Knitr

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The three "back ticks" (') must be followed by curly brackets "{", and then "r" to tell the computer that you are using R code. This line is then closed off by another curly bracket "}".

Anything before three more back ticks """ are then considered R code (a script).

If any code in the document has just a backtick 'then nothing, then another backtick, then that word is just printed as if it were code, such as hey.

I'm reading in the bike lanes here.

```
# readin is just a "label" for this code chunk
## code chunk is just a "chunk" of code, where this code usually
## does just one thing, aka a module
### comments are still # here
### you can do all your reading in there
### let's say we loaded some packages
library(stringr)
library(plyr)
library(dplyr)
fname <- "../../data/Bike_Lanes.csv"
bike = read.csv(fname, as.is = TRUE)</pre>
```

You can write your introduction here.

Introduction

Bike lanes are in Baltimore. People like them. Why are they so long?

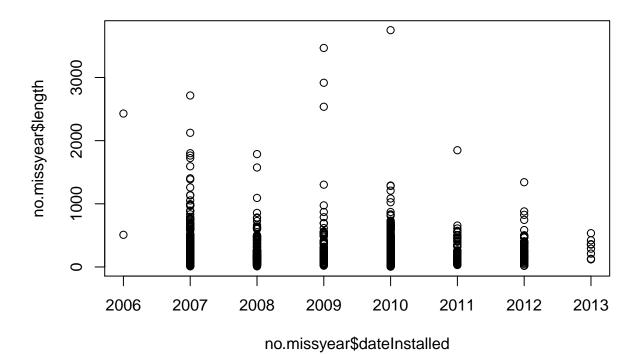
Exploratory Analysis

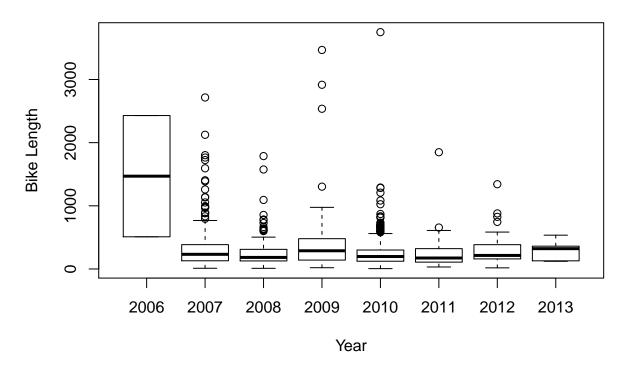
Let's look at some plots of bike length. Let's say we wanted to look at what affects bike length.

Plots of bike length

Note we made the subsection by using three "hashes" (pound signs): ###.

We can turn off R code output by using echo = FALSE on the knitr code chunk. s

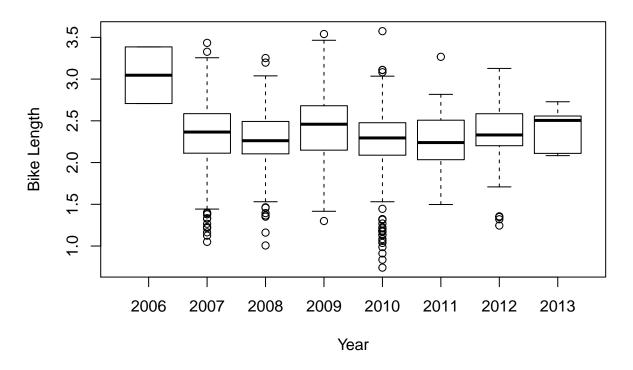




We have a total of 1505 rows.

