Experimental Project for Testing and Practice

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Objective

View different plots of the cleaned Forest Cover data from the previous section to learn more about the data.

Include required libraries.

```
progStart=Sys.time()
print(paste("R script started at",progStart))
```

```
## [1] "R script started at 2018-05-24 09:02:25"
```

```
library(dplyr)
```

```
##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##     filter, lag
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##     intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
```

```
library(ggplot2)
```

Point to data. The forestcover_clean_full.csv is the cleaned data to be graphed.

```
infile="C:/Users/Tom/git/datasciencefoundation/ForestCoverage/forestcover_clean_full2.csv"
infile="C:/Users/Tom/git/datasciencefoundation/ForestCoverage/forestcover_clean_full_sample2.csv"
out2file="C:/Users/Tom/git/datasciencefoundation/ForestCoverage/forestcover_graph.csv"
#out1file="C:/Users/Tom/git/datasciencefoundation/ForestCoverage/forestcoversmall_clean_full.csv"
#out2file="C:/Users/Tom/git/datasciencefoundation/ForestCoverage/forestcoversmall_clean.csv"

alphaVal<-0.01 # large data
alphaVal<-0.1  # small data
```

Load the data.

```
startTime=Sys.time()
print(paste("Data load started at",startTime))
```

```
## [1] "Data load started at 2018-05-24 09:02:26"
```

```
forestcover <- read.csv(infile,header=TRUE,sep=",") %>% tbl_df()

# Shorten some names
forestcover$ClimateName <- as.character(forestcover$ClimateName)
forestcover$ClimateName[forestcover$ClimateZone == 1] <- "MonLowDry" # was "Mont_LowDry"
forestcover$ClimateName[forestcover$ClimateZone == 2] <- "MonLow" # was "Montane_Low"
forestcover$ClimateName[forestcover$ClimateZone == 3] <- "MonDry" # was "Montane_Dry"
forestcover$ClimateName[forestcover$ClimateZone == 4] <- "Montane" # was "Montane"
```

```
forestcover$ClimateName[forestcover$ClimateZone == 5] <- "M&MDry" # was "Mon&Mon_Dry"
forestcover$ClimateName[forestcover$ClimateZone == 6] <- "MonSubAlp" # was "Mon_SubAlp"
forestcover$ClimateName[forestcover$ClimateZone == 7] <- "SubAlpine" # was "SubAlpine"
forestcover$ClimateName[forestcover$ClimateZone == 8] <- "Alpine" # was "Alpine"
forestcover$ClimateName <- as.factor(forestcover$ClimateName)

endTime=Sys.time()
  print(paste("Data load completed at",endTime))
```

```
## [1] "Data load completed at 2018-05-24 09:02:27"
```

```
  print(paste("Elapsed time=",endTime-startTime,"seconds."))
```

```
## [1] "Elapsed time= 1.10402512550354 seconds."
```

Data Overview

The forest cover data has a row for each sample representing a 30 meter by 30 meter square area of land.

```
#glimpse(forestcover)
```

List Data Ranges for Non-Binary Data

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```
myranges <- function(name,x) { c(name, min = min(x), mean = mean(x), max = max(x)) }

forestDataRanges <- data.frame("Data"=character(), "min"=double(), "mean"=double(), "max"=double(),
                               stringsAsFactors=FALSE)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("Elev",forestcover$Elev)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("Aspect",forestcover$Aspect)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("Slope",forestcover$Slope)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("H2OHD",forestcover$H2OHD)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("H2OVD",forestcover$H2OVD)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("RoadHD",forestcover$RoadHD)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("FirePtHD",forestcover$FirePtHD)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("Shade9AM",forestcover$Shade9AM)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("Shade12P",forestcover$Shade12PM)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("Shade3PM",forestcover$Shade3PM)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("RWwild",forestcover$RWwild)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("NEwild",forestcover$NEwild)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("CMwild",forestcover$CMwild)
forestDataRanges[nrow(forestDataRanges)+1,] <- myranges("CPwild",forestcover$CPwild)
forestDataRanges
```

