Sodium and Blood Pressure

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

sav1 <- "UKDA-6533-spss/spss/spss25/ndns_rp_yr1-4a_personleveldietarydata_uk_v2.sav"
sav2 <- "UKDA-6533-spss/spss/spss25/ndns_rp_yr1-4a_indiv_uk.sav"
sav3 <- "UKDA-6533-spss/spss/spss25/ndns_yr1-3indiva_weights.sav"</pre>
```

Does Blood pressure correlate with sodium intake when controlling for income, race and age In A representative UK population NDNS is raised intake of sodium >rda associated with raised Blood pressure readings?

Introduction

Sodium is a key electrolyte in cellular physiology. One core function of the cell is to maintain a sodium concentration gradient across the cell wall. Maintaining sodium levels is therefore an essential part of all higher organisms. This role is largely taken by the kidney and modified by receptors and hormones from across the organism. It also relies on ingestion and taste, or diet.

I would like to understand what to tell my patients. Current advice is to reduce sodium intake but it can be difficult to identify the best way to do this. Recent critiques of the role of ingested sodium in blood pressure have looked again at the best form for this advice. The National dietary nutrition dataset is a rolling cross sectional study with linked data on ingestion of sodium and of blood pressure. It also contains data on potential confounding factors such as age sex weight race and income.

Machine learning is a way of interrogating data sets to identify potential models to explain and predict an outcome. In this case the outcome is systolic or diastolic blood pressure.

Causation analysis working with regression models can help to better identify the directional role of particular variables in a model. This helps to identify which variables to include in models and which combination is most likely to give a clinically significant answer.

```
#savx <- "UKDA-6533-spss/spss/spss25/"
sav1d <- read_sav(sav1)
#View(sav1d)

sav2d <- read_sav(sav2)
#View(sav2d)

#savxd <- read_sav(savx)

sav3d <- read_sav(savx)

#yr1-4a person level dietary data_uk_v2 data
persdat <- subset(sav1d[c("seriali","Age", "Sex","Country","Sodiummg","Calciummg","TotalEMJ")])</pre>
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sugarset <- subset(sav1d[c("seriali", "Totalsugarsg", "Glucoseg", "Sucroseg", "Fructoseg", "Lactoseg", "SOFT.</pre>
persdat <- as.data.table(persdat)</pre>
sugarset <- as.data.table(sugarset)</pre>
persdat[, Sex := factor(Sex, levels = 1:2, labels = c("Male", "Female"))]
persdat[, Country := factor(Country)]
summary(persdat)
                                                                Country
##
       seriali
                           Age
                                          Sex
          :10101032
                            : 1.00
                                      Male :3157
                                                    England
                     Min.
                                                                    :3441
## 1st Qu.:20204104 1st Qu.:10.00
                                                    Northern Ireland: 982
                                      Female:3671
## Median :30208051 Median :20.00
                                                    Scotland
                                                                    :1695
                                                                    : 710
## Mean
         :27237093 Mean :29.73
                                                    Wales
## 3rd Qu.:40213171 3rd Qu.:48.00
## Max.
          :90305261 Max.
                             :96.00
                                         TotalEMJ
##
      Sodiummg
                      Calciummg
## Min.
         : 133.6 Min. : 95.19
                                      Min. : 0.4161
                    1st Qu.: 583.12
## 1st Qu.:1528.7
                                      1st Qu.: 5.4673
## Median :1959.9
                    Median : 754.97
                                      Median: 6.7228
## Mean :2067.2
                    Mean : 794.85
                                      Mean : 7.0154
## 3rd Qu.:2492.3
                    3rd Qu.: 961.04
                                      3rd Qu.: 8.2618
## Max. :7405.5
                    Max.
                           :3234.23
                                      Max.
                                             :22.3664
summary(sugarset)
##
       seriali
                       Totalsugarsg
                                           Glucoseg
                                                            Sucroseg
## Min.
          :10101032 Min. : 3.607 Min.
                                               : 0.000
                                                                : 0.2567
                                                         Min.
## 1st Qu.:20204104 1st Qu.: 65.309 1st Qu.: 9.215
                                                         1st Qu.: 25.9719
## Median :30208051 Median : 87.685 Median :13.975
                                                         Median: 38.4110
## Mean :27237093 Mean :93.671 Mean :15.838
                                                         Mean : 42.5467
## 3rd Qu.:40213171 3rd Qu.:115.656 3rd Qu.:19.931
                                                         3rd Qu.: 54.2214
                                                         Max.
## Max.
          :90305261 Max.
                             :369.092 Max.
                                               :86.768
                                                                :283.2085
##
                                     SOFTDRINKSLOWCALORIE SOFTDRINKSNOTLOWCALORIE
     Fructoseg
                       Lactoseg
## Min.
          : 0.000 Min. : 0.000 Min.
                                                0.0
                                                          Min. :
                                                                     0.0
## 1st Qu.: 8.899 1st Qu.: 6.243 1st Qu.:
                                                0.0
                                                                     0.0
                                                          1st Qu.:
## Median :13.968
                    Median: 10.436 Median:
                                                0.0
                                                          Median: 50.0
## Mean :15.812
                    Mean :12.117
                                     Mean : 144.4
                                                          Mean : 144.8
## 3rd Qu.:20.428
                    3rd Qu.:16.179
                                     3rd Qu.: 198.0
                                                          3rd Qu.: 200.0
## Max.
          :84.123
                    Max.
                           :79.406
                                     Max. :5050.8
                                                          Max. :2197.5
## TEACOFFEEANDWATER
## Min. : 0.0
## 1st Qu.: 200.0
## Median: 556.5
## Mean : 696.1
## 3rd Qu.:1052.9
## Max.
         :5295.9
#measured and recorded data yr1-4a_indiv_uk
#subsets of the table to identify grouped information
bpset <- subset(sav2d[c("seriali","Sys", "Dias", "Sys2", "Dias2","omsysval","omdiaval","CutIll")])</pre>
ethnset <- subset(sav2d[c("seriali", "EthGrG", "EthGrU" , "ethgr5", "ethgr2")])
saltset <- subset(sav2d[c("seriali", "SaltChk", "SalHowC", "SltSHow", "Na_mmol", "Na_mmol_Corrected" , "Na_</pre>
medsset <- subset(sav2d[c("seriali", "bpmedc", "bpmedd")])</pre>
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hypset <- subset(sav2d[c("seriali", "hyper140", "hibp140", "hyper1", "highbp1")])
incset <- subset(sav2d[c("seriali","eqvinc","nssec8","hhinc")])</pre>
measset <- subset(sav2d[c("seriali","htval","wtval","bmival")])</pre>
ageset <- subset(sav2d[c("seriali", "agegad1", "agegad2", "agegch1", "agegr1", "age")])</pre>
#change subsets to datatables
bpset <- as.data.table(bpset)</pre>
 saltset <- as.data.table(saltset)</pre>
medsset <- as.data.table(medsset)</pre>
hypset <- as.data.table(hypset)</pre>
 ethnset <- as.data.table(ethnset)</pre>
 incset <- as.data.table(incset)</pre>
measset <- as.data.table(measset)</pre>
 ageset <- as.data.table(ageset)</pre>
 #define factors
 #saltset
 saltset[, SaltChk := factor(SaltChk, levels = 1:8, labels = c("Salt",
    "Salt substitute",
    "Neither",
    "Item not applicable",
    "No answer/refused",
    "Don't know",
    "Qn not applicable to survey year",
    "Schedule not applicable"))]
saltset[, SalHowC := factor(SalHowC, levels = 1:8,labels = c("Always",
"Usually",
"Sometimes",
    ", Item not applicable",
    "No answer/refused",
    " Don't know",
"Qn not applicable to survey year",
"Schedule not applicable"))]
 saltset[, SltSHow := factor(SltSHow,levels = 1:8,labels = c("Always",
                                                                "Usually",
                                                                "Sometimes",
                                                                ", Item not applicable",
                                                                "No answer/refused",
                                                                " Don't know",
                                                                "Qn not applicable to survey year",
                                                                "Schedule not applicable"))]
#medset
 medsset[, bpmedc := factor(bpmedc)]
medsset[, bpmedd := factor(bpmedd)]
 #hypeset
hypset[,hyper140 := factor(hyper140,levels = 1:9, labels = c(" Normotensive untreated",
" Normotensive treated",
    "Hypertensive treated",
"Hypertensive untreated",
"No answer/refused",
   "Don't know",
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"Refused, attempted but not obtained, not attempted",
     "Qn not applicable to survey year",
"Item not applicable")) ]
hypset[, hibp140 := factor(hibp140, levels = 1:7, labels = c("Not high BP",
"High BP",
   "No answer/refused",
   "Don't know",
   "Refused, attempted but not obtained, not attempted",
    "Qn not applicable to survey year",
    "Item not applicable")) ]
hypset[, hyper1 := factor(hyper1, levels = 1:9, labels = c(" Normotensive untreated",
                                                           " Normotensive treated",
                                                           "Hypertensive treated",
                                                           "Hypertensive untreated",
                                                           "No answer/refused",
                                                           "Don't know",
                                                           "Refused, attempted but not obtained, not att
                                                           "Qn not applicable to survey year",
                                                           "Item not applicable"))]
hypset[, highbp1 := factor(highbp1, levels = 1:7, labels = c("Not high BP",
                                                               "High BP",
                                                               "No answer/refused",
                                                               "Don't know",
                                                               "Refused, attempted but not obtained, not
                                                               "Qn not applicable to survey year",
                                                               "Item not applicable")) ]
 cutillcat <- c("Cancer (neoplasm) including lumps, masses, tumours and growths and benign (non-malignate)
                ,"Diabetes. Incl. Hyperglycemia"
                , "Other endocrine/metabolic"
                ,"Mental illness/anxiety/depression/nerves (nes)"
                , "Mental handicap"
                , "Epilepsy/fits/convulsions"
                ,"Migraine/headaches
                "," Other problems of nervous system
                "," Cataract/poor eye sight/blindness
                ","Other eye complaints
                ", "Poor hearing/deafness
                ", "Tinnitus/noises in the ear
                ", "Menieres disease/ear complaints causing balance problems
"," Other ear complaints
   "," Stroke/cerebral haemorrhage/cerebral thrombosis
    ", "Heart attack/angina
","Hypertension/high blood pressure/blood pressure (nes)
    "," Other heart problems
    ", "Piles/haemorrhoids incl. Varicose Veins in anus
   "," Varicose veins/phlebitis in lower extremities
","Other blood vessels/embolic
   ", "Bronchitis/emphysema
   ","Asthma
   "," Hayfever
   ","Other respiratory complaints
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", "Stomach ulcer/ulcer (nes)/abdominal hernia/rupture
    ", "Other digestive complaints (stomach, liver, pancreas, bile ducts, small intestine)
    ", "Complaints of bowel/colon (large intestine, caecum, bowel, colon, rectum)
   ", "Complaints of teeth/mouth/tongue
    ", "Kidney complaints
    ","Urinary tract infection
   ","Other bladder problems/incontinence
    ", "Reproductive system disorders
    ","Arthritis/rheumatism/fibrositis
    ", "Back problems/slipped disc/spine/neck
","Other problems of bones/joints/muscles
"," Infectious and parasitic disease
", "Disorders of blood and blood forming organs and immunity disorders
    ","Skin complaints
   ","Other complaints
", "Unclassifiable (no other codable complaint)
   ", "Complaint no longer present
","No answer/refused
    ", "Dont know"
                ,"Qn not applicable to survey year"
                ,"Item not applicable")
#incset
hhinccat <- c("Under £5,000","
   £5,000 - £9,999","
   £10,000 - £14,999","
   £15,000 - £19,999","
     £20,000 - £24,999","
     £25,000 - £29,999","
     £30,000 - £34,999","
     £35,000 - £39,999","
    £40,000 - £44,999","
   £45,000 - £49,999","
£50,000 - £74,999","
    £75,000 - £99,999","
£100,000 or more","
   No answer/refused"."
    Dont know","
Qn not applicable to survey year","
Item not applicable")
#bpset
bpset[, CutIll := factor(CutIll, levels = 1:46, labels = cutillcat)]
bpset[, "omsysval" := as.numeric(omsysval)]
 bpset[,Sys := as.numeric(Sys)]
#ethnset
ethnset[ , EthGrG := factor(EthGrG)]
ethnset[ , EthGrU := factor(EthGrU)]
ethnset[ , ethgr5 := factor(ethgr5, levels = 1:5, labels = c( 'White'
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'Mixed ethnic group'
                                                                'Black or Black British'
                                                                'Asian or asian British'
                                                                'Any other group'))]
ethnset[ , ethgr2 := factor(ethgr2, levels = 1:2, labels = c( 'White'
                                                              , 'Non-white'))]
#incset
incset[ , nssec8 := factor(nssec8, levels = 1:9, labels = c( "Higher managerial and professional occup
               , "Intermediate occupations"
                           , "Small employers and own account workers"
                           , "Lower supervisory and technical occupations"
                             "Semi-routine occupations"
                             "Routine occupations"
                            "Never worked"
                             "Other"))]
incset[ , hhinc := factor (hhinc, levels = 1:17, labels = hhinccat)]
#ageset
ageset[,agegad1 := factor(agegad1, levels = 1:4 ,labels = c("16-24","25-49","50-64","65+ years"))]
ageset[,agegad2 := factor(agegad2, levels = 1:5, labels = c("16-18", "19-34", "35-49", "50-64", "65+ years"
ageset[,agegch1 := factor(agegch1, levels = 1:3, labels = c("8-10","11-12","13-15"))]
ageset[,agegr1 := factor(agegr1, levels = 1:5, labels = c("1.5-3 years", "4-10 years", "11-18 years", "19-
#add columns for g equivalent of mmol for sodium
saltset$Na g Corrected <- saltset$Na mmol Corrected/17.1
saltset$Na_g <- saltset$Na_mmol/17.1</pre>
saltset$Na_g_24h_4_10CLAIM <- saltset$Na_mmol_24h_4_10CLAIM/17.1
saltset$Na_g_24h_4_10CLAIM_Corrected <- saltset$Na_mmol_24h_4_10CLAIM_Corrected/17.1
```

the literature

The time trend analysis showed changes in salt intake. Whilst BP measurements were made the results are not reported on in the paper.

It would be useful to understand if the predicted improvements in BP were found in the same population.

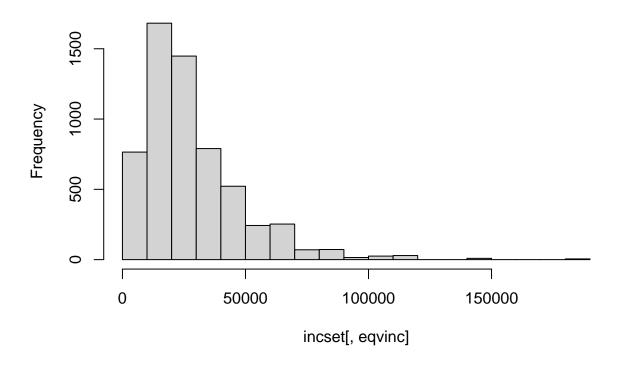
Then the meaning of these results needs to be understandable at the level of those able to implement policy. The NDNS population is structured to match UK age and sex profiles as well as regional representation.

Rebasing this population to match practice, LA or ICB populations will give a better understanding of how the results apply to populations for which commissioners have responsibility.

