

STAT243: Problem Set 3

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```
library(knitr)
## required package
library(ggplot2)
## store the Shakeapeare txt as 'shakespeare' with readLines function
url <- "http://www.gutenberg.org/cache/epub/100/pg100.txt"
## shakespeare file contains all lines in the txt file and stores each
## line as a character string
shakespeare <- readLines(url)
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Question 2 and 3 will be answered together with a newly defined reference class of "ShakespeareClass".

```
## define a reference class
ShakespeareClass <- setRefClass(

  ## name of the new reference class
  "ShakespeareClass",

  ## define fields in the new reference class with
  ## corresponding type of the object
  fields = list(

    ## store the readin file
    Whole = "character",
    ## lines in each of the play
    Plays = "character",
    ## number of plays in the txt file
    PlaysNum = "integer",
    ## index for each play
    PlaysIndex = "integer",
    ## location of the year of each play
    YearsIndex = "integer",
    ## year of each play
    Years = "numeric",
    ## location of the author of each play
    AuthorsIndex = "integer",
    ## location of the title of each play
    TitlesIndex = "numeric",
    ## title of each play
    Titles = "character",
    ## location of the start of the body of each play
    StartsIndex = "integer",
    ## location of the end of each play
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EndsIndex = "integer",
## body text of each play
Bodies = "character",
## number of acts in each play
ActsNum = "numeric",
## number of scenes in each play
ScenesNum = "integer",
## meta information of each play for part b, including the year of
## the play, the title, the number of acts, the number of scenes
MetaB = "list",
## meta information of each play for part c, including infomration
## in Meta_B with additional chunks of spoken text with speaker
MetaC = "list",
## number of unique speakers in each play
SpeakersNum = "integer",
## number of chunks in each play
ChunksNum = "integer",
## number of sentences in each play
SentencesNum = "integer",
## number of words spoken in each play
WordsNum = "integer",
## number of words spoken per chunk in each play
WordsPerChunkNum = "numeric",
## number of unique words in each play
WordsUniqueNum = "integer"

),

## define the methods in the new reference class
methods = list(

## define the initial object in some fields and
## some methods that will be called initially
initialize = function(Whole = shakespeare, ...) {
  ## required pacage for string processing
  require(stringr)
  ## store the readin file into 'Whole' field
  Whole <- Whole
  ## extract the location of year of each play
  YearsIndex <- grep('^ [0-9]{4}$', Whole)[2:37]
  ## extract the year of each play
  Years <- as.numeric(Whole[YearsIndex])
  ## extract the location of the author of each play
  AuthorsIndex <- grep('William Shakespeare', Whole)[7:42]
  ## extract the location of the title of each play
  titles_index_tmp <- AuthorsIndex - 2
  titles_index_tmp[c(7,8,19,24,26)] <- titles_index_tmp[c(7,8,19,24,26)] - 1
  TitlesIndex <- titles_index_tmp
  ## extract the title of each play
  Titles <- Whole[TitlesIndex]
  ## extract the location of the scene information of each play,
  ## which is also where the play starts
  StartsIndex <- grep('^SCENE:|^Scene:|^ +SCENE:|^SCENE\\.|^ +SCENE\\.|.', Whole)

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## extract the locatino of the end of each play
EndsIndex <- grep('THE END', Whole)[2:37]
## extract the number of plays in the readin file
PlaysNum <- length(YearsIndex)
# create a sequence containing the index of each play, 1 to 36
PlaysIndex <- seq(1:PlaysNum)
## method that extract the plays into a character vector
extractEachPlay()
## method that extract the body of each play
extractBodies()
## method that extract the number of acts in each play
extractActsNum()
## method that extract the number of scenes in each play
extractScenesNum()
## method that extract the meta information of each play
extractMetaInformation()
## method that extract the spoken chunks in each play
extractChunksAllPlays()
## method that extract the number of speakers in each play
extractNumOfSpeakersAllPlays()
## method that extract the number of spoken chunks in each play
extractNumOfChunksAllPlays()
## method that extract the number of sentences in each play
extractNumOfSentencesAllPlays()
## method that extract the number of words in each play
extractNumOfWordsAllPlays()
## method that extract the average number of words in each chunk,
## obtained by dividing the number of words in each play by the
## number of spoken chunks in each play
WordsPerChunkNum <- WordsNum / ChunksNum
## method that extract the number of unique words in each play
extractUniqueWordsAllPlays()

},

extractEachPlay = function() {
  plays <- c()
  for (i in 1:PlaysNum) {
    play <- paste(Whole[YearsIndex[i]:EndsIndex[i]], collapse = '\n')
