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This document demonstrates how .docx reports can be written from an R Markdown file in RStudio. It uses officedown and other packages in [the officeverse](https://ardata-fr.github.io/officeverse/).

For a thorough introduction to R Markdown, check the [R Markdown Cookbook (CRC Press)](https://bookdown.org/yihui/rmarkdown-cookbook/).

This document is a first step toward the generation of [parameterized reports](https://bookdown.org/yihui/rmarkdown/parameterized-reports.html). Importantly, the parameters of reports, including the data included in them, can be generated in other R scripts, including Shiny apps, then passed as options to the YAML header when knitting this document (via knitr). Parameters passed to the YAML can then be passed to functions within the body of the report. The knitted report could even be rendered within a Shiny app in real-time and re-knit with new parameters. These will be the topics of upcoming repositories.

It’s also possible to generate .docX reports with sequential calls to [functions within the officer package](https://ardata-fr.github.io/officeverse/officer-for-word.html). Unlike the current demonstration, which was written in the source pane of the RStudio editor, these functions do not need to be written within an R Markdown document. In that case, Markdown may be avoided entirely, and report parameters would not be passed as options to a Markdown YAML header.

Where possible, Jacobs company styles are used. These are represented in a .docx template file in the “Templates” folder. The template file was developed in the process described [here](https://rmarkdown.rstudio.com/articles_docx.html).

Note that headers and footers are not produced in this version of this document, and the list of figures and tables may need to be updated in Word to show correct labels and page numbers.

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# Styles

Text can be entered into the document by simply typing into Markdown. See [here](https://www.markdownguide.org/basic-syntax/) for an overview of Markdown syntax.

*italic* **bold** ***bold and italic*** ~~strikethrough~~

The style for standard body text will be “Normal.”

If you want code to appear in the code of a Markdown file, but not in the knitted output, you can use the following syntax, or just highlight the code and press SHIFT+CMD+C (macOS) or SHIFT+CTRL+C (Windows).

Examples of additional styles:

# Heading 1

## Heading 2

### Heading 3

#### Heading 4

##### Heading 5

###### Heading 6

Example of an ordered list:

1. List level 1
   1. List level 1a
   2. List level 1b
      1. List level 1ba
         1. List level 1baa

And an unordered list:

* List level 1a
  + List level 1aa
    - List level 1aaa
      * List level 1aaaa

Example of an equation:

Example code:

print("hello world")

Another way of inserting indented text: | Indented text. | More indented text. | It takes a lot of indents… | …to replicate a single “tab” key in MS Word.

If you want to use a different style for a given piece of text, you can enter it as a custom style with either of the following syntax.

::: {custom-style = “Strong”}

This is in “Strong” style.

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[This is also in “Strong” style.]{custom-style = “Strong”}

These styles are implemented using [Pandoc](https://pandoc.org/MANUAL.html#custom-styles). Pandoc provides a number of options for entering text and other content into Markdown documents and converting content between documents.

# Tables

Conveniently, the flextable package exports tables with similar formatting to Jacobs tables. They’re also centered, unlike native tables.

**Table** **:** Sample of mtcars

| mpg | cyl | disp | hp | drat | wt |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 21.0 | 6 | 160 | 110 | 3.90 | 2.620 |
| 21.0 | 6 | 160 | 110 | 3.90 | 2.875 |
| 22.8 | 4 | 108 | 93 | 3.85 | 2.320 |
| 21.4 | 6 | 258 | 110 | 3.08 | 3.215 |
| 18.7 | 8 | 360 | 175 | 3.15 | 3.440 |
| 18.1 | 6 | 225 | 105 | 2.76 | 3.460 |

Below, I start a new section and demonstrate a larger table in landscape orientation.

The code for creating new sections and defining their orientation is here: <https://ardata-fr.github.io/officeverse/officedown-for-word.html>

Unfortunately, when I insert a section with landscape orientation (or any new section), the first page of the new section receives the header previously applied to the first page of the whole document, so I removed the headers and footers from the template, for now.