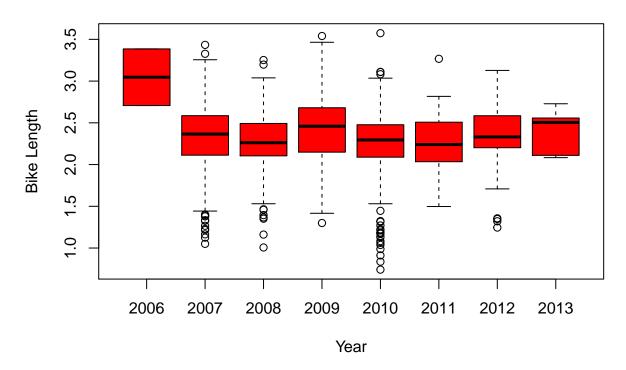
What does it look like if we took the log (base 10) of the bike length:

```
no.missyear$log.length <- log10(no.missyear$length)
### see here that if you specify the data argument, you don't need to do the $
boxplot(log.length ~ dateInstalled, data=no.missyear, main="Boxplots of Bike Lenght by Year", xlab="Year")
```



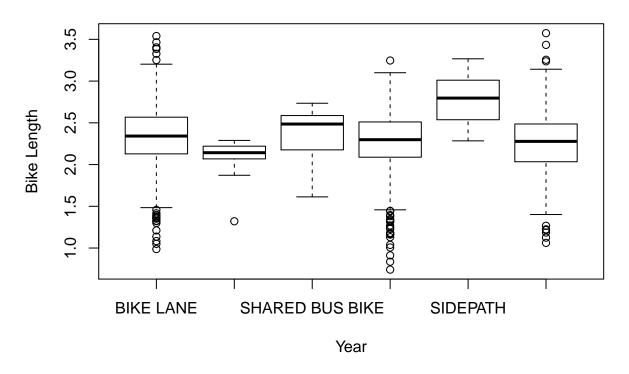
I want my boxplots colored, so I set the col argument.

boxplot(log.length ~ dateInstalled, data=no.missyear, main="Boxplots of Bike Lenght by Year", xlab="Year")



As we can see, 2006 had a much higher bike length. What about for the type of bike path?

```
### type is a character, but when R sees a "character" in a "formula", then it automatically converts i
### a formula is something that has a y ~ x, which says I want to plot y against x
### or if it were a model you would do y ~ x, which meant regress against y
boxplot(log.length ~ type, data=no.missyear, main="Boxplots of Bike Length by Year", xlab="Year", ylab=
```



What if we want to extract means by each type?

Let's show a few ways:

```
### tapply takes in vector 1, then does a function by vector 2, and then you tell what
### that function is
tapply(no.missyear$log.length, no.missyear$type, mean)
```

```
## BIKE LANE CONTRAFLOW SHARED BUS BIKE SHARROW
## 2.330611 2.087246 2.363005 2.256425
## SIDEPATH SIGNED ROUTE
## 2.781829 2.263746
```

```
## aggregate
aggregate(x=no.missyear$log.length, by=list(no.missyear$type), FUN=mean)
```

```
## Group.1 x
## 1 BIKE LANE 2.330611
## 2 CONTRAFLOW 2.087246
## 3 SHARED BUS BIKE 2.363005
## 4 SHARROW 2.256425
## 5 SIDEPATH 2.781829
## 6 SIGNED ROUTE 2.263746
```

```
### now let's specify the data argument and use a "formula" - much easier to read and
## more "intuitive"
aggregate(log.length ~ type, data=no.missyear, FUN=mean)
##
                type log.length
## 1
           BIKE LANE
                       2.330611
## 2
          CONTRAFLOW
                       2.087246
## 3 SHARED BUS BIKE
                       2.363005
## 4
             SHARROW
                       2.256425
## 5
            SIDEPATH
                       2.781829
## 6
        SIGNED ROUTE
                       2.263746
## ddply is from the plyr package
##takes in a data frame, (the first d refers to data.frame)
## splits it up by some variables (let's say type)
## then we'll use summarise to summarize whatever we want
## then returns a data.frame (the second d) - hence why it's ddply
## if we wanted to do it on a "list" thne return data.frame, it'd be ldply
ddply(no.missyear, .(type), plyr::summarise,
      mean=mean(log.length)
##
                type
## 1
           BIKE LANE 2.330611
## 2
          CONTRAFLOW 2.087246
## 3 SHARED BUS BIKE 2.363005
## 4
             SHARROW 2.256425
## 5
            SIDEPATH 2.781829
## 6
        SIGNED ROUTE 2.263746
no.missyear %>% group_by(type) %>%
 dplyr::summarise(mean=mean(log.length))
## Source: local data frame [6 x 2]
##
##
                         mean
                type
##
               (chr)
                         (dbl)
## 1
           BIKE LANE 2.330611
## 2
          CONTRAFLOW 2.087246
## 3 SHARED BUS BIKE 2.363005
## 4
             SHARROW 2.256425
            SIDEPATH 2.781829
## 5
## 6
        SIGNED ROUTE 2.263746
ddply (and other functions in the plyr package) is cool because you can do multiple functions really easy.
```

