

Bellabeat

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Smart devices usage info

In this case study, we analyze the data in order to comprehend and understand the most common patterns and behaviors about the bellabeat technology users.

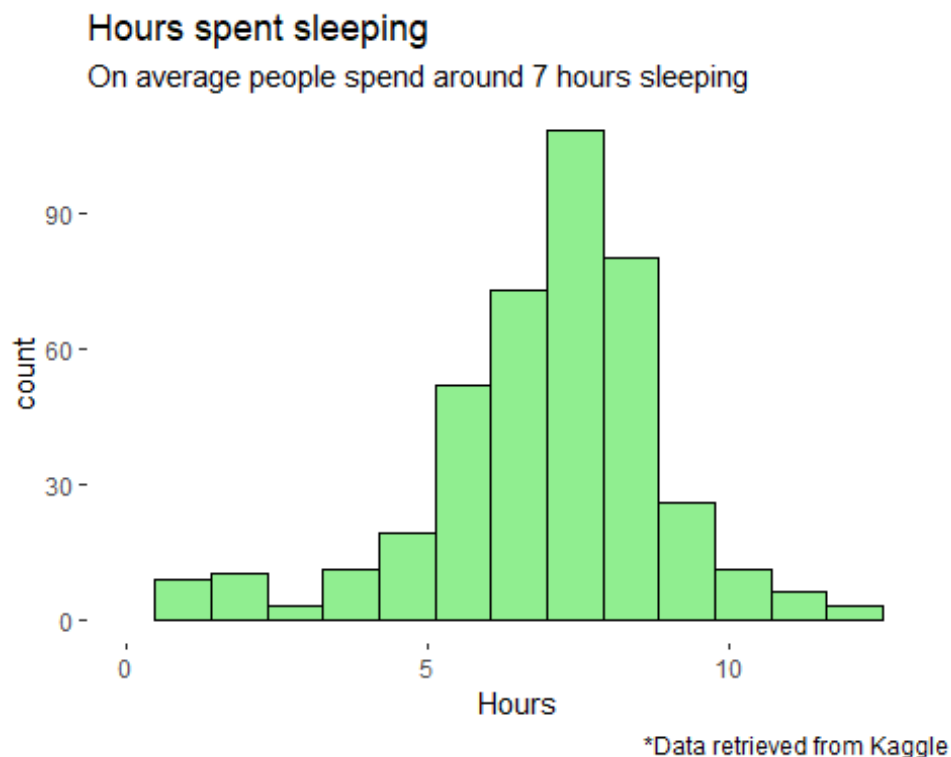
The interval of time analyzed in the present study goes from **April, 04 2016** to **May, 04 2016**.

Overall, we are assuming the normal **8 hours** sleeping time recommended for doctors, and we'll focus primarily on performances based on sleep, body measurements and the effect it has on the users exercising.

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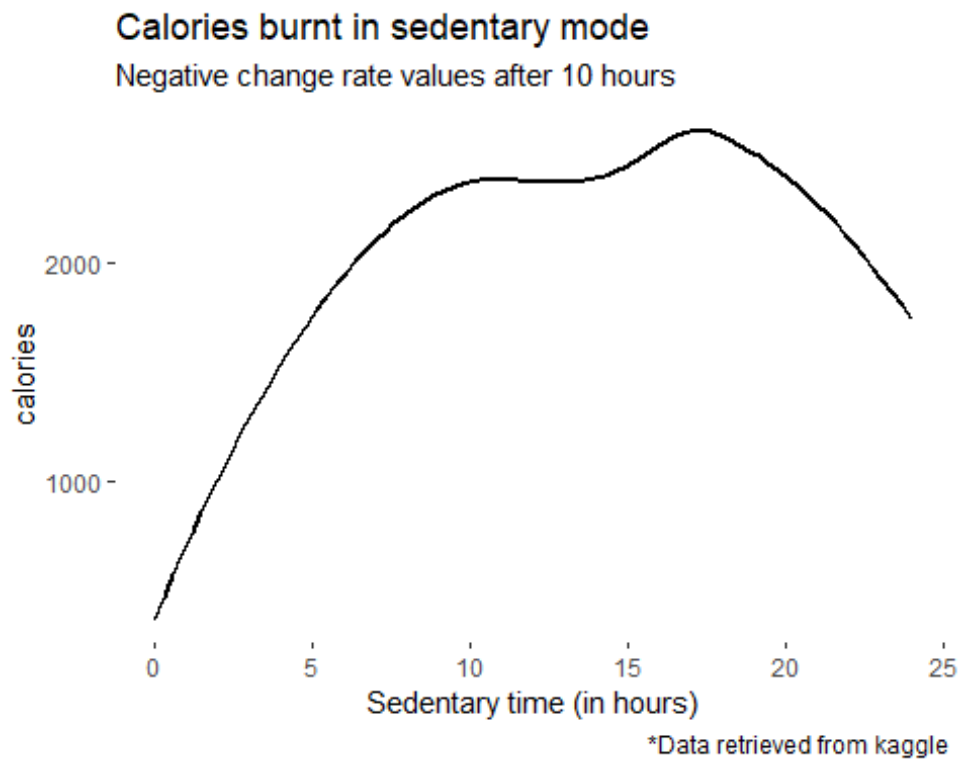
Sleep

