A Data-Driven Early Warning System for Mining Accident

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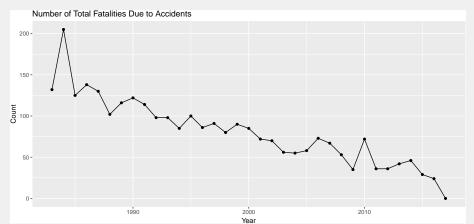
MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION (MSHA)

- Formed in 1977
- Agency of the United States Department of Labor
- Mission
 - Prevent death, illness, and injury from mining
 - Promote safe and healthful workplaces for U.S. miners
 - Develop and enforce safety and health rules
 - Provide technical, educational, and other types of assistance





FATALITY TREND SINCE 1983







UPPER BIG BRANCH DISASTER





PRIMARY DATASETS

- Mine accidents: "msha accident.csv" (681,386 obs., retrieved 1/26/2017, from https://enforcedata.dol.gov/views/data_summary.php)
- MSHA assessed violations: "Assessed Violations.csv" (2,169,804 obs., retrieved 12/10/2016, from https://arlweb.msha.gov/OpenGovernmentData/OGIMSHA.asp)





MASTER DATA TABLE

```
##
    [1] "mine id"
                                     "mine.name"
    [3] "year"
##
                                     "quarter"
##
    [5] "active"
                                     "num.days.lost"
    [7] "last.quarter.lost"
                                     "last.year.lost"
##
    [9] "last.three.years.lost"
                                     "num.days.restrict"
##
   [11] "last.quarter.restrict"
                                      "last.year.restrict"
   [13] "last.three.years.restrict"
                                     "num.death"
   [15] "last.quarter.death"
                                      "last.year.death"
   [17] "last.three.years.death"
                                     "num.dis"
   [19] "last.quarter.dis"
                                      "last.year.dis"
   [21] "last.three.years.dis"
                                     "viol.quantity"
   [23] "last.quarter.viol"
                                      "last.year.viol"
   [25] "last.three.years.viol"
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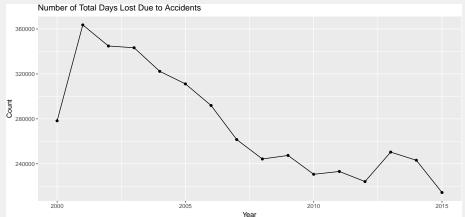


Model





Number of Days Lost since 2000







Number of Violations since 2000

