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Step 1: Download and Install R

1. Go to <http://cran.rstudio.com>[Links to an external site.](#)
2. Click on “Download R for (Mac) OS X” or “Download R for Windows” (depending on the operating system you’re using)
 - If you clicked on “Download R for Windows”, in the following page choose “base”, and then “Download R 4.3.1 for Windows”.
 - If you clicked on “Download R for (Mac) OS X”, in the following page choose “R-4.3.1.pkg” and save the file. Be sure to download the version appropriate for your Mac.
3. Open the file you just downloaded and follow the instructions

Step 2: Download and Install RStudio

1. Go to <https://www.rstudio.com/products/rstudio/download/#download>[Links to an external site.](#)
2. Select the blue download button by the RStudio Desktop version.
3. Download the version for your operating system. It should autodetect what you need. If not, scroll down to find the appropriate version.
4. Open the file you just downloaded and follow the instructions. In Mac OS X, make sure you drag the “RStudio” icon onto the Applications Folder in the window that appears after opening the file.

If you have problems with any of these steps, come talk to me on Wednesday (9/6/23).