

# RepData\_PeerAssessment1

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## Loading and preprocessing the data

#Code for reading in the dataset and/or processing the data

```
fileurl <- "https://d396qusza40orc.cloudfront.net/repdata%2Fdata%2Factivity.zip"
if (!file.exists('./repdata_data_activity.zip')){
  download.file(fileurl, './repdata_data_activity.zip', mode = 'wb')
  unzip('./repdata_data_activity.zip', exdir = getwd())
}
activity <- read.csv('activity.csv')
str(activity)
```

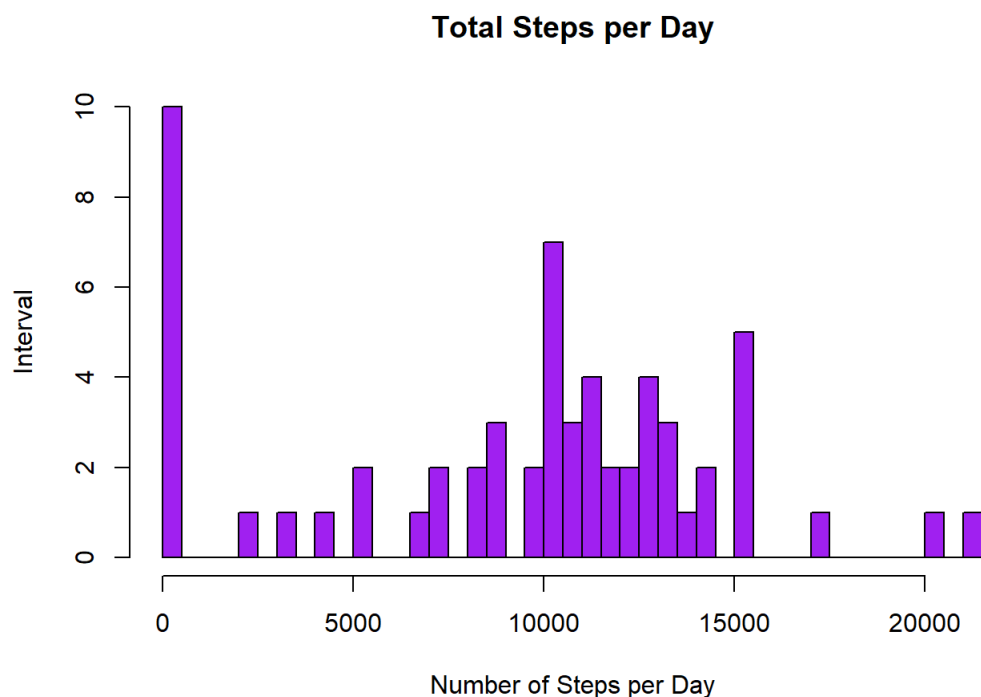
```
## 'data.frame': 17568 obs. of 3 variables:
## $ steps : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ date : Factor w/ 61 levels "2012-10-01","2012-10-02",...: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ interval: int 0 5 10 15 20 25 30 35 40 45 ...
```

## What is mean total number of steps taken per day?

#Histogram of the total number of steps taken each day

```
activity_steps <- tapply(activity$steps, activity$date, FUN=sum, na.rm=TRUE)

# Perform histogram of steps per day
hist(activity_steps,
      main="Total Steps per Day",
      xlab="Number of Steps per Day",
      ylab = "Interval",
      col="purple",
      breaks=50)
```



```
png("TotalStepsPerDay.png", width=480, height=480)
dev.off()
```

```
## png
## 2
```

#Mean and median number of steps taken each day

```
# Create mean and median of steps per day
stepsMean <- mean(activity_steps, na.rm=TRUE)
stepsMedian <- median(activity_steps, na.rm=TRUE)
# Output mean and median
stepsMean
```

```
## [1] 9354.23
```

```
stepsMedian
```

```
## [1] 10395
```

##Mean total number of steps per day is [b]9354[/b] ##Median number of steps is [b]10395[/b]

