

# Create an accessible pdf from markdown

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## Introduction

Convert markdown/Rmarkdown files to pdf via word to ensure accessibility checks pass.

- Write document in markdown
- Save as R markdown and add yaml header
  - output to docx via a reference doc (template)
- Open word doc and convert to pdf

## Reference word document (template)

To have control over formatting you will need to create a template word docx file. This file should specify things like:

- Title
- Heading 1
- Heading 2
- ...
- Footers
- Headers
- Image styling

etc.

## Testing figure sizes

All images were created with a resolution of 96 dpi Each figure has different number of horizontal and vertical pixels.

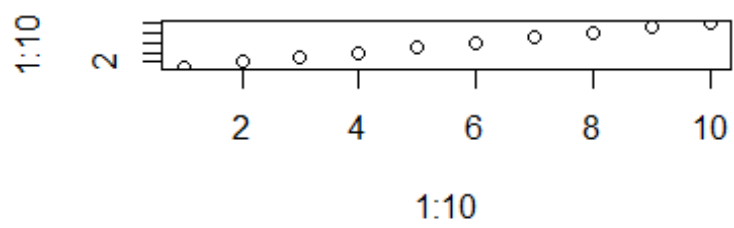


Figure: Dimensions 400 x 200

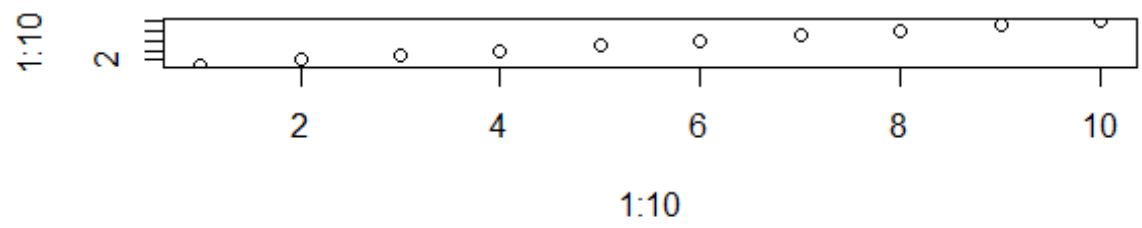


Figure: Dimensions 600 x 200

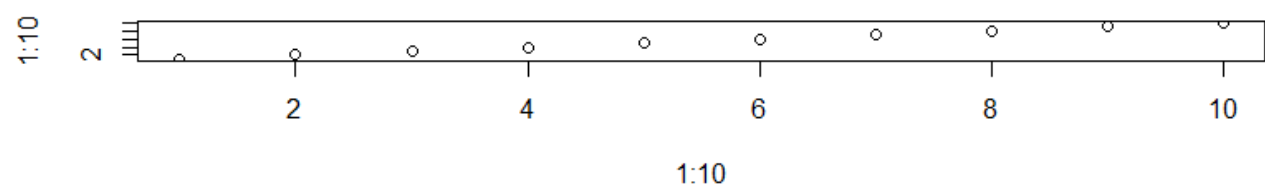


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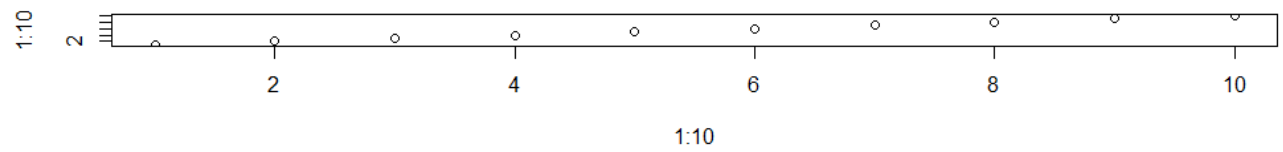


