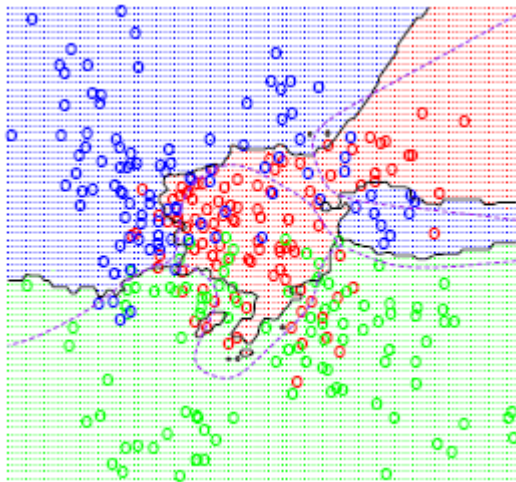


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Tutorial 1: An introduction to R



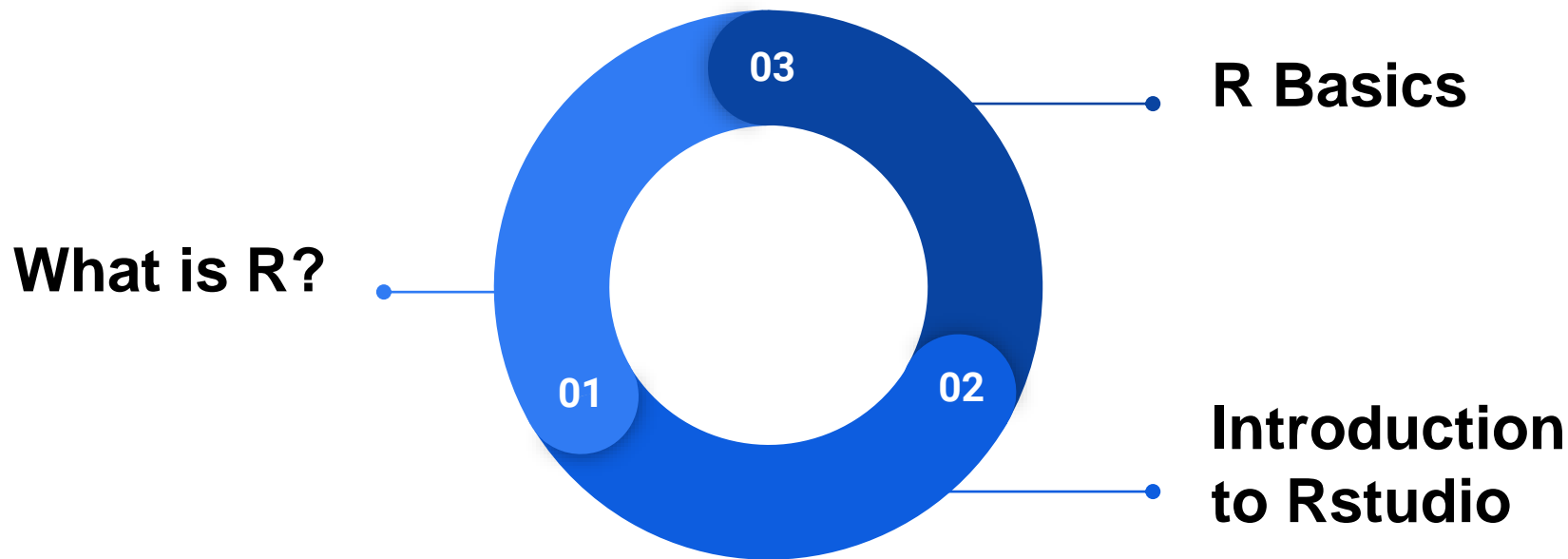
