

R

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Data Analysis

Wikipedia

Analysis of data is a process of inspecting, cleaning, transforming, and modeling data with the goal of discovering useful information, suggesting conclusions, and supporting decision making.

Data Analysis

Collecting → cleaning → transforming → modeling → visualizing

Biological Data Analysis

NGS and Complex Diseases

Sequencing → QC → Alignment and Variant Calling →
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What is R?

R

R is a free software environment for statistical computing and graphics.

----R-project.org

History

- April 1st, 1997, R0.16 , 奥克兰大学的Ihaka和Gentleman 发布了第一版本的R
- 1997年4月23日 , 0.49 , CRAN网站发布 , 提供12个R的扩展包
- 1997年12月5日 , 0.60 , R成文GNU项目的一部分
- 2000年2月29日 , 1.0 , 第一个可用于生产环境的版本发布
- 2010年4月22日 , 2.11 , 支持64位Windows操作系统
- 2011年10月31日 , 2.14 , 提供全新的并行计算包
- 2013年4月 , 3.0.0
- Now, 3.0.2

R语言在中国

- 2004年，国内专业人员开始翻译R语言官方文档
- 2006年，国内开始出版R语言书籍
- 2008年，在北京中国人民大学召开第一届中国R语言会议
- 2009年-2012年，每年分别在北京和上海举办中国R语言会议，迄今已举办五届
- 2012年，国人开发的Knitr包几乎成为R语言文档自动化的新标准，同时大量R语言畅销书籍被引进到国内翻译出版。
- 2013年，《R语言实战》、《ggplot2》、《R in a nutshell》 ...

R语言的现状

- 使用领域囊括统计分析、数据挖掘、生命科学、商业智能、数据可视化、社交网络分析、电子商务、集成电路、金融、烟草、传媒、咨询等
- 赞助R语言开发工作的机构包括AT&T、默沙东、Google、新西兰电信，以及诸多大学及科研机构。
- 在商业产品中提供R语言支持的企业包括SAP、甲骨文、Teradata、IBM、Revolution、Matlab、SAS、SPSS等。
- 2012第五届中国R语言会议（上海会场）获得大量赞助，吸引了400多人注册，到会人员几乎涉及R所有应用领域的国内知名企业。
- 2013年第六届中国R语言会议（北京，5月；上海，11月）。

Pros and Cons

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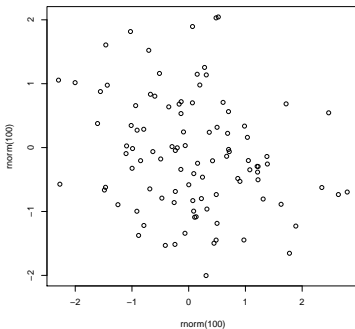
Hello R!

```
print("Hello R!")
```

```
## [1] "Hello R!"
```

Hello Plot

```
plot(rnorm(100), rnorm(100))
```



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Download and Installation

Download

CRAN

Installation

- R: Linux, Mac OS, Windows
- Rtools: Windows
- packages: CRAN, devtools, github, local file

Editors and IDEs

Editors

- R terminal
- Rgui
- VIM + Vim-R-plugin
- Emacs + ESS
- Notepad++ + NppToR
- ...

R Terminal and Rgui

R

- Ctrl + R: run
- Tab: auto complete
- arrow up and down: history

R and Texteditor

- copy and paste
- `source("source.R")`

source

```
sourceDir <- function(path, trace = TRUE, ...) {  
  for (nm in list.files(path, pattern = "[.] [RrSsQq]$")) {  
    if(trace) cat(nm, ":")  
    source(file.path(path, nm), ...)  
    if(trace) cat("\n")  
  }  
}
```

VIM + Vim-R-plugin

Notepad++ + NppToR

Emacs + ESS

What is ESS?

ESS: Emacs Speak Statistics

IDEs

IDEs

- RStudio: local and cloud-based
- TinnR
- StatET: eclipse for R
- ...

