# Session 1 - R Basics

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# Objectives

- Project Management
  - Git and version control
  - Command Line
- RStudio and R markdown
- $\bullet$  lubridate
- Loops/Functions
- ggplot2
- dplyr

#### Git and version control

- Install Git
  - Mac: use terminal, git --version. If Git is not found, you will be asked to install it.
  - Windows: search Git for Windows. Download the most recent build.
    - \* Select the nano as default editor. If familiar with vi or vim, you can use these.
    - $\ast$  Select Git and optional Unix tools from the Windows Command Prompt so you can use Git from within RStudio
    - \* Once Git/Git Bash is installed, in Tools -> Global Options -> Terminal -> select Git Bash.
- Connect RStudio with GitHub

```
# Bash, run in Terminal
# Not run, modify accordingly
git config --global user.name "Your Name"
git config --global user.mail "your@email.com"
```

- Tools -> Global Options -> Git/SVN, enter a path for the Git executable. (Default on the Windows: C:/Program File/Git/bin/git.exe)
- Create SSH RSA Key by clicking the Create RSA Key button. This enable you to avoid entering password each time trying to access GitHub repository.
- Github setup
  - Create a repository on GitHub or GitHub Enterprise
- Initialize a Git directory
  - Initialize a Git directory and connect it to the upsteam repository
  - Set up a R project

```
# Bash, run in Terminal
# Not run, modify accordingly
pwd
mkdir directory
git init https://github.com/yafengwen/project.git
cd project
```

• Overview of Git

#### Main actions:

- 1. **clone** an existing GitHub Upstream Repository, including the entire Git structure: Working Directory, Staging Area, and Local Repository.
- 2. pull changes from the GitHub repo
- 3. **stage** (add) files
- 4. **commit** changes to the local repo
- 5. **push** changes to the GitHub repo
- 6. branch and merge to facilitate collaboration. See more details here

Some usefual functions:

```
# Bash, run in Terminal

# Compare files in the Working Directory with GitHub repo
git status

# Add a file to the Staging Area
```



Staging Area Local Repository Upstream Repository

Figure 1: Git Overview

```
git add new-file.txt
git status

# Commit the changes to the local repo
git commit -m "add a message"
git status

# keep track of all the changes
git log new-file.txt

# Push the changes to the upstream repo
git push

# Pull changes from the upstream repo to working directry
git pull
```

- Use Git and GitHub in RStudio
- Other software to facilitate the version control
  - GitHub Desktop
  - GitKraken

### Command Line

- pwd: show full path of the working directory
- ls: list directory content
  - Arugment: -a (all), -l (long), -t (chronological order), -r (reverse order), -lart (combine all the agruments)
- mkdir, rmdir: make and remove a directory
- cd: change directory
  - cd ~, cd ..., cd .../..
- mv: move files or rename files
- cp: copy files
- rm: remove files
  - Argument: -r (recursive), -f (force), -rf (force to remove files recrusively)
- less, more: view files

### Practice

- 1. Create the following folders using terminal: data, rds, figs
- 2. Create relevant .R and .Rmd files: download-data.R, wrangle-data.R, analysis.R, report.Rmd

## RStudio and R markdown

We won't be covering this material this year, but you can see more content from last year, UMN Pharmacometrics Workshop 2020 Basics in R - I or refer to Reference 4-6.

## Get things ready for the exercise!

```
# load the packages will be used in this session
library(tidyverse)
library(lubridate)
```

#### **Practice**

- 1. Read in data from data folder (dataSession1.csv)
- 2. Check the type of each column. Does the data type make sense? If not, convert to the correct type of object.

```
# load the data set will be used in the session
# if you know the column type ahead of time,
# you can convert column to the right type
data <- read_csv("../data/dataSession1.csv",</pre>
                 col_types = cols(DATE = col_date(format = "%m/%d/%Y"),
                                   TIME = col_time(format = "%H:%M"),
                                   STUDY = col_factor(levels = c("1", "2", "3")),
                                   SEXF = col_factor(levels = c("0", "1"))))
# check the data type to see if this is what you expected
str(data)
# if you don't know, if can convert to the correct type later
dataRaw <- read csv("../data/dataSession1.csv")</pre>
# convert data to the right type
dataRightType <- dataRaw %>%
  mutate(STUDY = factor(STUDY),
         SEXF = factor(SEXF))
str(dataRightType)
```