```
##        Data  min               mean  max
## 1      Elev 1880   2960.07332185886 3857
## 2    Aspect    0   155.431755593804  360
## 3     Slope    0   14.0944061962134   57
## 4     H2OHD    0   268.901118760757 1307
## 5     H2OVD -159   46.6323580034423  508
## 6    RoadHD    0    2356.4578313253 6944
## 7  FirePtHD    0   1981.99277108434 7107
## 8  Shade9AM    0   212.124010327022  254
```

```
## 9  Shade12P  110   223.240791738382  254
## 10 Shade3PM    0   142.524354561102  249
## 11   RWwild    0  0.449569707401033    1
## 12   NEwild    0 0.0503442340791738    1
## 13   CMwild    0  0.437263339070568    1
## 14   CPwild    0 0.0628227194492255    1
```

Data distributions

Now check some basic distributions.

Elevation - Figure 1

```
# plot 1
  jpeg(filename="ExpFigure01.jpg")
  plot(table(forestcover$Elev))
  dev.off()
```

```
## pdf
##   2
```

The distribution of the elevation seems reasonable for Colorado's high country.

Elevation Histogram 2 - Figure 2

```
# Figure 32
  g <- ggplot(forestcover,aes(Elev)) +
        geom_histogram(bins=100) # +
       # facet_grid(. ~ factor(CouName)) +
  ggsave("ExpFigure02.jpg")
```

```
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```

shapiro.test(forestcover$Elev) # Does myVec follow a normal distribution?

Error Message: "Sample size must be between 3 and 5000"

