

Case Study

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Importing various libraries

```
library(data.table)
library(magrittr)
library(ggplot2)
```

Load all the tables

```
tables = list.files("data/", full.names = T)
tables

## [1] "data//Case.csv"          "data//PatientInfo.csv"
## [3] "data//Policy.csv"        "data//Region.csv"
## [5] "data//SearchTrend.csv"   "data//SeoulFloating.csv"
## [7] "data//Time.csv"          "data//TimeAge.csv"
## [9] "data//TimeGender.csv"    "data//TimeProvince.csv"
## [11] "data//Weather.csv"
```

Read individual csv files

```
case_dt = fread(tables[1])
pinfo_dt = fread(tables[2])
policy_dt = fread(tables[3])
region_dt = fread(tables[4])
search_dt = fread(tables[5])
seoul_dt = fread(tables[6])
time_dt = fread(tables[7])
tage_dt = fread(tables[8])
tgender_dt = fread(tables[9])
tprovince_dt = fread(tables[10])
weather_dt = fread(tables[11])
```

WORKING WITH TIME_PROVINCE FILE

```
head(tprovince_dt, n=5)
```

```
##           date time province confirmed released deceased
## 1: 2020-01-20   16    Seoul          0          0          0
## 2: 2020-01-20   16    Busan          0          0          0
## 3: 2020-01-20   16    Daegu          0          0          0
## 4: 2020-01-20   16  Incheon          1          0          0
## 5: 2020-01-20   16  Gwangju          0          0          0
```

```
summary(tprovince_dt)
```

```
##           date           time      province      confirmed
## Min.      :2020-01-20   Min.      : 0.000   Length:2771   Min.      :  0.0
## 1st Qu.:2020-02-29   1st Qu.: 0.000   Class :character 1st Qu.:  9.0
## Median :2020-04-10   Median : 0.000   Mode  :character Median : 42.0
## Mean      :2020-04-10   Mean      : 4.123   Mean      : 444.3
## 3rd Qu.:2020-05-21   3rd Qu.:16.000   3rd Qu.: 133.0
## Max.      :2020-06-30   Max.      :16.000   Max.      :6906.0
##      released      deceased
## Min.      :  0.0   Min.      :  0.00
## 1st Qu.:  1.0   1st Qu.:  0.00
## Median : 21.0   Median :  0.00
## Mean      : 320.7   Mean      :  9.24
## 3rd Qu.: 92.0   3rd Qu.:  1.00
## Max.      :6700.0   Max.      :189.00
```

```
#Printing the name of the various provinces
```

```
tprovince_dt[, unique(province)]
```

```
## [1] "Seoul"           "Busan"           "Daegu"
## [4] "Incheon"         "Gwangju"         "Daejeon"
## [7] "Ulsan"           "Sejong"          "Gyeonggi-do"
## [10] "Gangwon-do"      "Chungcheongbuk-do" "Chungcheongnam-do"
## [13] "Jeollabuk-do"    "Jeollanam-do"    "Gyeongsangbuk-do"
## [16] "Gyeongsangnam-do" "Jeju-do"
```

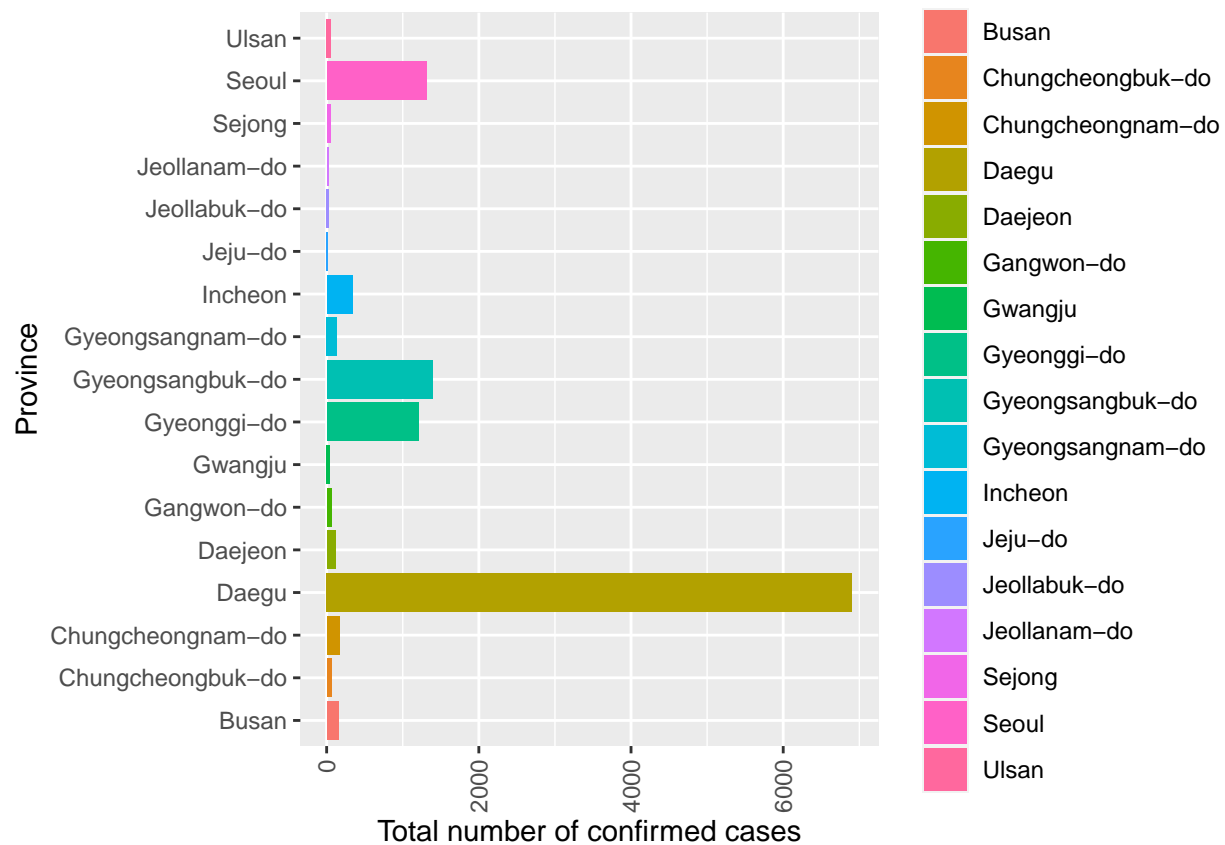
```
# Making a new table with province and the corresponding total number of cases
```

```
province_cases<-tprovince_dt[, .(number_of_cases=max(confirmed)), by='province']
province_cases
```

