

# Project 1

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HappyDB is a corpus of 100,000 crowd-sourced happy moments via Amazon's Mechanical Turk. The goal of my project is to look deeper into the datasets and to draw any insights on the causes that make us happy. Several Natural language processing and text mining techniques (such as ) are used in my project to derive interesting findings in this collection of happy moments.

## Step 0 - Load all the required libraries

```
packages.used=c("plyr","tm","tidytext","tidyverse","DT","wordcloud","scales","wordcloud2",
               "gplots","sentimentr","ngram","dplyr","qdap","syuzhet","ggplot2","topicmodels")

# check packages that need to be installed.
packages.needed=setdiff(packages.used,
                        intersect(installed.packages()[,1],
                                packages.used))

# install additional packages
if(length(packages.needed)>0){
  install.packages(packages.needed, dependencies = TRUE)
}

library(tm)
library(tidytext)
library(tidyverse)
library(DT)
library(wordcloud)
library(scales)
library(wordcloud2)
library(gplots)
library(sentimentr)
library(ngram)
library(dplyr)
library(qdap)
library(syuzhet)
library(ggplot2)
library(topicmodels)
```

## Step 1 - Data Import & Preparation

### Step 1.1 - Load the processed text data along with demographic information on contributors

We use the processed data (cleaned and with all stop words removed) for our analysis and combine it with the demographic information available.

```
hm_data <- read_csv("../output/processed_moments.csv")

urlfile<-'https://raw.githubusercontent.com/rit-public/HappyDB/master/happydb/data/demographic.csv'
demo_data <- read_csv(urlfile)
```

## Step 1.2 - Combine both the data sets and keep the required columns for analysis

We select a subset of the data that satisfies my project need.

```
hm_data <- hm_data %>%  
  inner_join(demo_data, by = "wid") %>%  
  select(wid,  
         original_hm,  
         baseform_hm,  
         num_sentence,  
         gender,  
         marital,  
         parenthood,  
         reflection_period,  
         age,  
         country,  
         ground_truth_category,  
         predicted_category,  
         text) %>%  
  mutate(count = apply(hm_data$text, wordcount))
```

## Step 1.3 - Bag of Words

Create a bag of words using the text data, generate word\_count datasets (grouped by predicted\_category, gender, marital status, and reflection\_period separately), and then sort each word\_count sets

```
bag_of_words <- hm_data %>%  
  unnest_tokens(word, text)  
  
word_count <- bag_of_words %>%  
  count(word, sort = TRUE)  
  
word_count_by_category <- bag_of_words %>%  
  group_by(predicted_category) %>%  
  count(word, sort = TRUE)  
  
word_count_by_gender <- bag_of_words %>%  
  group_by(gender) %>%  
  count(word, sort = TRUE)  
  
word_count_by_marital <- bag_of_words %>%  
  group_by(marital) %>%  
  count(word, sort = TRUE)  
  
word_count_by_reflection <- bag_of_words %>%  
  group_by(reflection_period) %>%  
  count(word, sort = TRUE)
```

