

Homework3Q2

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Stats 506: Homework 3 Question 2

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Data Used For This Question: NYCflights14 Data: <https://raw.githubusercontent.com/wiki/arunsrinivasan/flights/NYCflights14/flights14.csv>

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library("data.table", lib.loc=~R/x86_64-pc-linux-gnu-library/3.4")
library("ggplot2", lib.loc=~R/x86_64-pc-linux-gnu-library/3.4")
library("knitr", lib.loc=~R/x86_64-pc-linux-gnu-library/3.4")
library("rmarkdown", lib.loc=~R/x86_64-pc-linux-gnu-library/3.4")
library("curl", lib.loc=~R/x86_64-pc-linux-gnu-library/3.4")
library("rvest", lib.loc=~R/x86_64-pc-linux-gnu-library/3.4")
library("tidyverse", lib.loc=~R/x86_64-pc-linux-gnu-library/3.4")

# Functions Section
determine_time_window = function(x){ # Input is a number, assigns a window category
  if(x <= 1159){ # Used in Problem 2c
    return("0:00 to 11:59")
  }
  else if(x <= 1759){
    return("12:00 to 17:59")
  }
  else{
    return("18:00 to 23:59")
  }
}

determine_cat = function(x){ # Input is a number, assigns the type of departure delay
  response = ""
  if(x <= 0){
    response = "on_time"
  }
  else if(x <= 15){
    response = "less_15_min"
  }
  else{
    response = "more_15_min"
  }
  return(response)
}

determine_cat_vector = function(x){ # Applies previous function to a vector
  sapply(x, determine_cat) # Used in Problem 2d
}

standvec = function(x){ # Standardization for a vector by centering around mean
  n = length(x) # Used in Problem 2d
  mean = mean(x)
  for(i in 1:n){
    x[i] = ((x[i] - mean) / mean)
  }
}
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    return(x)
}

compute_CI = function(x){ # Computing a 95% Confid Interval of mean for a vector
  # Used in Problem 2d
  x = as.matrix(x) # Needed to coerce data.table into a matrix
  mn = mean(x)
  std = sd(x)
  n = length(x)
  se = std / sqrt(n)
  multi = qt(0.975, df = n-1)
  lwb = mn - (multi*se)
  upb = mn + (multi*se)
  return(c(lwb, upb))
}

