Dataset Analysis Report

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The loading libraries

```
library(dplyr)
library(tidyr)
library(ggplot2)
library(cluster)
library(factoextra)
library(maps)
```

Some information about the dataset

The "Homicide Reports" dataset resembles data about murders from 1980 to 2014 in US.

Number of Instances: 638454 murders.

Number of Attributes: 20.

Read more in the file "Description of dataset".

Based on the available information, the following questions were formulated:

- 1. What is the average number of victims among men and women in each state of the United States?
- 2. Does the status of the solved crime depend on the type of agency?
- 3. Does the choice of weapons depend on the race of the perpetrator?
- 4. Does the age of the victim and the age of the perpetrator differ significantly?
- 5. Are there similar US states based on the values of variables such as average of "perpetrator age", average of "victim age" and average number of crimes?

Load the data set into R from the file.

```
DataSet <- read.csv(file=file.choose(), header=TRUE, sep=";")</pre>
```

The answer to the first question

To answer this question, it is necessary to select data for men and women by state separately. Since the data set was given for the period from 1980 to 2014, we can calculate the total number of male and female victims for each year by state, and then take the average value for the results.

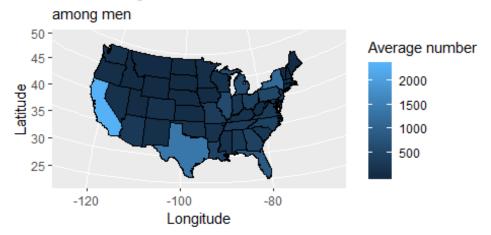
For clarity, display the results on a map of the United States.

```
# Turn data from the maps package in to a data frame
states_map <- map_data("state")

# Merge the data sets together and sort by group, then order
crime_map <- merge(states_map, crimes, by.x="region", by.y="state") %>%
arrange(group, order)

# Build two geo-maps for data for men and women
ggplot(data = crime_map, aes(x = long, y = lat, group = group, fill = PMale)) +
    geom_polygon(colour = "black") +
    coord_map("polyconic") +
    labs(x = "Longitude", y = "Latitude", fill = "Average number", title = "The
average number of victims for states US", subtitle = "among men")
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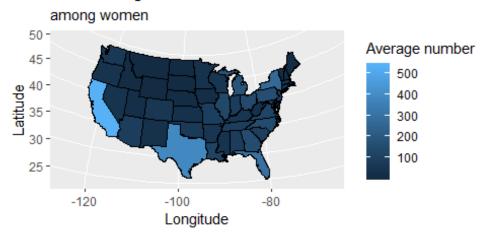
The average number of victims for states US



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average number of victims for states US", subtitle = "among women")
```

The average number of victims for states US



We can see that in both cases, Texas and California have the highest average number of victims among men and women.

The answer to the second question

To answer the question posed, it is necessary to select and group the data by the variables "Crime Solved" and "Agency Type", and then apply the Chi-square test.

```
# Select and Group the data by Agency. Type and Crime. Solved, summarize the number
of victims
TypeAgency <-as_tibble(select(DataSet, Agency.Type, Crime.Solved, Victim.Sex))</pre>
%>%
             group by(Agency.Type, Crime.Solved) %>% summarise(mVi =
length(Victim.Sex))
#Create a data table
AgencyCrime <- cbind(TypeAgency[TypeAgency$Crime.Solved == "No",3],
                     TypeAgency[TypeAgency$Crime.Solved == "Yes",3])
colnames(AgencyCrime) <- unique(TypeAgency$Crime.Solved)</pre>
rownames(AgencyCrime) <- unique(TypeAgency$Agency.Type)</pre>
AgencyCrime
##
                        No
                               Yes
## County Police
                      7533 15160
## Municipal Police 157017 336009
## Regional Police
                        49
                               186
## Sheriff
                     22328
                            82994
## Special Police
                       831
                              2058
## State Police
                            11715
                       2520
## Tribal Police
```

```
#Chi-Square Test
chisq.test(AgencyCrime)
##
## Pearson's Chi-squared test
##
## data: AgencyCrime
## X-squared = 5855.8, df = 6, p-value < 2.2e-16</pre>
```

We can see that p-value is < 0.05 and this means that the status of the solved crime depends on the type of agency.

