

JR_Data_Comparisons

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This code examines the differences between environmental data for the JR site, located at Deep Water Shoal, James River, Virginia, as part of the CViMVP project. The two data sources are:

1. VIMS Water Quality Data, which were downloaded by Madeline Eppley on 15 September 2023
2. NOAA National Buoy Data Center (NBDC), Chesapeake Bay Interpretive Buoy System downloaded by myself (Nicole Mongillo) on 1 October 2024.

I will plot the salinity and temperature data from each data set against each other to see how similar the data are. I will then apply a correction factor to the NBDC data based on the difference between NBDC and VIMS data.

All labels for objects with data from NOAA will begin with NBDC, and all labels for objects with data from VIMS will be labeled VIMS.

```
setwd("/Users/nicolemongillo/Desktop/GitHub/MVP_Chesapeake_VIMS_hatchery/src/NM")
```

```
library("dplyr") #Used for working with data frames
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## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
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```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
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## filter, lag
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## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
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##
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```
## intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
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```
library("lubridate") #Used for time-date conversions
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```
## Attaching package: 'lubridate'
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```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
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```
## date, intersect, setdiff, union
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library("readr") #Used to read the CSV file
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```
library("ggplot2")
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```
library("stringr")
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```
#VIMS Data Upload and Cleaning
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#Environmental data from the NBDC could only be downloaded by year, so first we need to merge the yearl

```
VIMS_raw <- read_csv("/Users/nicolemongillo/Desktop/GitHub/MVP_Chesapeake_VIMS_hatchery/data/envr_raw_d
```

```
## Rows: 220 Columns: 7
## -- Column specification -----
## Delimiter: ","
## chr (2): DateDeployed, DateRetrieved
## dbl (5): StationID, Year, AverageSpat, WaterTemperature, Salinity
##
## i Use 'spec()' to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
## i Specify the column types or set 'show_col_types = FALSE' to quiet this message.
```

View how the data are stored. Note the variable names and the format and units that the data are stor
summary(VIMS_raw)

```
##      StationID      Year      DateDeployed      DateRetrieved
## Min.   :435   Min.   :2010   Length:220      Length:220
## 1st Qu.:435   1st Qu.:2013   Class :character   Class :character
## Median :435   Median :2016   Mode  :character   Mode  :character
## Mean   :435   Mean   :2016
## 3rd Qu.:435   3rd Qu.:2020
## Max.   :435   Max.   :2023
##
##      AverageSpat      WaterTemperature      Salinity
## Min.   : 0.000   Min.   :17.40   Min.   : 3.80
## 1st Qu.: 0.325   1st Qu.:25.15   1st Qu.:12.70
## Median : 1.450   Median :26.55   Median :15.70
## Mean   : 6.179   Mean   :26.21   Mean   :15.05
## 3rd Qu.: 5.400   3rd Qu.:27.80   3rd Qu.:18.00
## Max.   :81.700   Max.   :29.90   Max.   :21.60
## NA's    :22
```

#Convert to POSIXct format. Store it into a column named datetime in the data frame.
VIMS_raw\$datetime <- as.POSIXct(VIMS_raw\$DateRetrieved, "%d-%b-%y", tz = "")

#Print the new data frame and examine to make sure the new datetime column is in the correct format.
head(VIMS_raw)

```
## # A tibble: 6 x 8
##   StationID Year DateDeployed DateRetrieved AverageSpat WaterTemperature
##   <dbl> <dbl> <chr>      <chr>      <dbl>      <dbl>
## 1     435  2023 01-Jun-23  01-Jun-23         NA         19.6
## 2     435  2023 01-Jun-23  15-Jun-23          0          23
## 3     435  2023 15-Jun-23  22-Jun-23          1         23.1
## 4     435  2023 22-Jun-23  29-Jun-23         7.7         24.4
## 5     435  2023 29-Jun-23  06-Jul-23        14.2         28.1
## 6     435  2023 06-Jul-23  13-Jul-23        35.5         28.7
## # i 2 more variables: Salinity <dbl>, datetime <dtm>
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```

#rename columns
VIMS_raw <- VIMS_raw %>% rename("salinity_VIMS" = "Salinity")
VIMS_raw <- VIMS_raw %>% rename("temp_VIMS" = "WaterTemperature")

#Filter the data between the values of 0 and 40 for both salinity and temperature.
VIMS_filtered <- VIMS_raw %>%
  filter(between(salinity_VIMS, 0, 40))

