STA380 Exercises

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Green Buildings

green rent per sqft is 30.02848

##

non green rent per sqft is 28.44478

The intern says that green buildings cost 27.60 per sqft when the actual cost is 30.03 so there is a 2.43 dollar discrepancy. The intern also says non green buildings cost 25 per sqft when they actually cost 28.58 so there is a 3.58 discrepancy.

the actual difference for the building if it were green is this dollar amount:

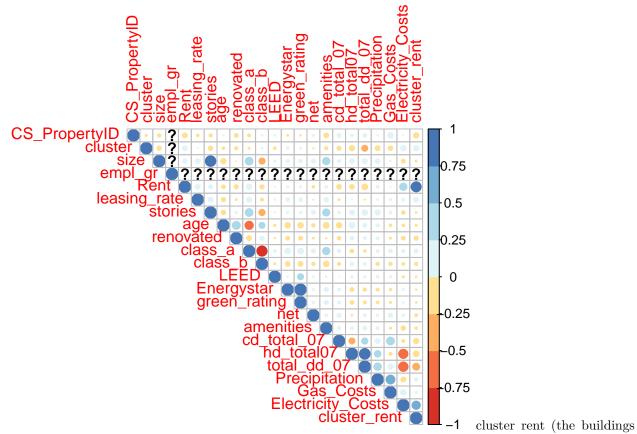
[1] 395925.1

That is \$288337 less than predicted.

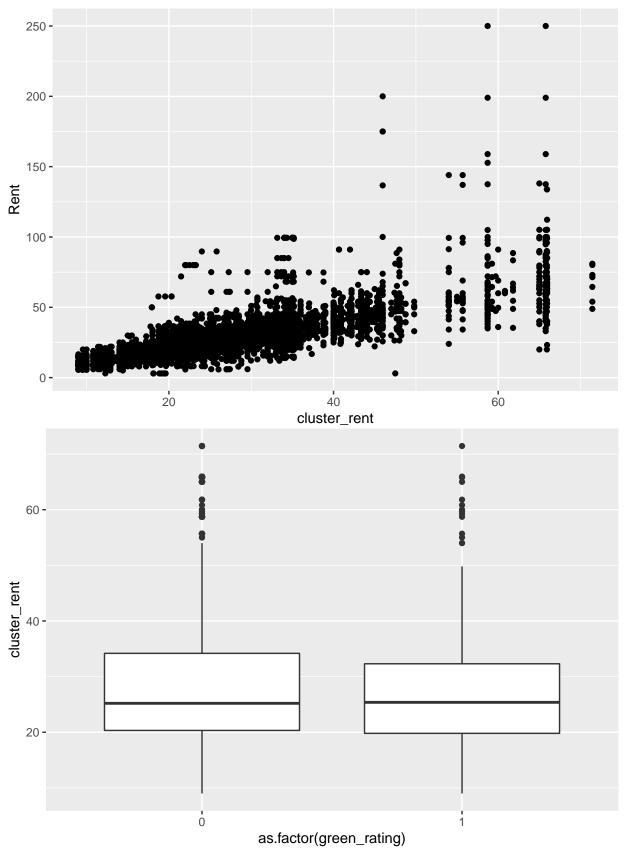
If costs of the building are an extra 5 million to make it green it would actually take this many years to pay off the extra building costs:

[1] 13.82502

Which is over 6 years longer than the analyst projected. After almost 14 years you would then be making \$361663 a year extra over having a green building.

