

# Reproducible Research: Peer Assessment 1

## Loading and preprocessing the data

```
strUrl <- "https://d396qusza40orc.cloudfront.net/repdata%2Fdata%2Factivity.zip"
strFile <- "activity.zip"
if (!file.exists(strFile))
{
  download.file(url = strUrl, destfile = "activity.zip", method = "curl", mode = "wb")
}
lstFiles <- unzip(zipfile = strFile)
#
df <- read.csv(file = lstFiles[1], colClasses = c("integer", "character", "integer"))
#
str(df)
```

```
## 'data.frame': 17568 obs. of 3 variables:
## $ steps : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ date : chr "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" ...
## $ interval: int 0 5 10 15 20 25 30 35 40 45 ...
```

```
#
df$interval.ori <- df$interval
df$interval <- sprintf(fmt = "%04d", df$interval)
#
df$date.ori <- df$date
df$date <- as.Date(df$date)
#
df$dayofweek <- weekdays(df$date)
#
df$daytype <- "weekday"
df[substr(df$dayofweek, 1, 1) == "S", "daytype"] <- "weekend"
df$daytype <- factor(df$daytype, levels = c("weekday", "weekend"))
#
str(df)
```

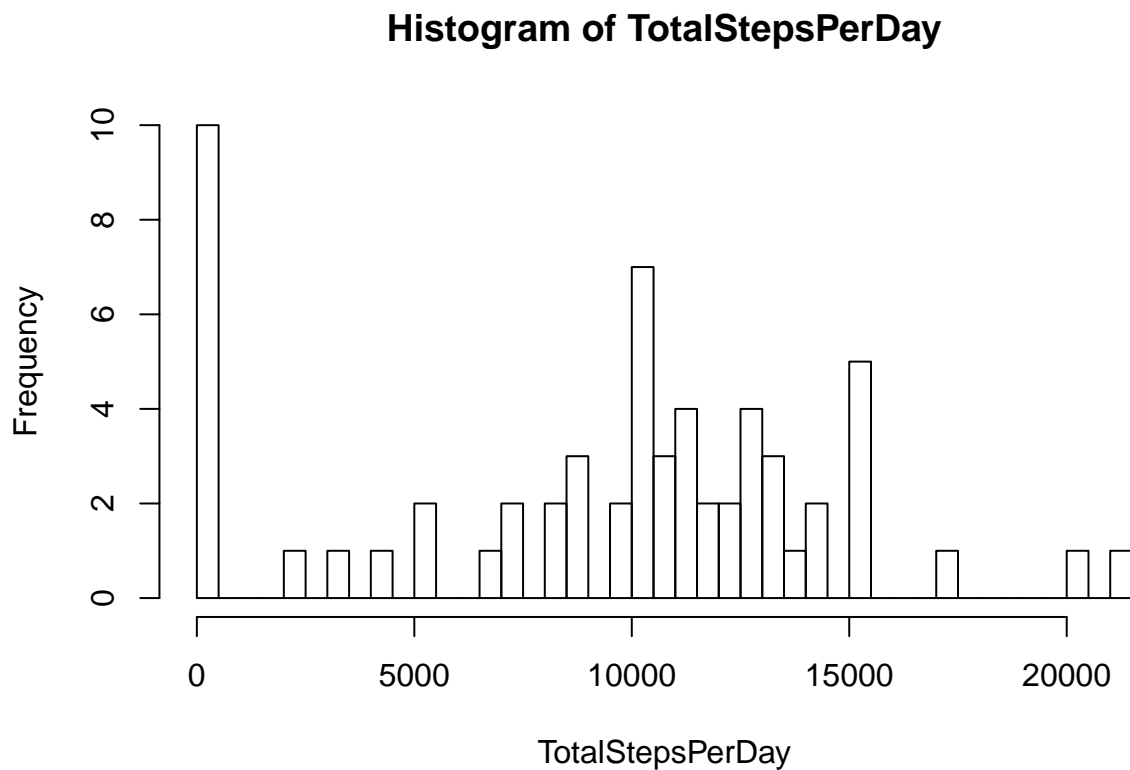
```
## 'data.frame': 17568 obs. of 7 variables:
## $ steps : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ date : Date, format: "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" ...
## $ interval : chr "0000" "0005" "0010" "0015" ...
## $ interval.ori: int 0 5 10 15 20 25 30 35 40 45 ...
## $ date.ori : chr "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" "2012-10-01" ...
## $ dayofweek : chr "Monday" "Monday" "Monday" "Monday" ...
## $ daytype : Factor w/ 2 levels "weekday","weekend": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
```

