Sharat_Sripada_HW3.R

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        Homework #3 (Cleaning/Munging Dataframes)
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# Step-1: Create a function (named readStates) to read a CSV file into R
# URL as below:
# http://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/popest/tables/2010-
2011/state/totals/nst-est2011-01.csv
readStates <- function(get url)</pre>
  x <- read.csv(url(get url))</pre>
  # Step-2: Clean the dataframe
  # Remove not-relevant rows/columns
  # Step-2.1: Remove first 8-rows
  x < -x[-1:-8,]
  # Step-2.2: Looking at summary(x) last 5-columns are NAs - Remove them.
  x < -x[,-6:-10]
  # Step-2.3: Last 7-rows seem like not useful data - Remove them.
  # dims(x) -> 58 5
  x < -x[-52:-58]
  # Step-2.4: Rename rows & columns
  cnames <- colnames(x)</pre>
  cnames[1] <- "stateName"</pre>
  cnames[2] <- "base2010"</pre>
  cnames[3] <- "base2011"</pre>
  cnames[4] <- "Jul2010"</pre>
  cnames[5] <- "Jul2011"</pre>
  colnames(x) <- cnames</pre>
  rownames(x) <- NULL</pre>
  # Step-2.5: Normalize the data (to strings/chars & numeric)
  x$stateName <- gsub("\\.","",x$stateName)</pre>
  x$base2010 <- as.numeric(gsub(",","",x$base2010))
x$base2011 <- as.numeric(gsub(",","",x$base2011))
x$Jul2010 <- as.numeric(gsub(",","",x$Jul2010))
x$Jul2011 <- as.numeric(gsub(",","",x$Jul2011))</pre>
  # NOTE: str(x) as below:
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# 'data.frame': 51 obs. of 5 variables:
 #$ stateName: chr "Alabama" "Alaska" "Arizona" "Arkansas" ...
 #$ base2010 : num
                   4779736 710231 6392017 2915918 37253956 ...
 #$ base2011 : num
                    4779735 710231 6392013 2915921 37253956 ...
 #$ Jul2010 : num 4785401 714146 6413158 2921588 37338198 ...
 #$ Jul2011
             : num 4802740 722718 6482505 2937979 37691912 ...
  return(x)
}
# Step-1: Call a function that reads csv data from URL and cleans up data
my_url <- 'http://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/popest/tables/2010-
2011/state/totals/nst-est2011-01.csv'
my raw data <- readStates(my url)</pre>
# Step-3: Clean the dataframe
dfStates <- data.frame(my raw data)</pre>
mean(dfStates$Jul2011)
## [1] 6109645
# Step-4: Find the state with the Highest Population
max(dfStates$Jul2011)
## [1] 37691912
max_index <- which.max(dfStates$Jul2011)</pre>
# > dfStates[max index,]
# stateName base2010 base2011 Jul2010 Jul2011
# 5 California 37253956 37253956 37338198 37691912
dfStates[max index, 1]
## [1] "California"
dfStates[order(dfStates$Jul2011),]
##
                 stateName base2010 base2011 Jul2010 Jul2011
## 51
                             563626
                                      563626
                                               564554
                                                        568158
                   Wyoming
## 9 District of Columbia
                             601723
                                      601723
                                               604912
                                                        617996
## 46
                   Vermont
                             625741
                                      625741
                                               625909
                                                        626431
## 35
              North Dakota
                             672591
                                      672591
                                               674629
                                                        683932
## 2
                   Alaska
                            710231
                                     710231
                                               714146
                                                        722718
## 42
              South Dakota
                            814180
                                     814180
                                               816598
                                                        824082
## 8
                 Delaware
                            897934
                                     897934
                                               899792
                                                        907135
## 27
                   Montana
                            989415
                                     989415
                                              990958
                                                        998199
## 40
              Rhode Island 1052567 1052567 1052528 1051302
## 30
             New Hampshire 1316470 1316472 1316807
                                                      1318194
## 20
                    Maine 1328361
                                    1328361 1327379
                                                      1328188
                   Hawaii
## 12
                           1360301
                                     1360301
                                             1363359
                                                       1374810
## 13
                     Idaho 1567582
                                     1567582 1571102
                                                       1584985
                  Nebraska 1826341 1826341 1830141
## 28
                                                      1842641
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## 49
             West Virginia
                             1852994
                                      1852996
                                                1854368
                                                         1855364
                                                2065913
## 32
                New Mexico
                             2059179
                                      2059180
                                                         2082224
## 29
                             2700551
                                      2700551
                                                2704283
                                                         2723322
                     Nevada
## 45
                                                2775479
                       Utah
                             2763885
                                      2763885
                                                         2817222
## 17
                     Kansas
                             2853118
                                      2853118
                                                2859143
                                                         2871238
## 4
                             2915918
                                      2915921
                                                2921588
                                                         2937979
                  Arkansas
