Module 1: Introduction and Learning R

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What is R Software

- R is a free open-source software and programming language.
 - Summarize, explore and model the data
- Reproducible research (code +text).
- Huge learning Resources and Community Resource 1; Resource 2; Resource 3; and Resource 4
- · Popular graphical capabilities.
- Dominant and useful variety of scientific disciplines.

What is R Studio

RStudio is an integrated development environment (IDE) for R

- Easy to control and manage the R scripts (point and click)
- View and interact with the objects in single environment.
- Easy to set your working directory and access files on your computer
- · Graphics more accessible.
- More features see the link: Click here

Installation of R and R Studio

To download R software Click here and to download R Studio Click here. Go over these resources to know how to download and install R and R Studio; Link 1; Link 2; Link 3

R Package and Installation







What is R package?

- Bundles of codes build by the people to perform certain tasks
- Maintained at Comprehensive R Archive Network (CRAN)/Bioconductor/GitHub

Install from CRAN

install.package("ggplot2")

```
install.packages("ggplot2")
```

Resources CRAN: Link 1; Link 2; and Link 3

Install from Bioconductor Click Here

- · Packages for life sciences related data
- BiocManager handles all of the packages hosted on Bioconductor

in stall. packages (``BiocManager'')

BiocManager::install("GWASTools")

```
# Installs BiocManager if not installed
if (!require("BiocManager", quietly = TRUE))
   install.packages("BiocManager")
BiocManager::install(version = "3.20")
# Now Install R Package
BiocManager::install("GWASTools")
```

Resources Bioconductor: Link 1; Link 2; Link 3; Link 4

Install from GitHub Click Here

install.packages("devtools")

devtools::install github("tidyr")

```
# First Install Devtools
install.packages("devtools")
# Then Intsall Package tidyr
devtools::install_github("tidyr")
```

Resources GitHub: Link 1; Link 2; and Link 3

Section 2: R Essentials

- R works on expression and objects. It is like a big gigantic calculator
- For example, Users enters expression (for example 2+2)
 - Expression involves operators or function calls.
 - Expression work on Objects
- · R evaluates it
- And Print the Results, 4

```
# Examples of R Exression
# Add
  2+2
## [1] 4
# Subtract
 4-2
## [1] 2
# Square
    2^2
## [1] 4
# Division
    10/2
## [1] 5
# Multiple
    5*5
## [1] 25
# Log
    log(10)
## [1] 2.302585
# Exponential
    exp(10)
```

Function Calls

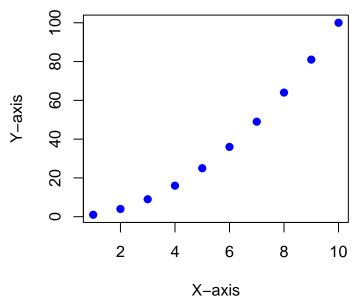
[1] 22026.47

- Calling a function which involves one or more variables.
 - For example sum(x) or plot(x) are function call.
 - It is like expression or object.
- Function format is followed by a set of parentheses containing one or more arguments. *function(argument1, argument2,....)*. For example: *plot (height, weight)* here height and weight are the arguments for the function call *plot()*
- See more details as: plot(height, weight, pch=2, color="red".....)
- Positional matching; define the position of arguments plot(x=height, y=weight, pch=2...)

```
# Create sample data
x <- seq(1, 10, by=1) # x values from 1 to 10
y <- x^2 # y values are the squares of x</pre>
```

```
# Plot the data
plot(x, y,
    main="Plot of y = x^2", # Title of the plot
    xlab="X-axis", # Label for the x-axis
    ylab="Y-axis", # Label for the y-axis
    col="blue", # Color of the points
    pch=19)
```