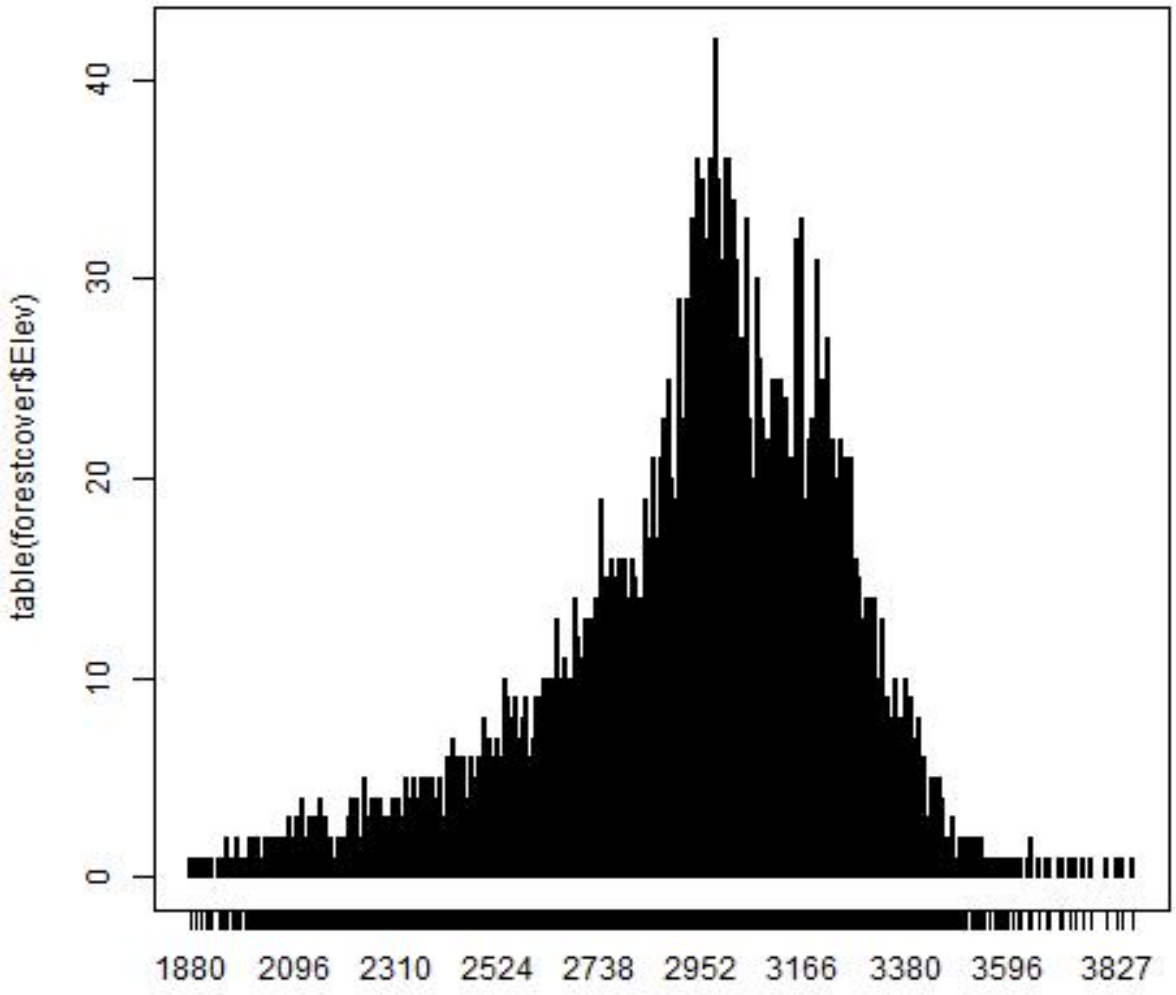

Figure 1: Elevation Histogram 1

Figure 2: Elevation Histogram 2

Aspect - Figure 3

```
# plot 1
  jpeg(filename="ExpFigure03.jpg")
  plot(table(forestcover$Aspect))
  dev.off()
```

```
## pdf
##   2
```

The distribution of the Aspect follows the full 360 degrees of the compass.

Aspect Histogram 2 - Figure 2

```
# Figure 32
  g <- ggplot(forestcover,aes(Aspect)) +
        geom_histogram(bins=200) # +
       # facet_grid(. ~ factor(CovName)) +
  ggsave("ExpFigure04.jpg")
```

```
## Saving 6.5 x 4.5 in image
```

