Quantitative fisheries science in R and FLR

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http://r-project.org



What is R

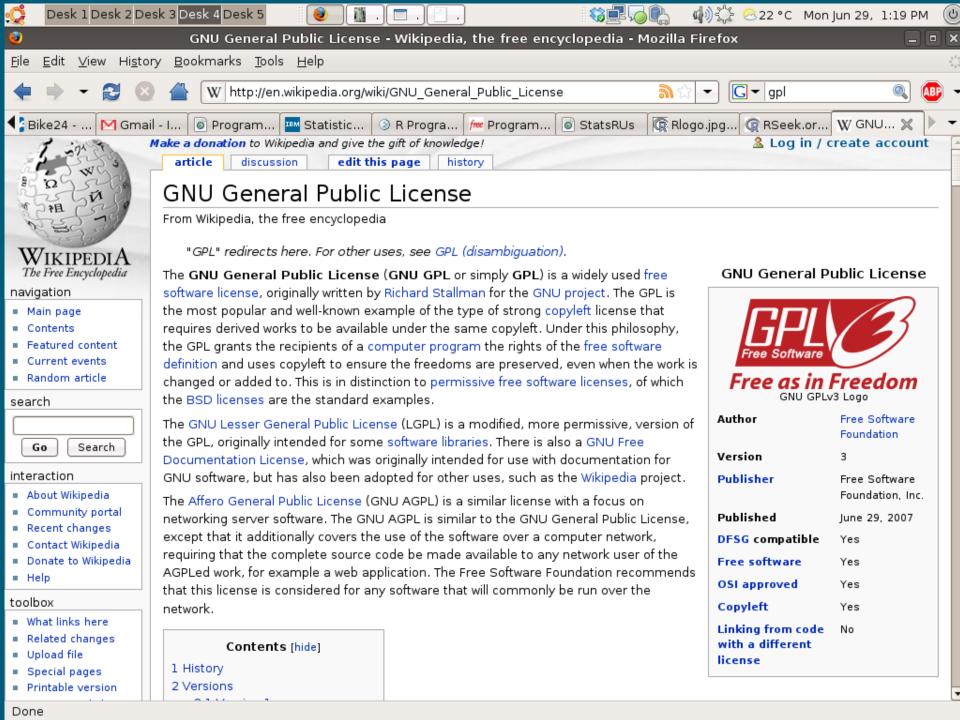
R is a scripting language for statistical data manipulation and analysis. It was inspired by, and is mostly compatible with, the statistical language S developed by AT&T. The name S, obviously standing for statistics, was an allusion to another programming language developed at AT&T with a one-letter name, C.