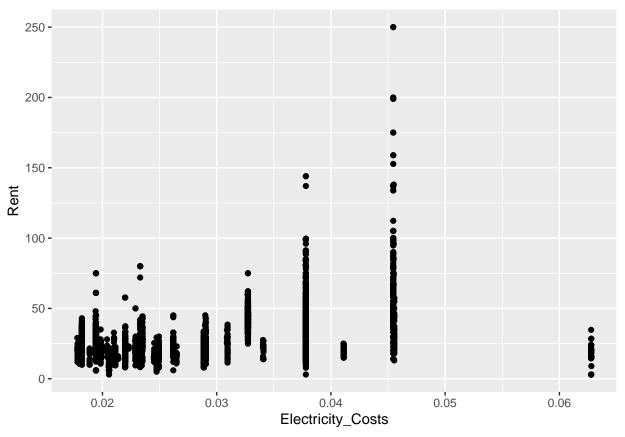


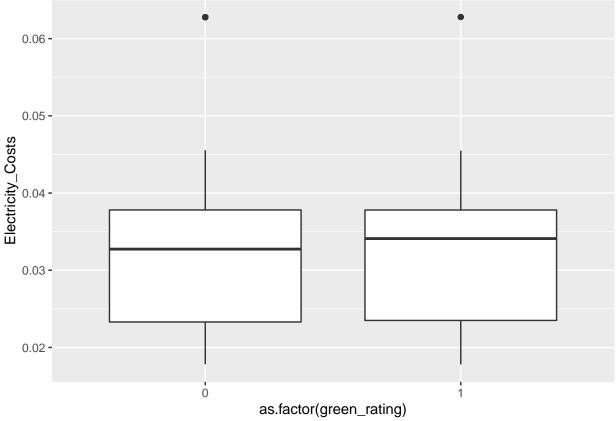
location) has a high impact on Rent electricity cost has high impact on rent



As you increase cluster, rent increases. cluster does not impact green rating. The location of the apartment

(cluster) definitely has an impact on rent price, thus depending on where the apartment is built, rent will change.





Higher electricity costs are generally associated with higher rent. Perhaps electricity is included in places with higher rent and that is why there are higher costs.

ABIA Visualizations

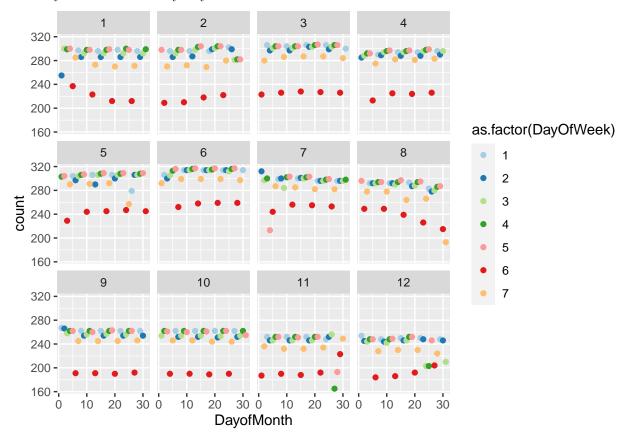
Our goal for these visualizations was to see when Austinites should to travel to reduce weather delays.

Read in ABIA

```
## Rows: 99,260
## Columns: 29
                    <int> 2008, 2008, 2008, 2008, 2008, 2008, 2008, 2008, 2008~
## $ Year
## $ Month
                    ## $ DayofMonth
                    ## $ DayOfWeek
                    ## $ DepTime
                    <int> 120, 555, 600, 601, 601, 636, 646, 650, 650, 654, 71~
## $ CRSDepTime
                    <int> 1935, 600, 600, 605, 600, 645, 655, 700, 650, 700, 7~
## $ ArrTime
                    <int> 309, 826, 728, 727, 654, 934, 735, 841, 1139, 1117, ~
## $ CRSArrTime
                    <int> 2130, 835, 729, 750, 700, 932, 750, 857, 1145, 1133,~
                    <chr> "9E", "AA", "YV", "9E", "AA", "NW", "CO", "XE", "AA"~
## $ UniqueCarrier
## $ FlightNum
                    <int> 5746, 1614, 2883, 5743, 1157, 1674, 340, 541, 1182, ~
                    <chr> "84129E", "N438AA", "N922FJ", "89189E", "N4XAAA", "N~
## $ TailNum
## $ ActualElapsedTime <int> 109, 151, 148, 86, 53, 178, 49, 111, 169, 203, 53, 7~
## $ CRSElapsedTime
                    <int> 115, 155, 149, 105, 60, 167, 55, 117, 175, 213, 60, ~
## $ AirTime
                    <int> 88, 133, 125, 70, 38, 145, 28, 94, 153, 177, 36, 56,~
                    <int> 339, -9, -1, -23, -6, 2, -15, -16, -6, -16, 0, -6, -~
## $ ArrDelay
                    <int> 345, -5, 0, -4, 1, -9, -9, -10, 0, -6, 7, 0, -4, -5,~
## $ DepDelay
                    <chr> "MEM", "AUS", "AUS", "AUS", "AUS", "AUS", "AUS", "MC~
## $ Origin
## $ Dest
                    <chr> "AUS", "ORD", "PHX", "MEM", "DFW", "MSP", "IAH", "AU~
```

