

1. Histogram

Histogram is same as bar chart but only difference between them is histogram represents frequency of grouped data rather than data itself.

Syntax: *hist(x, col, border, main, xlab, ylab)*

where:

- *x* is data vector
- *col* specifies the color of the bars to be filled
- *border* specifies the color of border of bars
- *main* specifies the title name of histogram
- *xlab* specifies the x-axis label
- *ylab* specifies the y-axis label

Exercise: The following table shows the projected population (in millions) of a country for the year 2005. The projections are broken down by age groups where grouping follow natural areas of interest such as preschool (below 5 years), education group (divided into 3 intervals, 5-13, 14-17 and 18-24), adult group (covering 25-64 years with 4 intervals of equal widths) and finally senior citizens' group (65 and above). Construct a histogram for the data.

Table: Projected population

Age Group	Projected Population
Below 5	18
5-14	35
14-18	16
18-25	25
25-35	34
35-45	41
45-55	36
55-65	22
65 and above	32

#We assume arbitrarily large upper bound, say 100, for the last class, which is open end class.

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midx<- seq(12.5, 112.5, 25);
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frequency<- c(5, 8, 13, 11, 3);
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y <-rep(midx, frequency)
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brk<- seq(0, 125, 25)
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# output to be present as PNG file
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png(file = "hist.png")
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hist(y, breaks = brk, xlab = "Sales", main = "", col = "gray70"); midx<-c(2.5, 9.5, 16, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60, 82.5);
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frequency<-c(18, 35, 16, 25, 34, 41, 36, 22, 32);  
brk<-c(0.5, 14, 18, 25, 35, 45, 55, 65, 100);  
y <-rep(midx, frequency);  
hist(y, breaks=brk, xlab="Age Group", ylab="Agewise Projected  
Population", col="gray70");  
  
# saving the file  
dev.off()
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Output:

