R skills assessment

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Basic Stats

1. Summary statistics of GDP per capita by region

```
weighted_sd <- function(x, pop) {</pre>
  sqrt(weighted.mean((x - weighted.mean(x, pop, na.rm = TRUE))^2,
                      pop, na.rm = TRUE))
}
gdp_sum <- wdi[, .(</pre>
  N = sum(!is.na(gdp)),
  Mean = weighted_sd(gdp, pop),
  SD = sqrt(weighted.mean((gdp - weighted.mean(gdp, pop, na.rm = TRUE))^2,
                           pop, na.rm = TRUE)),
  Min = min(gdp, na.rm = TRUE),
  Max = max(gdp, na.rm = TRUE)
), by = .(region, date)]
setorder(gdp_sum, region, date)
setnames(gdp_sum, "date", "year")
correct_q1 <- readr::read_rds(paste0(data_url, "wdi_summ_out.Rds"))</pre>
# waldo::compare(correct_q1, gdp_sum)
# datatable(gdp_sum, options = list(pageLength = 10))
gdp_sum
                region year N
                                    Mean
                                               SD
                                                       Min
1: East Asia & Pacific 1990 22 8496.536 8496.536 581.6133 32846.39
2: East Asia & Pacific 1991 22 8690.758 8690.758 579.3788 33870.37
3: East Asia & Pacific 1992 22 8666.693 8666.693 597.2022 34048.78
4: East Asia & Pacific 1993 22 8576.397 8576.397 635.1072 33782.74
```

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5: East Asia & Pacific 1994 22 8619.321 8619.321 669.3751 34053.52
---
214: Sub-Saharan Africa 2015 44 3212.804 3212.804 781.5793 25961.03
215: Sub-Saharan Africa 2016 44 3151.939 3151.939 764.3366 26923.73
216: Sub-Saharan Africa 2017 44 3128.585 3128.585 750.7876 27336.61
217: Sub-Saharan Africa 2018 44 3104.802 3104.802 740.4482 28081.38
218: Sub-Saharan Africa 2019 44 3058.614 3058.614 729.6585 29190.55
```

2. Aggregate Stats

```
agg_stats <- wdi[, .(
 mean_lifeex = weighted.mean(lifeex, pop, na.rm = TRUE),
 sd_lifeex = weighted_sd(lifeex, pop),
 min lifeex = min(lifeex, na.rm = TRUE),
 max_lifeex = max(lifeex, na.rm = TRUE),
  median_lifeex = weighted.median(lifeex, pop, na.rm = TRUE),
  mean_gdp = weighted.mean(gdp, pop, na.rm = TRUE),
  sd_gdp = weighted_sd(gdp, pop),
 min_gdp = min(gdp, na.rm = TRUE),
 max_gdp = max(gdp, na.rm = TRUE),
 median_gdp = weighted.median(gdp, pop, na.rm = TRUE),
 mean_pov_intl = weighted.mean(pov_intl, pop, na.rm = TRUE),
  sd_pov_intl = weighted_sd(pov_intl),
 min_pov_intl = min(pov_intl, na.rm = TRUE),
 max_pov_intl = max(pov_intl, na.rm = TRUE),
 median_pov_intl = weighted.median(pov_intl, pop, na.rm = TRUE),
 pop = sum(pop, na.rm = TRUE)
),
by = .(region, date)
1
agg stats <- melt(agg stats,
 id.vars = c("region", "date", "pop"),
 measure.vars = list(
    c("mean_lifeex", "sd_lifeex", "min_lifeex", "max_lifeex", "median_lifeex"),
    c("mean_gdp", "sd_gdp", "min_gdp", "max_gdp", "median_gdp"),
    c("mean_pov_intl", "sd_pov_intl", "min_pov_intl", "max_pov_intl",
      "median_pov_intl")
  variable.name = "estimate", value.name = c("lifeex", "gdp", "pov intl")
)
```