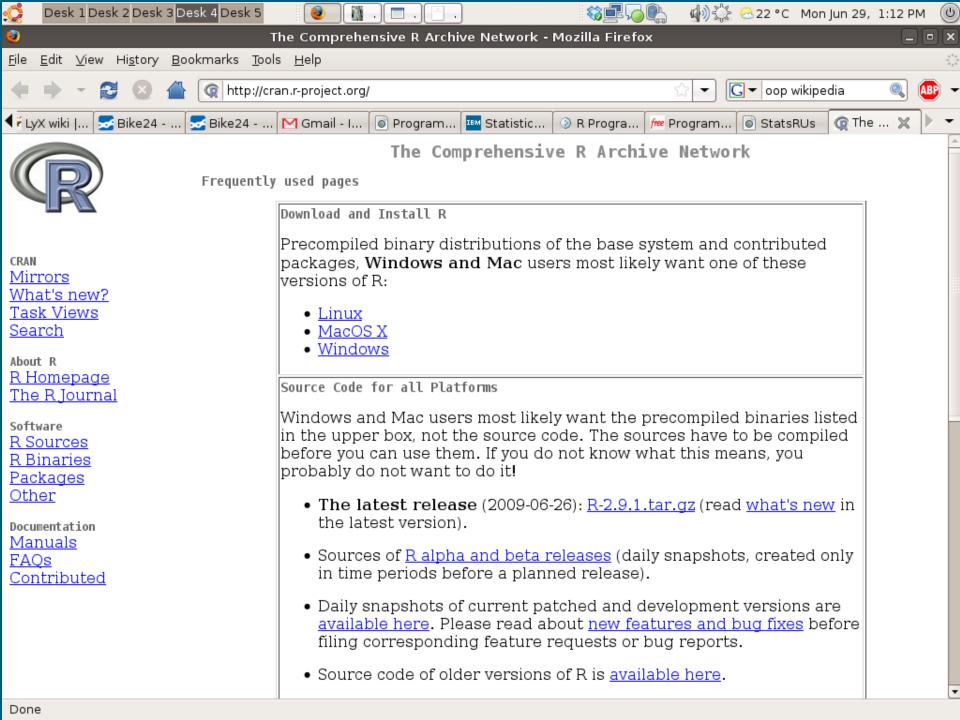


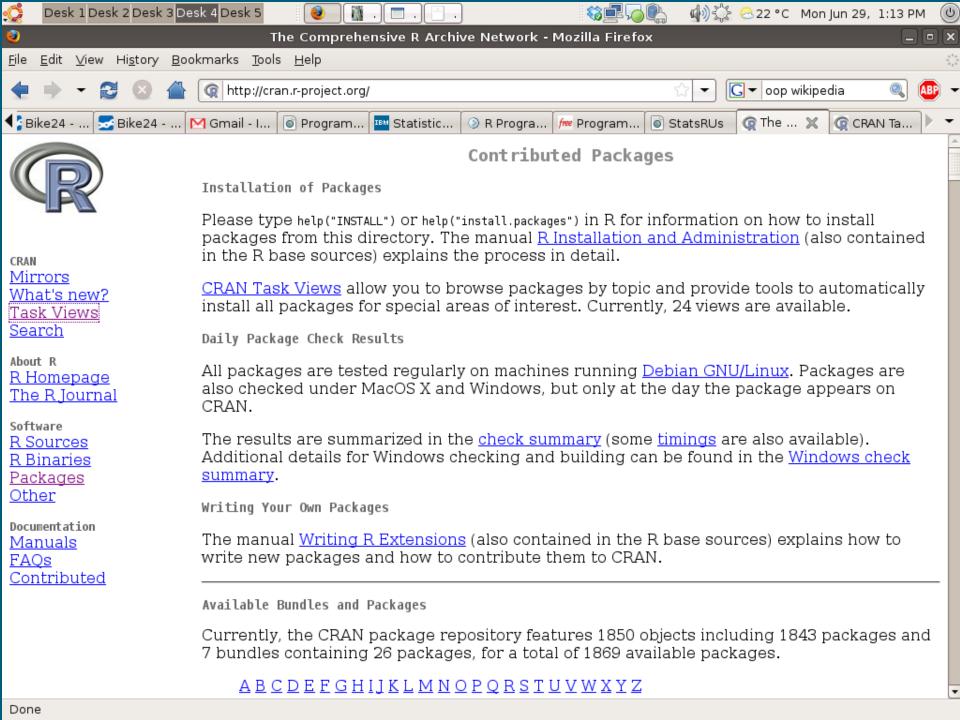
Why R

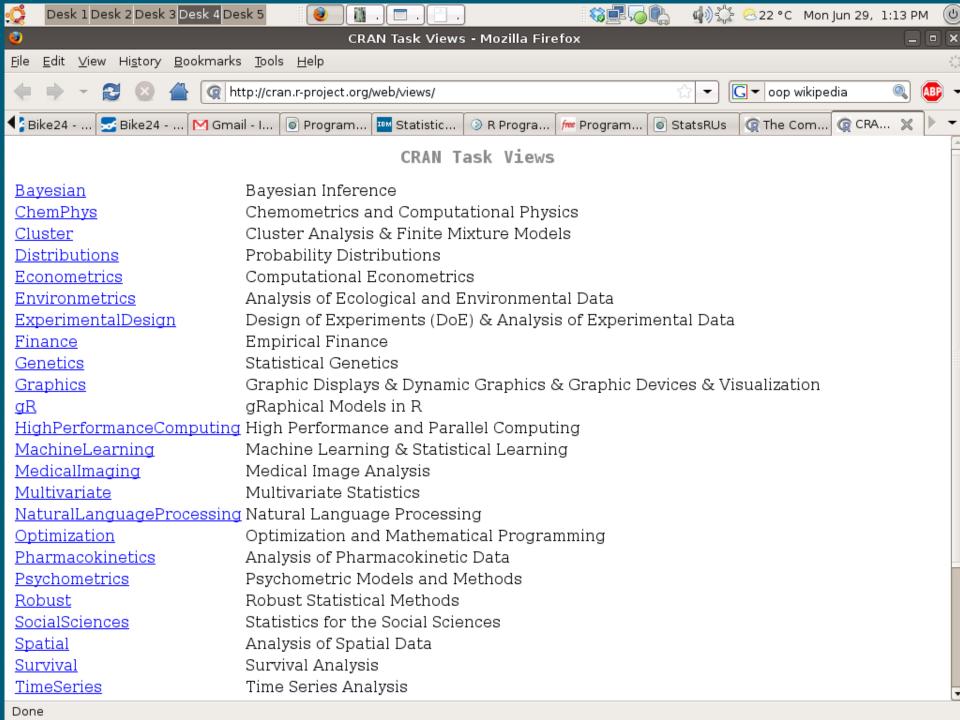
- yauh peng, yauh leng "both inexpensive and beautiful."
- Open source (GPL) and free
- Cross-platform
- object-oriented and functional programming structure
- Interactive and batch modes
- Huge user/developer base







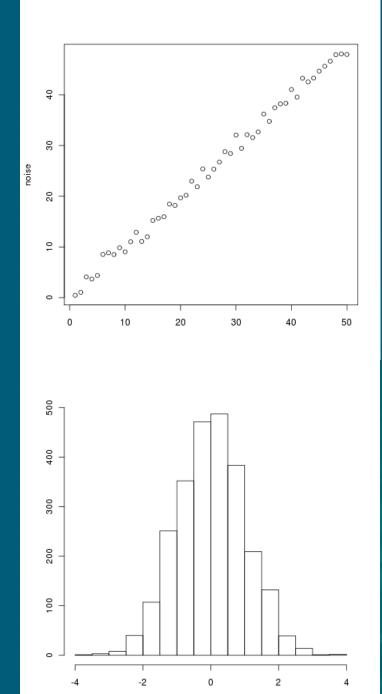




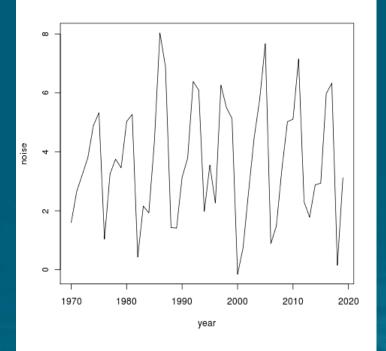
Basic features

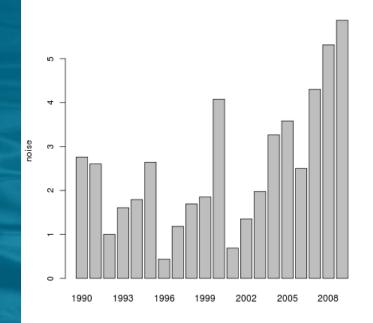
- Numerous procedures (algebra, matrix, stats)
- Named storage (everything is an object)
- Functions
- Classes and methods (S3, S4)
 - Vectors, matrices and arrays
 - Lists and data.frames
- Special values (NA, NaN, Inf, NULL)
- Logical vectors and boolean algebra
- basic_features.R

