

LAB 01

AML

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Getting Started

Using the Console as a calculator

You can use the Console just like a calculator (a very sophisticated calculator). Try performing some calculations:

```
1+1

## [1] 2

3*4

## [1] 12

24/6

## [1] 4

(2*10) - (3*4)

## [1] 8

2^3

## [1] 8

8^(1/3)

## [1] 2
```

R has built in mathematical functions, for example:

```
sqrt(25) #square root

## [1] 5

log(1) #natural log

## [1] 0
```

You can store the results of your calculations in your work environment by giving them names. In order to name any kind of object you use "<". Lets try:

```
my.sum <- 10 + 10 # save result
my.sum # display result

## [1] 20
```

Once you store an object in your environment you can interact with it directly by using its name:

```
my.sum/10

## [1] 2
```

Loading Data in Rstudio

```
setwd("/Users/andrea/Desktop/UEA/Classes/Econometrics/Data") #change the file's path to your own
load("ceosal2.RData")
```

Explore Data in R

During this class we will work with a data format called "data.table". In order to convert your data into this format you will need to do the following:

```
# install.packages("data.table") -> install if you haven't done before
library(data.table)
dt.ceo.salaries <- data.table(data)
```

You can see that a new object "dt.ceo.salaries" appeared in your work environment. This is a duplicate of the dataset "data". As we don't need the original dataset we can delete it by typing the following:

```
rm(data) # -> remove
```