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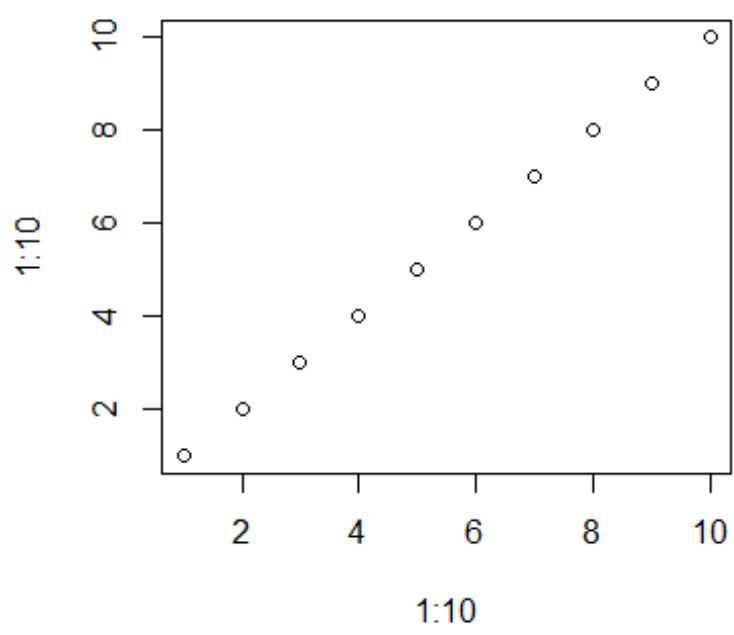


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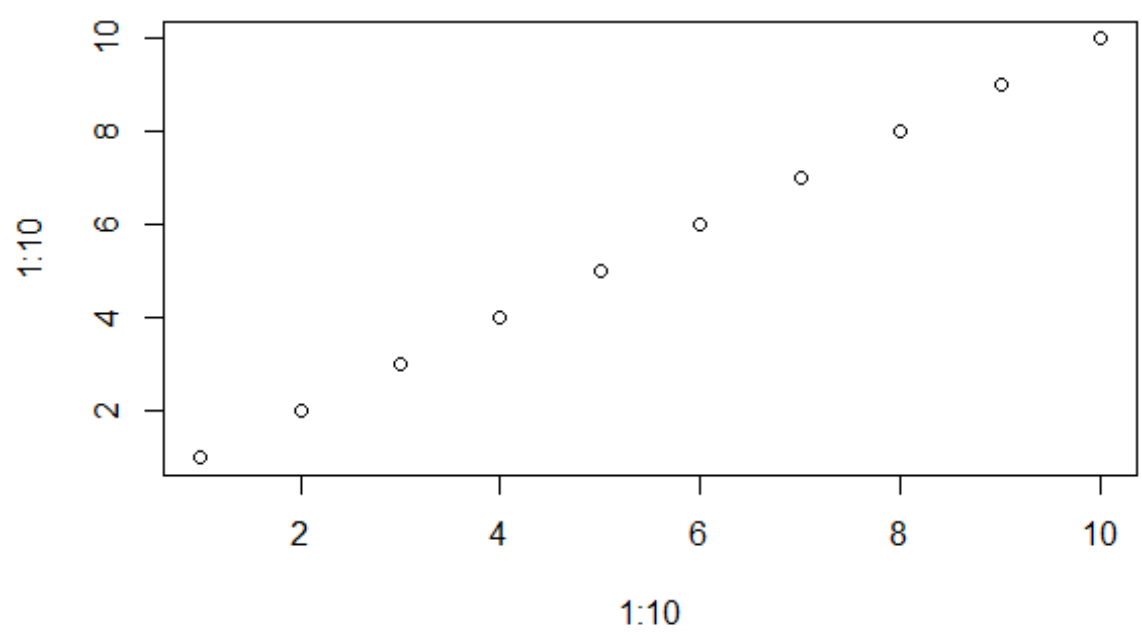


