

Reproducible Research Project #1

This assignment makes use of data from a personal activity monitoring device.

The device collects data at 5 minute intervals through out the day.

Data collected during the months of October and November, 2012

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Part 1 - Loading and preprocessing the data

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Show any code that is needed to:

Load the data (i.e. read.csv())

Process/transform the data (if necessary) into a format suitable for your analysis

download and store the file in the Working directory

Load data with read.csv(). Used colClasses to convert date column from Factor to Character

```
activity<-read.csv("activity.csv", header = TRUE, sep = ",", colClasses = c("numeric", "character", "integer"))

activity2 <- na.omit(activity)
```

Part #2 - What is mean total number of steps taken per day?

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Calculate the total number of steps taken per day

```
activitySteps <- aggregate(activity2$steps, list(Date = activity2$date), FUN = "sum")$x
activitySteps

## [1] 126 11352 12116 13294 15420 11015 12811 9900 10304 17382 12426
## [12] 15098 10139 15084 13452 10056 11829 10395 8821 13460 8918 8355
## [23] 2492 6778 10119 11458 5018 9819 15414 10600 10571 10439 8334
## [34] 12883 3219 12608 10765 7336 41 5441 14339 15110 8841 4472
## [45] 12787 20427 21194 14478 11834 11162 13646 10183 7047
```

Calculate and report the mean of the total number of steps taken per day

```
stepsMean <- mean(activitySteps)
stepsMean

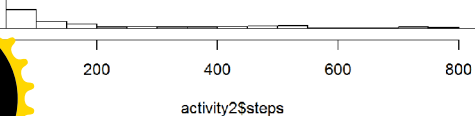
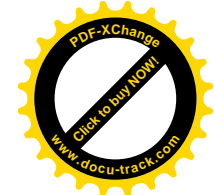
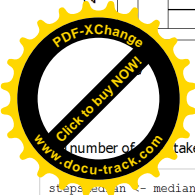
## [1] 10766.19
```

Make a histogram of the total number of steps taken each day

```
steps_hist <- hist(activity2$steps)
```

Histogram of activity2\$steps





```
steps <- median(activitySteps)
stepsMedian

## [1] 10765
```

Part #3 What is the average daily activity pattern?

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Make a time series plot (i.e. type = "l") of the 5-minute interval (x-axis) and the average . # number of steps taken, averaged across all days (y-axis)