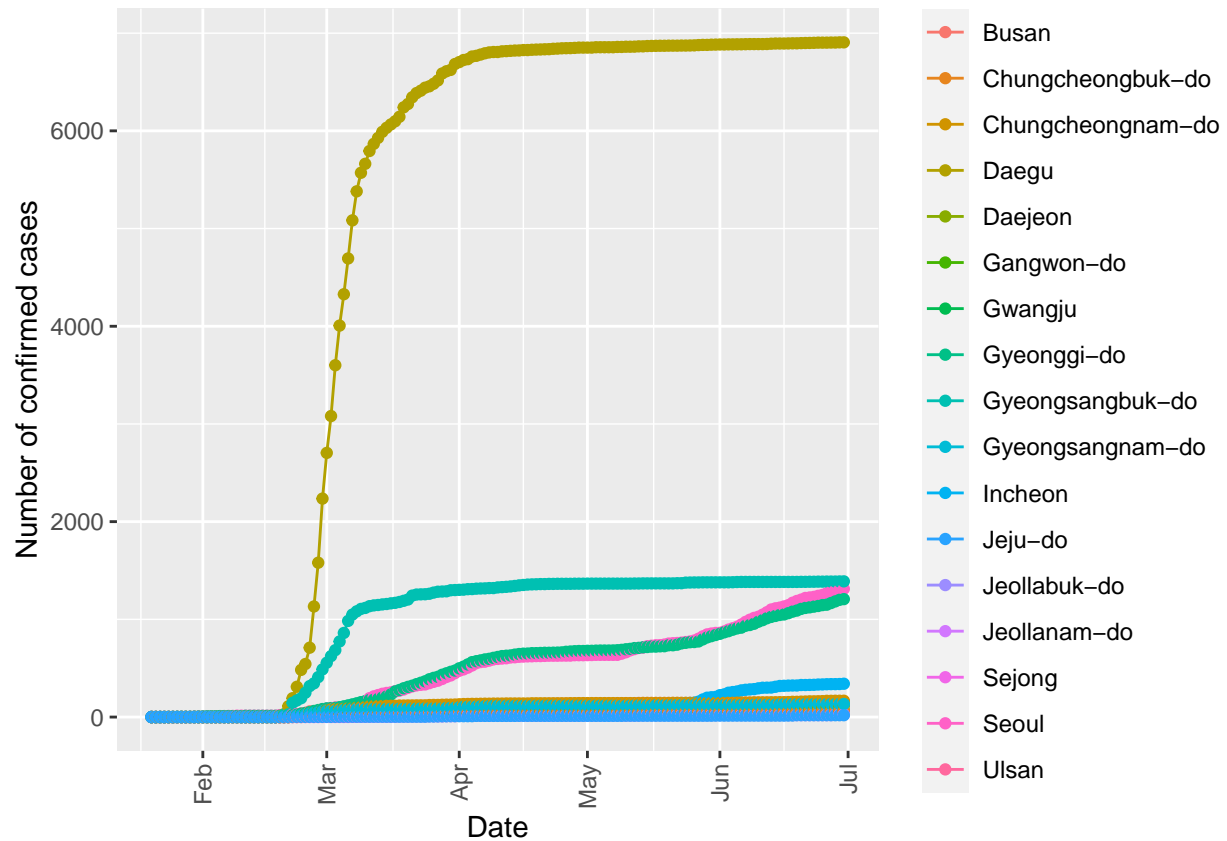
```
##           province number_of_cases
## 1:           Seoul           1312
## 2:           Busan            154
## 3:           Daegu           6906
## 4:           Incheon          341
## 5:           Gwangju           44
## 6:           Daejeon          117
## 7:           Ulsan            55
## 8:           Sejong           50
## 9:       Gyeonggi-do         1207
## 10:        Gangwon-do           65
## 11: Chungcheongbuk-do           65
## 12: Chungcheongnam-do          167
## 13:       Jeollabuk-do           27
## 14:       Jeollanam-do           24
## 15: Gyeongsangbuk-do          1389
## 16: Gyeongsangnam-do           134
## 17:           Jeju-do           19
```

```
# Plotting a bar graph for number of total cases for various provinces
```

```
ggplot(province_cases, aes(x=province, y=number_of_cases , fill=province)) + geom_bar(stat='identity') +
labs(x='Province', y='Total number of confirmed cases')
```



```
# Plotting growth in the total number of cases for various provinces
ggplot(tprovince_dt, aes(x=date, y=confirmed, color=province)) + geom_line() + geom_point() +
theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, vjust = 0.5, hjust=1)) +
labs(x='Date', y='Number of confirmed cases')
```



