

Research projects

& programming with R

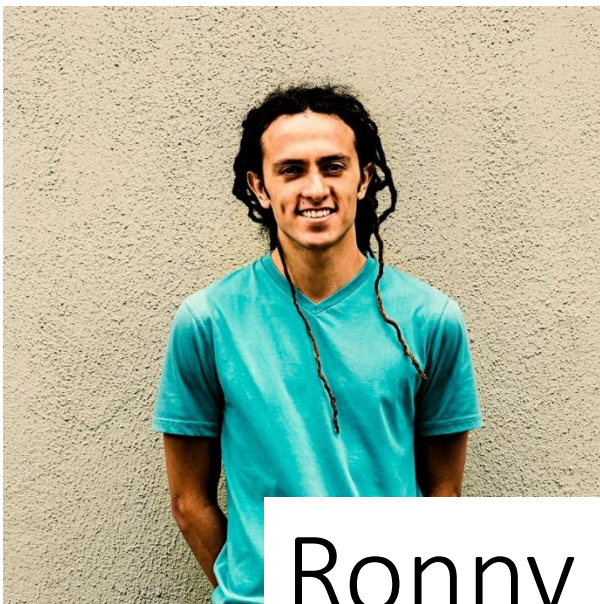
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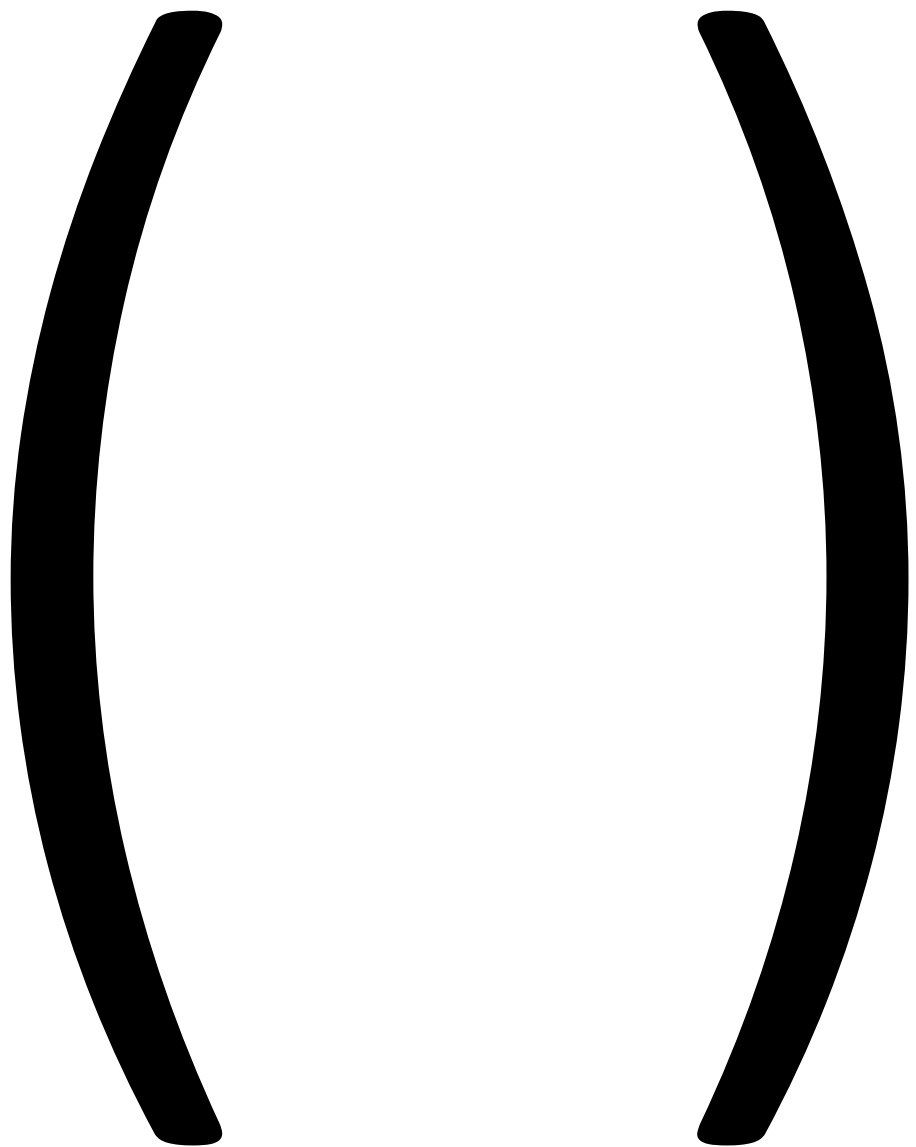
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My life with R:



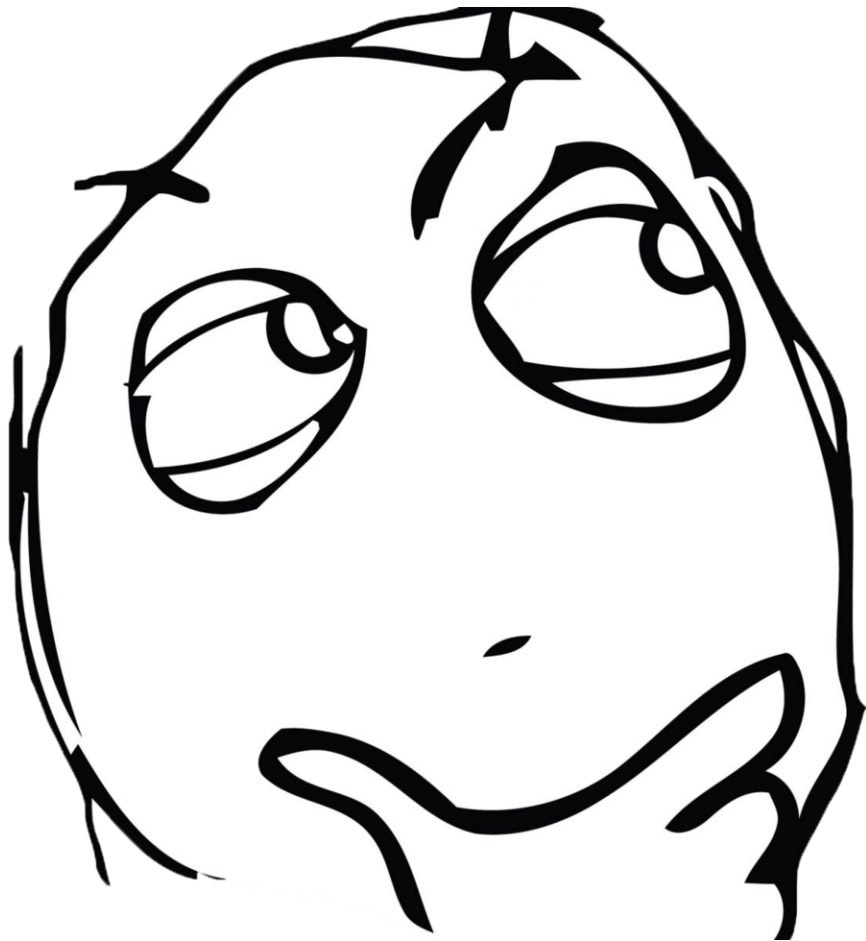


Me: Why do people think I'm mad all the time?

Also me:

I'm not mad! So you can ask me for help





Why R and not a
GUI?

