678midterm

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This is just a draft, will modify and polish after get some feedback

Read & Clean Data

```
setwd("/Users/CindyWang/Desktop/678/midterm_project")
flights <- read.csv("flights.csv")</pre>
weather <- read.csv("weather.csv")</pre>
airlines <- read.csv("airlines.csv")</pre>
flights2 <- read.csv("flights2.csv")</pre>
weather2 <- read.csv("weather2.csv")</pre>
rank <- read.csv("rank.csv")</pre>
library(dplyr)
##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##
       filter, lag
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
       intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
##
train weather <- weather %>%
  dplyr::select(NAME,DATE,WT01,WT02,WT03,WT05,WT08,SNOW,AWND,TAVG,PRCP) %>%
  filter(NAME=="ATLANTA HARTSFIELD INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, GA US") %>%
  mutate(DAY_OF_MONTH = 1:31)
train_weather[is.na(train_weather)] <- 0</pre>
test weather <- weather2 %>%
  dplyr::select(NAME,DATE,WT01,WT02,WT03,WT05,WT08,SNOW,AWND,TAVG,PRCP) %>%
  filter(NAME=="ATLANTA HARTSFIELD INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, GA US") %>%
  mutate(DAY_OF_MONTH = 1:31)
test_weather[is.na(test_weather)] <- 0</pre>
#TRAIN
##join "flights" and "weather"
flights$X <- NULL
train <- inner_join(flights, train_weather, by="DAY_OF_MONTH")</pre>
##join "train" and "airlines" -> train
names(airlines)[names(airlines) == "Code"] <- "OP_UNIQUE_CARRIER"</pre>
train <- inner_join(train,airlines,by="OP_UNIQUE_CARRIER")</pre>
```

```
##join "train" and "rank"
names(rank) [names(rank) == "Code"] <- "OP_UNIQUE_CARRIER"</pre>
rank <- rank %>% dplyr::select(OP UNIQUE CARRIER,Rank)
train <- inner join(train,rank,by="OP UNIQUE CARRIER")</pre>
##change the data class of the filtered data to enable data processing and running algorithms
train$DAY_OF_MONTH <- as.factor(train$DAY_OF_MONTH)</pre>
train$DAY_OF_WEEK <- as.factor(train$DAY_OF_WEEK)</pre>
# train$DEP_TIME_BLK <- as.factor(train$DEP_TIME_BLK)</pre>
train$ORIGIN <- as.character(train$ORIGIN)</pre>
train$DEST_STATE_ABR <- as.character(train$DEST_STATE_ABR)</pre>
#TEST
##join "flights2" and "weather2"
flights2$X <- NULL
test <- inner_join(flights2,test_weather,by="DAY_OF_MONTH")</pre>
##join "test" and "airlines" -> test
names(airlines) [names(airlines) == "Code"] <- "OP_UNIQUE_CARRIER"</pre>
test <- inner_join(test,airlines,by="OP_UNIQUE_CARRIER")</pre>
##join "train" and "rank"
test <- inner_join(test,rank,by="OP_UNIQUE_CARRIER")</pre>
##change the data class of the filtered data to enable data processing and running algorithms
test$DAY OF MONTH <- as.factor(test$DAY OF MONTH)</pre>
test$DAY_OF_WEEK <- as.factor(test$DAY_OF_WEEK)</pre>
# train$DEP_TIME_BLK <- as.factor(train$DEP_TIME_BLK)</pre>
test$ORIGIN <- as.character(test$ORIGIN)</pre>
test$DEST_STATE_ABR <- as.character(test$DEST_STATE_ABR)</pre>
##Clean "train"
train$YEAR <- NULL</pre>
train$DEP_DELAY_NEW <- NULL</pre>
train$ARR DELAY NEW <- NULL
train$MONTH <- NULL</pre>
train$TAXI_IN <- NULL</pre>
train$TAXI OUT <- NULL</pre>
train$WHEELS ON <- NULL</pre>
train$WHEELS OFF <- NULL
train$CANCELLED <- NULL</pre>
##Clean "test"
test$YEAR <- NULL
test$DEP_DELAY_NEW <- NULL</pre>
test$ARR_DELAY_NEW <- NULL
test$MONTH <- NULL</pre>
test$TAXI_IN <- NULL</pre>
test$TAXI_OUT <- NULL</pre>
test$WHEELS ON <- NULL
test$WHEELS_OFF <- NULL</pre>
test$CANCELLED <- NULL
```