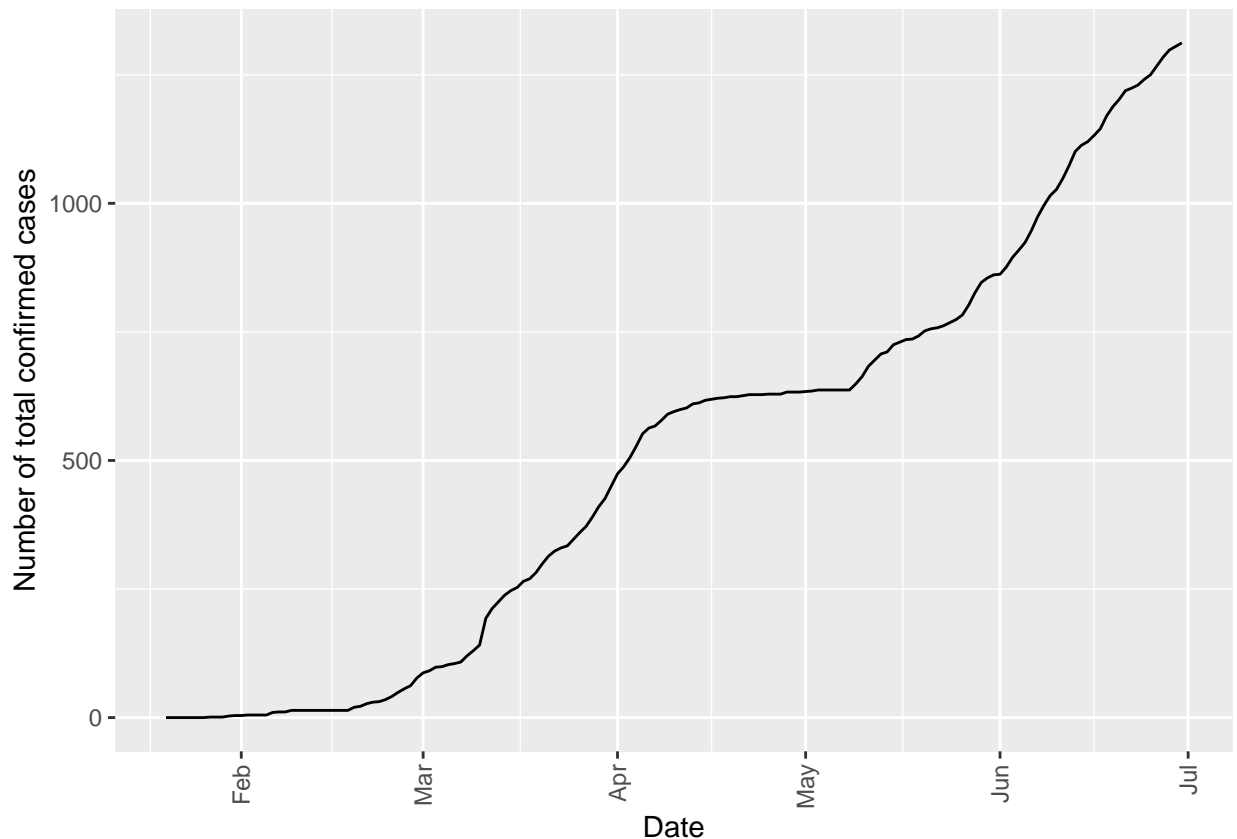
The number of cases is quite high (in thousands) for some provinces and comparatively smaller (in hundreds or less) for other provinces.

Growth in total number of cases for various provinces

```
tprovince_Seoul=tprovince_dt[province=="Seoul"]
#Busan
#Daegu
#Incheon
#Gwangju
#Daejeon
#Ulsan
#Sejong
#Gyeonggi-do
#Gangwon-do
#Chungcheongbuk-do
#Chungcheongnam-do
#Jeollabuk-do
#Jeollanam-do
#Gyeongsangbuk-do
#Gyeongsangnam-do
#Jeju-do
```

We look at various provinces individually

```
# Plotting total number of cases for Seoul
ggplot(tprovince_Seoul, aes(x=date, y=confirmed)) + geom_line() +
theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, vjust = 0.5, hjust=1)) +
labs(x="Date", y="Number of total confirmed cases")
```



