

EPSY 887: Computation Statistics

Plotting

Jason Bryer

<http://github.com/jbryer/CompStats>
jason@bryer.org

Week 4
February 18, 2013

Agenda

1 ggplot2: A Grammar of Graphics

2 likert Package

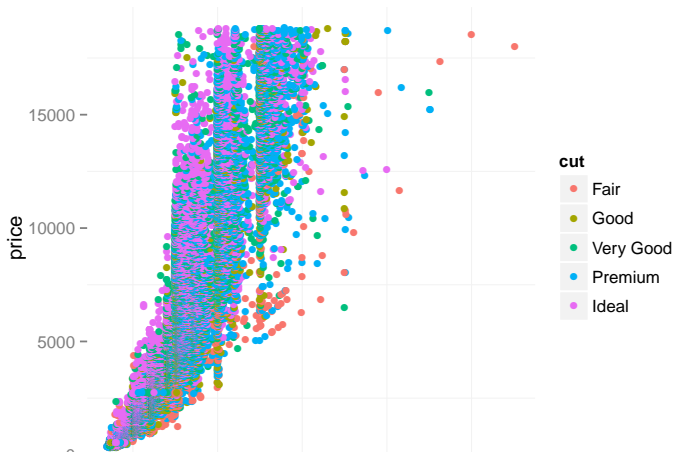
ggplot2: A Grammar of Graphics

- ggplot2 is an R package that provides an alternative framework based upon Wilkinson's (2005) Grammar of Graphics.
- ggplot2 is, in general, more flexible for creating "prettier" and complex plots.
- Works by creating layers of different types of objects/geometries (i.e. bars, points, lines, polygons, etc.)
- ggplot2 has at least three ways of creating plots:
 - 1 `qplot`
 - 2 `ggplot(...) + geom_XXX(...) + ...`
 - 3 `ggplot(...) + layer(...)`

We will focus only on the second.

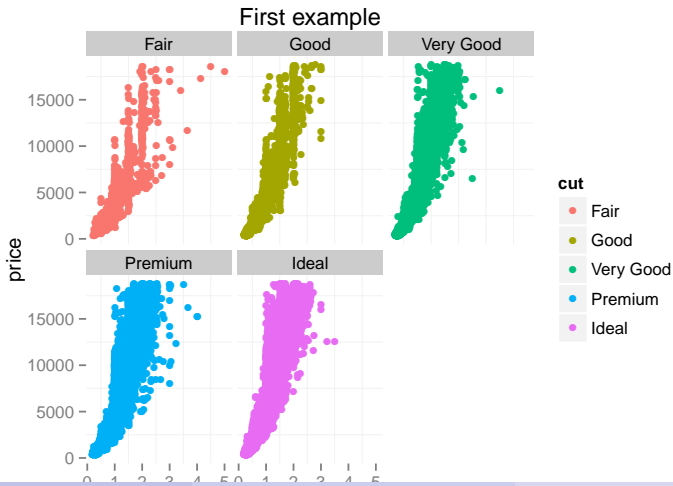
First Example

```
> data(diamonds)
> p <- ggplot(diamonds, aes(x=carat,y=price,colour=cut)) +
  geom_point()
> print(p)
```



First Example

```
> p <- p + facet_wrap(~cut) +  
  ggtitle("First example")  
> print(p)
```



Parts of a ggplot2 statement

- Data

```
ggplot(myDataFrame, aes(x=x, y=y))
```

Parts of a ggplot2 statement

- Data

```
ggplot(myDataFrame, aes(x=x, y=y))
```

- Layers

```
geom_point(), geom_histogram()
```

Parts of a ggplot2 statement

- Data

```
ggplot(myDataFrame, aes(x=x, y=y))
```

- Layers

```
geom_point(), geom_histogram()
```

- Facets

```
facet_wrap(~ cut), facet_grid(~ cut)
```


Parts of a ggplot2 statement

- Data

```
ggplot(myDataFrame, aes(x=x, y=y))
```

- Layers

```
geom_point(), geom_histogram()
```

- Facets

```
facet_wrap(~ cut), facet_grid(~ cut)
```

- Scales

```
scale_y_log10()
```

Parts of a ggplot2 statement

- Data

```
ggplot(myDataFrame, aes(x=x, y=y))
```

- Layers

```
geom_point(), geom_histogram()
```

- Facets

```
facet_wrap(~ cut), facet_grid(~ cut)
```

- Scales

```
scale_y_log10()
```

- Other options

```
ggtitle("my title"), ylim(c(0, 10000)), xlab("x-axis label")
```

Lots of geoms

geom_abline
geom_jitter
geom_area
geom_line
geom_bar
geom_linerange
geom_bin2d
geom_path
geom_blank
geom_point
geom_boxplot
geom_pointrange
geom_contour
geom_polygon
geom_crossbar
geom_quantile



























geom_density
geom_rect
geom_density2d
geom_ribbon
geom_errorbar
geom_rug
geom_errorbarh
geom_segment
geom_freqpoly
geom_smooth
geom_hex
geom_step
geom_histogram
geom_text
geom_hline
geom_tile
geom_vline

