An earlier version of Joe's code, adapted to take advantage of the functions library script

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[1] "Arizona Cardinals"
                                    "Atlanta Falcons"
##
   [3] "Baltimore Colts"
                                    "Baltimore Ravens"
  [5] "Boston Patriots"
                                    "Buffalo Bills"
  [7] "Carolina Panthers"
                                    "Chicago Bears"
                                    "Cleveland Browns"
   [9] "Cincinnati Bengals"
## [11] "Dallas Cowboys"
                                    "Denver Broncos"
                                    "Green Bay Packers"
## [13] "Detroit Lions"
## [15] "Houston Oilers"
                                    "Houston Texans"
                                    "Jacksonville Jaguars"
## [17] "Indianapolis Colts"
## [19] "Kansas City Chiefs"
                                    "Las Vegas Raiders"
## [21] "Los Angeles Chargers"
                                    "Los Angeles Raiders"
## [23] "Los Angeles Rams"
                                    "Miami Dolphins"
## [25] "Minnesota Vikings"
                                    "New England Patriots"
## [27] "New Orleans Saints"
                                    "New York Giants"
## [29] "New York Jets"
                                    "Oakland Raiders"
                                    "Phoenix Cardinals"
## [31] "Philadelphia Eagles"
## [33] "Pittsburgh Steelers"
                                    "San Diego Chargers"
## [35] "San Francisco 49ers"
                                    "Seattle Seahawks"
## [37] "St. Louis Cardinals"
                                    "St. Louis Rams"
## [39] "Tampa Bay Buccaneers"
                                    "Tennessee Oilers"
## [41] "Tennessee Titans"
                                    "Washington Commanders"
## [43] "Washington Football Team" "Washington Redskins"
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```
# remove missing values! just remove all for now
# football_data_filter = football_data[complete.cases(football_data),]
football_data_filter = football_data %>% drop_na(spread_favorite)
sum(is.na(football_data$spread_favorite))
## [1] 2735
# how often is the spread correct (for each team)?
# comment out group_by for overall, otherwise gives each team's breakdown
filter_by_spread('Spread_Correct')
## # A tibble: 43 x 2
##
     team_home
                        Spread_Correct
##
     <chr>
                                 <dbl>
## 1 Arizona Cardinals
                                 1.30
## 2 Atlanta Falcons
                                 1.44
## 3 Baltimore Colts
                                5.26
## 4 Baltimore Ravens
                                4.61
## 5 Buffalo Bills
                                3.67
                                3.12
## 6 Carolina Panthers
## 7 Chicago Bears
                                3.10
                                3.99
## 8 Cincinnati Bengals
## 9 Cleveland Browns
                                 2.80
## 10 Dallas Cowboys
                                 2.18
## # ... with 33 more rows
# how often does favored team outperform spread (for each team)?
# comment out group_by for overall, otherwise gives each team's breakdown
filter_by_spread('Over_Spread')
## # A tibble: 43 x 2
     team_home
##
                        Spread_Correct
##
     <chr>
                                <dbl>
## 1 Arizona Cardinals
                                 1.30
## 2 Atlanta Falcons
                                 1.44
## 3 Baltimore Colts
                                 5.26
## 4 Baltimore Ravens
                                4.61
## 5 Buffalo Bills
                                3.67
                                3.12
## 6 Carolina Panthers
## 7 Chicago Bears
                                3.10
## 8 Cincinnati Bengals
                                3.99
## 9 Cleveland Browns
                                 2.80
## 10 Dallas Cowboys
                                 2.18
## # ... with 33 more rows
# how often does favored team underperform spread (for each team)?
# comment out group_by for overall, otherwise gives each team's breakdown
filter_by_spread('Under_Spread')
```

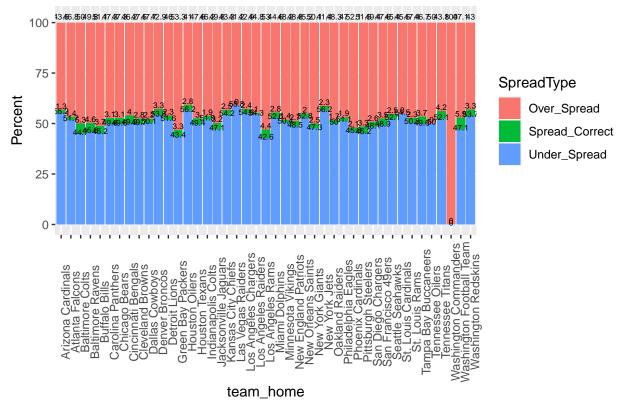
A tibble: 43 x 2

