







The R Graph Gallery









Welcome the R graph gallery, a collection of charts made with the R programming language. Hundreds of charts are displayed in several sections, always with their reproducible code available. The gallery makes a focus on the tidyverse and ggplot2. Feel free to suggest a chart or report a bug; any feedback is highly welcome! Stay in touch with the gallery by following it on Twitter or by subscribing to the newsletter.

https://r-graph-gallery.com/

https://github.com/holtzy/R-graph-gallery



The Python Graph Gallery

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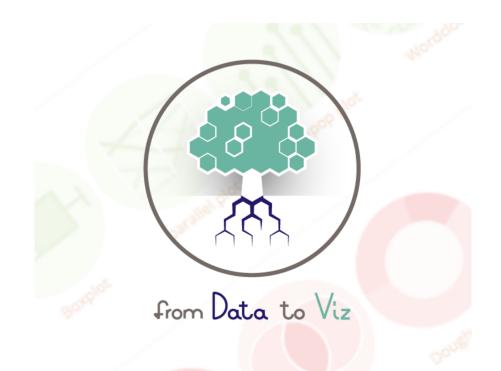
Graphs are dispatched in about 40 sections following the <u>data-to-viz</u> classification. There are also sections dedicated to more general topics like <u>matplotlib</u> or <u>seaborn</u>.

Each example is accompanied by its corresponding **reproducible code** along with comprehensive **explanations**. The gallery offers tutorials that cater to beginners to help kickstart their journey, as well as advanced examples that demonstrate the potency of Python in the realm of data visualization.

https://python-graph-gallery.com/

https://github.com/holtzy/The-Python-Graph-Gallery



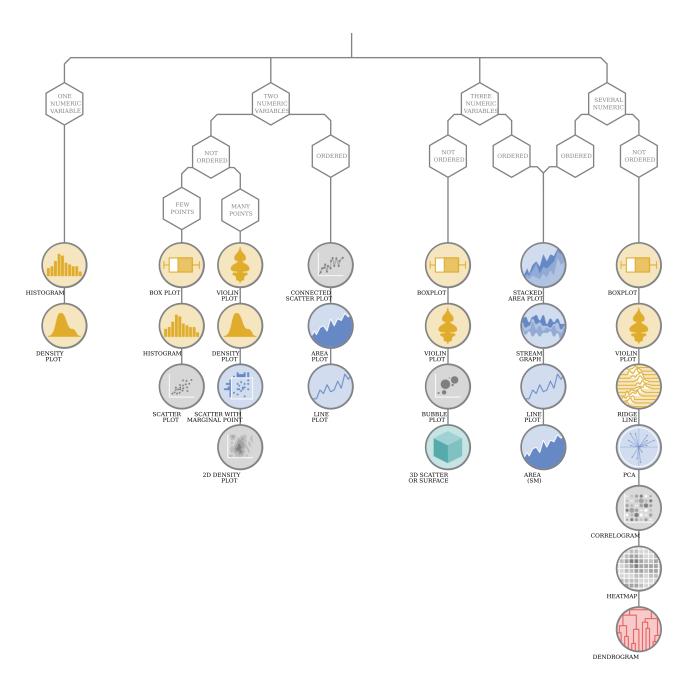


From Data to Viz leads you to the most appropriate graph for your data. It links to the code to build it and lists common caveats you should avoid.

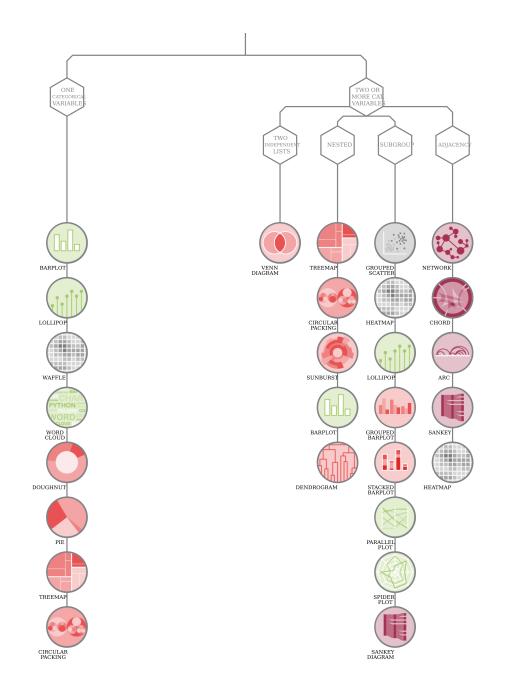
Using the "data-to-viz classification"

https://www.data-to-viz.com/











r/dataisbeautiful, also known as **Data Is Beautiful**, is a subreddit dedicated to aesthetically pleasing works of data visualization.^{[2][3][4]} It was created in 2012; as of January 2022, it has 17.59 million members.^[5]

Rules [edit]

The r/dataisbeautiful subreddit requires users submitting visualizations to clearly credit both the individual who created the visualization and the source of the data on which it is based. If someone submits a visualization they created themselves, the rules require them to put "[OC]" in the title of the submission, and to identify the source of data and software tool they used to create it.^[6]



https://www.reddit.com/r/dataisbeautiful/





```
1 import datetime
2
3 import pandas as pd
4 from plotnine import *
```



"Visualizing Baby Sleep Times in Python"

All code from: https://github.com/dodger487/snoo_plots

For more analyses of the same data that we won't cover: https://www.relevantmisc.com/python/r/data/2020/06/10/baby-sleep-night-day/



```
1 df = pd.read_csv(
2   'https://github.com/\
3 dodger487/snoo_plots/\
4 raw/master/sleep_data.csv'
5   )
6
7 df.head()
```

```
start_time
end_time duration asleep soothing
0 2019-11-21 18:30:32 2019-11-21
               80
                      80
18:31:52
  2019-11-22 04:03:22 2019-11-22
05:07:17
             3835
                  2422
                              1413
2 2019-11-22 05:53:24 2019-11-22
05:54:27
               63
                      36
                                27
  2019-11-22 05:52:51 2019-11-22
07:01:11
             4100
                    3140
                               960
4 2019-11-22 22:51:19 2019-11-22
23:20:48
             1769
                     1289
                               480
```

We want to plot date on the x-axis and the time of day on the y-axis. We'll have a vertical line from the start to the end of a sleep session.

