Assignment 2

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Question 1

This exercise relates to the College data set, which can be found in the file College.csv uploaded on the course'spublic webpage(https://scads.eecs.wsu.edu/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/College.csv). The dataset contains a number of variables for 777 different universities and colleges in the US.

(a) Use the read.csv()function to read the data into R, or the csv library to read in the data with python. In R you will load the data into a dataframe. In python you may store it as a list 2of lists or use the pandasdataframeto store your data. Call the loaded data college. Ensure that your column headers are not treated as a row of data.

```
colleges = read.csv("college.csv", sep=",", header = TRUE)
```

(b) Find the median cost of room and board (Room.Board) for all schools in this dataset. Then find the median cost of room and board (Room.Board) for both public and private (Private) schools.

```
#Median cost of room and board for all colleges
median(colleges$Room.Board)

## [1] 4200

#Create a subset for private school for median
privmedian <- subset(colleges,Private=="Yes", na.rm=TRUE)
median(privmedian$Room.Board)

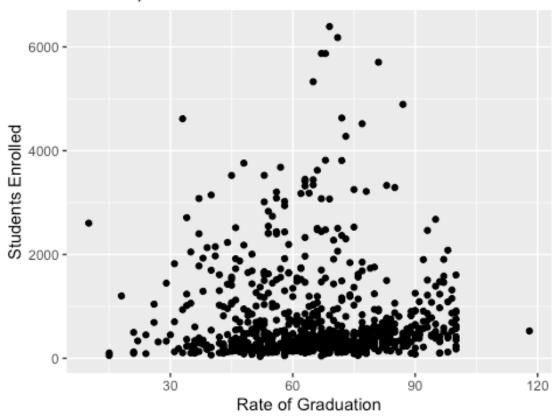
## [1] 4400

#Create a subset of public schools for median
pubmedian <- subset(colleges,Private=="No", na.rm=TRUE)
median(pubmedian$Room.Board)

## [1] 3708</pre>
```

(c) Produce a scatterplot that shows a relationship between two numeric (not factor or boolean) features of your choice in the dataset. Ensure it has appropriate axis labels and a title.

Scatter plot for number of student Enrolled to Rate of C



(d)Produce a histogram showing the overall enrollment numbers (P.UndergradplusF.Undergrad) for both public and private (Private) schools. You may choose to show both on a single plot (using side by side bars) or produce one plot for public schools and one for private schools. Ensure whatever figures you produce haveappropriate axis labels and a title.

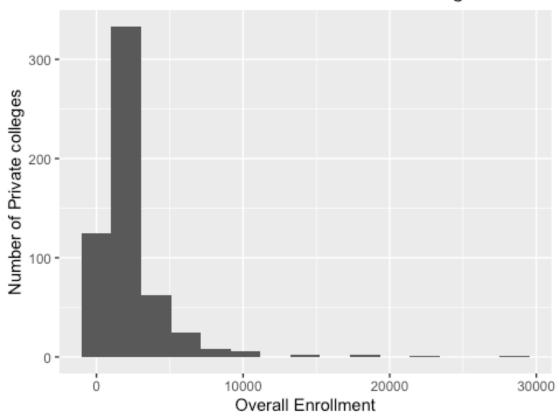
```
priv_colleges<-subset(colleges, Private=="Yes")

#Adding enrollment number for private colleges
priv_enrl <- (priv_colleges$P.Undergrad + priv_colleges$F.Undergrad)
#Add ^this col for total enrollment in priv_colleges
priv_colleges$fplusp <- priv_enrl#This line is not needed. For practice
purpose.

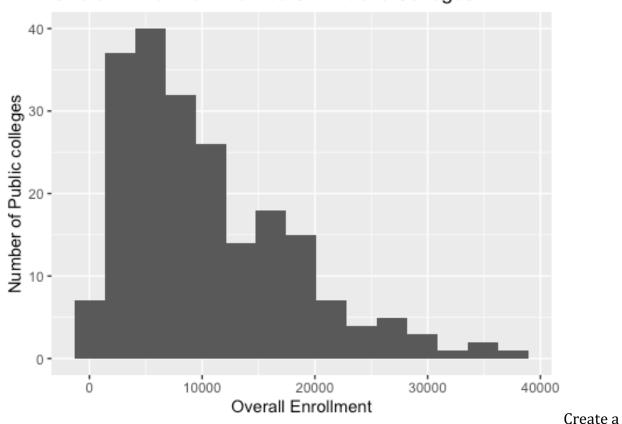
#Adding enrollment numbers for public colleges
pub_enrl <- (pub_colleges$P.Undergrad + pub_colleges$F.Undergrad)
#Add ^this col, to public colleges
pub_colleges$fplusp <- pub_enrl #This line is not needed. For practice
purpose.

#Histogram for private school against enrollment</pre>
```

