Basic statistics

TK

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```
library(rtweet)
library(dplyr)
library(ggplot2)
```

Explore retrieved data

This session introduces how to extract specific information from retrieved data collected via rtweet. When you collect tweets via rtweet, it automatically parse nested lists (json format) returned from Twitter and create a data.frame which is convenient form to handle the data in R. If you set parse = FALSE when you request data, rtweet gives you data in nest lists. According to rtweet,

By default, the rtweet parse process returns nearly all bits of information returned from Twitter. However, users may occasionally encounter new or omitted variables. In these rare cases, the nested list object will be the only way to access these variables.

Let's take a look at actual data returned from Twitter. This example uses 10 recent tweets of Mr.Presidentelect, Joe Biden (collected at 2nd December). In this case, Twitter first return *Tweet Object* (https://developer.twitter.com/en/docs/twitter-api/v1/data-dictionary/overview/tweet-object) and rtweet parse and store the information into a data.base.

```
tweets <- get_timelines('JoeBiden', n = 10)
save(tweets, file = "biden_recent_10.RData")</pre>
```

Now let's check what we have now in object tweets.

```
load("biden_recent_10.RData")
```

```
dim(tweets) # We have 90 cols.
```

```
## [1] 10 90
```

```
head(tweets[,c(1:5)])
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 × 5
##
     user_id status_id
                                                      screen_name text
                                 created_at
     <chr>
            <chr>
                                 <dttm>
                                                      <chr>
##
                                                                  <chr>
## 1 939091 1333960074650218496 2020-12-02 02:24:00 JoeBiden
                                                                   "Today, I was pro...
## 2 939091 1333957282502160384 2020-12-02 02:12:54 JoeBiden
                                                                   "Statement by Pre...
## 3 939091 1333957233948897287 2020-12-02 02:12:42 JoeBiden
                                                                  "Rosa Parks spark...
## 4 939091 1333915027821240323 2020-12-01 23:25:00 JoeBiden
                                                                  "This World AIDS ...
## 5 939091 1333879041074417664 2020-12-01 21:02:00 JoeBiden
                                                                  "50 days until we...
## 6 939091 1333856391841386498 2020-12-01 19:32:00 JoeBiden
                                                                   "My message to ev...
```

names(tweets)

```
##
    [1] "user id"
                                   "status id"
##
                                    "screen name"
    [3] "created at"
                                   "source"
##
    [5] "text"
##
    [7] "display_text_width"
                                   "reply_to_status_id"
##
    [9] "reply to user id"
                                   "reply to screen name"
## [11] "is quote"
                                   "is retweet"
## [13] "favorite count"
                                   "retweet count"
## [15] "quote count"
                                   "reply count"
## [17] "hashtags"
                                    "symbols"
## [19] "urls_url"
                                   "urls_t.co"
## [21] "urls expanded url"
                                   "media url"
## [23] "media t.co"
                                    "media expanded url"
## [25] "media type"
                                   "ext media url"
                                   "ext_media_expanded_url"
## [27] "ext_media_t.co"
## [29] "ext media type"
                                   "mentions user id"
## [31] "mentions screen name"
                                   "lang"
## [33] "quoted status id"
                                   "quoted text"
## [35] "quoted_created_at"
                                    "quoted source"
## [37] "quoted_favorite_count"
                                    "quoted_retweet_count"
## [39] "quoted user id"
                                   "quoted screen name"
## [41] "quoted name"
                                   "quoted followers count"
## [43] "quoted friends count"
                                   "quoted statuses count"
## [45] "quoted_location"
                                    "quoted description"
## [47] "quoted verified"
                                   "retweet status id"
## [49] "retweet text"
                                    "retweet created at"
## [51] "retweet source"
                                    "retweet favorite count"
                                   "retweet user id"
## [53] "retweet retweet count"
## [55] "retweet screen name"
                                   "retweet name"
## [57] "retweet_followers_count" "retweet_friends_count"
## [59] "retweet statuses count"
                                    "retweet location"
## [61] "retweet description"
                                   "retweet verified"
## [63] "place_url"
                                   "place name"
## [65] "place_full_name"
                                   "place_type"
## [67] "country"
                                   "country code"
## [69] "geo coords"
                                   "coords coords"
## [71] "bbox coords"
                                   "status url"
## [73] "name"
                                   "location"
                                   "url"
## [75] "description"
                                   "followers count"
## [77] "protected"
## [79] "friends_count"
                                   "listed count"
## [81] "statuses_count"
                                   "favourites_count"
## [83] "account_created_at"
                                   "verified"
## [85] "profile url"
                                   "profile expanded url"
## [87] "account lang"
                                   "profile banner url"
## [89] "profile background url"
                                   "profile image url"
```

Basic information on tweets