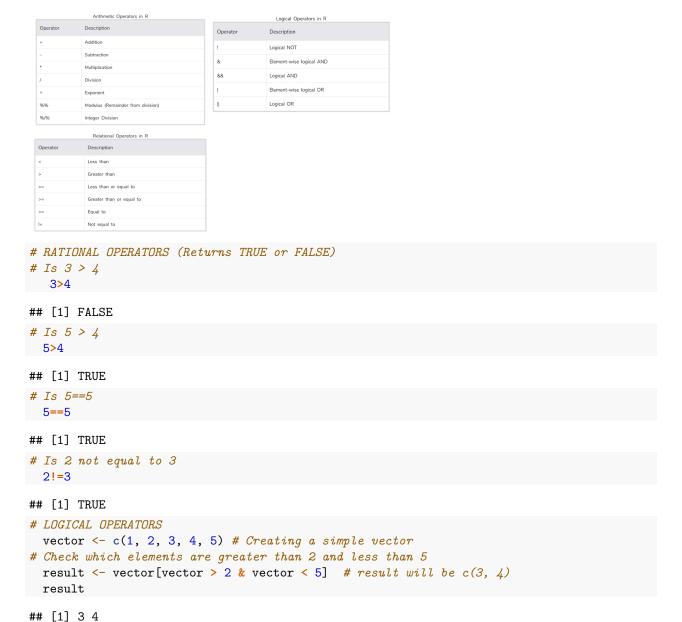
Plot of $y = x^2$



```
# Question: How many Arguments are in function plot()?
# Can you figure positional matching
```

Operators in R

- Operator is a symbol that tells the compiler to perform specific mathematical or logical manipulations.
- R language is rich in built-in operators and provides following types of operators.
- In R we have **Arithmetic Operators**, **Relational Operators**, and **Logical Operators**. Find more on Operators in R Click Here



Data Types in R

• Six data types are in R:

Character: "Block", "Replication"

Numeric (real or decimal)- 2.4, 2, 10

Integer: 2L, 3L

Logical: TRUE, FALSE

Complex: 1+6i

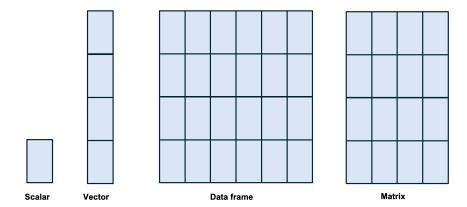
• In R we use these function call to check type of data

class(): what kind of object is it

```
length(): how long it is
# NUMERIC TYPE
  num1 <- 5
             # Integer
  num2 <- 3.14 # Decimal (floating-point)</pre>
  num2
## [1] 3.14
# INTEGER TYPE
  int_num <- 10L # Integer type</pre>
int_num
## [1] 10
# CHARACTER TYPE
  char<- "Hello, R!" # Character string
  char
## [1] "Hello, R!"
# LOGICAL
  True_type <- TRUE</pre>
  False_type <- FALSE</pre>
  False_type
## [1] FALSE
complex_num \leftarrow 3 + 2i \# 3 is the real part, and 2 is the imaginary part
complex_num
## [1] 3+2i
#Assignment operator in R is <-, why not Equal sign =
```

Data Structures in R

• In R we have following data structures:



#Question: Could you use class() function to check the type of data

Scalers

- A scalar object is just a single value like a number or a name.
- For example, a <- 100 X<-"name"
- Scalars don't have to be numeric, they can also be characters (also known as strings)

```
# Examples of numeric scalers
   a <- 100
## [1] 100
   b <- 3 / 100
## [1] 0.03
    c <- (a + b) / b
## [1] 3334.333
# Examples of character scalers
   d <- "ship"
## [1] "ship"
   e <- "cannon"
## [1] "cannon"
   f <- "Do any modern armies still use cannons?"
   f
## [1] "Do any modern armies still use cannons?"
# Could you add two scalers of type character?
```

Vectors

- Vector is a basic data structure in R which contains a list of same elements
- Vectors are created using function c(), concatenate the elements

```
# Example of Vector
    X<-c(1,2,3,4,5, 6) # five components
    X

## [1] 1 2 3 4 5 6
# Check length
    length(X)

## [1] 6
# Creating a vector of 2s eight times
    d<-rep(2, 8)
    d

## [1] 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2</pre>
```

```
d \le rep(c(1,2,3,4), 5)
## [1] 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
    d < -rep(c(1:4), 2)
## [1] 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
#INDEXING or SUBSETTING
    x[1] # Extract first element
## [1] 1
    x[c(1,2,6)] # Extract first, second and 6 element in vector x (sub vector)
## [1] 1 2 6
    x[1:3] # Extracts elemnts from 1 to thrid position
## [1] 1 2 3
    x[-6] # Drops last element
## [1] 1 2 3 4 5 7 8 9 10
    sum(x) # sum function adds all elements
## [1] 55
    mean(x) # get mean of x
## [1] 5.5
    min(x) # get minimal value
## [1] 1
   max(x) # Get maximum value
## [1] 10
```