Let's show a what if we wanted to go over type and dateInstalled:

```
### For going over 2 variables, we need to do it over a "list" of vectors
tapply(no.missyear$log.length,
       list(no.missyear$type, no.missyear$dateInstalled),
       mean)
```

```
##
                        2006
                                 2007
                                           2008
                                                    2009
                                                              2010
                                                                       2011
## BIKE LANE
                   3.046261 2.351256 2.365728 2.381418 2.306994 2.242132
                                                      NA 2.087246
## CONTRAFLOW
                          NA
                                   NA
                                             NA
## SHARED BUS BIKE
                                             NA 2.350759 2.403824
                          NA
                                   NA
                                                                         NA
## SHARROW
                          NA 2.300954 2.220850 2.691814 2.247131
                                                                         NA
## SIDEPATH
                                   NA 2.625486
                                                      NA 2.773850 3.266816
## SIGNED ROUTE
                          NA 2.287593
                                             NA
                                                      NA 2.239475 2.210112
##
                       2012
                                2013
## BIKE LANE
                    2.36151 2.408306
## CONTRAFLOW
                         NA
                                  NA
## SHARED BUS BIKE
                         NA
                                  NA
## SHARROW
                    2.23636
                                  NA
## SIDEPATH
                         NA
                                  NA
## SIGNED ROUTE
                                  NA
                         NA
tapply(no.missyear$log.length,
       list(no.missyear$type, no.missyear$dateInstalled),
       mean, na.rm=TRUE)
##
                        2006
                                 2007
                                           2008
                                                    2009
                                                              2010
                                                                       2011
                   3.046261 2.351256 2.365728 2.381418 2.306994 2.242132
## BIKE LANE
## CONTRAFLOW
                                                      NA 2.087246
                          NA
                                   NA
                                             NA
                                                                         NA
## SHARED BUS BIKE
                          NA
                                   NA
                                             NA 2.350759 2.403824
                                                                         NA
                          NA 2.300954 2.220850 2.691814 2.247131
## SHARROW
                                                                         NA
## SIDEPATH
                          NA
                                   NA 2.625486
                                                      NA 2.773850 3.266816
## SIGNED ROUTE
                          NA 2.287593
                                             NA
                                                      NA 2.239475 2.210112
##
                       2012
                                2013
                    2.36151 2.408306
## BIKE LANE
## CONTRAFLOW
                         NA
                                  NA
## SHARED BUS BIKE
                         NA
                                  NA
## SHARROW
                    2.23636
                                  NA
## SIDEPATH
                                  NA
                         NA
## SIGNED ROUTE
                         NA
                                  NA
## aggregate - looks better
aggregate(log.length ~ type + dateInstalled, data=no.missyear, FUN=mean)
##
                 type dateInstalled log.length
## 1
            BIKE LANE
                                2006
                                       3.046261
## 2
            BIKE LANE
                                2007
                                       2.351256
## 3
              SHARROW
                                2007
                                       2.300954
## 4
         SIGNED ROUTE
                                2007
                                       2.287593
## 5
            BIKE LANE
                                2008
                                       2.365728
## 6
              SHARROW
                                2008
                                       2.220850
## 7
             SIDEPATH
                                2008
                                       2.625486
## 8
            BIKE LANE
                                2009
                                       2.381418
## 9
      SHARED BUS BIKE
                                2009
                                       2.350759
## 10
              SHARROW
                                2009
                                       2.691814
                                       2.306994
## 11
            BIKE LANE
                                2010
## 12
           CONTRAFLOW
                                2010
                                       2.087246
```