```
field <- c("created_at", "screen_name", "text","is_retweet", "is_quote", "favorite_
count", "reply_to_screen_name", "text")
print(tweets[1,field], width = Inf)</pre>
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 × 8
##
     created at
                          screen name
##
     <dttm>
                          <chr>>
## 1 2020-12-02 02:24:00 JoeBiden
##
     text
     <chr>
##
## 1 "Today, I was proud to announce key nominations and appointments for critical...
     is_retweet is_quote favorite_count reply_to_screen_name
##
##
     <lgl>
                <lql>
                                   <int> <lgl>
## 1 FALSE
                FALSE
                                   24811 NA
##
     text
##
     <chr>
## 1 "Today, I was proud to announce key nominations and appointments for critical...
```

User information

Information about an author of a tweet is also included.

```
field <- c("user_id", "screen_name", "friends_count", "followers_count")
field2 <- 73
print(tweets[1,field], width = Inf)</pre>
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 × 4

## user_id screen_name friends_count followers_count

## <chr> <chr> <int> <int>
## 1 939091 JoeBiden 31 20377702
```

```
print(tweets[1,c(73:dim(tweets)[2])], width = Inf)
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 × 18
##
     name
               location
     <chr>
               <chr>
##
## 1 Joe Biden Wilmington, DE
##
     description
##
     <chr>
## 1 President-elect, husband to @DrBiden, proud father & grandfather. Ready to bu...
##
     url
                              protected followers count friends count listed count
##
     <chr>
                                                   <int>
                                                                 <int>
                                                                               <int>
## 1 https://t.co/UClrPuJpyZ FALSE
                                               20377702
                                                                               29827
                                                                    31
##
     statuses count favourites count account created at verified
##
              <int>
                               <int> <dttm>
## 1
               6886
                                   20 2007-03-11 17:51:24 TRUE
##
     profile_url
                              profile_expanded_url account_lang
##
     <chr>
                                                   <lql>
## 1 https://t.co/UClrPuJpyZ http://joebiden.com NA
##
     profile banner url
##
     <chr>
## 1 https://pbs.twimg.com/profile_banners/939091/1604514209
##
     profile background url
##
     <chr>
## 1 http://abs.twimg.com/images/themes/theme1/bg.png
##
     profile_image_url
##
     <chr>
## 1 http://pbs.twimg.com/profile images/1308769664240160770/AfgzWVE7 normal.jpg
```

Retweet, Quote

In twitter, there are two ways to pass along other's tweets: retweet and quote. When you simply share tweets posted by others (or your own tweets), that is retweet. When you add additional comments, it becomes quote.

Let's check which tweets are retweets or quotes.

```
# Is this retweet or quote?
tweets[,"is_retweet"]
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 × 1
##
      is retweet
      <lgl>
##
##
    1 FALSE
##
    2 TRUE
    3 TRUE
##
##
    4 FALSE
##
    5 FALSE
##
    6 FALSE
##
    7 FALSE
##
    8 FALSE
##
   9 FALSE
## 10 FALSE
```

```
tweets[,"is_quote"]
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 × 1
##
      is quote
      <1g1>
##
    1 FALSE
##
##
    2 FALSE
##
    3 FALSE
    4 FALSE
##
    5 FALSE
##
    6 FALSE
##
    7 FALSE
##
##
    8 TRUE
##
    9 FALSE
## 10 FALSE
```

Okay, so second tweets and eighth tweet are retweet and quote tweet, respectively.

```
# Is this retweet or quote?
tweets[2, 'text']
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 × 1
## text
## <chr>
## 1 Statement by President-elect Biden on the U.S. Supreme Court case on the Cens...
```

```
tweets[8, 'text']
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 × 1
## text
## <chr>
## 1 .@TTDAFLCIO President Larry Willis was a relentless champion for working fami...
```

If a tweet is a retweet or a quote tweet, the information on the original tweet is also included.

