CT5102: Programming for Data Analytics

Lecture 4: Matrices and Data Frames

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Matrices

	Homogenous	Heterogenous
1d	Atomic Vector	List
2d	Matrix	Data Frame
nd	Array	

- A matrix can be initialized from a vector, where the numbers of rows and columns are specified.
- R stores matrices by column-major order, and by default matrices are filled in this manner.

Declaring a matrix

Adding rows and columns

```
> cbind(a,c(7,8))
   [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
[1,] 1 3 5
[2,] 2 4 6
> rbind(a,c(7,8,9))
   [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,] 1 3
[2,] 2 4 6
[3,] 7
```

Naming rows and columns

```
> rownames(a) <- c("A", "B")</pre>
> a
  [,1] [,2] [,3]
> colnames(a) <- c("a","b","c")</pre>
> a
  a b c
A 1 3 5
B 2 4 6
```

Subsetting Matrices

- The most common way of subsetting 2d matrix is a simple generalisation of 1d subsetting
- Supply a 1d index for each dimension, separated by a comma
- Blank subsetting is useful, as it lets you keep all rows or all columns

Using row index...

```
> b <- matrix(1:9, nrow=3)</pre>
> colnames(b) <- c("A","B","C")</pre>
>
> b
     A B C
[1,] 1 4 7
[2,] 2 5 8
[3,] 3 6 9
> b[1:2,]
     A B C
[1,] 1 4 7
[2,] 2 5 8
```

```
> b[c(T,F),]
     A B C
[1,] 1 4 7
[2,] 3 6 9
> b[-3,]
     A B C
[1,] 1 4 7
[2,] 2 5 8
```

Using column index...

```
A B C
[1,] 1 4 7
[2,] 2 5 8
[3,] 3 6 9
> b[,1:2]
     A B
[1,] 1 4
[2,] 2 5
[3,] 3 6
```

```
> b[,c(T,F)]
     A C
[1,] 1 7
[2,] 2 8
[3,] 39
> b[,c("A","C")]
     A C
[1,] 1 7
[2,] 2 8
[3,] 39
```

Sample Matrix Operations

Operator	Description
or Function	
A * B	Element-wise multiplication
A/B	Element-wise division
A %*% B	Matrix multiplication
t(A)	Transpose of A
e<-eigen(A)	List of eigenvalues and eigenvec-
	tors for matrix A



apply() function

- The apply() function can be used to process rows and columns for a matrix, and the general form of this function (Matloff 2009) is apply(m, dimcode, f, fargs), where:
 - m is the target matrix
 - dimcode identifies whether it's a row or column target. The number 1 applies to rows, whereas 2 applies to columns
 - f is the function to be called
 - fargs are the optional set of arguments that can be applied to the function f.

Examples...

```
> b
> b
                               A B C
     A B C
                          [1,] 1 4 7
[1,] 1 4 7
                          [2,] 2 5 8
[2,] 2 5 8
                          [3,] 3 6 9
[3,] 3 6 9
                          > apply(b, 2, sum)
> apply(b,1,sum)
[1] 12 15 18
                           A B C
                           6 15 24
```

Challenge 4.1

- Create a 4x4 matrix, with values from 1:16, where the matrix is filled by row order
- Add a column called "SumRow" which contains the sum of each row in the matrix
- Add a row (to the original matrix) called "SumCol" which contains the sum of each column in the matrix
- Use the apply() function

Data Frames

- The most common way of storing data in R
- Under the hood, a data frame is a list of equallength vectors
- A two-dimensional structure, it shares properties of both a list and a matrix

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Creating a data frame...

```
> df <- data.frame(x=1:5,y=LETTERS[1:5],stringsAsFactors=F)</pre>
> str(df)
'data.frame': 5 obs. of 2 variables:
                                             > df
$ x: int 12345
                                               х у
$ y: chr "A" "B" "C" "D" ...
                                             1 1 A
                                             2 2 B
                                             3 3 C
                                            4 4 D
                                             5 5 E
```

Logical subsetting

 Common technique for extracting rows out of a data frame

```
> str(mtcars)
```

Examples

Sampling from a data frame...

