# R Objects, Workflow, and Functions

## **Vectors**

```
Create a vector!

set.seed(42)
my_unif <- runif(30)
is.vector(my_unif)

[1] TRUE

Subset that object
my_unif[1:10]

[1] 0.9148060 0.9370754 0.2861395 0.8304476 0.6417455 0.5190959 0.7365883
[8] 0.1346666 0.6569923 0.7050648

my_unif[c(1:3, 15:17)]

[1] 0.9148060 0.9370754 0.2861395 0.4622928 0.9400145 0.9782264

Sort the vector
sort(my_unif)
```

```
[1] 0.08243756 0.11748736 0.13466660 0.13871017 0.25542882 0.28613953 [7] 0.39020347 0.44696963 0.45774178 0.46229282 0.47499708 0.51421178 [13] 0.51909595 0.56033275 0.64174552 0.65699229 0.70506478 0.71911225 [19] 0.73658831 0.83044763 0.83600426 0.90403139 0.90573813 0.91480604 [25] 0.93467225 0.93707541 0.94001452 0.94666823 0.97822643 0.98889173
```

Create a vector with strings in it.

```
char_vec <- c('daf', "adf", "E2", '13da')
sort(char_vec)

[1] "13da" "adf" "daf" "E2"</pre>
```

## **Data Frame**

```
data(trees)
trees
```

```
Girth Height Volume
1
    8.3
            70
                 10.3
2
    8.6
                 10.3
            65
3
    8.8
            63
                10.2
4 10.5
            72
                16.4
  10.7
            81
                18.8
6
  10.8
            83
                19.7
7 11.0
            66
                15.6
8
  11.0
            75
                18.2
   11.1
                22.6
9
            80
10 11.2
                19.9
            75
11 11.3
            79
                24.2
12 11.4
                21.0
            76
13 11.4
            76
                 21.4
14 11.7
            69
                21.3
15 12.0
            75
                 19.1
16 12.9
            74
                 22.2
17 12.9
                 33.8
            85
18 13.3
            86
                 27.4
19 13.7
            71
                 25.7
20 13.8
            64
                 24.9
```

```
21 14.0
            78
                 34.5
22 14.2
                31.7
            80
                36.3
23 14.5
            74
24 16.0
            72
                38.3
25 16.3
                42.6
           77
26 17.3
                 55.4
            81
27 17.5
            82
                55.7
28 17.9
                58.3
           80
29 18.0
            80
                51.5
30 18.0
            80
                51.0
31 20.6
            87
                77.0
```

## str(trees)

```
'data.frame': 31 obs. of 3 variables:
```

\$ Girth: num 8.3 8.6 8.8 10.5 10.7 10.8 11 11 11.1 11.2 ...

\$ Height: num 70 65 63 72 81 83 66 75 80 75 ...

\$ Volume: num 10.3 10.3 10.2 16.4 18.8 19.7 15.6 18.2 22.6 19.9 ...

#### Subset a column

## trees\$Height

[1] 70 65 63 72 81 83 66 75 80 75 79 76 76 69 75 74 85 86 71 64 78 80 74 72 77 [26] 81 82 80 80 80 87

Get attributes from the data frame

```
attributes(trees)
```

#### \$names

[1] "Girth" "Height" "Volume"

#### \$class

[1] "data.frame"

#### \$row.names

[1] 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 [26] 26 27 28 29 30 31

```
names(trees)
[1] "Girth" "Height" "Volume"
  colnames(trees)[2:3]
[1] "Height" "Volume"
Lists
Investigating data frame from before
  is.list(trees)
[1] TRUE
  is.data.frame(trees)
[1] TRUE
Can subset as a list
  trees[1:2]
   Girth Height
1
     8.3
              70
2
     8.6
              65
3
     8.8
              63
    10.5
              72
    10.7
              81
6
    10.8
              83
    11.0
7
              66
8
    11.0
              75
9
    11.1
              80
10 11.2
              75
```

11 11.3

79

```
12 11.4
            76
13 11.4
            76
14 11.7
            69
15 12.0
            75
16 12.9
            74
17 12.9
            85
18 13.3
            86
19 13.7
            71
20 13.8
            64
21 14.0
            78
22 14.2
            80
23 14.5
            74
24 16.0
            72
25 16.3
            77
26 17.3
            81
27 17.5
            82
28 17.9
            80
29 18.0
            80
30 18.0
            80
31 20.6
            87
```