What is mean total number of steps taken per day?

```
# 1. Calculae the total number of steps taken per day
TotalStepsPerDay <-tapply(X = df$steps, INDEX = df$date, FUN = sum, na.rm = TRUE)
head(TotalStepsPerDay, n = 25)
```

```
## 2012-10-01 2012-10-02 2012-10-03 2012-10-04 2012-10-05 2012-10-06
##          0         126        11352        12116        13294        15420
## 2012-10-07 2012-10-08 2012-10-09 2012-10-10 2012-10-11 2012-10-12
##       11015          0        12811         9900        10304        17382
## 2012-10-13 2012-10-14 2012-10-15 2012-10-16 2012-10-17 2012-10-18
##       12426       15098        10139        15084        13452        10056
## 2012-10-19 2012-10-20 2012-10-21 2012-10-22 2012-10-23 2012-10-24
##       11829       10395         8821        13460         8918         8355
## 2012-10-25
##          2492
```

```
# 2. Make a histogram of the total number of steps taken each day.
hist(x = TotalStepsPerDay, breaks = 60)
```



```
# 3. Calculae and report the mean and the median of the total number of steps taken per day.
(meanTotalStepsPerDay <-mean(TotalStepsPerDay))
```

```
## [1] 9354.23
```

```
(medianTotalStepsPerDay <-median(TotalStepsPerDay))
```

