

Skills Problem Set 2

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Due Thursday April 15, midnight Central Time.

Upload your pdf to canvas.

Push your code to your repo on Github Classroom.

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Name your submission files `skills_ps_2.Rmd` and `skills_ps_2.pdf`. (10 points)

1 1 git concepts (10 points)

1. git is software for distributed version control. List 4 benefits of distributed version control.

```
# Changes to files are tracked between computers, so all the developers could
# keep track of what was happening to files at any given time.

# Branching and merging can happen automatically and quickly.

# Developers can work on code offline. This increases productivity

# Multiple copies of the software eliminate reliance on a single backup file.
```

For the next questions, we will reference “Learn git concepts, not commands”. Read sections from “Overview” through “Branching”. It is written with git command line in mind, but github desktop has all these features as well. Focus on the concepts (ie understand the pictures). Save some changes to your homework and make sure its being tracked by git with github desktop.

- i. What is the remote repository for this homework? Be as specific as possible.

```
# For my specific homework, my remote repository is linked below:
# https://github.com/datasci-harris/problem-set-skills-2-guccimane457

# answer source: https://github.com/UnseenWizzard/git_training
# Github Classroom is the remote repository for this homework.
# The remote repository is where you send your changes when you want to share
# them with other people, and where you get their changes from.
```

ii. How do you add a file to staging in github desktop? (This is subtle, because it happens automatically).

```
# After creating a Github account, downloading Github desktop application,  
# logging into your account...  
  
# then accepting the assignment and your assignment repository has been  
# created in Github...  
  
# We "add" a file to staging in github desktop by working on our assignment  
# using Rstudio. The assignment files are in pdf and rmd.  
  
# The staging area can hold changes from any number of files that you want to  
# commit as a single snapshot. All your changes now appear in GitHub Desktop.  
# Decide whether they go together in one commit, or need separate commits, and  
# use the blue bars and ticky boxes and unstage or restage the lines.  
  
# answer source: https://jcszamosi.github.io/mcmaster\_swc\_git\_gui/03-create-changes/#:~:text=The%20stag
```

iii. How do you commit an issue to the local repository? (This is not subtle).

```
# We commit issues to the local respository with the "commit to main" command,  
# which is also a blue button in the lower left hand corner of Github Desktop.  
# Note that a commit is not automatically transferred to the remote server.  
# If you want to exchange commits with others or share them, use the "Push"  
# command (Ctrl + P). This will push your code to the remote repository.  
  
# answer source: https://www.git-tower.com/learn/git/commands/git-commit/
```

iv. How does github desktop decide what part of your code to show in the main part of the window?

```
# Github desktop decides what part of your code to show in the main part of  
# the window based on your "Current Branch". Branches are used by Github to  
# organize your code as you progress and commit versions of your code. As you  
# or others make changes, you can create a new branch with a unique name to  
# separate your or everyones unique changes.  
  
# answer source: https://thenewstack.io/dont-mess-with-the-master-working-with-branches-in-git-and-gith
```

v. What branch are you on right now? Why?

```
# I am on the main branch, where all changes eventually merge back to, and is  
# the official working version of my project. The main branch is the default  
# branch, and is the one your code will commit to if you have not yet created  
# any new branches (such is the case for me with this pset)
```

vi. If you were to click on “current branch”, type a name and click the “New Branch” button, you would create a new branch.

a. What would happen to the files in your working directory?

```
# The changes locally overwrite the state of the working directory, of the  
# new branch you have just switched to. Your master branch state is unchanged  
# and can be restored by git checkout master.
```

b. What would happens in the remote repo?

```
# The remote repo also is not affected.  
  
# If you create a "new branch", it shows up in the remote repo  
  
# Git branches are designed to be a fail-safe mechanism for integrating code  
# and sharing changes between repositories.
```

c. What changes, if anything?

```
# the branch name (for your new branch)  
  
# You have the option to bring your in-progress work over to the newly created  
# branch. You can also stash your in-progress work on the main branch, leaving  
# it unaffected.
```

d. Why would you want to work on a different branch?

```
# As you or others make changes, you can create a different or new branch with  
# a unique name to separate your or everyones unique changes.  
  
# Git's branching functionality lets you create new branches of a project to  
# test ideas, isolate new features, or experiment without impacting the main  
# project.  
  
# answer source: https://thenewstack.io/dont-mess-with-the-master-working-with-branches-in-git-and-github/
```

vii. If you created a new branch in the previous step, nice! Experimentation develops your skills and understanding. Now, make sure you are on master as you continue your homework.

2 2 Fun with dplyr

2.1 2.1 Debugging mindset (5 points)

1. Why does this code doesn't work?

```
# the code worked for me after respelling 'my_variable' to 'my_variable'  
  
my_variable <- 10  
my_variable
```

```
## [1] 10
```

```
## Error in eval(expr, envir, enclos): object 'my_variable' not found
```

2. Fix the following code so it works

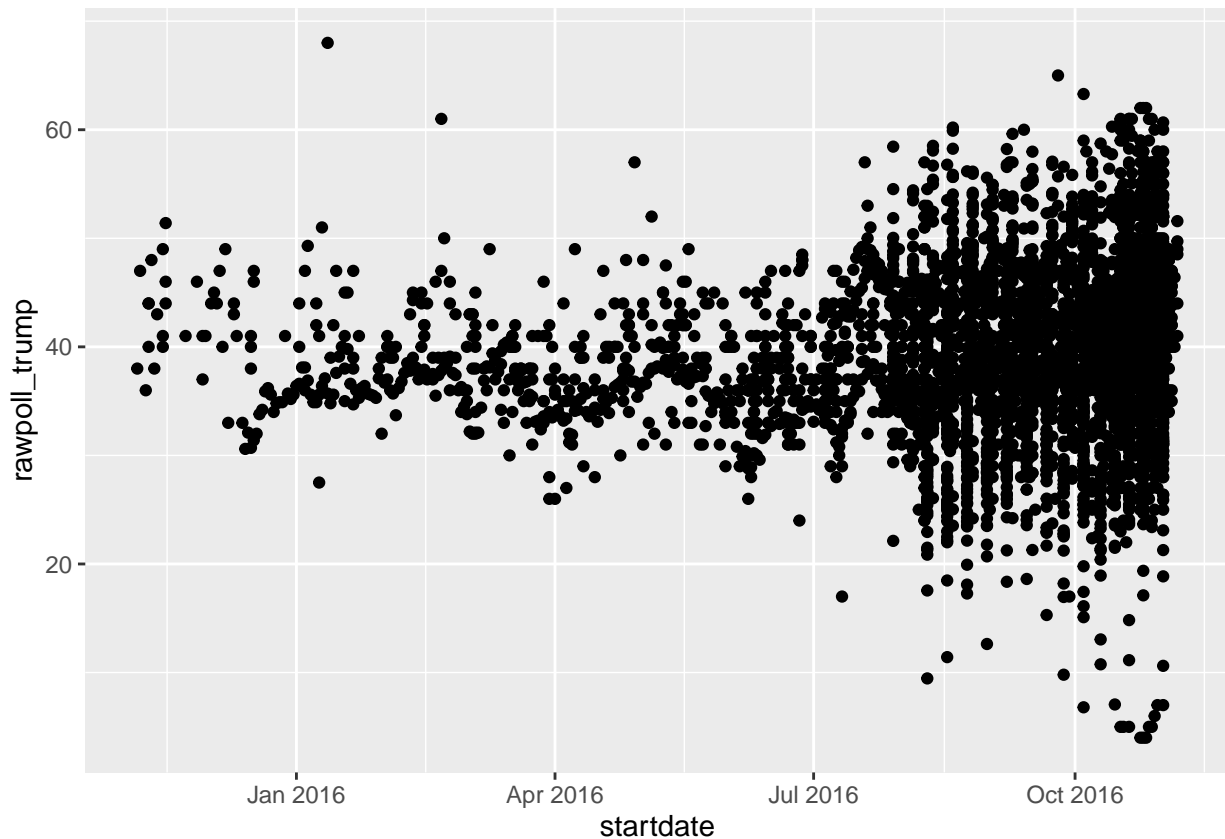
```
# library(dslabs)

# ggplot(dota = polls_us_election_2016) +
#   geom_point(mapping = aes(x = startdate,
#                             # y = rawpoll_trump))
#   fliter(polls_us_election_2016, cyl = "Florida")
#   filter(diamond, carat > 3)

# FIXED CODE IS BELOW:

library(dslabs)
view(polls_us_election_2016)
view(diamonds)

ggplot(data = polls_us_election_2016) +
  geom_point(mapping = aes(x = startdate, y = rawpoll_trump))
```



```
filter(polls_us_election_2016, state == "Florida") %>% head(10)
```

```
##      state startdate   enddate      pollster grade samplesize
```

```
## 1 Florida 2016-11-03 2016-11-06 Quinnipiac University A- 884
## 2 Florida 2016-11-01 2016-11-02 Remington <NA> 2352
## 3 Florida 2016-11-02 2016-11-04 YouGov B 1188
## 4 Florida 2016-10-20 2016-10-24 SurveyUSA A 1251
## 5 Florida 2016-11-01 2016-11-07 SurveyMonkey C- 4092
## 6 Florida 2016-10-27 2016-11-01 CNN/Opinion Research Corp. A- 773
## 7 Florida 2016-11-01 2016-11-02 Gravis Marketing B- 1220
## 8 Florida 2016-11-06 2016-11-06 Trafalgar Group C 1100
## 9 Florida 2016-10-25 2016-10-27 Siena College A 815
## 10 Florida 2016-10-25 2016-10-26 Marist College A 779
## population rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin
## 1 lv 46.00 45.00 2.00 NA
## 2 lv 45.00 48.00 NA NA
## 3 rv 45.00 45.00 NA NA
## 4 lv 48.00 45.00 2.00 NA
## 5 lv 47.00 45.00 4.00 NA
## 6 lv 49.00 47.00 3.00 NA
## 7 rv 46.00 45.00 4.00 NA
## 8 lv 46.13 49.72 2.43 NA
## 9 lv 42.00 46.00 4.00 NA
## 10 lv 45.00 44.00 5.00 NA
## adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1 46.44315 43.93999 2.098310 NA
## 2 44.85722 46.49677 NA NA
## 3 47.07455 46.99468 NA NA
## 4 46.74555 45.86589 1.520730 NA
## 5 45.59190 44.32744 1.692430 NA
## 6 48.35252 45.23579 2.469063 NA
## 7 46.02363 44.52199 4.647916 NA
## 8 45.75904 46.82230 3.495849 NA
## 9 42.40145 48.60084 2.457160 NA
## 10 43.82500 45.76098 2.980521 NA
```

```
filter(diamonds, carat > 3) %>% head(1)
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 x 10
##   carat cut      color clarity depth table price      x      y      z
##   <dbl> <ord>    <ord> <ord>    <dbl> <dbl> <int> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
## 1  3.01 Premium I      I1      62.7  58  8040  9.1  8.97  5.67
```

