



Exercise



Using the pipe %>%

The pipe %>% can be used to perform operations sequentially without having to define intermediate objects. After redefining murders to include rate and rank.

```
library(dplyr)
murders <- mutate(murders, rate = total / population * 100000, rank = (-rate))
```

in the solution to the previous exercise we did the following:

```
# Created a table
my_states <- filter(murders, region %in% c("Northeast", "West") & rate < 1)

# Used select to show only the state name, the murder rate and the rank
select(my_states, state, rate, rank)
```

The pipe %>% permits us to perform both operation sequentially and without having to define an intermediate variable my_states

For example we could have mutated and selected in the same line like this:

```
mutate(murders, rate = total / population * 100000, rank = (-rate)) %>%
  select(state, rate, rank)
```

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```
1 # Load library
2 library(dplyr)
3
4 ## Define the rate column
5 murders <- mutate(murders, rate = total / population * 100000, rank =
6
7 # show the result and only include the state, rate, and rank columns,
  that order
8 filter(murders, region %in% c("Northeast", "West") & rate < 1) %>%
9   select(state, rate, rank)
```



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