

410 EDA

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```
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# make effective field goal percentage variable
wbb <- wbb %>%
  mutate(WeFG = (WFGM + 0.5 * WFGM3) / WFGA,
         LeFG = (LFGM + 0.5 * LFGM3) / LFGA)
```

look at variables

```
summary(wbb)
```

Season	DayNum	WTeamID	WScore	LTeamID
Min. :2010	Min. : 0.00	Min. :3101	Min. : 30.00	Min. :3101
1st Qu.:2013	1st Qu.: 36.00	1st Qu.:3196	1st Qu.: 64.00	1st Qu.:3195
Median :2017	Median : 73.00	Median :3283	Median : 71.00	Median :3287
Mean :2017	Mean : 69.55	Mean :3285	Mean : 71.71	Mean :3287
3rd Qu.:2022	3rd Qu.:101.00	3rd Qu.:3376	3rd Qu.: 79.00	3rd Qu.:3377
Max. :2025	Max. :132.00	Max. :3480	Max. :140.00	Max. :3480
LScore	WLoc	NumOT	WFGM	
Min. : 11.00	Length:81308	Min. :0.00000	Min. : 9.00	
1st Qu.: 50.00	Class :character	1st Qu.:0.00000	1st Qu.:22.00	
Median : 57.00	Mode :character	Median :0.00000	Median :25.00	
Mean : 57.26		Mean :0.05167	Mean :25.85	
3rd Qu.: 64.00		3rd Qu.:0.00000	3rd Qu.:29.00	
Max. :130.00		Max. :5.00000	Max. :58.00	
WFGA	WFGM3	WFGA3	WFTM	
Min. : 30.00	Min. : 0.000	Min. : 0.00	Min. : 0.00	

1st Qu.: 53.00	1st Qu.: 4.000	1st Qu.:13.00	1st Qu.:10.00	
Median : 59.00	Median : 6.000	Median :17.00	Median :13.00	
Mean : 58.96	Mean : 6.282	Mean :17.97	Mean :13.73	
3rd Qu.: 64.00	3rd Qu.: 8.000	3rd Qu.:22.00	3rd Qu.:17.00	
Max. :113.00	Max. :30.000	Max. :63.00	Max. :49.00	
WFTA	WOR	WDR	Wast	
Min. : 0.00	Min. : 0.00	Min. : 3.00	Min. : 1.00	
1st Qu.:14.00	1st Qu.: 9.00	1st Qu.:23.00	1st Qu.:12.00	
Median :19.00	Median :12.00	Median :26.00	Median :15.00	
Mean :19.29	Mean :12.08	Mean :26.65	Mean :14.96	
3rd Qu.:24.00	3rd Qu.:15.00	3rd Qu.:30.00	3rd Qu.:18.00	
Max. :66.00	Max. :45.00	Max. :58.00	Max. :45.00	
WTO	WStl	WBlk	WPF	
Min. : 1.00	Min. : 0.000	Min. : 0.000	Min. : 1.00	
1st Qu.:12.00	1st Qu.: 6.000	1st Qu.: 2.000	1st Qu.:13.00	
Median :15.00	Median : 8.000	Median : 3.000	Median :16.00	
Mean :15.04	Mean : 8.636	Mean : 3.677	Mean :16.05	
3rd Qu.:18.00	3rd Qu.:11.000	3rd Qu.: 5.000	3rd Qu.:19.00	
Max. :40.00	Max. :36.000	Max. :23.000	Max. :37.00	
LFGM	LFGA	LFGM3	LFGA3	
Min. : 3.00	Min. : 25.00	Min. : 0.000	Min. : 0.00	
1st Qu.:18.00	1st Qu.: 53.00	1st Qu.: 3.000	1st Qu.:13.00	
Median :21.00	Median : 58.00	Median : 5.000	Median :17.00	
Mean :20.89	Mean : 58.04	Mean : 4.968	Mean :17.93	
3rd Qu.:24.00	3rd Qu.: 63.00	3rd Qu.: 7.000	3rd Qu.:22.00	
Max. :45.00	Max. :111.00	Max. :25.000	Max. :80.00	
LFTM	LFTA	LOR	LDR	LAsT
Min. : 0.00	Min. : 0.0	Min. : 0.00	Min. : 1.00	Min. : 0.00
1st Qu.: 7.00	1st Qu.:11.0	1st Qu.: 8.00	1st Qu.:19.00	1st Qu.: 8.00
Median :10.00	Median :15.0	Median :11.00	Median :22.00	Median :11.00
Mean :10.51	Mean :15.5	Mean :11.34	Mean :22.41	Mean :10.94
3rd Qu.:14.00	3rd Qu.:20.0	3rd Qu.:14.00	3rd Qu.:26.00	3rd Qu.:13.00
Max. :37.00	Max. :52.0	Max. :38.00	Max. :53.00	Max. :34.00
LTO	LStl	LBlk	LPF	
Min. : 1.00	Min. : 0.000	Min. : 0.00	Min. : 3.00	
1st Qu.:13.00	1st Qu.: 5.000	1st Qu.: 1.00	1st Qu.:15.00	
Median :17.00	Median : 7.000	Median : 2.00	Median :18.00	
Mean :17.13	Mean : 7.109	Mean : 2.82	Mean :18.18	
3rd Qu.:20.00	3rd Qu.: 9.000	3rd Qu.: 4.00	3rd Qu.:21.00	
Max. :49.00	Max. :26.000	Max. :21.00	Max. :47.00	
WeFG	LeFG			
Min. :0.1899	Min. :0.0600			
1st Qu.:0.4386	1st Qu.:0.3529			

Median	:0.4909	Median	:0.4032
Mean	:0.4932	Mean	:0.4041
3rd Qu.	:0.5446	3rd Qu.	:0.4537
Max.	:0.9592	Max.	:0.7619

Variables I want to look at:

- eFG%
 - $\text{eFG\%} = (\text{Field Goals Made} + 0.5 * \text{Three-Point Field Goals Made}) / \text{Field Goal Attempts}.$
- num TO
- FT %
- num assists
- num rebounds
- score and score difference between winning and losing teams
- location (as factor)

Histograms and Boxplots of Score Distribution for Winning and Losing Teams

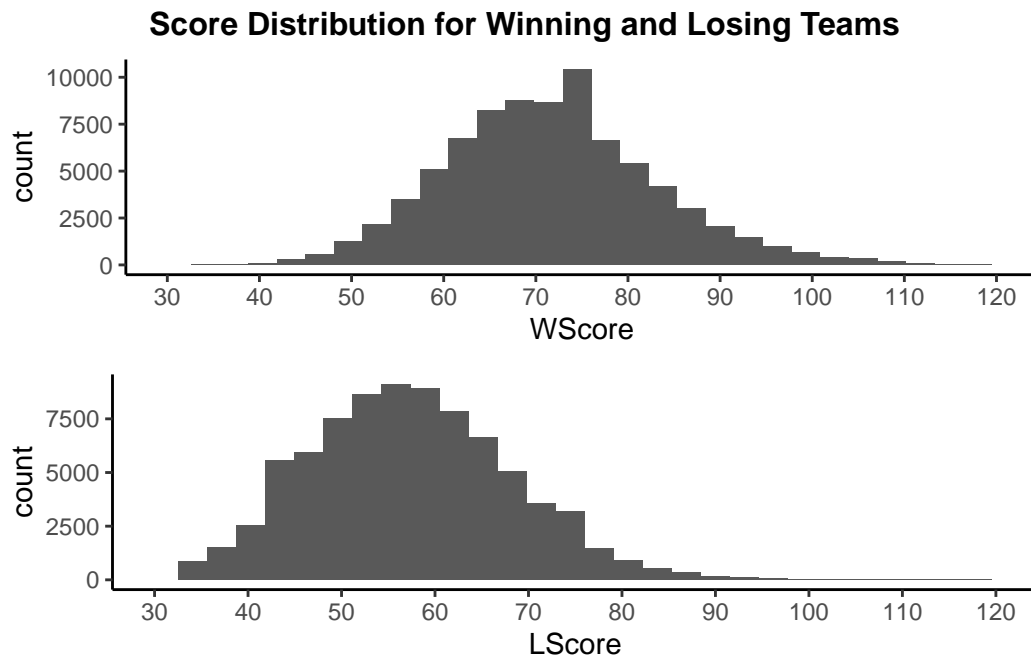
```
wscore <- wbb %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = WScore)) +
  geom_histogram() +
  theme_classic() +
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 10, limits = c(30,120))