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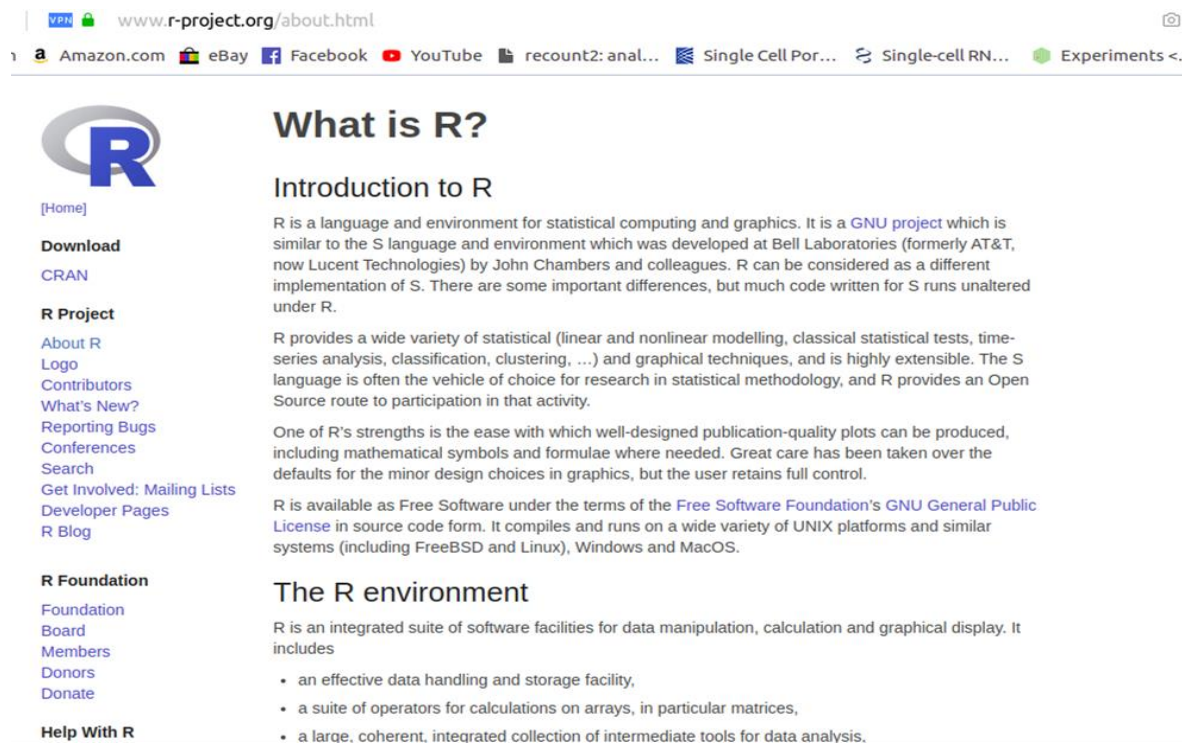
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Introducing R