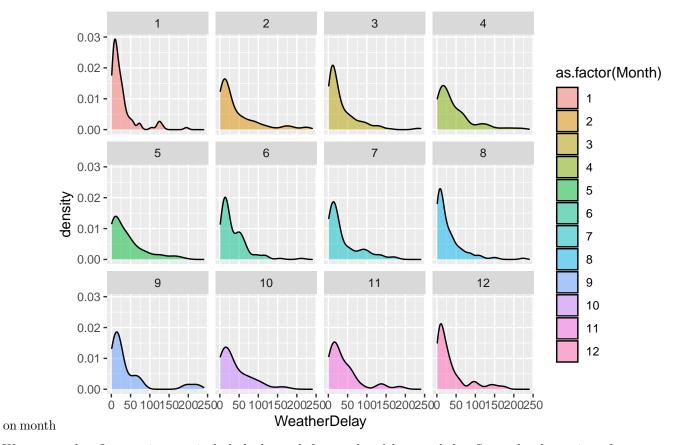
```
## $ Distance
         <int> 559, 978, 872, 559, 190, 1042, 140, 650, 1242, 1522,~
## $ TaxiIn
         <int> 3, 7, 7, 4, 5, 11, 6, 6, 4, 13, 6, 5, 13, 4, 15, 13,~
## $ TaxiOut
         <int> 18, 11, 16, 12, 10, 22, 15, 11, 12, 13, 11, 10, 16, ~
         ## $ Cancelled
         ## $ CancellationCode
 $ Diverted
         ##
 $ CarrierDelay
         $ WeatherDelay
         ##
## $ NASDelay
         ## $ SecurityDelay
```

First we wanted to see the trend for each day of the year so we plotted the count of flights out of AUS, faceted by month and color by Day of Week



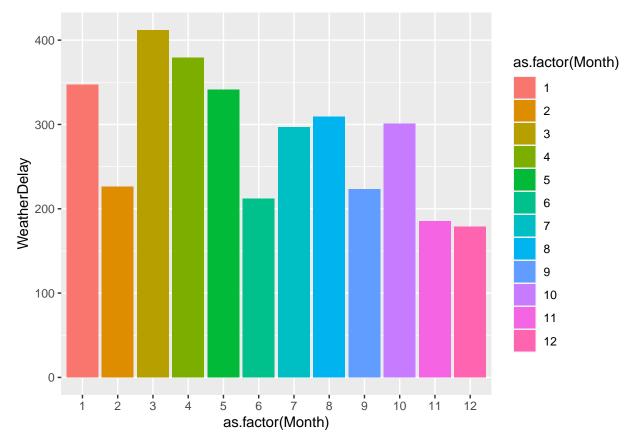
Saturdays generally have much lower numbers of flights. Holidays have much lower number of flights as well (Christmas, Fourth of July, Labor Day Weekend, Thanksgiving).

Then we wanted to explore weather delay trends for the year, so we did a density plot of weather delay, faceting

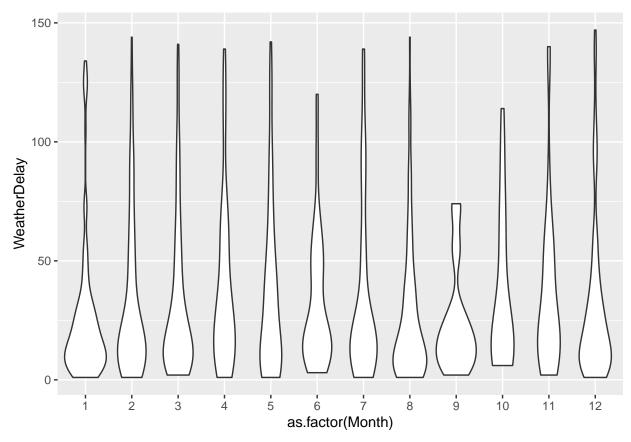


We can see that January is a particularly bad month for weather delays, and that September has quite a few longer weather delays (perhaps specific to that year?).

For a clearer picture, we took the total count of weather delays per month



Here we see that March and April (rainy season) have the highest number of total weather delays. We can see this reflected in the density graph above, with March and April having the largest area under the curve.



This violin plot helps show where the highest number of weather delays are. March and April don't have the widest violins, but the have a large range with lots of delays across the range. January has a large amount of small delays.

If traveling in January, March, or April, plan to have a possible weather delay. If wanting to avoid weather delays, the best time to travel is February, June, September, November, and December.