VIMS_filtered <- VIMS_raw %>%
  filter(between(temp_VIMS, 0, 40))

# Sanity check - print the ranges to ensure values are filtered properly. We can see that the ranges for
print(summary(VIMS_filtered$salinity_VIMS))

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##      Min. 1st Qu.  Median    Mean 3rd Qu.    Max.
##      3.80  12.70   15.70   15.05  18.00   21.60

```

```
print(summary(VIMS_filtered$temp_VIMS))
```

```

##      Min. 1st Qu.  Median    Mean 3rd Qu.    Max.
##      17.40  25.15   26.55   26.21  27.80   29.90

```

```
VIMS_filtered$date <- as.POSIXct(VIMS_filtered$datetime, "%Y-%m-%d", tz = "")
```

#NDBC Data Upload and Cleaning

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#Environmental data from the NDBC could only be downloaded by year, so first we need to merge the yearly
#set working directory to files location
setwd("/Users/nicolemongillo/Desktop/GitHub/MVP_Chesapeake_VIMS_hatchery/data/envr_raw_data/JR_NDBC_Data")

#merge files into one
NBDC_raw <- list.files(path="/Users/nicolemongillo/Desktop/GitHub/MVP_Chesapeake_VIMS_hatchery/data/envr",
  lapply(read.csv) %>%
    bind_rows

NBDC_raw <- subset(NBDC_raw, select = c(X.YY, MM, DD, hh, mm, OTMP, SAL)) #keep year, month, day, hour,

# View how the data are stored. Note the variable names and the format and units that the data are stored
summary(NBDC_raw)

```

```

##      X.YY      MM      DD      hh
##  Min.   :2008   Min.   : 1.000   Min.   : 1.00   Min.   : 0.00
## 1st Qu.:2012   1st Qu.: 5.000   1st Qu.: 8.00   1st Qu.: 5.00
## Median :2016   Median : 8.000   Median :16.00   Median :11.00
## Mean   :2015   Mean   : 7.222   Mean   :16.01   Mean   :11.49
## 3rd Qu.:2019   3rd Qu.:10.000   3rd Qu.:24.00   3rd Qu.:18.00
## Max.   :2019   Max.   :12.000   Max.   :31.00   Max.   :23.00
## NA's   :349    NA's   :349    NA's   :349    NA's   :349
##      mm      OTMP      SAL
##  Min.   : 0.000   Min.   : 0.00   Min.   : 0.000

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```
## 1st Qu.: 0.000    1st Qu.:11.80    1st Qu.: 0.400
## Median : 0.000    Median :21.50    Median : 2.600
## Mean   : 9.928    Mean   :19.97    Mean   : 3.268
## 3rd Qu.:18.000    3rd Qu.:27.60    3rd Qu.: 5.300
## Max.   :54.000    Max.   :99.00    Max.   :99.000
## NA's   :349      NA's    :349      NA's    :349
```

```
#make one single datetime column in POSIXct format
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```
NBDC_raw$datetime <- as.POSIXct(paste(NBDC_raw$X.YY, NBDC_raw$MM, NBDC_raw$DD, NBDC_raw$hh, NBDC_raw$mm,
```

```
#remove unmerged date-time columns
```

```
NBDC_raw<- subset(NBDC_raw, select = c(OTMP, SAL, datetime))
```

```
#reorder and rename columns
```

```
NBDC_raw <- NBDC_raw[ , c(3,1,2)]
```

```
colnames(NBDC_raw) <- c("datetime", "temp_NBDC", "salinity_NBDC")
```

```
#Filter the data between the values of 0 and 40 for both salinity and temperature.
```

```
NBDC_filtered <- NBDC_raw %>%
  filter(between(salinity_NBDC, 0, 40))
```

```
NBDC_filtered <- NBDC_raw %>%
  filter(between(temp_NBDC, 0, 40))
```

```
# Sanity check - print the ranges to ensure values are filtered properly. We can see that the ranges for
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```
print(summary(NBDC_filtered$salinity_NBDC))
```

```
##      Min. 1st Qu.  Median    Mean 3rd Qu.    Max.
##    0.000   0.400   2.600   3.178   5.300   99.000
```