R is a language and environment for statistical computing and graphics.



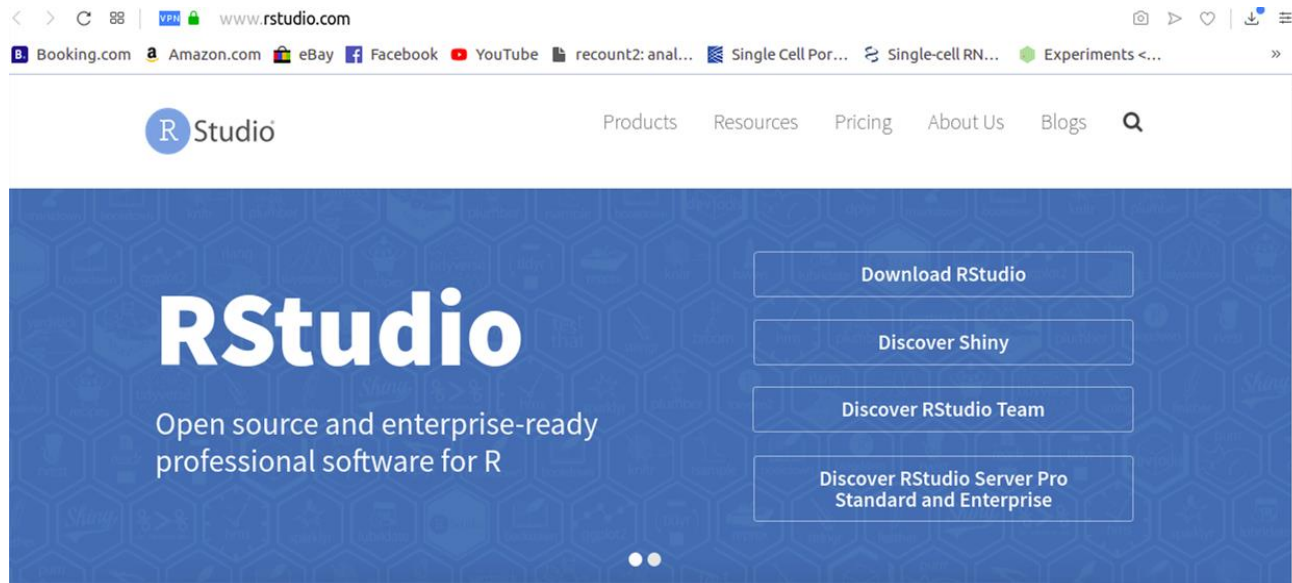
The screenshot shows the R Project website. The browser address bar displays 'www.r-project.org/about.html'. The page title is 'What is R?'. The left sidebar contains navigation links: [Home], Download, CRAN, R Project, About R, Logo, Contributors, What's New?, Reporting Bugs, Conferences, Search, Get Involved: Mailing Lists, Developer Pages, R Blog, R Foundation, Foundation, Board, Members, Donors, Donate, and Help With R. The main content area starts with the heading 'What is R?' followed by 'Introduction to R'. The text describes R as a language and environment for statistical computing and graphics, a GNU project similar to the S language, developed at Bell Laboratories (formerly AT&T, now Lucent Technologies) by John Chambers and colleagues. It mentions that R can be considered a different implementation of S, with some important differences but much code written for S runs unaltered under R. It also states that R provides a wide variety of statistical (linear and nonlinear modelling, classical statistical tests, time-series analysis, classification, clustering, ...) and graphical techniques, and is highly extensible. The S language is often the vehicle of choice for research in statistical methodology, and R provides an Open Source route to participation in that activity. A paragraph follows, stating that one of R's strengths is the ease with which well-designed publication-quality plots can be produced, including mathematical symbols and formulae where needed. Great care has been taken over the defaults for the minor design choices in graphics, but the user retains full control. Another paragraph states that R is available as Free Software under the terms of the Free Software Foundation's GNU General Public License in source code form. It compiles and runs on a wide variety of UNIX platforms and similar systems (including FreeBSD and Linux), Windows and MacOS. The section 'The R environment' follows, stating that R is an integrated suite of software facilities for data manipulation, calculation and graphical display. It includes:

- an effective data handling and storage facility,
- a suite of operators for calculations on arrays, in particular matrices,
- a large, coherent, integrated collection of intermediate tools for data analysis.



Introducing Rstudio

RStudio is an integrated development environment for R



The screenshot shows the RStudio website homepage. The browser address bar displays 'www.rstudio.com'. The website header includes the RStudio logo and navigation links: Products, Resources, Pricing, About Us, and Blogs. The main content area features a large blue banner with the RStudio logo and the text 'Open source and enterprise-ready professional software for R'. To the right of the banner are four buttons: 'Download RStudio', 'Discover Shiny', 'Discover RStudio Team', and 'Discover RStudio Server Pro Standard and Enterprise'.

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Installing R & Rstudio

Download R from <http://cran.us.r-project.org/>

Install R. Leave all default settings in the installation options

Download RStudio from <http://rstudio.org/download/desktop> and install it. Leave all default settings in the installation options



RStudio

The image shows the RStudio desktop environment. It is divided into four main panes, each highlighted with a red box and a number:

- 1- Code Editor:** The top-left pane shows an R script file named 'diamondPricing.R'. The code includes loading the 'ggplot2' library, viewing and summarizing the 'diamonds' dataset, calculating the average carat size, and creating a scatter plot of carat vs. price.
- 2- R Console:** The bottom-left pane shows the output of the R script. It displays summary statistics for the 'diamonds' dataset (Min, 1st Qu., Median, Mean, 3rd Qu., Max) for variables x, y, z, and carat. It also shows the calculated average carat size and the levels of clarity.
- 3- Workspace and History:** The top-right pane shows the 'Workspace' and 'History' tabs. The 'Workspace' tab displays the 'diamonds' dataset with 53940 observations and 10 variables. The 'History' tab shows the executed R commands.
- 4- Plots and files:** The bottom-right pane shows a scatter plot titled 'Diamond Pricing'. The x-axis is labeled 'Carat' and the y-axis is labeled 'Price'. The plot shows a positive correlation between carat weight and price, with points colored by clarity (VS2, VS1, VVS2, VVS1, IF).



