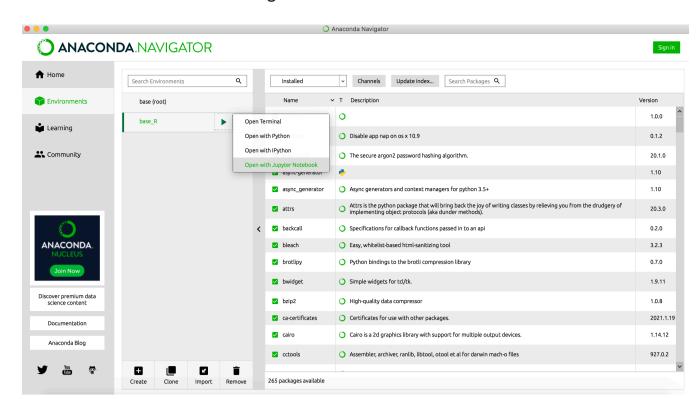
# **Technical Issues**

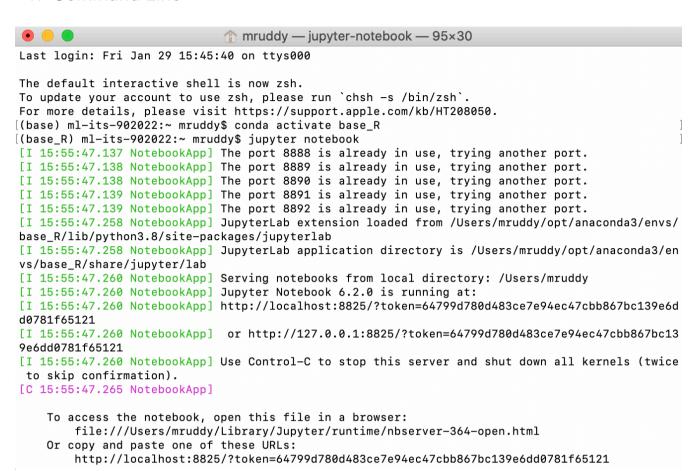
### Connecting to R Kernel (Mac)

There are multiple ways to launch Jupyter Notebook after installed Anaconda

1. Environment Tab in Navigator

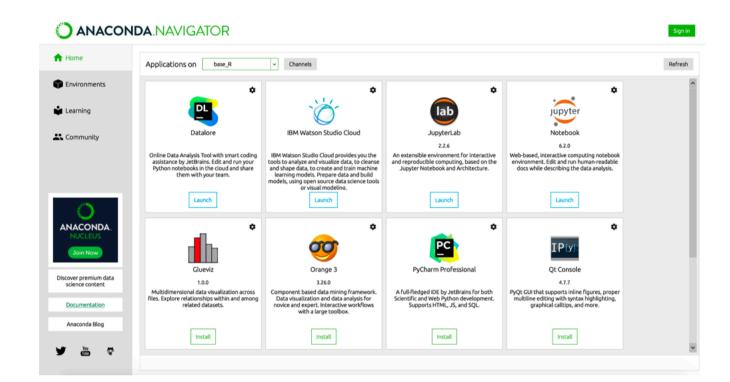


1. Command Line



1. Launch command under the Home Tab in Navigator

#### !!!Known Issues!!!



With the current version of Anaconda Navigator, you may have trouble connecting the R kernel when using Method 3. If you are using Method 1 or 2 to launch Jupyter notebook and are unable to connect to the R kernel, try removing and then re-creating the environment to use R. If this fails try uninstalling and reinstalling anaconda navigator (See here for details on how to do this). Otherwise please contact me.

# Exporting .pdf files using pdf via LaTeX (Mac)

- Currently when running Jupyter notebook using method 1 above, attempting to export your notebook as a pdf via LaTeX returns an error (even if you have installed MiKTeX). However, it seems to work if you launch Jupyter notebook using method 2. I am still investigating why this is the case.
- In any case, I suggest a slightly longer method to create a nice .pdf of your Jupyter notebook:
  - 1. First download the notebook as an .html file
  - 2. Open the .html file with your favorite browser
  - 3. Export as this as an .html

While converting your notebook to a .pdf using LaTeX can give good results, I find that the .html sometimes looks much nicer and cleaner.

# Interesting questions about R

1. Why does seq(1,10) output a sequence starting at 1? (by Ned Azar)

In [1]:

seq(1,10)

- 1. 1
- 2. 2
- 3. 3
- 4. 4
- 5. 5 6. 6
- 7. 7
- 8.8 9. 9
- 10. 10

Unlike some other programming languages (Python for instance), R starts indexing lists and sequences at 1 rather than 0. Which is "better" is subjective and depends on what it is you are trying to do.

- Fun fact: There are similar debates in mathematics for whether the "natural numbers" should start at 0 or 1.
- 1. What is the difference between seq(1,10) and seq.int(1,10)? (by Mia Kobayashi)

In [2]:

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seq(1,10)
seq.int(1,10)
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- 1. 1
  - 2. 2
  - 3. 3 4. 4
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This is a non-trivial question with an interesting answer and history. It is best described by the most upvoted answer here.

TLDR: They do the same thing, but in slightly different ways. Using either is fine, but to be safe, stick with seq for now.