```
#View(bpset)
#description of dataset
#bpset

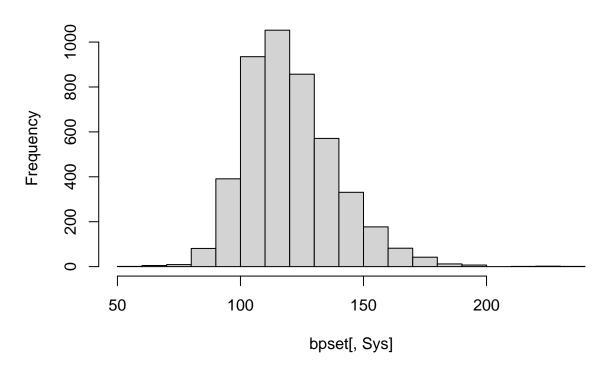
hist(incset[,eqvinc])
```

Histogram of incset[, eqvinc]



hist(bpset[,Sys])

Histogram of bpset[, Sys]

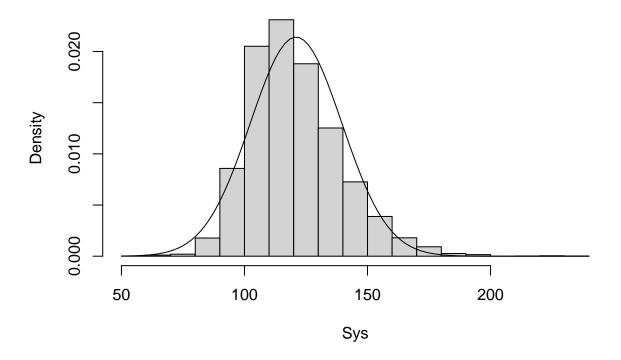


```
bpset[, hist(Sys, prob = TRUE)] # histogram
## $breaks
   [1]
        50
            60 70 80 90 100 110 120 130 140 150 160 170 180 190 200 210 220 230
## [20] 240
##
## $counts
                5
                             391 935 1053 857 571 331 177
                                                                 82
                                                                      42
                                                                                 7
   [1]
           1
                     9
                         81
                                                                           12
  [16]
##
                          1
##
## $density
   [1] 2.193945e-05 1.096972e-04 1.974550e-04 1.777095e-03 8.578324e-03
   [6] 2.051338e-02 2.310224e-02 1.880211e-02 1.252742e-02 7.261957e-03
## [11] 3.883282e-03 1.799035e-03 9.214568e-04 2.632734e-04 1.535761e-04
## [16] 0.000000e+00 2.193945e-05 4.387889e-05 2.193945e-05
##
## $mids
##
   [1]
        55 65 75 85 95 105 115 125 135 145 155 165 175 185 195 205 215 225 235
## $xname
## [1] "Sys"
##
## $equidist
## [1] TRUE
## attr(,"class")
```

[1] "histogram"

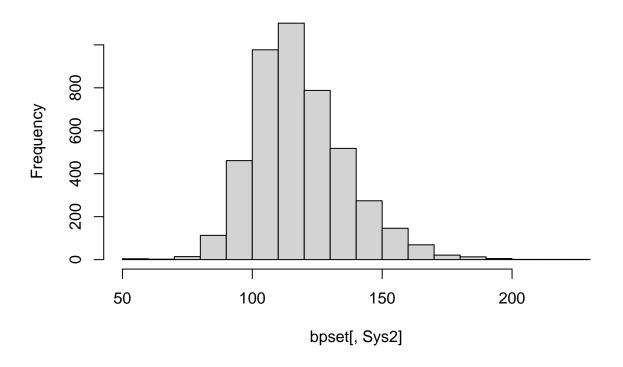
```
bpset[, curve(
  dnorm(x, mean(Sys, na.rm = TRUE), sd(Sys, na.rm = TRUE)),
  add = TRUE)] # superimpose a Normal distribution
```

Histogram of Sys



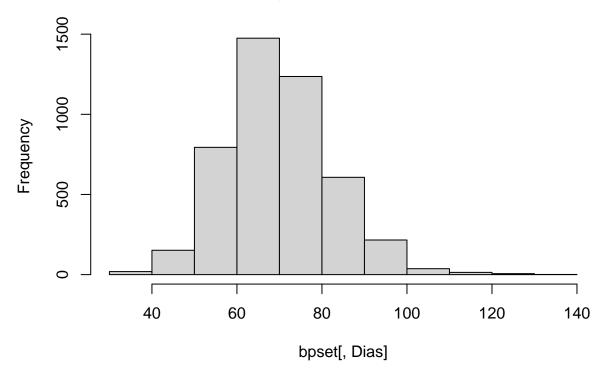
```
##
         50.0 1.516881e-05
##
##
         51.9 2.224979e-05
         53.8 3.229877e-05
##
##
         55.7 4.640147e-05
##
         57.6 6.597254e-05
##
    97: 232.4 3.695316e-10
##
    98: 234.3 1.998262e-10
    99: 236.2 1.069397e-10
## 100: 238.1 5.663845e-11
## 101: 240.0 2.968720e-11
hist(bpset[,Sys2])
```

Histogram of bpset[, Sys2]



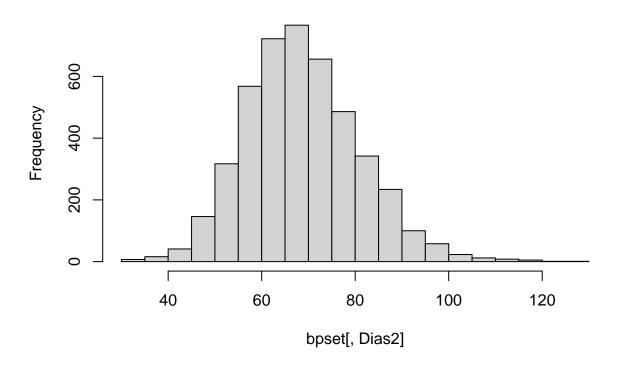
hist(bpset[,Dias])

Histogram of bpset[, Dias]



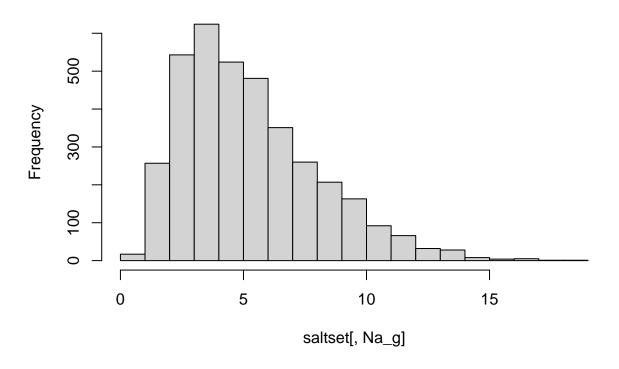
hist(bpset[,Dias2])

Histogram of bpset[, Dias2]



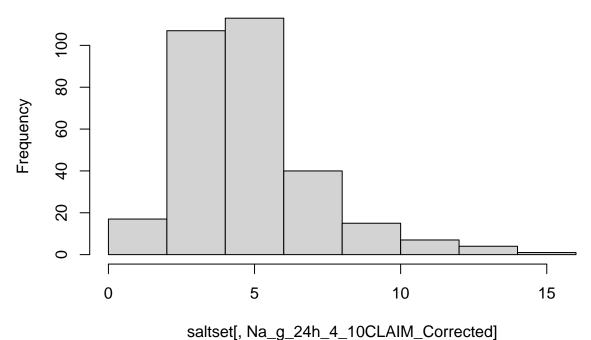
hist(saltset[,Na_g])

Histogram of saltset[, Na_g]



hist(saltset[,Na_g_24h_4_10CLAIM_Corrected])

Histogram of saltset[, Na_g_24h_4_10CLAIM_Corrected]



Saliset[, Na_g_241]_4_100LAlivi_Corrected]

