Reading Data

If the file that you are going to read is saved in your working directory, you do not need to specify the whole path to the file.

Reading from .txt file

Getting help

> ?read.table

read.table reads a file and create a data frame from it. By default it doesn't have a header.

Reading from .csv file

Getting help

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> ?read.csv
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csv stands for comma-separated values. read.csv reads a file and create a data frame from it. By default it has a header and the values are separated sep by ,.

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> pokemon = read.csv("Data/pokemon.csv")
> head(pokemon)
   Number          Name Type_1 Type_2 Total HP Attack Defense
Sp_Atk Sp_Def Speed
1          1 Bulbasaur Grass Poison 318 45 49 49
65 65 45
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2	2	Ivysaur	Grass	Poison	n 4	105	60		62	63
80		60								
3	3	Venusaur	Grass	Poiso	n 5	525	80		82	83
100		80								
4		armander	Fire		3	309	39		52	43
60		65								
5		armeleon	Fire		4	105	58		64	58
80										
6	6 C	harizard	Fire	Flyin	g 5	534	78		84	78
109	85	100								
Gene	ratio	n isLegen	dary Co	olor ha	asGen	nder	Pr	_Mal	.e	
		Egg_Grou								
		1 F	alse G	reen	Γ	rue		0.87	5	
Monste	r	Grass								
2		1 F	alse G	reen	I	rue		0.87	5	
Monste	r	Grass								
3		1 F	alse G	reen	Γ	rue	<u>:</u>	0.87	5	
Monste	r	Grass								
4		1 F	alse	Red	Γ	rue		0.87	5	
Monste	r	Dragon								
5		1 F	alse	Red	I	rue	:	0.87	5	
Monste	r	Dragon								
6		1 F	alse	Red	I	rue	:	0.87	5	
Monste	r	Dragon								
hasM	egaEv	olution H	eight_r	n Weigl	ht_kg	g Ca	tch	_Rat	.e	
Body_S	tyle									
1		False	0.7	1	6.9)		4	5	
quadru	ped									
2		False	0.99	9	13.0)		4	5	
quadru	ped									
3		True	2.0	1 :	100.0)		4	5	
quadru	ped									
4		False	0.63	1	8.5	5		4	5	
bipeda	l_tai	led								
5		False	1.09	9	19.0)		4	5	
bipeda	l_tai	led								
6		True	1.70)	90.5	5		4	5	
bipeda	l_tai	led								
<pre>> titanic = read.csv("Data/titanic.csv")</pre>										
> head	(tita	nic)								
Pass	enger	Id Surviv	ed Pcla	ass						
1		1	0	3						

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2
                            1
            2
                     1
3
                            3
            3
                     1
4
                            1
                     1
            4
5
                            3
            5
                     0
6
                            3
            6
                     0
                                                 Name
Sex Age SibSp Parch
                              Braund, Mr. Owen Harris
1
male 22 1 0
2 Cumings, Mrs. John Bradley (Florence Briggs Thayer)
female 38 1
3
                               Heikkinen, Miss. Laina
                     0
female
       26
           0
       Futrelle, Mrs. Jacques Heath (Lily May Peel)
            1
                     0
female 35
                             Allen, Mr. William Henry
5
male 35
        0
                   0
6
                                    Moran, Mr. James
male NA
            0
                   0
            Ticket Fare Cabin Embarked
1
        A/5 21171 7.2500
                                        S
                                        C
         PC 17599 71.2833
2
                           C85
                                        S
3 STON/O2. 3101282 7.9250
                                        S
4
           113803 53.1000
                           C123
5
                                        S
            373450 8.0500
            330877 8.4583
                                        Q
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