    ## vector that stored all plays
    plays <- c(plays, play)
  }
  ## define the field 'Plays'
  Plays <- plays
},

extractBodies = function() {
  bodies <- c()
  for (i in 1:PlaysNum) {
    body <- paste(Whole[StartsIndex[i]:EndsIndex[i]], collapse = '\n')
    ## vector that stored all body tests
    bodies <- c(bodies, body)
  }
}

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    ## define the field 'Bodies'
    Bodies <-> bodies
  },

  extractActsNum = function() {
    acts_num <- c()
    for (i in 1:PlaysNum) {
      play <- paste(Whole[StartsIndex[i]:EndsIndex[i]], collapse = '\n')
      if (str_detect(play, 'ACT V|ACE_5')) {
        act_num <- 5
        ## vector that stored number of acts
        acts_num <- c(acts_num, act_num)
      }
    }
    ## define the field 'ActsNum'
    ActsNum <-> acts_num
  },

  extractScenesNum = function() {
    scenes_num <- c()
    for (i in 1:PlaysNum) {
      scene_num <- length(grep('^ACT.+SCENE|SCENE |^ACT.+Scene|Scene ',
                             Whole[StartsIndex[i]:EndsIndex[i]]))
      ## vector stored number of scenes
      scenes_num <- c(scenes_num, scene_num)
    }
    ## define the field 'ScenesNum'
    ScenesNum <-> scenes_num
  },

  extractMetaInformation = function() {
    meta <- list()
    for (i in 1:PlaysNum) {
      ## create list containing meta information
      meta[[Titles[i]]] <- list(Year = Years[i], NumOfActs = ActsNum[i],
                                NumOfScenes = ScenesNum[i], BodyText = Bodies[i])
    }
    ## define the field 'MetaB'
    MetaB <-> meta
  },

  ## methods that extract spoken chunks for one play
  extractChunksOnePlay = function(x) {
    ## the body text of play
    onePlay <- Whole[StartsIndex[x]:EndsIndex[x]]
    ## deal with the exceptions in the fourth play
    if (x == 4) {
      ## index for all spoken text
      text_index <-
        grep('^([A-Z]{1,}[^a-z]{0,})\\.[[:space:]]([A-Z]|^[[:space:]]{2,4}).+', onePlay)
      ## edge cases
      edge_text_index <- str_detect(onePlay[text_index], '^ACT')
      ## actual spoken text

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text_all <- (onePlay[text_index])![edge_text_index]
## index for lines containing speaker's name
text_speakers_index_tmp <-
  grep('^([A-Z]{1,}[^a-z]{0,})\\.\\.[:space:][A-Z]', onePlay)
## edge cases
edge_text_speakers_index <- str_detect(onePlay[text_speakers_index_tmp], '^ACT')
## actual locations containing speaker's name
text_speakers_index <- text_speakers_index_tmp![edge_text_speakers_index]
}
## other plays follow similar pattern
else {
  ## index for all spoken text
  text_index <- grep('^[:space:]{2,}.{1,}', onePlay)
  ## actual spoken text
  text_all <- onePlay[text_index]
  ## index for lines containing speaker's name
  text_speakers_index <- grep('^[:space:]{2}[A-Za-z]{1,}[^a-z]{0,}\\.', onePlay)
}
## extract chunks of the corresponding play to a character vector
x <- str_replace(onePlay, '^[:space:]{2,4}', '')
chunks_all <- c()
lst <- list()
for (i in 1:length(text_speakers_index)) {
  if (!(i == length(text_speakers_index))) {
    n <- text_speakers_index[i + 1] - text_speakers_index[i] - 1
    start <- text_speakers_index[i]
    end <- text_speakers_index[i] + n
    chunk <- paste(x[start:end], collapse = ' ')
    chunks_all <- c(chunks_all, chunk)
  }
  else {
    n <- text_index[length(text_index)] - text_speakers_index[i]
    start <- text_speakers_index[i]
    end <- text_speakers_index[i] + n
    chunk <- paste(x[start:end], collapse = ' ')
    chunks_all <- c(chunks_all, chunk)
  }
}
## stored the chunks in a list
for (i in 1:length(text_speakers_index)) {
  lst[i] <- chunks_all[i]
}
## the method will return the list of chunks
lst
},

extractChunksAllPlays = function() {
  META <- MetaB
  ## call the previous method on each play
  for (i in 1:PlaysNum) {
    ## list stored the meta information including spoken chunks
    META[[Titles[i]]] <- append(
      MetaB[[Titles[i]]],

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## method that extract the number of chunks in one play
extractNumOfChunksOnePlay = function(i) {
  ## body text
  onePlay <- Whole[StartsIndex[i]:EndsIndex[i]]
  ## deal with exceptions in the fourth play
  if (i == 4) {
    ## index for lines containing speaker's name
    text_speakers_index_tmp <-
      grep('^([A-Z]{1,}[^a-z]{0,})\\.\\.\\.[:space:][A-Z]', onePlay)
    ## edge cases
    edge_text_speakers_index <- str_detect(onePlay[text_speakers_index_tmp], '^ACT')
    ## actual locations containing speaker's name
    text_speakers_index <- text_speakers_index_tmp[!edge_text_speakers_index]
    ## the number of lines containing speaker's name,
    ## same as number of spoken chunks
    num <- length(text_speakers_index)
  }

  else {
    # index for lines containing speaker's name
    text_speakers_index <- grep('^([[:space:]]{2}[A-Za-z]{1,}[^a-z]{0,})\\.\\.\\.', onePlay)
    ## number of spoken chunks
    num <- length(text_speakers_index)
  }
},

extractNumOfChunksAllPlays = function() {