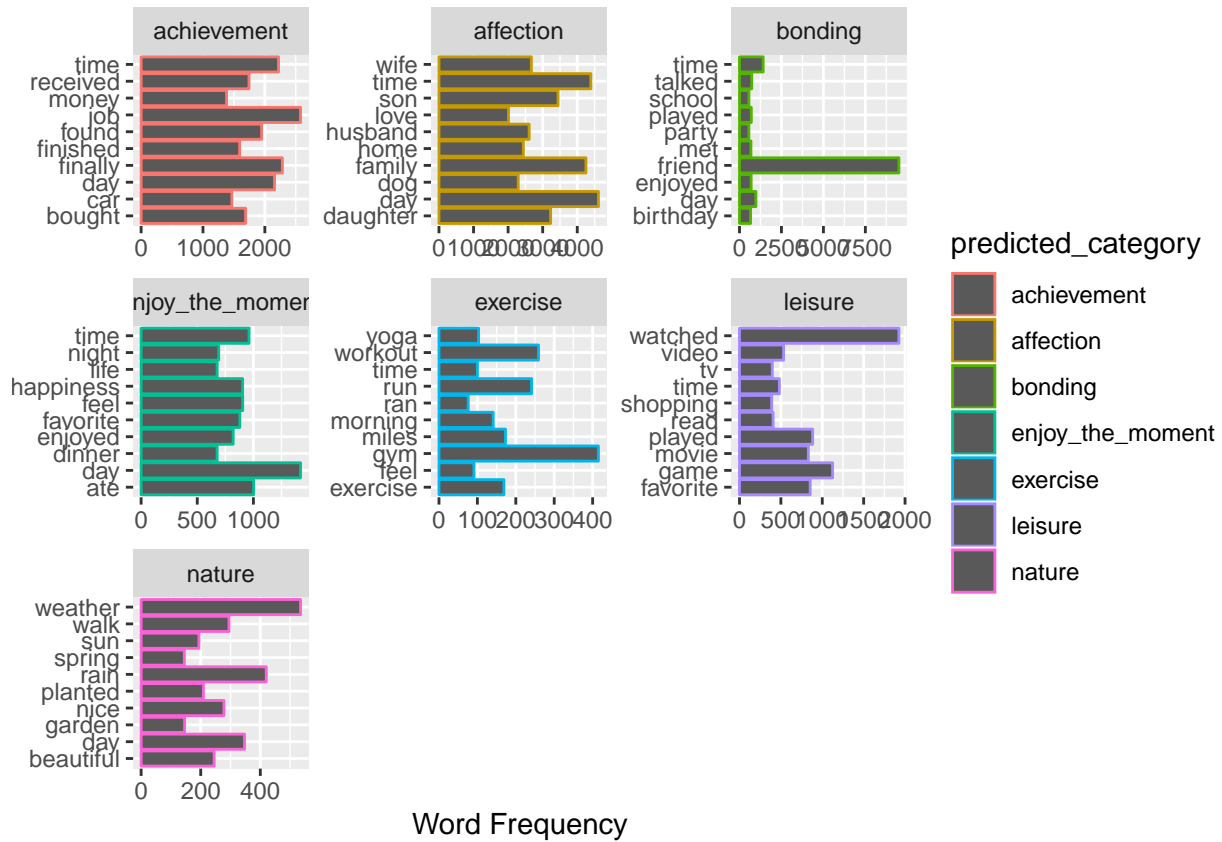
## Step 2 - Word Cloud

### Step 2.1 - Word Cloud on the whole Dataset (cleaned words)

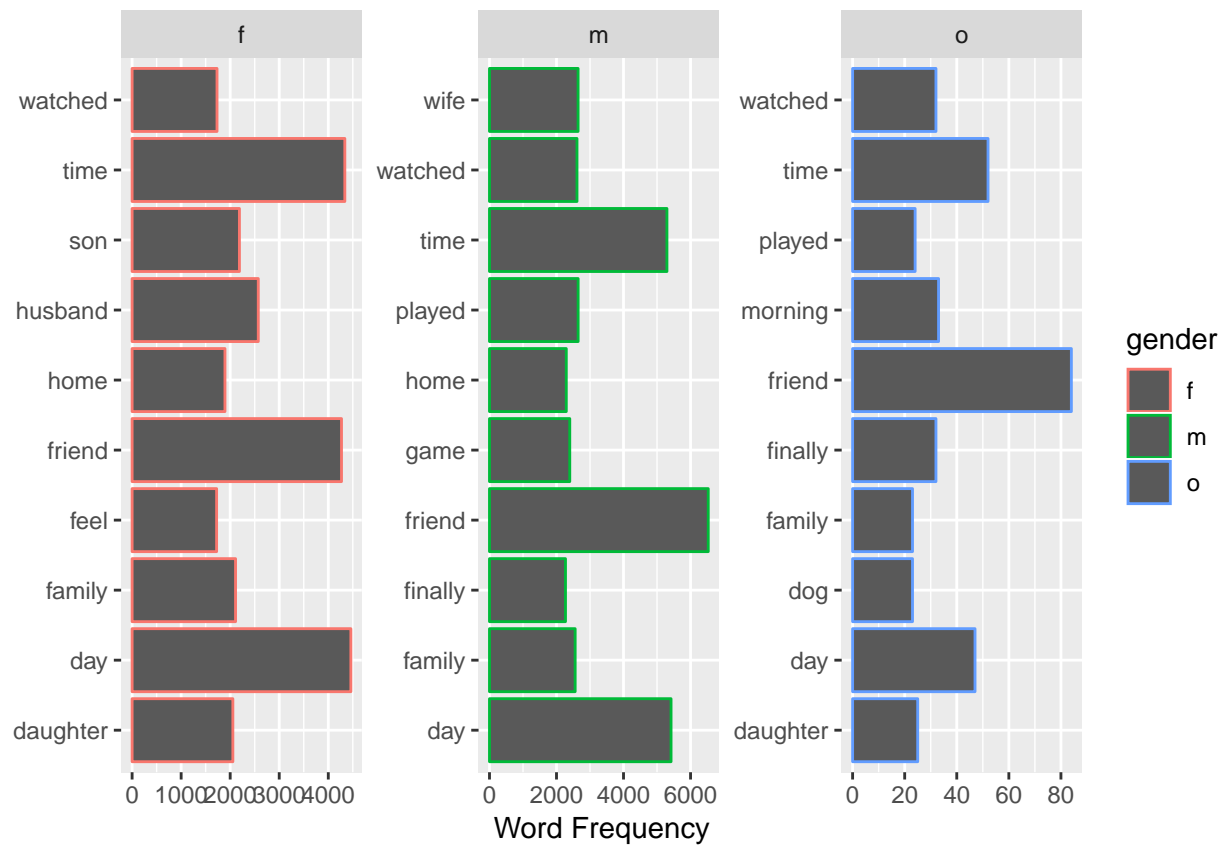
We collected the top 100 words with most appearances in the entire dataset. From the graph, words like “friend”, “time”, “family”, and “home” etc, tend to appear more frequently.



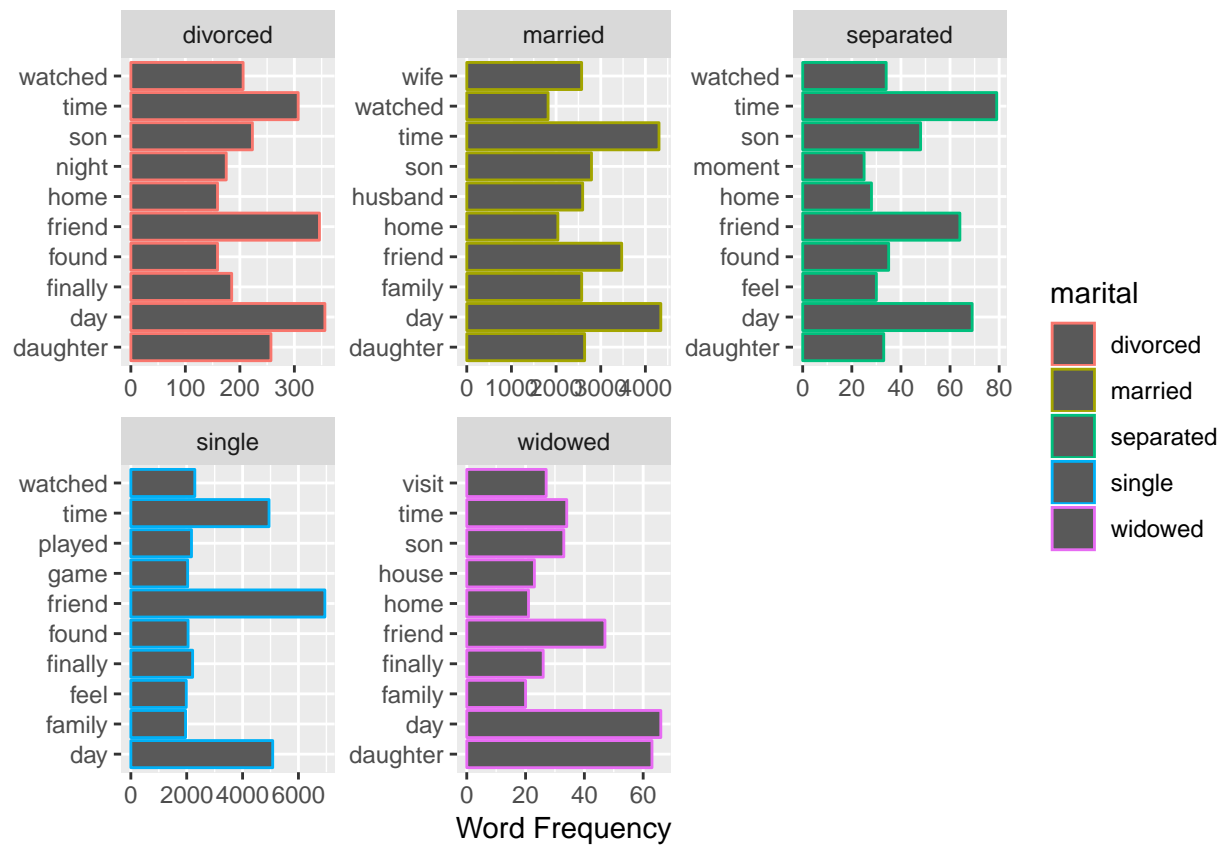
```
ggplot(aes(x = word, y = n, color = predicted_category)) + geom_col() + facet_wrap(~predicted_category,
  ylab("Word Frequency")+ coord_flip()
```



```
# By Gender
word_count_by_gender[!is.na(word_count_by_gender$gender),] %>%
  slice(1:10) %>%
  mutate(word = reorder(word, n)) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = word, y = n, color = gender)) + geom_col() + facet_wrap(~gender, scales = "free") + x
```



```
# By Marital
word_count_by_marital[!is.na(word_count_by_marital$marital),] %>%
  slice(1:10) %>%
  mutate(word = reorder(word, n)) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = word, y = n, color = marital)) + geom_col() + facet_wrap(~marital, scales = "free") +
```