The datetimes include both dates and times so we'll have to break them apart. Pandas . dt is great here, it allows you to use the standard library datetime methods on a Pandas series in parallel.



```
1 # Break out dates and times.
  df["start_datetime"]\
   = pd.to_datetime(\
 4 df["start_time"])
   df["end_datetime"]\
   = pd.to_datetime(\
   df["end_time"])
10 df["start_time"]\
  = df["start_datetime"].dt.time
12
13 df["end_time"]\
  = df["end_datetime"].dt.time
15
16 df["start_date"]\
17 = df["start_datetime"].dt.date
```

What about sleep sessions that span days?



```
# Deal with sessions that
   # cross day boundaries.
  df no cross =\
  df[df["start_datetime"].dt.day\
   == df["end_datetime"].dt.day].copy()
   df cross =\
   df[df["start_datetime"].dt.day\
   != df["end_datetime"].dt.day]
11
   df_cross_1 = df_cross.copy()
13
14 df_cross_2 = df_cross.copy()
```

First, we separate out sessions into those that cross midnight and those that don't. We don't need to do anything about the former and can set that data aside.

For sessions that do cross midnight, we make two copies.



```
1 df_cross_1["end_time"]\
2 = datetime.time(\)
3 hour=23, minute=59, second=59)
4
5 df_cross_2["start_date"]\
6 = df_cross_2["start_date"]\
7 + datetime.timedelta(days=1)
8
9 df_cross_2["start_time"]\
10 = datetime.time(\)
11 hour=0, minute=0, second=0)
```

For the first copy, we set the end date to just before midnight.

For the second, we set the start time to midnight and increment the date to be the next day.



```
# Combine dataframes
   rows_no_cross =\
   df_no_cross[["start_date",
   "start_time", "end_time"]]
   rows_cross_1 =\
   df_cross_1[["start_date",
   "start_time", "end_time"]]
10
  rows_cross_2 =\
  df_cross_2[["start_date",
   "start_time", "end_time"]]
14
   rows =\
   pd.concat([rows_no_cross,
  rows_cross_1,
  rows_cross_2])
```

Finally, we combine these dataframes into one new dataframe, which we'll use for plotting.

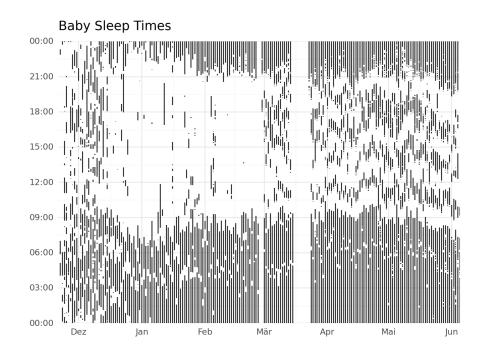


```
1 # Convert back to datetime
2 # so plotnine can understand it
3
4 rows["start_time"] =\
5 pd.to_datetime(rows["start_time"],
6 format='%H:%M:%S')
7
8 rows["end_time"] =\
9 pd.to_datetime(rows["end_time"],
10 format='%H:%M:%S')
```

We will use plotnine in Python to make the visualization using the ggplot2 syntax.



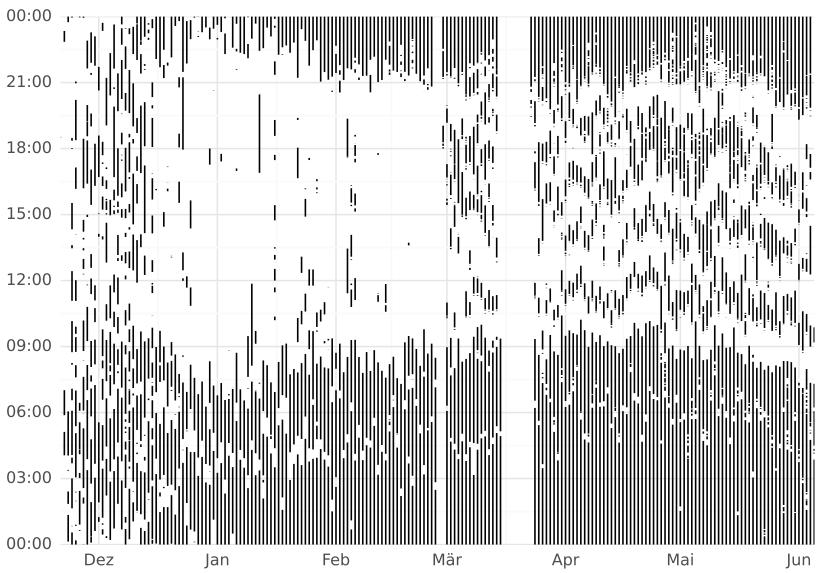
```
plot = (ggplot(data=rows)
     + aes(x="start_date")
     + geom_linerange(aes(
       ymin = "start_time",
       ymax = "end_time"))
     + scale_x_date(name="",
       date_labels="%b",
       expand=(0, 0)
     + scale_y_datetime(
       date_labels="%H:%M",
10
       expand=(0, 0, 0, 0.0001))
11
12
     + ggtitle(
       "Baby Sleep Times")
13
     + theme_minimal()
14
15
     + theme(
16
       plot_background=\
       element_rect(
17
         color="white")))
18
```