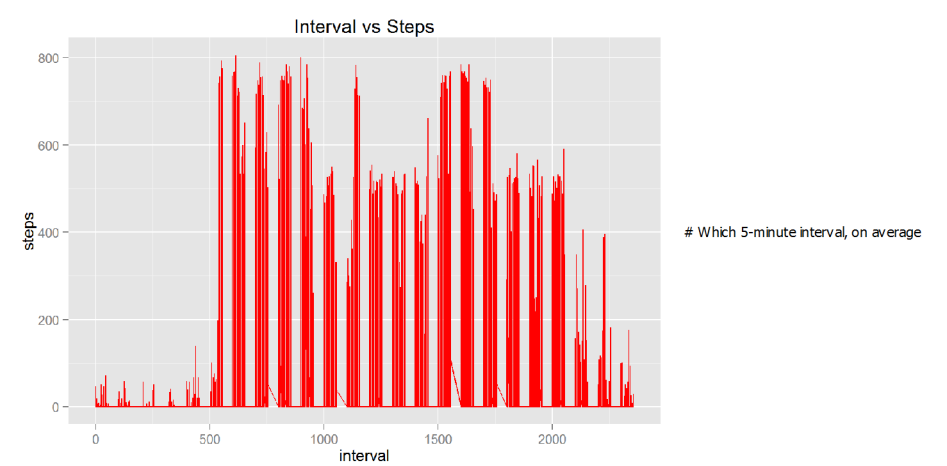
```
activitySteps2 <- aggregate(activity2$steps, list(interval = activity2$interval), FUN = "sum")$x
activitySteps2

## [1] 91 18 7 8 4 111 28 46 0 78 16
## [12] 7 17 36 8 18 0 59 97 9 9 20
## [23] 14 0 0 0 60 0 0 7 0 12 0
## [34] 0 82 50 0 0 0 0 11 33 86 31
## [45] 26 4 0 0 63 50 136 0 18 19 218
## [56] 35 185 44 165 59 0 83 159 119 176 157
## [67] 111 321 849 972 2091 2358 1669 2611 2850 3363 2648
## [78] 2495 2764 2085 2333 2341 1980 2599 2322 2352 2677 2889
## [89] 2646 2702 2951 2349 2770 3686 3066 2976 3889 3615 6860
## [100] 8349 9071 8236 9397 10927 10384 9517 9720 8852 7603 6574
## [111] 5783 5730 5497 5086 3509 2397 1314 2054 1854 1116 2150
## [122] 1430 2248 2791 2063 2692 2347 1983 1839 1502 1330 1693
## [133] 1662 1573 1130 1354 1504 1403 1772 2649 2228 2364 2440
## [144] 3137 3385 4648 5027 4917 3360 2659 2887 1718 1406 2000
## [155] 2388 3566 2244 2114 2293 2172 2451 2991 2266 1332 2118
## [166] 2838 2508 3223 2955 2754 2310 2581 1880 1990 2218 1458
## [177] 907 1382 2312 2320 1591 1912 1881 2059 2436 2531 2551
## [188] 3462 4394 5229 5412 4450 3293 3399 3951 3348 3016 3168
## [199] 2325 2044 2367 2409 2449 2315 2471 2984 2688 3245 3854
## [210] 4184 3654 3162 3980 2995 1843 1985 2156 3075 3959 4522
## [221] 3141 3592 4118 3935 4523 5271 4589 4537 4498 4125 3076
## [232] 2828 1925 1098 1452 2121 1601 1354 2420 1777 1040 1008
## [243] 1025 1767 1421 1122 1447 1131 1036 1130 1712 1068 845
## [254] 913 1243 1020 660 425 777 864 460 413 431 139
## [265] 77 195 255 451 375 461 517 117 17 6 85
## [276] 244 175 151 0 44 51 84 138 249 175 34
## [287] 12 57
```

```
library(ggplot2)

## Warning: package 'ggplot2' was built under R version 3.1.3

ggplot(activity2, aes(x = interval, y = steps)) + geom_line(color = "red") + labs(title = "Interval vs Steps")
```

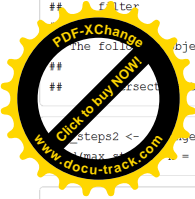


across all the days in the dataset, contains the maximum # number of steps?

```
library(dplyr)

## Warning: package 'dplyr' was built under R version 3.1.3

##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:stats':
##
```



```
## filter
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
## rsect, diff, setequal, union
##
## steps2 <- merge(activity2, desc(steps))
## max(steps2)
## = 1L)
```

```
## steps      date interval
## 1      806 2012-11-27      615
```

Part #4 Imputing missing values

Note that there are a number of days/intervals where there are missing values (coded as NA).

The presence of missing days may introduce bias into calculations or summaries of the data.

Calculate and report the total number of missing values in the dataset (i.e. the total # # number of rows with NAs)

```
na_dat <- sum(is.na(activity))
head(na_dat, n = 1L)
```

```
## [1] 2304
```

Devise a strategy for filling in all of the missing values in the dataset. The strategy does # not need to be sophisticated. For example, you could use the mean/median for that day, or the mean for that 5-minute interval, etc.

