Solutions for dplyr/tidyverse URPP tutorial.Rmd

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```
library(tidyverse)
library(nycflights13)
```

Exercises 2

Find all flights that

1. Had an arrival delay of two or more hours

```
filter(flights, arr_delay >= 120)
```

```
## # A tibble: 10,200 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
                             <int>
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                                             <int>
                                                        <dbl>
                                                                  <int>
##
    1 2013
                               811
                                               630
                                                         101.
                                                                   1047
                 1
                        1
                                                         853.
    2 2013
                               848
                                               1835
                                                                   1001
##
                 1
                        1
##
       2013
                 1
                        1
                               957
                                               733
                                                         144.
                                                                   1056
                                                         134.
##
   4 2013
                       1
                              1114
                                               900
                                                                   1447
                 1
##
   5 2013
                       1
                              1505
                                              1310
                                                         115.
                                                                   1638
##
    6 2013
                        1
                                               1340
                                                         105.
                                                                   1831
                 1
                              1525
##
    7
       2013
                        1
                                              1445
                                                          64.
                                                                   1912
                              1549
##
    8 2013
                 1
                        1
                              1558
                                              1359
                                                         119.
                                                                   1718
##
    9 2013
                 1
                        1
                              1732
                                              1630
                                                          62.
                                                                   2028
## 10 2013
                        1
                              1803
                                              1620
                                                         103.
                                                                   2008
                 1
## # ... with 10,190 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
```

arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,

origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,

minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm> ## #

2. Flew to Houston (IAH or HOU)

```
filter(flights, dest %in% c("IAH", "HOU"))
```

```
## # A tibble: 9,313 x 19
##
       year month
                      day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
                              <int>
                                                          <dbl>
      <int> <int> <int>
                                               <int>
                                                                    <int>
##
    1 2013
                                517
                                                 515
                                                             2.
                                                                      830
                        1
    2 2013
##
                 1
                        1
                                533
                                                 529
                                                             4.
                                                                      850
##
       2013
                        1
                                623
                                                 627
                                                            -4.
                                                                      933
                 1
##
    4 2013
                                                            -4.
                        1
                                728
                                                 732
                                                                     1041
                 1
##
    5 2013
                                739
                                                 739
                                                             0.
                                                                     1104
    6 2013
##
                                908
                                                 908
                                                             0.
                                                                     1228
                 1
                        1
##
    7
       2013
                        1
                               1028
                                                1026
                                                             2.
                 1
                                                                     1350
##
    8 2013
                 1
                        1
                               1044
                                                1045
                                                                     1352
                                                            -1.
    9
       2013
                                                           134.
##
                 1
                        1
                               1114
                                                 900
                                                                     1447
## 10 2013
                 1
                        1
                               1205
                                                1200
                                                             5.
                                                                     1503
```

... with 9,303 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,

arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,