lscore <- wbb %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = LScore)) +
  geom_histogram() +
  theme_classic() +
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 10, limits = c(30,120))

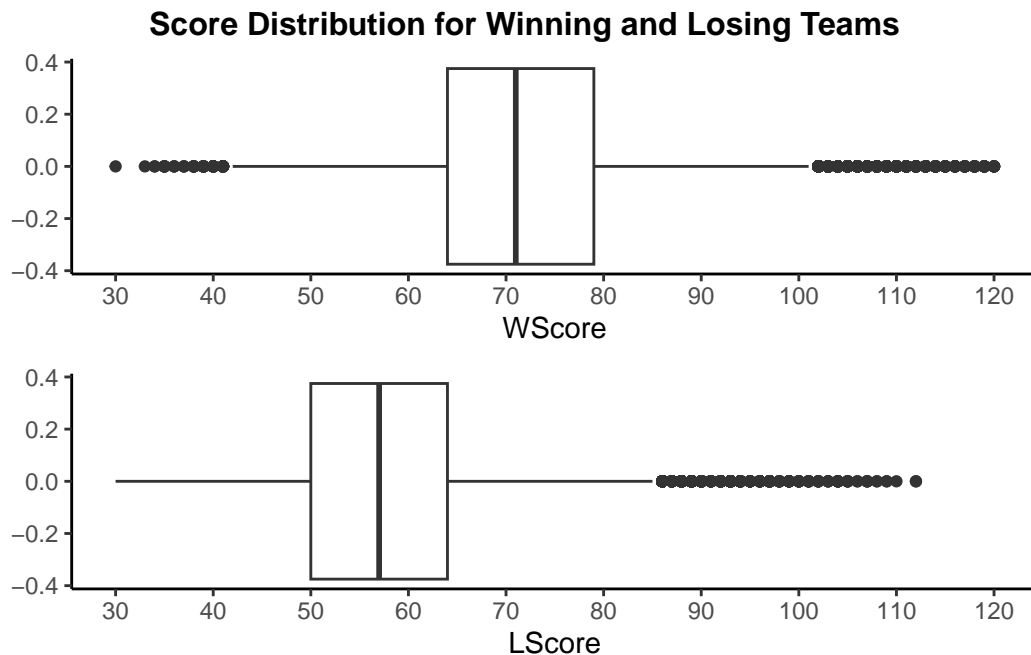
plt <- ggarrange(wscore, lscore, ncol = 1, nrow = 2)
```

`stat_bin()` using `bins = 30`. Pick better value with `binwidth`.
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```
annotate_figure(plt, top = text_grob("Score Distribution for Winning and Losing Teams", face
```



```
wscore <- wbb %>%  
  ggplot(aes(x = WScore)) +  
  geom_boxplot() +  
  theme_classic() +  
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 9, limits = c(30,120))  
lscore <- wbb %>%  
  ggplot(aes(x = LScore)) +  
  geom_boxplot() +  
  theme_classic() +  
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 9, limits = c(30,120))  
  
plt <- ggarrange(wscore, lscore, ncol = 1, nrow = 2)  
annotate_figure(plt, top = text_grob("Score Distribution for Winning and Losing Teams", face
```



Score Difference Between Winning and Losing Teams

```
score_diff <- wbb %>%
  mutate(difference = WScore - LScore)
mean(score_diff$difference)
```

```
[1] 14.45296
```

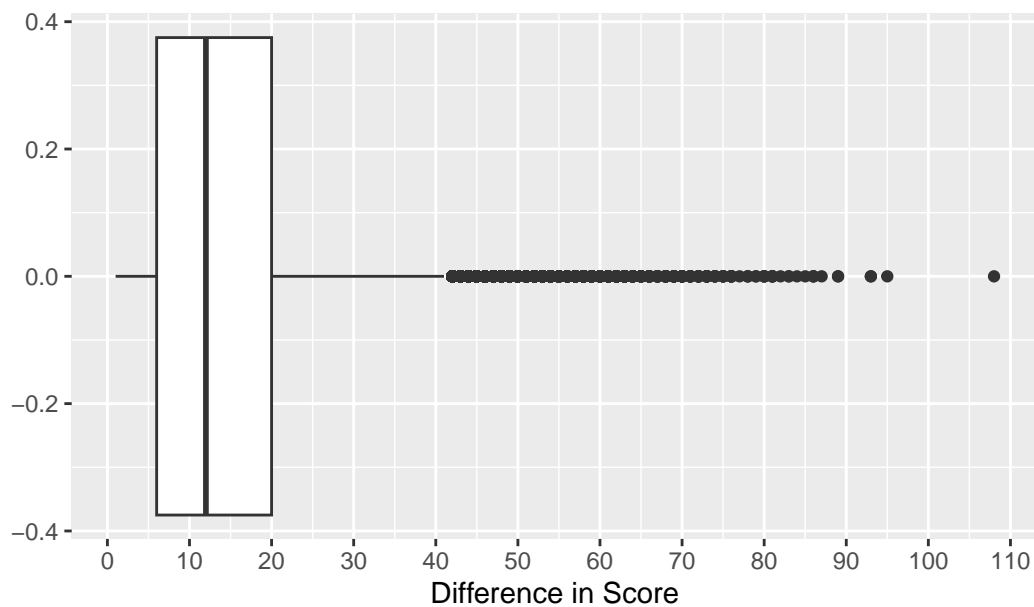
```
median(score_diff$difference)
```

```
[1] 12
```

```
plt <- score_diff %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = difference)) +
  geom_boxplot() +
  ggtitle("Distribution of Score Difference between Winning and Losing Teams")

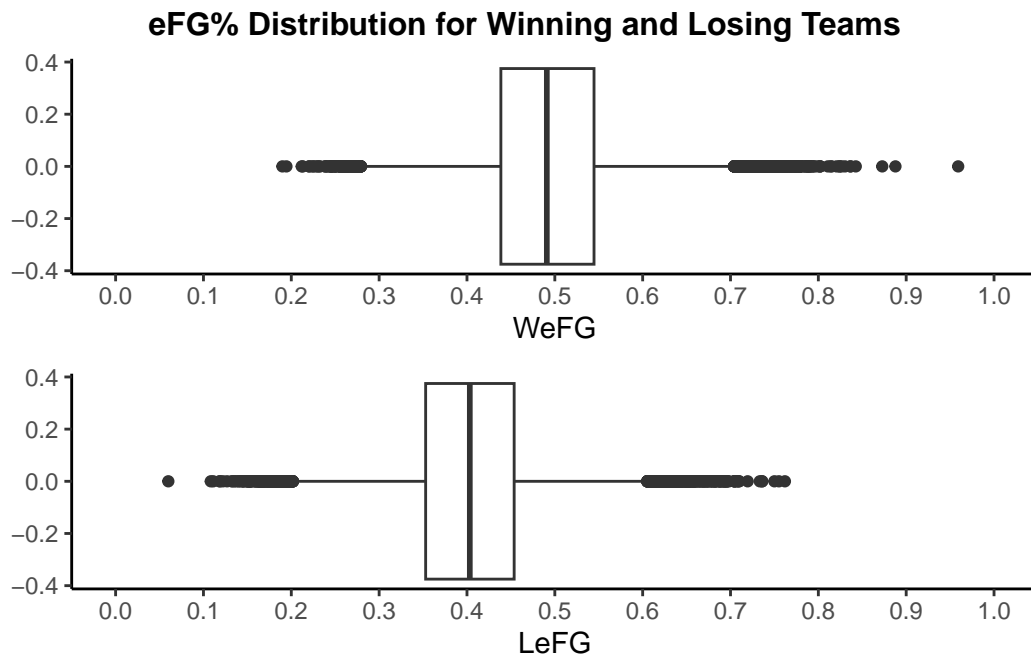
plt +
  theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +
  xlab('Difference in Score') + scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 10)
```