Symbols

```
> p.symbols <- ggplot(data=data.frame(x=c(0:25))) +  
  geom_point(size=10, aes(x=x,y=x,shape=x)) +  
  facet_wrap(~ x, scales="free") +  
  xlab("") + ylab("") +  
  scale_shape_identity() +  
  theme(axis.text.x=element_blank(),  
        axis.text.y=element_blank(),  
        axis.ticks=element_blank(),  
        legend.position="none")
```

Symbols

```
> print(p.symbols)
```

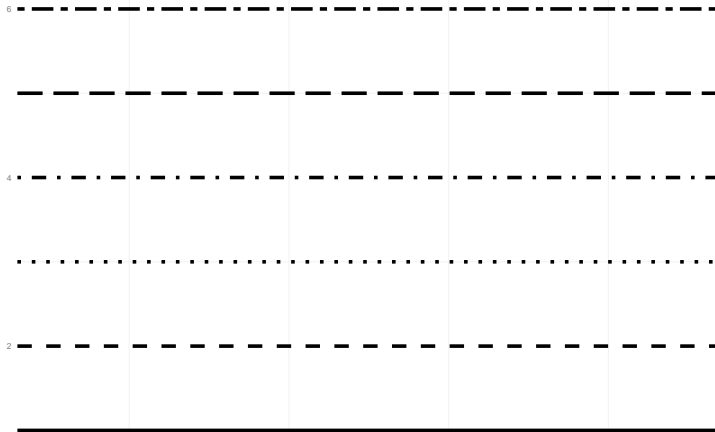
0	1	2	3	4	5
					
6	7	8	9	10	11
					
12	13	14	15	16	17
					
18	19	20	21	22	23
					
24	25				
					

Line Types

```
> p.linetypes <- ggplot(data=data.frame(x=c(1:6))) +  
  geom_hline(size=2, aes(yintercept=x, linetype=x)) +  
  scale_linetype_identity() +  
  xlab(NULL) + ylab(NULL) + xlim(c(0,100)) +  
  theme(axis.text.x=element_blank(), axis.ticks=element_blank(),
```

Line Types

```
> print(p.linetypes)
```



```
> getColorHexAndDecimal <- function(color) {  
  if(is.na(color)) {  
    return(NA)  
  } else {  
    c <- col2rgb(color)  
    return(sprintf("#%02X%02X%02X   %3d %3d %3d",  
      c[1],c[2],c[3], c[1], c[2], c[3]))  
  }  
}
```


Colors

```
> df = data.frame(x=rep(1:26, 26), y=rep(1:26, each=26))
> df$c = NA
> df[1:length(colors()), "c"] = colors()
> df$n = NA
> df[1:length(colors()), "n"] = 1:length(colors())
> df$r = df$g = df$b = NA
> df[1:length(colors()), c("r", "g", "b")] = t(col2rgb(colors()))
> df$text = ifelse(apply(df[, c("r", "g", "b")], 1, sum) >
  (255*3/2), "black", "white")
> df$hex = lapply(df$c, getColorHexAndDecimal)
> df$hex2 = paste(format(df$n, width=3),
  format(df$c, width=(max(nchar(df$c))+1)),
  format(df$hex, width=(max(nchar(df$hex))+1)))
```

Colors

```
> p.colors <- ggplot(df, aes(x=x, y=y, fill=c, label=n)) +  
  geom_tile() +  
  geom_text(aes(colour=text), size=3) +  
  scale_fill_identity() +  
  scale_colour_identity() +  
  xlab(NULL) + ylab(NULL) +  
  theme(axis.text.x=element_blank(),  
        axis.ticks=element_blank(),  
        plot.margin=unit(c(0,0,0,0), "cm"),  
        axis.text.y=element_blank(),  
        axis.ticks=element_blank(),  
        legend.position="none")
```

Colors

```
> print(p.colors)
```



Agenda

1 ggplot2: A Grammar of Graphics

2 likert Package

likert Package

The `likert` package provides functions to analyze and visualize Likert items. The graphics are created using `ggplot2`.

```
> require(devtools)
> install_github("likert", "jbryer")
```

The package includes a subset of the PISA data. Item 28 of the student questionnaire contains 11 items about student reading habits.

```
> require(likert)
> data(pisaitems)
> items28 = pisaitems[,substr(names(pisaitems), 1,5) == "ST24Q"]
```

