

Getting and cleaning Data.

Downloading Files using R

know what directory you are working on

getwd() - get what you are in
setwd() - set wd
setwd(../ - go up a directory . windows go \\

dir.create("directory name")
file.exists() - check first then create.

```
if (!file.exists("data"))  
{  
  dir.create() }
```

```
fileUrl <- ""  
download.file(fileUrl, destfile = " ", method= "curl" )  
dateDownlod <-date() #save date for future reference.
```

```
Download.file(url, destfile, method) , include download fine  
, from mac set method to curl . if https  
list.files("/data" )
```

read.table() - robust and flexible to read the data. , reads data into RAM , if big ,
read in chunks, file, header, sep, row.names., nrow. , quote, tell are what the
values in does , na.strings = set character for representing missing values.
norms = .. .
skip == ..

set quote = "" , set this to not be confused with quotation marks .

```
read.table( " , sep ="," , header = TRUE)
```

Reading excel files :

```
read.xlsx() or read.xls2() ("" , sheetIndex = 1, header =TRUE)  
read specific rows and columns using colIndex, rowIndex in read.xlsx()  
write.xlsx() ,  
read.xlsx2 is faster.  
XLConnect package is much better. check XLconnect vignette.
```

reading XML -
extensive markup language
Components - markups and content - will be between labels .

There will be start tags, end tags, empty tags,
Reading JSON,

```
library(XML )  
fileURL  
doc <- xmlTreeParse(fileURL, useInternal = TRUE)  
rootNode <- xmlRoot(doc)  
xmlName(rootNode)  
rootNode[[1]][[1]] , - get individual items off each  
xmlSApply(rootNode, xmlValue) , get all values with all the tags, use this to apply  
functions  
xpathSApply(rootNode, "//name?", xmlValue)
```

"//listitem" = "score: ### relook at presentation slides, different language to
extract markup from different ones. learn to scrape information directly using R.
look up XML package tutorial , to programmatically extract information from
websites.

READING JSON:

Javascript Objects Notation

- Lightweight , similar structure to XML , data stored as numbers , strings, all
this and that. Used in GitHub to represent repos.
- Library(jsonlite)
- jsonData <- fromJSON("url")
- names(jsonData\$owner)

myjson <- toJSON(iris, pretty = TRUE) , store to json in a nicely structured format.

data.table package = inherits from data.frame. much faster at subsetting, grouping
and updating is better.

```
library(data.table)
```

```
DF = data.frame(x)
```

```
DT = data.table. #same way you create a data frame.
```

```
tables() — tables instead of table
```

```
#same subsetting rules, except if subsetting done with only a single index, does  
something different. uses expressions to summarize the data at a different way .
```

```
#add new column,
```

```
#select data, apply expressions,
```

#perform multiple step functions ... %%%CHECK prez notes again%%
set keys to sort the tables much faster. easier to facilitate joins as well .

READING DATA FROM mySQL:

each table is a dataset, each row is a structure.. Look at MYSQL structure for different tables. .. look u[columns and joins.

```
ucsDB <- dbConnect(MySQL, user="", host= "" ) — also database, to see what tables.  
result <- dbGetQuery(usb, "show databases;" ) , dbDisconnect.. show show True.  
allTables <- dbListTables(hg19)  
length(allTables) ..  
dfListFeilds(hg19, "" ) — get all the fields,  
dbListFeilds(hg19, "select count(X) from affyU133Plus2)  
head()  
dbReadTable(hg19, "" ) , read the table and extract one table at a time.
```

```
query <- dbSendQuery(hg19, "select * from iffy where mismatch is between)  
affyMis <- fetch(query, n =10); quantile(affyMiss$msMAtchches) — use to get a  
small part of a large data  
dbClearResult(query) — return to clear query  
dbDisconnect(hg19) close the connection as soon as you don't need it
```

Reading Data from HDf5 . — make notes

Reading Data from APIS . — make notes

Reading Data from Web

```
conn = url ()  
htmlCode = readLines(con)  
close(con)  
htm code  
html <- htmlTreeParse(url, useInternalNodes = T)  
xpathSapply(html, "///title" , smlValue)  
library(httr) — check again , use to GET package, response  
use handles, paths and handles.
```

WEEK 3

reshaping data - recast function

tapply,

split, apply combine, — use split ,apply, then unlist and sapply()

Merging data - Merge() , by.x , by.y , join().

arrange(join(df1, df2) , id) . arrange in increasing order by ID.