Matrices

[3,]

3

- Matrices are **numeric** array of rows and columns.
- Think as Stacked version of vectors where each row and column is basically a vector; Combination of n vectors
- We use function *matrix()*, to create a matrix in R

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```
# Creat a matrix
## 2.3.1 First approach
   m2<-matrix(1:9, nrow = 3, ncol = 3) # Matrix with 3 rows and columns
   m2 # Matrix filled by rows
##
        [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,]
                4
                     7
         1
## [2,]
           2
                5
```

```
m2<-matrix(1:9, nrow=3, ncol=3, byrow = TRUE)</pre>
# Assign names to rows and columns
   dimnames(m2)<-list(c("X","Y","Z"), c("A","B","C"))</pre>
##
   ABC
## X 1 2 3
## Y 4 5 6
## Z 7 8 9
# Access and chnage the row and column names
   colnames(m2) # Get column names
## [1] "A" "B" "C"
   row.names(m2)
## [1] "X" "Y" "Z"
# Change the namaes of columns
   colnames(m2)<-c("A.1", "B.1", "C.1")</pre>
   A.1 B.1 C.1
## X
     1
          2
## Y
      4
          5
              6
## Z 7
          8
# Change the name of just first column
    colnames(m2)[1]<-"B.B"
   m2
    B.B B.1 C.1
##
## X 1 2 3
## Y
      4
          5
              6
## Z
          8
      7
              9
## Second approach to create the matrix
# We can use cbind() and rbind() functions, column and row bind
   x < -c(4,2,3,6) # create a vector of x
   y < -c(8,5,6,9) # create a vector of y
   m.col<-cbind(x,y) # now use cbind to bind two vectors column wise
   m.col
##
       х у
## [1,] 4 8
## [2,] 25
## [3,] 3 6
## [4,] 6 9
   m.row<-rbind(x,y) # now use cbind to bind two vectors row wise
   m.row
## [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
## x
       4
            2
                 3
## y
       8
            5
                 6
### Extract the elements of matrices.
## Square bracket [] indexing method. Elements can be accessed as var[row, column].
```

```
# First create a new matrix
   m2<-matrix(1:12, nrow=3, ncol=4, byrow = TRUE)</pre>
   class(m2)
## [1] "matrix" "array"
   m2[1,] # Extracts first row
## [1] 1 2 3 4
   m2[,4] # Extracts 4th column
## [1] 4 8 12
   m2[1,4] # Extracts first elemnt in row 1 and column 1
## [1] 4
   m2[c(1,3), c(1,2)]
     [,1] [,2]
## [1,]
       1 2
## [2,]
       9 10
   m2[-1,] # Leaves first row
       [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
## [1,]
       5 6 7
## [2,]
          9
             10 11
                       12
## Modify the matrix
   m2[1,1] \leftarrow 10 # Changes single element in first row and first column
       [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
## [1,]
       10
             2
                   3
                   7
                        8
## [2,]
        5
              6
       9
             10 11
                       12
## [3,]
   m2[m2>11]<-20 # Chnage the elements in matrix greater than 12
       [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
##
## [1,] 10
             2
                   3
## [2,]
         5
              6
                   7
                        8
## [3,]
        9
             10
                 11
                      20
# Add colum or row to existing matrix
   m2 < -cbind(m2, c(4,8,12))
       [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]
## [1,] 10
             2
                   3 4
## [2,]
         5
              6
                   7
                        8
                             8
                           12
## [3,]
         9
             10 11
                      20
   x < -c(4,2,3,6,7) # create a vector of x
   m2 < -rbind(m2, x)
## [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]
```