  chunks_num <- c()
  ## call the previous method on each play
  for (i in PlaysIndex) {
    num <- extractNumOfChunksOnePlay(i)
    ## vector containing number of chunks
    chunks_num = c(chunks_num, num)
  }
  ## define the field 'ChunksNum'
  ChunksNum <-<- chunks_num
},

## method that extract number of sentences in one play
extractNumOfSentencesOnePlay = function(i) {
  ## body text
  onePlay <- Whole[StartsIndex[i]:EndsIndex[i]]
  ## deal with the fourth play
  if (i == 4) {
    ## index for lines containing speaker's name
    text_speakers_index_tmp <-
      grep('^([A-Z]{1,}[^a-z]{0,})\\.\\.\\.[:space:][A-Z]', onePlay)
    ## edge cases
    edge_text_speakers_index <- str_detect(onePlay[text_speakers_index_tmp], '^ACT')
    ## actual locations containing speaker's name
    text_speakers_index <- text_speakers_index_tmp[!edge_text_speakers_index]
    ## number of sentences in one play
    num <- sum(str_count(onePlay, '\\!|\\.|\\|\\?')) - length(text_speakers_index)
  }
}

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}

else {
  ## index for lines containing speaker's name
  text_speakers_index <- grep('^[:space:]]{2}[A-Za-z]{1,}[^a-z]{0,}\\|\\.', onePlay)
  ## number of sentences in one play
  num <- sum(str_count(onePlay, '\\|!\\|\\.\\|\\|?')) - length(text_speakers_index)
}
},

extractNumOfSentencesAllPlays = function() {
  sentences_num <- c()
  ## call the previous method on each play
  for (i in PlaysIndex) {
    num <- extractNumOfSentencesOnePlay(i)
    ## vector containing number of sentences of all plays
    sentences_num <- c(sentences_num, num)
  }
  ## define the field 'SentencesNum'
  SentencesNum <-<- sentences_num
},

## method that extract number of words in one play
extractNumOfWordsOnePlay = function(i) {
  ## body text
  onePlay <- Whole[StartsIndex[i]:EndsIndex[i]]
  ## deal with exceptions in patterns in the fourth play
  if (i == 4) {
    # index for all spoken text
    text_index <-
      grep('^([A-Z]{1,}|[a-z]{0,})\\|\\.[:space:]]([A-Z]|^[:space:]]{2,4}).+', onePlay)
    # edge cases
    edge_text_index <- str_detect(onePlay[text_index], '^ACT')
    # actual spoken text
    text_all <- (onePlay[text_index])[!edge_text_index]
  }
  else {
    # index for all spoken text
    text_index <- grep('^[:space:]]{2,}\\|\\.\\|{1,}', onePlay)
    # actual spoken text
    text_all <- onePlay[text_index]
  }
  ## clean up the extracted spoken text in 'text_all'
  a <- str_replace_all(text_all, "[:space:]]{2,}", ' ')
  b <- str_replace_all(a, '^ ', '')
  c <- str_replace_all(b, "[A-Za-z]' ]", '')
  ## split the spoken text which is delimited by single
  ## space after the clean up
  words_all <- unlist(strsplit(c, ' '))
  ## number of words in one play
  words_all_num <- length(words_all)
  ## return the number of words
  words_all_num
}

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},

extractNumOfWordsAllPlays = function() {
  words_num <- c()
  ## call previous method on all plays
  for (i in PlaysIndex) {
    num <- extractNumOfWordsOnePlay(i)
    ## vector containing number of words in all plays
    words_num <- c(words_num, num)
  }
  ## define the field 'WordsNum'
  WordsNum <-<- words_num
},

## method that extract the unique words in one play
extractUniqueWordsOnePlay = function(i) {
  ## body text
  onePlay <- Whole[StartsIndex[i]:EndsIndex[i]]
  ## deal with exceptinos in the fourth play
  if (i == 4) {
    # index for all spoken text
    text_index <-
      grep('^ [A-Z]{1,}[^a-z]{0,}\\.[[:space:]] [A-Z] | ^[[:space:]]{2,4} .+', onePlay)
    # edge cases
    edge_text_index <- str_detect(onePlay[text_index], '^ACT')
    # actual spoken text
    text_all <- (onePlay[text_index])[!edge_text_index]
  }
  else {
    # index for all spoken text
    text_index <- grep('^[[:space:]]{2,} .{1,}', onePlay)
    # actual spoken text
    text_all <- onePlay[text_index]
  }
  ## clean up the extracted spoken text in 'text_all'
  a <- str_replace_all(text_all, "[[:space:]]{2,}", ' ')
  b <- str_replace_all(a, '^ ', '')
  c <- str_replace_all(b, "[^ [A-Za-z] ' ]", '')
  ## split the spoken text into two words
  words_all <- unlist(strsplit(c, ' '))
  ## convert to all lower case and keep unique words
  words_unique <- unique(tolower(words_all))
  ## number of unique words in one play
  words_unique_num <- length(words_unique)
  ## retrn the number of unique words
  words_unique_num
},

extractUniqueWordsAllPlays = function() {
  words_unique_num = c()
  ## call the previous method on all plays
  for (i in PlaysIndex) {
    num <- extractUniqueWordsOnePlay(i)

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    ## vector containing number of uniques words in all plays
    words_unique_num = c(words_unique_num, num)
  }
  ## define the field 'WordsUniqueNum'
  WordsUniqueNum <- words_unique_num
},

## information about object with the calss 'ShakespeareClass'
show = function() {
  cat("Object of class 'ShakespeareClass' with ",
      PlaysNum, " plays by William Shakespeare.\n", sep = '')
}
)
)