RVC - Microsoft Excel

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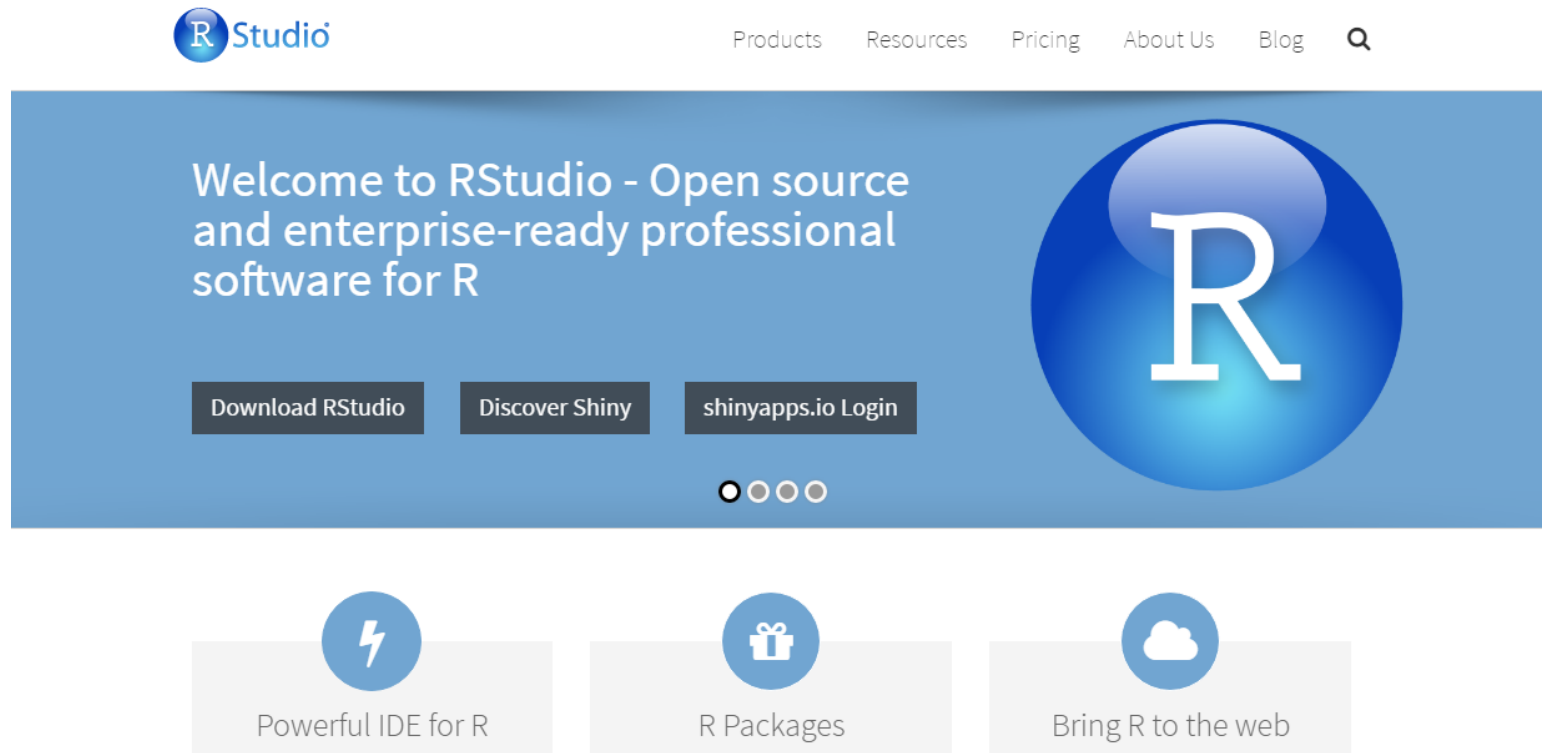
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19393	Albuquerque	New Mexico	Phoenix, AZ	Arizona	823	-2	932	0	57	328
19393	Albuquerque	New Mexico	Phoenix, AZ	Arizona	1025	0	1142	0	59	328

RStudio






















Integrated Development Environment

Starting a project











Have you ever felt like this
looking at an old analysis?

Bad project structure example:

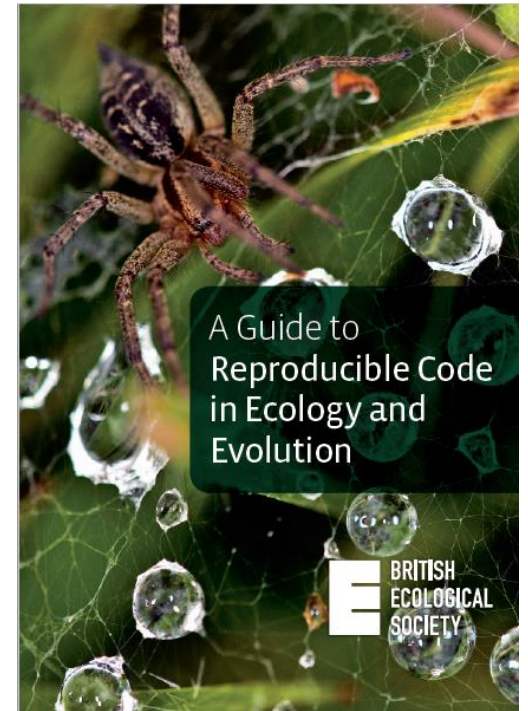
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 Script_GAP.R	11/24/2016 08:43 ...	R File	3 KB
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Good project structure example:

Name	Date modified	Type	Size
 .git	05/25/2018 06:43 ...	File folder	
 analysis script	05/25/2018 06:43 ...	File folder	
 data	05/25/2018 06:43 ...	File folder	
 doc	05/25/2018 06:43 ...	File folder	
 figs	05/25/2018 06:43 ...	File folder	
 shiny	05/25/2018 06:43 ...	File folder	
 .gitignore	09/12/2017 04:00 ...	GITIGNORE File	1 KB
 README.md	10/03/2017 10:01 ...	MD File	1 KB

Here is an example of a basic project directory structure:

- The **data** folder contains all input data (and metadata) used in the analysis.
- The **doc** folder contains the manuscript.
- The **figs** directory contains figures generated by the analysis.
- The **output** folder contains any type of intermediate or output files (e.g. simulation outputs, models, processed datasets, etc.). You might separate this and also have a **cleaned-data** folder.
- The R directory contains R scripts with function definitions.
- The **reports** folder contains RMarkdown files that document the analysis or report on results.



[A Guide to Reproducible Code in Ecology and Evolution](#)

Why do all this?