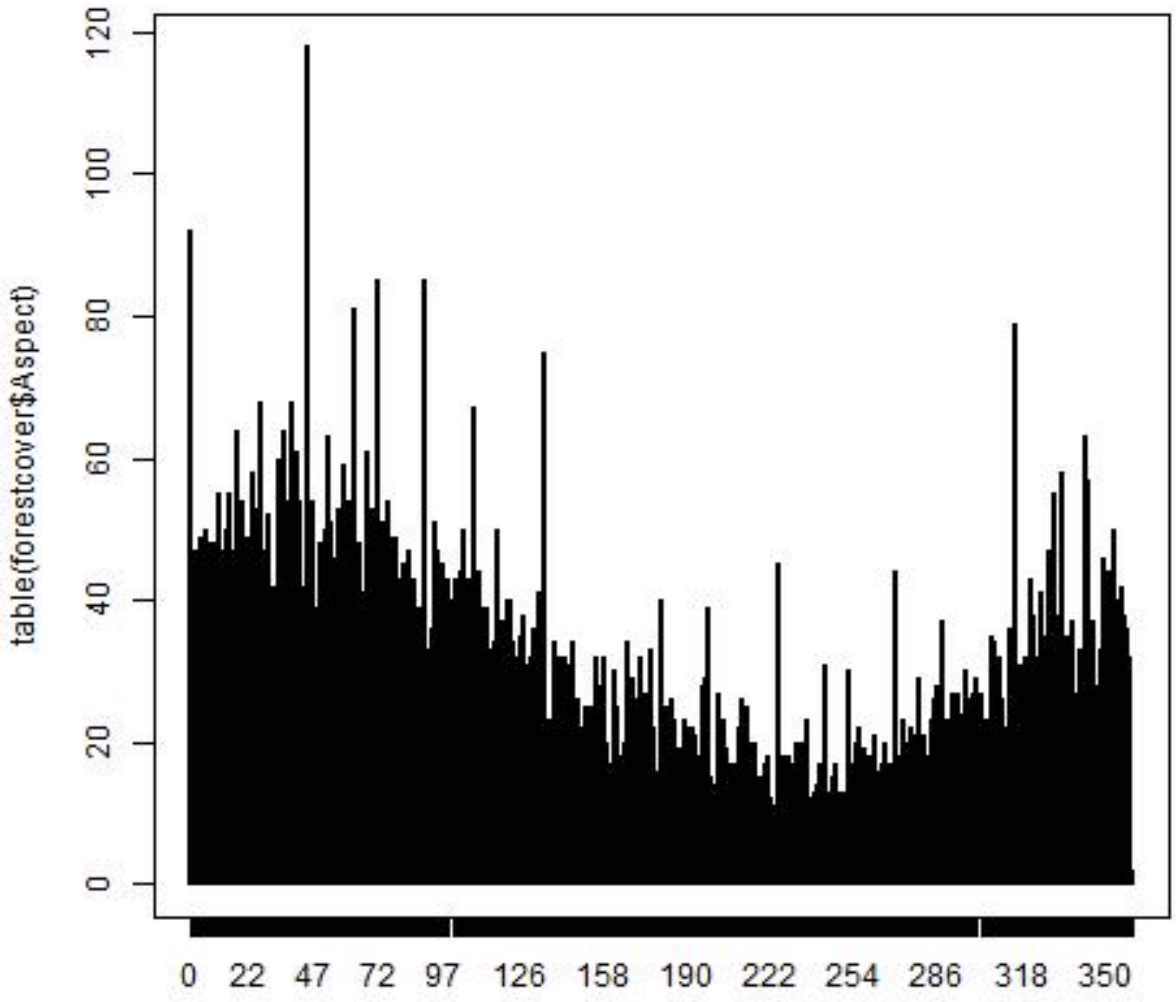

Figure 3: Aspect Histogram 1

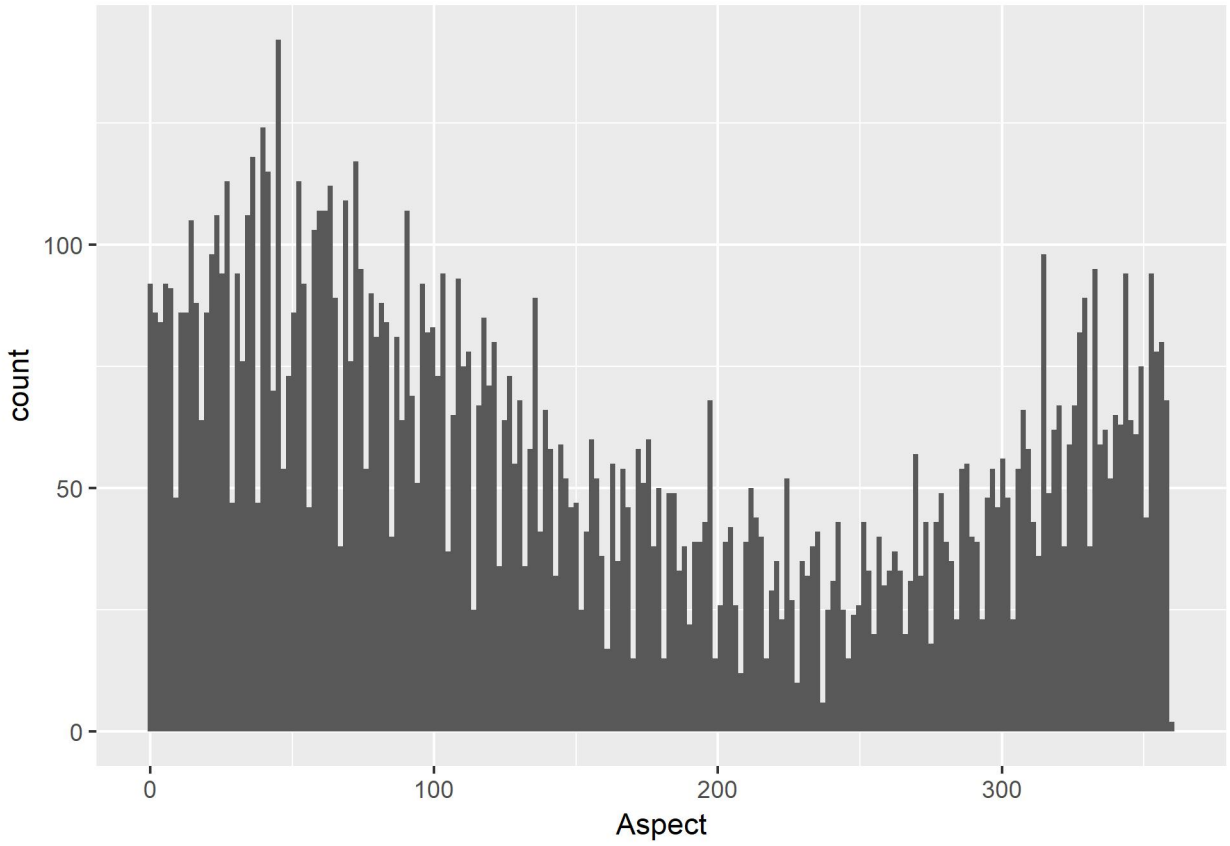

Figure 4: Aspect Histogram 2

Slope - Figure 5

```
# plot 1
  jpeg(filename="ExpFigure05.jpg")
  plot(table(forestcover$Slope))
  dev.off()
```

```
## pdf
##   2
```

The distribution of the slope seems reasonable.

Slope Histogram 2 - Figure 6

```
# Figure 32
  g <- ggplot(forestcover,aes(Slope)) +
        geom_histogram(bins=60) # +
       # facet_grid(. ~ factor(CovName)) +
  ggsave("ExpFigure06.jpg")
```

```
## Saving 6.5 x 4.5 in image
```

