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R and RStudio

Install R

- 1. Click here to go to R homepage
- 2. Choose your operating system.

For Windows

- 1. Click on install R for the first time.
- 2. Click on Download R-4.3.2 for Windows and install.

For Mac

1. Choose the framework corresponding to your macOS version and install.

Install RStudio

- 1. Click here to go to the RStudio download page.
- 2. Download RStudio Desktop Recommended for your system.
- 3. Once installed, run RStudio. In the top left corner, click on File -> New File -> R Script.
- 4. Copy and paste the following code header into the new script. Select all (Ctrl+A) and run the script. If it executes successfully and you see an object wage2 in the Environment tab, you're ready to start.

```
# Minimal R setup for empirical analysis
need <- c('dplyr', 'ggplot2', 'wooldridge')
have <- need %in% rownames(installed.packages())
if(any(!have)) install.packages(need[!have])
invisible(lapply(need, library, character.only = TRUE))

# Clear the workspace
rm(list = ls())

# Set random number generator seed for reproducibility
set.seed(12345)

# Set options
options(scipen = 999)

# Load 'wage2' data from the 'wooldridge' package
data("wage2", package = "wooldridge")
View(wage2)</pre>
```