

Statistical Tests

Load and filter the data

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library(tidyverse)
library(scales)
library(DT)
library(forcats)
library(lubridate)
library(gridExtra)
library(broom)

source('../helpers.R')

# already filtered to only interesting divisions
stops <- read_rds('../processed_data/prepared_stops.rds')
# filter to only BLACKS, ASIANS, HISPANICS, and WHITES
# only during INTERTWILIGHT TIME
# only VEHICLE STOPS
races_for_analysis <- c("BLACK", "HISPANIC", "WHITE")

filt_stops <- stops %>%
  filter(
    DESCENT_DESC %in% races_for_analysis,
    is_intertwilight,
    STOP_TYPE == 'Vehicle Stop',
    !weekdays(STOP_DT) %in% c('Saturday', 'Sunday')
  )

dim(filt_stops) # 40k stops

## [1] 39168    22
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Group the data

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race_sum <- filt_stops %>%
  group_by(DIV1_DESC, is_daylight) %>%
  summarize(
    total_stops = n(),
    white_stops = sum(DSCENT_DESC == 'WHITE'),
    black_stops = sum(DSCENT_DESC == 'BLACK'),
    hispanic_stops = sum(DSCENT_DESC == 'HISPANIC'),
    # calculate distribution % of race across day / night stops
    white_perc = white_stops / total_stops,
    black_perc = black_stops / total_stops,
    hispanic_perc = hispanic_stops / total_stops
  )

race_diffs <- race_sum %>%
  select(div = DIV1_DESC, contains('perc')) %>%
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mutate(
  white_diff = lag(white_perc) - white_perc,
  black_diff = lag(black_perc) - black_perc,
  hisp_diff = lag(hispanic_perc) - hispanic_perc
) %>%
filter(!is.na(white_diff)) %>%
ungroup() %>%
mutate(
  div_by_white = fct_reorder(div, white_diff, .desc = T),
  div_by_black = fct_reorder(div, black_diff, .desc = T),
  div_by_hisp = fct_reorder(div, hisp_diff, .desc = T)
)

white_p <- race_diffs %>%
  gen_race_diff_plot(race_diffs$div_by_white, race_diffs$white_diff, 'Whites')
black_p <- race_diffs %>%
  gen_race_diff_plot(race_diffs$div_by_black, race_diffs$black_diff, 'Blacks')
hisp_p <- race_diffs %>%
  gen_race_diff_plot(race_diffs$div_by_hisp, race_diffs$hisp_diff, 'Hispanics')

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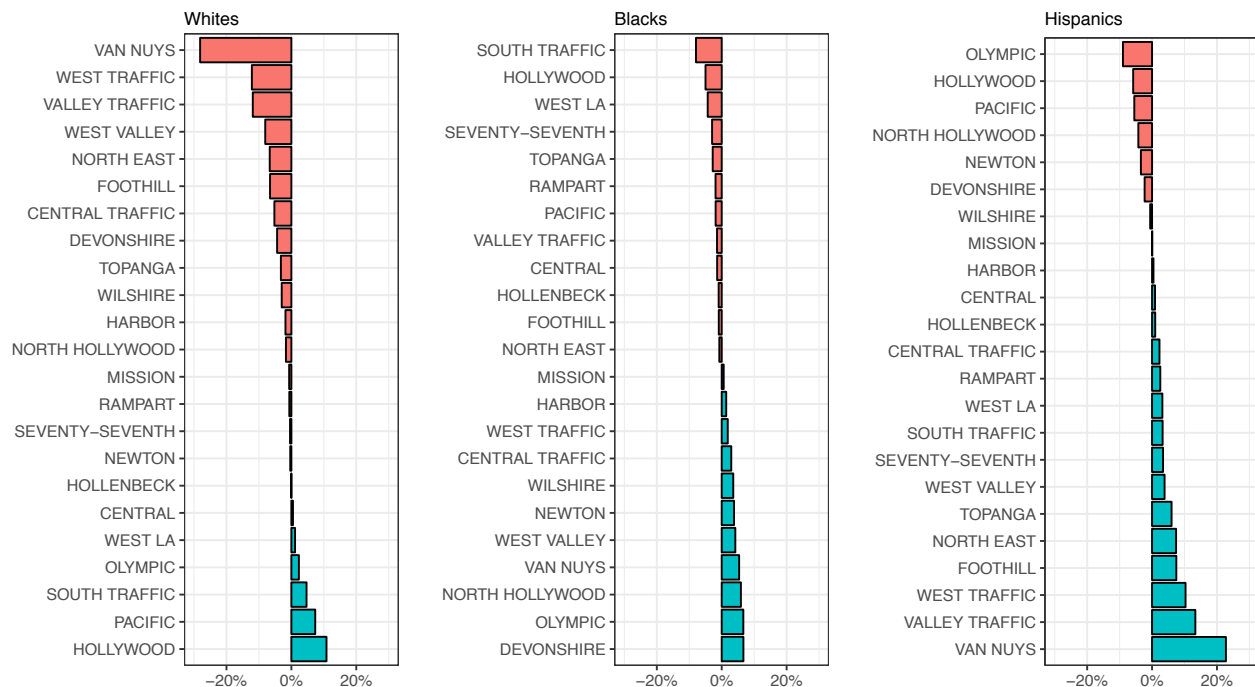
Note: Divisions that stop more often during visible hours are at the top.

