Import Dataframe

df = read.csv("/path/filename.csv")
library("readxl")
df = read_excel("path/filename.xlsx")

Notes:

- to convert all string variables to categories, add:

, stringsAsFactors = TRUE

R Basics

install.packages("x") library(x)

summary(df) str(df) View(df)

summary(df\$continuous)
table(df\$categorical)
prop.table(table(df\$categorical))

Export Dataframe / Output

write.csv(df, file= "name.csv") write.csv(var, file= "name.csv")

Notes:

- can be used to Export Edited df, lists, coefficients of a model, etc

add New Variable to Dataframe

dfnew_var = x

Delete Variable/Column

df = df[, -5] df = df[, -5:-10] df = df[, -c(1, 3, 4)] df\$var = Null

Notes:

- remove column #5
- remove columns # 5 to 10
- df2 can be used to be new updated data; df2 = df[,-5]

Outlier Treatment

Find Percentile:

quantile(df\$var, 0.99) quantile(df\$var, c(0.01, 0.99) quantile(df\$var, seq(0, by= 0.1))

Set Cutoff (Capping & Flooring):

df\$var[(df\$var > x)]df\$var[(df\$var > x)] = x

Notes:

- displays cases meeting condition of crossing the cutoff, then replaces them with a certain value (eg.99th centile, 3×99th centile, mean) or case can be deleted
- on the lower end (< 1st centile) if we want to go 3 times lower we use < and multiply by \times 0.3 (not \times 3)

Z-Score Standardization

 $x_z = scale(df$x)$

Plots

Histogram:

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hist(df$var, main = "label", xlab= "label",
col= "red2", border= FALSE, breaks = #)
```

Scatterplot:

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plot(df$var1, df$var2)
pairs(df[c("var1","var2","var3")])
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library(psych)
pairs.panels(df[c("var1", "var2", "var3")])

Boxplot:

boxplot(df\$var)

Bar chart:

barplot(table(df\$var))

Pie chart:

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pie(c(0.5, 0.2), labels = c(", "))
```

Notes:

- parameters in histograms are similar in the rest (press F1 and see)
- in the vector, column # can be used instead of variable names (but using variable names is better in case column # is changed)
- the psych package creates a scatterplot of matrices (SPLOM)

Correlation

cor(df) cor(df[,1:5]) cor(df[,c(1, 3, 4)]) round(cor(df[,c(1, 3, 4)]), 2)

Notes:

- gets columns 1-5
- gets columns 1,3,4 (var names can be used too)
- rounds to 2 decimals

Missing Data

Find:

summary(df)
sum(is.na(df))
which(is.na(df\$var))

Exclude:

mean(df\$var, na.rm = TRUE)

Impute:

df\$var[(is.na(df\$var))]
= mean(df\$var, na.rm = TRUE)

Notes:

-if training a model, to avoid **Data Leakage** (including testing data in the training set); split the data, then impute.

Never impute the whole dataset before splitting.

Dummy Variables

library("dummies") df = dummy.data.frame(df)

Notes:

- this will also remove the original converted Categorical Variable
- dummy variables must be 1 less than the # of Categories
- i.e. one Dummy Variable should be discarded
- if a categorical variable has numbers (eg. 1,2,3); it should be converted to a factor using:

df\$var = as.factor(df\$var)

In order to be detected by the dummies function

Notes:

- set.seed(#) is a certain pattern of randomization, for replication if needed

If Statement

Obese = ifelse(df\$BMI >= 30, 1, 0)

Group Multiple Categories into One

Fat <- df\$weight %in% c("Overweight","Obese")

Notes:

- %in% is similar to an if statement (i.e. if any of these categories:)
- it returns a boolean (true or false); anyone who is Overweight or Obese will be Fat (TRUE), otherwise will be Fat (FALSE).

Generate a Normal Variable

```
set.seed(0)
rnorm(n, mean= #, sd= #)
```

Notes:

- setting seed is a consistent randomized pattern, for replication if needed

Generate a Categorical Variable

```
set.seed(0)
sample(x = c("Heads", "Tails"),
prob = c(0.5, 0.5),
size = #,
replace = TRUE)
```