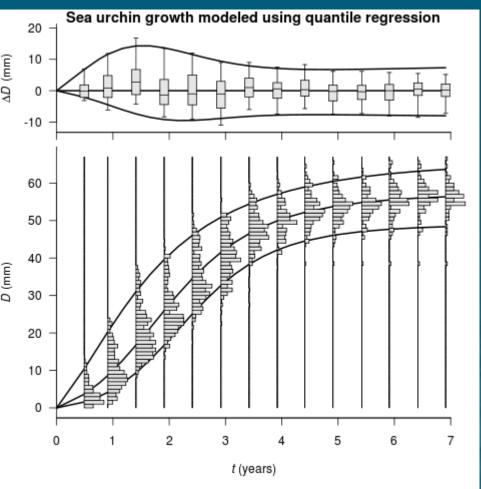


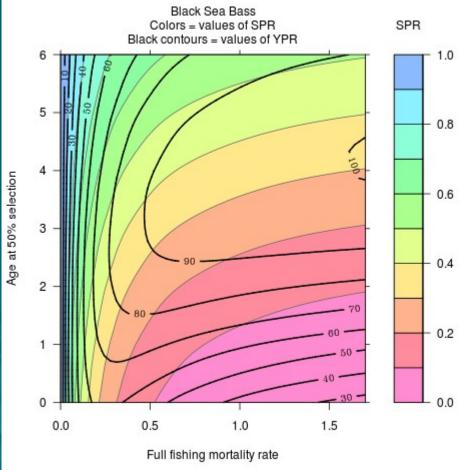


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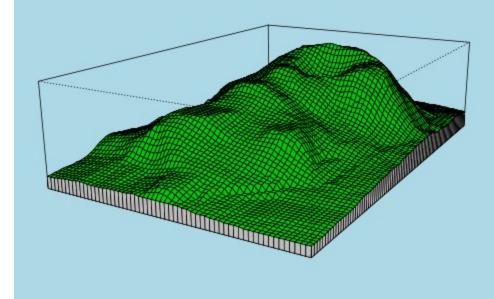




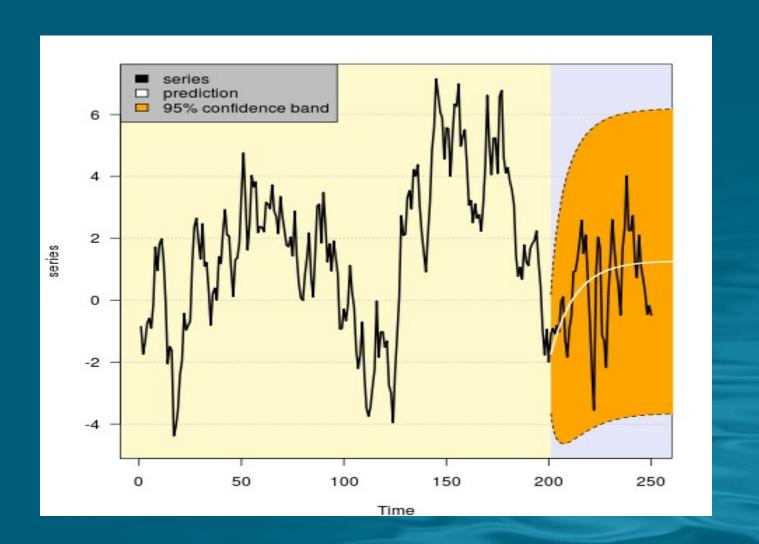


Maunga Whau Volcano x col=terrain.colors(100)

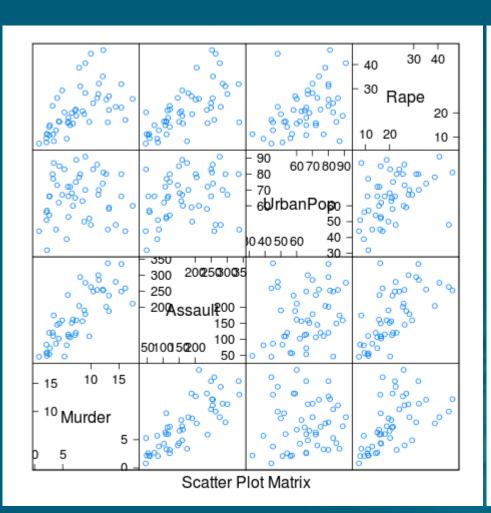
Maunga Whau
One of 50 Volcanoes in the Auckland Region.

