

# R for Geoscience

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# About

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# Part I



# Chapter 1

## Base R you have to know

### 1.1

### 1.2 R?

1992      Ross Ihaka Robert Gentleman



Figure 1.1: *Ross Ihaka and Robert Gentleman, the creators of R.*

R                      R                      R                      R                      The  
R Base Package

### 1.3 Vector( )

Vector R

```
1 5 5

x <- c(1,2,3,4,5)
x
#> [1] 1 2 3 4 5
```

c() 1 2 3 4 5 <- x 1 2 3 4 5 x R  
R c() google :, R

```
x <- c(1:5)
x
#> [1] 1 2 3 4 5
```

```
vector                                typeof()

typeof(x)
#> [1] "integer"
```

```
length,length()

length(x)
#> [1] 5
```

```
R seq()

seq(1, 9, 0.5)
#> [1] 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5 3.0 3.5 4.0 4.5 5.0 5.5 6.0 6.5 7.0 7.5
#> [15] 8.0 8.5 9.0
```

1 9 0.5 3 ?? Console  
??seq  
Help :: :: package::function cli ar  
generation  
Description Usage,seq(...) seq (), A  
vector

```
# Vector of logical values
log_values <- c(TRUE, FALSE, TRUE, FALSE)

log_values
#> [1] TRUE FALSE TRUE FALSE
```

# R

```
fruits <- c("beijing", "shanghai", "guangzhou", "shenzhen", "xianggang", "50")
fruits
#> [1] "beijing" "shanghai" "guangzhou" "shenzhen"
#> [5] "xianggang" "50"
```

`[]` brackets, fruits "beijing" "shenzhen"

```
fruits[c(1,4)]
#> [1] "beijing" "shenzhen"
```

```
fruits[1:4]
#> [1] "beijing" "shanghai" "guangzhou" "shenzhen"
```

"beijing"

```
fruits[-1]
#> [1] "shanghai" "guangzhou" "shenzhen" "xianggang"
#> [5] "50"
```

`sort,`

```
fruits <- c("beijing", "shanghai", "guangzhou", "shenzhen", "xianggang")
numbers <- c(13, 3, 5, 7, 20, 2)

sort(fruits) # Sort a string
#> [1] "beijing" "guangzhou" "shanghai" "shenzhen"
#> [5] "xianggang"
sort(numbers) # Sort numbers
#> [1] 2 3 5 7 13 20
```

## 1.4 Lists( )

R `list()`

```

thislist <- list(
  a = c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry"),
  b = c(1,2,5,6,7,9),
  c = c(TRUE, FALSE, TRUE)
)
# Print the list
thislist
#> $a
#> [1] "shanghai" "beijing"  "cherry"
#>
#> $b
#> [1] 1 2 5 6 7 9
#>
#> $c
#> [1] TRUE FALSE TRUE

```

```

typeof(thislist)
#> [1] "list"

```

```

length(thislist)
#> [1] 3

```

## 1.5 Matrices( )

(column) (row)                      matrix()

```

# Create a matrix
thismatrix <- matrix(c(1,2,3,4,5,6), nrow = 3, ncol = 2)

# Print the matrix
thismatrix
#>      [,1] [,2]
#> [1,]    1    4
#> [2,]    2    5
#> [3,]    3    6

```

NOTE:    c()

```
thismatrix <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "guangzhou"), nrow = 2, ncol = 2)

thismatrix
#>      [,1]      [,2]
#> [1,] "shanghai" "cherry"
#> [2,] "beijing"  "guangzhou"
```

Access Matrix Items You can access the items by using [ ] brackets. The first number “1” in the bracket specifies the row-position, while the second number “2” specifies the column-position:

```
thismatrix <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "guangzhou"), nrow = 2, ncol = 2)

thismatrix[1, 2]
#> [1] "cherry"
```

