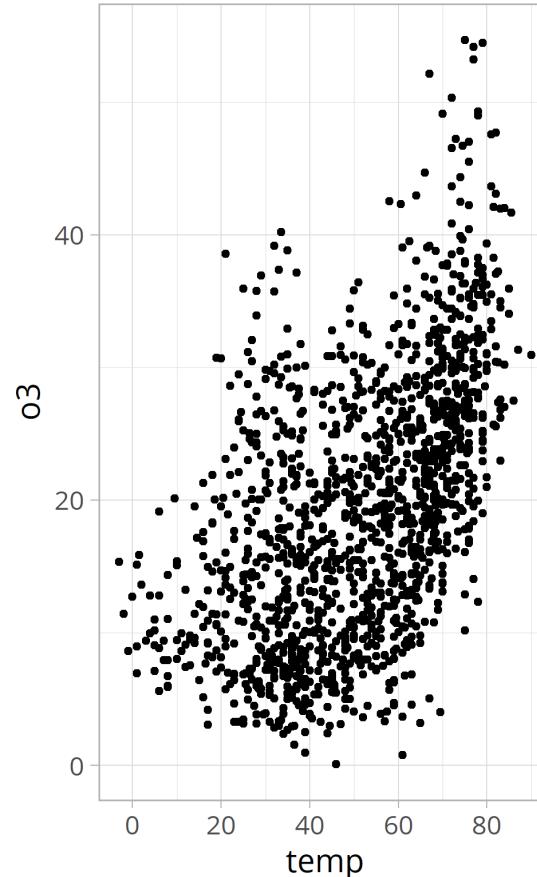
```
ggplot(chic, aes(temp, o3)) +  
  geom_point() +  
  coord_fixed() +  
  scale_x_continuous(  
    breaks = seq(0, 100, by = 20)  
)
```



# coord\_fixed()

`coord_fixed()` forces a specified ratio as physical representation of units on the axes:

```
ggplot(chic, aes(temp, o3)) +  
  geom_point() +  
  coord_fixed(  
    ratio = 3  
) +  
  scale_x_continuous(  
    breaks = seq(0, 100, by = 20)  
)
```



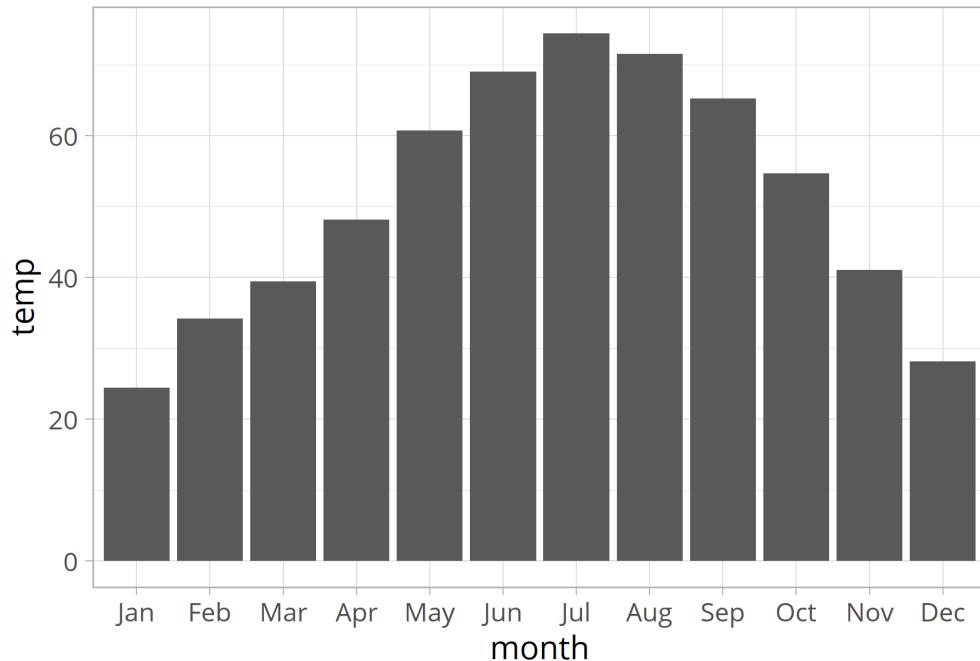
# Coordinate System

## `coord_flip()`

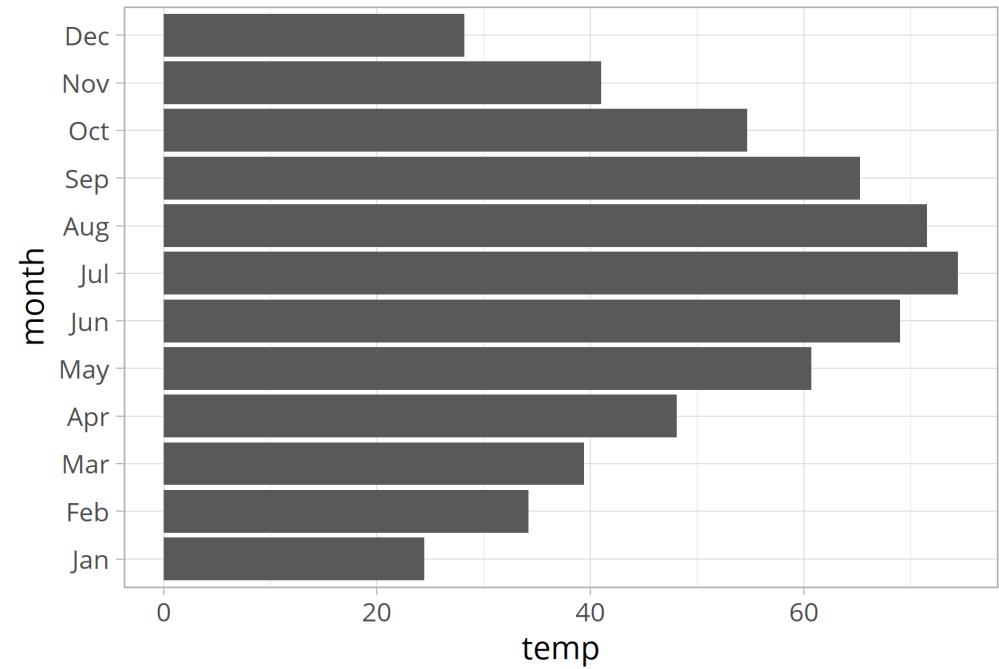
# coord\_flip()