3. Press Alt (Option) + Shift + K. What happens? How can you get to the same place using the menus?

```
# Pressing Alt (Option) + Shift + K in RStudio will pull up the Keyboard
# Shortcut quick reference popup.

# You can also pull up the keyboard shortcut quick reference popup using the
# menus by clicking 'Tools' tab, then selecting 'Keyboard Shortcuts Help'
```

2.2 Filter (15 points)

1. Using the polls_us_election_2016 data frame in the dslabspackage find the following
2. Polls for the states of Hawaii and Alaska

```
# we use the "/" sign to include multiple criteria together in our filter
filter(polls_us_election_2016, state == "Hawaii" | state == "Alaska") %>%
  head(10)
```

```
##      state startdate   enddate      pollster grade samplesize
## 1  Alaska 2016-11-03 2016-11-06   Gravis Marketing    B-         617
## 2  Hawaii 2016-11-01 2016-11-07    SurveyMonkey    C-         426
## 3  Alaska 2016-11-01 2016-11-07    SurveyMonkey    C-         409
## 4  Alaska 2016-10-25 2016-10-27 Google Consumer Surveys    B         446
## 5  Alaska 2016-10-21 2016-10-26   Craciun Research  <NA>         400
## 6  Alaska 2016-10-11 2016-10-13 Lake Research Partners    B+         500
## 7  Alaska 2016-10-05 2016-10-06   Moore Information    B         500
## 8  Hawaii 2016-10-30 2016-11-06    SurveyMonkey    C-         426
## 9  Alaska 2016-10-30 2016-11-06    SurveyMonkey    C-         382
## 10 Hawaii 2016-10-04 2016-11-06    YouGov          B          289
##      population rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin
## 1         rv          41.0          44.0          3.0             NA
## 2         lv          52.0          28.0          9.0             NA
## 3         lv          31.0          48.0         12.0             NA
## 4         lv          38.0          39.0         11.0             NA
## 5         lv          47.0          43.0          7.0             NA
## 6         lv          36.0          37.0          7.0             NA
## 7         lv          34.0          37.0         10.0             NA
## 8         lv          52.0          29.0          9.0             NA
## 9         lv          31.0          47.0         13.0             NA
## 10        lv          50.3          27.9          4.1             NA
##      adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1      40.84795      43.33498      3.726098      NA
## 2      50.61398      27.33769      6.692430      NA
## 3      29.60705      47.33447      9.692430      NA
## 4      43.43333      46.13872      9.828628      NA
## 5      44.75680      44.77065      6.616653      NA
## 6      36.93134      42.37487      5.751367      NA
## 7      36.22323      41.11790      8.260216      NA
## 8      50.68395      28.39450      6.677361      NA
## 9      29.67449      46.38923     10.677360      NA
## 10     51.16296      30.58176      3.811562      NA
```

2. Polls with sample sizes bigger than 500 people

```
filter(polls_us_election_2016, samplesize > 500) %>% head(10)
```

```
##      state startdate   enddate
## 1    U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-06
## 2    U.S. 2016-11-01 2016-11-07
## 3    U.S. 2016-11-02 2016-11-06
## 4    U.S. 2016-11-04 2016-11-07
## 5    U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-06
## 6    U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-06
## 7    U.S. 2016-11-02 2016-11-06
## 8    U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-05
## 9 New Mexico 2016-11-06 2016-11-06
```

```
## 10      U.S. 2016-11-04 2016-11-07
##
##          pollster grade samplesize
## 1      ABC News/Washington Post    A+      2220
## 2      Google Consumer Surveys     B       26574
## 3      Ipsos                       A-       2195
## 4      YouGov                      B       3677
## 5      Gravis Marketing             B-      16639
## 6      Fox News/Anderson Robbins Research/Shaw & Company Research    A       1295
## 7      CBS News/New York Times     A-       1426
## 8      NBC News/Wall Street Journal A-       1282
## 9      Zia Poll                    <NA>      8439
## 10     IBD/TIPP                    A-       1107
##
##      population rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin
## 1      lv          47.00          43.00          4.00          NA
## 2      lv          38.03          35.69          5.46          NA
## 3      lv          42.00          39.00          6.00          NA
## 4      lv          45.00          41.00          5.00          NA
## 5      rv          47.00          43.00          3.00          NA
## 6      lv          48.00          44.00          3.00          NA
## 7      lv          45.00          41.00          5.00          NA
## 8      lv          44.00          40.00          6.00          NA
## 9      lv          46.00          44.00          6.00          NA
## 10     lv          41.20          42.70          7.10          NA
##
##      adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1      45.20163      41.72430      4.626221      NA
## 2      43.34557      41.21439      5.175792      NA
## 3      42.02638      38.81620      6.844734      NA
## 4      45.65676      40.92004      6.069454      NA
## 5      46.84089      42.33184      3.726098      NA
## 6      49.02208      43.95631      3.057876      NA
## 7      45.11649      40.92722      4.341786      NA
## 8      43.58576      40.77325      5.365788      NA
## 9      44.82594      41.59978      7.870127      NA
## 10     42.92745      42.23545      6.316175      NA
```