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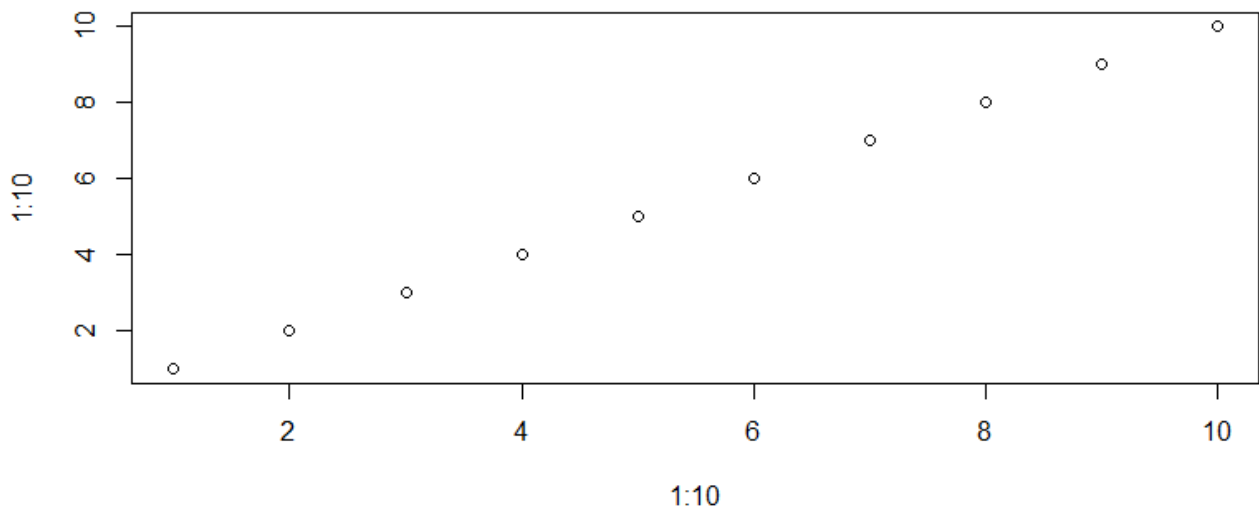


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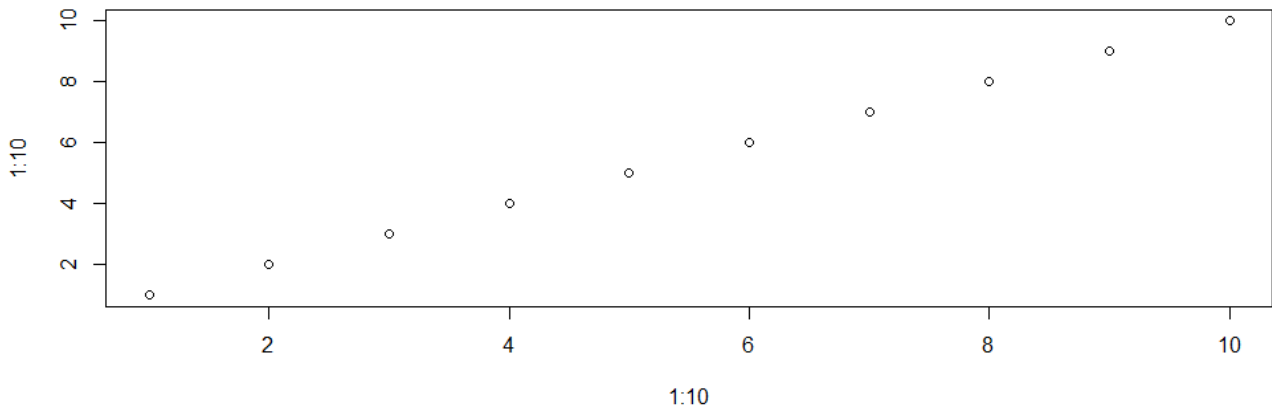