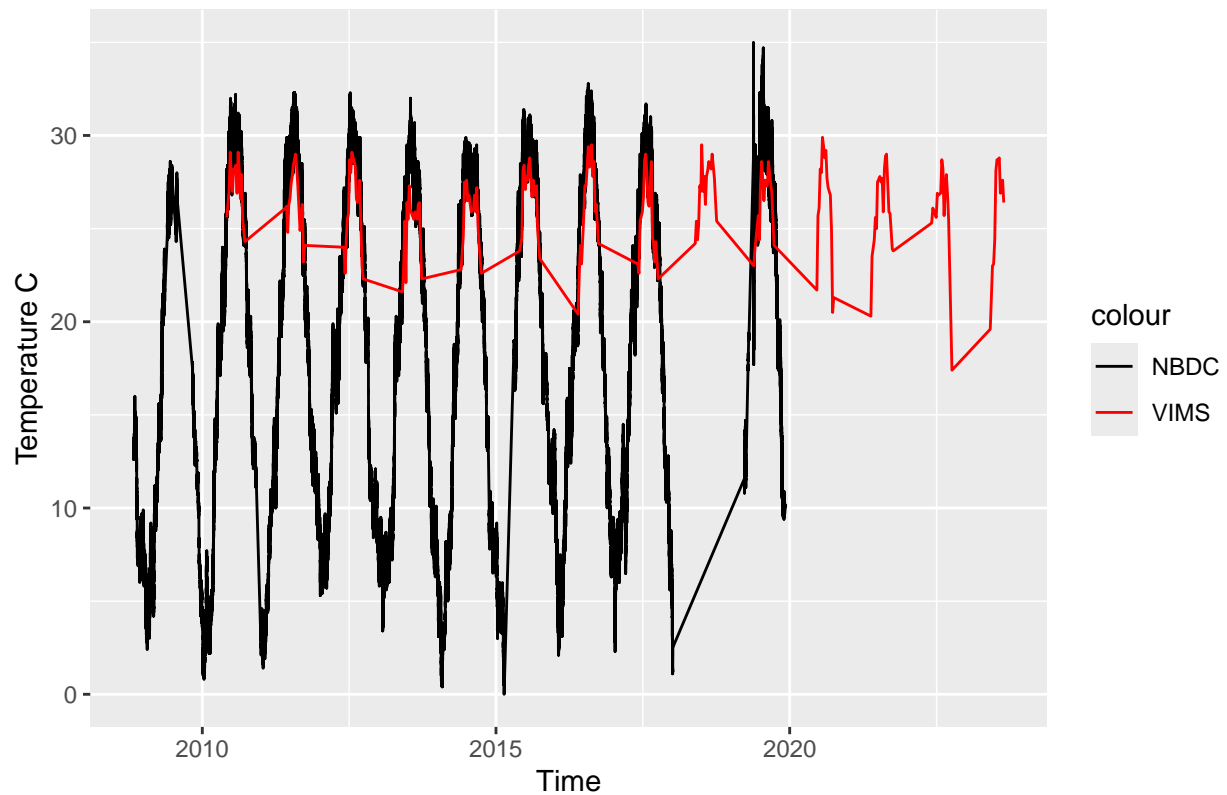
```
print(summary(NBDC_filtered$temp_NBDC))
```

```
##      Min. 1st Qu.  Median    Mean 3rd Qu.    Max.
##     0.00   11.80   21.50   19.82   27.60   35.00
```

```
tempplot <- ggplot(NBDC_filtered, aes(x=datetime, y = temp_NBDC, color = "NBDC")) +
  geom_line()+
  geom_line(data = VIMS_filtered, aes(x=datetime, y = temp_VIMS, color = "VIMS"))+
  scale_color_manual(values=c("black", "red"))+
  labs(x = "Time", y = "Temperature C", title = "Temperature Plot for NBDC and VIMS Data Sets")
```