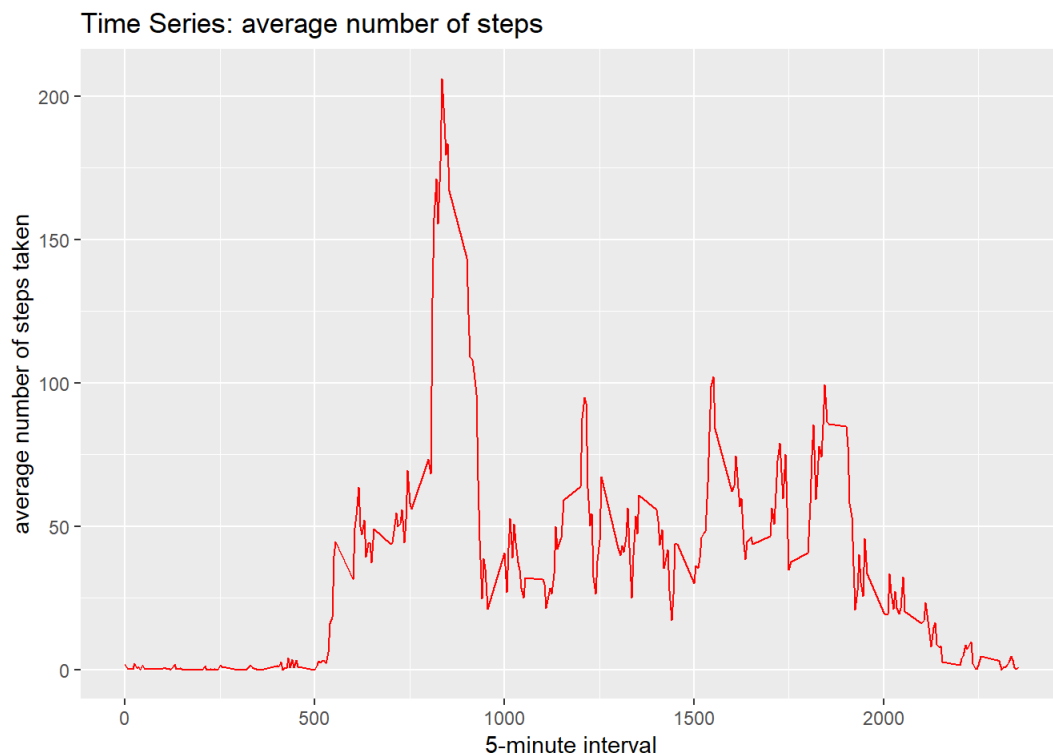
###What is the average daily activity pattern?

##Time series plot of the average number of steps taken

```
library(ggplot2)

# Create the means by intervals
averages <- aggregate(x=list(steps=activity$steps), by=list(interval=activity$interval), FUN=mean, na.rm=TRUE)

ggplot(data=averages, aes(x=interval, y=steps),) +
  geom_line(color = "red") +
  ggtitle("Time Series: average number of steps") +
  xlab("5-minute interval") +
  ylab("average number of steps taken")
```



```
png("averagenumberofsteps.png", width=480, height=480)
dev.off()
```

```
## png
## 2
```

#The 5-minute interval that, on average, contains the maximum number of steps

```
averages[which.max(averages$steps),]
```

```
##      interval      steps  
## 104         835 206.1698
```

###Code to describe and show a strategy for imputing missing data

```
# copy of data frame  
activity_missing <- activity  
  
# add column for completing index  
activity_missing$CI <- "original"  
  
# number of rows to check  
l <- nrow(activity_missing)  
  
# numbers of NAs  
length(which(is.na(activity_missing$steps)))
```

```
## [1] 2304
```

```
for (i in 1:l) {  
  if (is.na(activity_missing[i,1])) {  
    activity_missing[i,1] <- averages[averages$interval == activity_missing[i,3],2]  
    activity_missing[i,4] <- "completed"  
  }  
}  
  
# numbers of NAs / completed (control)  
length(which(is.na(activity_missing$steps)))
```

```
## [1] 0
```

```
length(which(activity_missing$CI=="completed"))
```

```
## [1] 2304
```

```
# Recreate the sums of steps per date  
activity_steps2 <- tapply(activity_missing$steps, activity_missing$date, FUN=sum, na.rm=TRUE )  
  
# Recreate the mean and median of steps per date  
stepsMean2 <- mean(activity_steps2)  
stepsMedian2 <- median(activity_steps2)  
  
c(stepsMean2, stepsMedian)
```

