Univariate Graphical Exploratory Data Analysis

1. Measures of Central Tendency

Before embarking on developing statistical models and generating predictions, it is essential to understand our data. This is typically done using conventional numerical and graphical methods.

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## Example
# We will be using the hills dataset in this section, this dataset contains information on hill climbs
library(MASS)
## Warning: package 'MASS' was built under R version 4.0.5
head(hills)
                dist climb
                            time
## Greenmantle
                2.5
                     650 16.083
## Carnethy
                6.0 2500 48.350
## Craig Dunain 6.0
                     900 33.650
## Ben Rha
                7.5
                      800 45.600
## Ben Lomond
                8.0 3070 62.267
## Goatfell
                8.0 2866 73.217
# Question: Find the mean of the distance covered by the athletes and assigning the mean to the variabl
athletes.dist.mean <- mean(hills$dist)
athletes.dist.mean
Mean Code Example 1.1
## [1] 7.528571
# Question: Find the median which is the middle most value of the distance covered dist
athletes.dist.median <- median(hills$dist)
athletes.dist.median
Median Code Example 1.2
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# Question: Find the mode which is the value that has highest number of occurrences in a set of data.
\# Unfotunately, R does not have a standard in-built function to calculate mode so we have to build one
# We create the mode function that will perform our mode operation for us
getmode <- function(v) {</pre>
   uniqv <- unique(v)
   uniqv[which.max(tabulate(match(v, uniqv)))]
}
athletes.dist.mode <- getmode(hills$dist)
athletes.dist.mode
Mode Code Example 1.3
## [1] 6
# Question: Find the mean, median, mode of the total evening calls given the following dataset
library('data.table')
## Warning: package 'data.table' was built under R version 4.0.4
url = "http://bit.ly/CustomerSignatureforChurnAnalysis"
# Loading the data
calls <- fread(url)</pre>
# Previewing the first 6 rows of this dataset
head(calls)
      recordID state account_length area_code international_plan voice_mail_plan
##
## 1:
             1
                  HI
                                 101
                                           510
                                                                no
                                                                                no
## 2:
             2
                  MT
                                 137
                                           510
                                                                no
                                                                                no
                  OH
                                 103
                                           408
## 3:
             3
                                                                nο
                                                                               yes
## 4:
                  NM
                                 99
                                           415
             4
                                                                no
                                                                                no
                                 108
## 5:
             5
                  SC
                                           415
                                                                nο
                                                                                nο
## 6:
             6
                  ΙA
                                 117
                                           415
                                                                no
     number_vmail_messages total_day_minutes total_day_calls total_day_charge
## 1:
                          0
                                          70.9
                                                            123
                                                                           12.05
## 2:
                          0
                                         223.6
                                                            86
                                                                           38.01
                          29
## 3:
                                         294.7
                                                             95
                                                                           50.10
## 4:
                          0
                                         216.8
                                                            123
                                                                           36.86
## 5:
                           0
                                         197.4
                                                             78
                                                                           33.56
## 6:
                          0
                                         226.5
                                                             85
                                                                           38.51
     total_eve_minutes total_eve_calls total_eve_charge total_night_minutes
## 1:
                  211.9
                                     73
                                                    18.01
                                                                         236.0
## 2:
                  244.8
                                     139
                                                     20.81
                                                                          94.2
                                                    20.17
                                     105
                                                                         300.3
## 3:
                  237.3
## 4:
                  126.4
                                     88
                                                    10.74
                                                                         220.6
                  124.0
                                                    10.54
                                                                         204.5
## 5:
                                     101
```

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223.0
## 6:
                  141.6
                                      68
                                                     12.04
     total_night_calls total_night_charge total_intl_minutes total_intl_calls
## 1:
                     73
                                     10.62
                                                          10.6
## 2:
                     81
                                       4.24
                                                            9.5
                                                                                7
## 3:
                    127
                                      13.51
                                                           13.7
                                                                                6
## 4:
                     82
                                       9.93
                                                           15.7
                                                                                2
## 5:
                    107
                                       9.20
                                                            7.7
                                                                                4
                                                            6.9
## 6:
                     90
                                      10.04
                                                                                5
##
      total_intl_charge number_customer_service_calls churn customer_id
## 1:
                   2.86
                                                      3
                                                                 23383607
## 2:
                   2.57
                                                           no
                                                                 22550362
                   3.70
## 3:
                                                                 59063354
                                                      1
                                                           no
## 4:
                   4.24
                                                      1
                                                                 25464504
                                                          no
## 5:
                   2.08
                                                      2
                                                                   691824
## 6:
                   1.86
                                                                 24456543
                                                           no
# Finding the mean
calls$total_eve_calls.mean
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NULL