Portfolio Management

First portfolio - diversified industries including energy, financial, construction, and transportation

```
## [1] "ITB" "OIH" "IYT" "KRE"
```

Adjust for splits and dividends

Portfolio 1 - Randomly selected 5 ETFs in Asia Pacific

```
ClCl.ITBa
                             ClCl.OIHa
##
                                          ClCl.IYTa
                                                         ClCl.KREa
## 2016-01-04
                        NA
                                    NA
                                                 NA
## 2016-01-05
               0.002662609 -0.01722204 0.001212398 -0.0009782588
## 2016-01-06 -0.023141160 -0.04533331 -0.019906071 -0.0122399027
## 2016-01-07 -0.041553398 -0.02913010 -0.030813228 -0.0302353671
## 2016-01-08 -0.022285292 -0.02137278 -0.007330661 -0.0204446455
## 2016-01-11
              0.005801948 -0.02057963 -0.003692398 -0.0020871901
## [1] 114049.6
```

Second portfolio - Health & Biotech ETFs with highest percentage increase based on YTD. This is considered an aggressive portfolio

```
## [1] "BBH" "HELX" "CHNA" "IDNA" "RYH"
```

```
Adjust for splits and dividends
```

All returns as a matrix

total wealth

```
## [1] 113273.5
```

Third portfolio - Mix of mid and large cap growth ETFs

```
## [1] "XMMO" "SCHM" "SFYX" "VTI" "ITOT" "SCHG" "GSLC" "MDYG" "IVOG" "DIA"
```

Adjust for splits and dividends

total wealth

```
## [1] 97285.58
```

```
## Portfolio 1 value at risk 5%: 13169.24
## Portfolio 2 value at risk 5%: 9396.382
## Portfolio 3 value at risk 5%: 10097.12
```

I tried to pick a few different types of portfolios to see the change in VaR. The first portfolio includes ETfs from 4 different industries including transportation, construction, financial, and energy. This diverse portfolio returned the highest 5% value at risk with an expected loss of $\sim 14\%$. Portfolio 2 was the most aggressive portfolio with Health & Biotech ETFs that had the highest percentage increase YTD. This portfolio had the lowest 5% VaR with an expected loss of about $\sim 9.5\%$. The third portfolio included a mix of large and mid cap growth ETFs and returned an expected loss of $\sim 10.5\%$ for the 5% VaR.

Based on these VaR results, we can assume having a very diverse portfolio leads to more risk and having a portfolio with high growth ETFs will minimize risk. Of course, we would have to try out many other portfolios to fully understand high and low risk portfolios.

Author attribution

In order to predict the author of an article on the basis of the article's textual content, we took several steps to clean the data and split it into a training and test set. After all the data cleaning was complete, we created a random forest model. Our data cleaning steps and final conclusions are outlined below.

Data cleaning Outline:

- 1. Read the file information for the training and test set using a readerplain function that allowed us to read the plain text documents in english.
- 2. Created for loops for both the train and test data that separated the strings at "/" and created lists for the author names and file names for both the training and the test set.
- 3. Used a name function to add the names of the authors to the author list and add ".txt" back to each file name in the file name list.
- 4. Created a corpus for both the training and the test set and
- 5. Transformed both corpuses to make everything lowercase, remove numbers, remove punctuation, excess white space, and stopwords.
- 6. Converted the transformed data into a sparse matrix and removed sparse words.
- 7. Converted both the training matrix and test matrix into two new data frames and removed columns that were not common to both the test and the training set. This ensured that all the words in test set also appear in the training set.

Random Forest Modeling:

After the data cleaning and pre-processing were completed, our team had a usable data frame for both the training and test data. We ran a random forest model with 50 trees to predict the accuracy of predicting the

author of an article based on the article's textual context. Our final prediction accuracy was 57.52%.

Accuracy Result

```
## [1] 0.5752
```

We have a 57.53% accuracy using random forests.

Association Rule Mining

First we separated the data out into a format that the code could easily read. Then we put parameters on the data and are only looking at the data that has at more than a confidence of 0.005 and a support of 0.1.