```
Spread_Correct
##
      team home
##
      <chr>
                                  <dbl>
                                   1.30
##
   1 Arizona Cardinals
   2 Atlanta Falcons
                                   1.44
   3 Baltimore Colts
                                   5.26
  4 Baltimore Ravens
                                   4.61
  5 Buffalo Bills
                                   3.67
                                  3.12
## 6 Carolina Panthers
## 7 Chicago Bears
                                   3.10
## 8 Cincinnati Bengals
                                  3.99
## 9 Cleveland Browns
                                  2.80
## 10 Dallas Cowboys
                                   2.18
## # ... with 33 more rows
```

```
# combine all into 1
spread_breakdown <- filter_by_spread_combined(football_data_filter)

# making a plot to visualize the history of spreads
plot_spreadtype(spread_breakdown)</pre>
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Accuracy of Spread Across NFL History for Each NFL Team



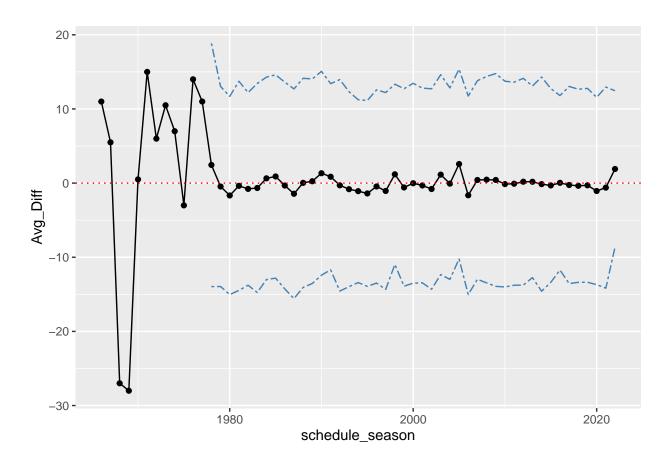
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spread_score_diff_over_time <- view_spread_accuracy(football_data_filter)
spread_score_diff_over_time</pre>
```

A tibble: 57 x 4

##		schedule	_season	Avg_Diff	${\tt SD_Diff}$	Med_Diff
##			<int></int>	<dbl></dbl>	<dbl></dbl>	<dbl></dbl>
##	1		1966	11	NA	11
##	2		1967	5.5	NA	5.5
##	3		1968	-27	NA	-27
##	4		1969	-28	NA	-28
##	5		1970	0.5	NA	0.5
##	6		1971	15	NA	15
##	7		1972	6	NA	6
##	8		1973	10.5	NA	10.5
##	9		1974	7	NA	7
##	10		1975	-3	NA	-3
##	# .	with	47 more	rows		

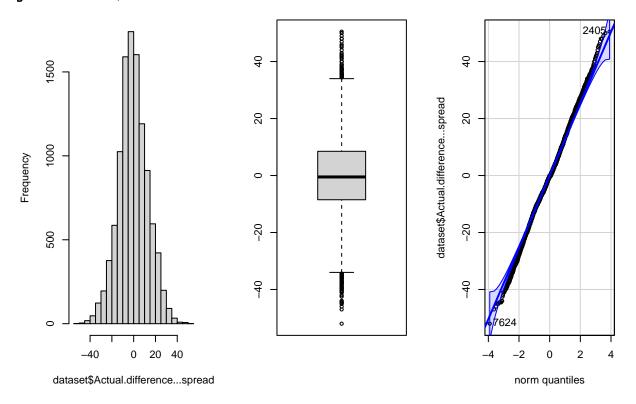
plot_spread_accuracy(spread_score_diff_over_time)

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assess_normality(football_data_filter)

gram of dataset\$Actual.difference



[1] 7624 2405

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# outcome looks normal!
# how important are weather, location, field type, etc to covering the spread? how do
# these predictors differ by team?
# the outcome variable is actual difference - spread
# this variable takes the difference b/w the real game score difference, and
# the predicted difference (spread)
# positive value means favored team outperformed spread, negative means favored
# team underperformed the spread, and 0 means spread was correct
# makes it easier to generate predictions later
{\it\# football\_data\_complete = football\_data\_filter[complete.cases(football\_data\_filter),]}
# mod1 = lmer(`Actual.difference...spread`~ weather_temperature + weather_wind_mph +
                weather_humidity + schedule_season + schedule_week + weather_detail + schedule_playoff
#
#
                stadium_type + stadium_weather_type + stadium_surface + Abs.value.of.spread
#
              + as.numeric(ELEVATION) +
#
                (1/schedule_season) + (schedule_season/team_favorite_id),
#
              data=football_data_complete)
# sum1 = summary(mod1)
# sum1
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# r_sq = r.squaredGLMM(mod1)
#
# # sum1$coefficients
# random_effects = ranef(mod1)
#
# plot(mod1)
#
# library(sjPlot)
# sjPlot::plot_model(mod1)
# sjPlot::tab_model(mod1)
# # sjPlot::plot_residuals(mod1)
# # sjPlot::plot_residuals(mod1)
# # preds = predict(mod1)
# # plot(football_data_complete$Actual.difference...spread, preds)
# summary(lm(football_data_complete$Actual.difference...spread~preds))
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cor(football_data_filter[,c(22,2,12,13,16,17,18)], use = "complete.obs")

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##
                              Actual.difference...spread schedule_season
