




Data Science
PYTHON, R, JULIA

WEAKNESS COMPARISON



RECAP

MID 1980S		PYTHON	Purpose: All purpose language Greatest weakness: Slow
MID 1990S		R	Purpose: Statistical computing and graphics Greatest weakness: Also slow
2012		JULIA	Purpose: Numerical and Scientific computing Greatest weakness: Very small community



WEAKNESSES

- Generally slow
- Extra packages required to go fast
- Syntax is messy
- Managing packages is complex
- Poor memory management

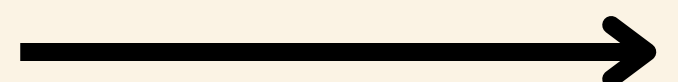
PYTHON



WEAKNESSES

- Not general purpose
- Slow
- Poor memory management
- Learning curve
- Struggles with Big Data
- Written by Statisticians

R



WEAKNESSES

- Not general purpose
- Young package ecosystem
- Not much support
- Can be finicky
- (Now) lacking a great IDE
- Rarely used in practice

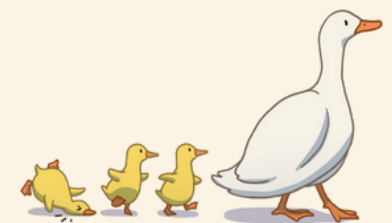
JULIA



that's all folks

WHICH WEAKNESS IS THE BIGGEST TURN OFF?

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