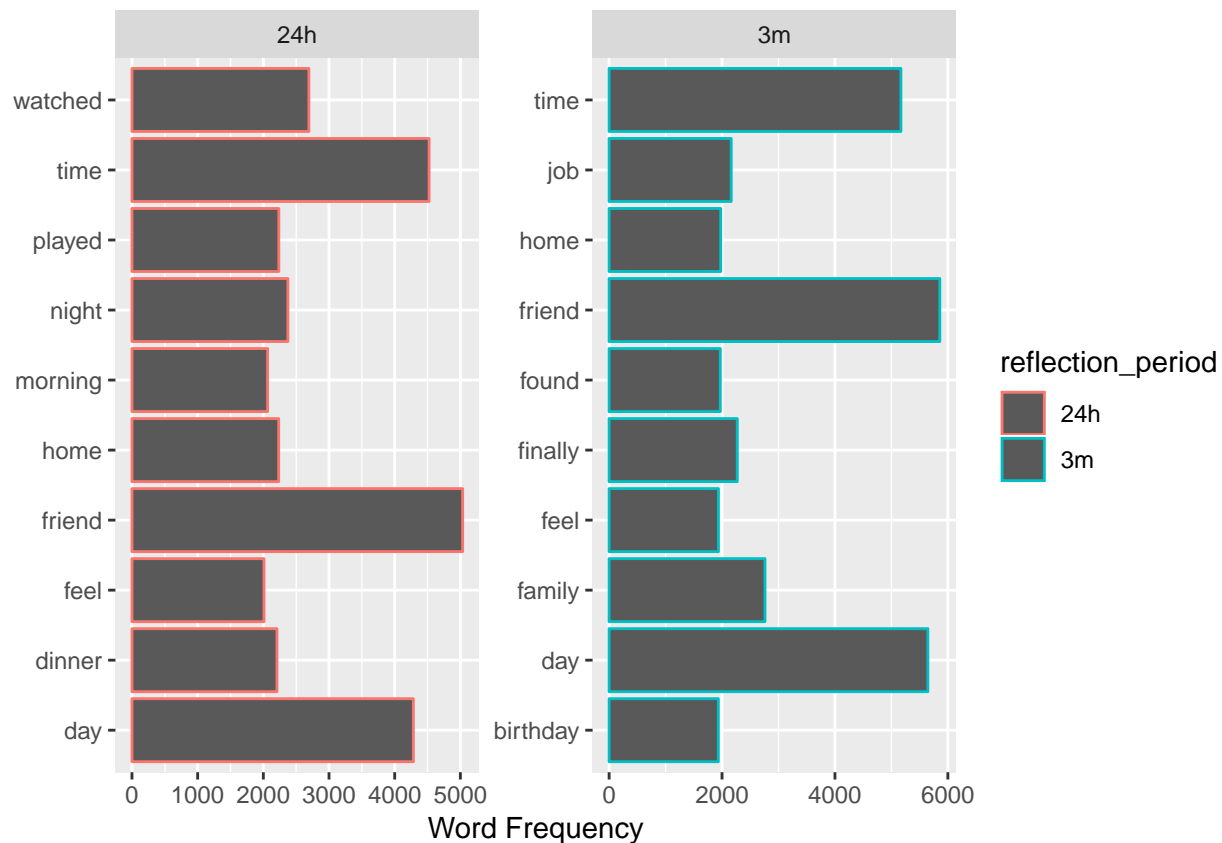
*# By Reflection Period*

```
word_count_by_reflection[!is.na(word_count_by_reflection$reflection_period),] %>%
```

```
slice(1:10) %>%
```

```
mutate(word = reorder(word, n)) %>%
```

```
ggplot(aes(x = word, y = n, color = reflection_period)) + geom_col() + facet_wrap(~reflection_period)
```



### Step 3 - Sentiment Value Analysis

The term “sentiment value”, is a numerical value that was created in the R package, “Syuzhet”. This value weighs the emotional intensity of text, and it is part of the sentiment analysis method.

