Reproducible Research - Project 2

Synopsis

Data Processing

Include the code to import the csv file and transform the data so that it can be visualized.

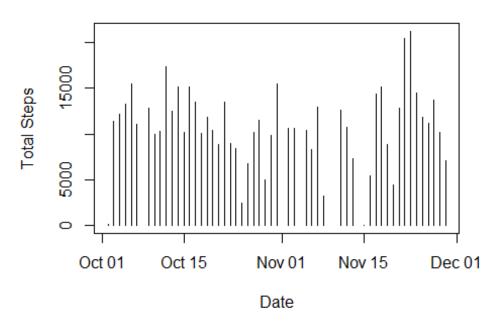
```
library(ggplot2)
## Warning: package 'ggplot2' was built under R version 3.3.3
activity<-read.csv("activity.csv")</pre>
#remove N/A steps
hact<-activity[is.na(activity["steps"])==FALSE,]
#Fix Date Field
#hact[2]<-as.character.Date(hact[2])</pre>
#aggregate the steps per date:
ag<-aggregate(x=hact[1],by =list(hact$date),FUN="sum")</pre>
names(ag)[1]="dt"
ag[1]<-as.Date(ag$dt, format="%Y-%m-%d")</pre>
#Now figure out the average number of steps for 5 minute intervals
#per day
fvmin<-aggregate(x=hact[1],by =list(hact$date),FUN="mean")</pre>
names(fvmin)[1]="date"
#now aggregate on interval
intag<-aggregate(x=hact[1],by =list(hact$interval),FUN="mean")</pre>
names(intag)[1]="interval"
#find interval where the max is
```

Including Plots

Histogram for total number of steps

```
plot(y=ag$steps,x=ag$dt,type="h", main = "Total Steps per Day", ylab = "Total
Steps", xlab = "Date")
```

Total Steps per Day



Mean and Median Steps per day

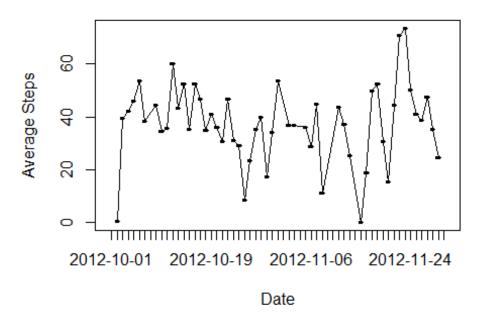
```
mn<-mean(ag$steps)
md<-median(ag$steps)
paste("The mean number of total steps per day is",mn)
## [1] "The mean number of total steps per day is 10766.1886792453"
paste("The median number of total steps per day is",md)
## [1] "The median number of total steps per day is 10765"</pre>
```

Results

What is the average daily activity pattern?

```
plot(x=fvmin$date,y=fvmin$steps,type="1",main="Average Number of Steps Per
Day",xlab="Date", ylab="Average Steps")
lines(x=fvmin$date,y=fvmin$steps,type="1")
```

Average Number of Steps Per Day



Which 5-minute interval, on average across all the days in the dataset, contains the maximum number of steps?

```
mx<-intag[intag$steps==max(intag$steps),1]

paste("The maximum number of average steps was at interval",mx)
## [1] "The maximum number of average steps was at interval 835"</pre>
```