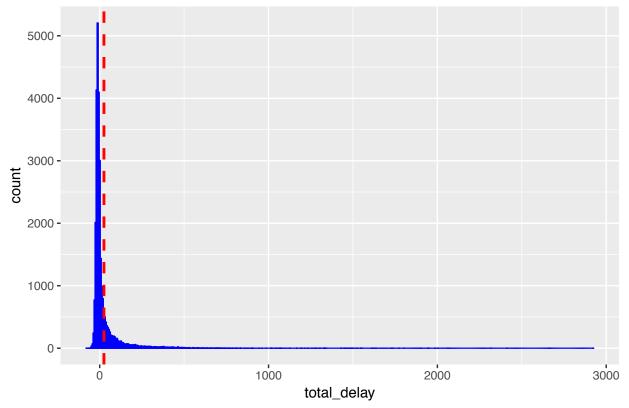
```
train <- train %>%
  filter(ORIGIN=="ATL") %>%
  mutate(total_delay=DEP_DELAY+ARR_DELAY) %>%
  na.omit()

test <- test %>%
  filter(ORIGIN=="ATL") %>%
  mutate(total_delay=DEP_DELAY+ARR_DELAY) %>%
  na.omit()
```

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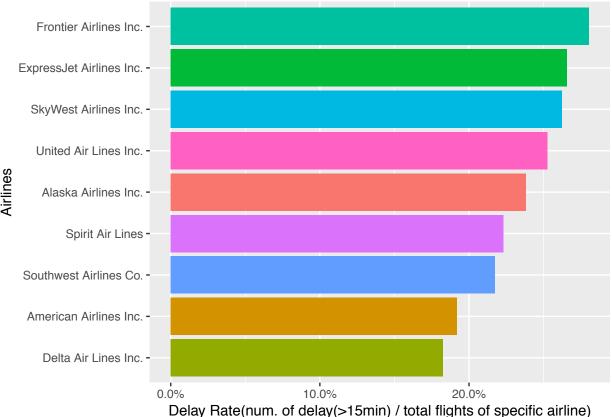
1. This figure shows that the distribution of the outcome is right skewed, it has long tail in the high values. And we can see from the plot that most of flights are delay less than 25min but there are some outliers (flight delay alomost 3000min).

Distribution of total delay



mean(train\$total_delay)

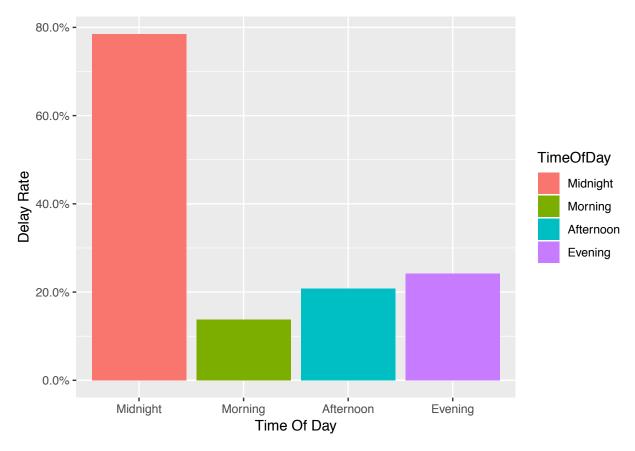
```
## [1] 25.10688
# train$delay_pos<-train$total_delay</pre>
# train$delay_pos[train$total_delay<=0]<-0</pre>
geom_point(alpha=0.1) +
  labs(title="Distribution of total delay") +
#
# qeom smooth(method="lm",se=FALSE)+ theme(legend.position="none")+
#
  theme_gray()
# geom_vline(aes(xintercept=mean(total_delay)),
             color="red", linetype="dashed", size=1) +
# library(qqplot2)
\# ggplot(data = train[train$total_delay>0,], aes(x=(total_delay/60)^(-1/5))) +
   geom_histogram(color="blue", bins = 500) +
   geom_vline(aes(xintercept=mean(total_delay)),
             color="red", linetype="dashed", size=1) +
  labs(title="Distribution of total delay")
carrier_count <- train %>%
 dplyr::select(Description, ARR_DEL15) %>%
 group_by(Description) %>%
 summarise(total=n(),delay=sum(ARR_DEL15==1),percentage=(delay/total))
carrier bar <- ggplot(carrier count,aes(x=reorder(Description,percentage),</pre>
                                     y=percentage,fill=Description)) +
 geom bar(stat="identity") +
 xlab("Airlines") +
 ylab("Delay Rate(num. of delay(>15min) / total flights of specific airline)") +
 scale_y_continuous(labels = scales::percent) +
 coord flip() +
 theme_gray() +
 theme(legend.position="none")
carrier_bar
```