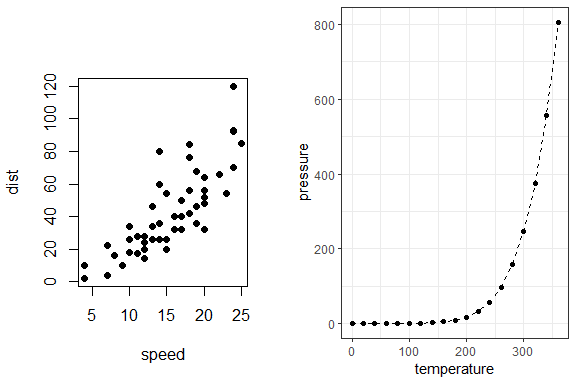
**Table** **:** All of mtcars

| mpg | cyl | disp | hp | drat | wt | qsec | vs | am | gear | carb |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 21.0 | 6 | 160.0 | 110 | 3.90 | 2.620 | 16.46 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| 21.0 | 6 | 160.0 | 110 | 3.90 | 2.875 | 17.02 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| 22.8 | 4 | 108.0 | 93 | 3.85 | 2.320 | 18.61 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| 21.4 | 6 | 258.0 | 110 | 3.08 | 3.215 | 19.44 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| 18.7 | 8 | 360.0 | 175 | 3.15 | 3.440 | 17.02 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| 18.1 | 6 | 225.0 | 105 | 2.76 | 3.460 | 20.22 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| 14.3 | 8 | 360.0 | 245 | 3.21 | 3.570 | 15.84 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| 24.4 | 4 | 146.7 | 62 | 3.69 | 3.190 | 20.00 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 2 |
| 22.8 | 4 | 140.8 | 95 | 3.92 | 3.150 | 22.90 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 2 |
| 19.2 | 6 | 167.6 | 123 | 3.92 | 3.440 | 18.30 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| 17.8 | 6 | 167.6 | 123 | 3.92 | 3.440 | 18.90 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| 16.4 | 8 | 275.8 | 180 | 3.07 | 4.070 | 17.40 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| 17.3 | 8 | 275.8 | 180 | 3.07 | 3.730 | 17.60 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| 15.2 | 8 | 275.8 | 180 | 3.07 | 3.780 | 18.00 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| 10.4 | 8 | 472.0 | 205 | 2.93 | 5.250 | 17.98 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| 10.4 | 8 | 460.0 | 215 | 3.00 | 5.424 | 17.82 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| 14.7 | 8 | 440.0 | 230 | 3.23 | 5.345 | 17.42 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| 32.4 | 4 | 78.7 | 66 | 4.08 | 2.200 | 19.47 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| 30.4 | 4 | 75.7 | 52 | 4.93 | 1.615 | 18.52 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| 33.9 | 4 | 71.1 | 65 | 4.22 | 1.835 | 19.90 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| 21.5 | 4 | 120.1 | 97 | 3.70 | 2.465 | 20.01 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| 15.5 | 8 | 318.0 | 150 | 2.76 | 3.520 | 16.87 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| 15.2 | 8 | 304.0 | 150 | 3.15 | 3.435 | 17.30 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| 13.3 | 8 | 350.0 | 245 | 3.73 | 3.840 | 15.41 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| 19.2 | 8 | 400.0 | 175 | 3.08 | 3.845 | 17.05 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| 27.3 | 4 | 79.0 | 66 | 4.08 | 1.935 | 18.90 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| 26.0 | 4 | 120.3 | 91 | 4.43 | 2.140 | 16.70 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 2 |
| 30.4 | 4 | 95.1 | 113 | 3.77 | 1.513 | 16.90 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 2 |
| 15.8 | 8 | 351.0 | 264 | 4.22 | 3.170 | 14.50 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 4 |
| 19.7 | 6 | 145.0 | 175 | 3.62 | 2.770 | 15.50 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 6 |
| 15.0 | 8 | 301.0 | 335 | 3.54 | 3.570 | 14.60 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 8 |
| 21.4 | 4 | 121.0 | 109 | 4.11 | 2.780 | 18.60 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 |

# Figures

## Warning: Graphs cannot be vertically aligned unless the axis parameter is set.  
## Placing graphs unaligned.

## Warning: Graphs cannot be horizontally aligned unless the axis parameter is  
## set. Placing graphs unaligned.



**Figure** **:** Base R (left) and GGplot (right), showing ‘cars’ and ‘pressure’ data, respectively.

# References

A citation to R ([R Core Team 2016](#ref-R-base)).

R Core Team. 2016. *R: A Language and Environment for Statistical Computing*. Vienna, Austria: R Foundation for Statistical Computing. <https://www.R-project.org/>.