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R

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Outline



R

❖ Using R – basics

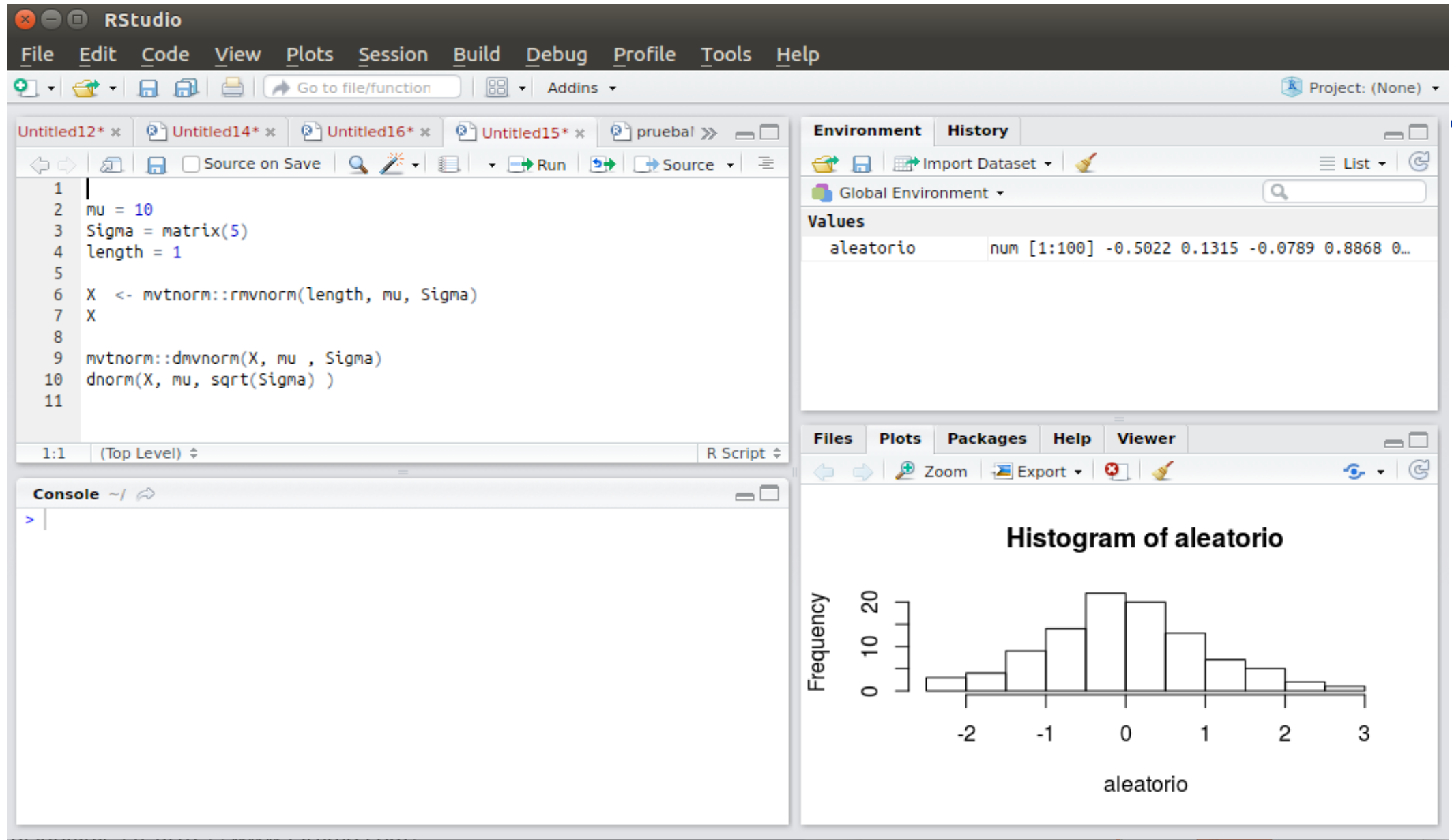
❖ Control flow

What is ?

- ❖ Programming language to do statistical analyses in a quick and easy way
- ❖ Good to visualize data
- ❖ Free and open source
- ❖ Multiplatform (MacOS, Linux and Windows)

What is R Studio ?

- ❖ RStudio is an Integrated Development Environment
- ❖ It is not necessary, but it is pretty useful
- ❖ It has 4 windows:
 - Script
 - Shell
 - Workspace
 - Help/Files/Plots
- ❖ Free for personal use



Install R and RStudio

❖ Download the installable R app at:

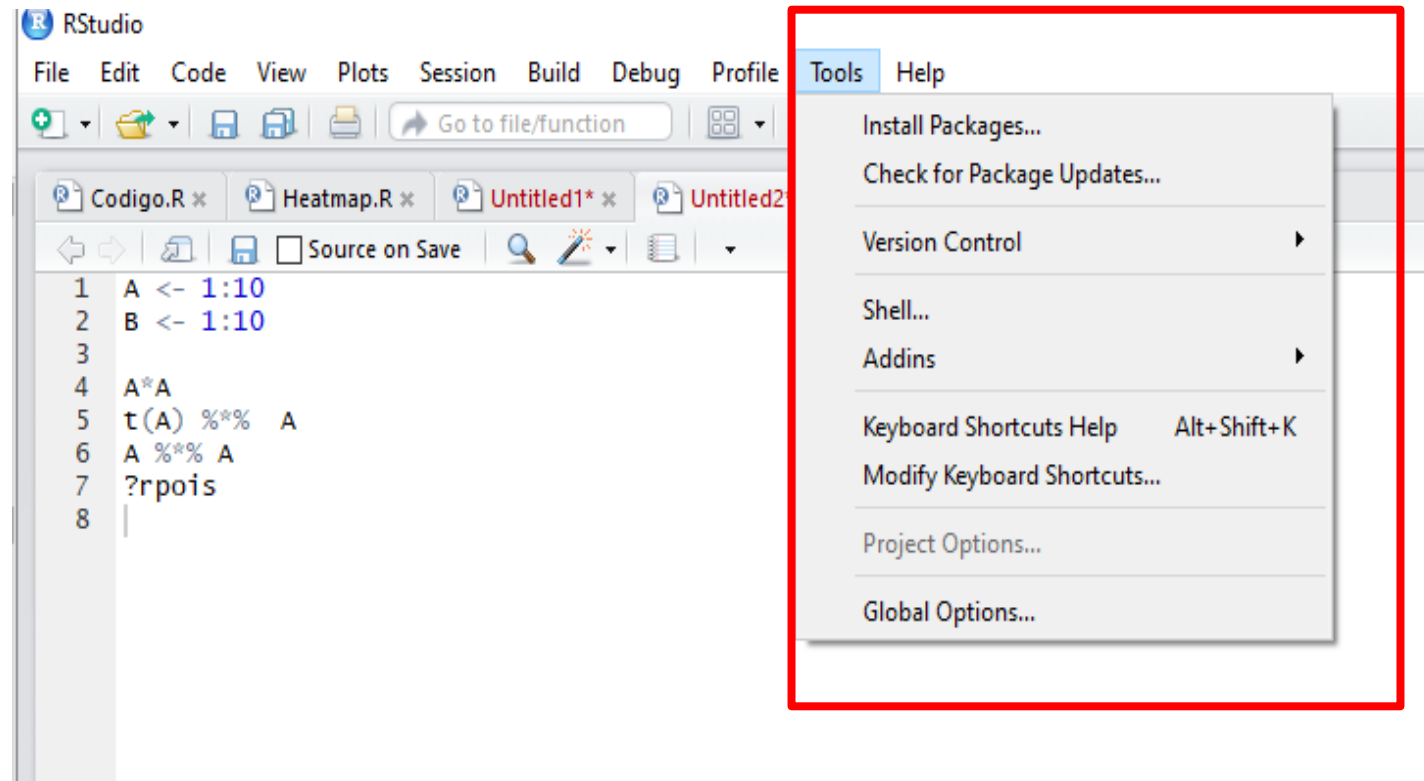
<https://cran.r-project.org/>

❖ Download Rstudio from:

<https://www.rstudio.com/products/rstudio/download/>

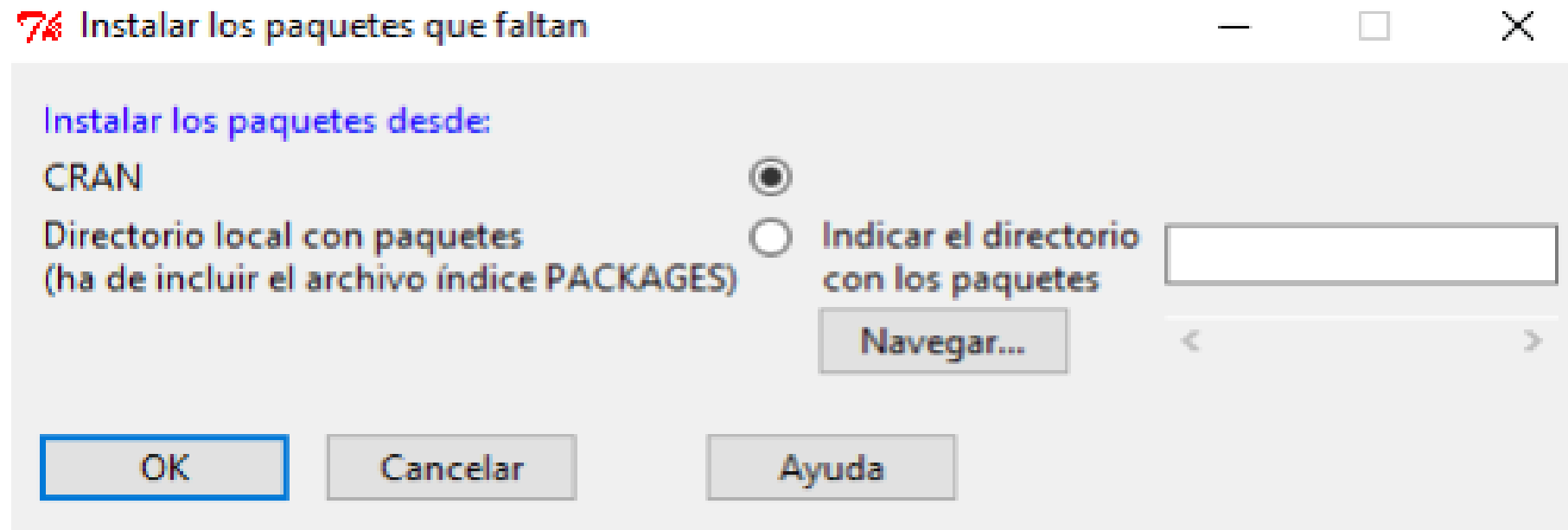
Install more libraries

❖ From Rstudio interface:



Install more libraries

- ❖ If it is the first time using Rstudio, it will ask for the necessary Repository. Select CRAN and Mexico Server



Coffee Break

Install the necessary Software

Using R

- ❖ R is usually used in the shell/command prompt
- ❖ The command prompt has a `>` symbol to show the place where the instructions, functions and variables must be entered
- ❖ If an instruction has a `#` symbol at the start of the lines, it will be recognized as a comment

Using R command prompt

- ❖ The command prompt can be used as a scientific calculator

```
> 5+6  
[1] 11  
> 5e10  
[1] 5e+10
```

- ❖ However, the most important feature to use in R is the vector and matrix operations

Using R to solve algebraic equations

❖ Variable: An element, feature, or factor that is liable to vary or change. Used to store data.

