

Day 4



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Where are we?

So far we have covered:

1. Install and start running R and RStudio
2. Find help and support
3. Get to know the R language basics
4. Create objects of various classes (vector, data.frame)
5. Load data stored in text files
6. Plot data and results
7. Data exploration and analysis
8. **for** loops
9. Mapping

<https://github.com/iagomosqueira/RforFisheries>

Where are we?

So far we have covered:

10. Introduce **arrays**
11. Introduce **FLCore** package
12. **FLQuant** - the heart of **FLCore**
13. **FLStock** objects
14. exploring data with ggplot2

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Today



Stock Assessment with FLR

What is stock assessment ?

How many fish there are in the sea ?

- method to estimate
- stock abundance
- stock productivity (S/R)
- fishing mortality

Conditioned on the holy grail - M

History

- VPAs
 - $N = f(C|Flast)$
- Tunned Models (VPAs, XSA)
 - $N = f(I|C)$
 - Error in I
- SCA
 - $N = f(I,C)$
 - Error in I
 - Error in C
 - Error in S/R, etc

Outline

- Biomass dynamic models
- VPA
- Seperable VPA
- XSA
- Statistical catch-at-age framework (a4a)



Teach yourself FLR

<http://tyflr.flr-project.org>