

Data_Exploration.Rmd

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library('data.table')
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## Warning: package 'data.table' was built under R version 3.2.2
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library('ggplot2')
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library('reshape2')
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##  
## Attaching package: 'reshape2'  
##  
## The following objects are masked from 'package:data.table':  
##  
##      dcast, melt
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library('gridExtra')
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## Warning: package 'gridExtra' was built under R version 3.2.2
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```
setwd('C:/Users/db345c/Desktop/hw')  
df <- read.csv('train.csv')  
dt <- data.table(df)  
  
# Get the dimensions and attribute data for the dataset  
str(dt)
```

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## Classes 'data.table' and 'data.frame': 647054 obs. of 7 variables:
## $ i..TripType : int 999 30 30 26 26 26 26 26 26 ...
## $ VisitNumber : int 5 7 7 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 ...
## $ Weekday : Factor w/ 7 levels "Friday","Monday",...: 1 1 1 1
1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ Upc : num 6.81e+10 6.05e+10 7.41e+09 2.24e+09 2.01e+0
9 ...
## $ ScanCount : int -1 1 1 2 2 2 1 1 1 -1 ...
## $ DepartmentDescription: Factor w/ 69 levels "1-HR PHOTO","ACCESSORIE
S",...: 21 64 52 51 51 51 51 51 51 ...
## $ FinelineNumber : Factor w/ 5197 levels "", "0", "1", "10",...: 6 4829 2
465 1837 24 24 24 1276 2462 1837 ...
## - attr(*, ".internal.selfref")=<externalptr>
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# Find the minimum value for each variable
apply(dt,2,min)
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```
##           i..TripType      VisitNumber      Weekday
##           " 3"           " 5"           "Friday"
##           Upc           ScanCount DepartmentDescription
##           NA           "-10"           "1-HR PHOTO"
##           FinelineNumber
##           ""
```

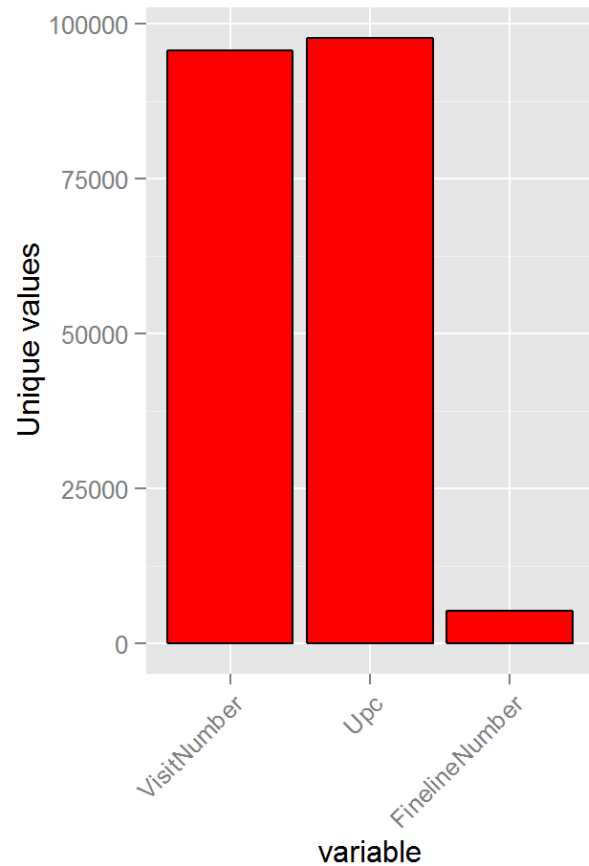
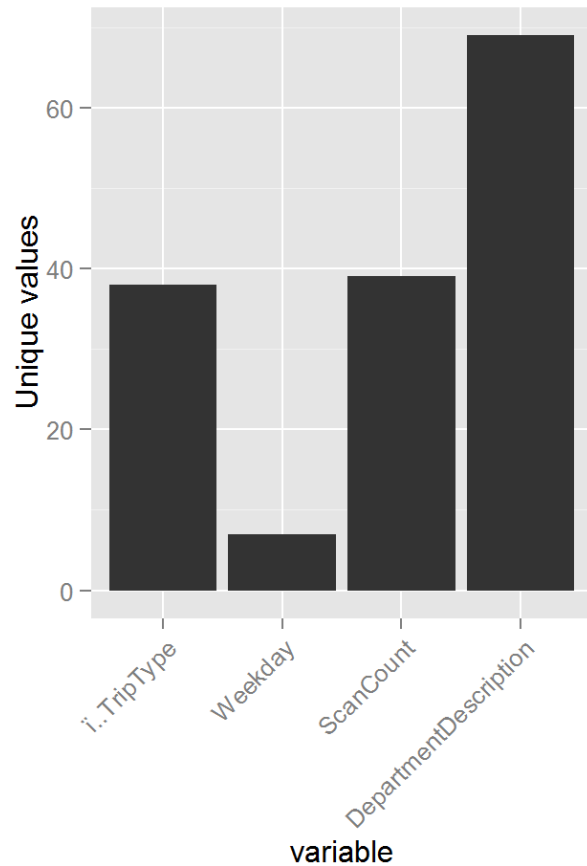
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# The maximum value for each variable
apply(dt,2,max)
```

