Module 7

Data Summarization

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Basic statistical summarization

```
mean(x): takes the mean of x

sd(x): takes the standard deviation of x

median(x): takes the median of x

quantile(x): displays sample quantities of x. Default is min, IQR, max

range(x): displays the range. Same as c(min(x), max(x))

Basic summarization plots

plot(x,y): scatterplot of x and y

boxplot(y~x): boxplot of y against levels of x

hist(x): histogram of x

density(X): kernel density plot of x
```

Data Summarization on matrices/data frames

Basic statistical summarization

```
rowMeans(x): takes the means of each row of x
colMeans(x): takes the means of each column of x
rowSums(x): takes the sum of each row of x
colSums(x): takes the sum of each column of x
summary(x): for data frames, displays the quantile information

Basic summarization plots
matplot(x,y): scatterplot of two matrices, x and y
pairs(x,y): plots pairwise scatter plots of matrices x and y, column by column
```

column and row means

Summary

> summary(dat2)

```
day
                       date
                                      orangeAverage
                                                     purpleAverage
Length: 1146
                   Length: 1146
                                      Min.
                                                     Min.
Class :character
                   Class :character
                                      1st Qu.:2001
                                                     1st Ou.:2795
Mode :character
                   Mode :character
                                      Median:2968
                                                     Median:4222
                                             :3033
                                                            :4017
                                      Mean
                                                     Mean
                                      3rd Qu.:4020
                                                     3rd Qu.:5147
                                             :6926
                                                             :8090
                                      Max.
                                                     Max.
                                      NA's
                                             :10
                                                            :153
                                                     NA's
               bannerAverage
                                  daily
 greenAverage
Min.
           0
               Min.
                          0
                              Min.
                                          0
1st Qu.:1491
               1st Qu.: 632
                              1st Qu.: 4293
                              Median : 6702
Median :2079
               Median: 763
       :1958
                      : 827
                                     : 7233
Mean
               Mean
                              Mean
3rd Qu.:2340
               3rd Qu.: 946
                              3rd Qu.:10501
       :5094
                      :4617
                                     :22074
Max.
               Max.
                              Max.
                      :876
                                     :124
NA's
       :661
               NA's
                              NA's
```

Apply statements

You can apply more general functions to the rows or columns of a matrix or data frame, beyond the mean and sum.

```
apply(X, MARGIN, FUN, ...)
```

X : an array, including a matrix.

MARGIN: a vector giving the subscripts which the function will be applied over. E.g., for a matrix 1 indicates rows, 2 indicates columns, c(1, 2) indicates rows and columns. Where X has named dimnames, it can be a character vector selecting dimension names.

FUN: the function to be applied: see 'Details'.

: optional arguments to FUN.

Apply statements

```
> tmp = dat2[,3:6]
> apply(tmp,2,mean,na.rm=TRUE) # column means
orangeAverage purpleAverage greenAverage bannerAverage
       3033.2
                     4016.9
                                   1957.8
                                                  827.3
> apply(tmp,2,sd,na.rm=TRUE) # columns sds
orangeAverage purpleAverage greenAverage bannerAverage
      1227.6
                     1406.7
                                    592.9
                                                  436.0
> apply(tmp,2,max,na.rm=TRUE) # column maxs
orangeAverage purpleAverage greenAverage bannerAverage
         6926
                       8090
                                     5094
                                                   4617
```

Other Apply Statements

```
tapply(): 'table' apply
lapply(): 'list' apply [tomorrow]
sapply(): 'simple' apply [tomorrow]
Other less used ones...
```

See more details here: http://nsaunders.wordpress.com/2010/08/20/a-brief-introduction-to-apply-in-r/

tapply()

From the help file: "Apply a function to each cell of a ragged array, that is to each (non-empty) group of values given by a unique combination of the levels of certain factors."

```
tapply(X, INDEX, FUN = NULL, ..., simplify = TRUE)
```

Simply put, you can apply function **FUN** to **X** within each categorical level of **INDEX**. It is very useful for assessing properties of continuous data by levels of categorical data.

tapply()

For example, we can estimate the highest average daily ridership for each day of the week in 1 line in the Circulator dataset.

> tapply(dat\$daily, dat\$day, max, na.rm=TRUE)

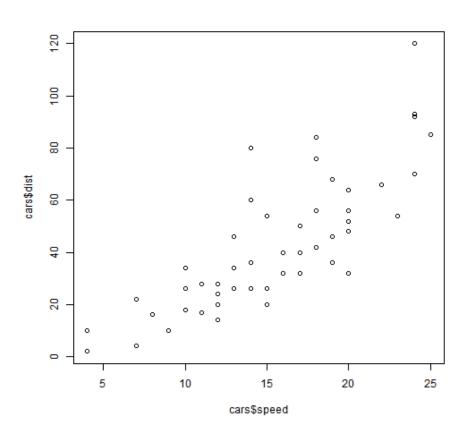
Friday	Monday	Saturday	Sunday	Thursday	Tuesday	Wednesday
21951	13982	22075	15224	17580	14776	15672

Basic Plots

Plotting is an important component of exploratory data analysis. We will review some of the more useful and informative plots here. We will go over formatting and making plots look nicer in additional lectures.

Scatterplot

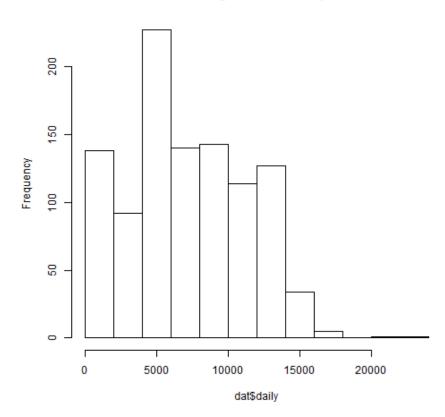
- > data(cars)
- > plot(cars\$speed, cars\$dist)



Histograms

> hist(dat\$daily)

Histogram of dat\$daily



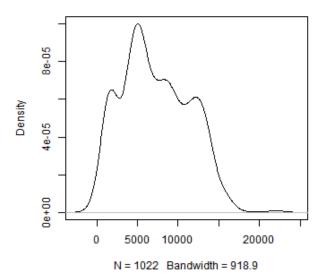
Density

```
> plot(density(dat$daily))
```

Error: 'x' contains missing values

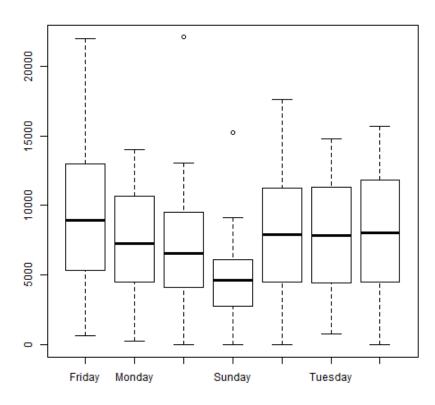
> plot(density(dat\$daily,na.rm=TRUE))

density.default(x = dat\$daily, na.rm = TRUE)



Boxplots

> boxplot(dat\$daily ~ dat\$day)



Matrix plot

> matplot(dat2[,3:6])

