

Lecture 7

2024-07-10

Biden and Trump Bias in Polling

```
require(tidyverse)
```

```
## Loading required package: tidyverse
```

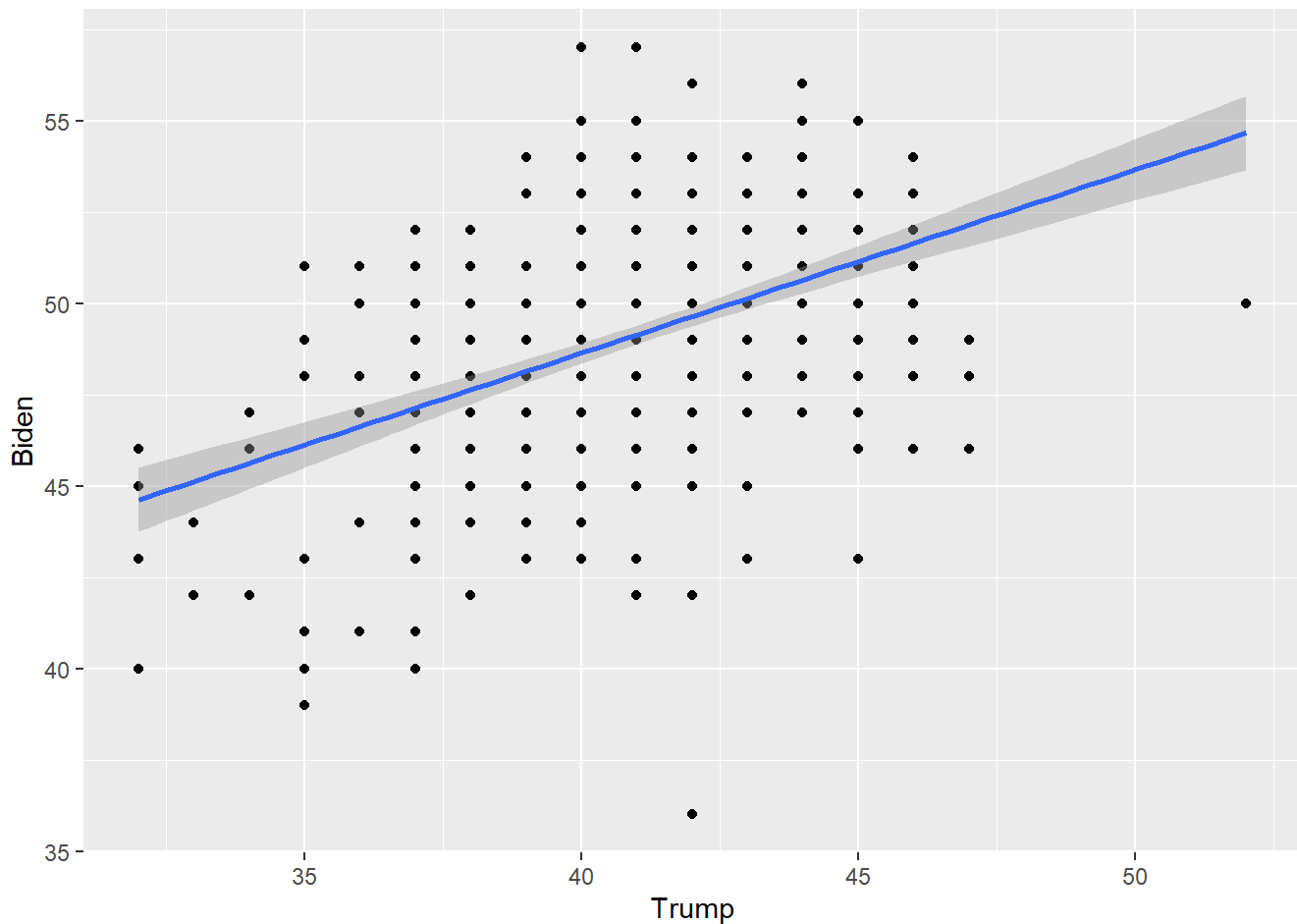
```
## — Attaching core tidyverse packages — tidyverse 2.0.0 —
## ✓ dplyr      1.1.4      ✓ readr      2.1.5
## ✓ forcats    1.0.0      ✓ stringr    1.5.1
## ✓ ggplot2    3.5.1      ✓ tibble     3.2.1
## ✓ lubridate  1.9.3      ✓ tidyr      1.3.1
## ✓ purrr      1.0.2
## — Conflicts — tidyverse_conflicts() —
## ✗ dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## ✗ dplyr::lag()     masks stats::lag()
## i Use the conflicted package (<http://conflicted.r-lib.org/>) to force all conflicts to become errors
```

```
pres <- read_rds("https://github.com/jbisbee1/ISP_Data_Science_2024/raw/main/data/Pres2020_PV.Rds")
```

Plot multivariate visualization

```
pres %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = Trump,
             y = Biden)) +
  geom_point() +
  geom_smooth(method = 'lm')
```

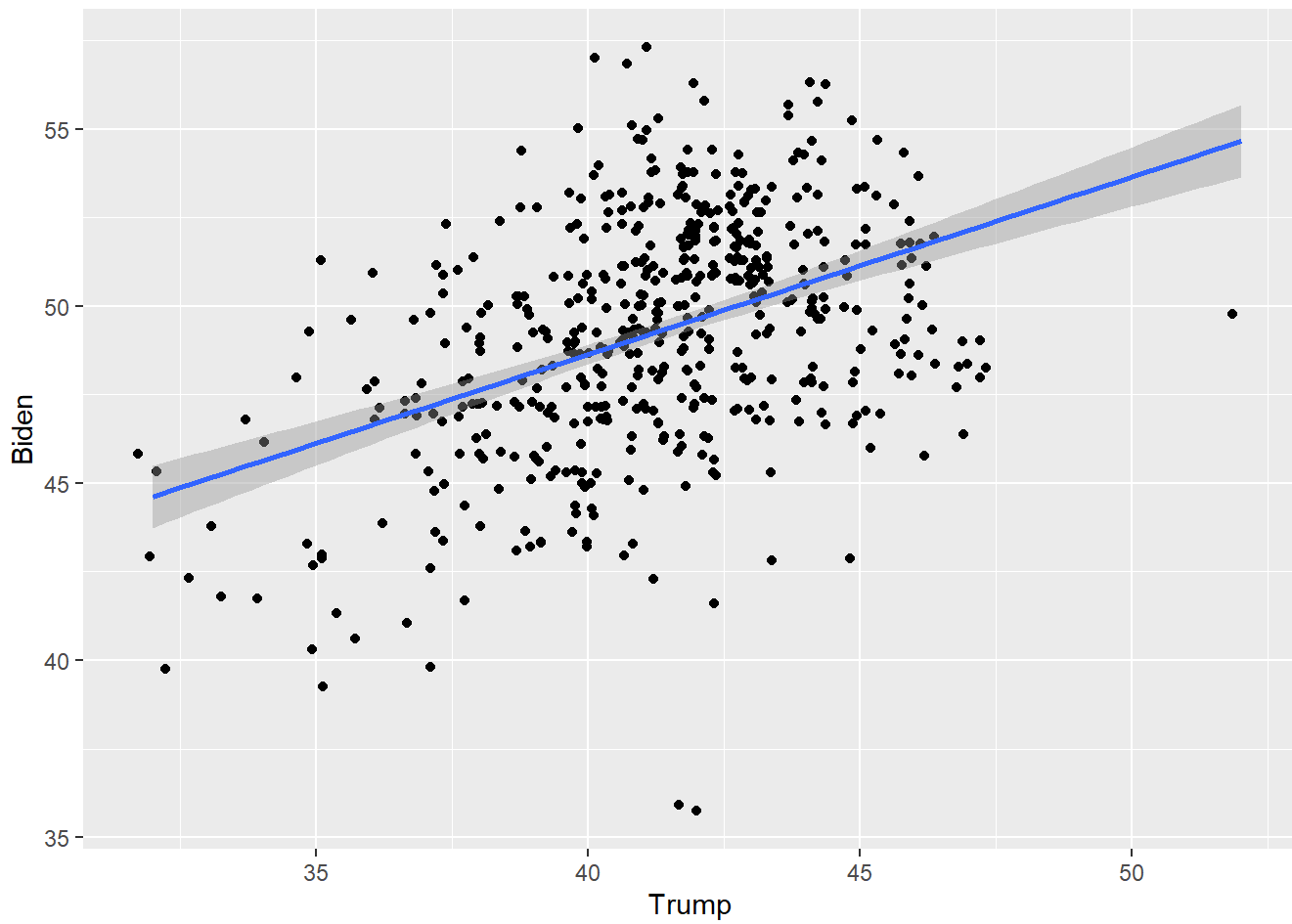
```
## `geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'
```