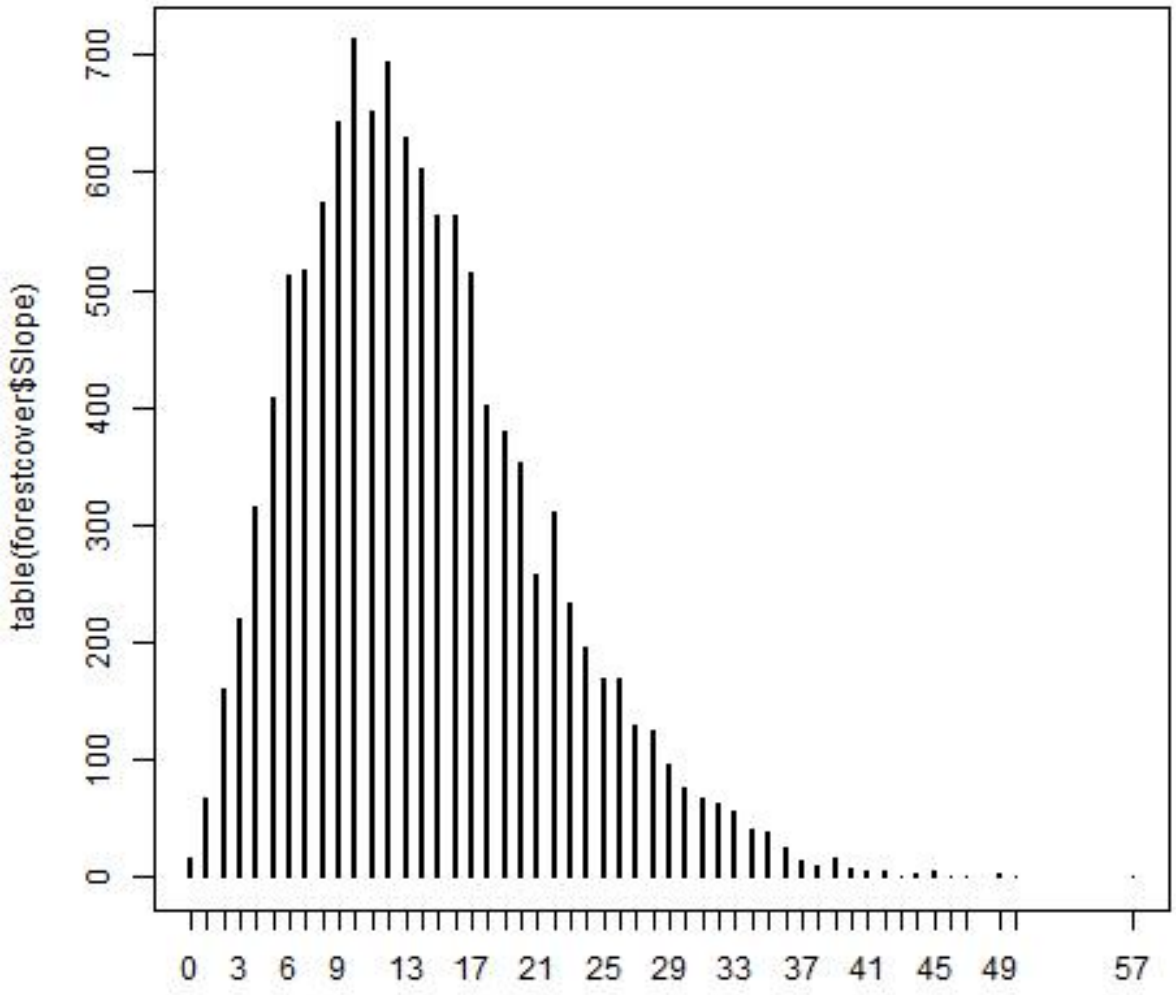

Figure 5: Slope Histogram 1

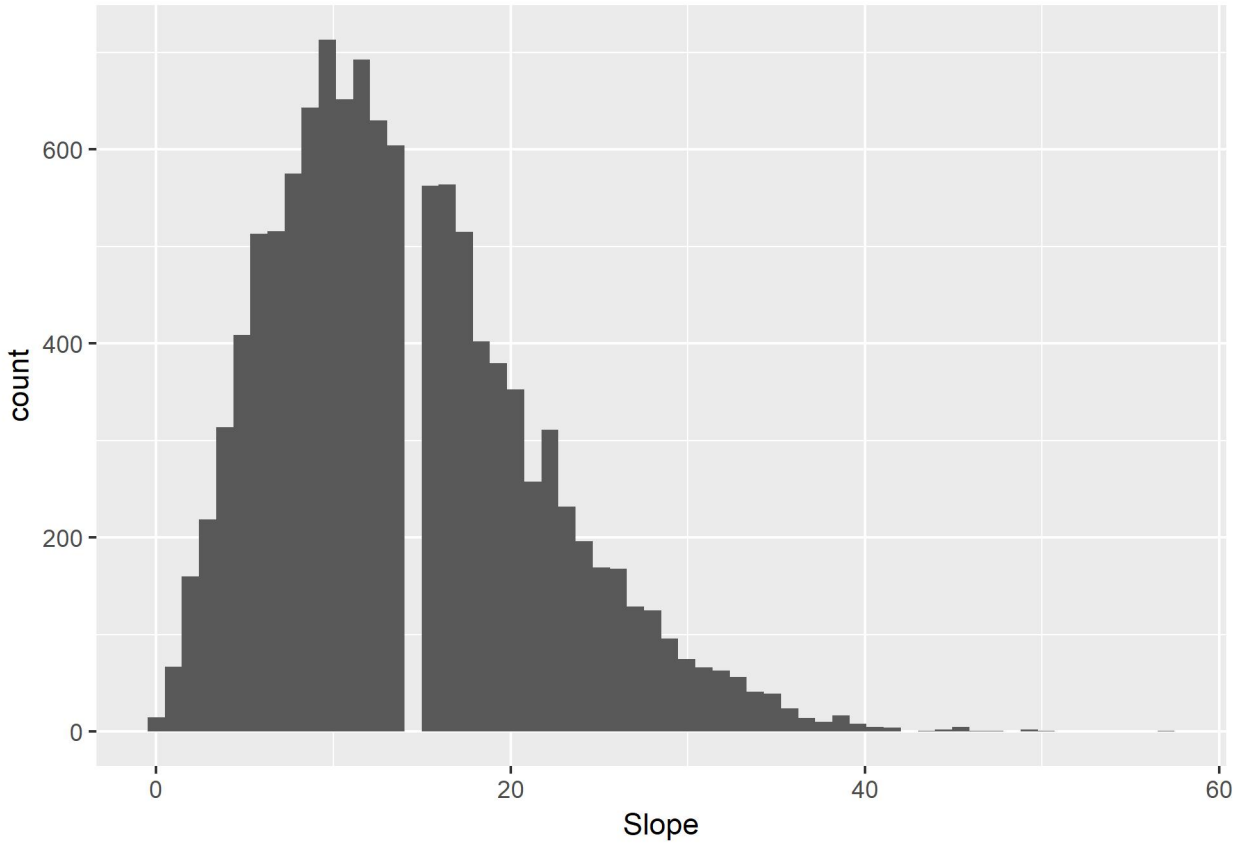

Figure 6: Slope Histogram 2

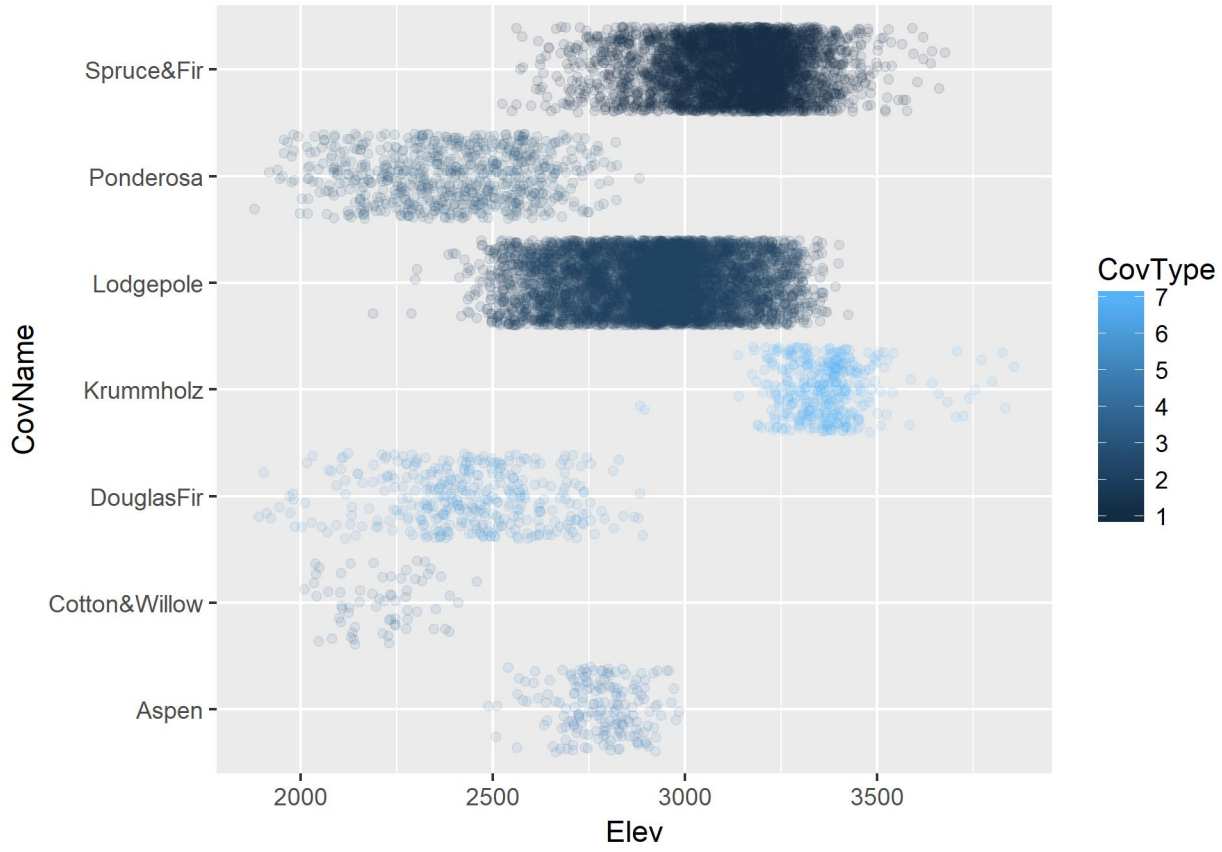

Figure 7: Plot 11

Tree Type vs Elevation - Plot 11

```
# plot 11
  g <- ggplot(forestcover,aes(Elev, CovName,col=CovType)) +
        geom_jitter(alpha=alphaVal)
  ggsave("plot11.jpg")
```

```
## Saving 6.5 x 4.5 in image
```

Elevation vs Tree Type shows that trees reside in a range of elevations and will help in determining tree type, but more information will be needed where there is overlap in elevation.

This graph looks a little strange. The next graph reverses the axes.