```
origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
  3. Departed in summer (July, August, and September)
filter(flights, month >= 7, month <= 9)</pre>
## # A tibble: 86,326 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                             <int>
                                             <int>
                                                       <dbl>
                                                                 <int>
    1 2013
##
                 7
                                              2029
                                                        212.
                                                                   236
                       1
                                 1
       2013
                 7
##
    2
                       1
                                 2
                                              2359
                                                          3.
                                                                   344
##
    3 2013
                 7
                                29
                       1
                                              2245
                                                        104.
                                                                   151
   4 2013
##
                 7
                       1
                                43
                                              2130
                                                        193.
                                                                   322
                 7
##
    5 2013
                       1
                                44
                                              2150
                                                        174.
                                                                   300
##
    6 2013
                 7
                       1
                                46
                                              2051
                                                        235.
                                                                   304
                 7
##
   7 2013
                       1
                                48
                                              2001
                                                        287.
                                                                   308
##
    8 2013
                 7
                                              2155
                                                                   335
                       1
                                58
                                                        183.
                 7
##
    9
       2013
                       1
                               100
                                              2146
                                                        194.
                                                                   327
## 10 2013
                 7
                               100
                                              2245
                                                        135.
                       1
                                                                   337
## # ... with 86,316 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
# also correct:
# filter(flights, between(month, 7, 9))
# filter(flights, month in c(7,8,9))
  4. Arrived more than two hours late, but didn't leave late
filter(flights, dep_delay <= 0, arr_delay > 120)
## # A tibble: 29 x 19
##
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
       year month
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                             <int>
                                             <int>
                                                       <dbl>
                                                                 <int>
##
   1 2013
                      27
                              1419
                                              1420
                                                         -1.
                                                                  1754
                 1
##
    2 2013
                10
                       7
                             1350
                                              1350
                                                          0.
                                                                  1736
##
    3 2013
                       7
                                              1359
                                                         -2.
                10
                              1357
                                                                  1858
##
    4 2013
                10
                      16
                               657
                                               700
                                                          -3.
                                                                  1258
   5 2013
##
                11
                       1
                              658
                                              700
                                                         -2.
                                                                  1329
##
    6 2013
                 3
                      18
                                                         -3.
                                                                    39
                              1844
                                              1847
                                                                  2049
##
    7 2013
                                                         -5.
                 4
                      17
                              1635
                                              1640
##
       2013
                               558
    8
                 4
                      18
                                               600
                                                          -2.
                                                                  1149
##
   9
       2013
                 4
                      18
                               655
                                               700
                                                         -5.
                                                                  1213
## 10 2013
                 5
                      22
                             1827
                                              1830
                                                         -3.
                                                                  2217
## # ... with 19 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched arr time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
# these are also correct (the !is.na condition is more explicit but redundant):
# filter(flights, !is.na(dep_delay), dep_delay <= 0, arr_delay > 120)
# filter(flights, !is.na(dep_delay) & dep_delay <= 0 & arr_delay > 120)
```

5. Were delayed by at least an hour, but made up over 30 minutes in flight

```
filter(flights, dep_delay >= 60, dep_delay - arr_delay > 30)
## # A tibble: 1,844 x 19
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
       year month
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                             <int>
                                            <int>
                                                       <dbl>
                                                                 <int>
##
    1 2013
                 1
                       1
                             2205
                                              1720
                                                        285.
                                                                    46
##
    2 2013
                       1
                             2326
                                             2130
                                                        116.
                                                                   131
                 1
##
   3 2013
                       3
                 1
                             1503
                                              1221
                                                        162.
                                                                  1803
##
   4 2013
                       3
                             1839
                                             1700
                                                         99.
                                                                  2056
                 1
                       3
##
   5 2013
                 1
                             1850
                                              1745
                                                         65.
                                                                  2148
##
   6 2013
                 1
                       3
                             1941
                                             1759
                                                        102.
                                                                  2246
##
   7 2013
                 1
                       3
                             1950
                                              1845
                                                         65.
                                                                  2228
   8 2013
##
                       3
                                              1915
                                                         60.
                                                                  2135
                             2015
                 1
##
    9
       2013
                 1
                       3
                             2257
                                              2000
                                                        177.
                                                                    45
## 10 2013
                       4
                 1
                             1917
                                             1700
                                                        137.
                                                                  2135
## # ... with 1,834 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
# explicit omission of NAs is redundant but might increase readibility
# filter(flights, !is.na(dep_delay),
        dep_delay >= 60, dep_delay - arr_delay > 30)
  6. How many flights have a missing dep_time? What other variables are missing? What might these rows
     represent?
filter(flights, is.na(dep_time))
## # A tibble: 8,255 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                            <int>
                                                       <dbl>
                                                                 <int>
##
   1 2013
                                              1630
                 1
                       1
                               NA
                                                          NA
                                                                    NA
##
    2 2013
                                                                    NA
                 1
                       1
                               NA
                                              1935
                                                          NA
##
    3 2013
                       1
                                             1500
                 1
                               NA
                                                          NA
                                                                    NA
##
   4 2013
                                                          NA
                                                                    NA
                 1
                       1
                               NA
                                              600
##
   5 2013
                       2
                 1
                               NA
                                             1540
                                                          NA
                                                                    NA
##
    6 2013
                       2
                                              1620
                                                                    NA
                 1
                               NA
                                                          ΝA
       2013
                       2
##
    7
                 1
                               NA
                                              1355
                                                          NA
                                                                    NA
                       2
##
   8 2013
                                                                    NA
                 1
                               NA
                                              1420
                                                          NA
##
   9 2013
                       2
                               NA
                                             1321
                                                          NA
                                                                    NA
                 1
                       2
## 10 2013
                 1
                               NA
                                              1545
                                                          NA
                                                                    NA
## # ... with 8,245 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
       minute <dbl>, time hour <dttm>
## #
Since arr_time is also missing, these are canceled flights.
# this is not the tidyverse way:
table(filter(flights, is.na(dep_time)) arr_time, useNA = "always")
## <NA>
## 8255
```

