

assignment_4.R

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# # =====
# GBA464: Assignment 4
# Author: Yufeng Huang
# Description: write a function that plots crimes
#               incidence in Baltimore city
# Data: Baltimore crime data
# Source: https://data.baltimorecity.gov/
# =====
# DUE: Sunday, Tuesday 12 at 11:59pm
# Send by email to r.programming.simon@gmail.com, one copy per team
# please indicate the set of team members

# clear everything
rm(list = ls())

# libraries
# need to install.packages() these
# let me know if installation does not work
library(maps)
library(maptools)
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## Loading required package: sp
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## Checking rgeos availability: TRUE
## Please note that 'maptools' will be retired by the end of 2023,
## plan transition at your earliest convenience;
## some functionality will be moved to 'sp'.
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library(dplyr)
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## Registered S3 methods overwritten by 'tibble':
##   method      from
##   format.tbl  pillar
##   print.tbl   pillar
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##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
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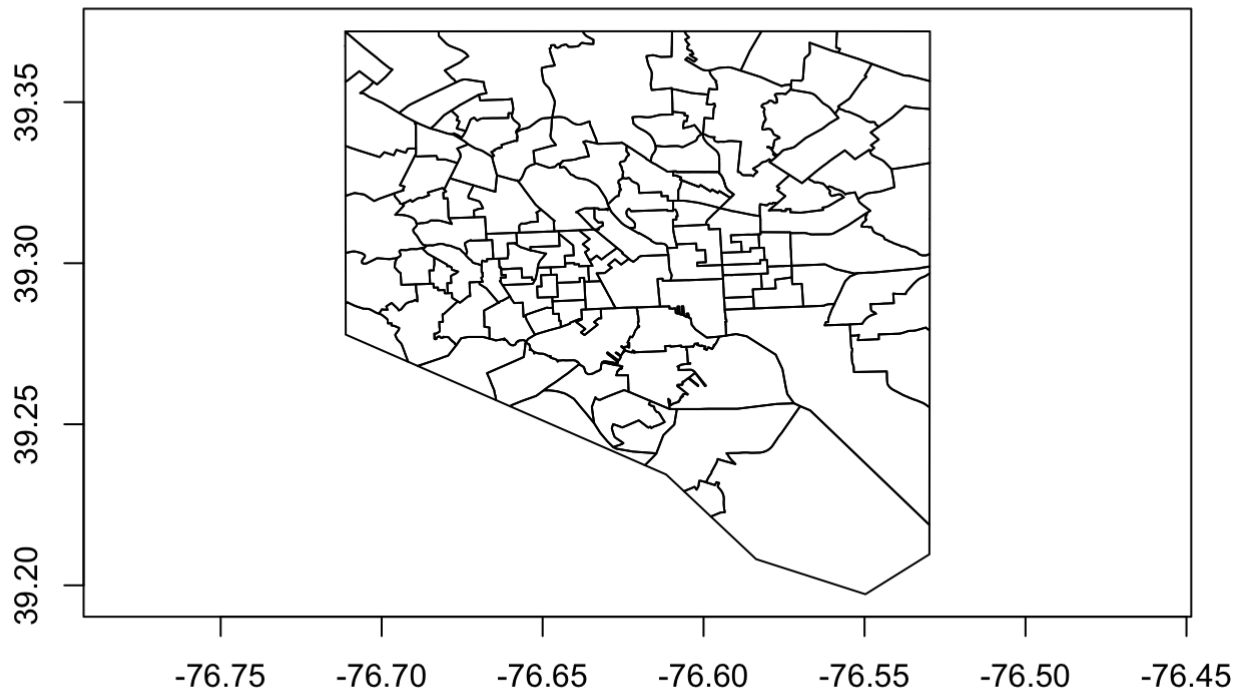
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## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':  
##  
## filter, lag
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## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':  
##  
## intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
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library(ggplot2)  
  
# download, unzip and read the shape file  
url_zip <- 'https://dl.dropboxusercontent.com/s/chyvmlrkkk4jcgb/school_distr.zip'  
if(!file.exists('school_distr.zip')) download.file(url_zip, 'school_distr.zip')      # do  
wnload file as zip  
unzip('school_distr.zip')      # unzip in the default folder  
schdstr_shp <- readShapePoly('school.shp')      # read shape file
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## Warning: readShapePoly is deprecated; use rgdal::readOGR or sf::st_read
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xlim <- schdstr_shp@bbox[1,]  
ylim <- schdstr_shp@bbox[2,]  
  
# example of how to use the shape file  
# if there are no error code reading the above, you can directly plot the map of Balti  
more (lines within are school districts)  
# we'll be overlaying our plots of crime incidents on this map:  
plot(schdstr_shp, axes = T)      # axes = T gives x and y axes
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# ===== now let's follow instructions in the pdf file =====

# download and load the crime csv data
# link is https://dl.dropboxusercontent.com/s/4hg5ffdds9n2nx3/baltimore_crime.csv

df = read.csv("https://dl.dropboxusercontent.com/s/4hg5ffdds9n2nx3/baltimore_crime.csv",
header = TRUE, stringsAsFactors = FALSE)

