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Problem 1 ->

```
library(tidyverse)
```

```
## -- Attaching packages ----- tidyverse 1.3.2 --
## v ggplot2 3.4.0      v purrr   0.3.5
## v tibble  3.1.8      v dplyr  1.0.10
## v tidyr   1.2.1      v stringr 1.4.1
## v readr   2.1.3      v forcats 0.5.2
```

```
## Warning: package 'ggplot2' was built under R version 4.2.2
```

```
## -- Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() --
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag()     masks stats::lag()
```

```
library(tidytext)
```

```
## Warning: package 'tidytext' was built under R version 4.2.2
```

```
library(tokenizers)
```

```
## Warning: package 'tokenizers' was built under R version 4.2.2
```

```
library(glmnet)
```

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## Warning: package 'glmnet' was built under R version 4.2.2
```

```
## Loading required package: Matrix
```

```
## Warning: package 'Matrix' was built under R version 4.2.2
```

```
##
```

```
## Attaching package: 'Matrix'
```

```
##
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:tidyr':
```

```
##
```

```
##     expand, pack, unpack
```

```
##
```

```
## Loaded glmnet 4.1-6
```

```
data_tweets = read_csv("/Users/SPANDAN/DS 5110/twitter/twitter/realDonaldTrump-20201106.csv")
```

```
## Rows: 55090 Columns: 8
## -- Column specification -----
## Delimiter: ","
## chr (2): text, device
## dbl (3): id, favorites, retweets
## lgl (2): isRetweet, isDeleted
## dtm (1): date
##
## i Use `spec()` to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
## i Specify the column types or set `show_col_types = FALSE` to quiet this message.
```

```
head(data_tweets, 10)
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 x 8
##       id text      isRet~1 isDel~2 device favor~3 retwe~4 date
##   <dbl> <chr>    <lgl>    <lgl>    <chr>    <dbl>    <dbl> <dtm>
## 1 9.85e16 Republica~ FALSE    FALSE    Tweet~      49      255 2011-08-02 18:07:48
## 2 1.23e18 I was thr~ FALSE    FALSE    Twitt~    73748    17404 2020-03-03 01:34:50
## 3 1.22e18 RT @CBS_H~ TRUE     FALSE    Twitt~      0      7396 2020-01-17 03:22:47
## 4 1.30e18 The Unsol~ FALSE    FALSE    Twitt~    80527    23502 2020-09-12 20:10:58
## 5 1.22e18 RT @MZHem~ TRUE     FALSE    Twitt~      0      9081 2020-01-17 13:13:59
## 6 1.22e18 RT @White~ TRUE     FALSE    Twitt~      0     25048 2020-01-17 00:11:56
## 7 1.32e18 "I'm runn~ FALSE    FALSE    Twitt~   149007    34897 2020-10-12 22:22:39
## 8 1.22e18 Getting a~ FALSE    FALSE    Twitt~   285863    30209 2020-02-01 16:14:02
## 9 1.32e18 https://t~ FALSE    FALSE    Twitt~   130822    19127 2020-10-23 04:52:14
## 10 1.32e18 https://t~ FALSE    FALSE    Twitt~   153446    20275 2020-10-23 04:46:53
## # ... with abbreviated variable names 1: isRetweet, 2: isDeleted, 3: favorites,
## # 4: retweets
```

```
summary(data_tweets)
```

```
##       id              text      isRetweet      isDeleted
##  Min.   :1.698e+09   Length:55090   Mode :logical   Mode :logical
## 1st Qu.:4.531e+17   Class :character   FALSE:45755     FALSE:54050
## Median :7.217e+17   Mode  :character   TRUE :9335      TRUE :1040
## Mean   :7.844e+17
## 3rd Qu.:1.180e+18
## Max.   :1.325e+18
##       device      favorites      retweets
## Length:55090   Min.   :      0   Min.   :      0
## Class :character 1st Qu.:     11   1st Qu.:     54
## Mode  :character Median :    154   Median :    2897
##              Mean  :   25573   Mean   :    7917
##              3rd Qu.:  40914   3rd Qu.:   12312
##              Max.   :1869706   Max.    :  408866
##       date
##  Min.   :2009-05-04 18:54:25.00
## 1st Qu.:2014-04-07 11:09:43.25
## Median :2016-04-17 14:07:55.00
## Mean   :2016-10-06 18:03:51.64
```

```
## 3rd Qu.:2019-10-05 03:20:56.00
## Max. :2020-11-06 17:38:17.00
```

Removing re-tweets