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prop_diff_plot <- grid.arrange(
  white_p, black_p, hispanic_p, nrow = 1,
  top = "Differences in Proportion of Night Stops - Day Stops"
)

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Differences in Proportion of Night Stops – Day Stops



Perform Proportion Test

H_a : Day Proportion > Night Proportion

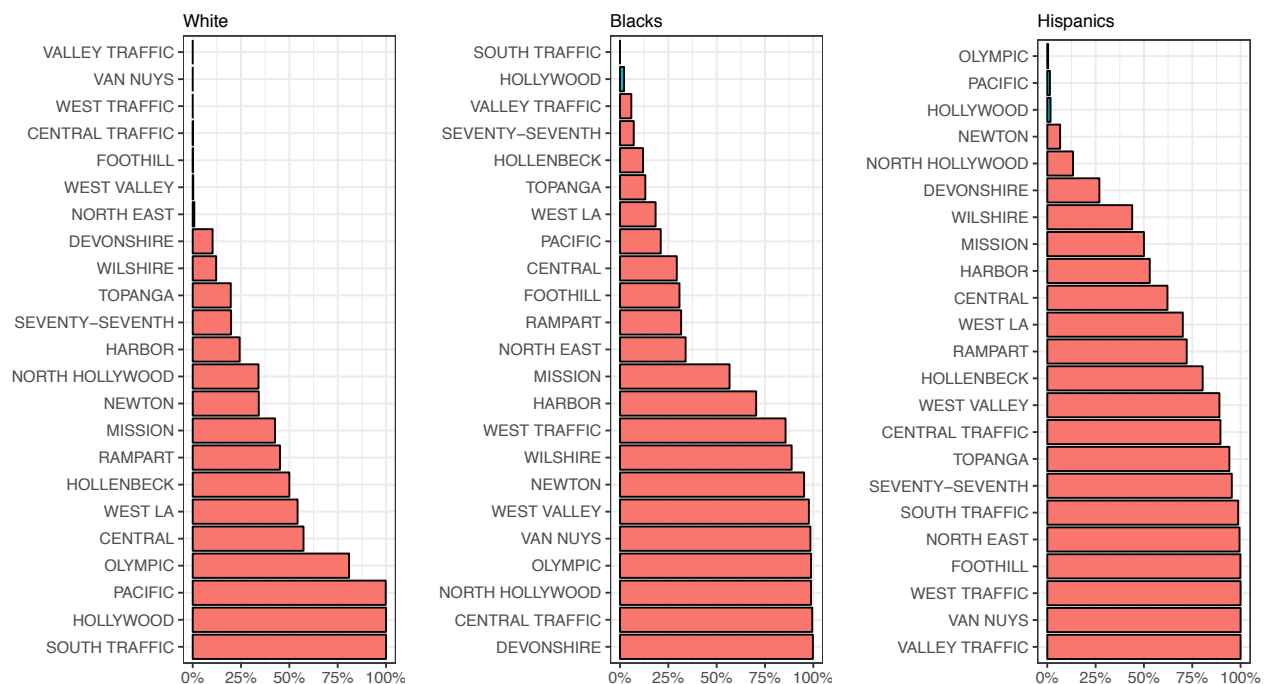
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white_prop_tests <- prop_test_all_divs(race_sum, 'white_stops') %>%
  mutate(is_significant = p.value < 0.05)
black_prop_tests <- prop_test_all_divs(race_sum, 'black_stops') %>%
  mutate(is_significant = p.value < 0.05)
hisp_prop_tests <- prop_test_all_divs(race_sum, 'hispanic_stops') %>%
  mutate(is_significant = p.value < 0.05)

white_plot <- gen_race_prop_test_plot(white_prop_tests, 'white_stops', 'White')
black_plot <- gen_race_prop_test_plot(black_prop_tests, 'black_stops', 'Blacks')
hisp_plot <- gen_race_prop_test_plot(hisp_prop_tests, 'hispanic_stops', 'Hispanics')
```

Again, Divisions listed near the top show significant p values; That is, the blue divisions would be divisions that we would want to analyze more closely for appearances of police

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grid.arrange(white_plot, black_plot, hisp_plot,
  nrow = 1, top = "P Value Distributions")
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P Value Distributions



```
white_df <- white_prop_tests %>%
  select(division, race, p.value) %>%
  mutate(is_bonferroni_significant = p.value < 0.05 / length(unique(division)))
black_df <- black_prop_tests %>%
  select(division, race, p.value) %>%
  mutate(is_bonferroni_significant = p.value < 0.05 / length(unique(division)))
hisp_df <- hisp_prop_tests %>%
  select(division, race, p.value) %>%
  mutate(is_bonferroni_significant = p.value < 0.05 / length(unique(division)))
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# bonferroni correction
bonferroni_divisions <- bind_rows(white_df, black_df, hisp_df) %>%
  filter(is_bonferroni_significant) %>%
  select(-is_bonferroni_significant) %>%
  arrange(p.value)

bonferroni_divisions %>%
  mutate(division = fct_reorder(division, p.value),
         race = fct_recode(race,
                           blacks = 'black_stops',
                           whites = 'white_stops',
                           hispanics = 'hispanic_stops')
  ) %>%
  ggplot(aes(division, p.value, fill = race)) +
  geom_bar(stat = 'identity', color = 'black') +
  theme_bw() +
  theme(legend.position = 'bottom', legend.title = element_blank()) +
  coord_flip() +
  scale_y_continuous(trans = 'log10') +
  labs(x = '', y = 'log10(p value)',
       title = 'Whites in Traffic Divisions Would Appear the Most Targeted', subtitle = 'smaller, more significant p values --> larger, less significant p values')

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