Overall Enrollment numbers in Private colleges



Overall Enrollment numbers in Public Colleges



new qualitative variable, called Top, by binning the Top10perc variable into two categories (Yes and No). Specifically, divide the schools into two groups based on whether or not the proportion of students coming from the top 10% of their high school classes exceeds 75%. Now produces ide-by-side boxplots of the schools' acceptance rates (based on Acceptand Apps) for each of the two Top categories. There should be two boxes on your figure, one for top schools and one for others. How many top universities are there?

Answer: 22

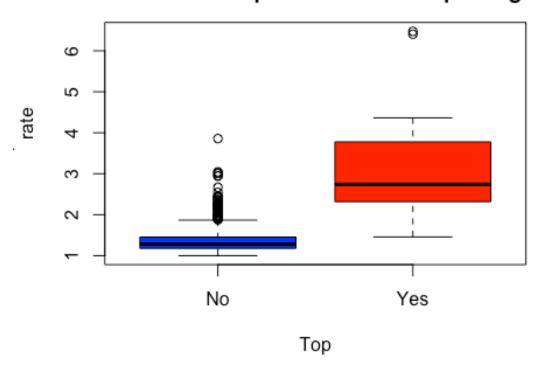
```
library(ggplot2)
#Binnig data into yes and no categories
Top = rep("No", nrow(colleges))
Top[colleges$Top10perc > 75] = "Yes"
Top = as.factor(Top)

colleges = data.frame(colleges, Top)
summary(colleges$Top)

## No Yes
## 755 22

#Boxplot for acceptance rate in the above categories
#College acceptance rate
colleges$acceptance <- (colleges$Apps / colleges$Accept)</pre>
```

School acceptance rate for Top category

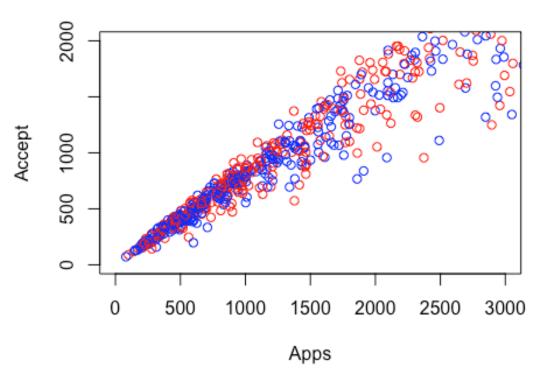


Continue exploring the data, producing two new plots of any type, and provide a brief(one to two sentence)summary of your hypotheses and what you discover. Feel free to think outside the box on this one but if you want something to point you in the right direction, look at the summary statistics for various features, and think about what they tell you. Perhaps try plotting various features from the dataset against each other and see if any patterns emerge.

There is almost a linear relationship between Apps and Accept. The relationship Accept and F.undergrad also seem linear but spreads out when it moves away from orign.

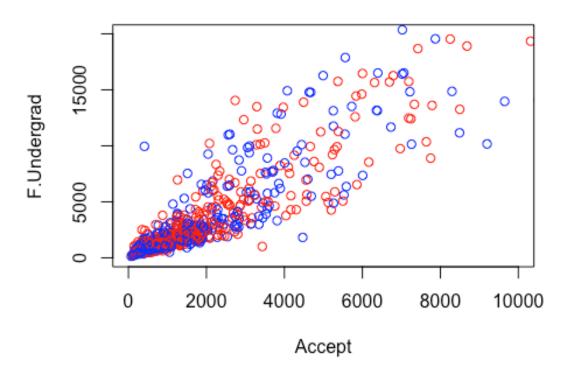
```
plot(x = colleges$Apps, y = colleges$Accept, xlim=c(0,3000), ylim=c(0,2000),
xlab ="Apps", ylab = "Accept", main = "Apps versus Accept", col =
c("blue", "red"))
```