```
# tidyverse way (which we will learn only later in the course)
filter(flights, is.na(dep_time)) %>% count(arr_time)
## # A tibble: 1 x 2
##
     arr_time
                   n
##
        <int> <int>
## 1
           NA 8255
Exercises 3
  1. Sort flights to find the most delayed flights. Find the flights that left earliest
# The most delayed flights are found by sorting by dep_delay in descending order.
# There was a flight delayed more than 21 hours.
arrange(flights, desc(dep_delay))
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
##
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
       year month
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                             <int>
                                             <int>
                                                       <dbl>
                                                                 <int>
                                                                  1242
##
    1 2013
                       9
                              641
                                               900
                                                       1301.
                 1
##
    2 2013
                 6
                      15
                              1432
                                             1935
                                                       1137.
                                                                  1607
##
   3 2013
                      10
                                                       1126.
                 1
                             1121
                                              1635
                                                                  1239
##
   4 2013
                 9
                      20
                             1139
                                              1845
                                                       1014.
                                                                  1457
   5 2013
##
                 7
                      22
                              845
                                                       1005.
                                              1600
                                                                  1044
    6 2013
##
                 4
                      10
                             1100
                                             1900
                                                        960.
                                                                  1342
##
   7 2013
                 3
                      17
                             2321
                                                        911.
                                                                   135
                                              810
   8 2013
##
                 6
                      27
                              959
                                             1900
                                                        899.
                                                                  1236
##
   9
       2013
                 7
                      22
                              2257
                                               759
                                                        898.
                                                                   121
                       5
                              756
                                             1700
## 10 2013
                12
                                                        896.
                                                                  1058
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
Find the flights that left earliest
# If we sort dep_delay in ascending order, we get those that left earliest.
# There was a flight that left 43 minutes early.
arrange(flights, dep_delay)
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
       year month
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                                                       <dbl>
                            <int>
                                             <int>
                                                                 <int>
   1 2013
                                                        -43.
##
                12
                       7
                              2040
                                             2123
                                                                    40
##
   2 2013
                       3
                                                        -33.
                 2
                             2022
                                             2055
                                                                  2240
   3 2013
##
                11
                      10
                             1408
                                             1440
                                                        -32.
                                                                  1549
   4 2013
##
                                                        -30.
                                                                  2233
                 1
                      11
                             1900
                                              1930
##
   5 2013
                 1
                      29
                             1703
                                              1730
                                                        -27.
                                                                  1947
##
   6 2013
                 8
                       9
                              729
                                              755
                                                        -26.
                                                                  1002
##
   7 2013
                10
                      23
                             1907
                                             1932
                                                        -25.
                                                                  2143
   8 2013
                                                        -25.
##
                 3
                      30
                              2030
                                              2055
                                                                  2213
##
   9
       2013
                 3
                       2
                                              1455
                                                        -24.
                                                                  1601
                              1431
## 10 2013
                 5
                       5
                              934
                                               958
                                                        -24.
                                                                  1225
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
```

arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,

