

Impute missing data

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Explore the missingness

```
##      id       resp       age       smok       time
##  Min.   : 1   Min.   :0.0000   Min.   :-2.00   Min.   :0.0000   Min.   :1.00
##  1st Qu.:135  1st Qu.:0.0000  1st Qu.:-1.25  1st Qu.:0.0000  1st Qu.:1.75
##  Median :269  Median :0.0000  Median :-0.50  Median :0.0000  Median :2.50
##  Mean   :269  Mean   :0.1553  Mean   :-0.50  Mean   :0.3482  Mean   :2.50
##  3rd Qu.:403  3rd Qu.:0.0000  3rd Qu.: 0.25  3rd Qu.:1.0000  3rd Qu.:3.25
##  Max.   :537  Max.   :1.0000  Max.   : 1.00  Max.   :1.0000  Max.   :4.00
##                NA's   :229
```

Above is the summary of the data sixcity. Only resp column has 229 missning data.

```
## `summarise()` has grouped output by 'time'. You can override using the
## `.` argument.
```

```
## # A tibble: 8 x 5
## # Groups:   time [4]
##   time   smok     N n_missing percent_missing
##   <int> <int> <int>     <int>        <dbl>
## 1     1     0    350       16      0.046
## 2     1     1    187        4      0.021
## 3     2     0    350       20      0.057
## 4     2     1    187       11      0.059
## 5     3     0    350       50      0.143
## 6     3     1    187       26      0.139
## 7     4     0    350       55      0.157
## 8     4     1    187       47      0.251
```

Above is the proportion of missing data by smoke and time visit

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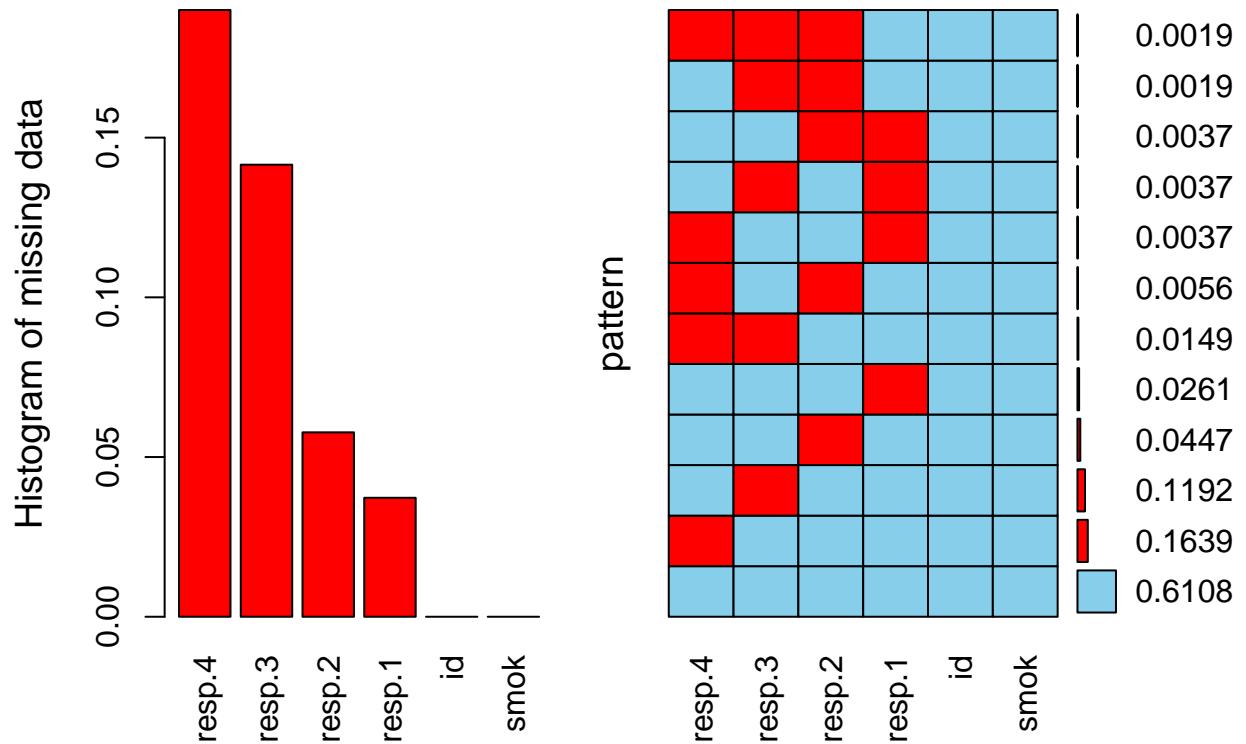
```
## # A tibble: 7 x 3
## # Groups:   smok [2]
##   smok nvisit     N
```