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tempplot
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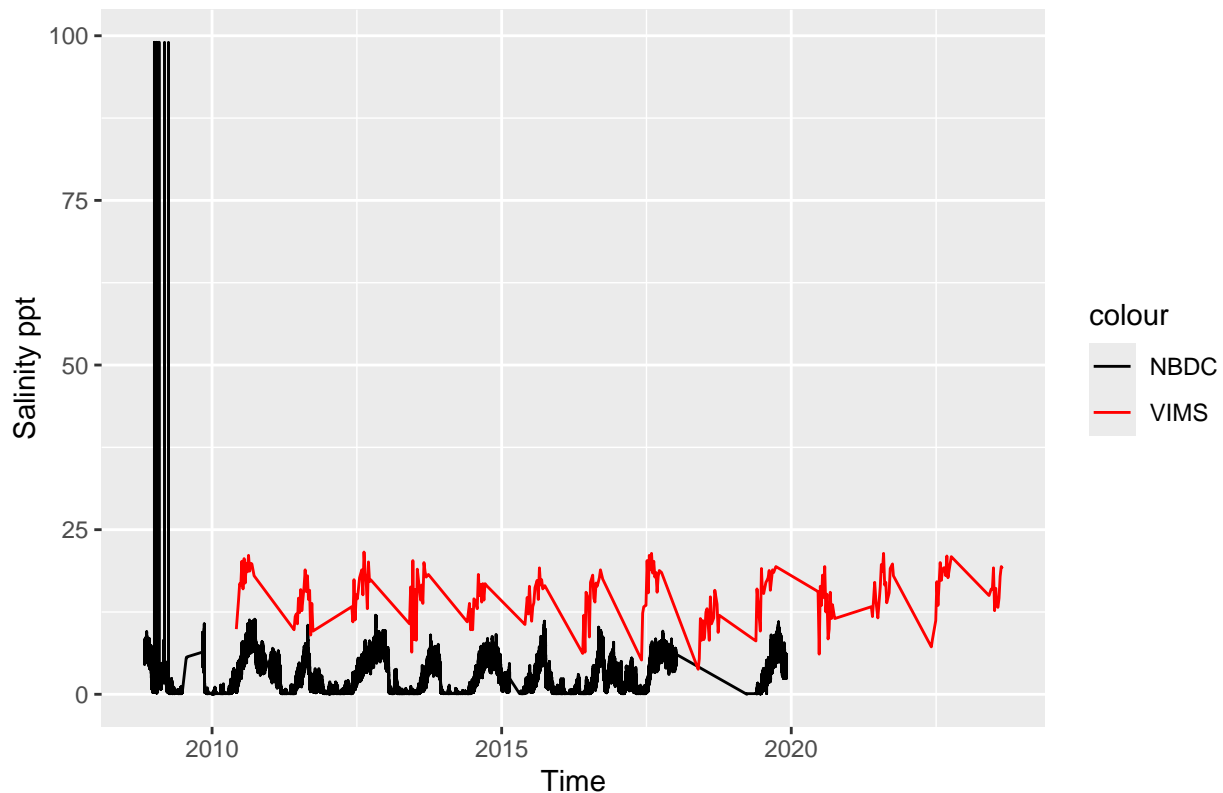
Temperature Plot for NBDC and VIMS Data Sets



```
salplot <- ggplot(NBDC_filtered, aes(x=datetime, y = salinity_NBDC, color = "NBDC")) +
  geom_line()+
  geom_line(data = VIMS_filtered, aes(x=datetime, y = salinity_VIMS, color = "VIMS"))+
  scale_color_manual(values=c("black", "red"))+
  labs(x = "Time", y = "Salinity ppt", title = "Salinity Plot for NBDC and VIMS Data Sets")

salplot
```

