Marriage Licenses Over Time*

A plot of marriage licenses over time

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1 Introduction

We use R Core Team (2023), Gelfand (2022), and Wickham et al. (2019).

This paper is to show marriage licenses over time in Toronto. Section 2

2 Data

We see marriages have seasonality in Figure 1 as expected. Data becomes sparser post 2020, we can assume this could be from effects from covid-19, lower appetite for marriage in tougher socio-economic environments. But it could be a feature of the data collection process itself. It is worth reaching out to Gelfand (2022) to see if its because more recent marriage license data is unavailable due to some underlying governmental process.
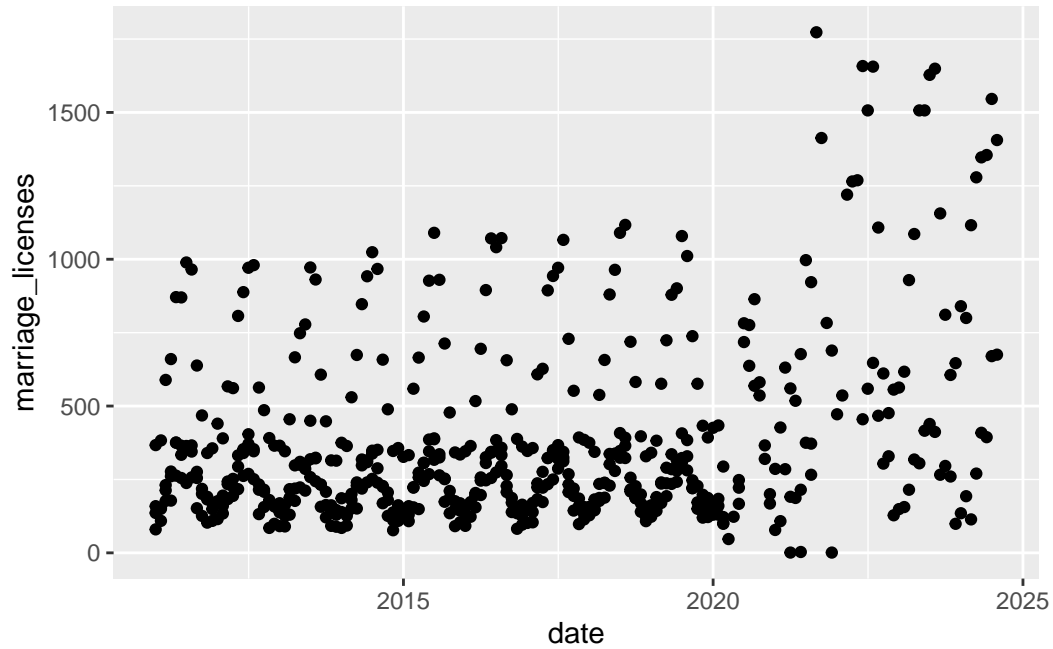
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*Code and data are available at: LINK.

Figure 1: Marriage Licenses Issued

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