

Data Visualization



GETTING STARTED



**WE WANT TO
DRAW GOOD
DATA GRAPHICS
REPRODUCIBLY**

Abstraction in Software

Less  **More**

Easy things are awkward

Easy things are trivial

Hard things are straightforward

Hard things are really awkward

Really hard things are doable

Really hard things are impossible

D3

ggplot

Stata

Excel

Grid

Two ways to use R and ggplot

1. Do Everything in R

**Raw
Data**



**Read in,
Clean &
Analyze**



**ggplot
Figures**

2. Just use ggplot

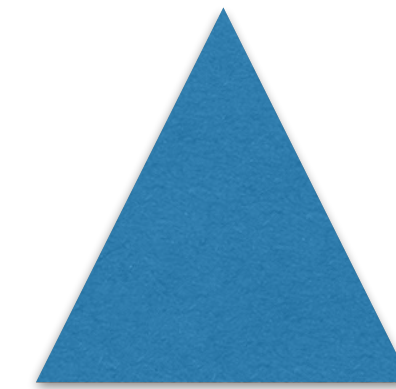
**Stata,
SAS,
etc**



**Tidy
results**



**ggplot
Figures**



**(Read in, likely with some
filtering/transformation)**

**THE RIGHT
FRAME OF MIND**

**TYPE OUT YOUR
CODE BY HAND**

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R Markdown file

course-notes

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Environment History

Import Dataset

Global Environment

Values

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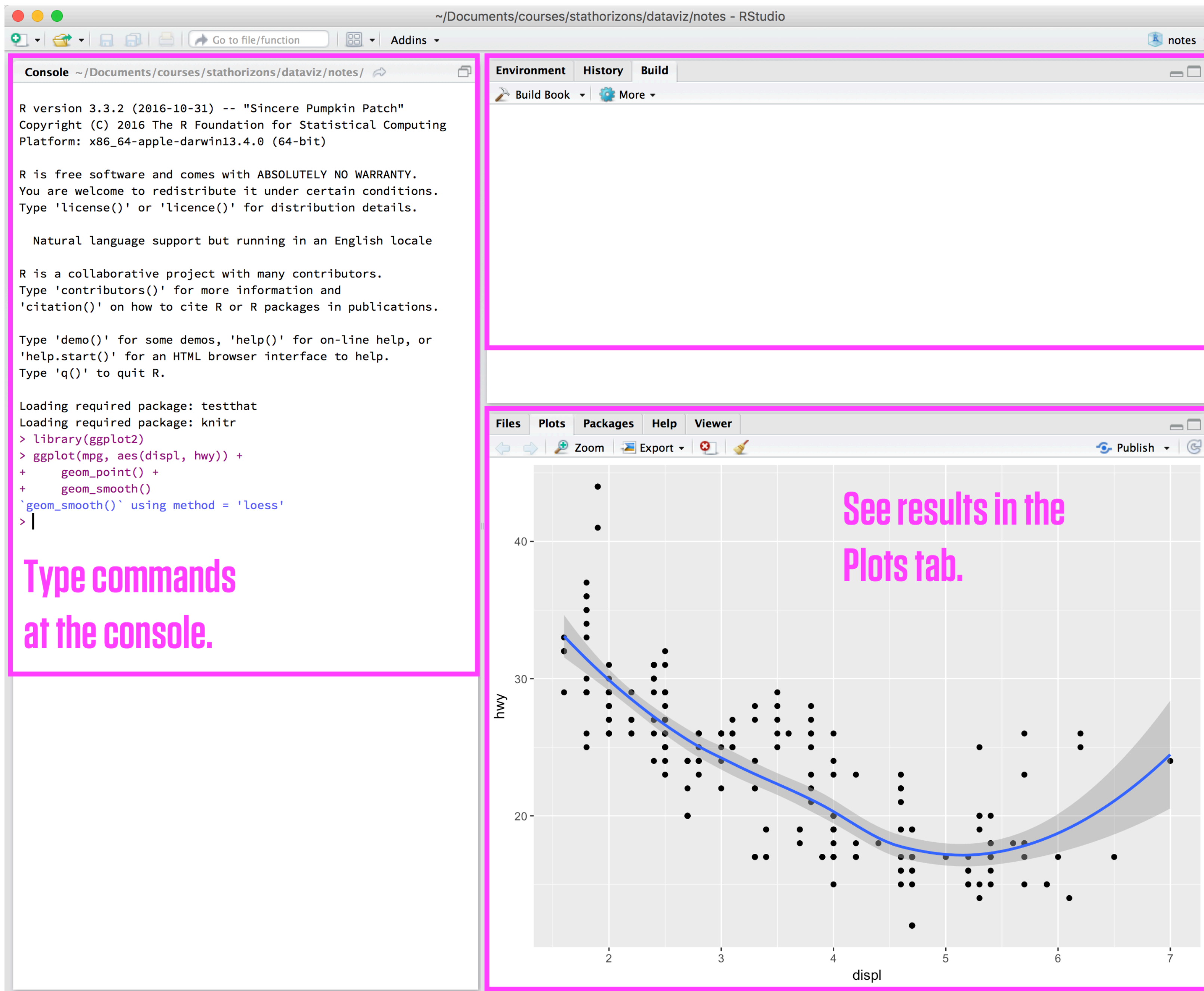
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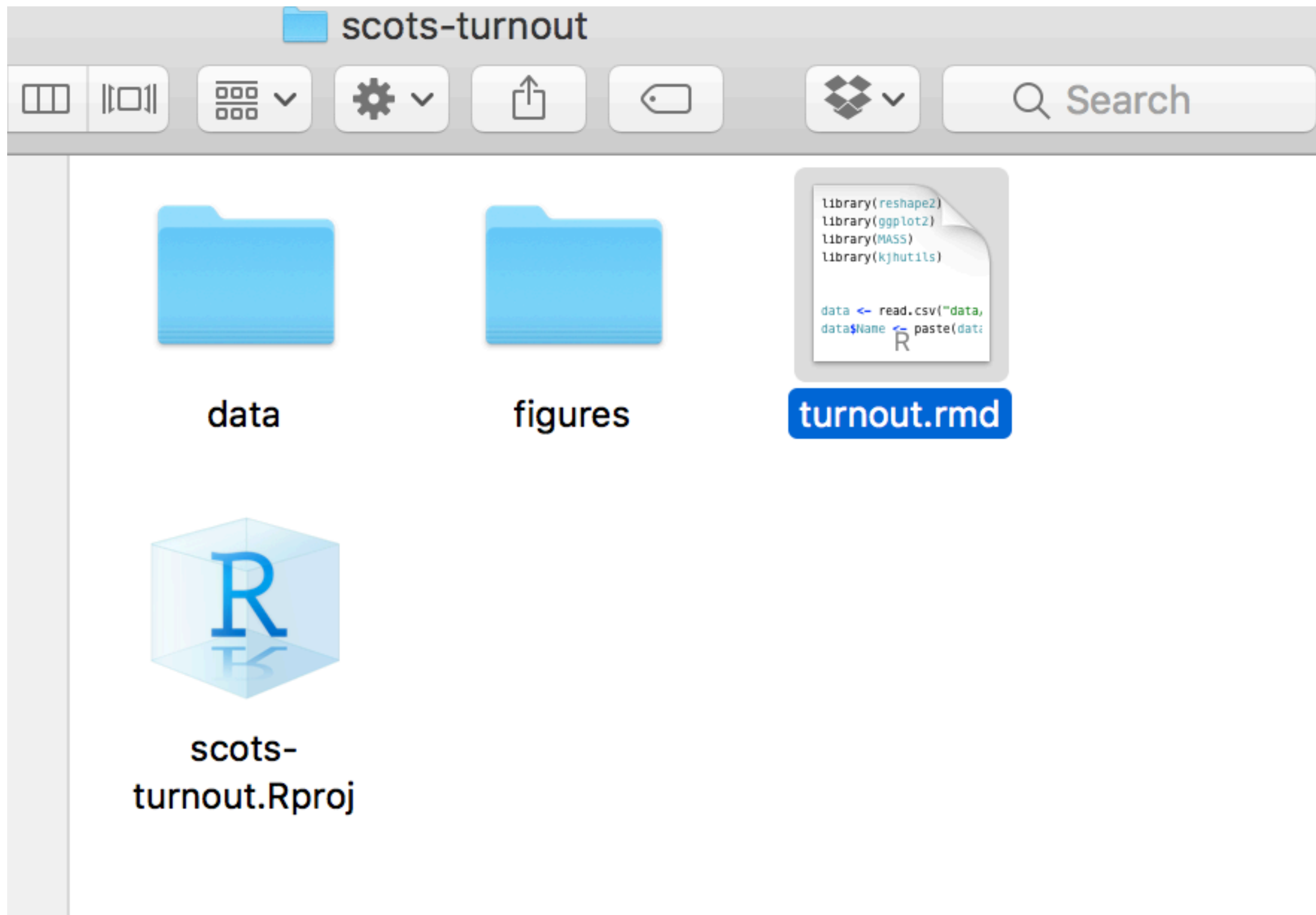
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Loading required package: testthat
Loading required package: knitr
> library(ggplot2)
> ggplot()





