

DS311 - R Lab Assignment

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R Assignment 1

- In this assignment, we are going to apply some of the built-in data sets in R for descriptive statistics analysis.
- To earn full grade in this assignment, students need to complete the coding tasks for each question to get the result.
- After finishing all the questions, knit the document into HTML format for submission.

Question 1

Using the `mtcars` data set in R, please answer the following questions.

```
# Loading the data
```

```
data(mtcars)
```

```
# Head of the data set
```

```
head(mtcars)
```

```
##           mpg  cyl  disp  hp  drat    wt   qsec vs  am  gear  carb
## Mazda RX4      21.0   6  160 110 3.90 2.620 16.46  0   1    4    4
## Mazda RX4 Wag  21.0   6  160 110 3.90 2.875 17.02  0   1    4    4
## Datsun 710      22.8   4  108  93 3.85 2.320 18.61  1   1    4    1
## Hornet 4 Drive  21.4   6  258 110 3.08 3.215 19.44  1   0    3    1
## Hornet Sportabout 18.7   8  360 175 3.15 3.440 17.02  0   0    3    2
## Valiant        18.1   6  225 105 2.76 3.460 20.22  1   0    3    1
```

- a. Report the number of variables and observations in the data set.

```
# Enter your code here!
```

```
ncol(mtcars)
```

```
## [1] 11
```

```
nrow(mtcars)
```

```
## [1] 32
```

```
# Answer:
print("There are total of 11 variables and 32 observations in this data set.")
```

```
## [1] "There are total of 11 variables and 32 observations in this data set."
```

- b. Print the summary statistics of the data set and report how many discrete and continuous variables are in the data set.

```
# Enter your code here!
summary(mtcars)
```

```
##      mpg          cyl          disp          hp
##  Min.   :10.40   Min.   :4.000   Min.    : 71.1   Min.    : 52.0
## 1st Qu.:15.43   1st Qu.:4.000   1st Qu.:120.8   1st Qu.: 96.5
## Median :19.20   Median :6.000   Median :196.3   Median :123.0
## Mean   :20.09   Mean    :6.188   Mean    :230.7   Mean    :146.7
## 3rd Qu.:22.80   3rd Qu.:8.000   3rd Qu.:326.0   3rd Qu.:180.0
## Max.   :33.90   Max.    :8.000   Max.    :472.0   Max.    :335.0
##      drat          wt          qsec          vs
##  Min.   :2.760   Min.   :1.513   Min.    :14.50   Min.    :0.0000
## 1st Qu.:3.080   1st Qu.:2.581   1st Qu.:16.89   1st Qu.:0.0000
## Median :3.695   Median :3.325   Median :17.71   Median :0.0000
## Mean   :3.597   Mean    :3.217   Mean    :17.85   Mean    :0.4375
## 3rd Qu.:3.920   3rd Qu.:3.610   3rd Qu.:18.90   3rd Qu.:1.0000
## Max.   :4.930   Max.    :5.424   Max.    :22.90   Max.    :1.0000
##      am          gear          carb
##  Min.   :0.0000   Min.    :3.000   Min.    :1.000
## 1st Qu.:0.0000   1st Qu.:3.000   1st Qu.:2.000
## Median :0.0000   Median :4.000   Median :2.000
## Mean   :0.4062   Mean    :3.688   Mean    :2.812
## 3rd Qu.:1.0000   3rd Qu.:4.000   3rd Qu.:4.000
## Max.   :1.0000   Max.    :5.000   Max.    :8.000
```

```
# Answer:
print("There are 7 discrete variables and 4 continuous variables in this data set.")
```

```
## [1] "There are 7 discrete variables and 4 continuous variables in this data set."
```

- c. Calculate the mean, variance, and standard deviation for the variable **mpg** and assign them into variable names m, v, and s. Report the results in the print statement.

```
# Enter your code here!
m <- mean(mtcars$mpg)
v <- var(mtcars$mpg)
s <- sd(mtcars$mpg)

m
```

```
## [1] 20.09062
```

```
v
```

```
## [1] 36.3241
```

```
s
```

```
## [1] 6.026948
```

```
# print(paste("The average of Mile Per Gallon from this data set is \"20.10\" with variance \"36.32\" and s
```

- d. Create two tables to summarize 1) average mpg for each cylinder class and 2) the standard deviation of mpg for each gear class.

```
# Enter your code here!
```

```
avg_mpg_per_cyl <- aggregate(mpg ~ cyl, data=mtcars, mean)
avg_mpg_per_cyl
```

```
##   cyl      mpg
## 1    4 26.66364
## 2    6 19.74286
## 3    8 15.10000
```

```
sd_mpg_per_gear <- aggregate(mpg ~ gear, data=mtcars, sd)
sd_mpg_per_gear
```

```
##   gear      mpg
## 1     3 3.371618
## 2     4 5.276764
## 3     5 6.658979
```

- e. Create a crosstab that shows the number of observations belong to each cylinder and gear class combinations. The table should show how many observations given the car has 4 cylinders with 3 gears, 4 cylinders with 4 gears, etc. Report which combination is recorded in this data set and how many observations for this type of car.

```
# Enter your code here!
```

```
obs_cyl_gear <- table(mtcars$cyl, mtcars$gear)
obs_cyl_gear
```

```
##
##      3  4  5
##  4  1  8  2
##  6  2  4  1
##  8 12  0  2
```

```
print("The most common car type in this data set is car with 8 cylinders and 3 gears. There are total o
```

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```

Question 2

Use different visualization tools to summarize the data sets in this question.