1. Reproducibility
2. Automation
3. Communication

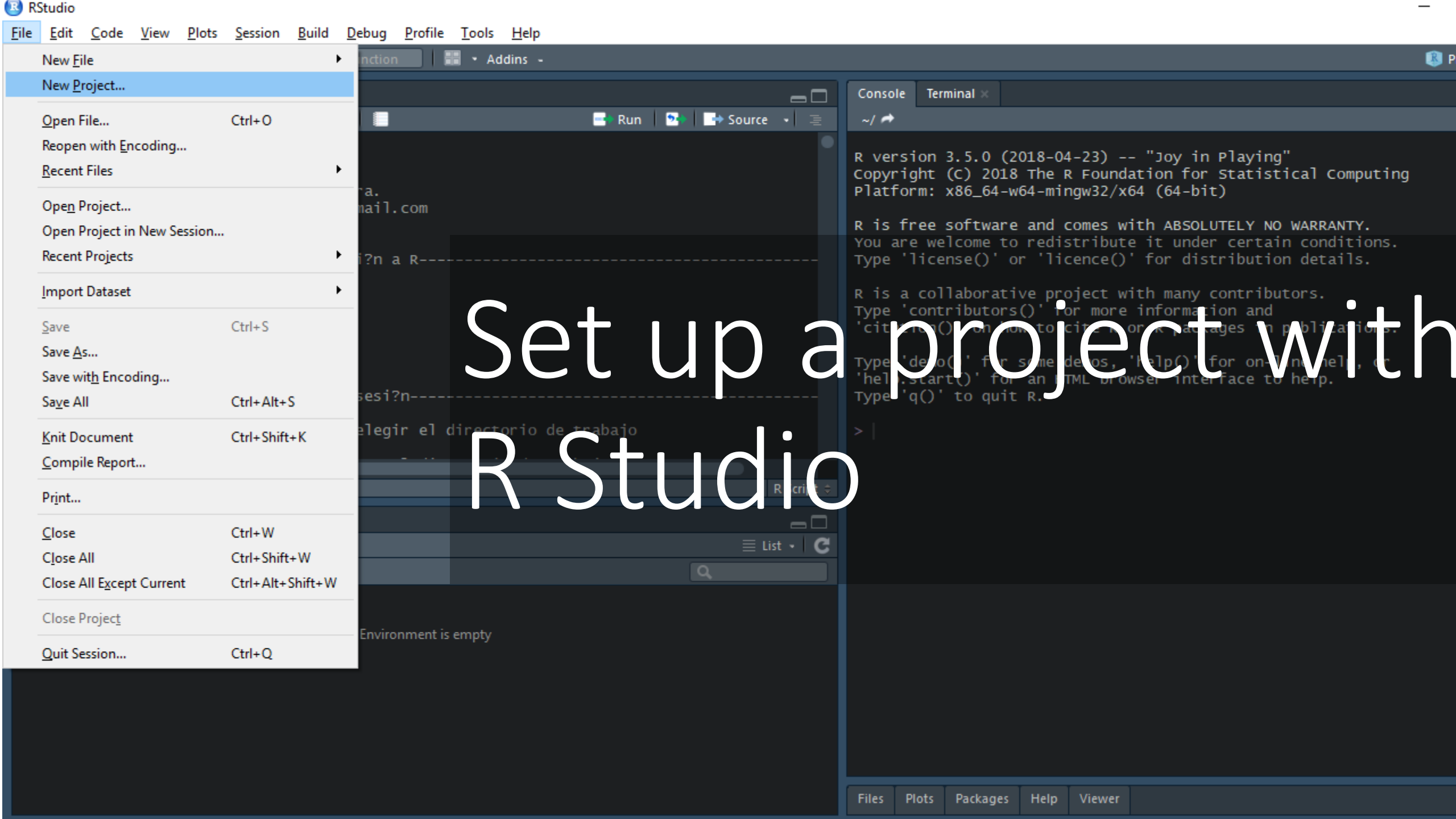


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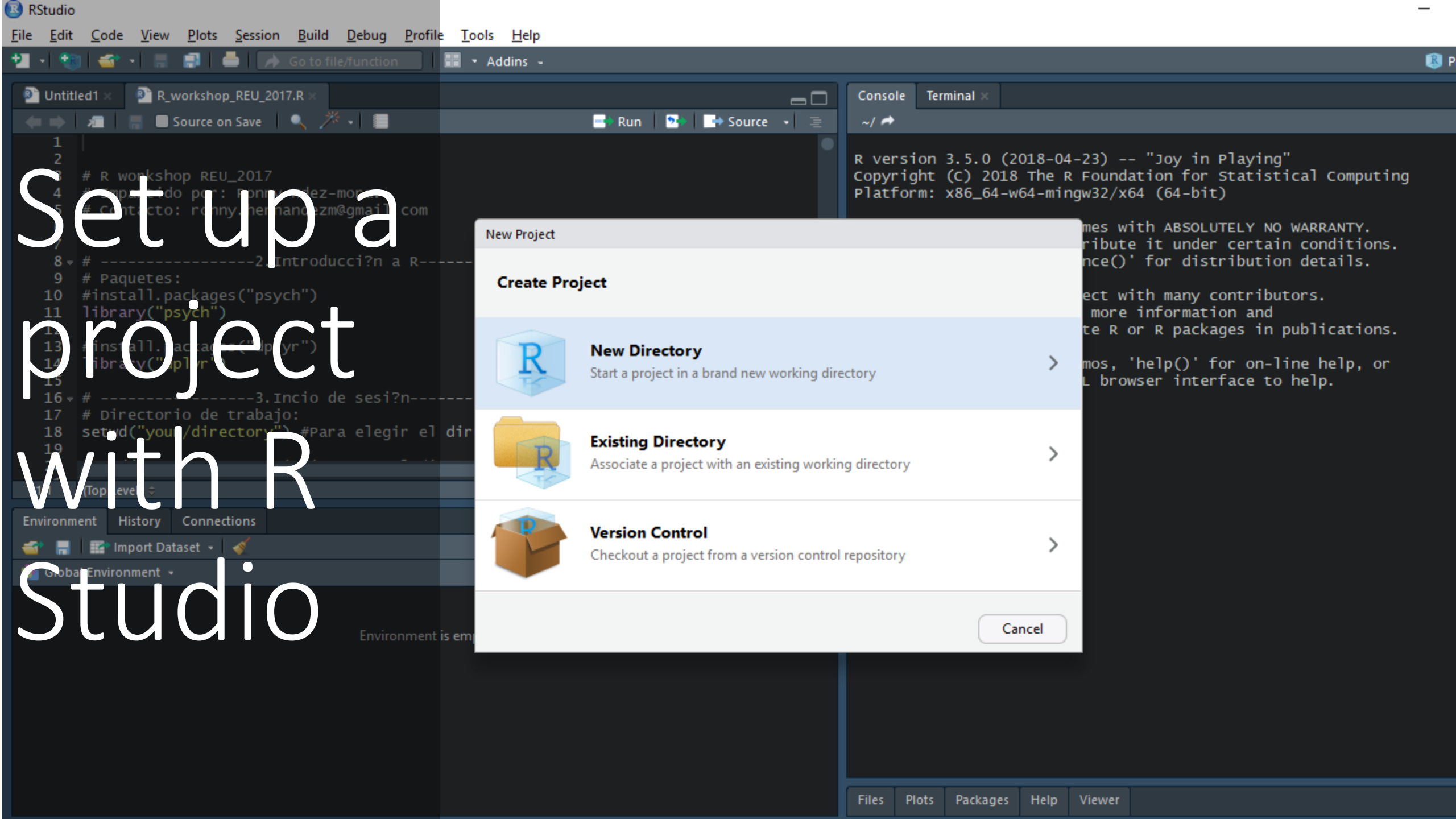
Reproducibility in Science

A Guide to enhancing reproducibility in scientific results and
writing

<http://ropensci.github.io/reproducibility-guide/>



Set up a project with
R Studio



Set up a project with RStudio

New Project

Create Project



New Directory

Start a project in a brand new working directory



Existing Directory

Associate a project with an existing working directory



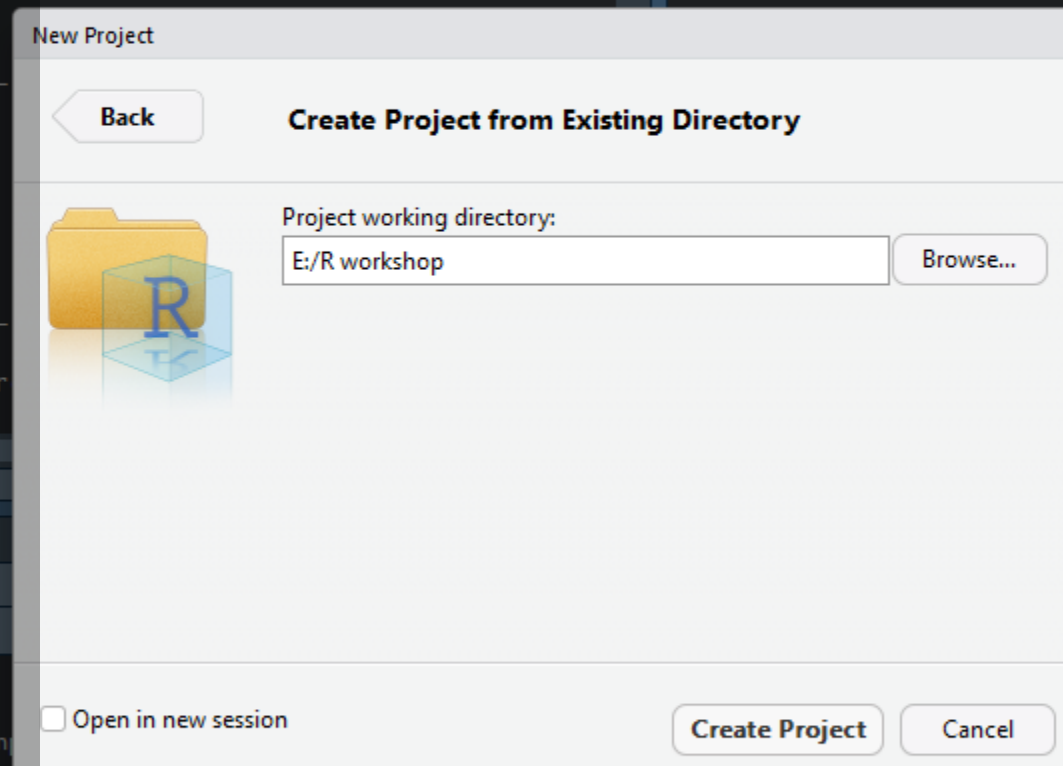
Version Control

Checkout a project from a version control repository



Cancel

Set up a project with R Studio



Names:

File names better without spaces: `my_super_pro_data.csv`

Case sensitivity: `My_Super_Pro_data.csv`

Not informative names: `data_1.csv`

Scripts:

Separate scripts: wrangling – analysis - figures

How easy is it to read this?



```
1 eco <- read.csv("~/eco.csv")
2 view(eco)
3 class(eco$Temperatura)
4 cobertura <- subset(eco,Sitio=="cobertura")
5 library(psych)
6 desnudo <- subset(eco,Sitio=="sincobertura")
7 describeBy(desnudo,desnudo$Medici.n)
8 describeBy(cobertura,cobertura$Medici.n,na.rm=T)
9 describeBy(eco,eco$Sitio,na.rm=T)
10 sitio <- c("cobertura","cobertura","cobertura","sin","sin","sin")
11 lux <- c(8800,13300,12800,71000,104600,118400)
12 iluminancia <- data.frame(sitio,lux)
13 humedad <- c(37.1,37.9,38.7,39.9,39,36.8)
14 hume <- data.frame(sitio,humedad)
15 iluminancia
16 class(iluminancia$lux)
17 describeBy(iluminancia,iluminancia$sitio)
18 describeBy(hume,hume$sitio)
19 z <- read.table(file="clipboard",sep="\t",header=T)
20 plot(x=z$?rea.acumulada,y=z$Spp.acumulada,pch=16,xlab=expression(paste("?rea(",cm^2,")",sep="")),ylab="Especies acumuladas")
21 lines.default(z$?rea.acumulada,z$Spp.acumulada)
```

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R Script ⌵

How easy is it to read this?