The answer to the third question

To answer this question, it is necessary to select all the known values of the parameters of the perpetrator race and weapon, and then group the data.

```
# Select and Group the data by Perpetrator. Race and Weapon, summarize the number
of perpetrators
WePerpetrator <- as tibble(select(DataSet[DataSet$Perpetrator.Race != "Unknown"</pre>
                                          & DataSet$Weapon != "Unknown",],
                                  Perpetrator.Race, Perpetrator.Sex, Weapon))
%>%
                  group_by(Perpetrator.Race, Weapon) %>%
                        summarise(mPer = length(Perpetrator.Sex))
# Look the result
summary(WePerpetrator)
##
                         Perpetrator.Race
                                                   Weapon
                                                                 mPer
## Asian/Pacific Islander
                                 :15
                                          Blunt Object: 4
                                                            Min. :
                                                                         2
## Black
                                          Drowning
                                                       : 4
                                                            1st Ou.:
                                                                         65
                                 :15
## Native American/Alaska Native:14
                                          Drugs
                                                       : 4
                                                            Median :
                                                                       298
                                                      : 4
## Unknown
                                 : 0
                                          Fall
                                                            Mean : 7192
## White
                                          Fire
                                                       : 4
                                 :15
                                                            3rd Qu.: 2132
##
                                          Firearm
                                                       : 4
                                                            Max.
                                                                    :116477
##
                                          (Other)
                                                       :35
```

We can see that "Native Americans/Alaska Natives" has only 14 meanings compared to others, so this type of race will not be considered in a future analysis. Create the data table, and then apply the Chi-square test.

```
##
                Asian Black White
                676 20400 29170
## Blunt Object
## Drowning
                  26
                        276
                              660
                  15
                        167 1190
## Drugs
                  9
                         75
                              298
## Explosives
                   5
                         73
                               85
## Fall
## Fire
                  80
                      1679 2281
## Firearm
                258
                      14296 9336
## Gun
                  9
                        710
                              543
## Handgun
                 2976 116477 93662
                 1136 35395 36322
## Knife
## Poison
                  10
                         63
                              294
## Rifle
                  242
                        6135 13023
                  219
                       9512 15890
## Shotgun
## Strangulation 95
                       1466 2725
## Suffocation
                   67
                       855 1982
# Chi-Square Test for three races of perpetrators
chisq.test(PerWeapon)
## Warning in chisq.test(PerWeapon): Chi-squared approximation may be
## incorrect
##
   Pearson's Chi-squared test
##
##
## data:
         PerWeapon
## X-squared = 11483, df = 28, p-value < 2.2e-16
```

We have a warning message: Chi-squared approximation may be incorrect. This is because the category "Asian" has small meanings. In this case, you can use "simulate p-value" or try to remove this criterion from consideration.

```
# Chi-Square Test for three races of perpetrators with simulate p-value
chisq.test(PerWeapon, simulate.p.value = TRUE)
##
## Pearson's Chi-squared test with simulated p-value (based on 2000
## replicates)
##
## data:
          PerWeapon
## X-squared = 11483, df = NA, p-value = 0.0004998
# Chi-Square Test for two races of perpetrators without Asians
chisq.test(select(PerWeapon, -Asian))
##
##
   Pearson's Chi-squared test
##
## data: select(PerWeapon, -Asian)
## X-squared = 11312, df = 14, p-value < 2.2e-16
```

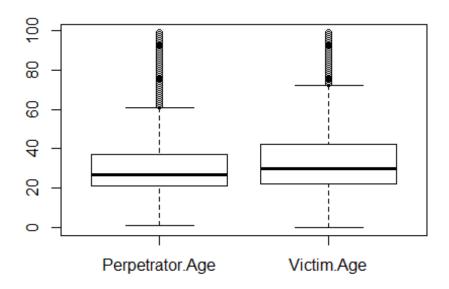
In both cases, p-value < 0.05, which means that the choice of weapons depends on the race of the perpetrator.

The answer to the fourth question

To answer this question, it is necessary to select data on the age of victims and perpetrator.

Imagine groups of numerical data through quartiles.

```
boxplot(AgeTest)
```



From the graph obtained, it is clear that the medians of both indicators have different values, but for complete reliability it is necessary to conduct a t-test.

```
# T-test for two variables
t.test(AgeTest$Perpetrator.Age, AgeTest$Victim.Age)

##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: AgeTest$Perpetrator.Age and AgeTest$Victim.Age
## t = -73.946, df = 769930, p-value < 2.2e-16
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -2.545234 -2.413793
## sample estimates:
## mean of x mean of y
## 30.73805 33.21756</pre>
```

Thus, the age of the victim and the age of the perpetrator differ significantly.

The answer to the fifth question

First, we select the necessary data for analysis.

For cluster analysis, we need variables that do not strongly collate with each other, so we calculate the correlation matrix for the data obtained.

```
# Check the correlation between the variables
cor(data.frame(Age_Victim$vAv, Age_Perpet$pAv, Crime_State$cAv))

## Age_Victim.vAv Age_Perpet.pAv Crime_State.cAv
## Age_Victim.vAv 1.0000000 0.7878831 -0.2144571
## Age_Perpet.pAv 0.7878831 1.0000000 -0.3494318
## Crime_State.cAv -0.2144571 -0.3494318 1.0000000
```

