## **Week 3 Exercise**

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In the first part, we will focus on visualization. The idea is to identify the variables that could most influence the expectation. Indeed, by plotting the attendance against the other variables, one might detect a pattern between them and those that directly influence attendance. Second, we will use a linear regression model to confirm that the variables identified in the first part have had a significant impact on expectation.

### 1)Load Packages

```
library(magrittr)
library(readxl)
library(ggplot2)
library(psych)
##
## Attaching package: 'psych'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:ggplot2':
##
      %+%, alpha
##
library(DataExplorer)
library(tidyverse)
## -- Attaching packages ------
tidyverse 1.3.1 --
## v tibble 3.1.0 v dplyr
                               1.0.5
## v tidyr 1.1.3
## v readr 1.4.0
                      v stringr 1.4.0
## v readr 1.4.0
                      v forcats 0.5.1
## v purrr
            0.3.4
## -- Conflicts -----
tidyverse conflicts() --
## x psych::%+%()
                       masks ggplot2::%+%()
## x psych::alpha()
                       masks ggplot2::alpha()
## x tidyr::extract()
                       masks magrittr::extract()
## x dplyr::filter()
                       masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag()
                       masks stats::lag()
## x purrr::set names() masks magrittr::set names()
```

2)load file into a dataframe and data structure visualization

```
df dodgers <- read.csv("C:/Users/goess/Downloads/dodgers.csv")</pre>
df dodgers <- data.frame(df dodgers)</pre>
head(df_dodgers, 10)
##
      month day attend day of week opponent temp skies day night cap
shirt
## 1
        APR 10
                 56000
                            Tuesday
                                      Pirates
                                                 67 Clear
                                                                 Day
                                                                       NO
NO
## 2
                 29729
                          Wednesday
        APR
             11
                                      Pirates
                                                 58 Cloudy
                                                               Night
                                                                       NO
NO
## 3
                           Thursday
                                                 57 Cloudy
                                                               Night
        APR
             12
                 28328
                                      Pirates
                                                                       NO
NO
## 4
        APR
             13
                 31601
                             Friday
                                       Padres
                                                 54 Cloudy
                                                               Night
                                                                       NO
NO
                                                 57 Cloudy
                                                               Night
## 5
        APR
             14
                 46549
                           Saturday
                                       Padres
                                                                       NO
NO
## 6
        APR
             15
                 38359
                             Sunday
                                       Padres
                                                 65 Clear
                                                                 Day
                                                                       NO
NO
## 7
        APR
             23
                 26376
                             Monday
                                                 60 Cloudy
                                                               Night
                                                                       NO
                                       Braves
NO
## 8
        APR
             24
                 44014
                            Tuesday
                                       Braves
                                                 63 Cloudy
                                                               Night
                                                                       NO
NO
## 9
        APR
             25
                 26345
                          Wednesday
                                       Braves
                                                 64 Cloudy
                                                               Night
                                                                       NO
NO
## 10
        APR
             27
                 44807
                             Friday Nationals
                                                 66 Clear
                                                               Night
                                                                       NO
NO
##
      fireworks bobblehead
## 1
             NO
                         NO
## 2
             NO
                         NO
## 3
             NO
                         NO
## 4
            YES
                         NO
## 5
             NO
                         NO
## 6
             NO
                         NO
## 7
             NO
                         NO
## 8
             NO
                         NO
## 9
             NO
                         NO
## 10
            YES
                         NO
# Data structure
str(df_dodgers)
## 'data.frame':
                    81 obs. of 12 variables:
                         "APR" "APR" "APR" "APR"
## $ month
                  : chr
##
   $ day
                  : int
                       10 11 12 13 14 15 23 24 25 27 ...
## $ attend
                  : int
                         56000 29729 28328 31601 46549 38359 26376 44014
26345 44807 ...
                         "Tuesday" "Wednesday" "Thursday" "Friday" ...
   $ day_of_week: chr
  $ opponent
                         "Pirates" "Pirates" "Padres" ...
##
                  : chr
##
   $ temp
                  : int
                         67 58 57 54 57 65 60 63 64 66 ...
                         "Clear " "Cloudy" "Cloudy" "Cloudy" ...
##
   $ skies
                  : chr
```

```
## $ day_night : chr "Day" "Night" "Night" "Night" ...
## $ cap : chr "NO" "NO" "NO" ...
## $ shirt : chr "NO" "NO" "NO" ...
## $ fireworks : chr "NO" "NO" "YES" ...
## $ bobblehead : chr "NO" "NO" "NO" ...
```

We have 81 observations of 12 variables.