3. Polls run by YouGov, Google Consumer Surveys or SurveyMonkey

```
# library(dplyr)
# target <- c("Ticker1", "Ticker2", "Ticker3")
# filter(df, Ticker %in% target)

# code source: https://stackoverflow.com/questions/50687466/filtering-column-by-multiple-values

filter_polls <- c("YouGov", "Google Consumer Surveys", "SurveyMonkey")
filter(polls_us_election_2016, pollster %in% filter_polls ) %>% head(10)
```

```
##          state startdate   enddate          pollster grade samplesize
## 1      U.S. 2016-11-01 2016-11-07 Google Consumer Surveys     B       26574
## 2      U.S. 2016-11-04 2016-11-07      YouGov          B       3677
## 3      Ohio 2016-11-02 2016-11-04      YouGov          B       1189
## 4      Georgia 2016-11-03 2016-11-05      YouGov          B        995
## 5      Pennsylvania 2016-11-03 2016-11-05      YouGov          B        931
## 6      Florida 2016-11-02 2016-11-04      YouGov          B       1188
```

```
## 7      U.S. 2016-10-31 2016-11-06      SurveyMonkey C-      70194
## 8      California 2016-10-25 2016-10-31      YouGov B      1498
## 9      Florida 2016-11-01 2016-11-07      SurveyMonkey C-      4092
## 10     Utah 2016-11-03 2016-11-05      YouGov B      762
##      population rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin
## 1      lv      38.03      35.69      5.46      NA
## 2      lv      45.00      41.00      5.00      NA
## 3      lv      45.00      46.00      NA      NA
## 4      lv      43.00      49.00      4.00      NA
## 5      lv      45.00      43.00      4.00      NA
## 6      rv      45.00      45.00      NA      NA
## 7      lv      47.00      41.00      6.00      NA
## 8      lv      53.00      33.00      4.00      NA
## 9      lv      47.00      45.00      4.00      NA
## 10     lv      23.00      40.00      7.00      24
##      adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1      43.34557      41.21439      5.175792      NA
## 2      45.65676      40.92004      6.069454      NA
## 3      44.93624      45.09646      NA      NA
## 4      43.80799      48.99024      5.169494      NA
## 5      45.82043      42.99602      5.169494      NA
## 6      47.07455      46.99468      NA      NA
## 7      45.65592      40.37888      3.677361      NA
## 8      53.93975      34.06845      4.511946      NA
## 9      45.59190      44.32744      1.692430      NA
## 10     23.83396      40.00230      8.169495      24
```

4. Polls with A+ grade and percentage for Trump less than 30

```
filter(polls_us_election_2016, grade == "A+", rawpoll_trump < 30)
```

```
##      state startdate enddate      pollster
## 1 Maryland 2016-09-27 2016-09-30      ABC News/Washington Post
## 2 Washington 2016-08-09 2016-08-13      Elway Research
## 3 California 2016-06-08 2016-07-02      Field Research Corporation (Field Poll)
## 4 Maryland 2016-03-30 2016-04-03      ABC News/Washington Post
##      grade samplesize population rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson
## 1      A+      706      lv      63      27      4
## 2      A+      350      lv      45      24      NA
## 3      A+      495      lv      50      26      10
## 4      A+      752      rv      63      28      NA
##      rawpoll_mcmullin adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson
## 1      NA      62.70862      28.73903      1.469119
## 2      NA      44.68377      27.79350      NA
## 3      NA      52.61833      29.79511      5.842896
## 4      NA      60.84333      30.40937      NA
##      adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1      NA
## 2      NA
## 3      NA
## 4      NA
```

5. Polls where the adjusted percentage for Clinton is between 40 and 60 percent (inclusive)


```
filter(polls_us_election_2016, adjpoll_clinton < 60 & adjpoll_clinton > 40) %>%
  head(10)
```

```
##      state  startdate  enddate
## 1      U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-06
## 2      U.S. 2016-11-01 2016-11-07
## 3      U.S. 2016-11-02 2016-11-06
## 4      U.S. 2016-11-04 2016-11-07
## 5      U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-06
## 6      U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-06
## 7      U.S. 2016-11-02 2016-11-06
## 8      U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-05
## 9 New Mexico 2016-11-06 2016-11-06
## 10     U.S. 2016-11-04 2016-11-07
##
##                                pollster grade samplesize
## 1                                ABC News/Washington Post  A+      2220
## 2                                Google Consumer Surveys    B      26574
## 3                                Ipsos                      A-      2195
## 4                                YouGov                      B      3677
## 5                                Gravis Marketing           B-     16639
## 6 Fox News/Anderson Robbins Research/Shaw & Company Research  A      1295
## 7                                CBS News/New York Times    A-     1426
## 8                                NBC News/Wall Street Journal A-     1282
## 9                                Zia Poll <NA>              8439
## 10                               IBD/TIPP                  A-     1107
##
## population rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin
## 1          lv           47.00          43.00           4.00           NA
## 2          lv           38.03          35.69           5.46           NA
## 3          lv           42.00          39.00           6.00           NA
## 4          lv           45.00          41.00           5.00           NA
## 5          rv           47.00          43.00           3.00           NA
## 6          lv           48.00          44.00           3.00           NA
## 7          lv           45.00          41.00           5.00           NA
## 8          lv           44.00          40.00           6.00           NA
## 9          lv           46.00          44.00           6.00           NA
## 10         lv           41.20          42.70           7.10           NA
##
## adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1          45.20163          41.72430          4.626221           NA
## 2          43.34557          41.21439          5.175792           NA
## 3          42.02638          38.81620          6.844734           NA
## 4          45.65676          40.92004          6.069454           NA
## 5          46.84089          42.33184          3.726098           NA
## 6          49.02208          43.95631          3.057876           NA
## 7          45.11649          40.92722          4.341786           NA
## 8          43.58576          40.77325          5.365788           NA
## 9          44.82594          41.59978          7.870127           NA
## 10         42.92745          42.23545          6.316175           NA
```

6. Polls where Trump raw winning margin over Clinton is bigger than 10%

```
filter(polls_us_election_2016, (rawpoll_trump - rawpoll_clinton) > 10) %>%
  head(10)
```

##	state	startdate	enddate	pollster	grade	samplesize
## 1	Missouri	2016-10-31	2016-11-01	Public Policy Polling	B+	1083
## 2	Missouri	2016-11-01	2016-11-02	Clarity Campaign Labs	B	1036
## 3	Missouri	2016-10-31	2016-11-01	Remington	<NA>	1722
## 4	Utah	2016-11-03	2016-11-05	YouGov	B	762
## 5	Utah	2016-10-31	2016-11-02	Emerson College	B	1000
## 6	Utah	2016-11-03	2016-11-05	Trafalgar Group	C	1350
## 7	Indiana	2016-11-01	2016-11-07	SurveyMonkey	C-	1700
## 8	Missouri	2016-10-27	2016-10-28	BK Strategies	<NA>	1698
## 9	Kansas	2016-10-26	2016-10-30	SurveyUSA	A	624
## 10	Kentucky	2016-11-01	2016-11-07	SurveyMonkey	C-	1315
##	population	rawpoll_clinton	rawpoll_trump	rawpoll_johnson	rawpoll_mcmullin	
## 1	lv	37.00	50.00	4.00	NA	
## 2	lv	38.00	54.00	NA	NA	
## 3	lv	39.00	52.00	4.00	NA	
## 4	lv	23.00	40.00	7.00	24.00	
## 5	lv	19.60	39.80	3.00	27.60	
## 6	lv	29.52	39.95	3.89	24.52	
## 7	lv	35.00	52.00	10.00	NA	
## 8	lv	39.00	53.00	NA	NA	
## 9	lv	38.00	49.00	7.00	NA	
## 10	lv	35.00	54.00	6.00	NA	
##	adjpoll_clinton	adjpoll_trump	adjpoll_johnson	adjpoll_mcmullin		
## 1	36.55124	49.59908	5.028656	NA		
## 2	37.65693	52.77196	NA	NA		
## 3	39.02343	50.77483	5.124639	NA		
## 4	23.83396	40.00230	8.169495	24.00000		
## 5	19.75684	38.01440	3.075563	27.70142		
## 6	29.32624	37.13456	5.055889	24.52000		
## 7	33.58643	51.32490	7.692430	NA		
## 8	38.35085	51.20917	NA	NA		
## 9	36.85588	48.73752	7.213034	NA		
## 10	33.58942	53.32629	3.692430	NA		

7. Polls where McMullin percentage is more than 5 %.

```
filter(polls_us_election_2016, rawpoll_mcmullin > 5, adjpoll_mcmullin > 5) %>% head(10)
```