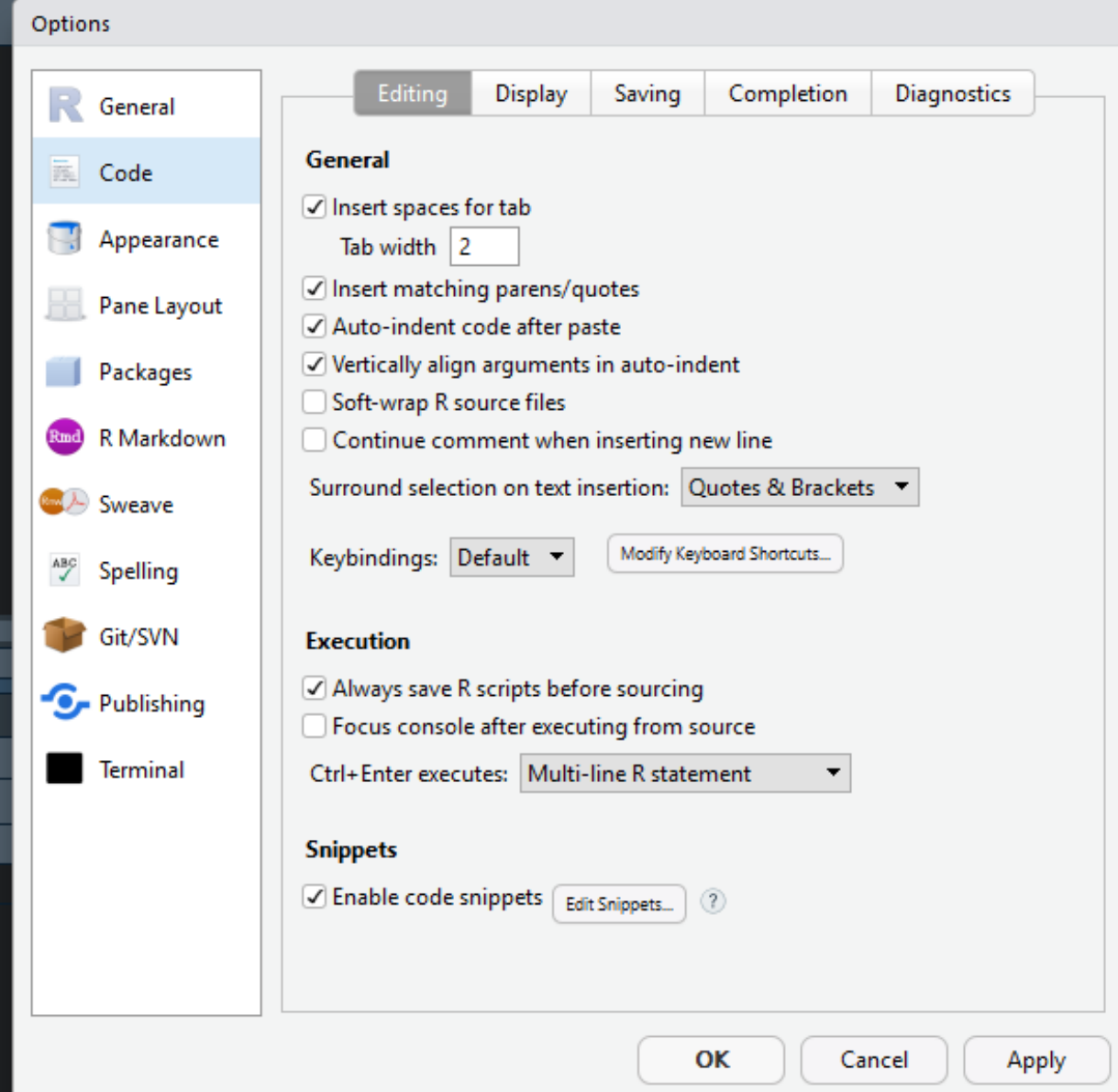
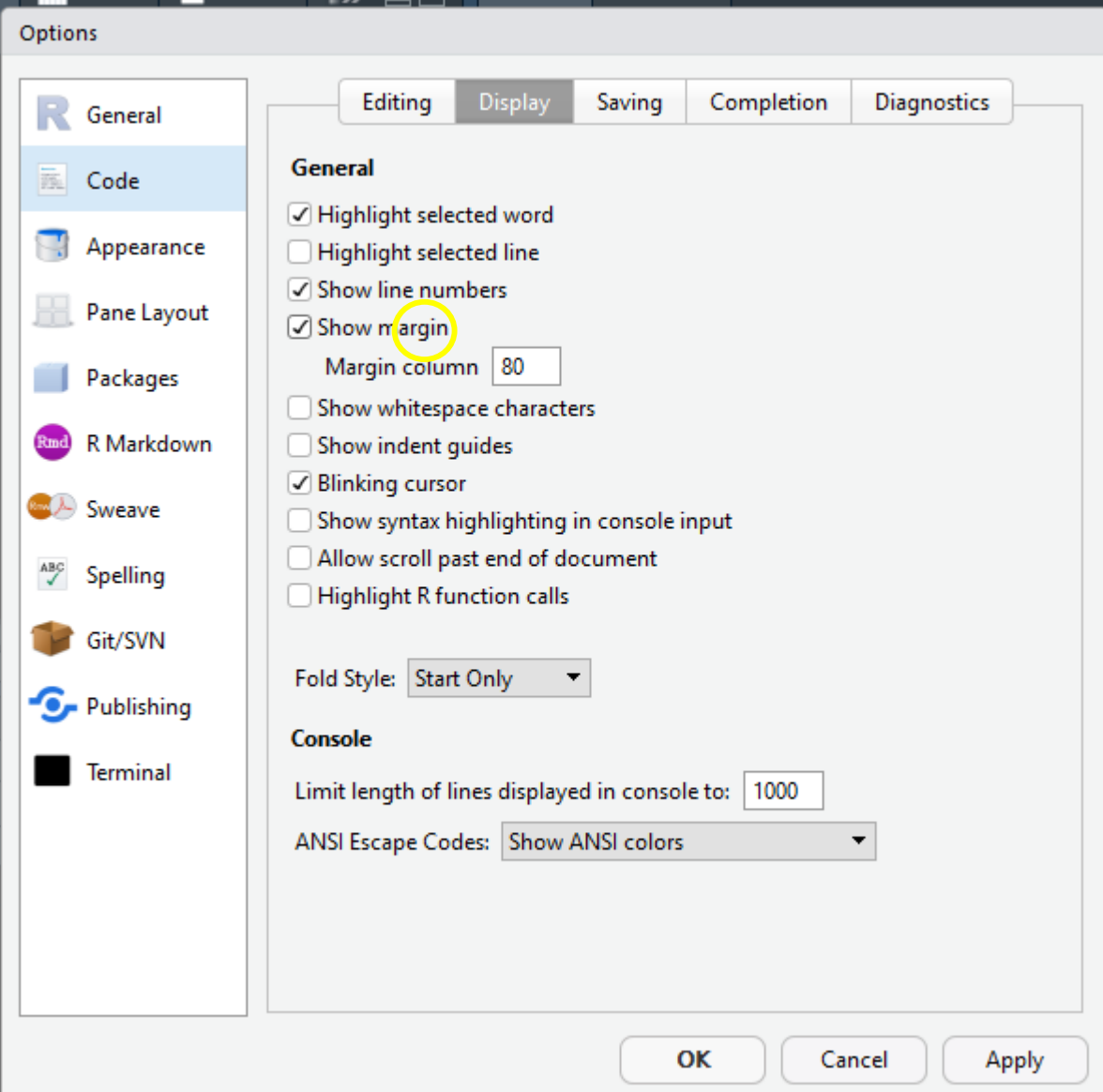
```
31 #-----Con paquete vegan-----  
32 #Primero cargo los datos por sitio, no por d?a para sacar ?ndices por sitio  
33  
34 site <- read.csv("site.csv",header=T,row.names=1)  
35 diversity(persite,index = "shannon")  
36 diversity(persite,index="simpson")  
37  
38 #Margalef:  
39 n <- apply(persite>0,1,sum)  
40 N <- apply(persite,1,sum)  
41 (n-1)/log(N)  
42  
43  
44 #Luego debo de hacer curva de acumulaci?n por sitio, por lo tanto  
45 #debo de hacer el subset respectivo  
46  
47 una <- subset(site,Sitio=="UNA")  
48 tail(una)  
49 una <- una[1:7,-1]  
50  
51 sta_lu <- subset(site,Sitio=="Sta_Luc?a")  
52 tail(sta_lu)  
53 sta_lu <- sta_lu[,-1]  
54  
55 monte <- subset(site,Sitio=="Monte_Cruz")  
56 tail(monte)  
57 monte <- monte[,-1]  
58  
59 #Para curvaaccu debo de cargar por muestra (por d?a)  
60  
61 spa <- specaccum(una,method="random")  
62 spa  
63 plot(spa,xlab = "D?as de Muestreo",ylab = "Riqueza",col="red")  
64  
65 spasta <- specaccum(sta_lu)  
66 plot(spasta,xlab = "D?as de Muestreo",ylab = "Riqueza",add=T)
```

