

# STAT 40001/STAT 50001 Statistical Computing

## Lecture 3

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The fundamental data type in R is the vector. In this lecture we will discuss

- **Creating a Matrix**
- **Matrix Operations**
- **Transpose and Concatenation**
- **Solve a System of Equations**
- **Data Frame**
- **Merging, Sorting data frames**

A **matrix** is a vector with two additional attributes: the number of rows and the number of columns. A column is a vertical representation of data, while a row is a horizontal representation of data. Since matrices are vectors, they also have modes, such as numeric and character.

Matrices are special cases of a more general R type of object:

**arrays.** Arrays can be multidimensional. For example, a three-dimensional array would consist of rows, columns, and layers, not just rows and columns as in the matrix case. Each value of the matrix can be located by its row and column numbers.

The basic R command to define a matrix requires a list of elements (`c(.,.,., .,)`) and the number of rows **nrow** in the matrix.

We create  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & 8 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$  using the following steps in R

# Creating a matrix

```
> C <- matrix(c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9),nrow=3, ncol=3)
> C
```

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]
[1,]	1	4	7
[2,]	2	5	8
[3,]	3	6	9

R uses the **nrow** command to set the dimension of the matrix. We can instruct R to enter rows first by adding the command **byrow=T**

```
> D <- matrix(c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9),nrow=3,byrow=T)
> D
```

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]
[1,]	1	2	3
[2,]	4	5	6
[3,]	7	8	9

# Naming Matrix row and column

```
> M <- matrix(c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9),nrow=3,byrow=T)
> M
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]     1     2     3
[2,]     4     5     6
[3,]     7     8     9
> rownames(M)<-c("A","B","C")
> colnames(M)<-c("D","E","F")
> M
   D E F
A  1 2 3
B  4 5 6
C  7 8 9
> dimnames(M)
[[1]]
[1] "A" "B" "C"
```

# Dimension of matrix

The dimension of a matrix can be checked using **dim()** or **attributes()**

We can add optional character “dimnames” giving the row and column names respectively, list names will be used as names for the dimensions

```
> x <- matrix(c(5,0,6,1,3,5,9,5,7,1,5,3), nrow=3, ncol=4, byrow=TRUE,
  dimnames=list(rows=c("r.1", "r.2", "r.3"), cols=c("c.1", "c.2", "c.3", "c.4")))
```

```
> x
      cols
rows  c.1 c.2 c.3 c.4
  r.1   5   0   6   1
  r.2   3   5   9   5
  r.3   7   1   5   3
```

```
> dim(x)
[1] 3 4
> attributes(x)
```

```
$dim
[1] 3 4

$dimnames
$dimnames$rows
[1] "r.1" "r.2" "r.3"
```

```
$dimnames$cols
[1] "c.1" "c.2" "c.3" "c.4"
```

# Matrix-Example

```
> x <- matrix(c(5,0,6,1,3,5,9,5,7,1,5,3), nrow=3, ncol=4, byrow=TRUE)
> x
      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
[1,]     5     0     6     1
[2,]     3     5     9     5
[3,]     7     1     5     3
> x[2,3] # Row 2, Column 3
[1] 9
> x[1,] # Row 1
[1] 5 0 6 1
> x[,2] # Column 2
[1] 0 5 1

> x[c(1,3),] # Rows 1 and 3, all Columns
      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
[1,]     5     0     6     1
[2,]     7     1     5     3

> x[3,] # Row 3 in the form of a vector
[1] 7 1 5 3

> x[3,,drop=F] # Row 3 in the form of a matrix
      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
[1,]     7     1     5     3

> x[-1,] # matrix x without its first row
      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
[1,]     3     5     9     5
[2,]     7     1     5     3
```

# Matrix

```
> x <- matrix(c(5,0,6,1,3,5,9,5,7,1,5,3), nrow=3, ncol=4, byrow=TRUE)
> x
      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
[1,]     5     0     6     1
[2,]     3     5     9     5
[3,]     7     1     5     3

>x[,x[1,]>4]# Choose columns of matrix x with the value in 1st line greater than 4
      [,1] [,2]
[1,]     5     6
[2,]     3     9
[3,]     7     5

>x[x>4]
[1] 5 7 5 6 9 5 5

> x[x>3]<-NA # Replacing with NA
> x
      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
[1,]    NA     0    NA     1
[2,]     3    NA    NA    NA
[3,]    NA     1    NA     3
```