### 3) summary statistics

```
Hmisc::describe(df_dodgers)
## df_dodgers
##
## 12 Variables 81 Observations
## month
  n missing distinct
     81 0
##
## lowest : APR AUG JUL JUN MAY, highest: JUL JUN MAY OCT SEP
##
## Value
          APR
                AUG
                     JUL
                         JUN
                              MAY
                                  OCT
                15
                         9
                              18
## Frequency
           12
                    12
                                   3
## Proportion 0.148 0.185 0.148 0.111 0.222 0.037 0.148
## day
##
      n missing distinct Info Mean Gmd .05
.10
  81 0 31 0.998 16.14 11.1
##
                                                2
3
    .25 .50 .75 .90
8 15 25 29
##
                                .95
                                 30
##
## lowest : 1 2 3 4 5, highest: 27 28 29 30 31
## -----
## attend
##
  n missing distinct Info Mean Gmd
                                              .05
.10
     81 0 80
##
                        1 41040 9525 26773
31607
                 .75
##
     .25
           .50
                        .90
                               .95
##
    34493
           40284 46588
                        53570
                               55024
## lowest : 24312 25509 26345 26376 26773, highest: 54621 55024 55279
55359 56000
```

```
## day of week
       n missing distinct
                      7
       81
##
            0
##
## lowest : Friday Monday Saturday Sunday
                                          Thursday
## highest: Saturday Sunday Thursday Tuesday
                                          Wednesday
##
## Value
             Friday Monday Saturday Sunday Thursday
Tuesday
## Frequency
                 13
                         12
                                 13
                                         13
                                                  5
13
## Proportion 0.160 0.148 0.160 0.160 0.062
0.160
##
## Value Wednesday
## Frequency
## Proportion
              0.148
## -----
## opponent
##
       n missing distinct
          0
##
       81
                     17
##
## lowest : Angels
                 Astros
                          Braves
                                  Brewers
                                          Cardinals
## highest: Pirates
                  Reds
                          Rockies
                                          White Sox
                                  Snakes
## Angels (3, 0.037), Astros (3, 0.037), Braves (3, 0.037), Brewers (4,
0.049),
## Cardinals (7, 0.086), Cubs (3, 0.037), Giants (9, 0.111), Marlins
(3, 0.037),
## Mets (4, 0.049), Nationals (3, 0.037), Padres (9, 0.111), Phillies
(3, 0.037),
## Pirates (3, 0.037), Reds (3, 0.037), Rockies (9, 0.111), Snakes (9,
0.111),
## White Sox (3, 0.037)
## -----
_____
## temp
##
       n missing distinct Info
                                 Mean
                                           Gmd
                                                 .05
.10
       81
              0 32 0.997 73.15 9.391
##
                                                   59
64
          .50 .75
      .25
                           .90
                                  .95
##
             73
                     79
                            84
##
       67
                                    86
##
## lowest : 54 57 58 59 60, highest: 84 85 86 89 95
## skies
## n missing distinct
```

```
## 81 0 2
##
## Value Clear Cloudy
## Frequency 62 19
## Proportion 0.765 0.235
## -----
## day_night
## n missing distinct
        0
##
     81
                 2
##
## Value Day Night
## Frequency 15 66
## Proportion 0.185 0.815
## cap
     n missing distinct
     81 0
##
##
## Value
         NO YES
## Frequency 79 2
## Proportion 0.975 0.025
## -----
## shirt
## n missing distinct
##
    81
       0
                 2
##
## Value
         NO YES
## Frequency
          78
## Proportion 0.963 0.037
## -----
## fireworks
## n missing distinct
##
     81 0
##
## Value
         NO YES
         67 14
## Frequency
## Proportion 0.827 0.173
## -----
## bobblehead
    n missing distinct
##
     81
       0
                 2
##
## Value
         NO YES
## Frequency 70
             11
## Proportion 0.864 0.136
```

```
## -----
```