Distribution of Score Difference between Winning and Losing Team

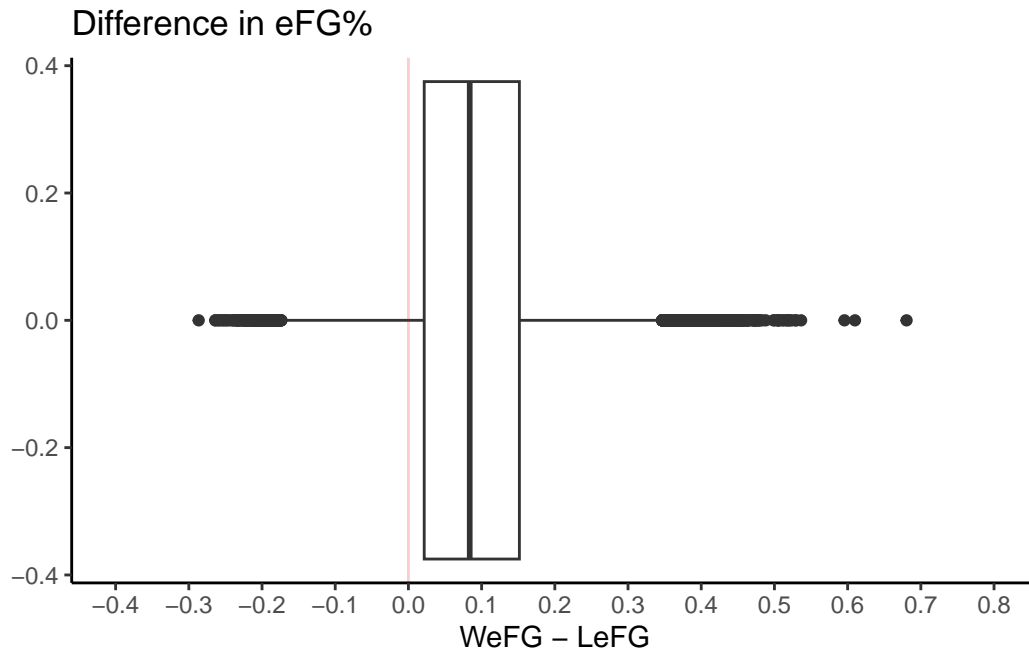


```
wscore <- wbb %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = WeFG)) +
  geom_boxplot() +
  theme_classic() +
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 10, limits = c(0,1))
lscore <- wbb %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = LeFG)) +
  geom_boxplot() +
  theme_classic() +
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 10, limits = c(0,1))

plt <- ggarrange(wscore, lscore, ncol = 1, nrow = 2)
annotate_figure(plt, top = text_grob("eFG% Distribution for Winning and Losing Teams", face = "serif", size = 12))
```



```
# effective field goal % difference
wbb %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = WeFG - LeFG)) +
  geom_boxplot() +
  theme_classic() +
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 10, limits = c(-0.4, 0.8)) +
  geom_vline(xintercept = 0, alpha = 0.2, color = 'red') +
  ggtitle("Difference in eFG%")
```



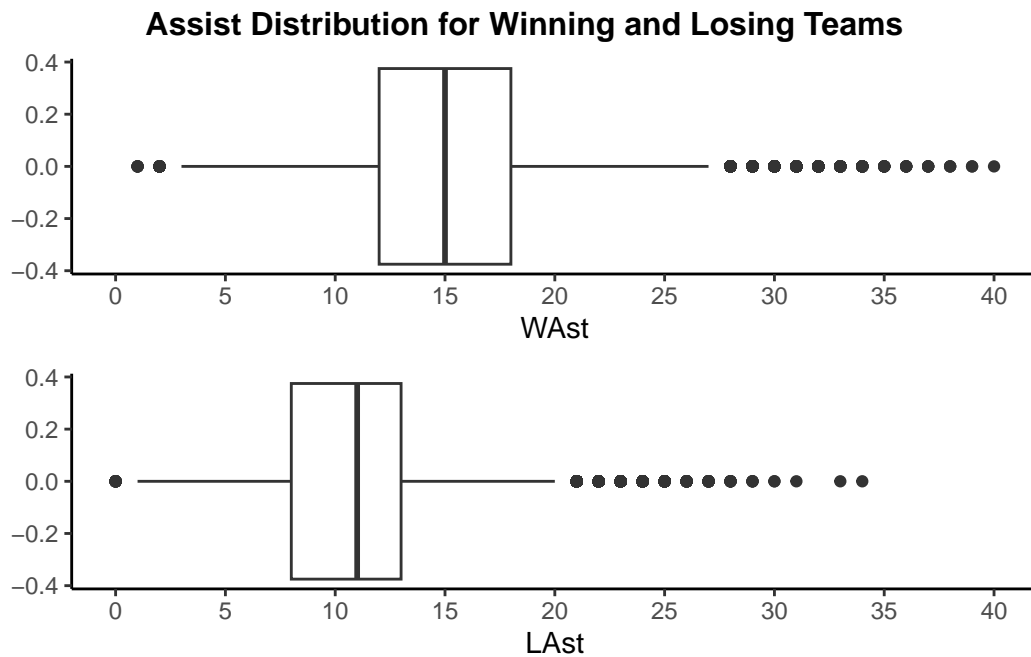
```
median(wbb$WeFG - wbb$LeFG)
```

```
[1] 0.08376271
```

Assists, Rebounds, and Turnovers

```
# assists
w <- wbb %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = WAst)) +
  geom_boxplot() +
  theme_classic() +
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 10, limits = c(0,40))
l <- wbb %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = LAst)) +
  geom_boxplot() +
  theme_classic() +
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 10, limits = c(0,40))

plt <- ggarrange(w, l, ncol = 1, nrow = 2)
annotate_figure(plt, top = text_grob("Assist Distribution for Winning and Losing Teams", face = "bold", size = 12, color = "green"))
```

```
# rebounds
mean(wbb$WOR + wbb$WDR)
```

