

Data Manipulation with R: Basics: Takeaways

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Syntax

· Installing package

```
install.packages("name_of_the_package")
```

· Loading a package

```
library(name_of_the_package_without_quotation_marks)
```

• Importing a csv-file into R with the read_csv() function from readr package

```
library(readr_r)
new_data_frame <- read_csv("name_of_the_dataset.csv")</pre>
```

• Finding the number of columns in a dataset

```
n_col <- ncol(new_data_frame)</pre>
```

• Finding the number of rows in a dataset

```
n_row <- nrow(new_data_frame)
```

• Finding the name of columns in a dataset

```
data_frame_names <- colnames(new_data_frame)</pre>
```

• Displaying the first six rows in a dataset

```
head_rows <- head(new_data_frame)
```

• Displaying the last six rows in a dataset

```
tail_rows <- tail(new_data_frame)
```

• Visualizing a dataset with the qplot() function from ggplot2 package

```
library(ggplot2)

qplot(x = job_id,
    y = salary_max,
    color = job_type,
    data = monster_jobs_clean)
```

Concepts

• Data analysis workflow and tidyverse collection of packages.

• We can import several type of dataset into R using the

readr

package namely CSV (Comma-separated Values) and TSV (Tab-separated Values) files.

• We can use the package

ggplot2

to visualize our dataset.

Resources

• CRAN repository

- readr documentation
- ggplot2 documentation



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