There are many options for exploring your data in R. Let's see some of them:

```
colnames(dt.ceo.salaries)

## [1] "salary" "age" "college" "grad" "comten" "ceoten"
## [7] "sales" "profits" "mktval" "lsalary" "lsales" "lmktval"
## [13] "comtensq" "ceotensq" "profmarg"
```

```
ncol(dt.ceo.salaries) #count the columns

## [1] 15
```

```
nrow(dt.ceo.salaries) #count the rows (n. of observations)

## [1] 177
```

```
head(dt.ceo.salaries) #first rows
```

```
## salary age college grad comten ceoten sales profits mktval lsalary lsales
## 1: 1161 49 1 1 9 2 6200 966 23200 7.057037 8.732305
## 2: 600 43 1 1 10 10 283 48 1100 6.396930 5.645447
## 3: 379 51 1 1 9 3 169 40 1100 5.937536 5.129899
## 4: 651 55 1 0 22 22 1100 -54 1000 6.478509 7.003066
## 5: 497 44 1 1 8 6 351 28 387 6.208590 5.860786
## 6: 1067 64 1 1 7 7 19000 614 3900 6.972606 9.852194
## lmktval comtensq ceotensq profmarg
## 1: 10.051908 81 4 15.580646
## 2: 7.003066 100 100 16.961130
## 3: 7.003066 81 9 23.668638
## 4: 6.907755 484 484 -4.909091
## 5: 5.958425 64 36 7.977208
## 6: 8.268732 49 49 3.231579
```

```
tail(dt.ceo.salaries) #last rows
```

```
## salary age college grad comten ceoten sales profits mktval lsalary lsales
## 1: 218 57 1 1 33 5 504 41 421 5.384495 6.222576
## 2: 264 63 1 0 42 3 334 43 480 5.575949 5.811141
## 3: 185 58 1 0 39 1 766 49 560 5.220356 6.641182
## 4: 387 71 1 1 32 13 432 28 477 5.958425 6.068426
## 5: 2220 63 1 1 18 18 277 -80 540 7.705263 5.624018
## 6: 445 69 1 0 23 0 249 31 828 6.098074 5.517453
## lmktval comtensq ceotensq profmarg
## 1: 6.042633 1089 25 8.134921
## 2: 6.173786 1764 9 12.74251
## 3: 6.327937 1521 1 6.396867
## 4: 6.167517 1024 169 6.481482
## 5: 6.291569 324 324 -28.880867
## 6: 6.719013 529 0 12.449800
```

```
dt.ceo.salaries #view all the dataset
```

```
## salary age college grad comten ceoten sales profits mktval lsalary
## 1: 1161 49 1 1 9 2 6200 966 23200 7.057037
## 2: 600 43 1 1 10 10 283 48 1100 6.396930
## 3: 379 51 1 1 9 3 169 40 1100 5.937536
## 4: 651 55 1 0 22 22 1100 -54 1000 6.478509
## 5: 497 44 1 1 8 6 351 28 387 6.208590
## ---
## 173: 264 63 1 0 42 3 334 43 480 5.575949
## 174: 185 58 1 0 39 1 766 49 560 5.220356
## 175: 387 71 1 1 32 13 432 28 477 5.958425
## 176: 2220 63 1 1 18 18 277 -80 540 7.705263
## 177: 445 69 1 0 23 0 249 31 828 6.098074
## lsales lmktval comtensq ceotensq profmarg
## 1: 8.732305 10.051908 81 4 15.580646
## 2: 5.645447 7.003066 100 100 16.961130
## 3: 5.129899 7.003066 81 9 23.668638
## 4: 7.003066 6.907755 484 484 -4.909091
## 5: 5.860786 5.958425 64 36 7.977208
## ---
## 173: 5.811141 6.173786 1764 9 12.874251
## 174: 6.641182 6.327937 1521 1 6.396867
## 175: 6.068426 6.167517 1024 169 6.481482
## 176: 5.624018 6.291569 324 324 -28.880867
## 177: 5.517453 6.719013 529 0 12.449800
```

```
dt.ceo.salaries[1, ] #show first row and all columns
```

```
## salary age college grad comten ceoten sales profits mktval lsalary lsales
## 1: 1161 49 1 1 9 2 6200 966 23200 7.057037 8.732305
## lmktval comtensq ceotensq profmarg
## 1: 10.05191 81 4 15.58065
```

```
dt.ceo.salaries[, salary] # shows all rows of variable "salary"
```

```
