## Math 338

# Lab Assignment #1

Fall 2019

This is an intentionally short lab to get you familiar with the basics of importing data into R and Rguroo.

Go to <a href="https://www.rguroo.com">https://www.rguroo.com</a>, click Register, then click Student and register for an Rguroo account using your <a href="student e-mail address">student e-mail address</a> (your\_login@csu.fullerton.edu). If you use your student e-mail address you will not have to pay for Rguroo access. Then, go into your student e-mail and complete the registration process.

Once you have registered for an Rguroo account, introduce yourself to  $\underline{six}$  other students in the class. Ask them to tell you:

- Their name
- Their major
- Their height in inches
- Their favorite color
- Approximately how far away from campus they live
- How many units they are taking this semester

Record your responses in an Excel or Google Sheets spreadsheet. Follow the principles of tidy data: put each student in its own row, each variable in its own column, and each value in its own cell.

Save/export the file with a .csv extension. Then, go to the *Data* section of Rguroo and select *Data Import* Data Frame. Click on Browse and find the file on your desktop. Leave all other options as is for now, except maybe check the Strip Blanks box to make sure nothing weird is going on. If you do not like the default name, type a name in the Name section. Click on Upload, and upon doing so the file will appear under the Datasets window on the left, and a table will appear in the middle of the interface, displaying the Summary of the dataset.

**Question #1** Paste below a screenshot of the Summary table that automatically appears when a dataset is uploaded to Rguroo.

### Summary of Data set 'Untitled spreadsheet - Sheet1'

#### Numerical Variables

Variable	No. read	No. observed	No. missing	Min	Q1	Q2	Q3	Max	Mean	Std. deviation	Variance	SE of mean
height	8	8	0	63	67	69.5000	71	72	68.7500	3.10530	9.64286	1.09789
commute	8	8	0	0	3.50000	7.50000	22	27	11.6250	10.5144	110.554	3.71742
units	8	8	0	11	12.5000	14	15	18	14	2.13809	4.57143	0.755929

#### Categorical Variables

Variable	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6	Level 7
X	person 1:1	person 2:1	person 3:1	person 4:1	person 5:1	person 6:1	(Other):2
name	abby:1	alex:1	angelica:1	asad:1	bryan:1	cody:1	(Other):2
major	bio:4	cs:3	math:1				
color	black:1	blue:5	purple:1	red:1			

Next, open R Studio on a lab computer (or on your computer if you have it already installed). In the top right pane, under *Environment*, click *Import Dataset* From Text (readr). Again, browse to find the file, and if you do not like the default name, type a name in the Name section. Once done, click *Import* to import the same file into R. Once the file is imported, you should see it in the Environment window.

Click File ightharpoonup New File ightharpoonup R Script (or press Ctrl + Shift + N) to open up a new script in the top left. In the script window, type:

## summary(dataset)

# you should replace dataset with the actual name of the dataset in the Environment window

# comments are indicated with the # symbol - you don't actually
have to type these commented lines

Next, put your cursor on that line (or highlight the code) and click *Run* (or press *Ctrl* + *Enter*). In the Console window in the bottom right, you should now see:

## > summary(dataset)

followed by the output of the command.

**Question #2** Paste below the summary output from R.

```
vim r_program.r
                       name
                                major
                                              height
                                                                color
                                                                             commute
                                                                         Min. : 0.00
1st Qu.: 3.75
Median : 7.50
Mean :11.62
                                         Min. :63.00
1st Qu.:67.50
Median :69.50
 person 1:1
                abby
                                                             blue :5
 person 2:1
                alex
 person 3:1
                angelica:1
                               math:1
                                                             purple:1
                                                             red :1
 person 4:1
                asad
                                          Mean :68.75
                                          3rd Qu.:71.00
                                                                          3rd Qu.:21.00
 person 5:1
                bryan
 person 6:1
                                          Max.Subm: 72.00
                                                                          Max.
                                                                                  :27.00
                cody
                (Other) :2
 (Other) :2
 Min. :11.00
1st Qu.:12.75
 Median :14.00
 Mean :14.00
 3rd Qu.:15.00
 Max.
        :18.00
Press ENTER or type command to continue
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**Question #3** What differences (if any) do you see between the default *Rguroo* summary and the default *R* summary?

One is represented via Rguroo is similar to the original Excel spreadsheet which is more graphical. The text based version directly reads the CSV file and outputs it to a row column format in text.