Mill Creek Water Analysis

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This notebook investigates four water quality measures that have been measured by the USGS since 2007: temperature, conductivity (a measure of salinity), pH, and dissolved oxygen. The site is USGS 03431083 MILL CREEK AT LEBANON ROAD AT NASHVILLE, TN. Information on the site is at https://waterdata.usgs.gov/nwis/inventory/?site_no=03431083&agency_cd=USGS (https://waterdata.usgs.gov/nwis/inventory/?site_no=03431083&agency_cd=USGS) Location: Latitude 36°09’50“, Longitude 86°41’57” NAD27

Useful packages

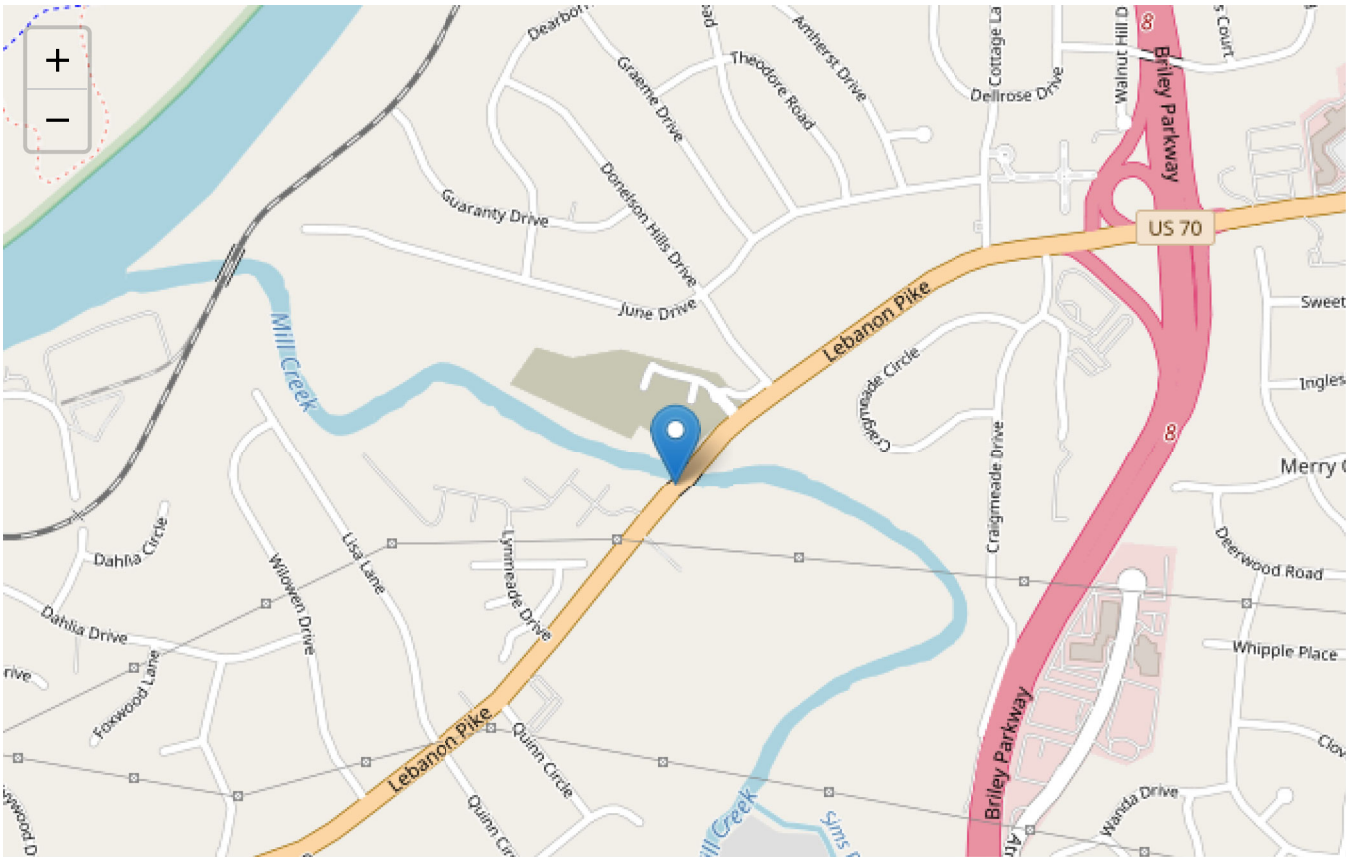
```
if (!require("pacman"))
   install.packages("pacman")
```

```
## Loading required package: pacman
```

```
pacman::p_load(tidyverse, lubridate, skimr, timetk, leaflet, psych)
```

Map of site location

```
m <- leaflet(df) %>% addMarkers(lat = 36.16389, lng = -86.69917) %>% addTiles()
m
```