```
#cutillgraph <- ggplot(bpset,aes(CutIll,Sys))+geom_col()
#cutillgraph
summary(bpset)</pre>
```

```
##
       seriali
                                             Dias
                             Sys
                                                               Sys2
##
           :10101032
                        Min.
                               : 52
                                       Min.
                                               : 31.00
                                                          Min.
                                                                 : 54
   Min.
                        1st Qu.:108
                                        1st Qu.: 62.00
                                                          1st Qu.:107
    1st Qu.:20204104
    Median :30208051
                        Median :118
                                       Median : 69.00
                                                          Median:117
##
##
    Mean
           :27237093
                        Mean
                               :121
                                       Mean
                                               : 70.38
                                                          Mean
                                                                 :119
##
    3rd Qu.:40213171
                        3rd Qu.:132
                                        3rd Qu.: 78.00
                                                          3rd Qu.:129
##
    Max.
           :90305261
                        Max.
                               :234
                                       Max.
                                               :137.00
                                                          Max.
                                                                 :227
##
                        NA's
                               :2270
                                        NA's
                                               :2271
                                                          NA's
                                                                 :2319
##
        Dias2
                                          omdiaval
                         omsysval
##
    Min.
           : 31.00
                      Min.
                             : 77.5
                                              : 35.00
##
    1st Qu.: 61.00
                      1st Qu.:106.5
                                       1st Qu.: 61.00
##
    Median : 69.00
                      Median :116.0
                                       Median: 68.50
##
    Mean
           : 69.23
                      Mean
                             :119.1
                                       Mean
                                              : 69.24
    3rd Qu.: 77.00
                      3rd Qu.:129.5
                                       3rd Qu.: 76.50
##
    Max.
           :129.00
                             :220.0
                                       Max.
                                              :127.50
                      Max.
##
    NA's
           :2319
                      NA's
                             :3321
                                       NA's
                                              :3321
##
                                                                                       CutIll
   Other respiratory complaints\n\t
                                                                                               : 193
    Other problems of bones/joints/muscles\n
                                                                                               : 127
   Unclassifiable (no other codable complaint)\n\
                                                                                               : 105
    Other digestive complaints (stomach, liver, pancreas, bile ducts, small intestine)\n\t:
    Back problems/slipped disc/spine/neck\n
                                                                                                 52
```

summary(saltset)

```
##
      seriali
                                     SaltChk
                                                                SalHowC
##
   Min.
         :10101032
                      Salt
                                        :3469
                                                Always
                                                                    :1806
   1st Qu.:20204104
                      Neither
                                        :3176
                                                Sometimes
                                                                    : 914
                                        : 181
   Median :30208051
                      Salt substitute
                                                Usually
                                                                    : 747
  Mean
         :27237093 Item not applicable:
                                            0
                                                ,Item not applicable:
##
   3rd Qu.:40213171
                      No answer/refused :
                                            0
                                                No answer/refused
##
  Max. :90305261
                      (Other)
                                            0
                                                (Other)
                                                                       Λ
##
                      NA's
                                                NA's
                                                                    :3361
##
                   SltSHow
                                               Na_mmol_Corrected
                                 Na_mmol
##
   Always
                       : 73
                               Min. : 3.54
                                               Min. : 3.70
## Usually
                       : 57
                               1st Qu.: 54.30
                                               1st Qu.: 57.10
## Sometimes
                         51
                               Median : 80.65
                                               Median: 84.85
##
   ,Item not applicable:
                          0
                              Mean
                                    : 90.03
                                               Mean : 94.71
                           0
                               3rd Qu.:116.92
                                               3rd Qu.:123.03
   No answer/refused
##
  (Other)
                           0
                               Max.
                                     :312.20
                                               Max.
                                                     :328.40
  NA's
                       :6647
                               NA's
                                               NA's
                                      :3164
                                                     :3164
   Na_mmol_24h_4_10CLAIM Na_mmol_24h_4_10CLAIM_Corrected Na_g_Corrected
##
                         Min. : 11.00
   Min. : 10.50
                                                        Min. : 0.216
##
   1st Qu.: 51.75
                         1st Qu.: 54.45
                                                        1st Qu.: 3.339
  Median : 71.40
                         Median: 75.10
                                                        Median: 4.962
  Mean : 77.75
                              : 81.80
                                                             : 5.539
##
                         Mean
                                                        Mean
                         3rd Qu.: 99.62
##
   3rd Qu.: 94.72
                                                        3rd Qu.: 7.194
##
  Max. :250.30
                         Max.
                              :263.30
                                                        Max.
                                                              :19.205
##
   NA's :6524
                         NA's
                                :6524
                                                        NA's
                                                               :3164
##
        Na g
                    Na_g_24h_4_10CLAIM Na_g_24h_4_10CLAIM_Corrected
                    Min. : 0.614
                                      Min. : 0.643
##
  Min. : 0.207
   1st Qu.: 3.175
                    1st Qu.: 3.026
                                      1st Qu.: 3.184
## Median : 4.716
                    Median : 4.175
                                      Median: 4.392
## Mean : 5.265
                    Mean : 4.547
                                      Mean : 4.783
                                      3rd Qu.: 5.826
## 3rd Qu.: 6.838
                    3rd Qu.: 5.539
## Max.
         :18.257
                         :14.637
                                      Max. :15.398
                    Max.
## NA's
                    NA's
                                      NA's
          :3164
                           :6524
                                             :6524
```

summary(medsset)

```
##
       seriali
                       bpmedc
                                   bpmedd
          :10101032
                          :1412
                                      :1550
  1st Qu.:20204104
                         : 450
                                      : 312
                      1
                                   1
## Median :30208051
                      NA's:4966
                                  NA's:4966
## Mean
          :27237093
   3rd Qu.:40213171
```

:90305261

summary(hypset)

Max.