Create a new dataset that is equal to the original dataset but with the missing data filled in

```
gnrlMean <- mean(activity2$steps)
gnrlMean
```

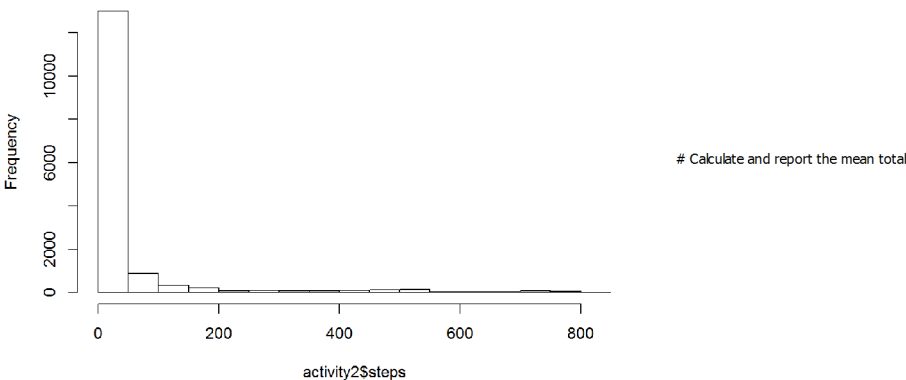
```
## [1] 37.3826
```

```
new_activity <- activity
for (i in 1:nrow(new_activity)) {
  if (is.na(new_activity$steps[i])) {
    new_activity$steps[i] <- 37.3
  }
}
View(new_activity$steps)
```

Make a histogram of the total number of steps taken each day.

```
steps_hist2 <- hist(activity2$steps)
```

Histogram of activity2\$steps



number of steps taken per day. Do these # # # values differ from the estimates from the first part of the assignment? What is # the impact of imputing missing data # on the estimates of the total daily number of steps?

```
activitySteps2 <- aggregate(new_activity$steps, list(Date = activity$date), FUN = "sum")$x
stepsMean2 <- mean(activitySteps2)
stepsMean2
```



Calculate and report the median total number of steps taken per day.

```
steps_per_day %>% summarise(median(activitySteps2))
```

```
## [1] 10742.4
```

Do these values differ from the estimates from the first part of the assignment?

Mean

Part #1 = 10766.19

Part #2 = 1981.278

Median

Part #1 = 10765

Part #2 = 1808

What is the impact of imputing missing data on estimates of total daily number of steps?

The results for the part #1 of the exercise are much higher and the part #2.

Part #5 - Are there differences in activity patterns between weekdays and weekends?

For this part the weekdays() function may be of some help here. Use the dataset with the # # filled-in missing values for this part.

Create a new factor variable in the dataset with two levels - "weekday" and "weekend" # # # indicating whether a given date is a weekday or weekend day.

```
new_activity[, "new_weekdays"] <- new_weekdays  
str(new_weekdays)
```

```
## chr [1:17568] "Monday" "Monday" "Monday" "Monday" "Monday" ...
```

Make a panel plot containing a time series plot (i.e. type = "l") of the 5-minute interval # (x-axis) and the average number of steps taken, averaged across all weekday days or weekend # days (y-axis). See the README file in the GitHub repository to see an example of what this # plot should look like using simulated data.

```
week_weekend <- new_activity[new_activity$new_weekdays == "Saturday" | new_activity$new_weekdays == "Sunday" | new_activity$new_weekdays == "Monday" | new_activity$new_weekdays == "Tuesday" | new_activity$new_weekdays == "Wednesday" | new_activity$new_weekdays == "Thursday" | new_activity$new_weekdays == "Friday", ]  
str(week_weekend)
```

```
## 'data.frame': 17568 obs. of 4 variables:  
## $ steps : num 37.3 37.3 37.3 37.3 37.3 37.3 37.3 37.3 ...  
## $ date : chr "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" ...  
## $ interval : int 0 5 10 15 20 25 30 35 40 45 ...  
## $ new_weekdays: chr "Monday" "Monday" "Monday" "Monday" ...
```

```
week_weekend$newDate <- NULL  
newData <- filter(week_weekend, new_weekdays == "Saturday" | new_weekdays == "Sunday")  
ggplot(newData, aes(x = interval, y = steps)) + geom_line(color = "red") + labs(title = "Weekend Data Interval vs Steps")
```

Weekend Data Interval vs Steps