```
# Finding the median
calls$total_eve_calls.median
```

NULL

```
# Finding the mode
getmode <- function(v) {
   uniqv <- unique(v)
   uniqv[which.max(tabulate(match(v, uniqv)))]
}
calls.mode <- getmode(calls$total_eve_calls)</pre>
```

[1] 105

2. Measures of Dispersion

```
# Question: Find the minimum element of the distance using the min() function
athletes.dist.min <- min(hills$dist)
# And then printing athletes.dist.min to show the minimum element
athletes.dist.min</pre>
```

Mininum Code Example 1.4

[1] 2

```
# Question: Find the maximum element of the distance using the function max()
athletes.dist.max <- max(hills$dist)
athletes.dist.max

Maximum Code Example 1.5
## [1] 28</pre>
```

```
# Find the maximum element of the distance using the function range() as shown below
athletes.dist.range <- range(hills$dist)
athletes.dist.range</pre>
```

Range Code Example 1.6

[1] 2 28

```
# Question: Get the first and the third quartile together with the range and the median using the quant
athletes.dist.quantile <- quantile(hills$dist)
athletes.dist.quantile</pre>
```

Quantile Code Example 1.7

```
## 0% 25% 50% 75% 100%
## 2.0 4.5 6.0 8.0 28.0
```

```
# Question: Find the variance of the distance using the var() function as shown below
athletes.dist.variance <- var(hills$dist)
athletes.dist.variance</pre>
```

Variance Code Example 1.8

```
## [1] 30.51387
```

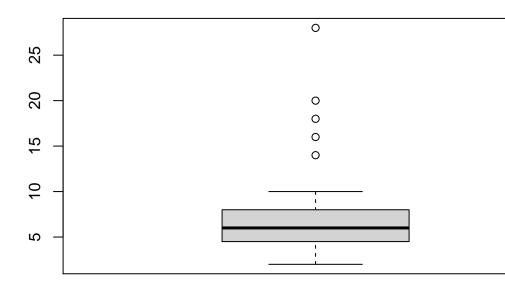
The variance is a numerical measure of how the data values is dispersed around the mean.

```
# Question: Find the standard deviation of vector t using the sd() function
athletes.dist.sd <- sd(hills$dist)
athletes.dist.sd
Standard Deviation Code Example 1.9
## [1] 5.523936
# Question: Find the minimum, maximum, range, quantile, variance and standard deviation for total day c
url = "http://bit.ly/CustomerSignatureforChurnAnalysis"
# Since the data had been loaded earlier, we will continue manipulating the same data
# Find the minimum of total day calls
min(calls$total_day_calls)
## [1] O
# Find the maximum i.e. max() total day calls
max(calls$total_day_calls)
## [1] 165
# Find the range i.e. range() of total day calls
range(calls$total_day_calls)
## [1]
        0 165
# Find the quantile of total day calls
quantile(calls$total_day_calls)
##
     0% 25% 50% 75% 100%
         87 101 114 165
# Find the variance of total day calls
var(calls$total_day_calls)
## [1] 397.8691
# Find the standard deviation of total day calls
sd(calls$total_day_calls)
```

3. Univariate Graphical

[1] 19.94666

Question: Lets create a boxplot graph for the distance using the boxplot() function
boxplot(hills\$dist)



Box Plots Code Example 3.1

The box plot of an observation variable is a graphical representation based on its quartiles, as well as its smallest and largest values. It attempts to provide a visual shape of the data distribution.

Bar Graph Code Example 3.2 A bar graph of a qualitative data sample consists of vertical parallel bars that shows the frequency distribution graphically.

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## Example

# Create a frequency distribution of the School variable

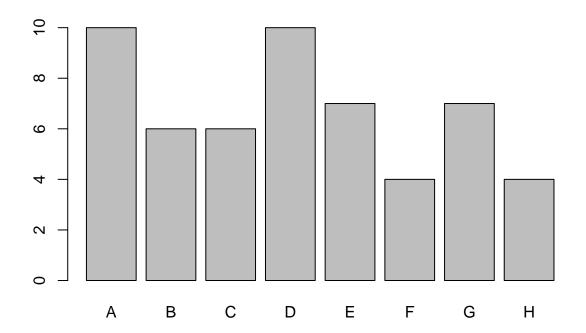
# Dataset Info: For this example, we will use an R built-in database named painters.

# Previewing the first six rows of the painters dataset

head(painters)
```