❖ Example normal vector equation:

- Initial Values

- $x = 10$

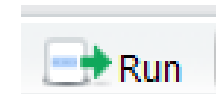
- $y = 20$

- Equation:

- $$\hat{v} = \left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}, \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \right)$$

```
1 # Initial values
2 x = 10
3 y = 20
4
5 #Equation
6 magnitude = sqrt(x^2 + y^2)
7 v.x = x/magnitude
8 v.y = y/magnitude
```

NOTE: Use the Rstudio Script window, select the line to execute and use the button



Using R with different kind of data

❖ Most used data types in R:

- Logical: TRUE, FALSE
- Numeric: Natural or Real numbers. E.g. 10, 1.5, 10e8
- Character: Text. E.g. “Mexican”, “French”
- Data Frame: Multiple kind of data in the same variable (Matrix)

❖ To know the data type of a variable, we use the function “class”

```
> x = 10e8  
> class(x)  
[1] "numeric"
```

Using R with vectors

❖ To use a vector it is necessary to link or concatenate elements of the same data type. The function to us is “c”

❖ Example: I want a vector with the values 1,3,8

```
> x = c(1,3,8)
> class(x)
[1] "numeric"
```

Using R and vector functions

❖ To use a specific element from the vector, we use brackets after the vector variable name.

❖ Example: I want to use the second element of the vector (1,3,8)

```
> x = c(1,3,8)
> x[2]
[1] 3
```

❖ To know how many elements are in the vector, we use the function “length”

```
> x = c(1,3,8)
> length(x)
[1] 3
```

Exercises - Part 1

- ❖ Use R and Rstudio to do the following exercises:
 - Compute the operation: $\log(((3+2)*5)+6)$. Store each operation (the innermost parenthesis operation) in a different variable and use it to compute the next parenthesis.
 - E.g.
 - First compute $x = 3+2$.
 - Then compute $y = x*5$
 - And so on

Exercises - Part 1

- ❖ Create a character vector with 5 elements, then print the fourth element.
- ❖ Create a numeric vector with 4 elements, then print the sum of the first element and the third element

Matrices



❖ Column vector

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} \quad (n \times 1)$$

❖ Row vector

$$[y_1 \quad \dots \quad y_n] \quad (1 \times n)$$

Matrices

❖ Matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & \dots & x_{1p} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & \dots & x_{2p} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_{n1} & x_{n2} & \dots & x_{np} \end{bmatrix} \quad (n \times p)$$

Using R and matrices

❖ We have 2 ways to create a matrix.

- Concatenate vectors
 - Concatenate each vector as a column.
 - Function cbind
- Concatenate each vector as a row.
- Function rbind

```
> x = c(1,3,8)
> y = c(3,4,5)
> cbind(x,y)
```

	x	y
[1,]	1	3
[2,]	3	4
[3,]	8	5

```
> x = c(1,3,8)
> y = c(3,4,5)
> rbind(x,y)
```

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]
x	1	3	8
y	3	4	5

Using R and matrices

❖ To get the matrix size we use the dim function

```
> x = c(1,3,8)
> y = c(3,4,5)
> xy = rbind(x,y)
>
> dim(xy)
[1] 2 3
```

❖ To use a specific element from the matrix, we use brackets after the matrix variable name.

```
> row = 1
> column = 3
> xy[row,column]
x
8
```

Using R and matrices

- ❖ If we want to retrieve all the values in a column the only value to be specified is the desired column, the same strategy is used if a row is desired.
- ❖ All values in a specified column

```
> x = c(1,3,8)
> y = c(3,4,5)
> xy = rbind(x,y)
> column =3
> xy[,column]
x y
8 5
```

Using R and matrices

- ❖ If we want a submatrix from the matrix, we can specify the start and end indices for each dimension.
- ❖ Example. From a 3x3 matrix get the inferior-right submatrix (2x2)

```
> x = c(1,3,8)
> y = c(3,4,5)
> z = c(9,8,7)
> xyz = rbind(x,y,z)
> xyz[ 2:3 , 2:3 ]
      [,1] [,2]
y        4    5
z        8    7
```

NOTE: We can create a vector of consecutive numbers with the format `initialValue : finalValue`

Matrices

❖ Element-wise operations

- Addition, subtraction and scalar product

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} \pm \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \\ \vdots \\ z_n \end{bmatrix}$$