# Lower and Upper Triangular Part of a Matrix

```
> M <- matrix(c(5,0,6,1,3,5,9,5,7), nrow=3, byrow=TRUE)
> M
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]     5     0     6
[2,]     1     3     5
[3,]     9     5     7
> M_lower<- M[lower.tri(M, diag=TRUE)]
> M_lower
[1] 5 1 9 3 5 7
> M_upper<- M[upper.tri(M, diag=TRUE)]
> M_upper
[1] 5 0 3 6 5 7
```

# Common Vectors

## Unit Vector

```
> U <- matrix(1,3,1)
```

```
> U
```

```
      [,1]  
[1,]    1  
[2,]    1  
[3,]    1
```

## Zero Vector

```
> V <- matrix(0,3,1)
```

```
> V
```

```
      [,1]  
[1,]    0  
[2,]    0  
[3,]    0
```

# Common Matrices

## Unit Matrix

```
> U <- matrix(1,3,2)
```

```
> U
```

	[,1]	[,2]
[1,]	1	1
[2,]	1	1
[3,]	1	1

## Zero Matrix

```
> Z <- matrix(0,3,2)
```

```
> Z
```

	[,1]	[,2]
[1,]	0	0
[2,]	0	0
[3,]	0	0

# Common Matrices

## Identity Matrix

```
> I <- diag(c(1,1,1))
```

```
> I
```

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]
[1,]	1	0	0
[2,]	0	1	0
[3,]	0	0	1

## Diagonal Matrix

```
> S <- matrix(c(2,3,-2,1,2,2,4,2,3),3,3)
```

```
> S
```

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]
[1,]	2	1	4
[2,]	3	2	2
[3,]	-2	2	3

```
> D <- diag(S)
```

```
> D
```

# Matrix Operations

```
> X
      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]
[1,]    1     0    2    5    3
[2,]    1     1    3    1    3
[3,]    3     1    0    2    2
[4,]    1     0    2    1    0
> mean(X[,5])
[1] 2
> var(X[4,])
[1] 0.7
> rowSums(X) # Note the uppercase S
[1] 11 9 8 4
> colSums(X)
[1] 6 2 7 9 8
> rowMeans(X) # Note the uppercase M
[1] 2.2 1.8 1.6 0.8
```

# Concatenation of Matrices

## Horizontal Concatenation

```
> A<-matrix(c(2,3,-2,1,2,2), 3,2)
```

```
> A
```

	[,1]	[,2]
[1,]	2	1
[2,]	3	2
[3,]	-2	2

```
> B <- matrix(c(1,3,2,1,4,2),3,2)
```

```
> B
```

	[,1]	[,2]
[1,]	1	1
[2,]	3	4
[3,]	2	2

```
> C <- cbind(A,B)
```

```
> C
```

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]	[,4]
[1,]	2	1	1	1
[2,]	3	2	3	4
[3,]	-2	2	2	2

# Vertical Concatenation(Appending) of Matrices

```
> A<-matrix(c(2,3,-2,1,2,2), 3,2)
```

```
> A
```

```
      [,1] [,2]  
[1,]     2     1  
[2,]     3     2  
[3,]    -2     2
```

```
> B <- matrix(c(1,3,2,1,4,2),3,2)
```

```
> B
```

```
      [,1] [,2]  
[1,]     1     1  
[2,]     3     4  
[3,]     2     2
```

```
> C <- rbind(A,B)
```

```
> C
```

```
      [,1] [,2]  
[1,]     2     1  
[2,]     3     2  
[3,]    -2     2  
[4,]     1     1  
[5,]     3     4  
[6,]     2     2
```

# Matrix Operations

The **apply** function is used for applying functions to the rows or columns of matrices. In a matrix **margin 1 refers to rows** and **margin 2 refers to the column**

```
> X=matrix(1:24, nrow=4)
```

```
> X
```

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]	[,4]	[,5]	[,6]
[1,]	1	5	9	13	17	21
[2,]	2	6	10	14	18	22
[3,]	3	7	11	15	19	23
[4,]	4	8	12	16	20	24

```
> rowSums(X)
```

```
[1] 66 72 78 84
```

```
> colSums(X)
```

```
[1] 10 26 42 58 74 90
```

```
> apply(X,1,sum)
```

```
[1] 66 72 78 84
```

```
> apply(X,2, sum)
```

```
[1] 10 26 42 58 74 90
```