Fixing the visualization to show multiple polls on the same coordinates

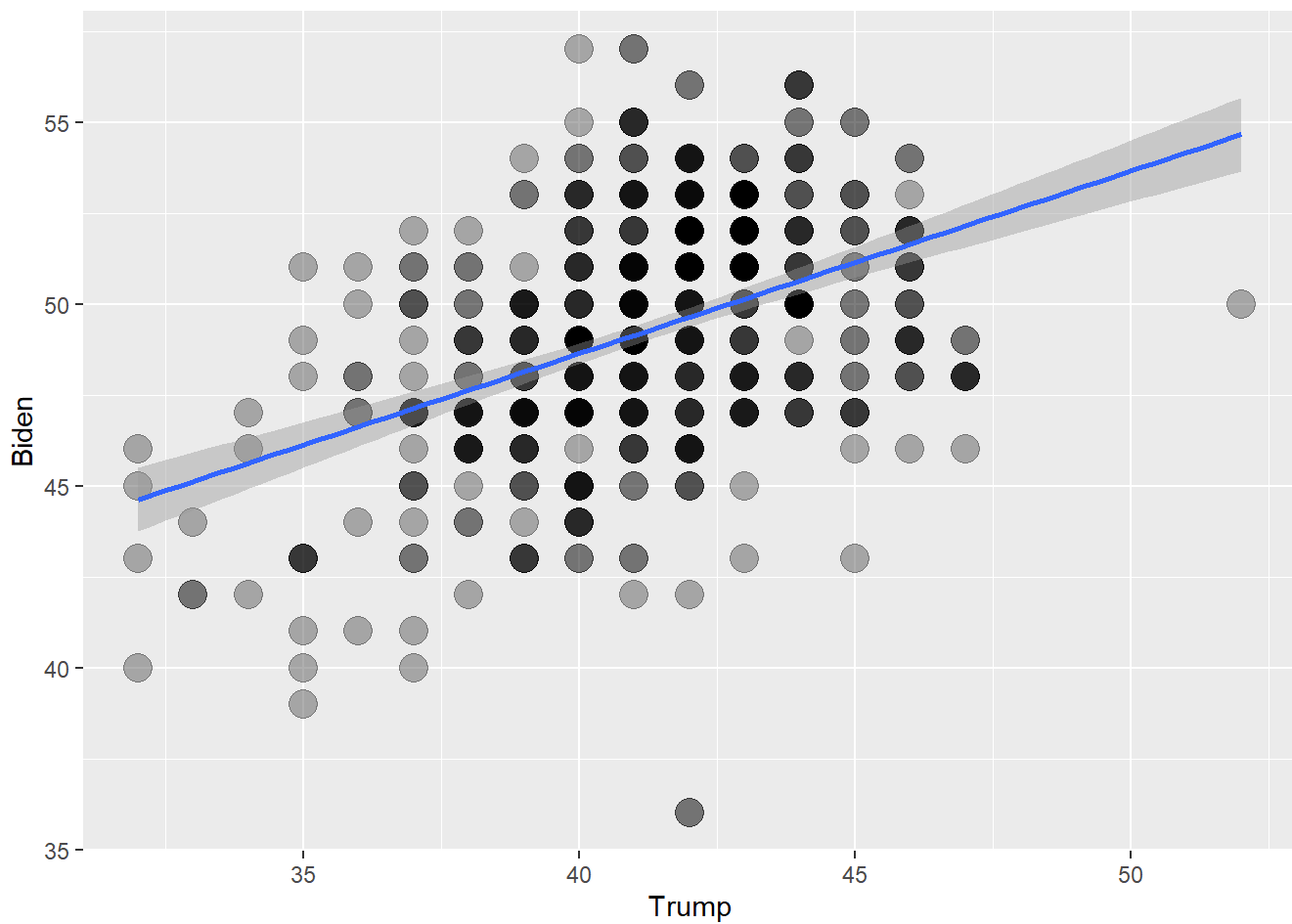
```
# Method 1: geom_jitter()
pres %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = Trump,
             y = Biden)) +
  geom_jitter() +
  geom_smooth(method = 'lm')
```

```
## `geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'
```



```
# Method 2: size + alpha
pres %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = Trump,
              y = Biden)) +
  geom_point(alpha = .3, size = 5) +
  geom_smooth(method = 'lm')
```

```
## `geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'
```