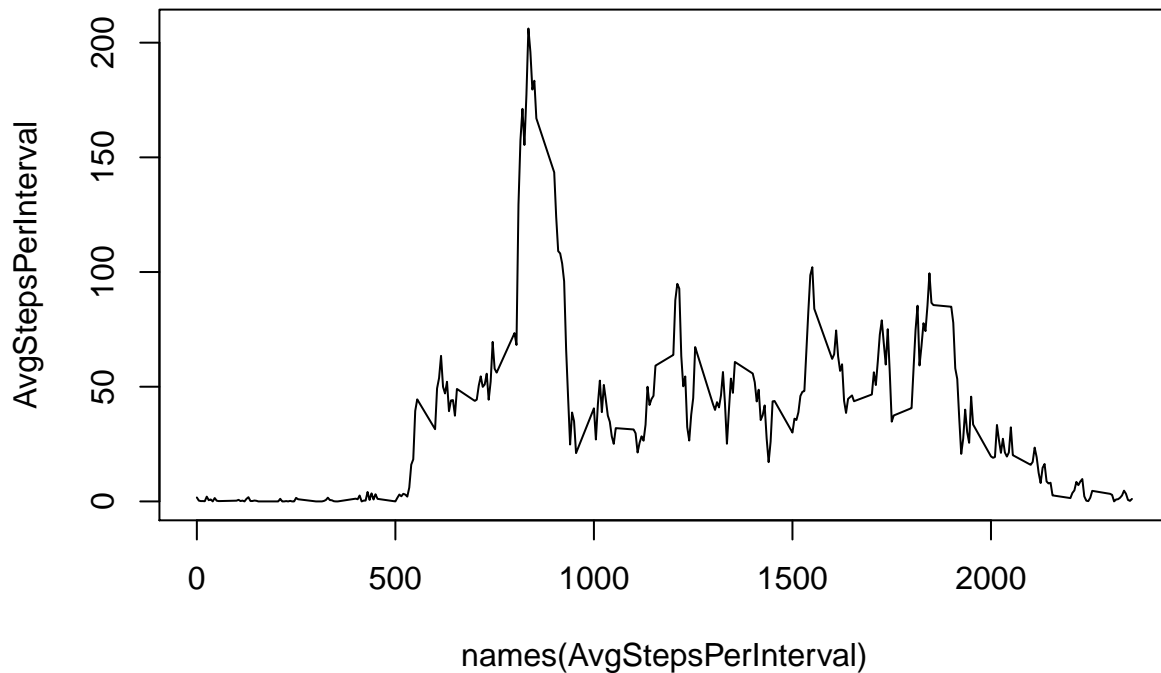
```
## [1] 10395
```

What is the average daily activity pattern?

```
AvgStepsPerInterval <-tapply(X = df$steps, INDEX = df$interval, FUN = mean, na.rm = TRUE)
head(AvgStepsPerInterval, n = 25)
```

```
##      0000      0005      0010      0015      0020      0025      0030
## 1.7169811 0.3396226 0.1320755 0.1509434 0.0754717 2.0943396 0.5283019
##      0035      0040      0045      0050      0055      0100      0105
## 0.8679245 0.0000000 1.4716981 0.3018868 0.1320755 0.3207547 0.6792453
##      0110      0115      0120      0125      0130      0135      0140
## 0.1509434 0.3396226 0.0000000 1.1132075 1.8301887 0.1698113 0.1698113
##      0145      0150      0155      0200
## 0.3773585 0.2641509 0.0000000 0.0000000
```

```
# 1. Make a time series plot (i.e. type = "l") of the 5-minute interval (x-axis) and the average number
plot(names(AvgStepsPerInterval), AvgStepsPerInterval,type = "l")
```



```
# 2. Which 5-minute interval, on average across all the days in the dataset, contains the maximum number
(maxAvgStepsPerInterval <-AvgStepsPerInterval[AvgStepsPerInterval == max(AvgStepsPerInterval)])
```

```
##      0835
## 206.1698
```

## Imputing missing values

```
# 1. Calculate and report the total number of missing values in the dataset (i.e. the total number of r
sum(!complete.cases(df))
```

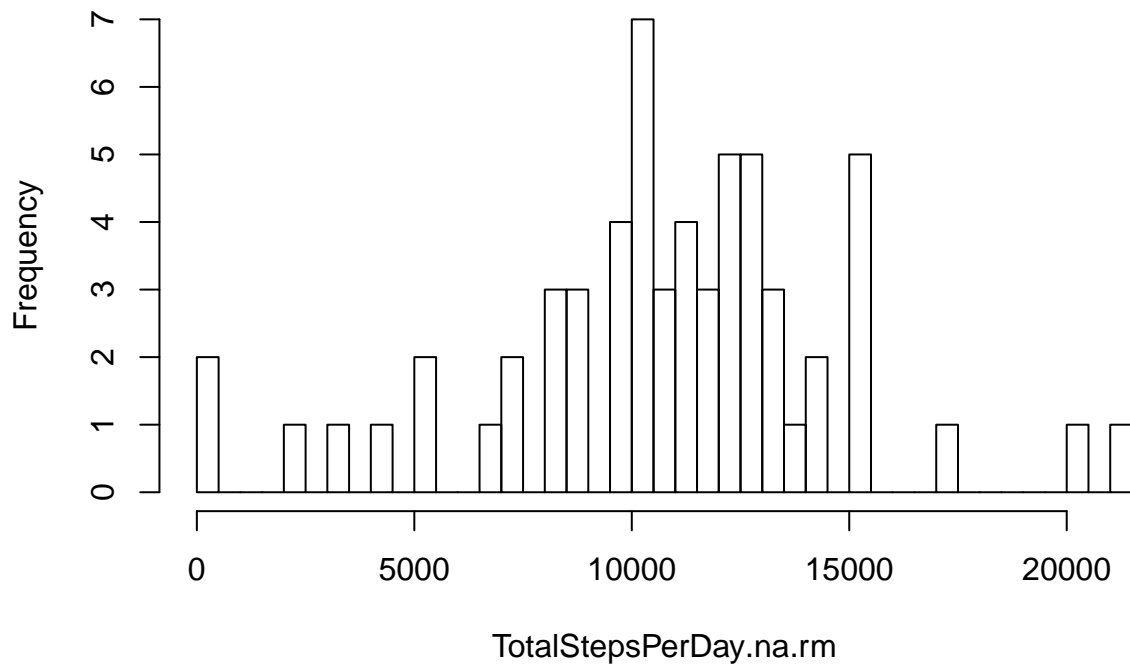
```
## [1] 2304
```

```
sum(is.na(df$steps))
```

```
## [1] 2304
```

```
# 2. Devise a strategy for filling in all of the missing values in the dataset.
# create data frame "dfc" of complete case
dfc <-df[complete.cases(df),]
# create matrix of avg steps by interval (row name) and day of week (column name)
dfcmatrix <-tapply(X = dfc$steps, INDEX = list(dfc$interval,dfc$dayofweek), mean, na.rm = TRUE)
# 3. Create a new dataset that is equal to the original dataset but with missing data filled in.
# make copy of original steps variable
df$steps.ori <-df$steps
# loop through original data frame "df" and replace NA steps with avg steps from dfcmatrix
for (i in 1:nrow(df))
{
  isteps <-df[i,"steps"]
  iinterval <-df[i,"interval"]
  idayofweek <-df[i,"dayofweek"]
  # if steps is missing, replace with avg from dfcmatrix
  if(is.na(isteps))
  {
    df[i,"steps"] <-dfcmatrix[iinterval,idayofweek]
  }
}
# 4. Make a histogram of the total number of steps taken each day and calculate the mean and median tot
TotalStepsPerDay.na.rm <-tapply(X = df$steps, INDEX = df$date, FUN = sum, na.rm = TRUE)
# histogram
hist(x = TotalStepsPerDay.na.rm, breaks = 60)
```