- a. Using the **PlantGrowth** data set, visualize and compare the weight of the plant in the three separated group. Give labels to the title, x-axis, and y-axis on the graph. Write a paragraph to summarize your findings.

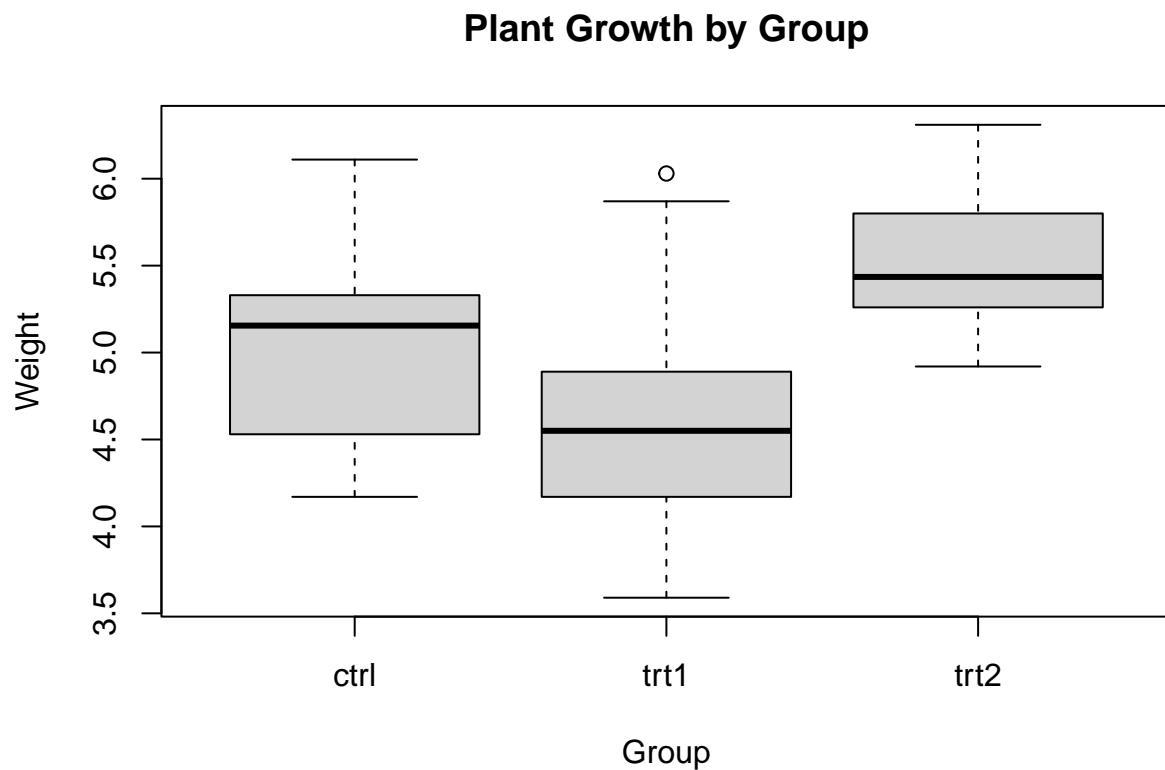
```
# Load the data set
data("PlantGrowth")
```

```
# Head of the data set
head(PlantGrowth)
```

```
##   weight group
## 1   4.17  ctrl
## 2   5.58  ctrl
## 3   5.18  ctrl
## 4   6.11  ctrl
## 5   4.50  ctrl
## 6   4.61  ctrl
```

```
# Enter your code here!
```

```
boxplot(weight ~ group, data = PlantGrowth, main = "Plant Growth by Group", xlab = "Group", ylab = "Weight")
```



```
ctrl <- subset(PlantGrowth, group=='ctrl')
trt1 <- subset(PlantGrowth, group=='trt1')
trt2 <- subset(PlantGrowth, group=='trt2')
summary(ctrl)
```

```
##      weight      group
## Min.   :4.170   ctrl:10
## 1st Qu.:4.550   trt1: 0
## Median :5.155   trt2: 0
## Mean   :5.032
## 3rd Qu.:5.293
## Max.   :6.110
```

```
summary(trt1)
```

```
##      weight      group
## Min.   :3.590   ctrl: 0
## 1st Qu.:4.207   trt1:10
## Median :4.550   trt2: 0
## Mean   :4.661
## 3rd Qu.:4.870
## Max.   :6.030
```

```
summary(trt2)
```

```
##      weight      group
## Min.   :4.920   ctrl: 0
## 1st Qu.:5.268   trt1: 0
## Median :5.435   trt2:10
## Mean   :5.526
## 3rd Qu.:5.735
## Max.   :6.310
```

Result:

=> Report a paragraph to summarize your findings from the plot! From the results, we start to discover that the ctrl group has an IQR between 4.5 and 5.4, its median lying within the weight 5.2. The trt1 group has the most diversity, though the data has a smaller IQR, the data has an outlier in its size. Group trt2 has the heftier size with the lowest weight at 4.9.