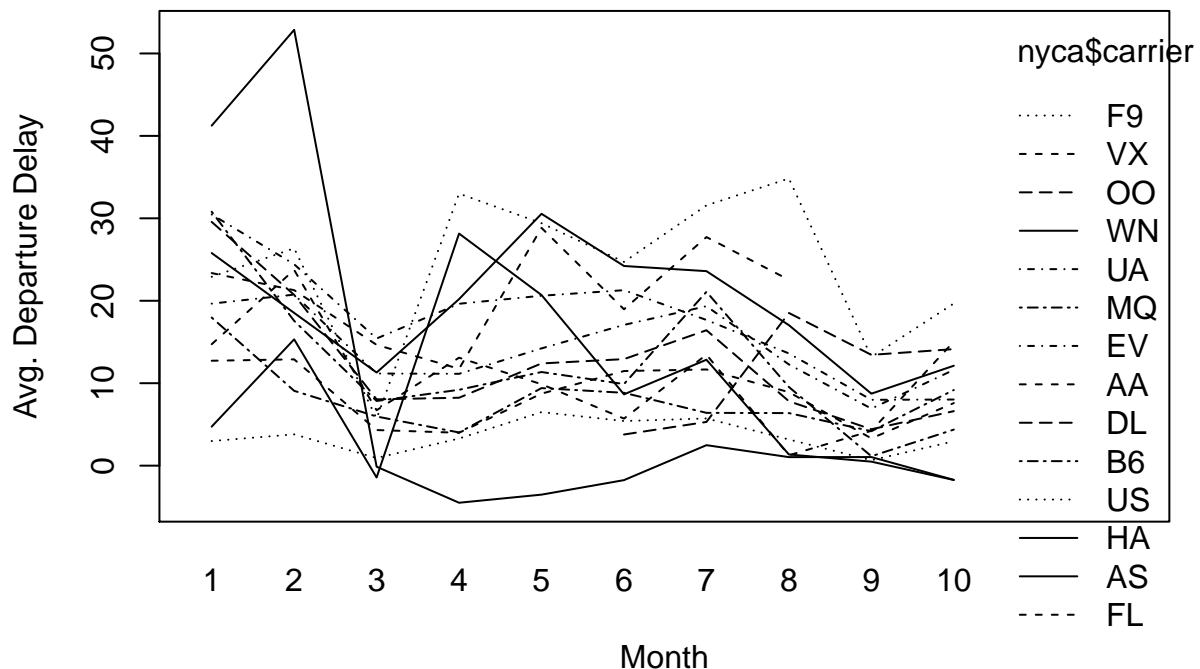
# End Functions Section

# Import the nyc14flights data
nyc14 = fread("https://raw.githubusercontent.com/wiki/arunsrinivasan/flights/NYCflights14/flights14.csv")

# Part A
nyc14 = nyc14[, lapply(.SD, mean), by=.(carrier, month), # Taking the mean of departure delays by carrier
               .SDcols = c("dep_delay")]
interaction.plot(nyc14$month, # Spaghetti Plot
                 nyc14$carrier, nyc14$dep_delay,
                 main = "Spaghetti Plot for Avg. Departure Delay, in minutes (By David Li)",
                 xlab="Month", ylab="Avg. Departure Delay")

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Spaghetti Plot for Avg. Departure Delay, in minutes (By David Li)



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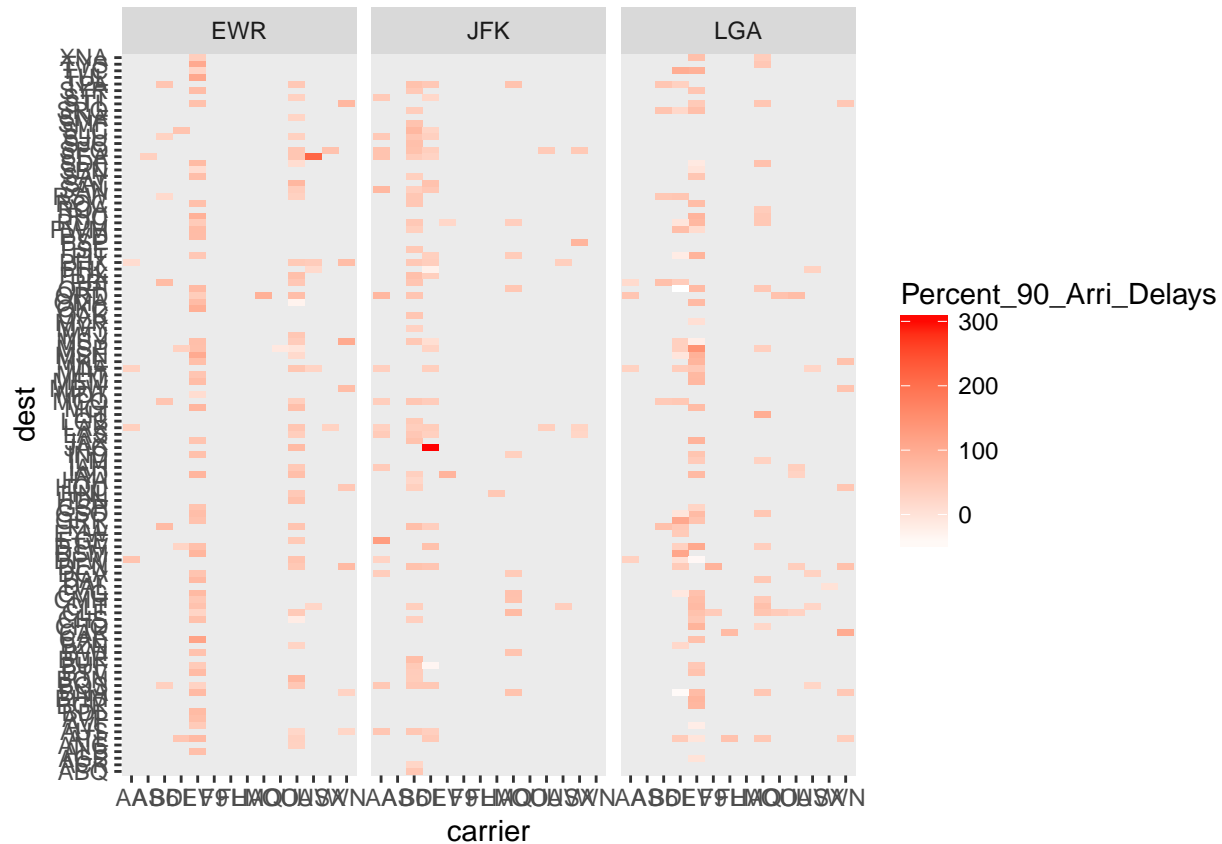
# Part B
nycb = nyc14[, .(Percent_90_Arrival_Delays = quantile(arr_delay, .9)), by = .(carrier, origin, dest)]