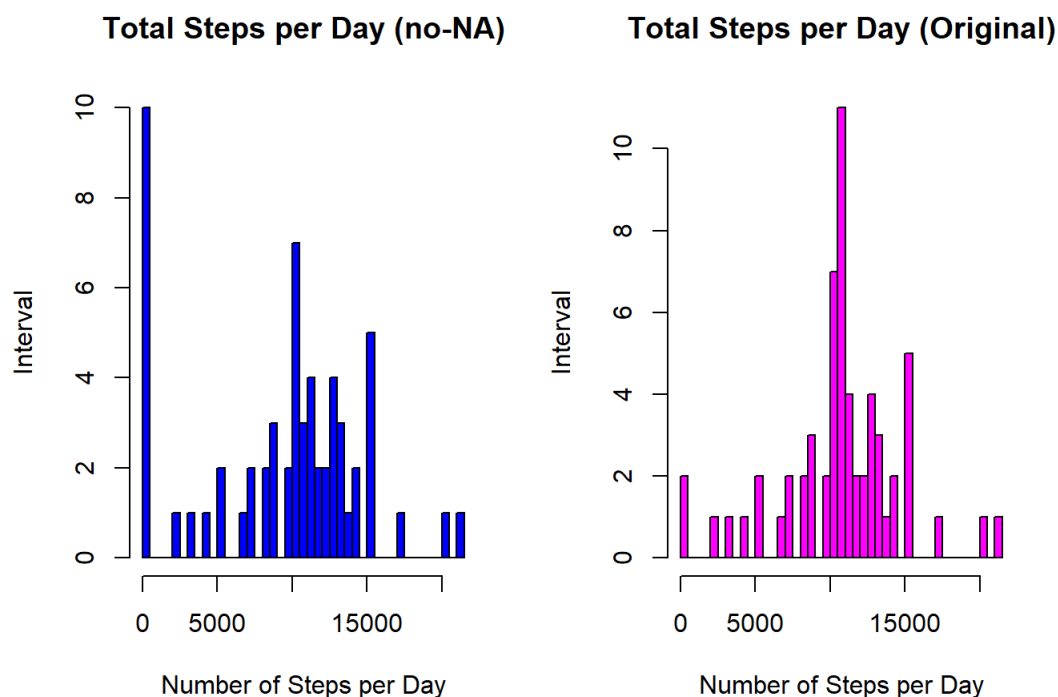
```
## [1] 10766.19 9354.23
```

```
c(stepsMedian2, stepsMedian)
```

```
## [1] 10766.19 10395.00
```

##Histogram of the total number of steps taken each day after missing values are imputed

```
# Plotting 2 plots in a grid
par(mfrow=c(1,2))
# Perform histogram of steps per day
hist(activity_steps,
      main = "Total Steps per Day (no-NA)",
      xlab = "Number of Steps per Day",
      ylab = "Interval",
      col="blue",
      breaks=50)
##Histogram with the original dataset
hist(activity_steps2,
      main="Total Steps per Day (Original)",
      xlab="Number of Steps per Day",
      ylab = "Interval",
      col="magenta",
      breaks=50)
```



```
png("noNavsOriginal.png", width=480, height=480)
dev.off()
```

```
## png
## 2
```