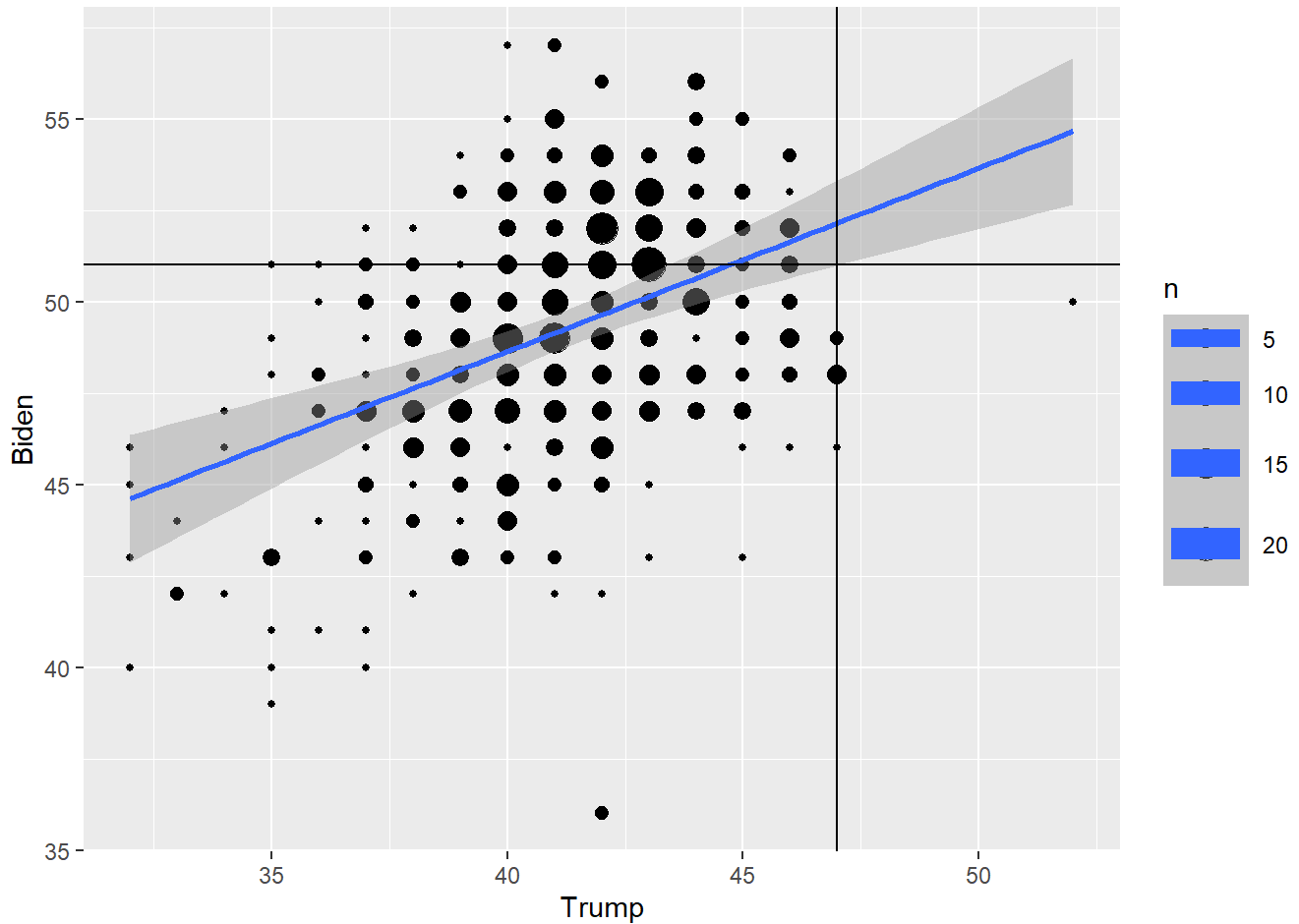
```
# Method 3: count() + size
View(pres)
p1 <- pres %>%
  count(Trump,Biden) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = Trump,
             y = Biden,
             size = n)) +
  geom_point() +
  geom_smooth(method = 'lm',aes(weight = n)) +
  geom_vline(xintercept = 47) +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 51)

p1
```

```
## Warning: Using `size` aesthetic for lines was deprecated in ggplot2 3.4.0.
## i Please use `linewidth` instead.
## This warning is displayed once every 8 hours.
## Call `lifecycle::last_lifecycle_warnings()` to see where this warning was
## generated.
```

```
## `geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'
```

```
## Warning: The following aesthetics were dropped during statistical transformation: size.
## i This can happen when ggplot fails to infer the correct grouping structure in
## the data.
## i Did you forget to specify a `group` aesthetic or to convert a numerical
## variable into a factor?
```



```
p2 <- pres %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = Trump, y = Biden)) +
  geom_point() +
  geom_smooth(method = 'lm') +
  geom_vline(xintercept = 47) +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 51)
```

```
require(patchwork)
```

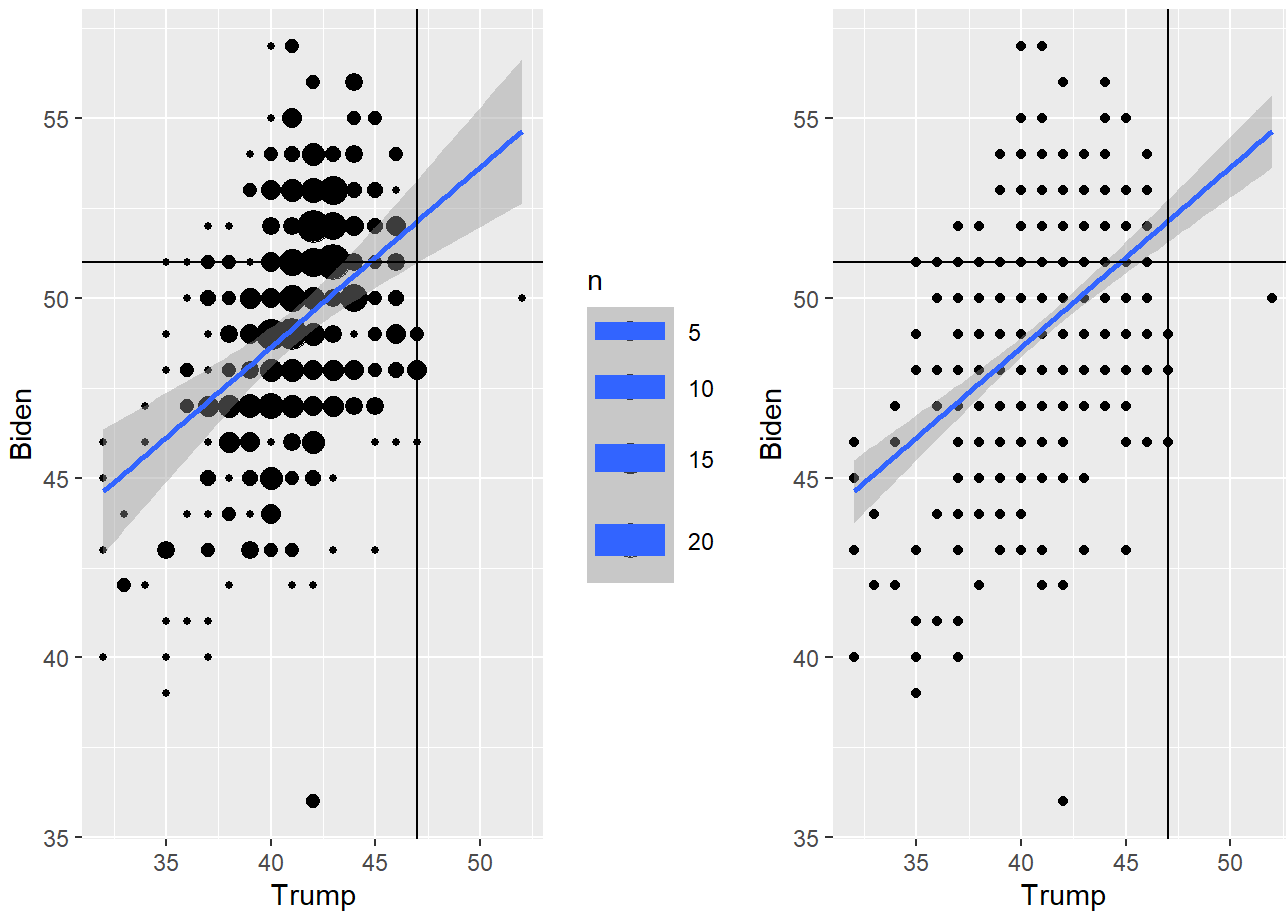
```
## Loading required package: patchwork
```

```
p1 + p2
```

```
## `geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'
```

```
## Warning: The following aesthetics were dropped during statistical transformation: size.
## i This can happen when ggplot fails to infer the correct grouping structure in the data.
## i Did you forget to specify a `group` aesthetic or to convert a numerical variable into a factor?
```

```
## `geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'
```