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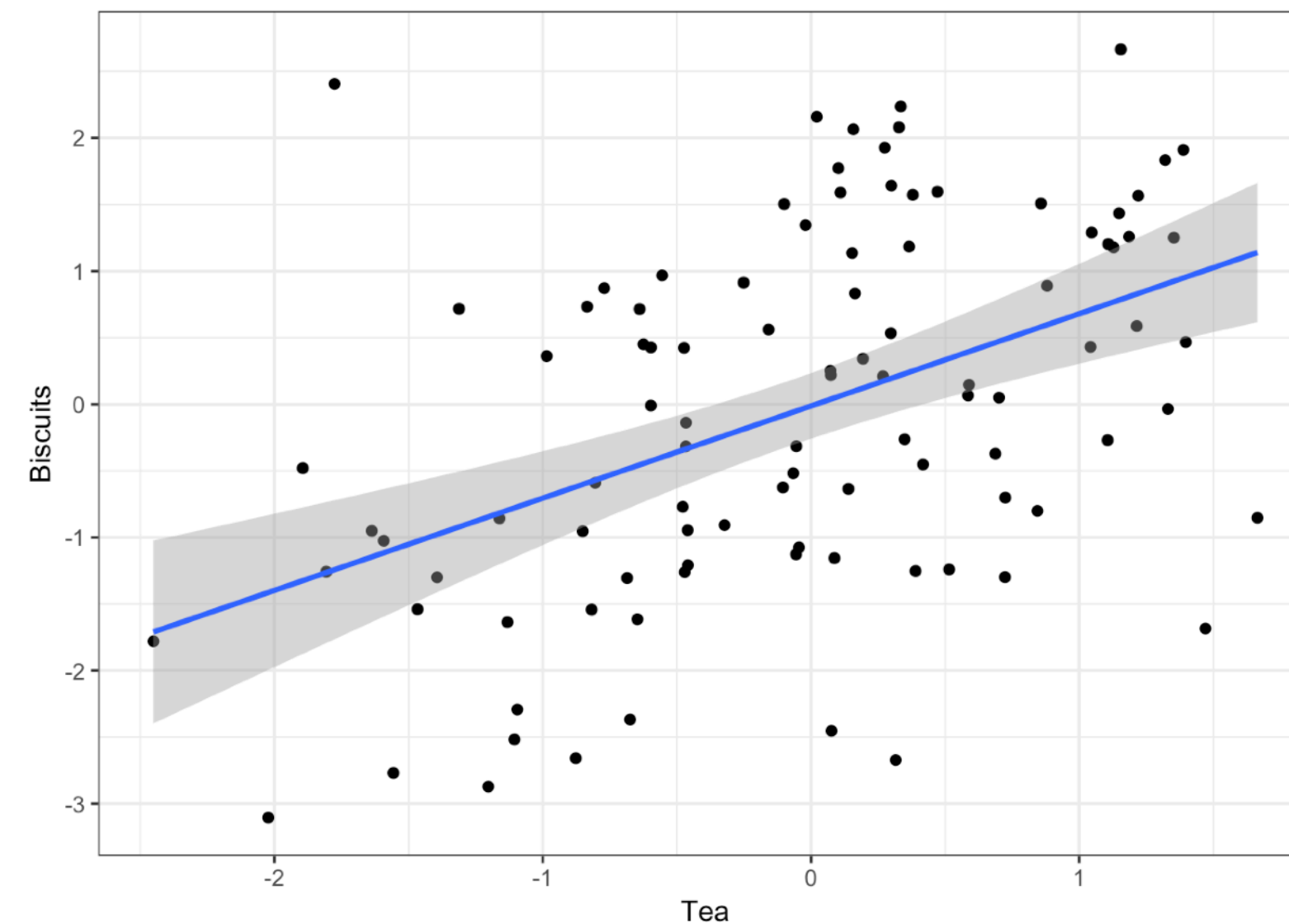
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TO REPRODUCE
YOUR OWN WORK

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This is what
we want to **end up**
with: nicely
formatted text,
plots, and tables.


