NAMING CONVENTIONS

Naming your functions is important - be descriptive

Can you think of a better name than pv?

Common naming conventions within arguments include:

- x, y, z: vectors
- w: a vector of weights
- df: a data frame
- i, j: numeric indices (typically for rows and columns)
- n: length, or number of rows
- p: number of columns

Examining existing R functions will help you understand common practices

PRACTICE WRITING FUNCTIONS

Create the following vector x:

set.seed(123)

x <- rlnorm(100)

Now create the functions in your .R script that will compute the variance, standard deviation, standard error, and skewness.