SciViews:: CHEAT SHEET

SciViews:: R

SciViews::R provides additional functions on top of **tidyverse**. To use it type:



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.?topic or about("topic") - get help

Read datasets

read() unifies the data importation methods and also loads datasets from R packages.



ub <- read(« urchin_bio",
package = "data.io") - Import data from package
ub1 <- read("file.csv") - Import local data
ub1 <- read\$csv("file.csv") or ub1 <read("file.csv", type = "csv") - Import local</pre>

write() unifies the data exportation.

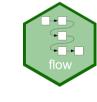
write(x, files, path)

read() and write() supports many formats: .txt, .rds, .sas,...

Data types() - Format of data supported

Workflow

Function are building blocks. They can be *nested*, *piped* (%>.% operator), or used in *successive statements*. A pipeline is usually more readable.



ub <- read("urchin_bio", package = "data.io")</pre>

Successive statements : select then filter data
ub1 <- select(ub, 1:5)
ub2 <- filter(ub1, origin == « Farm")</pre>

Nesting function
ub2 <- filter(select(ub, 1:5),
 origin == "Farm")</pre>

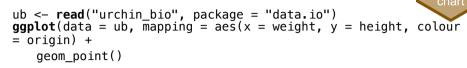
Pipeline with flow
ub %>.%
 select(., c(1:5)) %>.%
 filter(., origin == "Farm") -> ub2



%>.% is an explicit pipe (dot must be specified). Less ambiguous than tidyverse's pipe %>%.

Data visualisation

chart() uses 4 rules against ggplot()

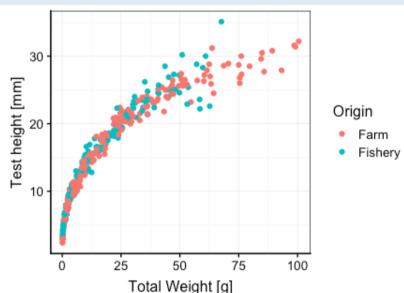


1. Replace **ggplot()** by **chart()**

2. Replace argument aes() by f_aes() to use formula
ggplot(data = ub, f_aes(height ~ weight %col=% origin)) +
 geom_point()

3. Use chart with formula syntax

chart(ub, formula = height ~ weight %col=% origin) +
 geom_point()



In addition **chart()** uses associated metadata (labels and units) to provide a plot close to publication ready.

ggplot(data = ub, mapping = aes(x = weight, y = height) +
 geom_point() +
 facet_grid(~ origin)

4. Use facets simply

chart(ub, formula = height ~ weight | origin) +
 geom_point()

chart() provides a unified interface for base plots, lattice and
ggplot2 with argument type or with \$

chart(ub, formula = height ~ weight %col=% origin, type =
"geom_point") - type = e.g. "xyplot" or "base"

chart\$geom_point(ub, formula = height ~ weight %col=% origin)

Reproductible research

Respect the three rules of reproductible research below

- 1. Organise your analysis in Project with several files
- Data : all datasets
- R: all scripts
- Analysis : all reports, presentations,...
- 2. Use a portative project
- Use only a relative path
- 3. Check that all analysis are executables

SciViews snippets

The **SciViews Snippets** in RStudio are organised in a succession of drop-down menu in RStudio.