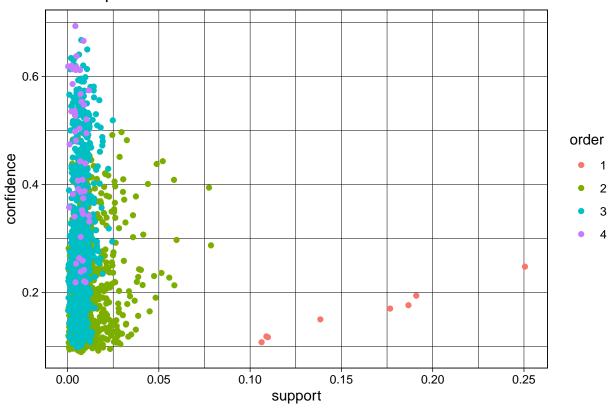
The pertinent information from the summery of this subset from the groceries.txt file is that in all there are 1582 rules.

```
## Apriori
##
## Parameter specification:
##
    confidence minval smax arem aval originalSupport maxtime support minlen
##
           0.1
                  0.1
                          1 none FALSE
                                                   TRUE
                                                                   0.005
##
    maxlen target ext
##
         5 rules TRUE
##
## Algorithmic control:
    filter tree heap memopt load sort verbose
##
##
       0.1 TRUE TRUE FALSE TRUE
                                           TRUE
##
## Absolute minimum support count: 49
##
## set item appearances ...[0 item(s)] done [0.00s].
## set transactions ...[169 item(s), 9835 transaction(s)] done [0.01s].
## sorting and recoding items ... [120 item(s)] done [0.00s].
## creating transaction tree ... done [0.00s].
## checking subsets of size 1 2 3 4 done [0.00s].
## writing ... [1582 rule(s)] done [0.00s].
## creating S4 object ... done [0.01s].
   set of 1582 rules
##
##
  rule length distribution (lhs + rhs):sizes
         2
##
             3
     8 755 771
##
##
##
      Min. 1st Qu.
                    Median
                               Mean 3rd Qu.
                                                Max.
##
     1.000
             2.000
                      3.000
                              2.543
                                      3.000
                                               4.000
##
##
   summary of quality measures:
##
       support
                          confidence
                                                                   lift.
                                             coverage
##
           :0.005084
                        Min.
                               :0.1000
                                                 :0.008134
                                                             Min.
                                                                     :0.4457
##
    1st Qu.:0.005897
                        1st Qu.:0.1454
                                          1st Qu.:0.022979
                                                             1st Qu.:1.4732
##
    Median :0.007321
                        Median :0.2189
                                          Median :0.037112
                                                             Median :1.8174
##
    Mean
           :0.010537
                        Mean
                               :0.2557
                                         Mean
                                                 :0.053306
                                                             Mean
                                                                     :1.9028
##
    3rd Qu.:0.010371
                        3rd Qu.:0.3315
                                          3rd Qu.:0.058058
                                                             3rd Qu.:2.2444
##
           :0.255516
                               :0.7000
                                                 :1.000000
                                                                     :4.6399
    Max.
                        Max.
                                          Max.
                                                             Max.
##
        count
```

```
Min.
           : 50.0
##
    1st Qu.: 58.0
##
    Median :
             72.0
##
    Mean
           : 103.6
##
    3rd Qu.: 102.0
           :2513.0
##
    Max.
##
## mining info:
##
         data ntransactions support confidence
    groceries
                        9835
                               0.005
                                             0.1
```

This is a plots of the rules where the groceries data is grouped off into 4 orders.

Scatter plot for 1582 rules



These are the rules where the support is larger than 0.05.

```
##
        lhs
                               rhs
                                                   support
                                                              confidence coverage
## [1]
                            => {bottled water}
        {}
                                                   0.11052364 0.1105236
                                                                          1.0000000
##
   [2]
        {}
                            => {tropical fruit}
                                                   0.10493137 0.1049314
                                                                          1.0000000
                            => {root vegetables}
  [3]
        {}
                                                   0.10899847 0.1089985
                                                                          1.0000000
   [4]
        {}
                            => {soda}
                                                   0.17437722 0.1743772
                                                                          1.0000000
##
##
   [5]
        {}
                            => {yogurt}
                                                   0.13950178 0.1395018
                                                                          1.0000000
   [6]
        {}
                            => {rolls/buns}
                                                                          1.0000000
##
                                                   0.18393493 0.1839349
##
   [7]
        {}
                            => {other vegetables} 0.19349263 0.1934926
                                                                          1.0000000
                            => {whole milk}
  [8]
        {}
                                                   0.25551601 0.2555160
                                                                          1.0000000
##
##
   [9]
        {yogurt}
                            => {whole milk}
                                                   0.05602440 0.4016035
                                                                          0.1395018
   [10] {whole milk}
                            => {yogurt}
                                                   0.05602440 0.2192598
                                                                          0.2555160
  [11] {rolls/buns}
                            => {whole milk}
                                                   0.05663447 0.3079049
                                                                          0.1839349
## [12] {whole milk}
                            => {rolls/buns}
                                                   0.05663447 0.2216474
                                                                         0.2555160
```

```
## [13] {other vegetables} => {whole milk}
                                                   0.07483477 0.3867578
                                                                          0.1934926
##
  [14] {whole milk}
                            => {other vegetables} 0.07483477 0.2928770 0.2555160
##
        lift
                 count
        1.000000 1087
## [1]
##
   [2]
        1.000000 1032
   [3]
        1.000000 1072
##
##
   [4]
        1.000000 1715
   [5]
##
        1.000000 1372
##
   [6]
        1.000000 1809
   [7]
##
        1.000000 1903
   [8]
        1.000000 2513
                  551
   [9]
        1.571735
##
  [10]
       1.571735
                  551
## [11] 1.205032
                  557
## [12] 1.205032
                  557
## [13] 1.513634
                  736
## [14] 1.513634
                  736
```