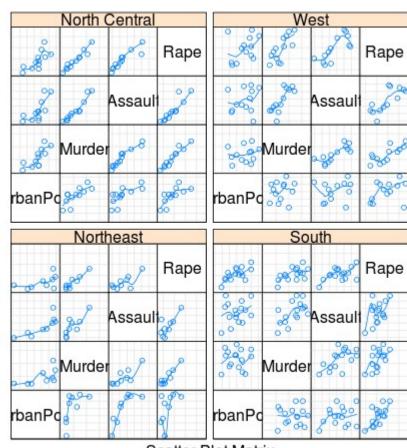






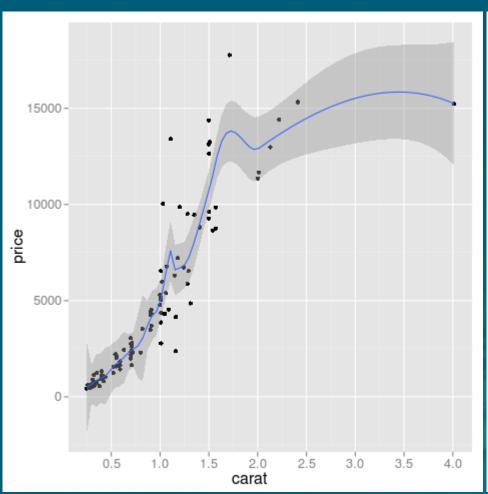


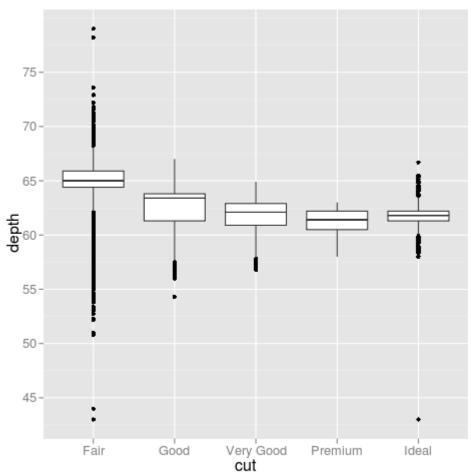




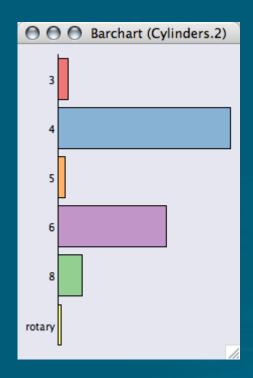
Scatter Plot Matrix

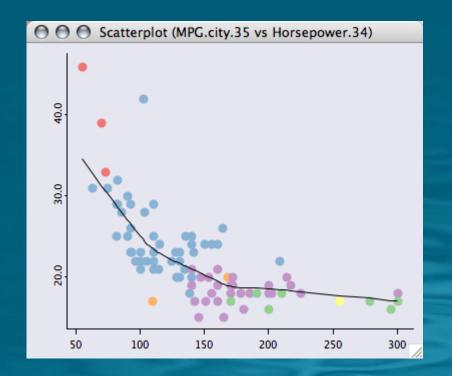










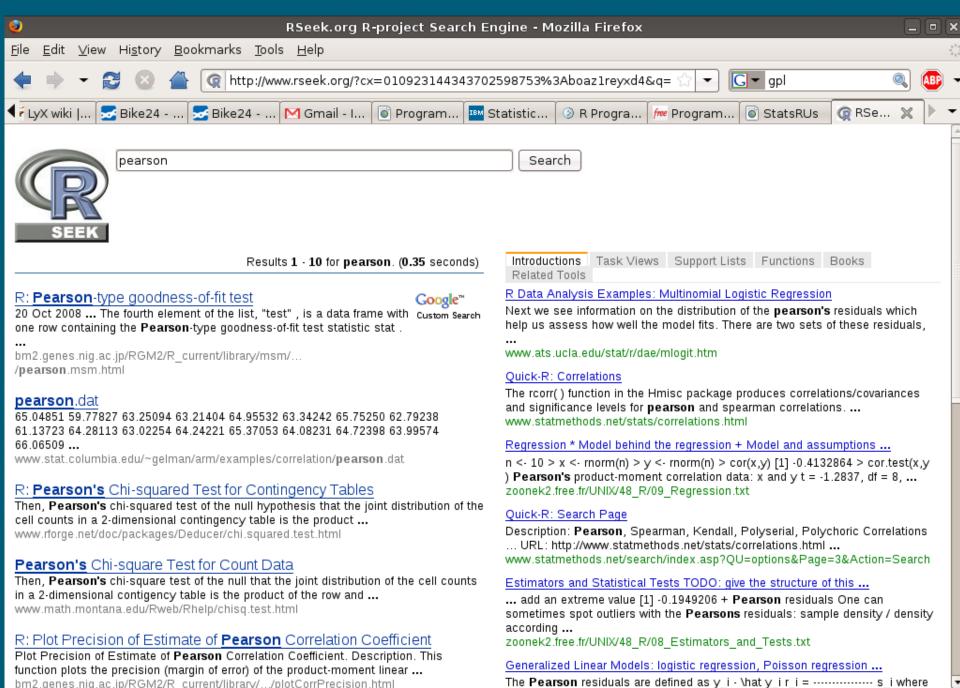




help!

- help("function") or ?function
- example("function")
- demos and vignettes
- help.search("keyword")
- http://rseek.org
- R-help and R-devel mailing lists





Done

FLR

- R packages for fisheries science
- Open Source, collaborative work
- Assessment, EDA, MSE, simulation
- Based on S4 classes and methods
- Reuse of legacy code, C, C++, F77, F90
- Currently version 2 in beta
- http://flr-project.org





- Release of FLEDA 2.0
- » Release of FLCore 2.0

more

UPCOMING EVENTS

none

FLR quick start

- 1. Install the FLR packages from the repository.
- 2. Follow some of the tutorials on our wiki.
- 3. You can get support from the community by joining ou mailing list, or at the flr@conference.jabber.org chat room.