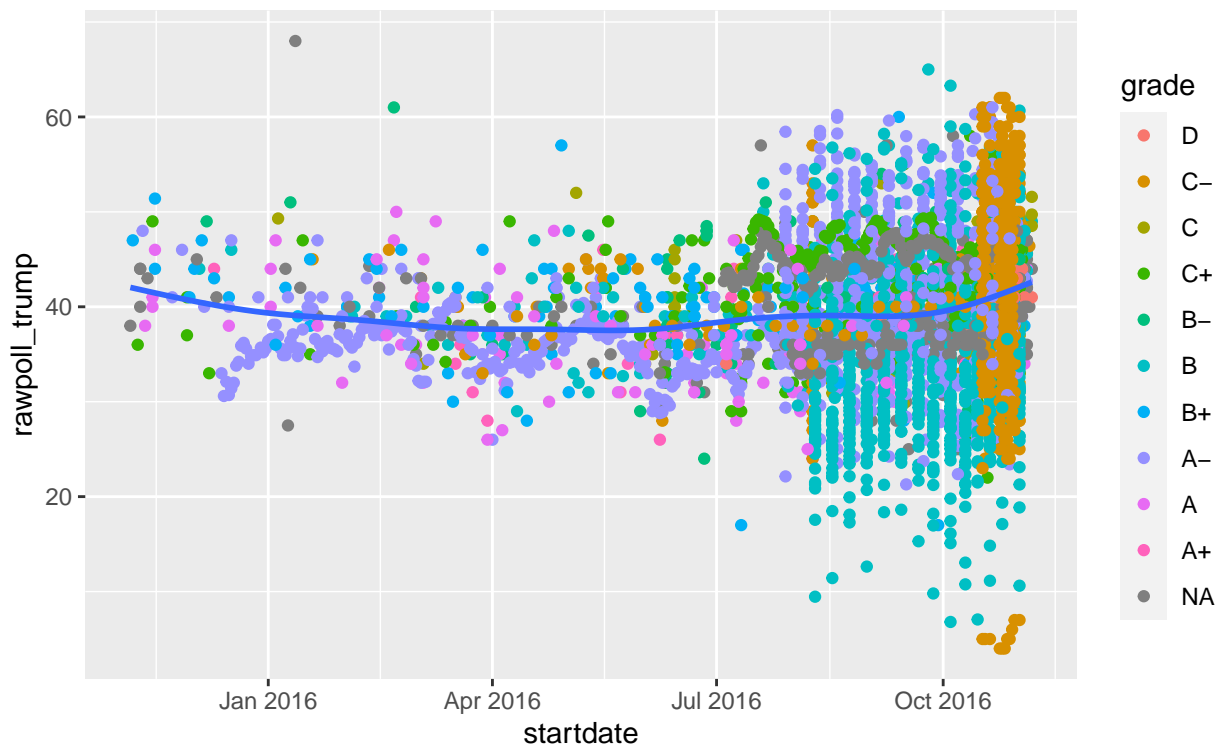
##	state	startdate	enddate	pollster	grade
## 1	Utah	2016-11-03	2016-11-05	YouGov	B
## 2	Utah	2016-10-31	2016-11-02	Emerson College	B
## 3	Utah	2016-10-30	2016-10-31	Gravis Marketing	B-
## 4	Utah	2016-11-03	2016-11-05	Trafalgar Group	C
## 5	Utah	2016-11-01	2016-11-07	SurveyMonkey	C-
## 6	Utah	2016-10-30	2016-11-02	Monmouth University	A+
## 7	Utah	2016-10-29	2016-10-31	Rasmussen Reports/Pulse Opinion Research	C+
## 8	Utah	2016-11-01	2016-11-03	Y2 Analytics	C+
## 9	Utah	2016-10-20	2016-10-27	Dan Jones & Associates	C+
## 10	Utah	2016-10-10	2016-10-12	Monmouth University	A+
##	samplesize	population	rawpoll_clinton	rawpoll_trump	rawpoll_johnson
## 1	762	lv	23.00	40.00	7.00
## 2	1000	lv	19.60	39.80	3.00
## 3	1424	rv	29.00	35.00	3.00

```
## 4      1350      lv      29.52      39.95      3.89
## 5      1479      lv      31.00      34.00      7.00
## 6       402      lv      31.00      37.00      4.00
## 7       750      lv      31.00      42.00      3.00
## 8       500      lv      24.00      33.00      5.00
## 9       823      lv      24.00      32.00      4.00
## 10      403      lv      28.00      34.00      9.00
##      rawpoll_mcmullin adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson
## 1          24.00          23.83396      40.00230      8.169495
## 2          27.60          19.75684      38.01440      3.075563
## 3          24.00          29.04086      34.78405      3.422875
## 4          24.52          29.32624      37.13456      5.055889
## 5          25.00          29.59989      33.33115      4.692430
## 6          24.00          30.06568      36.70382      4.644697
## 7          21.00          31.67657      42.74799      2.965430
## 8          28.00          25.34813      35.57386      4.569504
## 9          30.00          23.49263      33.38083      2.880316
## 10         20.00          27.24268      36.62770      7.310543
##      adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1          24.00000
## 2          27.70142
## 3          24.13522
## 4          24.52000
## 5          25.00000
## 6          24.10142
## 7          21.16903
## 8          28.06761
## 9          30.37186
## 10         20.81133
```

2. Remember this graph from last problem set?

```
ggplot(data = polls_us_election_2016,
       mapping = aes(x = startdate,
                     y = rawpoll_trump)) +
  geom_point(aes(color = grade)) +
  geom_smooth(se = FALSE)
```

```
## 'geom_smooth()' using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'
```



There is a poll after January where Trump percentage is above 60 with no grade. What poll is that one?

```
# code source found in 16.1.1 Poll Data: https://rafalab.github.io/dsbook/models.html
polls_us_election_2016 %>%
```

```
filter(startdate > 2016-01-31, rawpoll_trump > 60, is.na(grade))
```

```
##      state startdate   enddate      pollster grade samplesize population
## 1 Alabama 2016-01-12 2016-01-12 Strategy Research <NA>      2700         rv
##      rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin
## 1              32             68              NA              NA
##      adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1      30.92318      67.31449              NA              NA
```

1. Common bugs: You want to see missing values in a dataframe. You run the following code and get no results. Why is wrong?

```
filter(polls_us_election_2016, grade == NA)
```

```
## [1] state      startdate   enddate     pollster
## [5] grade      samplesize  population  rawpoll_clinton
## [9] rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin adjpoll_clinton
## [13] adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin
## <0 rows> (or 0-length row.names)
```

```
# we should use 'is.na' to check whether expression evaluates to NA
# such as the code below
```

```
filter(polls_us_election_2016, is.na(grade)) %>%
  head(5)
```

```
##      state startdate   enddate          pollster grade samplesize
## 1 New Mexico 2016-11-06 2016-11-06          Zia Poll <NA>         8439
## 2      U.S. 2016-11-05 2016-11-07 The Times-Picayune/Lucid <NA>         2521
## 3      U.S. 2016-11-01 2016-11-07    USC Dornsife/LA Times <NA>         2972
## 4   Virginia 2016-11-01 2016-11-02        Remington <NA>         3076
## 5 Wisconsin 2016-11-01 2016-11-02        Remington <NA>         2720
##   population rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin
## 1          lv          46.00          44.00              6              NA
## 2          lv          45.00          40.00              5              NA
## 3          lv          43.61          46.84             NA              NA
## 4          lv          46.00          44.00             NA              NA
## 5          lv          49.00          41.00             NA              NA
##   adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1          44.82594          41.59978          7.870127              NA
## 2          45.13966          42.26495          3.679914              NA
## 3          45.32156          43.38579              NA              NA
## 4          45.27399          41.91459              NA              NA
## 5          48.22713          38.86464              NA              NA
```

2. How many polls have missing rawpoll_mcmullin? Why do you think this is happening?

```
filter(polls_us_election_2016, is.na(rawpoll_mcmullin)) %>%
  head(10)
```

```
##      state startdate   enddate
## 1      U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-06
## 2      U.S. 2016-11-01 2016-11-07
## 3      U.S. 2016-11-02 2016-11-06
## 4      U.S. 2016-11-04 2016-11-07
## 5      U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-06
## 6      U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-06
## 7      U.S. 2016-11-02 2016-11-06
## 8      U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-05
## 9 New Mexico 2016-11-06 2016-11-06
## 10     U.S. 2016-11-04 2016-11-07
##                                     pollster grade samplesize
## 1                                ABC News/Washington Post   A+       2220
## 2                                Google Consumer Surveys     B       26574
## 3                                Ipsos                       A-       2195
## 4                                YouGov                      B       3677
## 5                                Gravis Marketing            B-      16639
## 6 Fox News/Anderson Robbins Research/Shaw & Company Research   A       1295
## 7                                CBS News/New York Times     A-      1426
## 8                                NBC News/Wall Street Journal A-      1282
## 9                                Zia Poll                   <NA>      8439
## 10                               IBD/TIPP                   A-      1107
##   population rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin
## 1          lv          47.00          43.00          4.00              NA
## 2          lv          38.03          35.69          5.46              NA
## 3          lv          42.00          39.00          6.00              NA
## 4          lv          45.00          41.00          5.00              NA
## 5          rv          47.00          43.00          3.00              NA
## 6          lv          48.00          44.00          3.00              NA
```

```
## 7      lv      45.00      41.00      5.00      NA
## 8      lv      44.00      40.00      6.00      NA
## 9      lv      46.00      44.00      6.00      NA
## 10     lv      41.20      42.70      7.10      NA
##      adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1      45.20163      41.72430      4.626221      NA
## 2      43.34557      41.21439      5.175792      NA
## 3      42.02638      38.81620      6.844734      NA
## 4      45.65676      40.92004      6.069454      NA
## 5      46.84089      42.33184      3.726098      NA
## 6      49.02208      43.95631      3.057876      NA
## 7      45.11649      40.92722      4.341786      NA
## 8      43.58576      40.77325      5.365788      NA
## 9      44.82594      41.59978      7.870127      NA
## 10     42.92745      42.23545      6.316175      NA
```

```
# there are 4,178 observations with polls missing rawpoll_mcmullin.
# This large number of polls having missing mcmullin could be because he is an
# independent party candidate, and minor party candidates are often left out of
# poll questions.
# This could also be because mcmullin was not projected to be included on very
# many state ballots.
```

