# D.I.Y R package





# What's on this session?

- 1 hour
- Slides: Continuous Integration
- Slides: Dissecting GitHub Actions
- Code: Set up GHA for your own package! #

## Current workflow

Develop Test Deploy

usethis::use\_r()
devtools::document()

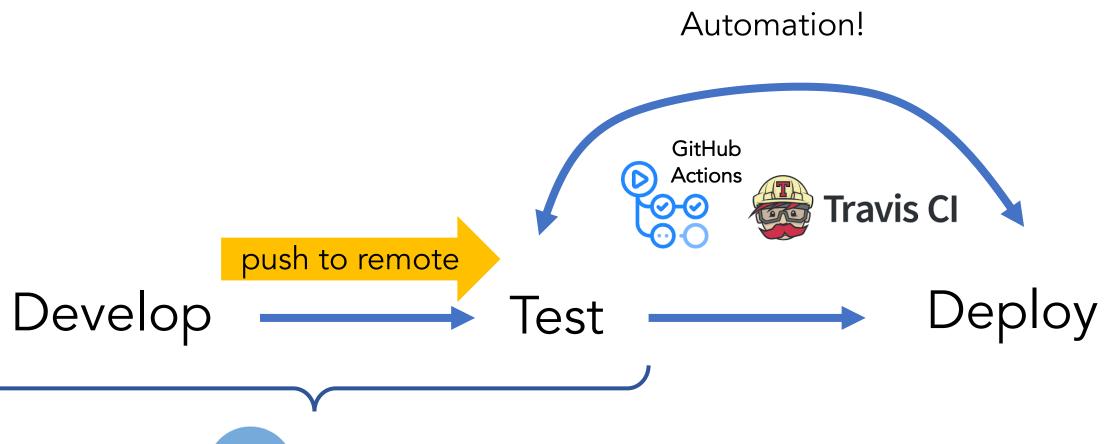
GitHub



locally on computer

push to remote repo

# Continuous Integration



R Studio set up once locally



- All under one GitHub umbrella
- Supports many operating systems (Mac, Windows, Linux, Ubuntu)
- Its faster than other CI systems (Travis, Circle)
- Up to 20 concurrent jobs,
- \* Its free 🐬



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    name: R-CMD-check
10
11 - jobs:
      R-CMD-check:
13
        runs-on: ubuntu-latest
14 -
        env:
15
          GITHUB_PAT: ${{ secrets.GITHUB_TOKEN }}
16
          R_KEEP_PKG_SOURCE: yes
        steps:
18
          uses: actions/checkout@v2
19
          uses: r-lib/actions/setup-r@v2
21 -
            with:
              use-public-rspm: true
23
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    uses: r-lib/actions/setup-r-dependencies@v2

25 -
            with:
              extra-packages: any::rcmdcheck
26
              needs: check
          - uses: r-lib/actions/check-r-package@v2
```

## GHA for R



- stored in .github/workflows
- .yml file format
- Templates available through <u>https://github.com/r-lib/actions</u>

#### GitHub Actions for the R language



This repository stores GitHub Actions for R projects, which can be used to do a variety of CI tasks. It also has a number of <u>example workflows</u> which use these actions.

- Set up and access templates with {usethis}
   usethis::use\_github\_action\_check\_release()
- Requires setting up a GitHub Personal Access Token (PAT) first!

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- on: [required]
  - When should GHA execute this workflow?
- Very customizable
  - Branch specific
  - Action specific
    - Push
    - Pull
    - Issue open

on: issues: types: [opened, edited, milestoned]

Path specific

```
on:
   push:
     paths:
     - my-document/my-document.Rmd
```

- name: [optional]
  - Displayed on GHA site
  - Intuitive to you

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- jobs: [required]
  - one or multiple jobs
  - groups related steps
- runs-on: [required]
  - The OS you want to run workflow
  - Option to set up multiple platforms

```
runs-on: ${{ matrix.config.os }}
name: ${{ matrix.config.os }}
strategy:
    matrix:
    config:
        - os: windows-latest
        - os: macOS-latest
        - os: ubuntu-16.04
```

Option to also specific R version

```
matrix:
   config:
    - {os: macOS-latest, r: 'release'}
    - {os: windows-latest, r: 'release'}
    - {os: ubuntu-latest, r: 'release'}
    - {os: ubuntu-latest, r: 'oldrel-1'}
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- env: [required]
  - Environmental variables which controls the R session on GHA server
  - Run sys.getenv() to view the ones you have locally
  - GITHUB\_PAT: [required]
    - Leave as default

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- steps: [required]
  - Sequence of tasks required to complete this workflow
- uses: [required]
  - Access public workflows written by others

e.g.

<a href="https://github.com/actions/checkout">https://github.com/actions/checkout</a> <a href="https://github.com/r-lib/actions/releases">https://github.com/r-lib/actions/releases</a>

- with: [required]
  - Extra dependencies needed for step
- needs: [required]
  - identify any steps that must complete successfully before this can run