

# Project 1: Olympic History Trend Analytics

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```
#Importing Required packages
library(tidyverse)
library(reshape2)
library(dplyr)
library(knitr)

## Uncomment below to set the working directory.
##setwd("C:/Users/Docs")
```

## 1. Data Acquisition

importing the datasets

```
# Data of the athletes and countries
athletes_df <- read.csv('athlete_events.csv', header = TRUE, sep = ',')
head(athletes_df, 5) # structure of the dataset
```

```
##   ID              Name Sex Age Height Weight      Team NOC
## 1  1          A Dijiang  M  24    180     80      China CHN
## 2  2          A Lamusi  M  23    170     60      China CHN
## 3  3      Gunnar Nielsen Aaby  M  24     NA     NA      Denmark DEN
## 4  4      Edgar Lindenau Aabye  M  34     NA     NA Denmark/Sweden DEN
## 5  5 Christine Jacoba Aaftink  F  21    185     82 Netherlands NED
##
##   Games Year Season      City      Sport
## 1 1992 Summer 1992 Summer Barcelona Basketball
## 2 2012 Summer 2012 Summer   London       Judo
## 3 1920 Summer 1920 Summer Antwerpen  Football
## 4 1900 Summer 1900 Summer   Paris  Tug-Of-War
## 5 1988 Winter 1988 Winter  Calgary Speed Skating
##
##   Event Medal
## 1 Basketball Men's Basketball <NA>
## 2 Judo Men's Extra-Lightweight <NA>
## 3 Football Men's Football <NA>
## 4 Tug-Of-War Men's Tug-Of-War Gold
## 5 Speed Skating Women's 500 metres <NA>
```

```
# Importing Data of the regions tied with the NOC code
regions_df <- read.csv('noc_regions.csv', header= TRUE, sep=',')
head(regions_df, 5)
```

```
##   NOC      region      notes
## 1 AFG Afghanistan
## 2 AHO      Curacao Netherlands Antilles
## 3 ALB      Albania
## 4 ALG      Algeria
## 5 AND      Andorra
```

## 2. Data Wrangling

### 2.1 Data Discovery

#### Summary Statistics

```
summary(athletes_df)
```

```
##      ID      Name      Sex      Age
## Min.   :    1  Length:271116  Length:271116  Min.   :10.00
## 1st Qu.: 34643  Class :character  Class :character  1st Qu.:21.00
## Median : 68205  Mode  :character  Mode  :character  Median :24.00
## Mean   : 68249                                     Mean  :25.56
## 3rd Qu.:102097                                     3rd Qu.:28.00
## Max.   :135571                                     Max.   :97.00
##                                     NA's   :9474
##      Height      Weight      Team      NOC
## Min.   :127.0  Min.   : 25.0  Length:271116  Length:271116
## 1st Qu.:168.0  1st Qu.: 60.0  Class :character  Class :character
## Median :175.0  Median : 70.0  Mode  :character  Mode  :character
## Mean   :175.3  Mean   : 70.7
## 3rd Qu.:183.0  3rd Qu.: 79.0
## Max.   :226.0  Max.   :214.0
## NA's   :60171  NA's   :62875
##      Games      Year      Season      City
## Length:271116  Min.   :1896  Length:271116  Length:271116
## Class :character  1st Qu.:1960  Class :character  Class :character
## Mode  :character  Median :1988  Mode  :character  Mode  :character
##                                     Mean   :1978
##                                     3rd Qu.:2002
##                                     Max.   :2016
##
##      Sport      Event      Medal
## Length:271116  Length:271116  Length:271116
## Class :character  Class :character  Class :character
## Mode  :character  Mode  :character  Mode  :character
##
##
##
##
```

We can see that there are NA's in the numerical fields of Age, Height, Weight which we will be handling

```
summary(regions_df)
```

```
##      NOC           region      notes
## Length:230      Length:230      Length:230
## Class :character Class :character Class :character
## Mode  :character Mode  :character Mode  :character
```

## Discovering Discrete Data

```
kable(
  atheletes_df %>%
    summarise(total_records=n()),
  caption = "Total Records for Athletes"
)
```

Table 1: Total Records for Athletes

total_records
271116

```
kable(
  regions_df %>%
    summarise(total_records=n()),
  caption = "Total Records in Regions"
)
```

Table 2: Total Records in Regions

total_records
230

Looking for NA's in all the columns

```
colnames(atheletes_df)[apply(atheletes_df, 2, anyNA)]
```

```
## [1] "Age"      "Height" "Weight" "Medal"
```

We already knew that Age, Height & Weight have NA's as seen above in the summary. We found that categorical Medal's have NA, taking a closer look:

```
kable(
  atheletes_df %>%
    group_by(Medal) %>%
    summarise(total_records=n())
  ,caption="Records by Medal Count"
)
```

Table 3: Records by Medal Count

Medal	total_records
Bronze	13295
Gold	13372
Silver	13116
NA	231333

We can see that there are 231333 NA's for Medals which happens to be categorical data and we need to handle this in the cleaning part

## 2.2 Structuring

```
head(atheletes_df,5)
```

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We can see that we don't need to do additional restructuring as columns like "Games" is already split and available as Year and Season

## 2.3 Cleaning

### Handling Missing Data

We can't filter out the NA values since the columns that exhibit them are required for our analysis. We will be filling the NA values in Age, Height, Weight with Mean values and Medals with 'None'. Here, Medals with 'None' would signify that the athletes simply didn't win any of the categories of Medals (Gold, Silver, Bronze). We didn't filter out the NA records in Age, Height and Weight because that would mean that crucial data would be missing leading to data skewness, we are using the Mean values to reduce the degree of skewness while maintaining data integrity

Replacing NA's in Medals

```
athletes_df$Medal %>%  
  replace_na("None")
```