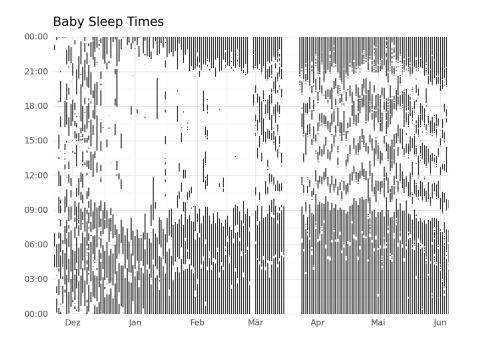
There's clearly some missing data: "We didn't track lots of naps, and a few days have no data at all."



Baby Sleep Times







"That said, some clear patterns emerge. During the first few days, sleep is all over the place, but gradually settles into a routine. Later, nighttime wake-ups become fewer and shorter." (https://www.relevantmisc.com/r/python/2020/05/26/visualizing-baby-sleep/)

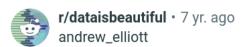


What makes the baby sleep data interesting?



This is the most beautiful data visualization of all time, according to Reddit

https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/wonk/wp/2017/01/05/what-its-like-to-sleep-like-a-baby-visualized-by-a-dad/

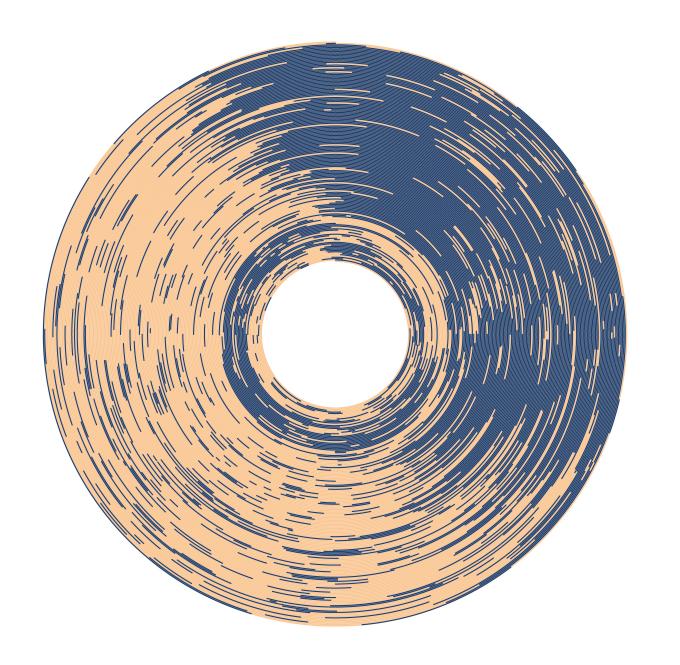




My daughters sleeping patterns for the first 4 months of her life. One continuous spiral starting on the inside when she was born, each revolution representing a single day. Midnight at the top (24 hour clock). [OC]

https://www.reddit.com/r/dataisbeautiful/comments/ 5l39mu/my_daughters_sleeping_patterns_for_the_first_4/







Short switch to R...

No coord_polar in plotnine



https://github.com/has2k1/plotnine/issues/10

Maybe at some point?



Make yourself flexible

Using R in Jupyter Notebooks

How to use the R programming language in Jupyter Notebook

R is a popular programming language for statistics. This topic explains how to use R in a Jupyter Notebook.

https://docs.anaconda.com/free/navigator/tutorials/r-lang/

Using Python in Rmarkdown code chunks

```
1 ```{r}
2 library(data.table)
3 ```
```

```
1 ```{python}
2 import pandas as pd
3 ```
```



```
library(ggplot2)
   library(dplyr)
   library(readr)
   l1 <- 'https://github.com/dodger487/'</pre>
   l2 <- 'snoo_plots/raw/master/sleep_data.csv'</pre>
   df <- read_csv(paste0(l1, l2))</pre>
 9
   # We need to add rows for when baby is awake
   # and do the inverse when the baby is asleep
12
13 df <- df %>%
     select(-duration, -asleep, -soothing) %>%
14
     mutate(session_type = "asleep")
15
```

Credits: https://www.relevantmisc.com/r/2020/06/01/baby-sleep-radial/



```
inverse df <- df %>%
     arrange(start_time) %>%
     mutate(
       start time new = end time,
       end_time_new = lead(start_time),
       session_type = "awake",
       start_time = start_time_new,
       end time = end time new
     ) %>%
     select(-start_time_new, -end_time_new) %>%
10
     filter(!is.na(start_time) & !is.na(end_time))
11
12
13
   # Combine the "awake" and "asleep" rows
14
   df <- rbind(df, inverse_df) %>%
16 arrange(start_time)
```

Again, we need to break up sessions that cross the midnight boundary into two sessions, one pre-midnight and one-after midnight, so that all sessions only take place in one day.



```
df no cross <- df %>%
     filter(date(start_time) == date(end_time)) %>%
     mutate(
       start_date = date(start_time),
       next_date = start_date + days(1),
       start_time = hms::as_hms(start_time),
       end_time = hms::as_hms(end_time))
   df_cross <- df %>% filter(date(start_time) != date(end_time))
10
   df cross 1 <- df cross %>%
12
     mutate(
13
       start_date = date(start_time),
       next_date = start_date + days(1),
14
   start_time = hms::as_hms(start_time),
15
       end_time = hms::as_hms("23:59:59")
16
17
```

We'll simply break any row that crosses midnight into 2 sessions, one that ends at midnight and one that starts at midnight (as previously in Python, now in R).