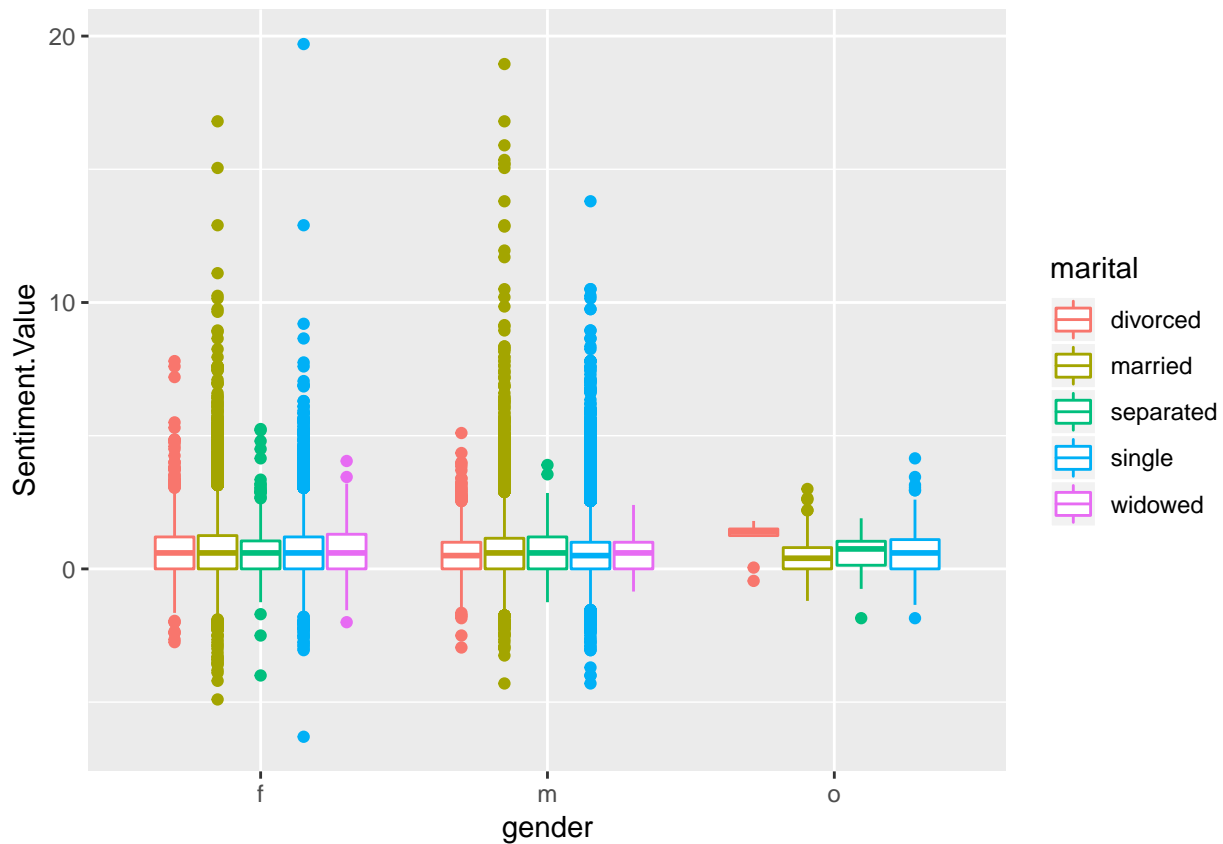
Then I want to dig deeper into the dataset. By utilizing boxplots, I am able to examine the following relations: (1) Sentiment Value vs. Gender & Marital Status (2) Sentiment Value vs. 10 Countries with the most word entries (3) Sentiment Value vs. Age groups

- (1) Sentiment Value vs. Gender & Marital Status The mean and medians of the sentiment value do not vary much among the individual demographic groups. However, I do notice more extreme values for people who are either married or single. The other thing worth mentioning is that, most sentiment values are positive.
- (2) Sentiment Value vs. 10 Countries with the most word entries The 10 countries with the most word entries are: AUS, BRA, CAN, GBR, IND, MEX, PHL, USA, VEN, VNM. And IND and VEN seem to have wider IQRs compared to everyone else (Especially for USA: Quite narrow IQR, with over 78000 records). This probably means American people’s sentiments are pretty consistent compared to other nations. I also notice IND and USA seem to have more extreme values, and this is probably due to the fact that they have collected a lot more data from IND and USA (both more than 10000 records), while most countries have less than 100.
- (3) Sentiment Value vs. Age groups The age groups are binned into an interval of 10. The sentiment value itself does not tell much story, but I saw some extreme outliers. For example, there are couple records who were submitted by people who are over 200 years old. Also, a vast majority of the data records were contributed by people who are in their 20s through 40s.

```
hm_data$Sentiment.Value <- get_sentiment(hm_data$text)
```

```
# Sentiment Value vs. Gender & Marital Status
```

```
ggplot(hm_data[(!is.na(hm_data$gender))&(!is.na(hm_data$marital)),, aes(x = gender, y = Sentiment.Value
```



```
# Sentiment Value vs. 10 Countries with the most word entries
```

```
country.int <- tail(names(sort(table(hm_data$country))), 10)
```

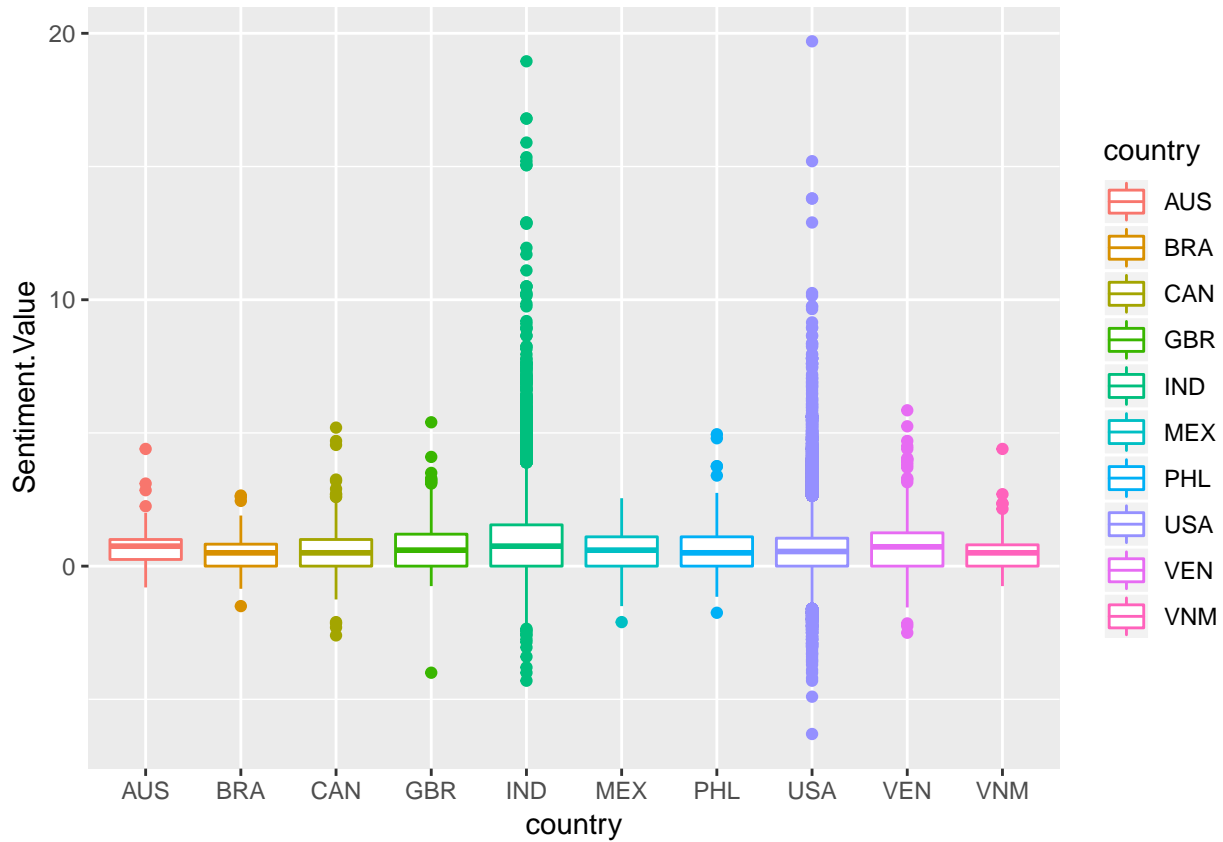
```
table(hm_data$country)
```

```
##
##  AFG  ALB  ARE  ARG  ARM  ASM  AUS  AUT  BEL  BGD  BGR  BHS
##    11   48   36    6   15   13  117   17   12   69   67    3
##  BRA  BRB  CAN  CHL  COL  CRI  CYP  CZE  DEU  DNK  DOM  DZA
##  123    6  555    6   32    3    3    6   84   51   51   12
##  ECU  EGY  ESP  EST  ETH  FIN  FRA  GBR  GHA  GMB  GRC  GTM
##    3   57   23    6    3   21   51  364    3    6   42    6
##  HKG  HRV  IDN  IND  IRL  IRQ  ISL  ISR  ITA  JAM  JPN  KAZ
##    3    6   90 16713   30    3    9    3   36   60   15    3
##  KEN  KNA  KOR  KWT  LKA  LTU  LVA  MAC  MAR  MDA  MEX  MKD
##   33    9    6   18   12   42    3   18    6   36  150  104
##  MLT  MUS  MYS  NGA  NIC  NLD  NOR  NPL  NZL  PAK  PER  PHL
##    9    3   15   81   15   15    3    6   36   39   34  279
##  POL  PRI  PRT  ROU  RUS  SAU  SGP  SLV  SRB  SUR  SVN  SWE
##   15   30   84   46   30    3   24    3   96    3    6   27
##  TCA  THA  TTO  TUN  TUR  TWN  UGA  UKR  UMI  URY  USA  VEN
##    6   90   30    3   51    9   18    3   15   42 78941  588
##  VIR  VNM  ZAF  ZMB
```

