Introduction to R for Statistics & Data Science*

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Introduction to R

Overview

R is a powerful **open-source statistical programming language** software program for advanced data techniques. It allows you to work on:

• statistical analysis

 $^{{\}rm *Diffusion\ Limit\'ee}$



Figure 1:

- machine learning & deep learning
- data visualization.

Commenting and R Environments

Adding Comments to R Code

Comments are meant to help describe the code, and should be used when the purpose of a line of code is unclear. In R, lines beginning with a pound character (#) are each a **comment**. Comments should be clear, concise, and helpful.

Here's an example of some commented R code, which will be explained below.

```
# Describe purpose of computation
amount.per.day <- 10 # amount in euros
result <- 10 * 7 # budget for the week</pre>
```

Interactive R Sessions

An interactive R session can be opened within terminal. To open, type the letter R into your terminal and hit enter, an interactive R session will appear :

Limitation: this environment doesn't provide much of an interface for writing R scripts.

```
datam@P71P12DMCCH:~$ R

R version 3.2.2 (2015-08-14) -- "Fire Safety"
Copyright (C) 2015 The R Foundation for Statistical Computing
Platform: x86_64-pc-linux-gnu (64-bit)

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Tapez 'contributors()' pour plus d'information et
'citation()' pour la façon de le citer dans les publications.

Tapez 'demo()' pour des démonstrations, 'help()' pour l'aide
en ligne ou 'help.start()' pour obtenir l'aide au format HTML.
Tapez 'q()' pour quitter R.
```

Figure 2: screenshot of interactive r session

RStudio

RStudio is an open-source **integraded development environment**(IDE) that provides an informative user-interface for interacting with the R software program (You can download the free version).

The RStudio Interface:

- Script: Text editor for writing your R code.
- Console: A console for entering R commands. This is very similar to your command-line. You can use the up arrow to easily access previously executed lines of code.
- Environment: displays information that you have stored inside of variables.
- Files, Plots, Packages, Help etc.: there are multiple tabs for accessing various information.

Remark: See rstudio-IDE-cheatsheet for detailed information on the IDE.

Creating Variables

In R, variable names can contain any combination of alphanumeric characters, as well as periods (.) or underscores (_) but *cannot* begin with a number, period, or underscore – they are also case sensitive.

When you are declaring a variable in R, you use the assignment operator <- to store information in a variable. For example:

```
# Stores the number 80 into a variable called monthly.transport.fee
monthly.transport.fee <- 80</pre>
```

Type the variable name into the R console and hit enter to see the information stored in a variable:

```
monthly.transport.fee
## [1] 80
```

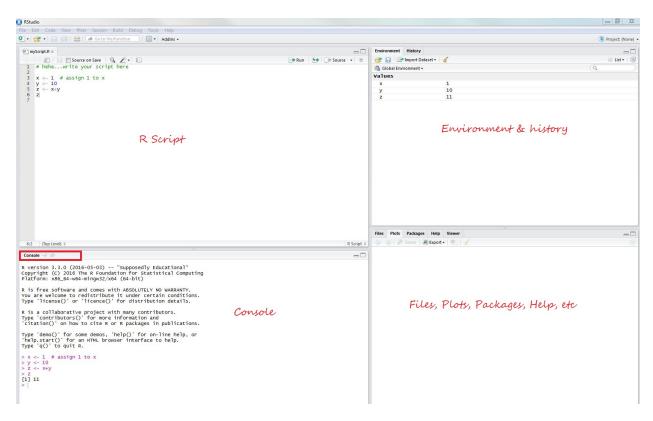


Figure 3: screenshot of labeled RStudio interface

You an also use print function

```
print(monthly.transport.fee)
    ## [1] 80
```

It's also quite easy to use **basic mathematical operators** (+, -, /, *) in your creation of variables. For example, you could create a variable that is the sum of two numbers as follows:

```
x < -10 + 8
```

Other arithmetic operators include:

- Exponentiation: ^: for example 3^2 equals 9.
- Modulo: %: for example 5 modulo 3 or 5 % 3 equals 2.

Workspace

- Use ls() to show contents in the workspace.
- $\bullet~$ Use ${\tt rm}()$ to remove contents in workspace.

```
# Clear the entire workspace
rm(list = ls())

# Create the variables milk, sugar and bread
milk <- 3
sugar <- 7
bread <- 1</pre>
```

```
# Inspect the contents of the workspace again
ls()
```

```
## [1] "bread" "milk" "sugar"
```

Basic Data Types

Basic data types in R:

• Numeric: Numeric data consists of the set of real numbers.

```
x <- 10.23 + 8
```

• Character: Character data stores strings of characters in a variable. Encapsulate the strings in either single (') or double quotes ("):

```
# Create character variable `name.manager` with the value "Guillaume THERY"
name.manager <- "Guillaume THERY"
```

• Boolean: Boolean (logical) data types can only take on two values: TRUE and FALSE.

```
# Test if 3.15 is greater than pi, and store the results in a variable `x` x <-3.15 > pi # returns the boolean value TRUE since `pi=3.141593` x ##[1] TRUE
```

• Complex: Complex numbers are created using the i syntax:

```
complex.variable <- 4+5i # create a complex number with real=4 & imaginary=5
```

• Integer: Create an integer by placing a capital L after an integer value in variable assignment x.integer <- 4L

Package Management and Installation

Packages are used to extend the functionality of R

- Installing packages from CRAN:
 - One-by-one
 install.packages("ggplot2")
 - Group

```
list.of.packages <- c("ggplot2","reshape2","plyr","data.table","dplyr","lubridate")
new.packages <- list.of.packages[!(list.of.packages %in% installed.packages()[,"Package"])]
if(length(new.packages)) install.packages(new.packages)</pre>
```

• Installing from Github:

```
require(devtools)
install_github('ramnathv/rCharts')
```

• To load a package (need to load before using)

```
library("ggplot2")
```

• all.packages <- available.packages() to get the list of all the packages in CRAN

Data Imports, Preparation & Manipulation

Getting Started and Resource

```
?mean # help on a function
help.search('kurtosis') # search help files for a word
help(package = 'ggplot2') # find help in package
search() # to list all of the functions now available to you
getwd() # to get the working directory
setwd() # to change the working directory
```

In getting started with R, RCheatSheet's will be provided as supporting documents to avoid repetitions in this training session. Participants can download such reference cards via RStudio website.

Remark: We will use the **Base R CheatSheet** to learn basic R syntax: Vectors, Matrices, Lists, Data Frames, Functions and etc.

How To Create A Simple Data Frame in R

```
Died.At <-c(22,40,72,41)
Writer.At <-c(16, 18, 36, 36)
First.Name <- I(c("Kevin", "Helen", "Walt", "Janet"))</pre>
Second.Name <- I(c("Doe", "Danse", "Whitman", "Austen"))</pre>
Sex <- c("MALE", "FEMALE", "MALE", "FEMALE")</pre>
Date.Of.Death \leftarrow as.Date(c("2015-05-10", "1949-10-07", "1992-03-26", "1887-07-18"))
writers_df <- data.frame(Died.At, Writer.At, First.Name, Second.Name, Sex, Date.Of.Death)
head(writers_df) # to get the head in the data frame
     Died.At Writer.At First.Name Second.Name
##
                                                  Sex Date.Of.Death
## 1
         22
                    16
                            Kevin
                                          Doe MALE
                                                         2015-05-10
## 2
          40
                    18
                            Helen
                                        Danse FEMALE
                                                         1949-10-07
                             Walt
## 3
          72
                    36
                                      Whitman MALE
                                                         1992-03-26
                    36
                            Janet
                                       Austen FEMALE
                                                         1887-07-18
tail(writers_df) # to get the tail in the data frame
    Died.At Writer.At First.Name Second.Name
##
                                                 Sex Date.Of.Death
## 1
          22
                    16
                            Kevin
                                          Doe
                                                MALE
                                                         2015-05-10
## 2
          40
                    18
                            Helen
                                        Danse FEMALE
                                                        1949-10-07
## 3
          72
                    36
                             Walt
                                      Whitman MALE
                                                        1992-03-26
## 4
                    36
                            Janet
                                       Austen FEMALE
                                                         1887-07-18
Convert column Date.Of.Death as date format:
suppressMessages(library(lubridate))
## Warning: package 'lubridate' was built under R version 3.3.2
writers_df$Date.Of.Death <- ymd(writers_df$Date.Of.Death)</pre>
str(writers_df)
## 'data.frame':
                    4 obs. of 6 variables:
## $ Died.At
                   : num 22 40 72 41
## $ Writer.At
                   : num 16 18 36 36
## $ First.Name
                   :Class 'AsIs' chr [1:4] "Kevin" "Helen" "Walt" "Janet"
```

```
## $ Second.Name :Class 'AsIs' chr [1:4] "Doe" "Danse" "Whitman" "Austen"
## $ Sex
                   : Factor w/ 2 levels "FEMALE", "MALE": 2 1 2 1
## $ Date.Of.Death: Date, format: "2015-05-10" "1949-10-07" ...
What you need to know about Data Frames
We make use of the Airline Dataset. The data comes originally from RITA where it is described in detail.
data <- read.csv("allyears2k.csv") # to read a CSV file into a data frame
names(data) # get names of variables / fields in the data frame
    [1] "Year"
                             "Month"
##
                                                  "DayofMonth"
    [4] "DayOfWeek"
                                                  "CRSDepTime"
##
                             "DepTime"
##
   [7] "ArrTime"
                             "CRSArrTime"
                                                  "UniqueCarrier"
## [10] "FlightNum"
                             "TailNum"
                                                  "ActualElapsedTime"
## [13] "CRSElapsedTime"
                             "AirTime"
                                                  "ArrDelay"
## [16] "DepDelay"
                             "Origin"
                                                  "Dest"
## [19] "Distance"
                             "TaxiIn"
                                                  "TaxiOut"
## [22] "Cancelled"
                             "CancellationCode"
                                                  "Diverted"
## [25] "CarrierDelay"
                             "WeatherDelay"
                                                  "NASDelay"
## [28] "SecurityDelay"
                             "LateAircraftDelay" "IsArrDelayed"
## [31] "IsDepDelayed"
dim(data) # dimension of data frame
## [1] 43978
                31
nrow(data) # to get the number of rows in the data frame
## [1] 43978
ncol(data) # to get the number of columns in the data frame
## [1] 31
head(data,2) # to get the head of 2 rows in the data frame
     Year Month DayofMonth DayOfWeek DepTime CRSDepTime ArrTime CRSArrTime
## 1 1987
             10
                         14
                                    3
                                          741
                                                      730
                                                              912
                                                                          849
## 2 1987
             10
                         15
                                    4
                                          729
                                                      730
                                                              903
                                                                          849
     UniqueCarrier FlightNum TailNum ActualElapsedTime CRSElapsedTime AirTime
##
## 1
                PS
                         1451
                                 <NA>
                                                      91
                                                                      79
                                                                              NA
## 2
                PS
                         1451
                                 <NA>
                                                      94
                                                                      79
                                                                              NA
     ArrDelay DepDelay Origin Dest Distance TaxiIn TaxiOut Cancelled
                                          447
## 1
           23
                    11
                           SAN
                                SFO
                                                  NΑ
                                                          NΑ
                                                                      0
                                          447
## 2
           14
                    -1
                           SAN
                                SFO
                                                  NA
                                                          NA
     CancellationCode Diverted CarrierDelay WeatherDelay NASDelay
## 1
                 <NA>
                              0
                                          NA
                                                        NΑ
## 2
                  <NA>
                              0
                                          NA
                                                                 NA
##
     SecurityDelay LateAircraftDelay IsArrDelayed IsDepDelayed
                                   NA
                                                YES
## 2
                                                YES
                                                              NO
                NΑ
                                   NΑ
tail(data,2) # to get the tail of 2 rows in the data frame
         Year Month DayofMonth DayOfWeek DepTime CRSDepTime ArrTime
```