RStudio

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Books

- R in action (also in Chinese)
- Introduction to R (also in Chinese)
- R for beginner (also in Chinese)
- R in a Nutshell (Chinese version is in press)
- The art of R programming (also in Chinese)
- ggplot2. Elegant Graphics for Data Analysis (also in Chinese)

Websites

- R-project and CRAN
- COS.name (Chinese)
- Quick-R
- <http://had.co.nz/>, Hadley Wickham
- Twitter, github, RForge
- Google

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Journals

- The R Journal
- Journal of Statistical Software

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Class, Type and Dimension

Class, Type and Dimension

Everything in R is a object, every object has class, type and dimension.

```
class(obj)  
typeof(obj)  
dim(obj)
```

Data Types

```
## Error in library(GenomicRanges): there is no  
package called 'GenomicRanges'
```

```
obj <- 1  
class(obj)  
  
## [1] "numeric"  
  
obj <- "Gang Chen"  
class(obj)  
  
## [1] "character"  
  
obj <- 1:3  
class(obj)  
  
## [1] "integer"  
  
ranges <- GRanges(seqnames = c("chr1", "chr2"),  
  ranges = IRanges(start = c(1013, 4351),  
  end = c(2314, NA), width = c(NA, 1)),  
  strand = c("+", "-"))
```

```
class(list(a = 1, b = 2))  
  
## [1] "list"  
  
class(matrix(1:16, ncol=4))  
  
## [1] "matrix"  
  
class(array(1:64, c(4,4,4)))  
  
## [1] "array"  
  
obj <- as.data.frame(obj)  
class(obj)  
  
## [1] "data.frame"  
  
obj <- as.factor(c("male", "female"))
```

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Types

```
obj <- 1
class(obj)
## [1] "numeric"
obj <- 1:3
class(obj)
## [1] "integer"
obj <- 1+2i
class(obj)
## [1] "complex"
```

Operations

Operators

- `+`, `-`, `*`, `/`, `==`, `=`, `<-`
- `^`
- `exp()`, `log()`, `log10()`, `log2()`
- `sqrt()`, `abs()`, `sin()`, `cos()`
- `round()`, `floor()`, `ceiling()`
- `factorial()`

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Character

A character object is used to represent string values in R.

```
fname <- "Gang"  
lname <- "Chen"  
class(fname)  
  
## [1] "character"
```

```
myPI <- 3.14  
class(myPI)  
  
## [1] "numeric"  
  
myPI <- as.character(myPI)  
class(myPI)  
  
## [1] "character"
```

Character Operators

```
paste(fname, lname)
```

```
## [1] "Gang Chen"
```

```
substr("I am learning R", start=6, stop=13)
```

```
## [1] "learning"
```

```
sub("I am", "We are", "I am learning R")
```

```
## [1] "We are learning R"
```


Regular Expression

Regular Expressions == Problem

Some people,
when confronted with a problem,
think "I know, I'll use regular
expressions."
Now they have two problems.

Regular Expression in R

Regular Expression Functions

```
help(regex)  
grep(), grepl(), regexpr(), gregexpr(), sub(), gsub()
```

Example

```
grep("a.", c("Gang", "Chen", "aab", "Ag", "ga"))  
  
## [1] 1 3
```

Logical

```
u = TRUE; v = FALSE
```

```
u & v # u AND v
```

```
## [1] FALSE
```

```
u | v # u OR v
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

```
!u # negation of u
```

```
## [1] FALSE
```

?

 $4.3 - 0.7$

[1] 3.6

 $4.3 - 0.7 == 3.6$

[1] FALSE

 $0.7 + 3.6 == 4.3$

[1] TRUE

 $4.2 / 6$

[1] 0.7

 $0.7 * 6$

[1] 4.2

 $4.2 / 6 == 0.7$

[1] FALSE

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A vector is a sequence of data elements of the same basic type.