```
field <- grep("^retweet", names(tweets))
names(tweets)[field]</pre>
```

```
[1] "retweet count"
                                   "retweet status id"
##
                                   "retweet_created_at"
##
    [3] "retweet_text"
##
    [5] "retweet_source"
                                   "retweet_favorite_count"
##
    [7] "retweet retweet count"
                                   "retweet user id"
##
    [9] "retweet screen name"
                                   "retweet name"
## [11] "retweet followers count" "retweet friends count"
                                   "retweet location"
## [13] "retweet statuses count"
## [15] "retweet description"
                                   "retweet verified"
```

```
print(tweets[2, field], width = Inf)
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 × 16
##
     retweet count retweet status id
##
             <int> <chr>
## 1
              1785 1333948826512728064
##
     retweet text
##
     <chr>>
## 1 Statement by President-elect Biden on the U.S. Supreme Court case on the Cens...
##
     retweet created at retweet source retweet favorite count
##
     <dttm>
                          <chr>
                                                            <int>
## 1 2020-12-02 01:39:18 Twitter Web App
                                                            12340
##
     retweet_retweet_count retweet_user_id
                                                 retweet screen name
##
                      <int> <chr>
                                                 <chr>
## 1
                       1785 1323730225067339784 Transition46
                                           retweet followers count
##
     retweet name
##
     <chr>>
                                                              <int>
## 1 Biden-Harris Presidential Transition
                                                            1081457
##
     retweet friends count retweet statuses count retweet location
##
                      <int>
                                              <int> <chr>
## 1
                         24
                                                 86 United States of America
##
     retweet_description
##
     <chr>
## 1 The official account of the Biden-Harris presidential transition.
##
     retweet verified
##
     <lql>
## 1 TRUE
```

```
field <- grep("^quote", names(tweets))
names(tweets)[field]</pre>
```

```
[1] "quote_count"
                                                             "quoted_text"
##
                                   "quoted status id"
                                   "quoted source"
##
    [4] "quoted created at"
                                                             "quoted favorite count"
    [7] "quoted retweet count"
                                   "quoted user id"
                                                             "quoted screen name"
##
## [10] "quoted name"
                                                             "quoted friends count"
                                   "quoted followers count"
                                  "quoted location"
## [13] "quoted statuses count"
                                                             "quoted description"
## [16] "quoted verified"
```

```
print(tweets[8, field], width = Inf)
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 × 16
##
     quote count quoted status id
##
           <int> <chr>
## 1
              NA 1333428832368427008
##
     quoted_text
##
     <chr>
## 1 Yesterday, with his wife and daughter by his side, TTD president Larry Willis...
     quoted created at
                                           quoted_favorite_count quoted_retweet_count
##
                          quoted source
                                                            <int>
##
     <dttm>
                          <chr>
                                                                                  <int>
## 1 2020-11-30 15:13:02 Twitter Web App
                                                              515
                                                                                     91
                                                               quoted followers_count
##
     quoted user id quoted screen name quoted name
##
     <chr>
                     <chr>
                                         <chr>
                                                                                 <int>
## 1 292552239
                     TTDAFLCIO
                                         Transp. Trades Dept.
                                                                                  3584
     quoted_friends_count quoted_statuses_count quoted_location
##
##
                     <int>
                                            <int> <chr>
## 1
                      1196
                                            16499 Washington, DC
##
     quoted_description
##
## 1 Transportation Trades Department, AFL-CIO | Fighting at the federal level for...
##
     quoted verified
##
     <lql>
## 1 TRUE
```

Exercise

- 1. Collect 100 most recent tweets published from a candidate who ran the German federal election in 2021.
- 2. Find out following information User information
- 2-1. Name, Created date, Location, Profile description
- 2-2. Is this account varified?
- 2-3. How many followers and friends the account have?
- 3. Find out following information Tweet information
- 3-1. How many of tweets are retweets?

- 3-2. How many of tweets are quotes?
- 3-3. How many time their original tweets (not retweet nor quote) are retweeted by others (on average)?

Example: Compare three different accounts' Twitter activity

First, let's collect our exemplary data. We compare three German party's offical account.

