Some Essentials for Data Science with R

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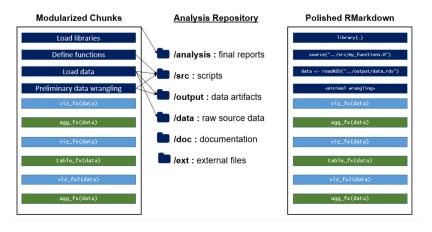
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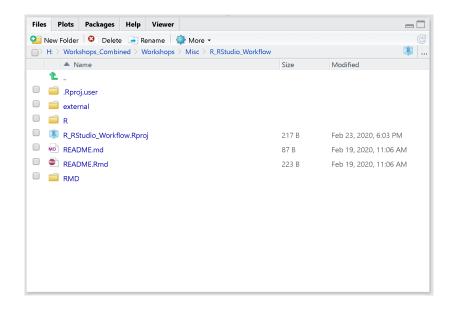
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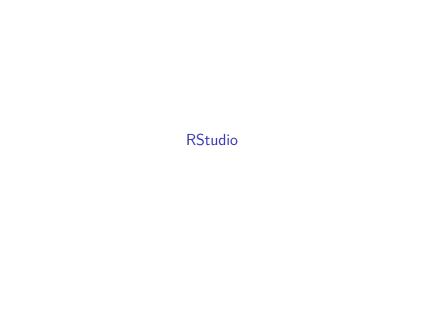
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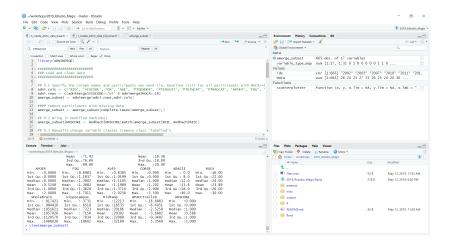
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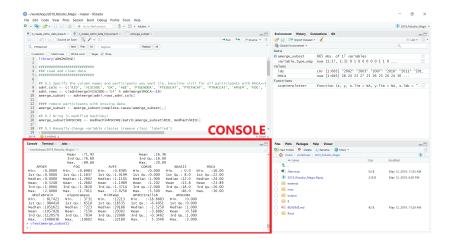
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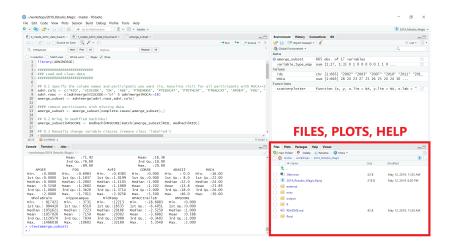
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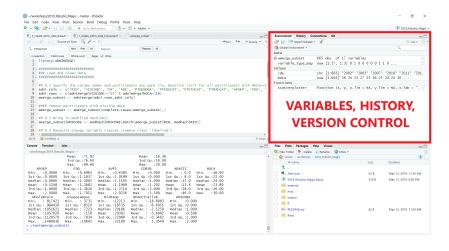
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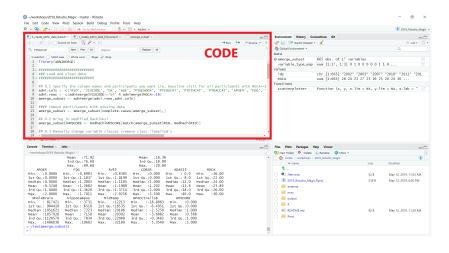
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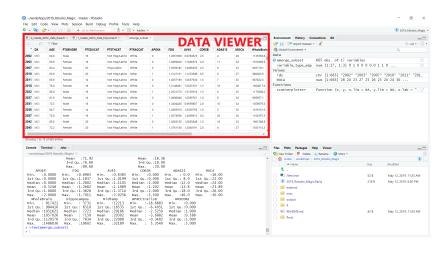












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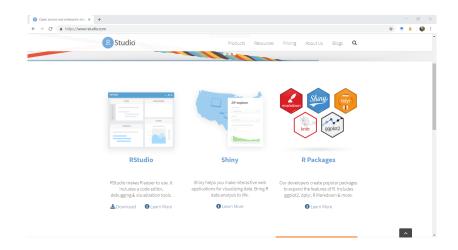
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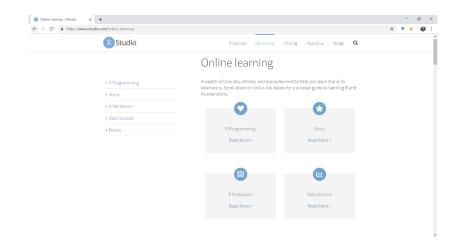
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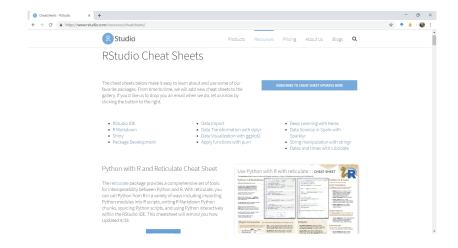
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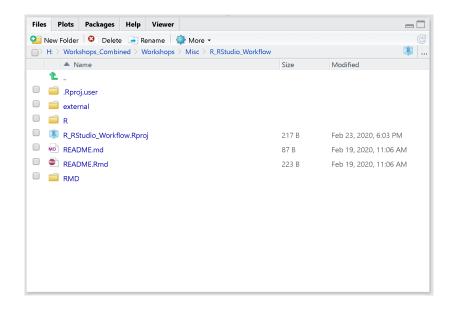
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 - cloning from (e.g., Git) repos