```
a = c(1,2,3)
```

```
b = c(T, F, F, T)
```

```
chars = c("Gang", "Chen", "AA", "Aa", "aB")
```

Arithmetic operations of vectors are performed memberwise.

All operators are applied to vectors

```
a^2
```

```
## [1] 1 4 9
```

```
!b
```

```
## [1] FALSE TRUE TRUE FALSE
```

```
grep("a.", chars)
```

```
## [1] 1 5
```

Vector Arithmetic

```
a = c(1,2,3,4,5)
```

```
b = c(5,4,3,2,1)
```

```
c(a, b)
```

```
## [1] 1 2 3 4 5 5 4 3 2 1
```

```
a + b
```

```
## [1] 6 6 6 6 6
```

```
a * b
```

```
## [1] 5 8 9 8 5
```

Recycling Rule:

```
d = c(1,2)
```

```
a + d
```

```
## Warning in a + d:
```

```
## [1] 2 4 4 6 6
```


Vector Index

```
a = c("one", "two", "three", "four", "five")
```

```
a[3]
```

```
## [1] "three"
```

```
a[2:4]
```

```
## [1] "two"    "three"  "four"
```

```
a[-3]
```

```
## [1] "one"    "two"    "four"   "five"
```

```
a[8]
```

```
## [1] NA
```

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Matrix Construction

```
mat = matrix(1:24, ncol=6, nrow=4, byrow=T)  
mat
```

##		[,1]	[,2]	[,3]	[,4]	[,5]	[,6]
##	[1,]	1	2	3	4	5	6
##	[2,]	7	8	9	10	11	12
##	[3,]	13	14	15	16	17	18
##	[4,]	19	20	21	22	23	24

Matrix Index

```
mat[3,3]

## [1] 15

mat[2,]

## [1] 7 8 9 10 11 12

mat[,4]

## [1] 4 10 16 22
```

```
mat[2:3, 3:4]

##           [,1] [,2]
## [1,]         9  10
## [2,]        15  16

dim(mat)

## [1] 4 6

ncol(mat)

## [1] 6

nrow(mat)
```

Matrix Arithmetic

A

```
##           [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
## [1,]      1     5     9    13
## [2,]      2     6    10    14
## [3,]      3     7    11    15
## [4,]      4     8    12    16
```

A * B

```
##           [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
## [1,]      1    25    81   169
## [2,]      4    36   100   196
## [3,]      9    49   121   225
## [4,]     16    64   144   256
```

B

```
##           [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
## [1,]      1     5     9    13
## [2,]      2     6    10    14
## [3,]      3     7    11    15
## [4,]      4     8    12    16
```

A %*% B

```
##           [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
## [1,]     90   202   314   426
## [2,]    100   228   356   484
## [3,]    110   254   398   542
## [4,]    120   280   440   600
```

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List

A list is a generic vector containing other objects.

```
n = c(2, 3, 5)
s = c("aa", "bb", "cc", "dd", "ee")
b = c(TRUE, FALSE, TRUE, FALSE, TRUE)
x = list(n, s, b, 3)
```

```
x
## [[1]]
## [1] 2 3 5
##
## [[2]]
## [1] "aa" "bb" "cc" "dd" "ee"
##
## [[3]]
## [1] TRUE FALSE TRUE FALSE TRUE
##
## [[4]]
## [1] 3
```

List Slice

```
x[1]
```

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

```
## [1] 2 3 5
```

```
x[c(2,4)]
```

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

```
## [1] "aa" "bb" "cc" "dd" "ee"
```

```
##
```

```
## [[2]]
```

```
## [1] 3
```


List Member

```
x[[3]]
```

```
## [1] TRUE FALSE TRUE FALSE FALSE
```

```
x[3]
```

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

```
## [1] TRUE FALSE TRUE FALSE FALSE
```

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Data Frame

A data frame is used for storing data tables. It is a list of vectors of equal length.

```
head(mtcars)
```

```
##           mpg cyl  disp  hp drat   wt  qsec vs am gear car
## Mazda RX4      21.0   6  160 110 3.90 2.620 16.46  0  1    4
## Mazda RX4 Wag  21.0   6  160 110 3.90 2.875 17.02  0  1    4
## Datsun 710      22.8   4  108  93 3.85 2.320 18.61  1  1    4
## Hornet 4 Drive  21.4   6  258 110 3.08 3.215 19.44  1  0    3
## Hornet Sportabout 18.7   8  360 175 3.15 3.440 17.02  0  0
## Valiant         18.1   6  225 105 2.76 3.460 20.22  1  0    3
```

Data Frame

