Introduction to R and Data Science Tools in the Microsoft Stack

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Source: https://www.r-project.org/logo/

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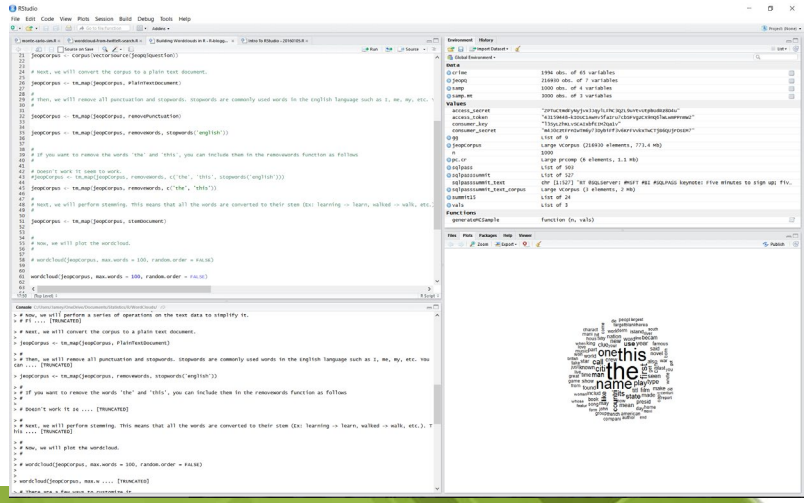
R and RStudio

- R Project for Statistical Computing
  - https://www.r-project.org/
- RStudio
  - https://www.rstudio.com/



Basics

- # - comment

```
> # Basics
```

- Variable Creation

```
> m <- 3 * 5
> m
[1] 15
```

- Help

```
> help("lm")  # lm is function for Fitting Linear Models
> ?lm
> lm(y ~ x)
```

Objects in R

- Variables, Values, Commands, Functions …
- Everything in R is an Object
- Typical Data in R is stored in:
  - Vectors (one row, same data type)
  - Matrices (multiple rows, same data type)
  - Data Frames (multiple rows, multiple data types)
    - It's like a Table!
  - List (collection of objects)

Vector

- Building Blocks for data objects in R
- *c* (combine) function to create a Vector
  - `v <- c(2, 3, 1.5, 3.1, 49)`
- *seq* function generates numeric sequences
  - `s <- seq(from = 0, to = 100, by = .1)`
- *rep* function replicates values
  - `r <- rep(c(1,4), times = 4)`
- *:* creates a number seq incremented by 1 or -1
  - `colon <- 1:10`
- length(var) returns length of vector
  - `length(colon)`

Matrix

- *matrix* function used to build matrix
- rbind (row bind) and cbind (column bind)
  - Combine matrices by row or column
- http://www.ats.ucla.edu/stat/r/library/matrix_alg.htm
- Demos

Data Frame

- It is like a table!
- *rownames* – extract row labels
- *colnames* – extract column labels
- *read.table, read.csv, readxl, RODBC*
  - Different ways to create data frames
- Demos

List

- Combine multiple objects types into one object
  - vectors, matrices, data frames, list, functions
- Typically used by functions to output the model output
  - e.g. the output from the lm function
- Demo

Missing Data

- NA is used to represent Missing Data
- The *is.na* and *which* functions are used to manage NA

```
> x <- c(1.3,2.3,3.4,NA)
> print(x)
[1] 1.3 2.3 3.4  NA
>
> # Returns integer location of values (not the values)
> n <- which (is.na(x))
> v <- which (!is.na(x))
> print(n)
[1] 4
> print(v)
[1] 1 2 3
>
> # y will be set to the values not = NA
> y <- x[!is.na(x)]
> print(y)
[1] 1.3 2.3 3.4
```

Packages

- Add-ons for R
- *library()*
  - List packages already installed
- *install.package("dplyr2", "ggplot2")*
  - Install new packages
- *library(dplyr2)*
  - Load package to be used in R

Conditional Operators

- Comparisons return logical vector

```
> 1:10 == 2
 [1] FALSE  TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
> 1:10 != 2
 [1]  TRUE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE
> 1:10 > 2
 [1] FALSE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE
> 1:10 >= 2
 [1] FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE
> 1:10 < 2
 [1]  TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
> 1:10 <= 2
 [1]  TRUE  TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE

> x <- 2
> x > 1
[1] TRUE
```