1652

1057

1625

1030

1750

1154

4

4

43977 2008

43978 2008

1

1

3

3

```
CRSElapsedTime AirTime ArrDelay DepDelay Origin Dest Distance TaxiIn
##
## 43977
                              44
                                       20
                                                 27
                                                       SLC BOI
                                                                      291
                     70
                              46
                                       14
                                                 27
                                                       SLC BOI
                                                                      291
                                                                               2
## 43978
         TaxiOut Cancelled CancellationCode Diverted CarrierDelay
##
## 43977
              10
                          0
## 43978
               9
                          0
                                                     0
                                                                 NA
##
         WeatherDelay NASDelay SecurityDelay LateAircraftDelay IsArrDelayed
## 43977
                    0
                              4
                                            0
                                                              16
                                           NA
                                                              NA
                                                                           YES
## 43978
                   NA
                             NA
##
         IsDepDelayed
## 43977
                  YES
## 43978
                  YES
str(data) # to get structure of the data frame
attributes(data) # to see the data frame attributes
summary(data) # to see data summary
data$Year # to see the column Year...same as data[[1]]
data[1] # to create a new data frame with just column 1
data[1:4] # to create a data frame with first four columns
data[, 1] # to get column 1 listed
data$Year[20] # to get the 20th element in the Year column
tail(data,2) # to get the tail of 2 rows in the data frame
write.csv(data, "mydataname.csv", row.names = FALSE) # save a dataset in csv
  • thus data[,1][47] is then the same as data$Year[47]
  • length(data$IsArrDelayed[is.na(data$IsArrDelayed)]) to find the number of NAs in a given
    column (IsArrDelayed) in a data frame
# to get the mean of the valid numbers in the group
mean(data$Cancelled[!is.na(data$Cancelled)])
```

to get the mean value of Departure Delay where Arrival Delay is > 10 and Day Of Week is Monday mean(subset(data, !is.na(data\$CarrierDelay) & data\$ArrDelay > 10 & data\$DayOfWeek == 1)\$DepDelay)

CRSArrTime UniqueCarrier FlightNum TailNum ActualElapsedTime

WN

WN

1022 N655WN

1041 N474WN

Faster Data Manipulation in R using dplyr

Introduction

[1] 0.02469417

[1] 45.98084

43977

##

43978

1730

1140

- Five basic verbs: filter, select, arrange, mutate, summarise (plus group_by)
- dplyr will mask a few base functions
- The data on Régularité mensuelle TGV depuis septembre 2011. The data can be download from the SNCF Open data platform. Click on download for data.

```
# load packages
suppressMessages(library(dplyr))
```

Warning: package 'dplyr' was built under R version 3.3.2

```
# import data from current working directory (eg data in the folder "opendatasncf")
regularite.mensuelle.tgv <- read.csv("opendatasncf/regularite-mensuelle-tgv.csv",
                                       encoding="UTF-8", sep=";")
# view data
head(regularite.mensuelle.tgv)
##
        Date
                     Axe
                                              Départ
                                                                   Arrivée
## 1 2014-08 Atlantique
                                   ANGERS SAINT LAUD
                                                        PARIS MONTPARNASSE
## 2 2014-08 Atlantique
                                           ANGOULEME
                                                        PARIS MONTPARNASSE
                 Sud-Est
## 3 2014-08
                                              ANNECY
                                                                PARIS LYON
## 4 2014-08
                 Sud-Est
                                         AVIGNON TGV
                                                                PARIS LYON
## 5 2014-08
                 Sud-Est BESANCON FRANCHE COMTE TGV
                                                                PARIS LYON
## 6 2014-08
                    Nord
                                               LILLE MARSEILLE ST CHARLES
     Nombre.de.trains.programmés Nombre.de.trains.ayant.circulé
## 1
                              440
                                                               440
## 2
                              327
                                                               327
## 3
                              124
                                                               124
## 4
                              524
                                                               524
## 5
                              214
                                                               214
## 6
                              124
                                                               124
##
     Nombre.de.trains.annulés Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.à.l.arrivée
## 1
                             0
## 2
                             0
                                                                     31
## 3
                             0
                                                                      5
## 4
                             0
                                                                     89
## 5
                             0
                                                                       9
## 6
                             0
                                                                     13
##
     Régularité
## 1
           95.2
## 2
           90.5
## 3
           96.0
## 4
           83.0
## 5
           95.8
## 6
           89.5
##
## 1
## 2
## 4 En août, la régularité des TGV entre Paris et la Méditerranée a été fortement impactée par 8 accid
## 5
## 6
   • tbl_df creates a "local data frame"
   • Local data frame is simply a wrapper for a data frame that prints nicely
# convert to local data frame
```

suppressMessages(library(lubridate))

regularite <- tbl_df(regularite.mensuelle.tgv)</pre>

rename columns by removing french accents

```
colnames(regularite)<-c("Date","Axe","Depart","Arrivee","Nombre.de.trains.programmes",</pre>
                         "Nombre.de.trains.ayant.circule", "Nombre.de.trains.annules",
                         "Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee", "Regularite", "Commentaires")
# printing only shows 10 rows and as many columns as can fit on your screen
regularite
## # A tibble: 5,900 × 10
##
         Date
                     Axe
                                              Depart
                                                                   Arrivee
##
       <fctr>
                  <fctr>
                                              <fctr>
                                                                    <fctr>
## 1 2014-08 Atlantique
                                   ANGERS SAINT LAUD
                                                      PARIS MONTPARNASSE
## 2 2014-08 Atlantique
                                           ANGOULEME
                                                       PARIS MONTPARNASSE
                 Sud-Est
## 3 2014-08
                                              ANNECY
                                                               PARIS LYON
                                         AVIGNON TGV
## 4 2014-08
                 Sud-Est
                                                               PARIS LYON
## 5 2014-08
                 Sud-Est BESANCON FRANCHE COMTE TGV
                                                               PARIS LYON
## 6 2014-08
                    Nord
                                               LILLE MARSEILLE ST CHARLES
## 7 2014-08
                 Sud-Est
                                     LYON PART DIEU
                                                              MONTPELLIER
## 8 2014-08
                 Sud-Est
                                        MACON LOCHE
                                                               PARIS LYON
## 9 2014-08
                 Sud-Est
                                     MULHOUSE VILLE
                                                               PARIS LYON
## 10 2014-08
                                                                STRASBOURG
                     Est
                                           PARIS EST
## # ... with 5,890 more rows, and 6 more variables:
       Nombre.de.trains.programmes <int>,
## #
       Nombre.de.trains.ayant.circule <int>, Nombre.de.trains.annules <int>,
       Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee <int>, Regularite <dbl>,
## #
       Commentaires <fctr>
# you can change Date in date format
regularite$Date1 <- paste0(regularite$Date, sep='-',01) # add a day part of date
regularite$Date2 <- ymd(regularite$Date1) # date column</pre>
regularite$Year <- year(regularite$Date2)</pre>
regularite$Month <- month(regularite$Date2)</pre>
regularite$Quarters <- quarters(regularite$Date2)</pre>
# you can specify that you want to see more rows
print(regularite, n=20)
# convert to a normal data frame to see all of the columns
data.frame(head(regularite))
```