New Project **Create Project New Directory** Start a project in a brand new working directory **Existing Directory** Associate a project with an existing working directory **Version Control** Checkout a project from a version control repository Cancel

.Rproj files: just a text file with some parameters for start up

```
1 Version: 1.0

2 
3 RestoreWorkspace: Default
4 SaveWorkspace: Default
5 AlwaysSaveHistory: Default
6 
7 EnableCodeIndexing: Yes
9 NumSpacesForTab: 2
10 Encoding: UTF-8
11
21 RnwWeave: Sweave
13 LaTeX: pdfLaTeX
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Git

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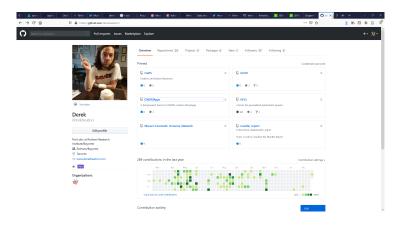
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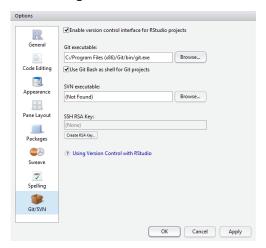
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Download git and link executable within RStudio

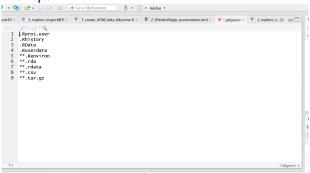


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Assignment

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# allowed but not preferred
a_variable = 10 + 1
# preferred
a_variable <- 10 + 1
# a bonus
10 + 1 -> a_variable
```

Dots

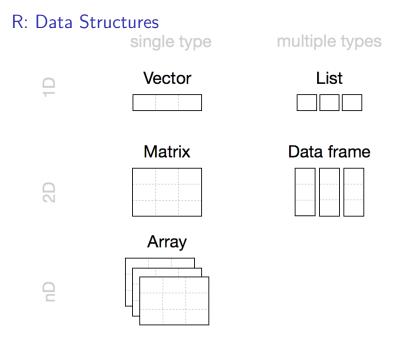
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- Except that these can be redefined

R: Data Structures



See https://rstudio-education.github.io/hopr/r-objects.html

VECTOR

```
a_{vector} \leftarrow c(2, 0, 2, 0, 0, 2, 2, 5)
```

a_vector[1] >2

a_vector[4]

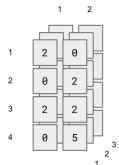
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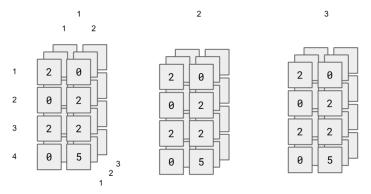
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a_{matrix} \leftarrow matrix(c(2, 0, 2, 0, 0, 2, 2, 5), nrow = 4, ncol = 2)
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                                                                                     2
a_matrix[1,1]
>2
                                                                        1
                                                                              2
                                                                                     0
a_matrix[1,2]
>0
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a_matrix[4,2]
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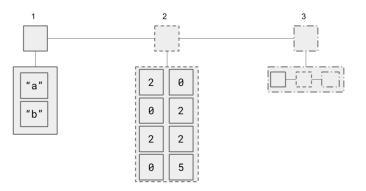
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an_array[,,1]



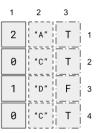
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R: factor disasters

```
a_numeric_vector <- c(3, 0, 1, -2, 2, 5, 5, 2, 1)
(a_numeric_vector + 1)</pre>
```

[1] 4 1 2 -1 3 6 6 3 2

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Cheatsheet for base R

Base R Cheat Sheet Getting Help Accessing the help files Taean Get help of a particular function help, search ("wut glitted mone") help fackage "dglyr") Find help for a package. More a began and blace "d

str(iris)
Get a summary of an object's structure.
class(iris)
Find the class an object belongs to.