Delay Rate(num. of delay(>15min) / total flights of specific airline)

```
train <- train %>%
  mutate(TimeOfDay = cut(DEP_TIME, c(0, 600, 1200, 1800, 2400),
                     labels = c("Midnight", "Morning", "Afternoon", "Evening"), right = TRUE))
timeofday_count <- train %>%
  dplyr::select(TimeOfDay,ARR_DEL15) %>%
  group_by(TimeOfDay) %>%
  summarise(total=n(),delay=sum(ARR_DEL15==1),percentage=(delay/total))
timeofday_bar <- ggplot(timeofday_count,aes(x=TimeOfDay,y=percentage,fill=TimeOfDay)) +</pre>
  geom_bar(stat="identity") +
  xlab("Time Of Day") +
  ylab("Delay Rate") +
  scale_y_continuous(labels = scales::percent) +
  theme_gray()
timeofday_bar
```

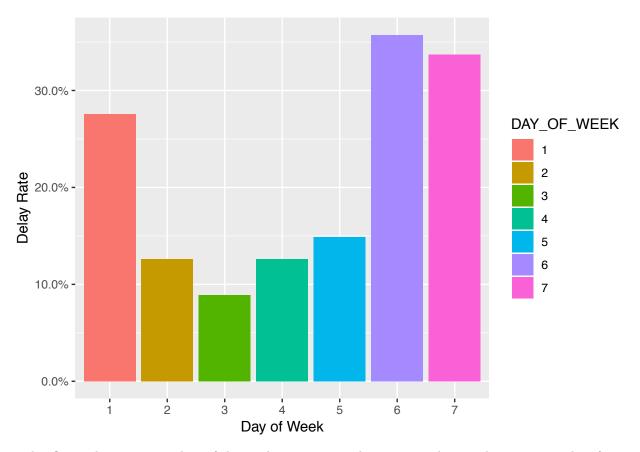
3.



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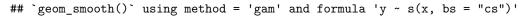
```
dayofweek_count <- train %>%
  dplyr::select(DAY_OF_WEEK,ARR_DEL15) %>%
  group_by(DAY_OF_WEEK) %>%
  summarise(total=n(),delay=sum(ARR_DEL15==1),percentage=(delay/total))

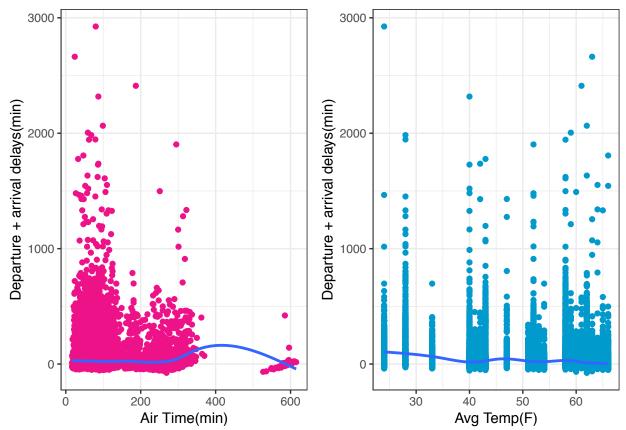
dayofweek_bar <- ggplot(dayofweek_count,aes(x=DAY_OF_WEEK,y=percentage,fill=DAY_OF_WEEK)) +
  geom_bar(stat="identity") +
  xlab("Day of Week") +
  ylab("Delay Rate") +
  scale_y_continuous(labels = scales::percent) +
  theme_gray()
dayofweek_bar</pre>
```