Logical Operations

```
> x <- 1:4
> x
[1] 1 2 3 4
>
> (x > 2) | (x <= 3)
[1] TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE
>
> (x > 2) & (x <= 3)
[1] FALSE FALSE  TRUE FALSE
>
> xor((x > 2), (x < 4))
[1]  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE
>
> 0:5 %in% x
[1] FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE
```

Control Flows

- IF … ELSE

```
x <- 4
if (x < 3) print("true") else print("false")
ifelse ((x < 3), print("true"), print("false"))
```

- FOR Loops

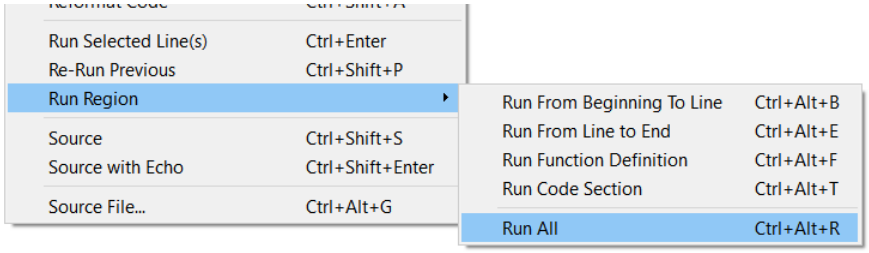
```
for(i in 1:10)
  print(1:i)

for (i in 1:nrow(df))
  print(df[i,])
```

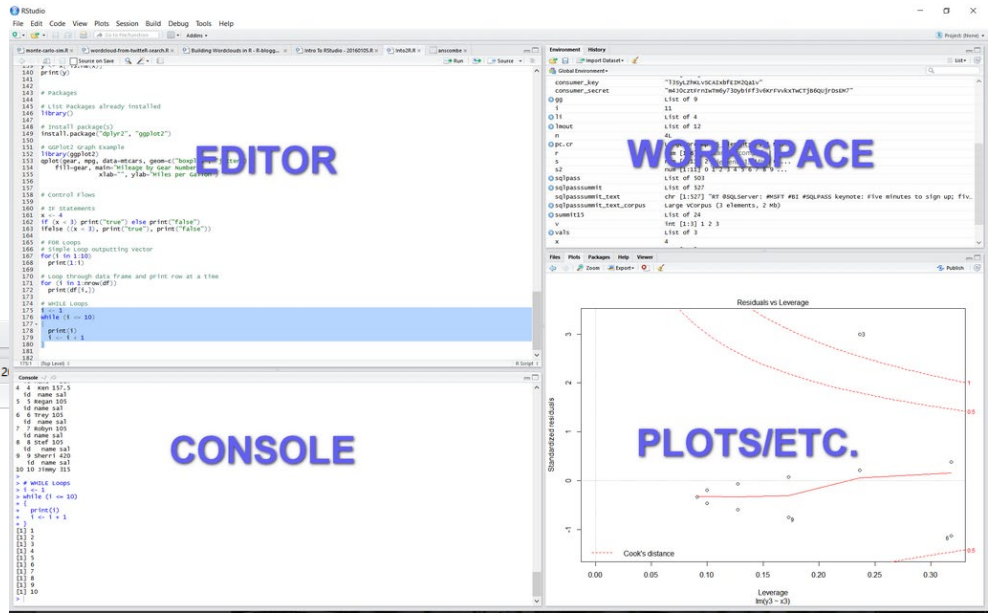
- WHILE Loops

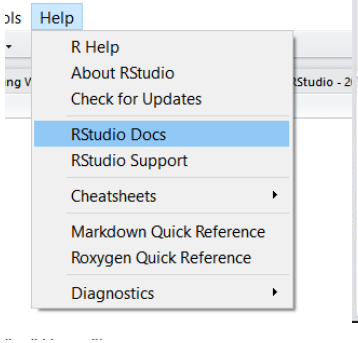
```
i <- 1
while (i <= 10)
{
  print(i)
  i <- i + 1
}
```

RStudio

- Run Options
  - CTL+Enter
  - Ctl+Alt+R
- Built-In Docs
- Version Control
- Projects