You can see from these rules which items are the top 8 grocery items bought on there own. Each item bought at least 1000 times a piece. (There are 9835 entrys in the data).

These are the rules where the confidence is larger than 0.6. While it might look overwhelming due to formatting issues, the reason this is being included is to point out the rhs column.

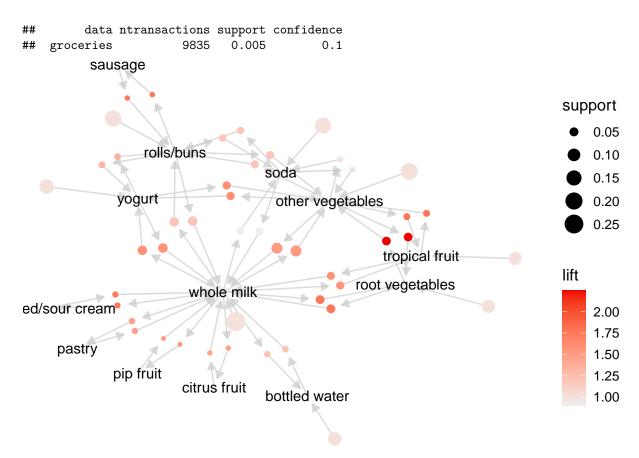
##		lhs		rhs		support	confidence	coverage	lift	count
##	[1]	{onions,								
##		root vegetables}	=>	{other	vegetables}	0.005693950	0.6021505	0.009456024	3.112008	56
##	[2]	{curd,								
##		tropical fruit}	=>	{whole	milk}	0.006507372	0.6336634	0.010269446	2.479936	64
##	[3]	{domestic eggs,								
##		margarine}	=>	{whole	milk}	0.005185562	0.6219512	0.008337570	2.434099	51
##	[4]	{butter,								
##		domestic eggs}	=>	{whole	milk}	0.005998983	0.6210526	0.009659380	2.430582	59
##	[5]	{butter,								
##		whipped/sour cream}	=>	{whole	milk}	0.006710727	0.6600000	0.010167768	2.583008	66
##	[6]	{bottled water,								
##		butter}	=>	{whole	milk}	0.005388917	0.6022727	0.008947636	2.357084	53
##	[7]	{butter,								
##		tropical fruit}	=>	{whole	milk}	0.006202339	0.6224490	0.009964413	2.436047	61
##	[8]	{butter,								
##		root vegetables}	=>	{whole	milk}	0.008235892	0.6377953	0.012913066	2.496107	81
##	[9]	{butter,								
##		yogurt}	=>	{whole	milk}	0.009354347	0.6388889	0.014641586	2.500387	92
	[10]	{domestic eggs,								
##		pip fruit}	=>	{whole	milk}	0.005388917	0.6235294	0.008642603	2.440275	53
	[11]	{domestic eggs,		_	_					
##		tropical fruit}	=>	{whole	milk}	0.006914082	0.6071429	0.011387900	2.376144	68
##	[12]	{pip fruit,		_	_					
##		whipped/sour cream}	=>	{other	vegetables}	0.005592272	0.6043956	0.009252669	3.123610	55
	[13]	{pip fruit,		_	_					
##		whipped/sour cream}	=>	{whole	milk}	0.005998983	0.6483516	0.009252669	2.537421	59
##	[14]	{fruit/vegetable juice,								
##		other vegetables,								
##	F	yogurt}	=>	{whole	milk}	0.005083884	0.6172840	0.008235892	2.415833	50
##	[15]	{other vegetables,								

```
##
        root vegetables,
##
        whipped/sour cream}
                              => {whole milk}
                                                   0.005185562  0.6071429  0.008540925  2.376144
                                                                                               51
## [16] {other vegetables,
##
        pip fruit,
##
        root vegetables}
                              => {whole milk}
                                                   0.005490595
                                                               0.6750000 0.008134215 2.641713
                                                                                               54
## [17] {pip fruit,
        root vegetables,
##
                              => {other vegetables} 0.005490595 0.6136364 0.008947636 3.171368
##
        whole milk}
                                                                                               54
## [18] {other vegetables,
##
        pip fruit,
##
        yogurt}
                              => {whole milk}
                                                   0.005083884
                                                               0.6250000 0.008134215 2.446031
                                                                                               50
## [19] {citrus fruit,
##
        root vegetables,
        whole milk}
                              => {other vegetables} 0.005795628
                                                               0.6333333 0.009150991 3.273165
##
                                                                                               57
## [20] {root vegetables,
##
        tropical fruit,
        yogurt}
                              => {whole milk}
                                                   0.005693950
                                                               0.7000000 0.008134215 2.739554
##
                                                                                               56
  [21] {other vegetables,
##
        tropical fruit,
##
        yogurt}
                              => {whole milk}
                                                   75
## [22] {other vegetables,
##
        root vegetables,
                                                   ##
                              => {whole milk}
                                                                                               77
        yogurt}
```

