

TIDY DATA

MPA 630: Data Science for Public Management

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PLAN FOR TODAY

Tidy data

Verbs

Live example

Birds and planes again

TIDY DATA

WHAT IS TIDY DATA?

~~Clean perfect data~~

Each variable is a column

Each observation is a row

C O L U M N H E A D E R S A R E V A L U E S

Country	Beer servings	Wine servings	Spirit servings
Canada	240	122	100
South Korea	140	16	9
USA	249	128	84

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Country	Type	Servings
Canada	Beer	240
South Korea	Beer	140
USA	Beer	249
Canada	Wine	122
South Korea	Wine	16
USA	Wine	128
Canada	Spirits	100
South Korea	Spirits	9
USA	Spirits	84

INFORMATION NOT IN TABLE

Country	Beer servings	Wine servings	Spirit servings
Canada	240	122	100
South Korea	140	16	9
USA	249	128	84
Key			
North America			
Asia			
Surprisingly high			
Surprisingly low			

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Country	Type	Servings	Continent	Surprise
Canada	Beer	240	North America	High
South Korea	Beer	140	Asia	NA
USA	Beer	249	North America	High
Canada	Wine	122	North America	NA
South Korea	Wine	16	Asia	Low
USA	Wine	128	North America	NA
Canada	Spirits	100	North America	NA
South Korea	Spirits	9	Asia	Low
USA	Spirits	84	North America	NA

WIDE VS LONG

wide

id	x	y	z
1	a	c	e
2	b	d	f

long

id	key	val
1	x	a
2	x	b
1	y	c
2	y	d
1	z	e
2	z	f

MOVING FROM WIDE TO LONG

wide

id	x	y	z
	a	c	e
1	b	d	f

TIDY ME

religion	<\$10k	\$10–20k	\$20–30k	\$30–40k	\$40–50k	\$50–75k
Agnostic	27	34	60	81	76	137
Atheist	12	27	37	52	35	70
Buddhist	27	21	30	34	33	58
Catholic	418	617	732	670	638	1116
Don't know/refused	15	14	15	11	10	35
Evangelical Prot	575	869	1064	982	881	1486
Hindu	1	9	7	9	11	34
Historically Black Prot	228	244	236	238	197	223
Jehovah's Witness	20	27	24	24	21	30
Jewish	19	19	25	25	30	95

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religion	income	freq
Agnostic	<\$10k	27
Agnostic	\$10–20k	34
Agnostic	\$20–30k	60
Agnostic	\$30–40k	81
Agnostic	\$40–50k	76
Agnostic	\$50–75k	137
Agnostic	\$75–100k	122
Agnostic	\$100–150k	109
Agnostic	>150k	84
Agnostic	Don't know/refused	96

TIDY ME TOO

year	artist	track	time	date.entered	wk1	wk2	wk3
2000	2 Pac	Baby Don't Cry	4:22	2000-02-26	87	82	72
2000	2Ge+her	The Hardest Part Of ...	3:15	2000-09-02	91	87	92
2000	3 Doors Down	Kryptonite	3:53	2000-04-08	81	70	68
2000	98^0	Give Me Just One Nig...	3:24	2000-08-19	51	39	34
2000	A*Teens	Dancing Queen	3:44	2000-07-08	97	97	96
2000	Aaliyah	I Don't Wanna	4:15	2000-01-29	84	62	51
2000	Aaliyah	Try Again	4:03	2000-03-18	59	53	38
2000	Adams, Yolanda	Open My Heart	5:30	2000-08-26	76	76	74

Table 7: The first eight Billboard top hits for 2000. Other columns not shown are wk4, wk5, ..., wk75.

TIDIED

year	artist	time	track	date	week	rank
2000	2 Pac	4:22	Baby Don't Cry	2000-02-26	1	87
2000	2 Pac	4:22	Baby Don't Cry	2000-03-04	2	82
2000	2 Pac	4:22	Baby Don't Cry	2000-03-11	3	72
2000	2 Pac	4:22	Baby Don't Cry	2000-03-18	4	77
2000	2 Pac	4:22	Baby Don't Cry	2000-03-25	5	87
2000	2 Pac	4:22	Baby Don't Cry	2000-04-01	6	94
2000	2 Pac	4:22	Baby Don't Cry	2000-04-08	7	99
2000	2Ge+her	3:15	The Hardest Part Of ...	2000-09-02	1	91
2000	2Ge+her	3:15	The Hardest Part Of ...	2000-09-09	2	87
2000	2Ge+her	3:15	The Hardest Part Of ...	2000-09-16	3	92
2000	3 Doors Down	3:53	Kryptonite	2000-04-08	1	81
2000	3 Doors Down	3:53	Kryptonite	2000-04-15	2	70
2000	3 Doors Down	3:53	Kryptonite	2000-04-22	3	68
2000	3 Doors Down	3:53	Kryptonite	2000-04-29	4	67
2000	3 Doors Down	3:53	Kryptonite	2000-05-06	5	66