```
## seriali hyper140

## Min. :10101032 Normotensive untreated:2877

## 1st Qu.:20204104 Hypertensive untreated : 368

## Median :30208051 Normotensive treated : 142

## Mean :27237093 Hypertensive treated : 120

## 3rd Qu.:40213171 No answer/refused : 0
```

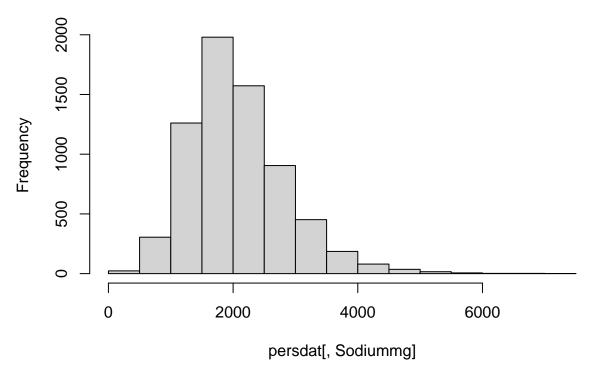
```
##
    Max.
            :90305261
                         (Other)
                                                      0
##
                         NA's
                                                  :3321
##
                                                      hibp140
##
    Not high BP
                                                          : 630
##
    High BP
    No answer/refused
                                                               0
##
    Don't know
                                                               0
##
    Refused, attempted but not obtained, not attempted:
##
                                                               0
##
    (Other)
                                                               0
##
    NA's
                                                          :6198
##
                          hyper1
##
     Normotensive untreated:3149
##
     Normotensive treated
    Hypertensive untreated :
##
##
    Hypertensive treated
                                41
##
    No answer/refused
                                 0
##
    (Other)
                                 0
##
    NA's
                             :3321
##
                                                      highbp1
##
    Not high BP
                                                          : 358
##
    High BP
                                                               0
##
    No answer/refused
                                                               0
    Don't know
                                                               0
##
    Refused, attempted but not obtained, not attempted:
                                                               0
##
##
    (Other)
                                                               0
    NA's
                                                          :6470
summary(ageset)
##
       seriali
                              agegad1
                                                agegad2
                                                               agegch1
            :10101032
##
    Min.
                         16-24
                                                             8-10 : 546
                                  : 821
                                           16-18
                                                     : 575
##
    1st Qu.:20204104
                         25 - 49
                                  :1583
                                           19-34
                                                     : 770
                                                             11-12: 328
    Median :30208051
                                           35-49
                                                     :1059
##
                         50-64
                                  : 868
                                                             13-15: 594
##
    Mean
            :27237093
                        65+ years: 753
                                           50-64
                                                     : 868
                                                             NA's :5360
                                           65+ years: 753
##
    3rd Qu.:40213171
                         NA's
                                   :2803
##
            :90305261
                                                     :2803
    Max.
                                           NA's
##
             agegr1
                              age
##
    1.5-3 years: 604
                        Min.
                                : 1.00
##
                        1st Qu.:10.00
    4-10 years :1277
    11-18 years:1497
                        Median :20.00
##
    19-64 years:2697
                         Mean
                                :29.73
##
    65+ years : 753
                         3rd Qu.:48.00
##
                                :96.00
                         Max.
```

#method The NDNS is a postcode randomised survey which approaches approximately 1000 people each year. The sample selects 500 adults and 500 children. The numbers are managed to deliver a representative sample for the UK.

These participants are asked some basic questions and if they agree to take part are given a 4 day dietary diary. The recorded intake is then analysed for intake by food. These foods have defined contents which can then be reduced to their elemental constituents.

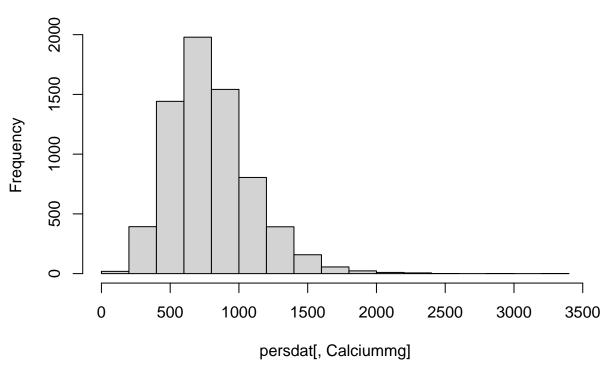
hist(persdat[,Sodiummg])

Histogram of persdat[, Sodiummg]

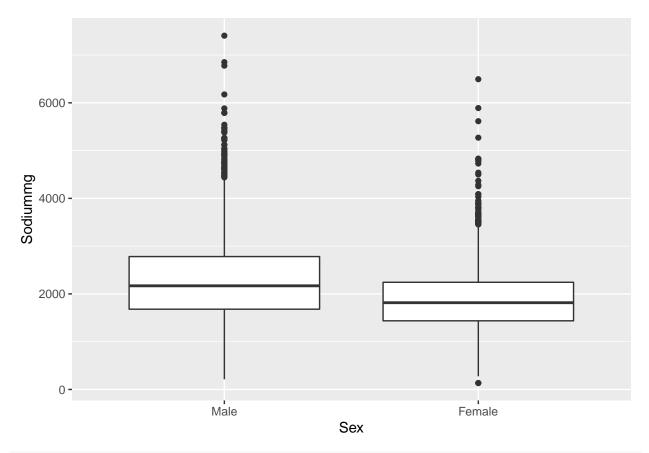


hist(persdat[,Calciummg])

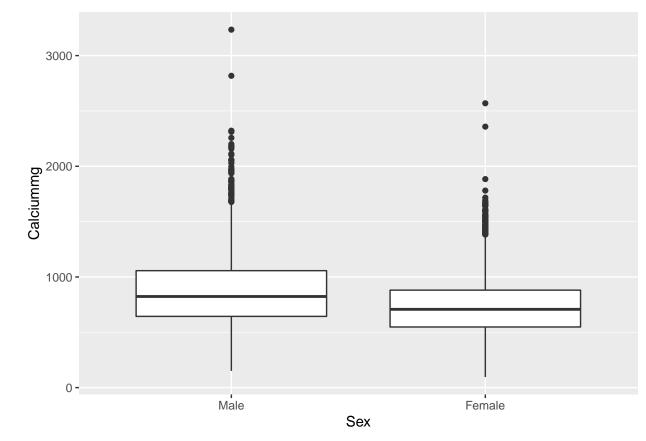
Histogram of persdat[, Calciummg]



dietnagraph <- ggplot(persdat, aes(Sex,Sodiummg))+ geom_boxplot()
dietnagraph</pre>



dietcagraph <- ggplot(persdat, aes(Sex,Calciummg))+ geom_boxplot()
dietcagraph</pre>

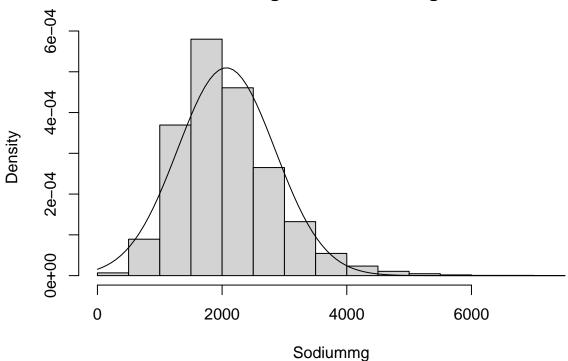


```
#combine data from tables
persugar <- merge(persdat,sugarset, by = "seriali")</pre>
persethnsugar <- merge(ethnset , persugar, by = "seriali")</pre>
incethsugar <- merge(persethnsugar, incset , by = "seriali")</pre>
bpdietdat <- merge(persdat,bpset, by = "seriali" )</pre>
medhypdat <- merge(medsset, hypset, by = "seriali")</pre>
medbppers <- merge(medhypdat, bpset, by ="seriali")</pre>
meaage <- merge(measset,ageset, by ="seriali" )</pre>
meaages <- merge(meaage, saltset, by = "seriali")</pre>
nearlyalldata <- merge(incethsugar, medbppers, by ="seriali")</pre>
alldata <- merge(nearlyalldata, meaages, by ="seriali")</pre>
alldatam <- alldata[Sex == "Male"]</pre>
alldataf <- alldata[Sex == "Female"]</pre>
#View(alldata)
\label{lem:bound} \textit{\#bpdietdat}[\ , c("seriali", "Age", "Sodiummg", "eqvinc", "Sys", "Dias", "Sys2", "Dias2", "Dias2",
#bpdietdatq <- bpdietdatq[,is.na(bpdietdat[Sys]) ]</pre>
```

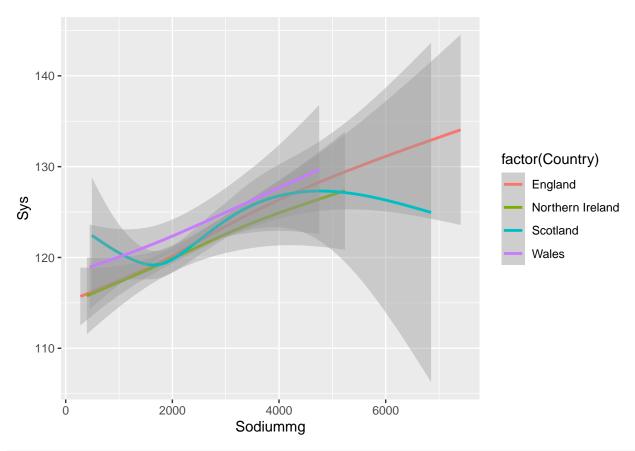
#View(bpdietdatq)
#Summary(bpdietdatq)

```
bpdietdat[, hist(Sodiummg, prob = TRUE)] # histogram
## $breaks
          0 500 1000 1500 2000 2500 3000 3500 4000 4500 5000 5500 6000 6500 7000
## [1]
## [16] 7500
##
## $counts
## [1]
                                                                           2
        23 305 1261 1980 1573 905 452 186
                                                 80
                                                      36
                                                          16
                                                                 6
                                                                      2
                                                                                1
##
## $density
## [1] 6.736965e-06 8.933802e-05 3.693615e-04 5.799649e-04 4.607499e-04
## [6] 2.650849e-04 1.323960e-04 5.448155e-05 2.343292e-05 1.054482e-05
## [11] 4.686585e-06 1.757469e-06 5.858231e-07 5.858231e-07 2.929115e-07
##
## $mids
## [1] 250 750 1250 1750 2250 2750 3250 3750 4250 4750 5250 5750 6250 6750 7250
##
## $xname
## [1] "Sodiummg"
## $equidist
## [1] TRUE
##
## attr(,"class")
## [1] "histogram"
bpdietdat[, curve(
 dnorm(x, mean(Sodiummg, na.rm = TRUE), sd(Sodiummg, na.rm = TRUE)),
 add = TRUE
)] # superimpose a Normal distribution
```

Histogram of Sodiummg

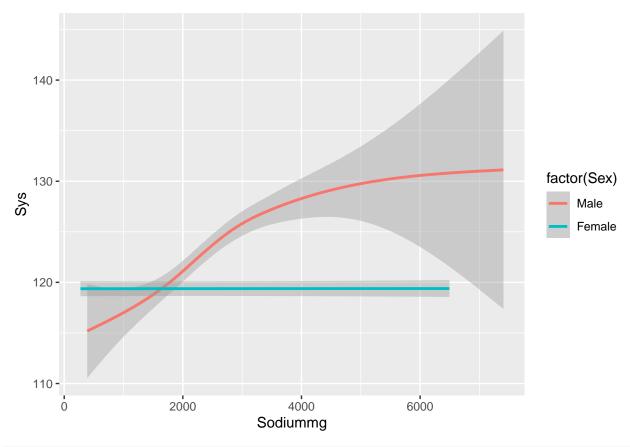