Import and clean data

```
# Unfortunately this USGS station does not have discharge data
# The begin and end dates can be changed in the url below
Data <- read_delim("https://nwis.waterdata.usgs.gov/usa/nwis/uv/?cb_00095=on&cb_00300=on&cb_0001
0=on&cb_00400=on&format=rdb&site_no=03431083&period=&begin_date=2019-12-22&end_date=2020-12-21",
"\t", escape_double = FALSE, col_names = TRUE, locale = locale(tz = "America/Chicago"), trim_ws
 = TRUE, skip = 30)
```

```
##
## -- Column specification --------------------------------------------------------
## cols(
##   agency_cd = col_character(),
##   site_no = col_character(),
##   datetime = col_character(),
##   tz_cd = col_character(),
##   `131093_00010` = col_character(),
##   `131093_00010_cd` = col_character(),
##   `131094_00095` = col_character(),
##   `131094_00095_cd` = col_character(),
##   `131095_00400` = col_character(),
##   `131095_00400_cd` = col_character(),
##   `131096_00300` = col_character(),
##   `131096_00300_cd` = col_character()
## )
```

```
Data <- Data[-1,-(1:2)]
Data <- rename(Data, Temp_C = `131093_00010`, SpC = `131094_00095`, pH = `131095_00400`, DO = `1
31096_00300`)
Data <- select(Data, datetime, Temp_C, SpC, pH, DO)
Data <- type_convert(Data)
```

```
##
## -- Column specification --------------------------------------------------------
## cols(
##   datetime = col_datetime(format = ""),
##   Temp_C = col_double(),
##   SpC = col_double(),
##   pH = col_double(),
##   DO = col_double()
## )
```

```
skim(Data)
```

Data summary

Name	Data
Number of rows	17555
Number of columns	5
_____	
Column type frequency:	
numeric	4
POSIXct	1
_____	
Group variables	None

Variable type: numeric

skim_variable	n_missing	complete_rate	mean	sd	p0	p25	p50	p75	p100	hist
Temp_C	421	0.98	17.12	6.24	5.0	11.60	16.3	23.2	30.5	
SpC	242	0.99	482.85	78.21	121.0	449.00	494.0	543.0	623.0	
pH	185	0.99	7.99	0.21	7.2	7.90	8.0	8.1	8.8	
DO	273	0.98	8.82	2.24	2.8	7.23	8.9	10.4	16.6	

Variable type: POSIXct

skim_variable	n_missing	complete_rate	min	max	median	n_unique
datetime	0	1	2019-12-22	2020-12-21 23:30:00	2020-06-22 01:00:00	17553

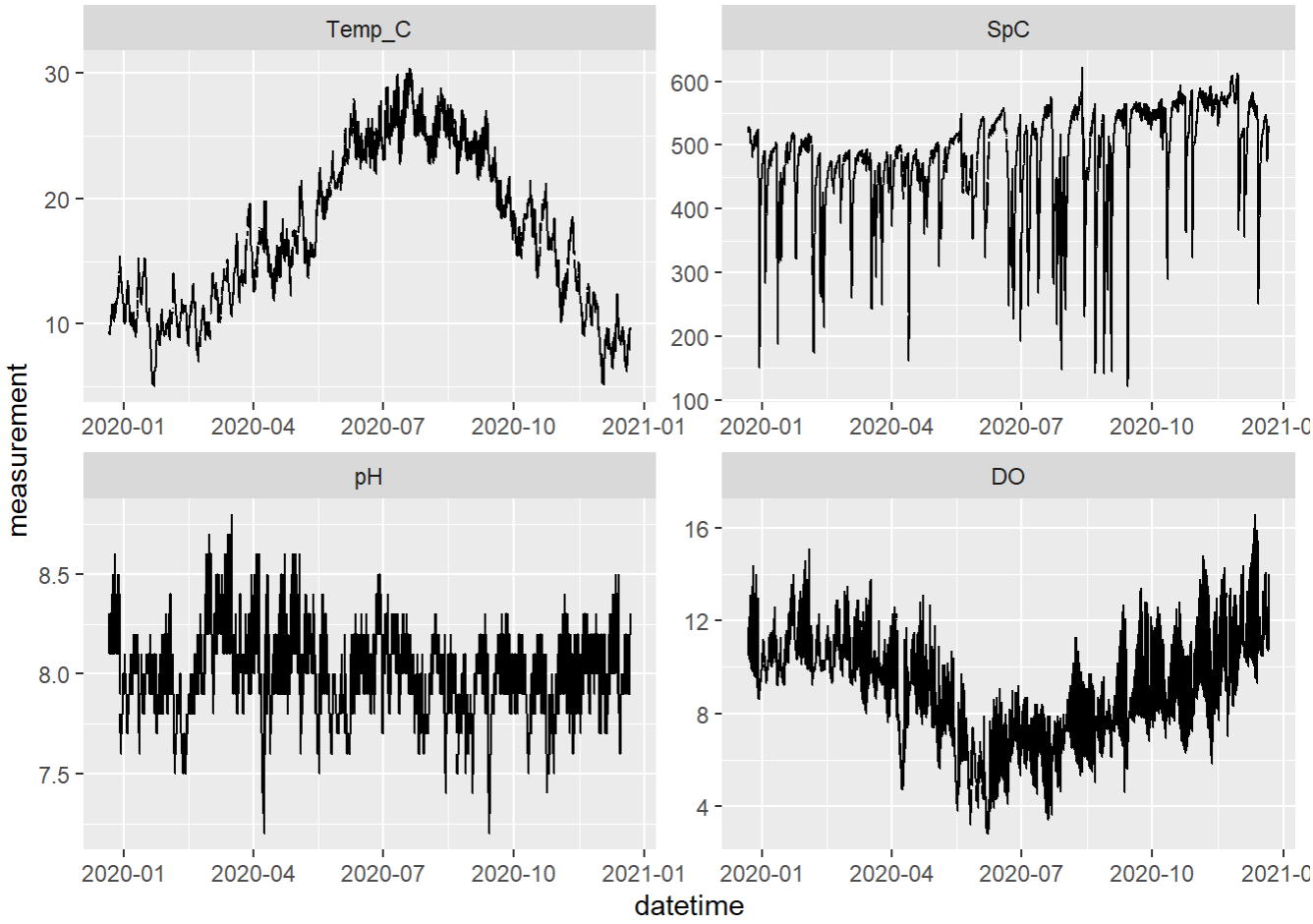
```
write_excel_csv(Data, "MillCreekDataWQ.csv", col_names = TRUE)
```