VERBS

GATHER AND SPREAD

wide

id	x	y	z
	a	c	e
1	b	d	f

MOST COMMON VERBS

`filter()`

Choose rows based on conditions

`select()`

Choose (and rename) columns

`mutate()`

Add column (or change existing column)

`group_by()`

Make subgroups based on a column

`summarize()`

Calculate summary statistics for groups

FILTER

```
gapminder %>%  
  filter(year == 1967)
```

country <fctr>	continent <fctr>	year <int>	lifeExp <dbl>	pop <int>	gdpPercap <dbl>
Afghanistan	Asia	1967	34.02000	11537966	836.1971
Albania	Europe	1967	66.22000	1984060	2760.1969
Algeria	Africa	1967	51.40700	12760499	3246.9918
Angola	Africa	1967	35.98500	5247469	5522.7764
Argentina	Americas	1967	65.63400	22934225	8052.9530
Australia	Oceania	1967	71.10000	11872264	14526.1246
Austria	Europe	1967	70.14000	7376998	12834.6024
Bahrain	Asia	1967	59.92300	202182	14804.6727
Bangladesh	Asia	1967	43.45300	62821884	721.1861
Belgium	Europe	1967	70.94000	9556500	13149.0412

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FILTER

```
gapminder %>%  
  filter(lifeExp < 40)
```

country <fctr>	continent <fctr>	year <int>	lifeExp <dbl>	pop <int>	gdpPercap <dbl>
Afghanistan	Asia	1952	28.801	8425333	779.4453
Afghanistan	Asia	1957	30.332	9240934	820.8530
Afghanistan	Asia	1962	31.997	10267083	853.1007
Afghanistan	Asia	1967	34.020	11537966	836.1971
Afghanistan	Asia	1972	36.088	13079460	739.9811
Afghanistan	Asia	1977	38.438	14880372	786.1134
Afghanistan	Asia	1982	39.854	12881816	978.0114
Angola	Africa	1952	30.015	4232095	3520.6103
Angola	Africa	1957	31.999	4561361	3827.9405
Angola	Africa	1962	34.000	4826015	4269.2767

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FILTER

```
gapminder %>%  
  filter(continent == "Asia", lifeExp < 40)
```

country <fctr>	continent <fctr>	year <int>	lifeExp <dbl>	pop <int>	gdpPercap <dbl>
Afghanistan	Asia	1952	28.801	8425333	779.4453
Afghanistan	Asia	1957	30.332	9240934	820.8530
Afghanistan	Asia	1962	31.997	10267083	853.1007
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Afghanistan	Asia	1982	39.854	12881816	978.0114
Bangladesh	Asia	1952	37.484	46886859	684.2442
Bangladesh	Asia	1957	39.348	51365468	661.6375
Cambodia	Asia	1952	39.417	4693836	368.4693

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SELECT

```
gapminder %>%  
select(country, year, pop)
```

country <fctr>	year <int>	pop <int>
Afghanistan	1952	8425333
Afghanistan	1957	9240934
Afghanistan	1962	10267083
Afghanistan	1967	11537966
Afghanistan	1972	13079460
Afghanistan	1977	14880372
Afghanistan	1982	12881816
Afghanistan	1987	13867957
Afghanistan	1992	16317921
Afghanistan	1997	22227415

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M U T A T E

```
gapminder %>%  
  mutate(something_new = 5)
```

country <fctr>	continent <fctr>	year <int>	lifeExp <dbl>	pop <int>	gdpPercap <dbl>	something_new <dbl>
Afghanistan	Asia	1952	28.80100	8425333	779.4453	5
Afghanistan	Asia	1957	30.33200	9240934	820.8530	5
Afghanistan	Asia	1962	31.99700	10267083	853.1007	5
Afghanistan	Asia	1967	34.02000	11537966	836.1971	5
Afghanistan	Asia	1972	36.08800	13079460	739.9811	5
Afghanistan	Asia	1977	38.43800	14880372	786.1134	5
Afghanistan	Asia	1982	39.85400	12881816	978.0114	5
Afghanistan	Asia	1987	40.82200	13867957	852.3959	5
Afghanistan	Asia	1992	41.67400	16317921	649.3414	5
Afghanistan	Asia	1997	41.76300	22227415	635.3414	5