##			Composition	Drawing	Colour	Expression	School
##	Da	Udine	10	8	16	3	A
##	Da	Vinci	15	16	4	14	A

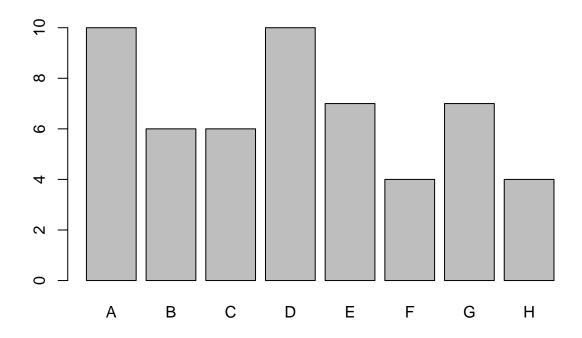
```
## Del Piombo
                            8
                                    13
                                           16
## Del Sarto
                           12
                                    16
                                            9
                                                                Α
## Fr. Penni
                            0
                                    15
                                            8
                                                        0
                                                                Α
## Guilio Romano
                           15
                                    16
                                                       14
                                                                Α
# Creating a vector
school <- painters$School</pre>
# Creating a frequency table
freq_table <- table(school)</pre>
# Barplot
barplot(freq_table)
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# Fetching the school column
school <- painters$School

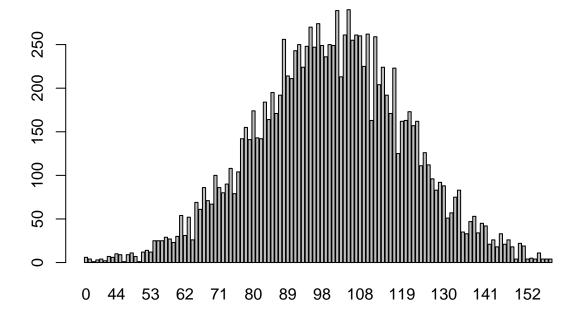
# Applying the table() function will compute the frequency distribution of the School variable
school_frequency <- table(school)

# Then applying the barplot function to produce its bar graph
barplot(school_frequency)</pre>
```



CHALLENGE

```
# Question: Create a bar graph of the total day calls in the customer signature dataset
# Dataset url = http://bit.ly/CustomerSignatureforChurnAnalysis
# Since this data had been loaded earlier, we will make reference to it without reloading it
day_call_freq <- table(calls$total_day_calls)
barplot(day_call_freq)</pre>
```



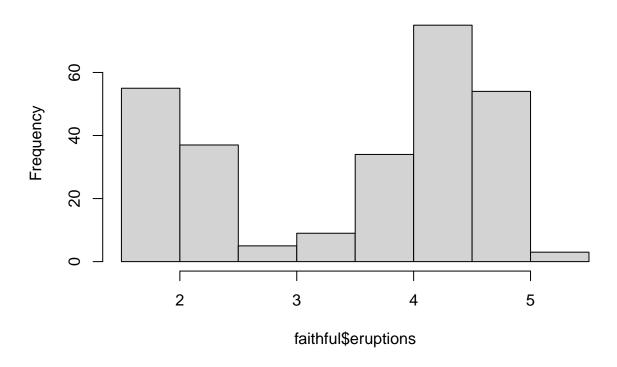
Histogram Code Example 3.3 A histogram shows the frequency distribution of a *quantitative variable*. The area of each bar is equal to the frequency of items found in each class.

```
## Example
\# Hint: we will use an R built-in data frame called faithful
# Preview the first six rows of the faithful dataset
head(faithful)
##
     eruptions waiting
## 1
         3.600
                     79
         1.800
## 2
                    54
## 3
         3.333
                    74
         2.283
                     62
## 4
## 5
         4.533
                    85
## 6
         2.883
                     55
```

Then applying the hist() function to produce the histogram of the eruptions variable

hist(faithful\$eruptions)

Histogram of faithful\$eruptions



CHALLENGE

```
# Question: Create a histogram of the total day minutes in the customer signature dataset
# url = "http://bit.ly/CustomerSignatureforChurnAnalysis"
hist(calls$total_day_minutes, main = "Histogram of Total Day Minutes")
```

Histogram of Total Day Minutes

