

matrix-computations

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Computations on Matrices

Introduction

This task shows a few examples of matrix computations using R. The task shows examples of graph plots, selecting custom rows and columns in a matrix, creating custom functions, exporting certain dates of the year to analyse, and creating custom tables.

The dataset used is EUR currency rates until 2023-02-02, and can be accessed via the link below:

<https://raw.githubusercontent.com/gagolews/teaching-data/master/marek/eurxxx-20230202-numeric.csv>

First Part - EUR-PLN Plot

Code is explained via the comments.

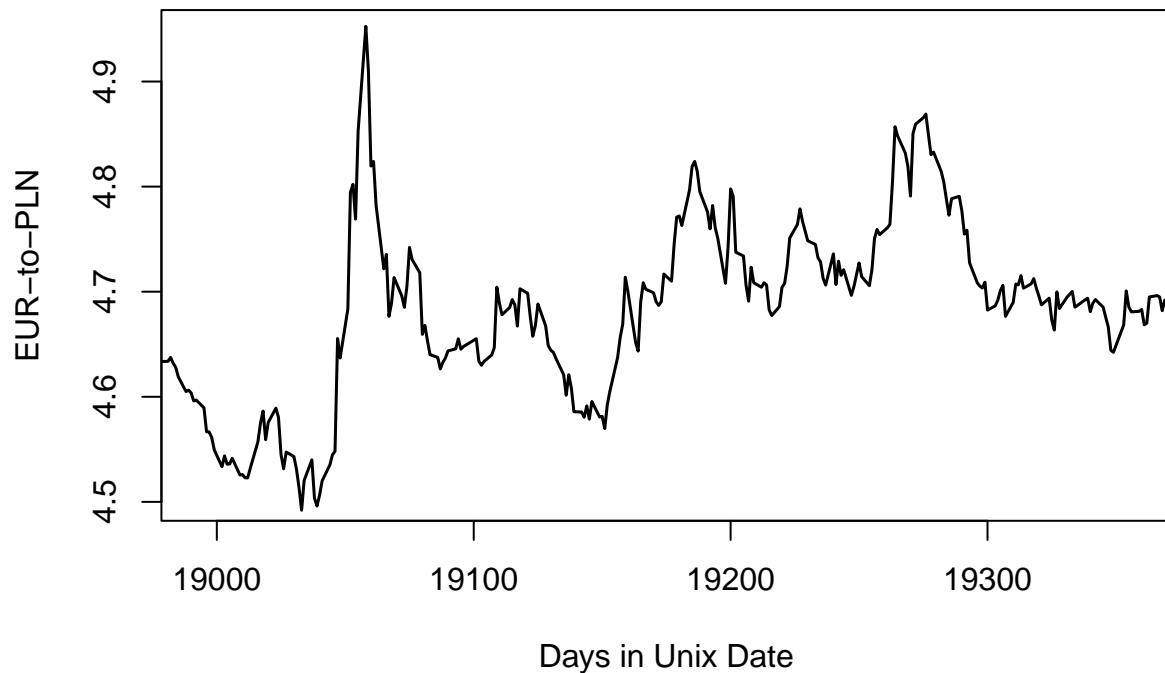
```
X <- as.matrix(read.csv(
paste0("https://raw.githubusercontent.com/gagolews/teaching-data/",
"master/marek/eurxxx-20230202-numeric.csv"), comment="#"))
head(X, 3)
```

```
##      Date    USD    JPY    BGN CYP    CZK    DKK EEK    GBP    HUF LTL LVL
## [1,] 19390 1.0988 141.12 1.9558  NA 23.809 7.4393  NA 0.89289 387.20  NA  NA
## [2,] 19389 1.0894 141.37 1.9558  NA 23.775 7.4396  NA 0.88413 390.20  NA  NA
## [3,] 19388 1.0833 141.27 1.9558  NA 23.792 7.4388  NA 0.88073 390.91  NA  NA
##      MTL    PLN ROL    RON    SEK SIT SKK    CHF    ISK    NOK HRK RUB TRL
## [1,]  NA 4.7015  NA 4.9025 11.3587  NA  NA 0.9992 153.5 10.9535  NA  NA  NA
## [2,]  NA 4.7075  NA 4.9117 11.3455  NA  NA 0.9980 153.5 10.8569  NA  NA  NA
## [3,]  NA 4.7090  NA 4.9210 11.3480  NA  NA 1.0032 153.1 10.9083  NA  NA  NA
##      TRY    AUD    BRL    CAD    CNY    HKD    IDR    ILS    INR    KRW
## [1,] 20.6766 1.5407 5.4859 1.4602 7.3878 8.6183 16360.69 3.7577 90.3015 1345.90
## [2,] 20.4978 1.5392 5.5174 1.4506 7.3452 8.5444 16299.47 3.7690 89.1060 1339.22
## [3,] 20.3787 1.5476 5.5373 1.4570 7.3198 8.4898 16282.57 3.7675 88.6360 1338.90
##      MXN    MYR    NZD    PHP    SGD    THB    ZAR
## [1,] 20.4050 4.6655 1.6855 59.170 1.4352 36.030 18.7046
## [2,] 20.4919 4.6471 1.6903 59.318 1.4303 35.841 18.8328
## [3,] 20.3961 4.6211 1.6858 59.192 1.4268 35.787 18.9223
```

```

# Plot of EUR-PLN for the year 2022,
# Values of "xlim" are columns where "Date" corresponds to year 2022.
# "ylim" has been increased to show the plot close-up.
plot(X[,1],X[,14] , xlim = c(18993, 19357), ylim = c(4.5, 4.95), type = "l", lwd = 1.5, ylab = "EUR-to-PLN")