3. What happens to observations with missing values in grade when you filter by grade == "A"? Why? (Hint: compare "C minus" == "A", "A" == "A", and NA == "A").

```
# observations with missing values in grade will be excluded when we apply
# filter by grade == "A". This is because when we apply filter, we create a
# subset based on a specific criteria. Any observations within grade that is
# not equal to "A" is excluded, missing values and all.
```

```
filter(polls_us_election_2016, grade == "A") %>% head(10)
```

```
##      state startdate  enddate
## 1      U.S. 2016-11-03 2016-11-06
## 2      U.S. 2016-11-01 2016-11-03
## 3    Wisconsin 2016-10-26 2016-10-31
## 4 North Carolina 2016-11-04 2016-11-06
## 5      Florida 2016-10-20 2016-10-24
## 6      New York 2016-11-03 2016-11-04
## 7      Arizona 2016-10-30 2016-11-01
## 8    Washington 2016-10-31 2016-11-02
## 9      Georgia 2016-10-30 2016-11-01
## 10    California 2016-10-28 2016-10-31
##
##      pollster grade samplesize
## 1 Fox News/Anderson Robbins Research/Shaw & Company Research      A      1295
## 2                      Marist College      A      940
## 3                      Marquette University      A     1255
## 4                      Siena College      A      800
## 5                      SurveyUSA      A     1251
## 6                      Siena College      A      617
## 7                      Marist College      A      719
## 8                      SurveyUSA      A      681
```

```
## 9           Marist College      A      707
## 10          SurveyUSA         A      747
##   population rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin
## 1         lv           48           44           3           NA
## 2         lv           44           43           6           NA
## 3         lv           46           40           4           NA
## 4         lv           44           44           3           NA
## 5         lv           48           45           2           NA
## 6         lv           51           34           5           NA
## 7         lv           40           45           9           NA
## 8         lv           50           38           4           NA
## 9         lv           44           45           8           NA
## 10        lv           56           35           4           NA
##   adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1         49.02208         43.95631         3.057876           NA
## 2         42.83406         43.43819         4.780429           NA
## 3         46.10344         40.97982         2.897062           NA
## 4         44.21875         45.08290         2.335250           NA
## 5         46.74555         45.86589         1.520730           NA
## 6         51.30942         35.12664         4.344325           NA
## 7         38.85863         45.72376         7.587354           NA
## 8         48.87802         36.95385         4.691579           NA
## 9         42.81871         45.65459         6.587354           NA
## 10        54.86451         34.27885         4.457467           NA
```

4. What does NA | TRUE evaluate to? Why?

```
NA | TRUE
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

```
# evaluates as TRUE because the outcome is not ambiguous. using | it looks to
# determine a result of NA (ambiguous) OR TRUE (not ambiguous). We know it will
# evaluate as TRUE since NA is a valid logical object. Where a component of x
# or y is NA, the result will be NA if the outcome is ambiguous.
```

5. What does FALSE & NA evaluate to? Why?

```
FALSE & NA
```

```
## [1] FALSE
```

```
# evaluates as FALSE also because wherever a component of x or y is NA, the
# result will be NA if the outcome is ambiguous. Here the outcome is not
# ambiguous (FALSE). It reads as FALSE AND NA.
```

2.3 2.3 Select (10 points)

1. What happens if you include the name of a variable multiple times in a select() call?

```
# code found in Exercise 5.4.2: https://jrnold.github.io/r4ds-exercise-solutions/transform.html

# The select() call ignores the duplication. Any duplicated variables are only
# included once, in the first location they appear. The select() function does
# not raise an error or warning or print any message if there are duplicated
# variables.
library("tidyverse")

select(polls_us_election_2016, grade, pollster, grade, pollster, startdate) %>%
  head(10)
```

- Typically, R is case sensitive, but select helpers ignore case by default. Change the default to return an empty tibble.

```
# select(polls_us_election_2016, contains("RAW"))

# we include ignore.case = FALSE To change the default behavior
select(polls_us_election_2016, contains("RAW", ignore.case = FALSE))
```

```
## data frame with 0 columns and 4208 rows
```

```
# code source from Exercise 5.4.4: https://jrnold.github.io/r4ds-exercise-solutions/transform.html
```

- Brainstorm as many distinct ways as possible to select rawpoll_clinton, rawpoll_trump, adjpoll_clinton, and adjpoll_trump

```
# select() then using contains() within it
select(polls_us_election_2016, contains("clinton") | contains("trump")) %>%
  head(10)
```

```
##      rawpoll_clinton adjpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump adjpoll_trump
## 1           47.00         45.20163         43.00         41.72430
## 2           38.03         43.34557         35.69         41.21439
## 3           42.00         42.02638         39.00         38.81620
## 4           45.00         45.65676         41.00         40.92004
## 5           47.00         46.84089         43.00         42.33184
## 6           48.00         49.02208         44.00         43.95631
## 7           45.00         45.11649         41.00         40.92722
## 8           44.00         43.58576         40.00         40.77325
## 9           46.00         44.82594         44.00         41.59978
## 10          41.20         42.92745         42.70         42.23545
```

```
# specifically selecting variables with 'clinton' or 'trump'
select(polls_us_election_2016, rawpoll_clinton, rawpoll_trump, adjpoll_clinton,
  adjpoll_trump) %>% head(10)
```

```
##      rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump
## 1           47.00         43.00         45.20163         41.72430
## 2           38.03         35.69         43.34557         41.21439
## 3           42.00         39.00         42.02638         38.81620
```



```
## 4      45.00      41.00      45.65676      40.92004
## 5      47.00      43.00      46.84089      42.33184
## 6      48.00      44.00      49.02208      43.95631
## 7      45.00      41.00      45.11649      40.92722
## 8      44.00      40.00      43.58576      40.77325
## 9      46.00      44.00      44.82594      41.59978
## 10     41.20      42.70      42.92745      42.23545
```

```
# using select() then using ends_with() in it
select(polls_us_election_2016, ends_with("clinton") | ends_with("trump")) %>%
  head(10)
```

```
##      rawpoll_clinton adjpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump adjpoll_trump
## 1      47.00      45.20163      43.00      41.72430
## 2      38.03      43.34557      35.69      41.21439
## 3      42.00      42.02638      39.00      38.81620
## 4      45.00      45.65676      41.00      40.92004
## 5      47.00      46.84089      43.00      42.33184
## 6      48.00      49.02208      44.00      43.95631
## 7      45.00      45.11649      41.00      40.92722
## 8      44.00      43.58576      40.00      40.77325
## 9      46.00      44.82594      44.00      41.59978
## 10     41.20      42.92745      42.70      42.23545
```

3 Arrange (5 pts)

1. Sort polls to find the ones where Clintons percentage is the highest. Use `%>% head(1)` to print just one row.

```
arrange(polls_us_election_2016, desc(rawpoll_clinton)) %>% head(1)
```

```
##              state startdate   enddate   pollster grade samplesize
## 1 District of Columbia 2016-10-30 2016-11-06 SurveyMonkey C-         315
##   population rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin
## 1          lv             88             7             2             NA
##   adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1      86.70544      6.406481      -0.3226397             NA
```

```
# we could similarly complete the same sort for highest % in adjpoll_clinton.
# arrange(polls_us_election_2016, desc(adjpoll_clinton))
```

```
# code source from Exercise 5.3.2: https://jrnold.github.io/r4ds-exercise-solutions/transform.html#arrange
```

2. Find the 5 polls that interview more people. Only show pollster, samplesize, population, and grade.

