

Introduction to Data Science HW 4

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2. I did this homework with help from the book and the professor and these Internet sources: statisti

Reminders of things to practice from previous weeks: Descriptive statistics: `mean()` `max()` `min()` Coerce to numeric: `as.numeric()`

Part 1: Use the Starter Code

Below, I have provided a starter file to help you.

Each of these lines of code **must be commented** (the comment must that explains what is going on, so that I know you understand the code and results).

```
library(jsonlite)
dataset <- url("https://intro-datascience.s3.us-east-2.amazonaws.com/role.json")
readlines <- jsonlite::fromJSON(dataset)
df <- readlines$objects$person
```

A. Explore the `df` dataframe (e.g., using `head()` or whatever you think is best).

```
summary(df)
```

```
##   bioguideid      birthday      cspanid      firstname
## Length:100      Length:100      Min.   :   260      Length:100
## Class :character Class :character 1st Qu.: 25277      Class :character
## Mode  :character Mode  :character Median : 68489      Mode  :character
##                                     Mean  : 584001
##                                     3rd Qu.:1004138
##                                     Max.   :9269028
##                                     NA's   :11
##   gender      gender_label      lastname      link
## Length:100      Length:100      Length:100      Length:100
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## Mode  :character Mode  :character Mode  :character Mode  :character
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##   middlename      name      namemod      nickname
## Length:100      Length:100      Length:100      Length:100
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## Mode  :character Mode  :character Mode  :character Mode  :character
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##
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##   osid      pvsid      sortname      twitterid
## Length:100      Length:100      Length:100      Length:100
## Class :character Class :character Class :character Class :character
```

```
## Mode :character Mode :character Mode :character Mode :character
##
##
##
##
## youtubeid
## Length:100
## Class :character
## Mode :character
##
##
##
##
```

Using summary(), I'm able to view the overview of non-numeric variables as well as numerical summaries.

- B. Explain the dataset o What is the dataset about? o How many rows are there and what does a row represent? o How many columns and what does each column represent?

The dataset is about the information of senators. There are 100 rows (observations), each with the in

- C. What does running this line of code do? Explain in a comment:

```
vals <- substr(df$birthday,1,4)
# Running this line of code stores the first 4 elements in the birthday column of the df dataset as a v
```

- D. Create a new attribute 'age' - how old the person is **Hint:** You may need to convert it to numeric first.

```
age <- 2022 - as.numeric(vals)
```

- E. Create a function that reads in the role json dataset, and adds the age attribute to the dataframe, and returns that dataframe

```
agefunc <- function(inputDF) {
  df <- data.frame(df, readlines$objects$role_type, age)
  return(df)
}
```

- F. Use (call, invoke) the function, and store the results in df

```
df <- agefunc(df)
```

Part 2: Investigate the resulting dataframe 'df'

- A. How many senators are women?

```
sum(df$gender == "female")
```

```
## [1] 24
```

#24 senators are women

- B. How many senators have a YouTube account?

```
sum(is.na(df$youtubeid) == "FALSE")
```

```
## [1] 73
```

#73 senators have a YouTube account

- C. How many women senators have a YouTube account?

```
tapply(df$gender == "female", (is.na(df$youtubeid) == "FALSE"), sum)
```

```
## FALSE TRUE  
##      8   16
```

```
#16 women senators have a YouTube account
```