filter: Keep rows matching criteria

- Base R approach to filtering forces you to repeat the data frame's name
- dplyr approach is simpler to write and read
- Command structure (for all dplyr verbs):
 - first argument is a data frame
 - return value is a data frame
 - nothing is modified in place

```
# base R approach to view all regularite on Quarter 1 and January
regularite[regularite$Quarters=='Q1' & regularite$Month==1, ]
#another method
subset(regularite,regularite$Quarters=='Q1' & regularite$Month==1)
subset(regularite,Quarters=='Q1' & Month==1)
```

```
# dplyr approach
# note: you can use comma or ampersand to represent AND condition
filter(regularite, Quarters=='Q1', Month==1)
## # A tibble: 500 × 15
##
         Date
                  Ave
                                    Depart
                                                               Arrivee
##
       <fctr>
              <fctr>
                                    <fctr>
                                                                <fctr>
## 1
     2015-01
                 Nord
                                     DOUAI
                                                            PARIS NORD
## 2 2015-01 Sud-Est
                               MACON LOCHE
                                                            PARIS LYON
## 3 2015-01 Sud-Est MARSEILLE ST CHARLES
                                                        LYON PART DIEU
## 4 2015-01
                  Est
                                                             PARIS EST
                                     NANCY
## 5 2015-01 Sud-Est
                                NICE VILLE
                                                            PARIS LYON
    2015-01 Sud-Est
                                PARIS LYON BESANCON FRANCHE COMTE TGV
## 7
     2012-01 Sud-Est AIX EN PROVENCE TGV
                                                            PARIS LYON
     2012-01 Sud-Est
                               DIJON VILLE
                                                            PARIS LYON
## 9 2012-01
                 Nord
                                PARIS NORD
                                                                 DOUAI
## 10 2012-01 Sud-Est
                                PARIS LYON
                                                              GRENOBLE
## # ... with 490 more rows, and 11 more variables:
       Nombre.de.trains.programmes <int>,
       Nombre.de.trains.ayant.circule <int>, Nombre.de.trains.annules <int>,
## #
       Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee <int>, Regularite <dbl>,
## #
       Commentaires <fctr>, Date1 <chr>, Date2 <date>, Year <dbl>,
       Month <dbl>, Quarters <chr>
# use pipe for OR condition
filter(regularite, Depart=="LYON PART DIEU" | Depart=="PARIS NORD")
## # A tibble: 531 × 15
##
         Date
                  Axe
                              Depart
                                                   Arrivee
##
       <fctr>
              <fctr>
                              <fctr>
                                                    <fctr>
    2014-08 Sud-Est LYON PART DIEU
                                              MONTPELLIER
## 2 2014-10 Sud-Est LYON PART DIEU MARSEILLE ST CHARLES
## 3 2014-10
                 Nord
                          PARIS NORD
## 4 2014-12
                          PARTS NORD
                                                    DULLAL
                 Nord
## 5 2015-06
                 Nord LYON PART DIEU
                                                    LILLE
## 6 2015-07
                 Nord
                          PARIS NORD
                                                    DOUAI
## 7
     2015-07
                 Nord
                          PARIS NORD
                                                DUNKERQUE
## 8 2015-08 Sud-Est LYON PART DIEU MARSEILLE ST CHARLES
## 9 2015-08
                 Nord
                          PARIS NORD
                                                    DOUAI
## 10 2015-09
                 Nord
                          PARIS NORD
                                                    DOUAI
## # ... with 521 more rows, and 11 more variables:
       Nombre.de.trains.programmes <int>,
       Nombre.de.trains.ayant.circule <int>, Nombre.de.trains.annules <int>,
       Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee <int>, Regularite <dbl>,
## #
## #
       Commentaires <fctr>, Date1 <chr>, Date2 <date>, Year <dbl>,
       Month <dbl>, Quarters <chr>
# you can also use %in% operator
filter(regularite, Depart %in% c("LYON PART DIEU", "PARIS NORD"))
```

select: Pick columns by name

- Base R approach is awkward to type and to read
- dplyr approach uses similar syntax to filter

base R approach to select Depart, Arrivee, and Nombre.de.trains.programmes columns regularite[, c("Depart", "Arrivee", "Nombre.de.trains.programmes")] # dplyr approach select(regularite, Depart, Arrivee, Nombre.de.trains.programmes) ## # A tibble: 5,900 × 3 ## Depart Arrivee ## <fctr> <fctr> ## 1 PARIS MONTPARNASSE ANGERS SAINT LAUD ## 2 ANGOULEME PARIS MONTPARNASSE

3 PARIS LYON ANNECY ## 4 AVIGNON TGV PARIS LYON ## 5 BESANCON FRANCHE COMTE TGV PARIS LYON ## 6 LILLE MARSEILLE ST CHARLES ## 7 LYON PART DIEU MONTPELLIER ## 8 MACON LOCHE PARIS LYON ## 9 MULHOUSE VILLE PARIS LYON ## 10 PARIS EST STRASBOURG ## # ... with 5,890 more rows, and 1 more variables: Nombre.de.trains.programmes <int>

• Like a SELECT in SQL

```
# use colon to select multiple contiguous columns, and use `contains` to match columns by name
# note: `starts_with`, `ends_with`, and `matches` (for regular expressions)
# can also be used to match columns by name
select(regularite, Year:Month, contains("annules"), contains("retard"))
```

```
## # A tibble: 5,900 \times 4
##
       Year Month Nombre.de.trains.annules
      <dbl> <dbl>
##
                                         <int>
## 1
       2014
## 2
       2014
                                              0
                  8
## 3
       2014
                  8
                                              0
       2014
## 4
                                              0
                  8
## 5
       2014
                  8
                                              0
## 6
       2014
                  8
                                              0
## 7
       2014
                  8
                                              0
## 8
       2014
                                              0
                  8
## 9
       2014
                  8
                                              0
## 10 2014
```

... with 5,890 more rows, and 1 more variables: Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee <int>

Chaining Method (%>%: "then" operator)

- Usual way to perform multiple operations in one line is by nesting
- Chaining increases readability significantly when there are many commands

```
# nesting method to select Depart and Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee columns
# and filter for delays over 60 minutes
filter(select(regularite, Depart, Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee),
       Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee > 60)
```

```
# chaining method
regularite %>%
    select(Depart, Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee) %>%
    filter(Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee > 60)
## # A tibble: 662 × 2
##
                    Depart Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee
##
                    <fctr>
## 1
               AVIGNON TGV
                                                                 29
## 2
            LYON PART DIEU
                                                                 75
## 3 MARSEILLE ST CHARLES
                                                                105
## 4
            LYON PART DIEU
                                                                147
## 5
      AIX EN PROVENCE TGV
                                                                 69
## 6
               AVIGNON TGV
                                                                 77
## 7 MARSEILLE ST CHARLES
                                                                155
## 8
                                                                 79
               MONTPELLIER
## 9
       ST PIERRE DES CORPS
                                                                 73
## 10 MARSEILLE ST CHARLES
                                                                 79
## # ... with 652 more rows
  • Operator is automatically imported from the magrittr package
  • Can be used to replace nesting in R commands outside of dplyr
# create two vectors and calculate Euclidian distance between them
a <- 3:7; b <- 1:5
sqrt(sum((a-b)^2))
# chaining method
(a-b)^2 %>% sum() %>% sqrt()
## [1] 4.472136
arrange: Reorder rows
# base R approach to select Depart and Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee columns and sort by
# Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee
regularite[order(regularite$Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee),
           c("Depart", "Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee")]
# dplyr approach
regularite %>%
    select(Depart, Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee) %>%
    arrange(Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee)
## # A tibble: 5,900 \times 2
##
                           Depart Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee
##
                           <fctr>
                                                                    <int>
## 1
                      PARIS LYON
                                                                        0
## 2 SAINT ETIENNE CHATEAUCREUX
                                                                        0
## 3
              PARIS MONTPARNASSE
                                                                        0
## 4 SAINT ETIENNE CHATEAUCREUX
                                                                        0
## 5
                                                                        0
                      PARIS LYON
## 6 SAINT ETIENNE CHATEAUCREUX
                                                                        0
## 7 SAINT ETIENNE CHATEAUCREUX
                                                                        0
## 8
                                                                        0
                      PARIS LYON
```

mutate: Add new variables

• Create new variables that are functions of existing variables

```
# base R approach to create a new variable Non. Regularite (in %)
regularite$Non.Regularite <- 100-regularite$Regularite
regularite[, c("Regularite", "Arrivee", "Non.Regularite")]
# dplyr approach (prints the new variable but does not store it)
regularite %>%
    select(Regularite, Arrivee) %>%
    mutate(Non.Regularite = 100-Regularite)
## # A tibble: 5,900 \times 3
##
      Regularite
                              Arrivee Non.Regularite
##
           <dbl>
                                                <dbl>
                                <fctr>
## 1
            95.2
                  PARIS MONTPARNASSE
                                                  4.8
## 2
            90.5
                   PARIS MONTPARNASSE
                                                  9.5
## 3
            96.0
                                                  4.0
                           PARIS LYON
## 4
            83.0
                           PARIS LYON
                                                 17.0
## 5
                                                  4.2
            95.8
                           PARIS LYON
            89.5 MARSEILLE ST CHARLES
## 6
                                                 10.5
## 7
            81.1
                          MONTPELLIER
                                                 18.9
            86.7
## 8
                                                 13.3
                           PARIS LYON
## 9
            93.4
                           PARIS LYON
                                                  6.6
## 10
            93.6
                                                  6.4
                           STRASBOURG
## # ... with 5,890 more rows
# store the new variable
regularite <- regularite %% mutate(Non.Regularite = 100-Regularite)
```