```
agg stats[, estimate := factor(estimate, labels = c("mean", "sd", "min", "max",
                                                       "median"))]
  setorder(agg_stats, estimate, region, date)
  agg_stats \leftarrow agg_stats[, c(4, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7)]
  correct_q2 <- readr::read_rds(paste0(data_url, "wdi_agg_out.Rds"))</pre>
  # waldo::compare(correct_q2, agg_stats)
  # datatable(agg stats, options = list(pageLength = 10))
  agg_stats
                            region date
      estimate
                                               pop
                                                     lifeex
                                                                  gdp pov_intl
          mean East Asia & Pacific 1990 1754166013 68.19770 4913.103 0.5897045
  1:
  2:
         mean East Asia & Pacific 1991 1779284317 68.41732 5105.010 0.5731783
         mean East Asia & Pacific 1992 1802946756 68.89536 5290.810 0.5495899
  3:
         mean East Asia & Pacific 1993 1825777375 69.34064 5482.790 0.5234072
  4:
  5:
         mean East Asia & Pacific 1994 1848480100 69.62833 5740.088 0.4830632
1086:
        median Sub-Saharan Africa 2015 990247914 60.43600 2737.729 0.3045670
        median Sub-Saharan Africa 2016 1017098928 60.94250 2534.193 0.3208582
1087:
        median Sub-Saharan Africa 2017 1044173426 61.61650 2420.599 0.3140970
1088:
       median Sub-Saharan Africa 2018 1072045414 61.91600 2506.419 0.3120162
1089:
        median Sub-Saharan Africa 2019 1100515900 62.39950 2561.465 0.3090027
1090:
```

3. Find outliers

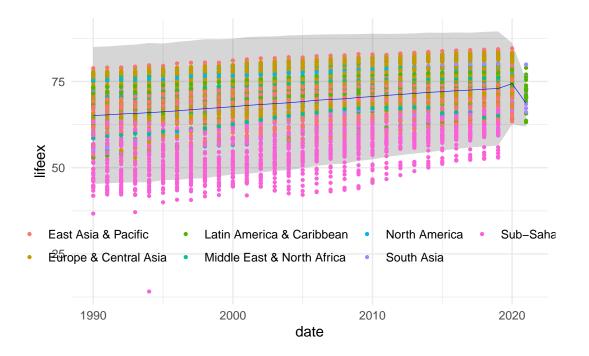
```
is_outlier_cols <- function(dt, col) {
    new_col_ll <- paste0("ll_", col)
    new_col_hl <- paste0("hl_", col)
    mean_col <- paste0("mean_", col)
    sd_col <- paste0("sd_", col)
    dt[, (new_col_ll) := get(col) < get(mean_col) - 2.5 * get(sd_col),
        by = 1:nrow(dt)]
    dt[, (new_col_hl) := get(col) > get(mean_col) + 2.5 * get(sd_col),
        by = 1:nrow(dt)]