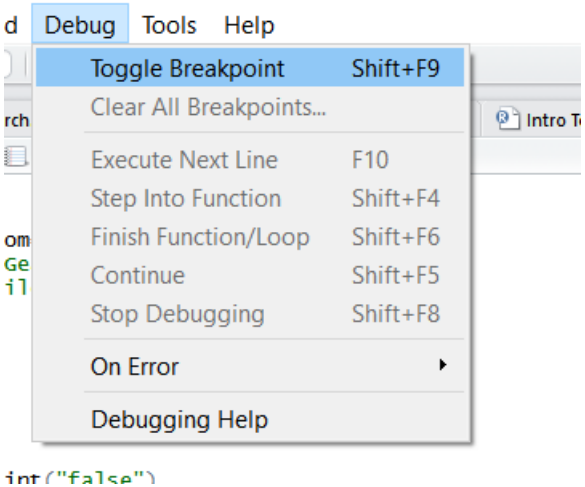






RStudio Debugging

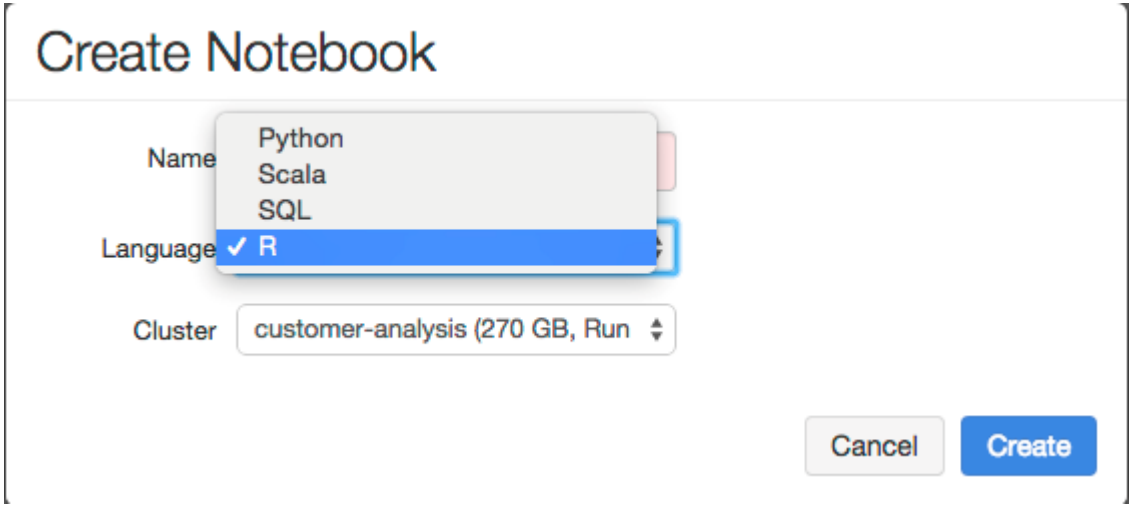
- Breakpoints (Shift+F9)
- R Functions
  - browser()
  - debugonce()
- Environment Pane
  - Traceback(Callstack)
- Console
  - Step into function (Shift+F4)
  - Finish Function (Shift+F6)
  - Continue Running (Shift+F5)
  - Stop Debugging (Shift+F8)



Azure Databricks

databricks

- Azure Databricks
  - R Integration
  - Python
  - Scala
  - Spark SQL



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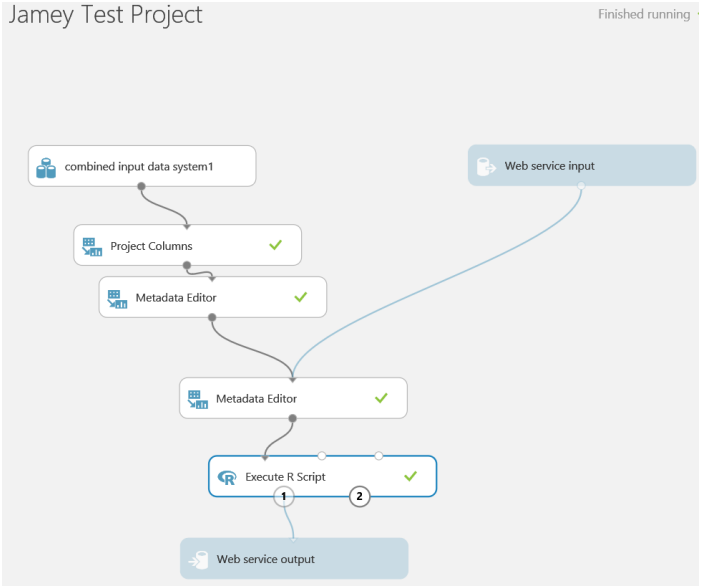
Azure ML