summarise: Reduce variables to values

- Useful with data that has been grouped by one or more variables
- group_by creates the groups that will be operated on
- summarise uses the provided aggregation function to summarise each group

```
# base R approaches to calculate the average arrival delay to each destination
head(with(regularite, tapply(Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee, Arrivee, mean, na.rm=TRUE)))
head(aggregate(Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee ~ Arrivee, regularite, mean))

# dplyr approach: create a table grouped by Arrivee, and then summarise each group
# by taking the mean of Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee
regularite %>%
    group_by(Arrivee) %>%
    summarise(avg_delay = mean(Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee, na.rm=TRUE))
```

```
## # A tibble: 48 × 2
##
                          Arrivee avg_delay
##
                           <fctr>
                                      <dbl>
## 1
             AIX EN PROVENCE TGV
                                  43.54237
## 2
               ANGERS SAINT LAUD 31.03390
## 3
                        ANGOULEME 23.44068
## 4
                           ANNECY
                                   11.88136
## 5
                                  31.11864
                            ARRAS
## 6
                      AVIGNON TGV
                                   40.94915
## 7
                BELLEGARDE (AIN)
                                   30.47458
## 8
      BESANCON FRANCHE COMTE TGV
                                   15.79661
## 9
                BORDEAUX ST JEAN
                                   50.30508
## 10
                            BREST
                                  11.52542
## # ... with 38 more rows
  • summarise_each allows you to apply the same summary function to multiple columns at once
  • Note: mutate_each is also available
# for each Depart, calculate the mean of Nombre.de.trains.annules or
# Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee
regularite %>%
    group_by(Depart) %>%
    summarise_each(funs(mean), Nombre.de.trains.annules,
                    Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee)
## # A tibble: 48 × 3
##
                           Depart Nombre.de.trains.annules
##
                           <fctr>
                                                      <dbl>
## 1
             AIX EN PROVENCE TGV
                                                  0.2711864
## 2
               ANGERS SAINT LAUD
                                                  2.0508475
## 3
                        ANGOULEME
                                                  2.1525424
## 4
                                                  1.0847458
                           ANNECY
## 5
                            ARRAS
                                                  1.9661017
## 6
                      AVIGNON TGV
                                                  1.9830508
## 7
                BELLEGARDE (AIN)
                                                  0.8135593
      BESANCON FRANCHE COMTE TGV
## 8
                                                  0.7457627
## 9
                BORDEAUX ST JEAN
                                                  3.3050847
                            BREST
## 10
                                                  0.4915254
## # ... with 38 more rows, and 1 more variables:
       Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee <dbl>
# for each Depart, calculate the minimum and maximum arrival delays
regularite %>%
    group_by(Depart) %>%
    summarise_each(funs(min(., na.rm=TRUE), max(., na.rm=TRUE)),
                    matches("Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee"))
## # A tibble: 48 × 3
##
                           Depart
                                    min
                                           max
##
                           <fctr> <int> <int>
## 1
             AIX EN PROVENCE TGV
                                            95
                                      0
## 2
               ANGERS SAINT LAUD
                                     16
                                          115
## 3
                        ANGOULEME
                                     14
                                           102
## 4
                           ANNECY
                                      5
                                            24
## 5
                            ARRAS
                                     19
                                          109
```

```
## 7
                 BELLEGARDE (AIN)
                                       6
                                             84
      BESANCON FRANCHE COMTE TGV
## 8
                                       2
                                             32
## 9
                 BORDEAUX ST JEAN
                                            140
                                      34
## 10
                             BREST
                                       2
                                             29
## # ... with 38 more rows
  • Helper function n() counts the number of rows in a group
  • Helper function n_distinct(vector) counts the number of unique items in that vector
# for each month of the year, count the total number of rows and sort in descending order
regularite %>%
    group_by(Year, Month) %>%
    summarise(row_count = n()) %>%
    arrange(desc(row_count))
## Source: local data frame [59 x 3]
## Groups: Year [6]
##
##
       Year Month row_count
##
      <dbl> <dbl>
                       <int>
## 1
       2011
                 9
                         100
## 2
       2011
                10
                         100
## 3
       2011
                         100
                11
## 4
       2011
                12
                         100
## 5
       2012
                         100
                 1
## 6
       2012
                 2
                         100
## 7
       2012
                 3
                         100
## 8
       2012
                 4
                         100
## 9
       2012
                 5
                         100
## 10 2012
                 6
                         100
## # ... with 49 more rows
# rewrite more simply with the `tally` function
regularite %>%
    group_by(Year, Month) %>%
    tally(sort = TRUE)
## Source: local data frame [59 x 3]
## Groups: Year [6]
##
##
       Year Month
                       n
##
      <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1
       2011
                 9
                     100
## 2
       2011
                     100
                10
## 3
       2011
                11
                     100
## 4
       2011
                12
                     100
## 5
       2012
                 1
                     100
## 6
       2012
                 2
                     100
## 7
       2012
                 3
                     100
## 8
       2012
                 4
                     100
       2012
## 9
                 5
                     100
## 10 2012
                     100
## # ... with 49 more rows
```

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```
# for each Axe, count the total number of distinct destination
regularite %>%
    group_by(Axe) %>%
    summarise(Arrivee_count = n_distinct(Arrivee))
## # A tibble: 4 × 2
```

```
##
             Axe Arrivee_count
##
         <fctr>
                          <int>
## 1 Atlantique
                             18
## 2
            Est
                              8
                              7
## 3
           Nord
## 4
        Sud-Est
                             21
```

Window Functions

- Aggregation function (like mean) takes n inputs and returns 1 value
- Window function takes n inputs and returns n values
 - Includes ranking and ordering functions (like min_rank), offset functions (lead and lag), and cumulative aggregates (like cummean).

```
# for each Departure, calculate which three months of the year they had their
# longest departure delays
# note: smallest (not largest) value is ranked as 1, so you have to
# use `desc` to rank by largest value
regularite %>%
    group_by(Depart) %>%
    select(Quarters, Month, Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee) %>%
    filter(min_rank(desc(Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee)) <= 3) %>%
    arrange(Depart, desc(Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee))
```

Adding missing grouping variables: `Depart`

```
# rewrite more simply with the `top_n` function
regularite %>%
    group_by(Depart) %>%
    select(Quarters, Month, Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee) %>%
    top_n(3) %>%
    arrange(Depart, desc(Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee))
```

```
## Adding missing grouping variables: `Depart`
## Selecting by Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee
## Source: local data frame [151 x 4]
## Groups: Depart [48]
##
##
                   Depart Quarters Month
##
                              <chr> <dbl>
                   <fctr>
## 1 AIX EN PROVENCE TGV
                                 QЗ
                                        7
                                 Q2
                                        5
## 2 AIX EN PROVENCE TGV
## 3 AIX EN PROVENCE TGV
                                 Q4
                                       11
## 4
        ANGERS SAINT LAUD
                                 Q4
                                       11
## 5
        ANGERS SAINT LAUD
                                 QЗ
                                        7
        ANGERS SAINT LAUD
                                       10
## 6
                                 Q4
## 7
                ANGOULEME
                                 Q1
                                       2
## 8
                ANGOULEME
                                 Q4
                                       11
```

```
## 9
                ANGOULEME
                                Q3
## 10
                ANGOULEME.
                                04
                                       10
## # ... with 141 more rows, and 1 more variables:
       Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee <int>
# for each Quarter, calculate the number of observations and the change from the previous Quarter
regularite %>%
    group_by(Quarters) %>%
    summarise(row_count = n()) %>%
   mutate(change = row_count - lag(row_count))
## # A tibble: 4 × 3
##
     Quarters row_count change
##
        <chr>
                  <int>
## 1
                   1500
           Q1
                            NA
## 2
           Q2
                   1500
                             0
## 3
           QЗ
                   1400
                          -100
           Q4
                   1500
                           100
# rewrite more simply with the `tally` function
regularite %>%
    group_by(Quarters) %>%
   tally() %>%
   mutate(change = n - lag(n))
## # A tibble: 4 × 3
##
    Quarters
                  n change
##
        <chr> <int> <int>
## 1
           Q1 1500
                        NA
## 2
           Q2 1500
                         0
## 3
           Q3 1400
                      -100
## 4
           Q4 1500
                       100
```

Some Useful Functions

```
# randomly sample a fixed number of rows, without replacement
regularite %>% sample_n(5)
## # A tibble: 5 × 16
##
       Date
                                        Depart
                                                   Arrivee
##
      <fctr> <fctr>
                                        <fctr>
                                                     <fctr>
## 1 2012-11 Sud-Est CHAMBERY CHALLES LES EAUX PARIS LYON
## 2 2014-02 Sud-Est
                                    NICE VILLE PARIS LYON
## 3 2012-10
                                    STRASBOURG
                                                    NANTES
                 Est
## 4 2016-03
                 Est
                                     PARIS EST
                                                     NANCY
## 5 2012-07 Sud-Est
                                    PARIS LYON AVIGNON TGV
## # ... with 12 more variables: Nombre.de.trains.programmes <int>,
       Nombre.de.trains.ayant.circule <int>, Nombre.de.trains.annules <int>,
## #
       Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee <int>, Regularite <dbl>,
## #
       Commentaires <fctr>, Date1 <chr>, Date2 <date>, Year <dbl>,
## #
       Month <dbl>, Quarters <chr>, Non.Regularite <dbl>
# randomly sample a fraction of rows, with replacement
regularite %>% sample_frac(0.25, replace=TRUE)
```

```
## # A tibble: 1,475 \times 16
##
        Date
                     Axe
                                             Depart
                                                                Arrivee
       <fctr>
##
                 <fctr>
                                             <fctr>
                                                                 <fctr>
## 1 2015-08
                              MARSEILLE ST CHARLES
                   Nord
                                                                  LILLE
                Sud-Est
## 2 2012-05
                                          PERPIGNAN
                                                             PARIS LYON
## 3 2012-05
                              MARSEILLE ST CHARLES
                   Nord
                                                                  I.TI.I.E.
## 4 2012-02
                Sud-Est SAINT ETIENNE CHATEAUCREUX
                                                             PARIS LYON
## 5 2014-10 Atlantique
                                          ANGOULEME PARIS MONTPARNASSE
## 6 2012-02
                Sud-Est
                                              NIMES
                                                             PARIS LYON
## 7 2014-01
                Sud-Est
                                         PARIS LYON AIX EN PROVENCE TGV
## 8 2013-02
                     Est
                                          PARIS EST
                                                                  NANCY
## 9 2013-06
                Sud-Est
                              MARSEILLE ST CHARLES
                                                             PARIS LYON
## 10 2013-08
                Sud-Est
                                             ANNECY
                                                             PARIS LYON
## # ... with 1,465 more rows, and 12 more variables:
      Nombre.de.trains.programmes <int>,
## #
      Nombre.de.trains.ayant.circule <int>, Nombre.de.trains.annules <int>,
      Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee <int>, Regularite <dbl>,
## #
## #
      Commentaires <fctr>, Date1 <chr>, Date2 <date>, Year <dbl>,
      Month <dbl>, Quarters <chr>, Non.Regularite <dbl>
# base R approach to view the structure of an object
str(regularite)
## Classes 'tbl_df', 'tbl' and 'data.frame':
                                               5900 obs. of 16 variables:
## $ Date
                                            : Factor w/ 59 levels "2011-09", "2011-10", ...: 36 36 36 36 3
## $ Axe
                                            : Factor w/ 4 levels "Atlantique", "Est", ...: 1 1 4 4 4 3 4 4
                                            : Factor w/ 48 levels "AIX EN PROVENCE TGV",...: 2 3 4 6 8 2
## $ Depart
                                            : Factor w/ 48 levels "AIX EN PROVENCE TGV",..: 33 33 32 32
## $ Arrivee
## $ Nombre.de.trains.programmes
                                            : int 440 327 124 524 214 124 397 188 318 440 ...
## $ Nombre.de.trains.ayant.circule
                                            : int 440 327 124 524 214 124 397 188 318 440 ...
   $ Nombre.de.trains.annules
                                            : int 0000000000...
## $ Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee: int 21 31 5 89 9 13 75 25 21 28 ...
                                            : num 95.2 90.5 96 83 95.8 89.5 81.1 86.7 93.4 93.6 ...
## $ Regularite
## $ Commentaires
                                            : Factor w/ 437 levels "","\"Les ralentissements pour trava
## $ Date1
                                            : chr "2014-08-1" "2014-08-1" "2014-08-1" "2014-08-1" ...
                                            : Date, format: "2014-08-01" "2014-08-01" ...
## $ Date2
## $ Year
                                            : num 2014 2014 2014 2014 2014 ...
## $ Month
                                            : num 888888888 ...
                                            : chr "Q3" "Q3" "Q3" "Q3" ...
## $ Quarters
## $ Non.Regularite
                                            : num 4.8 9.5 4 17 4.2 10.5 18.9 13.3 6.6 6.4 ...
# dplyr approach: better formatting, and adapts to your screen width
glimpse(regularite)
## Observations: 5,900
## Variables: 16
## $ Date
                                            <fctr> 2014-08, 2014-08, 2014...
## $ Axe
                                            <fctr> Atlantique, Atlantique...
## $ Depart
                                            <fctr> ANGERS SAINT LAUD, ANG...
## $ Arrivee
                                            <fctr> PARIS MONTPARNASSE, PA...
## $ Nombre.de.trains.programmes
                                            <int> 440, 327, 124, 524, 214...
## $ Nombre.de.trains.ayant.circule
                                            <int> 440, 327, 124, 524, 214...
## $ Nombre.de.trains.annules
                                            <int> 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, ...
## $ Nombre.de.trains.en.retard.a.l.arrivee <int> 21, 31, 5, 89, 9, 13, 7...
## $ Regularite
                                            <dbl> 95.2, 90.5, 96.0, 83.0,...
                                            <fctr> , , , En août, la régu...
## $ Commentaires
```

Descriptive Statistics, EDA & Statistical testing

Descriptive Statistics

Let us play with the Airline Dataset previously loaded in R

```
names(data) # Airline dataset
   [1] "Year"
                             "Month"
                                                  "DayofMonth"
##
  [4] "DayOfWeek"
                             "DepTime"
                                                 "CRSDepTime"
  [7] "ArrTime"
                             "CRSArrTime"
                                                 "UniqueCarrier"
## [10] "FlightNum"
                             "TailNum"
                                                 "ActualElapsedTime"
## [13] "CRSElapsedTime"
                             "AirTime"
                                                 "ArrDelay"
                                                 "Dest"
## [16] "DepDelay"
                             "Origin"
## [19] "Distance"
                             "TaxiIn"
                                                 "TaxiOut"
                             "CancellationCode"
## [22] "Cancelled"
                                                 "Diverted"
## [25] "CarrierDelay"
                             "WeatherDelay"
                                                 "NASDelay"
## [28] "SecurityDelay"
                             "LateAircraftDelay" "IsArrDelayed"
## [31] "IsDepDelayed"
```

Contingency table

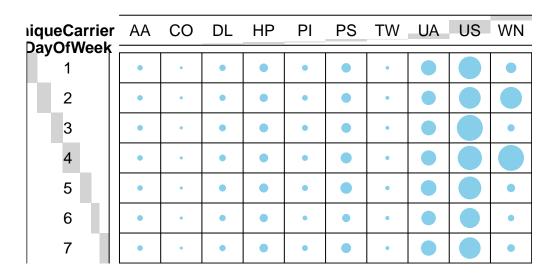
```
# Create new column by grouping Departure Delay
data$groupDepDelay<- with(data,cut(DepDelay, quantile(DepDelay,na.rm=T)))</pre>
# Create contingency table
my.table0<-with(data, table(groupDepDelay,DayOfWeek))</pre>
prop.table(my.table0,1)
                DayOfWeek
##
  groupDepDelay
                           1
                                      2
##
        (-16, -2] 0.12530255 0.16198101 0.20350028 0.15686092 0.11320052
##
                 0.14458502 0.17561868 0.14848413 0.15548659 0.12660142
##
                 0.13160541 \ 0.16836108 \ 0.14813987 \ 0.18221428 \ 0.13719138
        (10,473] 0.12296547 0.15570609 0.13801863 0.24912974 0.13322043
##
##
                DavOfWeek
## groupDepDelay
                           6
        (-16, -2] 0.12297524 0.11617948
##
##
        (-2,1]
                 0.12158829 0.12763587
##
        (1,10]
                 0.10546308 0.12702491
        (10,473] 0.08918995 0.11176969
# Alternative Approach ... direct
# to build a contingency table of the counts at each combination of factor levels
with(data,table(DayOfWeek,IsArrDelayed)) # same as table(data$DayOfWeek,data$IsArrDelayed)
```

IsArrDelayed

##

```
## DayOfWeek
               NO YES
##
           1 2559 3243
##
           2 3421 3882
           3 3285 3746
##
##
           4 3188 4921
##
           5 2250 3339
##
           6 2366 2501
           7 2468 2809
##
# to get probabilities of Depture Delay on each Day of Week
my.table<-with(data, table(cut(DepDelay, quantile(DepDelay, na.rm=T)),DayOfWeek))</pre>
prop.table(my.table,1)
##
             DayOfWeek
##
                                   2
                                              3
##
     (-16, -2] 0.12530255 0.16198101 0.20350028 0.15686092 0.11320052
              0.14458502 0.17561868 0.14848413 0.15548659 0.12660142
##
     (-2,1]
              0.13160541 0.16836108 0.14813987 0.18221428 0.13719138
##
     (10,473] 0.12296547 0.15570609 0.13801863 0.24912974 0.13322043
##
##
             DayOfWeek
##
                       6
##
     (-16, -2] 0.12297524 0.11617948
     (-2.1]
              0.12158829 0.12763587
##
##
     (1.10]
              0.10546308 0.12702491
##
     (10,473] 0.08918995 0.11176969
Balloon Plot
suppressMessages(library(gplots))
## Warning: package 'gplots' was built under R version 3.3.1
suppressMessages(library(tidyr))
## Warning: package 'tidyr' was built under R version 3.3.2
suppressMessages(library(dplyr))
## Checks on departure delays
data.filter4 <- data %>% filter(IsDepDelayed == 'YES')
data.select <- data.filter4 %>% select(DayOfWeek,UniqueCarrier)
tab<- (table(data.select))</pre>
tab
            UniqueCarrier
##
## DayOfWeek
               AA
                    CO
                         DL
                              HP
                                   PΙ
                                        PS
                                              TW
                                                   UA
                                                        US
                                                             WN
                         88 175
##
           1
               58
                    12
                                   74
                                        219
                                              22
                                                  617 1427
                                                            280
                   14
                                                  540 1303 1315
##
           2
               60
                         83 162
                                   67
                                        234
                                              26
           3
##
               64
                    15
                       105 190
                                   77
                                        238
                                              25
                                                  581 1897
                                                            117
           4
               62
                                        307
##
                   14
                         98 187
                                   74
                                              30
                                                  607 1634 1870
##
           5
               61
                    13
                        112
                             200
                                   75
                                        341
                                              34
                                                  653 1448 163
##
           6
               69
                    14
                         87 160
                                   43
                                        157
                                                  552 1103
                                                             88
                                              30
           7
##
               63
                    13
                         86 178
                                   73
                                        244
                                              26
                                                  625 1276 136
# Plot a graphical matrix
balloonplot(t(tab), main = "Funny Balloon Plot", ylab = "DayOfWeek", xlab="UniqueCarrier",
         label = FALSE, show.margins = FALSE)
```

Funny Balloon Plot



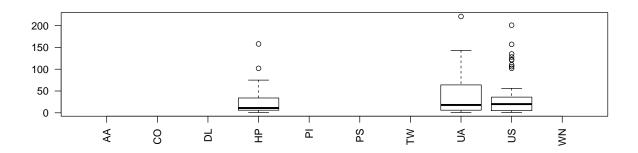
Boxplots

Checks on Departures Delayed from Boston between Year 2000 and 2006

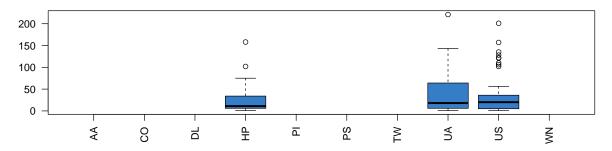
```
# Librairy
library(ggplot2)
library(tidyr)
library(dplyr)
library(shiny)
library(ggvis)
library(corrplot)
library(data.table)
library(lubridate)
require(Matrix)
if (!require('vcd')) install.packages('vcd')
library(Ckmeans.1d.dp)
## Checks on Departures Delayed from Boston between Year 2000 and 2006
data.filter1 <- data %>% filter(IsDepDelayed == 'YES', Year >= 2000 & Year<2007,</pre>
                                Origin =='BOS')
par(las=2,
                                   # use perpendicular axis labels
```

```
mar=c(10.1,4.1,4.1,2.1),  # create enough space for long x labels
mgp=c(8,1,0)  # move x axis legend down to avoid overlap
)

# start with simple boxplot with options
boxplot(DepDelay~UniqueCarrier,data=data.filter1)
```

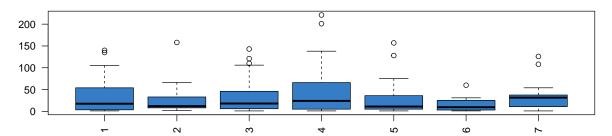


UniqueCarrier



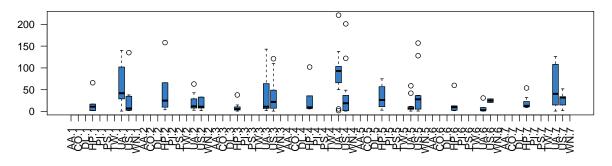
Departures Delay

Day Of Week



Departures Delay

UniqueCarrier & DayOfWeek

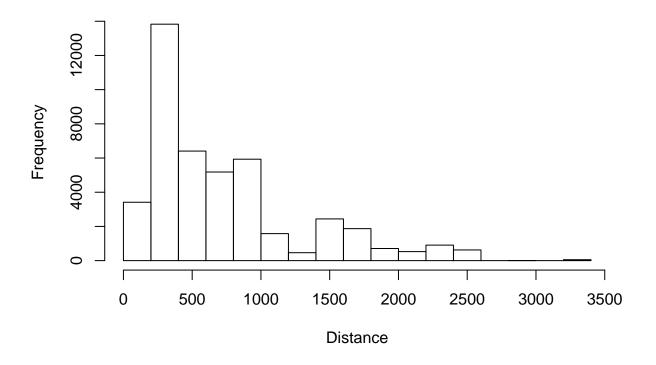


Departures Delay

Histogram