```
##           i..TripType      VisitNumber      Weekday
##           "999"           "191347"           "Wednesday"
##           Upc           ScanCount DepartmentDescription
##           NA           " 71"           "WIRELESS"
##           FinelineNumber
##           "9998"
```

```
# Plot the number of unique values for each variable
unique_values <- data.table(melt(as.data.frame(lapply(dt,function(x) length(uni
que(x))))))
```

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## No id variables; using all as measure variables
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```
p1 <- ggplot(data=unique_values[unique_values$value < 1000,], aes(x = variable, y = value)) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity") + theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 45, hjust = 1)) + ylab('Unique values')
p2 <- ggplot(data=unique_values[unique_values$value > 1000,], aes(x = variable, y = value)) + geom_bar(stat = "identity", fill = "red", color = 'black') +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 45, hjust = 1)) + ylab('Unique values')
grid.arrange(p1, p2, ncol=2)
```

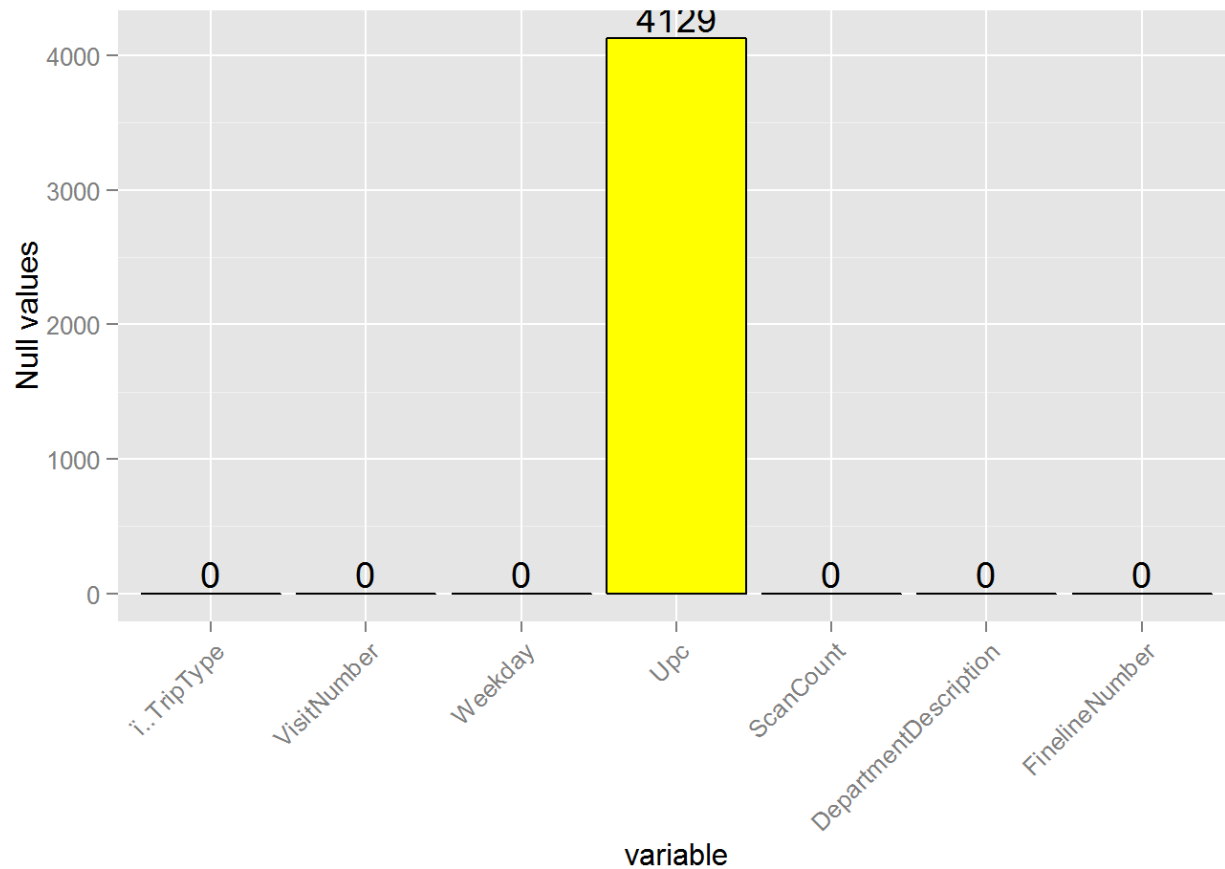


```
# Plot the number of null values for each attribute
null_values <- data.table(melt(as.data.frame(lapply(dt, function(x) sum(is.na(x))))))
```

```
## No id variables; using all as measure variables
```

```
ggplot(data = null_values, aes(x = variable, y = value)) +
  geom_bar(stat = 'identity', fill = 'yellow', color = 'black') +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 45, hjust = 1)) +
  geom_text(label = null_values$value, position=position_dodge(width=0.9), vjust=-0.25) +
  ylab('Null values')
```

