

R_Subsetting

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Elements and sequence of elements

```
x=c("a","b","c","d","a")  
# Numerical index  
# First Element  
x[1]
```

```
## [1] "a"
```

```
# Sequence of elements  
x[1:4]
```

```
## [1] "a" "b" "c" "d"
```

```
# Logical index  
x[x>"a"]
```

```
## [1] "b" "c" "d"
```

```
# Create a logical vector  
u=x>"a"  
u
```

```
## [1] FALSE TRUE TRUE TRUE FALSE
```

```
# subset the vector x that get all the elements that are greater than a  
x[u]
```

```
## [1] "b" "c" "d"
```

Subsetting lists

- single [] returns elements that's the same class as the original
- double [[]] return a sequence of...
- dollar sign \$ can only be used with literal names
- pass a vector, extract multiple elements of a list

```
x=list(itnum=1:4,food=c("Chocolate","Honey","Lemon"))
x
```

```
## $itnum
## [1] 1 2 3 4
##
## $food
## [1] "Chocolate" "Honey"      "Lemon"
```

```
# The first element
# single [] returns elements that's the same class as the original
x[1] # get back a list
```

```
## $itnum
## [1] 1 2 3 4
```

```
# double [[]] return a sequence of 1 through 4
x[[1]]
```

```
## [1] 1 2 3 4
```

```
# returns elements that in food
# $ can only be used with literal names
x$food
```

```
## [1] "Chocolate" "Honey"      "Lemon"
```

```
x[["food"]]
```

```
## [1] "Chocolate" "Honey"      "Lemon"
```

```
# return a list
x["food"]
```

```
## $food
## [1] "Chocolate" "Honey"      "Lemon"
```

```
# extract multiple elements of a list
x=list(itnum=1:4,food=c("Chocolate","Honey","Lemon"),say="helo")
# extract the 1st and 3rd element
x[c(1,3)] # pass a vector
```

```
## $itnum
## [1] 1 2 3 4
##
## $say
## [1] "helo"
```

```
x=list(itnum=1:4,food=c("Chocolate","Honey","Lemon"))
name="food"
x[[name]] # computed index for "itnum"
```

```
## [1] "Chocolate" "Honey"      "Lemon"
```

```
x$name # element "name" does not exist!
```

```
## NULL
```

```
x$food # element "itnum" does exist
```

```
## [1] "Chocolate" "Honey"      "Lemon"
```

Subsetting Nested Elements of a list

-The `[[` can take an integer sequence

```
x=list(a=list(10,12,14),b=c(3.14,2.81))
# The third element of the first sublist
x[[c(1,3)]]
```

```
## [1] 14
```

```
# The first element of the second sublist
x[[c(2,1)]]
```

```
## [1] 3.14
```

#Subsetting Matrices

```
# (i, j)
x=matrix(1:6,2,3)
x
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,]    1    3    5
## [2,]    2    4    6
```

```
x[1,2]
```

```
## [1] 3
```

```
# indices can also be missing
x[1,]
```

```
## [1] 1 3 5
```

```
x[,2]
```

```
## [1] 3 4
```

by default, when a single ele of a matrix is retrived, it is returned as a vector of length 1 rather than a 1*1 matrix. This behavior can be turned off by setting drop = FALSE

```
x=matrix(1:6,2,3)
x[1,2]
```

```
## [1] 3
```

```
# get back a matrix
x[1,2,drop=FALSE]
```

```
##      [,1]
## [1,]    3
```

```
# similarly, subsetting a single column or a single row will give you a vector, not a matrix, but we can
# get first row
x[1,,drop=FALSE]
```

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

```
# get second row
x[2,,drop=FALSE]
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,]    2    4    6
```

```
# get first col
x[,1,drop=FALSE]
```

```
##      [,1]
## [1,]    1
## [2,]    2
```

Partial matching

-partial matching of names is allowed with [[and \$ can save a lot of typing at the command line

```
x=list(tenacious = 1:6)
# look for a name in this list that matches the letter t
x$t
```

```
## [1] 1 2 3 4 5 6
```

```
# The problem for [[]] is that the name must be exact match for one of the # names in the list  
x[["t"]]
```

```
## NULL
```

```
#  
x[["t",exact=FALSE]]
```

```
## [1] 1 2 3 4 5 6
```