We can see that variables "Age_Victim.vAv" and "Age_Perpet.pAv" have the highest correlation value, therefore we cannot use both of these variables together. We will try to find similar states in the US by the "Age_Victim.vAv" and "Crime_State.cAv" variables since they have the smallest correlation value.

```
# Create a data set
Clust_State <- data.frame(Age_Victim$vAv, Crime_State$cAv)
row.names(Clust_State) <- unique(Crime_State$State)

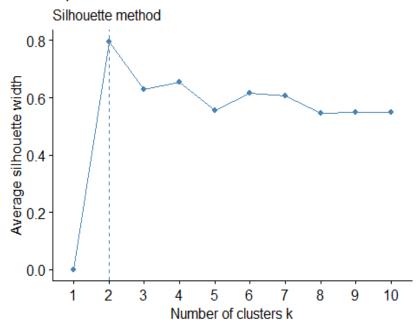
# Compute all the pairwise distances between observations in the data set
Clust_State.dist <- daisy(Clust_State, metric="euclidean")

# Hierarchical cluster analysis on a set of dissimilarities
Clust_State.h <- hclust(Clust_State.dist, method="ward.D")</pre>
```

To find the optimal number of clusters, we use the following function:

```
# Find the optimal number of clusters
fviz_nbclust(Clust_State, kmeans, method = "silhouette") +
  labs(subtitle = "Silhouette method")
```

Optimal number of clusters

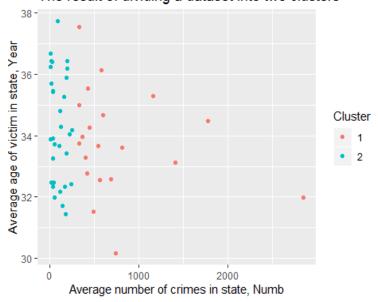


We can see that optimal number of clusters is 2. Divide the available data into two clusters.

```
# The dividing a dataset into two clusters
groups_cl <- cutree(Clust_State.h, k = 2)
Clust_State$groups_cl <- factor(groups_cl)

#Show the result on a graph
ggplot(data = Clust_State, aes(x = Crime_State.cAv , y = Age_Victim.vAv)) +
    geom_point(aes(color = groups_cl)) +
    labs(x = "Average number of crimes in state, Numb", y = "Average age of victim
in state, Year", color = "Cluster", title = "The result of dividing a dataset
into two clusters")</pre>
```

The result of dividing a dataset into two clusters

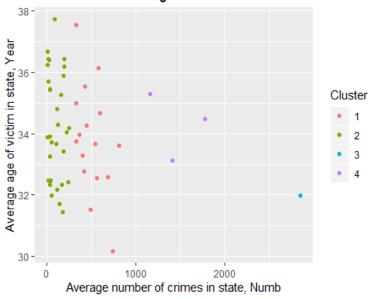


We can see that 4 points of 1 cluster have significant difference: 3 points between 1000 and 2000 of average number of crimes in state and 1 point after a value of 2000. Try to divide dataset into 4 clusters.

```
# The dividing a dataset into four clusters
groups_cl <- cutree(Clust_State.h, k = 4)
Clust_State$groups_cl <- factor(groups_cl)

#Show the result on a graph
ggplot(data = Clust_State, aes(x = Crime_State.cAv , y = Age_Victim.vAv)) +
    geom_point(aes(color = groups_cl)) +
    labs(x = "Average number of crimes in state, Numb", y = "Average age of victim
in state, Year", color = "Cluster", title = "The result of dividing a dataset
into four clusters")</pre>
```

The result of dividing a dataset into four clusters

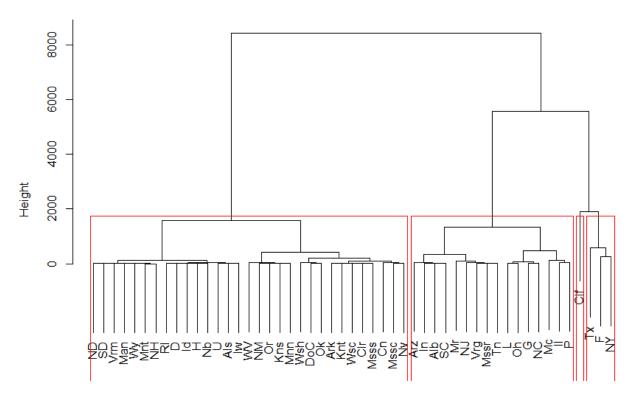


We estimate the resulting clustering using the Kruskal-Wallis test.

```
#Kruskal test for two variables
kruskal.test(Clust_State$Age_Victim.vAv ~ Clust_State$groups_cl)
##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: Clust_State$Age_Victim.vAv by Clust_State$groups_cl
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 2.5772, df = 3, p-value = 0.4615
kruskal.test(Clust_State$Crime_State.cAv ~ Clust_State$groups_cl)
##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: Clust_State$Crime_State.cAv by Clust_State$groups_cl
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 37.231, df = 3, p-value = 4.112e-08
```

We can see that in case of "Crime_State.cAv" p-value close to zero and this means that the distribution of the average number of crimes in each cluster is different. However, in case of "Age_Victim.vAv" the data in the samples are taken from one distribution. Thus, clustering based on the two variables taken was not the best. We construct a dendogram and select 4 obtained clusters on it.

Cluster Dendrogram



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