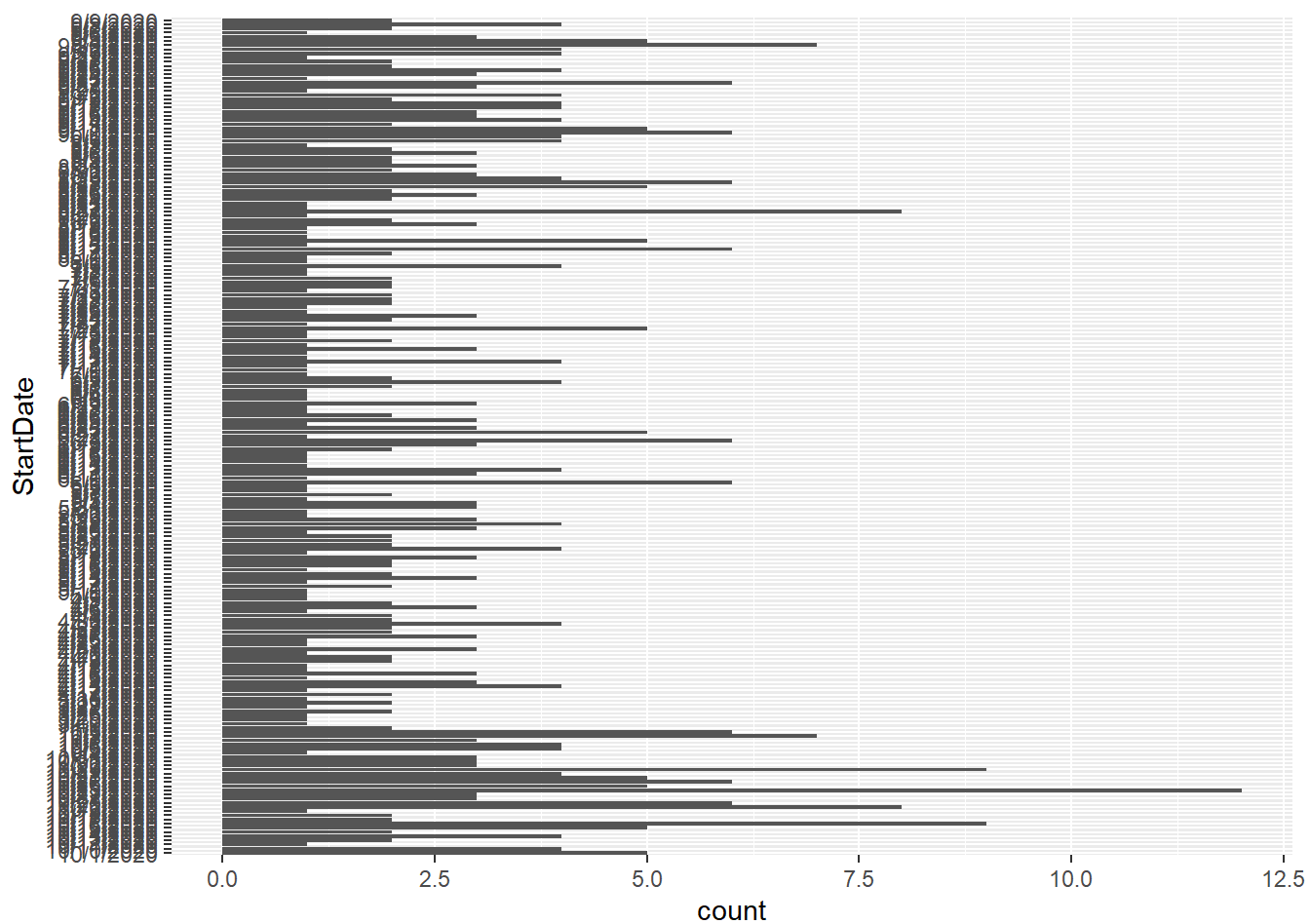


Looking at time

```
# Idea #1: It is a categorical variable
# Step 1: Look
pres %>%
  select(StartDate)
```

```
## # A tibble: 528 × 1
##   StartDate
##   <chr>
## 1 10/31/2020
## 2 10/31/2020
## 3 10/29/2020
## 4 11/1/2020
## 5 11/1/2020
## 6 10/30/2020
## 7 10/31/2020
## 8 10/30/2020
## 9 10/29/2020
## 10 10/29/2020
## # i 518 more rows
```

```
# Step 2: Univariate Visualization
pres %>%
  ggplot(aes(y = StartDate)) +
  geom_bar()
```



```
# Conclusion: text DOESN'T WORK

# Idea #2: numeric
# pres %>%
#   ggplot(aes(x = StartDate)) +
#   geom_histogram()

# Conclusion: numeric DOESN'T WORK
```

New function: as.Date()

```
example_date <- "2024-07-10"

exam_date <- "2024-07-11"

#exam_date - example_date

as.Date(exam_date) - as.Date(example_date)
```

```
## Time difference of 1 days
```

```
# American date example
today_date <- "07/10/2024"

as.Date(today_date)
```

```
## [1] "0007-10-20"
```

```
as.Date(today_date, "%m/%d/%Y")
```

```
## [1] "2024-07-10"
```

Using new function in our data

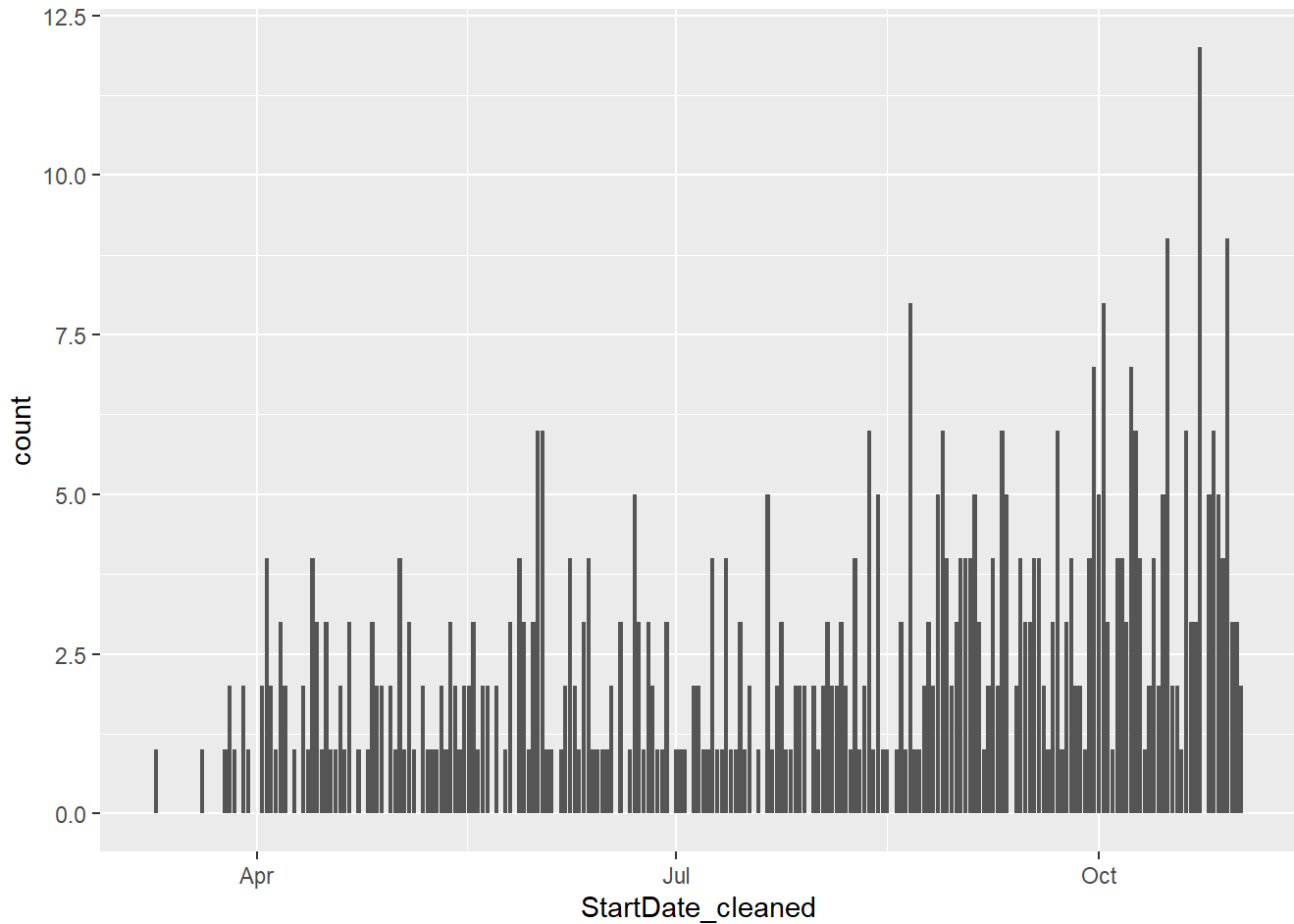
```
"Jul 10, 2024"
```

```
## [1] "Jul 10, 2024"
```