```
##
##
           0 1.556061e-05
     1:
##
     2:
          75 1.995210e-05
##
         150 2.534902e-05
     3:
         225 3.191130e-05
##
         300 3.980509e-05
##
     5:
##
    97: 7200 2.319412e-13
##
    98: 7275 1.231322e-13
    99: 7350 6.477031e-14
## 100: 7425 3.375913e-14
## 101: 7500 1.743481e-14
# graph section view the data
\#bpdietdat[Sex == "2", plot("Sodiummg", "Sys")]
graph1 <- ggplot(bpdietdat, aes(Sodiummg, Sys, colour = factor(Country)) ) + geom_smooth()</pre>
graph1
## `geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'
```



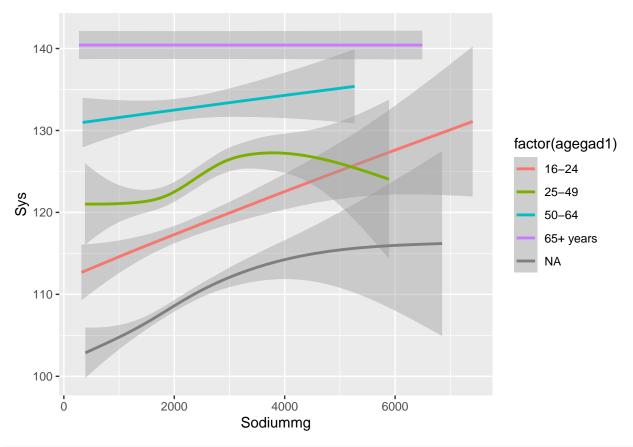
graph1a <- ggplot(bpdietdat, aes(Sodiummg, Sys, colour = factor(Sex)))+ geom_smooth()
graph1a</pre>

$geom_smooth()$ using method = gam' and formula $y \sim s(x, bs = "cs")'$



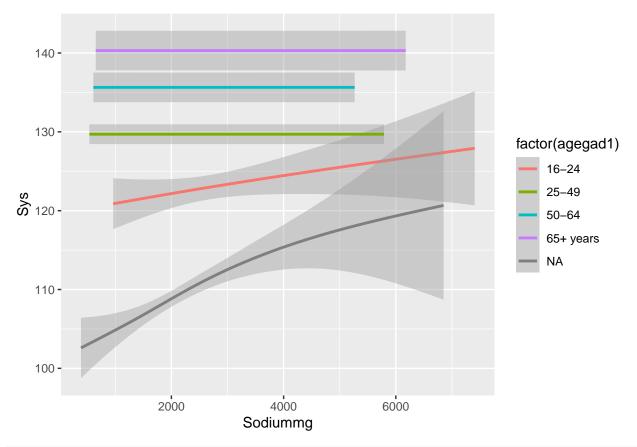
graph1b <- ggplot(alldata, aes(Sodiummg, Sys, colour = factor(agegad1))) + geom_smooth()
graph1b</pre>

$geom_smooth()$ using method = gam' and formula $y \sim s(x, bs = "cs")'$



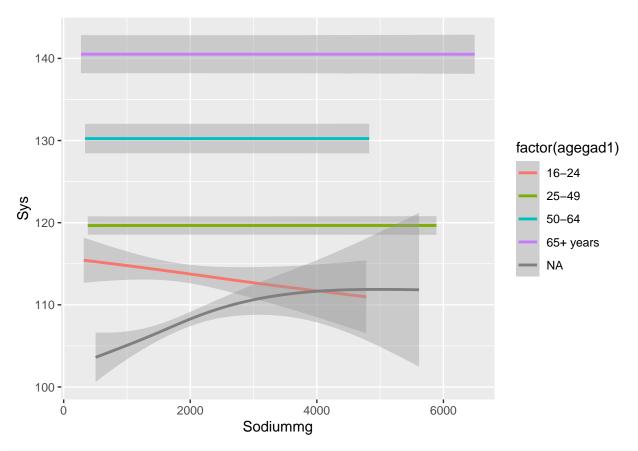
graph1bm <- ggplot(alldatam, aes(Sodiummg, Sys, colour = factor(agegad1))) + geom_smooth()
graph1bm</pre>

- ## $geom_smooth()$ using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'
- ## Warning: Removed 1085 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



graph1bf <- ggplot(alldataf, aes(Sodiummg, Sys, colour = factor(agegad1))) + geom_smooth()
graph1bf</pre>

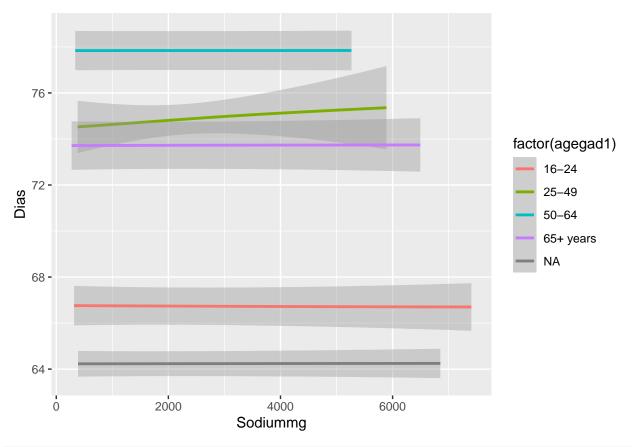
- ## $geom_smooth()$ using method = gam' and formula $y \sim s(x, bs = "cs")'$
- ## Warning: Removed 1185 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



graph1bd <- ggplot(alldata, aes(Sodiummg, Dias, colour = factor(agegad1))) + geom_smooth()
graph1bd</pre>

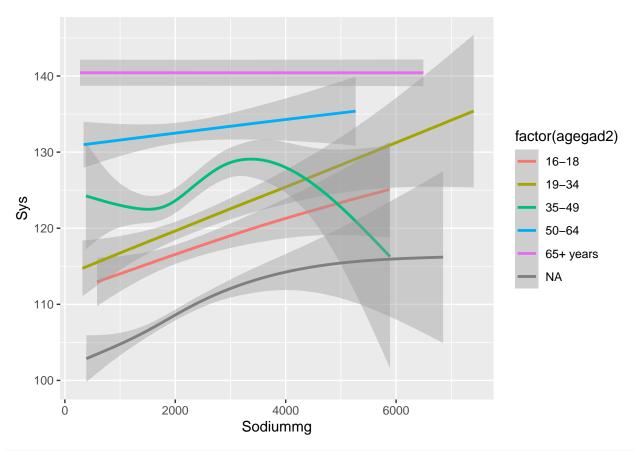
^{##} Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defar ## `geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'

^{##} Warning: Removed 2271 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



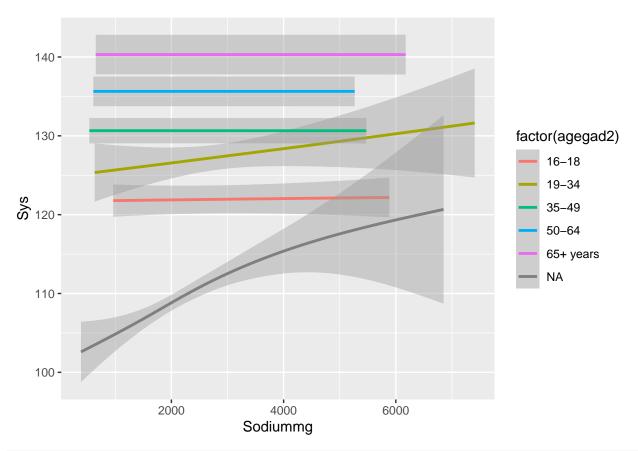
graph1c <- ggplot(alldata, aes(Sodiummg, Sys, colour = factor(agegad2))) + geom_smooth()
graph1c</pre>

$geom_smooth()$ using method = gam' and formula $y \sim s(x, bs = "cs")'$



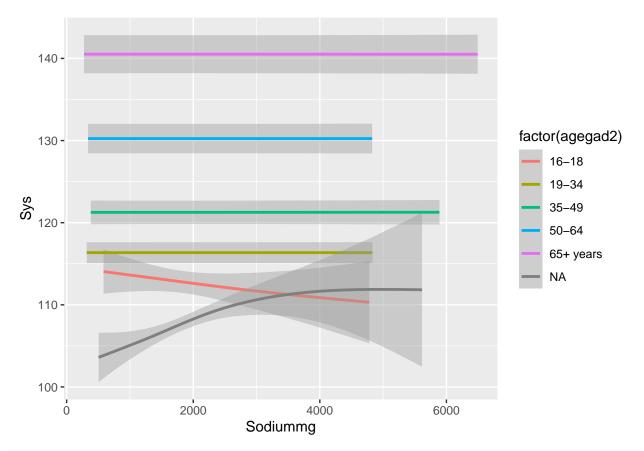
graph1bm <- ggplot(alldatam, aes(Sodiummg, Sys, colour = factor(agegad2))) + geom_smooth()
graph1bm</pre>

- ## $geom_smooth()$ using method = gam' and formula $y \sim s(x, bs = "cs")'$
- ## Warning: Removed 1085 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



graph1bf <- ggplot(alldataf, aes(Sodiummg, Sys, colour = factor(agegad2))) + geom_smooth()
graph1bf</pre>

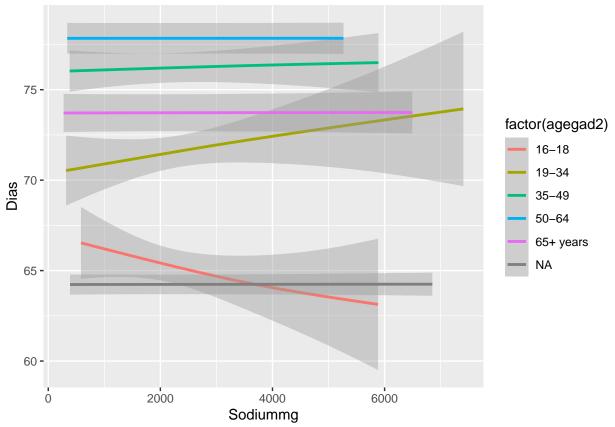
- ## $geom_smooth()$ using method = gam' and formula $y \sim s(x, bs = "cs")'$
- ## Warning: Removed 1185 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



graph1cd <- ggplot(alldata, aes(Sodiummg, Dias, colour = factor(agegad2))) + geom_smooth()
graph1cd</pre>

^{##} Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defai
`geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'

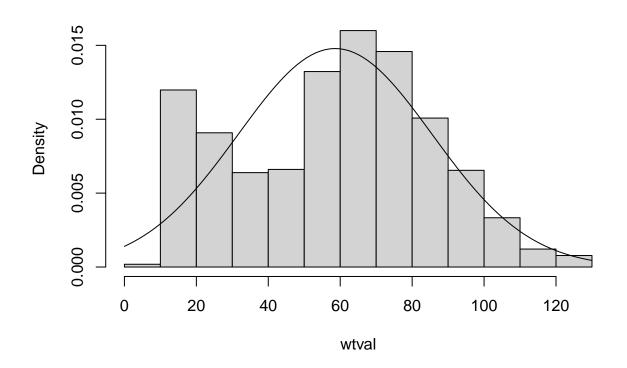
^{##} Warning: Removed 2271 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



```
#bpdietdatq <- subset(bpdietdat[,c("seriali", "Age", "Sodiummg", "eqvinc", "Sys", "Dias", "Sys2", "Dias2","
#bpdietdatq <- bpdietdatq[,is.na(bpdietdat[Sys]) ]</pre>
#View(bpdietdatq)
#Summary(bpdietdatq)
alldata[, hist(wtval, prob = TRUE)] # histogram
## $breaks
   [1]
         0 10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100 110 120 130
##
##
## $counts
   [1]
                            424 849 1027
##
         12 769 583 410
                                           936
                                                647
                                                     420
                                                          214
                                                                 78
                                                                      50
##
## $density
   [1] 0.0001869450 0.0119800592 0.0090824116 0.0063872877 0.0066053902
   [6] 0.0132263592 0.0159993768 0.0145817105 0.0100794516 0.0065430752
## [11] 0.0033338526 0.0012151425 0.0007789375
##
## $mids
##
         5 15 25 35 45 55 65 75 85 95 105 115 125
##
## $xname
## [1] "wtval"
##
## $equidist
## [1] TRUE
```

```
##
## attr(,"class")
## [1] "histogram"
alldata[, curve(
  dnorm(x, mean(wtval, na.rm = TRUE), sd(wtval, na.rm = TRUE)),
  add = TRUE
)] # superimpose a Normal distribution
```

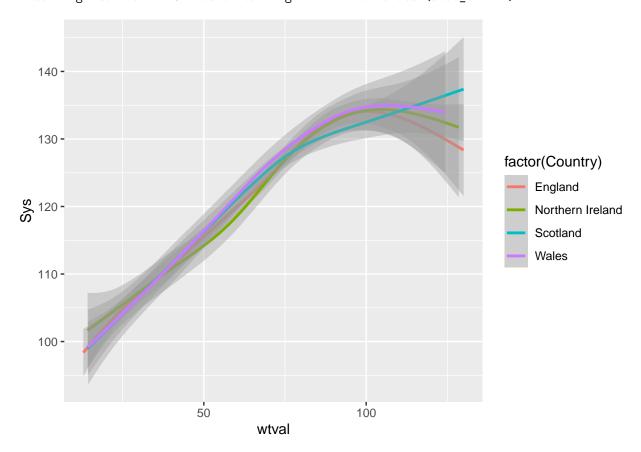
Histogram of wtval