2.403824

2.247131

2.773850

2010

2010

2010

13 SHARED BUS BIKE

SHARROW

SIDEPATH

14

15

```
## 16
         SIGNED ROUTE
                               2010
                                    2.239475
                                      2.242132
## 17
           BIKE LANE
                               2011
## 18
                                    3.266816
            SIDEPATH
                               2011
        SIGNED ROUTE
## 19
                               2011
                                      2.210112
## 20
           BIKE LANE
                               2012
                                     2.361510
## 21
                               2012
             SHARROW
                                     2.236360
## 22
           BIKE LANE
                               2013
                                    2.408306
## ddply is from the plyr package
ddply(no.missyear, .(type, dateInstalled), summarise,
     mean=mean(log.length),
      median=median(log.length),
     Mode=mode(log.length),
      Std.Dev=sd(log.length)
```

```
##
                 type dateInstalled
                                                median
                                                          Mode
                                                                  Std.Dev
                                        mean
## 1
            BIKE LANE
                               2006 3.046261 3.046261 numeric 0.47973544
## 2
            BIKE LANE
                               2007 2.351256 2.444042 numeric 0.40662247
                               2008 2.365728 2.354641 numeric 0.38916236
## 3
            BIKE LANE
                               2009 2.381418 2.311393 numeric 0.49447436
## 4
            BIKE LANE
## 5
                               2010 2.306994 2.328486 numeric 0.32075915
            BIKE LANE
                               2011 2.242132 2.235462 numeric 0.33397773
## 6
            BIKE LANE
## 7
            BIKE LANE
                               2012 2.361510 2.323863 numeric 0.28528097
## 8
            BIKE LANE
                               2013 2.408306 2.505012 numeric 0.24040604
## 9
           CONTRAFLOW
                               2010 2.087246 2.142250 numeric 0.25655109
## 10 SHARED BUS BIKE
                               2009 2.350759 2.463997 numeric 0.30609512
## 11 SHARED BUS BIKE
                               2010 2.403824 2.586681 numeric 0.27379952
## 12
                               2007 2.300954 2.363596 numeric 0.42192796
              SHARROW
## 13
              SHARROW
                               2008 2.220850 2.238021 numeric 0.32664161
## 14
              SHARROW
                               2009 2.691814 2.707891 numeric 0.06945133
## 15
              SHARROW
                               2010 2.247131 2.298322 numeric 0.35904709
## 16
              SHARROW
                               2012 2.236360 2.338508 numeric 0.42924259
## 17
             SIDEPATH
                               2008 2.625486 2.786834 numeric 0.29583110
## 18
                               2010 2.773850 2.773850 numeric 0.33479504
             SIDEPATH
## 19
             SIDEPATH
                               2011 3.266816 3.266816 numeric
                               2007 2.287593 2.331816 numeric 0.41825297
## 20
         SIGNED ROUTE
## 21
         SIGNED ROUTE
                               2010 2.239475 2.255658 numeric 0.39200947
## 22
         SIGNED ROUTE
                               2011 2.210112 2.207824 numeric 0.20880213
```

OK let's do an linear model

```
### type is a character, but when R sees a "character" in a "formula", then it automatically converts i
### a formula is something that has a y ~ x, which says I want to plot y against x
### or if it were a model you would do y ~ x, which meant regress against y
mod.type = lm(log.length ~ type, data=no.missyear)
mod.yr = lm(log.length ~ factor(dateInstalled), data=no.missyear)
mod.yrtype = lm(log.length ~ type + factor(dateInstalled), data=no.missyear)
summary(mod.type)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = log.length ~ type, data = no.missyear)
```

```
##
## Residuals:
##
       Min
                  1Q
                      Median
## -1.51498 -0.19062 0.02915 0.23220
                                       1.31021
##
## Coefficients:
                       Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
                                   0.01487 156.703 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
                        2.33061
## typeCONTRAFLOW
                       -0.24337
                                   0.10288 -2.366 0.018127 *
## typeSHARED BUS BIKE 0.03239
                                   0.06062
                                             0.534 0.593194
## typeSHARROW
                       -0.07419
                                   0.02129 -3.484 0.000509 ***
## typeSIDEPATH
                                   0.15058
                                             2.997 0.002775 **
                        0.45122
## typeSIGNED ROUTE
                       -0.06687
                                   0.02726 -2.453 0.014300 *
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 0.367 on 1499 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.01956,
                                    Adjusted R-squared: 0.01629
## F-statistic: 5.98 on 5 and 1499 DF, p-value: 1.74e-05
```