Plots of temporal trends

```
DataLong <-  gather(Data, variable, measurement, Temp_C:DO, factor_key=TRUE)
MinDate <- as.Date(min(Data$datetime))
MaxDate <- as.Date(max(Data$datetime))
print(paste("From ", MinDate, " to ", MaxDate))
```

```
## [1] "From  2019-12-22  to  2020-12-21"
```

```
print(ggplot(DataLong, aes(x = datetime, y = measurement)) +
  geom_line() +
  scale_x_datetime(date_labels = "%Y-%m") +
  facet_wrap(~ variable, scales = "free", nrow = 2))
```



Create seasons

```
Data <- Data %>%
  add_column(Season = NA)
for (i in 1:nrow(Data)) {
  if (as.Date(Data$datetime[i]) >= as.Date("2019-12-21") & as.Date(Data$datetime[i]) <= as.Date(
"2020-03-19")) {
  Data$Season[i] = paste("Winter")
  }
  if (as.Date(Data$datetime[i]) >= as.Date("2020-03-20") & as.Date(Data$datetime[i]) <= as.Date(
"2020-06-19")) {
  Data$Season[i] = paste("Spring")
  }
   if (as.Date(Data$datetime[i]) >= as.Date("2020-06-20") & as.Date(Data$datetime[i]) <= as.Date
("2020-09-21")) {
  Data$Season[i] = paste("Summer")
  }
   if (as.Date(Data$datetime[i]) >= as.Date("2020-09-22") & as.Date(Data$datetime[i]) <= as.Date
("2020-12-20")) {
  Data$Season[i] = paste("Fall")
   }
}
```

Summary statistics by season

```
Data$Season <- factor(Data$Season)
textvars <- c("Temp_C", "SpC", "pH", "DO")
describeBy(Data[textvars], list(Data$Season))
```

```
##
##  Descriptive statistics by group
## : Fall
##        vars    n   mean    sd median trimmed   mad   min   max range  skew
## Temp_C    1 4228  13.95  4.28   14.3   14.04  5.63   5.2  21.8  16.6 -0.15
## SpC       2 4274 539.85 54.47  557.0  550.73 23.72 251.0 613.0 362.0 -2.26
## pH        3 4285   7.97  0.18    8.0    7.98  0.15   7.4   8.5   1.1 -0.17
## DO        4 4274   9.96  1.90    9.9    9.86  2.08   5.8  16.6  10.8  0.43
##        kurtosis   se
## Temp_C    -1.25 0.07
## SpC        5.68 0.83
## pH         0.14 0.00
## DO        -0.26 0.03
## ------------------------------------------------------------
## : Spring
##        vars    n   mean    sd median trimmed   mad   min   max range  skew
## Temp_C    1 4212  18.24  3.84  17.05   18.00  4.15  11.7  28.0  16.3  0.46
## SpC       2 4285 468.62 53.88 476.00  473.10 47.44 162.0 559.0 397.0 -1.18
## pH        3 4347   8.00  0.22   8.00    8.00  0.15   7.2   8.6   1.4 -0.07
## DO        4 4313   7.58  2.10   7.70    7.59  2.37   2.8  13.1  10.3 -0.07
##        kurtosis   se
## Temp_C    -0.91 0.06
## SpC        2.99 0.82
## pH         0.72 0.00
## DO        -0.70 0.03
## ------------------------------------------------------------
## : Summer
##        vars    n   mean    sd median trimmed   mad   min   max range  skew
## Temp_C    1 4426  25.07  2.06   25.0   25.05  1.93  19.0  30.5  11.5  0.02
## SpC       2 4477 471.42 97.02  513.0  486.02 63.75 121.0 623.0 502.0 -1.20
## pH        3 4467   7.96  0.20    8.0    7.97  0.15   7.2   8.5   1.3 -0.43
## DO        4 4441   7.17  1.38    7.2    7.13  1.19   3.4  12.7   9.3  0.45
##        kurtosis   se
## Temp_C     0.11 0.03
## SpC        0.67 1.45
## pH         0.46 0.00
## DO         1.17 0.02
## ------------------------------------------------------------
## : Winter
##        vars    n   mean    sd median trimmed   mad   min   max range  skew
## Temp_C    1 4220  10.94  1.98   10.9   10.97  1.93   5.0  16.3  11.3 -0.21
## SpC       2 4229 451.32 67.09  476.0  463.90 35.58 151.0 528.0 377.0 -1.84
## pH        3 4223   8.03  0.24    8.0    8.02  0.15   7.5   8.8   1.3  0.39
## DO        4 4206  10.63  1.11   10.4   10.53  0.89   8.0  15.1   7.1  0.88
##        kurtosis   se
## Temp_C     0.33 0.03
## SpC        3.29 1.03
## pH         0.11 0.00
## DO         0.70 0.02
```