Apps versus Accept



```
plot(x = colleges$Accept, y = colleges$F.Undergrad, xlim=c(0,10000),
ylim=c(0,20000), xlab ="Accept", ylab = "F.Undergrad", main = "Accept versus
F.Undergrad", col = c("blue", "red"))
```

Accept versus F.Undergrad



```
colnames(colleges)
    [1] "X"
                                      "Apps"
                                                     "Accept"
##
                       "Private"
                                                                    "Enroll"
                                      "F.Undergrad"
                                                     "P.Undergrad"
                                                                    "Outstate"
   [6] "Top10perc"
                       "Top25perc"
##
                       "Books"
                                      "Personal"
                                                     "PhD"
## [11] "Room.Board"
                                                                    "Terminal"
## [16] "S.F.Ratio"
                       "perc.alumni" "Expend"
                                                     "Grad.Rate"
                                                                    "Top"
## [21] "acceptance"
```

Question 2

Make sure that rows with missing values have been removed from the data. Show both the code you used and any relevant outputs.

```
forest fire = read.csv("forestfires.csv")
forest_fire = na.omit(forest_fire)
summary(forest_fire)
##
       month
                                                FFMC
                                                                DMC
                           day
    Length:517
                       Length:517
                                           Min.
                                                           Min.
                                                                 : 1.1
##
                                                  :18.70
    Class :character
                       Class :character
                                                           1st Qu.: 68.6
##
                                           1st Qu.:90.20
##
   Mode :character
                       Mode :character
                                           Median :91.60
                                                           Median :108.3
##
                                           Mean
                                                  :90.64
                                                           Mean
                                                                  :110.9
##
                                           3rd Qu.:92.90
                                                           3rd Qu.:142.4
##
                                           Max. :96.20
                                                           Max. :291.3
```

```
##
          DC
                           ISI
                                                                RH
                                             temp
##
            :
              7.9
                     Min.
                             : 0.000
                                        Min.
                                               : 2.20
                                                         Min.
                                                                 : 15.00
    Min.
##
    1st Qu.:437.7
                     1st Qu.: 6.500
                                        1st Qu.:15.50
                                                         1st Qu.: 33.00
##
    Median :664.2
                     Median : 8.400
                                        Median :19.30
                                                         Median : 42.00
                                                                 : 44.29
           :547.9
##
    Mean
                     Mean
                             : 9.022
                                        Mean
                                               :18.89
                                                         Mean
##
    3rd Qu.:713.9
                     3rd Qu.:10.800
                                        3rd Qu.:22.80
                                                         3rd Qu.: 53.00
##
    Max.
            :860.6
                     Max.
                             :56.100
                                        Max.
                                               :33.30
                                                         Max.
                                                                 :100.00
##
         wind
                           rain
                                              area
##
            :0.400
                             :0.00000
                                                     0.00
    Min.
                                         Min.
                     Min.
    1st Qu.:2.700
##
                     1st Qu.:0.00000
                                         1st Qu.:
                                                     0.00
    Median :4.000
                     Median :0.00000
                                         Median:
                                                     0.52
##
##
    Mean
            :4.018
                     Mean
                             :0.02166
                                         Mean
                                                    12.85
    3rd Qu.:4.900
##
                     3rd Qu.:0.00000
                                         3rd Qu.:
                                                     6.57
##
   Max.
           :9.400
                     Max.
                             :6.40000
                                         Max.
                                                 :1090.84
```

(a) Specify which of the predictors are quantitative (measuring numeric properties such as size, or quantity), and which are qualitative (measuring non-numeric properties such as color, appearance, type etc.), if any? Keep in mind that a qualitative variable may be represented as a quantitative type in the dataset, or the reverse. You may wish to adjust the types of your variables based on your findings.

```
sapply(forest_fire, class)
##
                                     FFMC
                                                   DMC
                                                                  DC
                                                                              ISI
         month
                         day
## "character" "character"
                                                          "numeric"
                                "numeric"
                                             "numeric"
                                                                       "numeric"
##
           temp
                          RH
                                     wind
                                                  rain
                                                               area
                  "integer"
##
     "numeric"
                                "numeric"
                                             "numeric"
                                                          "numeric"
```

