

06 Data Transformation

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1 Load Data

```
# source AUX
source("../Misc/Auxilliary.R")

# packages
get.package(c("bizdays", "lubridate", "tidytext", "stopwords", "stringi",
              "SnowballC", "wordcloud"))

# load data
auctions <- readRDS("../Data/Bid Tab RDS/Bid_Tab_Stem.RDS")
```

2 Tabularizing the Data

Firstly, we may construct the data that is easily obtainable via the table and text data.

```
# over years
lapply(auctions, \(y){

  lapply(y, \(a){

    # apply function
    d_transform(a) |> try() # apparently there are three auctions with empty tables
                           # that slipped through

  })

}) -> res
```

```
## Error in data.frame(..., check.names = FALSE) :
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```
# remove auctions that slipped
# over years
lapply(res, \(y){

  sapply(y, \(a){

    # apply function
    class(a) != "try-error" # apparently there are three auctions with empty tables
                             # that slipped through

  })

})
```

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})

}) -> ind_slip

# remove from auctions list
Map(\(au, ind) au[ind], auctions, ind_slip) -> auctions

# remove from table list
Map(\(au, ind) au[ind], res, ind_slip) -> res

# rbind to dataframe
do.call(rbind, lapply(res, \(x) do.call(rbind, x))) -> dat_bids

```

3 Adding the Description via Stemwords

To represent the description, each stem word will be added as a factor.

```

# fetch vector of stemmed words from list
lapply(auctions, \(y){

  # over auctions
  lapply(y, \(a) a[["Stem"]])

}) -> stems

# generate all unique words
do.call(c, lapply(stems, \(x) do.call(c, x))) |> table() |>
  sort(decreasing = TRUE) -> stem_tab

# fill temporary data frame
do.call(rbind, lapply(auctions, \(y){

  do.call(rbind, lapply(y, \(a){

    # match
    match <- (names(stem_tab) %in% a[["Stem"]]) |> matrix(ncol = length(stem_tab))

    # repetitions
    reps <- nrow(a[["Table"]]) - 1

    # new matrix
    match_n <- match[rep(1, times = reps), ]

    # return
    return(match_n)

  }) |> as.data.frame()

})) |> as.data.frame() |> setNames(names(stem_tab)) -> tmp

# dimensions dont add up
lapply(auctions, \(y){

```

```
do.call(c, lapply(y, \(a){  
  # firms  
  nrow(a[["Table"]]) - 1  
  
}))  
}) -> ind_firms
```