Selecting n random observations from a data frame

Adding new columns

```
> cities <- data.frame(Name=c("Dublin", "London", "Paris", "Madrid"),</pre>
                      Population=c(553165,8673713,2244000,3141991))
+
>
> cities
   Name Population
1 Dublin
            553165
2 London 8673713
3 Paris 2244000
4 Madrid 3141991
>
> cities$Type <- ifelse(cities$Population > 3000000,"LARGE","MEDIUM")
>
> cities
   Name Population
                   Type
1 Dublin
         553165 MEDIUM
2 London 8673713 LARGE
3 Paris 2244000 MEDIUM
4 Madrid 3141991 LARGE
```

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Reading from a Spreadsheet

Year	Leinster	Munster	Connacht	Ulster
1841	1973731	2396161	1418859	740048
1851	1672738	1857736	1010031	571052
1861	1457635	1513558	913135	517783
1871	1339451	1393485	846213	474038
1881	1278989	1331115	821657	438259
1891	1187760	1172402	724774	383758
1901	1152829	1076188	646932	345874
1911	1162044	1035495	610984	331165
1926	1149092	969902	552907	300091
1936	1220411	942272	525468	280269
1946	1281117	917306	492797	263887
1951	1336576	898870	471895	253252
1956	1338942	877238	446221	235863

library(gdata)

pop <- read.xls("R code/04 Matrices & DF/CensusData.xlsx")</pre>



pop – a data frame in R

> head(pop)

```
Year Leinster Munster Connacht Ulster
1 1841 1973731 2396161
                       1418859 740048
2 1851 1672738 1857736
                       1010031 571052
3 1861 1457635 1513558
                        913135 517783
4 1871 1339451 1393485
                        846213 474038
5 1881 1278989 1331115
                        821657 438259
6 1891 1187760 1172402 724774 383758
```



Getting the total population

```
> pop$Total <- pop$Leinster+pop$Munster+pop$Connacht+pop$Ulster
> head(pop)
   Year Leinster Munster Connacht Ulster   Total
1 1841   1973731   2396161   1418859   740048   6528799
2 1851   1672738   1857736   1010031   571052   5111557
3 1861   1457635   1513558   913135   517783   4402111
4 1871   1339451   1393485   846213   474038   4053187
5 1881   1278989   1331115   821657   438259   3870020
6 1891   1187760   1172402   724774   383758   3468694
```



Writing to an Excel File

```
pop$Total <- pop$Leinster+pop$Munster+pop$Connacht+pop$Ulster
library(xlsx)</pre>
```

	А	В	С	D	Е	F
1	Year	Leinster	Munster	Connacht	Ulster	Total
2	1841	1973731	2396161	1418859	740048	6528799
3	1851	1672738	1857736	1010031	571052	5111557
4	1861	1457635	1513558	913135	517783	4402111
5	1871	1339451	1393485	846213	474038	4053187
6	1881	1278989	1331115	821657	438259	3870020
7	1891	1187760	1172402	724774	383758	3468694
8	1901	1152829	1076188	646932	345874	3221823
9	1911	1162044	1035495	610984	331165	3139688
10	1926	1149092	969902	552907	300091	2971992
11	1936	1220411	942272	525468	280269	2968420
12	1946	1281117	917306	492797	263887	2955107

Checking for complete cases in a data

```
>
> subpop<-pop[1:6,]
> subpop
 Year Leinster Munster Connacht Ulster
                                         Total
      1973731 2396161 1418859 740048 6528799
2 1851 1672738 1857736
                             NA 571052 5111557
3 1861 1457635 1513558
                         913135 517783 4402111
4 1871 1339451 1393485 846213 474038 4053187
5 1881 1278989 1331115 821657 438259 3870020
6 1891 1187760 1172402 724774 383758 3468694
>
> complete.cases(subpop)
[1] FALSE FALSE TRUE TRUE
                            TRUE
                                  TRUE
>
> subpop[complete.cases(subpop),]
 Year Leinster Munster Connacht Ulster
                                         Total
3 1861 1457635 1513558
                         913135 517783 4402111
4 1871 1339451 1393485
                         846213 474038 4053187
5 1881 1278989 1331115 821657 438259 3870020
6 1891 1187760 1172402
                         724774 383758 3468694
```