## Histogram of TotalStepsPerDay.na.rm



```
# mean and median
meanTotalStepsPerDay.na.rm <-mean(TotalStepsPerDay.na.rm)
medianTotalStepsPerDay.na.rm <-median(TotalStepsPerDay.na.rm)
# compare with mean before inputing missing values
meanTotalStepsPerDay
```

```
## [1] 9354.23
```

```
meanTotalStepsPerDay.na.rm
```

```
## [1] 10821.21
```

```
(meanDiff <-meanTotalStepsPerDay.na.rm - meanTotalStepsPerDay)
```

```
## [1] 1466.98
```

```
# compare with median before inputing missing values
medianTotalStepsPerDay
```

```
## [1] 10395
```

```
medianTotalStepsPerDay.na.rm
```

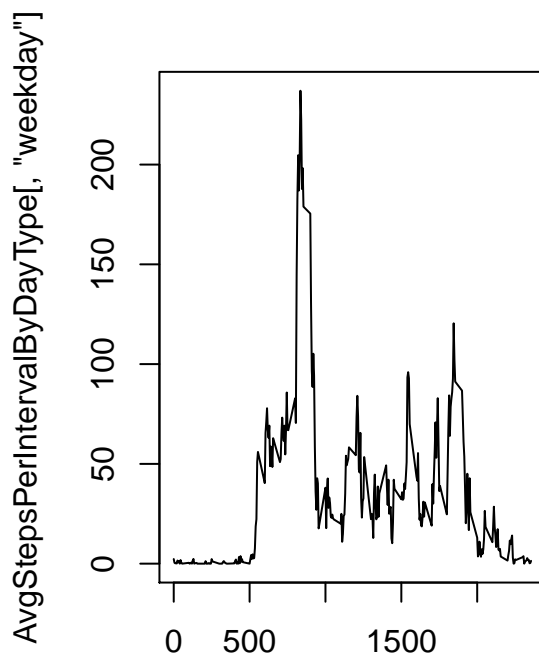
```
## [1] 11015
```

```
(medianDiff <- medianTotalStepsPerDay.na.rm - medianTotalStepsPerDay)
```

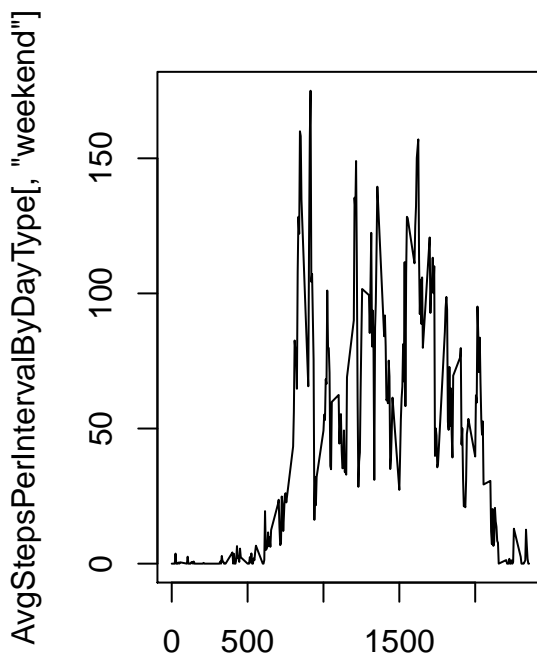
```
## [1] 620
```

Are there differences in activity patterns between weekdays and weekends?

```
df$dayofweek <- weekdays(df$date)
# 1. Create a new factor variable in the dataset with two levels - "weekday" and "weekend" indicating w
df$daytype <- "weekday"
df[substr(df$dayofweek,1,1) == "S", "daytype"] <- "weekend"
df$daytype <- factor(df$daytype, levels = c("weekday", "weekend"))
# 2. Make a panel plot containing a time series plot (i.e. type = "l") of the 5-minute interval (x-axis) a
# average number of steps taken per interval per daytype - weekday & weekend
AvgStepsPerIntervalByDayType <- tapply(X = df$steps, INDEX = list(df$interval, df$daytype), FUN = mean,
par.default <- par(mfrow=c(1,2))
plot(rownames(AvgStepsPerIntervalByDayType), AvgStepsPerIntervalByDayType[, "weekday"], type = "l")
plot(rownames(AvgStepsPerIntervalByDayType), AvgStepsPerIntervalByDayType[, "weekend"], type = "l")
```



rownames(AvgStepsPerIntervalByDayType



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```
par(par.default)
```