```
data_tweets$id <- format(data_tweets$id, scientific=F)

tidy_data <- data_tweets %>%
  filter(isRetweet == FALSE)
```

Removing tweets without spaces

```
tidy_data <- tidy_data[-which(is.na(str_locate(tidy_data$text, " "))),]
```

Removing &, URLs, twitter user names and special characters

```
tidy_data$text <- gsub("(f|ht)(tp)(s?):(//)(.*)" ".|/](.*)", " ", tidy_data$text)
tidy_data$text <- gsub("@\\w+", "", tidy_data$text)
tidy_data$text <- gsub("& ", "", tidy_data$text)
tidy_data$text <- tolower(tidy_data$text)

tidy_data <- tidy_data %>%
  rename(year = date)
tidy_data$year <- str_sub(tidy_data$year, 1, 4)
```

Removing variations on Donald Trump's name

```
a <- 'donald*'
donald <- str_subset(tidy_data$text,a)

b <- 'trump*'
trump <- str_subset(tidy_data$text,b)

tidy_data$text <- gsub("donald","dt", tidy_data$text)
tidy_data$text <- gsub("realdonaldtrump", "dt", tidy_data$text)
tidy_data$text <- gsub("trump","dt", tidy_data$text)
tidy_data$text <- gsub("donaldtrump","dt", tidy_data$text)
tidy_data$text <- gsub("realdonal", "dt", tidy_data$text)
tidy_data$text <- gsub("donal","dt", tidy_data$text)
tidy_data$text <- gsub("donaldTrump","dt", tidy_data$text)
tidy_data$text <- gsub("DonaldTrump","dt", tidy_data$text)
tidy_data$text <- gsub("dt", "", tidy_data$text)
tidy_data <- tidy_data[!(tidy_data$text == ""), ]
```

Removing stop words

```
tidy_data <- unnest_tokens(tidy_data, output = "word", input = text)
tidy_data <- anti_join(tidy_data, stop_words, by="word")

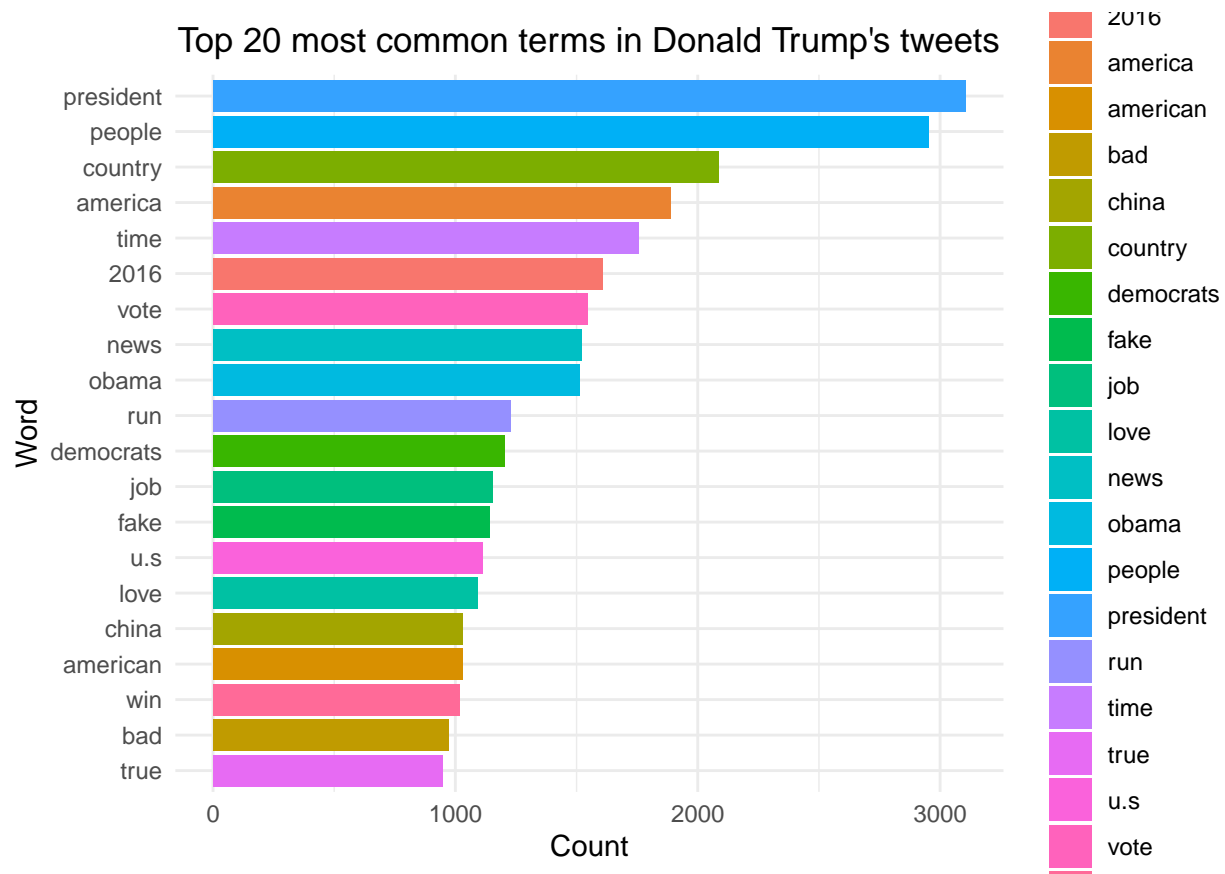
head(tidy_data, 10)
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 x 8
##   id                isRetweet isDeleted device  favor~1 retwe~2 year  word
##   <chr>              <lgl>      <lgl>   <chr>    <dbl>    <dbl> <chr> <chr>
## 1 " 98454970654916608" FALSE     FALSE  TweetD~    49      255 2011 repu~
## 2 " 98454970654916608" FALSE     FALSE  TweetD~    49      255 2011 demo~
## 3 " 98454970654916608" FALSE     FALSE  TweetD~    49      255 2011 crea~
## 4 " 98454970654916608" FALSE     FALSE  TweetD~    49      255 2011 econ~
## 5 "1234653427789070336" FALSE     FALSE  Twitte~  73748   17404 2020 thri~
## 6 "1234653427789070336" FALSE     FALSE  Twitte~  73748   17404 2020 city
## 7 "1234653427789070336" FALSE     FALSE  Twitte~  73748   17404 2020 char~
## 8 "1234653427789070336" FALSE     FALSE  Twitte~  73748   17404 2020 north
## 9 "1234653427789070336" FALSE     FALSE  Twitte~  73748   17404 2020 caro~
## 10 "1234653427789070336" FALSE     FALSE  Twitte~  73748   17404 2020 thou~
## # ... with abbreviated variable names 1: favorites, 2: retweets
```

Top 20 most common terms in Donald Trump's tweets:

```
tidy_data %>%
count(word, sort=TRUE) %>%
top_n(20) %>%
ggplot(aes(x=reorder(word, n), y=n, fill = word)) +
  geom_col() + coord_flip() + labs(x="Word", y="Count",
  title="Top 20 most common terms in Donald Trump's tweets") +
  theme_minimal() + theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5))
```

```
## Selecting by n
```



Explanation for Problem 1:

The most common term used in Donald Trump's tweets is president

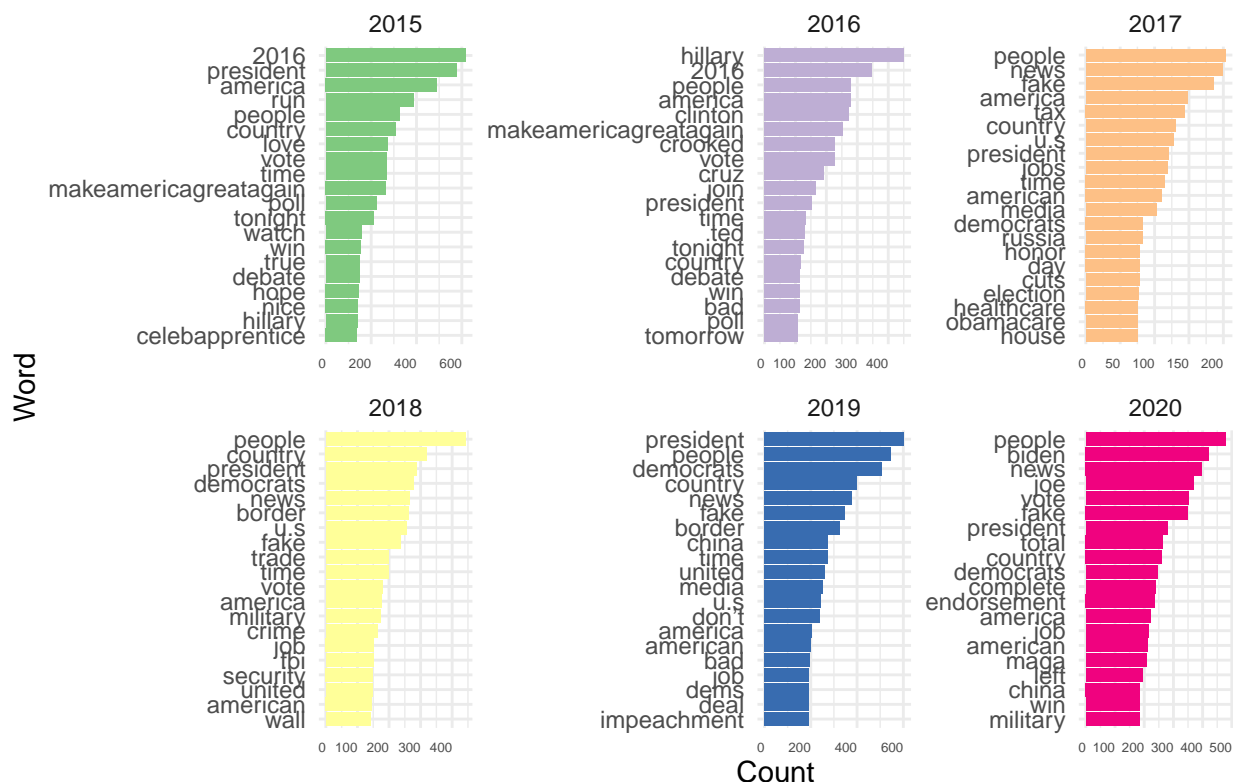
Problem 2 ->