# Matrix Operations

Function	Description
$A+B$	Addition of matrices
$A-B$	Subtraction of matrices
$A \% * \% B$	Product of matrices
$t(A)$	Transposition of a matrix
$\text{diag}(5)$	Identity matrix of order 5
$\text{diag}(A)$	Vector with the values of the diagonal elements
$\text{crossprod}(A,B)$	Cross product ( $t(A) \% * \% B$ )
$\text{det}(A)$	Determinant of matrix A
$\text{svd}(A)$	Singular value decomposition
$\text{eigen}(A)$	Matrix diagonalisation
$\text{solve}(A)$	Matrix inversion
$\text{solve}(A,b)$	Solving linear systems
$\text{chol}(A)$	Cholesky decomposition
$\text{qr}(A)$	QR decomposition

# Addition and Subtraction

```
> C <- matrix(c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9),nrow=3)
> D <- matrix(c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9),nrow=3,byrow=T)
```

```
> C
```

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]
[1,]	1	4	7
[2,]	2	5	8
[3,]	3	6	9

```
> D
```

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]
[1,]	1	2	3
[2,]	4	5	6
[3,]	7	8	9

```
> C+D
```

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]
[1,]	2	6	10
[2,]	6	10	14
[3,]	10	14	18

```
> C-D
```

# Matrix Multiplication by a scalar

```
> y<-matrix(c(1,2,3,4,5,6), nrow=3)
> y
      [,1] [,2]
[1,]     1     4
[2,]     2     5
[3,]     3     6
> 3*y
      [,1] [,2]
[1,]     3    12
[2,]     6    15
[3,]     9    18
```

# Matrix Multiplication

```
> C <- matrix(c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9),nrow=3)
> D <- matrix(c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9),nrow=3,byrow=T)
```

```
> C%*%D
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]   66   78   90
[2,]   78   93  108
[3,]   90  108  126
```

```
> D%*%C
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]   14   32   50
[2,]   32   77  122
[3,]   50  122  194
```

# Transpose and Concatenation

```
> A <- matrix(c(1,2,3),nrow=3)
> AT<-t(A)
> A
      [,1]
[1,]     1
[2,]     2
[3,]     3
> AT
      [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]     1     2     3

> A<-matrix(c(1,4,5,6,7,8, 6,8),nrow=2)
> A
      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
[1,]     1     5     7     6
[2,]     4     6     8     8
> B<-matrix(1:12,nrow=3)
> B
      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
[1,]     1     4     7    10
[2,]     2     5     8    11
[3,]     3     6     9    12
> rbind(A,B)
      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
[1,]     1     5     7     6
[2,]     4     6     8     8
[3,]     1     4     7    10
[4,]     2     5     8    11
[5,]     3     6     9    12
```

# Inverse of a Matrix

The inverse of a matrix **A** is obtained using the solve command, **solve (A)**.

```
> A <- matrix(c(3,1,4,6),nrow=2)
```

```
> A
```

```
      [,1] [,2]  
[1,]     3     4  
[2,]     1     6
```

```
> solve(A)
```

```
      [,1]      [,2]  
[1,] 0.42857143 -0.2857143  
[2,] -0.07142857  0.2142857
```

# Solve a system of equations

Note that we can express a system of equations in matrix form.  
Consider a system of equations

$$\begin{aligned}2x - y &= 4 \\ 2x + 3y &= 12\end{aligned}$$

which can be written as

$$AX = Y$$

where

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}, X = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}, Y = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 12 \end{pmatrix}$$

hence, the solution is given by

$$X = A^{-1}Y$$

We can use the R code below to solve these system of equations

# Solving Equations

```
> A=matrix(c(2,-1,2,3),nrow=2, byrow=T)
```

```
> A
```

```
      [,1] [,2]
```

```
[1,]     2    -1
```

```
[2,]     2     3
```

```
> Y=matrix(c(4,12), nrow=2)
```

```
> Y
```

```
      [,1]
```

```
[1,]     4
```

```
[2,]    12
```

```
> X=solve(A)%*%Y
```

```
> X
```

```
      [,1]
```

```
[1,]     3
```

```
[2,]     2
```



# Data Frames

A data frame is like a matrix, with a two-dimensional rows and columns structure. However, it differs from a matrix in that each column may have a different mode. For instance, one column may consist of numbers, and another column might have character strings.

```
> names<-c("Joe", "Peter","William")
```

```
> age<-c(45,78,60)
```

```
> data<-data.frame(names,age)
```

```
> data
```

	names	age
1	Joe	45
2	Peter	78
3	William	60

# Accessing Data Frames

We can extract the information in the data frame as in the matrix

```
> names<-c("Joe", "Peter","William")
> age<-c(45,78,60)
> data<-data.frame(names,age)
> data
  names age
1   Joe  45
2 Peter  78
3 William 60

> data[2,2] # extracting the information of the data
[1] 78

> data[[1]]
[1] Joe   Peter  William
Levels: Joe Peter William
> data[[2]]
[1] 45 78 60

> data[1]
  names
1   Joe
2 Peter
3 William

> data[2]
  age
1  45
2  78
3  60
```