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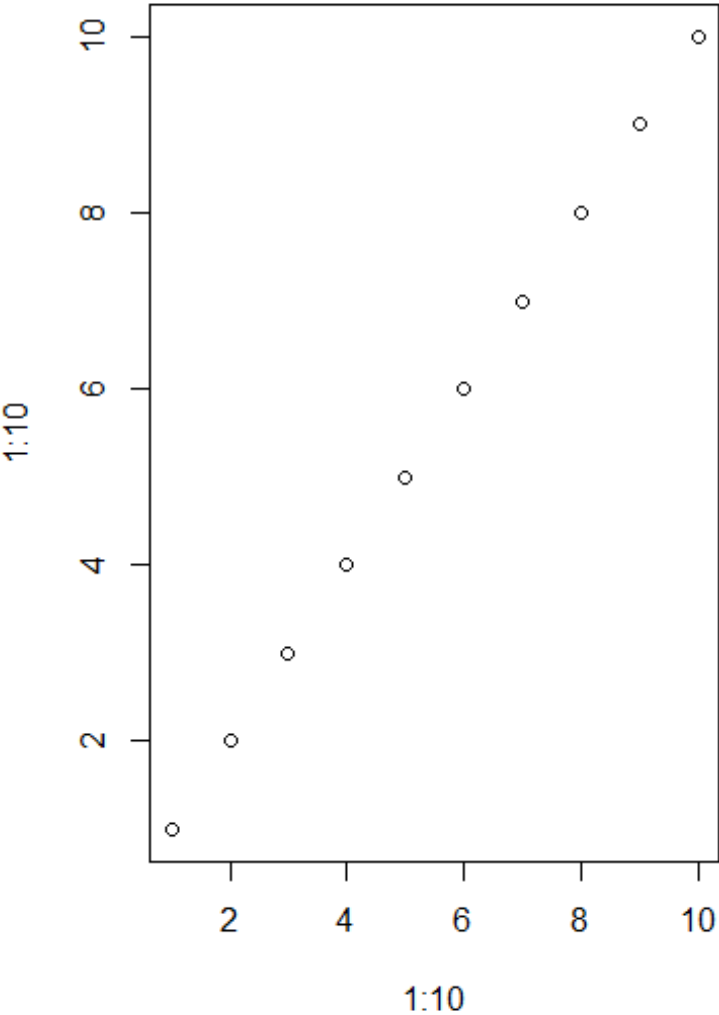


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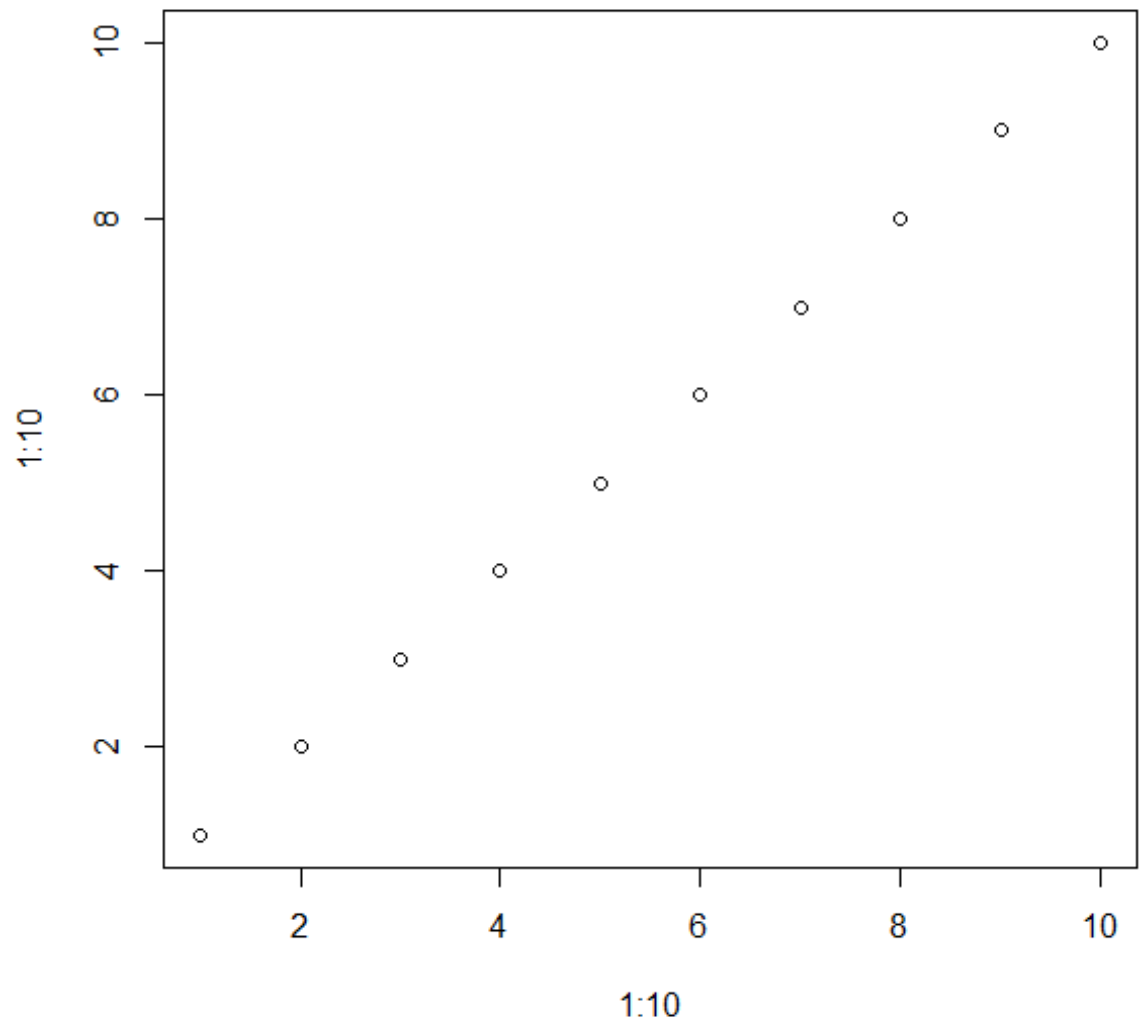