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##   <int> <int> <int>
## 1     0     2    11
## 2     0     3   119
## 3     0     4   220
## 4     1     1     1
## 5     1     2     7
## 6     1     3    71
## 7     1     4   108

```

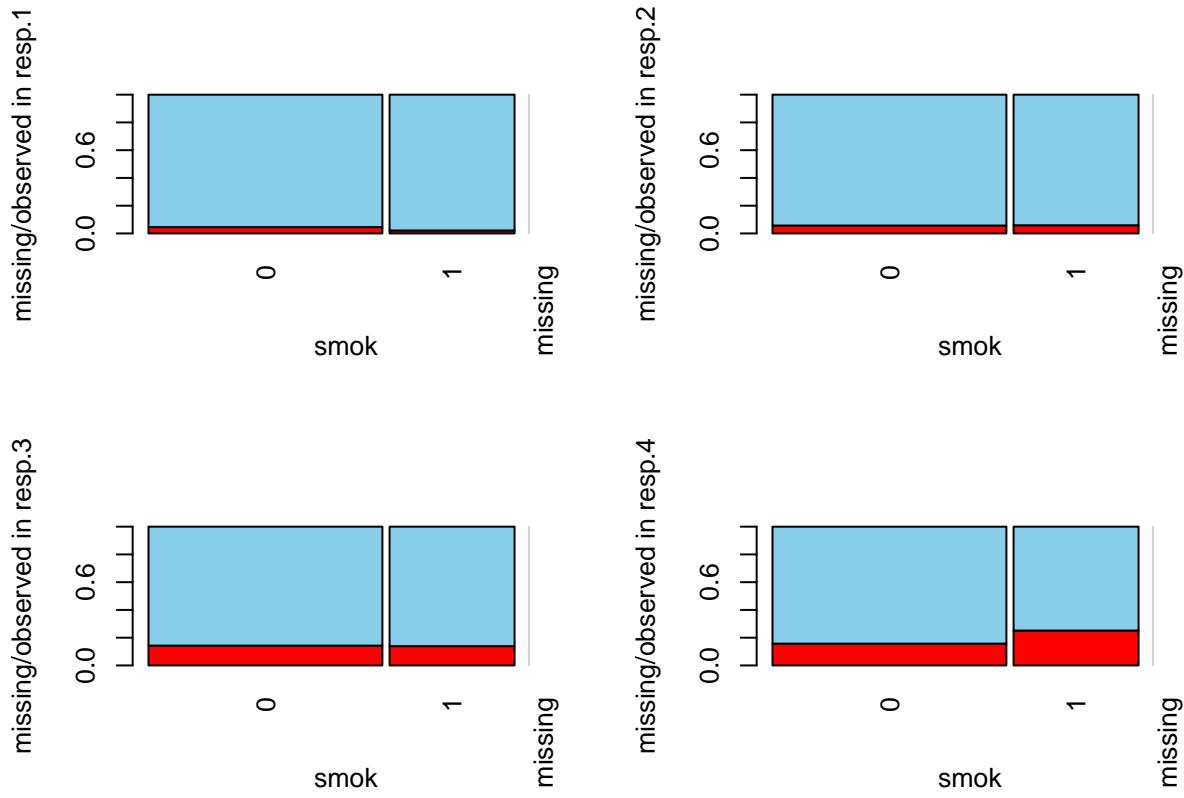
The table above shows the total of times people showing up and total of people in each categorical time by smoke status.