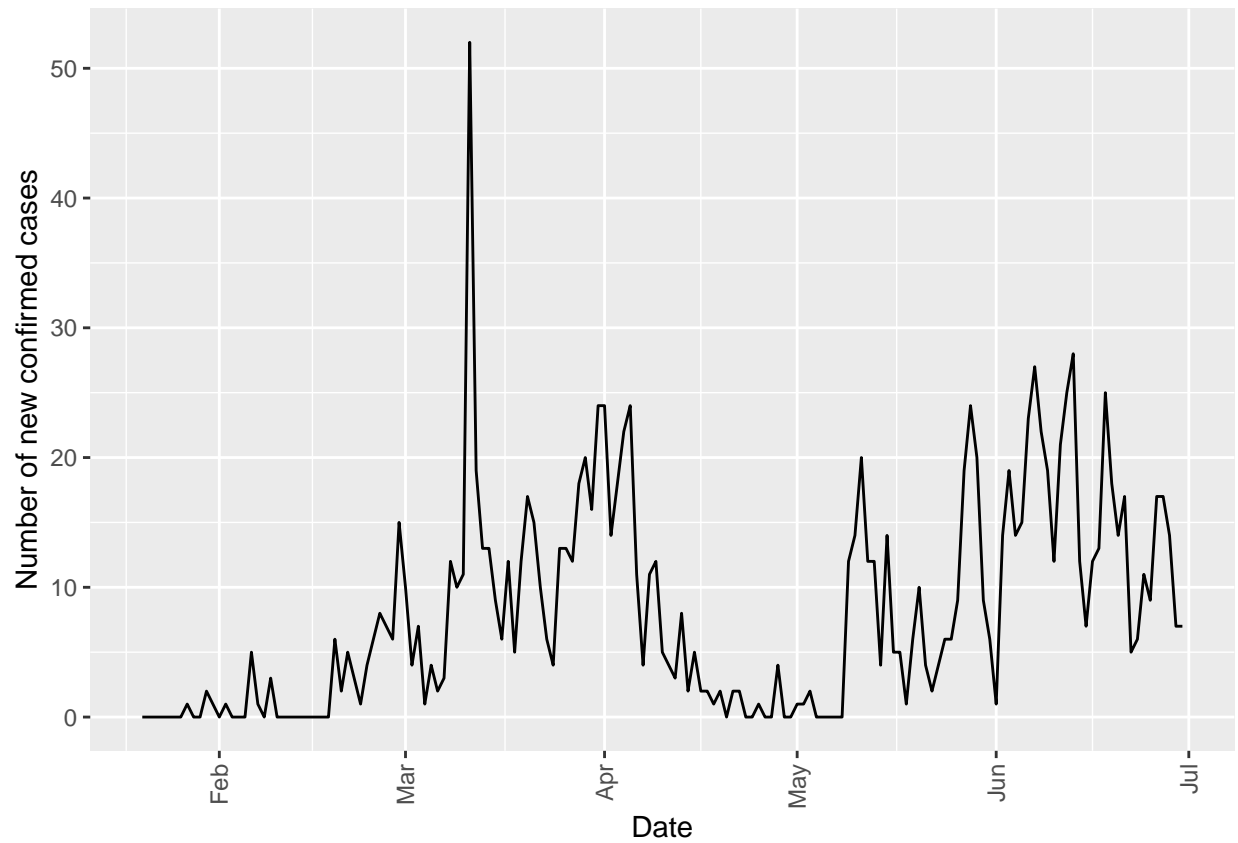
Seoul

The same could be done for other provinces.

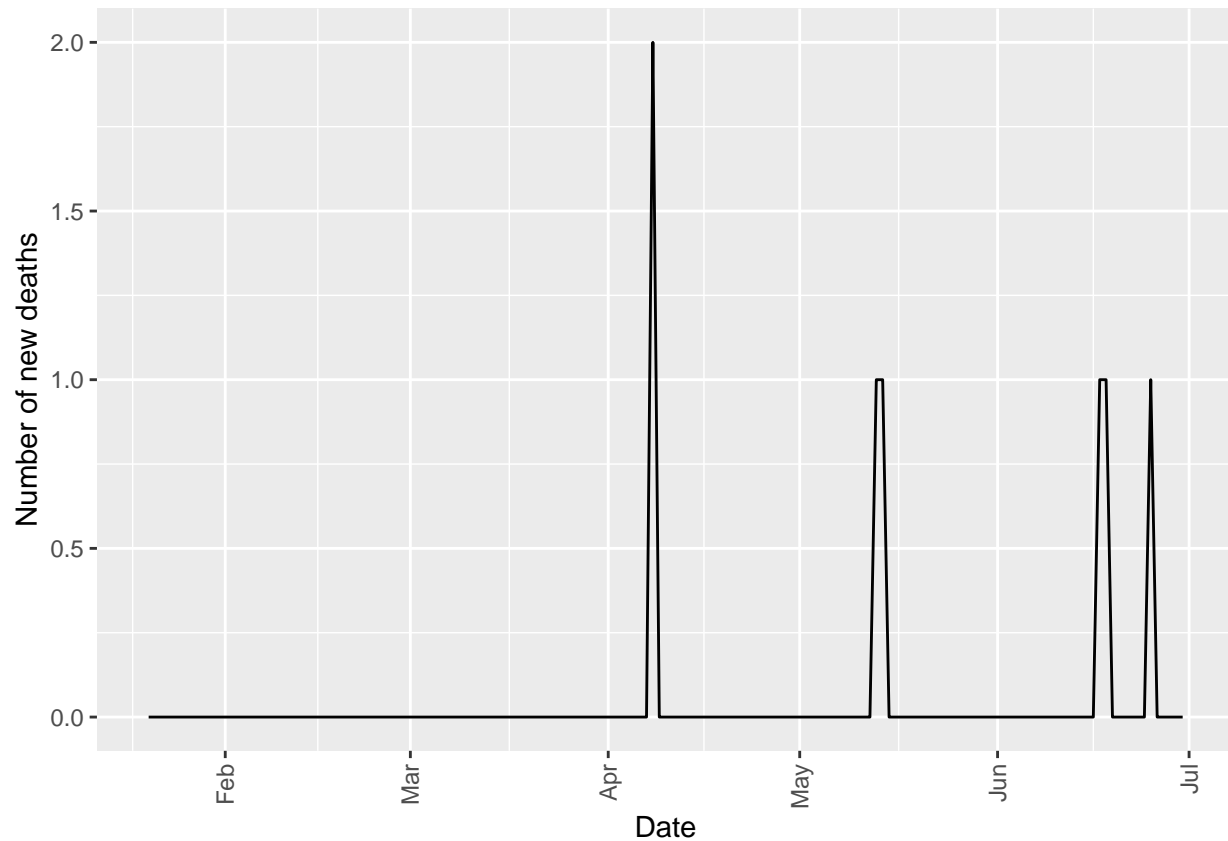
Visualizing the number of new cases and new deaths per day for various provinces Seoul

```
#Adding column of daily new cases and daily new deaths
tprovince_Seoul[,daily_new_case:=confirmed-shift(confirmed,fill=first(confirmed))]
tprovince_Seoul[, daily_new_deaths:= deceased-shift(deceased,fill=first(deceased)) ]
```

```
#Plotting daily new cases for Seoul
ggplot(tprovince_Seoul, aes(x=date, y=daily_new_case)) + geom_line() +
theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, vjust = 0.5, hjust=1)) +
labs(x="Date", y="Number of new confirmed cases")
```



```
#Plotting daily new deaths for Seoul  
ggplot(tprovince_Seoul, aes(x=date, y=daily_new_deaths)) + geom_line() +  
theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, vjust = 0.5, hjust=1)) +  
labs(x="Date", y="Number of new deaths")
```