- b. Using the **mtcars** data set, plot the histogram for the column **mpg** with 10 breaks. Give labels to the title, x-axis, and y-axis on the graph. Report the most observed mpg class from the data set.

```
# Load the data set
data("mtcars")
```

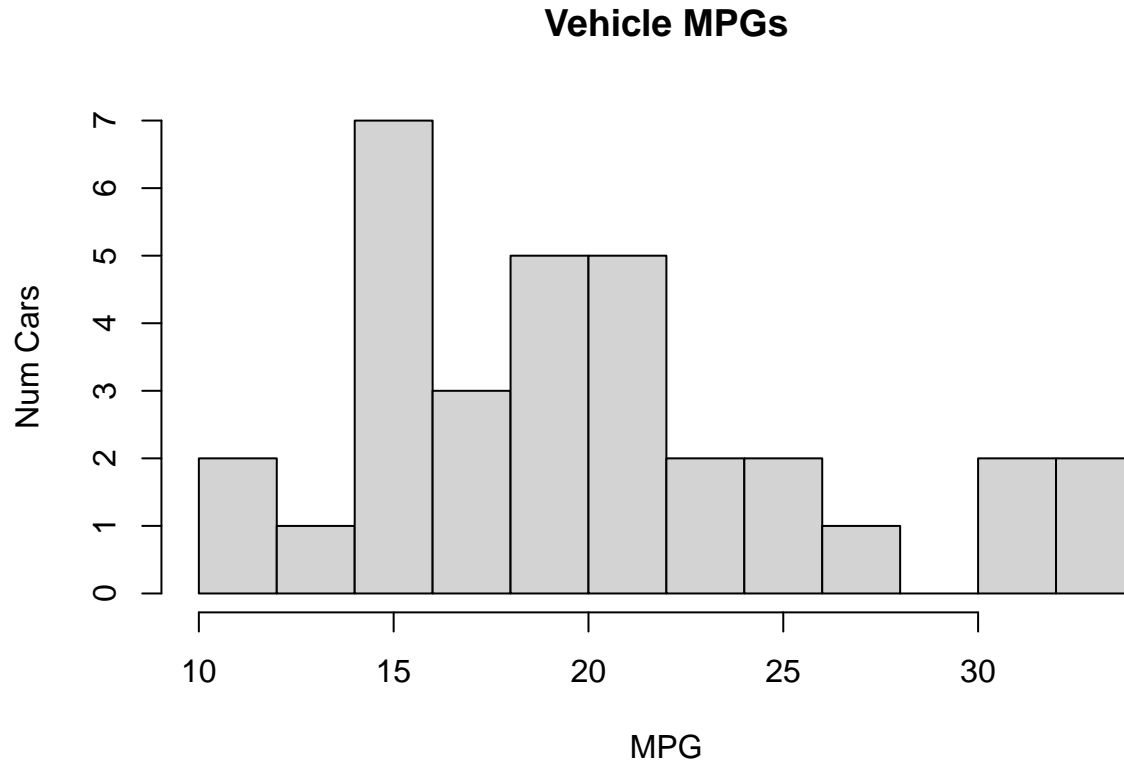
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```

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```

Enter your code here!

```
hist(mtcars$mpg,breaks = 10, main = "Vehicle MPGs", xlab = "MPG", ylab = "Num Cars")
```



```
print("Most of the cars in this data set are in the class of 15 miles per gallon.")
```

```
## [1] "Most of the cars in this data set are in the class of 15 miles per gallon."
```

- c. Using the **USArrests** data set, create a pairs plot to display the correlations between the variables in the data set. Plot the scatter plot with **Murder** and **Assault**. Give labels to the title, x-axis, and y-axis on the graph. Write a paragraph to summarize your results from both plots.

```
# Load the data set
data("USArrests")
```