Using Libraries install.packages('dplyr') Download and install a package from CRAN.

library(dplyr)
Load the package into the session, making all its functions available to use

dplyr::select
Use a particular function from a package.

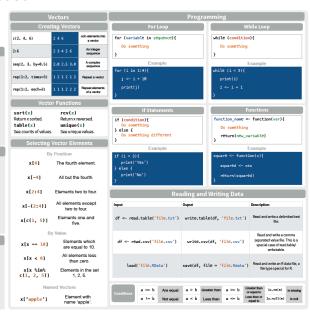
data(iris)
Load a built-in dataset into the environment.

Working Directory

getwd()
Find the current working directory (where inputs are found and outputs are sent).

setwd('C://file/path')
Change the current working directory.

Use projects in RStudio to set the working directory to the folder you are working in.



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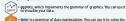
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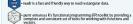


Tidyverse The tidyverse is a powerful collection of R packages that are actually

data tools for transforming and visualizing data. All packages of the tidyverse share an underlying philosophy and common APIs. The core packages are:









stringr provides a cohesive set of functions designed to make working with strings as easy as possible

· forcats provide a suite of useful tools that solve common problems

with factors You can install the complete tidyverse with:

> install.packages("tidyverse") Then, load the core tidyverse and make it available in your current R session by running: > library(tidyverse)

Note: there are many other tidyverse packages with more specialised usage. They are not loaded automatically with library(tidyverse), so you'll need to load each one with its own call

Useful Functions

Conflicts between tidyverse and other tidyverse conflicts() packages List all tidyverse dependencies hidomerae dena() Get tidyverse logo, using ASCII or unloade bidyverse_logo() tidyverse_packages() ist all tidyverse packages

Update tidyverse packages

tidyverse_update() Loading in the data

Load the datasets package library(datasets) Load the gapminder package library (gapminder) attach(iris) Attach Iris data to the R search path

filter() allows you to select a subset of rows in a data frame

Select Iris data of species filter(Species=="virginics") "virginica" iris \$3 Select Irls data of species filter(Species=="virginica", "virninica" and senal length Sepal.Length > 6) greater than 6.

arrange () sorts the observations in a dataset in ascending or descending order

based on one of its variables. Sort in ascending order of arrange (Sepal Length) sepal length Sort in descending order of arrange (desc (Sepal Length)) sepal length

Combine multiple dolvz verbs in a row with the pipe operator %>%: Filter for species "virginica" filter (Species=="virginica") \$>\$ then arrange in descending arrange (desc (Sepal Length)) order of sepal length

Mutate mutate() allows you to update or create new columns of a data frame.

mutate (Sepal Length=Sepal Length*10) mutate (SIMm=Sepal Length*10)

Create a new column called SLMm

Change Sepal Length to be

sepal length of each

Combine the verbs filter(), arrange(), and mutate():

filter(Species=="Virginica") %>% mutate(SLMx=Sepal.Length*10) %>% arrange (desc (SLMn))

summarize () allows you to turn many observations into a single data point. Summarize to find the median sepal length

filter(Species=="virginica") %>% summarize the median summarise (medianSL=median (Sepal Length)) sepal length You can also summarize multiple variables at once

filter(Species=="virginica") %>% summarise (medianSL=median (Sepal Length) . max31-max(Sepal,Length))

group (by () allows you to summarize within groups instead of summarizing the entire dataset: Find median and max

group_by(Species) %>% summarise (medianSL=median (Sepal Length) max3L=max(Sepal.Length)) Find median and max filter(Sepal.Length>6) 4>4 petal length of each group_by(Species) \$>\$ species with senal summarise (medianPL=median (Petal.Length) length > 6 mamPL=mam(Petal.Length))

ggplot2

Scatter plot Scatter plots allow you to compare two variables within your data. To do this with applots, you use geom point ()

iris_small <- iris 4>4 filter(Sepal.Length > 5) ggplot(iris_small, acs(x=Petal.Length, Compare petal width and length y=Petal.Width)) + geom point()

Additional Aesthetics



geom_point() ggplot(iris_small, ses(x=Petal.Length, y=Petal.Width)) + geom point()+ facet wrap (-Species)

by year <- gapminder \$>\$ group by (year) \$>\$ summarise (median@dpFerCap=median(qdpFercap)) ggplot(by_year, ses(x=year, geom_line()+ expand limits (v=0)

coplot(iris small, ges(x=Petal.lenoth))+



Bar Plots

by_species <- iris 4>4 filter (Sepal.Length>6) %>% group_by(Species) 4>4 summarine (medianPL=median (Petal Length)) orolot(by species, aes(x=Species, v=medianPL)) +

geon histogram()



Box Plots

ggplot(iris_small, aes(x=Species, y=Sepal.Width))+ geom_boxplos()

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