```



Second Part - Min, Median, Mean, Max Table

Code is explained via the comments.

```

# Custom function
min_median_mean_max <- function(x)
{
  c(min=min(x), median=median(x), mean=mean(x), max=max(x))
}

# Transpose to show the matrix the way it is in the task sheet,
# Only includes rows with "Date" less than 19357 and more than or equal to 18993,
# Using custom function min_median_mean_max,
# Columns 2 to 42 to include every currency, but not the date column.

t(apply(t(X[X[, "Date"]<19357 & X[, "Date"]>=18993,2:42]), 1, min_median_mean_max))

```

```

##           min           median           mean           max

```

## USD	0.95650	1.05240	1.053049e+00	1.14640
## JPY	125.55000	138.26000	1.380274e+02	147.59000
## BGN	1.95580	1.95580	1.955800e+00	1.95580
## CYP	NA	NA	NA	NA
## CZK	24.11600	24.53500	2.456593e+01	25.86600
## DKK	7.43640	7.43910	7.439564e+00	7.44570
## EEK	NA	NA	NA	NA
## GBP	0.82388	0.85115	8.527609e-01	0.90268
## HUF	352.92000	397.35000	3.912865e+02	430.65000
## LTL	NA	NA	NA	NA
## LVL	NA	NA	NA	NA
## MTL	NA	NA	NA	NA
## PLN	4.49210	4.69250	4.686107e+00	4.95250
## ROL	NA	NA	NA	NA
## RON	4.81980	4.94270	4.931313e+00	4.95010
## SEK	10.23000	10.60200	1.062958e+01	11.15800
## SIT	NA	NA	NA	NA
## SKK	NA	NA	NA	NA
## CHF	0.94370	0.99600	1.004709e+00	1.05710
## ISK	136.30000	141.10000	1.422432e+02	153.30000
## NOK	9.49230	10.12250	1.010261e+01	10.58380
## HRK	7.50280	7.53010	7.534873e+00	7.58150
## RUB	NA	NA	NA	NA
## TRL	NA	NA	NA	NA
## TRY	14.93100	17.87020	1.740879e+01	19.96490
## AUD	1.43060	1.50990	1.516692e+00	1.61650
## BRL	4.96820	5.35470	5.439904e+00	6.44200
## CAD	1.28810	1.36130	1.369491e+00	1.45830
## CNY	6.75180	7.04670	7.078800e+00	7.53260
## HKD	7.50840	8.23600	8.245100e+00	8.92890
## IDR	14604.52000	15594.75000	1.562525e+04	16765.93000
## ILS	3.25370	3.54790	3.534544e+00	3.75750
## INR	78.26550	82.60380	8.268639e+01	88.22950
## KRW	1311.40000	1352.69000	1.358073e+03	1428.57000
## MXN	19.23630	20.96750	2.118686e+01	23.58560
## MYR	4.42810	4.62850	4.627867e+00	4.79140
## NZD	1.56570	1.66010	1.658247e+00	1.74190
## PHP	54.44900	57.30400	5.731381e+01	59.67800
## SGD	1.38380	1.44550	1.451165e+00	1.54270
## THB	35.73200	36.81600	3.685616e+01	38.08000
## ZAR	15.68200	17.15240	1.720863e+01	18.68550

