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SWMP*r* overview, retrieve, and organize

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Objectives for the session

- Why and what is SWMPPr?
- How can data get from CDMO into R using SWMPPr?
- What is the basic structure of a `swmpr` data object?
- What is data organization and how can SWMPPr help?

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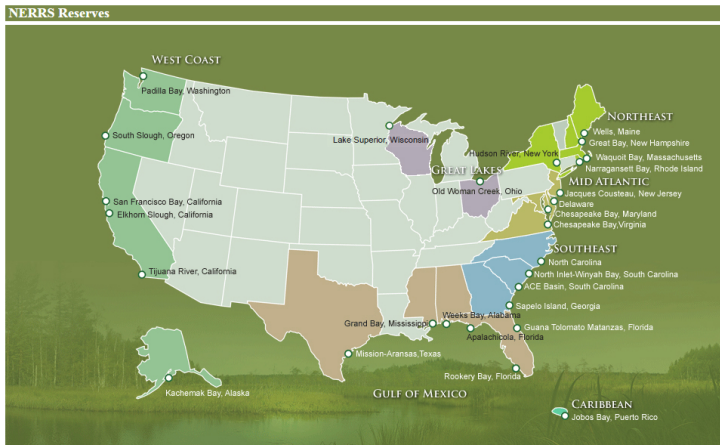
You will run examples whenever you see this guy:



Don't forget to use your stickies: **green** for done/ok, **red** for problem

Why and what is SWMPr?

SWMP - System Wide Monitoring Program, initiated in 1995 to provide continuous monitoring data at over 300 stations in 28 US estuaries



<http://nerrs.noaa.gov/ReservesMap.aspx>



Why and what is SWMPPr?

CDMO ([link](#)) is your one-stop shop for retrieving SWMP data

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 Requested Citation Format	<div>Choose Reserve... ▾</div> <div>GTMPCMET 10/08/14 09:45 AM GTMPCVQ 10/08/14 09:45 AM</div>  <div>Air Temperature: 27.8 °C (82 °F) Wind Speed: 1.1 m/Sec (02 mph) Water Temperature: 22.7 °C (73 °F) Salinity: 7.1 PPT Dissolved Oxygen: 4.7 mg/L</div>	<p>The CDMO is excited to announce the launch of our new SWMP Mobile application. Near real-time SWMP data is now available on your smartphone or tablet at: www.nerrsdata.org/mobile</p> <hr/> <p>Our Data Export System has been updated and now has enhanced graphing capabilities! Want to easily export or graph data? If so, check out our Data Export System!</p>

Why and what is SWMPPr?

The raw data will look like this...

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
1	StationCo	isSWMP	DateTimeStamp	Historical	Provisional	CollMeth	REP	F_Record	PO4F	F_PO4F	NH4F	F_NH4F
2	apacpnut	P	1/10/2012 10:20	0	1	1	1		0.003	<-4> [SBL]	0.03	<0>
3	apacpnut	P	2/7/2012 11:41	0	1	1	1		0.005	<0>	0.019	<0>
4	apacpnut	P	3/5/2012 11:51	0	1	1	1		0.003	<-4> [SBL]	0.041	<0>
5	apacpnut	P	4/4/2012 10:30	0	1	1	1		0.003	<-4> [SBL]	0.043	<0>
6	apacpnut	P	5/9/2012 10:12	0	1	1	1		0.003	<0>	0.053	<0>
7	apacpnut	P	5/9/2012 10:15	0	1	1	2		0.003	<-4> [SBL]	0.022	<0>
8	apacpnut	P	5/9/2012 10:20	0	1	1	3		0.003	<0>	0.016	<0>
9	apacpnut	P	6/5/2012 8:30	0	1	1	1		0.003	<-4> [SBL]	0.04	<0>
10	apacpnut	P	7/3/2012 9:58	0	1	1	1 {CSM}		0.004	<0>	0.094	<0>
11	apacpnut	P	7/3/2012 9:59	0	1	1	2 {CSM}		0.004	<0>	0.066	<0>
12	apacpnut	P	7/3/2012 10:01	0	1	1	3 {CSM}		0.005	<0>	0.069	<0>
13	apacpnut	P	8/7/2012 9:53	0	1	1	1 {CSM}		0.003	<-4> [SBL]	0.05	<0>
14	apacpnut	P	9/5/2012 10:56	0	1	1	1		0.003	<-4> [SBL]	0.026	<0>
15	apacpnut	P	10/2/2012 9:22	0	1	1	1		0.003	<-4> [SBL]	0.042	<0>
16	apacpnut	P	10/2/2012 9:27	0	1	1	2		0.003	<-4> [SBL]	0.024	<0>
17	apacpnut	P	10/2/2012 9:32	0	1	1	3		0.003	<0>	0.042	<0>
18	apacpnut	P	11/6/2012 10:30	0	1	1	1		0.003	<-4> [SBL]	0.07	<0>
19	apacpnut	P	11/26/2012 11:39	0	1	1	1		0.003	<-4> [SBL]	0.041	<0>