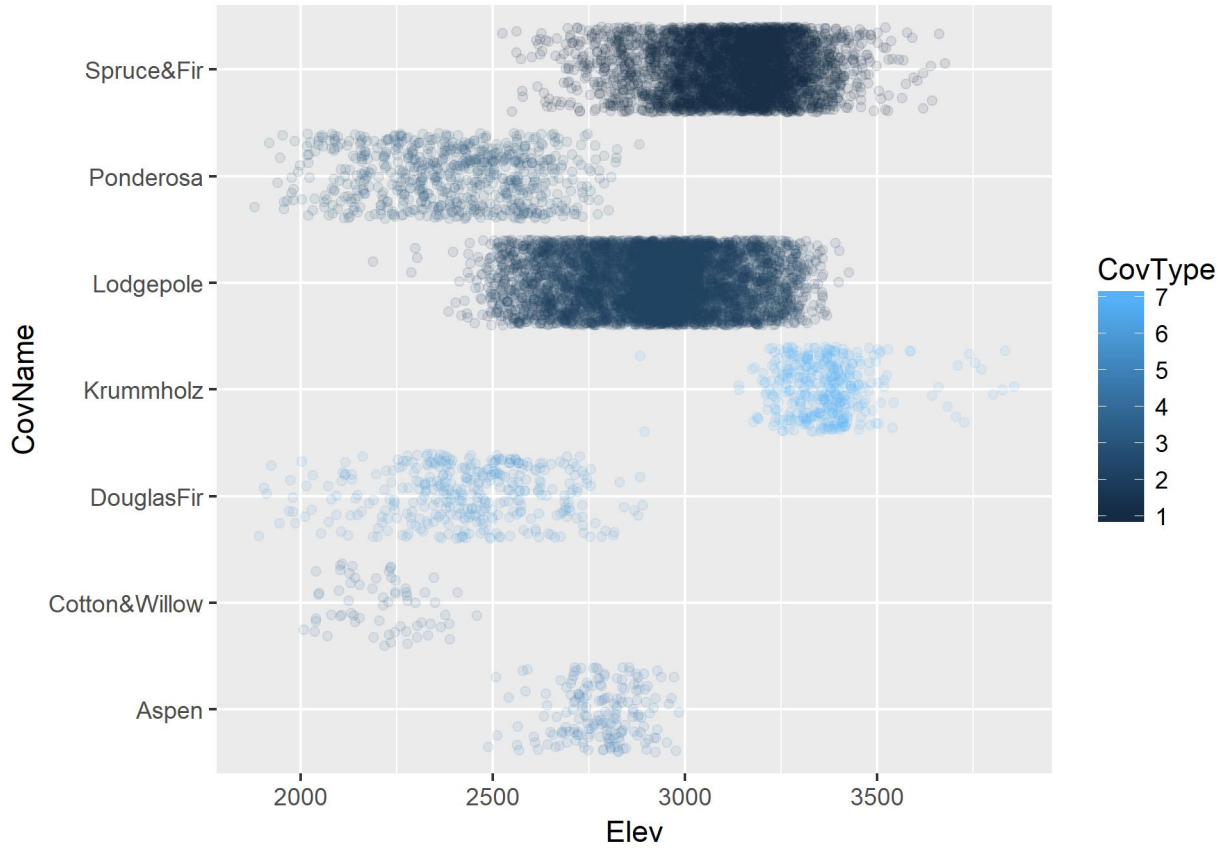

Figure 8: Plot 13

13

```
# plot 13
  g <- ggplot(forestcover,aes(Elev, CovName,col=CovType)) +
        geom_jitter(alpha=alphaVal)
  ggsave("plot13.jpg")
```

```
## Saving 6.5 x 4.5 in image
```

blah blah blah blah

Figure 9: Elevation vs Wilderness Area with Tree Type

Elevation vs Wilderness Area with Tree Type - Figure 32

```
# Figure 32
  g <- ggplot(forestcover,aes(Wilderness_Area,Elev,col=CovName)) +
        geom_jitter(alpha=0.1) # +
       # facet_grid(. ~ factor(CovName)) +
  ggsave("Figure32.jpg")
```

```
## Saving 6.5 x 4.5 in image
```

Elevation vs Wilderness area shows the wilderness area should be able to help classifying tree type.