```
origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
  2. How could you use arrange() to sort all missing values to the start? (Hint: use is.na())
arrange(flights, desc(is.na(dep_time)), dep_time)
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
##
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                             <int>
                                             <int>
                                                        <dbl>
                                                                  <int>
    1 2013
##
                                NA
                                              1630
                                                           NA
                                                                     NA
                 1
                       1
       2013
##
    2
                 1
                       1
                                NA
                                              1935
                                                           NA
                                                                     NA
##
    3 2013
                                                           NA
                 1
                       1
                                NA
                                              1500
                                                                     NA
##
   4 2013
                       1
                                NA
                                               600
                                                           NA
                                                                     NA
                 1
                       2
##
    5 2013
                 1
                                NA
                                              1540
                                                           NA
                                                                     NA
##
    6 2013
                 1
                       2
                                NA
                                              1620
                                                           NA
                                                                     NA
                       2
##
    7 2013
                 1
                                NA
                                              1355
                                                           NA
                                                                     NA
##
    8 2013
                       2
                                              1420
                                                                     NA
                 1
                                NΑ
                                                           NΑ
                       2
##
    9
       2013
                 1
                                NA
                                              1321
                                                           NA
                                                                     NA
## 10 2013
                       2
                                NA
                                              1545
                                                           NA
                 1
                                                                     NA
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
  3. Which flights traveled the longest? Which traveled the shortest?
# The longest flights are the Hawaii Air (HA 51) between JFK and HNL (Honolulu) at 4,983 miles.
arrange(flights, desc(distance))
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
       year month
                     day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                                                        <dbl>
                             <int>
                                             <int>
                                                                  <int>
##
    1 2013
                 1
                       1
                               857
                                               900
                                                          -3.
                                                                   1516
##
   2 2013
                       2
                 1
                               909
                                               900
                                                           9.
                                                                   1525
##
   3 2013
                 1
                       3
                               914
                                               900
                                                          14.
                                                                   1504
    4 2013
                       4
##
                 1
                               900
                                               900
                                                           0.
                                                                   1516
                       5
##
    5 2013
                               858
                                               900
                                                          -2.
                                                                   1519
                 1
##
    6 2013
                 1
                       6
                              1019
                                               900
                                                          79.
                                                                   1558
##
    7 2013
                       7
                              1042
                                               900
                                                         102.
                                                                   1620
                 1
##
    8
       2013
                 1
                       8
                               901
                                               900
                                                           1.
                                                                   1504
##
    9
       2013
                       9
                               641
                                               900
                                                        1301.
                                                                   1242
                 1
## 10 2013
                      10
                               859
                                               900
                                                          -1.
                                                                   1449
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
We will use later how to use the pipe which is handy for plausibility checking and printing all columns:
We can use the head() function to take the first row and glimpse() to print all columns:
arrange(flights, desc(distance)) %>% head(n=1) %>% glimpse()
## Observations: 1
## Variables: 19
## $ year
                     <int> 2013
## $ month
                     <int> 1
## $ day
                     <int> 1
```

```
## $ dep time
                    <int> 857
## $ sched_dep_time <int> 900
## $ dep delay
                     <dbl> -3
## $ arr_time
                     <int> 1516
## $ sched_arr_time <int> 1530
## $ arr delay
                     <dbl> -14
## $ carrier
                    <chr> "HA"
## $ flight
                    <int> 51
## $ tailnum
                    <chr> "N380HA"
## $ origin
                    <chr> "JFK"
                    <chr> "HNL"
## $ dest
                     <dbl> 659
## $ air_time
## $ distance
                     <dbl> 4983
## $ hour
                     <dbl> 9
## $ minute
                     <dbl> 0
## $ time_hour
                     <dttm> 2013-01-01 09:00:00
Alternatively, we can use the print() function (width = Inf to show all columns)
arrange(flights, desc(distance)) %>% print(., n=1, width = Inf)
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
                   day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
      vear month
##
     <int> <int> <int>
                           <int>
                                           <int>
                                                     <dbl>
                                                               <int>
## 1 2013
                             857
                                            900
                                                       -3.
                                                                1516
##
     sched_arr_time arr_delay carrier flight tailnum origin dest air_time
                         <dbl> <chr>
                                        <int> <chr>
##
              <int>
                                                       <chr>
                                                              <chr>>
                                                                        <dbl>
                          -14. HA
## 1
               1530
                                            51 N380HA JFK
                                                              HNL
                                                                         659.
     distance hour minute time hour
                     <dbl> <dttm>
##
        <dbl> <dbl>
        4983.
                 9.
                         0. 2013-01-01 09:00:00
## # ... with 3.368e+05 more rows
Which traveled the shortest?
# Apart from an EWR to LGA flight that was canceled, the shortest flights are
# the Envoy Air Flights between EWR and PHL at 80 miles.
arrange(flights, distance)
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 19
##
                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time
       year month
##
      <int> <int> <int>
                            <int>
                                                      <dbl>
                                            <int>
##
   1 2013
                7
                      27
                               NA
                                              106
                                                        NA
                                                                   NA
   2 2013
                       3
##
                1
                             2127
                                            2129
                                                        -2.
                                                                 2222
## 3 2013
                       4
                             1240
                                            1200
                                                        40.
                                                                1333
                1
## 4 2013
                1
                       4
                             1829
                                            1615
                                                       134.
                                                                 1937
##
  5 2013
                       4
                1
                             2128
                                            2129
                                                        -1.
                                                                2218
##
   6 2013
                1
                       5
                             1155
                                            1200
                                                        -5.
                                                                1241
##
   7 2013
                       6
                                                                 2224
                1
                             2125
                                             2129
                                                        -4.
                       7
##
   8 2013
                             2124
                                             2129
                                                        -5.
                                                                 2212
                1
##
  9 2013
                1
                       8
                             2127
                                            2130
                                                        -3.
                                                                2304
## 10 2013
                1
                       9
                             2126
                                             2129
                                                        -3.
                                                                 2217
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 12 more variables: sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
```

Exercises 4

1. Brainstorm as many ways as possible to select dep_time, dep_delay, arr_time, and arr_delay from flights.