```
##
##
     1: -8.881784e-16 0.0013992842
         1.300000e+00 0.0015517911
##
         2.600000e+00 0.0017169302
##
     3:
         3.900000e+00 0.0018952395
##
         5.200000e+00 0.0020872171
##
     5:
##
##
    97:
        1.248000e+02 0.0007290833
##
         1.261000e+02 0.0006470583
         1.274000e+02 0.0005729302
    99:
         1.287000e+02 0.0005061184
## 100:
## 101:
        1.300000e+02 0.0004460613
# graph section view the data
#bpdietdat[Sex == "2" ,plot("Sodiummg","Sys")]
graphw1 <- ggplot(alldata, aes(wtval, Sys, colour = factor(Country)) ) + geom_smooth()</pre>
graphw1
```

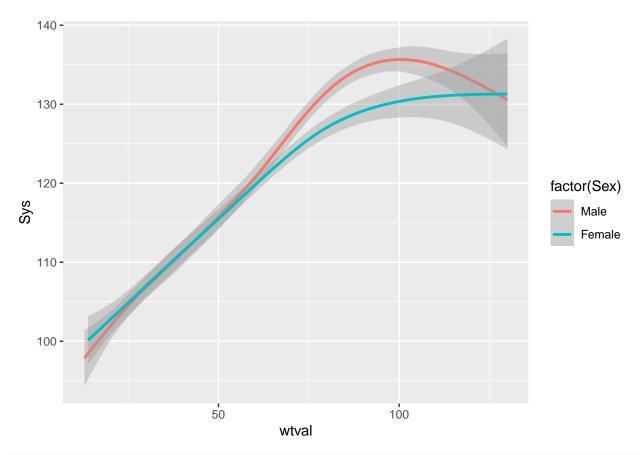
Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defa

```
## `geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'
## Warning: Removed 2423 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).
```



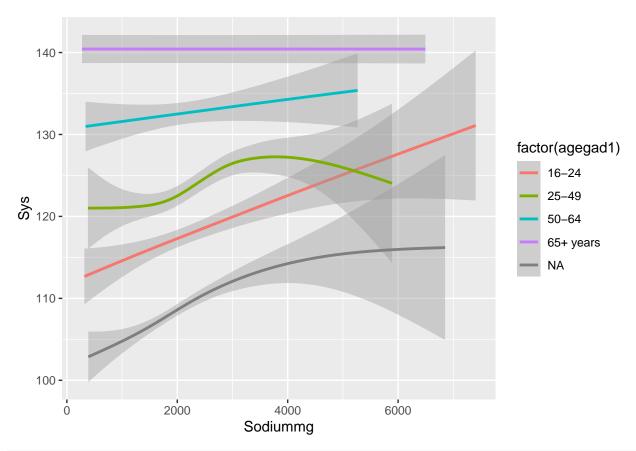
graphw1a <- ggplot(alldata, aes(wtval, Sys, colour = factor(Sex)))+ geom_smooth()
graphw1a</pre>

Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defa
`geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'



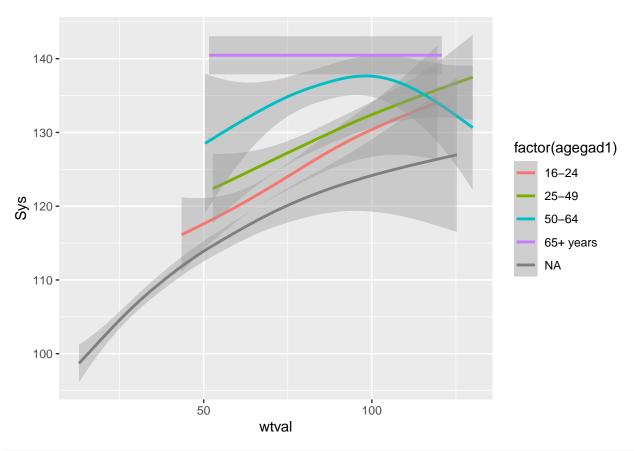
graph1wb <- ggplot(alldata, aes(wtval, Sys, colour = factor(agegad1))) + geom_smooth()
graph1b</pre>

$geom_smooth()$ using method = gam' and formula $y \sim s(x, bs = "cs")'$



graphw1bm <- ggplot(alldatam, aes(wtval, Sys, colour = factor(agegad1))) + geom_smooth()
graphw1bm</pre>

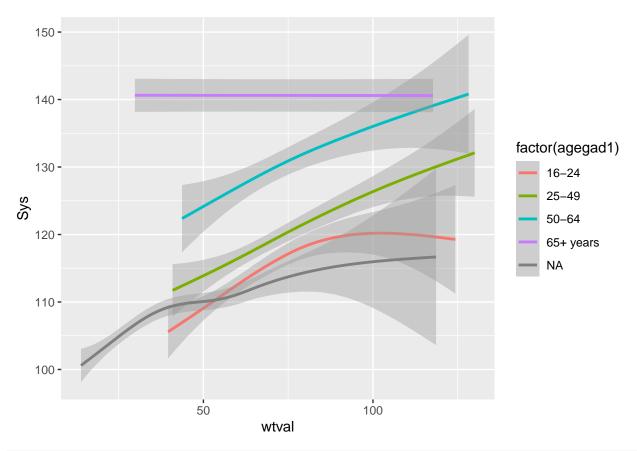
Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defar ## `geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'



graphw1bf <- ggplot(alldataf, aes(wtval, Sys, colour = factor(agegad1))) + geom_smooth()
graphw1bf</pre>

Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defar ## `geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'

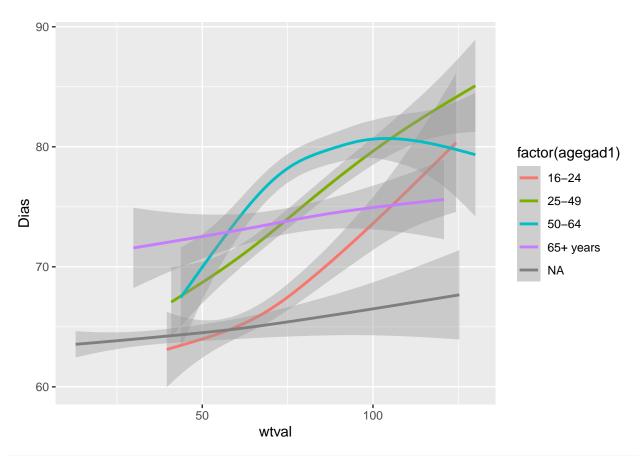
Warning: Removed 1264 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



graphw1bd <- ggplot(alldata, aes(wtval, Dias, colour = factor(agegad1))) + geom_smooth()
graphw1bd</pre>

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Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defa

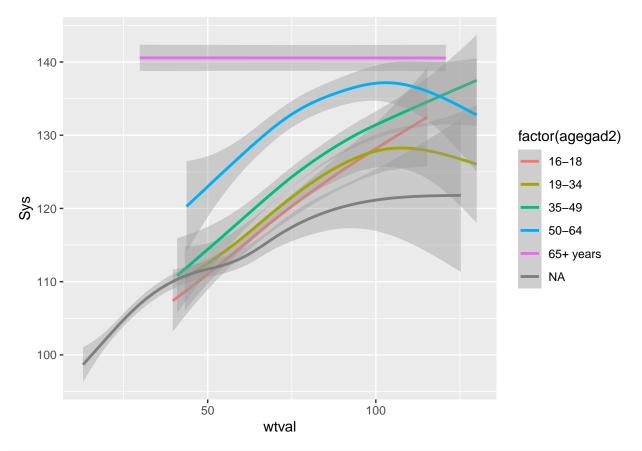
- ## $geom_smooth()$ using method = gam' and formula $y \sim s(x, bs = cs')'$
- ## Warning: Removed 2424 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



graphw1c <- ggplot(alldata, aes(wtval, Sys, colour = factor(agegad2))) + geom_smooth()
graphw1c</pre>

^{##} Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defai
`geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'

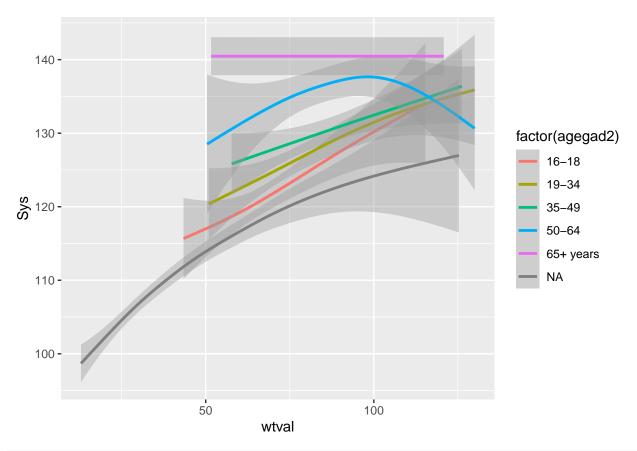
^{##} Warning: Removed 2423 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



graphw1bm <- ggplot(alldatam, aes(wtval, Sys, colour = factor(agegad2))) + geom_smooth()
graphw1bm</pre>

Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defar
`geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'

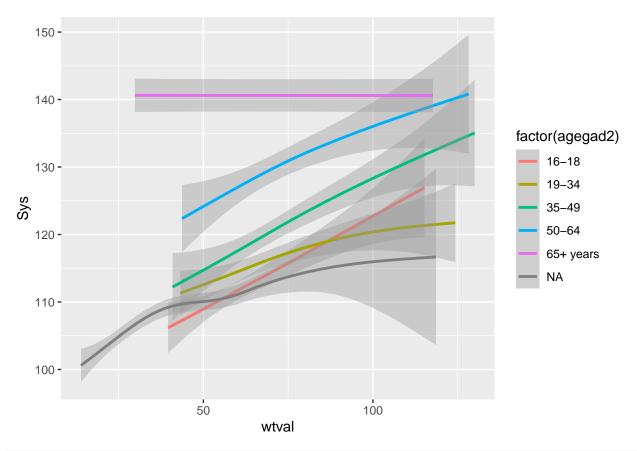
Warning: Removed 1159 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



graphw1bf <- ggplot(alldataf, aes(wtval, Sys, colour = factor(agegad2))) + geom_smooth()
graphw1bf</pre>

Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defar
`geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'

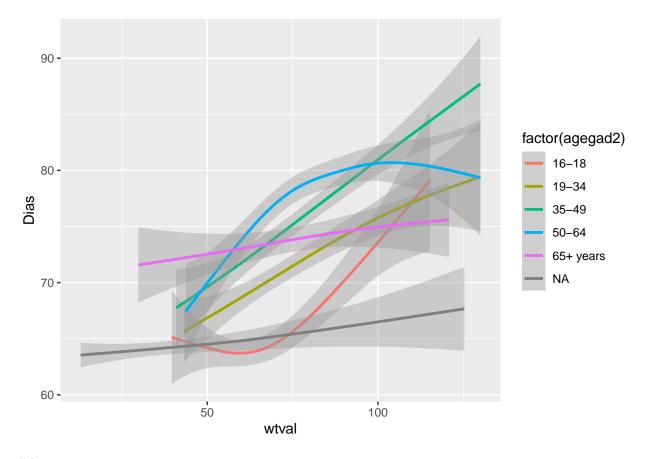
Warning: Removed 1264 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



graphw1cd <- ggplot(alldata, aes(wtval, Dias, colour = factor(agegad2))) + geom_smooth()
graphw1cd</pre>

Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defar ## Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defar

- ## $geom_smooth()$ using method = gam' and formula $y \sim s(x, bs = cs')'$
- ## Warning: Removed 2424 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



#discussion

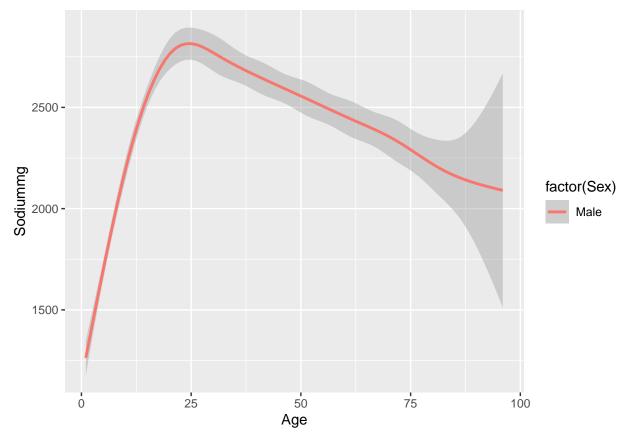
The dataset shows that sodium intake is related to systolic blood pressure in particular age groups of men. There is much less of a relationship in women.

These relationships are different in different age groups.

The data support consideration of a more complex approach to preventing blood pressure. The simplest message for avoidance is to loose weight. Changing age and Sex are more complex. Salt reduction is an issue for men between 16 and 50, but even here it is more important to maintain a healthy weight than to reduce sodium intake. This may be due to the bodies ability to auto regulate sodium to much higher levels than oral intake allows.

