

Digital Tools for Reproducible Research

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Reproducible workflows (including code)
save time once set up

“Too many options”

Learn the logic now, specialise later

Inefficient to learn on your own

True -- do it here

Shaming? Everyone started somewhere; very
few are experts

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Today

Reproducible documents,
Rmarkdown syntax, and output

Learn about reproducible documents, Rmarkdown syntax, and the Papaja package for APA manuscripts.

Tasks

1. Learn about what is meant by reproducible documents, and Rmark
2. Understand basic Rmarkdown formatting, syntax, and output options
3. Create a manuscript squib in Papaja, reporting an independent samples t-test.

By the end of the today, you should be able to create and format an Rmarkdown report, and have a draft template for an APA manuscript.

What is a reproducible manuscript?

Code, results, and text in a single document.

Results and plots are automatically generated from your data, so documents are updated if data changes

A bit like magic :)



Heather Urry @HeatherUrry · Feb 26

A new PDF compiled in a matter of seconds with all of the results - text stats, tables, figures - updated automatically throughout the manuscript LIKE MAGIC. ITS LIKE GODDAMN FUCKING MAGIC. /9



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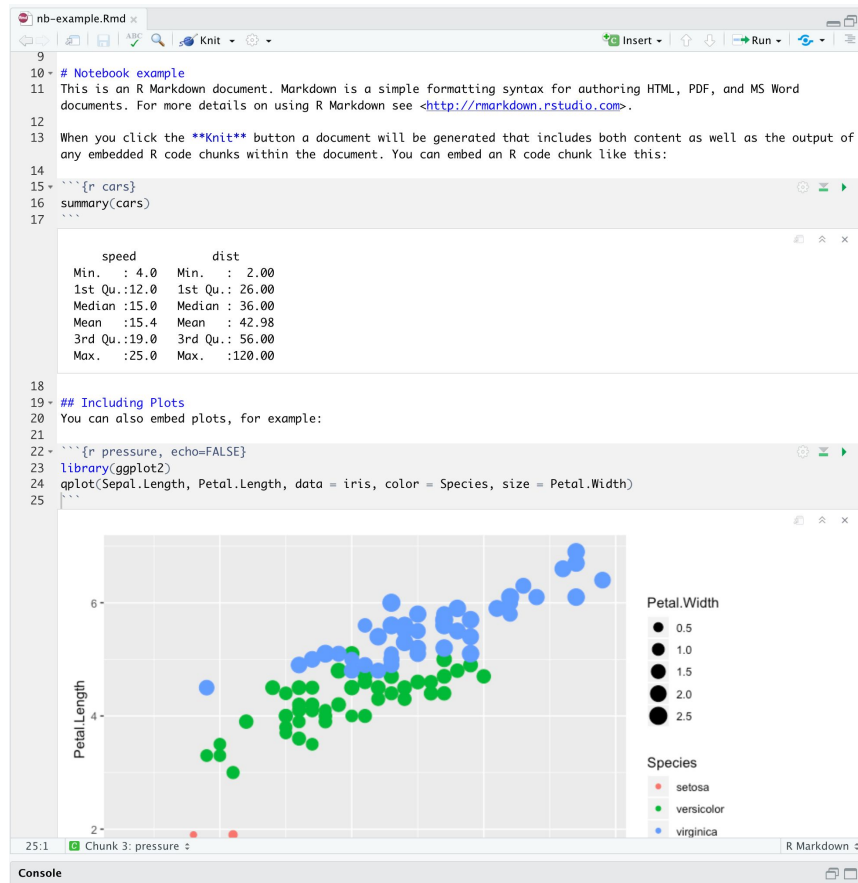
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like this:

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summary(cars)

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You can also embed plots, for example:

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Rmarkdown is a plain text file, with .rmd extension

Rmarkdown YAML metadata

Defaults given:

Title of the document

Author of the document

Date: system date at time of creation

Output: HTML

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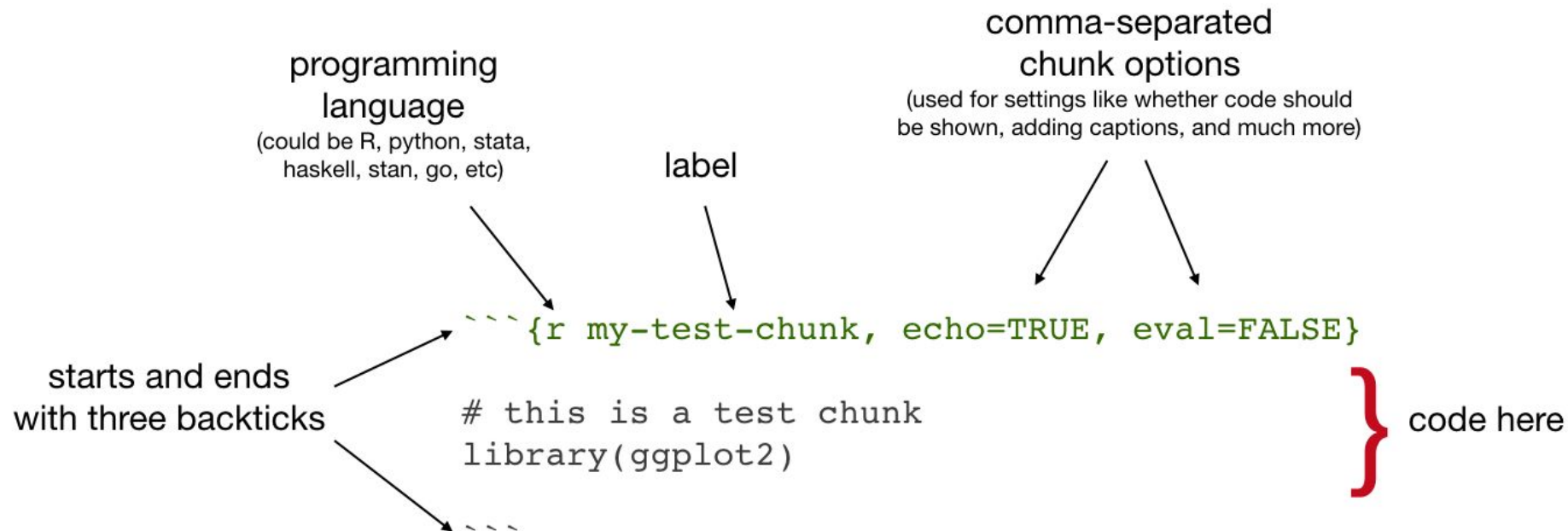
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Rmarkdown chunks



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Rmarkdown syntax

R Markdown Cheat Sheet

learn more at rmarkdown.rstudio.com

rmarkdown 0.2.50 Updated: 8/14



[https://www.rstudio.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/02/r](https://www.rstudio.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/02/rmarkdown-cheatsheet.pdf)

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3. Markdown Next, write your report in plain text. Use markdown syntax to describe how to format text in the final report.

syntax

Plain text
End a line with two spaces to start a new paragraph.
italics and *_italics_*
****bold**** and **__bold__**
superscript^2^
~~strikethrough~~
[link](www.rstudio.com)

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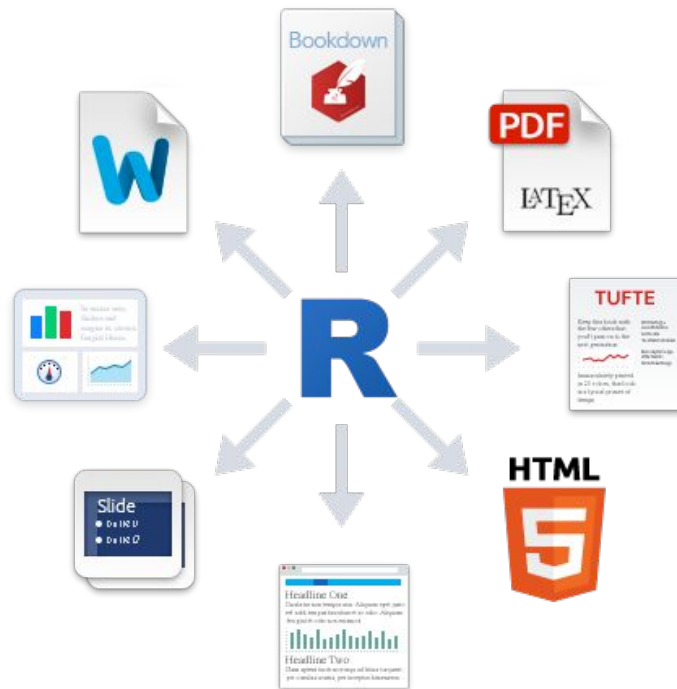
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Rmarkdown output formats