Average % change by season

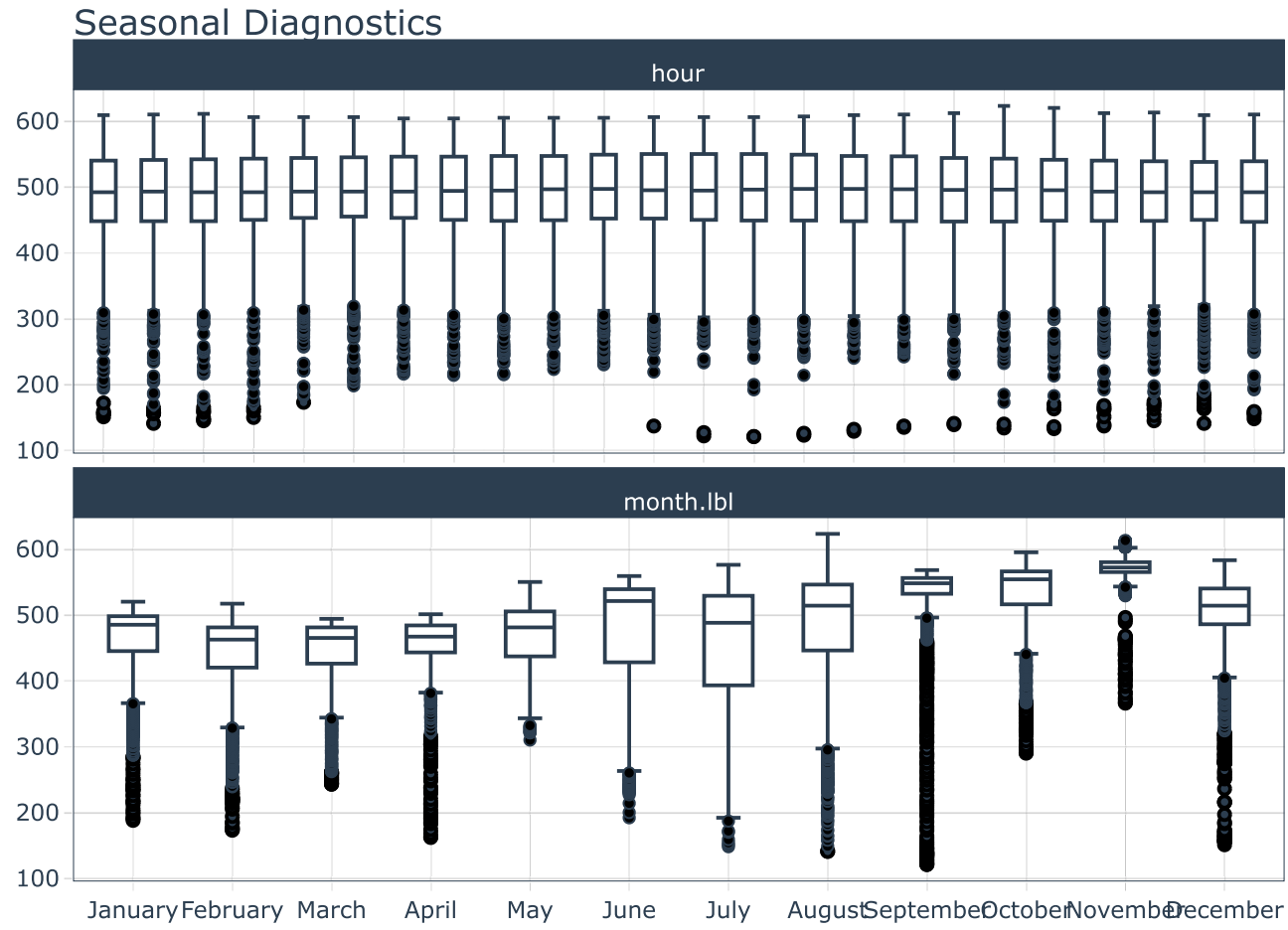
```
percent_change <- function(x) {
  x <- 100*((x - mean(x, na.rm = TRUE))/mean(x, na.rm = TRUE))
}
season_change <- function(y) {transmute(y, datetime, Season,
                   Temp_C = percent_change(Temp_C),
                   SpC = percent_change(SpC),
                   pH = percent_change(pH),
                   DO = percent_change(DO)
                   )}
Winter <- filter(Data, Season == "Winter")
WinterChange <- season_change(Winter)
Spring <- filter(Data, Season == "Spring")
SpringChange <- season_change(Spring)
Summer <- filter(Data, Season == "Summer")
SummerChange <- season_change(Summer)
Fall <- filter(Data, Season == "Fall")
FallChange <- season_change(Fall)
SeasonChange <- bind_rows(WinterChange, SpringChange, SummerChange, FallChange)
describeBy(SeasonChange[textvars], list(SeasonChange$Season))
```

```
##
##  Descriptive statistics by group
## : Fall
##        vars    n mean    sd median trimmed   mad    min   max  range  skew
## Temp_C    1 4228    0 30.66   2.53    0.64 40.40 -62.71 56.31 119.03 -0.15
## SpC       2 4274    0 10.09   3.18    2.01  4.39 -53.51 13.55  67.06 -2.26
## pH        3 4285    0  2.31   0.32    0.07  1.86  -7.20  6.59  13.79 -0.17
## DO        4 4274    0 19.04  -0.59   -1.03 20.84 -41.76 66.69 108.45  0.43
##        kurtosis   se
## Temp_C    -1.25 0.47
## SpC        5.68 0.15
## pH         0.14 0.04
## DO        -0.26 0.29
## ------------------------------------------------------------
## : Spring
##        vars    n mean    sd median trimmed   mad    min   max  range  skew
## Temp_C    1 4212    0 21.06  -6.51   -1.27 22.76 -35.84 53.54  89.38  0.46
## SpC       2 4285    0 11.50   1.57    0.96 10.12 -65.43 19.29  84.72 -1.18
## pH        3 4347    0  2.73   0.02   -0.01  1.85  -9.98  7.53  17.50 -0.07
## DO        4 4313    0 27.76   1.56    0.11 31.29 -63.07 72.78 135.85 -0.07
##        kurtosis   se
## Temp_C    -0.91 0.32
## SpC        2.99 0.18
## pH         0.72 0.04
## DO        -0.70 0.42
## ------------------------------------------------------------
## : Summer
##        vars    n mean    sd median trimmed   mad    min   max  range  skew
## Temp_C    1 4426    0  8.22  -0.28   -0.08  7.69 -24.22 21.65  45.87  0.02
## SpC       2 4477    0 20.58   8.82    3.10 13.52 -74.33 32.15 106.49 -1.20
## pH        3 4467    0  2.54   0.51    0.10  1.86  -9.54  6.79  16.33 -0.43
## DO        4 4441    0 19.23   0.35   -0.62 16.53 -52.61 77.01 129.62  0.45
##        kurtosis   se
## Temp_C     0.11 0.12
## SpC        0.67 0.31
## pH         0.46 0.04
## DO         1.17 0.29
## ------------------------------------------------------------
## : Winter
##        vars    n mean    sd median trimmed   mad    min   max  range  skew
## Temp_C    1 4220    0 18.07  -0.35    0.25 17.62 -54.29 49.02 103.31 -0.21
## SpC       2 4229    0 14.87   5.47    2.79  7.88 -66.54 16.99  83.53 -1.84
## pH        3 4223    0  2.94  -0.36   -0.12  1.85  -6.58  9.61  16.19  0.39
## DO        4 4206    0 10.41  -2.17   -0.97  8.37 -24.74 42.04  66.79  0.88
##        kurtosis   se
## Temp_C     0.33 0.28
## SpC        3.29 0.23
## pH         0.11 0.05
## DO         0.70 0.16
```