# dplyr

- filter(): select rows
- select(): select columns
- arrange(): reorder rows
- mutate(): create new variables based on existing variables
- summarise(): summary values within a columns
  - group\_by(): use with the main 5 functions

#### **Syntax**

- 1. The first argument: a data frame
- 2. The subsequent arugments: what to do with the data frame, using the variable names without quotes

3. The result: a new data frame

#### lubridate

- Parse date-times: ymd(), ymd\_hms(), dmy(), dmy\_hms(), mdy()
- Get and set date-times: year(), month(), mday(), hour(), minute(), second()
- today()
- now()

#### **Practice**

1. Convert DATE in dataRaw to date object

```
dataRaw %>%
  mutate(DATE = mdy(DATE))
```

2. Calculate the actual time since first dose (ATSFD)

#### Hint:

- Combine date and time into a new column using ymd\_hms() and paste()
- Create a new column for the first datetime per subject
- Calculate the datetime difference using difftime(), then turn into duration using duration(), then calculate the hours from duration using dhours()

```
# combine date and time into a new column
data <- data %>%
   mutate(DATETIME = ymd_hms(paste(data$DATE, data$TIME))) %>%
   relocate(DATETIME, .after = TIME)

# calculate the time difference
data <- data %>%
   group_by(ID) %>%
   mutate(firstDateTime = min(DATETIME)) %>%
   mutate(ATSFD = as.duration(difftime(DATETIME,firstDateTime))/dhours(1)) %>%
   select(-firstDateTime) %>%
   ungroup() %>%
   relocate(ATSFD, .after = DATETIME)
```

# Loops/Functions

# Practice

- 1. Create a function to calculate creatinine clearance using the Cockcroft-Gault Equation
- 2. Calculate creatinine clearance for all the subject in the dataset and save as a new column called CRCL

## ggplot2

The ggplot2 official website contains a great deal of information and resources worth exploring! (Many content presented here is based on previous material prepared by Ashwin!)

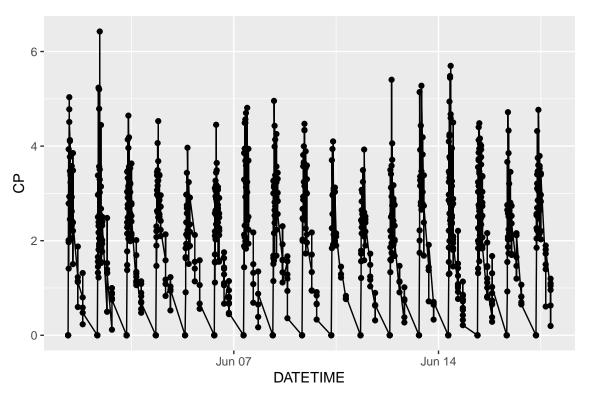
## The Grammar of graphics

- 1. Data: very important!
- 2. Mapping: aesthetic and facet mapping, allow dataset to be understood by the graphic system
- 3. Statistics: transform input variables to displayed values
- 4. Scales: consider type of variable (categorical->color, numeric->position)
- 5. Geometries: plot type, use cheatsheet as the guide
- 6. Facets: small multiples
- 7. Coordinates
- 8. Theme