According to many of the individuals sleeping data, we found on average a ~7 hours sleeping time. Lacking 1 recommend sleeping hour.



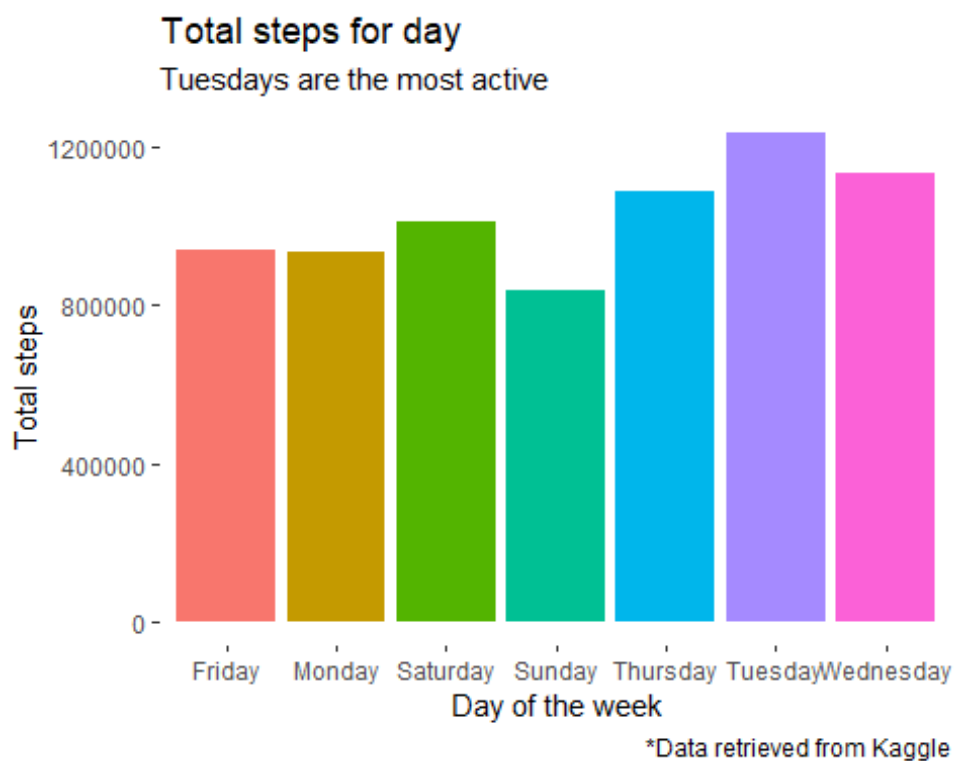
Sleeping is normally a third part of our day and considering people tend to spend at least 1 or 2 hours working out, the rest is spent in a sedentary mode since they are seated for the most part of the day.

