# Assignment11

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## General instructions

This assignment will propose you a set of exercises to get used to write if\_else/ifelse statements and use loops and apply functions.

Please submit your output as an rmarkdown PDF showing both your code and the results.

Submit both the code and the PDF to Blackboard.

#### Exercises

- 1. Write a loop that iterates over the numbers 1 to 10 and adds 5 to each of them before storing the results in a new vector called output.
- 2. Create the matrix **mat\_x** below and perform the following operations:
- a. Make a for-loop that calculates the sum for each column of the matrix
- b. Use the apply function to perform the same operation

```
mat_x <- matrix(1:120, nrow = 20, ncol = 6)</pre>
```

3. Create a data frame with two numeric and one character vector (if you get stuck on this step, you can use the code below).

Write a loop that loops over the columns and reports the mean of the column if it is numeric and the number of observations if it's a character vector.

```
vector1 <- 1:10
vector2 <- c(letters[1:10])
vector3 <- rnorm(10, sd = 10)

df <- data.frame(vector1, vector2, vector3, stringsAsFactors = FALSE)</pre>
```

4. Using a loop, generate 10 random normals from distributions with means of -10, 0, 10, and 100. If you remember from the first assignment, the function is **rnorm(n, mean)** whereas n is the number of observation and mean is the mean. Store them in a new matrix called **mat\_distributions**.

5. Use a simple 'ifelse' statement to add a new column 'male.teen' to the data frame. This is a dummy variable, indicating 1 if the observation is a male younger than 20 years and 0 otherwise.

- 6. Using the same **respondent.df** dataset, create a new column where values greater than 30 in the column **year** are coded as NA. Other values should stay the same Use both **ifelse** and **if\_else**.
- 7. Use tapply to calculate the average, minimum, and maximum number of years for female and male respondents.
- 8. Copy and paste the following code to create a small dataset for this exercise.

Create a loop that will number the publications for each authors. "Tidy" the data so that each row represents one author only.

The output will look like this in the long format:

author	pub	type	PubNum
Author1 Author1 Author2 Author3	Pub1 Pub2 Pub3 Pub4 Pub5	preprint article preprint article article	1 2 1 1 2
Author3 Author4 Author5	Pub6 Pub7 Pub8	preprint preprint article	3 1 1

And in the wide format:

author	pub1	type1	pub2	type2	pub3	type3
		preprint	Pub2	article		
Author2	Pub3	$\operatorname{preprint}$				
Author3	Pub4	article	Pub5	article	Pub6	preprint
Author4	Pub7	preprint				
Author5	Pub8	article				