```
select(flights, dep_time, dep_delay, arr_time, arr_delay)
select(flights, starts_with("dep_"), starts_with("arr_"))
select(flights, matches("^(dep|arr)_(time|delay)$"))
# using ends_with() doesn't work well since it would return both sched_arr_time and sched_dep_time.
# also the base R subsetting with square brackets works:
flights[, c("dep_time", "dep_delay", "arr_time", "arr_delay")]
```

2. What happens if you include the name of a variable multiple times in a select() call?

```
select(flights, year, month, day, year, year)
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 3
##
       year month
##
      <int> <int> <int>
##
       2013
    1
                 1
                        1
##
    2
       2013
                 1
                        1
    3 2013
##
                        1
                 1
##
    4 2013
                 1
##
    5 2013
                        1
                 1
       2013
##
    6
                 1
##
    7
       2013
                 1
                        1
##
    8
       2013
                 1
                        1
    9
       2013
##
                 1
                        1
## 10 2013
                 1
                        1
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
```

It ignores the duplicates, and that variable is only included once. No error, warning, or message is emitted.

3. Does the result of running the following code surprise you? How do the select helpers deal with case by default? How can you change that default?

```
# The default behavior for contains() is to ignore case.
select(flights, contains("TIME"))
```

```
##
  # A tibble: 336,776 x 6
##
      dep_time sched_dep_time arr_time sched_arr_time air_time
##
         <int>
                          <int>
                                    <int>
                                                     <int>
                                                               <dbl>
##
    1
            517
                            515
                                      830
                                                       819
                                                                227.
##
    2
            533
                            529
                                      850
                                                       830
                                                                227.
    3
                            540
##
            542
                                      923
                                                       850
                                                                160.
##
    4
            544
                            545
                                     1004
                                                      1022
                                                                183.
##
    5
            554
                            600
                                      812
                                                       837
                                                                116.
##
    6
            554
                            558
                                      740
                                                       728
                                                                150.
##
    7
            555
                            600
                                      913
                                                       854
                                                                158.
                            600
##
    8
            557
                                      709
                                                       723
                                                                 53.
##
    9
            557
                            600
                                      838
                                                       846
                                                                140.
                            600
## 10
            558
                                      753
                                                       745
                                                                138.
## # ... with 336,766 more rows, and 1 more variable: time_hour <dttm>
select(flights, contains("TIME", ignore.case = FALSE))
```

A tibble: 336,776 x 0

Exercises 5

1. Currently dep_time and sched_dep_time are convenient to look at, but hard to compute with because they're not really continuous numbers. Convert them to a more convenient representation of number of minutes since midnight.

Actual departure and arrival times, local time zone. It seems they are not minutes as values between 60 and 99 are missing (but the variable description could be better).

To get the departure times in the number of minutes, (integer) divide dep_time by 100 to get the hours since midnight and multiply by 60 and add the remainder of dep_time divided by 100.