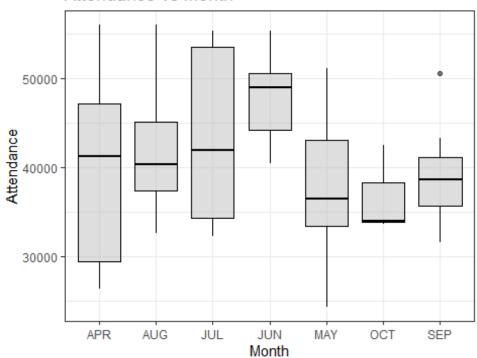
The above summary tells us that the season takes place between April and November, that the matches can be played any day of the week (Wednesday to Sunday being the most frequent), day or night, with a preference for the night. The maximum attendance was 56,000 spectators. The promotions are Fireworks, cap, bobblehead and shirt.

#### I- Data visualization

4) let's visualize the data for better understanding let's plot attendance by day of the week, attendance by month, attendance by promotion, attendance by weather

```
#Attendance by month
ggplot2::ggplot(df_dodgers, ggplot2::aes(x=month, y=attend)) +
ggplot2::geom_boxplot(color="black", fill="grey", alpha=.5) +
ggplot2::labs(title="Attendance vs month", x='Month', y='Attendance') +
ggplot2:: theme_bw()
```

### Attendance vs month



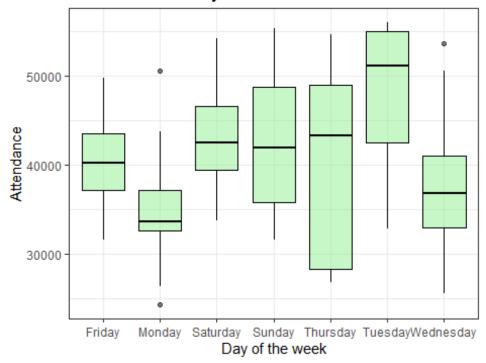
```
ggplot2::theme(plot.title = ggplot2::element_text(hjust = 1))
## List of 1
## $ plot.title:List of 11
## ..$ family : NULL
## ..$ face : NULL
## ..$ colour : NULL
```

```
..$ size : NULL ..$ hjust : num 1
##
     ..$ hjust : num 1
..$ vjust : NULL
..$ angle : NULL
..$ lineheight : NULL
##
##
##
##
      ..$ margin : NULL
..$ debug : NULL
##
##
##
     ..$ inherit.blank: logi FALSE
## ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
## - attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "theme" "gg"
## - attr(*, "complete")= logi FALSE
## - attr(*, "validate")= logi TRUE
```

June is the most popular month of the season on average.

```
#Attendance vs day of the week
ggplot2::ggplot(df_dodgers, ggplot2::aes(x=day_of_week, y=attend)) +
ggplot2::geom_boxplot(color="black", fill="lightgreen", alpha=.5) +
ggplot2::labs(title="Attendance vs Day of the week", x='Day of the
week', y='Attendance') +
ggplot2:: theme_bw()
```

### Attendance vs Day of the week



```
ggplot2::theme(plot.title = ggplot2::element_text(hjust = 1))
## List of 1
## $ plot.title:List of 11
## ..$ family : NULL
```