Qualitative or Quantitative variable:

- 1. month -> Qualitative (consist of name of the month and is treated as Character)
- 2. day -> Qualitative (consist of name of the day and is treated as Character)
- 3. FFMC -> Quantitative (consist data of numeric value)
- 4. DMC -> Quantitative (consist data of numeric value)
- 5. DC -> Quantitative (consist data of numeric value)
- 6. ISI -> Quantitative (consist data of numeric value)
- 7. temp -> Quantitative (consist data of numeric value)
- 8. RH -> Quantitative (consist data of integer value)
- 9. wind -> Quantitative (consist data of numeric value)
- 10. rain -> Quantitative (consist data of numeric value)
- 11. area -> Quantitative (consist data of numeric value)
- (b) What is the range, mean and standard deviation of each quantitative predictor?

```
#Range for all Quantitative variables
sapply(forest_fire[,c(3:11)], range)
##
        FFMC
               DMC
                      DC
                           ISI temp
                                     RH wind rain
                                                      area
               1.1
                      7.9
                         0.0
                               2.2
                                     15
                                         0.4
                                                      0.00
## [1,] 18.7
                                              0.0
## [2,] 96.2 291.3 860.6 56.1 33.3 100
                                         9.4
                                              6.4 1090.84
```

```
#Mean for all Quantitative variables
sapply(forest_fire[,c(3:11)], mean)
##
           FFMC
                          DMC
                                        DC
                                                     ISI
                                                                  temp
RH
##
    90.64468085 110.87234043 547.94003868
                                              9.02166344
                                                          18.88916828
44.28820116
##
           wind
                         rain
                                      area
                  0.02166344 12.84729207
     4.01760155
##
#Standard deviation for all Quantitative variables
sapply(forest_fire[,c(3:11)], sd)
##
          FFMC
                        DMC
                                     DC
                                                 ISI
                                                            temp
                                                                           RH
##
                64.0464822 248.0661917
                                           4.5594772
                                                       5.8066253
     5.5201108
                                                                   16.3174692
##
          wind
                       rain
                                   area
##
     1.7916526
                 0.2959591 63.6558185
```

(c) Now remove the 20th through 70th (inclusive) observations from the dataset. What is the range, mean, and standard deviation of each predictor in the subset of the data that remains?

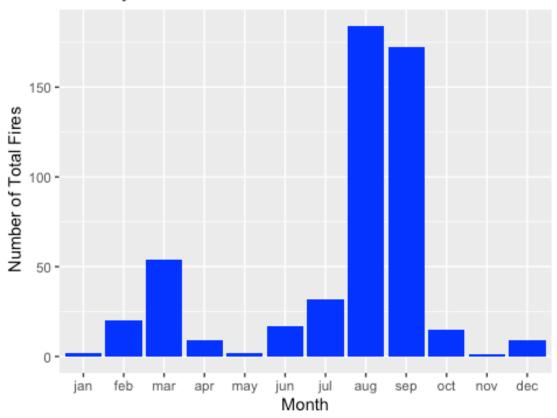
```
#subset of forest fire from 20:70
sub.forest_fire = subset(forest_fire[-c(20:70),])
sapply(sub.forest_fire[,c(3:11)], range)
##
        FFMC
               DMC
                          ISI temp
                                     RH wind rain
                                                      area
## [1,] 18.7
               1.1
                     7.9 0.0 2.2
                                     15
                                         0.4
                                              0.0
                                                      0.00
## [2,] 96.2 291.3 860.6 22.7 33.3 100
                                         9.4
                                              6.4 1090.84
sapply(sub.forest_fire[,c(3:11)], mean)
##
           FFMC
                         DMC
                                        DC
                                                    ISI
                                                                 temp
RH
    90.62188841 113.52167382 548.04012876
                                             8.98927039 18.94163090
44.59442060
##
           wind
                        rain
                                      area
##
     4.01244635
                  0.02403433 14.25332618
sapply(sub.forest_fire[,c(3:11)], sd)
##
          FFMC
                       DMC
                                     DC
                                                ISI
                                                                          RH
                                                            temp
##
     5.7429895
                65.7845884 249.1977150
                                          4.1109312
                                                       5.9027226
                                                                  16.5912495
##
          wind
                      rain
                                   area
##
     1.8179084
                 0.3116754 66.9058989
```

d) Produce a bar plot to show the count of forest fires in each month. During which months are forest fires most common? (Hint: group data by month and calculate count)