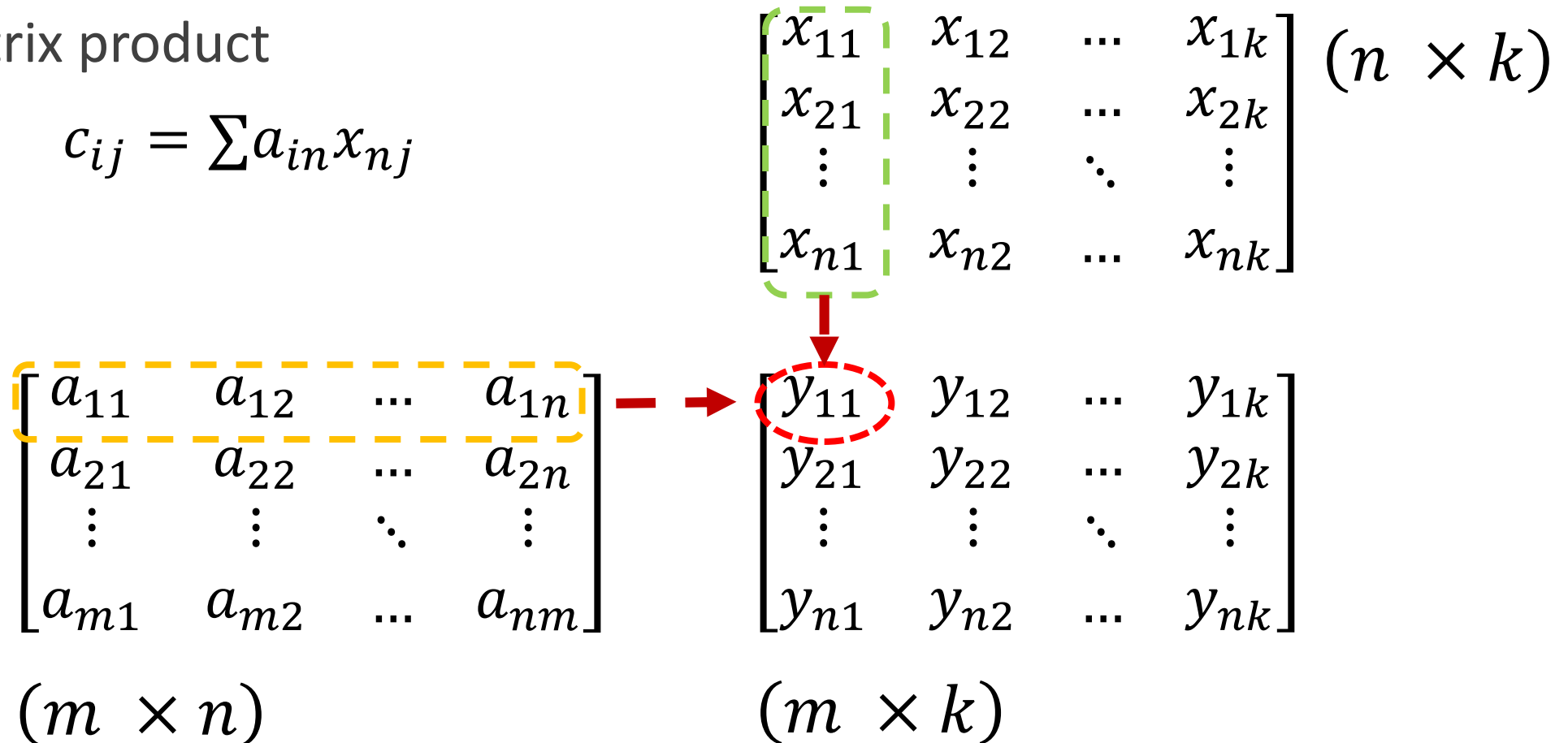
The diagram illustrates element-wise addition or subtraction. Red dashed circles highlight the first elements x_1 , y_1 , and z_1 . Red arrows show the flow from x_1 to y_1 and from y_1 to z_1 , indicating that the operation is performed on corresponding elements.

$$k * \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} k * x_1 \\ k * x_2 \\ \vdots \\ k * x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrices

❖ Matrix product

$$c_{ij} = \sum a_{in} x_{nj}$$



Using R - Products

❖ Element wise product: $C = A * B$

- Only the $*$ symbol between two vectors of the same size
- Input: $A (n \times 1)$ and $B (n \times 1)$
- Output: $C (n \times 1)$

❖ Matrix product: $C = A \%*\% B$

- The operation $*$ must be surrounded by the $\%$ symbol
- Input: $A (n \times m)$ and $B (m \times k)$
- Output: $C (n \times k)$

Using R's help

- ❖ In R we can use the help function to know how a function is used.
- ❖ Example: I want to know to use the log function.

```
> ?log
```

Logarithms and Exponentials

Description

`log` computes logarithms, by default natural logarithms, `log10` computes common (i.e., base 10) logarithms, and `log2` computes binary (i.e., base 2) logarithms. The general form `log(x, base)` computes logarithms with base `base`.

`log1p(x)` computes $\log(1+x)$ accurately also for $|x| \ll 1$.

`exp` computes the exponential function.

`expm1(x)` computes $\exp(x) - 1$ accurately also for $|x| \ll 1$.

Usage

```
log(x, base = exp(1))
```

Exercises – Part 2

- ❖ Use the help function to learn how to use the following functions:
 - hist
 - rnorm

- ❖ From the Usage section of the rnorm function, generate one thousand values with a mean of 10 and standard deviation of 3 and store them in a variable called: randomValues

Scripts

- ❖ A script is a file that has all the instructions necessary to fulfill a purpose.
- ❖ In R, the scripts have a “.R” extension
- ❖ The scripts are necessary to have reproducible experiments.
- ❖ i.e. If you run a script and I run a script, it must do the same for both of us.

Control flow

- ❖ All the instructions are done from top to bottom in a script, and we can manipulate them to do some parts of the script if a condition is fulfilled and even repeat the same subsection of the code depending in our needs.