```
Five_polls <- arrange(polls_us_election_2016, desc(samplesize)) %>% head(5)

select(Five_polls, pollster, samplesize, population,
       grade) %>% head(10)
```

```
##      pollster samplesize population grade
## 1      YouGov      84292         lv      B
## 2 SurveyMonkey      70194         lv     C-
## 3 SurveyMonkey      40816         lv     C-
## 4 SurveyMonkey      32226         rv     C-
## 5 SurveyMonkey      32225         lv     C-
```

code source from Exercise 5.3.4: <https://jrnold.github.io/r4ds-exercise-solutions/transform.html#arrange>

3. How could you use `arrange()` to sort all missing values to the start? (Hint use `is.na()`, you can use any variable with missing values here)

```
arrange(polls_us_election_2016, desc(is.na(samplesize)), samplesize
) %>% head(10)
```

```
##      state startdate   enddate      pollster grade samplesize
## 1   Illinois 2016-07-11 2016-07-12   Basswood Research    C+         NA
## 2    Wyoming 2016-10-04 2016-10-09   Google Consumer Surveys    B         35
## 3     Maine 2016-10-04 2016-10-09   Google Consumer Surveys    B         37
## 4 New Hampshire 2016-09-21 2016-09-26   Google Consumer Surveys    B         39
## 5     Hawaii 2016-09-14 2016-09-20   Google Consumer Surveys    B         42
## 6    Wyoming 2016-09-27 2016-10-03   Google Consumer Surveys    B         43
## 7  Rhode Island 2016-10-10 2016-10-14   Google Consumer Surveys    B         45
## 8    Vermont 2016-10-04 2016-10-09   Google Consumer Surveys    B         47
## 9 North Dakota 2016-09-27 2016-10-03   Google Consumer Surveys    B         49
## 10 Rhode Island 2016-09-14 2016-09-20   Google Consumer Surveys    B         50
##      population rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin
## 1         lv          46.40          32.50          5.20             NA
## 2         lv          11.04          52.74          14.56             NA
## 3         lv          42.82          41.51           4.64             NA
## 4         lv          40.36          38.63           4.68             NA
## 5         lv          43.20          31.59           2.79             NA
## 6         lv          18.80          35.07           9.70             NA
## 7         lv          57.33          13.05           2.26             NA
## 8         lv          57.02          16.11          10.26             NA
## 9         lv          22.78          45.48          12.00             NA
## 10        lv          46.40          30.90           8.84             NA
##      adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin
## 1      49.62926      36.34003      2.1205840      NA
## 2      17.06495      61.68032     11.7002400      NA
## 3      48.92751      50.77821      1.7802390      NA
## 4      48.03972      47.65478      1.0121100      NA
## 5      51.06284      40.50726     -1.1183940      NA
## 6      25.57183      43.87120      6.3307300      NA
## 7      63.03978      22.53819     -0.3066937      NA
## 8      63.13193      25.39574      7.4002390      NA
## 9      29.64619      54.47583      8.6307310      NA
## 10     54.48433      40.10019      4.9316060      NA
```

*# interestingly enough Illinois Basswood Research is the only pollster with NA
for samplesize.
To put NA values first, we can add an indicator of whether the column has a*

*# missing value. Then we sort by the missing indicator column and the column of
interest. For example, to sort the data frame by departure time (dep_time) in
ascending order but NA values first, run the following.*

code source: Exercise 5.3.1: <https://jrmold.github.io/r4ds-exercise-solutions/transform.html#arrange->

4 4 Mutate (15 pts)

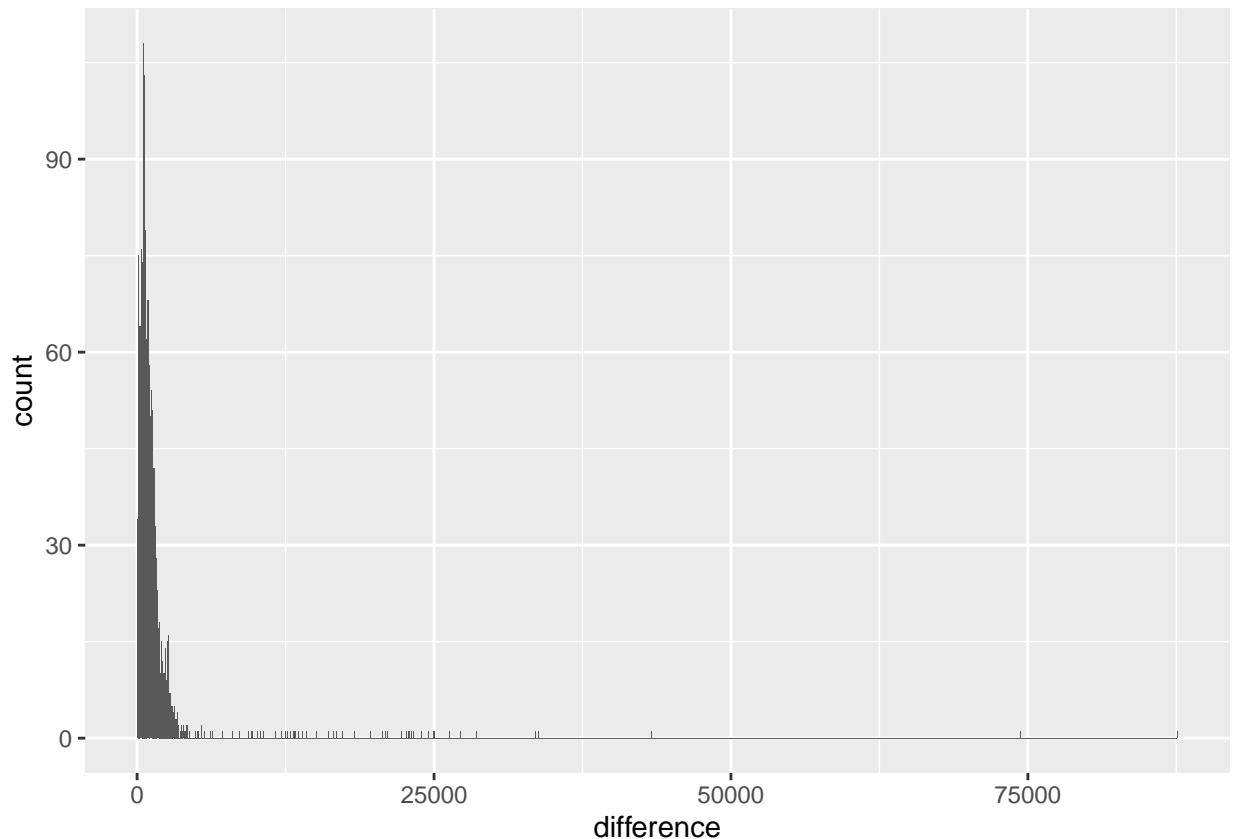
1. Currently the variables `rawpoll_candidate` tells the percentage for that candidate. Convert each of them in number of people that pick that candidate. Store them in variables `raw_candidate`.

```
df_raw <- mutate(polls_us_election_2016,  
  raw_clinton = round((rawpoll_clinton/100)*samplesize),  
  raw_trump = round((rawpoll_trump/100)*samplesize),  
  raw_johnson = round((rawpoll_johnson/100)*samplesize),  
  raw_mcmullin = round((rawpoll_mcmullin/100)*samplesize)  
)
```

2. Make a plot to compare `samplesize` and the sum of your recently created variables for Trump and Clinton.