```
## Histogram of Distance on full data set
with(data,hist(Distance))
```

Histogram of Distance

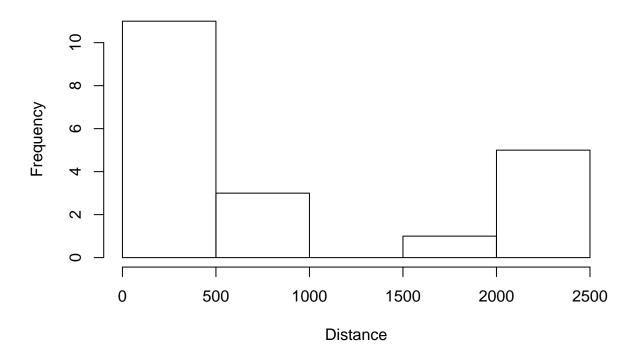


```
## Checks on early arrivals from Boston
data.filter2 <- data %>% filter(IsDepDelayed == 'NO', ArrDelay == 0,Origin=='BOS')
summary(data.filter2)
```

```
##
                                   DayofMonth
                                                    DayOfWeek
                                                                   DepTime
         Year
                        Month
##
            :1991
                                         : 4.00
    Min.
                    Min.
                            :1
                                 Min.
                                                  Min.
                                                                       : 559.0
##
    1st Qu.:1998
                    1st Qu.:1
                                 1st Qu.: 9.75
                                                  1st Qu.:2
                                                               1st Qu.: 944.5
##
    Median:2002
                    Median:1
                                 Median :12.00
                                                  Median:3
                                                               Median :1328.0
            :2001
                                         :13.90
##
    Mean
                    Mean
                            :1
                                 Mean
                                                  Mean
                                                          :3
                                                               Mean
                                                                       :1294.0
##
    3rd Qu.:2004
                    3rd Qu.:1
                                 3rd Qu.:15.50
                                                  3rd Qu.:4
                                                               3rd Qu.:1656.5
##
    Max.
            :2006
                    Max.
                            :1
                                 Max.
                                         :31.00
                                                  Max.
                                                          :6
                                                               Max.
                                                                       :1959.0
##
##
      CRSDepTime
                                      CRSArrTime
                                                    UniqueCarrier
                       ArrTime
##
           : 605
                            : 750
                                    Min.
                                            : 750
    1st Qu.: 945
                    1st Qu.:1294
                                    1st Qu.:1294
                                                    HP
                                                            : 5
##
    Median:1338
                    Median:1549
                                    Median:1549
##
                                                    UA
##
    Mean
           :1310
                    Mean
                            :1527
                                    Mean
                                          :1527
                                                    AA
                                                            : 0
    3rd Qu.:1661
                                    3rd Qu.:1876
##
                    3rd Qu.:1876
                                                    CO
                                                            : 0
##
    Max.
           :2005
                    Max.
                            :2138
                                    Max.
                                            :2138
                                                    DL
                                                            : 0
##
                                                     (Other): 0
##
      FlightNum
                         TailNum
                                    ActualElapsedTime CRSElapsedTime
##
    Min.
           : 101.0
                      N815äâ : 2
                                    Min.
                                            : 70.0
                                                        Min.
                                                               : 67.0
    1st Qu.: 425.5
                      N300Aä : 1
                                    1st Qu.: 97.5
                                                        1st Qu.: 92.0
##
##
    Median : 759.0
                      N327UA: 1
                                    Median :116.0
                                                        Median :115.0
    Mean
           :1002.9
                      N355US : 1
                                    Mean
                                           :179.1
                                                        Mean
                                                               :175.0
    3rd Qu.:1317.8
                      N371äâ : 1
                                    3rd Qu.:295.2
                                                        3rd Qu.:286.2
##
```

```
:2792.0
                  (Other):11
                              Max. :351.0 Max. :348.0
##
                   NA's : 3
      AirTime
                                DepDelay
                                                 Origin
##
                    ArrDelay
   Min. : 44.0
                  Min. :0 Min. :-12.00
                                             BOS
                                                   :20
##
                                                         PHX
                                                               :5
                             1st Qu.: -6.00
   1st Qu.: 73.0
                  1st Qu.:0
                                             ABE
                                                    : 0
                                                         PIT
                                                                :4
##
   Median :104.0
                 Median :0
                             Median : -4.00
                                             ABQ
                                                   : 0
                                                         PHL
                                                               :3
   Mean :165.8
                  Mean :0
                             Mean : -4.05
                                             ACY
                                                   : 0
                                                         ORD
                                                               :2
   3rd Qu.:311.0
                  3rd Qu.:0
                             3rd Qu.: -1.75
                                                         ROC
##
                                             ALB
                                                   : 0
                                                               :2
##
   Max. :326.0
                  Max. :0 Max. : 0.00
                                             AMA
                                                   : 0
                                                         CLE
                                                               :1
##
   NA's :3
                                             (Other): 0 (Other):3
##
      Distance
                    TaxiIn
                                   TaxiOut
                                                 Cancelled
##
  Min. : 185
                 Min. : 3.000
                                 Min. : 5.00
                                              Min. :0
   1st Qu.: 343
                 1st Qu.: 4.000
                                 1st Qu.:16.00
                                                1st Qu.:0
  Median: 496
                 Median : 7.000
                                 Median :16.00
                                                Median:0
##
                 Mean : 7.941
  Mean : 983
                                 Mean :18.35
                                                Mean
   3rd Qu.:1890
                 3rd Qu.:11.000
                                 3rd Qu.:21.00
                                                3rd Qu.:0
##
##
   Max. :2300
                 Max. :21.000
                                 Max. :40.00
                                                Max. :0
                 NA's
                       :3
                                 NA's
                                      :3
##
##
   CancellationCode
                     Diverted CarrierDelay WeatherDelay
                                                           NASDelay
                                                        Min. :0
     : 5
##
                   Min.
                         :0
                              Min. :0
                                           Min. :0
##
   Α
      : 0
                   1st Qu.:0
                              1st Qu.:0
                                           1st Qu.:0
                                                        1st Qu.:0
##
  В
      : 0
                   Median :0
                              Median :0
                                           Median:0
                                                        Median :0
   C : 0
                   Mean :0
                              Mean :0
                                           Mean :0
                                                        Mean :0
##
                              3rd Qu.:0
##
   NA's:15
                   3rd Qu.:0
                                           3rd Qu.:0
                                                        3rd Qu.:0
##
                              Max. :0
                                                        Max. :0
                   Max. :0
                                           Max. :0
##
                              NA's :15
                                           NA's :15
                                                        NA's :15
## SecurityDelay LateAircraftDelay IsArrDelayed IsDepDelayed groupDepDelay
## Min. :0
                Min. :0
                                 NO :20
                                             NO:20
                                                         (-16, -2]:15
  1st Qu.:0
                1st Qu.:0
                                 YES: 0
                                             YES: 0
                                                         (-2,1] : 5
##
## Median :0
                Median :0
                                                         (1,10] : 0
## Mean :0
                Mean :0
                                                         (10,473]:0
## 3rd Qu.:0
                3rd Qu.:0
## Max. :0
                Max. :0
## NA's :15
                NA's
                     :15
## Histogram of Distance on filter dataset
with(data.filter2,hist(Distance))
```

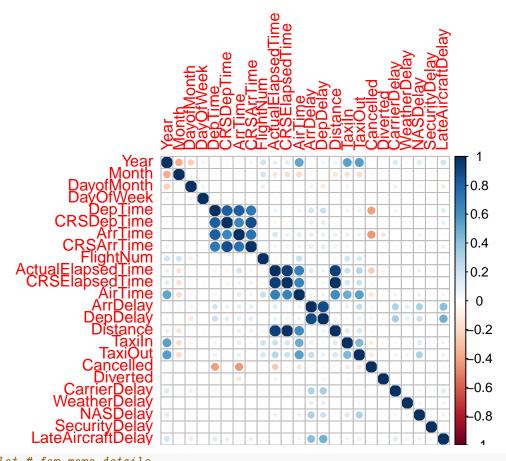
Histogram of Distance



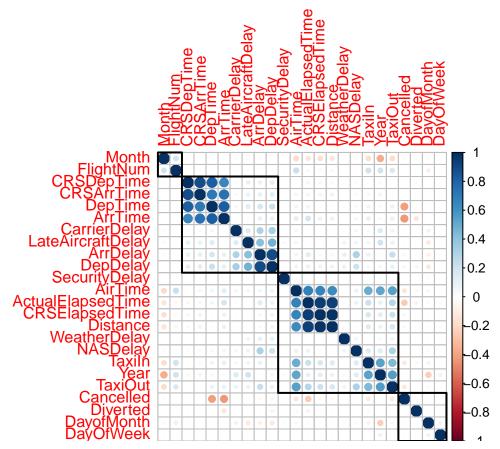
Visualization of a correlation matrix

```
## Filter and List only numeric columns from a data frame
nums <- sapply(data, is.numeric)
data.filter3 <- data[,nums]

# Replace NAs in data with 0
data.filter3[is.na(data.filter3)] <- 0
cor.matrix <-cor(data.filter3,use = "na.or.complete")
corrplot(cor.matrix)</pre>
```

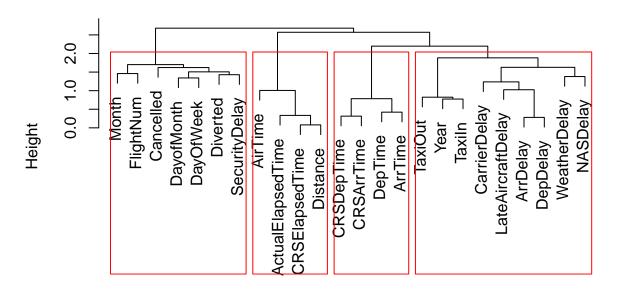


?corrplot # for more details
corrplot(cor.matrix, order="hclust", hclust.method="complete", addrect = 4)