5. This figure shows scatter plots of the predictors against the outcome along with a regression line from a flexible "smoother" model. According to these two figures, we can assume that the relationship between the predictors and the outcome is linear.

```
library(cowplot) #Arranging plots in a grid
##
## Attaching package: 'cowplot'
## The following object is masked from 'package:ggplot2':
##
##
       ggsave
fig1 <- ggplot(data=train, aes(x = AIR_TIME, y = total_delay)) +</pre>
  geom_point(color ="deeppink2")+
  geom_smooth(se=F)+
  labs( x="Air Time(min)", y="Departure + arrival delays(min)")+
  theme_bw()
fig2 <- ggplot(data=train, aes(x = TAVG, y = total_delay)) +</pre>
  geom_point(color ="deepskyblue3")+
  geom_smooth(se=F)+
 labs( x="Avg Temp(F)", y="Departure + arrival delays(min)")+
  theme_bw()
plot_grid(fig1, fig2)
## `geom_smooth()` using method = 'gam' and formula 'y ~ s(x, bs = "cs")'
```



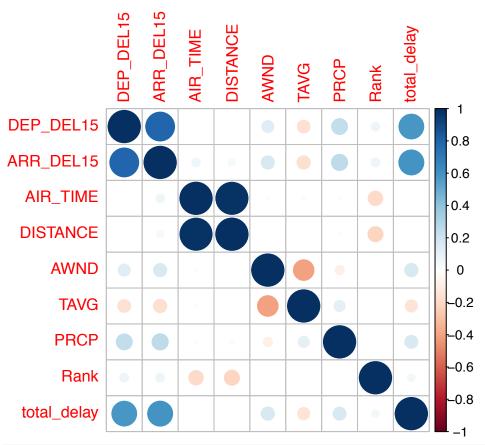


6. correlation

```
train$WT01 <- as.factor(train$WT01)</pre>
train$WT02 <- as.factor(train$WT02)</pre>
train$WT03 <- as.factor(train$WT03)</pre>
train$WT05 <- as.factor(train$WT05)</pre>
train$WT08 <- as.factor(train$WT08)</pre>
train$SNOW <- as.numeric(train$SNOW)</pre>
data.num <- Filter(is.numeric, train)</pre>
data.num$DEP_TIME <- NULL</pre>
data.num$DEP_DELAY <- NULL</pre>
data.num$DEP_DELAY_GROUP <- NULL</pre>
data.num$ARR_TIME <- NULL</pre>
data.num$ARR_DELAY <- NULL</pre>
data.num$ARR DELAY GROUP <- NULL
data.num$SNOW <- NULL</pre>
correlations <- cor(data.num)</pre>
# dim(correlations)
# print(correlations)
library(corrplot)
```

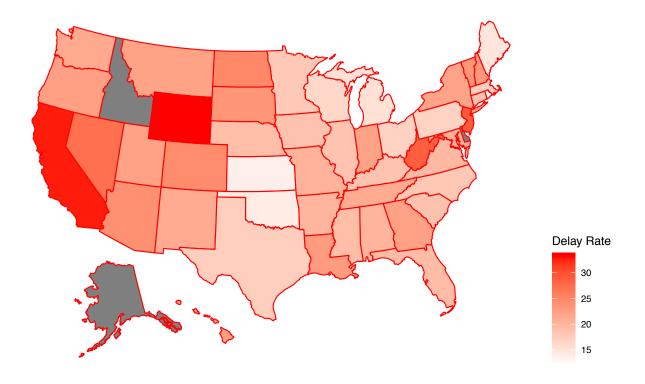
corrplot 0.84 loaded

```
corrplot(correlations,method="circle")
```



##The variables "DEP_DEL15" and "AIR_TIME" are highly correlated with others predictors. # $train <- train \%>\% select(-DEP_DEL15, -AIR_TIME)$