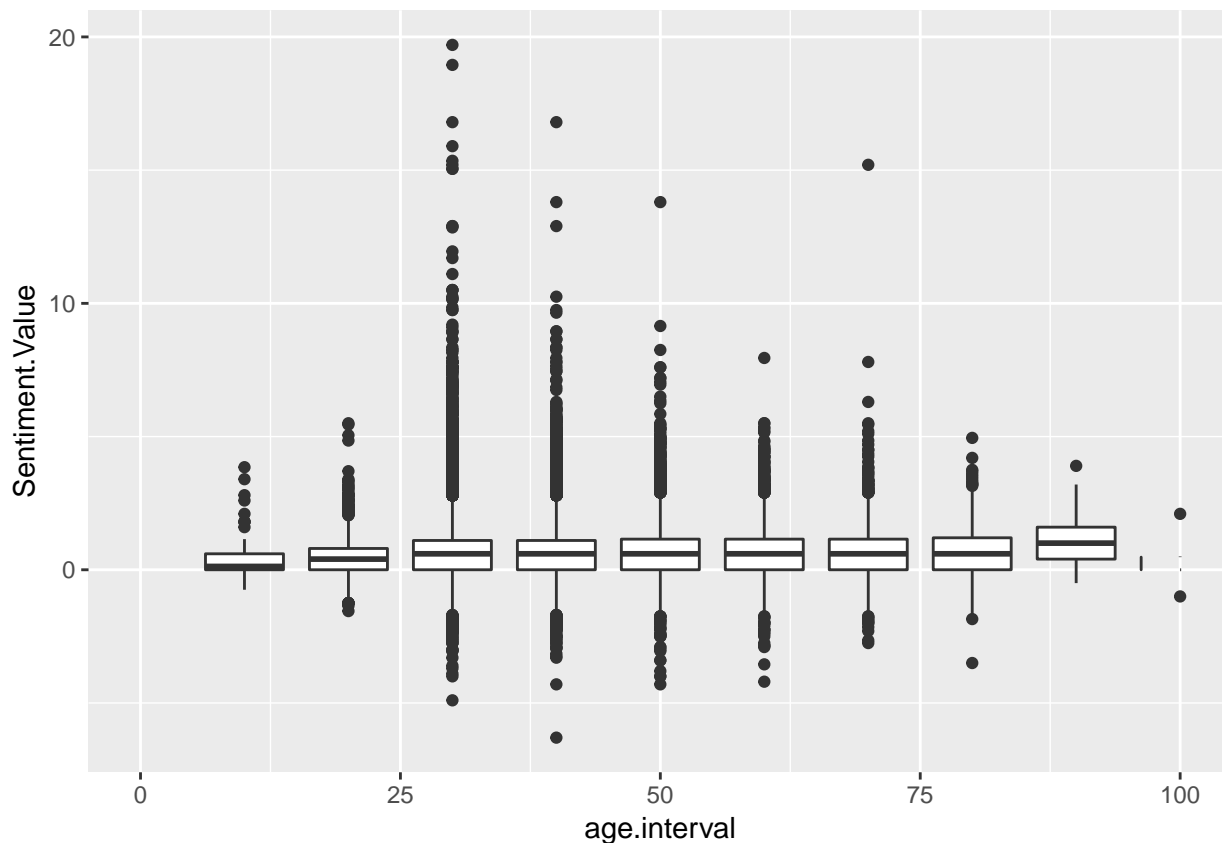


```
##      3    125    21     3
```

```
ggplot(subset(hm_data, country %in% country.int), aes(x = country, y = Sentiment.Value, color = country,
```



```
# Sentiment Value vs. Age groups
hm_data$age <- as.integer(hm_data$age)
x.interval <- seq(0,250,10)
xx.interval <- seq(0,100,25)
hm_data$age.interval <- findInterval(hm_data$age, x.interval)
ggplot(hm_data[!is.na(hm_data$age),], aes(x = age.interval, y = Sentiment.Value, group = age.interval))
```