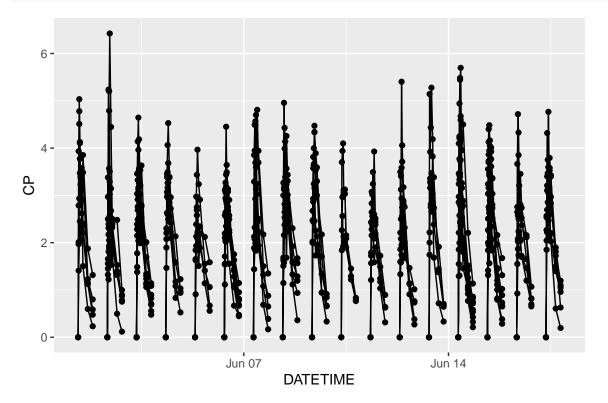
#### **Practice**

- 1. Plot the individual concentration-time curve
  - Every subject on the same graph
  - Each subject on a different graph
  - Plot subjects whose weight is above and below the mean weight with 2 different graphs
  - add a trend line using geom\_smooth() with the default (loess method) and with standard deviation (cab also use geom\_errorbar())
  - Plot mean concentration by gender
- Every subject on the same graph

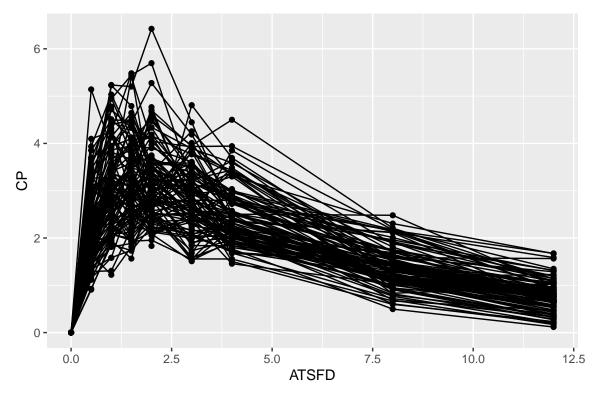
```
# doesn't look right...
ggplot(data, aes(DATETIME, CP))+
  geom_point()+
  geom_line()
```



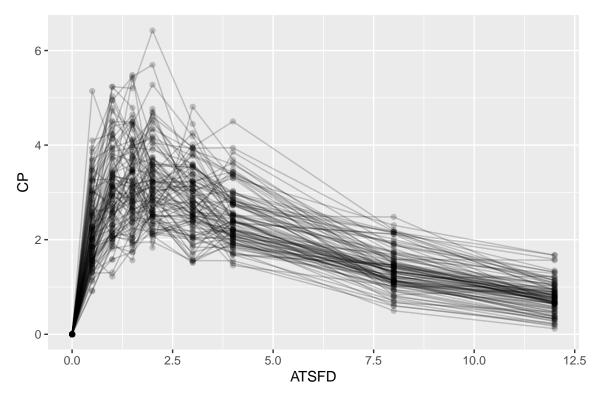
```
# better, but subjects start at different time
ggplot(data, aes(DATETIME, CP, group = ID))+
  geom_point()+
  geom_line()
```



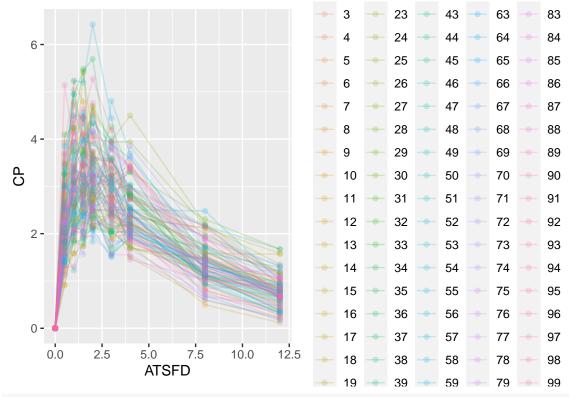
```
# looks something acceptable
ggplot(data, aes(ATSFD, CP, group = ID)) +
  geom_line() +
  geom_point()
```