7.U.S heat map



Feature Selection

```
# str(train)
##change the data class of the filtered data to enable data processing and running algorithms
train$0P_UNIQUE_CARRIER <- as.factor(train$0P_UNIQUE_CARRIER)</pre>
train$DEST_STATE_ABR <- as.factor(train$DEST_STATE_ABR)</pre>
train$ARR DEL15 <- as.factor(train$ARR DEL15)</pre>
train$WT01 <- as.factor(train$WT01)</pre>
train$WT02 <- as.factor(train$WT02)</pre>
train$WT05 <- as.factor(train$WT05)</pre>
train$WT08 <- as.factor(train$WT08)</pre>
train$DEST <- as.factor(train$DEST)</pre>
train$Rank <- as.factor(train$Rank)</pre>
##Clean
train$ORIGIN <- NULL</pre>
train$ORIGIN_CITY_NAME <- NULL</pre>
train$ORIGIN_STATE_ABR <- NULL</pre>
train$DEST_CITY_NAME <- NULL</pre>
train$DEP_TIME <- NULL</pre>
train$ARR_TIME <- NULL</pre>
train$NAME <- NULL</pre>
train$DATE <- NULL</pre>
train$Description <- NULL</pre>
train$WT03 <- NULL</pre>
train$WT05 <- NULL</pre>
train$WT08 <- NULL</pre>
train$DEP_DELAY_GROUP <- NULL</pre>
train$ARR_DELAY_GROUP <- NULL</pre>
```

```
train$DEST <- NULL</pre>
# str(train)
#try 1(keep)
# library(Boruta)
# boruta_output <- Boruta(total_delay~., data = train, doTrace = 2)
# boruta signif <- names(boruta output$finalDecision[boruta output$finalDecision %in% c("Confirmed", "T
# print(boruta signif)
# plot(boruta_output, cex.axis=.5, las=2, xlab="", main="Variable Importance")
## Boruta performed 99 iterations in 6.7969 mins.
## 16 attributes confirmed important: AIR_TIME, ARR_DEL15, ARR_DELAY, AWND, DAY_OF_MONTH and 11 more;
## 2 attributes confirmed unimportant: DEST_STATE_ABR, SNOW;
## 1 tentative attributes left: WT03;
# train <- train %>% select(-DEST_STATE_ABR,-SNOW,-DEP_DELAY,-ARR_DELAY)
train <- train %>% dplyr::select(-DEST_STATE_ABR,-SNOW)
# #try 2
# base.mod <- lm(total_delay ~ 1 , data= train) # base intercept only model
# all.mod <- lm(total_delay \sim . , data= train) # full model with all predictors
# stepMod <- step(base.mod, scope = list(lower = base.mod, upper = all.mod), direction = "forward", tra
\# shortlistedVars <- names(unlist(stepMod[[1]])) \# get the shortlisted variable.
# shortlistedVars <- shortlistedVars[!shortlistedVars %in% "(Intercept)"] # remove intercept
# print(shortlistedVars)
# #try 3
# library(randomForest)
# str(train)
# rf=randomForest(total_delay ~ . , data = train)
```