## Step 4 - Topic Modeling

### Step 4.1 - LDA Method

Here I used the `topicmodels` package written by Bettina Gruen and Kurt Hornik. Specifically, we'll use the `LDA` function with the Gibbs sampling option mentioned in class. Also, since the `LDA` function has a fairly large number of parameters, I mainly stuck to the ones given in class/tutorial website, but I scaled down the number of burnin, iteration, and thins in order to speed up the sampling process.

```
dtm <- VCorpus(VectorSource(hm_data$text)) %>% DocumentTermMatrix()
rowTotals <- slam::row_sums(dtm)
dtm <- dtm[rowTotals > 0, ]

#Set parameters for Gibbs sampling
burnin <- 800
iter <- 400
thin <- 100
seed <- list(2003, 5, 63, 100001, 765)
nstart <- 5
best <- TRUE

#Number of topics
k <- 10

#Run LDA using Gibbs sampling
ldaOut <- LDA(dtm, k, method="Gibbs", control=list(nstart=nstart,
                                                    seed = seed, best=best,
```

```

burnin = burnin, iter = iter,
thin=thin))

#write out results
ldaOut.topics <- as.matrix(topics(ldaOut))
table(c(1:k, ldaOut.topics)) # Total number per each topic

##
##      1      2      3      4      5      6      7      8      9     10
## 16915 12008 11531 10769  5740 11026  8602  9522  7759  6514

#top 10 terms in each topic
ldaOut.terms <- as.matrix(terms(ldaOut,10))

#probabilities associated with each topic assignment
topicProbabilities <- as.data.frame(ldaOut@gamma)

terms.beta=ldaOut@beta
terms.beta=scale(terms.beta)
topics.terms=NULL
for(i in 1:k){
  topics.terms=rbind(topics.terms, ldaOut@terms[order(terms.beta[i,], decreasing = TRUE)[1:10]])
}

ldaOut.terms #top 10 terms in each topic

```

```

##      Topic 1      Topic 2      Topic 3      Topic 4      Topic 5
## [1,] "found"      "day"      "time"      "night"      "feel"
## [2,] "bought"     "son"      "family"    "morning"    "moment"
## [3,] "received"   "daughter" "enjoyed"   "dog"        "life"
## [4,] "car"        "event"    "visit"     "hours"      "happiness"
## [5,] "money"      "school"   "house"     "home"       "people"
## [6,] "shopping"   "mother"   "home"      "love"       "live"
## [7,] "purchased"  "college"  "spend"     "girlfriend" "person"
## [8,] "buy"        "told"     "brother"   "cat"        "makes"
## [9,] "free"       "excited"  "trip"      "sleep"      "positive"
## [10,] "store"     "class"    "weekend"   "husband"    "experience"
##      Topic 6      Topic 7      Topic 8      Topic 9      Topic 10
## [1,] "dinner"     "friend"   "watched"   "finally"    "walk"
## [2,] "birthday"   "job"      "played"    "finished"   "beautiful"
## [3,] "wife"       "talked"   "game"      "started"    "park"
## [4,] "surprise"   "called"   "favorite"   "completed"  "run"
## [5,] "lunch"      "met"      "movie"     "weeks"      "weather"
## [6,] "husband"    "phone"    "won"       "book"       "drive"
## [7,] "food"       "baby"     "fun"       "ive"        "taking"
## [8,] "eat"        "sister"   "video"     "project"    "nice"
## [9,] "ate"        "meet"     "team"      "read"       "rain"
## [10,] "mom"       "girl"     "tickets"   "hard"       "bike"

```

## Step 4.2 - Come up with 10 topics

I set the topic numbers to be 10. I manually tag them as “Work”, “Family”, “Vacation”, “Pets”, “People”, “Celebration”, “Social”, “Etc”. Because Topic 2 contains the key words: “Son”, “Daughter”, and “Brother”, and Topic 10 contains “Walk”, “Park”, and “Run”, etc. Based on the most popular terms and the most salient terms for each topic, we assign a hashtag to each topic.

```

topics.hash=c("Work","Family","Vacation","Pets","People","Celebration","Social","Entertainment","School")

hm_data <- hm_data[rowTotals > 0, ]
hm_data$ldatopic <- as.vector(ldaOut.topics)
hm_data$ldahash <- topics.hash[ldaOut.topics]
colnames(topicProbabilities) <- topics.hash

hm_data.df <- cbind(hm_data, topicProbabilities)

```

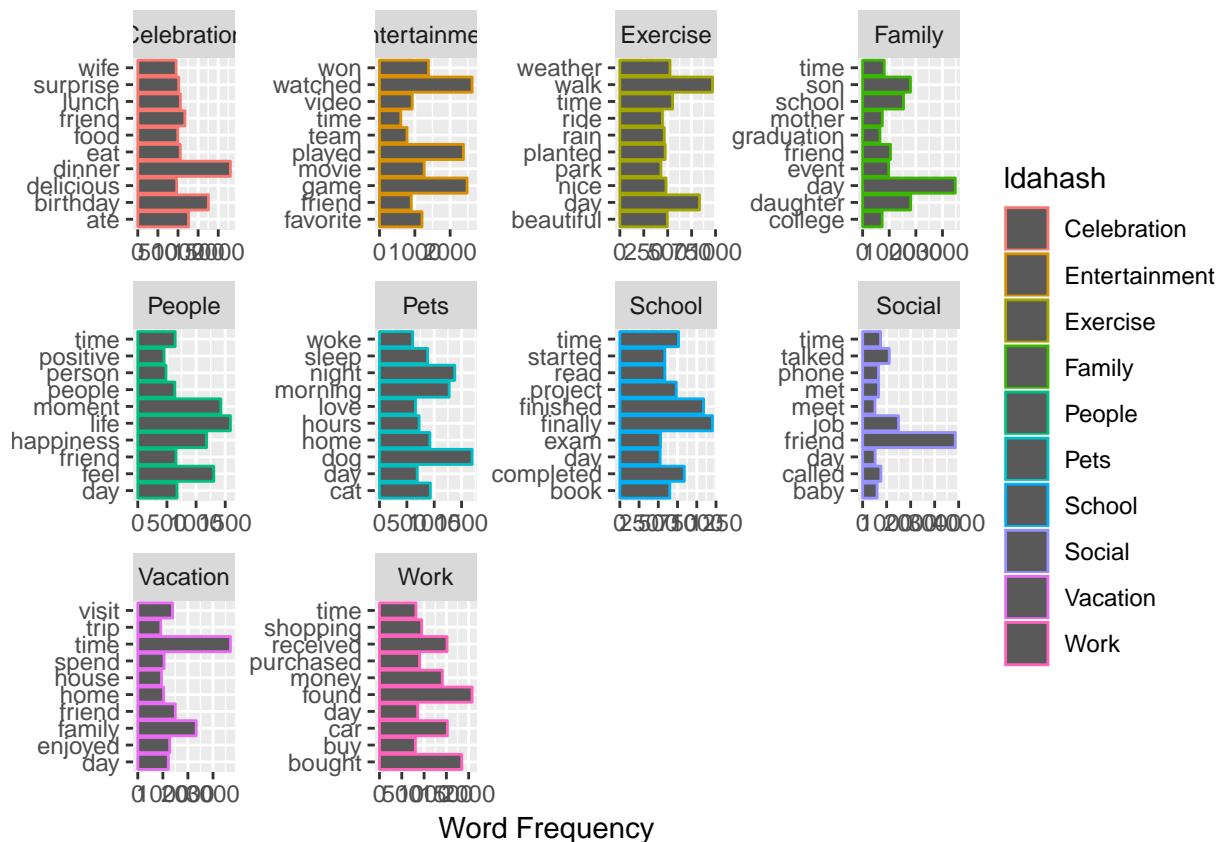
Some Visualization here:

```

word_count_by_topic <- hm_data.df %>%
  unnest_tokens(word, text) %>%
  group_by(ldahash) %>%
  count(word, sort = TRUE)

word_count_by_topic %>%
  slice(1:10) %>%
  mutate(word = reorder(word, n)) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = word, y = n, color = ldahash)) + geom_col() + facet_wrap(~ldahash, scales = "free") +