‘Knitting’ Rmd files



Knitting a document creates a specific type of output from the .Rmd file:

Default is HTML

Word (requires Microsoft Word)

PDF (requires LaTeX installation)

Practicals

Open the RmdWeek10.rmd file in RStudio.

- Add your name and today's date to YAML header
- Add a paragraph, containing a header, bold, and italics
- Change the chunk options to make the code (dis)appear.
- Try writing a new sentence including the mean difference in scores between groups,

Knit the file and see what your changes have accomplished.

Reproducible APA manuscripts

[Papaja](#) Reproducible APA Manuscripts

Install papaja

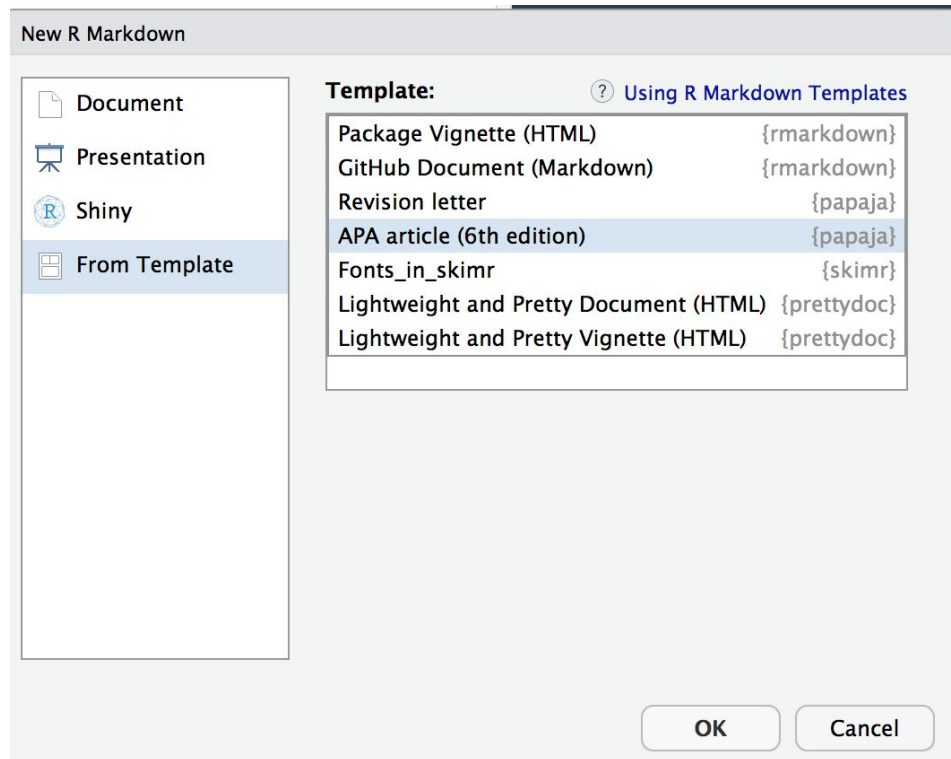
install papaja from this GitHub repository:

```
install.packages("devtools")
```

```
devtools::install_github("crsh/papaja")
```

Create a manuscript

Once you have installed the papaja package you can select the APA template when creating a new Markdown file through the menus in RStudio.



Practicals 2

Open a new .rmd from the Papaja template

- Add your name and details to the YAML
- Add the data simulation, and analysis to the 'Results' section of the manuscript.
- Make sure that your code is not outputted.

Knit the file and see what your changes have accomplished.

Resources

- [R Markdown Cheat Sheet](#)
- [R Markdown reference Guide](#)
- [R Markdown Tutorial](#)
- [R Markdown: The Definitive Guide](#) by Yihui Xie, J. J. Allaire, & Garrett Grolemund

[Chapter 27: R Markdown](#) in *R for Data Science*

