ACS2013-demo

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Tutorial: data manipulation

In this Rmarkdown presentation, we will explore the 2013 American Community Survey data set.

- knitr and Rmarkdown
- The dplyr package
- The googleVis package

Load the libraries

```
library(dplyr)
load("../data/husa.RData")
```

Basic information about data

dim(acs13husa)

[1] 756065 231

Using survey weights

- In this data set, there are some weight variables.
- This is because American Community Survey is based on a stratified household sample, rather than a simple random sample.
- To adjust for the unequal selection probability of individuals, weights are introduced.
- We should use wgtp for estimates.
- And use weight replicates wgtp1-wgtp80 for standard error estimates.
- Reference: https://usa.ipums.org/usa/repwt.shtml

The dplyr package

Dplyr aims to provide a function for each basic verb of data manipulation.

```
filter()
arrange()
select()
distinct()
mutate()
summarise()
sample_n() and sample_frac()
```

Add state names and abbreviations

```
ST.anno=read.csv("../data/statenames.csv")
acs13husa=mutate(acs13husa, STname=ST.anno[ST, 2],
               STabbr=ST.anno[ST, 3])
select(sample n(acs13husa,5), starts with("ST"))
##
                                  STabbr
         ST STOV
                      STname
## 672318 26 1
                    Missouri
                                MO
## 243823 8 1 Delaware
                               DE
## 275013 11 1 Georgia
                               GA
## 587873 22 1 Massachusetts
                                    MA
## 393328 13
                 Idaho ID
```

Pipeline operator

The same codes above can be re-arranged using the pipeline operator %>% to improve readability of your codes.

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```
sample n(5) \%
 select(starts with("ST"))
##
         ST STOV
                                  STabbr
                       STname
## 181507 6
                     Colorado
                               CO
## 99725 6 1
                     Colorado
                               CO
## 451636 17 1
                       Kansas KS
## 597253 22 1 Massachusetts
                                    MA
```

Colorado

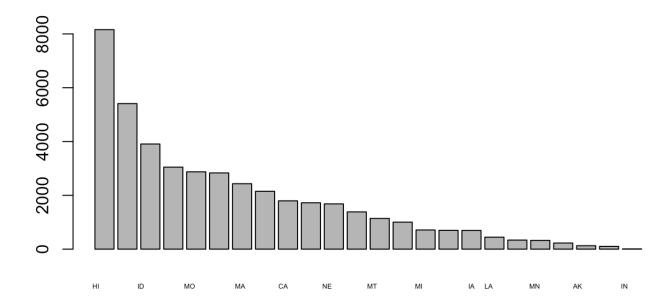
157960 6

acs13husa%>%

Pipeline basic analysis

```
mobilehome=
  acs13husa %>%
  filter(BLD == 1) %>%
  group_by(STabbr) %>%
  summarize(
    AvgPrice = mean(MHP, na.rm=T),
    MedianPrice = as.numeric(median(MHP, na.rm=T)),
    Count = n()
) %>%
  arrange(desc(Count))
```

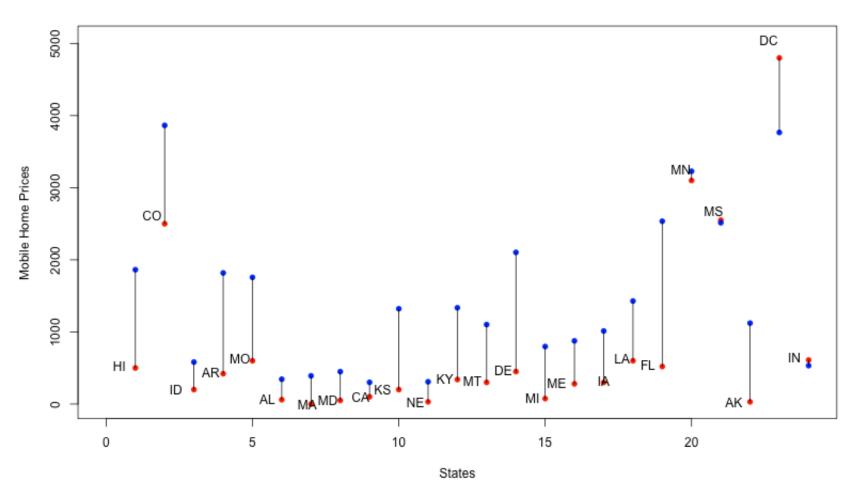
Simple plot



Simple plot

```
plot(c(0,nrow(mobilehome)),
    c(min(mobilehome$MedianPrice),
        max(mobilehome$MedianPrice)*1.05), type="n",
        xlab="States",
        ylab="Mobile Home Prices")
points(1:nrow(mobilehome), mobilehome$MedianPrice, col=2, pch=16)
points(1:nrow(mobilehome), mobilehome$AvgPrice, col=4, pch=16)
segments(1:nrow(mobilehome), mobilehome$MedianPrice,
        1:nrow(mobilehome), mobilehome$AvgPrice)
text(1:nrow(mobilehome), mobilehome$AvgPrice)
```

Simple plot



Put together summary data

In part a, we have 25 states.

```
ST.incld=unique(acs13husa$ST)
ST.abbr=ST.anno[ST.incld, 3]
ST.abbr
```

```
##
    [1] AL
                      AK
                                    AR
                                                  CA
                                                                CO
   [6] DE
                      DC
                                    FL
                                                  GA
                                                                HT
## [11] ID
                      IN
                                    ΙA
                                                  KS
                                                                KY
## [16] LA
                      ME
                                    MD
                                                  MA
                                                                MI
## [21] MN
                      MS
                                    MO
                                                  MT
                                                                NE
## 52 Levels: AK
                                                              ... WY
                            AL
                                       AR
                                                  AZ
```

Put together summary data

Simple Google Visualization

We will use the googleVis package to achieve simple interactive visualization (it requires internet connectivity).

Simple Google Visualization

plot(Bubble)

