Peer-graded Assignment: Course Project 1

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9. All of the R code needed to reproduce the results (numbers, plots, etc.) in the report

1. Code for reading in the dataset and/or processing the data

- Loaded the data from a zip file.

```
activity_dataset <- "repdata_data_activity.zip"
unzip(activity_dataset)
activity <- read.csv("activity.csv")
str(activity)
```

```
## 'data.frame':    17568 obs. of  3 variables:
##  $ steps   : int  NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
##  $ date    : chr  "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" ...
##  $ interval: int  0 5 10 15 20 25 30 35 40 45 ...
```

## 2. Histogram of the total number of steps taken each day

- Dates are character vector, therefore it shoudl be transformed to Date format. Used the lubricate package.
- The next step total number of steps in each day was calculated and assigned to "steps_per_day"
- The total number of steps were used for histogram.

```
library(lubridate)

activity$date <- as.Date(activity$date)
steps_per_day <- aggregate(activity$steps, by=list(activity$date), na.rm=TRUE, sum)

# Assigning column names
colnames(steps_per_day) <- c("date", "total_steps" )
hist(steps_per_day$total_steps, bin=50,breaks = 10,  xlab="Number of steps",ylab="Number of days",  mai
```

Distribution of total steps in each day
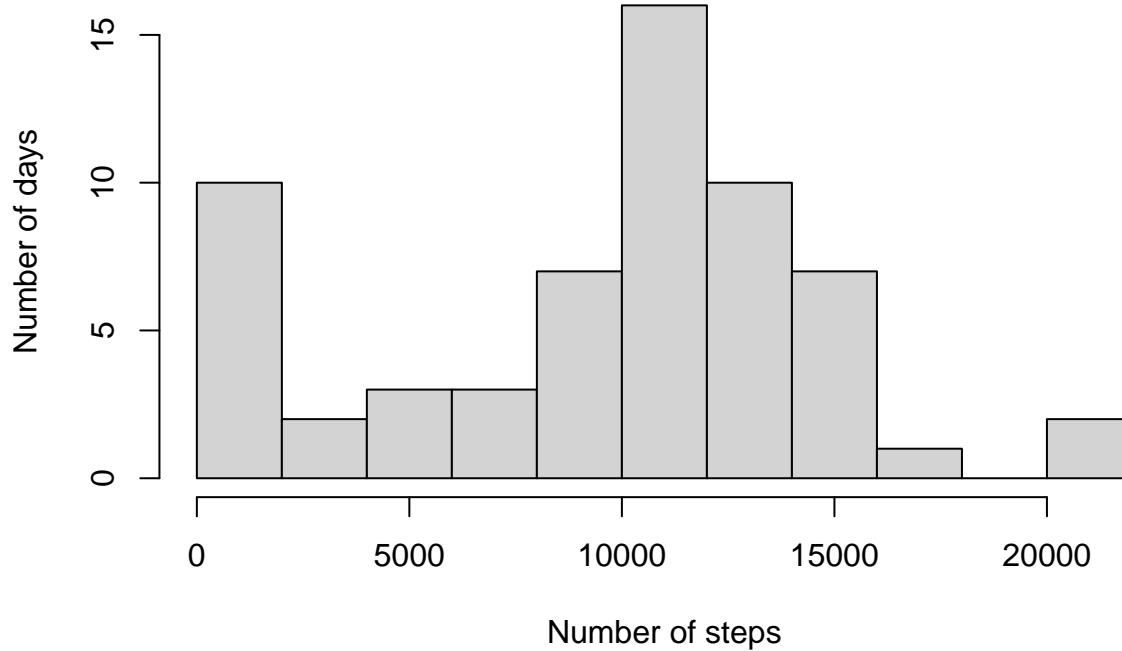
3. Mean and median number of steps taken each day

```r
library(dplyr)
# calculate mean and median
steps_per_day_stat <- activity %>%
    group_by(date) %>%
     summarize_all(funs(mean=mean(steps), median=median(steps)))
daily_steps_stat<- steps_per_day_stat[c("date", "steps_mean", "steps_median")]

knitr::kable(daily_steps_stat[1:6,1:3], format = "markdown")
```

date	steps_mean	steps_median
2012-10-01	NA	NA
2012-10-02	0.43750	0
2012-10-03	39.41667	0
2012-10-04	42.06944	0
2012-10-05	46.15972	0
2012-10-06	53.54167	0