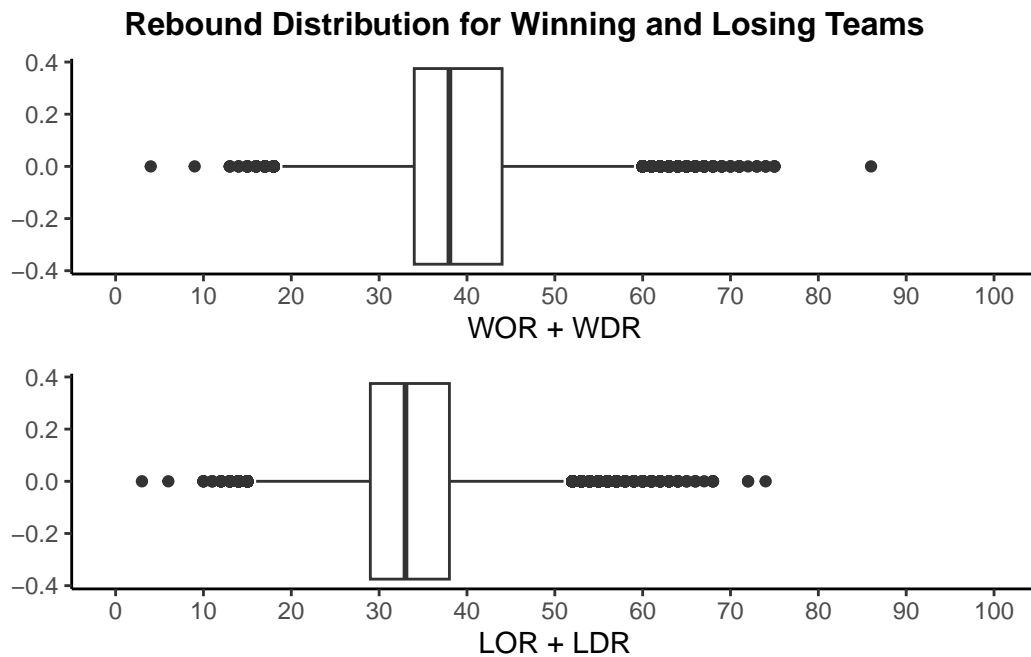
```
[1] 38.73694
```

```
mean(wbb$LOR + wbb$LDR)
```

```
[1] 33.74551
```

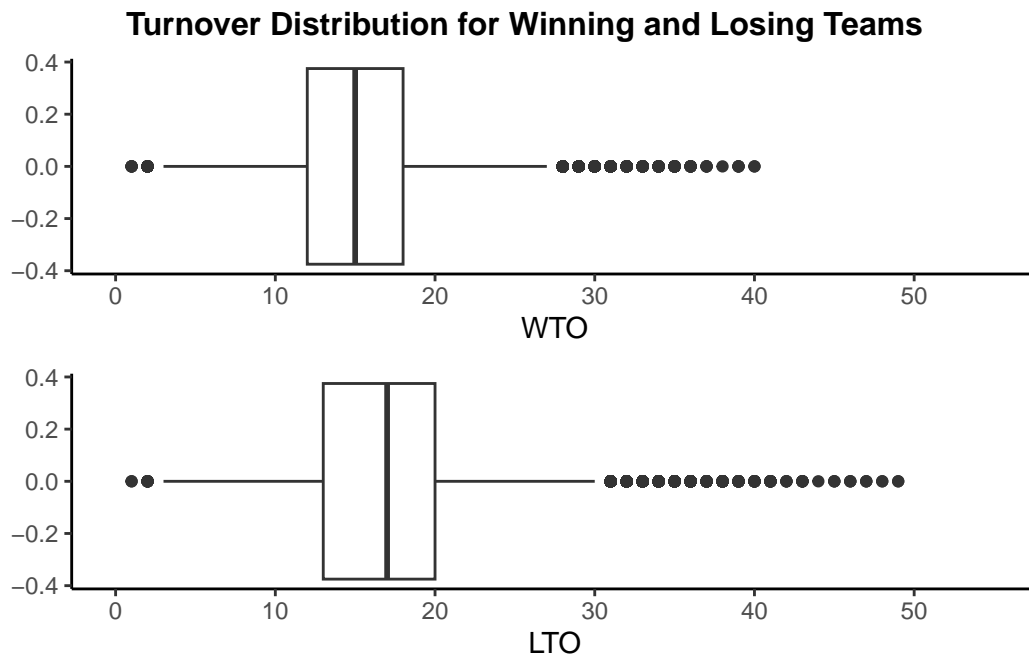
```
w <- wbb %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = WOR + WDR)) +
  geom_boxplot() +
  theme_classic() +
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 10, limits = c(0,100))
l <- wbb %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = LOR + LDR)) +
  geom_boxplot() +
  theme_classic() +
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 10, limits = c(0,100))

plt <- ggarrange(w, l, ncol = 1, nrow = 2)
annotate_figure(plt, top = text_grob("Rebound Distribution for Winning and Losing Teams", fa
```



```
# turnovers
w <- wbb %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = WTO)) +
  geom_boxplot() +
  theme_classic() +
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 10, limits = c(0,55))
l <- wbb %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = LTO)) +
  geom_boxplot() +
  theme_classic() +
  scale_x_continuous(n.breaks = 10, limits = c(0,55))

plt <- ggarrange(w, l, ncol = 1, nrow = 2)
annotate_figure(plt, top = text_grob("Turnover Distribution for Winning and Losing Teams", f
```



410 Project - Models

```
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# make effective field goal percentage variable
wbb <- wbb %>%
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         LeFG = 100*(LFGM + 0.5 * LFGM3) / LFGA)
```

Regression Analysis

Data Prep

Add Binary Outcome Variable

- add variable that signifies whether the home team won the game
 - 1 if home team won
 - 0 if home team lost

– removed neutral games

```
wbb$HomeWin <- ifelse(
  wbb$WLoc == "H", 1,          # Home team won
  ifelse(wbb$WLoc == "A", 0, NA) # Home team lost (Away won)
)
wbb <- wbb %>%
  filter(WLoc != "N") # Remove neutral games
```

Put Variables in Terms of Home/Away Teams

```
# Initialize new columns for home/away stats
home_stats <- c("Score", "FGM", "FGA", "FGM3", "FGA3", "FTM", "FTA", "OR", "DR", "Ast", "TO")
away_stats <- paste0("Away_", home_stats) # e.g., "Away_FGM"
home_stats <- paste0("Home_", home_stats) # e.g., "Home_FGM"

# Loop through each stat and assign home/away values
for (i in seq_along(home_stats)) {
  stat <- gsub("Home_", "", home_stats[i]) # e.g., "FGM"

  # If home team won, W stats = home team, L stats = away team
  wbb[home_stats[i]] <- ifelse(
    wbb$WLoc == "H",
    wbb[[paste0("W", stat)]], # e.g., WFGM
    wbb[[paste0("L", stat)]] # e.g., LFGM (home team lost)
  )

  wbb[away_stats[i]] <- ifelse(
    wbb$WLoc == "H",
    wbb[[paste0("L", stat)]], # e.g., LFGM
    wbb[[paste0("W", stat)]] # e.g., WFGM
  )
}
```