Sedentary

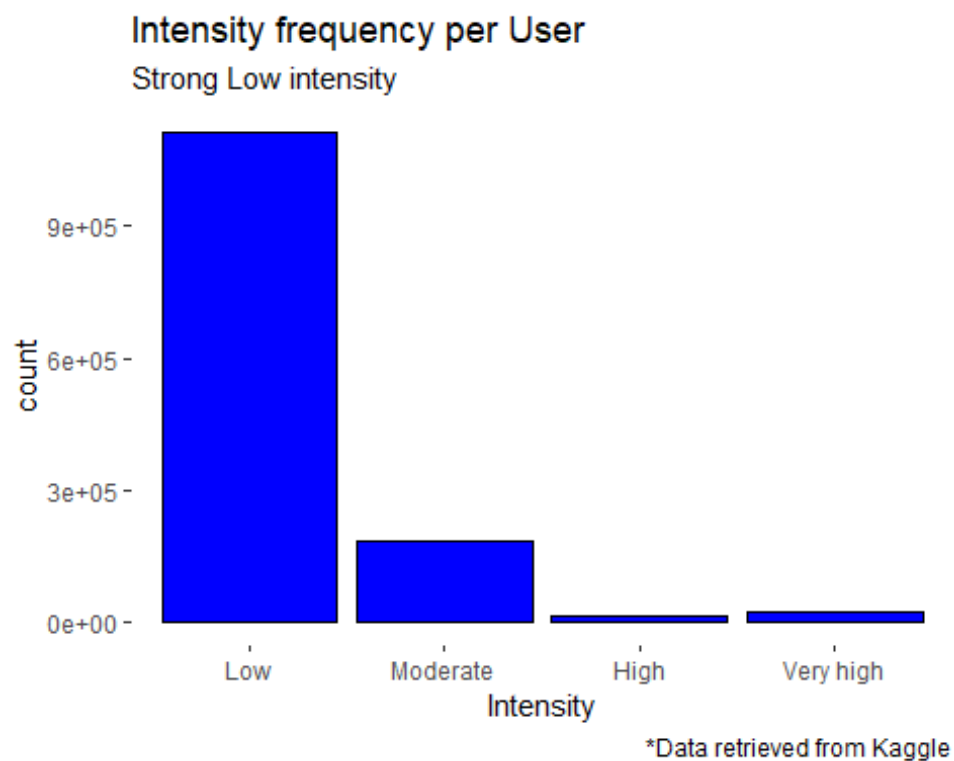


Data shows that even those who are not active most of the time tend to burn calories since humans need energy for most basic activities. However there's a turning point, When you spend more than 10 hours in this state the marginal burning rate becomes closer to 0 and eventually turns negative, at this point exercises could be perfect for keeping the body burning calories.

Days of the week.



Intensity for excercises.



Finally, we need to consider the most active days of the week and the respective intensity level in order to incentive exercises. Sundays, as expected tend to be the ones where people rest and avoid doing any active movements.

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## # A tibble: 8 x 3
##   week_day    Mean Median
##   <chr>      <dbl>  <dbl>
## 1 Friday      77.5     73
## 2 Monday      77.5     73
## 3 Saturday    80.0     77
## 4 Sunday      76.0     72
## 5 Thursday    77.0     73
## 6 Tuesday     77.0     73
## 7 Wednesday   76.5     72
## 8 <NA>        67.7     65
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We find a discrepancy between the heart rates data and the the most active days. This could be caused by many activities that are ranked as low intensity but aren't direct exercises, which helps us understand people's behaviors.

Conclusion:

With the information we have gathered and the stories told by data, we conclude:

- People tend to work out more frequently at middle of the week. **(Perhaps there's a correlation with the exercise and weekend activities and the fact that people might want to look fit)**
- The body burns calories even when people are not exercising. There's a turning point in which calories burned are lower as time passes after approximately 10 hours.
- People tend to increase activities during the week and tend to rest on days like Sundays.

Recommendations:

- The company should promote campaigns for low-intensity exercises that burn the most calories.
- Creation of a sensor for measuring sedentary mode and active mode in order to notify the user to stretch or activate his/her metabolism after 10 hours.
- Finally, create more personal and direct smart devices focused on helping the users based on their body measure and overall weight info.