Conductivity seasonal diagnostics

```
plot_seasonal_diagnostics(Data, datetime, SpC, .feature_set = c("hour", "month.lbl"), .interacti
ve = TRUE)
```

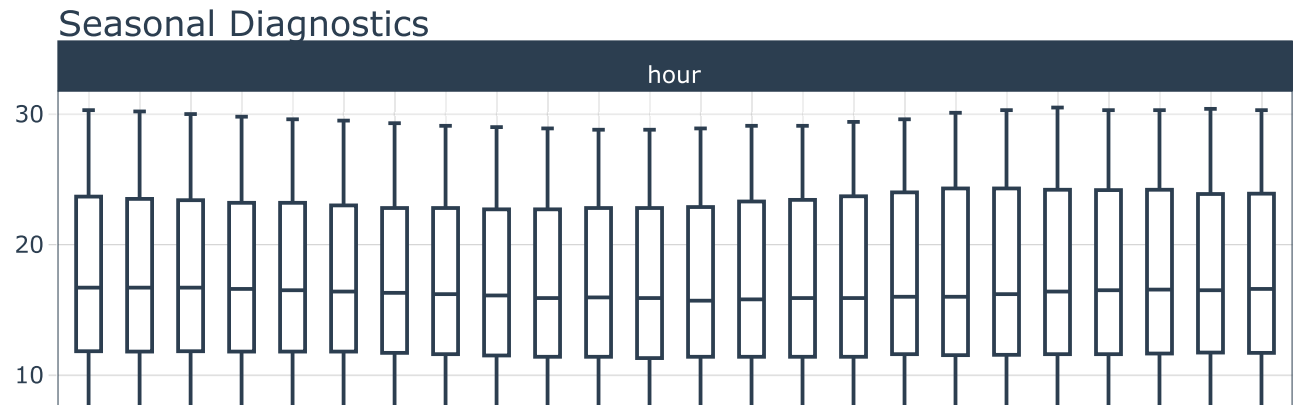
```
## Warning: Removed 484 rows containing non-finite values (stat_boxplot).
```