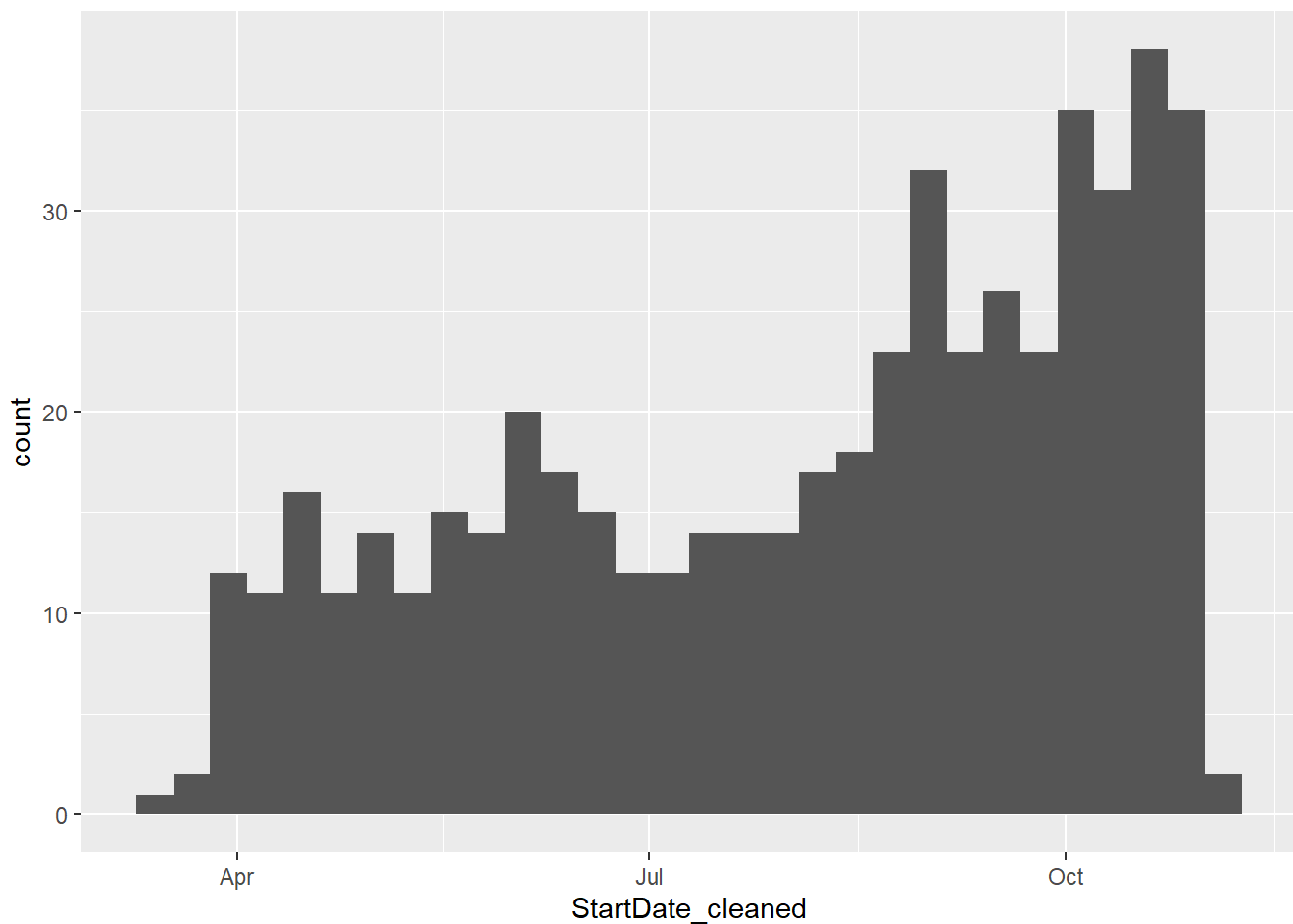
```
pres <- pres %>%
  mutate(StartDate_cleaned = as.Date(StartDate, '%m/%d/%Y'))

pres %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = StartDate_cleaned)) +
  geom_bar()
```



```
# Treat as numeric
pres %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = StartDate_cleaned)) +
  geom_histogram()
```