Find rows containing missing data

```
> head(pop)
 Year Leinster Munster Connacht Ulster
                                        Total
   NA 1973731 2396161 1418859 740048 6528799
2 1851 1672738 1857736 1010031 571052 5111557
3 1861 1457635 1513558 913135 517783 4402111
4 1871 1339451 1393485 846213 474038 4053187
5 1881 1278989 1331115 821657 438259 3870020
6 1891 1187760 1172402 724774 383758 3468694
>
> which(!complete.cases(pop))
[1] 1
> pop[which(!complete.cases(pop)),]
 Year Leinster Munster Connacht Ulster
                                        Total
   NA 1973731 2396161 1418859 740048 6528799
```

Checking for invalid values (e.g. negative values)

Merge Function

```
> S
       ID FirstName Surname Age Discount
                     Smith 21
1 1234567
                                     0.25
               Jane
               Matt Johnson 25
                                     0.10
2 1234568
> res
       ID Subject Grade
1 1234567
            CT111
                     80
2 1234568
                     80
            CT111
> new<-merge(s,res,by="ID")</pre>
> new
       ID FirstName Surname Age Discount Subject Grade
                      Smith
1 1234567
               Jane
                             21
                                     0.25
                                            CT111
                                                      80
2 1234568
              Matt Johnson 25
                                     0.10
                                            CT111
                                                      80
```



Available Data Sets in R

AirPassengers, BJsales, BOD, CO2, ChickWeight, DNase, EuStockMarkets, Formaldehyde, HairEyeColor, Harman23.cor, Harman74.cor, Indometh, InsectSprays, JohnsonJohnson, LakeHuron, LifeCycleSavings, Loblolly Nile, Orange, OrchardSprays, PlantGrowth, Puromycin...

Iris flower data set

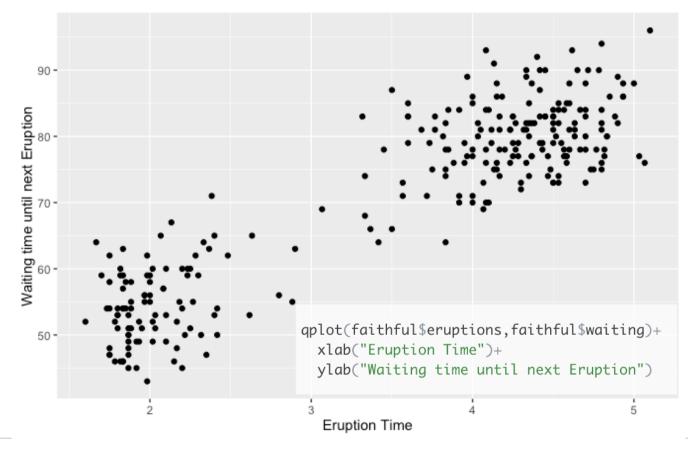
From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

The *Iris* flower data set or Fisher's *Iris* data set is a multivariate data set introduced by Ronald Fisher in his 1936 paper *The use of multiple measurements in taxonomic problems* as an example of linear discriminant analysis.^[1] It is sometimes called **Anderson's** *Iris* data set because Edgar Anderson collected the data to quantify the morphologic variation of *Iris* flowers of three related species.^[2] Two of the three species were collected in the Gaspé Peninsula "all from the same pasture, and picked on the same day and measured at the same time by the same person with the same apparatus".^[3]

>	head(iris)				
	Sepal.Length	Sepal.Width	Petal.Length	Petal.Width	Species
1	5.1	3.5	1.4	0.2	setosa
2	4.9	3.0	1.4	0.2	setosa
3	4.7	3.2	1.3	0.2	setosa
4	4.6	3.1	1.5	0.2	setosa
5	5.0	3.6	1.4	0.2	setosa
6	5.4	3.9	1.7	0.4	setosa

Old Faithful		
Туре	Cone geyser	
Eruption height	106 feet (32 m) to 185 feet (56 m)	
Frequency	45 to 125 minutes	
Duration	1.5 to 5 minutes	







Challenge 4.2

 Given that a data frame can be manipulated using matrix notation, find another way to calculate the total population (hint: use the apply function)

> head(pop)

```
Year Leinster Munster Connacht Ulster
1 1841 1973731 2396161 1418859 740048
2 1851 1672738 1857736 1010031 571052
3 1861 1457635 1513558 913135 517783
4 1871 1339451 1393485 846213 474038
5 1881 1278989 1331115 821657 438259
6 1891 1187760 1172402 724774 383758
```