`coord_flip()` allows you to flip a Cartesian coordinate system:

```
ggplot(chic_month, aes(month, temp)) +  
  geom_col() +  
  coord_cartesian()
```



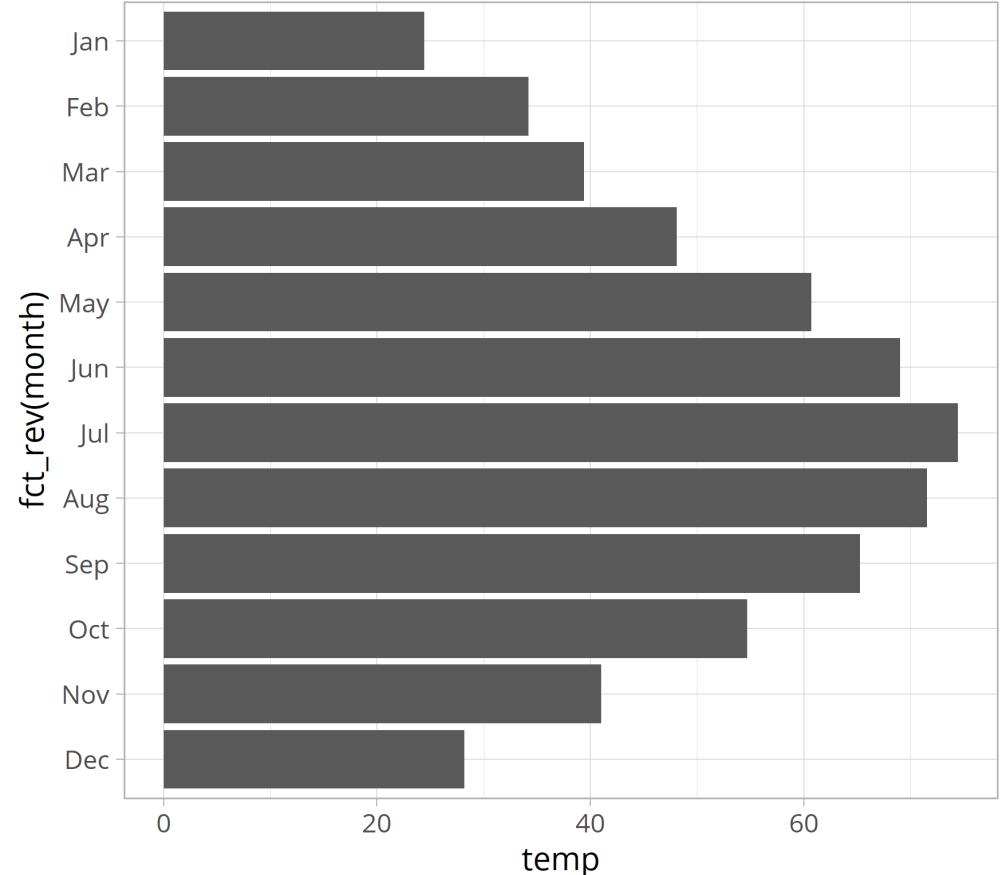
```
ggplot(chic_month, aes(month, temp)) +  
  geom_col() +  
  coord_flip()
```



# coord\_flip()

`coord_flip()` allows you to flip a Cartesian coordinate system:

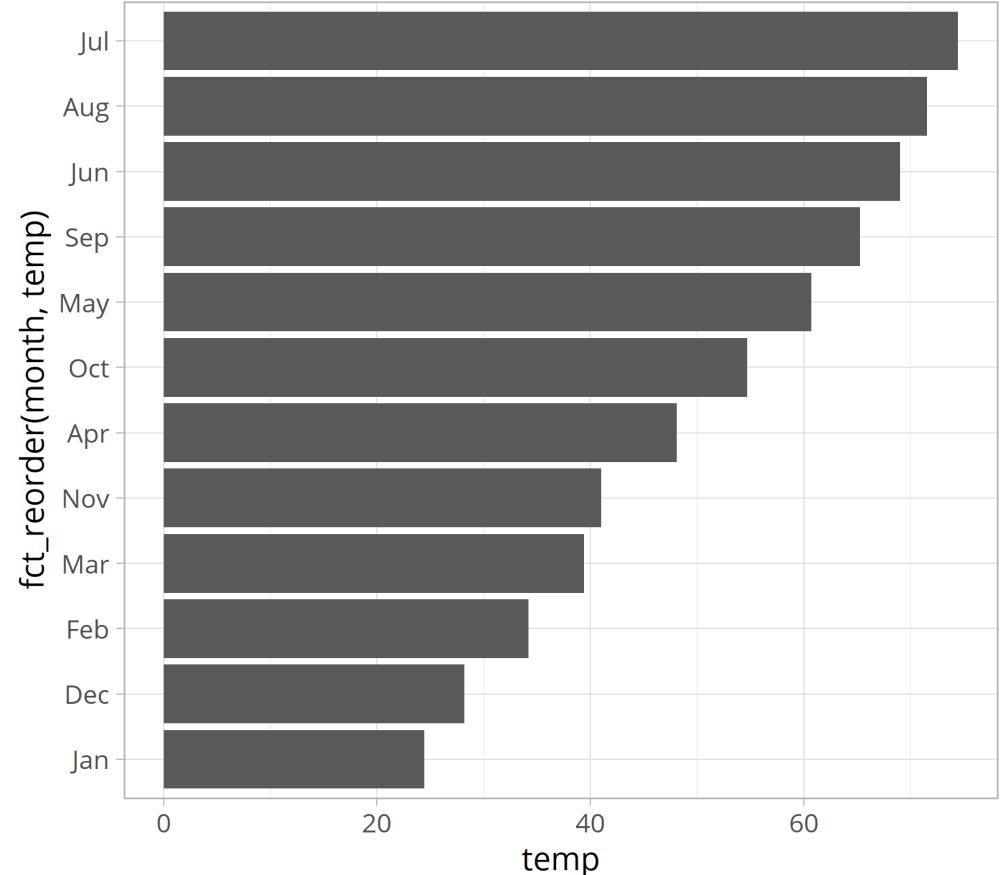
```
ggplot(  
  chic_month,  
  aes(  
    fct_rev(month),  
    temp  
  )) +  
  geom_col() +  
  coord_flip()
```