That's rather UGLY, so let's use a package called xtable and then make this model into an xtable object and then print it out nicely.

```
### DON'T DO THIS. YOU SHOULD ALWAYS DO library() statements in the FIRST code chunk.
### this is just to show you the logic of a report/analysis.
require(xtable)
```

Loading required package: xtable

```
# smod <- summary(mod.yr)
xtab <- xtable(mod.yr)</pre>
```

Well **xtable** can make html tables, so let's print this. We must tell R that the results is actually an html output, so we say the results should be embedded in the html "asis" (aka just print out whatever R spits out).

```
print.xtable(xtab, type="html")
```

Estimate

Std. Error

t value

 $\Pr(>|t|)$

(Intercept)

3.0463

0.2600

11.71

0.0000

factor(dateInstalled)2007

0.2608 -2.810.0050 factor(date Installed) 2008-0.78080.2613 -2.990.0029 factor(dateInstalled)2009 -0.6394 0.2631 -2.43 0.0152 factor(dateInstalled)2010 -0.77910.2605 -2.99 0.0028 factor(dateInstalled)2011 -0.80220.2626 -3.050.0023 factor(dateInstalled)2012 -0.71520.2625 -2.720.0065factor(dateInstalled)2013 -0.6380 0.2849 -2.240.0253

-0.7332

OK, that's pretty good, but let's say we have all three models. Another package called stargazer can put models together easily and pritn them out. So xtable is really good when you are trying to print out a table (in html, otherwise make the table and use write.csv to get it in Excel and then format) really quickly and in a report. But it doesn't work so well with *many* models together. So let's use stargazer. Again, you need to use install.packages("stargazer") if you don't have function.

require(stargazer)

```
## Loading required package: stargazer
##
## Please cite as:
##
## Hlavac, Marek (2015). stargazer: Well-Formatted Regression and Summary Statistics Tables.
## R package version 5.2. http://CRAN.R-project.org/package=stargazer
```

OK, so what's the difference here? First off, we said results are "markup", so that it will not try to reformat the output. Also, I didn't want those # for comments, so I just made comment an empty string "".

stargazer(mod.yr, mod.type, mod.yrtype, type="text")

	Dependent variable:			
	(1)	log.length (2)	(3)	
factor(dateInstalled)2007	-0.733*** (0.261)		-0.690*** (0.259)	
factor(dateInstalled)2008	-0.781*** (0.261)		-0.742*** (0.260)	
factor(dateInstalled)2009	-0.639** (0.263)		-0.619** (0.262)	
factor(dateInstalled)2010	-0.779*** (0.260)		-0.736*** (0.259)	
factor(dateInstalled)2011	-0.802*** (0.263)		-0.790*** (0.261)	
factor(dateInstalled)2012	-0.715*** (0.262)		-0.700*** (0.261)	
factor(dateInstalled)2013	-0.638** (0.285)		-0.638** (0.283)	
typeCONTRAFLOW		-0.243** (0.103)	-0.224** (0.103)	
typeSHARED BUS BIKE		0.032 (0.061)	-0.037 (0.069)	
typeSHARROW		-0.074*** (0.021)	-0.064*** (0.023)	
typeSIDEPATH		0.451***	0.483***	

		(0.151)	(0.150)	
typeSIGNED ROUTE		-0.067**	-0.067**	
-		(0.027)	(0.029)	
Constant	3.046***	2.331***	3.046***	
	(0.260)	(0.015)	(0.258)	
		4 505	4 505	
Observations	1,505	1,505	1,505	
R2	0.017	0.020	0.033	
Adjusted R2	0.012	0.016	0.026	
Residual Std. Error	0.368 (df = 1497)	0.367 (df = 1499)	0.365 (df = 1492)	
F Statistic	3.691*** (df = 7; 1497)	5.980*** (df = 5; 1499)	4.285*** (df = 12; 1492)	
Note: *p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01				