##Panel plot comparing the average number of steps taken per 5-minute interval across weekdays and weekends

```
#create table with weekday and weekends
library(gridExtra)
library(dplyr)
```

```
##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:gridExtra':
##
## combine
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
## filter, lag
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
## intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
```

```
activity_missing[,2] <- as.Date(activity_missing[,2])
activity_missing$WD <- weekdays(activity_missing[,2])
activity_missing$WDG <- "week" # default = "week"

# Filling in the WeekDayGroup in German
for (i in 1:l) {
  if (activity_missing[i,5] == "Saturday" | activity_missing[i,5] == "Sunday") {
    activity_missing[i,6] <- "weekend"
  }
}

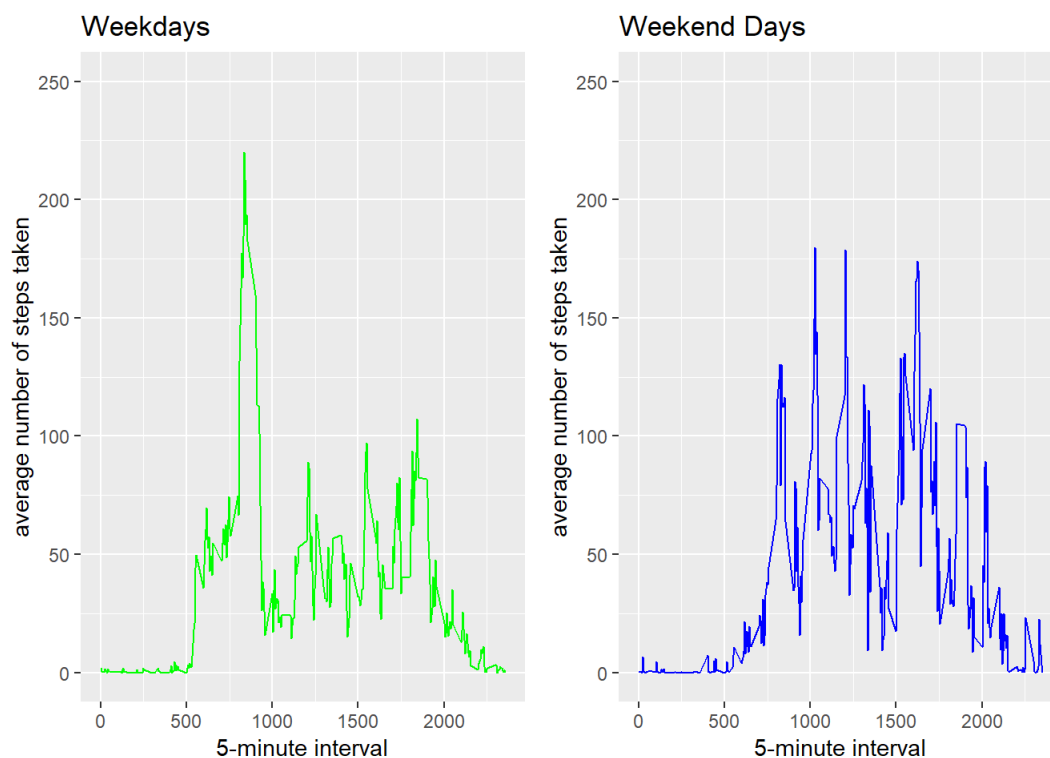
activity_missing[,6] <- as.factor(activity_missing[,6])

activity_missingw <- subset(activity_missing, activity_missing[,6] == "week")
activity_missingwe <- subset(activity_missing, activity_missing[,6] == "weekend")

# Recreate the means by intervals
averagesW <- aggregate(steps ~ interval, activity_missingw, FUN=mean)
averagesWe <- aggregate(steps ~ interval, activity_missingwe, FUN=mean)

# prepare the plots
plot1 <- ggplot(data=averagesW, aes(x=interval, y=steps)) +
  geom_line(color = 'green') +
  ylim(0, 250) +
  ggtitle("Weekdays") +
  xlab("5-minute interval") +
  ylab("average number of steps taken")

plot2 <- ggplot(data=averagesWe, aes(x=interval, y=steps)) +
  geom_line(color = 'blue') +
  ylim(0, 250) +
  ggtitle("Weekend Days") +
  xlab("5-minute interval") +
  ylab("average number of steps taken")
grid.arrange(plot1, plot2, ncol=2)
```



```
png("weekdaysvsweekends.png", width=480, height=480)
dev.off()
```

```
## png
## 2
```

Note that the `echo = FALSE` parameter was added to the code chunk to prevent printing of the R code that generated the plot.