


- Where do you source your packages from?

Use only SSL/TLS CRAN mirrors externally to prevent

- PITM attacks
- organizational snooping
- nation-state snooping
- ISP snooping.

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CII Best Practices – R Package Leaderboard

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Since my last post on the Core Infrastructure Initiative [CII Best Practices Badge for R Packages – responding to concerns](#), there have been many R language projects started – and completed – on the CII Best Practices site. In this post, we recognize the R projects that have achieved the [CII Best Practices – Passing level](#), and note that several are well on their way to achieving *silver* level. In all, there are more than [50 CII projects related to R packages](#), with the popular **ggplot2** package at the cusp of joining the group below with 97% completion as of this post.

Please congratulate these package owners for their achievement. If you're a package developer, consider adding your package to the CII Best Practices ranks, and work your way through the levels of *passing*, *silver*, and *gold*.

Id	Name	Description	Owner
265	madrid.air	Parse air quality data published by http://datos.madrid.es/	Ramón Novoa
1882	DBI	A database interface (DBI) definition for communication between R and RDBMSs	Kirill Müller
2011	Delaporte	Provides the probability mass, distribution, quantile, random variate generation, and method of moments parameter estimation	Avraham Adler
2022	lamw	Calculates the real-valued branches of the Lambert-W function	Avraham Adler
2033	pade	Returns the numerator and denominator when given a vector of Taylor series coefficients of sufficient length as input	Avraham Adler
2041	fixedWidth	Save fixed width files	Jeston