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How: Use the SWMP_r functions to **retrieve**, **organize**, and **analyze** SWMP data

Why and what is SWMPPr?

Some housekeeping...

```
# install from CRAN (only do once)  
install.packages('SWMPPr')  
  
# load for your current session  
library(SWMPPr)
```

<https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/SWMPPr/index.html>

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```
?import_local
```

Any useful information?

Getting SWMP data into R

Let's get some data into R!

The ***retrieval*** functions do two things:

Import data directly from the CDMO:

```
all_params  
all_params_dtrng  
single_param  
site_codes  
site_codes_ind
```

These functions require
registering your IP address
with CDMO

Import data from a local
path:

```
import_local
```

Imports data obtained from
(and only from) the [zip
downloads](#) feature

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Let's import some data from that folder...

```
# get data for apacpwq, all years  
  
# location of data  
mypath <- 'zip_ex'  
  
# import and assign to 'dat'  
dat <- import_local(mypath, 'apacpwq', trace = T)
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What about this?

```
dat2 <- import_local(mypath, 'apac2012', trace = T)  
dat3 <- import_local(mypath, 'apadbnut', trace = T)
```

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How are the data organized?

What are the column names?

What are the attributes?

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The swmpr object is a data.frame and a list of attributes

```
head(dat, 3)
```

```
##           timestamp temp f_temp spcond f_spcond sal f_sal do_pct f_do_pct
## 1 2011-01-01 00:00:00  11   <0>    44    <0>   28   <0>    68    <0>
## 2 2011-01-01 00:15:00  11   <0>    44    <0>   28   <0>    68    <0>
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##   do_mgl f_do_mgl depth f_depth cdepth f_cdepth level f_level clevel f_clevel
## 1      6   <0>     2   <0>     2   <3>     NA   <-1>     NA     NA
## 2      6   <0>     2   <0>     2   <3>     NA   <-1>     NA     NA
## 3      6   <0>     2   <0>     2   <3>     NA   <-1>     NA     NA
##   ph f_ph turb f_turb chlfluor f_chlfluor
## 1  8 <0>    3   <0>      NA     <-1>
## 2  8 <0>    3   <0>      NA     <-1>
## 3  8 <0>    2   <0>      NA     <-1>
```

```
names(attributes(dat))
```

```
## [1] "names"          "row.names"      "class"          "station"        "parameters"
## [6] "qaqc_cols"      "date_rng"       "timezone"       "stamp_class"
```

```
attr(dat, 'parameters')
```

```
## [1] "temp"      "spcond"    "sal"       "do_pct"    "do_mgl"    "depth"
## [7] "cdepth"    "level"     "clevel"    "ph"        "turb"      "chlfluor"
```

Data organization with SWMP_r

First problem is solved... we know how to get SWMP data from CDMO into R:

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Which function would you use first?

Which would you use to reduce data volume or select certain variables?