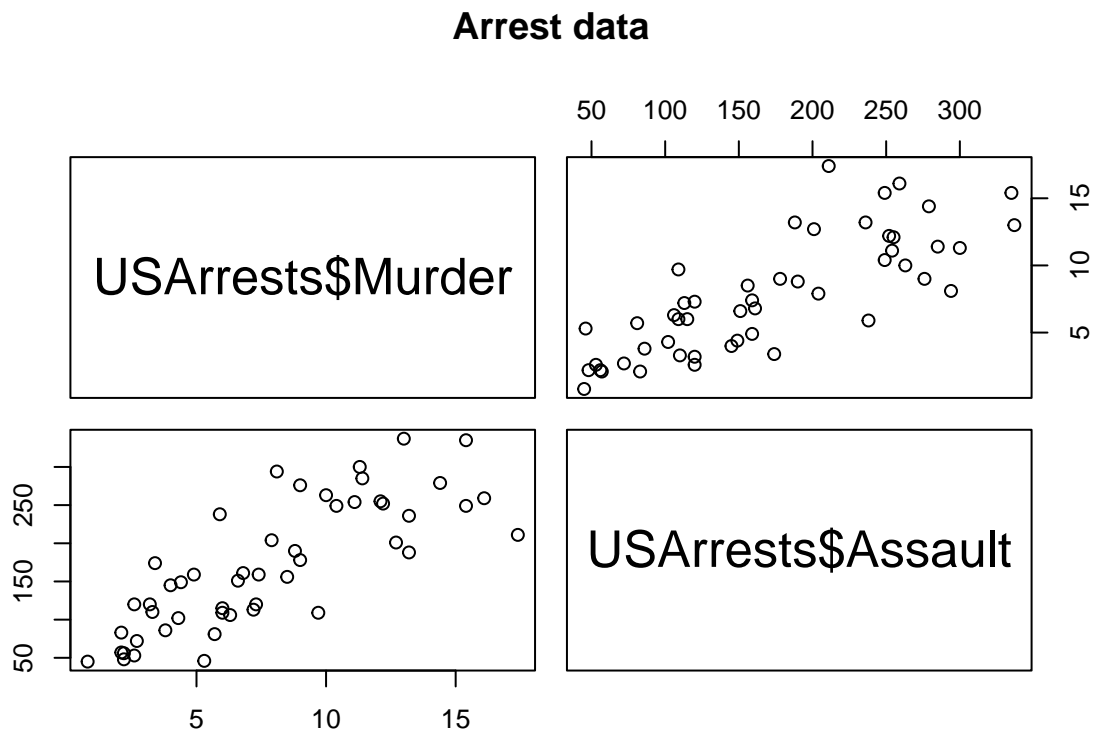
```
# Head of the data set
head(USArrests)
```

```
##           Murder  Assault  UrbanPop  Rape
```

```
## Alabama      13.2      236      58 21.2
## Alaska       10.0      263      48 44.5
## Arizona       8.1      294      80 31.0
## Arkansas      8.8      190      50 19.5
## California    9.0      276      91 40.6
## Colorado      7.9      204      78 38.7
```

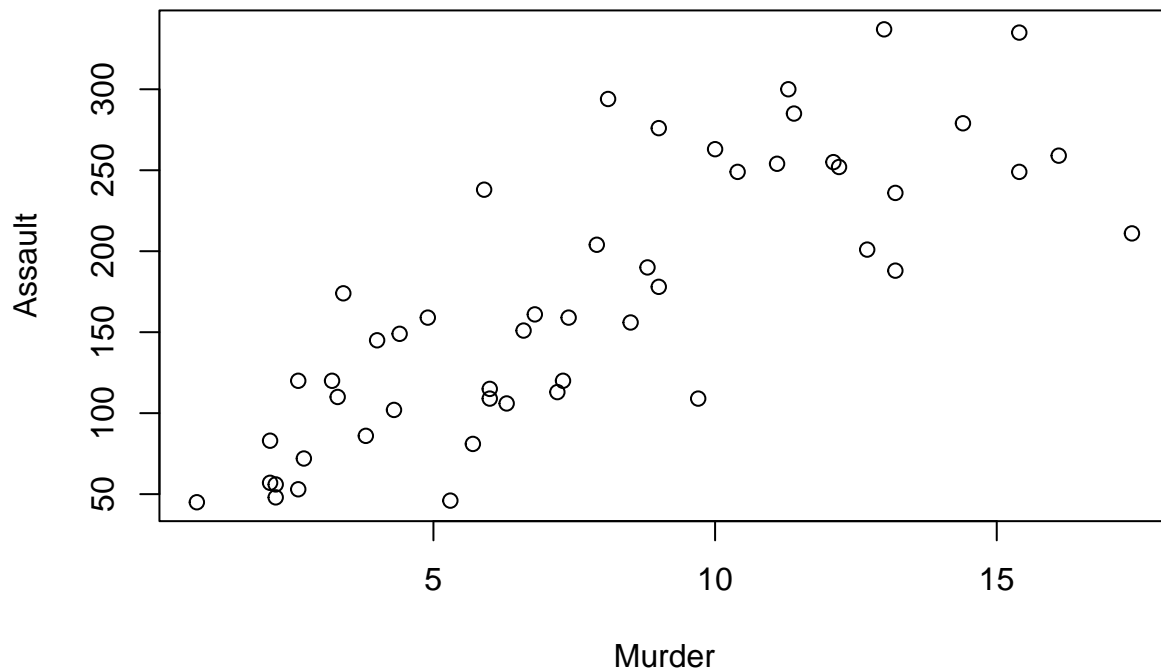
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```
pairs(USArrests$Murder ~ USArrests$Assault, main = "Arrest data")
```