Using Projects

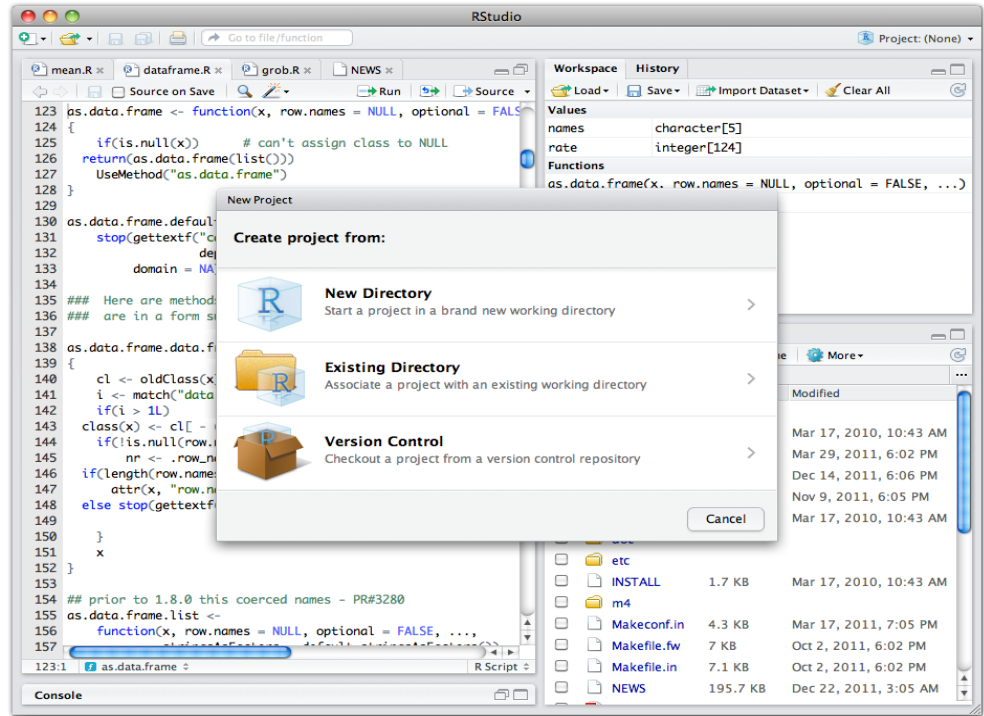
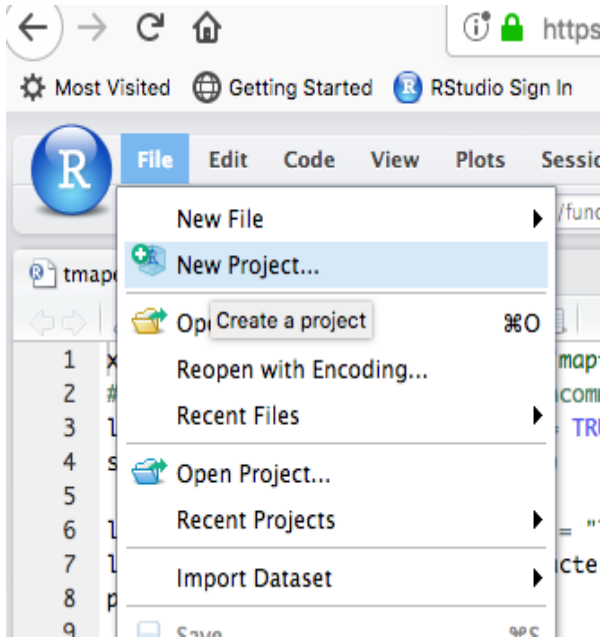
RStudio projects make it straightforward to divide your work into multiple contexts, each with their own working directory, workspace, history, and source documents.

Creating Projects

RStudio projects are associated with R working directories. You can create an RStudio project:

- In a brand new directory
- In an existing directory where you already have R code and data
- By cloning a version control (Git or Subversion) repository

To create a new project use the Create Project command (available on the Projects menu and on the global toolbar)



Packages

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

What Are Repositories?

A repository is a place where packages are located so you can install them from it.