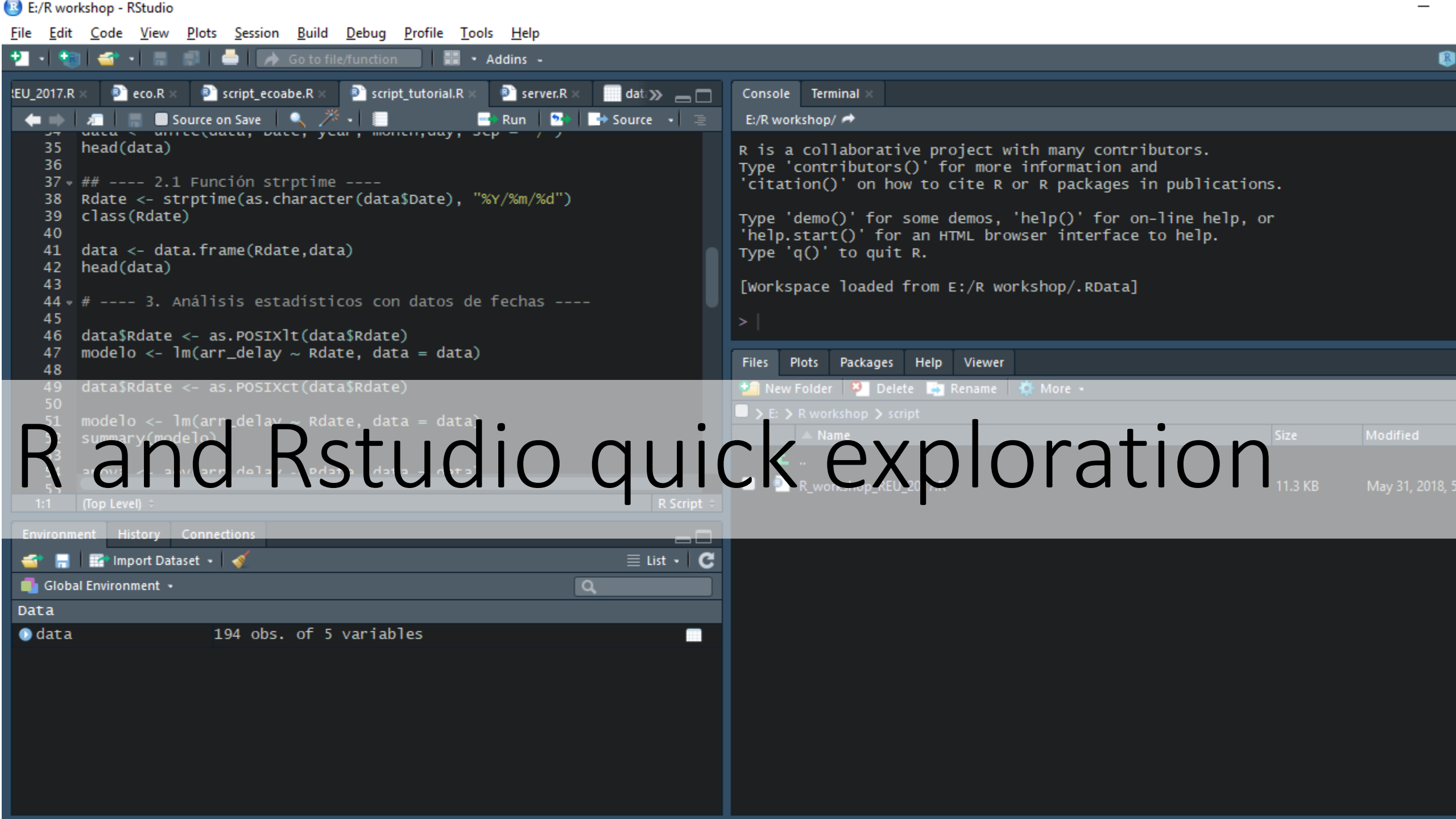
1:1 (Top Level)  R Script 

How easy is it to read this?

```
34 data <- unlist(data, date, year, month, day, sep = "/")
35 head(data)
36
37 ## ---- 2.1 Función strptime ----
38 Rdate <- strptime(as.character(data$Date), "%Y/%m/%d")
39 class(Rdate)
40
41 data <- data.frame(Rdate, data)
42 head(data)
43
44 # ---- 3. Análisis estadísticos con datos de fechas ----
45
46 data$Rdate <- as.POSIXlt(data$Rdate)
47 modelo <- lm(arr_delay ~ Rdate, data = data)
48
49 data$Rdate <- as.POSIXct(data$Rdate)
50
51 modelo <- lm(arr_delay ~ Rdate, data = data)
52 summary(modelo)
53
54 anova <- aov(arr_delay ~ Rdate, data = data)
55 summary(anova)
56
57 #convertir a continuo
58 data$Rdate <- as.POSIXct(data$Rdate)
59
60 ## ---- 3.1 Nombre completo del día ----
61 ejemplo <- data[1,1]
62 ejemplo
63
64 weekdays(ejemplo)
65
66 ## ---- 3.2 Otros formatos ----
67 otras_fechas <- c("2feb2016", "18jun1990", "7nov1995")
68 strptime(otras_fechas, "%d%b%Y")
69
70 # ---- 4. cálculos con el tiempo ----
```

1:1 (Top Level) R Script





R and Rstudio quick exploration



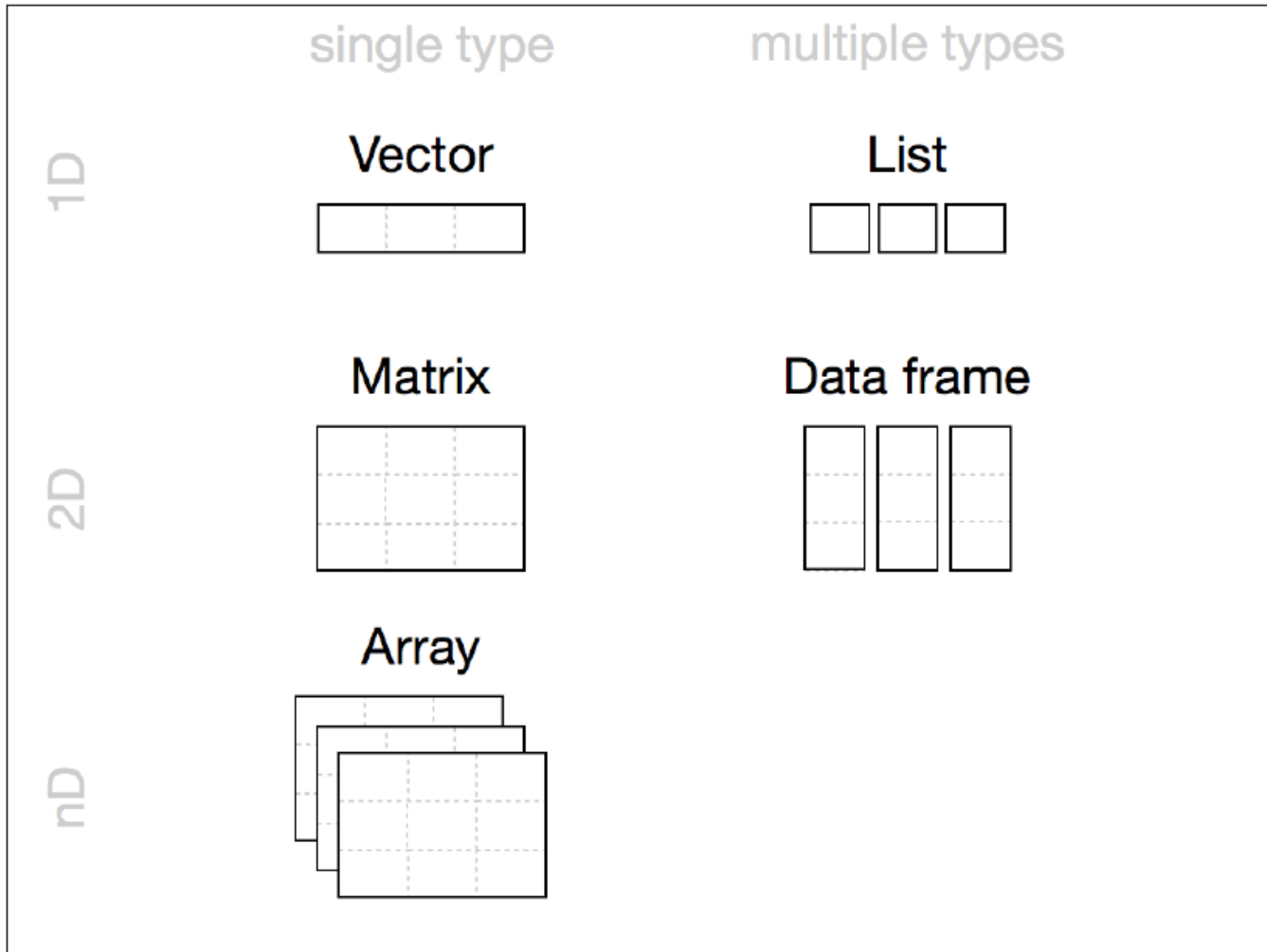
Data and structures in R

Types of data:

-Characters	"biología" , "A" , "estadística"
-Numerics	18.6 , 90
-Integers	18L , 26L
-Complex	2+4i
-Logical	TRUE , FALSE

Para verificar su clase: `class()`

Objetos se almacenan en estructuras:



>Check_the_code::



