

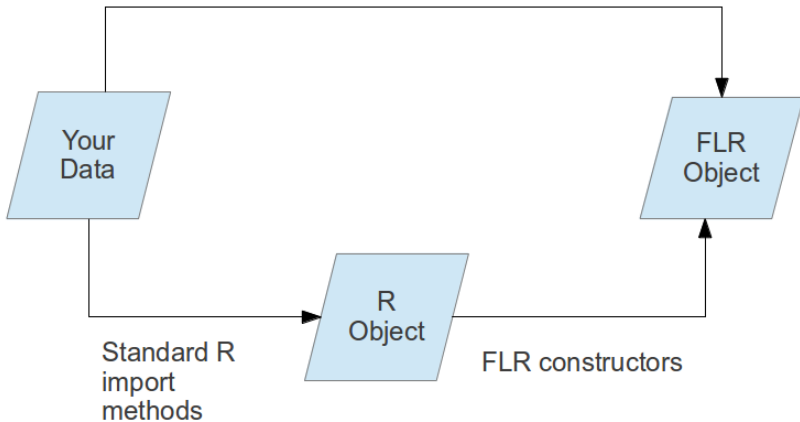
Loading data into FLR



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Dedicated FLR import methods



Dedicated FLR import functions

Data needs to be in specific format

- `readVPAFile()`
- `readFLStock()` : Lowestoft VPA, ICA, Adapt, CSA
- `readFLIndex()`
- `readFLIndices()`
- `readMFCL()`
- `readADMB()`

Standard R import functions

<http://cran.r-project.org/doc/manuals/R-data.html>

- Enter by hand into R
- CSV files : `read.table()`
- Text files : `scan()`
- Database : RODBC package
- Direct link to spreadsheets : `excel.link`, `RExcelInstaller` packages

Loading data is just the start

“Happy families are all alike; every unhappy family is unhappy in its own way.”

Leo Tolstoy

“Clean datasets are all alike; every messy dataset is messy in its own way.”

Hadley Wickham



To learn more

<http://blog.datacamp.com/r-data-import-tutorial/>

<http://blog.datacamp.com/importing-data-r-part-two/>