```
plot(USArrests$Murder, USArrests$Assault, main = "US arrests for Assault vs Murder", xlab = "Murder", ylab = "Assault")
```

US arrests for Assault vs Murder



Result:

=> Report a paragraph to summarize your findings from the plot! There are similar patterns between arrests for assault and arrests for murder. Low instances of assault/murder tend to be where the population lies.

Question 3

Download the housing data set from www.jaredlander.com and find out what explains the housing prices in New York City.

Note: Check your working directory to make sure that you can download the data into the data folder.

- Create your own descriptive statistics and aggregation tables to summarize the data set and find any meaningful results between different variables in the data set.

```
# Head of the cleaned data set
head(housingData)
```

```
##   Neighborhood Market.Value.per.SqFt      Boro Year.Built
## 1   FINANCIAL          200.00 Manhattan    1920
## 2   FINANCIAL          242.76 Manhattan    1985
## 4   FINANCIAL          271.23 Manhattan    1930
```


## 5	TRIBECA	247.48	Manhattan	1985
## 6	TRIBECA	191.37	Manhattan	1986
## 7	TRIBECA	211.53	Manhattan	1985

Enter your code here!

```
avg_val_by_neighborhood <- aggregate(Market.Value.per.SqFt ~ Neighborhood, data = housingData, mean)
avg_val_by_neighborhood
```

##	Neighborhood	Market.Value.per.SqFt
## 1	ALPHABET CITY	148.35500
## 2	ARROCHAR-SHORE ACRES	57.75000
## 3	ASTORIA	91.48167
## 4	BATH BEACH	70.34000
## 5	BAY RIDGE	68.03500
## 6	BAYSIDE	71.42111
## 7	BEDFORD PARK/NORWOOD	38.24500
## 8	BEDFORD STUYVESANT	83.24172
## 9	BELMONT	56.45000
## 10	BENSONHURST	71.70429
## 11	BERGEN BEACH	73.27000
## 12	BOERUM HILL	96.57600
## 13	BOROUGH PARK	64.10857
## 14	BRIARWOOD	75.36250
## 15	BRIGHTON BEACH	81.91429
## 16	BRONX-UNKNOWN	32.06500
## 17	BRONXDALE	28.94333
## 18	BROOKLYN HEIGHTS	114.11778
## 19	BUSH TERMINAL	60.95000
## 20	BUSHWICK	76.13500
## 21	CANARSIE	46.58000
## 22	CARROLL GARDENS	93.40556
## 23	CHELSEA	215.94932
## 24	CHINATOWN	154.17952
## 25	CITY ISLAND	40.83000
## 26	CIVIC CENTER	174.06696
## 27	CLINTON	176.70032
## 28	CLINTON HILL	88.97385
## 29	COBBLE HILL	120.69800
## 30	COBBLE HILL-WEST	85.71125
## 31	COLLEGE POINT	65.05000
## 32	CONEY ISLAND	55.05750
## 33	CORONA	94.20706
## 34	CROWN HEIGHTS	64.26286
## 35	DOWNTOWN-FULTON FERRY	103.26857
## 36	DOWNTOWN-FULTON MALL	132.42500
## 37	DOWNTOWN-METROTECH	122.48000
## 38	DYKER HEIGHTS	68.36000
## 39	EAST NEW YORK	36.99167
## 40	EAST TREMONT	72.33333
## 41	EAST VILLAGE	207.46115
## 42	ELMHURST	69.80564
## 43	FAR ROCKAWAY	74.88500
## 44	FASHION	194.81067
## 45	FINANCIAL	199.30917

## 46	FLATBUSH-CENTRAL	65.71167
## 47	FLATBUSH-LEFFERTS GARDEN	46.27000
## 48	FLATBUSH-NORTH	54.00000
## 49	FLATIRON	223.30311
## 50	FLUSHING-NORTH	80.16992
## 51	FLUSHING-SOUTH	89.62750
## 52	FLUSHING MEADOW PARK	58.59000
## 53	FOREST HILLS	70.20706
## 54	FORT GREENE	81.76900
## 55	GLENDALE	57.39667
## 56	GOWANUS	82.45333
## 57	