```
tidy_data <- tidy_data %>%
  filter(year >= 2015)

tidy_data %>%
  group_by(year) %>%
  count(word, year, sort=TRUE) %>%
  top_n(20) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x=reorder_within(word, n, year), y=n, fill=year)) +
  geom_col(show.legend=FALSE) + facet_wrap(~year, scales="free") +
  coord_flip() + labs(x="Word", y="Count",
    title="Most common terms for each year", fill="Year") +
  scale_fill_brewer(palette="Accent") + scale_x_reordered() +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle=0,hjust=1,vjust=0.5,size=5))
```

Selecting by n

Most common terms for each year



Explanation for Problem 2 ->

In the bulk of popular words during the past few years, “People” has been referenced. We discover that “2016” was the most frequently used word in 2015 due to the presidential elections in that year.

The word “hillary” has increased in usage during Hillary Clinton’s presidential campaign in 2016. Similar to today, Joe Biden is the second most often used word in 2020.

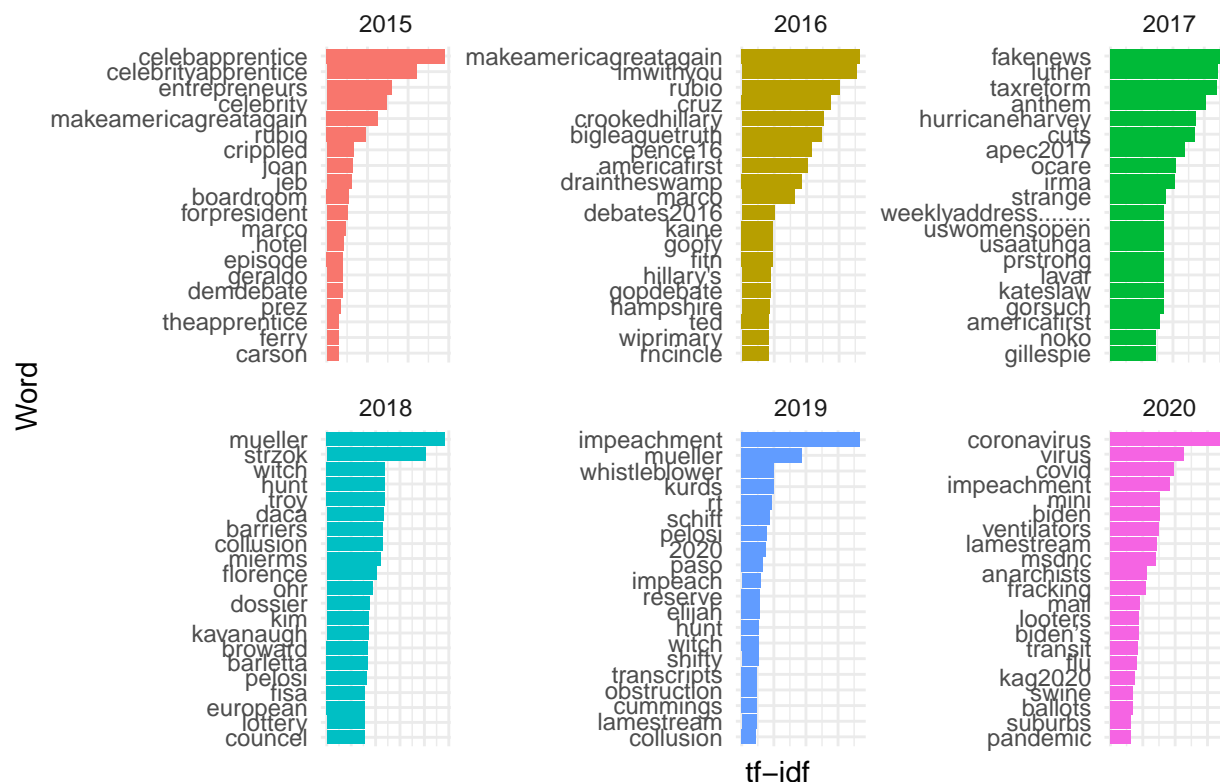
Year 2019 has seen a lot of use of the word “President” due to the fact that 2020 is the year of the elections.

It makes sense that “People” was the most frequently used term in the other two years because those were the years between the elections and during Trump’s presidency.

Problem 3 ->