# coord\_flip()

`coord_flip()` allows you to flip a Cartesian coordinate system:

```
ggplot(  
  chic_month,  
  aes(  
    fct_reorder(month, temp),  
    temp  
  )) +  
  geom_col() +  
  coord_flip()
```



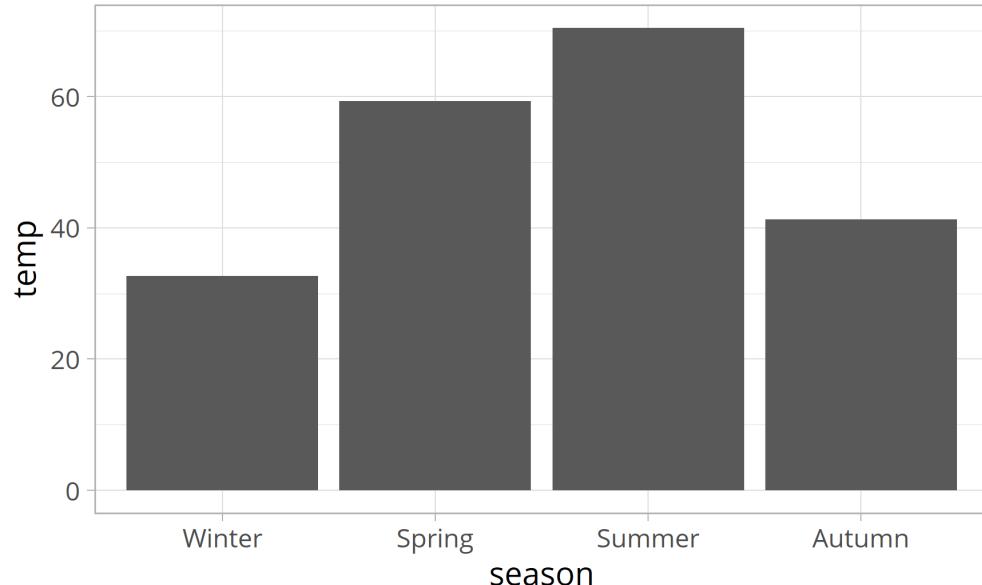
# Coordinate System

## `coord_polar()`

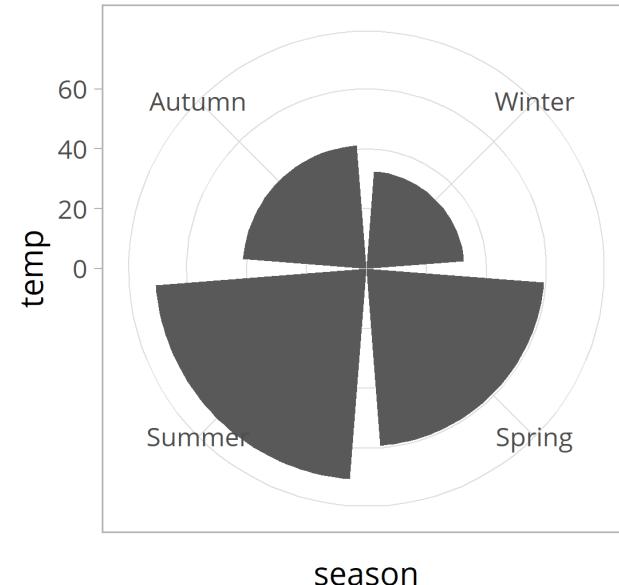
# coord\_polar()

You can easily transform a rectangular coordinate system into a polar one with `coord_polar()`:

```
ggplot(chic, aes(season, temp)) +  
  stat_summary(fun.y = mean,  
              geom = "col") +  
  coord_cartesian()
```