Can any be used to combine swmpr data objects?

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View(dat)
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```
# different options for qaqc  
dat2 <- qaqc(dat)  
dat3 <- qaqc(dat, qaqc_keep = c('0', '-1'))  
dat4 <- qaqc(dat, qaqc_keep = NULL)  
dat5 <- qaqc(dat, qaqc_keep = 'CSM')
```

Changes are hard to visualize for lots of data - as a proof of concept, try running `qaqcchk` on any of the datasets

```
qaqcchk(dat)  
qaqcchk(dat2)  
qaqcchk(dat3)  
qaqcchk(dat4)  
qaqcchk(dat5)
```

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# import apawq  
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dat <- qaqc(dat)
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What is the next logical step after dealing with QAQC values?

How would we further want to organize the data?

Maybe we want to subset the data...

```
# view help file
?subset.swmpr
```

Data organization with SWMP_r

The `subset` function has several arguments (help file `?subset.swmpr`)

Not all are necessary for every task

- `swmpr_in`: input data (`swmpr` object)
- `subset`: dates to keep
- `select`: parameters to keep
- `operator`: less than, greater than, etc. if only one date in subset
- `rem_rows`: remove empty rows
- `rem_cols`: remove empty columns

Data organization with SWMP_r

The `select` argument of `subset` is used to select parameters of interest - one to many

```
# select the DO column  
tmp <- subset(dat, select = 'do_mgl')  
head(tmp)
```

##		datetimestamp	do_mgl
##	1	2011-01-01 00:00:00	NA
##	2	2011-01-01 00:15:00	NA
##	3	2011-01-01 00:30:00	NA
##	4	2011-01-01 00:45:00	NA
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```
# select DO and salinity
tmp <- subset(dat, select = c('do_mgl', 'sal'))
head(tmp)
```

Data organization with SWMPPr

The subset argument of `subset.swmpr` selects a date range

The dates must have a specific format: 'YYYY-mm-dd HH:MM'

```
# select a date range, July 2012
dates <- c('2012-07-01 12:00', '2012-07-31 6:30')
tmp <- subset(dat, subset = dates)
head(tmp) # view first six rows
```

```
##          datetimestamp temp spcond sal do_pct do_mgl depth cdepth level clevel
## 1 2012-07-01 12:00:00   NA    50  33   104     7     2     NA     NA     NA
## 2 2012-07-01 12:15:00   NA    50  33   101     7     2     NA     NA     NA
## 3 2012-07-01 12:30:00   NA    50  33   104     7     2     NA     NA     NA
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## 6 2012-07-01 13:15:00   NA    52  34   104     7     2     NA     NA     NA
##      ph turb chlfluor
## 1  8     3      NA
## 2  8    11      NA
## 3  8     8      NA
## 4  8    10      NA
## 5  8    15      NA
## 6  8    12      NA
```


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```
# get observations for 2013  
dates <- '2013-01-01 00:00'  
tmp <- subset(dat, subset = dates, operator = '>=')  
head(tmp)
```

Data organization with SWMPPr

A final nod to the `comb` function

Run the following, view the results, discuss with your neighbors:

```
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dat_met <- import_local(mypath, 'apaebmet')
dat_met <- qaqc(dat_met)
dat_wq <- import_local(mypath, 'apadbwq')
dat_wq <- qaqc(dat_wq)

# what does this do?
tmp1 <- comb(dat_wq, dat_met, timestep = 120)

# what does this do?
tmp2 <- setstep(dat_wq, timestep = 60)
```


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Now try this...

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Summary

Now you have an idea of how to organize SWMP data for analysis!

Here's what we did:

- **Import** SWMP data into R
- Evaluate and **handle QAQC** flags in the data
- **Subset** to select variables or time ranges of interest
- **Combine** data for comparison or data simplification

Consult the SWMP cookboook for an example workflow

Check the help files for usage (reference manual on [CRAN](#))

After break... what are some ways we can visualize or analyze the data?

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Questions??