```
party.timeline <- get_timelines(c("AfD", "CDU", "spdde"), n = 3000)
save(file = "party_timeline.RData", party.timeline) # save the data if you want</pre>
```

The number of tweets we retrieved

```
# Check the data
head(party.timeline)[,c(1:4)]
```

```
# Table
dim(party.timeline)
```

```
## [1] 8997 90
```

```
table(party.timeline$screen_name)
```

```
##
## AfD CDU spdde
## 3000 2999 2998
```

Basic information about three accounts

```
## # A tibble: 3 × 9
     screen_name `user_id[1]` `name[1]`
                                                                `statuses count[1]`
##
##
     <chr>
                 <chr>
                               <chr>
                                                                              <int>
                               Alternative für 📁 Deutschland
## 1 AfD
                 844081278
                                                                              22096
## 2 CDU
                               CDU Deutschlands
                 20429858
                                                                              24839
## 3 spdde
                 26458162
                               SPD Parteivorstand
                                                                              48980
     `account created_at[1]` `verified[1]` `friends_count[1]` `followers_count[1]`
##
                                                          <int>
     <dttm>
##
                              <lgl>
                                                                                <int>
## 1 2012-09-24 18:43:59
                              TRUE
                                                            893
                                                                               166459
## 2 2009-02-09 11:43:27
                              TRUE
                                                           1603
                                                                               335486
## 3 2009-03-25 08:41:02
                              TRUE
                                                           4076
                                                                               388529
     `description[1]`
##
     <chr>
##
## 1 Offizieller Account der Alternative für Deutschland (#AfD) | Impressum: https...
## 2 Die #CDU ist die Volkspartei der Mitte. Seit 1945. - Redaktion: https://t.co/...
## 3 Tweets aus der Parteizentrale der #SPD. Auf spd.de gibt's alles rund um sozia...
```

Account activity

Original tweets, retweets, quotes, replies

```
twitter_activity <- party.timeline %>%
  group_by(screen_name) %>%
  summarise(n(), sum(is_retweet == TRUE), sum(is_quote == TRUE), sum(is.na(reply_to _user_id) == FALSE)) %>%
  rename("account" = 1, "total" = 2, "retweets" = 3, "quotes" = 4, "replies" = 5)
%>%
  mutate(original = total - (retweets + quotes + replies))

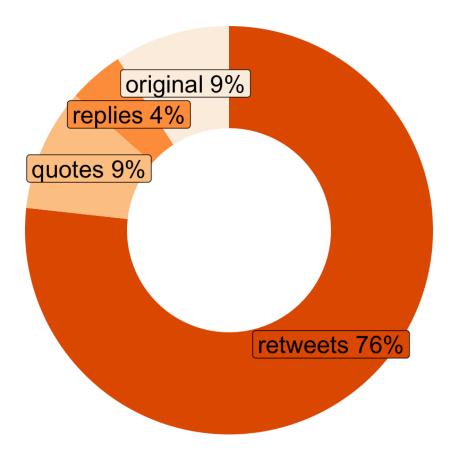
twitter_activity
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 \times 6
##
     account total retweets quotes replies original
##
     <chr>
              <int>
                        <int>
                               <int>
                                        <int>
                                                  <int>
## 1 AfD
               3000
                         1675
                                   55
                                           417
                                                     853
## 2 CDU
               2999
                          486
                                           557
                                                   1439
                                  517
## 3 spdde
               2998
                         2301
                                  291
                                           131
                                                     275
```

```
# Make a chart. spd's activity
# https://www.r-graph-gallery.com/128-ring-or-donut-plot.html
spd_act <- t(twitter_activity[3,3:6]) #transpose
spd_act <- as.data.frame(spd_act)
names(spd_act) <- "n"
spd_act$fract = spd_act$n / sum(spd_act$n)
spd_act$perc = spd_act$fract * 100
spd_act$ymax = cumsum(spd_act$fract)
spd_act$ymin = c(0, head(spd_act$ymax, n = -1))
spd_act$label_pos <- (spd_act$ymax + spd_act$ymin) / 2
spd_act$label = paste0(row.names(spd_act)," ", as.integer(spd_act$perc), "%")
spd_act</pre>
```

```
## retweets 2301 0.76751167 76.751167 0.7675117 0.0000000 0.3837558 retweets 76% ## quotes 291 0.09706471 9.706471 0.8645764 0.7675117 0.8160440 quotes 9% ## replies 131 0.04369580 4.369580 0.9082722 0.8645764 0.8864243 replies 4% original 275 0.09172782 9.172782 1.0000000 0.9082722 0.9541361 original 9%
```