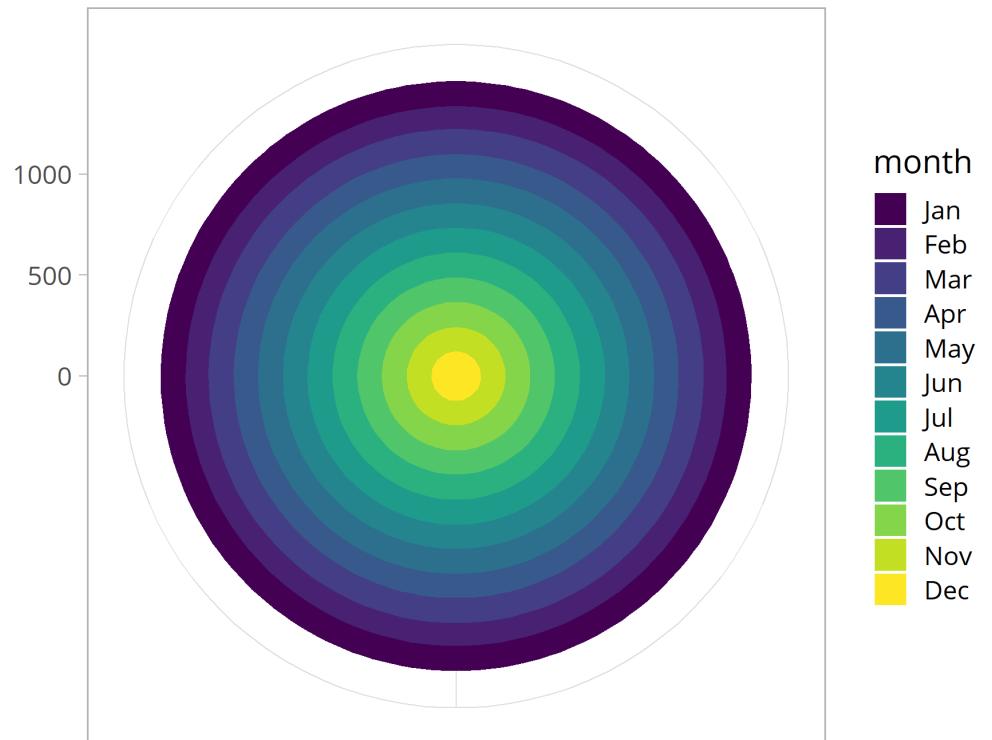
```
ggplot(chic, aes(season, temp)) +  
  stat_summary(fun.y = mean,  
              geom = "col") +  
  coord_polar()
```



# coord\_polar()

This way, we can create pie charts:

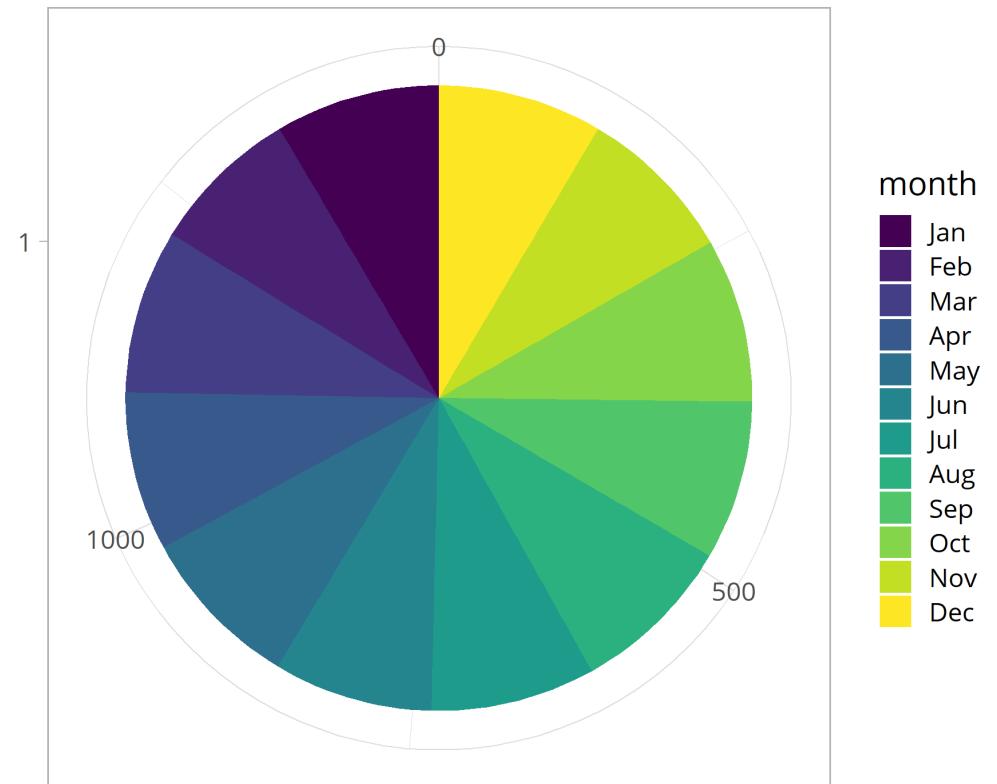
```
ggplot(  
  chic_month,  
  aes(  
    factor(1), n,  
    fill = month  
  )) +  
  geom_col() +  
  coord_polar() +  
  scale_x_discrete(  
    name = NULL,  
    expand = c(0, 0)  
  ) +  
  scale_y_continuous(  
    name = NULL,  
    expand = c(0, 0)  
  )
```



# coord\_polar()

This way, we can create pie charts:

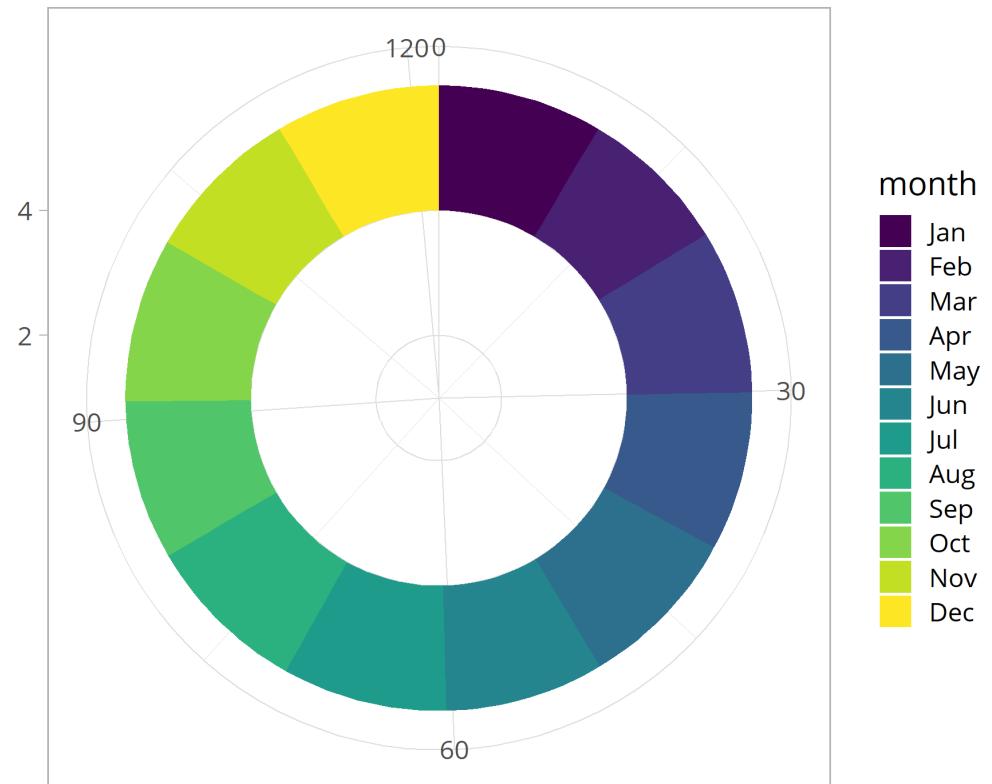
```
ggplot(  
  chic_month,  
  aes(  
    factor(1), n,  
    fill = month  
  )) +  
  geom_col() +  
  coord_polar(theta = "y") +  
  scale_x_discrete(  
    name = NULL,  
    expand = c(0, 0)  
  ) +  
  scale_y_continuous(  
    name = NULL,  
    expand = c(0, 0)  
  )
```



# coord\_polar()

... and doughnut charts:

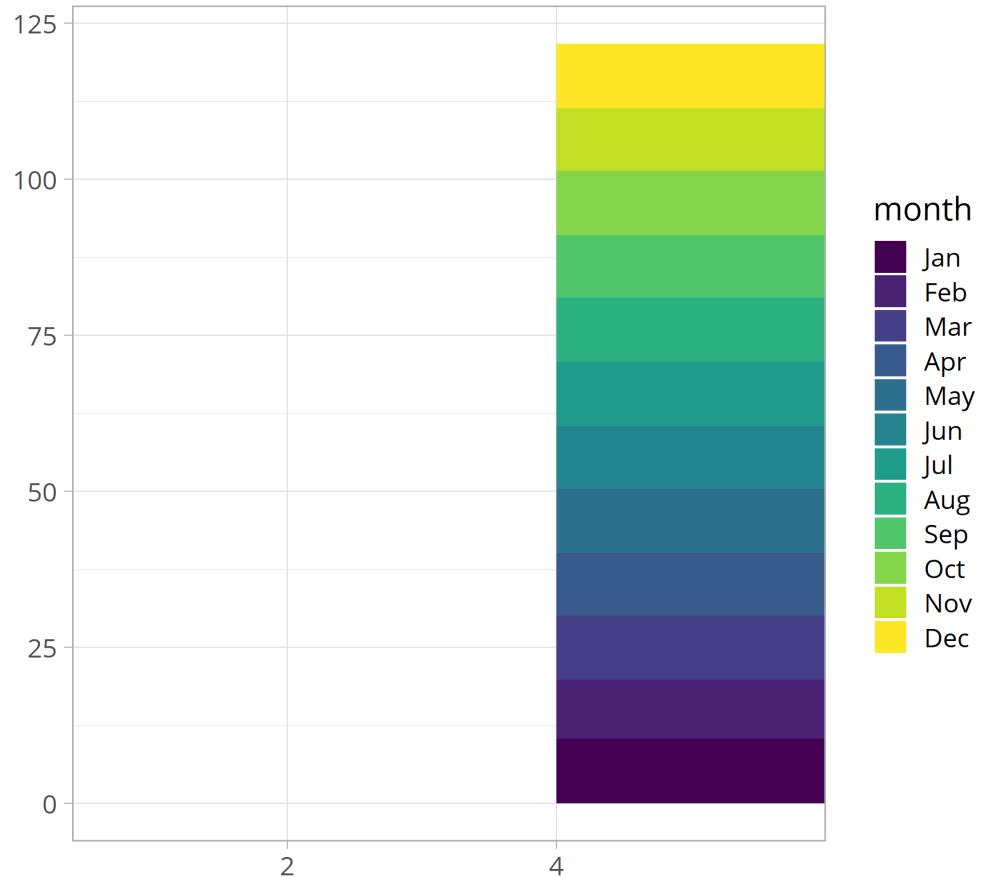
```
chic_month %>%
  mutate(
    perc = n / n(),
    ymax = cumsum(perc),
    ymin = c(0, head(ymax, n = -1)))
) %>%
  ggplot(
    aes(
      xmin = 4, xmax = 6,
      ymin = ymin, ymax = ymax,
      fill = month
    )) +
  geom_rect() +
  coord_polar(theta = "y") +
  scale_x_discrete(
    name = NULL,
    limits = c(2, 4)
  )
```



