Lead-IQ Data Analysis Report

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Project Setup

In this study, we are interested in the lead-IQ dataset, which is described in detail in the Background/DataInfo.md document.

Let's read in the data first, and take a look at the variables in the dataset.

```
# Read in lead-iq-01.csv
lead_IQ <- read.csv("../DataRaw/lead-iq-01.csv", stringsAsFactors = T)
# Note: Since the report will be generated in the ./Reports folder,
# relative path is used here.

# Print head and tail of the dataset
kable(head(lead_IQ), row.names = T)</pre>
```

	Smelter	IQ
1	Far	70
2	Far	85
3	Far	86
4	Far	76
5	Far	96
6	Far	94

```
kable(tail(lead_IQ), row.names = T)
```

	Smelter	IQ
119	Near	95
120	Near	77
121	Near	74
122	Near	96
123	Near	91
124	Near	78

```
# Check dimensions
dim(lead_IQ)

## [1] 124   2

# Check dataset summary
summary(lead_IQ)
```

```
##
    Smelter
                      ΙQ
##
    Far :67
               {\tt Min.}
                        : 46.00
##
    Near:57
               1st Qu.: 81.50
##
               Median : 91.00
##
               Mean
                        : 98.34
##
               3rd Qu.: 99.25
##
                        :999.00
               Max.
```

Data Correction

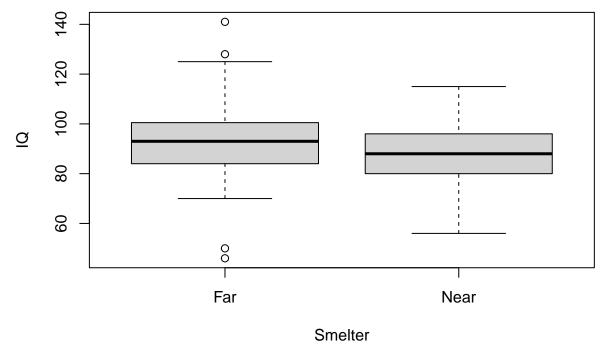
After a brief conversation with the primary investigator, it was identified that one individual who had an IQ value of "999" was in fact supposed to have a value of "99". We need to correct that and save the processed data in the DataProcessed folder.

```
# Change "999" to "99"
lead_IQ$IQ[which(lead_IQ$IQ == 999)] <- 99</pre>
# Check the summary of the current dataset
summary(lead_IQ)
##
    Smelter
                     ΙQ
##
    Far :67
                      : 46.00
              Min.
    Near:57
              1st Qu.: 81.50
              Median : 91.00
##
##
              Mean
                      : 91.08
              3rd Qu.: 99.00
##
                      :141.00
              Max.
# Save the processed data in csv format in the DataProcessed folder
write.csv(lead_IQ, "../DataProcessed/lead-iq-corrected.csv", row.names = F)
```

Boxplot

It will be great to show the IQ levels by location status in a box plot.

```
boxplot(IQ ~ Smelter, data = lead_IQ)
```



As we can see from the figure above, the IQ levels in Group Far are generally higher than those in Group Near, but the IQ levels in Group Far have a wider spread than those in Group Near.

Statistics Summary

- The mean of the IQ is currently 91.08.
- The standard deviation of the IQ is 14.4.
- In Group Near:
 - the mean of the IQ is 89.19;
 - the standard deviation of the IQ is 12.17.
- In Group Far:
 - the mean of the IQ is 92.69;
 - the standard deviation of the IQ is 15.97.