

C++ for R Programmers

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- As a widely used language it also has good tool support (debuggers, [memory] profilers, code analysis).

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And C++11 adds many more goodies that could be called a fifth language.

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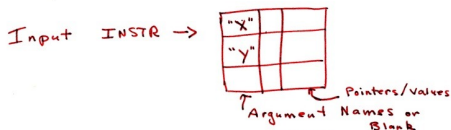
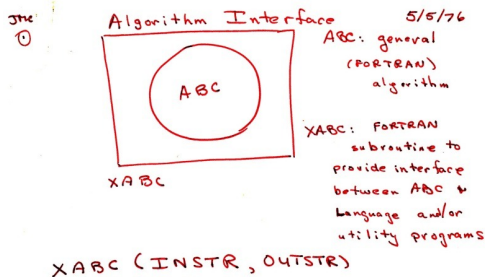
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- It so happens that I think R and C++ mix well via Rcpp and RInside.

John Chambers agrees – and shares a “vision” from 1976



Source: John Chambers' talk at Google, 2010.

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- This makes Rcpp the most widely used foreign-language interface package for R (as it overtook rJava recently).

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Trust me, Mogli.... Seriously?

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My Julia – and until I find a matching language named after my other daughter Anna ...

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