

STAT 230/530

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Course web site: ClassesV2, and...

<http://www.stat.yale.edu/~jay/230/>

Business

- Read the syllabus! I made a few changes and additions in the last day or two. If I dramatically deviate from anything now in the syllabus, it will require a major class announcement.
- YaleCourseOverview.pdf
- IntroMaterials folder
- Install R and R Studio and try some basic things
- See ClassesV2 for availability this week with me or Elena to talk about the course or get help installing R. If you are worried about the computing aspect of the course, please take advantage of this!
- Because of the unexpectedly high shopping numbers and my uncertainty about possible discussion sections, Homework 1 won't be due until Monday, 9/12.

College Hoops

I will go through this in class as a nice example of a data scrape/munge/wrangle from a web source that I received permission to use. It's an example of what I'd like you to be doing in 6 weeks. Not yet. It's only shopping period.

Airline flight delays

I like to start the course with some informal explorations, and this is one of them.