Analyzing effect of temp on number of covid cases

Weather file

```
head(weather_dt, n=5)
```

```
##      code province      date avg_temp min_temp max_temp precipitation
## 1: 10000   Seoul 2016-01-01    1.2    -3.3     4.0             0
## 2: 11000   Busan 2016-01-01    5.3     1.1    10.9             0
## 3: 12000   Daegu 2016-01-01    1.7    -4.0     8.0             0
## 4: 13000 Gwangju 2016-01-01    3.2    -1.5     8.1             0
## 5: 14000 Incheon 2016-01-01    3.1    -0.4     5.7             0
##      max_wind_speed most_wind_direction avg_relative_humidity
## 1:                3.5                90                73.0
## 2:                7.4               340                52.1
## 3:                3.7               270                70.5
## 4:                2.7               230                73.1
## 5:                5.3               180                83.9
```

```
summary(weather_dt)
```

```
##      code      province      date      avg_temp
## Min.   :10000 Length:26271 Min.    :2016-01-01 Min.    :-14.80
## 1st Qu.:13500 Class :character 1st Qu.:2017-02-14 1st Qu.:  6.00
## Median :20000 Mode  :character Median :2018-04-01 Median : 14.60
```

```
## Mean      :32125          Mean      :2018-03-31   Mean      : 13.86
## 3rd Qu.   :50500          3rd Qu. :2019-05-16   3rd Qu.   : 21.90
## Max.      :70000          Max.     :2020-06-29   Max.      : 33.90
##                                     NA's      :15
##      min_temp      max_temp      precipitation      max_wind_speed
## Min.      :-19.200   Min.      :-11.90   Min.      : 0.000   Min.      : 1.000
## 1st Qu.   : 1.400   1st Qu.   : 10.90   1st Qu.   : 0.000   1st Qu.   : 3.800
## Median    : 9.900   Median    : 19.80   Median    : 0.000   Median    : 4.700
## Mean      : 9.665   Mean      : 18.78   Mean      : 1.487   Mean      : 5.109
## 3rd Qu.   : 18.200   3rd Qu.   : 26.70   3rd Qu.   : 0.000   3rd Qu.   : 6.000
## Max.      : 30.300   Max.      : 40.00   Max.      :266.000   Max.      :29.400
## NA's      :5        NA's      :3        NA's      :9
## most_wind_direction avg_relative_humidity
## Min.      : 20.0     Min.      : 10.4
## 1st Qu.   : 90.0     1st Qu.   : 53.6
## Median    :200.0     Median    : 66.9
## Mean      :195.9     Mean      : 65.7
## 3rd Qu.   :290.0     3rd Qu.   : 78.6
## Max.      :360.0     Max.      :100.0
## NA's      :29       NA's      :20
```

```
weather_Seoul=weather_dt[province == "Seoul"]
weather_Seoul
```

Getting weather tables for various provinces (Currently only for Seoul province)

```
##      code province      date avg_temp min_temp max_temp precipitation
## 1: 10000   Seoul 2016-01-01      1.2     -3.3      4.0           0.0
## 2: 10000   Seoul 2016-01-02      5.7      1.0      9.5           0.0
## 3: 10000   Seoul 2016-01-03      6.5      5.1      9.4           0.0
## 4: 10000   Seoul 2016-01-04      2.0     -2.5      5.3           0.0
## 5: 10000   Seoul 2016-01-05     -2.7     -4.8      1.5           0.0
## ---
## 1638: 10000   Seoul 2020-06-25     21.6     20.1     23.4          13.3
## 1639: 10000   Seoul 2020-06-26     21.8     19.2     25.7           2.1
## 1640: 10000   Seoul 2020-06-27     24.1     20.4     29.6           0.0
## 1641: 10000   Seoul 2020-06-28     25.2     21.5     30.1           0.0
## 1642: 10000   Seoul 2020-06-29     23.8     20.6     26.5          11.9
##      max_wind_speed most_wind_direction avg_relative_humidity
## 1:           3.5           90           73.0
## 2:           4.5          320           76.9
## 3:           4.0          320           80.6
## 4:           5.1          320           54.4
## 5:           4.6           20           39.4
## ---
## 1638:           4.3          180           91.0
## 1639:           5.3          230           82.1
## 1640:           5.4          250           70.4
## 1641:           4.7          270           70.5
## 1642:           5.9           50           77.0
```



```
#Listing various columns of both tables
colnames(tprovince_Seoul)
```

Combining Weather and time info for Seoul province

```
## [1] "date"           "time"           "province"       "confirmed"
## [5] "released"       "deceased"       "daily_new_case" "daily_new_deaths"
colnames(weather_Seoul)
```