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library(ggplot2)
tea <- rnorm(100)
biscuits <- tea + rnorm(100, 0, 1.3)
data <- data.frame(tea, biscuits)
p <- ggplot(data, aes(x = tea, y = biscuits)) +
  geom_point() +
  geom_smooth(method = "lm") +
  labs(x = "Tea", y = "Biscuits") + theme_bw()
print(p)
```

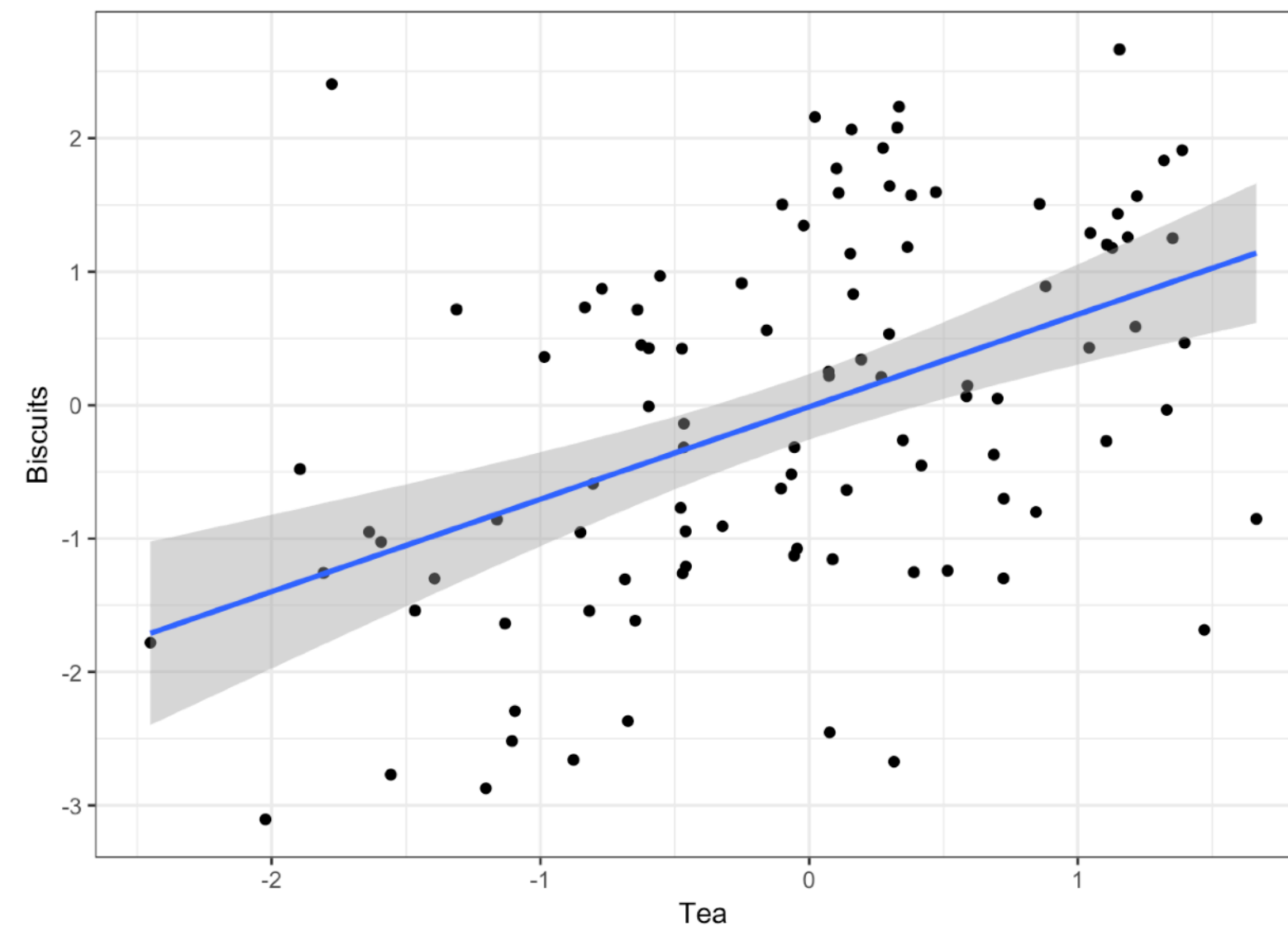
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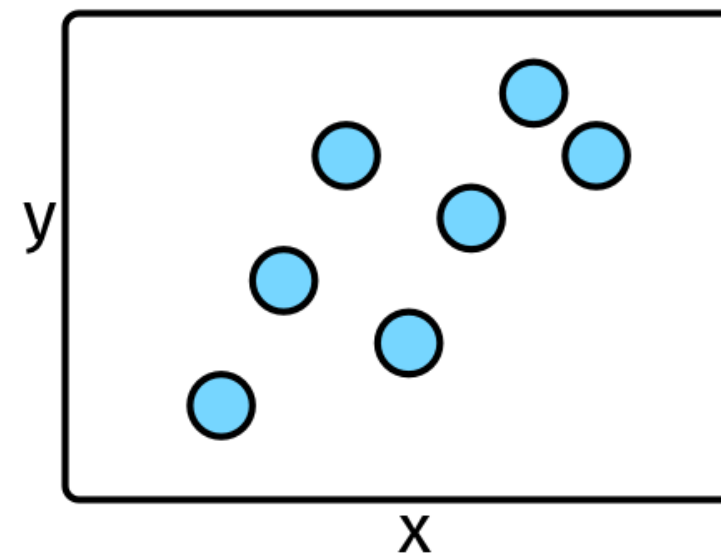
```
```{r my-code}  
 p <- ggplot(data, mapping)
 p + geom_point()
```
```

