

Bhuyan.i607Assign.Week6

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In this application I am using rvest to scrape the bloomberg.com website. The information that I'm extracting contains the prices of market indices from around the world.

I've extracted from a table embedded within the bloomberg website the Index Name, Value, Change, Open, High, Low and Time. The results are printed below.

```
setwd("~/Desktop")
# install.packages("devtools")
library(devtools)
install_github("hadley/rvest")
```

```
## Downloading github repo hadley/rvest@master
## Installing rvest
## '/Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Resources/bin/R' --vanilla CMD INSTALL \
##   '/private/var/folders/d4/t6d5sr5s1jq4k848yz88_9km0000gn/T/RtmpIQdWr0/devtools12b962aeb2e/hadley-rv
##   --library='/Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/3.1/Resources/library' \
##   --install-tests
```

```
library(rvest)
```

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##
## Attaching package: 'rvest'
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:utils':
##
##   history
```

```
markets <- html("http://www.bloomberg.com/markets/")

tables <- html_nodes(markets, "table")
markets.df <- data.frame(html_table(tables[[2]]))
colnames(markets.df) <- c("Index", "Value", "Change", "Open", "High", "Low", "Time")

markets.df
```

```
##
##           Index      Value Change      Open
## 1      Americas Futures      <NA>  <NA>      <NA>
## 2      Dow Jones Indus. Avg 16,651.00 -1.49% 16,883.00
## 3           S&P 500    1,927.90 -1.44%   1,954.10
## 4      NASDAQ 100    3,956.25 -1.27%   4,004.00
## 5 Europe, Middle East & Africa Futures      <NA>  <NA>      <NA>
## 6      Euro Stoxx 50    3,071.00 -1.67%   3,111.00
## 7          FTSE 100    6,476.00 -0.77%   6,526.50
## 8           DAX      9,086.00 -1.16%   9,170.00
## 9      Asia-Pacific Futures      <NA>  <NA>      <NA>
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## 10				Nikkei 225	15,660.00	-1.01%	15,810.00
## 11				Hang Seng	23,253.00	-0.39%	23,335.00
##	High	Low	Time				
## 1	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>				
## 2	16,902.00	16,620.00	17:15:00				
## 3	1,956.00	1,924.60	17:15:00				
## 4	4,005.00	3,948.50	17:14:55				
## 5	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>				
## 6	3,115.00	3,039.00	16:03:44				
## 7	6,540.00	6,422.00	16:53:00				
## 8	9,182.00	9,010.00	16:03:44				
## 9	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>				
## 10	15,810.00	15,620.00	14:00:00				
## 11	23,353.00	23,221.00	10:59:52				