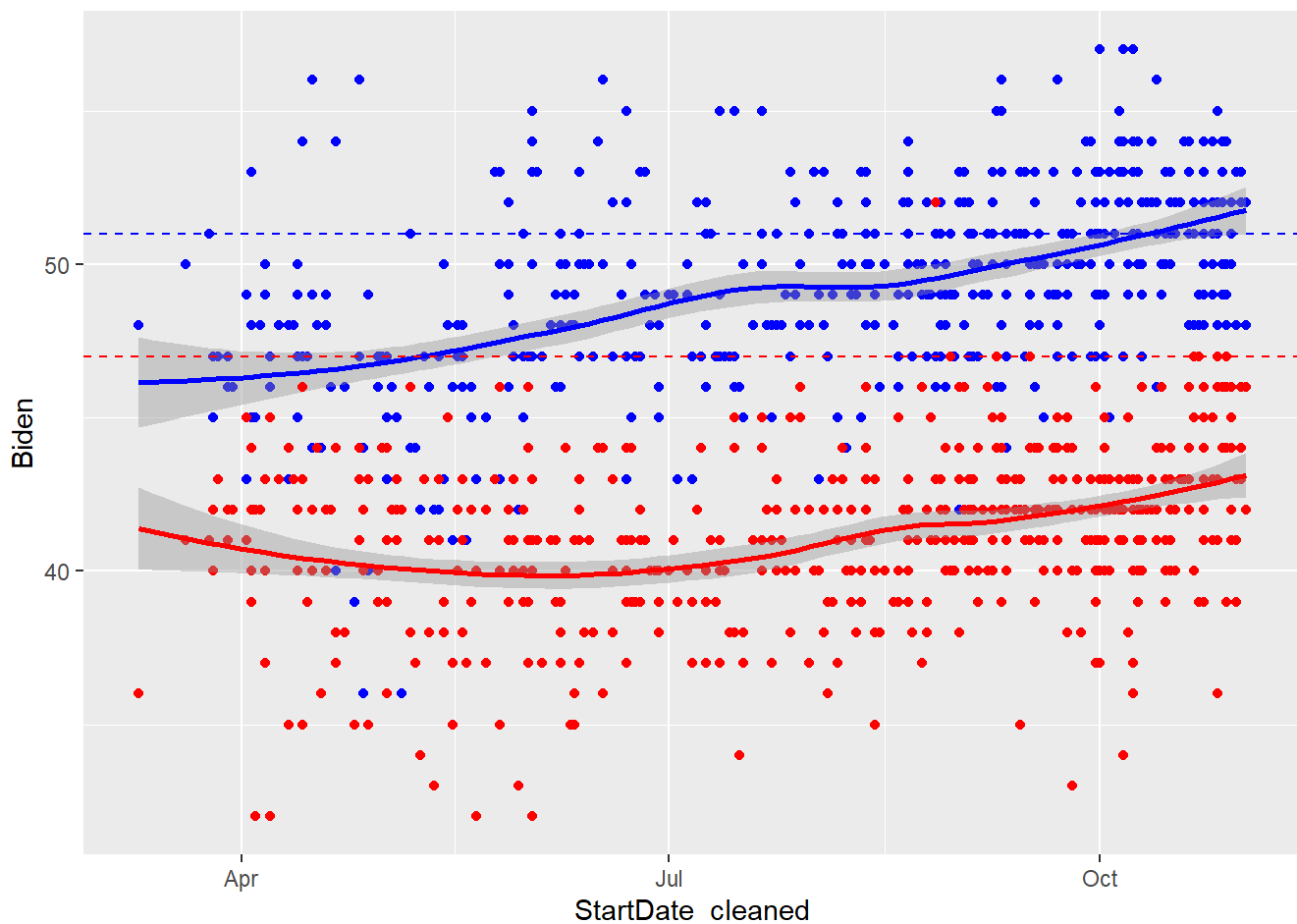
```
## `stat_bin()` using `bins = 30`. Pick better value with `binwidth`.
```



Multivariate:

```
pres %>%  
  ggplot(aes(x = StartDate_cleaned,  
             y = Biden)) +  
  geom_point(color = 'blue') +  
  geom_smooth(color = 'blue') +  
  geom_hline(yintercept = 51,  
            color = 'blue',  
            linetype='dashed') +  
  geom_point(color = 'red',  
            aes(y = Trump)) +  
  geom_smooth(color = 'red',  
            aes(y = Trump)) +  
  geom_hline(yintercept = 47,  
            color = 'red',  
            linetype='dashed')
```

```
## `geom_smooth()` using method = 'loess' and formula = 'y ~ x'  
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```



Creating new variable: prediction error

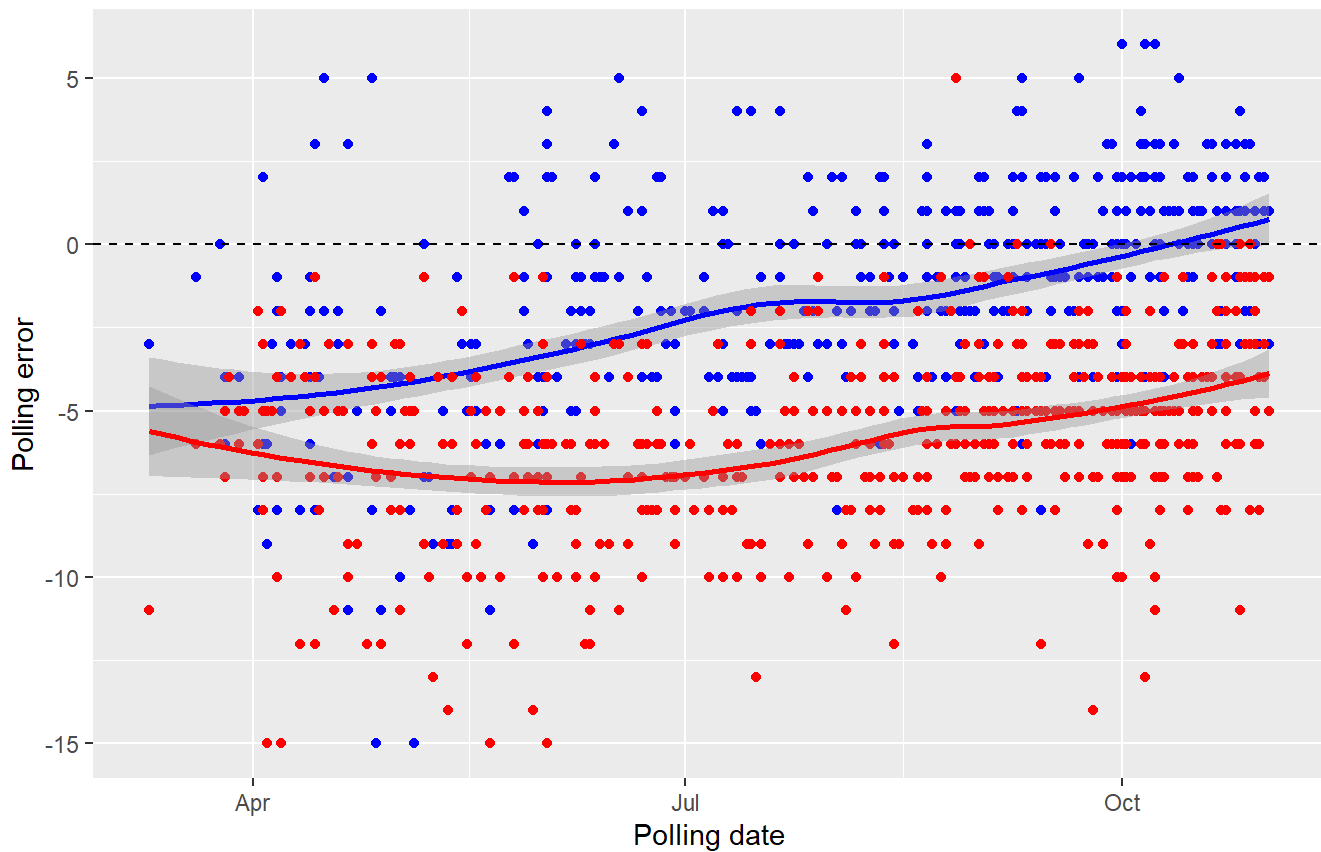
```
# Create such that + ==> overestimate, - ==> underestimate
pres <- pres %>%
  mutate(bidenError = Biden - DemCertVote,
         trumpError = Trump - RepCertVote)

# Recreate plot
pres %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = StartDate_cleaned,
             y = bidenError)) +
  geom_point(color = 'blue') +
  geom_smooth(color = 'blue') +
  geom_point(aes(y = trumpError), color = 'red') +
  geom_smooth(aes(y = trumpError), color = 'red') +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 0, linetype = 'dashed') +
  labs(x = 'Polling date',
       y = 'Polling error',
       title = 'Comparison of Biden and Trump Polling Errors Overtime',
       subtitle = '528 polls from April to November 2020')
```

```
## `geom_smooth()` using method = 'loess' and formula = 'y ~ x'
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```