```
# names(cor.matrix) <- colnames(data.filter3)
cor.clust <- hclust(dist(cor.matrix), method = "complete")
plot(cor.clust)
rect.hclust(cor.clust, k = 4)</pre>
```

Cluster Dendrogram



dist(cor.matrix)
hclust (*, "complete")

Time Series Analysis

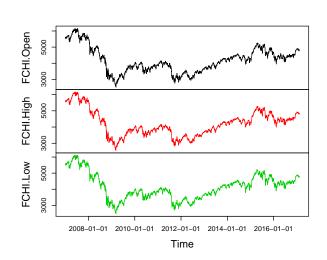
```
library(quantmod)
library(fBasics)
library(tseries)
library(Hmisc)

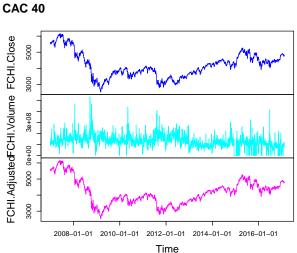
getSymbols("^FCHI", src="yahoo")

## [1] "FCHI"
chartSeries(FCHI) # CAC 40
```



```
write.zoo(FCHI, "FCHI.csv", index.name="Date", sep=",") # save an xts object to csv
FCHI.import<- read.csv('FCHI.csv')
FCHI <- as.timeSeries(FCHI.import)
plot(FCHI, main="CAC 40")</pre>
```





Checking Basic Statistics

basicStats(FCHI) # Basic Statistics

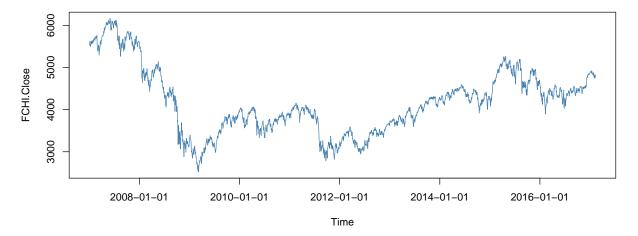
```
##
                  FCHI.Open
                                FCHI.High
                                               FCHI.Low
                                                           FCHI.Close
## nobs
                2.591000e+03
                             2.591000e+03
                                           2.591000e+03
                                                         2.591000e+03
## NAs
               0.000000e+00
                             0.000000e+00
                                           0.000000e+00
                                                         0.000000e+00
## Minimum
                2.519430e+03
                             2.552990e+03
                                           2.465460e+03
                                                         2.519290e+03
                             6.168150e+03 6.112290e+03
                                                         6.168150e+03
               6.157330e+03
## Maximum
## 1. Quartile 3.632895e+03 3.660780e+03 3.591075e+03 3.625420e+03
```

```
## 3. Quartile 4.572955e+03 4.599495e+03 4.533880e+03 4.565015e+03
## Mean
                              4.202615e+03 4.135949e+03
                                                           4.170186e+03
                4.171737e+03
                              4.136610e+03
                                            4.080150e+03
                                                           4.108270e+03
## Median
                4.110850e+03
## Sum
                1.080897e+07
                              1.088897e+07
                                             1.071624e+07
                                                           1.080495e+07
## SE Mean
                1.512094e+01
                              1.510276e+01
                                             1.514308e+01
                                                           1.512350e+01
## LCL Mean
                4.142087e+03
                              4.173000e+03
                                            4.106255e+03
                                                           4.140531e+03
## UCL Mean
                              4.232229e+03
                                                           4.199842e+03
                4.201387e+03
                                             4.165643e+03
## Variance
                5.924133e+05
                              5.909896e+05
                                            5.941499e+05
                                                           5.926142e+05
## Stdev
                7.696839e+02
                              7.687585e+02
                                            7.708112e+02
                                                          7.698144e+02
## Skewness
                4.860190e-01
                             4.953230e-01
                                            4.721540e-01
                                                          4.859360e-01
  Kurtosis
               -2.516240e-01 -2.599530e-01 -2.459210e-01 -2.510850e-01
##
                FCHI. Volume FCHI. Adjusted
                             2.591000e+03
## nobs
               2.591000e+03
## NAs
               0.000000e+00
                             0.000000e+00
## Minimum
               0.000000e+00
                             2.519290e+03
## Maximum
               5.312476e+08
                             6.168150e+03
## 1. Quartile 1.011688e+08
                             3.625420e+03
## 3. Quartile 1.571855e+08
                             4.565015e+03
               1.321279e+08
                             4.170186e+03
## Mean
## Median
               1.276144e+08
                             4.108270e+03
## Sum
               3.423435e+11
                             1.080495e+07
## SE Mean
               1.092376e+06
                            1.512350e+01
               1.299859e+08 4.140531e+03
## LCL Mean
## UCL Mean
               1.342699e+08
                             4.199842e+03
## Variance
               3.091802e+15
                             5.926142e+05
## Stdev
               5.560398e+07
                             7.698144e+02
## Skewness
               9.072960e-01 4.859360e-01
## Kurtosis
               4.371497e+00 -2.510850e-01
```

Visualise the Closing Price of CAC 40

```
cac40.close <- as.timeSeries(FCHI[,4]) #cac40.close <- as.ts(FCHI[,4], start=c(2007,01,02)) plot(cac40.close, type = "l", col = "steelblue", main = "CAC 40") abline(h = 0, col = "grey")
```

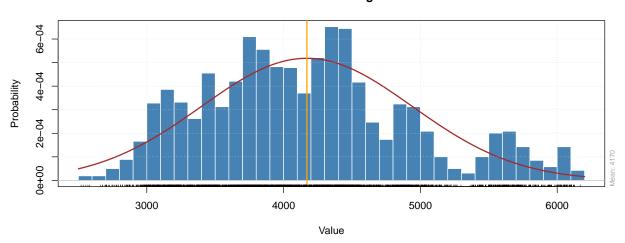




Histogram & Density Plots:

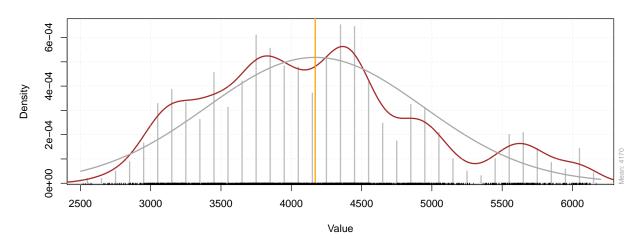
histPlot(cac40.close)





densityPlot(cac40.close)

FCHI.Close



Descriptive Statistics on the Closing Price of CAC 40

summary(cac40.close)

FCHI.Close ## Min. :2519 ## 1st Qu.:3625 ## Median :4108 ## Mean :4170 ## 3rd Qu.:4565

```
## Max.
           :6168
describe(cac40.close)
## cac40.close [FCHI.Close] Format:%Y-%m-%d
         n missing distinct
                                  Info
                                                               .05
                                                                        .10
##
                                           Mean
                                                      Gmd
                                           4170
                                                   867.2
                                                                       3186
##
       2591
                   0
                         2577
                                     1
                                                              3052
##
        .25
                 .50
                          .75
                                   .90
                                            .95
       3625
                4108
                         4565
##
                                  5381
                                           5682
##
## lowest : 2519.29 2534.45 2554.55 2569.63 2581.46
## highest: 6117.96 6120.20 6125.60 6125.81 6168.15
Hypothesis Testing
Tests the null of normality:
jarque.bera.test(cac40.close) # Tests the null of normality
##
##
   Jarque Bera Test
##
## data: cac40.close
## X-squared = 108.78, df = 2, p-value < 2.2e-16
Test for Trend Stationarity
kpss.test(cac40.close, null = "Trend") # KPSS Test for Trend Stationarity
##
   KPSS Test for Trend Stationarity
## data: cac40.close
## KPSS Trend = 3.433, Truncation lag parameter = 11, p-value = 0.01
Augmented Dickey-Fuller Test for Stationarity:
tseries::adf.test(cac40.close, k = 10) # Augmented Dickey-Fuller Test
##
##
  Augmented Dickey-Fuller Test
##
## data: cac40.close
## Dickey-Fuller = -1.9931, Lag order = 10, p-value = 0.5813
## alternative hypothesis: stationary
adf.test(diff(log(cac40.close))[-1,], alternative="stationary", k=0) # Augmented Dickey-Fuller Test
   Augmented Dickey-Fuller Test
##
```

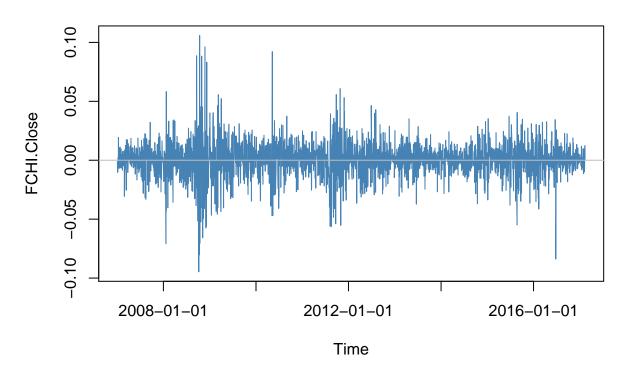
data: diff(log(cac40.close))[-1,]

```
## Dickey-Fuller = -52.803, Lag order = 0, p-value = 0.01
## alternative hypothesis: stationary
```

Time Series of difference of log CAC 40