These rules show how whole milk is bought with just about everything, as well other vegetables are commonly bought with a wide variety of other items.

This first plot is considering all rules where the confidence and the support are greater than 0.03.

```
## set of 46 rules
##
## rule length distribution (lhs + rhs):sizes
##
   1
##
    8 38
##
##
                               Mean 3rd Qu.
      Min. 1st Qu.
                    Median
                                               Max.
##
     1.000
             2.000
                     2.000
                              1.826
                                      2.000
                                              2.000
##
## summary of quality measures:
##
       support
                         confidence
                                           coverage
                                                                lift
           :0.03010
##
   Min.
                      Min.
                              :0.1049
                                        Min.
                                               :0.07168
                                                           Min.
                                                                  :0.8991
##
   1st Qu.:0.03353
                      1st Qu.:0.1671
                                        1st Qu.:0.13950
                                                           1st Qu.:1.0488
  Median :0.04230
                      Median :0.2200
                                        Median :0.19349
                                                           Median :1.4424
##
##
   Mean
           :0.06175
                      Mean
                              :0.2420
                                        Mean
                                                :0.32140
                                                           Mean
                                                                  :1.3938
                                                           3rd Qu.:1.6007
##
    3rd Qu.:0.05648
                      3rd Qu.:0.3112
                                        3rd Qu.:0.25552
##
   Max.
           :0.25552
                      Max.
                              :0.4496
                                        Max.
                                               :1.00000
                                                           Max.
                                                                  :2.2466
##
        count
##
   Min.
           : 296.0
   1st Qu.: 329.8
##
  Median : 416.0
           : 607.3
##
   Mean
   3rd Qu.: 555.5
##
## Max.
           :2513.0
## mining info:
```



Following it up we have this graph used in gephi to break it up into 7 orders (each shown as a different color) and how the grocery items are connected.