```
trump_tf_idf <- tidy_data %>%
count(year, word, sort=TRUE) %>%
bind_tf_idf(term=word, document=year, n=n)
trump_tf_idf %>%
  group_by(year) %>%
  top_n(20, wt=tf_idf) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x=reorder_within(word, tf_idf, year),
y=tf_idf, fill=factor(year))) +
  geom_col(position="dodge", show.legend=FALSE) +
  coord_flip() + facet_wrap(~year, scales="free") +
  labs(x="Word", y="tf-idf", title="Most characteristic terms by each year", fill="Year") +
  scale_x_reordered() + scale_y_continuous(labels=NULL) + theme_minimal() +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle=0,hjust=1,vjust=0.5,size=5))
```

Most characteristic terms by each year



Explanation for Problem 3:

Because of the 2016 presidential election, we can see that the phrases “celebapprentice” and “making America Great Again” were used in 2015 and 2016, respectively. The word “fakenews” was used the most in 2017.

Robert Muller’s Russian investigation started in 2018, hence we consider Muller to be the first word of the year. Mueller is the second word of 2019, as the study was finished in December 2018.

Trump was the subject of an impeachment probe in 2019. Impeachment is the first word we come across in the year 2019.

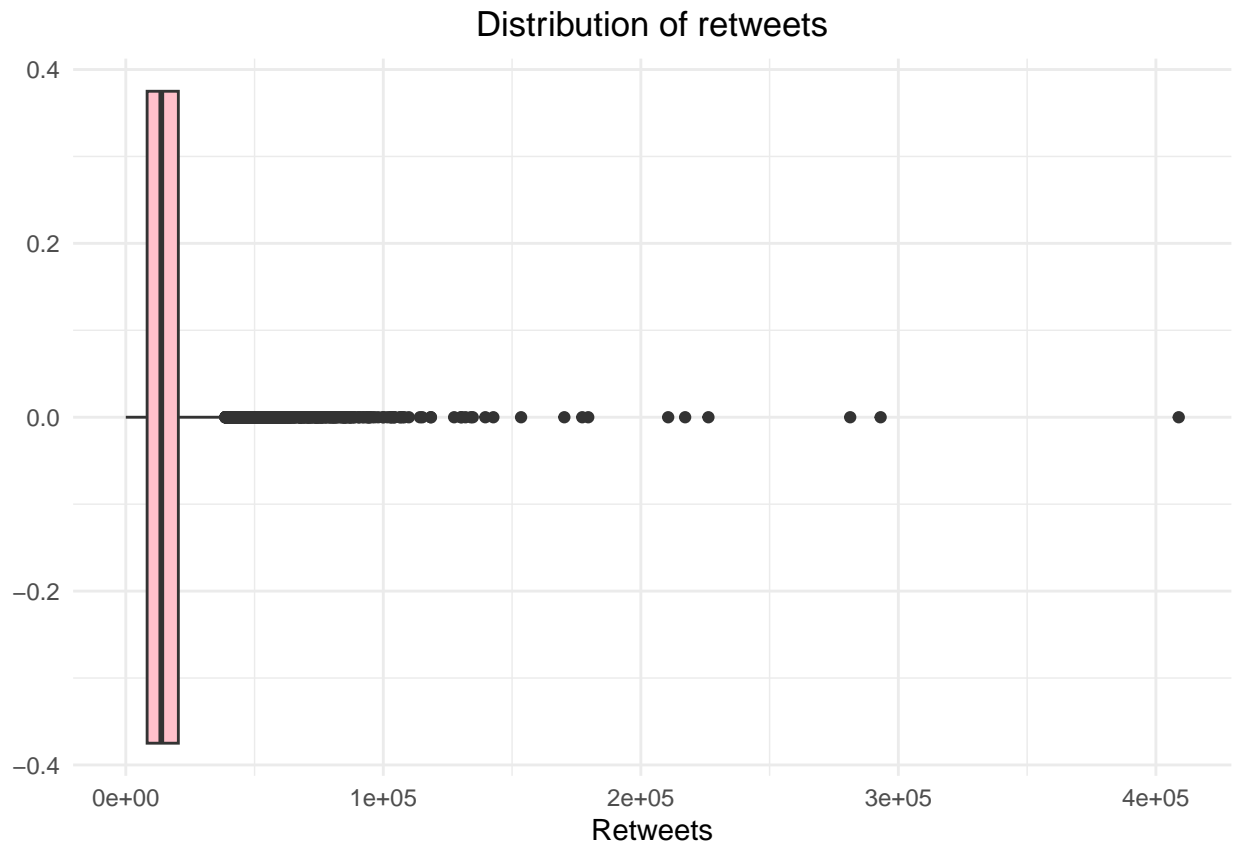
In the year 2020, the COVID-19 Coronavirus is frequently mentioned. We hear several different terms related to the epidemic and health in the year 2020.

Problem 4 ->