    return(dt)
}

temp_dt <- wdi[, .(</pre>
```

```
mean_lifeex = weighted.mean(lifeex, pop, na.rm = TRUE),
    sd_lifeex = weighted_sd(lifeex, pop),
    mean_gdp = weighted.mean(gdp, pop, na.rm = TRUE),
    sd_gdp = weighted_sd(gdp, pop),
    mean_gini = weighted.mean(gini, pop, na.rm = TRUE),
    sd_gini = weighted_sd(gini, pop)
  ), by = .(date)]
  outliers_dt <- merge(y = temp_dt, x = wdi, by = c("date"), all.x = TRUE)
  setorder(outliers_dt, iso3c, date, -region)
  for (col in c("lifeex", "gdp", "gini")) {
    outliers_dt <- is_outlier_cols(outliers_dt, col)</pre>
  }
  correct_q3 <- readr::read rds(paste0(data_url, "wdi_outliers_out.Rds"))</pre>
  outliers_dt <- outliers_dt[, colnames(correct_q3), with = FALSE]
  # waldo::compare(correct_q3, outliers_dt)
  # datatable(outliers_dt, options = list(pageLength = 10))
  outliers_dt
                 region iso3c date country pov_ofcl
                                                          gdp gini lifeex
  1: Sub-Saharan Africa AGO 1990
                                    Angola
                                                  NA 5793.085
                                                                NA 41.893
  2: Sub-Saharan Africa AGO 1991
                                     Angola
                                                  NA 5659.119
                                                                NA 43.813
  3: Sub-Saharan Africa AGO 1992
                                                  NA 5158.384
                                                                NA 42.209
                                     Angola
  4: Sub-Saharan Africa AGO 1993
                                     Angola
                                                  NA 3799.195
                                                                NA 42.101
  5: Sub-Saharan Africa AGO 1994
                                                  NA 3728.886
                                                                NA 43.422
                                     Angola
5025: Sub-Saharan Africa ZWE 2015 Zimbabwe
                                                  NA 2313.879
                                                                NA 59.591
5026: Sub-Saharan Africa ZWE 2016 Zimbabwe
                                                  NA 2286.624
                                                                NA 60.306
5027: Sub-Saharan Africa ZWE 2017 Zimbabwe
                                                  NA 2331.781 44.3 60.709
5028: Sub-Saharan Africa ZWE 2018 Zimbabwe
                                                  NA 2399.622
                                                                NA 61.414
5029: Sub-Saharan Africa ZWE 2019 Zimbabwe
                                                  NA 2203.397 50.3 61.292
          pop pov_intl pov_lmic pov_umic mean_lifeex sd_lifeex hl_lifeex
  1: 11828638 0.1652797 0.3093024 0.5843191
                                               65.13871 7.941912
                                                                      FALSE
  2: 12228691 0.1680163 0.3142586 0.5963407
                                               65.30392 7.937230
                                                                      FALSE
  3: 12632507 0.1919029 0.3537655 0.6382768
                                               65.57109 7.953732
                                                                      FALSE
  4: 13038270 0.2736178 0.4874785 0.7609357
                                               65.72071 7.985901