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## ymax not defined: adjusting position using y instead
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```
# Clean up data: remove rows with null values, leaving 647,054 - 4,129 = 642,925 observations
dt <- dt[complete.cases(dt)]

# Remove duplicated records, on the assumption that multiple item purchases should
# be reflected as i + 1 ScanCount values, not repeated rows with ScanCount = 1
# This leaves 642,925 - 4,695 = 638,230 observations
dt <- dt[!duplicated(dt)]
nrow(dt)
```

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## [1] 638230
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```
# Add weekend column (0 - workday, 1 - Weekend)  
print("Started creating 'Weekend' column" )
```

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## [1] "Started creating 'Weekend' column"
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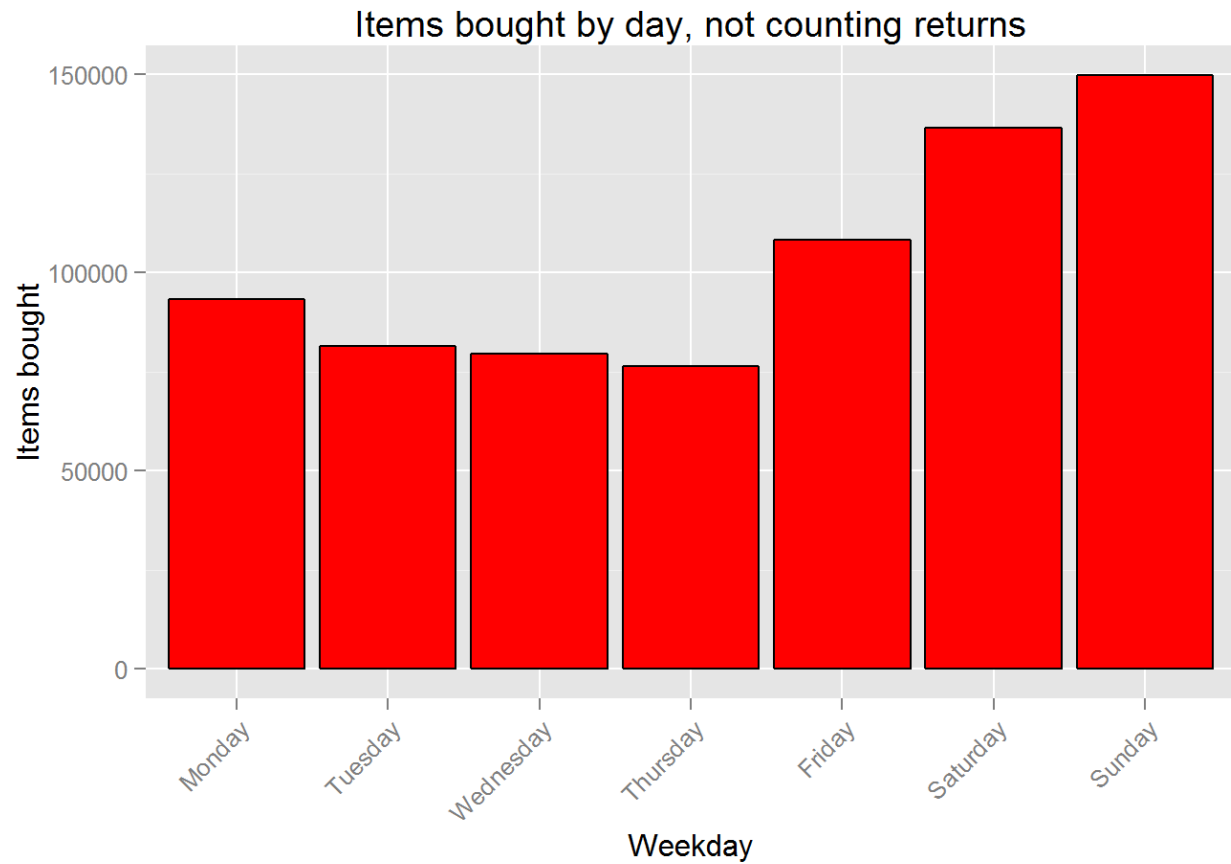
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dt$Weekend = 0  
dt[dt$Weekday=="Saturday",]$Weekend = 1  
dt[dt$Weekday=="Sunday",]$Weekend = 1  
print("Finished creating 'Weekend' column")
```

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## [1] "Finished creating 'Weekend' column"
```

```
# Example exploration:  
# total items bought on each day of week, ignoring returns.  
# First reorder the weekday factor as per the days of the week.  
  
dt$Weekday <- factor(dt$Weekday, levels= c("Monday","Tuesday", "Wednesday", "Th  
ursday", "Friday", "Saturday", "Sunday"))  
dt[order(dt$Weekday),]
```

```
