

Simple R Functions

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1.

- (a) Write functions `tmpFn1` and `tmpFn2` such that if `xVec` is the vector (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) , then `tmpFn1(xVec)` returns vector $(x_1, x_2^2, \dots, x_n^n)$ and `tmpFn2(xVec)` returns the vector $(x_1, \frac{x_2^2}{2}, \dots, \frac{x_n^n}{n})$.

Here is `tmpFn1`

```
tmpFn1 <- function(xVec){  
  return(xVec^(1:length(xVec)))  
}
```

```
## simple example
```

```
a <- c(2, 5, 3, 8, 2, 4)
```

```
b <- tmpFn1(a)
```

```
b
```

```
## [1]      2      25     27 4096     32 4096
```

and now `tmpFn2`

```
tmpFn2 <- function(xVec2){  
  
  n = length(xVec2)  
  
  return(xVec2^(1:n)/(1:n))  
}
```

```
c <- tmpFn2(a)
```

```
c
```

```
## [1]      2.0000     12.5000      9.0000 1024.0000      6.4000  682.6667
```

- (b) Now write a function `tmpFn3` which takes 2 arguments x and n where x is a single number and n is a strictly positive integer. The function should return the value of

$$1 + \frac{x}{1} + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} + \dots + \frac{x^n}{n}$$

```
tmpFn3 <- function(x, n){  
  return(1 + sum(sapply(1:n, function(i) x ^ i / i)))  
}
```

2. Write a function `tmpFn(xVec)` such that if `xVec` is the vector $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$ then `tmpFn(xVec)` returns the vector of moving averages:

$$\frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3}{3}, \frac{x_2 + x_3 + x_4}{3}, \dots, \frac{x_{n-2} + x_{n-1} + x_n}{3}$$

```
tmpFn <- function(xVec){
  n2 <- 1:(length(xVec) -2)
  return((xVec[n2] + xVec[n2 + 1] + xVec[n2 + 2]) / 3)
}
```

Try out your function. `tmpFn(c(1:5,6:1))`

```
tmpFn(c(1:5, 6:1))
```

```
## [1] 2.000000 3.000000 4.000000 5.000000 5.333333 5.000000 4.000000 3.000000
## [9] 2.000000
```

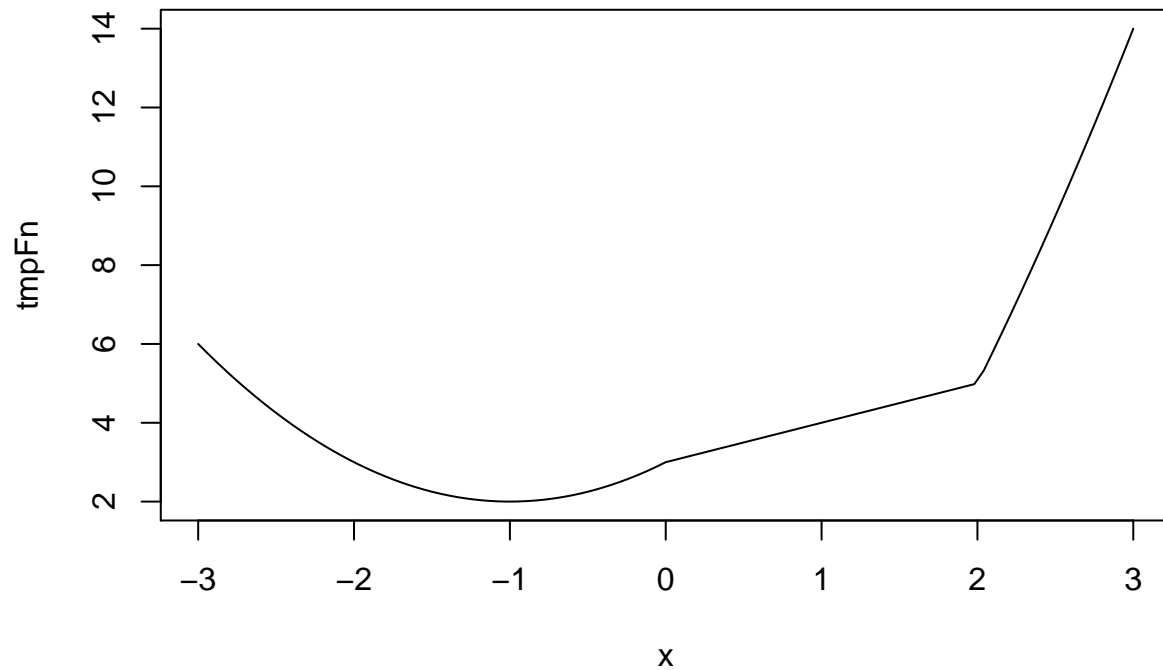
3. Consider the continuous function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 2x + 3 & \text{if } x < 0 \\ x + 3 & \text{if } 0 \leq x < 2 \\ x^2 + 4x - 7 & \text{if } 2 \leq x \end{cases}$$

Write a function `tmpFn` which takes a single argument `xVec`. the function should return the vector the values of the function $f(x)$ evaluated at the values in `xVec`.