```

2.(a)

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## create a object 'S' with the class of 'ShakespeareClass'
S <- ShakespeareClass$new(shakespeare)

## Loading required package: stringr

```

The body text of each play can be viewed by the following command:

```

## body texts of the plays
S$Bodies

```

2.(b) The meta information of each play can be view by the following command:

```

## meta stored in the field 'MetaB'
S$MetaB

```

The attributes

```

## attributed
attributes(S$MetaB[[1]])

## $names
## [1] "Year"          "NumOfActs"     "NumOfScenes"  "BodyText"

```

2.(c) The updated meta information of each play containing spoken chunks can be view by the following command:

```

## meta stored in the field 'MetaC'
S$MetaC

```

The attributes

```

## attributed
attributes(S$MetaC[[1]])

## $names
## [1] "Year"          "NumOfActs"     "NumOfScenes"  "BodyText"
## [5] "AllSpokenText"

```

2.(d) The desired information of each play can be view by the following commands:

```
## number of speakers
S$SpeakersNum

## [1] 23 59 26 19 63 40 33 35 52 49 58 68 47 48 27 50 22 19 44 24 26 31 33
## [24] 23 27 36 63 34 39 20 64 28 29 22 18 35

## number of spoken chunks
S$ChunksNum

## [1] 933 1172 806 582 1106 855 1119 755 904 718 659 793 816 704
## [15] 548 793 1053 1044 643 896 632 1019 504 955 1181 552 1073 813
## [29] 891 642 800 564 1141 920 857 744

## number of sentences
S$SentencesNum

## [1] 1755 2374 1570 1114 2145 2208 2846 2173 1995 1546 1486 1680 1706 1641
## [15] 1251 1859 2887 1804 1692 1701 1390 2142 1192 2028 2699 1362 2155 2539
## [29] 1684 1290 1640 1348 2315 1685 1406 1748