test sample

Model

Loading required package: Matrix

```
# str(train)
# ## linear model
# m1 <- lm(total_delay ~ DAY_OF_MONTH + DAY_OF_WEEK + OP_UNIQUE_CARRIER + DEP_DEL15 + ARR_DEL15 +
             AIR_TIME + WT01 + WT02 + AWND + TAVG + PRCP +
             Rank + TimeOfDay, data = train)
# summary(m1)
# plot(m1, which = 1)
# par(mfrow=c(2,3))
# plot(m1, which = 1:6)
# ## multilevel model
# library(lme4)
# m2 <- lmer(scale(total_delay) ~ DAY_OF_MONTH + DAY_OF_WEEK + DEP_DEL15 + ARR_DEL15 +AIR_TIME + DISTAN
# summary(m2)
##logistic model
library(car)
## Loading required package: carData
##
## Attaching package: 'car'
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
##
       recode
library(lme4)
```

```
m3 <- glmer(ARR_DEL15 ~ DAY_OF_MONTH + (1|OP_UNIQUE_CARRIER) + WTO1 + WTO2 + AWND + TAVG + PRCP +
          DAY_OF_WEEK + TimeOfDay + DISTANCE, data = train, family = binomial(link = "logit"))
summary(m3)
## Generalized linear mixed model fit by maximum likelihood (Laplace
    Approximation) [glmerMod]
## Family: binomial (logit)
## Formula:
## ARR_DEL15 ~ DAY_OF_MONTH + (1 | OP_UNIQUE_CARRIER) + WTO1 + WTO2 +
##
      AWND + TAVG + PRCP + DAY OF WEEK + TimeOfDay + DISTANCE
##
     Data: train
##
       AIC
##
                BIC
                      logLik deviance df.resid
##
   24491.3 24640.5 -12227.7 24455.3
                                         29399
##
## Scaled residuals:
##
                               ЗQ
      Min
               1Q Median
  -5.0855 -0.4547 -0.3179 -0.2025 7.7204
##
## Random effects:
## Groups
                     Name
                                 Variance Std.Dev.
## OP UNIQUE CARRIER (Intercept) 0.07527 0.2744
## Number of obs: 29417, groups: OP_UNIQUE_CARRIER, 9
## Fixed effects:
                       Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
##
## (Intercept)
                      8.898e-01 2.332e-01 3.815 0.000136 ***
## DAY OF MONTH
                     -3.610e-02 2.896e-03 -12.464 < 2e-16 ***
## WT011
                      1.606e-01 6.726e-02
                                            2.387 0.016990 *
## WT021
                      9.443e-02 8.228e-02
                                            1.148 0.251088
## AWND
                      1.442e-01 8.281e-03 17.410 < 2e-16 ***
## TAVG
                     -1.377e-02 2.957e-03 -4.659 3.18e-06 ***
## PRCP
                      5.917e-01 3.785e-02 15.634 < 2e-16 ***
## DAY_OF_WEEK2
                     -5.129e-01 6.316e-02 -8.120 4.65e-16 ***
## DAY_OF_WEEK3
                     -9.772e-01 9.631e-02 -10.147 < 2e-16 ***
## DAY_OF_WEEK4
                     -3.740e-01 6.443e-02 -5.805 6.42e-09 ***
## DAY_OF_WEEK5
                     -4.339e-01 6.218e-02 -6.977 3.01e-12 ***
## DAY OF WEEK6
                      1.705e-01 6.162e-02
                                            2.767 0.005653 **
## DAY OF WEEK7
                      3.713e-01 5.788e-02
                                            6.414 1.42e-10 ***
## TimeOfDayMorning
                    -3.063e+00 1.410e-01 -21.714 < 2e-16 ***
## TimeOfDayAfternoon -2.506e+00 1.393e-01 -17.990 < 2e-16 ***
## TimeOfDayEvening
                     -2.329e+00 1.398e-01 -16.658 < 2e-16 ***
## DISTANCE
                      4.388e-04 3.453e-05 12.710 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Correlation matrix not shown by default, as p = 17 > 12.
## Use print(x, correlation=TRUE) or
      vcov(x)
##
                     if you need it
## convergence code: 0
## Model failed to converge with max|grad| = 0.0519894 (tol = 0.001, component 1)
## Model is nearly unidentifiable: very large eigenvalue
## - Rescale variables?
```

```
## Model is nearly unidentifiable: large eigenvalue ratio
## - Rescale variables?
# marqinalModelPlots(m3)
m3.predict <- predict(m3, test,type="response")</pre>
m3.predict <- ifelse(m3.predict > 0.5,1,0)
head(m3.predict)
## 1 2 3 4 5 6
## 0 0 0 0 1 0
m3.predict <- as.factor(m3.predict)</pre>
compare <- data.frame(obs = test$ARR_DEL15, pred = m3.predict)</pre>
library(caret)
## Loading required package: lattice
confusionMatrix(m3.predict, test$ARR_DEL15)
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
##
             Reference
## Prediction
                  0
                         1
            0 21585 3952
##
            1 1164
                      425
##
##
                  Accuracy : 0.8114
                    95% CI : (0.8067, 0.816)
##
##
       No Information Rate: 0.8386
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 1
##
##
##
                     Kappa: 0.0618
##
    Mcnemar's Test P-Value : <2e-16
##
##
               Sensitivity: 0.9488
##
               Specificity: 0.0971
##
            Pos Pred Value: 0.8452
            Neg Pred Value: 0.2675
##
##
                Prevalence: 0.8386
            Detection Rate: 0.7957
##
##
      Detection Prevalence: 0.9414
##
         Balanced Accuracy: 0.5230
##
          'Positive' Class : 0
##
#Accuracy:81.14%
library(arm)
## Loading required package: MASS
##
## Attaching package: 'MASS'
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
```

```
##
##
       select
##
## arm (Version 1.10-1, built: 2018-4-12)
## Working directory is /Users/CindyWang/Desktop/678/midterm_project
##
## Attaching package: 'arm'
## The following object is masked from 'package:car':
##
##
       logit
## The following object is masked from 'package:corrplot':
##
##
       corrplot
binnedplot(fitted(m3),residuals(m3,type="response"))
```

Binned residual plot