Comparison of Biden and Trump Polling Errors Overtime

528 polls from April to November 2020



Introducing midterm exam data

```
fn <- read_rds("https://github.com/jbisbee1/ISP_Data_Science_2024/raw/main/data/fn_cleaned_final.rds")
```

fn

```
## # A tibble: 957 × 24
##   placed mental_state eliminations assists revives accuracy hits head_shots
##   <dbl> <chr>          <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl> <dbl>    <dbl>
## 1      17 sober          2        0        0  0.194     10         1
## 2      41 sober          0        2        0  0.324     17         0
## 3      36 high           3        0        0  0.337     38         0
## 4      28 high           1        4        0  0.105     22         3
## 5        3 high           3        2        1  0.622     49        18
## 6      15 high           0        1        0  0.0582     4         3
## 7        9 high           2        2        0  0.265     43         2
## 8      29 high           3        2        0  0.272     14         3
## 9      11 high           4        0        1  0.383     53        13
## 10       1 high           1        2        0  0.328     27         0
## # i 947 more rows
## # i 16 more variables: distance_traveled <dbl>, materials_gathered <dbl>,
## #   materials_used <dbl>, damage_taken <dbl>, damage_to_players <dbl>,
## #   damage_to_structures <dbl>, won <dbl>, player <int>, gameId <int>,
## #   startTime <dtm>, sessionId <int>, lagSess <dbl>, delta <dbl>,
## #   startTime2 <dtm>, gameIdSession <int>, gameIdSession2 <dbl>
```

```
summary(fn)
```

```

##      placed      mental_state      eliminations      assists
## Min.      : 1.00      Length:957      Min.      :0.000      Min.      :0.00
## 1st Qu.: 1.00      Class :character      1st Qu.:1.000      1st Qu.:0.00
## Median :11.00      Mode  :character      Median :2.000      Median :1.00
## Mean      :14.58                                Mean      :2.526      Mean      :1.51
## 3rd Qu.:24.00                                3rd Qu.:4.000      3rd Qu.:2.00
## Max.      :73.00                                Max.      :9.000      Max.      :7.00
##
##      revives      accuracy      hits      head_shots
## Min.      :0.0000      Min.      :0.0000      Min.      : 0.00      Min.      : 0.000
## 1st Qu.:0.0000      1st Qu.:0.1736      1st Qu.: 13.00      1st Qu.: 1.000
## Median :0.0000      Median :0.2469      Median : 25.00      Median : 3.000
## Mean      :0.4086      Mean      :0.2605      Mean      : 29.95      Mean      : 4.829
## 3rd Qu.:1.0000      3rd Qu.:0.3256      3rd Qu.: 39.00      3rd Qu.: 6.000
## Max.      :4.0000      Max.      :0.9472      Max.      :118.00      Max.      :36.000
##
## distance_traveled materials_gathered materials_used      damage_taken
## Min.      : 0      Min.      : 0.0      Min.      : 0.0      Min.      : 0
## 1st Qu.: 357      1st Qu.: 52.0      1st Qu.: 16.0      1st Qu.:153
## Median : 725      Median : 204.0      Median : 66.0      Median :217
## Mean      :1140      Mean      : 399.6      Mean      : 132.5      Mean      :245
## 3rd Qu.:1516      3rd Qu.: 459.0      3rd Qu.: 148.0      3rd Qu.:322
## Max.      :4766      Max.      :3098.0      Max.      :1788.0      Max.      :749
##
## damage_to_players damage_to_structures      won      player
## Min.      : 0.0      Min.      : 0      Min.      :0.0000      Min.      : -5
## 1st Qu.: 334.0      1st Qu.: 1001      1st Qu.:0.0000      1st Qu.: -3
## Median : 499.0      Median : 2068      Median :0.0000      Median : 0
## Mean      : 581.7      Mean      : 3217      Mean      :0.3041      Mean      : 0
## 3rd Qu.: 764.0      3rd Qu.: 4159      3rd Qu.:1.0000      3rd Qu.: 3
## Max.      :1693.0      Max.      :19308      Max.      :1.0000      Max.      : 5
##
##      gameId      startTime      sessionId      lagSess
## Min.      : 1      Min.      :2020-04-10 16:46:06.26      Min.      :1.000      Min.      :1.000
## 1st Qu.:22      1st Qu.:2020-04-18 02:42:45.60      1st Qu.:1.000      1st Qu.:1.000
## Median :44      Median :2020-04-25 10:29:43.91      Median :2.000      Median :2.000
## Mean      :44      Mean      :2020-04-25 23:17:50.25      Mean      :2.042      Mean      :2.018
## 3rd Qu.:66      3rd Qu.:2020-05-03 11:39:01.86      3rd Qu.:3.000      3rd Qu.:3.000
## Max.      :87      Max.      :2020-05-12 11:36:13.09      Max.      :4.000      Max.      :4.000
##
##      delta      startTime2      gameIdSession
## Min.      : 36.67      Min.      :2020-04-10 17:05:06.74      Min.      : 1.00
## 1st Qu.: 633.12      1st Qu.:2020-04-18 02:54:33.15      1st Qu.: 8.00
## Median : 824.78      Median :2020-04-25 22:28:54.59      Median :15.00
## Mean      : 2868.84      Mean      :2020-04-25 23:40:50.49      Mean      :15.66
## 3rd Qu.:1061.13      3rd Qu.:2020-05-03 11:39:31.61      3rd Qu.:22.00
## Max.      :86633.67      Max.      :2020-05-12 11:36:13.09      Max.      :44.00
##
##      NA's      :1
## gameIdSession2
## Min.      : 1.0
## 1st Qu.: 64.0
## Median : 225.0