```



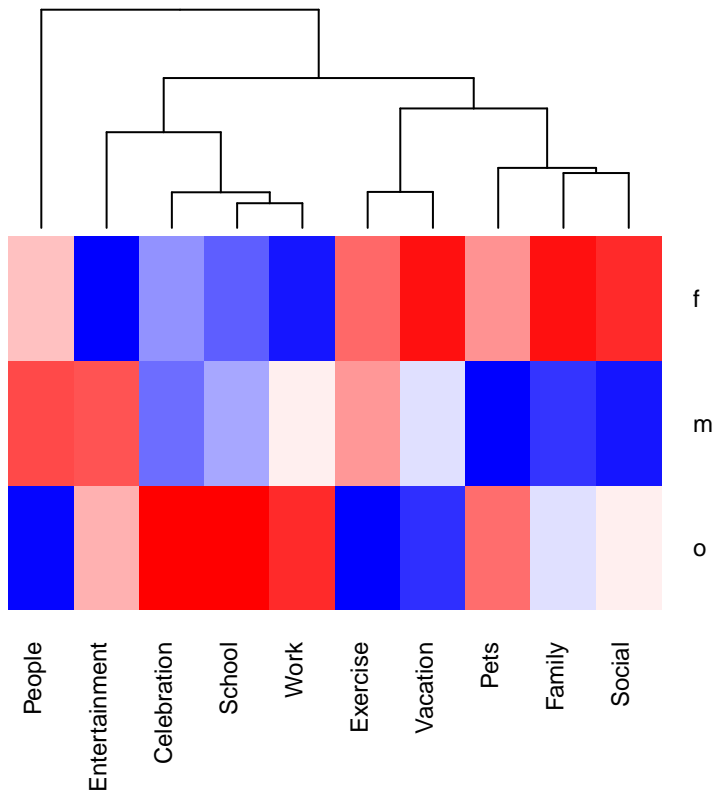
### Step 4.3 - Heatmap Analysis

We use heatmap to see the weight allocation of topics grouped by gender. Note that the red color indicates higher weights on that topic. Let's ignore "others" for now, and only focus on male and female. There is a clear trend in between: - Female tend to mention "family", "vacation", and "friends". - Male focus on "people", "entertainment", and "exercise".

```

par(mar=c(1,1,1,1))
topic.summary1=tbl_df(hm_data.df[!is.na(hm_data.df$gender),])%>%
  select(gender, Work:Exercise)%>%
  group_by(gender)%>%
  summarise_each(funs(mean)) %>%
  as.data.frame()
heatmap.2(as.matrix(topic.summary1[,-1]), Rowv = FALSE,
  scale = "column", key=F, na.rm = T,
  col = bluered(100), labRow = c("f","m","o"),
  cexRow = 0.9, cexCol = 0.9, margins = c(8, 8),
  trace = "none", density.info = "none")