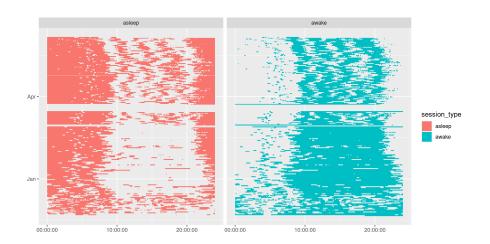


```
df_cross_2 <- df_cross %>%
     mutate(
       start_date = date(end_time),
       next_date = start_date + days(1),
       start_time = hms::as_hms("00:00:00"),
       end_time = hms::as_hms(end_time)
   # Combine dataframes
10
   rows <- rbind(</pre>
11
     df_no_cross,
12
     df_cross_1,
13
14
     df_cross_2
15 )
```

Now on to the visualization! We can use much of the code from plotnine before right away.



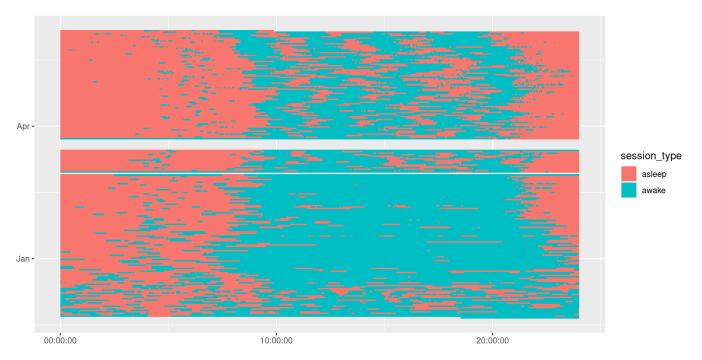
```
1 rows %>%
2  ggplot(.) +
3  aes(xmin=start_time,
4  xmax=end_time,
5  ymin=start_date,
6  ymax=next_date,
7  fill=session_type) +
8  geom_rect() +
9  facet_wrap(~session_type)
```



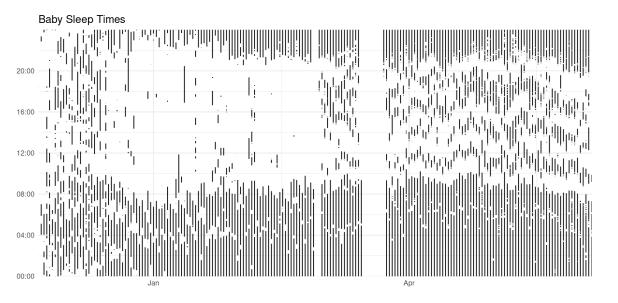
First, let's look at this Cartesian axis plot that faceted by awake and as leep to check if everything looks OK.



```
1 rows %>%
2  ggplot(.) +
3  aes(xmin=start_time,
4  xmax=end_time,
5  ymin=start_date,
6  ymax=next_date,
7  fill=session_type) +
8  geom_rect() #+
9  # facet_wrap(~session_type)
```



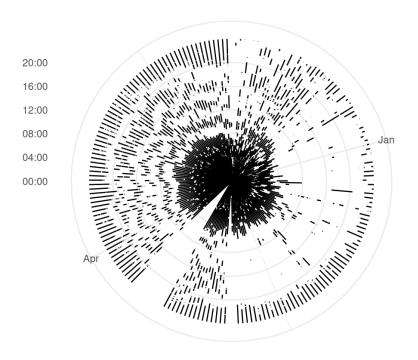






```
1 p + coord_polar(start=0)
```

Baby Sleep Times

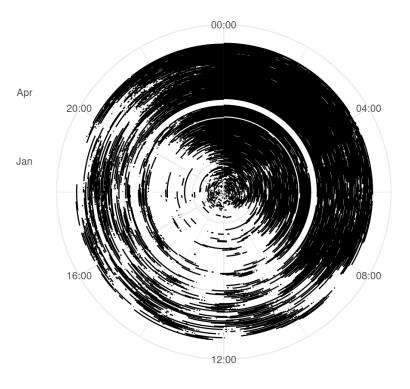


It appears that our axes are flipped: We want the time of day to be the angle, and the radius to be the day.



```
1 p + coord_polar(start = 0, theta = "y")
```

