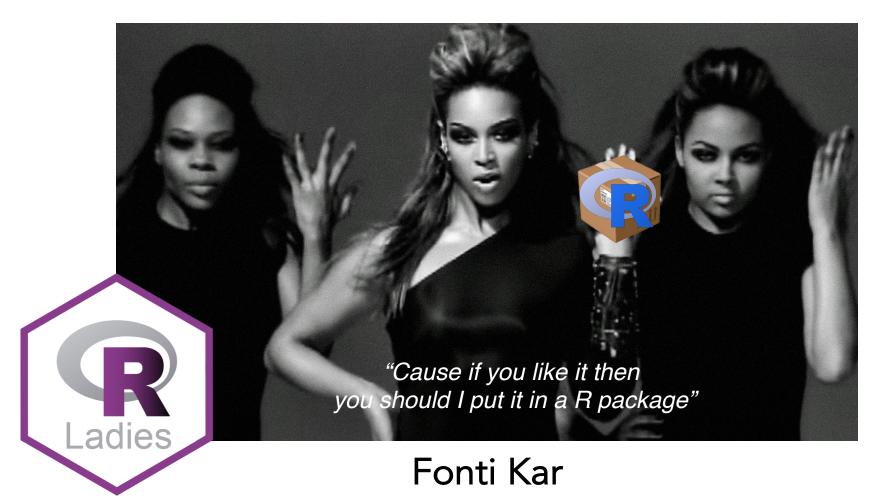
D.I.Y R package



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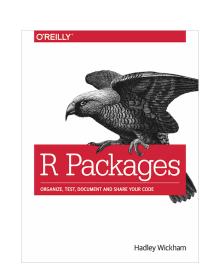


What is a R package?



"In R, the fundamental unit of shareable code is the package.

A package bundles together code, data, documentation, and tests, and is easy to share with others."



Why an R package?

5 mins breakout discussion:

- Discuss why would one want to create an R package
- What are the attributes of a good R package?
- Any previous experiences with package building or alike?
- Any ideas for an R package you want to build?

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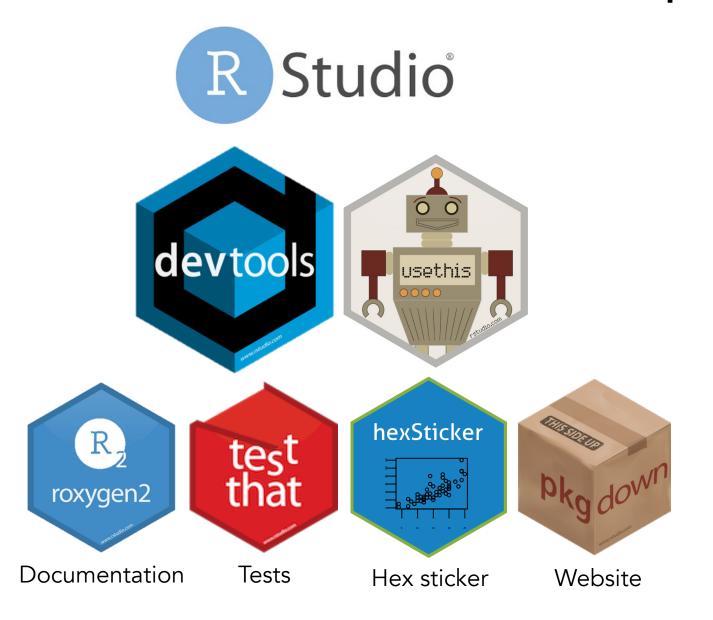
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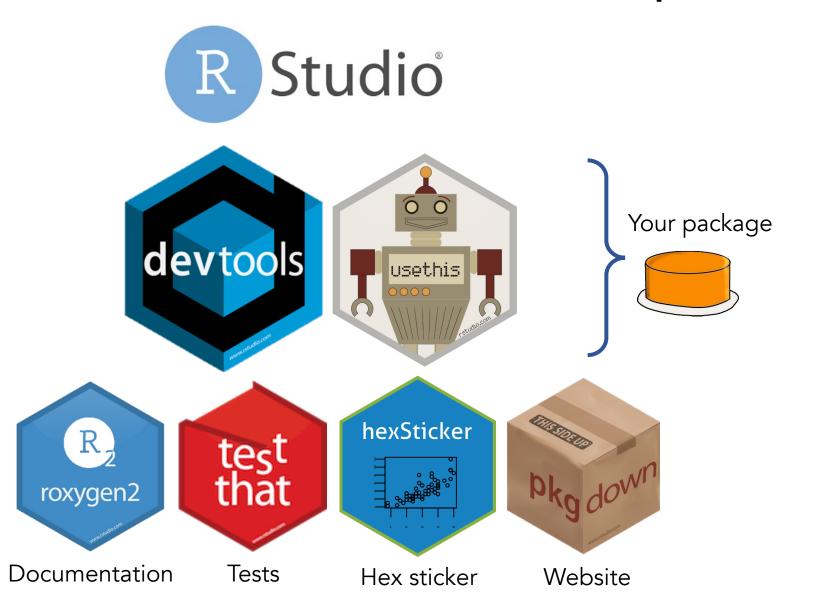
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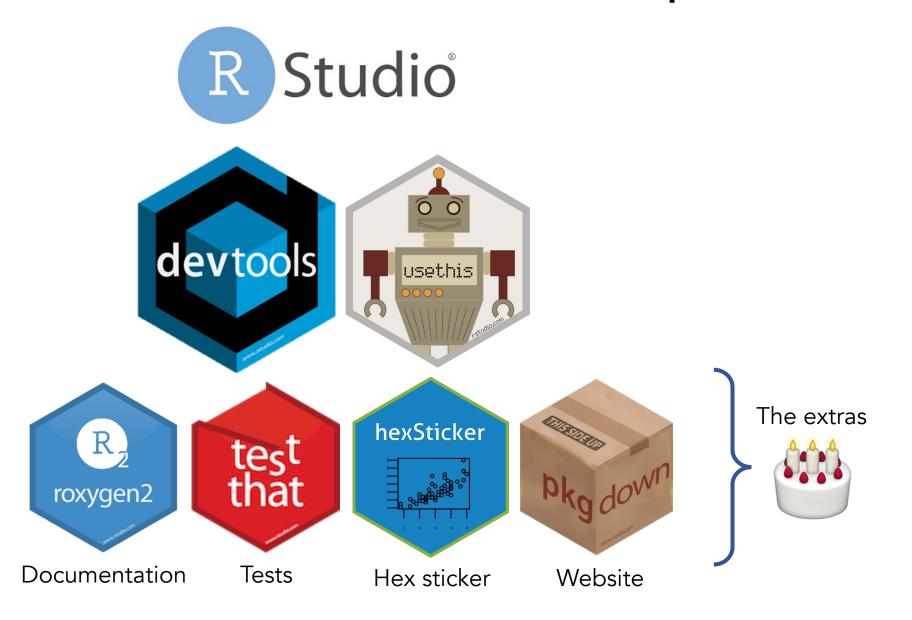
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- Safeguard your future self
- Easy to share
- Tidy way to organise code + data as <u>supplement</u>
- Improves coding + function writing skills
- Opens door for contributing to other packages











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