Answer: The most common months for forest fires are August and September

```
library(dplyr)
##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##
       filter, lag
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
       intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
##
forestfiresmonths <- forest_fire %>%
  mutate(month = factor(month, levels = c("jan", "feb", "mar", "apr", "may",
"jun", "jul", "aug", "sep", "oct", "nov", "dec")))
fires by month<- forestfiresmonths %>% group by(month) %>%
summarize(count_fires
                                                                      = n())
ggplot(fires_by_month) + aes(x = month, y = count_fires) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity", fill = "blue") +
  labs(title = "Fires by Month", x = "Month", y=" Number of Total Fires")
```

Fires by Month

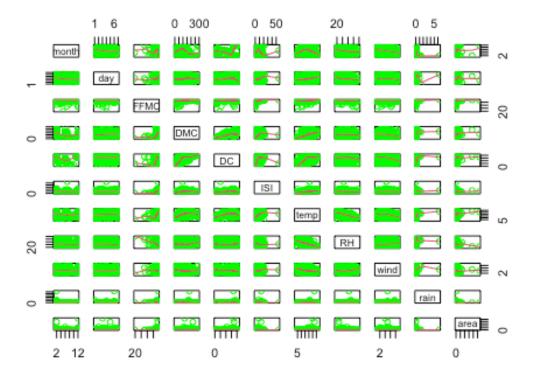


```
table(forest_fire$month)
##
## apr aug dec feb jan jul jun mar may nov oct sep
## 9 184 9 20 2 32 17 54 2 1 15 172
```

(e) Using the full data set, investigate the predictors graphically, using scatterplots, correlation scores or othertools of your choice. Create a correlation matrix for the relevant variables.

```
val = forest_fire[, !sapply(forest_fire, is.factor)]
plot(val, panel = panel.smooth, main = "Scatterplot", col = "green")
```

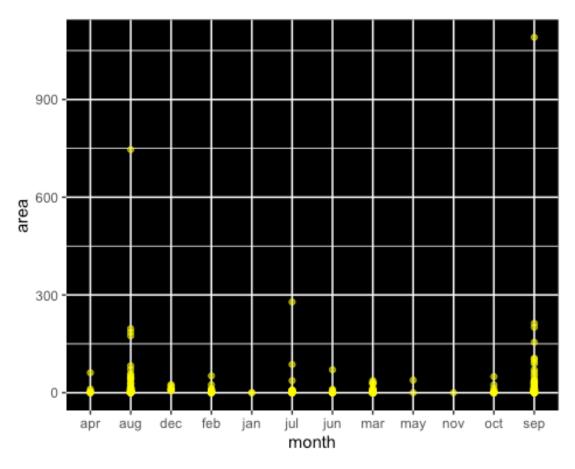
Scatterplot



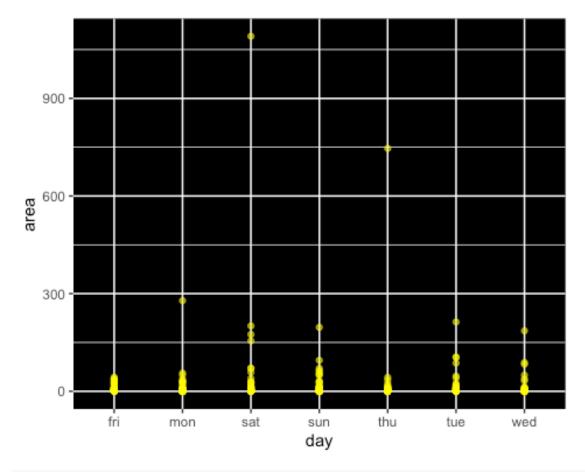
(f) Suppose that we wish to predict the area burned by the forest fire(area) on the basis of the other variables. Which, if any,of the other variables might be useful in predicting area? Justify your answer based on the prior correlations.

```
library(ggplot2)
library(purrr)
fire_area_scatter = function(x,y) {
    ggplot(data = forest_fire) +
        aes_string(x = x, y = y) +
        geom_point(alpha = 0.5, col="yellow") +
        theme(panel.background = element_rect(fill="black"))}
```