Baby Sleep Times

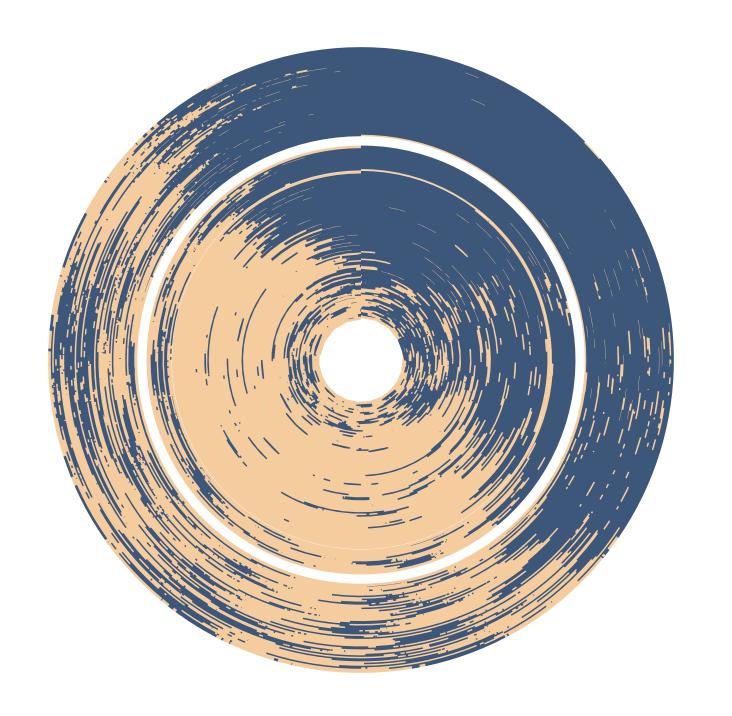


Not bad! Let's add colors and create the final plot!

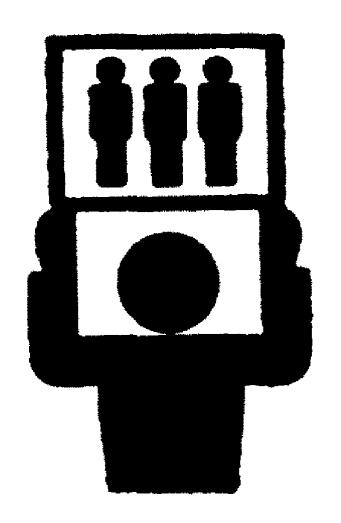


```
1 # Create custom colors, pulled from original plot
 2 color_awake <- rgb(248/256, 205/256, 160/256)</pre>
   color_sleep <- rgb(63/256, 89/256, 123/256)
 4
   # Create radial plot
   rows %>%
     filter(start_date <= "2020-05-20") %>%
     ggplot(aes(x=start_date), data=.) +
       geom_linerange(aes(ymin = start_time,
10
                           ymax = end_time,
11
                           color = session_type)) +
     scale_x_date(name="", date_labels="%b", expand=c(0, 28)) +
12
     scale_y_time(expand=c(0, 0, 0, 0.0001)) +
13
     scale_color_manual(values = c(color_sleep, color_awake)) +
14
15
     theme_void() +
     coord_polar(theta = "y") +
16
     theme(legend.position = "none")
17
```









ISOTYPE



INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM OF TYPOGRAPHIC PICTURE EDUCATION

"The Vienna school, on the other hand, postulates: *to remember simplified pictures is better than to forget accurate figures.*" (Neurath, 1973; p. 220)

Neurath, O. (1973). Empiricism and Sociology (M. Neurath & R. S. Cohen, Eds.). Springer Netherlands. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-94-010-2525-6

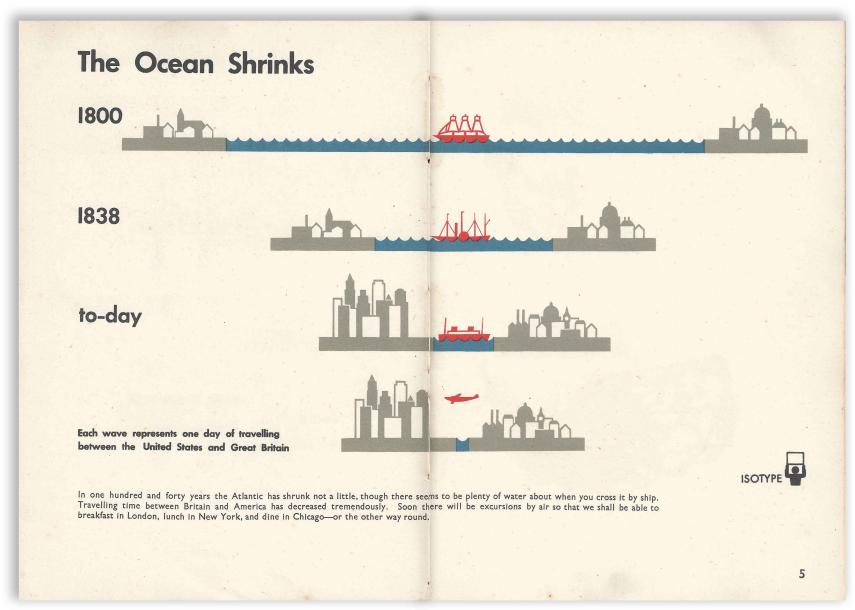
Otto Karl Wilhelm Neurath (German: ['ɔtoː 'nɔyʁaːt]; 10 December 1882 – 22 December 1945) was an Austrian-born philosopher of science, sociologist, and political economist. He was also the inventor of the ISOTYPE method of pictorial statistics and an innovator in museum practice. Before he fled his native country in 1934, Neurath was one of the leading figures of the Vienna Circle.

Births and Deaths in Germany in a Year

1911-14 1915-18 aaaa کت کت کت کت کت 1919-22 EN EN EN EN 1923 - 26

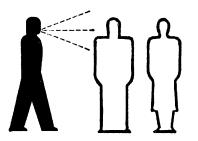
1 child for 250,000 births a year 1 coffin for 250,000 deaths a year





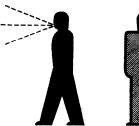


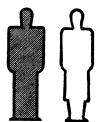
Every Case of Tuberculosis Comes From Another Case



A relative or boarder who has tuberculosis comes to live in the household of this healthy man and wife. One or both are likely to get the disease from him.