# transform dates and time variables depending on what you need

date <- as.Date(df$CrimeDate,format = "%m/%d/%Y")
df$month <- as.numeric(format(date, "%m"))
df$day <- as.numeric(format(date, "%d"))
time <- as.POSIXlt(strptime(df$CrimeTime,"%H:%M:%S"))
hour <- as.numeric(format(time, "%H"))
minute <- as.numeric(format(time, "%M"))/60
df$time <- hour + minute
head(df)
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##      CrimeDate CrimeTime CrimeCode      Location      Description  Weapon
## 1 07/16/2016   19:51:00      4A      900 BENNETT PL      AGG. ASSAULT FIREARM
## 2 07/16/2016      1951      9S      900 BENNETT PL      SHOOTING FIREARM
## 3 07/16/2016   20:30:00      6D      6900 MOYER AVE LARCENY FROM AUTO
## 4 07/16/2016   21:00:00      6E ST & S CATHERINE ST      LARCENY
## 5 07/16/2016   22:00:00      7A      0 N PACA ST      AUTO THEFT
## 6 07/16/2016   22:20:00      4E      1100 COOKSIE ST      COMMON ASSAULT  HANDS
##      Post      District      Neighborhood      Location1
## 1   713      WESTERN      Harlem Park (39.2950500000, -76.6325000000)
## 2   713      WESTERN      Harlem Park (39.2950500000, -76.6325000000)
## 3   424 NORTHEASTERN North Harford Road (39.3630100000, -76.5421400000)
## 4   841 SOUTHWESTERN Carrollton Ridge (39.2809000000, -76.6541500000)
## 5   111      CENTRAL      Downtown (39.2893200000, -76.6222400000)
## 6   943      SOUTHERN      Locust Point (39.2728600000, -76.5907400000)
##      TotalIncidents month day      time
## 1              1      7  16 19.85000
## 2              1      7  16      NA
## 3              1      7  16 20.50000
## 4              1      7  16 21.00000
## 5              1      7  16 22.00000
## 6              1      7  16 22.33333
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# split coordinates into longitude and latitude, both as numeric
# note: no for/while/repeat loop, and no substr() function

df$longitude <- gsub(".*|\\s|\\)", "", df$Location1)
df$latitude <- gsub(",\\s.*|\\s|\\(", "", df$Location1)
df <- select(df, c("Location", "District", "CrimeDate", "month", "day", "CrimeTime", "time", "latitude", "longitude", "Description"))
head(df)
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##      Location      District CrimeDate month day CrimeTime      time
## 1   900 BENNETT PL      WESTERN 07/16/2016      7  16 19:51:00 19.85000
## 2   900 BENNETT PL      WESTERN 07/16/2016      7  16      1951      NA
## 3   6900 MOYER AVE NORTHEASTERN 07/16/2016      7  16 20:30:00 20.50000
## 4 ST & S CATHERINE ST SOUTHWESTERN 07/16/2016      7  16 21:00:00 21.00000
## 5      0 N PACA ST      CENTRAL 07/16/2016      7  16 22:00:00 22.00000
## 6   1100 COOKSIE ST      SOUTHERN 07/16/2016      7  16 22:20:00 22.33333
##      latitude      longitude      Description
## 1 39.2950500000 -76.6325000000      AGG. ASSAULT
## 2 39.2950500000 -76.6325000000      SHOOTING
## 3 39.3630100000 -76.5421400000 LARCENY FROM AUTO
## 4 39.2809000000 -76.6541500000      LARCENY
## 5 39.2893200000 -76.6222400000      AUTO THEFT
## 6 39.2728600000 -76.5907400000      COMMON ASSAULT
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# generate geographic and time patterns for crimes with keyword "ASSAULT"
# note: no copy and paste of the same/similar command many times
assult <- grep("ASSAULT", df$Description)
df_assault <- data.frame(df$longitude[assult],df$latitude[assult],df$time[assult])
colnames(df_assault) <- c("longitude","latitude", "time")
head(df_assault)
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##           longitude      latitude      time
## 1 -76.6325000000 39.2950500000 19.850000
## 2 -76.5907400000 39.2728600000 22.333333
## 3 -76.5487500000 39.3271300000 23.666667
## 4 -76.6454700000 39.2837700000  1.250000
## 5 -76.5843400000 39.3008600000  1.666667
## 6                               2.166667
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par(mfrow = c(2,2))
pdf("plot.pdf")
for (i in 0:3) {
  i = i * 6
  u = i + 6
  plot(schdstr_shp, axes = T, main = paste0("hour: ", i, "-", u) )
  points(df_assault$longitude[df_assault$time > i & df_assault$time < u],
         df_assault$latitude[df_assault$time > i & df_assault$time < u],
         pch = 16, cex = 0.5, col=rgb(1,0,0.05,0.1))
  if (i > 24) break
}
dev.off()
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## quartz_off_screen
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