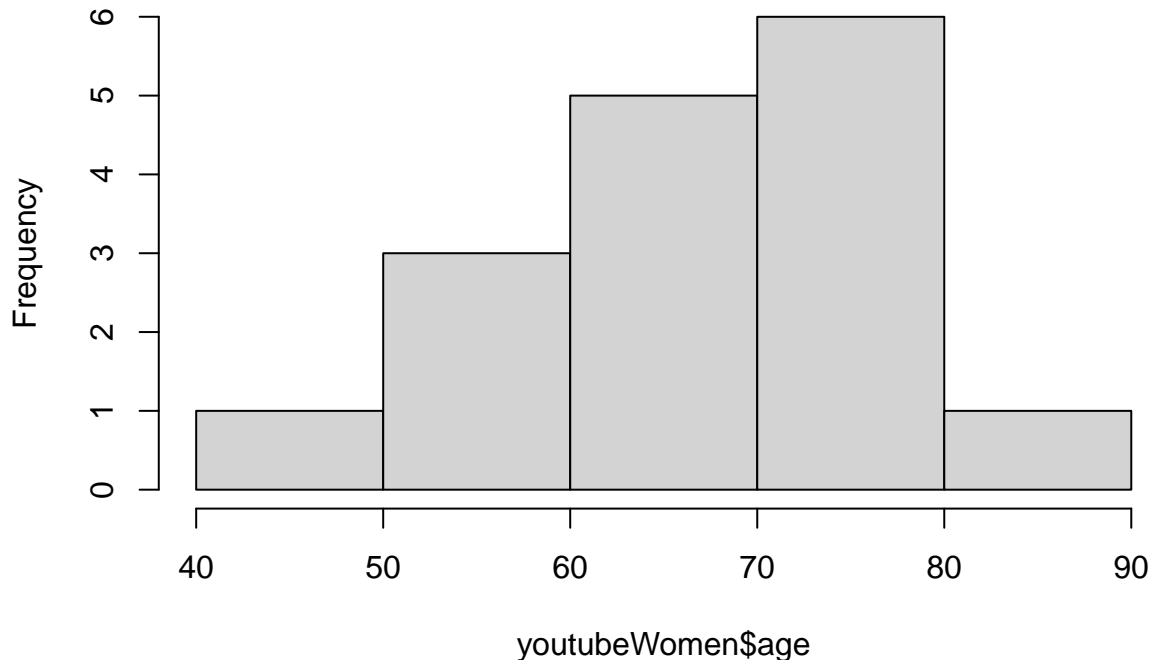
D. Create a new dataframe called **youtubeWomen** that only includes women senators who have a YouTube account.

```
womenOnly <- subset(df, df$gender != "male")  
youtubeWomen <- womenOnly[complete.cases(womenOnly$youtubeid), ]
```

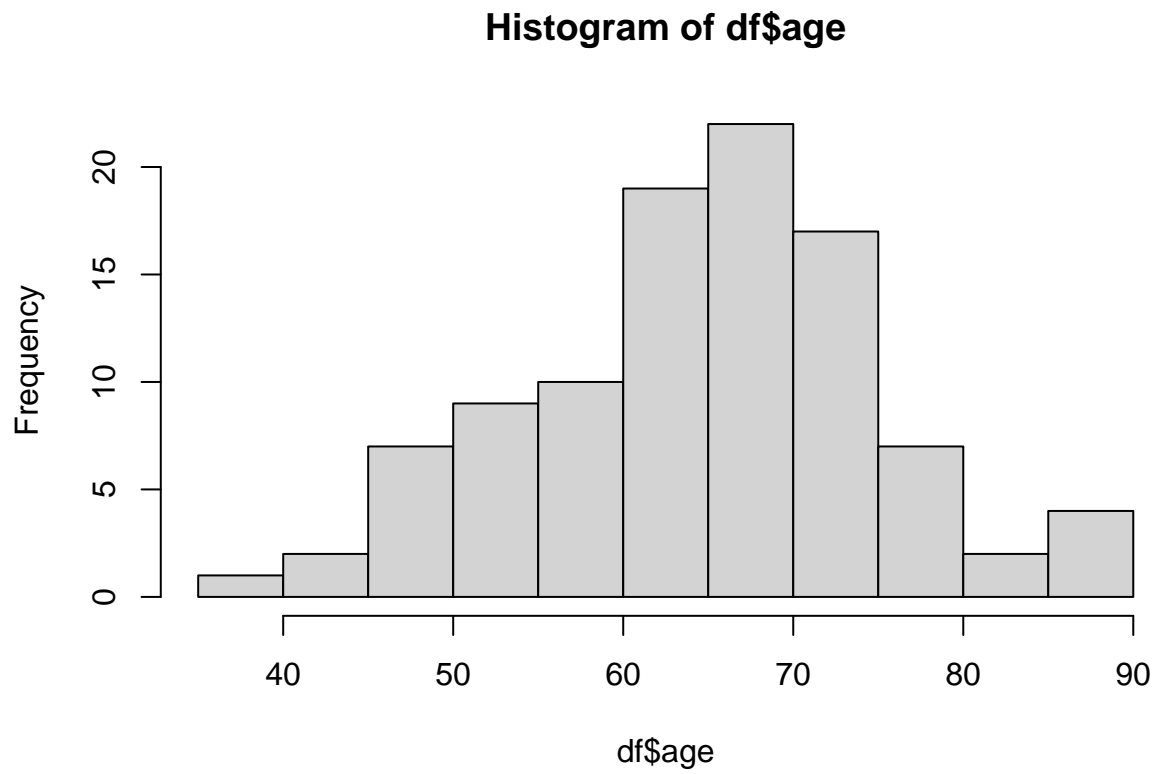
E. Make a histogram of the **age** of senators in **youtubeWomen**, and then another for the senators in **df**. Add a comment describing the shape of the distributions.

```
hist(youtubeWomen$age)
```

Histogram of youtubeWomen\$age



```
hist(df$age)
```



#Both histograms have a "bell" like shape, however the histogram for df\$age is more normally distribute