GRAMERCY	188.68471
## 58	GRANT CITY	47.60000
## 59	GRAVESEND	75.63526
## 60	GREAT KILLS	33.74000
## 61	GREENPOINT	86.18053
## 62	GREENWICH VILLAGE-CENTRAL	142.57767
## 63	GREENWICH VILLAGE-WEST	202.13667
## 64	GRYMES HILL	50.09000
## 65	HAMMELS	139.07200
## 66	HARLEM-CENTRAL	102.79106
## 67	HARLEM-EAST	139.93972
## 68	HARLEM-UPPER	79.25667
## 69	HARLEM-WEST	95.20500
## 70	HIGHBRIDGE/MORRIS HEIGHTS	61.82000
## 71	HILLCREST	53.95000
## 72	HOLLIS	109.56000
## 73	HOWARD BEACH	55.06000
## 74	INWOOD	62.05500
## 75	JACKSON HEIGHTS	47.79238
## 76	JAMAICA	104.76600
## 77	JAMAICA ESTATES	79.69500
## 78	JAVITS CENTER	125.09000
## 79	KENSINGTON	56.87500
## 80	KEW GARDENS	69.64300
## 81	KINGSBRIDGE HTS/UNIV HTS	23.86000
## 82	KINGSBRIDGE/JEROME PARK	58.37800
## 83	KIPS BAY	191.31769
## 84	LITTLE ITALY	142.52308
## 85	LITTLE NECK	65.85000
## 86	LONG ISLAND CITY	108.16667
## 87	LOWER EAST SIDE	173.56262
## 88	MADISON	71.26000
## 89	MANHATTAN VALLEY	111.30043
## 90	MASPETH	53.32750
## 91	MIDDLE VILLAGE	78.35857
## 92	MIDTOWN CBD	234.36154
## 93	MIDTOWN EAST	211.04750
## 94	MIDTOWN WEST	222.06489
## 95	MIDWOOD	79.50273
## 96	MORNINGSIDE HEIGHTS	74.63000
## 97	MORRIS PARK/VAN NEST	26.90000
## 98	MORRISANIA/LONGWOOD	44.21250
## 99	MOTT HAVEN/PORT MORRIS	30.96000

## 100	MURRAY HILL	206.26795
## 101	NEW BRIGHTON	41.47667
## 102	NEW BRIGHTON-ST. GEORGE	41.06000
## 103	NEW SPRINGVILLE	40.47000
## 104	OAKLAND GARDENS	66.94000
## 105	OCEAN HILL	37.92900
## 106	OCEAN PARKWAY-NORTH	76.51111
## 107	OCEAN PARKWAY-SOUTH	75.08000
## 108	OZONE PARK	54.10000
## 109	PARK SLOPE	88.01774
## 110	PARK SLOPE SOUTH	95.84200
## 111	PARKCHESTER	32.67500
## 112	PELHAM PARKWAY SOUTH	30.55000
## 113	PROSPECT HEIGHTS	79.16200
## 114	REGO PARK	62.13630
## 115	RIDGEWOOD	64.28667
## 116	RIVERDALE	57.10176
## 117	ROCKAWAY PARK	88.13600
## 118	SCHUYLERVILLE/PELHAM BAY	49.68000
## 119	SHEEPSHEAD BAY	79.79704
## 120	SILVER LAKE	35.80500
## 121	SOHO	162.72473
## 122	SOUNDVIEW	43.40333
## 123	SOUTH OZONE PARK	40.78000
## 124	SOUTHBRIDGE	159.53333
## 125	SUNNYSIDE	61.61818
## 126	SUNSET PARK	80.58348
## 127	THROGS NECK	53.70667
## 128	TOMPKINSVILLE	35.81000
## 129	TRIBECA	180.18473
## 130	UPPER EAST SIDE (59-79)	216.83715
## 131	UPPER EAST SIDE (79-96)	202.45179
## 132	UPPER EAST SIDE (96-110)	167.41600
## 133	UPPER WEST SIDE (59-79)	200.24391
## 134	UPPER WEST SIDE (79-96)	171.84515
## 135	UPPER WEST SIDE (96-116)	134.09353
## 136	WASHINGTON HEIGHTS LOWER	65.29600
## 137	WASHINGTON HEIGHTS UPPER	93.50833
## 138	WEST NEW BRIGHTON	39.69000
## 139	WHITESTONE	72.90000
## 140	WILLIAMSBRIDGE	42.46000
## 141	WILLIAMSBURG-CENTRAL	79.97017
## 142	WILLIAMSBURG-EAST	84.32605
## 143	WILLIAMSBURG-NORTH	84.10577
## 144	WILLIAMSBURG-SOUTH	82.27618
## 145	WINDSOR TERRACE	70.21200
## 146	WOODHAVEN	38.61000
## 147	WOODSIDE	80.52625
## 148	WYCKOFF HEIGHTS	84.93000

```
avg_val_by_ybuilt <- aggregate(Market.Value.per.SqFt ~ Year.Built, data = housingData, mean)
avg_val_by_ybuilt
```