## [1] 1161 600 379 651 497 1067 945 1261 503 1094 601 355 1200 697 1041
## [16] 245 817 1675 971 609 470 867 752 246 825 358 1162 270 829 300
## [31] 1627 1237 540 1798 474 1336 541 129 1700 1750 624 791 1487 2021 1550
## [46] 401 1295 449 456 1142 577 600 649 822 1080 1738 581 912 650 2159
## [61] 609 1946 552 481 526 471 630 622 999 585 1107 1099 425 2792 350
## [76] 363 2265 377 879 720 950 1143 1064 1253 462 174 474 1248 1101 348
## [91] 650 875 1600 1500 323 459 925 375 447 1340 1749 491 5299 431 729
## [106] 1284 1373 989 515 1301 834 849 100 679 567 559 704 308 1392 389
## [121] 790 396 398 707 984 410 1095 694 834 1630 493 625 483 733 2102
## [136] 853 345 800 764 806 310 1119 1287 1170 880 1091 1100 650 607 1133
## [151] 393 605 1444 1033 1142 537 693 439 358 1276 873 537 713 1350 1268
## [166] 465 693 369 381 467 559 218 264 185 387 2220 445
```

```
dt.ceo.salaries[1, salary] # shows first row of variable "salary"
```

```
## [1] 1161
```

```
dt.ceo.salaries[1:10, list(salary, age)] # shows first ten rows of the variables "salary" and "age"
```

```
## salary age
## 1: 1161 49
## 2: 600 43
## 3: 379 51
## 4: 651 55
## 5: 497 44
## 6: 1067 64
## 7: 945 59
## 8: 1261 63
## 9: 503 47
## 10: 1094 64
```

```
dt.ceo.salaries[order(age)] # order ascending (default)
```

```
## salary age college grad comten ceoten sales profits mktval lsalary
## 1: 1091 33 1 0 9 9 181 36 1300 6.994850
## 2: 607 38 1 1 7 3 231 38 599 6.408529
## 3: 323 39 1 1 15 3 637 63 517 5.777652
## 4: 1630 39 1 1 8 8 227 27 822 7.396335
## 5: 474 40 1 0 18 1 2700 117 2000 6.161207
## ---
## 173: 971 72 1 1 33 24 1400 69 609 6.878326
## 174: 1946 73 1 0 25 21 7800 484 8000 7.573531
## 175: 300 77 0 0 45 26 6900 483 4700 5.703783
## 176: 396 80 1 0 58 28 513 53 963 5.981414
## 177: 425 86 1 1 13 13 36 11 644 6.052089
## lsales lmktval comtensq ceotensq profmarg
## 1: 5.198497 7.170120 81 81 19.889503
## 2: 5.442418 6.395262 49 9 16.450216
## 3: 6.456769 6.248043 225 9 9.890110
## 4: 5.424950 6.711740 64 64 11.894273
## 5: 7.901007 7.600903 324 1 4.333333
## ---
## 173: 7.244227 6.411819 1089 576 4.928571
## 174: 8.961879 6.987197 625 441 6.205128
## 175: 8.839276 8.455317 2025 676 7.000000
## 176: 6.240276 6.870053 3364 784 10.331384
## 177: 3.583519 6.467699 169 169 30.555555
```

```
dt.ceo.salaries[order(-age)] # order descending
```

```
## salary age college grad comten ceoten sales profits mktval lsalary
## 1: 425 86 1 1 13 13 36 11 644 6.052089
## 2: 396 80 1 0 58 28 513 53 963 5.981414
## 3: 300 77 0 0 45 26 6900 483 4700 5.703783
## 4: 1946 73 1 0 25 21 7800 484 8000 7.573531
## 5: 1200 72 1 0 37 37 796 35 678 7.090077
## ---
## 173: 310 40 1 0 18 1 2400 60 1300 5.736572
## 174: 323 39 1 1 15 3 637 63 517 5.777652
## 175: 1630 39 1 1 8 8 227 27 822 7.396335
## 176: 607 38 1 1 7 3 231 38 599 6.408529
## 177: 1091 33 1 0 9 9 181 36 1300 6.994850
## lsales lmktval comtensq ceotensq profmarg
## 1: 3.583519 6.467699 169 169 30.555555
## 2: 6.240276 6.870053 3364 784 10.331384
## 3: 8.839276 8.455317 2025 676 7.000000
## 4: 8.961879 6.987197 625 441 6.205128
## 5: 6.79599 6.519147 1369 1369 4.396985
## ---
## 173: 7.783224 7.170120 324 1 2.500000
## 174: 6.456769 6.248043 225 9 9.890110
## 175: 5.424950 6.711740 64 64 11.894273
## 176: 5.442418 6.395262 49 9 16.450216
## 177: 5.198497 7.170120 81 81 19.889503
```

