

Assignment 1 - Penguins Dataset

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Purpose

Set up R/RStudio/GitHub and demonstrate basic data analysis steps in R using a dataset.

Dataset and Source

We use the Palmer Penguins dataset (with a mix of quantitative + categorical variables).

Source:

<https://raw.githubusercontent.com/allisonhorst/palmerpenguins/main/inst/extdata/penguins.csv>

Import dataset

```
penguins <- read.csv(
  "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/allisonhorst/palmerpenguins/main/inst/extdata/penguins.csv"
)

## Plot Points
summary(penguins$bill_length_mm) #Quantitative

##   Min. 1st Qu.  Median    Mean 3rd Qu.    Max.    NA's
##  32.10  39.23  44.45  43.92  48.50  59.60      2

summary(penguins$body_mass_g)    #Quantitative

##   Min. 1st Qu.  Median    Mean 3rd Qu.    Max.    NA's
##  2700   3550   4050   4202   4750   6300      2

table(penguins$species)          #Categorical

##
##   Adelie Chinstrap   Gentoo
##    152      68     124

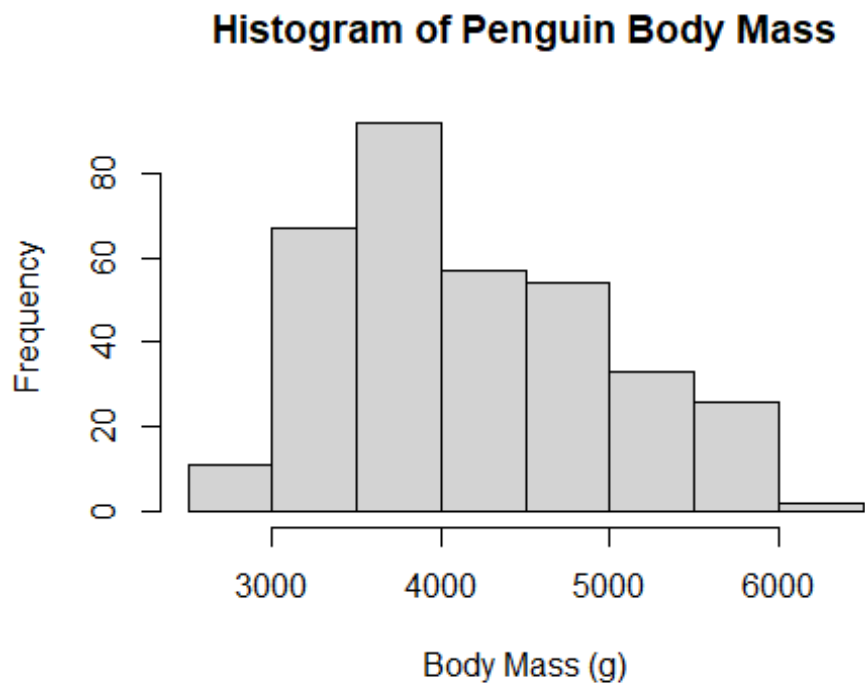
table(penguins$sex)              #Categorical

##
## female   male
##    165    168

# Transform Var
penguins$body_mass_z <- scale(penguins$body_mass_g)
head(penguins$body_mass_z)
```

```
##           [,1]
## [1,] -0.5633167
## [2,] -0.5009690
## [3,] -1.1867934
## [4,]          NA
## [5,] -0.9374027
## [6,] -0.6880121

# Quantitative Plot
hist(penguins$body_mass_g,
     main = "Histogram of Penguin Body Mass",
     xlab = "Body Mass (g)")
```



```
# Scatterplot
plot(penguins$bill_length_mm, penguins$flipper_length_mm,
     xlab = "Bill Length (mm)",
     ylab = "Flipper Length (mm)",
     main = "Scatterplot: Bill Length vs Flipper Length")
```

Scatterplot: Bill Length vs Flipper Length