If we use

```
stargazer(mod.yr, mod.type, mod.yrtype, type="html")
```

Dependent variable:

 $\log. length$

- (1)
- (2)
- (3)

factor(dateInstalled) 2007

- -0.733***
- -0.690***
- (0.261)
- (0.259)

factor(dateInstalled) 2008

- -0.781***
- -0.742***
- (0.261)
- (0.260)

factor(date Installed) 2009

- -0.639**
- -0.619**
- (0.263)
- (0.262)

factor(date Installed) 2010

-0.779***

-0.736***
(0.260)
(0.259)
factor(date Installed) 2011
-0.802***
-0.790***
(0.263)
(0.261)
factor(date Installed) 2012
-0.715***
-0.700***
(0.262)
(0.261)
factor(date Installed) 2013
-0.638**
-0.638**
(0.285)
(0.283)
${\it type} {\it CONTRAFLOW}$
-0.243**
-0.224**
(0.103)
(0.103)
typeSHARED BUS BIKE
0.032
-0.037
(0.061)
(0.069)
${\rm typeSHARROW}$
-0.074***
-0.064***
(0.021)
(0.023)
typeSIDEPATH
0.451***

0.483***

(0.151)

(0.150)

 ${\it type} {\it SIGNED} \ {\it ROUTE}$

-0.067**

-0.067**

(0.027)

(0.029)

Constant

3.046***

2.331***

3.046***

(0.260)

(0.015)

(0.258)

Observations

1,505

1,505

1,505

R2

0.017

0.020

0.033

Adjusted R2

0.012

0.016

0.026

Residual Std. Error

0.368 (df = 1497)

0.367 (df = 1499)

0.365 (df = 1492)

F Statistic

3.691**** (df = 7; 1497)

5.980*** (df = 5; 1499)

4.285*** (df = 12; 1492)

Note:

p < 0.1; p < 0.05; p < 0.01

Data Extraction

Let's say I want to get data INTO my text. Like there are N number of bike lanes with a date installed that isn't zero. There are 1505 bike lanes with a date installed after 2006. So you use one backtick 'and then you say "r" to tell that it's R code. And then you run R code that gets evaulated and then returns the value. Let's say you want to compute a bunch of things:

```
### let's get number of bike lanes installed by year
n.lanes = ddply(no.missyear, .(dateInstalled), nrow)
names(n.lanes) <- c("date", "nlanes")
n2009 <- n.lanes$nlanes[ n.lanes$date == 2009]
n2010 <- n.lanes$nlanes[ n.lanes$date == 2010]
getwd()</pre>
```

[1] "C:/Users/Andrew/Documents/GitHub/winterR_2016/Knitr/lecture"