                                                                      FALSE.
  5: 13462031 0.2789797 0.4950096 0.7659570
                                               65.95488 8.075165
                                                                      FALSE
5025: 14154937 0.2857660 0.5502272 0.8045123
                                               72.04576 6.819779
                                                                      FALSE
```

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72.30952 6.753262
5026: 14452704 0.3221182 0.5903596 0.8265666
                                                                        FALSE
5027: 14751101 0.3420605 0.6158357 0.8410902
                                                                        FALSE
                                                72.50898 6.649733
5028: 15052184 0.3396693 0.6042348 0.8316396
                                                72.75578 6.643447
                                                                        FALSE
5029: 15354608 0.3975453 0.6450986 0.8501632
                                                72.95224 6.623025
                                                                        FALSE
      ll lifeex mean gdp
                            sd gdp hl gdp ll gdp mean gini sd gini hl gini
  1:
           TRUE 9566.977 12598.52 FALSE FALSE 35.80927 7.621505
                                                                          NA
  2:
           TRUE 9510.650 12531.81 FALSE FALSE
                                                  34.84978 6.331182
                                                                          NA
  3:
          TRUE 9492.389 12537.99 FALSE FALSE 41.83976 8.899886
                                                                          NA
          TRUE 9489.380 12479.77 FALSE FALSE 35.40868 7.161314
                                                                          NA
  4:
          TRUE 9599.831 12690.65 FALSE FALSE 40.98136 6.867103
  5:
                                                                          NA
  ---
5025:
         FALSE 15220.731 15157.66 FALSE FALSE 37.56216 4.923590
                                                                          NA
5026:
         FALSE 15550.686 15250.47 FALSE FALSE 37.71794 5.119278
                                                                          NA
5027:
         FALSE 15965.417 15476.97 FALSE FALSE 37.92075 4.860761
                                                                       FALSE
         FALSE 16379.375 15713.16 FALSE FALSE 37.56201 5.213651
5028:
                                                                          NA
5029:
         FALSE 16689.970 15891.68 FALSE FALSE 37.57519 5.062162
                                                                        TRUE
      ll_gini
  1:
          NA
  2:
          NA
  3:
           NA
  4:
          NA
  5:
           NA
 ___
5025:
          NA
5026:
          NA
5027:
        FALSE
5028:
          NΑ
5029:
        FALSE
  outlier cols <- function(dt, col) {</pre>
    new_col_ll <- paste0("lo_ci_", col)</pre>
    new_col_hl <- paste0("hi_ci_", col)</pre>
    mean_col <- paste0("mean_", col)</pre>
    sd_col <- paste0("sd_", col)</pre>
    dt[, (new_col_ll) := get(mean_col) - 2.5 * get(sd_col), by = 1:nrow(dt)]
    dt[, (new col hl) := get(mean col) + 2.5 * get(sd_col), by = 1:nrow(dt)]
    return(dt)
  }
  outliers_dt_2 <- unique(outlier_cols(outliers_dt, "lifeex"),</pre>
                          by = c("date", "lo_ci_lifeex", "hi_ci_lifeex"))
```