Create Additional Features

```
# Field goal difference
wbb$FGM_diff <- wbb$Home_FGM - wbb$Away_FGM
```

```
# Turnover difference (negative means home team had more TOs)
wbb$TO_diff <- wbb$Home_TO - wbb$Away_TO

# Home/Away FG% ratio
wbb$FG_pct_ratio <- (wbb$Home_FGM / wbb$Home_FGA) /
                    (wbb$Away_FGM / wbb$Away_FGA)

# Home/Away eFG% ratio
wbb$eFG_pct_ratio <- wbb$Home_eFG / wbb$Away_eFG
```

Cleaning

```
wbb_subset <- wbb %>% filter(Season == 2024 | Season == 2025) %>% dplyr::select(HomeWin:eFG_pct_ratio)

# add a few more variables
wbb_subset$Home_R <- wbb_subset$Home_OR + wbb_subset$Home_DR
wbb_subset$Away_R <- wbb_subset$Away_OR + wbb_subset$Away_DR
wbb_subset$HomeWin <- as.factor(wbb_subset$HomeWin)

head(wbb_subset)
```

	HomeWin	Home_Score	Away_Score	Home_FGM	Away_FGM	Home_FGA	Away_FGA	Home_FGM3
1	1	65	63	26	23	64	57	4
2	1	93	39	29	13	66	43	4
3	0	55	58	21	15	53	44	4
4	1	81	68	30	25	64	64	11
5	1	71	65	24	27	66	62	2
6	0	57	68	19	29	55	59	7

	Away_FGM3	Home_FGA3	Away_FGA3	Home_FTM	Away_FTM	Home_FTA	Away_FTA	Home_OR
1	7	12	23	9	10	15	19	10
2	1	16	10	31	12	44	17	20
3	8	14	22	9	20	10	29	8
4	4	25	13	10	14	17	23	7
5	3	12	14	21	8	31	13	14
6	5	15	20	12	5	18	11	5

	Away_OR	Home_DR	Away_DR	Home_Ast	Away_Ast	Home_TO	Away_TO	Home_Stl	Away_Stl
1	7	25	27	14	10	14	15	9	6
2	5	26	18	14	7	9	26	18	3
3	7	16	18	8	10	15	18	11	5
4	5	33	28	24	9	20	16	7	15

5	7	26	23	7	10	16	13	8	7
6	7	19	22	12	13	23	26	12	10
	Home_Bl	Away_Bl	Home_eFG	Away_eFG	FGM_diff	TO_diff	FG_pct_ratio		
1	5	3	43.75000	46.49123	3	-1	1.0067935		
2	4	7	46.96970	31.39535	16	-17	1.4533800		
3	4	4	43.39623	43.18182	6	-3	1.1622642		
4	2	3	55.46875	42.18750	5	4	1.2000000		
5	4	2	37.87879	45.96774	-3	3	0.8350168		
6	0	7	40.90909	53.38983	-10	-3	0.7028213		
	eFG_pct_ratio	NumOT	Home_R	Away_R					
1	0.9410377	0	35	34					
2	1.4960718	0	46	23					
3	1.0049652	0	24	25					
4	1.3148148	0	40	33					
5	0.8240298	0	40	30					
6	0.7662338	0	24	29					

Create a Test Dataset Using 2023 Season

```
wbb_subset_test <- wbb %>% filter(Season == 2023) %>% dplyr::select(HomeWin:eFG_pct_ratio, NumOT)

# add a few more variables
wbb_subset_test$Home_R <- wbb_subset_test$Home_OR + wbb_subset_test$Home_DR
wbb_subset_test$Away_R <- wbb_subset_test$Away_OR + wbb_subset_test$Away_DR
wbb_subset_test$HomeWin <- as.factor(wbb_subset_test$HomeWin)

head(wbb_subset_test)
```

	HomeWin	Home_Score	Away_Score	Home_FGM	Away_FGM	Home_FGA	Away_FGA	Home_FGM3	
1	0	63	67	20	22	57	61	5	
2	1	98	51	31	16	58	64	13	
3	1	69	68	26	26	72	73	4	
4	0	50	70	17	23	50	58	4	
5	1	88	50	33	18	68	50	9	
6	1	81	53	33	16	63	47	3	
	Away_FGM3	Home_FGA3	Away_FGA3	Home_FTM	Away_FTM	Home_FTA	Away_FTA	Home_OR	
1	6	24	20	18	17	26	18	14	
2	2	25	12	23	17	33	27	11	
3	9	18	27	13	7	18	15	15	
4	7	19	17	12	17	27	36	7	
5	3	25	12	13	11	20	19	12	

	7	12	17	12	14	24	18	12	
	Away_OR	Home_DR	Away_DR	Home_Ast	Away_Ast	Home_TO	Away_TO	Home_Stl	Away_Stl
1	10	21	25	8	16	17	11	7	11
2	14	35	21	18	5	12	13	10	3
3	13	28	27	11	17	12	15	9	9
4	11	25	20	7	3	14	13	2	6
5	5	26	23	22	11	10	19	6	4
6	3	26	15	20	10	22	26	18	9
	Home_Bl	Away_Bl	Home_eFG	Away_eFG	FGM_diff	TO_diff	FG_pct_ratio		
1	5	4	39.47368	40.98361	-2	6	0.9728868		
2	7	2	64.65517	26.56250	15	-1	2.1379310		
3	5	7	38.88889	41.78082	0	-3	1.0138889		
4	2	0	38.00000	45.68966	-6	1	0.8573913		
5	5	5	55.14706	39.00000	15	-9	1.3480392		
6	7	3	54.76190	41.48936	17	-4	1.5386905		
	eFG_pct_ratio	NumOT	Home_R	Away_R					
1	0.9631579	0	35	35					
2	2.4340771	0	46	35					
3	0.9307832	0	43	40					
4	0.8316981	0	32	31					
5	1.4140271	0	38	28					
6	1.3199023	0	38	18					

Logistic Regression

Max model with all variables

- do not include unique identifiers or non-statistical variables (season, day number, team ID)
- since the location was used to create the response variable, do not include this either
 - more interested in how stats impact win vs lose because teams will have to play at home and away no matter what

Test Model

```
mod <- glm(HomeWin ~ Home_eFG + Away_eFG + TO_diff, family = binomial(), data = wbb_subset)
summary(mod)
```

```
Call:
glm(formula = HomeWin ~ Home_eFG + Away_eFG + TO_diff, family = binomial(),
    data = wbb_subset)
```

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-0.079243	0.280036	-0.283	0.777
Home_eFG	0.306576	0.007489	40.936	<2e-16 ***
Away_eFG	-0.298991	0.007386	-40.480	<2e-16 ***
TO_diff	-0.298823	0.008677	-34.440	<2e-16 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 12973.1 on 9672 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 4937.2 on 9669 degrees of freedom
AIC: 4945.2

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 7

```
vif(mod)
```

```
Home_eFG Away_eFG TO_diff
1.999204 2.046611 1.753894
```

Backward Selection

```
mod_max <- glm(HomeWin ~ . - Home_Score - Away_Score, data = wbb_subset, family = binomial())
mod_back <- step(mod_max, direction = "backward")
```

```
summary(mod_back)
```

Call:

```
glm(formula = HomeWin ~ Home_FGM + Away_FGM + Home_FGM3 + Away_FGM3 +
    Home_FTM + Away_FTM, family = binomial(), data = wbb_subset)
```

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	0.5813	2448.0144	0.000	1.000
Home_FGM	36.5272	767.1172	0.048	0.962
Away_FGM	-36.5330	767.7281	-0.048	0.962
Home_FGM3	18.2680	408.9150	0.045	0.964
Away_FGM3	-18.3245	409.5950	-0.045	0.964
Home_FTM	18.2715	388.0147	0.047	0.962
Away_FTM	-18.2743	387.7151	-0.047	0.962