# coord\_polar()

Our doughnut charts looks like this in a Cartesian coordinate system:

```
chic_month %>%
  mutate(
    perc = n / n(),
    ymax = cumsum(perc),
    ymin = c(0, head(ymax, n = -1)))
) %>%
  ggplot(
    aes(
      xmin = 4, xmax = 6,
      ymin = ymin, ymax = ymax,
      fill = month
    )) +
  geom_rect() +
  #coord_polar(theta = "y") +
  scale_x_discrete(
    name = NULL,
    limits = c(2, 4)
  )
```



# Coordinate System

`coord_map()` and `coord_sf()`

# coord\_map() and coord\_sf()

Maps often come as polygons:

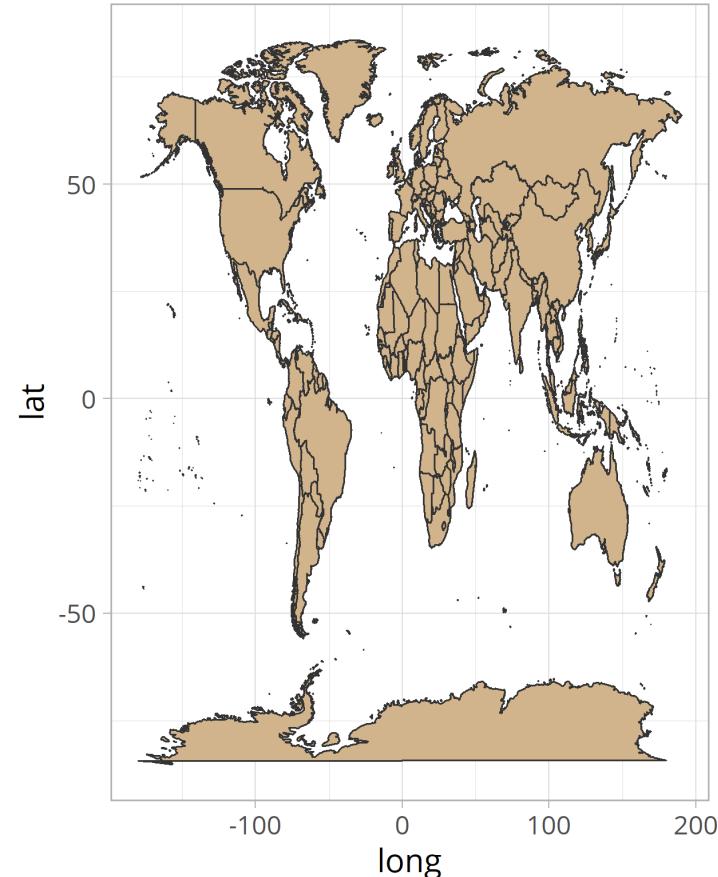
```
world <- map_data("world")

head(world, 15)
##       long      lat group order   region subregion
## 1 -69.89912 12.45200     1     1    Aruba    <NA>
## 2 -69.89571 12.42300     1     2    Aruba    <NA>
## 3 -69.94219 12.43853     1     3    Aruba    <NA>
## 4 -70.00415 12.50049     1     4    Aruba    <NA>
## 5 -70.06612 12.54697     1     5    Aruba    <NA>
## 6 -70.05088 12.59707     1     6    Aruba    <NA>
## 7 -70.03511 12.61411     1     7    Aruba    <NA>
## 8 -69.97314 12.56763     1     8    Aruba    <NA>
## 9 -69.91181 12.48047     1     9    Aruba    <NA>
## 10 -69.89912 12.45200    1    10    Aruba    <NA>
## 12  74.89131 37.23164    2    12 Afghanistan <NA>
## 13  74.84023 37.22505    2    13 Afghanistan <NA>
## 14  74.76738 37.24917    2    14 Afghanistan <NA>
## 15  74.73896 37.28564    2    15 Afghanistan <NA>
## 16  74.72666 37.29072    2    16 Afghanistan <NA>
```

# `coord_map()` and `coord_sf()`

Maps often come as polygons and can be plotted via `geom_polygon()`:

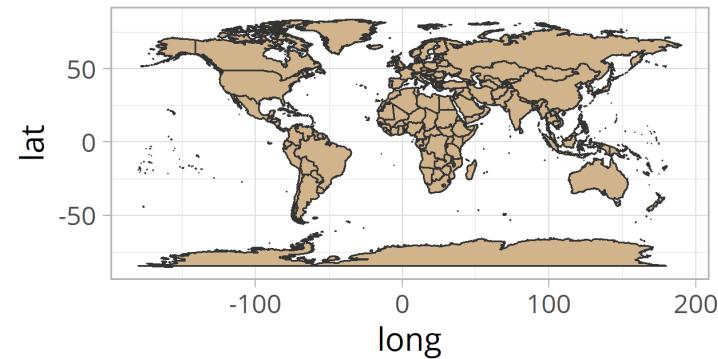
```
(g_world <-
  ggplot(
    world,
    aes(
      long, lat,
      group = group
    )) +
  geom_polygon(
    fill = "tan",
    color = "grey20"
  )
)
```



# `coord_map()` and `coord_sf()`

We can fix that by using `coord_fixed()`:

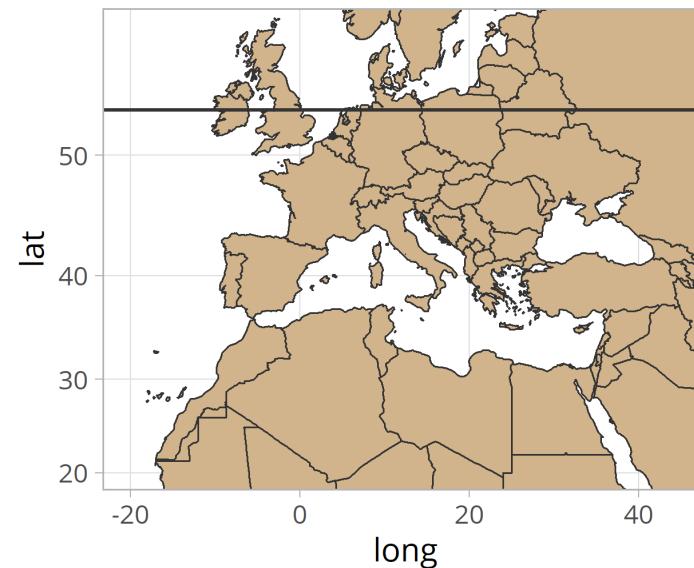
```
g_world +  
  coord_fixed()
```



# `coord_map()` and `coord_sf()`

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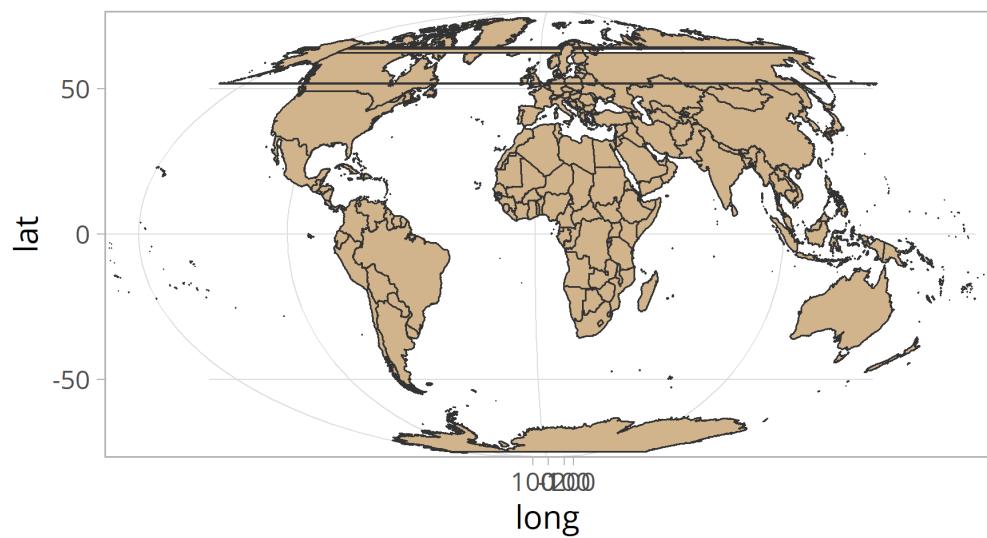
```
g_world +  
  coord_map(  
    xlim = c(-20, 45),  
    ylim = c(20, 58)  
  )
```



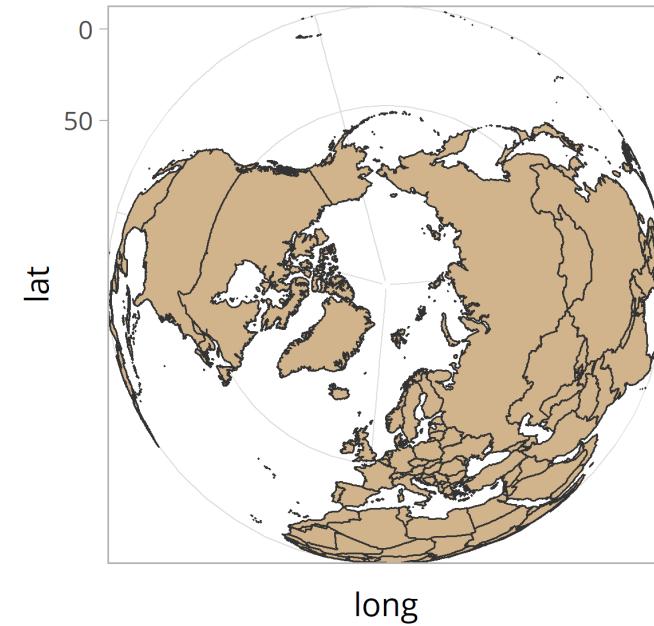
# `coord_map()` and `coord_sf()`

Since maps are displaying spherical data, it's better to project the data via `coord_map()`:

```
g_world +  
  coord_map("mollweide")
```



```
g_world +  
  coord_map("ortho")
```



# `coord_map()` and `coord_sf()`

The `sf` package (**simple features**) is the new standard in geospatial computation:

```
library(sf)

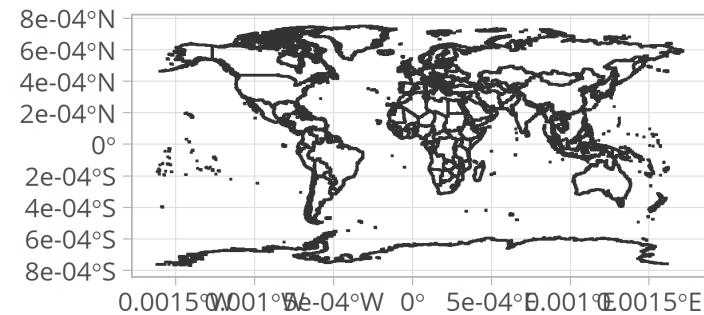
sf_world <- st_as_sf(world, coords = c("long", "lat"), crs = 3786)

head(sf_world)
## Simple feature collection with 6 features and 4 fields
## geometry type: POINT
## dimension: XY
## bbox:           xmin: -70.06612 ymin: 12.423 xmax: -69.89571 ymax: 12.59707
## epsg (SRID):   3786
## proj4string: +proj=eqc +lat_ts=0 +lat_0=0 +lon_0=0 +x_0=0 +y_0=0 +a=6371007 +b=6
##   group order region subregion               geometry
## 1     1      1 Aruba      <NA>  POINT (-69.89912 12.452)
## 2     1      2 Aruba      <NA>  POINT (-69.89571 12.423)
## 3     1      3 Aruba      <NA>  POINT (-69.94219 12.43853)
## 4     1      4 Aruba      <NA>  POINT (-70.00415 12.50049)
## 5     1      5 Aruba      <NA>  POINT (-70.06612 12.54697)
## 6     1      6 Aruba      <NA>  POINT (-70.05088 12.59707)
```