```
graph2 <- ggplot(alldatam, aes(Age, Sodiummg, colour = factor(Sex)) )+ geom_smooth()
graph2</pre>
```

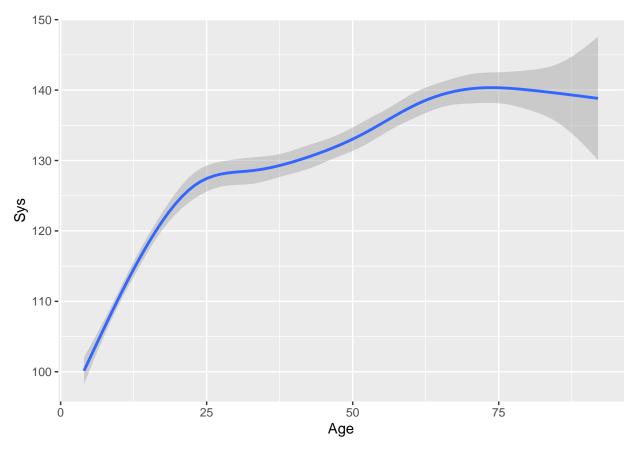
`geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'



graph2a <- ggplot(alldatam, aes(Age, Sys)) + geom_smooth()
graph2a</pre>

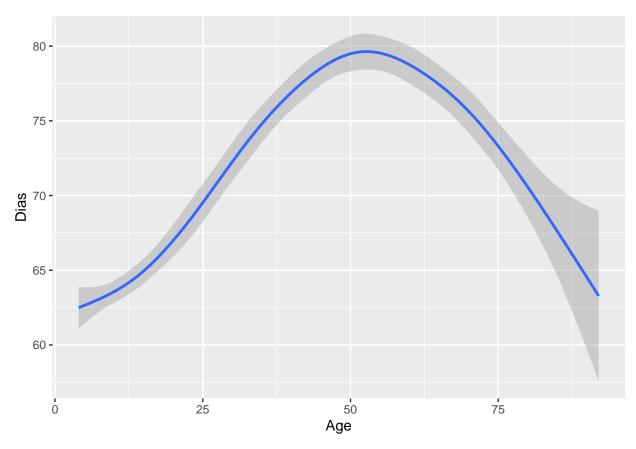
$geom_smooth()$ using method = gam' and formula $y \sim s(x, bs = "cs")'$

Warning: Removed 1085 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



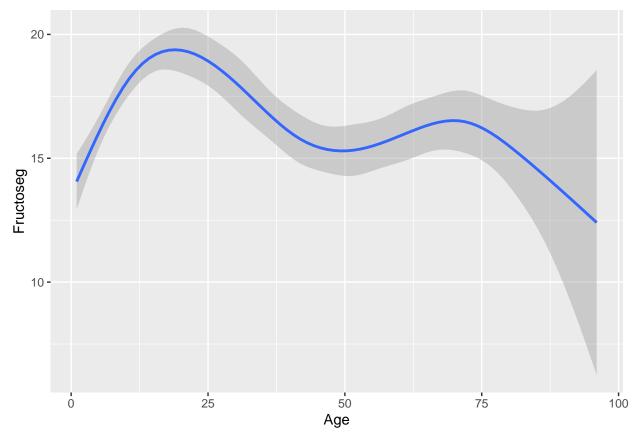
```
graph2b <- ggplot(alldatam, aes(Age, Dias) ) + geom_smooth()
graph2b</pre>
```

- ## Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type haven_labelled/vctrs_vctr/double. Defar ## `geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'
- ## Warning: Removed 1086 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).

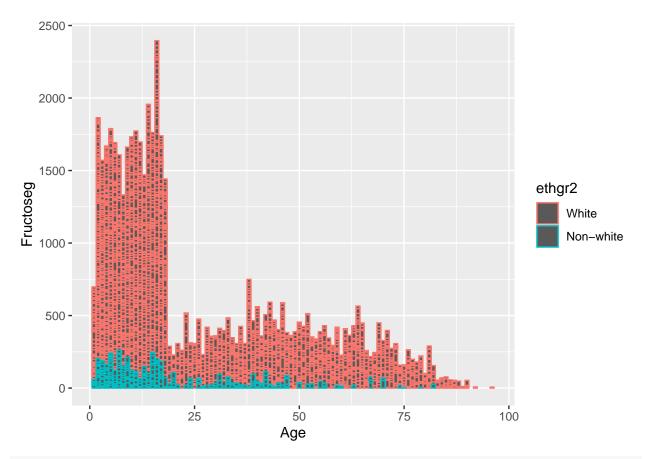


```
#graph3 <- ggplot(alldatam, aes(Sodiummg, eqvinc) )+ geom_smooth()
#graph4 <- ggplot(alldatam, aes(Sys, eqvinc) ) +geom_smooth()
#graph4
#show persugstat
graph5 <- ggplot(alldatam, aes(Age, Fructoseg)) + geom_smooth()
graph5</pre>
```

$geom_smooth()$ using method = gam' and formula $y \sim s(x, bs = "cs")'$



#show ethnsugar graph6 <- ggplot(alldatam, aes (Age , Fructoseg, colour = ethgr2))+geom_col() graph6</pre>



statistical analysis section

comparison tables

incethtbl <- alldata[,table(nssec8, ethgr2)]
incethtbl</pre>

##	•	ethgr2	
##	nssec8	${\tt White}$	Non-white
##	Higher managerial and professional occupations	869	79
##	Lower managerial and professional occupations	1602	126
##	Intermediate occupations	576	39
##	Small employers and own account workers	679	58
##	Lower supervisory and technical occupations	648	44
##	Semi-routine occupations	860	94
##	Routine occupations	776	52
##	Never worked	154	32
##	Other	0	0

incethtbl2 <- alldata[,table(nssec8, ethgr5)]
incethtbl2</pre>

##		ethgr5		
##	nssec8	White	${\tt Mixed}$	ethnic group
##	Higher managerial and professional occupations	869		17
##	Lower managerial and professional occupations	1602		25
##	Intermediate occupations	576		12
##	Small employers and own account workers	679		11

```
##
     Lower supervisory and technical occupations
                                                        648
                                                                              3
##
     Semi-routine occupations
                                                        860
                                                                             24
                                                        776
##
     Routine occupations
                                                                              1
##
     Never worked
                                                        154
                                                                              5
##
     Other
                                                          0
                                                                              0
##
                                                     ethgr5
## nssec8
                                                      Black or Black British
     Higher managerial and professional occupations
##
##
     Lower managerial and professional occupations
                                                                           36
##
     Intermediate occupations
                                                                           10
##
     Small employers and own account workers
                                                                            8
##
     Lower supervisory and technical occupations
                                                                           11
                                                                           33
##
     Semi-routine occupations
##
     Routine occupations
                                                                           18
##
     Never worked
                                                                            9
##
     Other
                                                                            0
##
                                                     ethgr5
## nssec8
                                                      Asian or asian British
##
     Higher managerial and professional occupations
                                                                           42
##
     Lower managerial and professional occupations
##
     Intermediate occupations
                                                                           12
##
     Small employers and own account workers
                                                                           35
     Lower supervisory and technical occupations
                                                                           17
##
##
     Semi-routine occupations
                                                                           27
                                                                           25
##
     Routine occupations
##
     Never worked
                                                                           13
##
     Other
                                                                            0
##
                                                     ethgr5
## nssec8
                                                      Any other group
     Higher managerial and professional occupations
##
##
     Lower managerial and professional occupations
                                                                    23
##
     Intermediate occupations
                                                                     5
     Small employers and own account workers
                                                                     4
##
##
     Lower supervisory and technical occupations
                                                                    13
##
     Semi-routine occupations
                                                                    10
##
     Routine occupations
                                                                     8
     Never worked
##
                                                                     5
##
     Other
                                                                     0
agetbl1 <-alldata[,table(agegr1,Sex)]</pre>
agetbl1
##
                Sex
## agegr1
                 Male Female
     1.5-3 years 305
##
##
     4-10 years
                  665
                          612
##
     11-18 years 744
                          753
##
     19-64 years 1126
                        1571
     65+ years
                  317
                          436
#how many are on bp medication ?
medstbl1 <- alldata[ , table(bpmedc,bpmedd)]</pre>
medstbl1
         bpmedd
## bpmedc
             0
                  1
```

