IST 687 Working with map data

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Today's Agenda

- Announcements
- Exam Logistics
- ▶ Review up Week 6 Introduction to data visualization
- Week 7 Working with map data
 - ▶ Breakout (Lab 7)
 - ► Homework 7 Tips
- Next week's agenda

Announcements

- Office Hours: Wed. 6-7pm EDT and by appointment
- Upcoming Schedule
 - Week 8 (30 min. live session)
 - ► Complete mid-term with 72 hours *Due Saturday March 6th by* 9:30pm EST
- Project Update III in Week 10 (not Week 9)



Exam Logistics

Format

- ► Closed book/notes/R
- ▶ 1 hour time limit (no pausing)
- ▶ Materials covered: Weeks 1-8
- Question types
 - ▶ Given code what is the expected output: 2
 - Write code to perform: 10
 - Open-ended questions: 9

Question distribution

Week	# Questions
2 - Using R to manipulate data.	8
3 - Descriptive Statistics & Functions	5
4 - Inferential statistics	4
6 - Introduction to visualization	1
7 - Working with map data	1
8 - Linear modeling	2

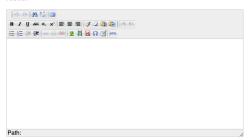
Exam office hours: Tuesday, March 2nd from 6-8pm EST or post questions on SLACK

Exam interface

Midterm Quiz



Answer:



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Info

Overview & Regrade Manual Grading

Item Analysis

Preview

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Review: Week 6 - Introduction to data

visualization

Week 6 - Introduction to visualization

- Creating visualizations with 'ggplot()'
 - ► Components of ggplot: data, aesthetics, geometry
- Plots for data exploration using layers: distributions geom_histogram(), boxplots geom_boxplot(), line charts geom_line(), heatmaps geom_tile()
- Adding complexity (information) by manipulating graph
 aesthetics e.g., fill =, color =, and size = and adjusting
 axis angles e.g.,
 theme(axis.text.x=element_text(angle=45,
 hjust=1))

Week 6 - Additional resources on data visualization

- Practice makes perfect
 - Workshop Examples
 - Visualizing ecology data
- Good reads on visualization
 - Storytelling with Data: A Data Visualization Guide for Business Professionals by Cole Nussbaumer Knaflic
 - Choosing the right visualizations: Multiple views visualization research explained and Data Visualization 101: How to Choose the Right Chart or Graph for Your Data
- Selecting visualizations guide

Week 7 - Working with map data

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- Exploring creating maps and overlaying data on maps.
 - Adding complexity to maps e.g., changing colors based on attributes of records.
- ► Retrieving data from open APIs (e.g., Google/OpenStreetMap)
- Using base datasets in R
- Data munging

Lab 7 (50 mins.)

New Lab Assignment

- ▶ Lab 7
- Google no longer allows API requests without a user account (its where we retrieve lat/long data for maps)
- Objective: Plot ports as points (e.g., airports, train stations) in a city of your choosing using OpenStreetMap data
- Dataset: World Ports

Lab 7 Output

► Your output should look similar to these maps of the ports in Berlin



Lab 7 Output



Lab 7 Packages needed to complete lab

```
library(ggplot2) # To plot map aesthetics
library(ggmap) # Get city map
library(readr) # reads in the OSM data
library(tmaptools) # For the geocode_OSM function
  in "Getting a base map"
```

Week 7 Homework Tips

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Goal: Practice creating maps and overlaying data - Data munging necessary to obtain information about U.S. states

- ▶ Load zipcode data (Step 1, question 3).
- Install the zipcode() package and load the zipcode data using data(zipcode)

```
## zip city state latitude longitude

## 1 00210 Portsmouth NH 43.0059 -71.0132

## 2 00211 Portsmouth NH 43.0059 -71.0132

## 3 00212 Portsmouth NH 43.0059 -71.0132

## 4 00213 Portsmouth NH 43.0059 -71.0132
```

Week 7 Homework tips: A manual install of the zipcodes package

- ► The CRAN download of the zipcode() package is no longer available.
- Archived versions of the package are made available: [zipcode()] (http://www.coreybjackson.com/687/Datasets/zipcode_1.0.tar.gz).

To install the package follow the steps below:

- 1. Download the package files to your desktop.
- Navigate to where the files downloaded and unzip the file. You should be able to simply click the zip file and its contents will unload in the same directory, but in a folder.
- 3. Navigate back to RStudio and install using this code: install.packages("~/Downloads/zipcode/", repos = NULL, type="source") You'll want to set the first argument to the location of the file. In my example "~/Downloads/zipcode/" is the location of the file I unzipped in step 2.

Week 7 Homework Tips: Cleaning State Data

► Cleaning zip codes using clean.zipcodes() (Step 1, 4).

```
## [1] "2061" "02142" "2043" "20210"
## [6] "SW1P 3JX" "210" "02199-1880"
clean.zipcodes(zips)
```

▶ In HW, clean zip codes in your data before merging

[1] "02061" "02142" "02043" "20210" "02061" NA

Week 7 Homework Tips: Cleaning State Data

Retrieve the names of states and abbreviations of states (Step 2, question 2). Simply call state.name and state.abb.
You'll need to use these vectors adding them to a dataframe.

```
state.name
## [1] "Alabama" "Alaska" "Arizona" "Arkansas"
## [6] "Colorado"

state.abb
## [1] "AL" "AK" "AZ" "AR" "CA" "CO"
```

Week 7 Homework Tips: Merging dataframes

- Merging dataframes using merge() (Step 2)
 - ▶ Basic structure merge two data frames by one ID: merge(x,y, by= "ID", ...)
 - Example dataframes: authors and books

```
##
      surname nationality retired
## 1
        Tukey
                        US
                               ves
## 2 Venables Australia
                                no
## 3
      Tierney
                        US
                                no
## 4
       Ripley
                        UK
                                no
```

```
title other.author
##
         name
## 1
        Tukey
                   Exploratory Data Analysis
                                                       <NA>
   2 Venables Modern Applied Statistics ...
                                                     Ripley
## 3
      Tierney
                                    LISP-STAT
                                                       <NA>
## 4
       Ripley
                          Spatial Statistics
                                                       <NA>
```

Week 7 Homework Tips: Merging dataframes

surname nationality retired

##

- ► Each dataframe needs a common column on which to merge
- ▶ In the authors and books data surname and name are common columns

```
merge(authors, books, by.x="surname", by.y="name")
```

```
## 1
       McNeil
                Australia
                                         Interactive Data Anal
                                 no
       Ripley
## 2
                        UK
                                                Spatial Statis
                                 no
                                             Stochastic Simula
## 3
       Ripley
                        UK
                                 no
## 4
      Tierney
                        US
                                                          LISP-
                                 no
## 5
        Tukev
                        US
                                         Exploratory Data Anal
                                yes
## 6 Venables
                 Australia
                                 no Modern Applied Statistics
```

Next week

Asynchronous Materials

- ▶ Week 8: Linear regression (be sure to cover for exam)
- Submit HW 7 & Lab 7 Monday
- Continue working on group project (Project Update 3 due in Week 10)

Synchronous Session

- Overview of Data Mining and Week 8 (30 minutes)
- Mid-term questions (Mid-term to be completed within 72 hours)