### trees[[2]]

[1] 70 65 63 72 81 83 66 75 80 75 79 76 76 69 75 74 85 86 71 64 78 80 74 72 77 [26] 81 82 80 80 87

Look at linear model fit

```
fit <- lm(Volume ~ Height + Girth, data = trees)</pre>
```

Look at structure but restrict info:

```
str(fit, max.level = 1)
```

```
List of 12
```

```
$ coefficients : Named num [1:3] -57.988 0.339 4.708
..- attr(*, "names")= chr [1:3] "(Intercept)" "Height" "Girth"
$ residuals : Named num [1:31] 5.462 5.746 5.383 0.526 -1.069 ...
..- attr(*, "names")= chr [1:31] "1" "2" "3" "4" ...
$ effects : Named num [1:31] -167.985 53.863 69.159 -0.884 -2.007 ...
```

```
..- attr(*, "names")= chr [1:31] "(Intercept)" "Height" "Girth" "" ...
$ rank
              : int 3
$ fitted.values: Named num [1:31] 4.84 4.55 4.82 15.87 19.87 ...
 ..- attr(*, "names")= chr [1:31] "1" "2" "3" "4" ...
             : int [1:3] 0 1 2
$ assign
              :List of 5
$ qr
 ..- attr(*, "class")= chr "qr"
$ df.residual : int 28
$ xlevels
             : Named list()
$ call
             : language lm(formula = Volume ~ Height + Girth, data = trees)
              :Classes 'terms', 'formula' language Volume ~ Height + Girth
$ terms
 ... - attr(*, "variables")= language list(Volume, Height, Girth)
 ....- attr(*, "factors")= int [1:3, 1:2] 0 1 0 0 0 1
 ..... attr(*, "dimnames")=List of 2
 ....- attr(*, "term.labels")= chr [1:2] "Height" "Girth"
 ... - attr(*, "order")= int [1:2] 1 1
 .. ..- attr(*, "intercept")= int 1
 ... - attr(*, "response")= int 1
 ...- attr(*, ".Environment")=<environment: R_GlobalEnv>
 ... - attr(*, "predvars")= language list(Volume, Height, Girth)
 ... - attr(*, "dataClasses")= Named chr [1:3] "numeric" "numeric" "numeric"
 ..... attr(*, "names")= chr [1:3] "Volume" "Height" "Girth"
              :'data.frame': 31 obs. of 3 variables:
 ..- attr(*, "terms")=Classes 'terms', 'formula' language Volume ~ Height + Girth
 ..... attr(*, "variables")= language list(Volume, Height, Girth)
 ..... attr(*, "factors")= int [1:3, 1:2] 0 1 0 0 0 1
 ..... attr(*, "dimnames")=List of 2
 ..... attr(*, "term.labels")= chr [1:2] "Height" "Girth"
 ..... attr(*, "order")= int [1:2] 1 1
 .. .. ..- attr(*, "intercept")= int 1
 ..... attr(*, "response")= int 1
 ..... attr(*, ".Environment")=<environment: R_GlobalEnv>
 ..... attr(*, "predvars")= language list(Volume, Height, Girth)
 ..... attr(*, "dataClasses")= Named chr [1:3] "numeric" "numeric" "numeric"
 ..... attr(*, "names")= chr [1:3] "Volume" "Height" "Girth"
- attr(*, "class")= chr "lm"
```

Some helper functions exist

```
fit$coefficients
```

(Intercept) Height Girth

```
-57.9876589
             0.3392512
                        4.7081605
  coef(fit)
(Intercept)
               Height
                            Girth
-57.9876589
                        4.7081605
             0.3392512
  fit$residuals
                                3
            5.74614837
                       5.46234035
                    8
                                9
                                          10
                                                     11
-0.59268807 -1.04594918
                       1.18697860 -0.28758128
                                             2.18459773 -0.46846462
        13
                   14
                               15
                                          16
                                                     17
            0.79384587 -4.85410969 -5.65220290
-0.06846462
                                             2.21603352 -6.40648192
                                                     23
        19
                   20
                               21
                                          22
-4.90097760 -3.79703501
                      0.11181561 -4.30831896
                                             0.91474029 -3.46899800
        25
                               27
                                          28
                                                     29
                   26
                                                                 30
-2.27770232 4.45713224 3.47624891 4.87148717 -2.39932888 -2.89932888
8.48469518
  #no helper for rank: rank(fit)
```