The whole row can be accessed if you specify a comma after the number in the bracket:

```
thismatrix <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "guangzhou"), nrow = 2, ncol = 2)

thismatrix[2,]
#> [1] "beijing"  "guangzhou"
```

The whole column can be accessed if you specify a comma before the number in the bracket:

```
thismatrix <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "guangzhou"), nrow = 2, ncol = 2)

thismatrix[,2]
#> [1] "cherry"  "guangzhou"
```

Access More Than One Row More than one row can be accessed if you use the c() function:

```
thismatrix <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "guangzhou", "grape", "pineshanghai", "pear"), nrow = 2, ncol = 3)

thismatrix[c(1,2),]
#>      [,1]      [,2]      [,3]
#> [1,] "shanghai" "guangzhou" "pear"
#> [2,] "beijing"  "grape"      "melon"
```

Access More Than One Column More than one column can be accessed if you use the `c()` function:

```
thismatrix <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "guangzhou", "grape", "pineshanghai"),
nrow = 3, ncol = 6)

thismatrix[, c(1,2)]
#>      [,1]      [,2]
#> [1,] "shanghai" "guangzhou"
#> [2,] "beijing"  "grape"
#> [3,] "cherry"   "pineshanghai"
```

Add Rows and Columns Use the `cbind()` function to add additional columns in a Matrix:

```
thismatrix <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "guangzhou", "grape", "pineshanghai"),
nrow = 3, ncol = 6)

newmatrix <- cbind(thismatrix, c("strawberry", "blueberry", "raspberry"))

# Print the new matrix
newmatrix
#>      [,1]      [,2]      [,3]      [,4]
#> [1,] "shanghai" "guangzhou" "pear" "strawberry"
#> [2,] "beijing"  "grape" "melon" "blueberry"
#> [3,] "cherry"   "pineshanghai" "fig" "raspberry"
```

Use the `rbind()` function to add additional rows in a Matrix:

```
thismatrix <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "guangzhou", "grape", "pineshanghai"),
nrow = 3, ncol = 6)

newmatrix <- rbind(thismatrix, c("strawberry", "blueberry", "raspberry"))

# Print the new matrix
newmatrix
#>      [,1]      [,2]      [,3]
#> [1,] "shanghai" "guangzhou" "pear"
#> [2,] "beijing"  "grape" "melon"
#> [3,] "cherry"   "pineshanghai" "fig"
#> [4,] "strawberry" "blueberry" "raspberry"
```

Remove Rows and Columns Use the `c()` function to remove rows and columns in a Matrix:

```
thismatrix <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "guangzhou", "shenzhen", "pineshanghai"),
nrow = 3, ncol = 6)
```



```
#Remove the first row and the first column
thismatrix <- thismatrix[-c(1), -c(1)]

thismatrix
#> [1] "shenzhen"      "pineshanghai"
```

Check if an Item Exists To find out if a specified item is present in a matrix, use the %in% operator:

```
thismatrix <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "guangzhou"), nrow = 2, ncol = 2)

"shanghai" %in% thismatrix
#> [1] TRUE
```

Number of Rows and Columns Use the dim() function to find the number of rows and columns in a Matrix:

```
thismatrix <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "guangzhou"), nrow = 2, ncol = 2)

dim(thismatrix)
#> [1] 2 2
```

Matrix Length Use the length() function to find the dimension of a Matrix:

```
thismatrix <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "guangzhou"), nrow = 2, ncol = 2)

length(thismatrix)
#> [1] 4
```

