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Title: UVic RDM Jumpstart

Description: This project space will be used throughout the week to track and save the outputs from the UVic Jumpstart, delivered in person from August 18-29, 2025.

The project space begins with no directories (folders), and contains all the files that will be generated/needed throughout the series. This list contains all the files that will be generated throughout the series, and will be used as a reference to complete an activity in “Block 2: Naming Conventions and Folder Structures”. These files don’t have any folder structure or follow an interpretable naming convention, so the task will be to organize and name these files.

The description of the files are as follows:

- GSS29\_PUMF\_main\_v3.pdf
  - Description: The original data dictionary from the General Social Survey, Cycle 29, 2015 [Canada]: Time Use dataset. This is here only as a reference.
- license.txt
  - Description: Document detailing the Creative Commons Attribute Non-Commercial license applied to the documents for this series.
- my-first-script.R
  - Description: An empty file acting as a placeholder for the first script that will be created in “Block 3: Moving Into Coding And Computational Reproducibility”.
- -README.md
  - The file you are current reading, which describes the file list in the OSF repository.
- README-template.txt
  - A template for a README document that participants will start filling out in “Block 3: Moving Into Coding and Computational Reproducibility”, and updated throughout the rest of the program. Template source
- block-4\_first-steps.csv
  - Description: The dataset needed to start the session, “Block 4 - First Steps in R” . It is derived from the General Social Survey, Cycle 29, 2015 [Canada]: Time Use dataset, after having removed many variables and accounting for NA values practical purposes.
- block-5\_visualization.csv
  - Description: The .csv dataset needed to start the session, “Block 5 - Visualizations with ggplot”. It is derived from the R sessions in Block 4, with one additional variable created in the session, “Bonus Blocks - R: Filter and Select”. Refer to the Filter and Select session for more details.
- block-5\_visualization.RData
  - Description: The .RData version of the `timeuse_block-5_visualization.csv` dataset.
- clean-cols.csv
  - Description: The .csv dataset that is generated at the end of the session, “Block 4 - First Steps in R”, and that is used to begin the session, “Block 4 - Data Types and Structures in R”. It is derived from the `timeuse_block-4_first-steps.csv` dataset, with updated column names that are more descriptive and easier to work with.
- clean-cols.RData
  - Description: The .RData version of the `timeuse_clean-cols.csv` dataset.

- `clean-cols_recoded.csv`
  - Description: The `.csv` dataset that is generated at the end of the session, “Block 4 - Data Types and Structures in R”. It is derived from the `timeuse_clean-cols.csv` dataset, with 3 new recoded variables that allow for easier analysis.
- `clean-cols_recoded.RData`
  - Description: The `.RData` version of the `timeuse_clean-cols_recoded.csv` dataset.
- `cleaning-script.R`
  - Description: An empty file acting as a placeholder for a script that will be created in “Block 4: Diving Into Coding with R”.
- `data-dictionary.md`
  - Description: A markdown version of the data dictionary for `Timeuse_day1_na.csv`, which can be edited and updated.
- `data-dictionary.pdf`
  - Description: A PDF version of the data dictionary for `Timeuse_day1_na.csv`, for easier viewing compared to the markdown document.
- `viz-script.R`
  - Description: An empty file acting as a placeholder for a script that will be created in “Block 5: Visualization”.

#### Data Source Information:

Social and Aboriginal Statistics Division, 2023, “General Social Survey, Cycle 29, 2015 [Canada]: Time Use, Main File”, <https://doi.org/10.5683/SP3/RDS0CK>, Borealis, V1, UNF:6:gNUeH68ZNXHdGnqBlkUbrw== [fileUNF]

For practical purposes, we will only be using a subset of variables from the dataset, but for more information about the data and access to the full dataset, visit the DOI referenced in the above citation.