```
cac40.close.df <- diff(log(cac40.close))[-1,]
plot(cac40.close.df, type = "l", col = "steelblue", main = "CAC 40")
abline(h = 0, col = "grey")</pre>
```

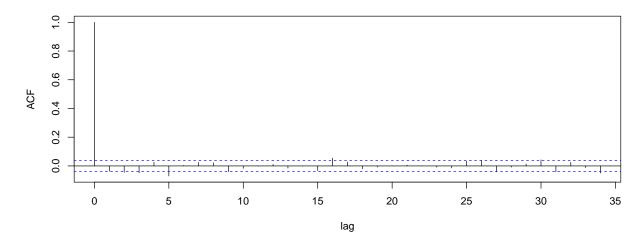
CAC 40



Autocorrelation Function Plots

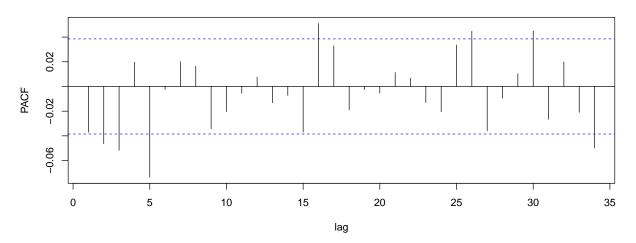
```
acfPlot(cac40.close.df)
```

FCHI.Close



pacfPlot(cac40.close.df)

FCHI.Close



Modeling

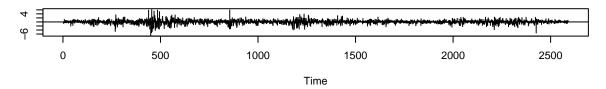
```
fit <- arima(cac40.close.df, order = c(5, 0, 0))
fit
##
## Call:
## arima(x = cac40.close.df, order = c(5, 0, 0))
## Coefficients:
##
            ar1
                     ar2
                              ar3
                                      ar4
                                               ar5
                                                    intercept
        -0.0388 -0.0511 -0.0544 0.0167
                                                       -1e-04
##
                                          -0.0733
## s.e.
        0.0196
                 0.0196 0.0196 0.0196
                                           0.0196
                                                        2e-04
##
```

$sigma^2$ estimated as 0.0002277: log likelihood = 7186.52, aic = -14359.04 summary(fit)

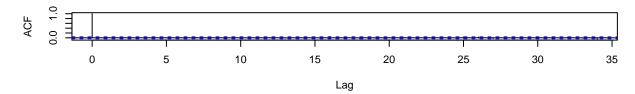
```
Length Class Mode
##
## coef
                6
                    -none- numeric
                    -none- numeric
## sigma2
                1
## var.coef
               36
                    -none- numeric
## mask
                6
                    -none- logical
## loglik
                    -none- numeric
                1
## aic
                    -none- numeric
## arma
                7
                    -none- numeric
## residuals 2590
                           numeric
## call
                3
                    -none- call
## series
                    -none- character
## code
                    -none- numeric
                1
## n.cond
                1
                    -none- numeric
## nobs
                1
                    -none- numeric
## model
               10
                    -none- list
```

tsdiag(fit)

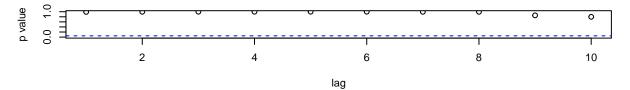
Standardized Residuals



ACF of Residuals



p values for Ljung-Box statistic



Introduction to Data Science Algorithms in R

Ensemble Feature Selection on Titanic Dataset

```
# install.packages("fscaret", dependencies = c("Depends", "Suggests"))
library(fscaret)
library(caret)
# list of models on fscaret packages:
data(funcRegPred)
model.list <-data.frame(models=funcRegPred)</pre>
# list of models on caret packages:
names(getModelInfo())
# Import dataset from the UCI Machine Learning Repository
# (http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets.html)
# titanic.data <- read.csv('http://math.ucdenver.edu/RTutorial/titanic.txt',sep='\t')
titanic.data <- read.csv('titanic.txt',sep='\t') # import data from working directory
# creating new title feature
titanic.data$Title <- ifelse(grepl('Mr ',titanic.data$Name),'Mr',</pre>
                             ifelse(grepl('Mrs ',titanic.data$Name),'Mrs',
                                    ifelse(grepl('Miss',titanic.data$Name),'Miss','Nothing')))
titanic.data$Title <- as.factor(titanic.data$Title)</pre>
# Replace NAs in Age with the median age
titanic.data$Age[is.na(titanic.data$Age)] <- median(titanic.data$Age, na.rm=T)
# reorder data set so response variable is last column
titanic.data <- titanic.data[c('PClass', 'Age', 'Sex', 'Title', 'Survived')]
# binarize all factors
titanicDummy <- dummyVars("~.",data=titanic.data, fullRank=F)</pre>
titanic.data <- as.data.frame(predict(titanicDummy,titanic.data))</pre>
We have a look at the structure of data
str(titanic.data)
## 'data.frame': 1313 obs. of 11 variables:
## $ PClass.1st : num 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ PClass.2nd : num 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ PClass.3rd : num 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
             : num 29 2 30 25 0.92 47 63 39 58 71 ...
## $ Age
## $ Sex.female : num 1 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 ...
## $ Sex.male
                 : num 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 0 1 ...
## $ Title.Miss : num 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 ...
## $ Title.Mr : num 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 ...
## $ Title.Mrs : num 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 ...
## $ Title.Nothing: num 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ Survived : num 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 1 0 ...
# split data set into train and test portion
set.seed(1234)
```

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splitIndex <- createDataPartition(titanic.data$Survived, p = .75, list = FALSE, times = 1)</pre>
# splitIndex <- sample(nrow(titanic.data), floor(0.75*nrow(titanic.data)))
trainDF <- titanic.data[ splitIndex,]</pre>
testDF <- titanic.data[-splitIndex,]</pre>
We now run an ensemble feature selection specifying list of models available on 'fscaret' package:
# limit models to use in ensemble and run fscaret
featureSelection.models <- c("glm", "gbm", "treebag", "ridge", "lasso")</pre>
featureSelection<-fscaret(trainDF, testDF, myTimeLimit = 40, preprocessData=TRUE,
              Used.funcRegPred = featureSelection.models, with.labels=TRUE,
              supress.output=FALSE, no.cores=2)
# analyze results
print(featureSelection$VarImp)
## $rawMSE
           gbm
                     glm
                             lasso
                                       ridge
                                                treebag
  1 0.1286814 0.1386274 0.1386274 0.1386278 0.1298043
## $rawRMSE
           gbm
                    glm
##
                           lasso
                                     ridge
                                              treebag
## 1 0.3587219 0.372327 0.372327 0.3723276 0.3602836
##
## $matrixVarImp.RMSE
                                                                     SUM%
            gbm glm
                                    ridge
                                             treebag
                                                           SUM
                         lasso
## 5 28.1448932
                  0 25.0403181 25.0400842 13.307300 91.532596 100.000000
## 7 27.2664317
                  0 24.2347615 24.2353151 13.670037 89.406545
                                                                97.677275
## 3 26.0342484
                  0 15.2132114 15.2127921 24.635434 81.095686 88.597604
## 1 5.4238748
                  0 11.2699282 11.2694387 13.467735 41.430977
                                                                45.263631
## 8 0.4340408
                  0 12.1964247 12.1966233 6.545685 31.372774
                                                                34.274974
## 4 11.2236464
                  0 0.1074810 0.1075533 18.074952 29.513633
                                                                32.243850
     0.8201142
                  0 6.3783194
                                6.3784115
                                           2.427869 16.004714
                                                               17.485262
## 2
     0.0000000
                  0 1.4203760 1.4204060
                                           4.552760
                                                     7.393542
                                                                 8.077497
## 9
    0.6527505
                     0.4850858 0.4851359
                                           2.884740
                                                     4.507713
                                                                 4.924708
##
       ImpGrad Input_no
## 5 0.000000
                      5
## 7 2.322725
                      7
## 3 9.295582
                      3
## 1 48.910998
                      1
## 8 24.277012
## 4 5.925968
                      4
## 6 45.771792
                      6
                      2
## 2 53.803973
## 9 39.031759
##
## $matrixVarImp.MSE
##
            gbm glm
                         lasso
                                    ridge
                                             treebag
                                                                     SUM%
## 5 28.1448932
                  0 24.1253213 24.1250595 13.249615 89.644889 100.000000
## 7 27.2664317
                  0 23.3492005 23.3496986 13.610779 87.576110 97.692251
## 3 26.0342484
                  0 14.6573064 14.6568801 24.528643 79.877078
                                                                89.103884
## 1 5.4238748
                  0 10.8581144 10.8576264 13.409354 40.548970
                                                                45.232885
## 8 0.4340408
                  0 11.7507559 11.7509294 6.517310 30.453036
                                                                33.970745
## 4 11.2236464
                  0 0.1035535 0.1036230 17.996600 29.427423
                                                                32.826660
```

0 6.1452496 6.1453290 2.417345 15.528038 17.321721

6 0.8201142

```
0.0000000
                  0 1.3684741 1.3685009
                                           4.533025
                                                    7.270000
                                                                 8.109776
## 9
     0.6527505
                  0 0.4673603 0.4674078 2.872236 4.459754
                                                                 4.974912
##
       ImpGrad Input no
     0.000000
## 5
                      7
##
     2.307749
## 3 8.791247
                      3
## 1 49.235787
                      1
                      8
## 8 24.898126
## 4 3.367852
                      4
                      6
## 6 47.232764
## 2 53.181465
                      2
## 9 38.655374
                      9
##
## $model
## list()
```

print(featureSelection\$PPlabels)

##		Orig	Input	No	Labels
##	1			1	PClass.1st
##	2			2	PClass.2nd
##	3			3	PClass.3rd
##	4			4	Age
##	5			6	Sex.male
##	6			7	Title.Miss
##	7			8	Title.Mr
##	8			9	Title.Mrs
##	9			10	Title.Nothing

References (Some useful R links)

I do recommend that you simply use seach engines to find out the links to resources that suits you. Here are a few of such links:

Introduction:

- Introduction to R https://cran.r-project.org/doc/manuals/R-intro.html
- Interactive intro to R programming language https://www.datacamp.com/courses/introduction-to-r
- for data manipulation https://cran.rstudio.com/web/packages/dplyr/vignettes/introduction.html

Graphics:

• Tutorial on plots http://cran.r-project.org/doc/contrib/Rossiter-RIntro-ITC.pdf

Statistics:

- Quick-R http://www.statmethods.net/
- Beginner's tutorial for Time Series http://www.stat.pitt.edu/stoffer/tsa2/index.html

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