

CPTR420

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Class Exercise

This assignment will be graded for attempt rather than accuracy. You are encouraged to collaborate with your peers. Do as much as you can. Add comments/questions to your script where necessary

The `titanic_train` dataset contains data about passengers on the Titanic ship

The data is available at CRAN and can be installed with the `titanic` package. The package contains several datasets.

`titanic_train` has data about survivors as well as passengers who did not survive. Some data are missing from the set.

The columns are: `PassengerId`, `Survived` (1= yes, 0= no), `Pclass` (1= first, 2= second, 3=third), `Name`, `Sex`, `Age`, `SibSp`, `Parch`, `Ticket`, `Fare`, `Cabin`, `Embarked` (i.e port of embarkation)

1. Install and load the `titanic` package and store the `titanic_train` dataset as a dataframe in a new object
2. Prepare the data for visualization:
 - a. Remove all observations where the `Survived` variable is not known
 - b. Assign the mean age to all ages that are unknown
 - c. Assign the median fare to all unknown fares
 - d. Assign S to all `Embarked` values that are unknown
 - e. Make sure that the `Pclass` (i.e. Passenger class), and `Survived` variables are factors.
3. Create another dataframe called `survivors_df` that has data for the survivors only
4. Create plots for the following
 - a. Show how the number of males and females on the ship compare by age (overlapping histogram with 10 age bins)
 - b. Show number of survivors by class
 - c. Prepare a plot that compares the number of passengers and survivors/non-survivors from each class. Use a bar with one column of survivors and the other of non-survivors
 - d. Show how the number of male survivors compares with that of females survivors by age. (bar plot)
 - e. Is survival rate influenced by the port of embarkation?
Use a bar chart with `Embarked` on X axis. plot the bars side by side
 - f. Is there any relationship between `Fare` and `Age`? Use points and smooth
 - g. Is survival related to this relationship between `Age` and `Fare`?
 - h. Is there any correlation between `Age` and `Survived` and `Gender`?
 - i. Create a plot that compares survival by age.

Upload your completed script to LearningHub