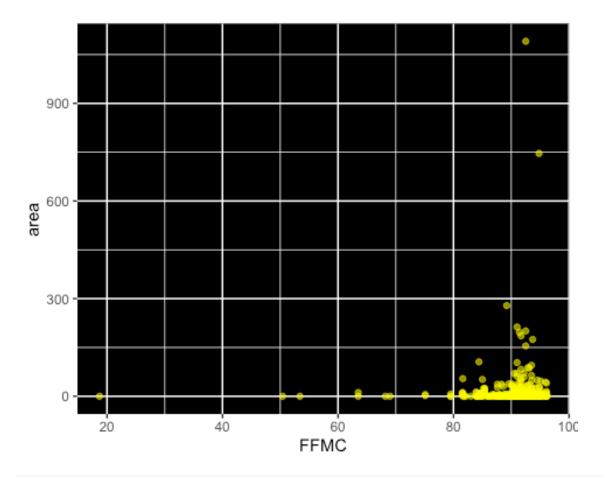
```
xvar <- names(forest_fire)[1:10]
yvar <- names(forest_fire)[11]
map2(xvar, yvar, fire_area_scatter)
## [[1]]</pre>
```



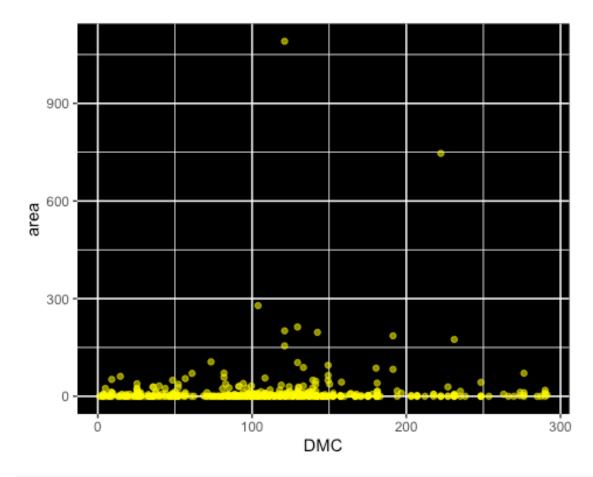
[[2]]