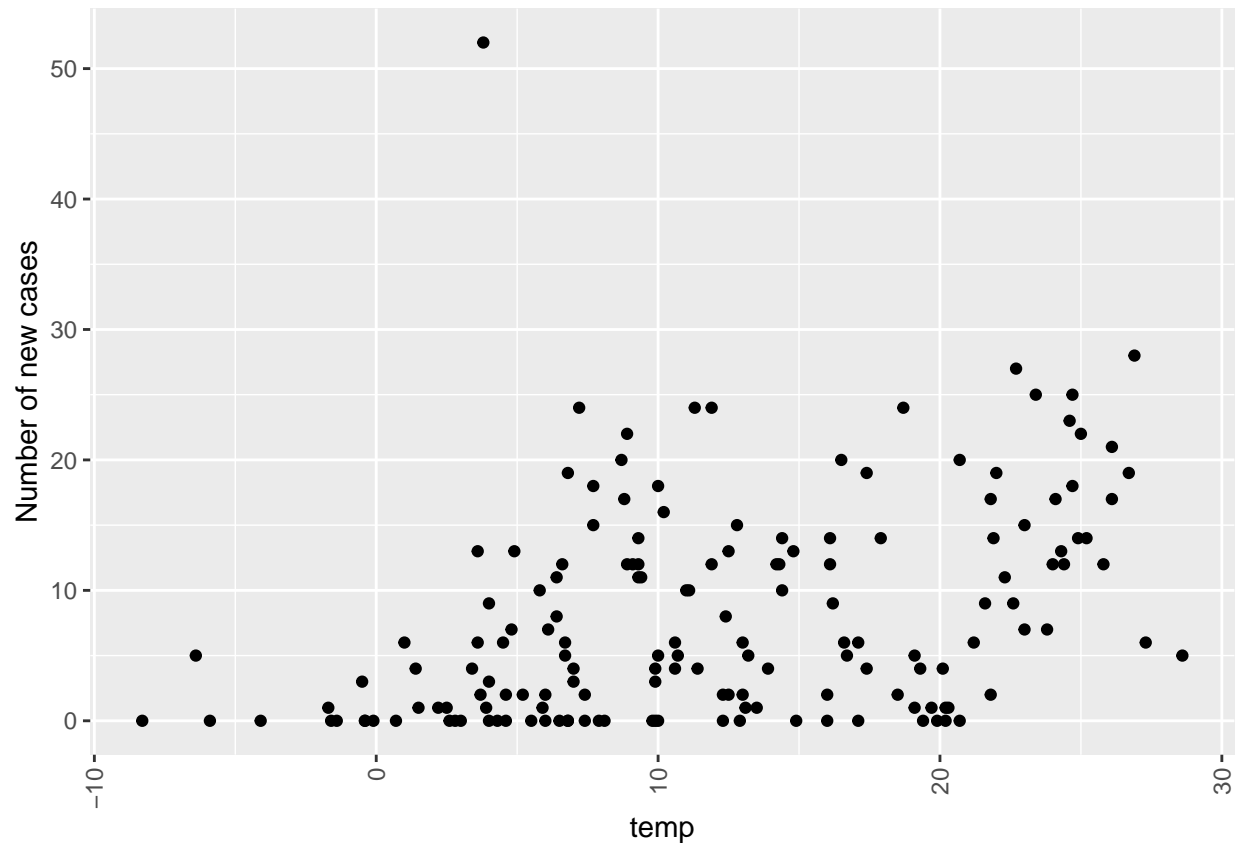
```
## [1] "code"           "province"       "date"
## [4] "avg_temp"       "min_temp"       "max_temp"
## [7] "precipitation"  "max_wind_speed" "most_wind_direction"
## [10] "avg_relative_humidity"
```

```
# Deleting the columns not required for this analysis from both tables and creating new tables
Seoul_time<-tprovince_Seoul[,c("province","time"):=NULL]
Seoul_weather<-weather_Seoul[,c("province", "code"):=NULL]
```

```
# Merging the two tables (weather and time)
Seoul_weather_time <- merge(Seoul_weather, Seoul_time, by = "date", all = FALSE)
Seoul_weather_time[,.(avg_temp,daily_new_case)]
```

```
##      avg_temp daily_new_case
## 1:      0.7           0
## 2:     -0.4           0
## 3:      3.0           0
## 4:      4.6           0
## 5:      2.8           0
## ---
## 158:     21.6           9
## 159:     21.8          17
## 160:     24.1          17
## 161:     25.2          14
## 162:     23.8           7
```

```
#Plotting daily new cases against temp
ggplot(Seoul_weather_time, aes(x=avg_temp, y=daily_new_case)) + geom_point() +
theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, vjust = 0.5, hjust=1)) +
labs(x="temp", y="Number of new cases")
```