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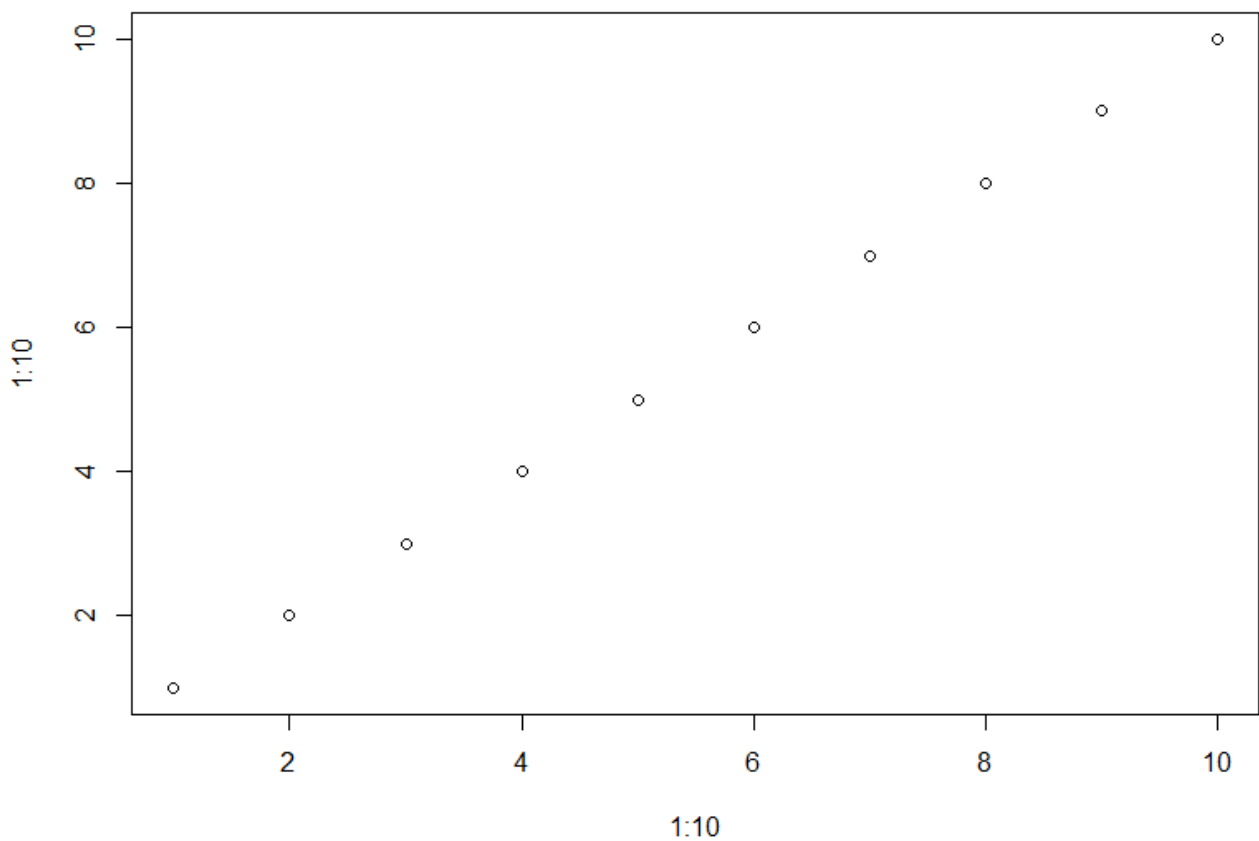