Combine two Matrices Again, you can use the rbind() or cbind() function to combine two or more matrices together:

```
# Combine matrices
Matrix1 <- matrix(c("shanghai", "beijing", "cherry", "grape"), nrow = 2, ncol = 2)
Matrix2 <- matrix(c("guangzhou", "shenzhen", "pineshanghai", "watermelon"), nrow = 2, ncol = 2)

# Adding it as a rows
Matrix_Combined <- rbind(Matrix1, Matrix2)
Matrix_Combined
#>      [,1]      [,2]
#> [1,] "shanghai" "cherry"
#> [2,] "beijing"  "grape"
#> [3,] "guangzhou" "pineshanghai"
```

```
#> [4,] "shenzhen" "watermelon"

# Adding it as a columns
Matrix_Combined <- cbind(Matrix1, Matrix2)
Matrix_Combined
#>      [,1]      [,2]      [,3]      [,4]
#> [1,] "shanghai" "cherry" "guangzhou" "pineshanghai"
#> [2,] "beijing"  "grape"  "shenzhen" "watermelon"
```

## 1.6 Data Frame( )

`data.frame()`

```
# Create a data frame
Data_Frame <- data.frame (
  Training = c("Strength", "Stamina", "Other"),
  Pulse = c(100, 150, 120),
  Duration = c(60, 30, 45)
)

# Print the data frame
Data_Frame
#>   Training Pulse Duration
#> 1 Strength   100      60
#> 2  Stamina   150      30
#> 3   Other    120      45
```

Use the `summary()` function to summarize the data from a Data Frame:

```
summary(Data_Frame)
#>   Training      Pulse      Duration
#> Length:3      Min.    :100.0   Min.    :30.0
#> Class :character 1st Qu.:110.0   1st Qu.:37.5
#> Mode  :character Median :120.0   Median :45.0
#>                Mean  :123.3   Mean  :45.0
#>                3rd Qu.:135.0   3rd Qu.:52.5
#>                Max.   :150.0   Max.   :60.0
```

`[]`   `[[ ]]`   `$`

```
Data_Frame[1]
#> Training
#> 1 Strength
#> 2 Stamina
#> 3 Other

Data_Frame[["Training"]]
#> [1] "Strength" "Stamina" "Other"

Data_Frame$Training
#> [1] "Strength" "Stamina" "Other"
```

```
rbind()
```

```
# Add a new row
New_row_DF <- rbind(Data_Frame, c("Strength", 110, 110))

# Print the new row
New_row_DF
#> Training Pulse Duration
#> 1 Strength 100 60
#> 2 Stamina 150 30
#> 3 Other 120 45
#> 4 Strength 110 110
```

```
cbind()
```

```
# Add a new column
New_col_DF <- cbind(New_row_DF, Steps = c(1000, 6000, 2000, 5000))

# Print the new column
New_col_DF
#> Training Pulse Duration Steps
#> 1 Strength 100 60 1000
#> 2 Stamina 150 30 6000
#> 3 Other 120 45 2000
#> 4 Strength 110 110 5000
```

```
rbind() R
```

```
Data_Frame1 <- data.frame (
  Training = c("Strength", "Stamina", "Other"),
  Pulse = c(100, 150, 120),
  Duration = c(60, 30, 45)
```

```

)

Data_Frame2 <- data.frame (
  Training = c("Stamina", "Stamina", "Strength"),
  Pulse = c(140, 150, 160),
  Duration = c(30, 30, 20)
)

New_Data_Frame <- rbind(Data_Frame1, Data_Frame2)
New_Data_Frame
#>   Training Pulse Duration
#> 1 Strength   100      60
#> 2 Stamina   150      30
#> 3   Other   120      45
#> 4 Stamina   140      30
#> 5 Stamina   150      30
#> 6 Strength   160      20

```

`cbind()`      R

```

Data_Frame3 <- data.frame (
  Training = c("Strength", "Stamina", "Other"),
  Pulse = c(100, 150, 120),
  Duration = c(60, 30, 45)
)

Data_Frame4 <- data.frame (
  Steps = c(3000, 6000, 2000),
  Calories = c(300, 400, 300)
)

New_Data_Frame1 <- cbind(Data_Frame3, Data_Frame4)
New_Data_Frame1
#>   Training Pulse Duration Steps Calories
#> 1 Strength   100      60  3000      300
#> 2 Stamina   150      30  6000      400
#> 3   Other   120      45  2000      300

```