Conditions

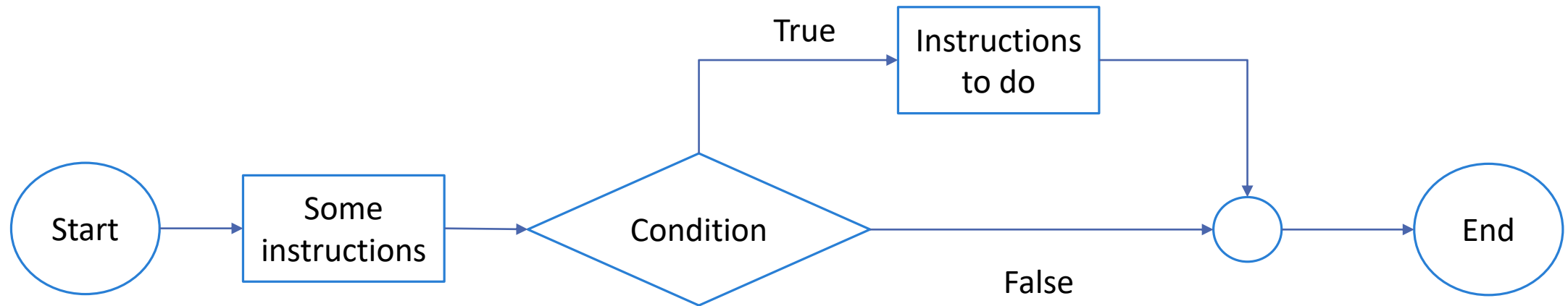
❖ To compare two values we can use relational operators, if the comparison is satisfied it returns TRUE; if not, it returns FALSE:

- A is equal to B: $A == B$
- A is different than B: $A != B$
- A is greater than B: $A > B$
- A is greater or equal to B: $A >= B$
- A is less than B: $A < B$
- A is less or equal to B: $A <= B$

```
> a = 1  
> b = 2  
> a <= b  
[1] TRUE
```

Control flow - Conditions

❖ Single condition



Control flow - Conditions

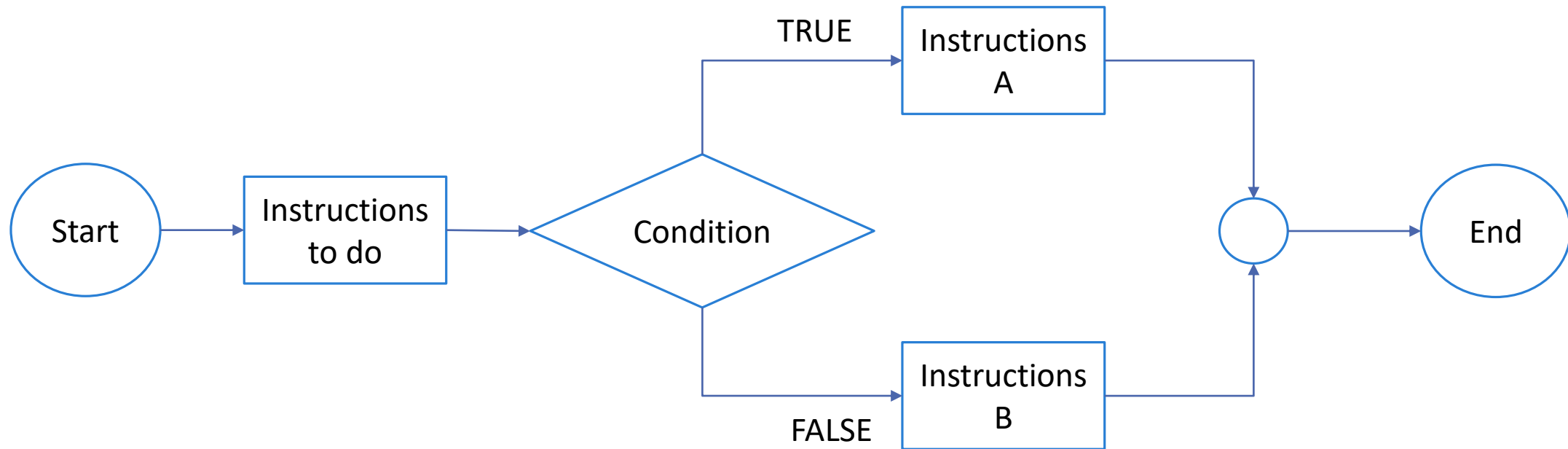
❖ Single condition

```
error = TRUE

if ( error == TRUE ){
    print("Hubo un error")
}
```

