

STAT13, Lab 1

1 Installing R & R Studio

Please install the most recent version of R & RStudio on your computer. If you do not have a computer, ask a friend or roommate if you can install it on theirs (you can uninstall it when you are done). As proof of completion, issue this command:

```
system("who", intern=TRUE)
```

or if you are running Windows:

```
system("whoami", intern=TRUE)
```

2 Installing Packages

Using R commands (not point and click) demonstrate that you know how to install and load the packages **MASS**, **readr**, and **foreign**. As a proof, issue the relevant commands and display the result.

Application of Basic R Rules

3 Please use R as a calculator and show how to get the answers for:

3A
 $\frac{36^3}{7^8}$

3B
 $6833 - 843$

3C
 $13^{\frac{3}{5}}$

3D
 $6^{\frac{3}{2}}$

3E
$$\frac{6791+2083-296+3359+502-6429+3834}{7}$$

4 Vectors

4.1A Please create a numeric vector with (any) 10 elements that are not in a sequence.

4.1B Please create a numeric vector consisting of the even numbers from 1 to 100.

4.1C Please write a single line of code that will generate a vector of the form $-m^3$, $-(m-1)^3$, \dots , -1 , 0 , 1 , $(m-1)^3$, m^3 for any m .

4.1D Using your 10 element numeric vector from part (a), demonstrate how to divide each element by 4 and then square each the resulting values.

4.1E Show how to square only the 3rd and 9th elements of your 10 element numeric vector from part A (this can be done with a single line of code, no semi colons allowed). Your final result should have 10, not 2 elements and maintain their original ordering.

4.2A Here are four vectors for you to create: A: (2,6,3,4,6,1,2,1,1), B: (2,3,1,1,1,3,5,8,7,3), C: (8,8,7,3,3,4,6,6,1,1), D: (2,3,1,1,7,7,5,7). Which one has the highest mean?

4.3B Which one has the greatest standard deviation?

5 Character (String) and Logical Vectors

5A Create a character vector which looks like this when you print it.

```
## [1] "stat"      "data"      "compute"   "schoenberg" "homework"
## [6] "awesome"   "TA"
```

5B Show how to print the only last two elements of the character vector. This requires only one line of code.

6 Data Frames

6A Demonstrate that you are able to use the function `data()` and that you know what a data frame is by finding a built-in dataset. Please briefly identify the dataset.

6B How many observations and how many variables does your data frame have? Use any R function to reveal this information.

6C Reading in CSV files: Directly load into R, the file found in <http://www.ats.ucla.edu/stat/data/hsb2.csv>.

6D Reading in CSV files: Download the file from part C on to your computer and then read it in.