As you can see, this plot
looks pretty nice.

knit in R

Report **notes.pdf**

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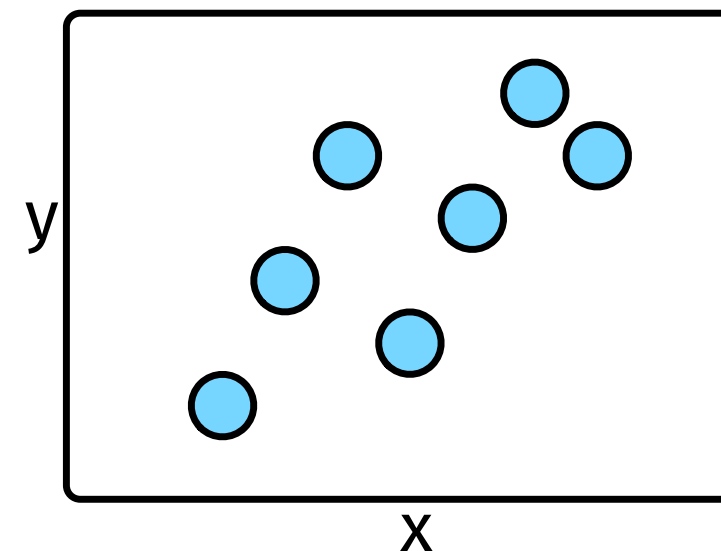
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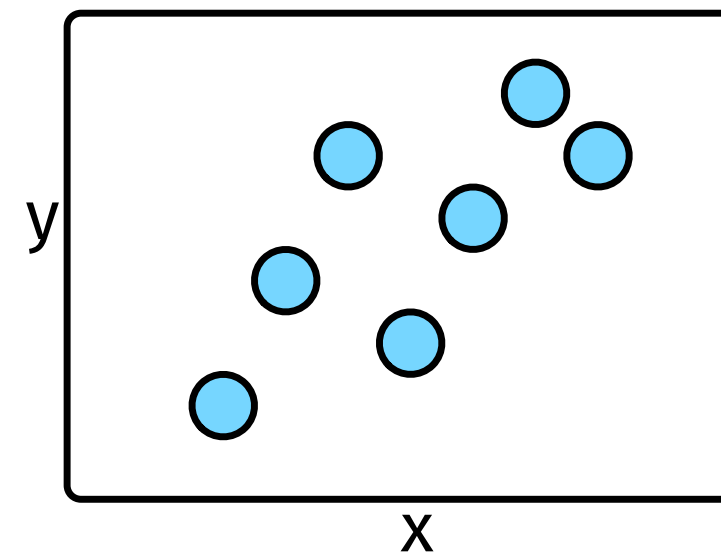
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Markdown puts formatting
 instructions in plain-text documents


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title: "My Notes"
author: "Kieran healy"
date: "12/7/2016"
output: html_document
---
```