```
mutate(flights,
         dep_time_mins = dep_time %/% 100 * 60 + dep_time %% 100,
         sched_dep_time_mins = sched_dep_time %/% 100 * 60 + sched_dep_time %/% 100) %>%
    select(dep_time, dep_time_mins, sched_dep_time, sched_dep_time_mins)
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##
      dep_time dep_time_mins sched_dep_time sched_dep_time_mins
##
          <int>
                         <dbl>
                                          <int>
                                                                 <dbl>
##
    1
            517
                           317.
                                            515
                                                                  315.
    2
            533
                           333.
                                            529
                                                                  329.
##
                           342.
                                             540
                                                                  340.
##
    3
            542
##
    4
            544
                           344.
                                            545
                                                                  345.
##
    5
            554
                           354.
                                             600
                                                                  360.
##
    6
            554
                           354.
                                            558
                                                                  358.
    7
                                             600
##
            555
                           355.
                                                                  360.
##
   8
            557
                           357.
                                            600
                                                                  360.
##
    9
            557
                           357.
                                             600
                                                                  360.
            558
                           358.
## 10
                                             600
                                                                  360.
  # ... with 336,766 more rows
```

The clean way is to define a function first and then to reuse it.

```
time2mins <- function(x) {
   x %/% 100 * 60 + x %% 100
}
mutate(flights,
          dep_time_mins = time2mins(dep_time),
          sched_dep_time_mins = time2mins(sched_dep_time)) %>%
select(dep_time, dep_time_mins, sched_dep_time, sched_dep_time_mins)
```

```
## # A tibble: 336,776 x 4
##
      dep_time dep_time_mins sched_dep_time sched_dep_time_mins
##
          <int>
                          <dbl>
                                           <int>
                                                                 <dbl>
##
    1
            517
                           317.
                                             515
                                                                  315.
##
    2
            533
                           333.
                                             529
                                                                  329.
                           342.
                                             540
##
    3
            542
                                                                  340.
##
    4
            544
                           344.
                                             545
                                                                  345.
    5
                                             600
##
            554
                           354.
                                                                  360.
##
    6
            554
                           354.
                                             558
                                                                  358.
##
    7
            555
                           355.
                                             600
                                                                  360.
##
    8
            557
                           357.
                                             600
                                                                  360.
##
    9
            557
                           357.
                                             600
                                                                  360.
                                             600
## 10
            558
                           358.
                                                                  360.
## # ... with 336,766 more rows
```

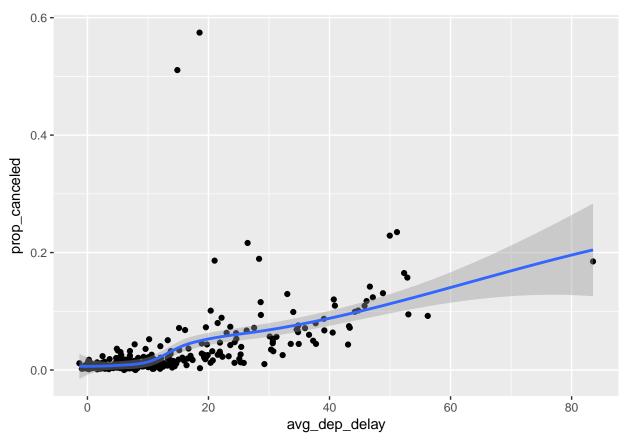
2. Find the 10 most delayed flights using a ranking function. How do you want to handle ties? Carefully read the documentation for min rank().