```
##      Year.Built Market.Value.per.SqFt
```

## 1	1825	76.36000
## 2	1836	273.77000
## 3	1853	152.79000
## 4	1860	159.64500
## 5	1874	111.17000
## 6	1875	166.05000
## 7	1879	194.52000
## 8	1881	109.70500
## 9	1883	172.10000
## 10	1890	113.28750
## 11	1891	72.83000
## 12	1892	95.21000
## 13	1893	168.85000
## 14	1894	110.62000
## 15	1895	151.77500
## 16	1896	117.26500
## 17	1897	40.83000
## 18	1898	83.25000
## 19	1899	108.16000
## 20	1900	137.55908
## 21	1901	172.36778
## 22	1902	167.62167
## 23	1903	147.97000
## 24	1904	123.09333
## 25	1905	187.76583
## 26	1906	169.03364
## 27	1907	173.80000
## 28	1908	150.35000
## 29	1909	135.23667
## 30	1910	147.36257
## 31	1911	179.76067
## 32	1912	159.51636
## 33	1913	175.93500
## 34	1914	160.29286
## 35	1915	147.08673
## 36	1916	128.20714
## 37	1917	73.87000
## 38	1918	181.84000
## 39	1919	63.11000
## 40	1920	145.30862
## 41	1921	122.39125
## 42	1922	118.33250
## 43	1923	115.47625
## 44	1924	165.94091
## 45	1925	147.51316
## 46	1926	148.36423
## 47	1927	131.63357
## 48	1928	153.68375
## 49	1929	106.32121
## 50	1930	142.28936
## 51	1931	129.51731
## 52	1932	91.74333
## 53	1933	40.97000
## 54	1934	203.80000

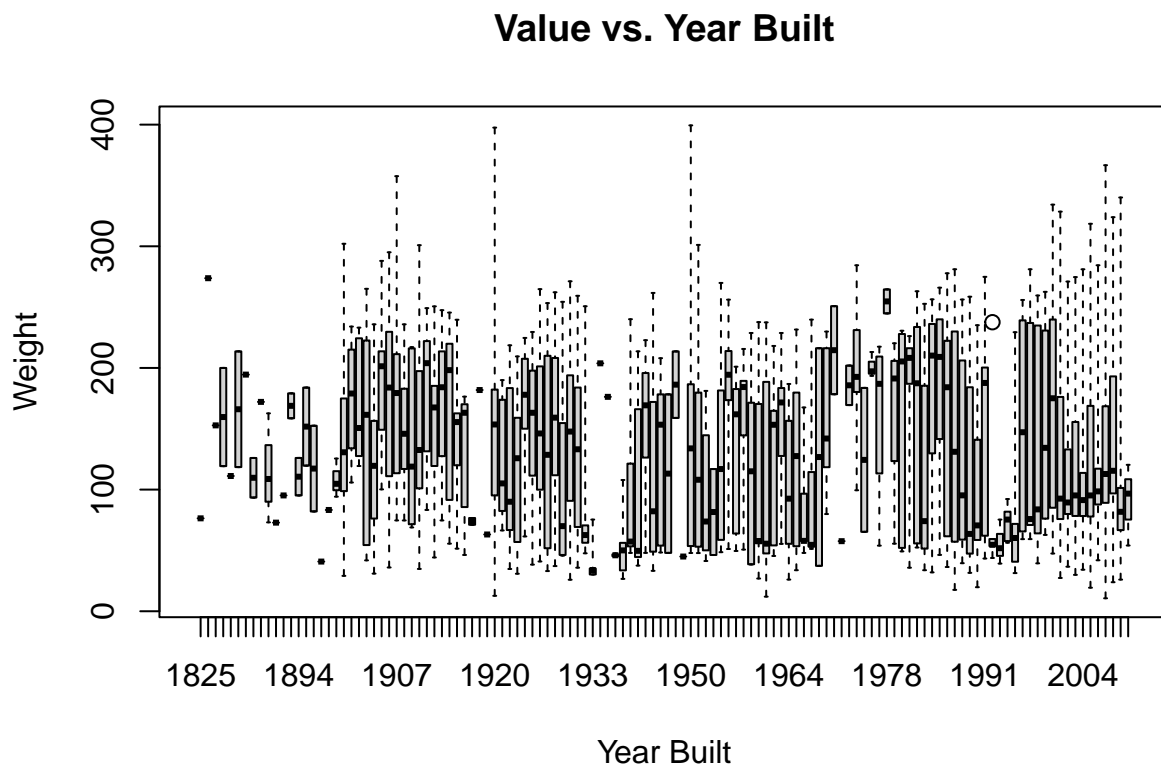
## 55	1935	176.23000
## 56	1936	46.04333
## 57	1937	51.77250
## 58	1938	99.23857
## 59	1939	93.65083
## 60	1940	154.89857
## 61	1941	111.83733
## 62	1942	128.38600
## 63	1947	113.13500
## 64	1948	186.25000
## 65	1949	44.98000
## 66	1950	141.96182
## 67	1951	132.98833
## 68	1952	97.95143
## 69	1954	81.56500
## 70	1955	130.17538
## 71	1956	178.42786
## 72	1957	127.24091
## 73	1958	159.77000
## 74	1959	108.62692
## 75	1960	104.91200
## 76	1961	106.63000
## 77	1962	129.26294
## 78	1963	152.82937
## 