```
tidy_data <- tidy_data %>%
  filter(year >= 2016)
df_data <- left_join(tidy_data, trump_tf_idf, by=c("year","word")) %>%
  select(c("id", "retweets", "word", "n"))
df <- df_data %>%
  group_by(id) %>%
  summarise(retweets = mean(retweets))

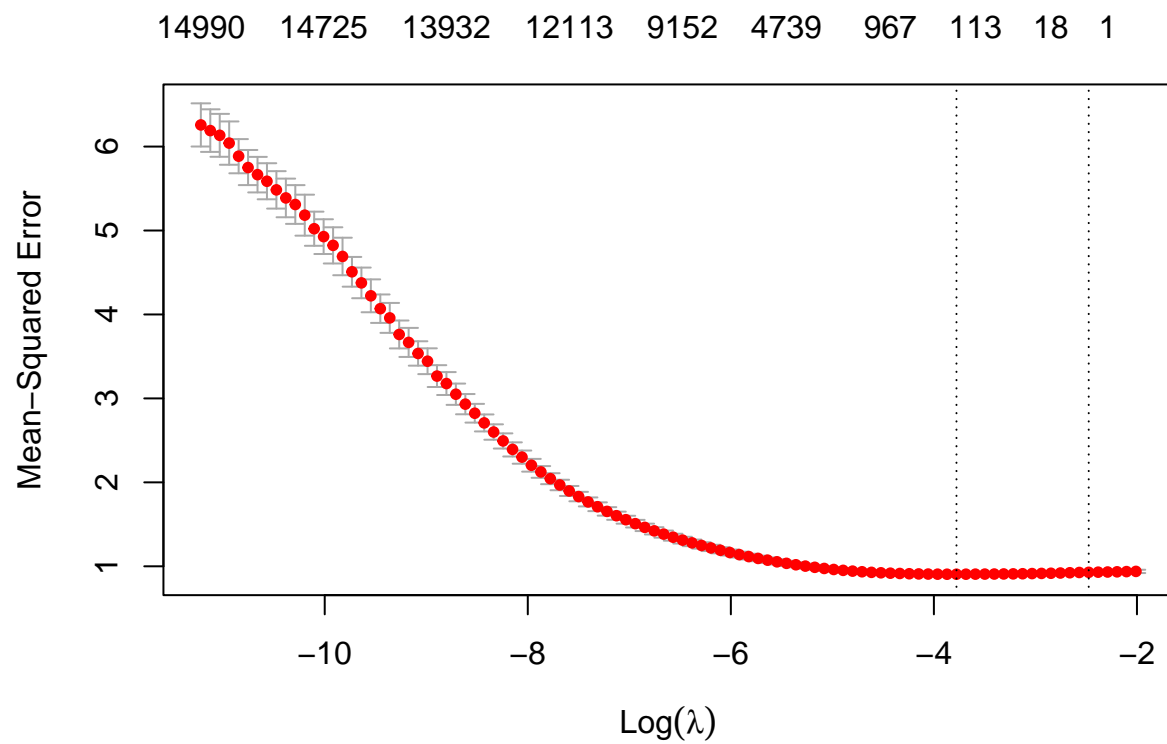
df %>%
  ggplot() +
  geom_boxplot(aes(x = (retweets)), fill = "pink")+
  labs(x = "Retweets", title="Distribution of retweets")+
  theme_minimal()+
```

