

Getting Started with R

New users face a steep learning curve.

Mastery requires study, research and practice.

No single comprehensive user's guide exists.

1. R can be obtained at <http://cran.r-project.org/>.

RStudio is recommended for new users of R.

2. Read and complete the “Quick Start Guide for R”.

3. Watch the three lynda.com videos deals with R.

- 1) Up and Running with R,
- 2) R Statistics Essential Training, and
- 3) Code Clinic: R.

4. Take advantage of reference materials and the internet.

5. If you have time,

- a) Try out SWIRL.
- b) Watch the R-related videos posted on the course site.
- c) Study and complete the optional “Lessons in R”.

6. Ask questions.