Three of the most popular repositories for R packages are:

CRAN

Bioconductor

Github



Installing Packages

```
install.packages("package") #Installing Packages From CRAN
```

```
if (!requireNamespace("BiocManager", quietly = TRUE))
```

```
  install.packages("BiocManager")
```

```
BiocManager::install()
```

```
#Installing Bioconductor Packages
```

How To Update, Remove , load And Check Installed Packages

```
installed.packages()
```

```
remove.packages()
```

```
old.packages()
```

```
update.packages()
```

```
library() != detach()
```

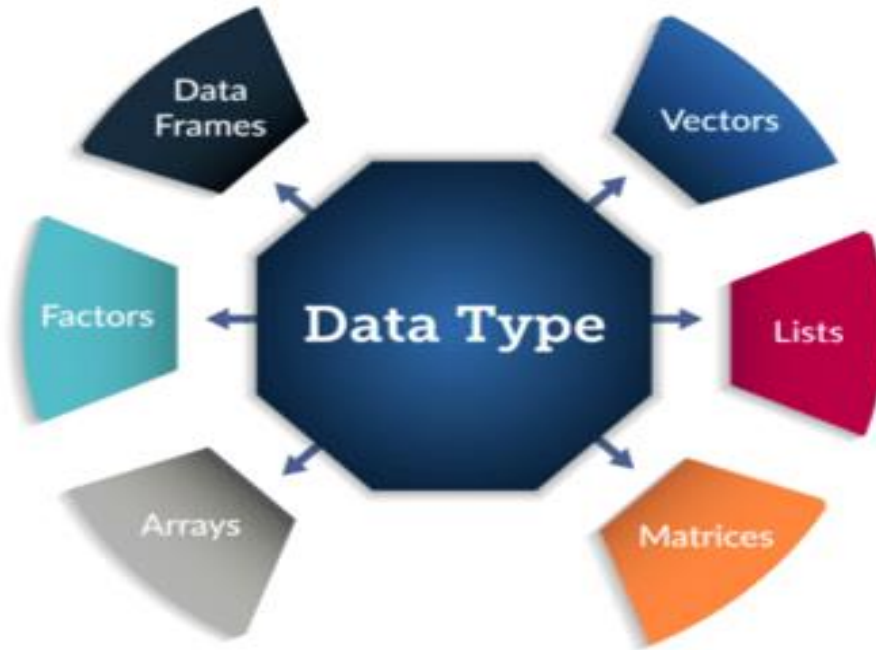


Data Operators in R

| Operator | Description |
|-----------|--------------------------|
| < | Less than |
| <= | Less than or equal to |
| > | Greater than |
| >= | Greater than or equal to |
| == | Exactly equal to |
| != | Not equal to |
| !x | Not x |
| x | y |
| x & y | x AND y |
| isTRUE(x) | Test if X is TRUE |



Data Types



Data Types

Vectors

```
a <- c(1,2,5.3,6,-2,4)
```

Matrices

```
y<-matrix(1:20, nrow=5,ncol=4)
```

Data Frames

```
mydata <- data.frame(d,e,f)
```

Lists

```
w <- list(name="Fred", mynumbers=a, mymatrix=y, age=5.3)
```

Factors

```
gender <- c(rep("male",20), rep("female", 30))
```

```
gender <- factor(gender)
```



Objects Attributes

Objects can have **attributes**. Attributes are part of the object. These include:

- names
- dimnames
- dim
- class
- attributes (contain metadata)
- Length
- Number of characters