```
theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5))
```



The above graph is right skewed and not normal. Hence for using glmnet we transform the data by using log1p

```
X <- cast_sparse(data = df_data, row = id, column = word, value = n)
Y <- as.matrix(log1p(df$retweets))
set.seed(1234)
cvfit <- cv.glmnet(X,Y, family = "gaussian")
plot(cvfit)
```

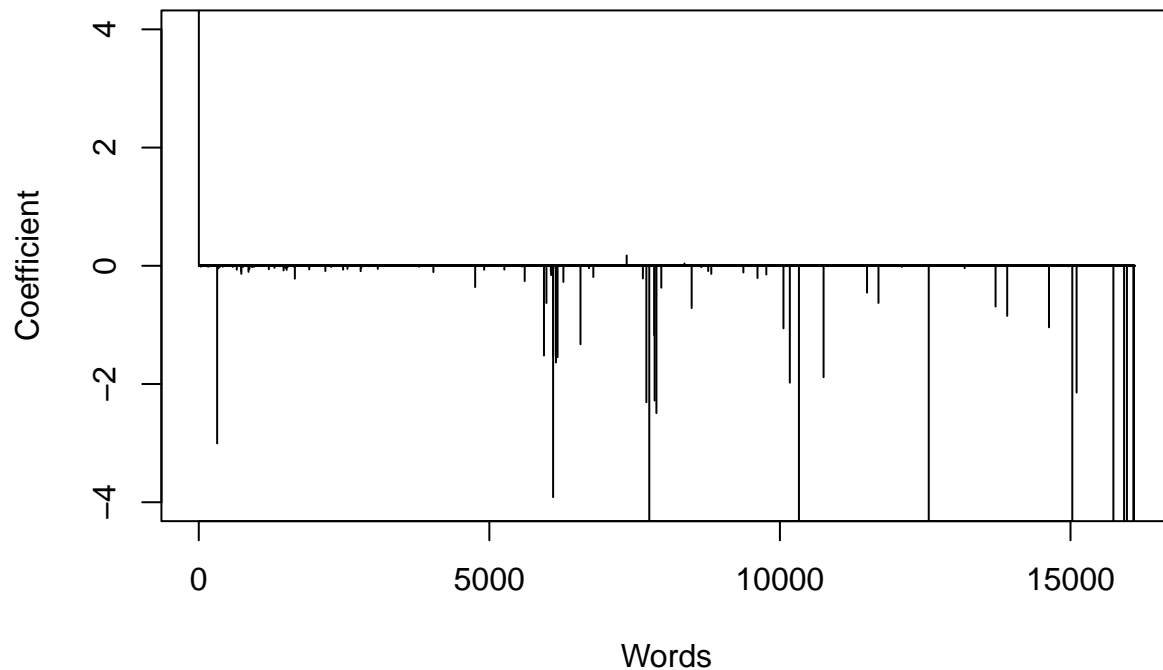



```
c1 <- coef(cvfit, s="lambda.min")
sum(c1 != 0)
```

```
## [1] 190
```

```
plot(c1, type= 'h', ylim=c(-4, 4),
     xlab="Words", ylab="Coefficient",
     main="Sparse regression coefficients (min)")
```

Sparse regression coefficients (min)