- Azure Machine Learning
  - R Integration



Properties

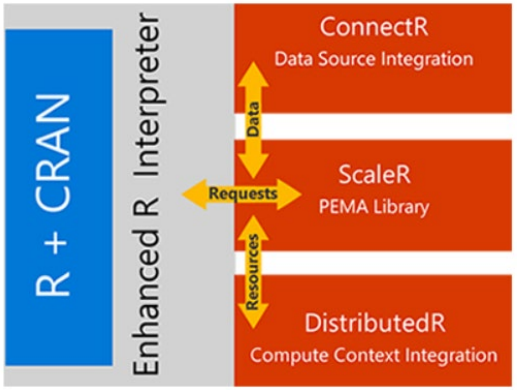
Execute R Script

R Script

```
1 # Map 1-based optional input ports to variables
2 dataset1 <- maml.mapInputPort(1) # class: data.frame
3
4 dataset1$Val <- dataset1$Val*0.09+.0038
5
6 # Select data.frame to be sent to the output Dataset port
7 maml.mapOutputPort("dataset1");
```

MS Machine Learning Services

- Enterprise Class R, Python and Java (2019)
- Built on Revolution Analytics acquistion
- SQL Server 2016 R Support via R Server
  - https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/server-cloud/products/r-server/



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SQL 2016+ and R

- Leverages the MS R Server
- https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/advanced-analytics/what-is-sql-server-machine-learning?view=sql-server-2017

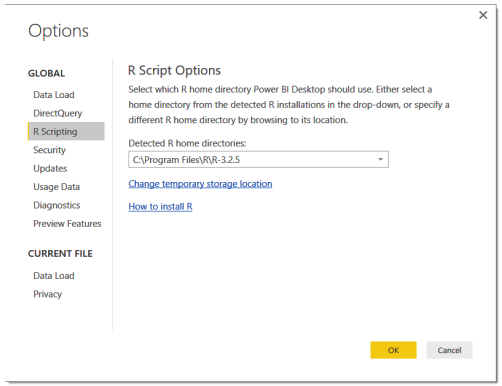
SQL 2016+ and R

- **SQL Server R Services Tutorials**
  - https://msdn.microsoft.com/en-US/library/mt591993.aspx
- DEMO - iris-sepal-example.sql
  - **sp_execute_external_script (Transact-SQL)**
  - https://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/mt604368.aspx

```
sp_execute_external_script
    @language = N'language' ,
    @script = N'script',
    @input_data_1 = ] 'input_data_1'
    [ , @input_data_1_name = ] N'input_data_1_name' ]
    [ , @output_data_1_name = 'output_data_1_name' ]
    [ WITH <execute_option> [ ,...n ] ]
[;]
```

Power BI

- **Running R Scripts in Power BI Desktop**
  - https://powerbi.microsoft.com/en-us/documentation/powerbi-desktop-r-scripts/
  - https://powerbi.microsoft.com/en-us/blog/announcing-preview-of-r-visuals-in-power-bi-desktop/
- **Demo – mtcars.pbix**



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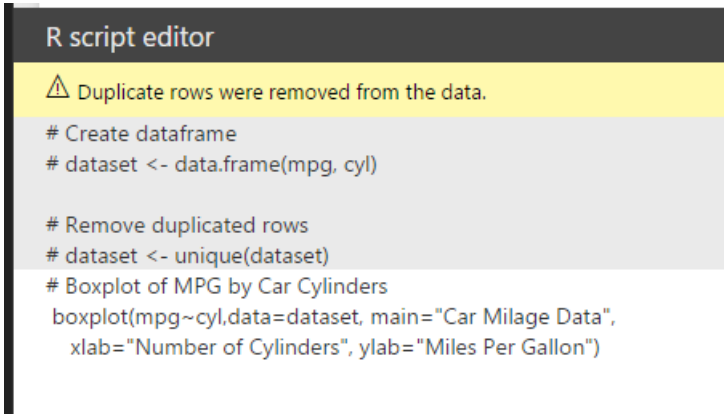

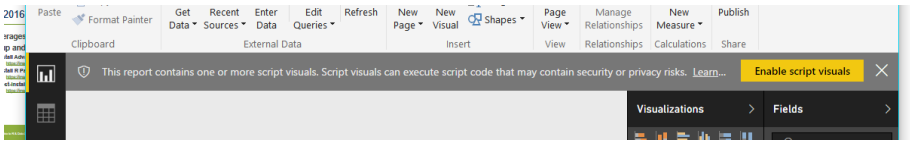

Resources

- UCLA idre
  - http://statistics.ats.ucla.edu/stat/r/
- R-Bloggers (sign up for daily email)
  - http://www.r-bloggers.com/
- Quick-R
  - http://www.statmethods.net/
  - R in Action (book to go with website)
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