Simulated data

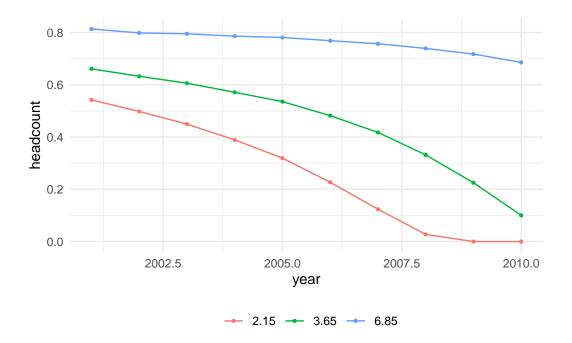
4. Poverty measures

```
cols <- c("year", "pov_line", "headcount", "povgap", "povseverity")</pre>
 pov_dt <- data.table(matrix(ncol = length(cols), nrow = 0))</pre>
 setnames(pov dt, cols)
 FGT <- function(pov_line, year, dt) {</pre>
   N <- sum(dt$weight)</pre>
   dt[, `:=`(FGTi = (pov_line - income) / pov_line)]
   dt_subset <- dt[income <= pov_line]</pre>
   FGTO <- sum(dt subset$weight * dt subset$FGTi^0) / N
   FGT1 <- sum(dt_subset$weight * dt_subset$FGTi^1) / N</pre>
   FGT2 <- sum(dt_subset$weight * dt_subset$FGTi^2) / N</pre>
   new_data <- data.table(year = year, pov_line = pov_line, headcount = FGTO,</pre>
                            povgap = FGT1, povseverity = FGT2)
   pov_dt <<- rbindlist(list(pov_dt, new_data), use.names = TRUE, fill = TRUE)</pre>
 year <- 2001
 for (dt in svy_sim) {
   FGT(2.15, year, dt)
   FGT(3.65, year, dt)
   FGT(6.85, year, dt)
   year <- year + 1
 }
 correct_q4 <- readr::read rds(paste0(data_url, "dt_pov_out.Rds"))</pre>
 # waldo::compare(correct_q4, pov_dt)
 # datatable(pov_dt, options = list(pageLength = 10))
 pov_dt
   year pov_line
                     headcount
                                     povgap povseverity
1: 2001
            2.15 5.422254e-01 4.228365e-01 3.798612e-01
2: 2001
            3.65 6.611328e-01 4.975328e-01 4.352643e-01
3: 2001
            6.85 8.138747e-01 6.139778e-01 5.287430e-01
4: 2002
            2.15 4.978546e-01 3.613057e-01 3.129150e-01
5: 2002
            3.65 6.326504e-01 4.470285e-01 3.759358e-01
6: 2002
            6.85 7.985686e-01 5.774394e-01 4.818298e-01
```

```
8: 2003
             3.65 6.061122e-01 3.927487e-01 3.119177e-01
 9: 2003
             6.85 7.951019e-01 5.422696e-01 4.328688e-01
10: 2004
             2.15 3.891313e-01 2.162681e-01 1.575609e-01
11: 2004
             3.65 5.713907e-01 3.271271e-01 2.363397e-01
12: 2004
             6.85 7.863333e-01 4.981569e-01 3.735382e-01
13: 2005
             2.15 3.191814e-01 1.342803e-01 7.730057e-02
             3.65 5.355700e-01 2.577392e-01 1.591762e-01
14: 2005
15: 2005
             6.85 7.810200e-01 4.536021e-01 3.124131e-01
16: 2006
             2.15 2.269120e-01 6.553235e-02 2.660092e-02
17: 2006
             3.65 4.819491e-01 1.870087e-01 9.473435e-02
18: 2006
             6.85 7.688042e-01 4.029516e-01 2.514004e-01
19: 2007
             2.15 1.237929e-01 2.140403e-02 5.398057e-03
20: 2007
             3.65 4.177703e-01 1.256204e-01 5.030210e-02
21: 2007
             6.85 7.572493e-01 3.545981e-01 1.990952e-01
22: 2008
             2.15 2.737478e-02 1.988324e-03 2.208799e-04
23: 2008
             3.65 3.316249e-01 7.139247e-02 2.100636e-02
24: 2008
             6.85 7.392448e-01 3.050429e-01 1.516430e-01
25: 2009
             2.15 3.282336e-07 7.073100e-10 2.139115e-12
26: 2009
             3.65 2.252440e-01 3.132202e-02 6.112839e-03
             6.85 7.176459e-01 2.579189e-01 1.122589e-01
27: 2009
28: 2010
             2.15 0.000000e+00 0.000000e+00 0.000000e+00
29: 2010
             3.65 1.003947e-01 7.446393e-03 8.115501e-04
30: 2010
             6.85 6.858685e-01 2.091219e-01 7.828692e-02
    year pov_line
                                     povgap povseverity
                     headcount
  ggplot(data = pov_dt, aes(x = year, y = headcount, group = pov_line,
                             color = as.factor(pov_line))) +
    geom line(linewidth = 0.5) +
    geom_point(size = 0.8) +
    theme minimal() +
    theme(
      legend.position = "bottom",
      legend.direction = "horizontal",
      legend.title = element_blank(),
      legend.background = element_blank(),
      legend.box.background = element_blank()
    )
```