Control flow - Conditions

❖ Two possible results from 1 condition



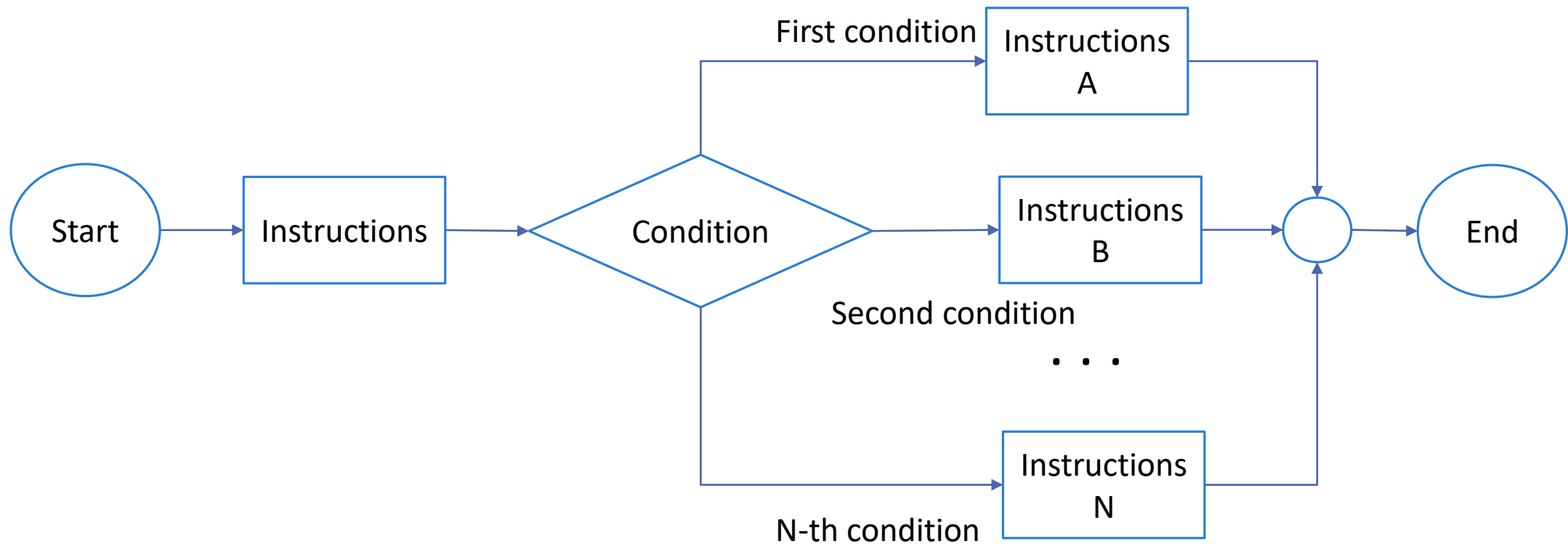
Control flow - Conditions

❖ Two possible results from 1 condition

```
score = 81
if ( score > 69 ){
    print("Pasaste")
} else {
    print("Reprobaste")
}
```

Control flow - Conditions

❖ Multiple results



Control flow - Conditions

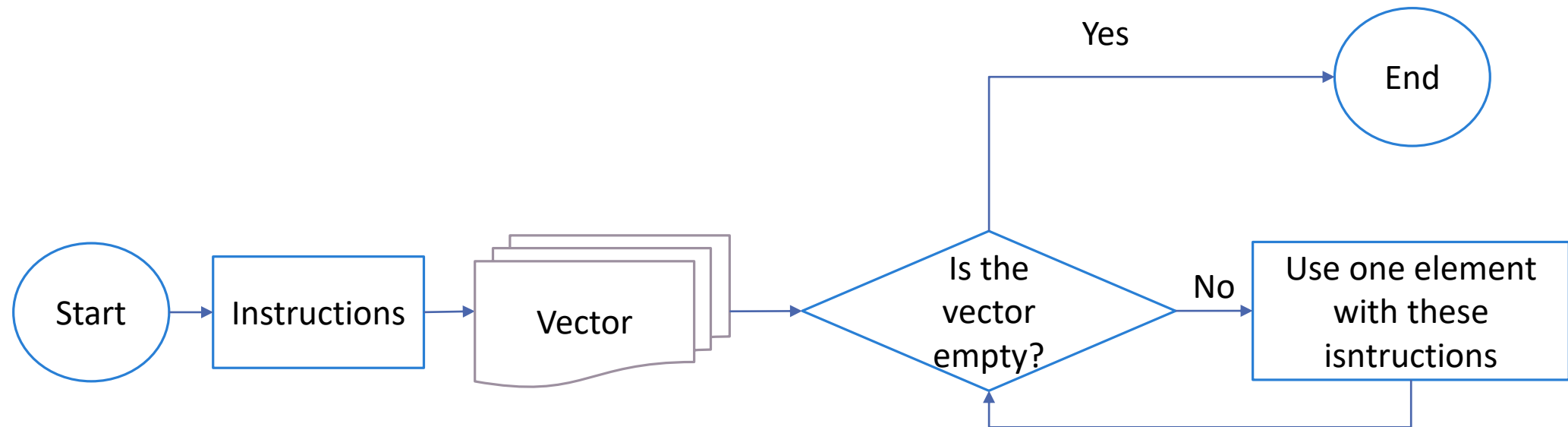
❖ Multiple results

```
tankMax = 50  
tank = 20
```

```
if( tank == tankMax){  
    print("Tengo tanque lleno")  
} else if(tank > tankMax/2){  
    print("Todo bien")  
} else if(tank > tankMax/4){  
    print("El tanque esta casi vacio")  
} else {  
    print("El tanque esta vacio")  
}
```

Control flow - Loops

❖ Repeat the same instructions for each element in a vector:



Control flow - Loops

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```
vector = c( "Dog", "Cat", "Dog2" )
```

```
for ( element in vector ){  
  print("I fed the ")  
  print(element)  
}
```