```
mtcars[1,2]
```

```
## [1] 6
```

```
mtcars["Mazda RX4", "wt"]
```

```
## [1] 2.62
```

```
ncol(mtcars)
```

```
## [1] 11
```

```
nrow(mtcars)
```

```
## [1] 32
```

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Factor

```
gender <- c("male", "female")  
class(gender)
```

```
## [1] "character"
```

```
gender <- as.factor(gender)  
class(gender)
```

```
## [1] "factor"
```

Factor

```
group <- c(1, 2)
group[1] < group[2]

## [1] TRUE

class(group)

## [1] "numeric"

group <- as.factor(group)
group[1] < group[2]

## Warning in Ops.factor(group[1], group[2]): '<' not
## meaningful for factors

## [1] NA
```

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If else

```
if(something){  
    # do something  
}else if(something){  
    # do something  
}else{  
    # do something  
}
```

ifelse

```
ifelse(test, yes, no)
```

```
a <- c(2,3,4,2,5,6,7,12)  
ifelse(a%%2==0, a+1, 0)
```

```
## [1] 3 0 5 3 0 7 0 13
```

Loop

```
for (var in seq) expr  
while(cond) expr  
repeat  
break  
next
```

Loop

```
for(i in a){  
  if(i %% 2 == 0){  
    print(i + 1)  
  }else{  
    print(0)  
  }  
}
```

```
## [1] 3
```

```
## [1] 0
```

```
## [1] 5
```

```
## [1] 3
```

```
## [1] 0
```

```
## [1] 7
```

```
## [1] 0
```

apply functions

```
apply()  
lapply()  
sapply()  
tapply()
```

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Function

```
add <- function(a, b){  
  a+b  
}  
add(1, 2)  
## [1] 3  
  
sapply(1:8, add, 3)  
## [1] 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11
```


Anonymous Function

```
sapply(1:8, function(a, b){a+b}, 3)
```

```
## [1] 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11
```

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S4 Classes and methods

History

- 1976, Rick Becker and John Chambers, S on Honeywell OS
- Ported to UNIX, S2
- Around 1986, functional programming and object self-description, S3
- 1992, concept of classes and methods, S4
- 2010, Reference Classes (RC), R 2.12

appendix in Software for Data Analysis by Chambers

S4 Classes and methods

OO Systems in R

- S3
- S4
- RC
- Base Types

Best Reference: <http://adv-r.had.co.nz/OO-essentials.html>

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S4 Classes and methods

S4 in R

```
library(stats4)
```

```
library(pryr)
```

```
## Error in library(pryr): there is no package called 'pryr'
```

```
y <- c(26, 17, 13, 12, 20, 5, 9, 8, 5, 4, 8)
```

```
nLL <- function(lambda) -sum(dpois(y, lambda, log = TRUE))
```

```
fit <- mle(nLL, start = list(lambda = 5), nobs = length(y))
```

```
isS4(fit)
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

```
otype(fit)
```

```
## Error in eval(expr, envir, enclos): "otype"
```

```
isS4(nobs)
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

S4 Classes and methods

Defining classes and creating objects

```
setClass("Person",  
  slots = list(name = "character", age = "numeric"))  
setClass("Employee",  
  slots = list(boss = "Person"),  
  contains = "Person")  
  
alice <- new("Person", name = "Alice", age = 40)  
john <- new("Employee", name = "John", age = 20, boss = alice)
```

S4 Classes and methods

access slots of an S4 object

```
alice@age  
slot(john, "boss")
```

S4 Classes and methods

Creating new methods and generics

```
setGeneric("union")
setMethod("union",
  c(x = "data.frame", y = "data.frame"),
  function(x, y) {
    unique(rbind(x, y))
  }
)
setGeneric("myGeneric", function(x) {
  standardGeneric("myGeneric")
})
```

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Standard I/O

```
scan()  
print()  
cat()
```

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File I/O

Input

```
read.table()  
readLines()  
readChar()  
readBin()  
scan()
```

Output

```
write.table()  
write()
```

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Database I/O

```
library(RMySQL) # for MySQL  
library(RPostgreSQL) # for PostgreSQL  
library(XLConnect) # for Excel
```

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