79	1964	103.15000
## 80	1965	121.01313
## 81	1966	79.94375
## 82	1967	91.94000
## 83	1968	126.76000
## 84	1969	157.28000
## 85	1970	214.59000
## 86	1971	57.60000
## 87	1972	185.72000
## 88	1973	196.75500
## 89	1974	124.42500
## 90	1975	201.26667
## 91	1977	161.32250
## 92	1978	254.69000
## 93	1979	155.71333
## 94	1980	161.74500
## 95	1981	175.96800
## 96	1982	151.30364
## 97	1983	114.79917
## 98	1984	179.48333
## 99	1985	182.66868
## 100	1986	157.62328
## 101	1987	142.14055
## 102	1988	126.43686
## 103	1989	109.25390
## 104	1990	99.31500
## 105	1991	145.76105
## 106	1992	83.92333
## 107	1993	55.45000
## 108	1994	73.13500

## 109	1995	75.77375
## 110	1996	152.36750
## 111	1997	137.41364
## 112	1998	138.25125
## 113	1999	145.93217
## 114	2000	165.47296
## 115	2001	124.74295
## 116	2002	117.92442
## 117	2003	121.56193
## 118	2004	113.79702
## 119	2005	122.70817
## 120	2006	119.73598
## 121	2007	134.12665
## 122	2008	144.34935
## 123	2009	96.52619
## 124	2010	90.36667

- b. Create multiple plots to demonstrates the correlations between different variables. Remember to label all axes and give title to each graph.

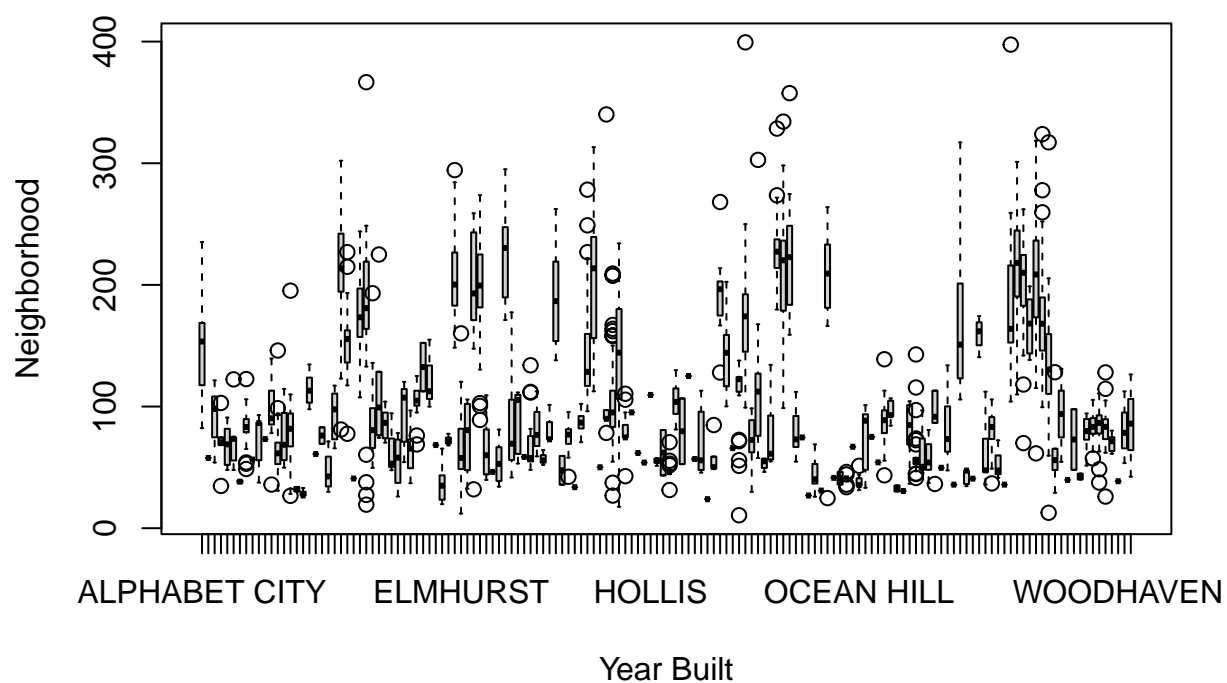
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boxplot(Market.Value.per.SqFt ~ Year.Built, data = housingData, main = "Value vs. Year Built", xlab = "Year Built")
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boxplot(Market.Value.per.SqFt ~ Neighborhood, data = housingData, main = "Value vs. Neighborhood", xlab = "Neighborhood")
```

Value vs. Neighborhood



c. Write a summary about your findings from this exercise.

=> Within the market value by year built, the area with the largest range in pricing is between 1918 - 1959.