4. Time series plot of the average number of steps taken

You can also embed plots, for example:
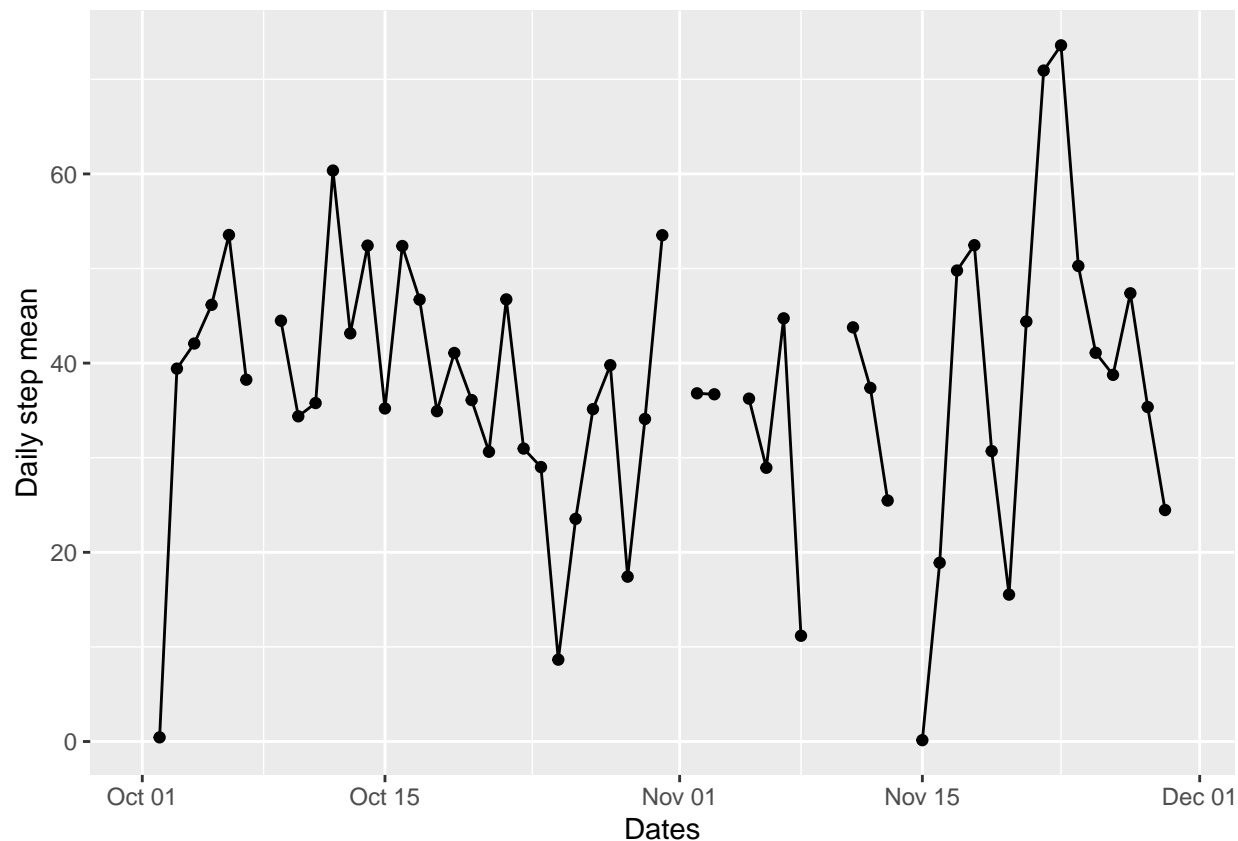
5. The 5-minute interval that, on average, contains the maximum number of steps

```
the_5min_interval <- aggregate(activity$steps, by=list(activity$interval), na.rm=TRUE, mean)
colnames(the_5min_interval) <- c("interval", "average_steps" )
sub<- the_5min_interval[which(the_5min_interval$average_steps == max(the_5min_interval$average_steps)),]
cat("The interval with Max average steps:", sub$interval)
```

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## The interval with Max average steps: 835
```

6. Code to describe and show a strategy for imputing missing data

As I could not find clear pattern in the missing data, replaced all the missing data with the average steps of interval across all days. I used the average of the 5-minute interval data that was calculated in the last step to replace the missing data.

