

# Activity 1: Exploratory Data Analysis

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As the exercise suggested, initial analysis of the data was performed. The data was loaded using

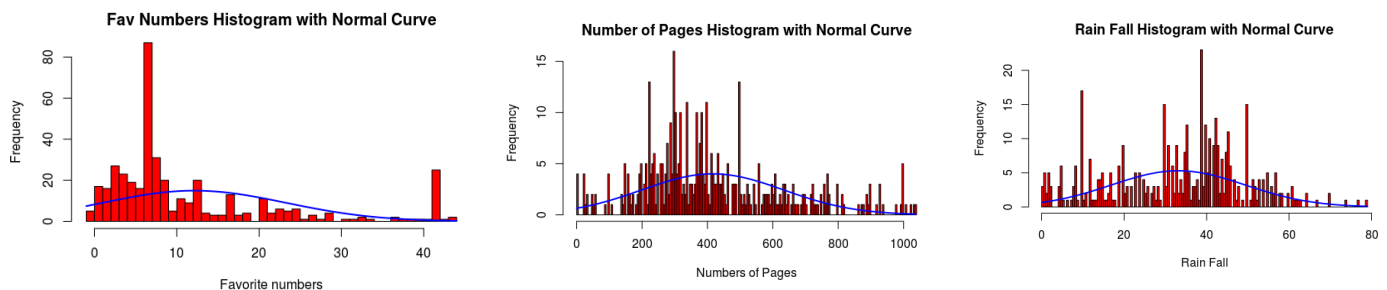
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survey = read.csv('ac1_survey.csv', stringsAsFactors=FALSE)
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The data had dimension of [530, 8]. Here “8” represents the features columns. The following were the feature columns present in the dataset.

"Feature (Column) Information"  
"Timestamp"  
"What.is.your.favorite.number."  
"What.was.the.maximum.temperature.in.your.area.yesterday."  
"What.is.the.name.of.your.favorite.comic.book.character."  
"What.genre.of.music.do.you.like.to.listen.to."  
"How.much.total.rainfall.did.your.city.region.receive.in.2016...in.inches."  
"What.is.the.title.of.the.book.that.you.are.reading..or.last.read.."  
"How.many.pages.are.there.in.that.book."

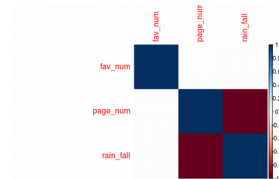
In order to understand more about the features, head and str commands were used to display sample data information of each features. To proceed further with analysis, data cleaning is required. Here for this activity, only features with integers are considered. To filter data to contain only integers, **na.omit and is.finite** was used.

Sample hist plot of the data is shown below.



Further, these information was used to find the correlation between them. The correlation information between favorite number, Number of pages in the book and rain fall in the region is shown below.

|           | fav_num      | page_num     | rain_fall    |
|-----------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| fav_num   | 1            | -0.003247092 | 0.003147507  |
| page_num  | -0.003247092 | 1            | -0.999665371 |
| rain_fall | 0.003147507  | -0.999665371 | 1            |



As seen from the table, there is no correlation between favorite number and page number. But there is a negative correlation between page number and rain\_fall. This implies that if there is a increase rain fall, then number of pages of the book used for reading decreased and vice versa.