## number of words
S$WordsNum

## [1] 23892 26114 22437 15397 28611 28234 31537 25281 26870 26616 22372
## [12] 26118 25165 25011 21314 20387 27041 22648 17676 22565 21864 22985
## [23] 16961 22070 27580 22822 30400 25366 21879 17180 19237 21154 27063
## [34] 20833 17980 25649

## number of words per chunk
S$WordsPerChunkNum

## [1] 25.60772 22.28157 27.83747 26.45533 25.86890 33.02222 28.18320
## [8] 33.48477 29.72345 37.06964 33.94841 32.93569 30.83946 35.52699
## [15] 38.89416 25.70870 25.67996 21.69349 27.48989 25.18415 34.59494
## [22] 22.55643 33.65278 23.10995 23.35309 41.34420 28.33178 31.20049
## [29] 24.55556 26.76012 24.04625 37.50709 23.71867 22.64457 20.98016
## [36] 34.47446

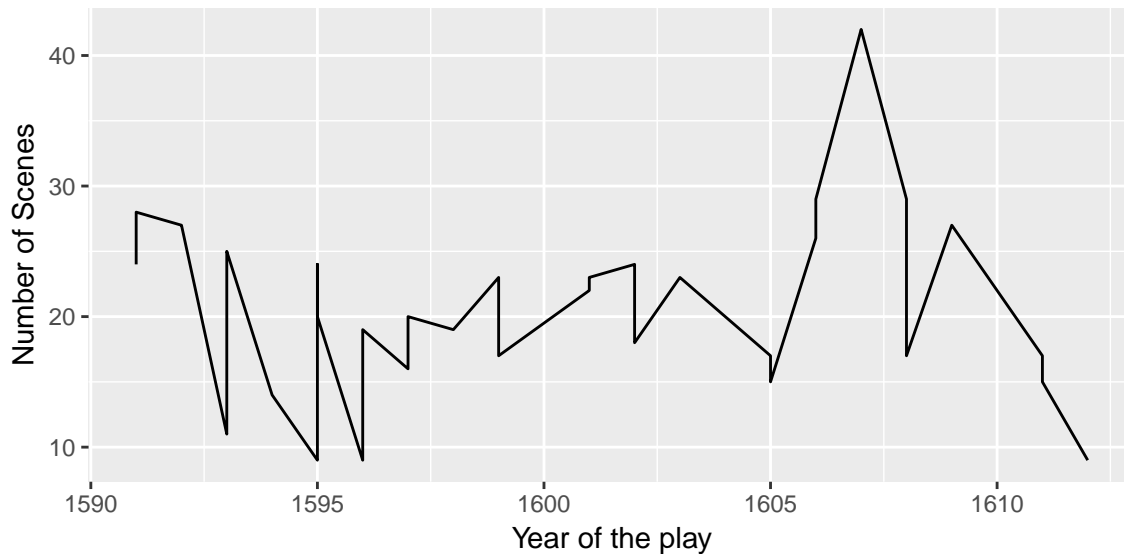
## number of unique words
S$WordsUniqueNum

## [1] 3632 4068 3350 2544 4139 4356 4906 3970 4202 4639 3939 4162 3683 3783
## [15] 3660 2898 4259 3897 3366 3377 3364 3374 3048 3103 3810 3778 4217 3844
## [29] 3365 3302 3352 3469 4397 3216 2799 3994
```

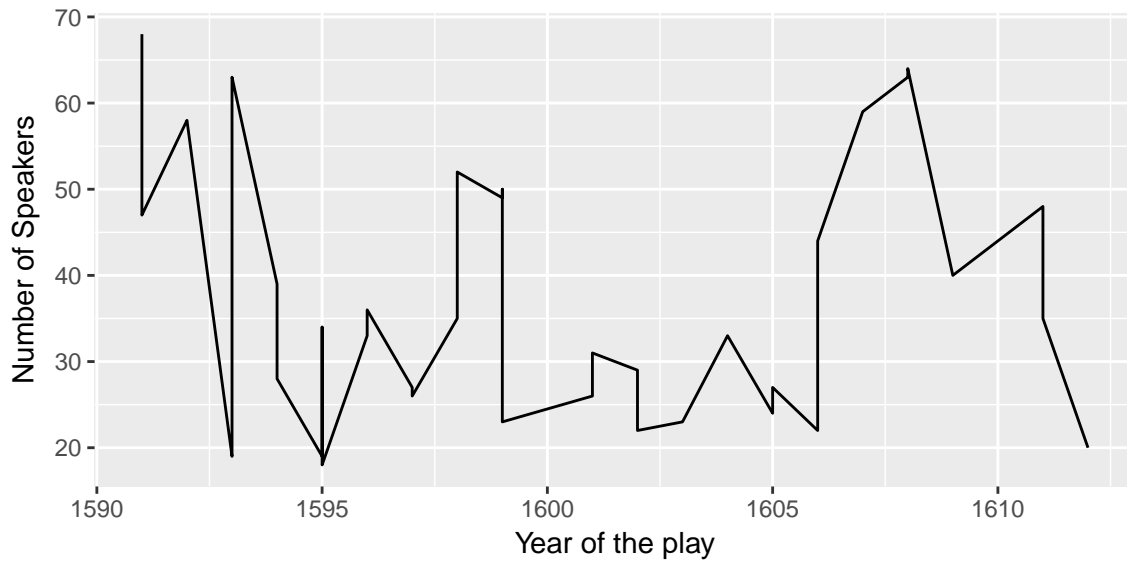
2.(e) We plot some of the summary statistics calculated above over time.