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 1.2973e+04 on 9672 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 5.0436e-06 on 9666 degrees of freedom
AIC: 14

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 25

```
vif(mod_back)
```

Home_FGM	Away_FGM	Home_FGM3	Away_FGM3	Home_FTM	Away_FTM
75.473004	72.862053	7.756750	8.221323	24.619259	26.215169

```
adj_mod <- glm(HomeWin ~ Home_FGM + Home_FGM3 + Away_FGM3 + Home_FTM + Away_FTM, wbb_subset,
summary(adj_mod)
```

Call:

```
glm(formula = HomeWin ~ Home_FGM + Home_FGM3 + Away_FGM3 + Home_FTM +
    Away_FTM, family = binomial(), data = wbb_subset)
```

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-7.432214	0.232474	-31.97	<2e-16 ***
Home_FGM	0.416964	0.010329	40.37	<2e-16 ***
Home_FGM3	0.197173	0.012658	15.58	<2e-16 ***
Away_FGM3	-0.491642	0.014394	-34.16	<2e-16 ***
Home_FTM	0.258691	0.007671	33.72	<2e-16 ***
Away_FTM	-0.299051	0.008181	-36.55	<2e-16 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 12973.1 on 9672 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 6063.1 on 9667 degrees of freedom
AIC: 6075.1

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 6

```
vif(adj_mod)
```

Home_FGM	Home_FGM3	Away_FGM3	Home_FTM	Away_FTM
1.656165	1.157867	1.524349	1.471788	1.625096

Accuracy of Backwards Selection

```
# confusion matrix using 24-25 data
actual <- as.factor(wbb_subset$HomeWin)
predict_probs <- predict(adj_mod, type = "response")
predicted <- as.factor(ifelse(predict_probs > 0.5, 1, 0))

conf_mat <- confusionMatrix(actual, predicted)
conf_mat
```

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

	Reference	
Prediction	0	1
0	3080	733
1	596	5264

Accuracy : 0.8626
95% CI : (0.8556, 0.8694)
No Information Rate : 0.62
P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16

Kappa : 0.7105

McNemar's Test P-Value : 0.000191

Sensitivity : 0.8379

Specificity : 0.8778
 Pos Pred Value : 0.8078
 Neg Pred Value : 0.8983
 Prevalence : 0.3800
 Detection Rate : 0.3184
 Detection Prevalence : 0.3942
 Balanced Accuracy : 0.8578

'Positive' Class : 0

Accuracy for Backwards Selection on Test Dataset

```

actual <- as.factor(wbb_subset_test$HomeWin)
predict_probs <- predict(adj_mod, newdata = wbb_subset_test, type = "response")
predicted <- as.factor(ifelse(predict_probs > 0.5, 1, 0))

conf_mat <- confusionMatrix(actual, predicted)
conf_mat
  
```

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

	Reference	
Prediction	0	1
0	1512	422
1	349	2682

Accuracy : 0.8447
 95% CI : (0.8343, 0.8547)
 No Information Rate : 0.6252
 P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16

Kappa : 0.6712

Mcnemar's Test P-Value : 0.009514

Sensitivity : 0.8125
 Specificity : 0.8640
 Pos Pred Value : 0.7818
 Neg Pred Value : 0.8849
 Prevalence : 0.3748

Detection Rate : 0.3045
Detection Prevalence : 0.3895
Balanced Accuracy : 0.8383

'Positive' Class : 0

Variable Selection Using Subset for Max Model

```
mod_max <- glm(HomeWin ~ Home_eFG + Away_eFG + Home_R + Away_R + Home_Ast + Away_Ast + TO_diff,
               family = binomial(),
               data = wbb_subset)
summary(mod_max)
```

Call:

```
glm(formula = HomeWin ~ Home_eFG + Away_eFG + Home_R + Away_R +
     Home_Ast + Away_Ast + TO_diff + FGM_diff + eFG_pct_ratio,
     family = binomial(), data = wbb_subset)
```

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)	
(Intercept)	-8.96295	1.94838	-4.600	4.22e-06	***
Home_eFG	0.26694	0.04038	6.611	3.82e-11	***
Away_eFG	-0.26397	0.03983	-6.627	3.42e-11	***
Home_R	0.32620	0.01262	25.837	< 2e-16	***
Away_R	-0.33976	0.01313	-25.884	< 2e-16	***
Home_Ast	0.01575	0.01571	1.003	0.316	
Away_Ast	-0.01997	0.01528	-1.307	0.191	
TO_diff	-0.70328	0.02181	-32.251	< 2e-16	***
FGM_diff	-0.18233	0.01962	-9.295	< 2e-16	***
eFG_pct_ratio	9.34091	1.80045	5.188	2.12e-07	***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 12973.1 on 9672 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 2693.1 on 9663 degrees of freedom
AIC: 2713.1

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 9

```
# stepwise selection
mod <- step(mod_max, direction = "both")
```

Start: AIC=2713.07

HomeWin ~ Home_eFG + Away_eFG + Home_R + Away_R + Home_Ast +
Away_Ast + TO_diff + FGM_diff + eFG_pct_ratio

	Df	Deviance	AIC
- Home_Ast	1	2694.1	2712.1
- Away_Ast	1	2694.8	2712.8
<none>		2693.1	2713.1
- eFG_pct_ratio	1	2722.7	2740.7
- Home_eFG	1	2737.5	2755.5
- Away_eFG	1	2738.6	2756.6
- FGM_diff	1	2784.0	2802.0
- Away_R	1	3778.3	3796.3
- Home_R	1	3785.4	3803.4
- TO_diff	1	5267.0	5285.0

Step: AIC=2712.07

HomeWin ~ Home_eFG + Away_eFG + Home_R + Away_R + Away_Ast +
TO_diff + FGM_diff + eFG_pct_ratio

	Df	Deviance	AIC
- Away_Ast	1	2695.4	2711.4
<none>		2694.1	2712.1
+ Home_Ast	1	2693.1	2713.1
- eFG_pct_ratio	1	2723.6	2739.6
- Away_eFG	1	2739.3	2755.3
- Home_eFG	1	2740.7	2756.7
- FGM_diff	1	2784.0	2800.0
- Away_R	1	3787.0	3803.0
- Home_R	1	3860.1	3876.1
- TO_diff	1	5279.7	5295.7

Step: AIC=2711.41

HomeWin ~ Home_eFG + Away_eFG + Home_R + Away_R + TO_diff + FGM_diff +
eFG_pct_ratio

	Df	Deviance	AIC
<none>		2695.4	2711.4
+ Away_Ast	1	2694.1	2712.1
+ Home_Ast	1	2694.8	2712.8
- eFG_pct_ratio	1	2725.8	2739.8
- Home_eFG	1	2741.1	2755.1
- Away_eFG	1	2742.1	2756.1
- FGM_diff	1	2784.6	2798.6
- Away_R	1	3858.5	3872.5
- Home_R	1	3872.8	3886.8
- TO_diff	1	5293.6	5307.6

`summary(mod)`

Call:

```
glm(formula = HomeWin ~ Home_eFG + Away_eFG + Home_R + Away_R +  
    TO_diff + FGM_diff + eFG_pct_ratio, family = binomial(),  
    data = wbb_subset)
```