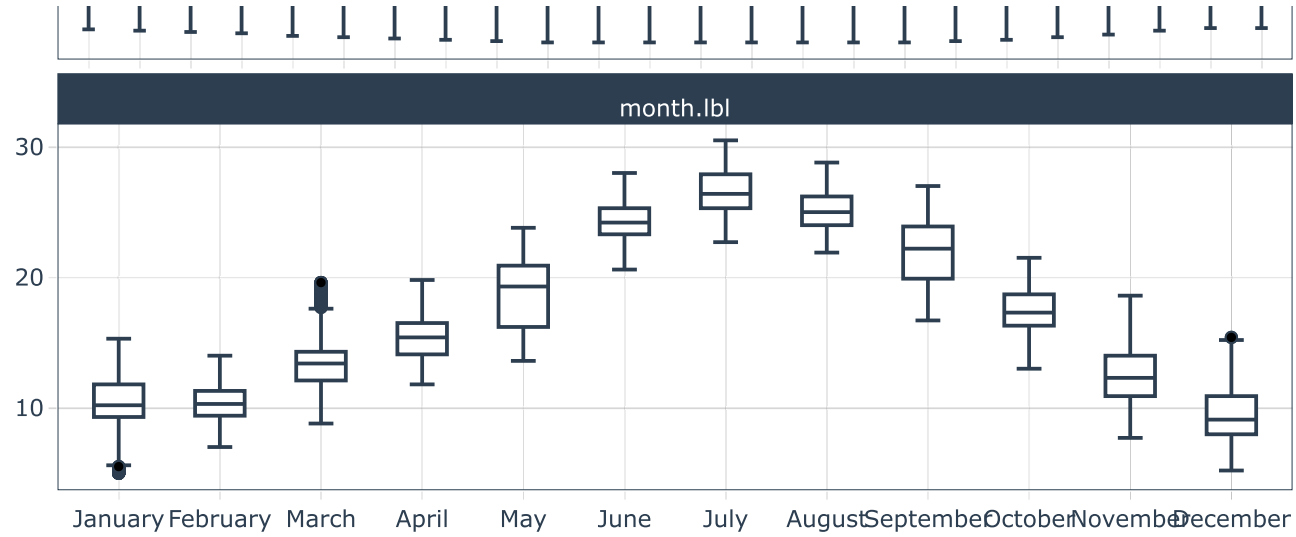


Temp seasonal diagnostics

```
plot_seasonal_diagnostics(Data, datetime, Temp_C, .feature_set = c("hour", "month.lbl"), .intera
ctive = TRUE)
```

```
## Warning: Removed 842 rows containing non-finite values (stat_boxplot).
```