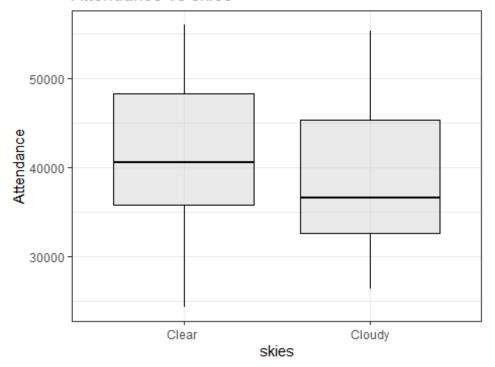
```
..$ face
##
                    : NULL
     ..$ colour
                     : NULL
##
     ..$ size
                     : NULL
                     : num 1
##
     ..$ hjust
##
     ..$ vjust
                     : NULL
     ..$ angle
##
                     : NULL
     ..$ lineheight : NULL
     ..$ margin
##
                     : NULL
##
     ..$ debug
                    : NULL
     ..$ inherit.blank: logi FALSE
##
   ... attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
## - attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "theme" "gg"
## - attr(*, "complete")= logi FALSE
## - attr(*, "validate")= logi TRUE
```

Tuesday is by far the day of the week with the most attendance in average followed by Thursday.

Weather and time of day can influence the expectation.

```
#attendance vs skies
ggplot2::ggplot(df_dodgers, ggplot2::aes(x=skies, y=attend)) +
ggplot2::geom_boxplot(color="black", fill="lightgrey", alpha=.5) +
ggplot2::labs(title="Attendance vs skies", x='skies', y='Attendance') +
ggplot2:: theme_bw()
```

### Attendance vs skies



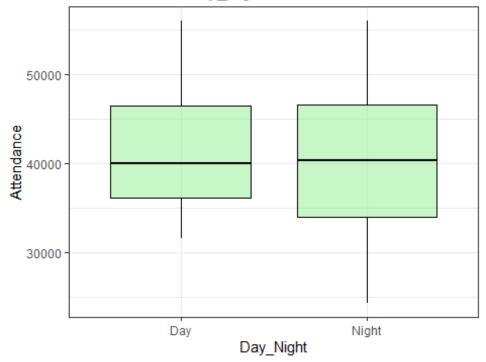
```
ggplot2::theme(plot.title = ggplot2::element_text(hjust = 1))
```

```
## List of 1
## $ plot.title:List of 11
## ..$ family : NULL
## ..$ face : NULL
## ..$ size : NULL
## ..$ hjust : num 1
## ..$ vjust : NULL
## ..$ angle : NULL
## ..$ lineheight : NULL
## ..$ debug : NULL
## ..$ debug : NULL
## ..$ debug : NULL
## ..$ inherit.blank: logi FALSE
## .- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
## - attr(*, "complete")= logi FALSE
## - attr(*, "validate")= logi TRUE
```

It is therefore obvious that clear skies draw the most crowds.

```
#attendance vs day_night
ggplot2::ggplot(df_dodgers, ggplot2::aes(x=day_night, y=attend)) +
ggplot2::geom_boxplot(color="black", fill="lightgreen", alpha=.5) +
ggplot2::labs(title="Attendance vs day_night", x='Day_Night',
y='Attendance') +
ggplot2:: theme_bw()
```

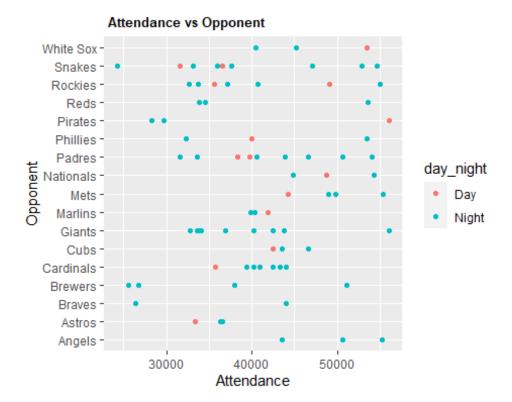
# Attendance vs day\_night



```
ggplot2::theme(plot.title = ggplot2::element text(hjust = 1))
## List of 1
## $ plot.title:List of 11
##
    ..$ family : NULL
     ..$ face
                     : NULL
    ..$ colour
                    : NULL
##
##
     ..$ size
                     : NULL
     ..$ hjust
..$ vjust
##
                     : num 1
##
                    : NULL
     ..$ angle : NULL
##
     ..$ lineheight : NULL
##
##
     ..$ margin : NULL
     ..$ debug
##
                     : NULL
     ..$ inherit.blank: logi FALSE
## ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
## - attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "theme" "gg"
## - attr(*, "complete")= logi FALSE
## - attr(*, "validate")= logi TRUE
```