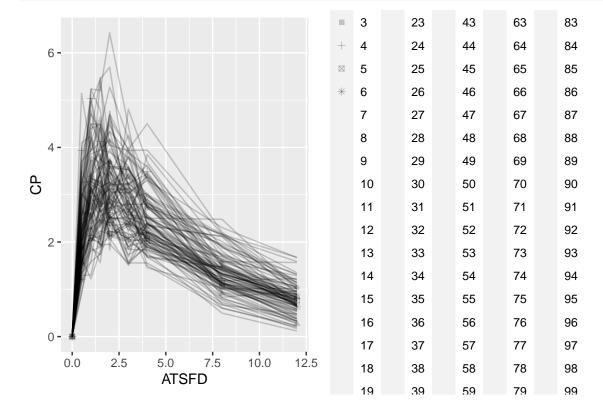
```
# make it prettier
ggplot(data, aes(ATSFD, CP, group = ID)) +
geom_line(alpha=0.2) + # alpha for transparency
geom_point(alpha=0.2)
```



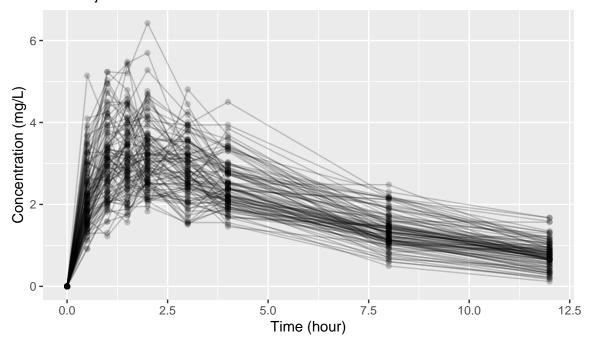
```
# maybe try some color or shape?
# probably not a good idea
ggplot(data, aes(ATSFD, CP, color = factor(ID))) +
  geom_line(alpha=0.2) +
  geom_point(alpha=0.2)
```



ggplot(data, aes(ATSFD, CP, shape = factor(ID))) +
 geom\_line(alpha=0.2) +
 geom\_point(alpha=0.2)

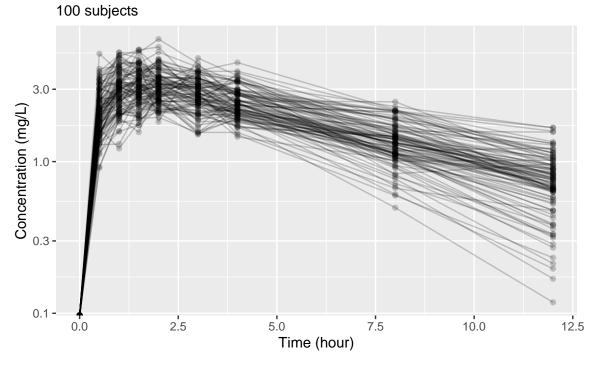


# Concentration time curve 100 subjects



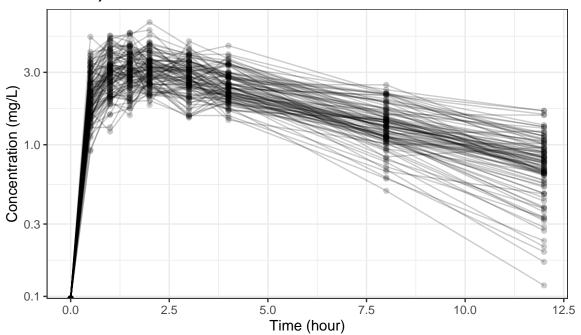
```
# we can save this as a base plot then do further manipulation
concTime <- ggplot(data, aes(ATSFD, CP, group = ID)) +
  geom_line(alpha=0.2) +
  geom_point(alpha=0.2) +
  labs(title = "Concentration time curve", # format axis labels with `labs()`
        subtitle = "100 subjects",
        x = "Time (hour)",
        y = "Concentration (mg/L)")

# log scale
concTime + scale_y_log10()</pre>
```