```
# We want to handle ties by taking the minimum of tied values.
# If three flights are have the same value and are the most delayed,
# we would say they are tied for first, not tied for third or second.
mutate(flights,
       dep_delay_rank = min_rank(-dep_delay)) %>%
filter(dep_delay_rank <= 10) %>%
arrange(dep delay rank) %>%
select(dep_delay_rank, everything())
## # A tibble: 10 x 20
##
      dep_delay_rank year month
                                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay
##
               <int> <int> <int> <int>
                                           <int>
                                                          <int>
                                                                     <dbl>
                                                            900
                                                                     1301.
##
   1
                   1
                      2013
                               1
                                     9
                                             641
##
   2
                   2 2013
                               6
                                     15
                                            1432
                                                           1935
                                                                    1137.
##
   3
                   3
                      2013
                               1
                                    10
                                            1121
                                                           1635
                                                                    1126.
##
   4
                   4
                      2013
                               9
                                    20
                                            1139
                                                           1845
                                                                     1014.
##
  5
                   5 2013
                               7
                                    22
                                             845
                                                           1600
                                                                     1005.
##
                   6 2013
                                                                     960.
  6
                               4
                                    10
                                            1100
                                                           1900
##
  7
                   7 2013
                               3
                                    17
                                            2321
                                                                     911.
                                                            810
                                    27
##
   8
                   8 2013
                               6
                                             959
                                                           1900
                                                                     899.
##
  9
                   9 2013
                               7
                                     22
                                            2257
                                                            759
                                                                     898.
## 10
                  10 2013
                              12
                                     5
                                             756
                                                           1700
                                                                     896.
## # ... with 13 more variables: arr_time <int>, sched_arr_time <int>,
       arr_delay <dbl>, carrier <chr>, flight <int>, tailnum <chr>,
## #
       origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <dbl>, distance <dbl>, hour <dbl>,
## #
       minute <dbl>, time_hour <dttm>
```

Exercises 6

1. Look at the number of canceled flights per day. Is there a pattern? Is the proportion of canceled flights related to the average delay?

`geom_smooth()` using method = 'loess'



```
\# `geom_smooth()` using method = 'loess' and formula 'y ~ x'
```

2. Which carrier has the worst delays? Challenge: can you disentangle the effects of bad airports vs. bad carriers? Why/why not? (Hint: think about flights %>% group_by(carrier, dest) %>% summarise(n()))

```
flights %>%
  group_by(carrier) %>%
  summarise(arr_delay = mean(arr_delay, na.rm = TRUE)) %>%
  arrange(desc(arr_delay))
```

```
## # A tibble: 16 x 2
##
      carrier arr_delay
      <chr>
                   <dbl>
##
##
    1 F9
                  21.9
##
    2 FL
                  20.1
##
    3 EV
                  15.8
                  15.6
##
    4 YV
    5 00
                  11.9
##
##
    6 MQ
                  10.8
##
    7 WN
                   9.65
    8 B6
                   9.46
##
##
    9 9E
                   7.38
## 10 UA
                   3.56
## 11 US
                   2.13
## 12 VX
                   1.76
## 13 DL
                   1.64
## 14 AA
                   0.364
```

```
## 15 HA
                 -6.92
## 16 AS
                 -9.93
filter(airlines, carrier == "F9")
## # A tibble: 1 x 2
     carrier name
##
##
     <chr>
             <chr>
## 1 F9
             Frontier Airlines Inc.
```

Frontier Airlines (FL) has the worst delays.

You can get part of the way to disentangling the effects of airports vs. carriers by comparing each flight's delay to the average delay of destination airport. However, you'd really want to compare it to the average delay of the destination airport, after removing other flights from the same airline. But this is beyond the scope of this tutorial.

3. (advanced) For each plane, count the number of flights before the first delay of greater than 1 hour.

```
flights %>%
  arrange(tailnum, year, month, day) %>%
  group_by(tailnum) %>%
  mutate(delay_gt1hr = dep_delay > 60) %>%
  mutate(before_delay = cumsum(delay_gt1hr)) %>%
  filter(before_delay < 1) %>%
  count(sort = TRUE)
## # A tibble: 3,755 x 2
## # Groups:
               tailnum [3,755]
##
      tailnum
                  n
##
      <chr>
              <int>
##
    1 N954UW
                 206
##
    2 N952UW
                 163
##
    3 N957UW
                 142
   4 N5FAAA
##
                 117
##
    5 N38727
                 99
##
    6 N3742C
                 98
   7 N5EWAA
                 98
                 97
##
    8 N705TW
   9 N765US
                 97
##
## 10 N635JB
                  94
## # ... with 3,745 more rows
```