

## 5. Coding Standards

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### 1.1 Coding Standards for R

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2. Indent your code
3. Limit the width of your code (80 columns?)

#### 1.1.1 Indenting

Indenting improves readability · Fixing line length (80 columns) prevents lots of nesting and very long functions · Suggested: Indents of 4 spaces at minimum; 8 spaces ideal

#### 1.1.2 Coding Standards for R

1. Always use text files / text editor
2. Indent your code
3. Limit the width of your code (80 columns?)
4. Limit the length of individual functions