# many journal requires white background
concTime + scale\_y\_log10() + theme\_bw()

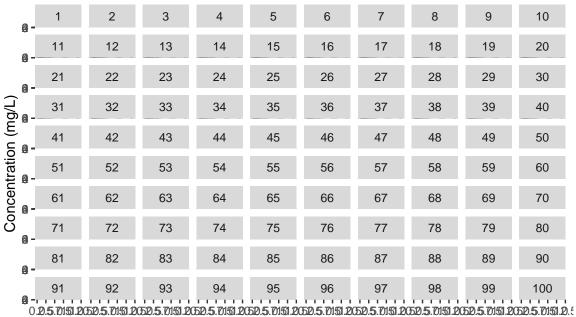
# Concentration time curve 100 subjects



• Each subject on a different graph

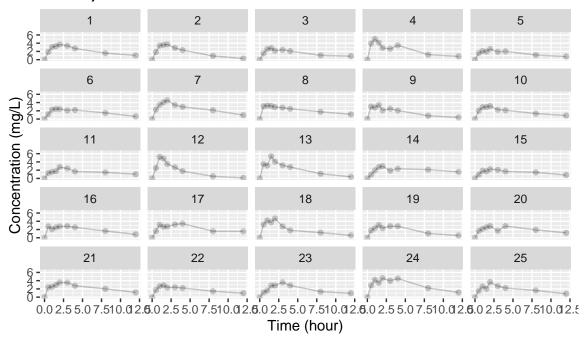
```
# plot each individuals
concTime + facet_wrap(~ID) # Cannot see anything
```

# Concentration time curve 100 subjects



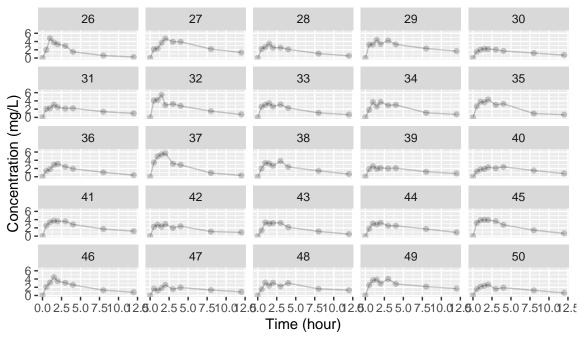
0.2.5.7151.2652.5.