Header section provides metadata and sets options

```
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knitr::opts_chunk$set(echo = TRUE)
```
```

Code chunk

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In RStudio, code chunks can be "played" one at a time

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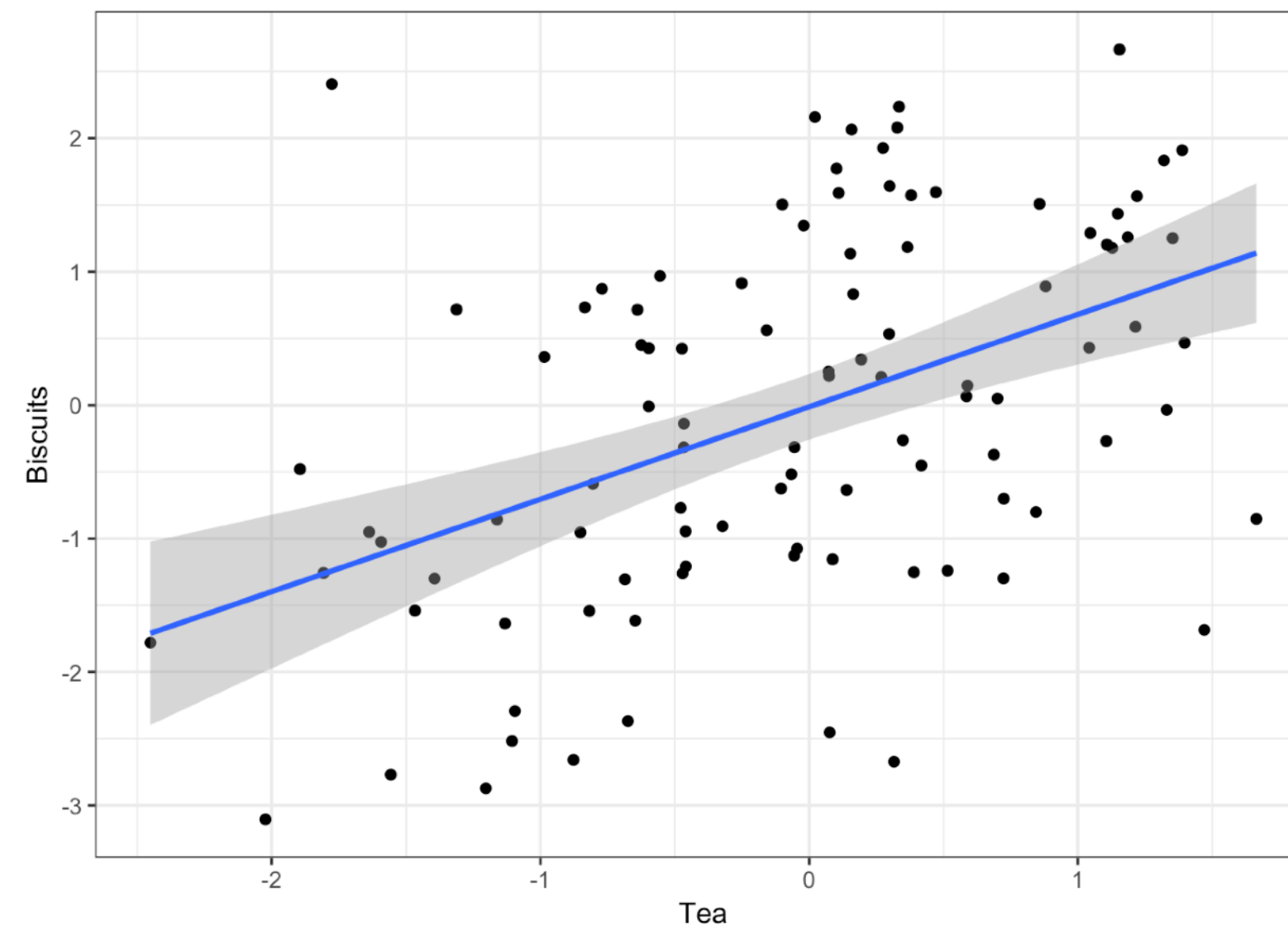
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**GETTING
ORIENTED**

The Tidyverse

