# R quick start [1]

- Assignment operator <- or =</li>
- Case sensitive
- Indexes start at 1
- 2-D array notation m[1,2]
- 2-D array storage column-major order
- Mixed container type list
- Mechanism for external code packaging library()
- Run mode interactive, batch
- Comment symbol #

```
File "test.R" (version 1)
       oddcount<-function(x) {
       k<-0
       for (n in x) {
           if (n%%2==1) #n is odd
             k<-k+1
       }
       return(k)
       }
>source("test.R") #load code from the file
>ls() #what objects we have
>class(oddcount) #what kind of object is oddcount
>oddcount #or print(oddcount)
>y<-c(3,6,2,8,9) #concatenate function
>y
>y[3]
>y[1:4]
>y[c(1,3:5)]
>oddcount(y)
```

[1] Norman Martoff. Probability and Statistics for Data Science Math+R+Data, CRC Press, 2019.

```
File "test.R" (version 2)
       oddcount<-function(x) {
       x1<-(x\%\%2==1) #x1 is a vector of TRUEs and FALSEs
       x2 < -x[x1]
       return (length(x2))
       }
>oddcount(y[2:5])
File "test.R" (version 3)
       oddcount<-function(x) {
       length(x[x\%\%2==1]) #the last value computed is auto returned
       }
File "test.R" (version 4)
       oddcount<-function(x) sum(x\%\%2==1)
>which(y %% 2==1) #which elements are odd
File "test.R" (version 5)
       oddcount<-function(x) {
       x1 < -x[x\%\%2 = = 1]
       return (list(odds=x1,numodds=length(x1)) )
       }
```

```
# rbind(), cbind() functions combine rows/columns of matrices
>m1<-rbind(2:3,c(4,5))
> m1<-rbind(m1,c(7,8))
>m2<-matrix(1:6,nrow=2)  #ncol=2
>ncol(m2)  #nrow(m2)
>m3<-m2[ ,2:3]
> m2[ ,2:3]<-cbind(c(8,9),c(10,11))

>m1*t(m2)
>2*m2  #recycling
>m1 %*% m2
>sum(m1)  #matrices are special cases of vectors
```

**ifelse**(boolean vectorexpression1, vectorexpression2, vectorexpression3) – each element of the result will be the corresponding element in vectorexpression2 or vectorexpression3, depending on whether the corresponding element in vectorexpression1 is TRUE or FALSE.

```
>ifelse(m2 %% 3==1,0,m2)
>x<-c(4,2,6)
>sort(x)
>sort(x,decreasing=TRUE)
```

## The R list type

```
>g<-list(x=3:6,s= "hello")
>g$x #g[[1]]
>g$s #g[[2]]
> for (i in 1:length(g)) print(g[[i]])
```

```
An S3 object is simply a list, with a class name added as an attribute:

>j<-list(name="Joe", salary=3200,union=T)

>class(j)<- "employee"

>m<-list(name="Joe", salary=3200,union=F)

>class(m)<- "employee"

#print() is a generic function

print.employee<-function(w){

cat(w$name,"\n")

cat("salary",w$salary,"\n")

cat("union member",w$union,"\n")

}

>print(j) #or j

>rm(print.employee) #remove function

>print(j) #or j
```

## **Handling errors**

#### **Data Frames**

A data frame is similar to a matrix, except that it can mix data of different modes. One column may consist of integers, another of characters and so on. All columns must have the same length and within a column all elements must be of the same mode.

```
>?airquality
>names(airquality)
>head(airquality) #tail(airquality,n=3L)
>airquality[5,3] # airquality$Wind[5]
>nrow(airquality) #ncol
>airquality$Celsius<-(5/9)*(airquality[,4]-32) #add a column
>airquality<-airquality[,1:6]
>aqJune<-airquality[airquality$Month==6,]
>nrow(aqJune)
>names(aqJune)
>mean(aqJune$Temp)
>write.table(aqJune,"C:\\Users\\Desktop\\AQJune") #write data frame to file
>aa<-read.table(header=T,"C:\\Users\\Desktop\\AQJune") #read data frame from file</pre>
```

### Variables/vectors generation

```
1) 1000 dice rolls

x=c(1,2,3,4,5,6)
p=c(1/6, 1/6, 1/6, 1/6, 1/6, 1/6)
y<-sample(x,1000,replace=F,prob=p)
hist(y)
summary(y)
var(y)
```

2) Grades from the admission exam for a random sample of 100 candidates

```
x<- 1+rbinom(100,9,0.6)
hist(x)
```

```
summary(x) var(x)
```

3) Distribution portfolio - for different parameters values

```
- Binomial
```

```
rbinom(n, size, prob); n= 500; size= 4; 5; prob= 0.2; 0.5; 0.7
```

- Poisson

```
rpois(n, lambda); n= 500; lambda= 0.5; 1; 5
```

- Geometric

```
rgeom(n, prob); n= 500; prob= 0.3; 0.7
```

- Continuous uniform

```
runif(n, min, max)
```

#### - Gamma

```
\label{eq:rgamma} \begin{tabular}{ll} rgamma(n, shape, rate= 1, scale= 1/rate); & n= 500; (shape= 2; scale= 2); \\ & (shape= 2; scale= 0.2); \\ & (shape= 1; scale= 2); \\ & (shape= 1; scale= 0.2); \\ & (shape= 0.5; scale= 0.2) \\ & x<-rgamma(1000,2,scale=3) \\ & hist(x,freq=F) \\ & y<-dgamma(x,2,scale=3), min(x), max(x), add=T, col="red") \\ \end{tabular}
```

#### - Normal

```
rnorm(n, mean, sd); n= 100;1000;10000; mean 3;5; sd=0.7;2;9
```

## - CHI square (central)

```
rchisq(n, df, ncp= 0); n= 500; df= 2;5;10
```

### - Multinomial

```
rmultinom(n, size, prob) \\ X=rmultinom(100, size = 12, prob=c(0.3,0.1,0.6)) \\ a<-c(mean(X[1, ]),mean(X[2, ]),mean(X[3, ])) \\ cov(t(X))
```

## - Normal distribution

```
mvrnorm(n, mu, Sigma),
```

#n = the number of samples required

#mu = a vector giving the means of the variables

#Sigma = a positive-definite symmetric matrix specifying the covariance matrix of the variables.

```
library(MASS)
mu=c(0,2)
Sigma=matrix(c(10,3,3,2),2,2)
X<-mvrnorm(100,mu,Sigma)
X
plot(X[,1],X[,2],col="red")
```