Advent of Code 2022

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Day 1

Puzzle input

- each row is the number of calories in one food item
- each empty row separates the items one elf carries from each other

```
rm(list=ls())
temp <- read.csv("Data day 1.csv", blank.lines.skip = FALSE)</pre>
temp <- temp[, 1]
data <- as.data.frame(matrix(data = NA, 0, 0))</pre>
elf <- 1
item <- 1
for (i in 1:length(temp)) {
  if (is.na(temp[i])) {
    elf <- elf + 1
    item <- 1
  }
  else {
    data[item, elf] <- temp[i]</pre>
    item \leftarrow item + 1
  }
}
data[, 1:6]
```

```
##
        ۷1
             ٧2
                  VЗ
                         ٧4
                               ۷5
                                     ۷6
## 1
      5879 4684 5293
                       1745 18680 7434
      4899 6694 6742 15953
                            3460 7346
                       3781 21833 1116
      6777 5840 4208
## 4
      5845 2705 3218
                               NA 4079
                         NA
                               NA 5013
## 5
      1303 7269 5967
                         NA
## 6
                               NA 4597
      6761 2127 1617
## 7
      1814 4265 5433
                               NA 3730
                         NA
## 8
      6605 3944 2938
                         NA
                               NA 3660
## 9
      4715 1134 6337
                               NA 1595
                         NA
## 10 2264 2623 6694
                         NA
                               NA 4501
## 11 2789 5617 1597
                               NA 5908
                         NA
## 12
        NA 7191 5727
                         NA
                               NA 4847
## 13
        NA
                               NA
             NA 1734
                         NA
                                    NA
## 14
        NA
             NA
                   NA
                         NA
                               NA
                                     NA
## 15
             NA
                               NA
        NA
                  NA
                         NA
                                    NA
```

Problem 1

• max of calories of one elf

```
data[is.na(data)] <- 0
cals_by_elf <- apply(data, 2, sum)
max(cals_by_elf)</pre>
```

```
## [1] 67016
```

Problem 2

• sum of calories of three elves with most calories

```
cals_by_elf <- sort(cals_by_elf, decreasing = TRUE)
sum(head(cals_by_elf, 3))</pre>
```

```
## [1] 200116
```

Day 2

- tournament winner: player with highest total score
- total score by player: sum of all game scores by player
- game score by player: selected shape (1 for Rock, 2 for Paper, 3 for Scissors) + outcome (0 for loss, 3 for draw, and 6 for win; normal rules: Rock > Scissors, Scissors > Paper, Paper > Rock)

Puzzle input

- column 1 is opponent action (A for Rock, B for Paper, C for Scissors)
- column 2 is player action (X for Rock, Y for Paper, Z for Scissors)
- strategy: follow action plan to not win every time, but enough in total

```
rm(list=ls())
data <- read.csv("Data day 2.csv", sep = " ", header = FALSE, col.names = c("opponent_action", "player_
data$opponent_action <- with(data, factor(opponent_action, levels = c("A", "B", "C"), labels = c("Rock"
data$player_action <- with(data, factor(player_action, levels = c("X", "Y", "Z"), labels = c("Rock", "P.
head(data)</pre>
```

```
##
     opponent_action player_action
## 1
                 Rock
                               Paper
## 2
                Paper
                               Paper
## 3
                Paper
                            Scissors
## 4
                Paper
                            Scissors
## 5
                 Rock
                               Paper
## 6
             Scissors
                               Paper
```

```
# rows are player actions, columns are opponent actions, elements are points for player

score <- matrix(data = c(3, 0, 6, 6, 3, 0, 0, 6, 3), nrow = 3, ncol = 3, byrow = TRUE, dimnames = list(
for (i in 1:3) {
    score[i, ] <- score[i, ] + i
}

score</pre>
```

```
## Rock Paper Scissors
## Rock 4 1 7
## Paper 8 5 2
## Scissors 3 9 6
```

Problem 1

• total score if you follow puzzle input strategy

```
for (i in 1:nrow(data)) {
   data$player_score[i] <- score[data$player_action[i], data$opponent_action[i]]
}
head(data)</pre>
```

```
##
     opponent_action player_action player_score
## 1
                Rock
                              Paper
## 2
               Paper
                              Paper
                                                5
## 3
               Paper
                           Scissors
                                                9
                                                9
## 4
                           Scissors
               Paper
## 5
                Rock
                              Paper
                                                8
## 6
                                                2
            Scissors
                              Paper
```

```
sum(data$player_score)
```

```
## [1] 13565
```

Problem 2

• column 2 is win state (X for lose, Y for draw, Z for win)

```
data$win_state <- with(data, factor(player_action, levels = c("Rock", "Paper", "Scissors"), labels = c(
data$player_action <- NULL
data$player_score <- NULL
head(data)</pre>
```

```
## opponent_action win_state
## 1 Rock draw
## 2 Paper draw
## 3 Paper win
```

```
## 4
                Paper
                             win
## 5
                 Rock
                            draw
## 6
             Scissors
                            draw
# rows are opponent actions, columns are win states, elements are points for player
score <- matrix(data = c("Scissors", "Rock", "Paper", "Rock", "Paper", "Scissors", "Paper", "Scissors",</pre>
temp <- factor(score, levels = c("Rock", "Paper", "Scissors"), labels = c("1", "2", "3"))</pre>
temp <- as.numeric(temp)</pre>
score <- matrix(data = temp, nrow = 3, ncol = 3, byrow = TRUE, dimnames = list(c("lose", "draw", "win")</pre>
for (i in 1:3) {
  score[i, ] \leftarrow score[i, ] + 3 * (i - 1)
}
score
##
        Rock Paper Scissors
## lose
           3
                  1
## draw
            4
                  5
                            6
                            7
## win
           8
                  9
  • total score if you follow puzzle input strategy
for (i in 1:nrow(data)) {
  data$player_score[i] <- score[data$win_state[i], data$opponent_action[i]]</pre>
}
head(data)
##
     opponent_action win_state player_score
## 1
                Rock
                            draw
## 2
                Paper
                            draw
                                             5
## 3
                Paper
                             win
                                             9
                Paper
## 4
                             win
                                             9
                                             4
## 5
                 Rock
                            draw
## 6
             Scissors
                            draw
sum(data$player_score)
```

[1] 12424