This second group of plots is when there is a more stict set of rules on the data. Here the confidence has tp be larger than 0.3 and the support has to be larger than 0.03.

```
## set of 14 rules
##
## rule length distribution (lhs + rhs):sizes
##
    2
## 14
##
##
      Min. 1st Qu.
                     Median
                                Mean 3rd Qu.
                                                  Max.
##
                                            2
                                                     2
##
##
   summary of quality measures:
       support
                                                                    lift
##
                          confidence
                                              coverage
    {\tt Min.}
##
            :0.03010
                       Min.
                               :0.3079
                                                  :0.07168
                                                              Min.
                                                                      :1.205
                                          Min.
    1st Qu.:0.03249
                        1st Qu.:0.3298
                                          1st Qu.:0.09021
##
                                                              1st Qu.:1.475
##
    Median :0.03910
                       Median :0.3802
                                          Median :0.10696
                                                              Median :1.575
##
    Mean
            :0.04260
                        Mean
                               :0.3759
                                          Mean
                                                  :0.11484
                                                              Mean
                                                                      :1.604
##
    3rd Qu.:0.04853
                        3rd Qu.:0.4027
                                          3rd Qu.:0.13226
                                                              3rd Qu.:1.759
##
    Max.
            :0.07483
                       Max.
                               :0.4496
                                          Max.
                                                  :0.19349
                                                              Max.
                                                                      :2.247
##
        count
##
    Min.
            :296.0
##
    1st Qu.:319.5
    Median :384.5
##
##
    Mean
            :419.0
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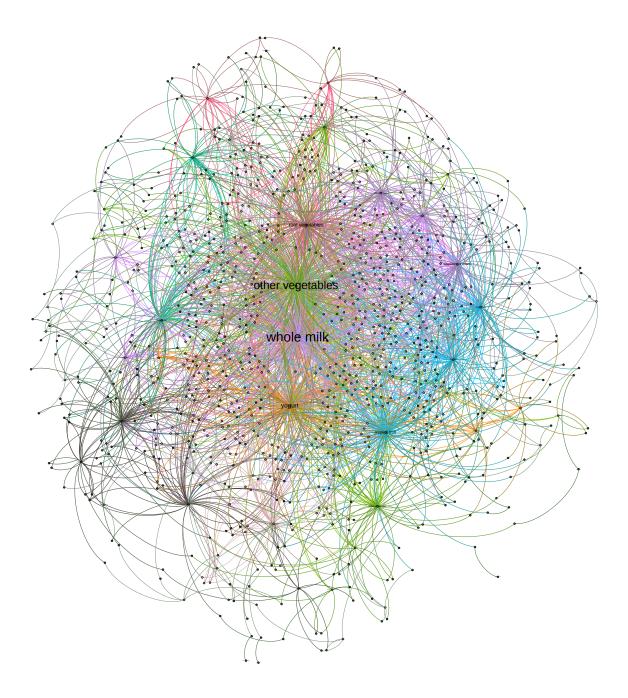
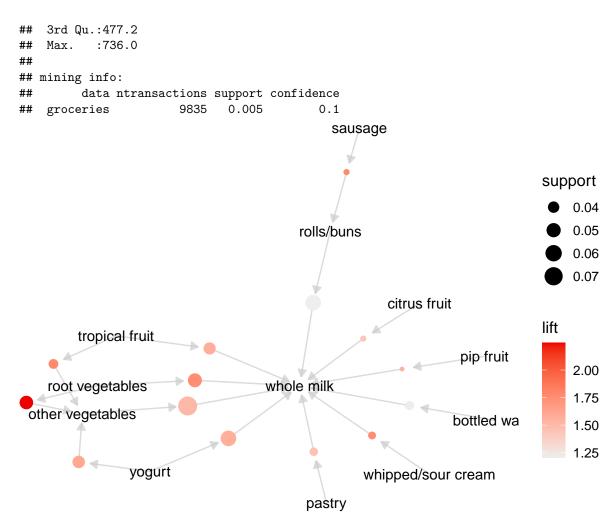


Figure 1: Support > 0.03, Confidence > 0.03



Once again, the following graph created in gephi breaks up the grocery items into 7 orders (each shown as a different color) and how they items are connected to each other.

As we can see this is a much simpler visual of the data and both versions of the plot can help us easily determine certain things. Such as the first shows some of the other items commonly bought with groceries such as pasties, fruit, and bottle water. While in the second plot it is easier to what items are more connected to items in other groups, and how connected things like vegtables and whole milk are to the rest of the information.

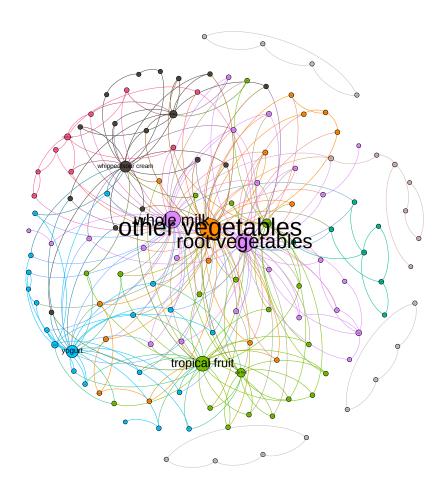


Figure 2: Support > 0.03, Confidence > 0.3