# Group Assignment: Predictive Econometrics

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### 1.

Observations: 1'204

Covariates: 7

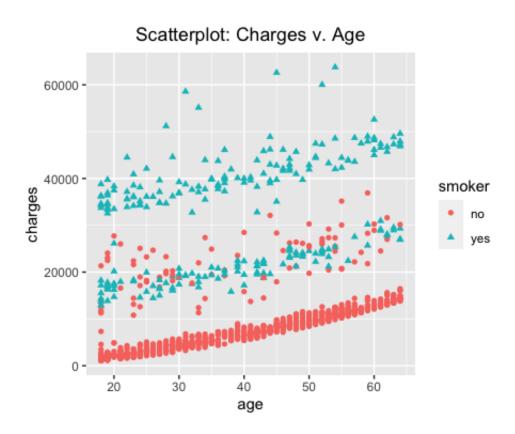
### 2.

Highest number of children on one insurance: 5

#### 3.

The region northwest has the lowest share of smokers with 16.897%.

## 4.



On average, smokers have higher charges than non-smokers, most likely from higher health risks associated with smoking (e.g. lung cancer). Furthermore, insurance charges increase with age (for non-smokers and smokers), which seems intuitive as health complications increase with age.