# `coord_map()` and `coord_sf()`

The `sf` package is included in `ggplot2` via `geom_sf()` and `coord_sf()`:

```
ggplot(sf_world) +  
  geom_sf(  
    fill = "tan",  
    color = "grey20",  
    size = .3  
)
```

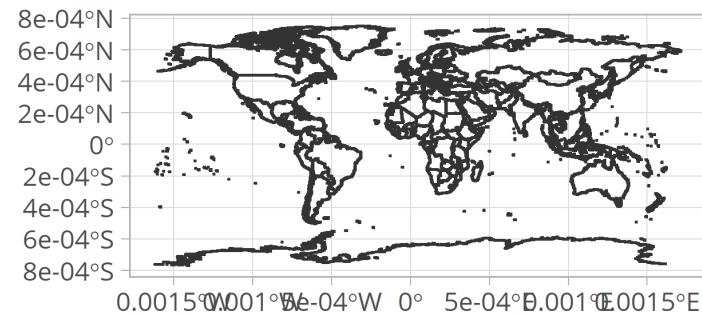


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)
```

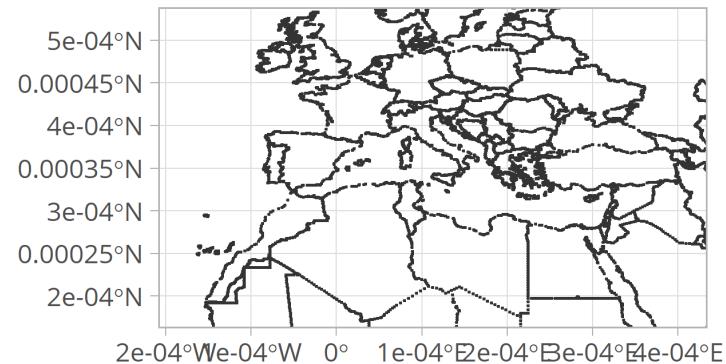
The `fill` argument doesn't work here, since it turned our polygons into points...



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    color = "grey20",  
    size = .3  
  ) +  
  coord_sf(  
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    ylim = c(20, 58)  
  )
```

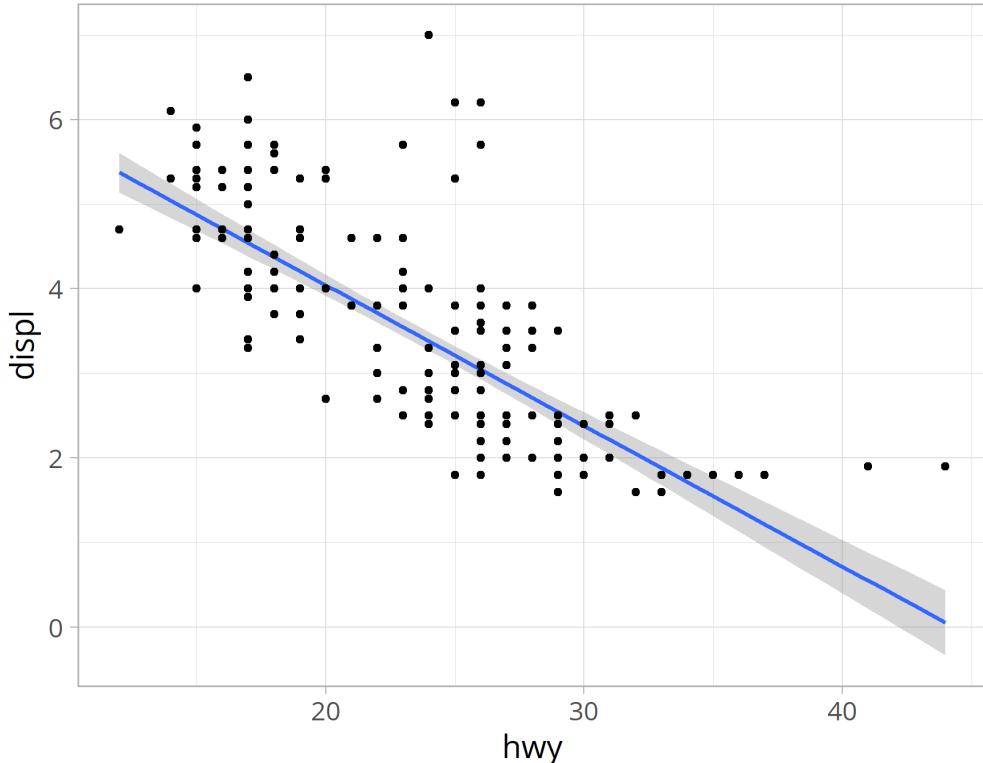


# Your Turn!

- For a data set of your choice
  - create a scatter plot with a linear fitting and test how `coord_fixed()` changes the perception of the relationship
  - create a pie or doughnut chart for one variable in that data set

# Your Turn: Fixed Aspect Ratio

```
ggplot(mpg, aes(hwy, displ)) +  
  geom_smooth(method = "lm") +  
  geom_point()
```



```
ggplot(mpg, aes(hwy, displ)) +  
  geom_smooth(method = "lm") +  
  geom_point() +  
  coord_fixed()
```