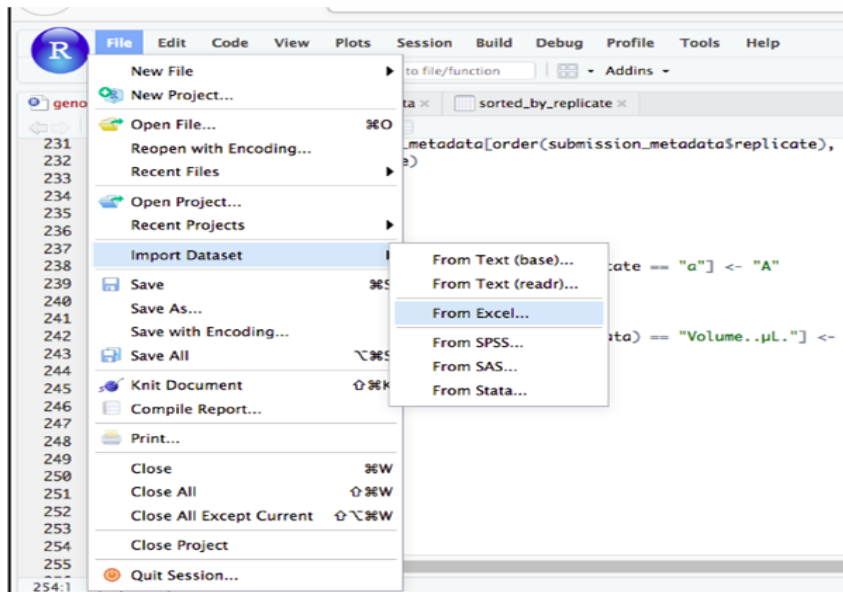


Importing Data in R Studio

`read.table()`

`read.csv()`

Importing data from Excel



save the data frame

```
save(df, file = "df.RData")
```

```
write.csv(df, file = "df.csv")
```

```
write.table()
```

```
fwrite()
```

Save into Rdata

```
saveRDS(object = final_model, file = "final_model.rds")
```

```
save()
```

Exporting to an Excel file

```
WriteXLS()
```



Defining a Function

Functions are defined by code with a specific format:

```
myfunction <- function(arg1, arg2, ...)  
{
```

Statements

```
  return(object)
```

```
}
```

Example of a Function:

```
pow <- function(x, y) {
```

```
  # function to print x raised to the power y
```

```
  result <- x^y
```

```
  print(paste(x,"raised to the power", y, "is",  
             result))
```

```
}
```

```
pow(2,3)
```



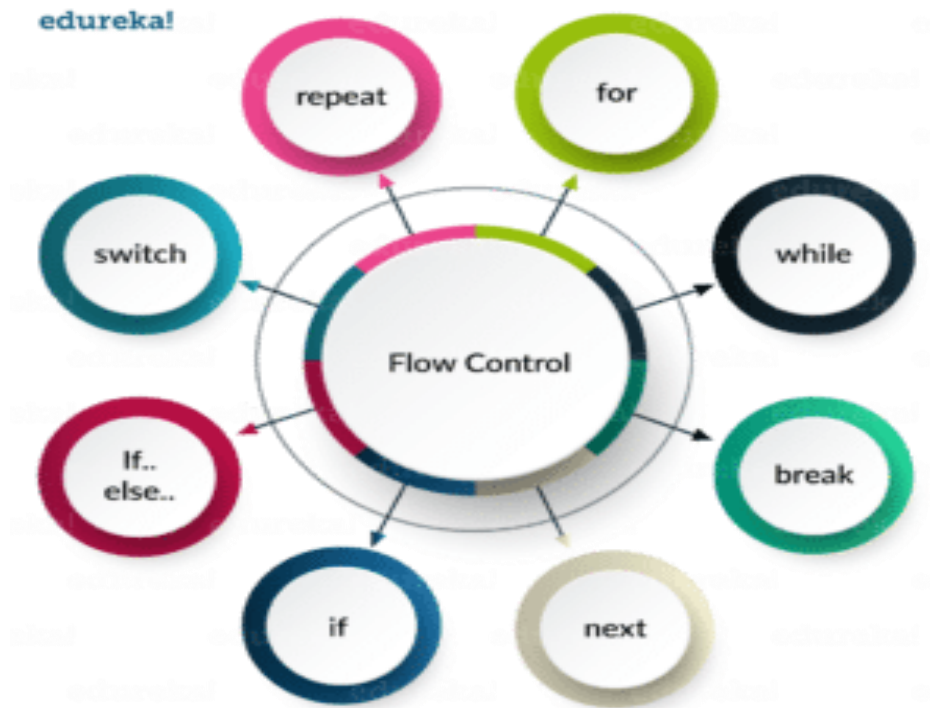
Control Structures in R Programming

In order to control the execution of the expressions flow in R, we make use of the control structures. These control structures are also called as loops in R. There are eight types of control structures in R:

- If
- If-else
- for
- nested loops
- while
- repeat and break
- next
- return



Control Structures in R Programming



<https://www.edureka.co/blog/r-tutorial/>



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Flow Control

If:

```
values <- 1:10
```

```
if (sample(values,1) <= 10)
```

```
  print(paste(values, "is less than or equal to  
10"))
```

For:

```
values <- c(1,2,3,4,5)
```

```
for(id in 1:5){
```

```
  print(values[id])
```

```
}
```

While:

```
x=2
```

```
while(x<1000)
```

```
{
```

```
  x=x^2
```

```
  print(x)
```

```
}
```



References

<https://www.edureka.co/blog/r-tutorial/>

<https://datacarpentry.org/genomics-r-intro/>

http://www.sr.bham.ac.uk/~ajrs/R/r-function_list.html



Thanks!