```
library(tidyverse)
```

| | | |
|--------------------|---------|--------------------------------------|
| Loading tidyverse: | ggplot2 | ◀ Draw graphs |
| Loading tidyverse: | tibble | ◀ Nicer data tables |
| Loading tidyverse: | tidyr | ◀ Tidy your data |
| Loading tidyverse: | readr | ◀ Get data into R |
| Loading tidyverse: | purrr | ◀ Cool functional programming stuff |
| Loading tidyverse: | dplyr | ◀ Action verbs for manipulating data |

Course-Specific Library

```
library(socviz)
```

CODE YOU CAN TYPE AND RUN

```
## Inside chunks of code, lines beginning with  
## the hash character are comments  
my_numbers <- c(1, 1, 4, 1, 1, 4, 1)
```

OUTPUT

```
my_numbers
```

```
## [1] 1 1 4 1 1 4 1
```

What R Looks Like

FOUR THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT R

1: Everything has a Name

my_numbers

data

p

Some names are forbidden

FALSE TRUE Inf

for if break

function

2. Everything is an Object

```
letters
```

```
## [1] "a" "b" "c" "d" "e" "f" "g" "h" "i" "j" "k" "l" "m" "n" "o" "p" "q" "r" "s"  
[20] "t" "u" "v" "w" "x" "y" "z"
```

You **create** objects by
assigning a thing to a name

named
thing

"gets"

this stuff

```
my_numbers <- c(1, 2, 3, 1, 3, 5, 25)
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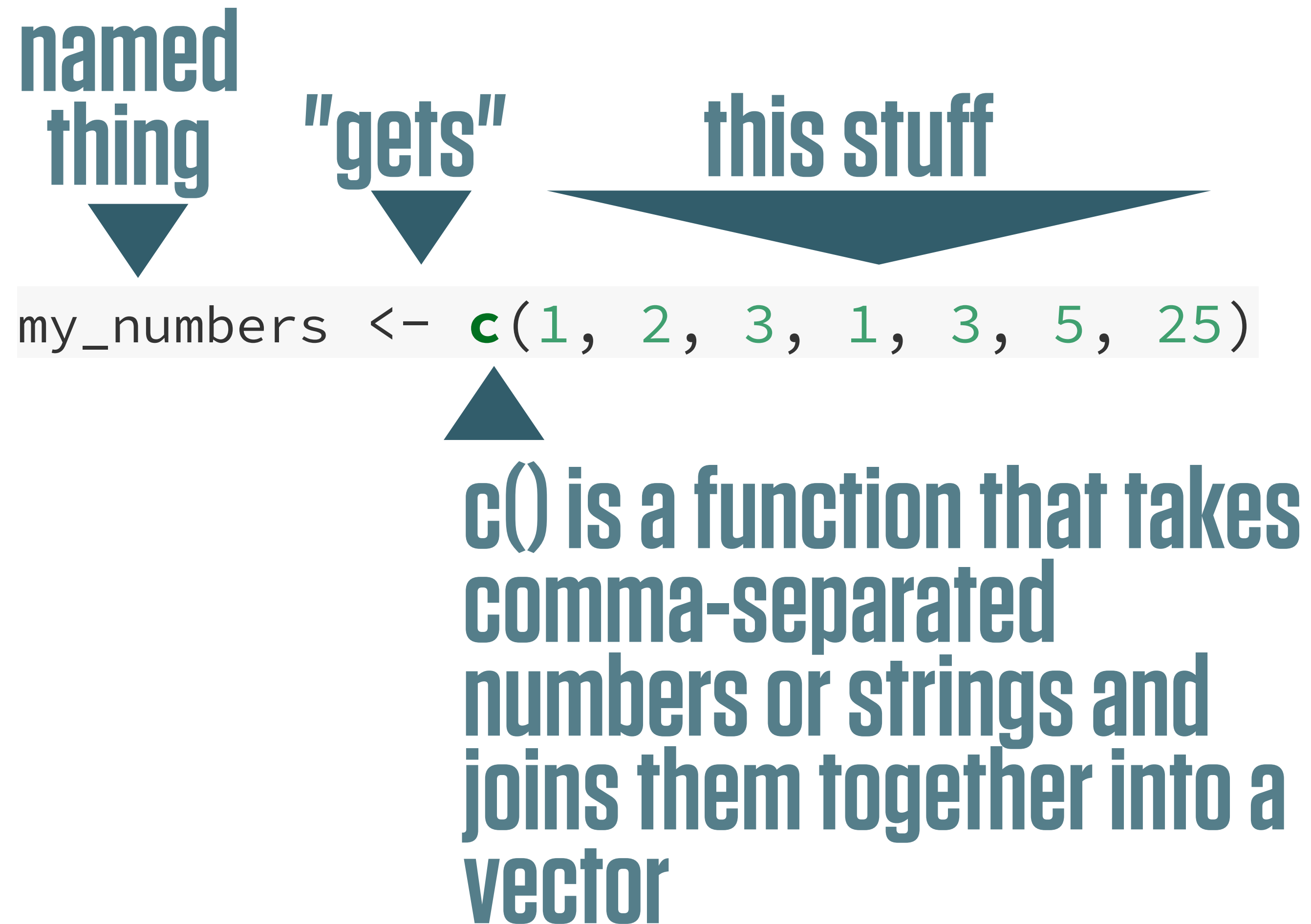


The assignment operator performs the action of creating objects. Use the keyboard shortcut to type it:

option – **Mac**

alt – **Windows**

3. You do things using functions and operators



Functions

take arguments,
perform actions,
produce outputs

Functions have parentheses
at the end of their name.
This is where the inputs,
or **arguments** go.