```
ggplot(spd_act, aes(ymax = ymax, ymin = ymin, xmax = 4, xmin = 3, fill = row.names(
spd_act))) +
   geom_rect() +
   geom_label( x=3.5, aes(y = label_pos, label = label), size = 6) +
   scale_fill_brewer(palette = 7) +
   coord_polar(theta="y") +
   xlim(c(2, 4)) +
   theme_void() +
   theme(legend.position = "none")
```



```
ori_tweets <- party.timeline %>%
  filter(is_retweet == FALSE) %>% # remove retweet
  filter(is.na(reply_to_user_id) == TRUE) %>% # Remove replies
  filter(is_quote == FALSE) # remove quote

ori_tweets %>%
  filter(created_at > "2020-06-30") %>%
  group_by(screen_name) %>%
  summarise(n(), sum(retweet_count), mean(retweet_count))
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 × 4
##
     screen_name `n()` `sum(retweet_count)` `mean(retweet_count)`
##
     <chr>
                 <int>
                                                               <dbl>
                                        <int>
## 1 AfD
                                                                84.4
                    264
                                        22280
## 2 CDU
                                                                15.8
                    430
                                         6809
## 3 spdde
                    278
                                         5457
                                                                19.6
```

```
# Most retweeted tweets
top_retweet <- ori_tweets %>%
  group_by(screen_name) %>%
  arrange(desc(retweet_count), .by_group = TRUE) %>%
  summarise(text[1:10], retweet_count[1:10]) %>%
  rename("text" = 2, "retweet_count" = 3)
```

`summarise()` has grouped output by 'screen_name'. You can override using the `.
groups` argument.