Week 4 :

editing text variables - tolower()

strsplit(names(cameraData) , "\\")

splitNames[[5]]

sub("_" , "" , names(reviews)) - substitutes the underscores

gsub("_" , "" , test name) - sub removes only first, sub removes all) .

grep () - find all the indexes where the thing appears

grepl() - return true or false

subset using camerData[!grepl()]

Regular expression matching:

^i think - start of the line

morning\$ - end of the line

[Bb][Uu][Ss][Hh] - all versions of capital or lower of the word

^[0-9][a-zA-Z] range of characters

[^?.\$] , - anything that does not end with ? or period

9.11 - . means any character 9!11 , 9-11

fire|flood - Or expression

^([Gg]ood|[Bb]ad) - mix with parenthesis to get logic right

([Ww]\\.)? - question mark means optional . \ means view it as a meta character

and not a regular expression operator . "*" - repeat any number of times. (.) - any character any number of times between parenthesis .

"+" - atleast once .

{1,5} - see something between one and 5 times

[^] - something that is not a space

\\1 \\2 - matching characters - repetition of a character "

"*" is greedy so it will look for the max length of the string .

DAPPLYR.

select(), filter(),

| arrange(), mutate(), and summarize().

Use select(cran, r_arch:country) to select all columns starting from r_arch and ending with country.

after group_by (cran, xzy), set default group to run operations on that default value.

pack_sum <- summarize(by_package,

```
count = n() ,  
unique = n_distinct(ip_id),  
countries = n_distinct(country) ,  
avg_bytes = mean(size))
```

```
quantile(pack_sum$count, probs = 0.99)
```

```
filter(pack_sum, count > 679)
```

```
# CHAINING — IMP  
by_package <- group_by(cran, package)  
pack_sum <- summarize(by_package,  
  count = n(),  
  unique = n_distinct(ip_id),  
  countries = n_distinct(country),  
  avg_bytes = mean(size))
```

```
# Here's the new bit, but using the same approach we've  
# been using this whole time.
```

```
top_countries <- filter(pack_sum, countries > 60)  
result1 <- arrange(top_countries, desc(countries), avg_bytes)
```

```
# Print the results to the console.  
print(result1)
```

```
result2 <-  
  arrange(  
    filter(  
      summarize(  
        group_by(cran,  
          package  
        ),  
        count = n(),  
        unique = n_distinct(ip_id),  
        countries = n_distinct(country),  
        avg_bytes = mean(size)  
      ),  
      countries > 60  
    ),  
  )
```

```

    desc(countries),
    avg_bytes
  )

print(result2)

result3 <-
  cran %>%
  group_by(package) %>%
  summarize(count = n(),
            unique = n_distinct(ip_id),
            countries = n_distinct(country),
            avg_bytes = mean(size)
  ) %>%
  filter(countries > 60) %>%
  arrange(desc(countries), avg_bytes)

```

```

# Print result to console
print(result3)

```

```

cran %>%
  select(ip_id, country, package, size) %>%
  mutate(size_mb = size / 2^20) %>%
  filter(size_mb <= 0.5) %>%
  arrange(desc(size_mb)) %>%
  print

```

Gather takes multiple columns and collapses into key-value pairs, duplicating all other columns as needed. You use `gather()` when you notice that you have columns that are not variables.

-grade. Note the minus sign before grade, which says we | want to gather all columns EXCEPT grade.

```

students2 %>%
  gather( sex_class, count, -grade ) %>%
  separate( col= sex_class, into =c("sex", "class")) %>%
  print

```

SPREAD function - best in use for turning values of columns, into separate columns,

```
sat %>%  
  select(-contains("total")) %>%  
  gather(part_sex, count, -score_range) %>%  
  separate(part_sex, c("part", "sex")) %>%  
  group_by(part,sex)  
  mutate(total = sum(count),prop = count / total) %>%  
  print
```