The package "cwhmisc", an Overview

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This package contains material which has been developed and collected as useful and handy. Own ideas and those from others have been used to ease my work. In some cases I incorporated material as is, and references to its author(s) may have to be updated from the web, or may even be lost.

Functions are supplied for

- mathematical use

- plotting

- printing

- data manipulation, statistics

- string manipulation

- other uses.

Table 1: Functions for mathematical use A

c..	Astronomical constants
c38, c3Q	Constants
LB2MK .. YX2 ..	Geographical coordinates <-> Swiss topo coordinates
angle	simple vector operations
adapt..	Numerically evaluate integral using adaptive rule
allDigits	Test, convert numbers
astroC	Astronomical constants
astroGeo	Convert geographical to and from Swiss topo coordinates
cJDJ2000 ..	Astronomical constants
IsCounter..	Directed angles
ClockSense	clock sense
Const	Mathematical constants
chsvd	Check svd to reproduce matrix
divmod	Combination of div and mod
div.prot	Protected division
deg, rad	Convert to degrees, radian
circle1	Generate circles and ellipses
eql	Check on equality, including NA==NA and NaN==NaN.
Eratosthenes	Create primes
EulerPhi	Number of divisors
Euclid	Computes a, b which solve the equation a*m + b*n = gcd(m,n)
factorN, prodN	Factor an integer into primes, combine factors
frac	Fractional part of number
gcd	Greatest common divisor
inrange	Functions for testing and other
intToASCII	Show character or octal representation in the ASCII sequence
intTo..	Convert intege to string representation in a base 2...16
is.constant	Check if one constant
is.prime	Check if prime
IsCounterCl2	Functions for directed arcs
isNumeric	Test, convert numbers
Julian Date	Julian Dates
lV	Length of vector
normalize	Base power and multiplier of real
numberof	Count the number elements that satisfy a condition
numericString	Test character vector on legal numbers
lengths.angle	Lengths of two vectors and angle between them
modexp	Exponentiation modulo an integer
modulo, modS, modR	m%%n, modulo symmetric, towards negative infinity
num.ident	Check numerical values for identity
pointfit	Least squares fit of point clouds aka "Procrustes problem"
primes	Create primes
quadmin	argument of the minimum
reda, reda2	reduce arc like quantities
quotmean	quotient of means of non-NA elements
rotA, .V, .L, .Z	Rotate x-y with angle
scm	Smallest common multiple

Table 2: Functions for mathematical use B

scprod	scalar product
seqm	sequences, empty if "by" not conforming
setup, eval ..Interp	Polynomial and rational interpolation
signp	Sign Function -1 1 1 instead of -1 0 1
solveQeq	Solve the quadratic equation
submod	Analog to divmod
toPol,toRec	Polar <-> rectangular coordinates
toSph, toXyz	Spherical <-> x-y-z coordinates
whole.number	Check an array on whole numbers (x in I).

Table 3: Functions for string manipulation

cap	Change case of strings
capply	Apply function to elements in character vector.
cap(italize)	Change to upper/lower case
lower(ize)	Change to upper/lower case
CapLeading	Capitalize first character
cpos, cposR	Find the position of a substring
datetime, my..	Show date and/or time in ISO format
dc	Convert number for table columns, for equations
deg, rad	Convert arcs
delstr	Delete a substring from a string
dt2str	Convert time difference to string
formatFix	Format to a fixed format representation
term.names2formula	Combine two vectors of strings into a formula.
formula2string	Return the left and the right hand sides of a formula
formula2term.names	Return one chosen side of a formula.
formula2Rterm.names	Return the right hand side of a formula.
grepnot	Show elements passing or not a grep
num2Latex	Convert numeric containing e+-power
pad	Padding a string with justification
pasteInfix	Paste(infix)
pasteRound	Paste rounded values
replacechar	Replace a character in a string by another
str2dig	Convert literally a string to a vector
str2formula	Convert string to a formula
strmatch	A "shortest unique identifier" match

Table 4: Functions for statistics and data manipulation

FinneyCorr	Finney's correction to log normally distributed data, r-squared and standard deviation o f a linear model.
Halton	Halton's quasi-random numbers 'HS247'
clean.na	Clean a matrix or data frame of rows or columns of containing NA
d,p,rinvgauss	Inverse Gaussian Distribution
dpoisgam	Poisson Gamma Distribution
f.log	Determine an optimized offset s and return log10(data+s)
jitterNA	Jitter vector containing NA
my.table.NA	Tabulate data, with extra rows and columns.
napply	Apply a function to the corresponding elements of two lists (?)
neg.bin.gof	Approximate a Negative binomial distribution
qnorm.ap16	Approximation to the inverse normal distribution function.
qres.binom	Randomized quantile residuals
remove.dup.rows	Remove duplicate rows
scode	Generate the significance codes as in summary.lm
select.range	Select values from a vector depending on a range in a second vector
shapiro.wilk.test	Shapiro-Wilk Normality Test
smoothed.df	Fit cumulative distribution from kernel estimate
summaryFs	Print extended summary of lm
w.median	Weighted median

Table 5: Functions for printing

heading	Write a line of text with underlining and blank lines
lpr	Print an object or plot
n22dig	Show vector or matrix (of $0 <= x <= 1$) in a compact way
n2c	Show absolute values as characters, prepare for plotting
prinE(xsv, ...)	Print a string expression and its evaluation in the form "xsv = evaluation"
prinL(xs, ...)	Print a string expression and its evaluation in the form "xs" newline evaluation"
printP	Print without square brackets, expression values together with their call strings
prinV	Print a vector without [], in fix format.
prinM	Print a matrix without [], in fix format.
prinT	Print an array, TAB delimited.
progress.meter	Monitor the progress of a repetitive calculation
tex.table	Convert a data matrix into LaTeX code

Table 6: Functions for plotting

T3plot	T3plot, show normality of data
lowess.bygroup	Plot data in groups, each group with separate lowess smoothing
lpr	Print an object or plot
mult.fig.p	Plot Setup for multiple plot, incl. main title
p.screeplot.princomp	Plot screeplot
panel.cor	Alternative panel functions for lattice plots
pdfc	Print current plot
elayanel.hist	Alternative panel functions for lattice plots
plotSymbols	Plot symbols, colours, and allow to choose
pltCharMat	Plot depending on switch, Create multiple plots with title and time stamp
setPPT	Set PowerPoint style
SplomT	Embellished scatterplot matrix
triplot	Ternary or Triangular Plots.

Table 7: Miscellaneous functions

ASCII	Internal cwhmisc functions
delayt	Delay execution
Dim	Uniform 'dim' fo vectors AND arrays
grepnot	Grep utility
Hd ..	Conversion of hour representations
libs	List all installed packages, or all functions in a package
ls.functions	List available local functions
progress.meter	Monitor the progress of a repetitive calculation
RCA	Check, build, install package
waitReturn	Wait for <Return>

Table 8: How to check a package by running RCA()

RCA	Running RCA() gives a lot of warnings/errors
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global	no visible global ...
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text	All text must be ...
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Table 9: How to check a package by running RCA()

dup	duplicated alias ...
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undoc	undocumented code objects
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code	but not in code:
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codoc	codoc mismatches:
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docs	code not in docs:
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find	could not find:
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names	files with non-portable file names:
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