```
print(top_retweet, n = Inf)
```

```
## # A tibble: 30 × 3
## # Groups:
               screen name [3]
##
      screen name text
                                                                          retweet_count
##
      <chr>
                   <chr>
                                                                                  <int>
##
    1 AfD
                   "Ansprache des #AfD-Bundessprechers Prof. Dr. @Joe...
                                                                                    635
##
    2 AfD
                   "Die Patrioten von @vox es ziehen mit etwa 15% in ...
                                                                                    555
##
    3 AfD
                   "Der Europäische Gerichtshof für Menschenrechte (#...
                                                                                    550
##
    4 AfD
                   "Die #BLM-Bewegung in den USA scheint zu einer ras...
                                                                                    511
##
    5 AfD
                   "#AfD-Bundesvorstand stellt Strafanzeige gegen Kan...
                                                                                    481
                   "Wir brauchen kein #Alkoholverbot und auch keine "...
##
    6 AfD
                                                                                    469
##
    7 AfD
                   "++ Grüne stoppen! Umwelt schützen! ++\nAuch die N...
                                                                                    398
##
    8 AfD
                   "Wir wir gerade erfahren, hat @ FriedrichMerz offe...
                                                                                    380
##
    9 AfD
                   "Diese Nazivergleiche etwa eines Peter Frey vom @Z...
                                                                                    357
## 10 AfD
                   "++ 4. Jahrestag der eigenmächtigen Grenzöffnung...
                                                                                     3
57
                   "Die CDU wird 75. 🌇 Wir erinnern in 120 Sekunden a...
## 11 CDU
23
## 12 CDU
                   "Zum #ff unsere Tipps und Empfehlungen, um mit Inf...
                                                                                    373
## 13 CDU
                   "Pressestatement zur Wahl des Ministerpräsidenten ...
                                                                                    283
## 14 CDU
                   "Morgen vor 15 Jahren wurde Angela #Merkel zur ers...
                                                                                    198
## 15 CDU
                   "Bundeskanzlerin #Merkel: "Niemand hört es gerne, ...
                                                                                    197
                   "Vor 67 Jahren wurde der DDR-Volksaufstand brutal ...
## 16 CDU
                                                                                    152
## 17 CDU
                   "Zu unserer Haltung gegenüber AfD und Linkspartei ...
                                                                                    152
## 18 CDU
                   " Wir wünschen Ihnen alles Gute zum Geburtstag, 1...
                                                                                     1
39
## 19 CDU
                   ".@paulziemiak im #Bundestag: Wir gedenken heute d...
                                                                                    137
## 20 CDU
                   "Helmut Kohls Leben war ein Leben für 🗾, für 🗾 u...
                                                                                     11
5
                   "Er war der erste Vorsitzende der wiedervereinigte...
## 21 spdde
                                                                                    427
## 22 spdde
                   "Die Bilder sind bestürzend und beschämend: Reichs...
                                                                                    200
                   "Congrats, Joe and Kamala! 😜 🛒 Das Ergebnis der ...
## 23 spdde
                                                                                      1
63
## 24 spdde
                   "Wir sind geschockt von dem plötzlichen Tod von Th...
                                                                                    152
## 25 spdde
                   ""Jemand, der sich beleidigt zurückzieht, weil er …
                                                                                    149
                   "Wir trauern heute um die 77 Menschen, die vor neu…
## 26 spdde
                                                                                    123
## 27 spdde
                   "Gute Neuigkeiten! Das #Kurzarbeitergeld wird verl...
                                                                                     97
                   "\"Wir wollen einen Sozialstaat. Wir wollen Respek...
## 28 spdde
                                                                                     92
## 29 spdde
                   ""Es ist meine Aufgabe als Parteichefin der SPD, b...
                                                                                     70
## 30 spdde
                   "Gegen rechtes Gedankengut kämpfen wir für Euch sc...
                                                                                     69
```

Plot frequency of tweets

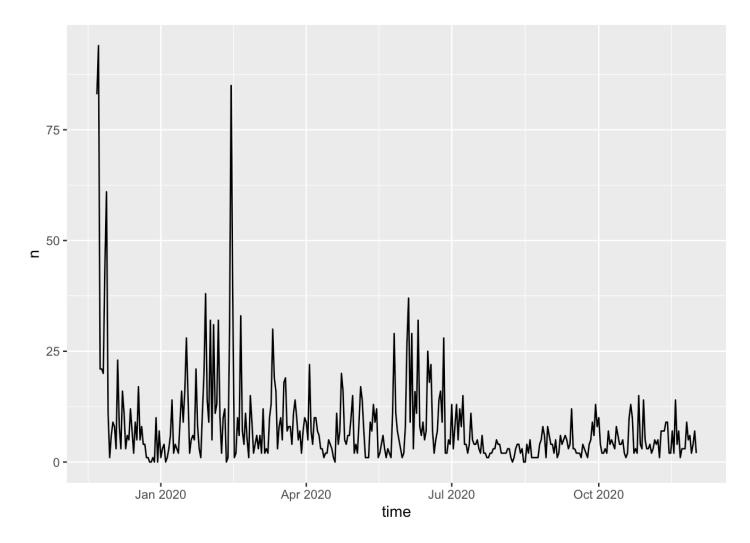
Static plot

Plotting help us to grasp the trend of tweets. rtweet provides function to do it quickly. Let's generate number of daily tweets and plot it.

```
# Get daily stats of CDU
party.timeline %>%
  filter(screen_name == "CDU") %>%
  ts_data
```

```
## # A tibble: 376 × 2
##
      time
                               n
##
      <dttm>
                           <int>
   1 2019-11-22 00:00:00
##
                              83
    2 2019-11-23 00:00:00
                              94
##
##
    3 2019-11-24 00:00:00
                              21
   4 2019-11-25 00:00:00
                              21
##
   5 2019-11-26 00:00:00
                              20
##
##
   6 2019-11-27 00:00:00
                              44
## 7 2019-11-28 00:00:00
                              61
## 8 2019-11-29 00:00:00
                              11
## 9 2019-11-30 00:00:00
                               1
## 10 2019-12-01 00:00:00
## # ... with 366 more rows
```

```
# Plot using ts_plot
# ts_plot: Plots tweets data as a time series-like data object
party.timeline %>%
  filter(screen_name == "CDU") %>%
  ts_plot("days") # interval
```



Adding functions from ggplot2, we can make the plot prettier. In this time, let's compare trends of three party accounts.

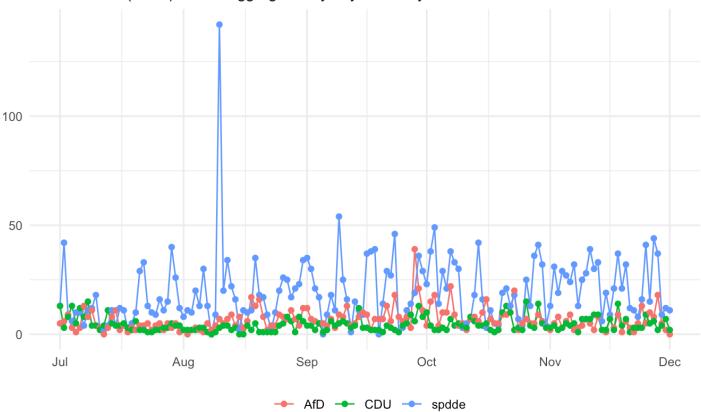
```
min <- party.timeline %>%
  group_by(screen_name) %>%
  summarize(min(created_at))
min
```

