

Congratulations! You have completed this lesson. At this point in the course, you know:

- You can read a CSV file or an Excel file into a dataset using the `read_csv()` and `read_excel()` functions and then access its rows, columns, and individual data points.
- The `readLines()` function reads a text file into a character vector.
- The `length()` and `nchar()` functions return information about a character vector.
- The `scan()` function reads a text file into a character vector with each individual word as an element.
- The `write()` function exports a dataset as a text file.
- The `write.csv()` and `write.table()` functions export a dataset as a .csv file.
- The `write.xlsx()` function exports a dataset as an Excel file.
- The `save()` function saves R objects in .RData files.
- HTTP is a communication protocol for fetching web resources for clients from servers on the Internet and that each instance is comprised of a request and response.
- The REST API is a web service that uses the REST architecture to handle a request on a frontend web service.
- The `httr` package in R has functions that perform common HTTP and REST operations.
- The `rvest` package in R has functions that you can use to perform common web scraping tasks, such as reading HTML from a character variable, reading HTML from a URL, downloading a web page and reading it offline, extracting node data from a web page, and converting a table from a web page to a data frame.