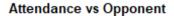
The attendance is very slightly higher at night games compared to day games.

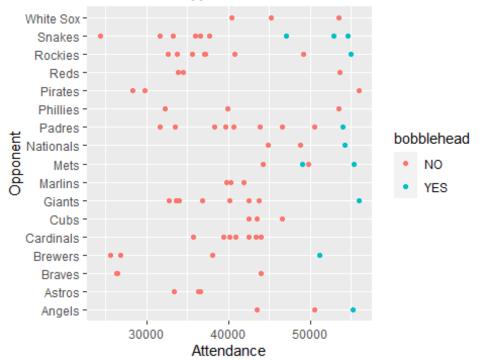
5) Let's visualize attendance vs opponent



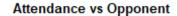
We can see that the matches against opponents from large metropolises attract bigger crowds most of the time in evening.

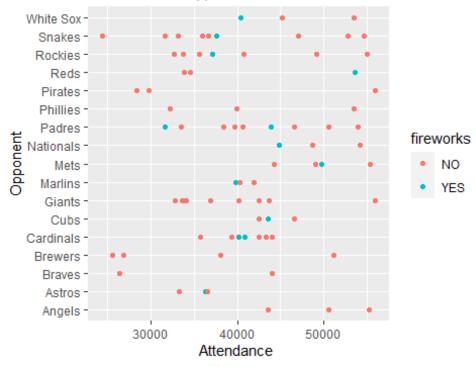
6) Let's combine attendance, weather, and time of the day and promotions.





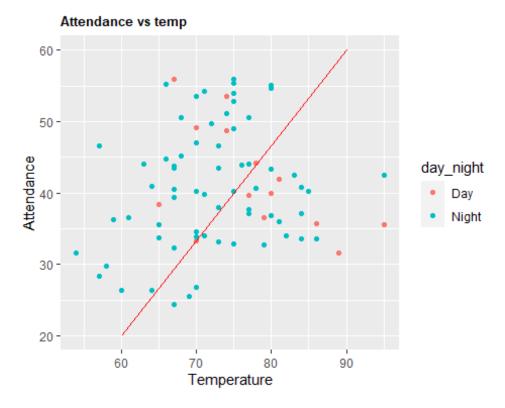
The promotion bobblehead seems to draw more crowds to the stadium on match days compared to others.





Fireworks promotion seems to have a limited impact on crowds.

Let's visualize atttendance vs temperature.



The attendance in the stadium peaks when temperatures are between 65F and 80F.

The variables retained for the regression are, therefore: skies, bobblehead, temperature, opponents, day of the week and month.