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M U T A T E

```
gapminder %>%  
  mutate(pop_million = pop / 1000000)
```

country <fctr>	continent <fctr>	year <int>	lifeExp <dbl>	pop <int>	gdpPercap <dbl>	pop_million <dbl>
Afghanistan	Asia	1952	28.80100	8425333	779.4453	8.425333
Afghanistan	Asia	1957	30.33200	9240934	820.8530	9.240934
Afghanistan	Asia	1962	31.99700	10267083	853.1007	10.267083
Afghanistan	Asia	1967	34.02000	11537966	836.1971	11.537966
Afghanistan	Asia	1972	36.08800	13079460	739.9811	13.079460
Afghanistan	Asia	1977	38.43800	14880372	786.1134	14.880372
Afghanistan	Asia	1982	39.85400	12881816	978.0114	12.881816
Afghanistan	Asia	1987	40.82200	13867957	852.3959	13.867957
Afghanistan	Asia	1992	41.67400	16317921	649.3414	16.317921
Afghanistan	Asia	1997	41.76300	22227415	635.3414	22.227415

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M U T A T E

```
gapminder %>%  
  mutate(lifeExp_binary = ifelse(lifeExp < 40,  
                                "Very low", "Not very low"))
```

country <fctr>	continent <fctr>	year <int>	lifeExp <dbl>	pop <int>	gdpPercap <dbl>	lifeExp_binary <chr>
Afghanistan	Asia	1952	28.80100	8425333	779.4453	Very low
Afghanistan	Asia	1957	30.33200	9240934	820.8530	Very low
Afghanistan	Asia	1962	31.99700	10267083	853.1007	Very low
Afghanistan	Asia	1967	34.02000	11537966	836.1971	Very low
Afghanistan	Asia	1972	36.08800	13079460	739.9811	Very low
Afghanistan	Asia	1977	38.43800	14880372	786.1134	Very low
Afghanistan	Asia	1982	39.85400	12881816	978.0114	Very low
Afghanistan	Asia	1987	40.82200	13867957	852.3959	Not very low
Afghanistan	Asia	1992	41.67400	16317921	649.3414	Not very low
Afghanistan	Asia	1997	41.76300	22227415	635.3414	Not very low

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GROUP_BY + SUMMARIZE

```
gapminder %>%  
  group_by(continent) %>%  
  summarize(avg_lifeexp = mean(lifeExp),  
            median_lifeexp = median(lifeExp),  
            num_countries = n())
```

continent <fctr>	avg_lifeexp <dbl>	median_lifeexp <dbl>	num_countries <int>
Africa	48.86533	47.7920	624
Americas	64.65874	67.0480	300
Asia	60.06490	61.7915	396
Europe	71.90369	72.2410	360
Oceania	74.32621	73.6650	24

5 rows

GROUP_BY + SUMMARIZE

```
gapminder %>%  
  group_by(continent, year) %>%  
  summarize(avg_lifeexp = mean(lifeExp),  
            median_lifeexp = median(lifeExp),  
            num_countries = n())
```

continent <fctr>	year <int>	avg_lifeexp <dbl>	median_lifeexp <dbl>	num_countries <int>
Africa	1952	39.13550	38.8330	52
Africa	1957	41.26635	40.5925	52
Africa	1962	43.31944	42.6305	52
Africa	1967	45.33454	44.6985	52
Africa	1972	47.45094	47.0315	52
Africa	1977	49.58042	49.2725	52
Africa	1982	51.59287	50.7560	52
Africa	1987	53.34479	51.6395	52
Africa	1992	53.62958	52.4290	52
Africa	1997	53.59827	52.7590	52

OTHER HELPFUL VERBS

arrange()

Sort a data frame by a column

rename()

Rename columns

count()

group_by() %>% summarize(n = n())

gather()

Make a data frame long

spread()

Make a data frame wide

LIVE EXAMPLE

BREAK

BIRDS AND PLANES AGAIN