```
[1] "I fed the "  
[1] "Dog"  
[1] "I fed the "  
[1] "Cat"  
[1] "I fed the "  
[1] "Dog2"
```

Control flow - Loops

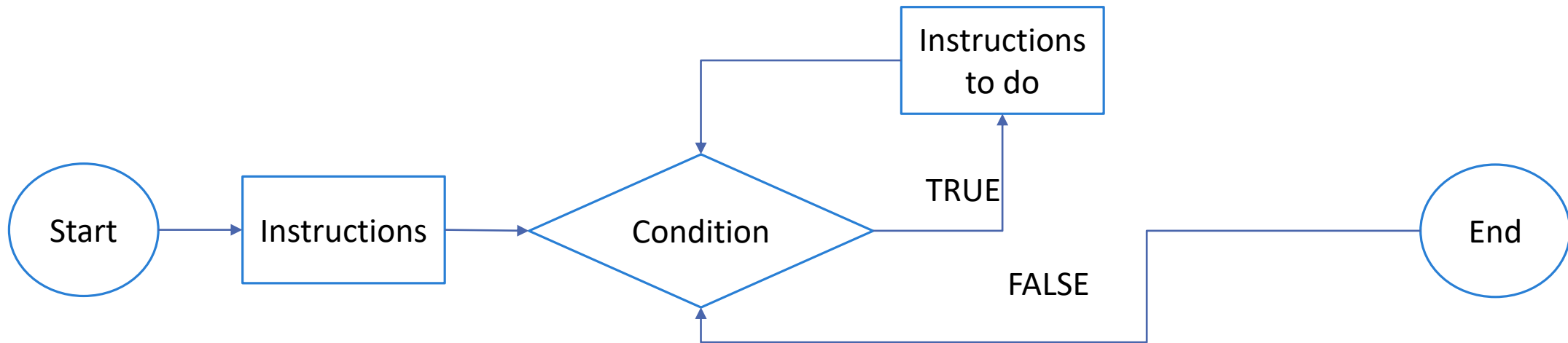
❖ Repeat the same instructions for each element in a vector:

```
vector = c( "Dog", "Cat", "Dog2" )  
  
for ( element in vector ){  
  print( paste( "I fed the ", element) )  
}
```

```
[1] "I fed the Dog"  
[1] "I fed the Cat"  
[1] "I fed the Dog2"
```


Control flow - Loops

❖ Repeat the same instructions until a condition **is NOT** satisfied



Control flow - Loops

❖ Repeat the same instructions until a condition **is NOT** satisfied