```
0 1412
##
        1 138 312
hyptabl1 <- alldata[,table(hibp140, bpmedc)]</pre>
hyptabl1
##
                                                         bpmedc
## hibp140
                                                            0
                                                              1
##
     Not high BP
                                                          180 292
##
    High BP
                                                            0
                                                                0
    No answer/refused
##
                                                            0
    Don't know
##
                                                            0
##
    Refused, attempted but not obtained, not attempted
##
     Qn not applicable to survey year
                                                               0
                                                            0
##
     Item not applicable
                                                            0
                                                                0
hyptabl2 <- alldata[,table(hyper1, bpmedc)]</pre>
hyptabl2
##
                                                         bpmedc
## hyper1
                                                            0
                                                                1
##
      Normotensive untreated
                                                          970 96
##
      Normotensive treated
                                                            0 221
##
     Hypertensive treated
                                                               41
                                                            Ω
##
    Hypertensive untreated
                                                           48
                                                               12
##
    No answer/refused
                                                            0
                                                                0
##
    Don't know
##
    Refused, attempted but not obtained, not attempted
                                                               0
##
     Qn not applicable to survey year
                                                               0
                                                            0
##
     Item not applicable
hyptabl3 <- alldata[,table(hyper140, bpmedc)]</pre>
hyptabl3
##
                                                         bpmedc
## hyper140
                                                            0
                                                               1
##
     Normotensive untreated
                                                          838 78
##
      Normotensive treated
                                                            0 142
##
    Hypertensive treated
                                                            0 120
    Hypertensive untreated
##
                                                          180 30
    No answer/refused
##
                                                            0
                                                                0
##
    Don't know
                                                                0
##
     Refused, attempted but not obtained, not attempted
                                                               0
##
     Qn not applicable to survey year
                                                               0
     Item not applicable
hyptabl4 <- alldata[,table(highbp1, bpmedc)]</pre>
hyptabl4
##
                                                         bpmedc
## highbp1
                                                           48 274
##
     Not high BP
##
    High BP
##
    No answer/refused
                                                                0
                                                            0
##
    Don't know
                                                               0
##
    Refused, attempted but not obtained, not attempted
                                                               0
                                                            0
     Qn not applicable to survey year
```

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Item not applicable
                                                          0
                                                            0
#random correlations
meds <- t.test(medstbl1 , na.rm = TRUE)</pre>
incSys <- t.test( hyptabl1, na.rm = TRUE)</pre>
incSys
##
##
   One Sample t-test
## data: hyptabl1
## t = 1.4259, df = 13, p-value = 0.1775
## alternative hypothesis: true mean is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -17.36693 84.79550
## sample estimates:
## mean of x
## 33.71429
meds
##
## One Sample t-test
##
## data: medstbl1
## t = 1.4461, df = 3, p-value = 0.2439
## alternative hypothesis: true mean is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -558.903 1489.903
## sample estimates:
## mean of x
      465.5
#linear regression models
lm1 <- lm(Sys ~ agegad2 + Sex +Sodiummg + Calciummg + Fructoseg + eqvinc + ethgr2 +TotalEMJ +wtval + bp
summary(lm1)
##
## lm(formula = Sys ~ agegad2 + Sex + Sodiummg + Calciummg + Fructoseg +
##
       eqvinc + ethgr2 + TotalEMJ + wtval + bpmedd, data = alldata)
##
## Residuals:
##
       Min
               1Q Median
                               3Q
                                       Max
## -51.188 -10.878 -1.425
                            9.314 91.544
##
## Coefficients:
                     Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                    1.164e+02 3.596e+00 32.368 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## agegad219-34
                    2.419e+00 2.156e+00 1.122 0.261976
                    8.248e+00 2.042e+00 4.038 5.72e-05 ***
## agegad235-49
## agegad250-64
                    1.377e+01 2.030e+00
                                          6.783 1.83e-11 ***
## agegad265+ years 2.182e+01 2.034e+00 10.731 < 2e-16 ***
## SexFemale
             -4.973e+00 1.180e+00 -4.216 2.67e-05 ***
```

0.069 0.944897

6.433e-05 9.305e-04

Sodiummg

```
-3.855e-03 2.089e-03 -1.846 0.065200 .
## Calciummg
## Fructoseg
                   -5.880e-02 4.849e-02 -1.213 0.225467
## eqvinc
                   1.023e-05 2.336e-05
                                          0.438 0.661347
## ethgr2Non-white -2.083e+00 2.420e+00 -0.861 0.389549
## TotalEMJ
                    1.588e-01 3.783e-01
                                          0.420 0.674782
## wtval
                    8.578e-02 3.094e-02
                                         2.772 0.005658 **
## bpmedd1
                    4.434e+00 1.337e+00
                                         3.316 0.000941 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 16.43 on 1212 degrees of freedom
    (5602 observations deleted due to missingness)
## Multiple R-squared: 0.244, Adjusted R-squared: 0.2359
## F-statistic: 30.08 on 13 and 1212 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
lmD1 <- lm(Dias ~ agegad2 + Sex +Sodiummg + Calciummg + Fructoseg + eqvinc + ethgr2 +TotalEMJ +wtval +
summary(lmD1)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Dias ~ agegad2 + Sex + Sodiummg + Calciummg + Fructoseg +
##
      eqvinc + ethgr2 + TotalEMJ + wtval + bpmedd, data = alldata)
##
## Residuals:
      Min
               1Q Median
                               3Q
                                     Max
## -30.338 -7.251 -0.417
                            7.033 53.604
##
## Coefficients:
##
                    Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                    5.460e+01 2.376e+00 22.983 < 2e-16 ***
                    3.660e+00 1.424e+00 2.569 0.01030 *
## agegad219-34
## agegad235-49
                    8.992e+00 1.350e+00
                                         6.663 4.07e-11 ***
## agegad250-64
                    1.003e+01 1.341e+00
                                         7.477 1.45e-13 ***
## agegad265+ years 6.525e+00 1.344e+00
                                         4.855 1.36e-06 ***
## SexFemale
                    1.420e+00 7.795e-01 1.822 0.06874 .
                    2.374e-04 6.149e-04 0.386 0.69951
## Sodiummg
                   -4.239e-03 1.380e-03 -3.071 0.00218 **
## Calciummg
## Fructoseg
                   -6.314e-02 3.204e-02 -1.971 0.04900 *
                                         0.297 0.76645
## eqvinc
                   4.585e-06 1.543e-05
## ethgr2Non-white 3.575e+00 1.599e+00
                                          2.235 0.02557 *
## TotalEMJ
                    4.727e-01 2.500e-01
                                          1.891 0.05885 .
## wtval
                    1.585e-01 2.045e-02
                                          7.751 1.92e-14 ***
## bpmedd1
                   -2.793e-01 8.837e-01 -0.316 0.75201
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 10.86 on 1212 degrees of freedom
     (5602 observations deleted due to missingness)
## Multiple R-squared: 0.1537, Adjusted R-squared: 0.1446
## F-statistic: 16.93 on 13 and 1212 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
lm2 <- lm(Sys ~ Na_g_Corrected + Sex + age + TEACOFFEEANDWATER, alldata)</pre>
summary(1m2)
```

##

```
## Call:
## lm(formula = Sys ~ Na_g_Corrected + Sex + age + TEACOFFEEANDWATER,
      data = alldata)
##
## Residuals:
##
      Min
               1Q Median
                              3Q
                                     Max
## -57.943 -9.099 -1.066
                           8.482 83.734
##
## Coefficients:
##
                     Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                     1.058e+02 8.557e-01 123.599 < 2e-16 ***
                     2.877e-01 9.185e-02
                                           3.133 0.00175 **
## Na_g_Corrected
## SexFemale
                    -4.877e+00 4.870e-01 -10.014 < 2e-16 ***
## age
                     4.903e-01 1.284e-02 38.185 < 2e-16 ***
## TEACOFFEEANDWATER 2.444e-04 4.800e-04
                                         0.509 0.61073
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 14.48 on 3611 degrees of freedom
    (3212 observations deleted due to missingness)
## Multiple R-squared: 0.3776, Adjusted R-squared: 0.3769
## F-statistic: 547.6 on 4 and 3611 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
lmD2 <- lm(Dias ~ Na_g_Corrected + Sex + age + TEACOFFEEANDWATER, alldata)</pre>
summary(1mD2)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Dias ~ Na_g_Corrected + Sex + age + TEACOFFEEANDWATER,
##
      data = alldata)
##
## Residuals:
      Min
##
               1Q Median
                              ЗQ
                                     Max
## -39.333 -7.283 -0.579
                           6.598 65.101
##
## Coefficients:
##
                    Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                    0.071557
                                         2.775 0.00555 **
## Na_g_Corrected
                    0.198544
## SexFemale
                               0.379429 -0.006 0.99483
                    -0.002458
                     0.188483
                               0.010004 18.840 < 2e-16 ***
## TEACOFFEEANDWATER 0.001426
                               0.000374
                                         3.813 0.00014 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 11.28 on 3610 degrees of freedom
    (3213 observations deleted due to missingness)
## Multiple R-squared: 0.1488, Adjusted R-squared: 0.1478
## F-statistic: 157.7 on 4 and 3610 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
library(caret)
## Loading required package: lattice
set.seed(42)
```

```
alldataSys <- alldata[!is.na(alldata$Sys),]</pre>
alldataSys <- as.data.frame(alldataSys)</pre>
simplealldata <- subset(alldataSys[c("Sys", "Age", "wtval", "Sex")])</pre>
modelSys <- train(Sys ~ ., simplealldata,</pre>
               method = "lm",
               trControl = trainControl(method = "cv",
                                         number = 10,
                                         verboseIter = TRUE), na.action = na.pass)
## + Fold01: intercept=TRUE
## - Fold01: intercept=TRUE
## + Fold02: intercept=TRUE
## - Fold02: intercept=TRUE
## + Fold03: intercept=TRUE
## - Fold03: intercept=TRUE
## + Fold04: intercept=TRUE
## - Fold04: intercept=TRUE
## + Fold05: intercept=TRUE
## - Fold05: intercept=TRUE
## + Fold06: intercept=TRUE
## - Fold06: intercept=TRUE
## + Fold07: intercept=TRUE
## - Fold07: intercept=TRUE
## + Fold08: intercept=TRUE
## - Fold08: intercept=TRUE
## + Fold09: intercept=TRUE
## - Fold09: intercept=TRUE
## + Fold10: intercept=TRUE
## - Fold10: intercept=TRUE
## Aggregating results
## Fitting final model on full training set
modelSys
## Linear Regression
## 4558 samples
      3 predictor
##
##
## No pre-processing
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
## Summary of sample sizes: 4103, 4102, 4103, 4101, 4102, 4102, ...
## Resampling results:
##
##
     RMSE
               Rsquared MAE
     14.16787 0.415836 10.70645
##
## Tuning parameter 'intercept' was held constant at a value of TRUE
p <- predict(modelSys, simplealldata)</pre>
error <- p - simplealldata$Sys
```

Warning in p - simplealldata\$Sys: longer object length is not a multiple of

```
## shorter object length
rmse_xval <- sqrt(mean(error^2)) ## xval RMSE
rmse_xval</pre>
```

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