

# Problem set 1

due Monday, September 8, 2025 at 11:59am

**Instructions** Upload your `.ipynb` notebook to gradescope by 11:59am on the due date. Please include your name, Problem set 1, and any collaborators you worked with in a text cell at the top of your notebook. Please also number your problems in some way and include comments in your code to indicate what part of a problem you are working on.

## Problem 1

Suppose you tracked the number of hours you spent each day talking to an AI for a week. Create a vector with the following values and store it as `ai_hours`: 2 3 4 2 5 0 4. Use R's built-in functions to calculate the total number of hours you talked to the AI that week, the average number of hours per day, and the minimum number of hours spent in a single day. Finally, perform a comparison operation on the `ai_hours` vector to determine which days you spent less than two hours talking to the AI.

## Problem 2

Create the matrix given below and store it as `my_matrix`. Use an R function to return what type of object `my_matrix` is. Then, perform a mathematical operation on the matrix by multiplying every element by 2. Using the original matrix, perform another operation by adding 10 to every element.

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]
[1,]	10	13	16
[2,]	11	14	17
[3,]	12	15	18

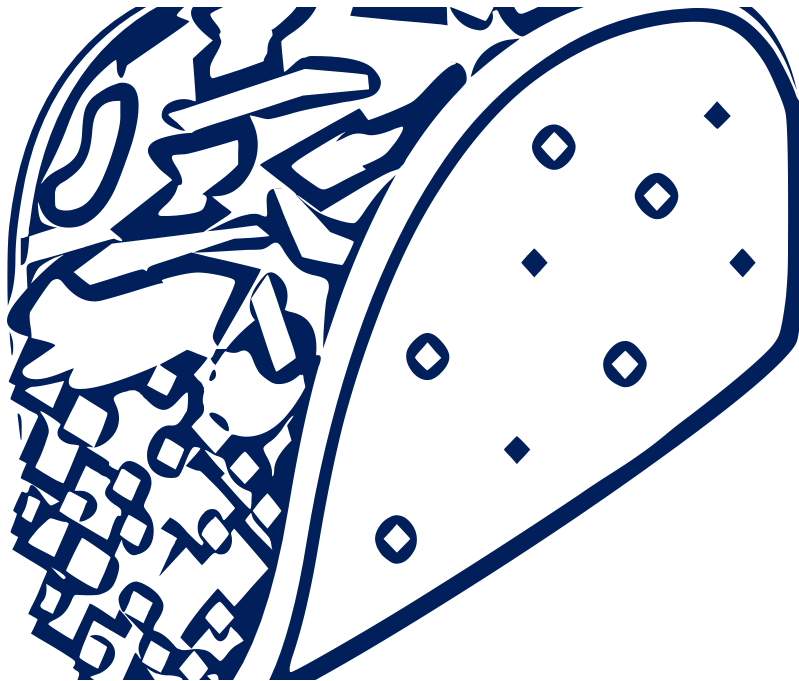
### Problem 3

Use `data.frame()` to create the dataframe shown below. Store the dataframe as `syntax`. Return the dataframe. Then use one of R's built in functions to return the structure of the data frame.

	sentence	grammatical	rt_ms	confidence
1	The cat chased the mouse.	TRUE	1200	5
2	The mouse the cat chased.	FALSE	1800	2
3	Chased the cat the mouse.	FALSE	2000	1
4	The cat, it chased the mouse.	TRUE	1500	4

### Problem 4

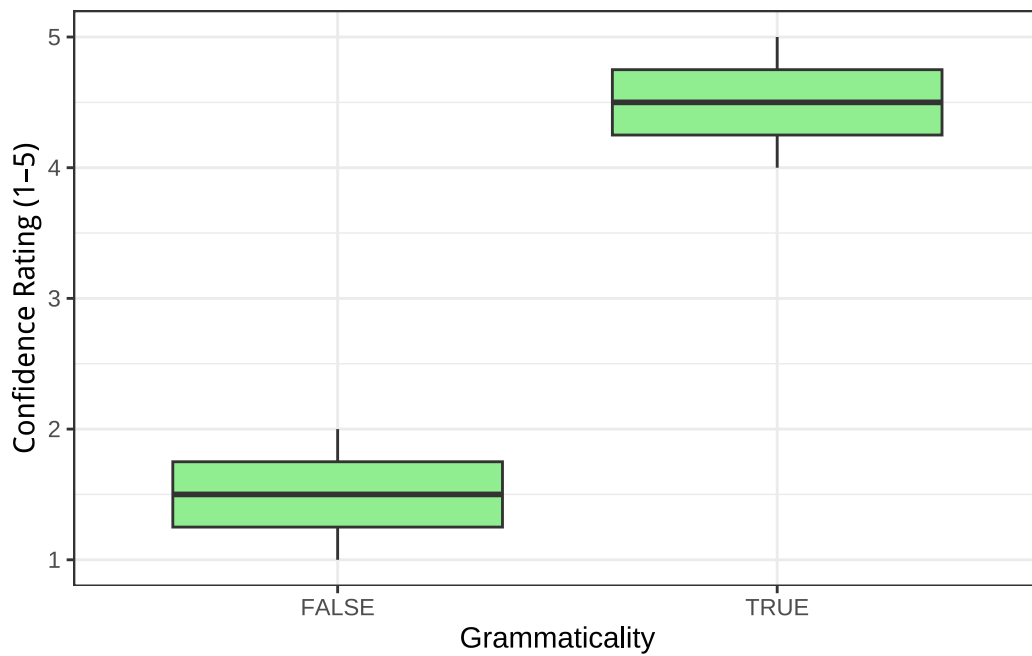
Use `ggplot` and the `emojifont` package to create the following figure! A good place to start is reading the [emojifont package docs](#). Also note that the color aesthetic is set to Penn Blue! Find the hex code for that precise color [here](#).



### Problem 5

Using the data frame you generated in question 3, recreate the following figure as faithfully as possible. You will need to adjust at least the `fill`, the `theme`, the `base size` of the font, and

some axis labels.



## Problem 6

Using the data frame you generated in question 3, recreate the following figure as faithfully as possible. You will need to adjust at least the **color** and **size** aesthetics. You'll need to add more than one **geom**. You'll also need to edit the **theme**, the **base size** of the font and many labels.

Confidence vs. Reaction Time by Gramma