Now I can just say there are 86 lanes in 2009 and 625 in 2010.

```
fname <- "../../data/Charm_City_Circulator_Ridership.csv"</pre>
# fname <- file.path(data.dir, "Charm_City_Circulator_Ridership.csv")
## file.path takes a directory and makes a full name with a full file path
charm = read.csv(fname, as.is=TRUE)
library(chron)
##
## Attaching package: 'chron'
##
## The following objects are masked from 'package:lubridate':
##
##
       days, hours, minutes, seconds, years
days = levels(weekdays(1, abbreviate=FALSE))
charm$day <- factor(charm$day, levels=days)</pre>
charm$date <- as.Date(charm$date, format="%m/%d/%Y")
cn <- colnames(charm)</pre>
daily <- charm[, c("day", "date", "daily")]</pre>
charm$daily <- NULL
require(reshape)
```

```
## Loading required package: reshape
##
## Attaching package: 'reshape'
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:tidyr':
##
## expand
##
## The following objects are masked from 'package:plyr':
##
```

```
##
       rename, round_any
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
##
       rename
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:lubridate':
##
##
       stamp
long.charm <- melt(charm, id.vars = c("day", "date"))</pre>
long.charm$type <- "Boardings"</pre>
long.charm$type[ grep1("Alightings", long.charm$variable)] <- "Alightings"</pre>
long.charm$type[ grepl("Average", long.charm$variable)] <- "Average"</pre>
long.charm$line <- "orange"</pre>
long.charm$line[ grepl("purple", long.charm$variable)] <- "purple"</pre>
long.charm$line[ grepl("green", long.charm$variable)] <- "green"</pre>
long.charm$line[ grepl("banner", long.charm$variable)] <- "banner"</pre>
long.charm$variable <- NULL</pre>
long.charm$line <-factor(long.charm$line, levels=c("orange", "purple",</pre>
                                                      "green", "banner"))
head(long.charm)
##
                      date value
                                       type
           day
## 1
        Monday 2010-01-11 877 Boardings orange
       Tuesday 2010-01-12 777 Boardings orange
## 3 Wednesday 2010-01-13 1203 Boardings orange
## 4 Thursday 2010-01-14 1194 Boardings orange
## 5
        Friday 2010-01-15 1645 Boardings orange
## 6 Saturday 2010-01-16 1457 Boardings orange
### NOW R has a column of day, the date, a "value", the type of value and the
```

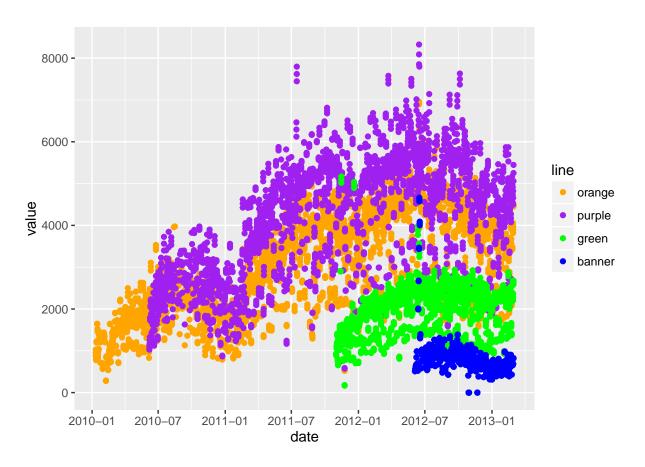
Let's do some plotting now!

circulator line that corresponds to it

```
require(ggplot2)
### let's make a "ggplot"
### the format is ggplot(dataframe, aes(x=COLNAME, y=COLNAME))
### where COLNAME are colnames of the dataframe
### you can also set color to a different factor
### other options in AES (fill, alpha level -which is the "transparency" of points)
g <- ggplot(long.charm, aes(x=date, y=value, color=line))
### let's change the colors to what we want- doing this manually, not letting it choose
### for me
g <- g + scale_color_manual(values=c("orange", "purple", "green", "blue"))
### plotting points
g + geom_point()</pre>
```

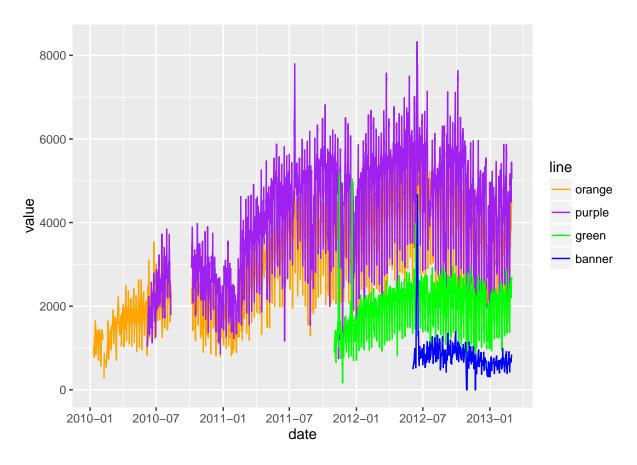
value is now either the Alightings, Boardings, or Average from the charm dataset

Warning: Removed 5328 rows containing missing values (geom_point).