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] # Calculates the 90th precentile for arrival delays by carrier, origin, and destination
# Create the heatmap
heatmaps = ggplot(nycb, aes(carrier, dest)) + geom_tile(aes(fill = Percent_90_Arri_Delays)) +
  scale_fill_gradient(low = "white", high = "red") + facet_wrap(~origin)+
  theme(panel.grid.major = element_blank(), panel.grid.minor = element_blank())
heatmaps

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# Part C
nycc = nyc14[, Time_window := supply(dep_time, determine_time_window) # Determine time window
][, .(meandepdelay = mean(dep_delay)), keyby = .(origin, Time_window)
  # By origin & time window, calculate mean departure delays
]
nycc2 = dcast(nycc, origin ~ Time_window) # Reshaping the data for easier viewing

## Using 'meandepdelay' as value column. Use 'value.var' to override
nycc2

##   origin 0:00 to 11:59 12:00 to 17:59 18:00 to 23:59
## 1:   EWR      4.620008      13.90730      35.87753
## 2:   JFK      4.608232      10.22372      24.48946
## 3:   LGA      1.958671      10.37338      29.60819

# Part D
nycd = nyc14[, "new_air_time" := standvec(air_time), # Standardizing all of the air_times into new column
][, "delay_category" := determine_cat_vector(dep_delay), # Determining the departure delay category
][, .(meantime = (new_air_time)), by = .(delay_category) # By delay category, find mean standardized time
]

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# Computation of confidence interval bounds by delay_category and displaying in a table.
CItable = rbind(compute_CI(nycd[which(nycd$delay_category == "on_time"),2]) ,
                 compute_CI(nycd[which(nycd$delay_category == "less_15_min"),2]) ,
                 compute_CI(nycd[which(nycd$delay_category == "more_15_min"),2]))
CItable = cbind(c("on_time", "less_15_min", "more_15_min"),CItable)
colnames(CItable) = c("95% Confidence Intervals for Mean Relative Air Time", "Lower Bound", "Upper Bound")
kable(CItable, digits = 2, caption = '95% Confidence Intervals for Mean Relative Air Time')

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Table 1: 95% Confidence Intervals for Mean Relative Air Time

| 95% Confidence Intervals for Mean Relative Air Time | Lower Bound | Upper Bound |
|---|---------------------|----------------------|
| on_time | -0.0336644795721145 | -0.0275912942354094 |
| less_15_min | 0.106518798417413 | 0.118250527978069 |
| more_15_min | -0.0119087775578299 | -0.00182984359570072 |