100 subjects

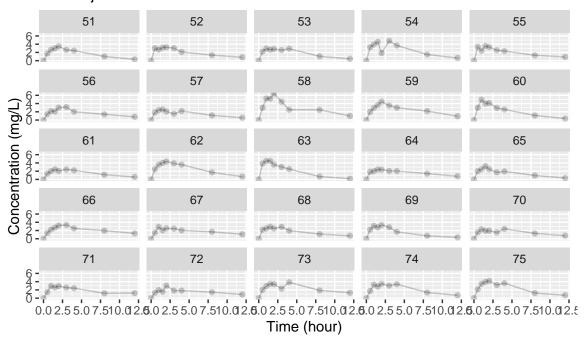


# Concentration time curve

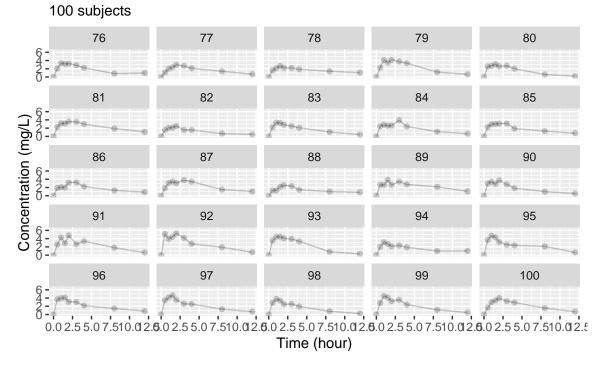
100 subjects



100 subjects

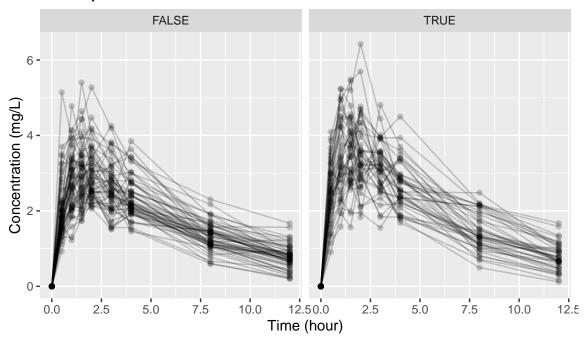


# Concentration time curve



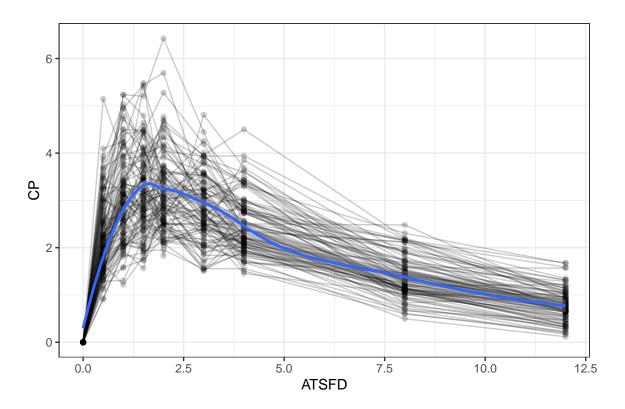
• Plot subjects whose weight is above and below the mean weight with 2 different graphs concTime + facet\_grid(~WT < mean(WT))

100 subjects

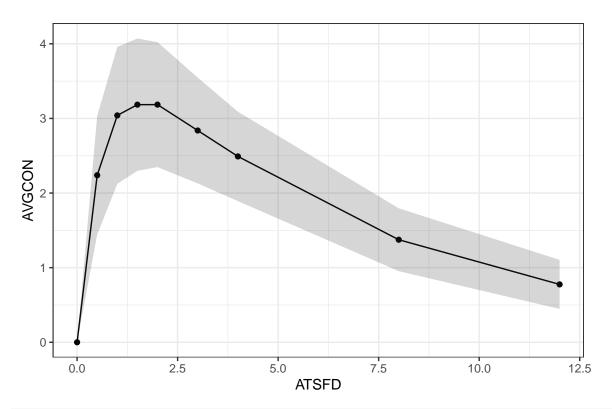


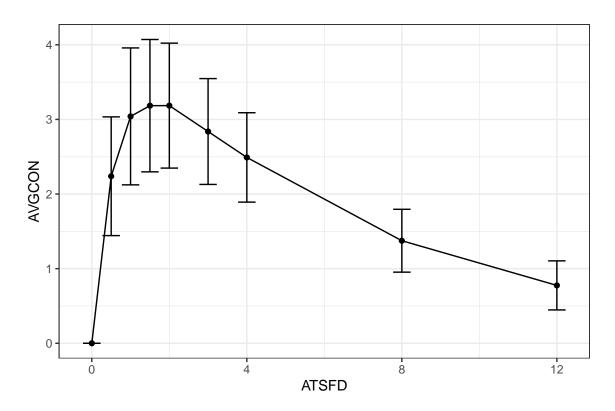
- Add a trend line using  ${\tt geom\_smooth()}$  with the default (loess method)

```
ggplot(data, aes(ATSFD, CP)) +
  geom_line(aes(group = ID),alpha = 0.2) +
  # group cannot be set within ggplot() since geom_smooth does not
  # need the grouping aesthetic
  geom_point(alpha = 0.2)+
  geom_smooth(se = TRUE, method = "loess")+ # other methods check ?geom_smooth
  theme_bw()
```