## if/then/else

Fizz buzz challenge

- take in a number
- if it is divisible by 3 return fizz
- if it is divisible by 5 return buzz
- if it is divisible by 15 return fizz buzz

```
number <- 2
if((number %% 15) == 0) {
  print("fizz buzz")
} else if ((number %% 5) == 0){
  print("buzz")</pre>
```

```
} else if ((number %% 3) == 0){
    print("fizz")
} else {
    print("whoops?")
}

[1] "whoops?"

#if(!(number %% 15))
```

## Loops

Wrap the fizz buzz code into a loop to check for multiple values.

```
for(number in -1:41){
    if((number \%\% 15) == 0) {
      print("fizz buzz")
    } else if ((number \%\% 5) == 0){
      print("buzz")
    } else if ((number \%\% 3) == 0){
      print("fizz")
    } else {
      print("whoops?")
    }
  }
[1] "whoops?"
[1] "fizz buzz"
[1] "whoops?"
[1] "whoops?"
[1] "fizz"
[1] "whoops?"
[1] "buzz"
[1] "fizz"
[1] "whoops?"
[1] "whoops?"
[1] "fizz"
[1] "buzz"
```

```
[1] "whoops?"
```

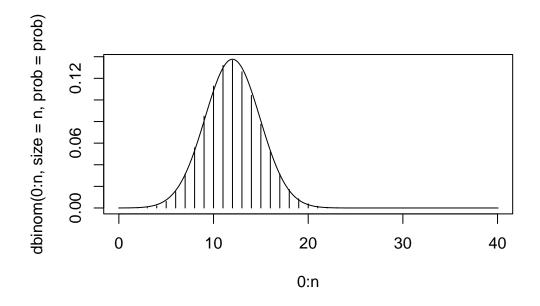
- [1] "fizz"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "fizz buzz"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "fizz"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "buzz"
- [1] "fizz"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "fizz"
- [1] "buzz"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "fizz"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "fizz buzz"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "fizz"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "buzz"
- [1] "fizz"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "whoops?"
- [1] "fizz"
- [1] "buzz"
- [1] "whoops?"

## Writing R Functions

Normal approximation to the binomial.

```
n <- 40
prob <- 0.3
#probabilities from a binomial RV
dbinom(0:n, size = n, prob = prob)</pre>
```

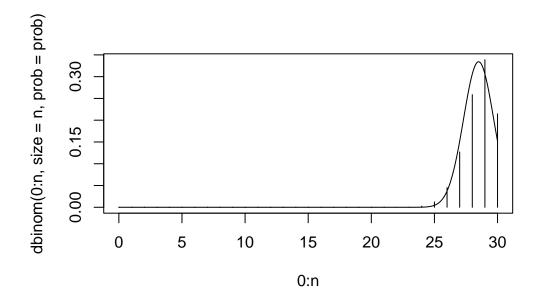
```
[1] 6.366806e-07 1.091452e-05 9.121424e-05 4.951630e-04 1.962968e-03
 [6] 6.057157e-03 1.514289e-02 3.152194e-02 5.572629e-02 8.491625e-02
[11] 1.128173e-01 1.318644e-01 1.365738e-01 1.260681e-01 1.041992e-01
[16] 7.740510e-02 5.183378e-02 3.136161e-02 1.717422e-02 8.522543e-03
[21] 3.835144e-03 1.565365e-03 5.793884e-04 1.943290e-04 5.899274e-05
[26] 1.618087e-05 4.000763e-06 8.890585e-07 1.769045e-07 3.137223e-08
[31] 4.929921e-09 6.815560e-10 8.215184e-11 8.535256e-12 7.531108e-13
[36] 5.533059e-14 3.293487e-15 1.525940e-16 5.162955e-18 1.134715e-19
[41] 1.215767e-21
  #plot with plot
  plot(0:n,
       dbinom(0:n, size = n, prob = prob),
       type = "h")
  norm_x \leftarrow seq(from = 0, to = n, length = 1000)
  lines(norm_x,
        dnorm(norm_x, mean = n*prob, sd = sqrt(n*prob*(1-prob)))
  )
```



Let's write a function to make this plot for any n and p we give it.

### Test it

```
plot_norm_approx(30, 0.95)
```



Add some default values.

```
plot_norm_approx <- function(n = 30, prob = 0.5){
    #plot with plot</pre>
```

## Test it

```
plot_norm_approx(prob = 0.1, 50)
```