```
n <- 61
the_5min_interval1 <- do.call("rbind", replicate(n, the_5min_interval, simplify = FALSE))

# preserving the original data file
activity2<-activity
idx <- is.na(activity2$steps)
activity2$steps[idx] = the_5min_interval1$average_steps
```

7. Histogram of the total number of steps taken each day after missing values are imputed

```r
steps_per_day_amputdata <- aggregate(activity2$steps, by=list(activity2$date), na.rm=TRUE, sum)

# Assigning column names
colnames(steps_per_day_amputdata) <- c("date", "total_steps" )
hist(steps_per_day_amputdata$total_steps, bin=50,breaks = 10,  xlab="Number of steps",ylab="Number of da
```
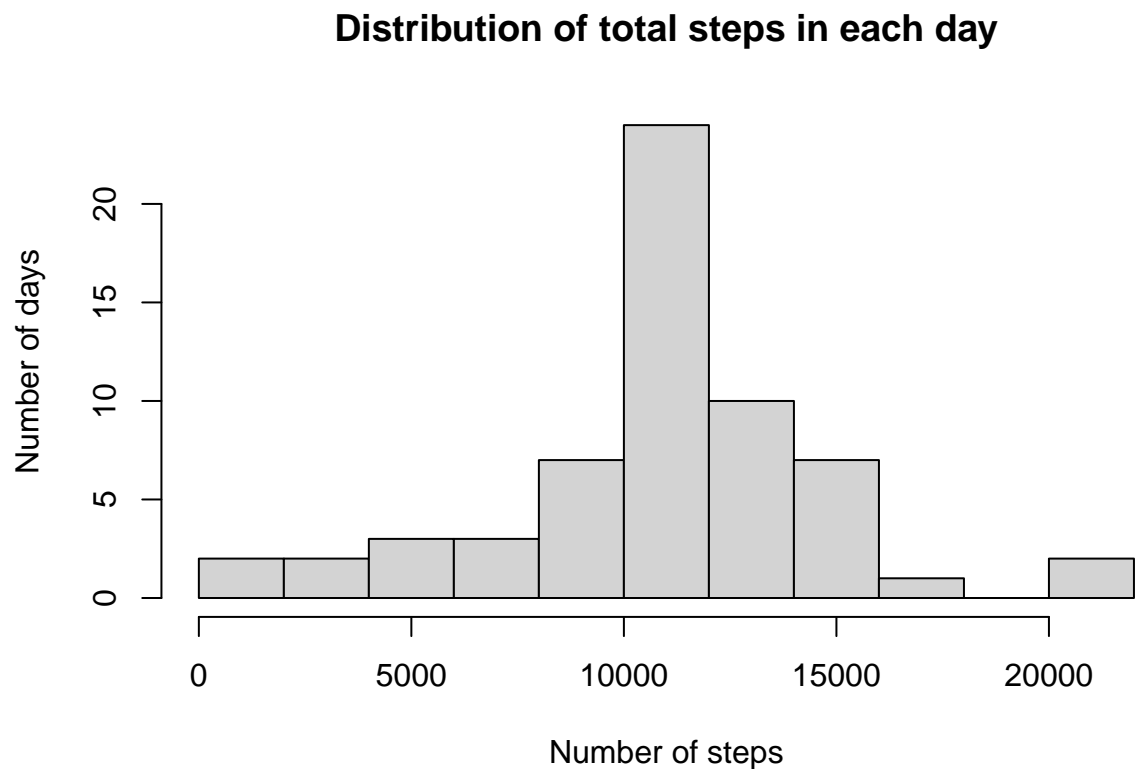
Distribution of total steps in each day

8. Panel plot comparing the average number of steps taken per 5-minute interval across weekdays and weekends

```r
activity3<-activity2
activity3$date <- as.Date(activity3$date)

activity4<-activity3%>%
  mutate(day= ifelse(weekdays(activity3$date)=="Saturday" | weekdays(activity3$date)=="Sunday", "Weekend

daily_pattern<-activity4 %>%
  group_by(day,interval) %>%
  summarize(daily_steps=mean(steps))


library(lattice)
```

```
with(daily_pattern,
     xyplot(daily_steps ~ interval  | day, type = "l", colors="blue", pch=20,
            main = "Activity pattern during weekday vs weekend",
            xlab = "Five minutes daily intervals", ylab = "Average number of steps"))
```

Activity pattern during weekday vs weekend