Removing NA values

```
x=c(1,2,NA,4,NA,5)  
# create a logical vector that tells you where the NA's are and so that you can remove them by sub-sett  
bad=is.na(x)  
# bad is a logical vector  
bad
```

```
## [1] FALSE FALSE TRUE FALSE TRUE FALSE
```

```
# not TRUE  
x[!bad]
```

```
## [1] 1 2 4 5
```

```
# multiple things and wanna take the subset with no missing values  
y=c("a","b","NA","d","NA","F")  
# use the complete cases function on both vectors which will give me a vector that tells me which of th  
good=complete.cases(x,y)  
good
```

```
## [1] TRUE TRUE FALSE TRUE FALSE TRUE
```

```
x[good]
```

```
## [1] 1 2 4 5
```

```
y[good]
```

```
## [1] "a" "b" "d" "F"
```

Vectorized operations

```
x=1:4;y=2:5  
x+y
```

```
## [1] 3 5 7 9
```

```
x*y
```

```
## [1] 2 6 12 20
```

```
x/y
```

```
## [1] 0.5000000 0.6666667 0.7500000 0.8000000
```

```
x>2
```

```
## [1] FALSE FALSE TRUE TRUE
```

Vectorized matrix operations

```
x=matrix(1:4,2,2); y=matrix(rep(10,4),2,2)  
x
```

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

```
y
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]  
## [1,]   10   10  
## [2,]   10   10
```

```
# element-wise multiplication  
x*y
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]  
## [1,]   10   30  
## [2,]   20   40
```

```
x/y
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]  
## [1,]  0.1  0.3  
## [2,]  0.2  0.4
```

```
# true matrix multiplication
x%*%y
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]
## [1,]   40   40
## [2,]   60   60
```

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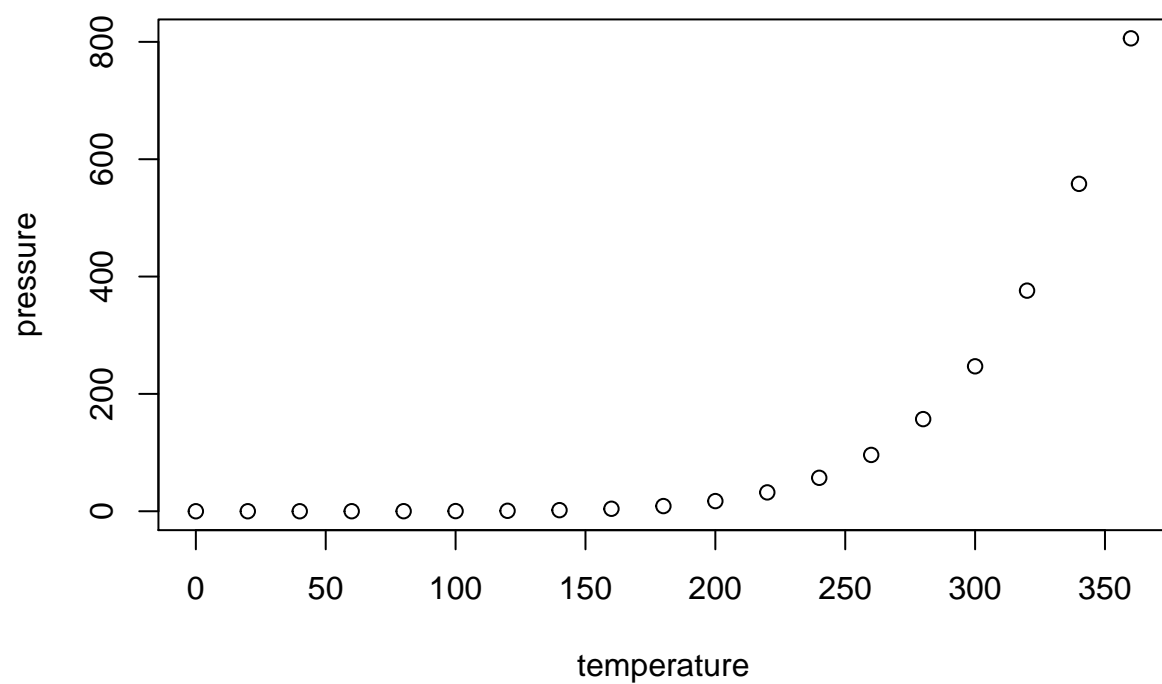
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```
summary(cars)
```

```
##      speed      dist
##  Min.   : 4.0    Min.   :  2.00
##  1st Qu.:12.0    1st Qu.: 26.00
##  Median :15.0    Median : 36.00
##  Mean   :15.4    Mean    : 42.98
##  3rd Qu.:19.0    3rd Qu.: 56.00
##  Max.   :25.0    Max.    :120.00
```

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You can also embed plots, for example:



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