## 25
               Mississippi
                             2967297
                                      2967297
                                                2970072
                                                         2978512
                       Iowa
## 16
                             3046355
                                      3046350
                                                3050202
                                                         3062309
## 7
               Connecticut
                             3574097
                                      3574097
                                                3575498
                                                         3580709
## 37
                  Oklahoma
                             3751351
                                      3751354
                                                3760184
                                                         3791508
## 38
                                      3831074
                                                3838332
                     Oregon
                             3831074
                                                         3871859
## 18
                  Kentucky
                             4339367
                                      4339362
                                                4347223
                                                         4369356
## 19
                  Louisiana
                             4533372
                                      4533372
                                                4545343
                                                         4574836
## 41
            South Carolina
                             4625364
                                      4625364
                                                4637106
                                                         4679230
## 1
                   Alabama
                             4779736
                                      4779735
                                                4785401
                                                         4802740
## 6
                  Colorado
                             5029196
                                      5029196
                                                5047692
                                                         5116796
## 24
                 Minnesota
                             5303925
                                      5303925
                                                5310658
                                                         5344861
## 50
                 Wisconsin
                             5686986
                                      5686986
                                                5691659
                                                         5711767
## 21
                  Maryland
                             5773552
                                      5773552
                                                5785681
                                                         5828289
## 26
                  Missouri
                             5988927
                                      5988927
                                                5995715
                                                         6010688
## 43
                 Tennessee
                             6346105
                                      6346110
                                                6357436
                                                         6403353
## 3
                   Arizona
                             6392017
                                      6392013
                                                6413158
                                                         6482505
## 15
                    Indiana
                             6483802
                                      6483800
                                                6490622
                                                         6516922
## 22
             Massachusetts
                             6547629
                                      6547629
                                                6555466
                                                         6587536
## 48
                Washington
                             6724540
                                      6724540
                                                6742950
                                                         6830038
## 47
                  Virginia
                             8001024
                                      8001030
                                                8023953
                                                         8096604
## 31
                 New Jersey
                             8791894
                                      8791894
                                                8799593
                                                         8821155
## 34
            North Carolina
                             9535483
                                      9535475
                                                9560234
                                                         9656401
## 11
                   Georgia
                             9687653
                                      9687660
                                                9712157
                                                         9815210
## 23
                             9883640
                                               9877143
                  Michigan
                                      9883635
                                                         9876187
## 36
                       Ohio 11536504 11536502 11537968 11544951
## 39
              Pennsylvania 12702379 12702379 12717722 12742886
## 14
                   Illinois 12830632 12830632 12841980 12869257
## 10
                    Florida 18801310 18801311 18838613 19057542
## 33
                  New York 19378102 19378104 19395206 19465197
## 44
                      Texas 25145561 25145561 25253466 25674681
## 5
                California 37253956 37253956 37338198 37691912
# Step-5: Explore the distribution of the states
# All vectors and vars assosicated with func percentlowerthan
# will be plt <var>
percentlowerthan <- function(plt_val, plt_vector)</pre>
{
  plt num below val <- length(plt vector[plt vector < plt val])</pre>
  plt_percent <- plt_num_below_val / length(plt_vector) * 100</pre>
  return(plt percent)
}
dfStatesJul2011Mean <- mean(dfStates$Jul2011)</pre>
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dfStatesJul2011Vector <- dfStates$Jul2011
percentlowerthan(dfStatesJul2011Mean, dfStatesJul2011Vector)
## [1] 66.66667</pre>
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