# Expanding Data Frame

Components can be added easily to a data frame in the natural way.

```
> data$Major<-c("Math", "Biology", "Statistics")
> data
  names age    Major
1   Joe  45     Math
2  Peter 78  Biology
3 William 60 Statistics
```

Suppose we want to add two more entries

```
Jim  23  Physics
Lucas 54   Math
```

```
> new=data.frame(names=c("Jim", "Lucas"), age=c(23,54), Major=c("Physics","Math"))
> new
  names age    Major
1   Jim  23  Physics
2 Lucas  54     Math

> newdata<-rbind(data,new)
  names age    Major
1   Joe  45     Math
2  Peter 78  Biology
3 William 60 Statistics
4    Jim  23  Physics
5  Lucas  54     Math
```

# Select Rows base variable values

```
> newdata<-rbind(data,new)
```

	names	age	Major
1	Joe	45	Math
2	Peter	78	Biology
3	William	60	Statistics
4	Jim	23	Physics
5	Lucas	54	Math

```
> attach(newdata)
```

```
> old=newdata[age>45,]
```

```
> old
```

	names	age	Major
2	Peter	78	Biology
3	William	60	Statistics
5	Lucas	54	Math

# Sort data frame by selected column

```
> name<-c("S1", "S2", "S3", "S4", "S5")
> gender=c("F","M", "M", "F", "F")
> weight=c(120,134,230, 125, 137)
> age=c(34,27,39,32,55)
> data=data.frame(name,gender, weight, age)
> data
```

	name	gender	weight	age
1	S1	F	120	34
2	S2	M	134	27
3	S3	M	230	39
4	S4	F	125	32
5	S5	F	137	55

See `data=data.frame(row.names=name,gender, weight, age)`

```
> newdata=data[order(data[, "age"]),]
> newdata
```

	name	gender	weight	age
2	S2	M	134	27
4	S4	F	125	32
1	S1	F	120	34
3	S3	M	230	39

# Sort data frame by selected column

rev: reverses the order from increasing to decreasing

```
> name<-c("S1", "S2", "S3", "S4", "S5")
> gender=c("F","M", "M", "F", "F")
> weight=c(120,134,230, 125, 137)
> age=c(34,27,39,32,55)
> data=data.frame(name,gender, weight, age)
> data
```

	name	gender	weight	age
1	S1	F	120	34
2	S2	M	134	27
3	S3	M	230	39
4	S4	F	125	32
5	S5	F	137	55

```
> newdata=data[rev(order(data[, "age"])),]
> newdata
```

	name	gender	weight	age
5	S5	F	137	55
3	S3	M	230	39
1	S1	F	120	34
4	S4	F	125	32
2	S2	M	134	27

# unique function

```
data=data.frame(name=c("Jim", "Lucas", "Marcie","Lucas"),
  age=c(23,54,34,54), Major=c("Physics","Math","CS", "Math"))
```

```
data
```

```
> data
```

	name	age	Major
1	Jim	23	Physics
2	Lucas	54	Math
3	Marcie	34	CS
4	Lucas	54	Math

Note that the entry # 4 is exactly same as # 2

```
> unique (data)
```

```
> unique(data)
```

	name	age	Major
1	Jim	23	Physics
2	Lucas	54	Math
3	Marcie	34	CS

```
>
```

# Example

Solve the following system of equations

$$x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3 = 3$$

$$-x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = -2$$

$$2x_1 + 4x_2 + x_3 = 10$$

```
> data=c(1,3,2,-1,1,2,2,4,1)
> A=matrix(data,nrow=3,byrow=T)
> Y=matrix(c(3,-2,10),ncol=1)
> X=solve(A,Y)
> X
```

```
      [,1]
[1,] -2.25
[2,]  4.75
[3,] -4.50
```



# Example

Solve the following system of equations

$$x + y + z + w = 0$$

$$x + y - z - w = 1$$

$$x - y + z + w = 3$$

$$x - y - z + w = -1$$

```
> data=c(1,1,1,1,1,1,-1,-1,1,-1,1,1,1,-1,-1,1)
```

```
> A=matrix(data,nrow=4,byrow=T)
```

```
> Y=matrix(c(0,1,3,-1),ncol=1)
```

```
> X=solve(A,Y)
```

```
> X
```

```
      [,1]
```

```
[1,]  2.0
```

```
[2,] -1.5
```

```
[3,]  2.0
```

```
[4,] -2.5
```