##      i...TripType VisitNumber Weekday      Upc ScanCount
##      1:           7         19709  Monday  7874214098         1
##      2:           7         19709  Monday  4119640482         2
##      3:           7         19709  Monday  7874211700         1
##      4:           7         19709  Monday  4223830241         1
##      5:           7         19709  Monday  4470003050         1
##      ---
## 638226:          39         191346  Sunday  32390001778         1
## 638227:          39         191346  Sunday  7874205336         1
## 638228:          39         191346  Sunday      4072         1
## 638229:           8         191347  Sunday  4190007664         1
## 638230:           8         191347  Sunday  3800059655         1
##      DepartmentDescription FinelineNumber Weekend
##      1:  GROCERY DRY GOODS          3559         0
##      2:  GROCERY DRY GOODS          3108         0
##      3:                DAIRY          1404         0
##      4:  IMPULSE MERCHANDISE          125         0
##      5:    PRE PACKED DELI          7554         0
##      ---
## 638226:          PHARMACY OTC          1118         1
## 638227:          FROZEN FOODS          1752         1
## 638228:                PRODUCE          4170         1
## 638229:                DAIRY          1512         1
## 638230:  GROCERY DRY GOODS          3600         1
```

```
ggplot(data = dt[ScanCount > 0 ,sum(ScanCount),by = Weekday], aes(x = Weekday,
y = V1)) +
  geom_bar(stat = 'identity', fill = 'red', color = 'black') +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 45, hjust = 1)) +
  ylab('Items bought') + ggtitle('Items bought by day, not counting returns')
```



```
# Clean up
gc()
```

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##          used (Mb) gc trigger  (Mb) max used   (Mb)
## Ncells  561783 30.1   1168576  62.5  1168576  62.5
## Vcells 6658008 50.8   22519097 171.9 28109661 214.5
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