Coercing rules

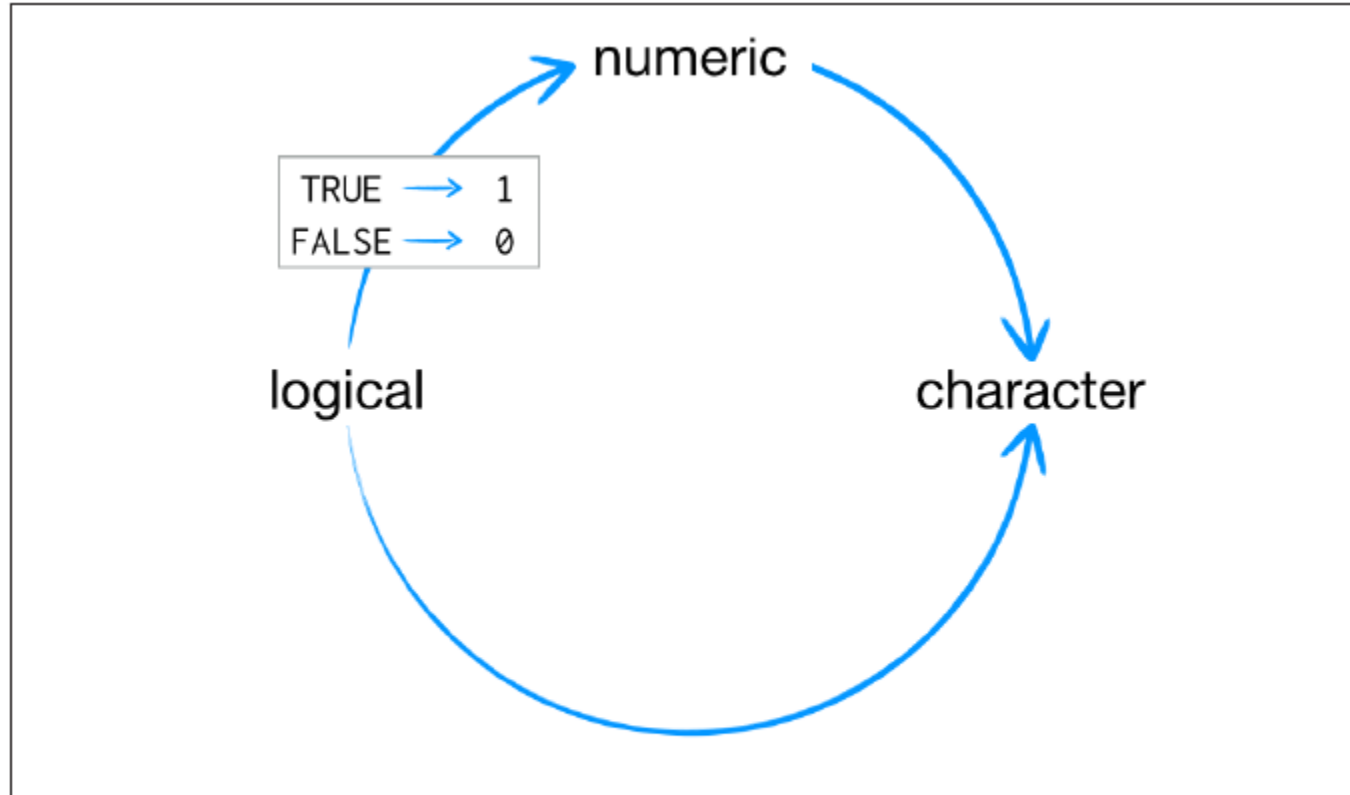


Figure 3-1. R always uses the same rules to coerce data to a single type. If character strings are present, everything will be coerced to a character string. Otherwise, logicals are coerced to numerics.

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A small, light-colored insect is shown on a light-colored, textured rock surface. The insect is holding a small, multi-colored ball (resembling a globe) in its front paws. Above the insect, several other balls are in motion, creating a trail of colorful spheres (red, blue, and multi-colored) against a dark background. The scene is captured in a way that suggests the insect is juggling or balancing these balls.

Loops and functions basics

Reduce duplication!

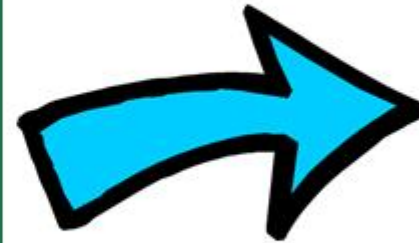
- Code easier to read
- Easier to respond to changes in requirements
- Fewer bugs



>Check_the_code::



Data wrangling



Don't mix characters and numbers in the same cell
Put easy names to write and remember
Don't mix lower case and upper case

Experimental design:

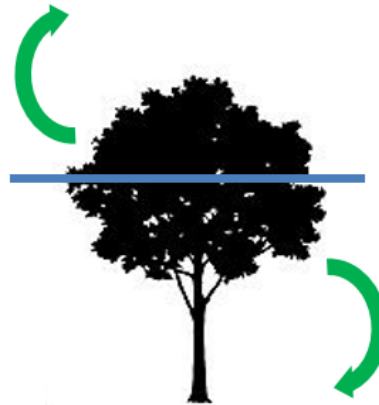
-3 Individuals

-2 measurement per leaf

-5 treatments applied to
2 strata

How should the data set
be structured?

10 HD	27 °C
10 HD	34°C
10 HD	38 °C
10 HD	45 °C
10 HD	EH



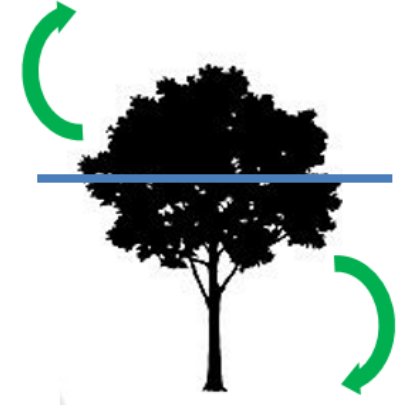
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10 HS	45 °C
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10 HD	27 °C
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10 HD	38 °C
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10 HS	27 °C
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10 HS	45 °C
10 HS	EH

DATA_FIXb - Microsoft Excel

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2	ID	IND	POS	TRT															
3		1 A	D	27															
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DATA_FIXb - Microsoft Excel

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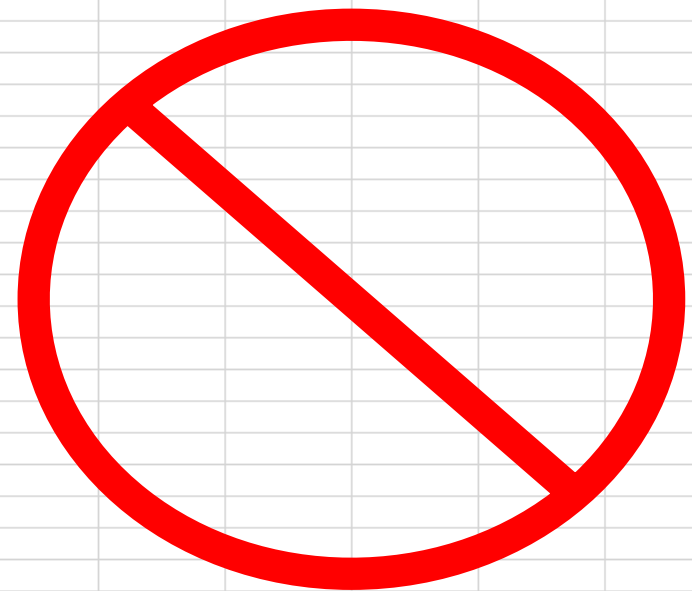
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Final

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2	IND	B	C	A												
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Tidy data!

ID	IND	POS	TRT	Medicion	FV
1	A	D	27	F	
2	A	S	27	F	
3	B	D	34	I	
4	B	S	34	I	
5	C	D	38	F	



Observation



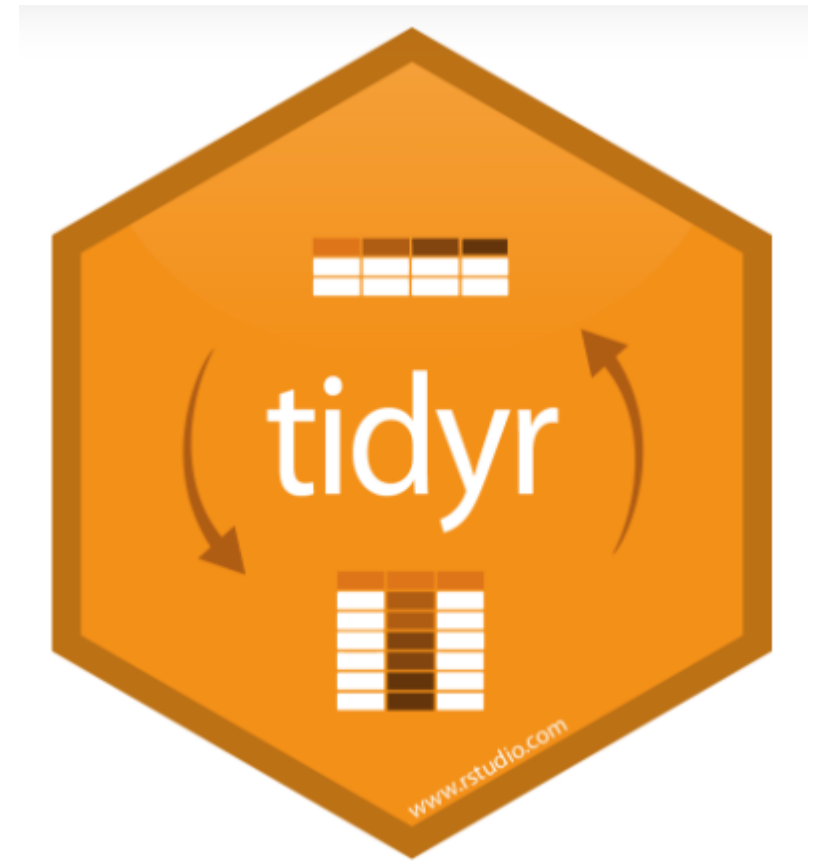
Variable / Attribute

- Each variable must have its own column.
- Each observation must have its own row.
- Each value must have its own cell.