```
cvfit
```

```
##
## Call: cv.glmnet(x = X, y = Y, family = "gaussian")
##
## Measure: Mean-Squared Error
##
##      Lambda Index Measure      SE Nonzero
## min 0.02288    20  0.9057 0.02373    189
## 1se 0.08416     6  0.9282 0.02000     2
```

Explanation for Problem 4:

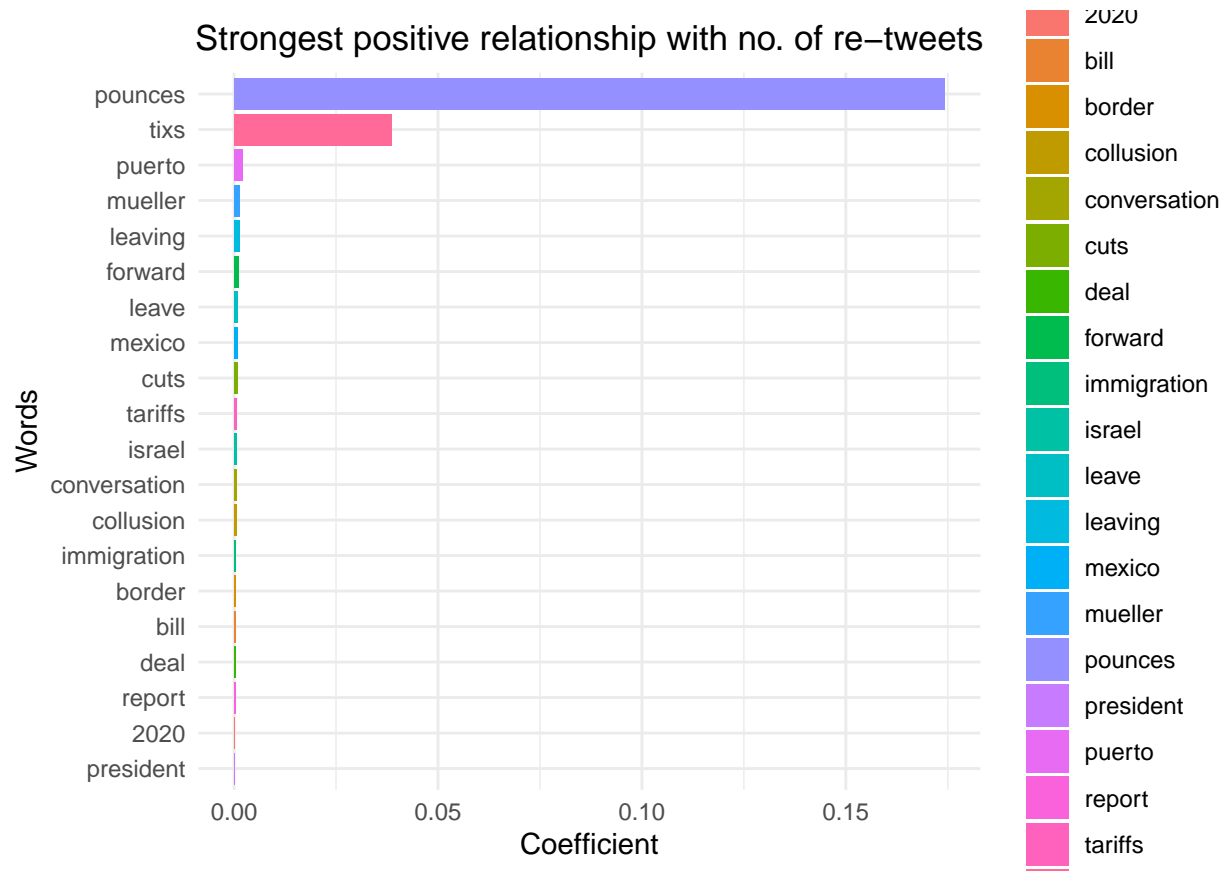
The minimum value of lambda is 0.02288 and the number of non zero coefficients are 189

Problem 5 ->

```
coeff_vars <- rownames(c1)[which(c1 > 0)]
coeff <- c1[which(c1 > 0)]
model <- as.data.frame(coeff_vars)
model$coeff <- coeff
model <- model %>%
  filter(coeff_vars != "(Intercept)")
model <- model[order(model$coeff, decreasing = TRUE),]
model %>%
  top_n(20) %>%
```

```
ggplot(aes(y = reorder(coeff_vars, coeff), x = coeff, fill=coeff_vars)) +
  geom_col() +
  scale_x_continuous(labels = scales::label_comma()) +
  labs(x = "Coefficient", y = "Words",
  title = "Strongest positive relationship with no. of re-tweets")+
  theme_minimal()+
  theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5))
```

Selecting by coeff



Explanation for Problem 5:

Looking at the top 20 strongest positive words with number of tweets, we see that pounces is the strongest positive word with the highest number of retweets.

Out of these 20, five words including pounces, tixs, puerto, mueller, and leaving—have higher coefficients.

All of the other words have low coefficient values and a less favourable correlation with the amount of retweets.