### II- Regression model

```
lmattendance = lm(attend~skies + bobblehead + temp + opponent +
day of week + month, data = df dodgers)
summary(lmattendance)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = attend ~ skies + bobblehead + temp + opponent +
##
       day_of_week + month, data = df_dodgers)
##
## Residuals:
##
        Min
                       Median
                  1Q
                                     3Q
                                             Max
## -10186.8
            -3174.7
                       -458.8
                                2563.0
                                        13361.4
##
## Coefficients:
##
                         Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                         40319.57
                                    14540.04
                                                2.773 0.00783 **
                                      2395.75
## skiesCloudy
                                               -0.789 0.43416
                         -1889.22
## bobbleheadYES
                                                3.251 0.00208 **
                         10213.06
                                     3141.63
## temp
                            39.55
                                       249.78
                                                0.158 0.87485
## opponentAstros
                         -8253.86
                                    11337.07 -0.728 0.47005
```

```
## opponentBraves
                         -9088.01
                                    12106.90
                                              -0.751
                                                      0.45645
## opponentBrewers
                        -11362.42
                                    11794.77
                                              -0.963 0.34011
## opponentCardinals
                         -4228.43
                                    11350.27
                                              -0.373
                                                      0.71110
## opponentCubs
                         -4240.44
                                    11722.39
                                              -0.362 0.71910
## opponentGiants
                         -7829.80
                                    11063.75
                                              -0.708 0.48248
## opponentMarlins
                         -8319.23
                                              -0.721
                                    11531.49
                                                      0.47407
## opponentMets
                         -2499.07
                                     6311.33
                                              -0.396
                                                      0.69385
## opponentNationals
                          1899.71
                                    12584.40
                                               0.151
                                                      0.88063
## opponentPadres
                         -3406.07
                                    10184.70
                                              -0.334
                                                      0.73948
                         -4560.05
## opponentPhillies
                                    10626.85
                                               -0.429
                                                       0.66973
## opponentPirates
                         -4245.42
                                    12215.79
                                               -0.348
                                                      0.72968
## opponentReds
                         -5715.77
                                    10450.90
                                              -0.547
                                                       0.58692
## opponentRockies
                         -7825.28
                                    10933.88
                                              -0.716
                                                      0.47758
## opponentSnakes
                        -10580.21
                                    10522.75
                                               -1.005
                                                       0.31961
## opponentWhite Sox
                         -1150.84
                                     5927.23
                                               -0.194
                                                       0.84685
## day of weekMonday
                         -3173.52
                                     3426.53
                                               -0.926
                                                      0.35890
## day_of_weekSaturday
                          1696.30
                                     2652.28
                                               0.640
                                                      0.52544
## day of weekSunday
                           890.31
                                     3431.38
                                                0.259
                                                      0.79637
## day of weekThursday
                                     4145.03
                         -2070.79
                                               -0.500
                                                      0.61960
## day_of_weekTuesday
                          5118.79
                                     3823.31
                                               1.339
                                                      0.18680
## day of weekWednesday
                          -632.62
                                     3617.53
                                               -0.175
                                                      0.86190
## monthAUG
                          4876.29
                                     7935.47
                                                0.614
                                                      0.54173
## monthJUL
                          3469.08
                                     6455.00
                                                0.537
                                                      0.59341
## monthJUN
                          3595.93
                                    11271.51
                                                0.319
                                                      0.75106
## monthMAY
                          1210.24
                                     6173.31
                                                0.196
                                                      0.84539
## monthOCT
                          1097.30
                                     9361.41
                                                0.117
                                                       0.90717
## monthSEP
                                     7795.62
                                                0.150
                          1173.16
                                                      0.88100
## ---
## Signif. codes:
                   0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 6374 on 49 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.6386, Adjusted R-squared:
## F-statistic: 2.793 on 31 and 49 DF, p-value: 0.0006339
```

Results Interpretation, First of all, the value of the adjusted R-squared is 0.41. This means that the independent variables chosen together contribute to explaining only 40% of the variability of the attendance. Second, by observing the p-value of the different variables, The p-value for bobblehead yes is 0.00208. A small value means that age is probably a good addition to my model. Going through the p-values of each variable and choosing the smallest, we can consider 0.19 for the day of the week, Tuesday, 0.54 for August and 0.34 for opponent brewers. Third, let us look at each of the variables' estimate or correlation coefficient. A positive coefficient indicates that as the value of the independent variable increases.

It should be noted that the sign is essential in this case. So let us find the variables with a high and positive correlation coefficient. The Estimate Bobblehead has a value of 10213, national opponent 1900, day of the week Tuesday 5119 and 4876 for August.

# **Conclusion**

A marketing promotion will have maximum impact if carried on a night where the bobblehead promotion is also carried out, preferably on a Tuesday and in June because June is the month with the highest attendance on average.