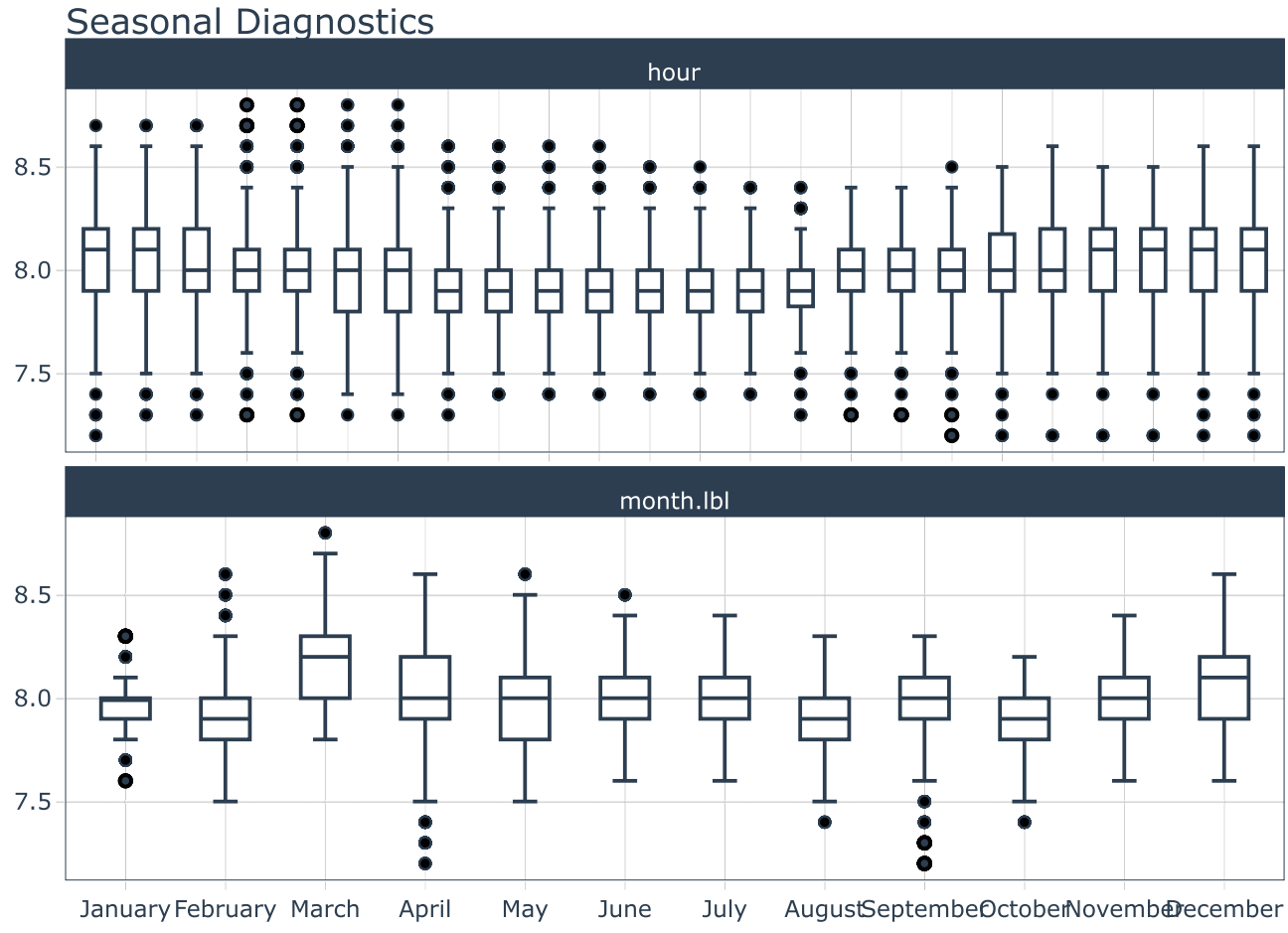




pH seasonal diagnostics

```
plot_seasonal_diagnostics(Data, datetime, pH, .feature_set = c("hour", "month.lbl"), .interactiv
e = TRUE)
```

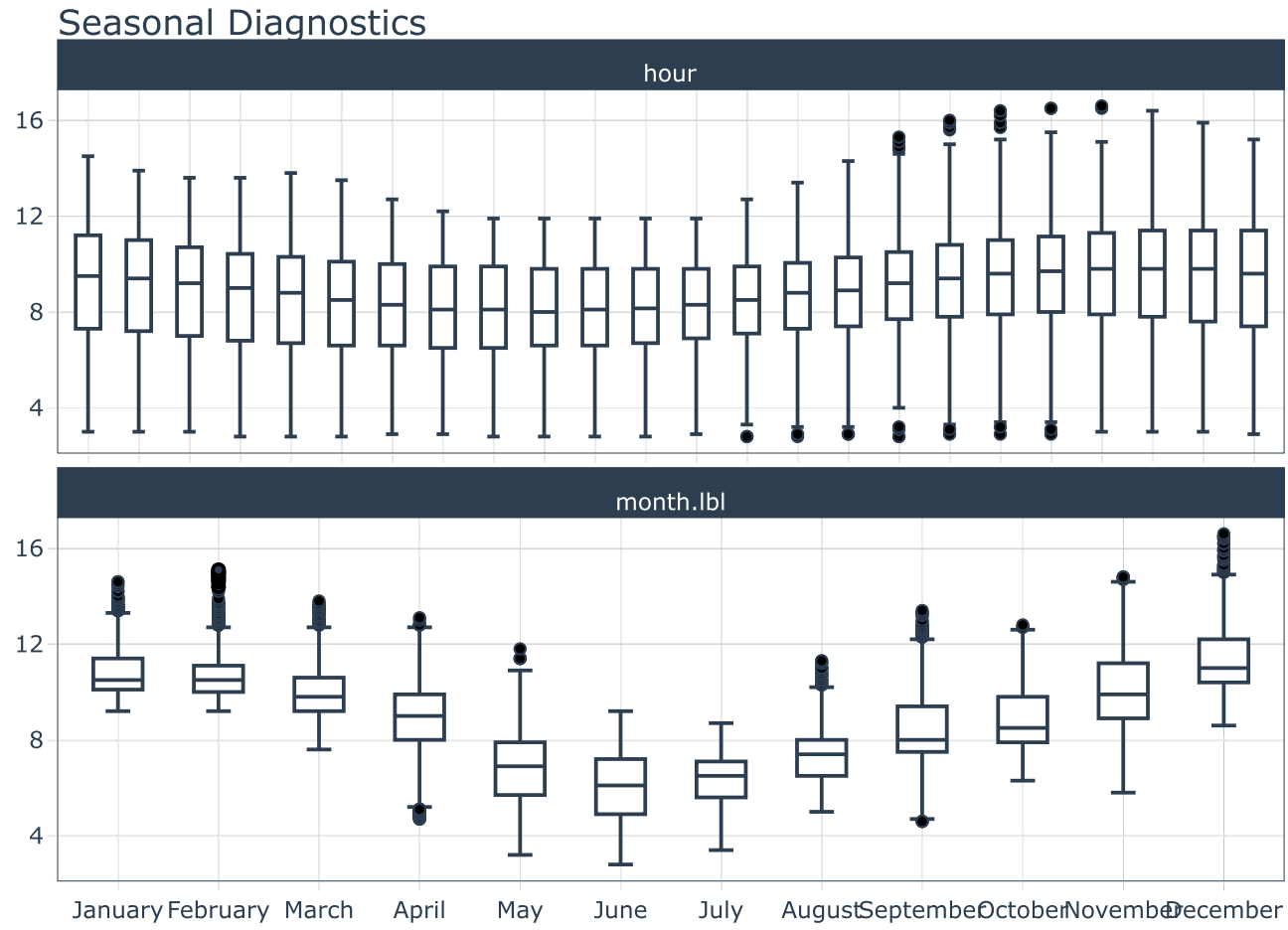
```
## Warning: Removed 370 rows containing non-finite values (stat_boxplot).
```