models for the evaluation of fisheries management strategies. The FLR library is under development by researchers accross a

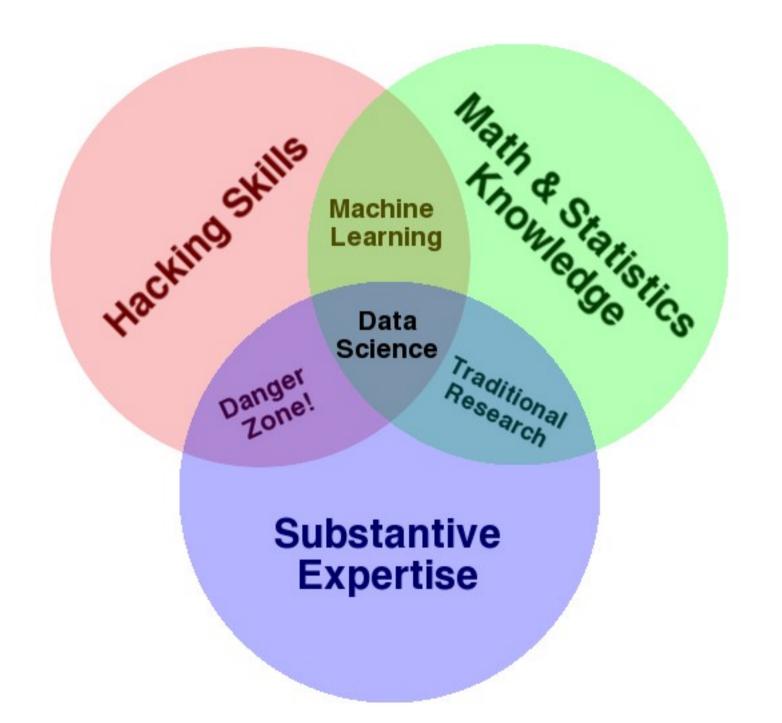
number of laboratories and universities in various countries.

People developing FLR

Initial development of FLR was part of the EU-funded FEMS (Framework for the Evaluation of Management Strategies, QLRT-2001-01824) research project. A number of EU-funded and national research projects have contributed to FLR in various ways. FLR is now an open collaborative effort, where researchers working on it do so as part of different research and management initiatives. A team of fisheries and computer scientists take responsibility for the maintenance and improvement of

LINKS

- » FLR at R-Forge
- » BugTracking FLR

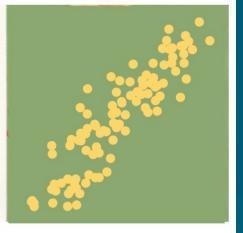


















Links

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- http://flr-project.org
- http://rseek.org
- http://cran.r-project.org
- http://r-forge.r-project.org
- http://addictedtor.free.fr/