One year later.

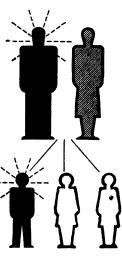




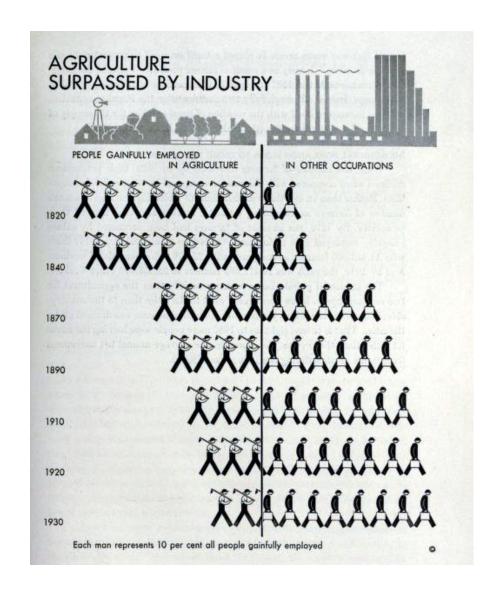
The boarder leaves the household. The husband has been infected. He shows no signs of sickness.

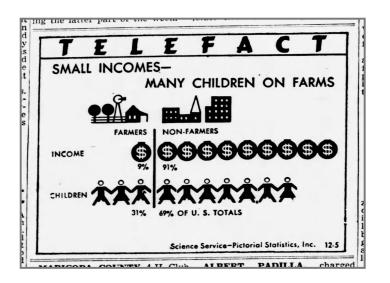
Tuberculosis has spread in the family. The husband is sick with tuberculosis. The wife is infected but not sick. The oldest child also has tuberculosis. The second child is in perfect health. The youngest (with black spot) shows an infection which has healed.

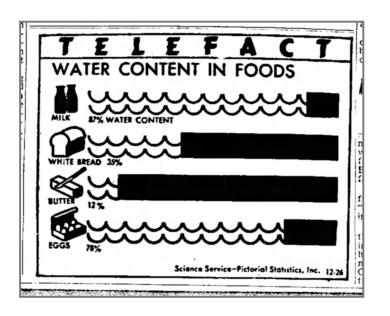














A symbol should

- "Follow principles of good design.
- Be usable in either large or small sizes.
- Represent a general concept, not an individual one.
- Be clearly distinguishable from other symbols.
- Be interesting.
- Be capable of being used as a counting unit.
- Be usable in outline or in silhouette."

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rudolf_Modley



Isotype as chartjunk?

Isotype is **not** prone to the distortions measured with the Lie Factor, when certain principles are taken into account:

"The first rule of Isotype is that greater quantities are not represented by an enlarged pictogram but by a greater number of the same-sized pictogram.

In Neurath's view, variation in size does not allow accurate comparison (what is to be compared – height/length or area?) whereas repeated pictograms, which always represent a fixed value within a certain chart, can be counted if necessary.

Isotype pictograms almost never depicted things in perspective in order to preserve this clarity, and there were other guidelines for graphic configuration and use of colour."

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Isotype_(picture_language)



Isotype in the context of this course

So far, we modified:

Scales, for example with the logarithm for gdppercapita

The coordinate system with coord_polar for example

And now we will take a look at geoms and try to emulate ISOTYPE style; as it will turn out, we can pretty easily choose arbitrary symbols to be mapped to our data (that's also often the starting point of how new ggplot2 extensions get developed)

We heard already earlier about evidence that even "unnecessary" purely *ornamental* chartjunk helps to remember

If we add meaningful symbols directly to graphs, we make visualizations more immediate for the viewer and more self explanatory, because the geometric objects themselves serve as a legend

For more information and experiments on the perception of Isotype graphics, check out http://steveharoz.com/research/isotype/



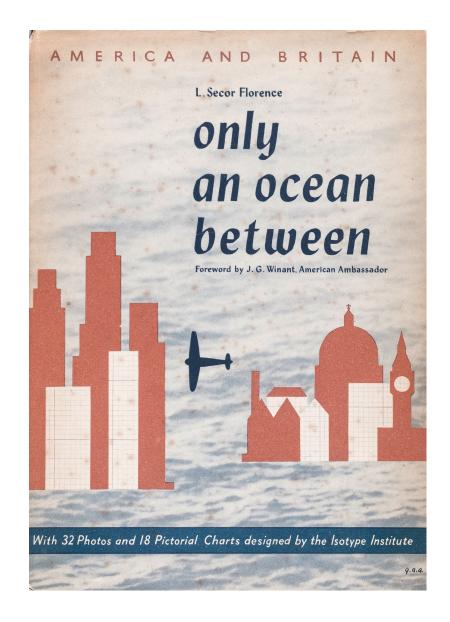
"The first concept to understand is that Isotypes often mix qualitative and quantitative data.

