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Read chapter 3 in book and do:

2-7, 2-8, 2-10, p 26

3-4, p 35

Read chapter 4 in book and do:

3-5, 3-6 p. 35

4-1, 4-5 p. 45

### 2-7

# Problem 2.7

Install the nycflights13 package into R. (You can use the "Packages" tab which has an "install" button. If you are not using RStudio, given the R command install.packages("nycflights13")) Once the package is installed, you can access the flights data table with this command:

data(flights, package="nycflights13")

The codebook is available with help(flights) Using the codebook and examining the data table with the View() command (hint: you'll need to give flights as an argument to View()), answer these questions:

- 1. How many variables are there?
- 2. How many cases are there?
- 3. What is the meaning of a case? ("Meaning" refers to the kind of entity, for instance, "airport" or "airline" or "date". Hint: the case in flights is not any of these things.)
- 4. For each variable, is the variable quantitative or categorical?
- 5. For the variables air\_time and distance, what are the units?

#### Ans:

1 ncol(flights) = 16 so 16 variables

2 nrow(flights) = 336776 so 336776 cases

3 it means a specific flight that has taken place

4 The variables: year: qantitative month: quantitative day: quantitative

dep\_time: quantitative dep-delay: quantitative arr\_time: quantitative arr\_delay: quantitative carrier: qualitative tailnum: qualitative flight: quantitative origin: qualitative dest: qualitative distance: quantitative

hour: quantitative

min: quantitative

5 minute and miles respectively

#### Problem 2.8

Consider this list of some possible mistakes in an assignment operation:

- 1. No assignment operator
- 2. Unmatched quotes in character string
- 3. Improper syntax for function argument
- 4. Invalid object name
- 5. No mistake

For each of the following assignment statements, say what is the mistake.

- a. ralph <- sqrt 10
- b. ralph2 <-- "Hello to you!"
- c. 3ralph <- "Hello to you!"
- d. ralph4 <- "Hello to you!
- e. ralph5 <- date()

a Improper syntax for function argument

b Wrong assignment operator

c Invalid object name

d Unmatched quotes in character string

e No mistake

# Problem 2.10

These questions should be easy to answer if you use the appropriate commands to load, view, or get documentation on the datasets.

- How many variables are there in CountryData?
- What does the variable tfat measure in the NCHS data table? (in package DataComputing)
- How many cases are there in WorldCities?
- What's the third variable in BabyNames?
- What are the codes for the levels of the categorical variable party in the RegisteredVoters data table, and what does each code stand for?

76 variables

tfat mass of trunk fat

23018 cases

count

**DEM LIB REP UNA** 

DEM=Democratic, LIB=Libertarian, REP=Republican, UNA=Unaffiliated

# Problem 3.4

Consider these R expressions. (You don't have to know what the various functions do to solve this problem.)

```
Princes <-
       BabyNames %>%
       filter(name == "Prince") %>%
       group_by(year, sex) %>%
       summarise(yearlyTotal = sum(count))
# Now graph it!
Princes %>%
       ggplot(aes(x = year, y = yearlyTotal)) +
       geom_point(aes(color = sex)) +
       geom_vline(xintercept = 1978)
There are several kinds of named objects in the above expressions.
a. function name
b. data table name
c. variable name
d. name of a named argument
Using the naming convention and position rules, identify what kind of object each of the following name
is used for. That is, assign one of the types (a) through (d) to each name.
1) BabyNames
data table name
2) filter
function name
3) name
variable name
4) ==
function name
2) group_by
function name
6) year
variable name
7) sex
variable name
8) summarise
function name
3) yearlyTotal
variable name
10) sum
function name
11) count
function name
```

4) aes

12) ggplot function name

function name
14) x
name of a named argument
15) y
name of a named argument
16) geom\_point
function name

5) color name of a named argument 18) geom\_vline function name 19) xintercept name of a named argument

### Problem 3.5

There are several small, example data tables in the ggplot2 package. Look at the msleep data table by using the View() function with the name of the object as an argument.

- What is the meaning of the brainwt variable?
- How many cases are there?
- What is the real-world meaning of a case?
- What are the levels of the vore variable?

### Ans:

Weight of brain of this species 83 Documentation and classification of a specific species Carni, herbi, omni, insecti

#### Problem 3.6

The data verb functions all take a data table as their first argument and return a data table as their output. The chaining syntax lets the output of one function become the input to the following function, so you don't have to repeat the name of the data frame. An alternative syntax is to assign the output of one function to a named object, then use the object as the first argument to the next function in the computation.

Each of these statements, but one, will accomplish the same calculation. Identify the statement that does not match the others.

a) BabyNames %>%
group\_by( year, sex ) %>%
summarise( totalBirths=sum(count))
b) group\_by( BabyNames, year, sex) %>%
summarise( totalBirths=sum(count) )
c) group\_by( BabyNames, year, sex ) %>%

summarise( totalBirths=mean(count) )
d) Tmp <- group\_by(BabyNames, year, sex)
summarise( Tmp, totalBirths=sum(count) )</pre>

Ans c

# Problem 4.1

Markdown provides a simple way to produce section headers and sub-headers, italic and bold text, monospaced fonts suitable for computer commands, and even web links. A reference is available in RStudio at the menu Help/Markdown Quick Reference.

For each of the following, say how it will be rendered when the Markdown is rendered to HTML. (Hint: You can figure it out by reading the documentation, or you can put the text into an Rmd document and compile it!)

\*one\* italicised

\*\*two\*\* bold

\* three bullet list form

# Four First level header

`five` monospaced

## Six Second level header

[seven](http://tiny.cc/dcf/index.html)

Problem 4.5

From the RStudio console, load the DataComputing package like this: library(DataComputing) Once this is done, 1. Open a new file using the File/New File/R Markdown . . . menu item. Select "From Template" and then choose the DataComputing simple template. 2. Save the text that appears in the editor tab in a file named Birds.Rmd 3. Compile the Birds.Rmd file to HTML to verify that the template is working. 4. Edit the Birds.Rmd file to include contents that will make the compiled HTML file appear like this:

---

title: "Birds of the World"

```
author: "JJ Audubon"

date: ""

output:

html_document:
    fig_height: 3
    fig_width: 5
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<!-- Don't edit in between this line and the one below -->

```{r include=FALSE}

# Don't delete this chunk if you are using the DataComputing package library(DataComputing)

*Source file*

```{r, results='asis', echo=FALSE}
includeSourceDocuments()

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<!-- Don't edit the material above this line -->
```

There are many species of the birds in the world, from my studio I can see:

- \* Blue Jays
- \* Cardinals
- \* Robins
- \* Crows
- \* Sparrows