```
df_raw <- df_raw %>% mutate(difference = samplesize - (raw_trump - raw_clinton))  
view(df_raw)  
  
ggplot(data = df_raw, mapping = aes(x = difference)) +  
  geom_histogram(binwidth = 25)
```

```
## Warning: Removed 1 rows containing non-finite values (stat_bin).
```



3. We expect that $\text{samplesize} - (\text{raw_trump} + \text{raw_clinton})$ will be near zero for all polls. Why is this not happening?

*# its not happening because there are many missing values in the data.
also, this is not happening in some polls because there are voters who chose
not to vote at all or chose either johnson or mcmullin in the samplesize.*

4. How can you fix the problem in the last graph so that $\text{samplesize} - (\text{raw_trump} - \text{raw_clinton})$ is closer to zero?

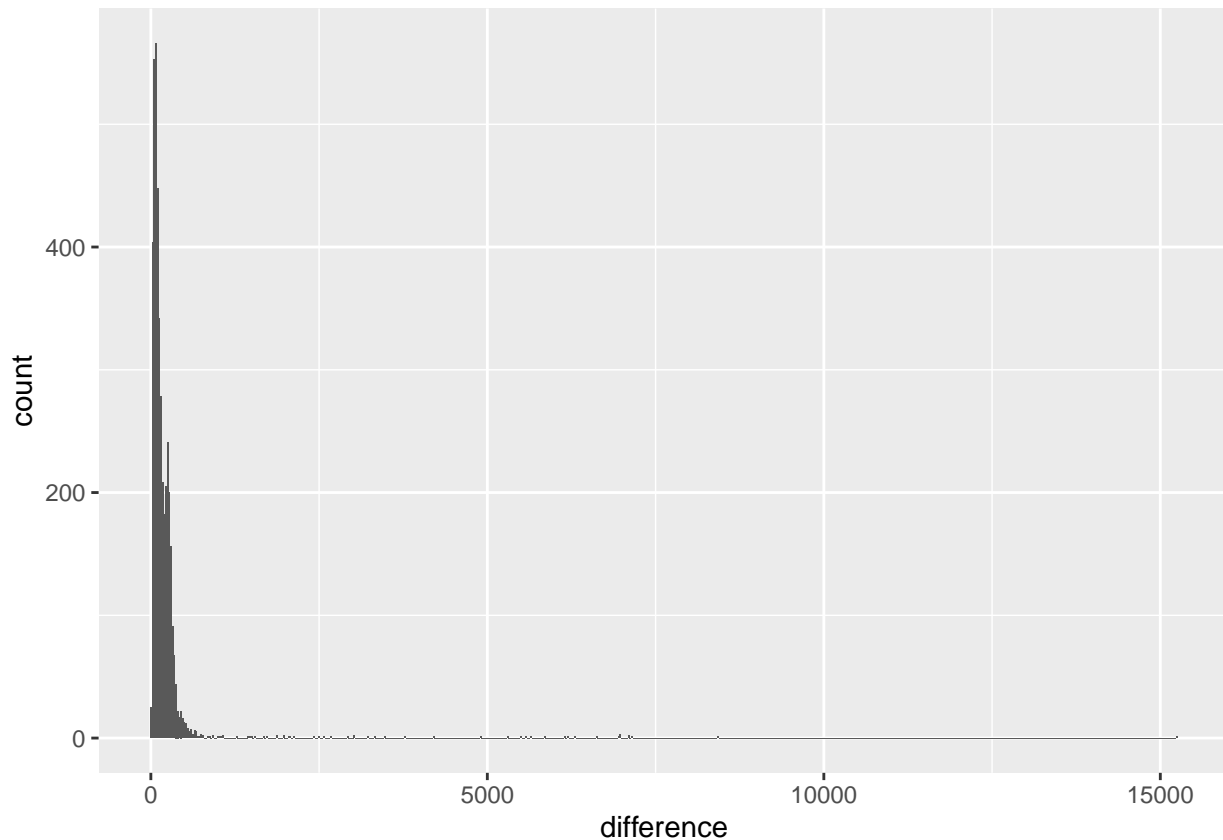
*# subtract all other candidates, johnson and mcmullin OR
switch equation for difference to be $\text{samplesize} - (\text{raw_clinton} - \text{raw_trump})$ OR
switch equation for difference to be $\text{samplesize} - (\text{raw_clinton} + \text{raw_trump})$*

```
df_raw2 <- mutate(df_raw,
  raw_clinton = round((rawpoll_clinton/100)*samplesize),
  raw_trump = round((rawpoll_trump/100)*samplesize),
  raw_johnson = round((rawpoll_johnson/100)*samplesize),
  raw_mcmullin = round((rawpoll_mcmullin/100)*samplesize),
  difference = samplesize - (raw_clinton + raw_trump)
)
```

```
view(df_raw2)
```

```
ggplot(data = df_raw2, mapping = aes(x = difference)) +  
  geom_histogram(binwidth = 25)
```

```
## Warning: Removed 1 rows containing non-finite values (stat_bin).
```



5. Does your fix from the last question solve the problem? If not, discuss what might be happening and why we still see big differences between the sample size and the sum of all the quantities.

```
# My fix from the last question slightly adjusts the graph where the difference  
# is closer to zero on average, but there seem to be higher counts of non-zero  
# values.
```

```
# Essentially the value samplesize - (raw_trump - raw_clinton) would be positive  
# for any case when voters choose a candidate other than clinton or trump or  
# are represented as part of the samplesize but not in any of the raw scores  
# (raw_clinton, raw_trump, raw_johnson, raw_mcmullin)
```

6. Find the 7 polls where Johnson percentage is the highest using the ranking function. How do you want to handle ties? Carefully read the documentation for `min_rank()`

```
polls_us_election_2016 %>%  
  mutate(rank_order = min_rank(rawpoll_johnson)) %>%  
  arrange(desc(rank_order)) %>%  
  head(7)
```

```
##      state startdate   enddate          pollster grade samplesize
## 1 New Mexico 2016-08-09 2016-09-01      SurveyMonkey   C-        1788
## 2 New Mexico 2016-09-27 2016-09-29 Research & Polling, Inc.   A          501
## 3      Utah 2016-08-09 2016-09-01      SurveyMonkey   C-        722
## 4 New Mexico 2016-10-28 2016-11-01 The Times-Picayune/Lucid <NA>        567
## 5 New Mexico 2016-10-17 2016-10-25      SurveyMonkey   C-       1095
## 6 New Mexico 2016-08-10 2016-08-16 Google Consumer Surveys   B         181
## 7 New Mexico 2016-10-18 2016-10-26      SurveyMonkey   C-       1175
##  population rawpoll_clinton rawpoll_trump rawpoll_johnson rawpoll_mcmullin
## 1          rv          37.00          29.00          25.00          NA
## 2          lv          35.00          31.00          24.00          NA
## 3          rv          27.00          34.00          23.00          NA
## 4          lv          39.00          31.00          22.00          NA
## 5          lv          41.00          34.00          21.00          NA
## 6          lv          37.35          25.97          20.47          NA
## 7          lv          42.00          34.00          20.00          NA
##  adjpoll_clinton adjpoll_trump adjpoll_johnson adjpoll_mcmullin rank_order
## 1          39.24093          34.76038          17.98822          NA        2799
## 2          37.93401          34.56285          19.36413          NA        2798
## 3          29.24107          39.76059          15.98822          NA        2797
## 4          39.44445          33.99644          20.36684          NA        2796
## 5          39.61370          35.80706          17.23450          NA        2795
## 6          44.56049          36.36966          16.27112          NA        2794
## 7          40.60988          35.65900          16.34258          NA        2793
```

5 5 Summarize (15 pts)

1. How many polls each company is running? Come up with at least two different ways to get to the same result

```
pollster_companies <- polls_us_election_2016 %>%
  group_by(pollster, grade) %>%
  summarise(n_polls = n()) %>% head(10)
```

'summarise()' has grouped output by 'pollster'. You can override using the '.groups' argument.

```
polls_us_election_2016 %>%
  count(pollster) %>% head(10)
```

```
##      pollster n
## 1 ABC News/Washington Post 28
## 2 American Research Group 9
## 3 American Strategies 1
## 4 Angus Reid Global 1
## 5 Anzalone Liszt Grove Research 2
## 6 Arizona State University 2
## 7 Associated Industries of Florida 3
## 8 Baldwin Wallace University 2
## 9 Ball State University 1
## 10 Baruch College 1
```

```
pollster_companies
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 x 3
## # Groups:   pollster [10]
##   pollster                grade n_polls
##   <fct>                <fct>   <int>
## 1 ABC News/Washington Post    A+       28
## 2 American Research Group     C+        9
## 3 American Strategies         <NA>        1
## 4 Angus Reid Global           A-        1
## 5 Anzalone Liszt Grove Research C         2
## 6 Arizona State University    C+        2
## 7 Associated Industries of Florida <NA>       3
## 8 Baldwin Wallace University  <NA>       2
## 9 Ball State University       <NA>       1
## 10 Baruch College             B-        1
```

2. Calculate average poll size by grade for the state of Florida.