```

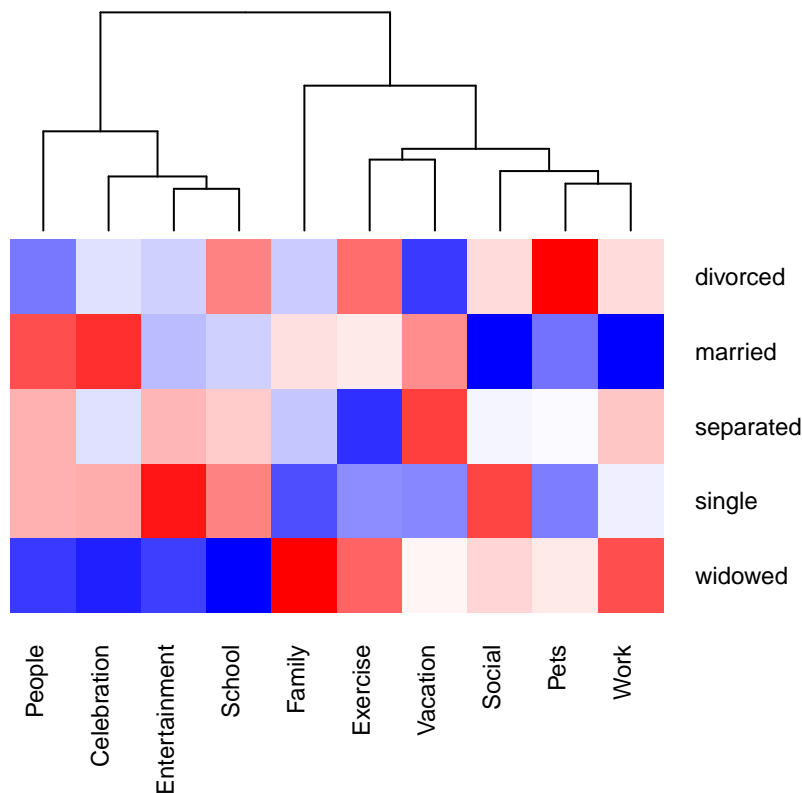


We use heatmap to see the weight allocation of topics grouped by marital status. Different from previous analysis, the information coming from this heatmap may not make perfect sense, probably due to our selection of topics. For example, married people are the only group who focus on “people” and “entertainment” and they don’t mention “friends” or “work”.

```

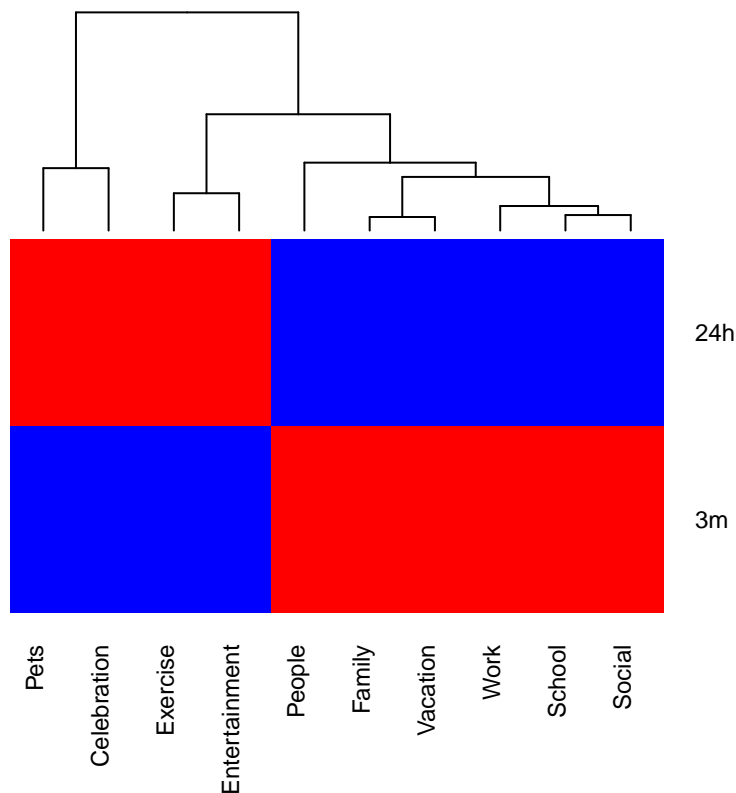
par(mar=c(1,1,1,1))
topic.summary2=tbl_df(hm_data.df[!is.na(hm_data.df$marital),])%>%
  select(marital, Work:Exercise)%>%
  group_by(marital)%>%
  summarise_each(funs(mean)) %>%
  as.data.frame()
heatmap.2(as.matrix(topic.summary2[,-1]), Rowv = FALSE,
  scale = "column", key=F, na.rm = T, col = bluered(100),
  labRow = c("divorced","married","separated","single","widowed"),
  cexRow = 0.9, cexCol = 0.9, margins = c(8, 8),
  trace = "none", density.info = "none")

```



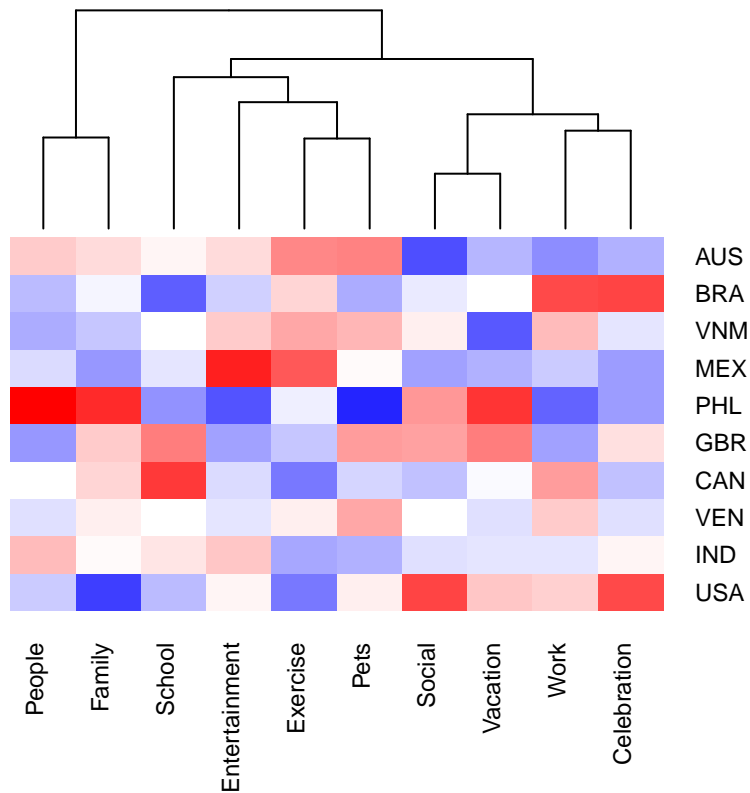
We use heatmap to see the weight allocation of topics grouped by reflection period. This heatmap perfectly illustrates the difference between the two groups. For short-term happy memories, people tend to say things about “pets”, “entertainment”, “celebration”, and “exercise”; while for long-term happy memories, people often mentions things like their “people”, “work”, or “school”.

```
par(mar=c(1,1,1,1))
topic.summary3=tbl_df(hm_data.df[!is.na(hm_data.df$reflection_period),])%>%
  select(reflection_period, Work:Exercise)%>%
  group_by(reflection_period)%>%
  summarise_each(funs(mean)) %>%
  as.data.frame()
heatmap.2(as.matrix(topic.summary3[,-1]), Rowv = FALSE,
  scale = "column", key=F, na.rm = T, col = bluered(100),
  labRow = c("24h", "3m"),
  cexRow = 0.9, cexCol = 0.9, margins = c(8, 8),
  trace = "none", density.info = "none")
```



Again, similar to the marital status heatmap, the heatmap data on the top 10 countries with the most data entries does not provide much information either. I was expecting countries like “AUS”, “GBR”, and “USA” to behave similarly, but they tend to differ a little. I was also expecting asian countries like “PHL”, “VNM” and “IND” to have similar colors as well.

```
par(mar=c(1,1,1,1))
topic.summary4=subset(hm_data.df, country %in% country.int) %>%
  tbl_df()%>%
  select(country, Work:Exercise)%>%
  group_by(country)%>%
  summarise_each(funs(mean)) %>%
  as.data.frame()
heatmap.2(as.matrix(topic.summary4[,-1]), Rowv = FALSE,
  scale = "column", key=F, na.rm = T, col = bluered(100),
  labRow = country.int,
  cexRow = 0.9, cexCol = 0.9, margins = c(8, 8),
  trace = "none", density.info = "none")
```



## Step 5 - Summary

- (1) Few NLP methods were used throughout my project, including sentiment analysis and topic modeling. And several analytics/visualization tools were used, including boxplot, wordcloud, and heatmap.
- (2) I first examined the relationship between predicted\_category (given in the dataset) vs. other parameters. The main takeaways are: -For both male and female, most frequent words are both “friend”, “day” and “time”. -However, the difference is that for 24h data, words that tend to be memorized in a short term are also very hot, such as “watched”, “morning”, “dinner”; while for 3m data, words that represent more significant events tend to show up more, such as “job”, “home”, and “birthday”.
- (3) Sentiment value was also utilized to determine if different demographic groups behave differently. But the result shows that the difference (among gender, marital status, or age) is quite minor.
- (4) By using LDA method, a list of 10 topics was manually entered. This heatmap on reflection\_period perfectly illustrates the difference between the two groups. For short-term happy memories, people tend to say things about “pets”, “entertainment”, “celebration”, and “exercise”; while for long-term happy memories, people often mentions things like their “people”, “work”, or “school”.