DO seasonal diagnostics

```
plot_seasonal_diagnostics(Data, datetime, DO, .feature_set = c("hour", "month.lbl"), .interactive = TRUE)
```

```
## Warning: Removed 546 rows containing non-finite values (stat_boxplot).
```




```
sessionInfo()
```

```
## R version 4.0.3 (2020-10-10)
## Platform: x86_64-w64-mingw32/x64 (64-bit)
## Running under: Windows 10 x64 (build 18363)
##
## Matrix products: default
##
## locale:
## [1] LC_COLLATE=English_United States.1252
## [2] LC_CTYPE=English_United States.1252
## [3] LC_MONETARY=English_United States.1252
## [4] LC_NUMERIC=C
## [5] LC_TIME=English_United States.1252
##
## attached base packages:
## [1] stats     graphics  grDevices utils     datasets  methods   base
##
## other attached packages:
##  [1] psych_2.0.12      leaflet_2.0.4.1   timetk_2.6.1      skimr_2.1.3
##  [5] lubridate_1.7.9.2 forcats_0.5.1     stringr_1.4.0     dplyr_1.0.4
##  [9] purrr_0.3.4       readr_1.4.0       tidyr_1.1.2       tibble_3.0.6
## [13] ggplot2_3.3.3     tidyverse_1.3.0   pacman_0.5.1
##
## loaded via a namespace (and not attached):
##  [1] colorspace_2.0-0   ellipsis_0.3.1     class_7.3-17       base64enc_0.1-3
##  [5] fs_1.5.0           rstudioapi_0.13    farver_2.0.3       listenv_0.8.0
##  [9] furrr_0.2.2        dials_0.0.9        prodlim_2019.11.13 xml2_1.3.2
## [13] codetools_0.2-16   splines_4.0.3      mnormt_2.0.2       knitr_1.31
## [17] jsonlite_1.7.2     workflows_0.2.1    pROC_1.17.0.1      broom_0.7.4
## [21] dbplyr_2.1.0       yardstick_0.0.7    tune_0.1.2         compiler_4.0.3
## [25] httr_1.4.2         backports_1.2.1    lazyeval_0.2.2     assertthat_0.2.1
## [29] Matrix_1.2-18      cli_2.3.0          htmltools_0.5.1.1  tools_4.0.3
## [33] gtable_0.3.0       glue_1.4.2         Rcpp_1.0.6         cellranger_1.1.0
## [37] DiceDesign_1.8-1   vctrs_0.3.7        nlme_3.1-149       iterators_1.0.13
## [41] crosstalk_1.1.1    parsnip_0.1.5      timeDate_3043.102  gower_0.2.2
## [45] xfun_0.20          globals_0.14.0     rvest_0.3.6        lifecycle_0.2.0
## [49] future_1.21.0      MASS_7.3-53        zoo_1.8-8          scales_1.1.1
## [53] ipred_0.9-9        hms_1.0.0          parallel_4.0.3     curl_4.3
## [57] yaml_2.2.1         rpart_4.1-15       stringi_1.5.3      highr_0.8
## [61] foreach_1.5.1      lhs_1.1.1          lava_1.6.8.1       repr_1.1.3
## [65] rlang_0.4.10       pkgconfig_2.0.3    rsample_0.0.8      evaluate_0.14
## [69] lattice_0.20-41    labeling_0.4.2     recipes_0.1.15     htmlwidgets_1.5.3
## [73] tidyselect_1.1.0   parallelly_1.23.0  plyr_1.8.6         magrittr_2.0.1
## [77] R6_2.5.0           generics_0.1.0     DBI_1.1.1          pillar_1.4.7
## [81] haven_2.3.1        withr_2.4.1        xts_0.12.1         survival_3.2-7
## [85] nnet_7.3-14        modelr_0.1.8       crayon_1.4.0       plotly_4.9.3
## [89] tmvnsim_1.0-2      rmarkdown_2.6      grid_4.0.3         readxl_1.3.1
## [93] data.table_1.13.6  reprex_1.0.0       digest_0.6.27      GPfit_1.0-8
## [97] munsell_0.5.0      viridisLite_0.3.0
```

```
save.image()
```