Salinity Plot for NBDC and VIMS Data Sets



VIMS data are recorded daily, while NBDC are recorded once an hour. I will average NBDC temperature and salinity by day. Then I will select days that appear in both data sets in order to do a correction.

```
#extract date from datetime and make it POSIXct format
NBDC_filtered$date <- format(NBDC_filtered$datetime, "%Y-%m-%d")
NBDC_filtered$date <- as.POSIXct(NBDC_filtered$date, "%Y-%m-%d", tz = "")

#average temperature and salinity by day for NBDC
NBDC_filtered <- NBDC_filtered %>%
  group_by(date) %>%
  mutate(mean_daily_temp_NBDC = mean(temp_NBDC), mean_daily_sal_NBDC = mean(salinity_NBDC))

#filter so each day is represented once
NBDC_day <- NBDC_filtered[match(unique(NBDC_filtered$date), NBDC_filtered$date), ]

NBDC_day_filtered <- NBDC_day[NBDC_day$date %in% VIMS_filtered$datetime, ]

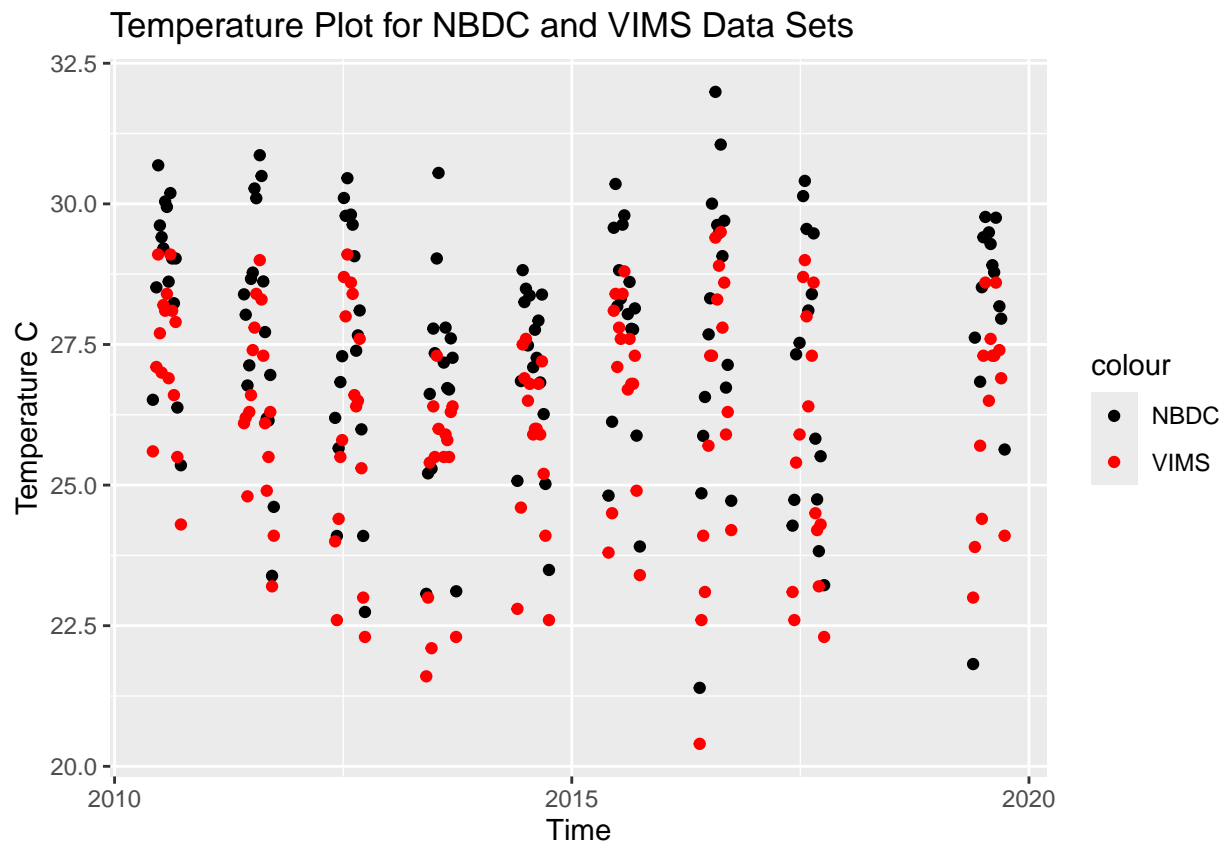
VIMS_day_filtered <- VIMS_filtered[VIMS_filtered$datetime %in% NBDC_day_filtered$date, ]
```

Re-plot temperature and salinity from the two data sets to make sure dates look like they align

```
filter_templot <- ggplot(NBDC_day_filtered, aes(x=datetime, y = mean_daily_temp_NBDC, color = "NBDC"))
  geom_point()+
  geom_point(data = VIMS_day_filtered, aes(x=date, y = temp_VIMS, color = "VIMS"))+
  scale_color_manual(values=c("black", "red"))+
```