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-9.02258	1.93689	-4.658	3.19e-06 ***
Home_eFG	0.26728	0.03998	6.685	2.31e-11 ***
Away_eFG	-0.26588	0.03973	-6.693	2.19e-11 ***
Home_R	0.32696	0.01239	26.387	< 2e-16 ***
Away_R	-0.34066	0.01286	-26.500	< 2e-16 ***
TO_diff	-0.70412	0.02179	-32.319	< 2e-16 ***
FGM_diff	-0.17876	0.01941	-9.210	< 2e-16 ***
eFG_pct_ratio	9.43351	1.79868	5.245	1.57e-07 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 12973.1 on 9672 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 2695.4 on 9665 degrees of freedom
AIC: 2711.4

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 9

```
vif(mod)
```

Home_eFG	Away_eFG	Home_R	Away_R	TO_diff
31.705973	31.181532	2.391160	2.645752	5.880335
FGM_diff	eFG_pct_ratio			
1.481757	32.775609			

```
# adjust for vif
mod_adj <- glm(HomeWin ~ Home_eFG + Home_R + Away_R + TO_diff + FGM_diff,
               wbb_subset,
               family = binomial)
summary(mod_adj)
```

Call:

```
glm(formula = HomeWin ~ Home_eFG + Home_R + Away_R + TO_diff +
     FGM_diff, family = binomial, data = wbb_subset)
```

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-12.240853	0.534123	-22.92	<2e-16 ***
Home_eFG	0.179347	0.006885	26.05	<2e-16 ***
Home_R	0.219732	0.008043	27.32	<2e-16 ***
Away_R	-0.087063	0.006677	-13.04	<2e-16 ***
TO_diff	-0.239368	0.009207	-26.00	<2e-16 ***
FGM_diff	0.259613	0.011766	22.06	<2e-16 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 12973.1 on 9672 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 4987.4 on 9667 degrees of freedom
AIC: 4999.4

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 7

```
vif(mod_adj)
```

```
Home_eFG    Home_R    Away_R    TO_diff    FGM_diff  
1.778007 1.905363 1.317946 2.013816 1.066972
```

Accuracy for Subset Max Model

```
# confusion matrix using 24-25 data  
actual <- as.factor(wbb_subset$HomeWin)  
predict_probs <- predict(mod_adj, type = "response")  
predicted <- as.factor(ifelse(predict_probs > 0.5, 1, 0))  
  
conf_mat <- confusionMatrix(actual, predicted)  
conf_mat
```

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

	Reference	
Prediction	0	1
0	3207	606
1	529	5331

```
Accuracy : 0.8827  
95% CI : (0.8761, 0.889)  
No Information Rate : 0.6138  
P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2e-16
```

```
Kappa : 0.7535
```

```
McNemar's Test P-Value : 0.02408
```

```
Sensitivity : 0.8584  
Specificity : 0.8979  
Pos Pred Value : 0.8411  
Neg Pred Value : 0.9097  
Prevalence : 0.3862  
Detection Rate : 0.3315  
Detection Prevalence : 0.3942  
Balanced Accuracy : 0.8782
```


'Positive' Class : 0

Accuracy for Stepwise Model on Test Dataset

```
actual <- as.factor(wbb_subset_test$HomeWin)
predict_probs <- predict(mod_adj, newdata = wbb_subset_test, type = "response")
predicted <- as.factor(ifelse(predict_probs > 0.5, 1, 0))

conf_mat <- confusionMatrix(actual, predicted)
conf_mat
```

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

	Reference	
Prediction	0	1
0	1640	294
1	290	2741

Accuracy : 0.8824
95% CI : (0.8731, 0.8912)
No Information Rate : 0.6113
P-Value [Acc > NIR] : <2e-16

Kappa : 0.7526

Mcnemar's Test P-Value : 0.9012

Sensitivity : 0.8497
Specificity : 0.9031
Pos Pred Value : 0.8480
Neg Pred Value : 0.9043
Prevalence : 0.3887
Detection Rate : 0.3303
Detection Prevalence : 0.3895
Balanced Accuracy : 0.8764

'Positive' Class : 0

ROC Curve

```
library(pROC)
```

Type 'citation("pROC")' for a citation.

Attaching package: 'pROC'

The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':

cov, smooth, var

```
# get the predicted probabilities (pi-hats)
pi_hat <- predict(mod_adj, type = "response") # makes predictions off every observation in t

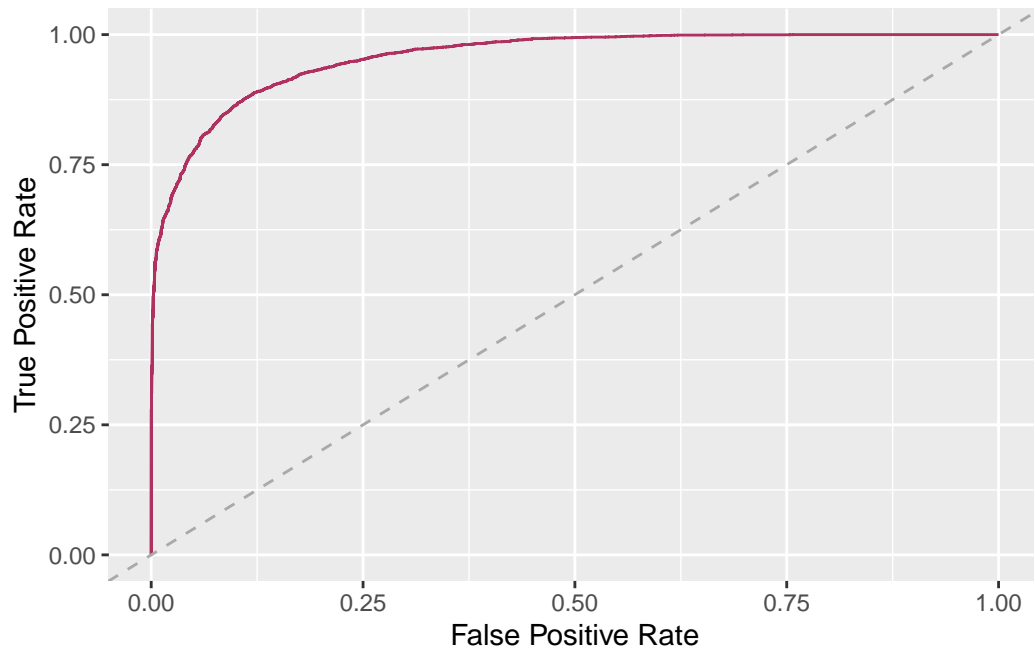
# roc() has two inputs: the actual response and the pi-hats
roc_obj <- roc(wbb_subset$HomeWin, pi_hat)
```

Setting levels: control = 0, case = 1

Setting direction: controls < cases

```
auc_value <- auc(roc_obj)

data.frame(fpr = 1 - roc_obj$specificities, tpr = roc_obj$sensitivities) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = fpr, y = tpr)) +
  geom_line(color="maroon") +
  geom_abline(slope = 1, intercept = 0, linetype = "dashed", color = "darkgrey") +
  xlab("False Positive Rate") +
  ylab("True Positive Rate")
```