```

##
##  Variables sorted by number of missings:
##  Variable      Count
##  resp.4 0.18994413
##  resp.3 0.14152700
##  resp.2 0.05772812
##  resp.1 0.03724395
##          id 0.00000000
##          smok 0.00000000

```



The figure on the left shows a histogram of missing data by column in our dataset. When we reshape to wide form, resp4 has 18% missing data, resp3 has about 14% missing data and so on. The completed observations are 61%. The figure on the right show that the pattern of missing data is non-monotone. Some people missed one follow-up but came back to the next follow-ups.

1. Fitting random effects model for respiratory function with only the main effects of smoking status and age using complete data

```
## Generalized linear mixed model fit by maximum likelihood (Adaptive
##   Gauss-Hermite Quadrature, nAGQ = 20) [glmerMod]
##   Family: binomial ( logit )
## Formula: resp ~ age * smok + (1 | id)
##   Data: sixcity_comp
##
##          AIC      BIC  logLik deviance df.resid
##    1604.7  1633.1 -797.4   1594.7     2143
##
## Scaled residuals:
##    Min      1Q  Median      3Q     Max
## -1.3660 -0.1988 -0.1784 -0.1437  2.5930
##
## Random effects:
##   Groups Name        Variance Std.Dev.
##   id      (Intercept) 4.693    2.166
##   Number of obs: 2148, groups: id, 537
##
```

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## Fixed effects:
##             Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept) -3.12822   0.22284 -14.038 <2e-16 ***
## age         -0.21638   0.08656 -2.500  0.0124 *
## smok        0.46197   0.28556  1.618  0.1057
## age:smok    0.10533   0.13850  0.761  0.4469
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##          (Intr) age     smok
## age      0.301
## smok    -0.517 -0.199
## age:smok -0.171 -0.623  0.290

```

2: Using available data to fit a random effects model for respiratory function with only the main effects of smoking status and age.

```

## Generalized linear mixed model fit by maximum likelihood (Adaptive
## Gauss-Hermite Quadrature, nAGQ = 20) [glmerMod]
## Family: binomial ( logit )
## Formula: resp ~ age * smok + (1 | id)
## Data: sixcity
##
##      AIC      BIC  logLik deviance df.resid
## 1468.7 1496.5 -729.4   1458.7     1914
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min      1Q Median      3Q      Max
## -1.3146 -0.2053 -0.1930 -0.1585  2.4846
##
## Random effects:
## Groups Name      Variance Std.Dev.
## id     (Intercept) 4.676    2.162
## Number of obs: 1919, groups: id, 537
##
## Fixed effects:
##             Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept) -3.08476   0.23204 -13.294 <2e-16 ***
## age         -0.16554   0.09191 -1.801  0.0717 .
## smok        0.56106   0.29500  1.902  0.0572 .
## age:smok    0.13224   0.14883  0.889  0.3742
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##          (Intr) age     smok
## age      0.311
## smok    -0.526 -0.214
## age:smok -0.197 -0.618  0.336

```

3. Imputations using long format

```
## Warning: Number of logged events: 1

##          term   estimate   std.error   statistic      df   p.value
## 1      (Intercept) 0.05485132 0.20929513 -13.8709818 766.5492 0.0000000
## 2             age 0.84904656 0.08684976 -1.8841877 1367.2590 0.0597516
## 3 as.factor(smok)1 1.53429961 0.26988152  1.5861552 867.4336 0.1130685
## 4 age:as.factor(smok)1 1.02131026 0.14013569  0.1504711 1034.8783 0.8804223
##        2.5 %    97.5 %
## 1 0.03637081 0.08272203
## 2 0.71604342 1.00675469
## 3 0.90336991 2.60588189
## 4 0.77577236 1.34456277
```

4. Imputations using wide format

Fit glmer model to each completed dataset and pool the result

```
##          pooled.estimates   pooled.se   pooled.pv
## 1      -3.0500091 0.23764069 1.050239e-37
## 2      -0.1658666 0.09570334 8.307196e-02
## 3       0.5501984 0.29493966 6.211683e-02
## 4      0.1263982 0.14603794 3.867556e-01
```

Comparasons:

```
##          ...     complete     imp_long     imp_wide
## 1 Intercept -3.0848 (0.2320) 0.05485 (0.20930) -3.0500 (0.2376)
## 2      age -0.1655 (0.0919) 0.84905 (0.08685) -0.1659 (0.0957)
## 3     smoke 0.5611 (0.2950) 1.53430 (0.26988) 0.5502 (0.2949)
## 4 age:smoke 0.1322 (0.1488) 1.02131 (0.14014) 0.1264 (0.1460)
```

Our result from fitting a random effect model are fairly consistent across three methods, complete data, imputations using data in long format, and wide format, though there are some differences. The complete data model and imputations using wide format model are the most similar in terms of results. The table above shows point estimates for the regression coefficients (standard errors).