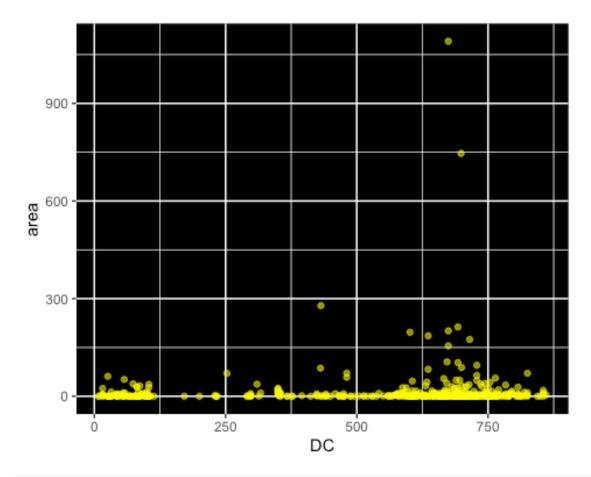
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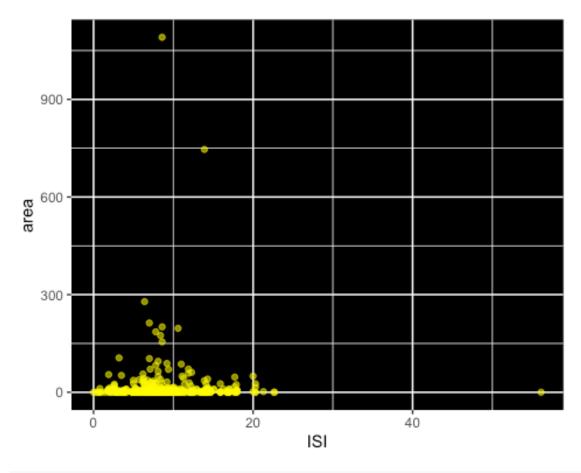
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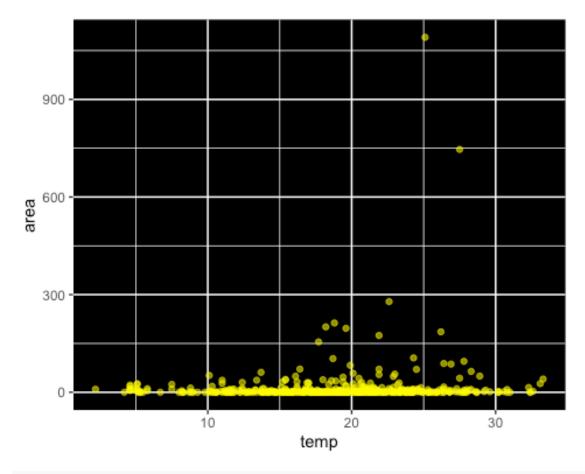
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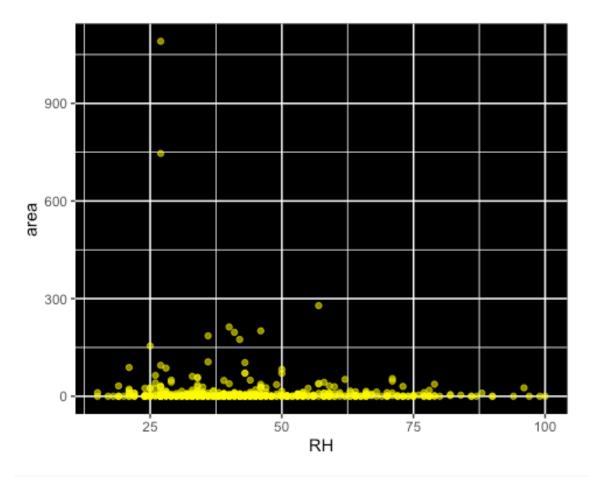
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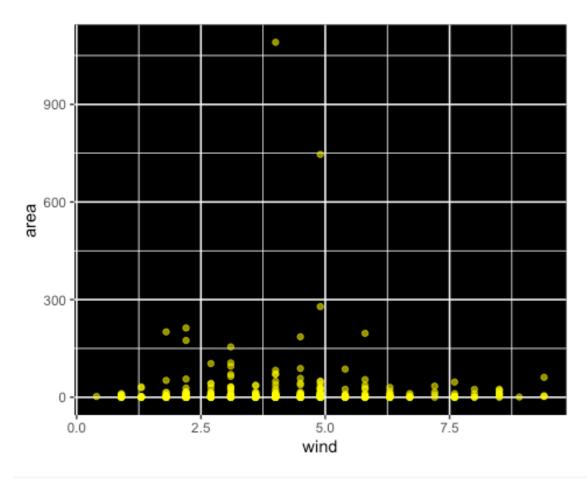
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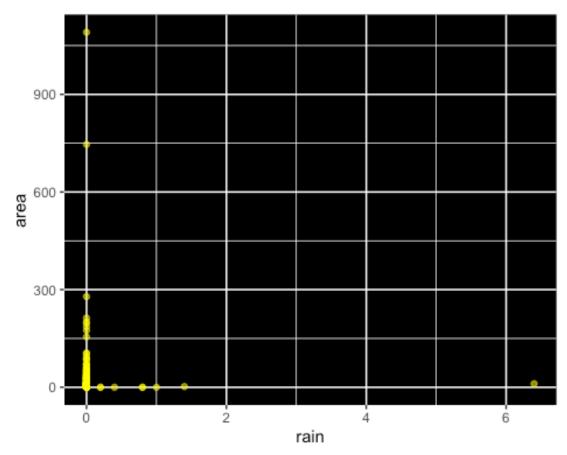
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[[9]]



[[10]]



I was hoping to find some correlation between any variable and area but points representing area are either zero or close to zero. This tells me that there is no concrete relationship between area burned and any of the other variable.