

IST 687
Homework 2
Due Date: 10/19

Step 1: What is the hp (hp stands for “horse power”)

#Add mtcars dataset and name it myCars

```
data(mtcars)
myCars <- mtcars
```

#What is the highest hp? Which car has the highest hp? create sorted dataframe based on hp.

```
myCars_Sort_Descending_by_hp <- myCars[order(-myCars$hp),]
head(myCars_Sort_Descending_by_hp,1)
##           mpg cyl disp  hp drat   wt  qsec vs am gear carb
## Maserati Bora  15   8  301 335 3.54 3.57 14.6  0  1   5   8
```

Step 2: Explore mpg (mpg stands for “miles per gallon”)

#what is the highest mpg? which car has the highest mpg? create sorted dataframe based on mpg.

```
myCars_Sort_Descending_by_mpg <- myCars[order(-myCars$mpg),]
head(myCars_Sort_Descending_by_mpg,1)
##           mpg cyl disp  hp drat   wt  qsec vs am gear carb
## Toyota Corolla 33.9  4  71.1 65 4.22 1.835 19.9  1  1   4   1
```

Step 3: Which car has the “best” combination of mpg and hp?

#add hp and mpg to determine best combination

```
myCars$Best_Combination_Unweighted <- myCars$mpg + myCars$hp
myCars_Sort_Descending_by_Best_Combination_Unweighted <- myCars[order(-myCars$Best_Combination_Unweighted),]
head(myCars_Sort_Descending_by_Best_Combination_Unweighted,5)
##           mpg cyl disp  hp drat   wt  qsec vs am gear carb
## Maserati Bora   15.0  8  301 335 3.54 3.570 14.60  0  1   5   8
## Ford Pantera L  15.8  8  351 264 4.22 3.170 14.50  0  1   5   4
## Duster 360     14.3  8  360 245 3.21 3.570 15.84  0  0   3   4
## Camaro Z28     13.3  8  350 245 3.73 3.840 15.41  0  0   3   4
## Chrysler Imperial 14.7  8  440 230 3.23 5.345 17.42  0  0   3   4
##           Best_Combination_Unweighted
## Maserati Bora                350.0
## Ford Pantera L               279.8
## Duster 360                   259.3
## Camaro Z28                   258.3
## Chrysler Imperial            244.7
```

Step 4 Which car has “best” car combination of mpg and hp, where mpg and hp must be given equal weight?

#normalize then add hp and mpg to determine best combination

```
myCars$mpg_relative_to_average <- myCars[,1]/mean(myCars[,1])
myCars$hp_relative_to_average <- myCars[,4]/mean(myCars[,4])
myCars$Best_Combination_Weighted <- myCars$mpg_relative_to_average + myCars$hp_relative_to_av
erage
myCars_Sort_Descending_by_Best_Combination_Weighted <- myCars[order(-myCars$Best_Combination
_Weighted),]
head(myCars_Sort_Descending_by_Best_Combination_Weighted,1)
##      mpg cyl disp  hp drat   wt  qsec vs am gear carb
## Maserati Bora  15   8 301 335 3.54 3.57 14.6  0  1   5   8
##      Best_Combination_Unweighted mpg_relative_to_average
## Maserati Bora              350              0.7466169
##      hp_relative_to_average Best_Combination_Weighted
## Maserati Bora              2.283767              3.030383
```