```
dt.ceo.salaries[age<=45,] # select only CEOs with less than 45 years
```

```
## salary age college grad comten ceoten sales profits mktval lsalary
## 1: 600 43 1 1 10 10 283 48 1100 6.396930
## 2: 497 44 1 1 8 6 351 28 387 6.208590
## 3: 245 44 1 1 7 7 135 24 558 5.501258
## 4: 270 43 1 0 15 2 150 28 713 5.598422
## 5: 474 40 1 0 18 1 2700 117 2000 6.161207
## 6: 649 44 1 1 4 4 336 17 475 6.475433
## 7: 526 45 1 0 8 7 2400 106 2000 6.265301
## 8: 2792 40 1 0 11 11 534 35 888 7.934514
## 9: 377 45 1 0 7 5 238 57 1200 5.932245
## 10: 348 43 1 1 12 10 586 79 1400 5.852202
## 11: 323 39 1 1 15 3 637 63 517 5.777652
## 12: 491 43 1 1 21 2 561 54 521 6.196444
## 13: 989 40 1 0 18 5 439 30 582 6.896694
## 14: 308 45 1 1 14 14 210 39 1900 5.730100
## 15: 1630 39 1 1 8 8 227 27 822 7.396335
## 16: 310 40 1 0 18 1 2400 60 1300 5.736572
## 17: 1091 33 1 0 9 9 181 36 1300 6.994850
## 18: 607 38 1 1 7 3 231 38 599 6.408529
## 19: 673 42 1 0 17 12 1400 206 3000 6.541030
## 20: 893 41 1 1 2 2 149 21 567 6.771935
## lsales lmktval comtensq ceotensq profmarg
## 1: 5.645447 7.003066 100 100 16.961130
## 2: 5.860786 5.958425 64 36 7.977208
## 3: 4.905275 6.324359 49 49 17.777779
## 4: 5.010635 6.569481 225 4 18.666666
## 5: 7.901007 7.600903 324 1 4.333333
## 6: 5.817111 6.163315 16 16 5.059524
## 7: 7.783224 7.600903 64 49 4.416667
## 8: 6.280396 6.788972 121 121 6.554307
## 9: 5.472270 7.090077 49 25 23.949579
## 10: 6.373320 7.244227 144 100 13.481229
## 11: 6.456769 6.248043 225 9 9.890110
## 12: 6.329721 6.255750 441 4 9.625669
## 13: 6.084499 6.366470 324 25 6.833713
## 14: 5.347107 7.549609 196 196 18.571428
## 15: 5.424950 6.711740 64 64 11.894273
## 16: 7.783224 7.170120 324 1 2.500000
## 17: 5.198497 7.170120 81 81 19.889503
## 18: 5.442418 6.395262 49 9 16.450216
## 19: 7.244227 8.006368 289 144 14.714286
## 20: 5.003946 6.340359 4 4 14.093960
```

```
dt.young.ceo.salaries <- dt.ceo.salaries[age<=45,] # creates a new data table
dt.ceo.salaries[age<=45 & grad==1,] #subsetting multiple conditions
```

```
## salary age college grad comten ceoten sales profits mktval lsalary
## 1: 600 43 1 1 10 10 283 48 1100 6.396930
## 2: 497 44 1 1 8 6 351 28 387 6.208590
## 3: 245 44 1 1 7 7 135 24 558 5.501258
## 4: 649 44 1 1 4 4 336 17 475 6.475433
## 5: 348 43 1 1 12 10 586 79 1400 5.852202
## 6: 323 39 1 1 15 3 637 63 517 5.777652
## 7: 491 43 1 1 21 2 561 54 521 6.196444
## 8: 308 45 1 1 14 14 210 39 1900 5.730100
## 9: 1630 39 1 1 8 8 227 27 822 7.396335
## 10: 607 38 1 1 7 3 231 38 599 6.408529
## 11: 873 41 1 1 2 2 149 21 567 6.771935
## lsales lmktval comtensq ceotensq profmarg
## 1: 5.645447 7.003066 100 100 16.961130
## 2: 5.860786 5.958425 64 36 7.977208
## 3: 4.905275 6.324359 49 49 17.777779
## 4: 5.817111 6.163315 16 16 5.059524
## 5: 6.456769 6.248043 225 9 9.890110
## 6: 6.329721 6.255750 441 4 9.625669
## 7: 5.347107 7.549609 196 196 18.571428
## 8: 5.424950 6.711740 64 64 11.894273
## 9: 5.442418 6.395262 49 9 16.450216
## 10: 5.003946 6.340359 4 4 14.093960
```

Adding a new varible to the data.table:

```
dt.ceo.salaries[, log_salary:=log(salary)]
dt.ceo.salaries[, age_squared:=age^2]
```

Deleting a variable from the data table:

```
dt.ceo.salaries[, log_salary=NULL]
```