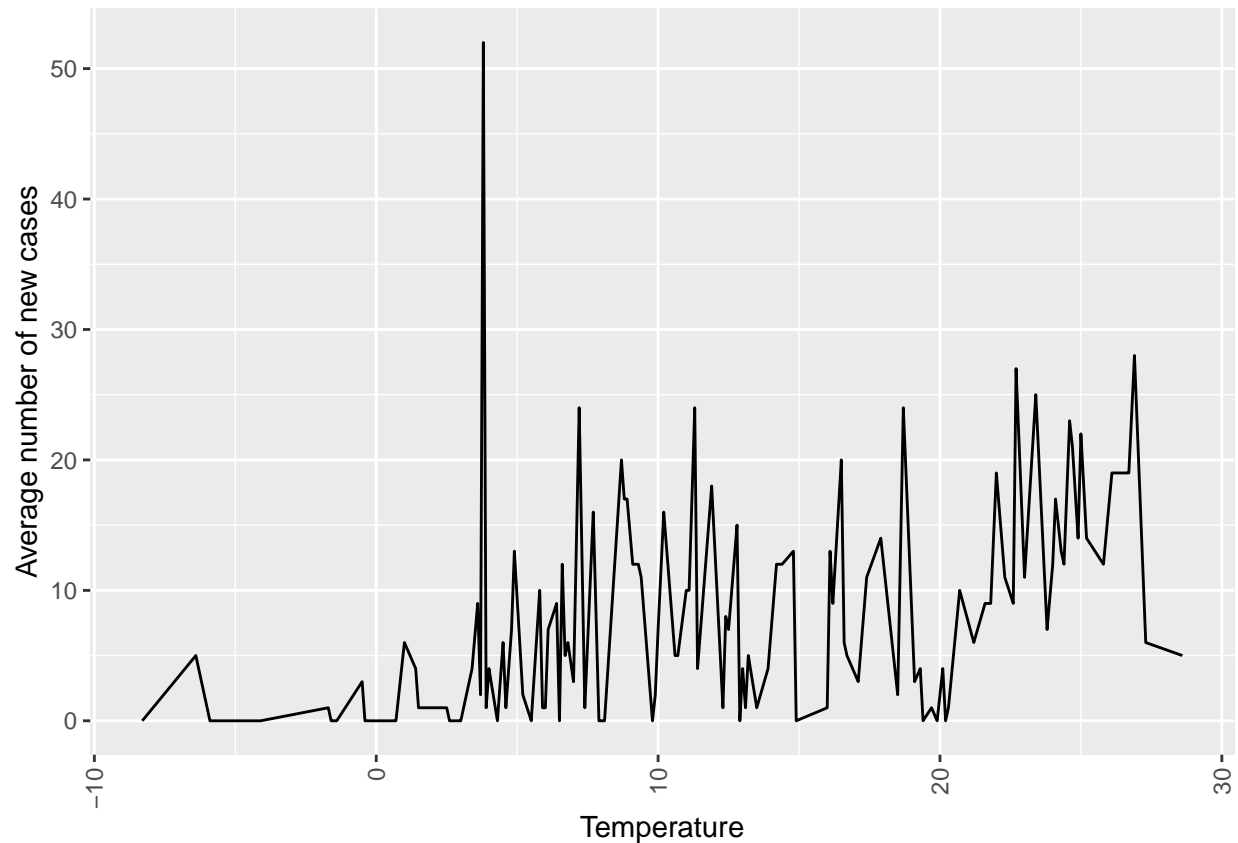


As temperature values repeat, we take average number of cases corresponding to a particular temperature.

```
Seoul_weather_time[, avg_no_of_new_cases:=as.integer(mean(daily_new_case)), by=avg_temp]
Seoul_weather_time[,.(avg_temp,avg_no_of_new_cases)][order(-avg_no_of_new_cases)]
```

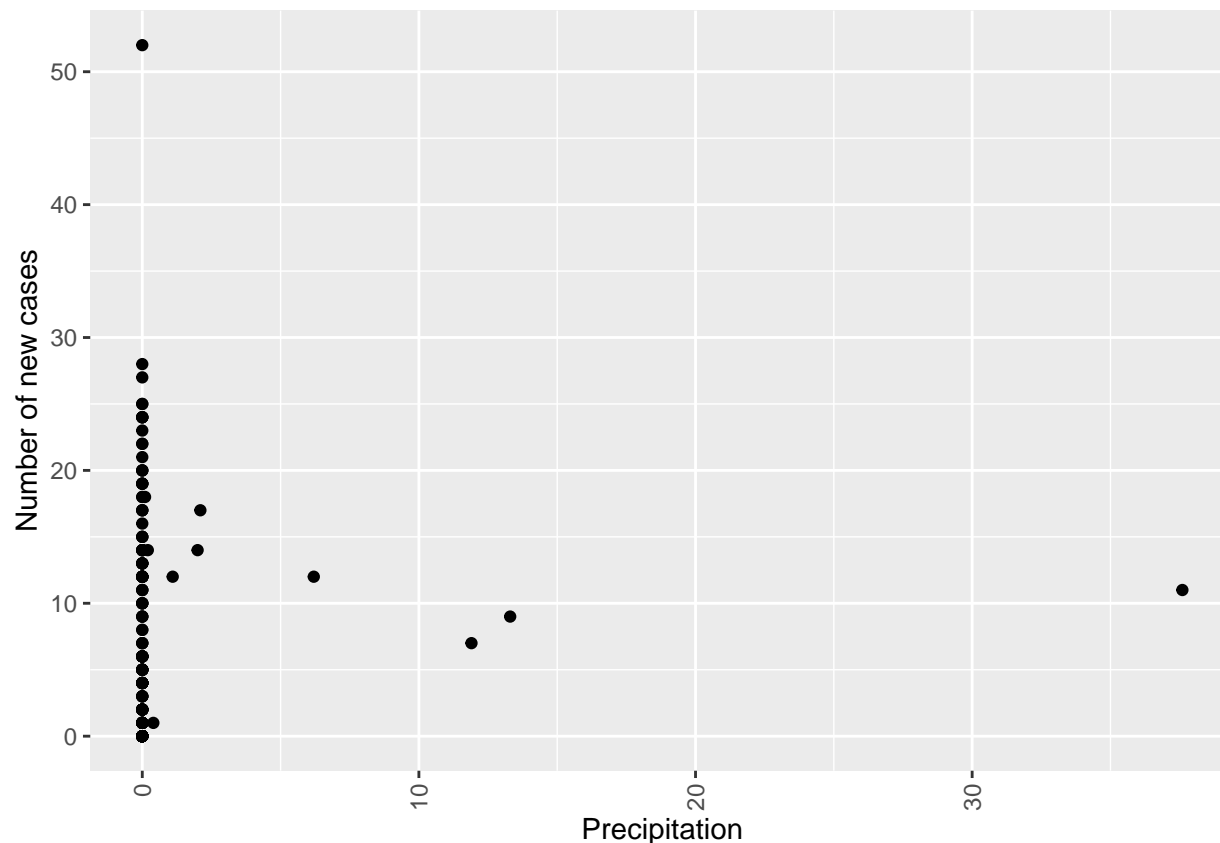
```
##      avg_temp avg_no_of_new_cases
##  1:      3.8             52
##  2:     26.9             28
##  3:     22.7             27
##  4:     23.4             25
##  5:     11.3             24
##  ---
## 158:     14.9              0
## 159:     20.2              0
## 160:     20.2              0
## 161:     19.4              0
## 162:     19.9              0
```

```
#Plotting average number of new cases against temp
ggplot(Seoul_weather_time, aes(x=avg_temp, y=avg_no_of_new_cases)) + geom_line() +
theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, vjust = 0.5, hjust=1)) +
labs(x="Temperature", y="Average number of new cases")
```



