## Introducing Luke Tierney and Martin Maechler

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## Top 10 committers to R project SVN repository

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author commits
1:
         ripley 37111
2:
       maechler 13563 <-
3:
         hornik 9100
4:
             pd
                 5604
5:
        murdoch 2884
6:
           luke 2182 <-
7:
                 934
            jmc
8:
          iacus
                  915
9:
         leisch 828
10:
       kalibera
                  766
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Source: https://svn.r-project.org, My analysis code: https://github.com/tdhock/r-devel-emails

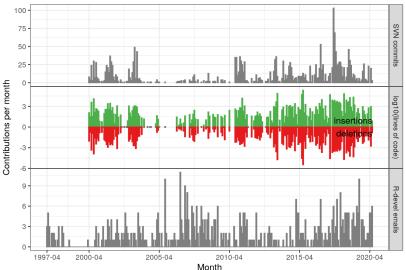


## Luke Tierney

- Ralph E. Wareham Professor of Mathematical Sciences,
   Department of Statistics and Actuarial Science, University of lowa, August 2002 – Present
- Author of Lisp-Stat (amazing dynamic/interactive graphics).
- Joined R-core in 1998.
- Numerous contributions to R computational infrastructure (byte code compiler, ALTREP, memory management, ...)
- ► Encyclopedic knowledge of R internals. I've seen quite a few R-devel messages asking "I think this weird R behavior is a bug—or is it intentional?" to which Luke invariably replies something like "Yes, to resolve https://bugs.r-project.org/bugzilla/show\_bug.cgi?id=15199"

Sources: https://stat.uiowa.edu/people/luke-tierney, http://homepage.divms.uiowa.edu/~luke/, Gmail photo

Luke Tierney participation in R project



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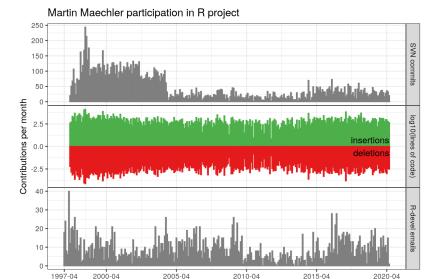


## Martin Maechler

- Adjunct Professor at ETH Zurich.
- Joined R project in 1995, now R core team member.
- ESS Core dev since 1997, project lead since Aug 2004.
- Maintains recommended R package cluster.
- R task view on Robust statistical methods.
- Co-maintains R package Matrix.
- Manages the R stat.ethz.ch mailing lists.
- Invited talk at useR 2014.
- Gave me a bugzilla account on bugs.r-project.org
- ► R-project.org domain + email aliases.

Source: https://stat.ethz.ch/~maechler/





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