Third Task - AUD-PLN Plot

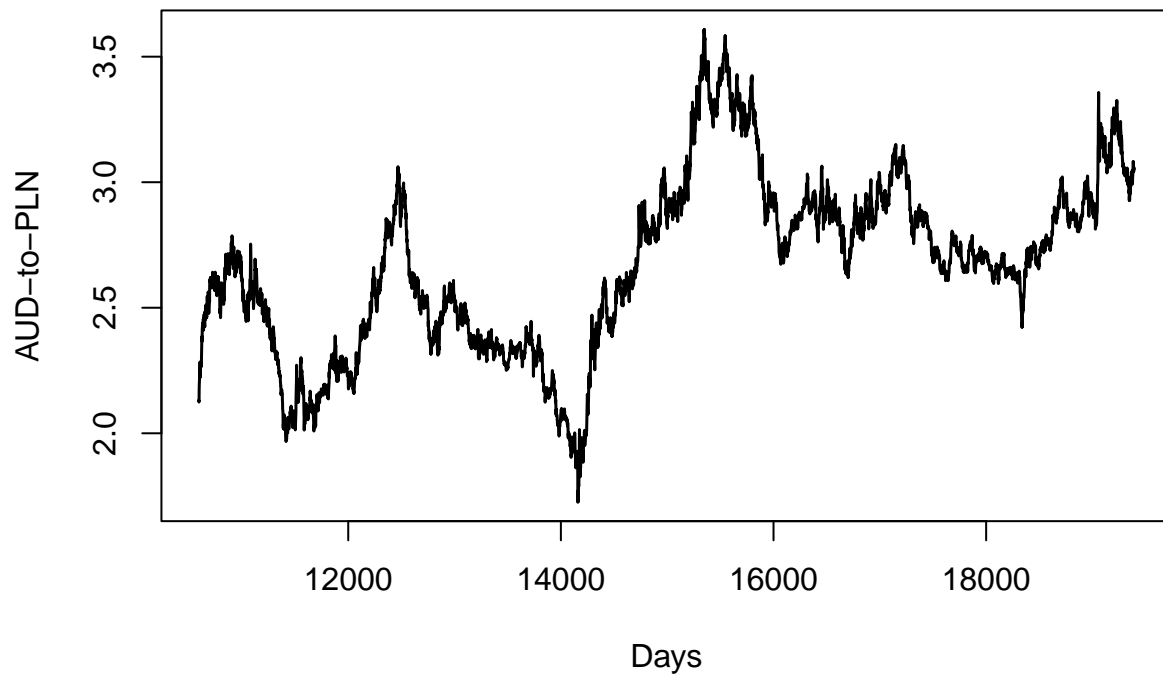
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```
# EUR-PLN divided by EUR-AUD gives AUD-PLN rates.

aud2pln <- X[,14] / X[,27]

# Plot of equation:

plot(X[,1], aud2pln, xlab = "Days", ylab = "AUD-to-PLN", type = "l", lwd = 1.5)
```



Fourth Task - Average AUD-PLN Rates for 2020, 2021, 2022

Code is explained via the comments.

```
# Matrix seperated in dates 2020, 2021 and 2022.
```

```
date_2020 <- X[X[,"Date"]<=18627 & X[,"Date"]>=18262,]
date_2021 <- X[X[,"Date"]<= 18992 & X[,"Date"] >=18628,]
date_2022 <- X[X[,"Date"]<=19357 & X[,"Date"]>=18993,]
```

```
# AUD-PLN rates in each year.
```

```
aud2pln2020 <- date_2020[,14] / date_2020[,27]
aud2pln2021 <- date_2021[,14] / date_2021[,27]
aud2pln2022 <- date_2022[,14] / date_2022[,27]
```

```
# Custom table with values above.
```

```
exchange_table <- matrix(c(2020, mean(aud2pln2020), 2021, mean(aud2pln2021), 2022, mean(aud2pln2022)), nrow=1)
colnames(exchange_table) <- c("Year", "AverageRate")
```

```
exchange_table
```

```
##      Year AverageRate
```

```
## [1,] 2020    2.686661
## [2,] 2021    2.899268
## [3,] 2022    3.093018
```

Conclusion

In conclusion, this task demonstrated the use of matrices in R for analysing financial data, and various methods to access certain information in matrices.

While doing this task, I have learned how to select certain rows and columns from matrices and analyse the data I have received by putting it through certain conditions.

I have observed that during 2020-2021-2022, the AUD-PLN rates have increased in value every year.

What was interesting to me was the peak in EUR-PLN values around Unix date 19050. The value has increased over 5 and immediately went down again.