2.15 4.495065e-01 2.949849e-01 2.407590e-01

7: 2003



5. Lorenz curve

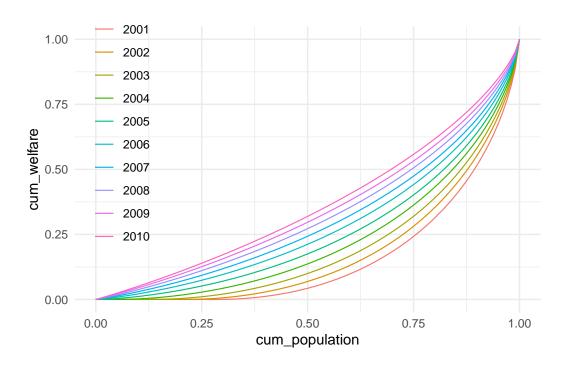
```
cols <- c("welfare", "cum_welfare", "cum_population", "year", "bin")
lorenz_dt <- data.table(matrix(ncol = length(cols), nrow = 0))
setnames(lorenz_dt, cols)

Lorenz <- function(dt, year) {
   dt <- dt[order(dt$income), ]
   dt$cum_pop <- cumsum(dt$weight) / sum(dt$weight)
   dt$cum_welfare <- cumsum(dt$weight * dt$income) / sum(dt$weight * dt$income)
   dt$welfare <- cumsum(dt$weight * dt$income)

approx_points <- approx(dt$cum_pop, dt$cum_welfare, n = 100)
   income_val <- sapply(approx_points$x, function(x) {
    idx <- which.min(abs(dt$cum_pop - x))
        return(dt$income[idx])
   })

new_data <- data.frame(welfare = income_val, cum_welfare = approx_points$y,
        cum_population = approx_points$x, year = year, bin = 1:100)</pre>
```

```
lorenz_dt <<- rbindlist(list(lorenz_dt, new_data), use.names = TRUE,</pre>
                            fill = TRUE)
  }
  year <- 2001
  for (dt in svy_sim) {
    Lorenz(dt, year)
    year <- year + 1
  }
  correct_q5 <- readr::read_rds(paste0(data_url, "dt_lorenz_out.Rds"))</pre>
  # waldo::compare(correct_q4, pov_dt)
  # datatable(lorenz_dt, options = list(pageLength = 10))
  lorenz_dt
       welfare cum_welfare cum_population year bin
       0.00000
                 0.0000000 2.989371e-08 2001
  1:
                                                 1
  2:
       0.00000
                 0.0000000 1.010104e-02 2001
                                                 2
       0.00000 0.0000000 2.020205e-02 2001
                                                 3
  3:
                 0.0000000 3.030306e-02 2001
  4:
       0.00000
  5:
       0.00000
                0.0000000 4.040407e-02 2001
996: 14.93882 0.8712323 9.595960e-01 2010 96
997: 16.42707 0.8949060 9.696970e-01 2010 97
998: 18.67449
                 0.9212143 9.797980e-01 2010 98
999: 23.04845
                 0.9523613
                             9.898990e-01 2010 99
1000: 171.48122
                 1.0000000
                             1.000000e+00 2010 100
  ggplot(data = lorenz_dt, aes(x = cum_population, y = cum_welfare, group = year,
                              color = as.factor(year))) +
    geom_line(linewidth = 0.4) +
    theme minimal() +
    theme(
      legend.position = c(0.1, 0.2),
      legend.justification = c(0.5, 0),
      legend.direction = "vertical",
      legend.title = element_blank(),
      legend.background = element_blank(),
      legend.box.background = element_blank()
    )
```



6. Gini coefficient

```
cols <- c("year", "gini")</pre>
gini_dt <- data.table(matrix(ncol = length(cols), nrow = 0))</pre>
setnames(gini_dt, cols)
Gini <- function(dt, years) {</pre>
  dt <- dt[year == years]</pre>
  setorder(dt, bin)
  A <- 0
  for (i in 2:length(dt$cum_pop)) {
    width <- dt$cum_pop[i] - dt$cum_pop[i - 1]</pre>
    height_avg <- (dt$cum_welfare[i] + dt$cum_welfare[i - 1]) / 2</pre>
    A <- A + (width * height_avg)
  }
  gini_index <- 1 - 2 * A
  new_data <- data.frame(year = years, gini = gini_index)</pre>
  gini_dt <<- rbindlist(list(gini_dt, new_data), use.names = TRUE, fill = TRUE)</pre>
}
```

```
year <- 2001
  for (i in 1:10) {
    Gini(lorenz_dt, year)
    year <- year + 1
  }
  correct_q6 <- readr::read_rds(paste0(data_url, "dt_gini_out.Rds"))</pre>
  # waldo::compare(correct_q6, gini_dt)
  # datatable(gini_dt, options = list(pageLength = 10))
  gini_dt
   year
              gini
1: 2001 0.6826469
2: 2002 0.6418104
3: 2003 0.5980288
4: 2004 0.5445630
5: 2005 0.4887706
6: 2006 0.4332867
7: 2007 0.3872429
8: 2008 0.3429453
9: 2009 0.3056660
10: 2010 0.2707043
  ggplot(data = gini_dt, aes(x = year, y = gini)) +
    geom_line(linewidth = 0.4) +
    geom_point(size = 0.8) +
    theme_minimal()
```