Imputing missing values

Note that there are a number of days/intervals where there are missing values (coded as NA). The presence of missing days may introduce bias into some calculations or summaries of the data.

```
# Calculate number of missing items in the dataset

stepNA<-activity[is.na(activity["steps"])==TRUE,]
totStepNA<-NROW(stepNA)
dtNA<-activity[is.na(activity["date"])==TRUE,]
totDtNa<-NROW(dtNA)
intNA<-activity[is.na(activity["interval"])==TRUE,]
totIntNa<-NROW(intNA)
paste("There are",totStepNA, "records that are missing step counts.")

## [1] "There are 2304 records that are missing step counts."

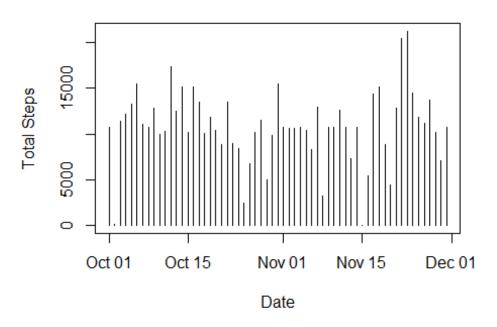
paste("There are",totDtNa, "records that are missing dates.")</pre>
```

```
## [1] "There are 0 records that are missing dates."
paste("There are",totIntNa, "records that are missing intervals.")
## [1] "There are 0 records that are missing intervals."
#Fill in the missing data using the mean step count for the day and interval
that the steps are missing
library(dplyr)
## Warning: package 'dplyr' was built under R version 3.3.2
##
## 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
##
stepNA<-stepNA[order(stepNA$interval),]</pre>
fillNA<-merge(stepNA,intag,by.x = "interval",by.y = "interval",all=TRUE)</pre>
fillNA<-fillNA[c(4,3,1)]
names(fillNA)[1]="steps"
#Now combine with data set
fillNAds<-rbind(hact,fillNA)</pre>
#redo the aggregation with the new data set
#aggregate the steps per date:
ag<-aggregate(x=fillNAds[1],by =list(fillNAds$date),FUN="sum")
names(ag)[1]="dt"
ag[1]<-as.Date(ag$dt, format="%Y-%m-%d")</pre>
#Now figure out the average number of steps for 5 minute intervals
#per day
fvmin<-aggregate(x=fillNAds[1],by =list(fillNAds$date),FUN="mean")</pre>
names(fvmin)[1]="date"
#now aggregate on interval
intag<-aggregate(x=fillNAds[1],by =list(fillNAds$interval),FUN="mean")</pre>
names(intag)[1]="interval"
```

New Histogram with missing data filled in

```
plot(y=ag$steps,x=ag$dt,type="h", main = "Total Steps per Day", ylab = "Total
Steps", xlab = "Date")
```

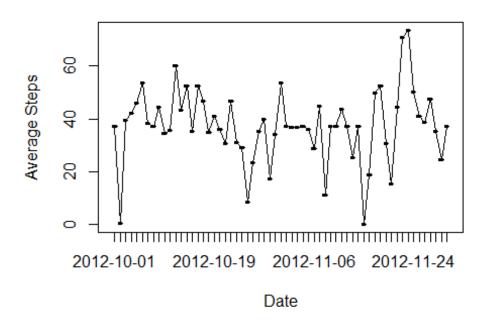
Total Steps per Day



New interval chart with missing data filled in

```
plot(x=fvmin$date,y=fvmin$steps,type="1",main="Average Number of Steps Per
Day",xlab="Date", ylab="Average Steps")
lines(x=fvmin$date,y=fvmin$steps,type="1")
```

Average Number of Steps Per Day



Conclussion - Filling in the missing data did not impact the overal view of the results

Are there differences in activity patterns between weekdays and weekends?

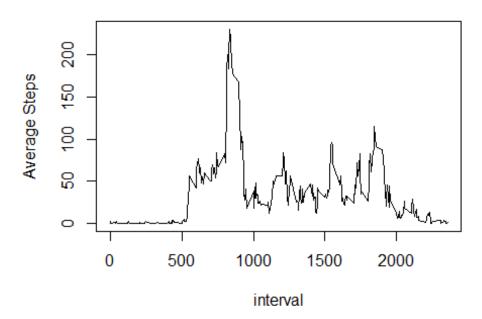
For this part the weekdays() function may be of some help here. Use the dataset with the filled-in missing values for this part.

```
#Add weekday column, it will be Y/N value
#convert factor to date field
fillNAds[2]<-as.Date(fillNAds$date, format="%Y-%m-%d")
#get name of day for date
fillNAds[4]<-weekdays(fillNAds$date)
#identify weekdays vs weekends
fillNAds[5]<-fillNAds[4]!="Saturday" & fillNAds[4]!="Sunday"
names(fillNAds)[4:5]=c("Day","IsWD")
wd<-fillNAds[fillNAds$IsWD==TRUE,]
we<-fillNAds[fillNAds$IsWD==FALSE,]
agwd<-aggregate(x=wd[1],by =list(wd$interval),FUN="mean")
agwe<-aggregate(x=we[1],by =list(we$interval),FUN="mean")
names(agwd)[1]="interval"
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```

Show average steps on weekdays

```
plot(x=agwd$interval,y=agwd$steps,type="l",main="Average Number of Steps -
Weekday",xlab="interval", ylab="Average Steps")
```

Average Number of Steps - Weekday



Show average steps on Weekends

plot(x=agwe\$interval,y=agwe\$steps,type="l",main="Average Number of Steps Weekend",xlab="interval", ylab="Average Steps")

Average Number of Steps - Weekend