```
Florida_polls <- polls_us_election_2016 %>%
  filter(state == "Florida") %>%
  group_by(grade) %>%
  summarise(sample_mean = mean(samplesize))
```

```
Florida_polls
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 x 2
##   grade sample_mean
##   <fct>         <dbl>
## 1 C-          2290.
## 2 C           780.
## 3 C+          714.
## 4 B-         1322.
## 5 B          1285.
## 6 B+          754.
## 7 A-          825.
## 8 A          1221.
## 9 A+          536.
## 10 <NA>       1000.
```

3. Do all the polls by the same company have the same grade?

```
# Yes, all polls by the same company have the same grade. For example, pollster
# "Google Consumer Surveys" are all exclusively given grade "B".
```

4. Which state has the higher average vote for other (Mcmullin) candidates? Why do you think this the case?

```
# Utah has the highest average vote for mcmullin as a presidential candidate.
# This result could be partly due to Republican backlash against Trump following
# release of a controversial 2005 video showing Trump bragging about obscene
```

```
# sexual conduct with women (source: http://www.deseretnews.com/article/865664606/Poll-Trump-falls-into)

# mcmullin spent a significant amount of time campaigning to Utah voters
# he was positively accepted by voters and fit in with the political landscape
# in Utah in 2016 as a viable conservative candidate alternative to Donald Trump

mcmullin_state <- polls_us_election_2016 %>%
  group_by(state, population) %>%
  summarise(poll_mcmullin = mean(rawpoll_mcmullin, na.rm = TRUE)) %>%
  filter(state != "U.S.")
```

'summarise()' has grouped output by 'state'. You can override using the '.groups' argument.

```
arrange(mcmullin_state, desc(poll_mcmullin)) %>% head(1)
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 x 3
## # Groups:   state [1]
##   state population poll_mcmullin
##   <fct> <chr>          <dbl>
## 1 Utah   lv              24.2
```

```
mcmullin_state
```

```
## # A tibble: 137 x 3
## # Groups:   state [57]
##   state      population poll_mcmullin
##   <fct>      <chr>          <dbl>
## 1 Alabama   lv              NaN
## 2 Alabama   rv              NaN
## 3 Alaska    lv              NaN
## 4 Alaska    rv              NaN
## 5 Arizona    lv              NaN
## 6 Arizona    rv              NaN
## 7 Arizona    v              NaN
## 8 Arkansas   lv              NaN
## 9 Arkansas   rv              NaN
## 10 California lv              NaN
## # ... with 127 more rows
```

- Find all the states where more than 10 different companies ran polls. Order the results from most polling companies to fewest.

```
state_pollsters <- polls_us_election_2016 %>%
  group_by(state) %>%
  summarise(n_polls = n(),
            n_companies = n_distinct(pollster)) %>%
  filter(state != "U.S.", n_companies >= 10) %>%
  arrange(desc(n_companies))

state_pollsters
```



```
## # A tibble: 28 x 3
##   state      n_polls n_companies
##   <fct>      <int>      <int>
## 1 Florida      148         35
## 2 Pennsylvania 125         30
## 3 Ohio         115         28
## 4 North Carolina 125         27
## 5 Nevada        93         25
## 6 New Hampshire 112         24
## 7 Arizona        79         22
## 8 Colorado       80         21
## 9 Virginia       91         21
## 10 Michigan      86         20
## # ... with 18 more rows
```

6. Calculate the number of poll by grade and type of population. Add your results the max() and min() percentage for Trump that each type of poll has. Report your results so that better grades are at the top of your table.

```
polls_us_election_2016 %>%
  group_by(grade, population) %>%
  summarise(n_grade = n(),
            n_population = n(),
            max_trump = max(rawpoll_trump),
            min_trump = min(rawpoll_trump)) %>%
  arrange(desc(grade)) %>%
  head(10)
```

'summarise()' has grouped output by 'grade'. You can override using the '.groups' argument.

```
## # A tibble: 10 x 6
## # Groups:   grade [4]
##   grade population n_grade n_population max_trump min_trump
##   <fct> <chr>      <int>      <int>      <dbl>      <dbl>
## 1 A+    lv          77          77         52         24
## 2 A+    rv           7           7         46         28
## 3 A     a           1           1         35         35
## 4 A     lv          96          96         51         26
## 5 A     rv          62          62         49         25
## 6 A-    lv        1025        1025         61         21.3
## 7 A-    rv          60          60         48         26
## 8 B+    a           2           2        51.4         43
## 9 B+    lv         139         139         60         17
## 10 B+   rv          21          21         46         33
```

7. How many poll companies are running polls in Alabama and Arkansas? Which of these companies are ONLY running polls in Alabama or Arkansas and how many polls are they running?

```
# There are 7 different poll companies running polls in Arkansas
# There are 5 different poll companies running polls in Alabama
# University of Arkansas
```

```
# how to show all the different pollsters in arkansas and alabama?

alabama_arkansas <- polls_us_election_2016 %>%
  group_by(state) %>%
  summarise(n_polls = n(),
            n_companies = n_distinct(pollster)) %>%
  filter(state == "Alabama" | state == "Arkansas") %>%
  arrange(desc(n_companies))

alabama_arkansas2 <- polls_us_election_2016 %>%
  filter(state == "Alabama" | state == "Arkansas") %>%
  select(state, pollster)

example <- polls_us_election_2016 %>%
  group_by(pollster) %>%
  summarise(n_state = n(),
            n_companies = n_distinct(state)) %>%
  arrange(desc(n_companies))

filter(polls_us_election_2016, state == "Alabama" | state == "Arkansas",
       rawpoll_trump < 30)
```

```
## [1] state          startdate          enddate          pollster
## [5] grade           samplesize         population        rawpoll_clinton
## [9] rawpoll_trump    rawpoll_johnson    rawpoll_mcmullin  adjpoll_clinton
## [13] adjpoll_trump    adjpoll_johnson    adjpoll_mcmullin
## <0 rows> (or 0-length row.names)
```

6 6 Practical Application (15 pts)

1. We are interested in how good different pollsters were at predicting the actual election results. The popular vote result was 48.2% for Clinton and 46.1% for Trump across the US. Let's see which pollsters got closer results. We are interested in how close the spread (the difference between the proportion of the two candidates $0.482 - 0.461 = 0.021$) of each poll was to the real one. We will be using polls for the whole country that ended on or after October 31 (enddate \geq "2016-10-31")

- a. Calculate the spread for each poll and show the mean spread by pollster

```
# we include national polls conducted during the week of the election
polls <- polls_us_election_2016 %>%
  filter(state == "U.S." & enddate >= "2016-10-31")

# polls <- polls_us_election_2016 %>% mutate(spread = abs(rawpoll_clinton - rawpoll_trump))

polls <- polls_us_election_2016 %>%
  mutate(spread = rawpoll_clinton/100 - rawpoll_trump/100)

polls %>% pull(spread) %>% mean()

## [1] 0.02162151
```

- b. Assume that there are only two parties so that $\text{spread} = 2 * p - 1$. Construct a 95% confidence interval between the two main candidates on election day.
- c. Calculate the variable p

```
# spread = 2 * p - 1
# 2 * p = spread + 1
# p = (spread + 1)/2

polls <- polls %>% mutate(p = (spread + 1)/2)
```

- b. Calculate the standard deviation of p . Remember $\text{sd} = 2 * \sqrt{p*(1-p)/n}$. Why is this formula true in this particular case?

```
# spread = 2 * p - 1
# 2 * p = spread + 1
# p = (spread + 1)/2

polls <- polls %>% mutate(sd = 2 * sqrt(p*(1-p)/samplesize))
```

- c. Finally calculate the lower and upper confidence interval for the spread. Remember $\text{ci} = \text{spread} \pm \text{qnorm}(0.975) * \text{sd}(\text{spread})$. Why is this true?

```
polls <- polls %>% mutate(lower_ci = spread - qnorm(0.975) * sd(spread))

polls <- polls %>% mutate(upper_ci = spread + qnorm(0.975) * sd(spread))
```

- c. Calculate an error variable, the difference between the poll spread and the actual spread from the election. Plot this error by pollster. Flip the pollster names, otherwise your graph will be impossible to read. You already did something similar in the last pset. From this graph you can see which pollster under, over or overall predicted the election night spread.

```
polls <- polls %>% mutate(moe = 1.96 * 2 * sqrt(p * (1 - p) / (polls$samplesize)))

view(polls)

ggplot(data = polls, aes(x = pollster,
                        y = moe)) +
  geom_point() +
  coord_flip()
```

```
## Warning: Removed 1 rows containing missing values (geom_point).
```