```
gr <- party.timeline %>%
  filter(created_at >= "2020-06-30") %>%
  group_by(screen_name)%>%
  summarise(n())
gr
```

```
# plot the frequency of tweets for each user over time
# codes are taken from : https://rtweet.info
p <- party.timeline %>%
  dplyr::filter(created at >= "2020-07-01") %>%
  dplyr::group_by(screen_name) %>%
  ts_plot("days") + # function in rtweet
  ggplot2::geom point() +
  ggplot2::theme minimal() + # minimalistic theme
  ggplot2::theme(
    legend.title = ggplot2::element_blank(), # draws nothing, and assigns no space.
    legend.position = "bottom",
    plot.title = ggplot2::element_text(face = "bold")) + # Font face ("plain", "ita
lic", "bold", "bold.italic")
  ggplot2::labs(
    x = NULL, y = NULL,
    title = "Frequency of Twitter statuses posted by AfD, CDU and SPD",
    subtitle = "Twitter status (tweet) counts aggregated by day from July ",
    caption = "\nSource: Data collected from Twitter's REST API via rtweet"
  )
р
```

Frequency of Twitter statuses posted by AfD, CDU and SPD

Twitter status (tweet) counts aggregated by day from July



Source: Data collected from Twitter's REST API via rtweet

Interactive plot using plotly

This section introduces plotly which help us to generate interactive plots. For more detail about plotly, see plotly documentation (https://plotly.com/r/getting-started/).

```
install.packages("plotly")
library(plotly)

##
## Attaching package: 'plotly'

## The following object is masked from 'package:ggplot2':
##
## last_plot

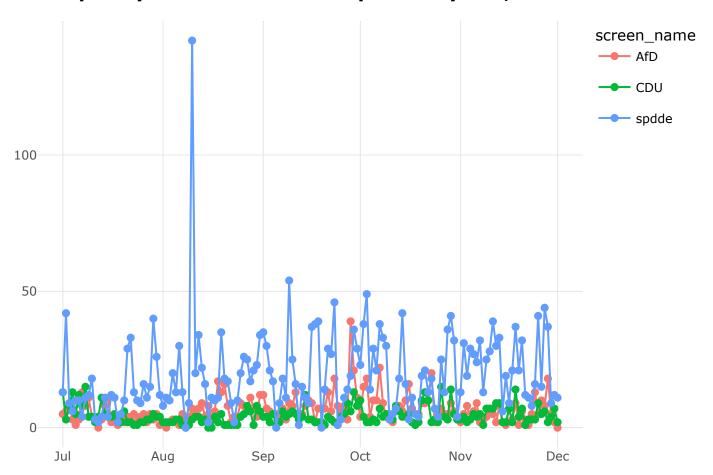
## The following object is masked from 'package:stats':
##
## filter
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:graphics':
##
## layout
```

You can change ggplot to interactive plot using ggplotly().