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labs(x = "Time", y = "Temperature C", title = "Temperature Plot for NBDC and VIMS Data Sets")
```

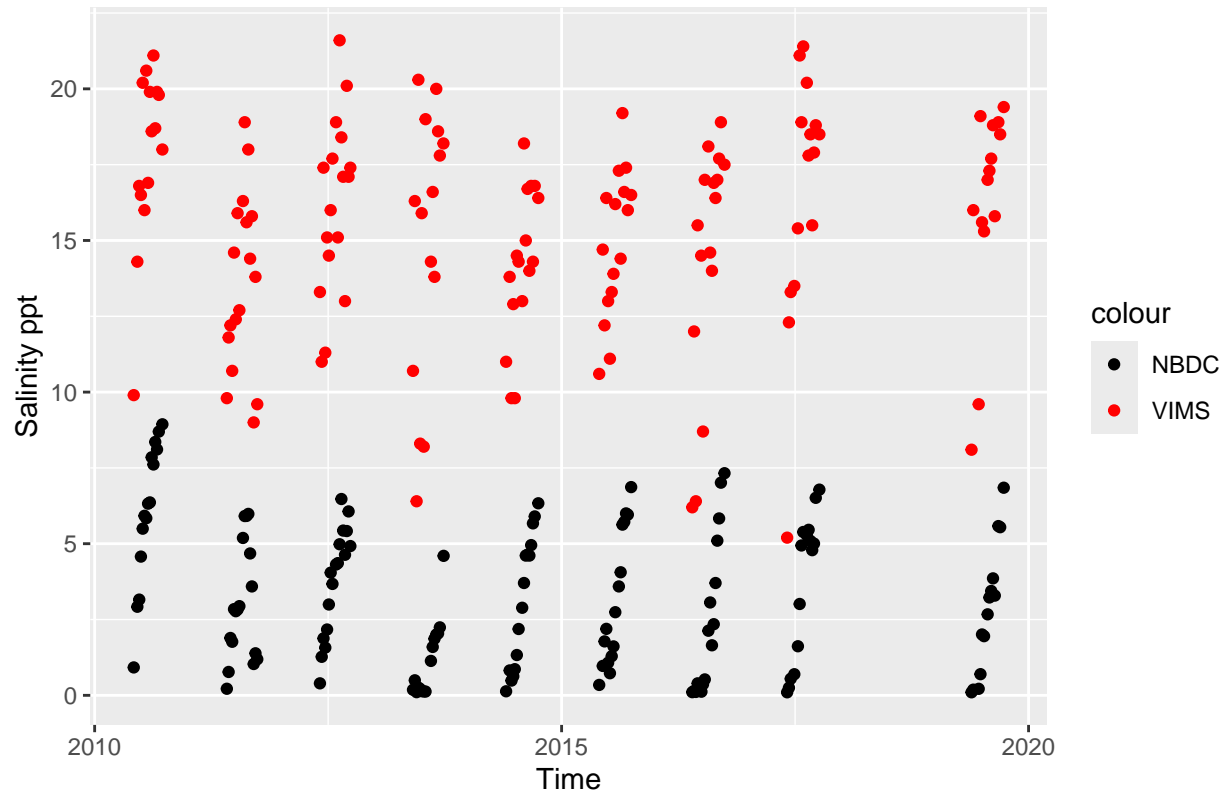
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filter_templot
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```
filtered_salplot <- ggplot(NBDC_day_filtered, aes(x=datetime, y = mean_daily_sal_NBDC, color = "NBDC"))
  geom_point()+
  geom_point(data = VIMS_day_filtered, aes(x=date, y = salinity_VIMS, color = "VIMS"))+
  scale_color_manual(values=c("black", "red"))+
  labs(x = "Time", y = "Salinity ppt", title = "Salinity Plot for NBDC and VIMS Data Sets")
```

```
filtered_salplot
```

Salinity Plot for NBDC and VIMS Data Sets



```
NBDC_VIMS_df <- left_join(VIMS_day_filtered,
  NBDC_day_filtered, by = "date")

#select relevant columns
NBDC_VIMS_df <- NBDC_VIMS_df[ , c("date", "mean_daily_temp_NBDC", "temp_VIMS", "mean_daily_sal_NBDC", "temp_VIMS")]

NBDC_VIMS_df <- NBDC_VIMS_df %>%
  mutate(temp_diff = temp_VIMS-mean_daily_temp_NBDC, sal_diff = salinity_VIMS -mean_daily_sal_NBDC)

temp_correction <- mean(NBDC_VIMS_df$temp_diff)
#On average, VIMS temperature readings are 1.4 °C lower than readings from NBDC. Correct NBDC temperature readings

sal_correction <- mean(NBDC_VIMS_df$sal_diff)
#On average, VIMS salinity readings are 12.1 ppt higher than readings from NBDC. Correct NBDC salinity readings

NBDC_raw$temp_corrected <- NBDC_raw$temp_NBDC-1.4

NBDC_raw$salinity_corrected <- NBDC_raw$salinity_NBDC+12.1

write.csv(NBDC_raw, "/Users/nicolemongillo/Desktop/GitHub/MVP_Chesapeake_VIMS_hatchery/data/envr_raw_data.csv")
```