## Actual.difference...spread
                                             1.00000000
                                                               0.02614983
## schedule_season
                                             0.026149825
                                                               1.00000000
## spread_favorite
                                            -0.023598485
                                                              -0.04627298
## over_under_line
                                            -0.007113234
                                                               0.13971562
## weather_temperature
                                            -0.016519496
                                                               0.03069339
## weather_wind_mph
                                            -0.015238195
                                                              -0.22990594
## weather_humidity
                                            -0.011469718
                                                              -0.08116868
##
                              spread_favorite over_under_line weather_temperature
## Actual.difference...spread
                                 -0.023598485
                                                 -0.007113234
                                                                       -0.01651950
## schedule_season
                                 -0.046272981
                                                  0.139715619
                                                                        0.03069339
## spread_favorite
                                  1.000000000
                                                 -0.046835986
                                                                        0.06115315
## over_under_line
                                 -0.046835986
                                                  1.000000000
                                                                        0.08114199
## weather_temperature
                                  0.061153150
                                                  0.081141988
                                                                        1.00000000
                                                 -0.118451137
                                                                       -0.18882236
## weather_wind_mph
                                 -0.029304444
## weather_humidity
                                 -0.002407822
                                                 -0.067178990
                                                                       -0.02173374
                              weather_wind_mph weather_humidity
## Actual.difference...spread
                                   -0.01523820
                                                   -0.011469718
## schedule season
                                   -0.22990594
                                                   -0.081168681
                                   -0.02930444
                                                   -0.002407822
## spread_favorite
## over under line
                                   -0.11845114
                                                    -0.067178990
## weather_temperature
                                  -0.18882236
                                                   -0.021733741
## weather_wind_mph
                                   1.00000000
                                                     0.034030578
## weather_humidity
                                   0.03403058
                                                     1.00000000
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