```
ggplotly(p)
```

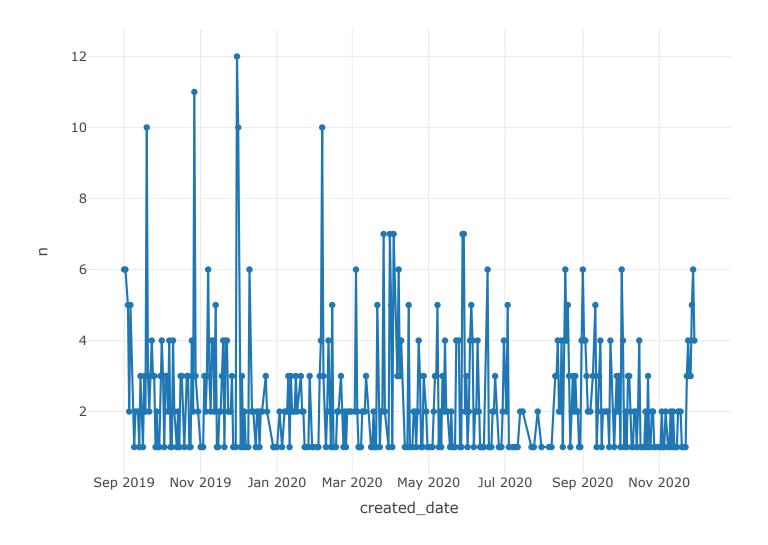
Frequency of Twitter statuses posted by AfD, CDU and SPD



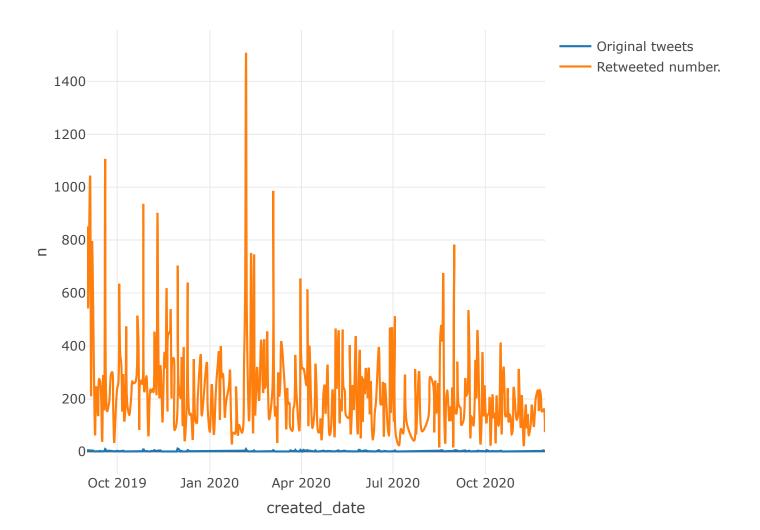
You can also create plot a graph using $plot_ly()$. In this example, let's plot AfD's original tweets' counts and retweet numbers of original tweets (by day). First prepare a data.frame for the plot.

```
fr_daily <- ori_tweets %>%
  filter(screen_name == "AfD") %>%
  mutate("created_date" = as.Date(created_at)) %>%
  group_by(created_date) %>%
  summarise(n(), sum(retweet_count)) %>%
  rename("n" = "n()", "rt_n" = "sum(retweet_count)")

# Plot oritginal tweets' count
plot_ly(data = fr_daily, x = ~created_date, y = ~n, type = 'scatter', mode = 'lines +markers')
```



```
# Now plot both tweets' count and retweet numbers
plot_ly(data = fr_daily, x = ~created_date) %>%
    add_lines(y = ~n,
        name = "Original tweets",
        type = 'scatter',
        mode = 'lines',
        line = list(shape = "linear")) %>%
    add_lines(y = ~rt_n,
        name = "Retweeted number.",
        type = 'scatter',
        mode = 'lines',
        line = list(shape = "spline"),
        connectgaps = TRUE)
```



Above plot does not look good since two lines are overlapped. Let's set two different y axis.

```
ay <- list(</pre>
  tickfont = list(color = "red"),
  overlaying = "y",
  side = "right",
  title = "Retweeted",
  showgrid = FALSE
)
mg <- list(
  1 = 100,
  r = 100,
  b = 100,
  t = 100,
  pad = 4
)
## Plot
p <- plot_ly(data = fr_daily, x = ~created_date) %>%
  add lines(y = \sim n,
            name = "Original tweets",
            type = 'scatter',
            mode = 'lines',
            line = list(shape = "linear")
  ) %>%
  add_lines(y = ~rt_n,
            name = "Retweeted number",
            yaxis = "y2",
            type = 'scatter',
            mode = 'lines',
            line = list(shape = "spline"),
            connectgaps = TRUE
  ) %>%
  layout(
    # title = "Double Y Axis",
    yaxis2 = ay,
    #annotations = anno.day,
    yaxis = list(title = "Original Tweets", range = c(0, 100)),
    xaxis = list(title = "Date",
                 type = 'date',
                 tickformat = "%d %b <br>%Y")
    , legend = list(x = 0, y = 0.9),
    margin = mg
  )
р
```