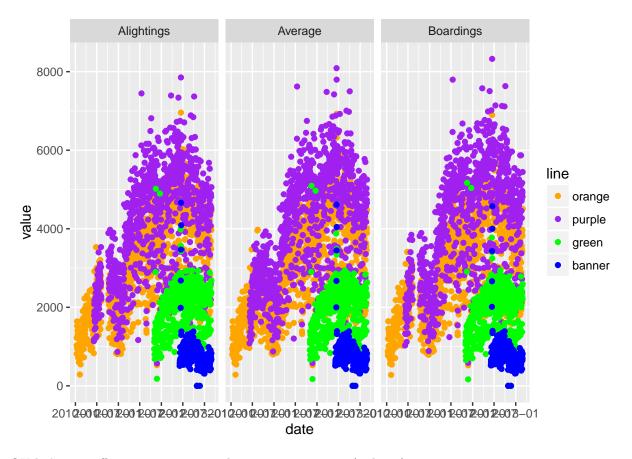
```
### Let's make Lines!
g + geom_line()
```

Warning: Removed 5043 rows containing missing values (geom_path).



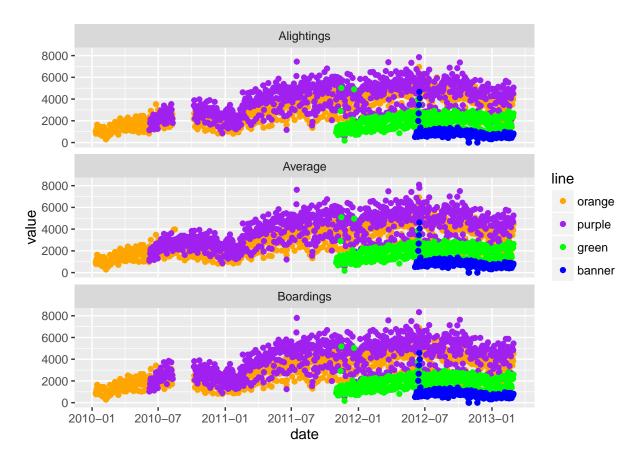
```
### let's make a new plot of poitns
gpoint <- g + geom_point()
### let's plot the value by the type of value - boardings/average, etc
gpoint + facet_wrap(~ type)</pre>
```

Warning: Removed 5328 rows containing missing values (geom_point).



OK let's turn off some warnings - making warning=FALSE (in knitr) as an option.

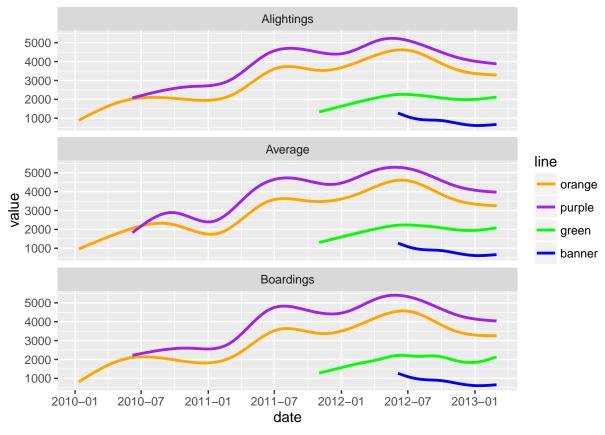
```
## let's compare vertically
gpoint + facet_wrap(~ type, ncol=1)
```

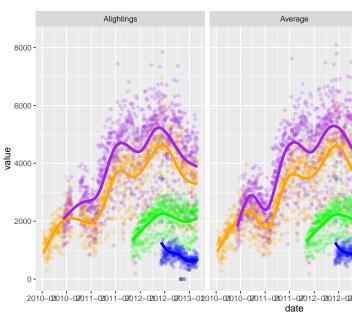


gfacet = g + facet_wrap(~ type, ncol=1)

We can also smooth the data to give us a overall idea of how the average changes over time. I don't want to do a standard error (se).

```
## let's smooth this - get a rough estimate of what's going on
gfacet + geom_smooth(se=FALSE)
```





OK, I've seen enough code, let's turn that off, using echo=FALSE.

There are still messages, but we can turn these off with message = FALSE