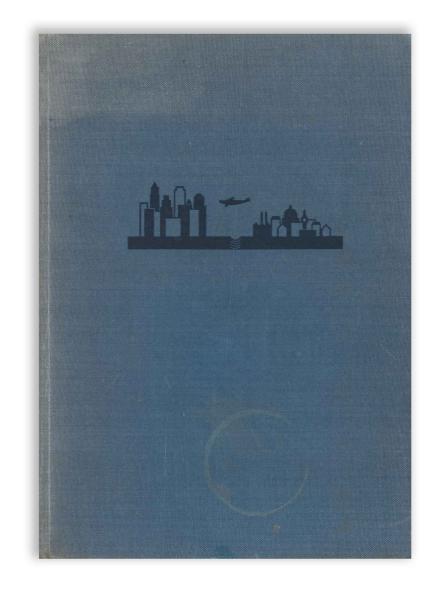
By simplifying the concepts trying to be communicated (often qualitative) and then elaborating with pictograms (quantitative), Isotypes aggregate both types of information into an easy-to-understand message."

https://nightingaledvs.com/lessons-of-isotype-part-1-only-an-ocean-between/

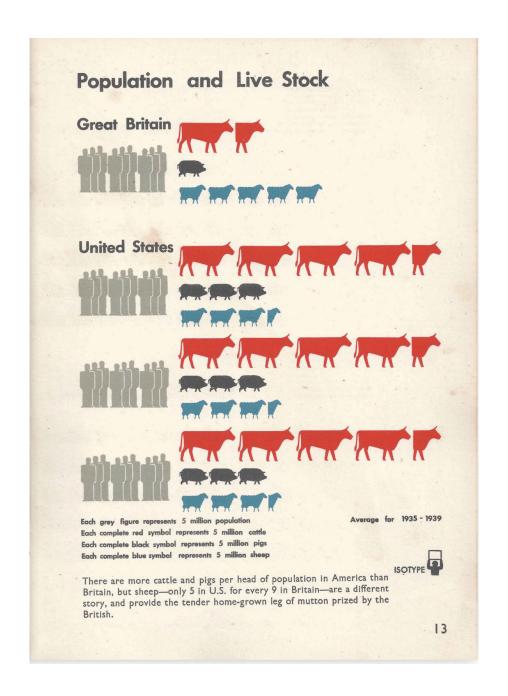
Our example comes from a series of books that promoted cultural understanding between Britain and its allies during World War II













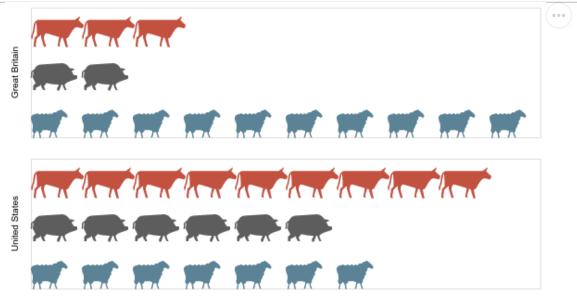
```
1 import altair as alt
   import pandas as pd
 3
   source = pd.DataFrame([
 5
         {'country': 'Great Britain', 'animal': 'cattle'},
         {'country': 'Great Britain', 'animal': 'cattle'},
 6
         {'country': 'Great Britain', 'animal': 'cattle'},
         {'country': 'Great Britain', 'animal': 'pigs'},
 8
         {'country': 'Great Britain', 'animal': 'pigs'},
         {'country': 'Great Britain', 'animal': 'sheep'},
10
         {'country': 'Great Britain', 'animal': 'sheep'},
11
         {'country': 'Great Britain', 'animal': 'sheep'},
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         {'country': 'Great Britain', 'animal': 'sheep'},
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19
         {'country': 'United States', 'animal': 'cattle'},
20
         {'country': 'United States', 'animal': 'cattle'},
21
22
         {'country': 'United States', 'animal': 'cattle'},
```



```
domains = ['person', 'cattle', 'pigs', 'sheep']
   shape_scale = alt.Scale(
       domain=domains,
       range=[
           'M1.7 -1.7h-0.8c0.3 -0.2 0.6 -0.5 0.6 -0.9c0 -0.6 -0.4 -1 -1 -1c-0.
           'M4 -2c0 0 0.9 -0.7 1.1 -0.8c0.1 -0.1 -0.1 0.5 -0.3 0.7c-0.2 0.2 1.
           'M1.2 -2c0 0 0.7 0 1.2 0.5c0.5 0.5 0.4 0.6 0.5 0.6c0.1 0 0.7 0 0.8
           'M-4.1 -0.5c0.2 0 0.2 0.2 0.5 0.2c0.3 0 0.3 -0.2 0.5 -0.2c0.2 0 0.2
11
12
   color_scale = alt.Scale(
14
       domain=domains,
15
       range=['rgb(162,160,152)',
16
       'rgb(194,81,64)',
       'rgb(93,93,93)',
17
       'rgb(91,131,149)']
18
19
```



```
1 alt.Chart(source).mark_point(filled=True, opacity=1, size=100).encode(
2    alt.X('x:0').axis(None),
3    alt.Y('animal:0').axis(None),
4    alt.Row('country:N').header(title=''),
5    alt.Shape('animal:N').legend(None).scale(shape_scale),
6    alt.Color('animal:N').legend(None).scale(color_scale),
7 ).transform_window(
8    x='rank()',
9    groupby=['country', 'animal']
10 ).properties(
11    width=550,
12    height=140
13 )
```

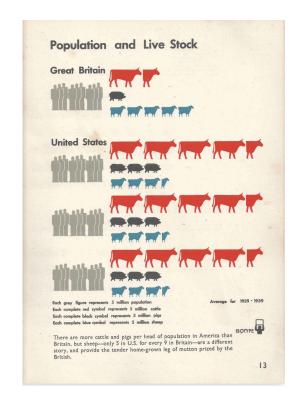




"We've seen how Isotypes group and organize both qualitative and quantitative data [..] "Population and Live Stock" is a great example of how the design of the grouped icons helps to reveal the story despite groups that are very different sizes.