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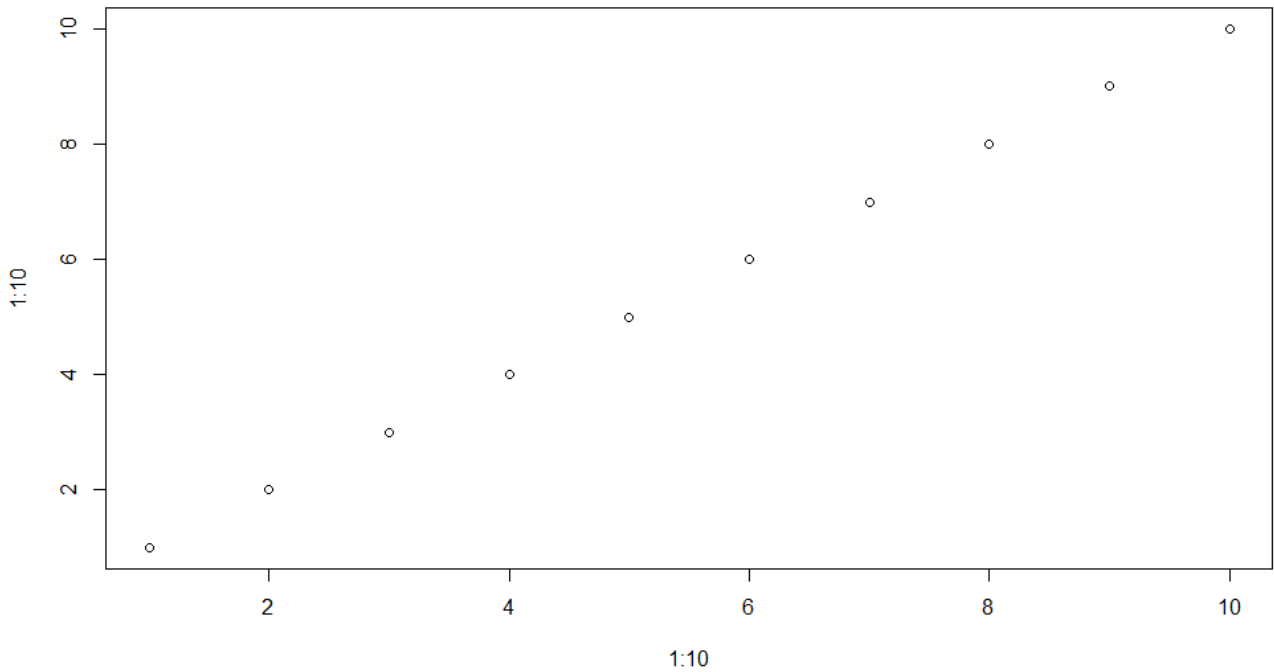


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