Wickham, H. (2014). Tidy Data. *Journal of Statistical Software*, 59(i10).

Four verbs in tidyr:

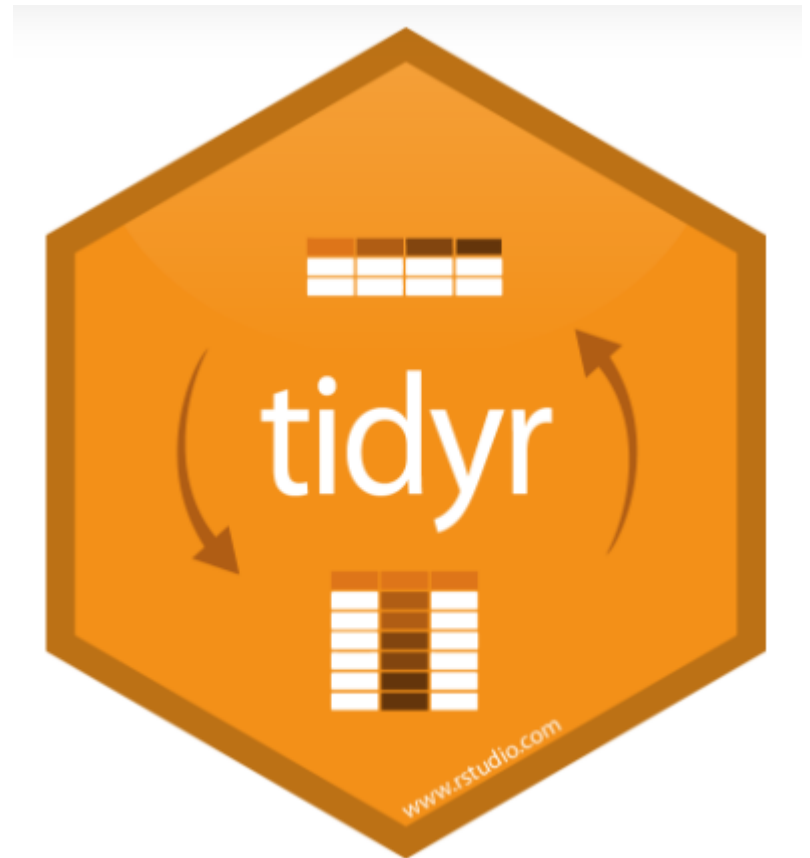
- 1- `gather ()`
- 2- `spread ()`
- 3- `separate()`
- 4- `unite ()`



How to deal with not tidy data?

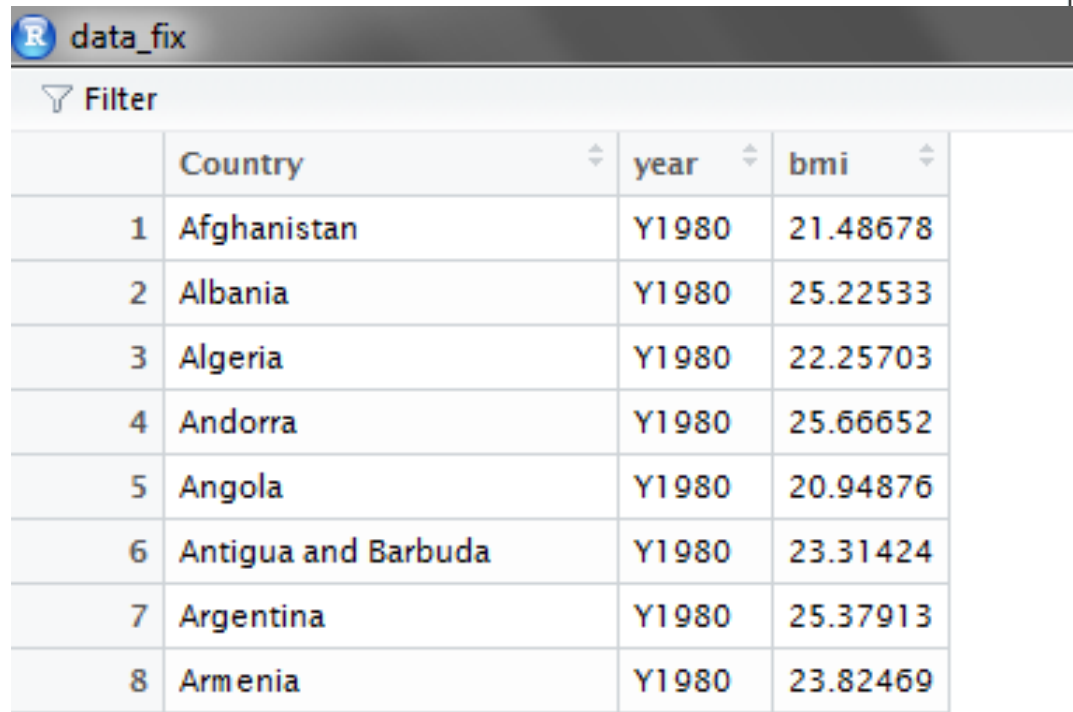
What is the problem with this dataset?

R data					
Filter					
	Country	Y1980	Y1981	Y1982	Y1983
1	Afghanistan	21.48678	21.46552	21.45145	21.43822
2	Albania	25.22533	25.23981	25.25636	25.27176
3	Algeria	22.25703	22.34745	22.43647	22.52105
4	Andorra	25.66652	25.70868	25.74681	25.78250
5	Angola	20.94876	20.94371	20.93754	20.93187
6	Antigua and Barbuda	23.31424	23.39054	23.45883	23.53735
7	Argentina	25.37913	25.44951	25.50242	25.55644
8	Armenia	23.82469	23.86401	23.91023	23.95649
9	Australia	24.92729	25.00216	25.07660	25.14938
10	Austria	24.84097	24.88110	24.93482	24.98118
11	Azerbaijan	24.49375	24.52584	24.56064	24.60150



How to deal with not tidy data?

What is the problem with this set of data?



	Country	year	bmi
1	Afghanistan	Y1980	21.48678
2	Albania	Y1980	25.22533
3	Algeria	Y1980	22.25703
4	Andorra	Y1980	25.66652
5	Angola	Y1980	20.94876
6	Antigua and Barbuda	Y1980	23.31424
7	Argentina	Y1980	25.37913
8	Armenia	Y1980	23.82469

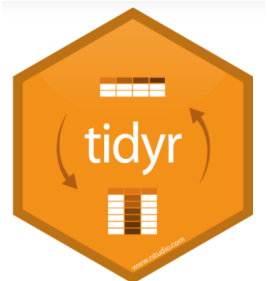
```
gather(data, key, value, ...)
```

data: a data frame

key: bare name of new key column

value: bare name of new value column

..: bare names of columns to gather (or not)



How to deal with not tidy data?

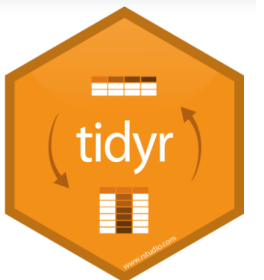
data_unfix					
Filter					
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spread(data, key, value)

data: a data frame

key: bare name of column containing keys

value: bare name of column containing values



How to deal with not tidy data?

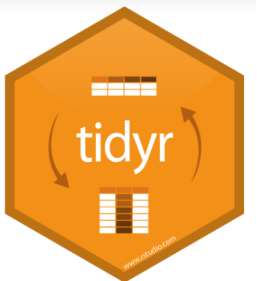
How to solve this?