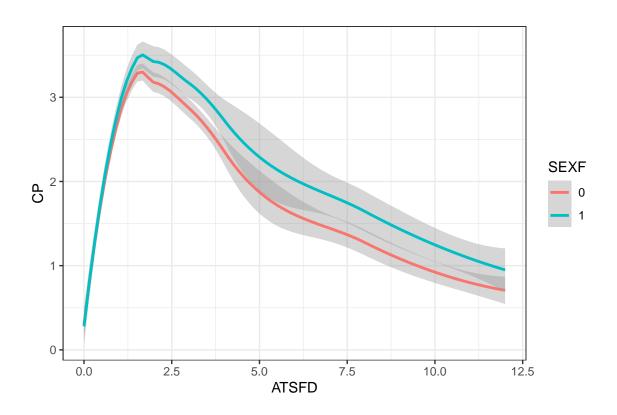
• Add a trend line using geom\_ribbon and geom\_errorbar()





 $\bullet\,$  Plot mean concentration by gender

```
# multiple trend lines
ggplot(data, aes(ATSFD, CP))+
  geom_smooth(aes(color=SEXF), se=TRUE)+
  theme_bw()
```



#### Resources

- 1. R for Data Science by Hadley Wickham and Garrett Grolemund, online at https://r4ds.had.co.nz/
- 2. Introduction to Data Science by Rafael A. Irizarry, online at https://rafalab.github.io/dsbook/
- 3. R cheetsheets https://rstudio.com/resources/cheatsheets/
  - Data Transformation Cheatsheet
  - Dates and Times Cheatsheet
  - R Markdown Cheatsheet
  - Data Visualization Cheatsheet
- 4. R Markdown: The Definitive Guide by Yihui Xie, J. J. Allaire, Garrett Grolemund, online at https://bookdown.org/yihui/rmarkdown/
- 5. RMarkdown for Scientists by Nicholas Tierney, online at https://rmd4sci.njtierney.com/
- 6. bookdown: Authoring Books and Technical Documents with R Markdown by Yihui Xie, online at https://bookdown.org/yihui/bookdown/
- 7. R Packages by Hadley Wickham and Jenny Bryan, online at https://r-pkgs.org/

### Session Info

```
sessionInfo()
## R version 4.1.0 (2021-05-18)
## Platform: x86 64-w64-mingw32/x64 (64-bit)
## Running under: Windows 10 x64 (build 19042)
##
## Matrix products: default
##
## locale:
## [1] LC_COLLATE=English_United States.1252
## [2] LC_CTYPE=English_United States.1252
  [3] LC_MONETARY=English_United States.1252
  [4] LC_NUMERIC=C
## [5] LC_TIME=English_United States.1252
##
## attached base packages:
## [1] stats
                 graphics grDevices utils
                                                datasets methods
                                                                     base
##
## other attached packages:
##
    [1] lubridate 1.7.10 forcats 0.5.1
                                           stringr_1.4.0
                                                             dplyr_1.0.6
    [5] purrr_0.3.4
                         readr_1.4.0
                                                             tibble_3.1.2
##
                                           tidyr_1.1.3
                         tidyverse 1.3.1
##
    [9] ggplot2_3.3.3
##
## loaded via a namespace (and not attached):
   [1] Rcpp_1.0.6
                           lattice_0.20-44
##
                                             assertthat_0.2.1
                                                                digest_0.6.27
   [5] utf8_1.2.1
                           ggforce_0.3.3
                                             R6_2.5.0
                                                                cellranger_1.1.0
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                                             xfun_0.23
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                                             dbplyr 2.1.1
                                                                withr 2.4.2
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                                                                jsonlite_1.7.2
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                                                                magrittr_2.0.1
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## [45] scales_1.1.1	cli_2.5.0	stringi_1.6.1	farver_2.1.0
## [49] fs_1.5.0	xm12_1.3.2	ellipsis_0.3.2	generics_0.1.0
## [53] vctrs_0.3.8	tools_4.1.0	glue_1.4.2	tweenr_1.0.2
## [57] hms_1.1.0	yaml_2.2.1	colorspace_2.0-1	rvest_1.0.0
## [61] knitr_1.33	haven_2.4.1		