```

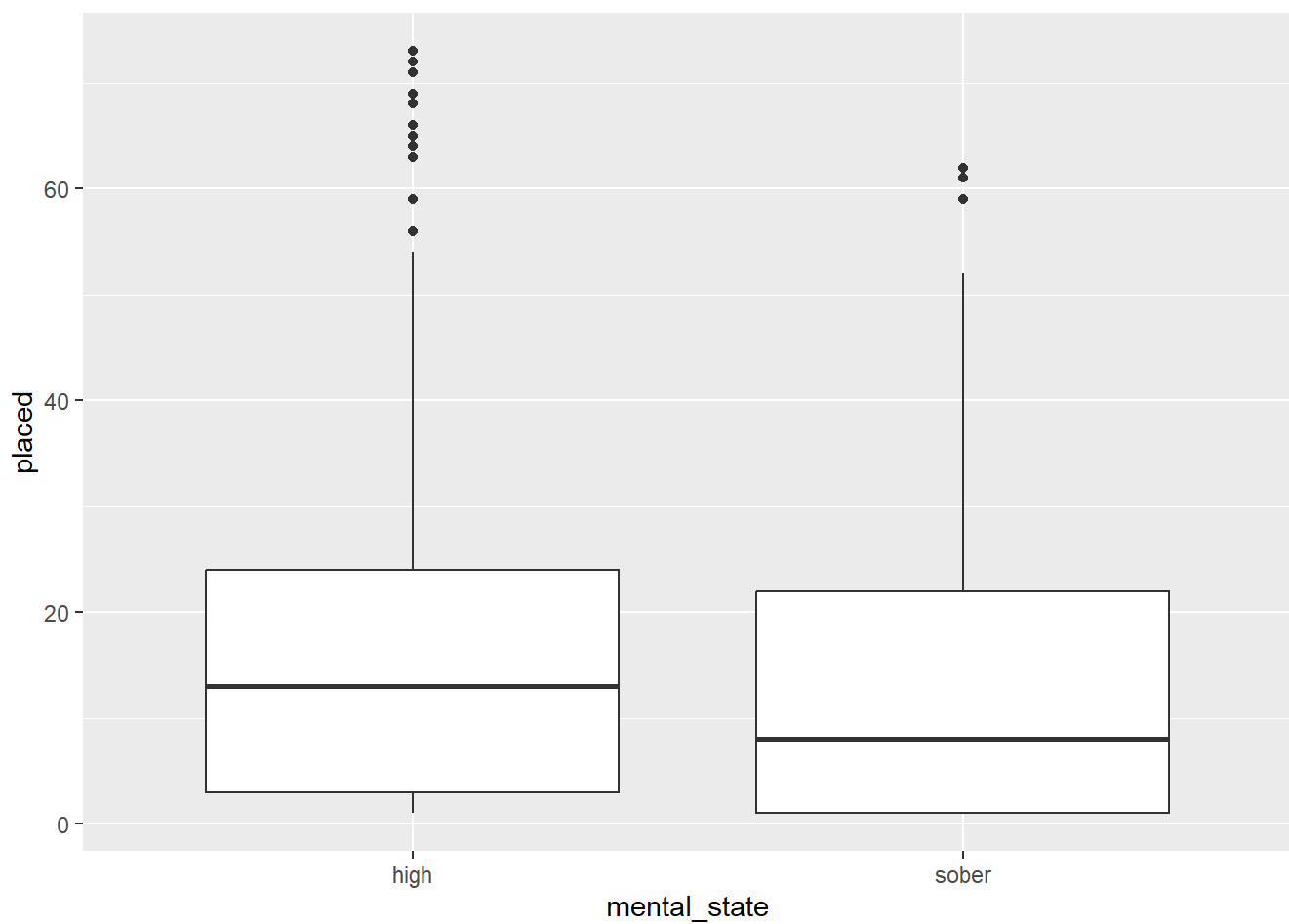
```
## Mean    : 346.8
## 3rd Qu.: 484.0
## Max.    :1936.0
##
```

```
fn %>%
  count(mental_state)
```

```
## # A tibble: 2 × 2
##   mental_state     n
##   <chr>         <int>
## 1 high           462
## 2 sober          495
```

View(fn)

```
fn %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = mental_state,
             y = placed)) +
  geom_boxplot()
```



Bootstrap

```

set.seed(123)
bsRes <- NULL
for(i in 1:100) {
  simulation <- fn %>%
    sample_n(size = nrow(.),
             replace = T)

  answer <- simulation %>%
    group_by(mental_state) %>%
    summarise(avg_placed = mean(placed)) %>%
    mutate(sim_number = i)

  bsRes <- bsRes %>%
    bind_rows(answer)
}

# Result
bsRes_wide <- bsRes %>%
  pivot_wider(names_from = "mental_state",
              values_from = "avg_placed")

bsRes_wide %>%
  mutate(sober_better = ifelse(sober < high,
                              1,
                              0)) %>%
  summarise(confidence = mean(sober_better))

```

```

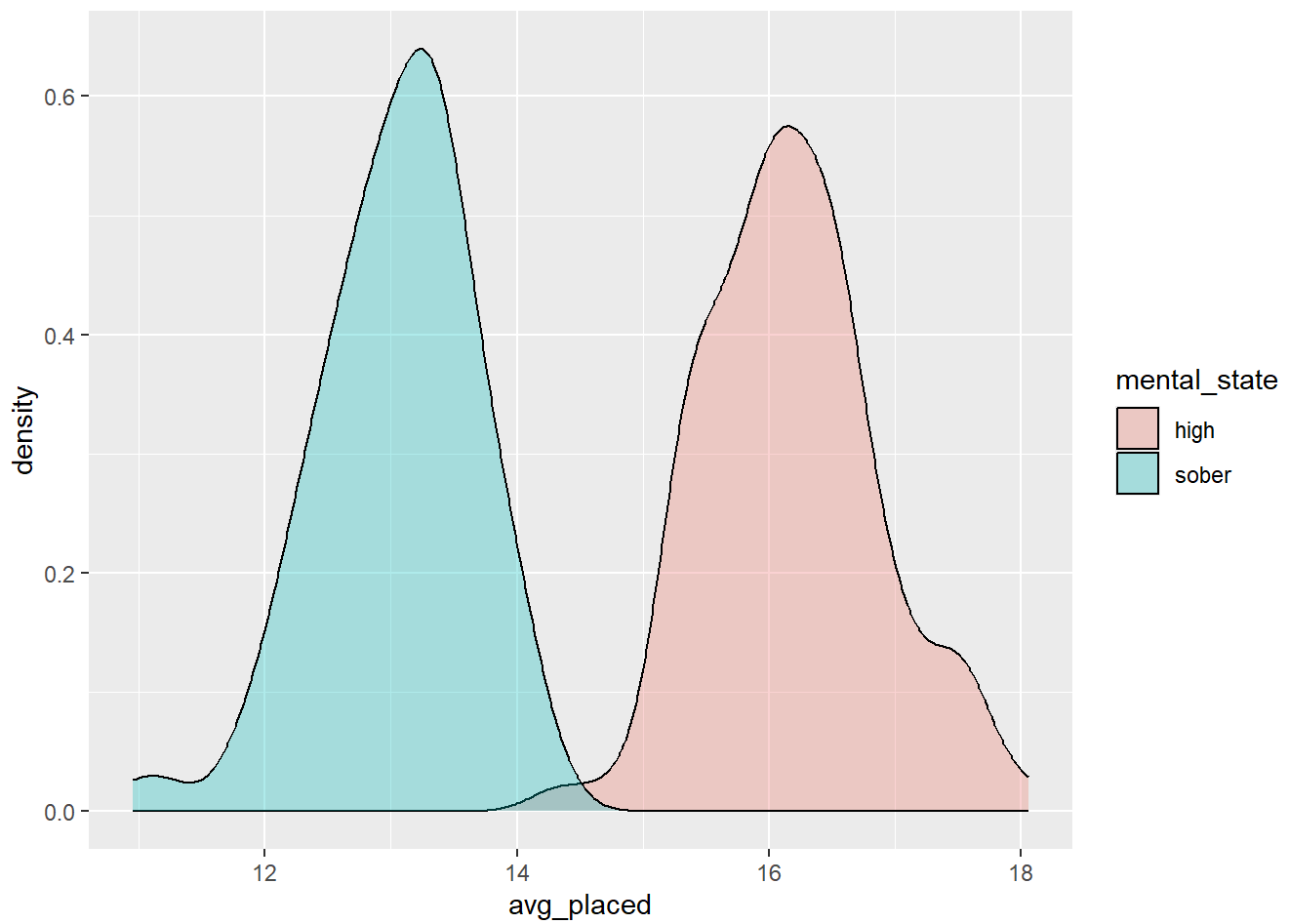
## # A tibble: 1 × 1
##   confidence
##   <dbl>
## 1         1

```

```

# Visualize
bsRes %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = avg_placed,
             fill = mental_state)) +
  geom_density(alpha = .3)

```

```
bsRes_wide %>%  
  mutate(placed_diff = high - sober) %>%  
  ggplot(aes(x = placed_diff)) +  
  geom_density() +  
  geom_vline(xintercept = 0, linetype = 'dashed')
```