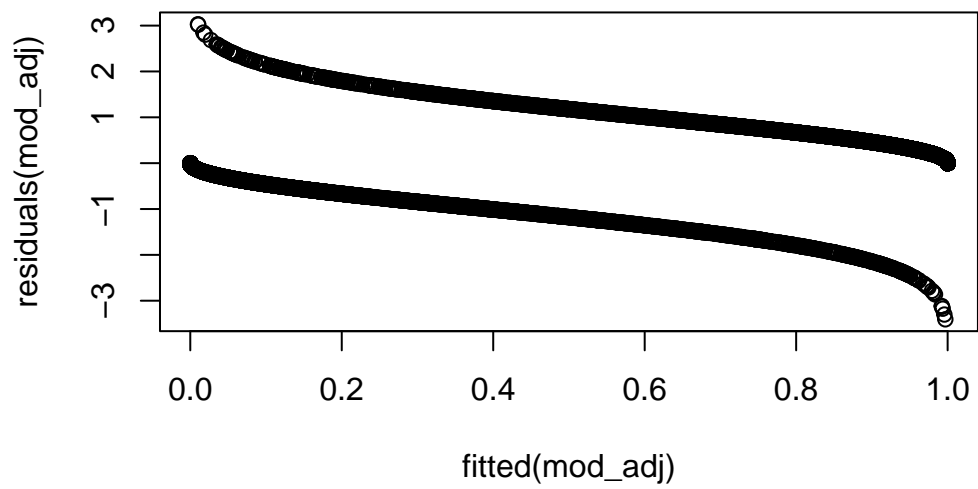


```
auc_value
```

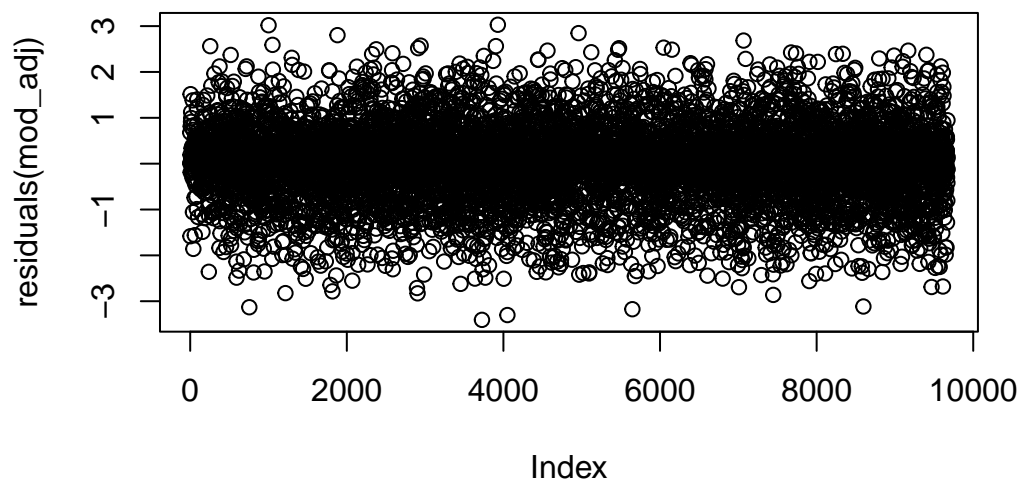
Area under the curve: 0.9567

Check Deviance

```
plot(fitted(mod_adj), residuals(mod_adj))
```



```
plot(residuals(mod_adj))
```



Compare With Random Forest

Compare best logistic regression model with a Random Forest to show trade-offs between simplicity and accuracy.

```
rf_model <- randomForest(  
  as.factor(HomeWin) ~ Home_eFG + Home_R + Away_R + TO_diff + FGM_diff,  
  data = wbb_subset,  
  importance = TRUE # Shows variable importance  
)  
print(importance(rf_model))
```

	0	1	MeanDecreaseAccuracy	MeanDecreaseGini
Home_eFG	97.47402	64.28292	109.6919	1092.5077
Home_R	100.87496	86.22211	125.0437	638.4869
Away_R	43.18682	15.69876	43.8438	452.2356
TO_diff	84.45318	67.46901	102.2243	538.7227
FGM_diff	93.98068	74.76885	116.2026	1876.9997

Random Forest Accuracy on Test Dataset

```
predict_probs <- predict(rf_model, newdata = wbb_subset_test)  
  
conf_matrix_rf <- confusionMatrix(predict_probs, wbb_subset_test$HomeWin)  
conf_matrix_rf
```

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

	Reference	
Prediction	0	1
0	1606	314
1	328	2717

Accuracy : 0.8707
95% CI : (0.861, 0.8799)
No Information Rate : 0.6105
P-Value [Acc > NIR] : <2e-16

Kappa : 0.7278

Mcnemar's Test P-Value : 0.6079

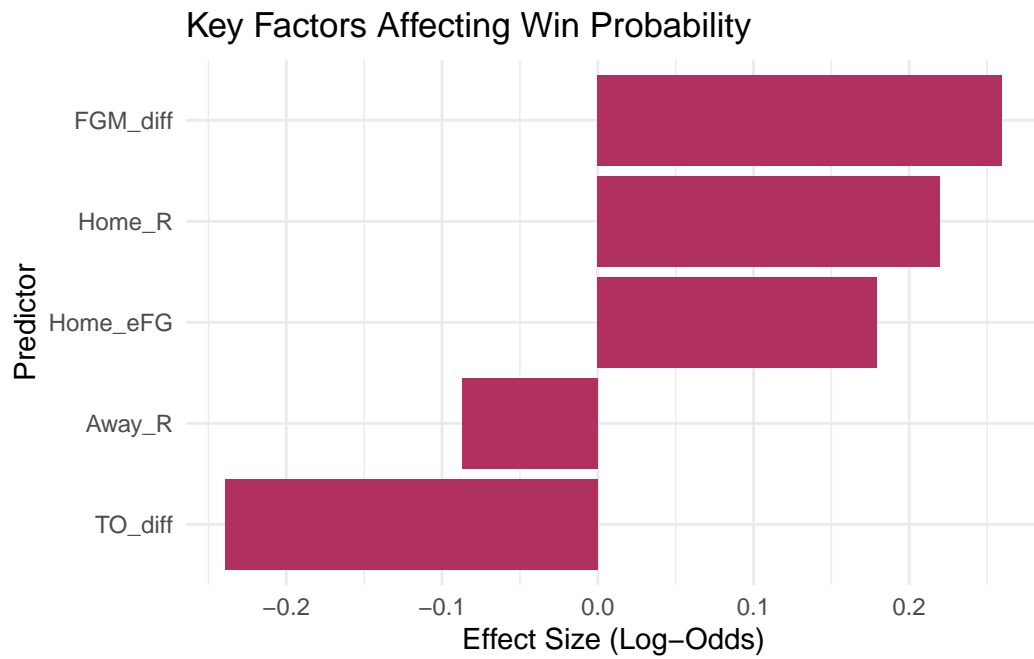
Sensitivity : 0.8304
Specificity : 0.8964
Pos Pred Value : 0.8365
Neg Pred Value : 0.8923
Prevalence : 0.3895
Detection Rate : 0.3235
Detection Prevalence : 0.3867
Balanced Accuracy : 0.8634

'Positive' Class : 0

Coefficient Plot

```
library(ggplot2)
coef_df <- data.frame(
  Predictor = names(coef(mod_adj)),
  Effect = coef(mod_adj)) %>%
  filter(Predictor != '(Intercept)')

ggplot(coef_df, aes(x = Effect, y = reorder(Predictor, Effect))) +
  geom_col(fill = "maroon") +
  labs(title = "Key Factors Affecting Win Probability",
       y = "Predictor", x = "Effect Size (Log-Odds)") +
  theme_minimal()
```



Bars show which stats most influence win margins (longer = stronger effect).