PA1 template

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1. Code for reading in the dataset and/or processing the data

daily_steps<-ddply(activity,~date,summarise,sum=sum(steps))</pre>

hist(daily_steps\$sum,

```
setwd("C:/Users/Mike/Desktop/R_programming_2/Reproducible_research")
activity<-read.csv("activity.csv")</pre>
head(activity)
##
                 date interval
     steps
## 1
        NA 2012-10-01
## 2
        NA 2012-10-01
                             5
## 3
        NA 2012-10-01
                             10
## 4
        NA 2012-10-01
                             15
## 5
        NA 2012-10-01
                             20
## 6
        NA 2012-10-01
                             25
str(activity)
## 'data.frame':
                    17568 obs. of 3 variables:
## $ steps : int NA ...
   $ date : Factor w/ 61 levels "2012-10-01","2012-10-02",..: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ interval: int 0 5 10 15 20 25 30 35 40 45 ...
#convert date to a date format
activity$date<-as.Date(activity$date, as.character('%Y-%m-%d'))</pre>
  2. Histogram of the total number of steps taken each day
library(plyr)
```

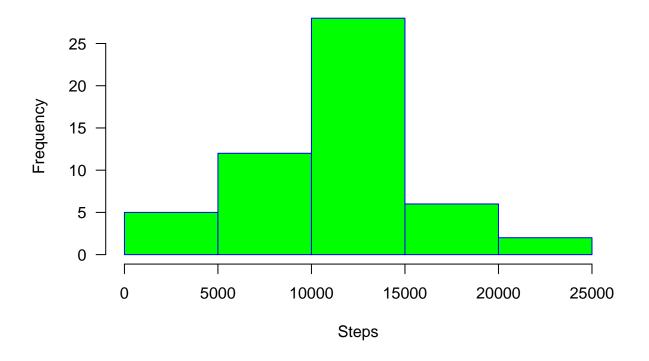
main="Histogram for Daily Steps",

xlab="Steps",

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Histogram for Daily Steps



3. Mean and median number of steps taken each day

```
mean_daily_steps<-mean(daily_steps$sum, na.rm = TRUE)
mean_daily_steps

## [1] 10766.19

median_daily_steps<-median(daily_steps$sum, na.rm = TRUE)
median_daily_steps</pre>
```

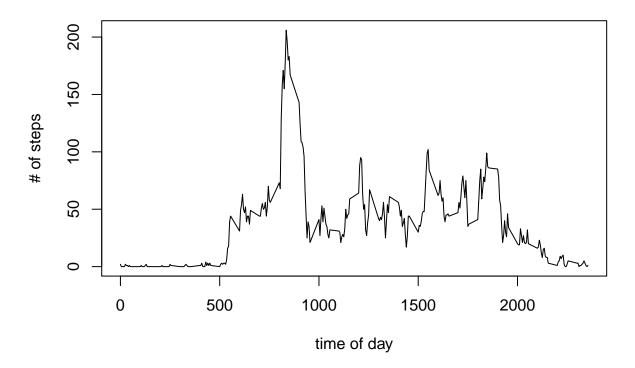
[1] 10765

4. Time series plot of the average number of steps taken

```
interval_steps<-ddply(activity,~interval,summarise,step_mean=mean(steps, na.rm = TRUE))
interval_steps$step_mean<-round(interval_steps$step_mean, 0)

plot(interval_steps$interval, interval_steps$step_mean, type = 'l', main = "Average steps per interval"</pre>
```

Average steps per interval



5. The 5-minute interval that, on average, contains the maximum number of steps

```
max_interval<-max(interval_steps$step_mean)
subset(interval_steps, step_mean == max_interval)</pre>
```

```
## interval step_mean
## 104 835 206
```

6. Code to describe and show a strategy for imputing missing data

```
# number of missing data
sum(is.na(activity))
```

[1] 2304

```
# fill in missing values
head(interval_steps)
```

```
##
     interval step_mean
## 1
             0
             5
                        0
## 2
## 3
            10
                        0
            15
## 4
                        0
            20
                        0
            25
                        2
## 6
```

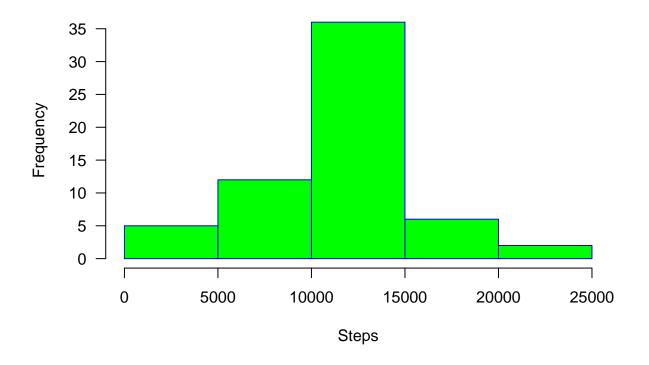
```
merge_steps<-merge(activity, interval_steps, by ="interval")</pre>
merge_steps<-merge_steps[order(merge_steps$date),]</pre>
missing<-subset(merge_steps, is.na(steps))</pre>
missing$steps<-0
non_missing<-subset(merge_steps, steps>=0)
for (i in 1:2304){
      missing[i,2]<-missing[i,4]
}
new_data<-rbind(missing, non_missing)</pre>
new_data<-new_data[order(new_data$date),]</pre>
# re-calculated steps each data with missing data filled in as 5 minute
# interval average
new_daily_steps<-ddply(new_data,~date,summarise,sum=sum(steps))</pre>
#mean
mean(new_daily_steps$sum)
## [1] 10765.64
median(new_daily_steps$sum)
## [1] 10762
```

7. Histogram of the total number of steps taken each day after missing values are imputed

```
#histogram
hist(new_daily_steps$sum,
                             main="Histogram for Daily Steps with missing data filled in",
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xlab="S

Histogram for Daily Steps with missing data filled in



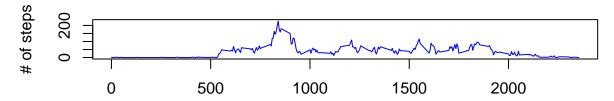
8. Panel plot comparing the average number of steps taken per 5-minute interval across weekdays and weekends

library(lubridate)

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##
## Attaching package: 'lubridate'
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:plyr':
##
##
       here
weekdays1 <- c('Monday', 'Tuesday', 'Wednesday', 'Thursday', 'Friday')</pre>
new_data$wDay <- factor((weekdays(new_daily_steps$date) %in% weekdays1),</pre>
         levels=c(FALSE, TRUE), labels=c('weekend', 'weekday'))
weekday_steps<-subset(new_data, wDay == "weekday")</pre>
weekend_steps<-subset(new_data, wDay == "weekend")</pre>
wday_int_steps<-ddply(weekday_steps,~interval,summarise,step_mean=mean(steps, na.rm = TRUE))</pre>
wday_int_steps$step_mean<-round(wday_int_steps$step_mean, 0)</pre>
wend_int_steps<-ddply(weekend_steps,~interval,summarise,step_mean=mean(steps, na.rm = TRUE))</pre>
wend_int_steps$step_mean<-round(wend_int_steps$step_mean, 0)</pre>
```

```
par(mfrow=c(2,1))
plot(wday_int_steps$interval, wday_int_steps$step, type = 'l', main = "Average steps per interval - Weel
plot(wend_int_steps$interval, wend_int_steps$step, type = 'l', main = "Average steps per interval - Weel
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Average steps per interval – Week Day



Average steps per interval – Week Day