```
## create a data.frame with information of years, number of acts, number of scenes,
## number of speakers, number of spoken chunks, number of sentences, number of
## words, number of word per chunk, number of unique words
df <- data.frame(years = S$Years, acts = S$ActsNum, scenes = S$ScenesNum,
                 speakers = S$SpeakersNum, chunks = S$ChunksNum,
                 sentences = S$SentencesNum, words = S$WordsNum,
                 avgwords = S$WordsPerChunkNum, uniquewords = S$WordsUniqueNum)

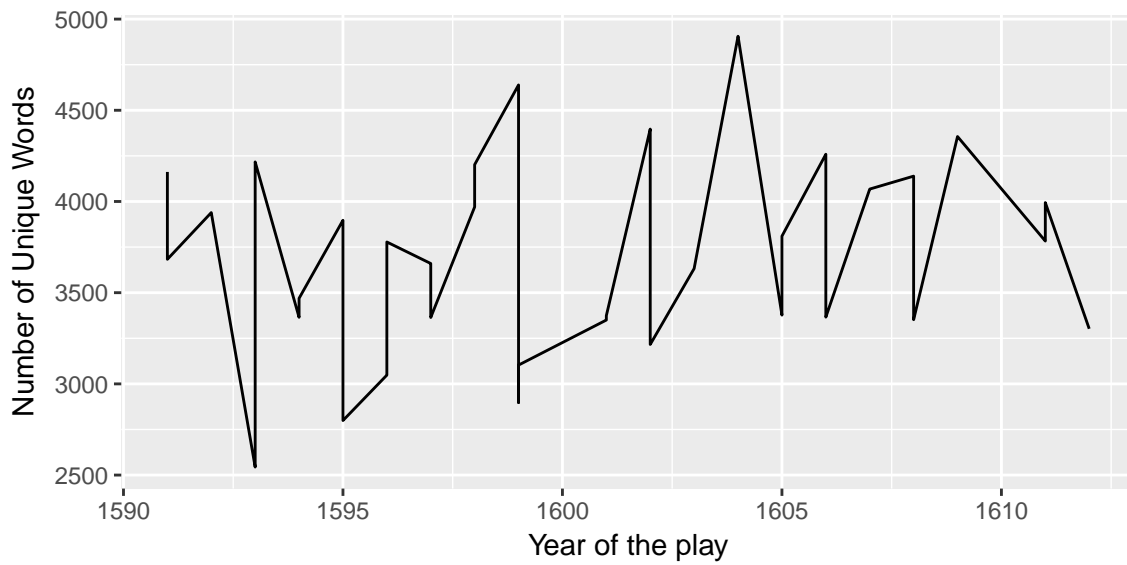
## make some plots
## number of scenes over years
g1 <- ggplot(df) + geom_line(aes(x = years, y = scenes)) +
  xlab("Year of the play") +
  ylab("Number of Scenes")
## number of speakers over years
g2 <- ggplot(df) + geom_line(aes(x = years, y = speakers)) +
  xlab("Year of the play") +
  ylab("Number of Speakers")
## number of unique words over years
g3 <- ggplot(df) + geom_line(aes(x = years, y = uniquewords)) +
  xlab("Year of the play") +
  ylab("Number of Unique Words")
## number of scenes over years
g1
```



```
## number of speakers over years
g2
```



```
## number of unique words over years
g3
```



According to the plots above, we see that there does not exist an obvious trends.