```
x = 1
```

```
while ( x < 10 ){  
    print(x)  
    x = x + 1  
}
```

```
[1] 1  
[1] 2  
[1] 3  
[1] 4  
[1] 5  
[1] 6  
[1] 7  
[1] 8  
[1] 9  
|
```

Exercises – Part 3

- ❖ Use control flow to print all the values from 1 to 100 that are divisible by 3
- ❖ Use control flow to print all the numbers in the Fibonacci series till its 20th element
- ❖ Use control flow to print if a numeric variable is a prime number (Intermediate level)

Data analysis

- ❖ Most of the formats are accepted in R:
 - xlsx
 - csv
 - spss
 - sql
 - txt
- ❖ Each function is explicit and easy to use:
 - read.csv
 - read.spss
- ❖ The most general function is read.table and can be used to read most of the formats

Exercises – Part 4

- ❖ Use the help function and read the Dataset.csv file in Bb

- ❖ Use the following functions to skim our database:
 - How many columns? – ncol
 - How many rows? – nrow
 - How many elements? – length, dim
 - What data types are included? – class
 - Use the head function to see if we have repeated data

Advanced data types

❖ Matrix

- They must be rectangular matrices
- Dimensionality – 2D
- Same data type values

Advanced data types

❖ `data.frame`

- Different data types values per column
- How to retrieve a column by name?
 - `Variable$FirstColumnName`

More functions

- ❖ `names` – Return the column names of a 2D variable
- ❖ `colnames` – Return the column names of a 2D variable
- ❖ `rownames` – Return the row names of a 2D variable
- ❖ `summary` – Returns a brief statistic result of the data contained in a variable

Exercises – Part 5

- ❖ Use the help function to understand how to use the following functions:
 - `as.factor`
 - `levels`

- ❖ Use those functions to know how many different countries were used in the database

Data analysis in R

❖ Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

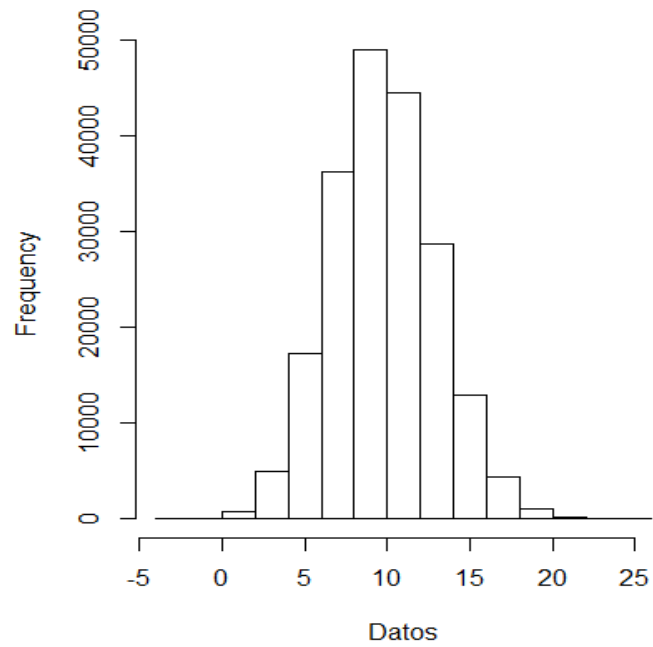
- Are there anomalies?
- Do we care about the outliers?
- Do we have repeated data?
- Do I need to clean the database?
- Are all the variables in the database of interest?
- Lets see if all the assumptions are satisfied!

Visualization

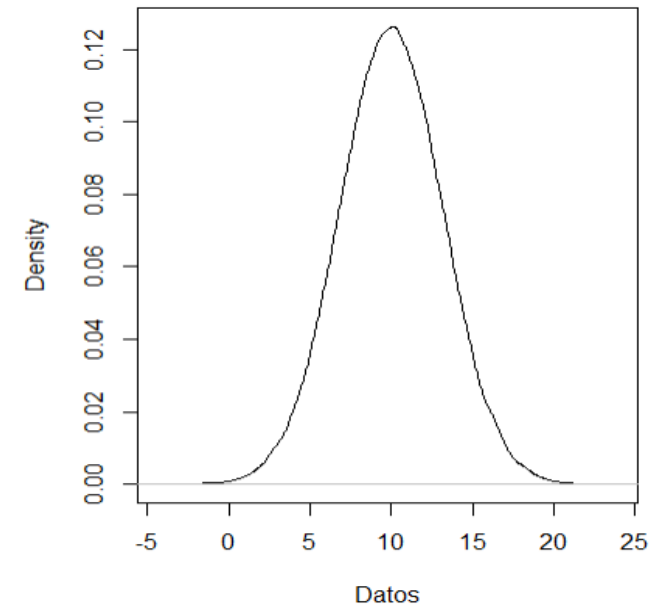
- ❖ It is necessary to find the best way to show the results
 - Lists/tables
 - Summaries
 - Plots

- ❖ What kind of plots?
 - Histograms – hist
 - Densities – density
 - Scatter plots – plot
 - Box plots – boxplot

Exploratory data analysis

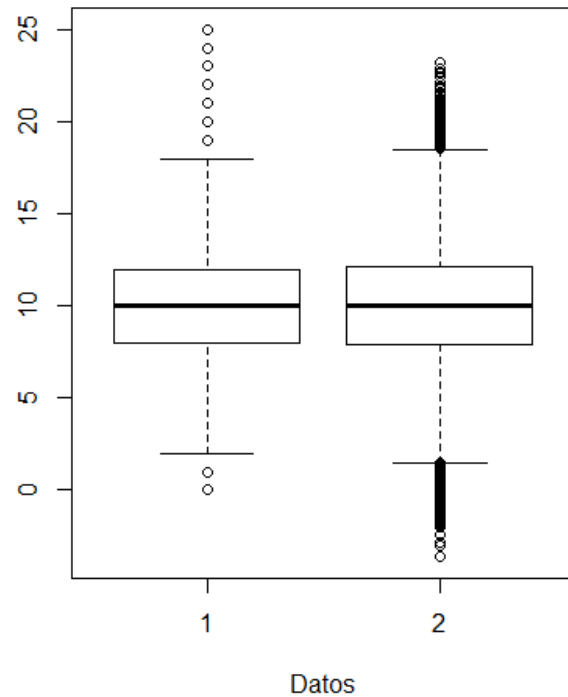


Histogram

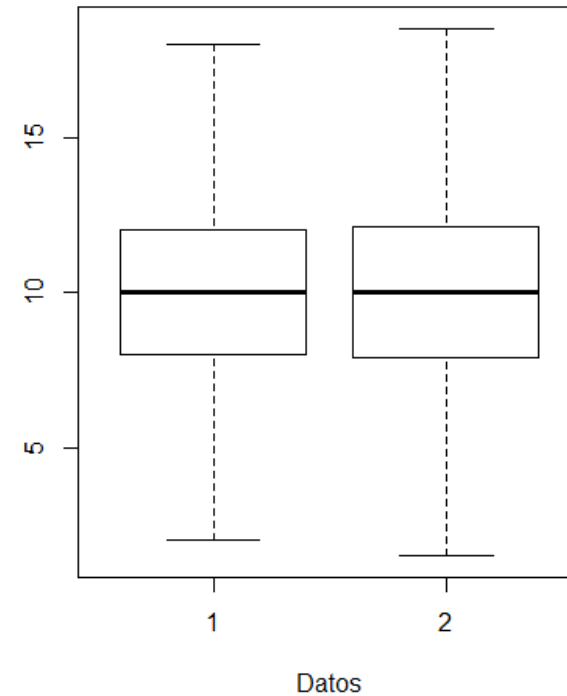


Density

Exploratory data analysis



Boxplot



Boxplot without outliers

Dataset.csv

Lets explore this database!

Dataset.csv

- ❖ Lets see all the datatypes included in the dataset
- ❖ Lets explore the numeric data with different plots
- ❖ Is there something wrong?
 - Do we need to filter our data?
- ❖ Research question:
 - Is there a difference between year 2010 total deaths compared to 2012?
 - EDA plots

Dataset.csv

❖ Plot all the death values per year in only one plot without outliers

❖ Plot parameters:

- main – Plot name
- xlab – x-label
- ylab - y-label
- col - Colors

Homework 1

- ❖ Load the dataset.csv
- ❖ The new dataset must have:
 - Only relevant variables (Not repeated data accross columns)
 - Only the counts related to “All causes of death”
 - And the measure must be “Number of total deaths”
 - All years and all countries must be included
 - Save the new database in another csv file called “filteredDatabase.csv”
- ❖ TIP: Use matrix and submatrix notation to get the desired values and the write.csv function

Homework 1

- ❖ Select another cause of death and measure to get a second dataset.
- ❖ With this new data set:
- ❖ Plot the boxplot of these deaths in the first year reported and compare it with the last year (both boxplots in the same plot)
- ❖ Upload the .R file with all your code in the Assignment tab in Bb
 - Assignment - R Homework
 - 1 per pair. Both names in a comment at the beginning of the .R file
 - DO NOT upload the csv file