`mean()`

“Take this object ...”

`mean(x = my_numbers)`

Named argument. “Calculate the mean of what, please?”
These names are internal to functions.

Functions

take arguments,
perform actions,
produce outputs

```
mean(my_numbers)
```



If you just write the name of the input,
R assigns it to the function's arguments
in order. Look at the function's help page
to see the order it expects its arguments.

You can assign a function's output to a named object

```
my_summary <- summary(my_numbers)
```

```
my_sd <- sd(my_numbers)
```

```
my_summary
```

```
my_sd
```

Objects you create exist until you overwrite or delete them

```
rm(my_numbers)
```

```
my_numbers
```

```
my_numbers <- c(1, 2, 3, 1, 3, 5, 25)
```

Objects are of different **classes**

```
class(my_numbers)
```

Vectors

numeric

character

factor

Arrays

matrix

data.frame

tibble

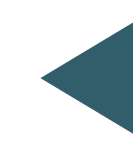
Models

lm

glm

Things to try on Objects

```
class(my_numbers)  
table(my_numbers)
```



Notice that these
are functions

```
x <- c(my_numbers, 5)  
y <- c(my_numbers, "hello")
```



How do x and
y differ?

```
mean(c(my_numbers, my_numbers))
```



Functions can be
nested, and will be
evaluated from the
inside out.

Some operators

`<-` or `=` Assignment ("gets")

`+`, `-`, `*`, `/`, `^` Arithmetic

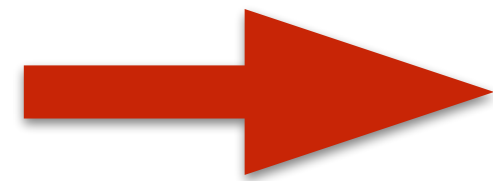
`<`, `>`, `<=`, `>=`, `==`, `!=` Relational

`&`, `&&`, `|`, `||`, `!` Logical

`%*%`, `%in%`, `%>%` Special

The **pipe operator** `%>%` "and then"

```
mean(my_numbers)
```



```
my_numbers %>% mean()
```

```
round(mean(my_numbers))
```



```
my_numbers %>% mean() %>% round()
```

This will be very convenient later on

R will be Frustrating

We're going to be adding a lot of objects together.

```
ggplot(data = mpg,  
       mapping = aes(x = displ, y = hwy)) +  
  geom_point()
```

“+”
goes
here

```
ggplot(data = mpg, mapping = aes(x = displ, y = hwy))  
+ geom_point()
```



not here

LET'S GO

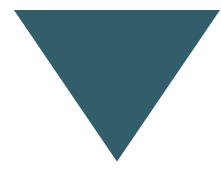
```
library(gapminder)
gapminder
```

```
# A tibble: 1,704 x 6
```

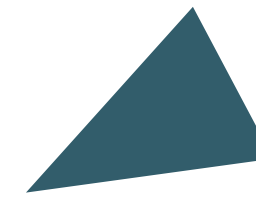
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| 6 | Afghanistan | Asia | 1977 | 38.438 | 14880372 | 786.1134 |
| 7 | Afghanistan | Asia | 1982 | 39.854 | 12881816 | 978.0114 |
| 8 | Afghanistan | Asia | 1987 | 40.822 | 13867957 | 852.3959 |
| 9 | Afghanistan | Asia | 1992 | 41.674 | 16317921 | 649.3414 |
| 10 | Afghanistan | Asia | 1997 | 41.763 | 22227415 | 635.3414 |

```
# ... with 1,694 more rows
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Named thing gets ...



... using these
arguments

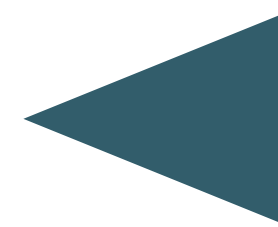


```
p <- ggplot(data = gapminder,  
           mapping = aes(x = gdpPercap,  
                        y = lifeExp))
```

... the output of
this function ...

p

```
p + geom_point()
```



Objects created by
ggplot() are unusual in
that you can “add”
things to them, and
they will work as
though you wrote all
the code at once.

```
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                           y = lifeExp))
```

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