From the above graph we infer that the average number of cases is generally higher for a temperature above 3.8 and comparatively lower for lower temperature ranges.

```
#Plotting daily new cases against precipitation
ggplot(Seoul_weather_time, aes(x=precipitation, y=daily_new_case)) + geom_point() +
theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, vjust = 0.5, hjust=1)) +
labs(x="Precipitation", y="Number of new cases")
```

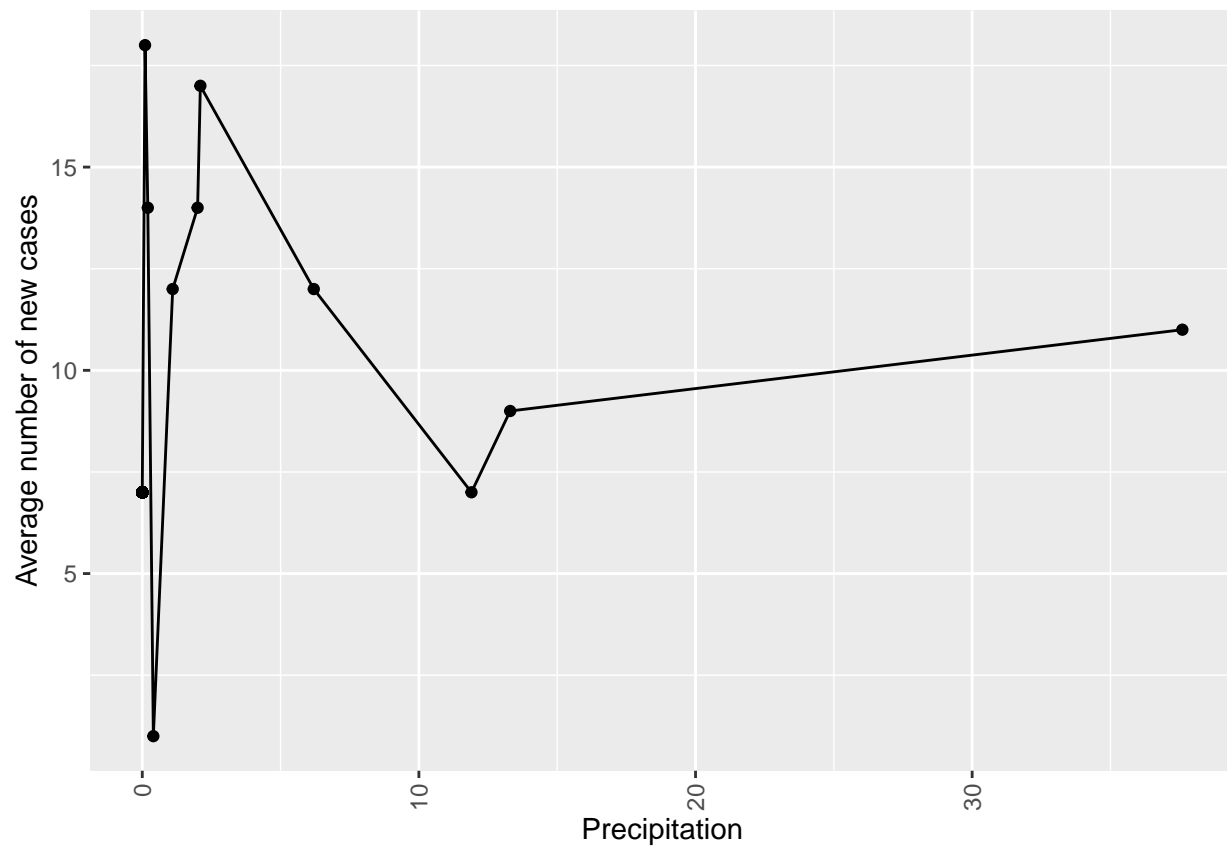


Here also, we need to look at average number of cases for a particular precipitation value, as precipitation value is same for multiple days.

```
Seoul_weather_time[, avg_no_of_new_cases_prep:=as.integer(mean(daily_new_case), na.rm=TRUE), by=precipitation]
Seoul_weather_time[, .(precipitation, avg_no_of_new_cases_prep)]
```

```
##      precipitation avg_no_of_new_cases_prep
##  1:             0.0                      7
##  2:             0.0                      7
##  3:             0.0                      7
##  4:             0.0                      7
##  5:             0.0                      7
## ---
## 158:          13.3                      9
## 159:           2.1                     17
## 160:             0.0                      7
## 161:             0.0                      7
## 162:          11.9                      7
```

```
#Plotting average number of new cases against precipitation
ggplot(Seoul_weather_time, aes(x=precipitation, y=avg_no_of_new_cases_prep)) + geom_line() + geom_point()
theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, vjust = 0.5, hjust=1)) +
labs(x="Precipitation", y="Average number of new cases")
```



Precipitation changes seem to have no effect on the number of COVID cases.