Data Setup

First, rename the columns to the item stems.

```
> items28 <- rename(items28, c(
  ST24Q01="I read only if I have to.",
  ST24Q02="Reading is one of my favorite hobbies.",
  ST24Q03="I like talking about books with other people.",
  ST24Q04="I find it hard to finish books.",
  ST24Q05="I feel happy if I receive a book as a present.",
  ST24Q06="For me, reading is a waste of time.",
  ST24Q07="I enjoy going to a bookstore or a library.",
  ST24Q08="I read only to get information that I need.",
  ST24Q09="I cannot sit still and read for more than a few minutes.",
  ST24Q10="I like to express my opinions about books I have read.",
  ST24Q11="I like to exchange books with my friends"))
```

Analyzing Likert Items

The `likert` function will analyze the items.

```
> l28 = likert(items28)
```

And the `print` method will provide percentages of each category.

```
> print(l28)
```

				Item
1				I read only if I have to.
2				Reading is one of my favorite hobbies.
3				I like talking about books with other people.
4				I find it hard to finish books.
5				I feel happy if I receive a book as a present.
6				For me, reading is a waste of time.
7				I enjoy going to a bookstore or a library.
8				I read only to get information that I need.
9				I cannot sit still and read for more than a few minutes.
10				I like to express my opinions about books I have read.
11				I like to exchange books with my friends
	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree
1	23	36	31	10.7
2	20	36	32	11.4
3	21	34	36	9.0
4	25	40	27	8.1
5	19	28	40	12.9
6	42	41	11	6.1
7	18	33	37	11.9
8	15	35	36	13.8
9	33	43	17	6.8
10	14	28	44	15.1
11	23	33	32	12.4

Likert SUMmary

The summary method will provide provide descriptive statistics.

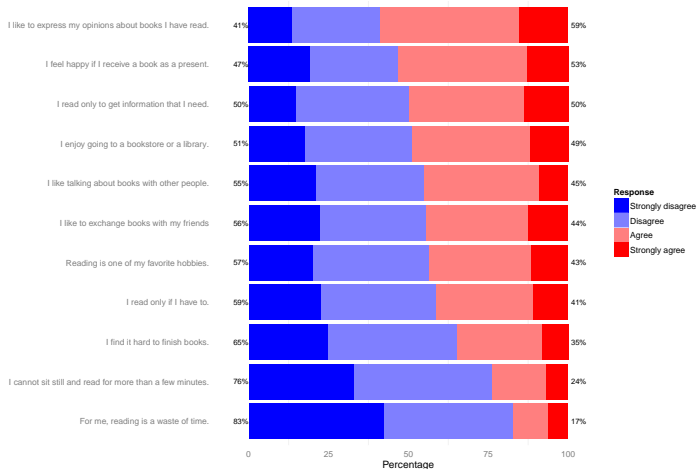
```
> summary(128)
```

	Item	low	high	mean	sd
1	I read only if I have to.	59	41	2.3	0.94
2	Reading is one of my favorite hobbies.	57	43	2.3	0.93
3	I like talking about books with other people.	55	45	2.3	0.91
4	I find it hard to finish books.	65	35	2.2	0.90
5	I feel happy if I receive a book as a present.	47	53	2.5	0.94
6	For me, reading is a waste of time.	83	17	1.8	0.86
7	I enjoy going to a bookstore or a library.	51	49	2.4	0.92
8	I read only to get information that I need.	50	50	2.5	0.91
9	I cannot sit still and read for more than a few minutes.	76	24	2.0	0.88
10	I like to express my opinions about books I have read.	41	59	2.6	0.90
11	I like to exchange books with my friends	56	44	2.3	0.96

Bar Plot

The summary method will provide provide descriptive statistics.

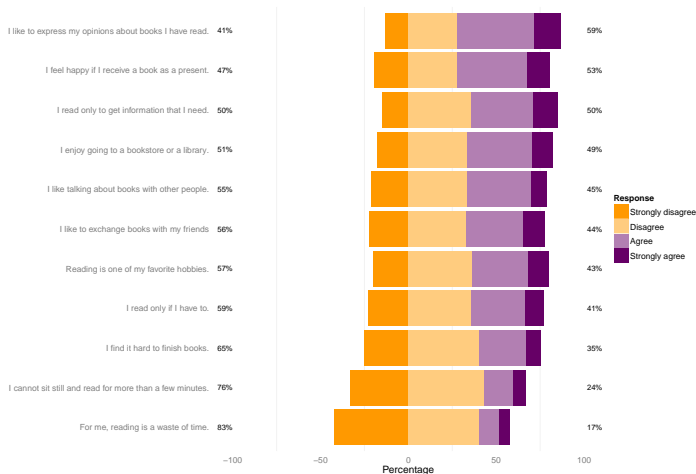
```
> print(plot(128))
```



Bar Plot Centered

The summary method will provide descriptive statistics.

```
> print(plot(128, centered=TRUE, low.color="#FF9900", high.color="#660099")
)
```



Heat Map

The summary method will provide provide descriptive statistics.

```
> print(plot(l28, type="heat"))
```