Useful Functions

`paste(x)` # Concatenate vectors after converting to character

`range(x)` # Returns the minimum and maximum of x

`rep(1,5)` # Repeat the number 1 five times

`rev(x)` # List the elements of "x" in reverse order

`seq(1,10,0.4)` # Generate a sequence (1 -> 10, spaced by 0.4)

`sequence()` # Create a vector of sequences

`sign(x)` # Returns the signs of the elements of x

`sort(x)` # Sort the vector x

`order(x)` # list sorted element numbers of x

`tolower(),toupper()` # Convert string to lower/upper case letters



Useful Functions

`length(object)` # number of elements or components

`str(object)` # structure of an object

`class(object)` # class or type of an object

`names(object)` # names

`c(object,object,...)` # combine objects into a vector

`cbind(object, object, ...)` # combine objects as columns

`rbind(object, object, ...)` # combine objects as rows

`object` # prints the object

`ls()` # list current objects

`rm(object)` # delete an object



Useful Functions

`newobject <- edit(object)` # edit copy and save as newobject

`fix(object)` # edit in place

`head()` # shows first 6 rows

`tail()` # shows last 6 rows

`dim()` # returns the dimensions of data frame (i.e. number of rows and number of columns)

`nrow()` # number of rows

`ncol()` # number of columns

`str()` # structure of data frame - name, type and preview of data in each column

`names()` or `colnames()` # both show the names attribute for a data frame

`apply(dataframe, class)` # shows the class of each column in the data frame



Useful Functions

`unique(x)` # Remove duplicate entries from vector

`system("cmd")` # Execute "cmd" in operating system (outside of R)

`vector()` # Produces a vector of given length and mode

`log(x), logb(), log10(), log2(), exp(), expm1(), log1p(), sqrt()` # Fairly obvious

`cos(), sin(), tan(), acos(), asin(), atan(), atan2()` # Usual stuff

`cosh(), sinh(), tanh(), acosh(), asinh(), atanh()` # Hyperbolic functions

`union(), intersect(), setdiff(), setequal()` # Set operations

`eigen()` # Computes eigenvalues and eigenvectors

`deriv()` # Symbolic and algorithmic derivatives of simple expressions

`integrate()` # Adaptive quadrature over a finite or infinite interval.



Useful Functions

`getwd()` # Return working directory

`setwd()` # Set working directory

`help(package=graphics)` # List all graphics functions

`plot()` # Generic function for plotting of R objects

`par()` # Set or query graphical parameters

`arrows()` # Draw arrows [see errorbar script]

`hist(x)` # Plot a histogram of x

`pairs()` # Plot matrix of scatter plots

`matplot()` # Plot columns of matrices



Useful Functions

`lm` # Fit linear model

`glm` # Fit generalised linear model

`nls` # non-linear (weighted) least-squares fitting

`lqs` # "library(MASS)" resistant regression

`density(x)` # Compute kernel density estimates

`mean(x)`, `weighted.mean(x)`, `median(x)`, `min(x)`, `max(x)`, `quantile(x)`

`rnorm()`, `runif()` # Generate random data with Gaussian/uniform distribution

`sd()` # Calculate standard deviation

`summary(x)` # Returns a summary of x: mean, min, max etc.

`t.test()` # Student's t-test



Useful Functions

| | |
|-----------------------|---|
| <code>var()</code> | <code># Calculate variance</code> |
| <code>sample()</code> | <code># Random samples & permutations</code> |
| <code>getwd()</code> | <code>#shows the current working directory</code> |
| <code>setwd()</code> | <code>#sets the working directory</code> |
| <code>which()</code> | <code>#return the indices of any item that evaluates as TRUE in our comparison</code> |