The focus of the chart is not the overall size of the populations, but a subtle insight to tell a more interesting story.

By breaking the larger US population into three equal rows, it helps to make a more natural comparison between all four rows."



"UK population in 1939 was 47.5M. US population in 1939 was 130.9M. This chart simplifies these numbers to emphasize the 1:3 ratio. So you can see there are three times as many Americans who eat less sheep and more pigs and cows."

https://nightingaledvs.com/lessons-of-isotype-part-1-only-an-ocean-between/



Let's make our lives a little bit easier... PyWaffle Documentation

PyWaffle is an open source, MIT-licensed Python package for plotting waffle charts.

A Figure constructor class *Waffle* is provided, which could be passed to matplotlib.pyplot.figure and generate a matplotlib Figure object.

https://github.com/gyli/PyWaffle

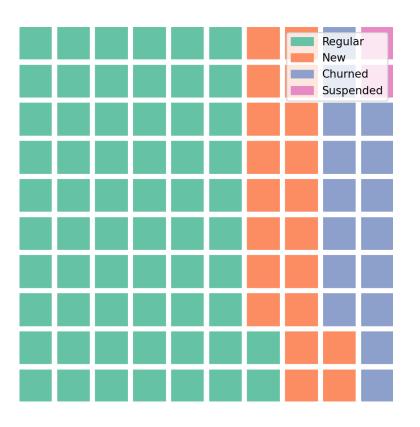
https://pywaffle.readthedocs.io/en/latest/index.html

1 pip install pywaffle

Often, this is already all we need as in the case of our next example



```
import pandas as pd
   dict_users = {
     'Regular': 62,
     'New': 20,
     'Churned': 16,
     'Suspended': 2
   df = pd.Series(dict_users)
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   from pywaffle import Waffle
   import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
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   fig = plt.figure(
     FigureClass=Waffle,
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     figsize=(5,5),
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     values=dict_users,
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     rows=10
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   plt.show()
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In PyWaffle, we can use the characters parameter to provide a list of Unicode characters of the same length as the number of categories

Instead, if we want to use the same symbol for all the categories making them differ only by color, we can pass in a string with that character, for example, characters = '\vec{\psi}'

We can also use the icons parameter in the same way that accepts a list of strings representing Font Awesome icons:

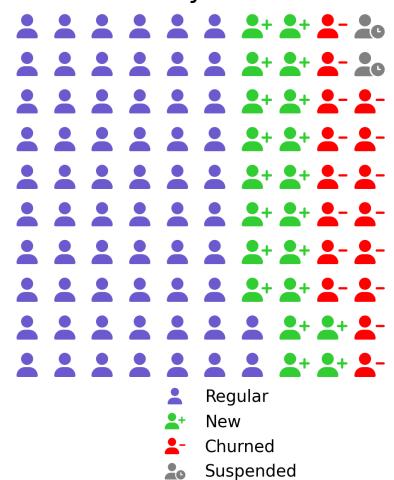
Font Awesome is the Internet's icon library and toolkit, used by millions of designers, developers, and content creators.

https://fontawesome.com/



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colors_list = ['slateblue',
   'limegreen', 'red', 'grey']
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   fig = plt.figure(
     FigureClass=Waffle,
     figsize=(5,5*1.3),
     values=dict_users,
     rows=10,
     colors=colors_list,
     icons=['user', 'user-plus',
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     'user-minus', 'user-clock'],
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     font_size=22,
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     icon_legend=True,
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     legend={
    'bbox_to_anchor': (0.8, 0),
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     'fontsize': 15,
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     'frameon': False})
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   plt.title('User dynamics',
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   fontsize=25)
21 plt.show()
```

User dynamics





To do similiar things in R

https://github.com/clauswilke/ggtextures

ggtextures

Written by Claus O. Wilke

This package provides functions to draw textured rectangles and bars with the grid graphics system and with ggplot2.

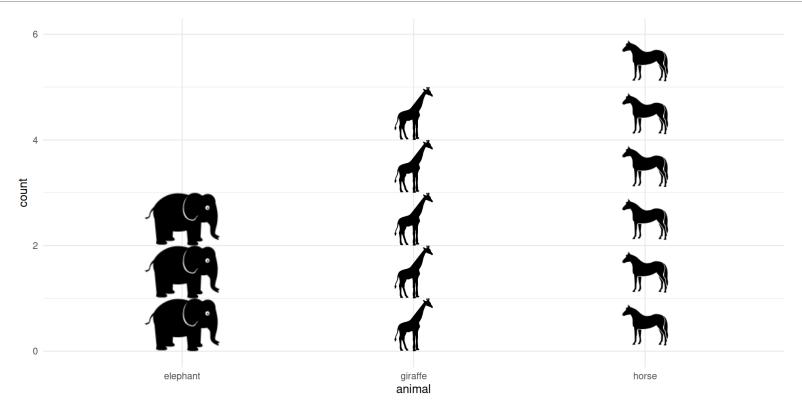
Note: The package is at the stage of tech demo/proof of concept. It is not ready for production purposes.

- 1 library(ggtextures)
- 2 library(grid)
- 3 library(magick)



```
data <- tibble(count = c(5, 3, 6), animal = c("giraffe", "elephant", "horse
image = list(
   image_read_svg("http://steveharoz.com/research/isotype/icons/giraffe.sv
   image_read_svg("http://steveharoz.com/research/isotype/icons/elephant.s
   image_read_svg("http://steveharoz.com/research/isotype/icons/horse.svg"

ggplot(data, aes(animal, count, image = image)) +
   geom_isotype_col() + theme_minimal()</pre>
```





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