Hence plot the function $f(x)$ for $-3 < x < 3$.

```
tmpFn <- function(xVec){
  return(
    (xVec < 0) * (xVec ^ 2 + 2 * xVec + 3)
    + (xVec >= 0 & xVec < 2) * (xVec + 3)
    + (xVec >= 2) * (xVec ^ 2 + 4 * xVec - 7)
  )
}
x <- seq(-3, 3, 0.01)
plot(tmpFn, -3, 3)
```



4. Write a function which takes a single argument which is a matrix. The function should return a matrix which is the same as the function argument but every odd number is doubled.

Hence the result of using the function on the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 2 & 6 \\ -2 & -1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

should be:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 6 \\ 10 & 2 & 6 \\ -2 & -2 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

```
tmpFn <- function(xMat){
  return(
    (xMat %% 2 == 0) * xMat
    + (xMat %% 2 != 0) * (xMat * 2)
  )
}
xMat <- matrix(c(1, 1, 3, 5, 2, 6, -2, -1, -3), nrow = 3, byrow = TRUE)
tmpFn(xMat)
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,]    2    2    6
## [2,]   10    2    6
## [3,]   -2   -2   -6
```

5. Write a function which takes 2 arguments n and k which are positive integers. It should return the $n \times n$ matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} k & 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & k & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & k & 1 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & k & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & k & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & k \end{bmatrix}$$

```
tmpFn <- function(k, n){
  xMat <- matrix(rep(0, n ^ 2), nrow = n)
  xMat <- row(xMat) - col(xMat)
  xMat[abs(xMat) == 1] <- 1
  xMat[abs(xMat) != 1] <- 0
  xMat <- xMat + diag(k, nrow = n)
  return(xMat)
}
tmpFn(2, 5)
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]
## [1,]    2    1    0    0    0
## [2,]    1    2    1    0    0
## [3,]    0    1    2    1    0
## [4,]    0    0    1    2    1
## [5,]    0    0    0    1    2
```

6. Suppose an angle α is given as a positive real number of degrees.

If $0 \leq \alpha < 90$ then it is quadrant 1. If $90 \leq \alpha < 180$ then it is quadrant 2.

if $180 \leq \alpha < 270$ then it is quadrant 3. if $270 \leq \alpha < 360$ then it is quadrant 4.

if $360 \leq \alpha < 450$ then it is quadrant 1.

And so on ...

Write a function `quadrant(alpha)` which returns the quadrant of the angle α .

```
quadrant <- function(alpha){
  return(1 + floor((alpha %% 360) / 90))
}
```

7.

(a) Zeller's congruence is the formula:

$$f = ([2.6m - 0.2] + k + y + [y/4] + [c/4] - 2c) \bmod 7$$

where $[x]$ denotes the integer part of x ; for example $[7.5] = 7$.

Zeller's congruence returns the day of the week f given:

k = the day of the month

y = the year in the century

c = the first 2 digits of the year (the century number)

m = the month number (where January is month 11 of the preceding year, February is month 12 of the

preceding year, March is month 1, etc.)

For example, the date 21/07/1963 has $m = 5, k = 21, c = 19, y = 63$;

the date 21/2/63 has $m = 12, k = 21, c = 19, \text{and } y = 62$.

Write a function `weekday(day, month, year)` which returns the day of the week when given the numerical inputs of the day, month and year.

Note that the value of 1 for f denotes Sunday, 2 denotes Monday, etc.

- (b) Does your function work if the input parameters day, month, and year are vectors with the same length and valid entries?

```
weekday <- function(day, month, year){
  kVec <- day
  yVec <- ifelse(
    month > 2,
    year - floor(year / 100) * 100,
    year - floor(year / 100) * 100 - 1
  )
  cVec <- floor(year / 100)
  mVec <- ifelse(month > 2, month - 2, month + 10)
  return(
    (
      floor(2.6 * mVec - 0.2)
      + kVec
      + yVec
      + floor(yVec/4)
      + floor(cVec/4)
      - 2 * cVec
    ) %% 7 + 1
  )
}
```

28/1/2018 is Sunday, output should be 1

```
weekday(28, 1, 2018)
```

```
## [1] 1
```