R fotos_sep

Filter

	i	plot	MIG.grey	Aniso.grey	Timestamp	Date	Time	sitio	camara
1	1	LADERA	0.2220831	0.9363847	21/06/2016 11:47	2015:05:21	13:21:50	Piro	1
2	2	LADERA	0.2334211	0.9371384	21/06/2016 11:47	2015:05:21	14:21:50	Piro	1
3	3	LADERA	0.1685896	0.9400231	21/06/2016 11:48	2015:05:22	09:00:01	Piro	1
4	4	LADERA	0.1554022	0.9261470	21/06/2016 11:48	2015:05:22	10:00:01	Piro	1
5	5	LADERA	0.2006901	0.9033331	21/06/2016 11:48	2015:05:22	11:00:01	Piro	1

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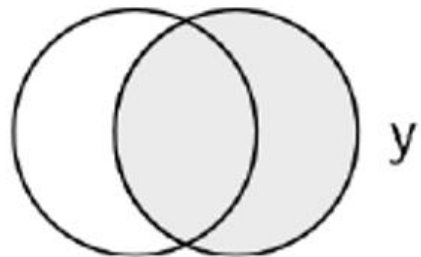
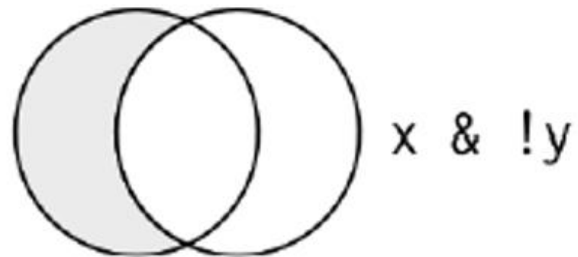
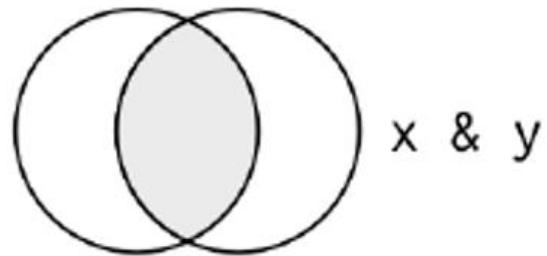
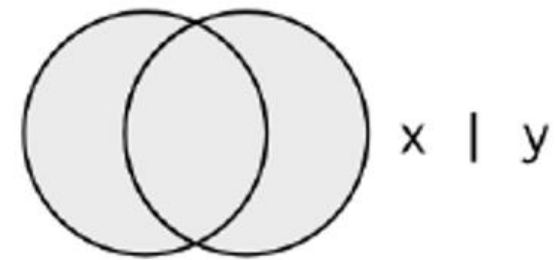
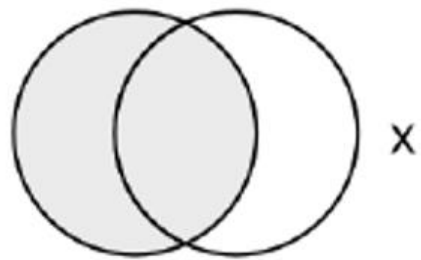
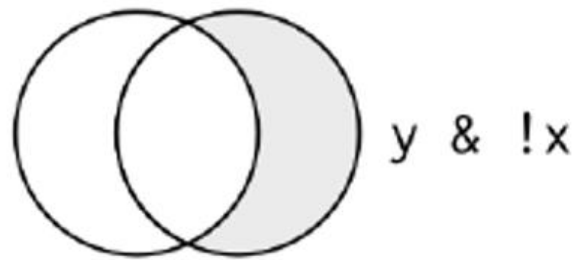


Five verbs in dplyr:

- 1- `select ()`
- 2- `filter ()`
- 3- `arrange ()`
- 4- `mutate ()`
- 5- `summarise ()`
 - *- `group_by ()`



Logical operators:



>Check_the_code::



ggplot2:

```
ggplot(data = <DATA>) +  
  <GEOM_FUNCTION> (  
    mapping = aes(<MAPPINGS>),  
    stat = <STAT>,  
    position = <POSITION>  
  ) +  
  <COORDINATE_FUNCTION> +  
  <FACET_FUNCTION>
```

>[Check_the_code::](#)



Save R objects for the next session:

```
save(my_data, file = "my_data.Rdata")
```

```
saveRDS(mtcars, "my_data.rds")
```

```
readRDS(file = "my_data.rds")
```

Repositories:

- CRAN, <http://cran.r-project.org>
- Bitbucket, <https://bitbucket.org>
- Bioconductor, <http://www.bioconductor.org>
- GitHub, <https://github.com>
- Gitorious, <http://www.gitorious.com>

Help:

The screenshot displays the RStudio environment with three main panels:

- Script Editor (Left):** Contains R code for data manipulation and outlier detection. The code includes comments in Spanish and uses functions like `subset`, `order`, `head`, `tail`, and `plot`.
- Console (Top Right):** Shows the execution of R commands. It includes the creation of random normal distributions for three semesters and the calculation of their means using `lapply` and `sapply`.
- Help Window (Bottom Right):** The **Help** menu item in the top toolbar is circled in yellow. The help window displays the documentation for the `strptime` function, titled "Date-time Conversion Functions to and from Character".

```
#Diapo 93
#Otros
#Para ordenar de menor a mayor:
orden <- fotos_sep[order(fotos_sep$MIG.grey),]
head(orden)
tail(orden)

#O bien, ordenamos subconjuntos con su valor:
orden_1 <- fotos_sep[order(fotos_sep$plot,fotos_sep$MIG.grey),]
head(orden_1,20)
tail(orden_1,20)

#Diapo 96
#Subset haciendo uso de operadores:
#Estos son útiles para indicar a R ciertas
#características que deseamos seleccionar:

ouliers_1 <- subset(fotos_sep,select=plot,subset=(MIG.grey>0.4))
ouliers_2 <- fotos_sep[fotos_sep$MIG.grey>0.4,]
head(ouliers)

#Recordemos del apartado de las fechas, que en el plot
#detectamos unos outliers. Con subsets y operadores
#lógicos los podemos eliminar
eliminate <- subset(fotos_sep,subset=MIG.grey<0.33)
head(eliminate)
plot(eliminate$fecha,eliminate$MIG.grey)
```

```
> x <- list(I_SEMESTRE=rnorm(10,8,1),
+          II_SEMESTRE=rnorm(10,7,1),
+          III_SEMESTRE=rnorm(10,7,1))
> lapply(x,mean)
$I_SEMESTRE
[1] 7.934191

$II_SEMESTRE
[1] 6.94863

$III_SEMESTRE
[1] 6.770249

> sapply(x,mean)
  I_SEMESTRE  II_SEMESTRE  III_SEMESTRE 
7.934191    6.948630    6.770249
```

Help Window Content:

strptime (base)

Date-time Conversion Functions to and from Character

Description

Functions to convert between character representations and objects of classes "POSIXlt" and "POSIXct" representing calendar dates and times.

Usage

Help:

The screenshot shows the Stack Overflow homepage. At the top is a dark navigation bar with the StackExchange logo, user avatars, and a search bar. Below this is the main header with the Stack Overflow logo and navigation links: Questions, Jobs, Documentation Beta, Tags, Users, Badges, and Ask Question. A large blue banner for 'Announcing Stack Overflow Documentation' is visible. Below the banner, a question is displayed with the title 'How to subset a data frame, apply a function with a for-loop and obtain the result with the name of each subset on it?'. The question text is in Spanish. To the right of the question, there is a yellow box that says 'FEATURED ON META'. The question has 1 answer, asked 1 year ago, and viewed 64 times.

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1 I have a data set where I want to subset it by some conditions as TRT and then evaluate some functions on each one, but instead of repeat the function for every subset I rather to do a for loop. The thing is that I want to get the result but with the name of the subset on it, and I cannot do it

- <http://stackoverflow.com>

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- Recomendaciones de foros:

<http://www.r-project.org/posting-guide.html>

- No hacer preguntas repetidas
- A buenas preguntas, buenas respuestas



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Posting Guide: How to ask good questions that prompt useful answers

This guide is intended to help you get the most out of the R mailing lists, and to avoid embarrassment. Like many responses posted on the list, it is written in a concise manner. This is not intended to be unfriendly - it is more a consequence of allocating the limited available time and space to technical issues rather than to social niceties.

The list: Remember that R is free software, constructed and maintained by volunteers. They have various reasons for contributing software and participating on the mailing lists, but often have limited time.

Good manners: Remember that customs differ. Some people are very direct. Others surround everything they say with hedges and apologies. Be tolerant. Rudeness is never warranted, but sometimes 'read the manual' *is* the appropriate response. Don't waste time discussing such matters on the list. Ad hominem comments are absolutely out of place.

Questions about statistics: The R mailing lists are primarily intended for questions and discussion

Learning resources:

The screenshot shows the Coursera interface for the 'R Programming' course. At the top, the Coursera logo is on the left, and navigation links for 'Catalog', 'Search catalog', 'Institutions', and 'RM' are on the right. A dark blue banner below the header promotes the 'Data Science Specialization' with an 'Upgrade' button. The left sidebar contains the Johns Hopkins University logo and a list of course navigation links: 'Course Home', 'Course Content', 'Assignments', 'Discussion Forums', and 'Course Info' (which is highlighted with a blue bar). The main content area features the course title 'R Programming' in a large font, followed by 'Johns Hopkins University' and 'Part of a 10-course series, the Data Science Specialization'. Below this, there are two columns. The left column, titled 'About this Course', contains a paragraph describing the course content. The right column shows session information: 'You're currently enrolled in this session: June 27 - July 31' and 'Upcoming session: August 1 - September 5'. At the bottom of the right column are buttons for 'Switch sessions' and 'Help Center'.

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