# A06 - Crafting Reports

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# **Objectives:**

- 1. More practice with R code chunk options
- 2. Gain proficiency with figures, tables (w/Kable) table of contents, etc.
- 3. Debugging knitting issues

### **Directions**

- Rename this file <DarpanBarua>\_A06\_CraftingReports.Rmd (replacing <FirstLast> with your first and last name).
- $2.\,$  Change "Student Name" on line 3 (above) with your name.
- 3. Work through the tasks, **creating code and output** that fulfill each instruction.
- 4. Be sure your code is tidy; use line breaks to ensure your code fits in the knitted output.
- 5. Be sure to **answer the questions** in this assignment document.
- 6. When you have completed the assignment, **Knit** the text and code into a single PDF file.
- 7. Be sure that you also commit and push your final Rmd document to your GitHub account.

### Task 1 - Basic Markdown

Using markdown, create a 2-column table beneath the Table: EPA Air Quality line below that summarizes the metadata of the EPA Air Quality data.

• The first column should have the header Item, below which are three rows listing these metadata attribute item names: Filename, Date, and Source.

- The second column should have the header Value and include the metadata values: EPAair\_03\_PM25\_NC1819\_Processed 2018-2019, and EPA Air Quality System (AQS).
- The first column should be aligned to the right and the second to the left.

Table 1: EPA Air Quality

Item	Value	
Filename	EPAair_03_PM25_NC1819_Processed.csv	
Date	2018-2019	
Source	EPA Air Quality System (AQS)	

# Task 2 - Import packages and data, suppressing messages

Set the following R code chunk so that it runs when knit, but no messages, errors, or any output is shown. The code itself, however, should be displayed.

```
#Import libraries
library(tidyverse)
library(lubridate)
library(here)
library(knitr)

#Import EPA data & fix dates
epa_data <- read.csv(
   here("Data", "Processed", "EPAair_03_PM25_NC1819_Processed.csv"),
   stringsAsFactors = TRUE
) %>%
   mutate(Date = ymd_hms(Date)) # Correctly parse Date-Time format
```

#### Task 3: Creating tables

Set the following R code chunk to display two tables, using knitr's kable() function, one listing the mean PM2.5 concentrations for each county, and the other the same except for Ozone.

- The titles should be "Mean Particulates (2.5mm)" and "Mean Ozone", respectively.
- The column names should be "County" and "µg/m3" for both tables. (See tip below.)
- Finally, round the concentration values in the 2nd column to two decimal places.

Customize the chunk options such that the code is run but is not displayed in the knitted document. The output, however, should be displayed.

#### TIPS:

- Use " $\mbox{\mbox{$\mbox{$\mbox{$\mbox{$\mbox{$\mbox{$}\mbox{$\mbox{$}\mbox{$\mbox{$}\mbox{$}\mbox{$}\mbox{$\mbox{$}\mbox{$}\mbox{$}\mbox{$}\mbox{$\mbox{$}$
- If your output table spans across two pages, try inserting a page break in the markdown just before your code chunk.

```
library(dplyr)
#Compute mean PM2.5 concentration for each county, sorted by value
summary_PM25 <- epa_data %>%
    drop_na(AQI_PM2.5) %>%
    group_by(COUNTY) %>%
    summarize(mean_PM2.5 = round(mean(AQI_PM2.5), 2)) %>%
    arrange(mean_PM2.5)

#Compute mean ozone concentration for each county, sorted by value
summary_Ozone <- epa_data %>%
    drop_na(AQI_Ozone) %>%
    group_by(COUNTY) %>%
    summarize(mean_Ozone = round(mean(AQI_Ozone), 2)) %>%
    arrange(mean_Ozone)
#Use the `kable` function to produce the 2 tables in markdown format
kable(summary_PM25, col.names = c("County", "$\\mu g/m^3$"), caption = "Mean Particulates (2.5mm)")
```

Table 2: Mean Particulates (2.5mm)

County	$\mu g/m^3$
Haywood	13.98
New Hanover	15.61
Avery	18.28
Edgecombe	26.07
Pitt	27.37
Guilford	29.14
Swain	30.63
Johnston	33.03
Durham	33.54
Mecklenburg	33.63
Forsyth	35.09
Wake	37.45

```
kable(summary_Ozone, col.names = c("County", "$\\mu g/m^3$"), caption = "Mean Ozone")
```

Table 3: Mean Ozone

County	$\mu g/m^3$
Swain	35.58
Avery	38.39
Wake	38.61
New Hanover	39.12
Edgecombe	39.22
Johnston	40.34
Mecklenburg	40.46
Durham	40.70
Pitt	41.64
Forsyth	44.02
Haywood	44.75
Guilford	45.87

# Task 4: Plots

Below this paragraph, but above the horizonal line (---), create two separate code chunks that create boxplots of the distribution of Ozone levels by month using, one for only records collected in 2018 and one for records in 2019. Customize the chunk options such that the final figures are displayed but not the code used to generate the figures. In addition, align the plots on the left side of the page and set the figure heights so both plots fit on the same page with minimal space remaining. Lastly, add a fig.cap chunk option to add a caption (title) to your plot that will display underneath the figure.

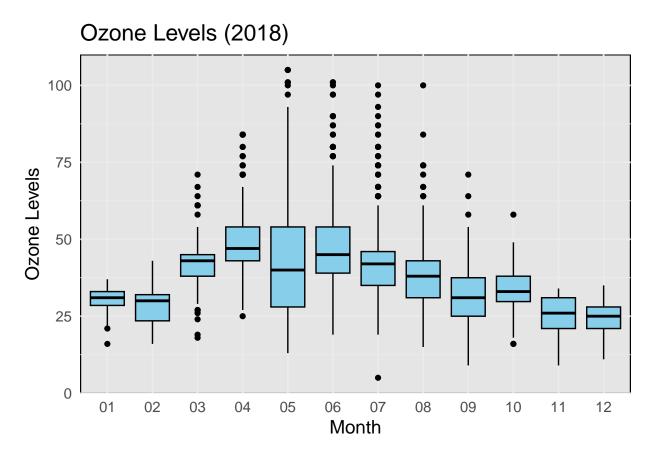


Figure 1: Boxplot of Ozone Levels by Month for 2018

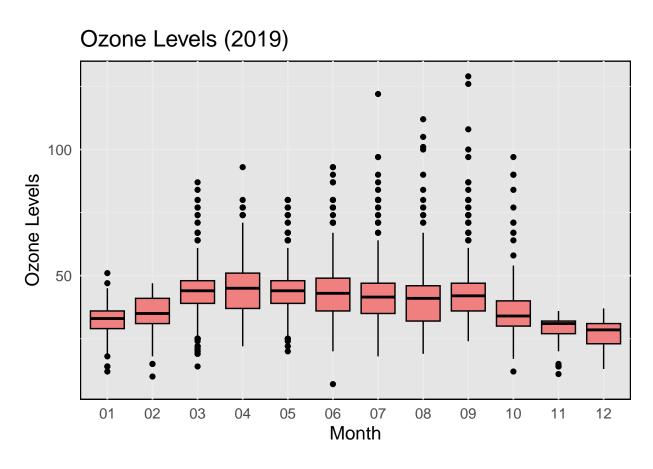


Figure 2: Boxplot of Ozone Levels by Month for 2019

Task 5: Knitting PDF