```
##
       10
                   3
##
              6
                   7
                        8
                              8
##
             10
                  11
                        20
                             12
## x
              2
                   3
                         6
                              7
# Note dimensions should be same to add vectors
    m2 \leftarrow rbind(m2, c(1,2))
## Warning in rbind(m2, c(1, 2)): number of columns of result is not a multiple of
## vector length (arg 2)
    m2
##
     [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]
##
       10
                   3
##
        5
              6
                   7
                         8
                              8
##
        9
             10
                  11
                        20
                             12
                         6
        4
              2
                   3
                              7
## x
        1
                   1
# Check the dimensions of matrix
    dim(m2)
## [1] 5 5
# Transpose the matrix
    t(m2)
##
## [1,] 10 5 9 4 1
## [2,] 2 6 10 2 2
## [3,] 3 7 11 3 1
## [4,]
        4 8 20 6 2
        4 8 12 7 1
## [5,]
Data Frames
   • Data Frames are more general than matrix, which has columns with different modes (numeric, character, factor).
   • A data frame can be constructed by the data.frame()
    Genotypes <- c("Genotyp1", "Genotype1", "Genotype2", "Genotype2")</pre>
```

```
# Create a data.frame
   Replication <- c("1","1","2","2")
   Block<- c("Block1", "Block2", "Block1", "Block2")
   Yield <- c (2500, 3500, 3200, 4500)
   mydata <- data.frame(Genotypes,Replication,Block,Yield)</pre>
    class(mydata)
## [1] "data.frame"
# Check the structure
    str(mydata)
## 'data.frame':
                    4 obs. of 4 variables:
                        "Genotyp1" "Genotype1" "Genotype2" "Genotype2"
## $ Genotypes : chr
                        "1" "1" "2" "2"
## $ Replication: chr
                       "Block1" "Block2" "Block1" "Block2"
## $ Block
                 : chr
## $ Yield
                 : num 2500 3500 3200 4500
```

```
# Change the varaibales
   mydata$Block<-as.factor(mydata$Block)</pre>
   mydata$Replication<-as.factor(mydata$Replication)</pre>
# Check the structure again
   str(mydata)
## 'data.frame':
                 4 obs. of 4 variables:
## $ Genotypes : chr "Genotyp1" "Genotype1" "Genotype2" "Genotype2"
## $ Replication: Factor w/ 2 levels "1", "2": 1 1 2 2
## $ Block
                : Factor w/ 2 levels "Block1", "Block2": 1 2 1 2
                 : num 2500 3500 3200 4500
## $ Yield
   levels (mydata $Replication) # Determine the number of levels for replication.
## [1] "1" "2"
# Check column names
   names(mydata)
## [1] "Genotypes"
                     "Replication" "Block"
                                                  "Yield"
# Subsetting or Indexing
   mydata[1:2,]
```

Genotypes	Replication	Block	Yield
Genotyp1	1	Block1	2500
Genotype1	1	Block2	3500

mydata[c(1,3),]

	Genotypes	Replication	Block	Yield
1	Genotyp1	1	Block1	2500
3	Genotype2	2	Block1	3200

```
# Select columns using $ sign
mydata$Yield # select Yield column
```

[1] 2500 3500 3200 4500

mydata[mydata\$Yield>3500,] # Extract row that has yield greater than 3500

	Genotypes	Replication	Block	Yield
4	Genotype2	2	Block2	4500

```
# Subset based on factor levels
help("subset")
mydata2<-subset(mydata,Block=="Block1") # select just Block1
mydata2</pre>
```

	Genotypes	Replication	Block	Yield
1	Genotyp1	1	Block1	2500
3	Genotype2	2	Block1	3200

```
mydata2<-subset(mydata,Block=="Block1" & Replication=="1") # select just Block1
mydata2</pre>
```

Genotypes	Replication	Block	Yield
Genotyp1	1	Block1	2500

Lists

- List is a data structure having components of mixed data types.
- To create a list we use *function list()*

```
# Creating a simple list
  my_list <- list(name = "Waseem", age = 39, height = 5.5, is_student = FALSE)</pre>
  my_list
## $name
## [1] "Waseem"
##
## $age
## [1] 39
##
## $height
## [1] 5.5
##
## $is_student
## [1] FALSE
{\it \# Mixed List: Creating a list with different types of elements}
  mixed_list \leftarrow list(vector = c(1, 2, 3),
                    matrix = matrix(1:4, nrow = 2),
                    char = "Hello",
                    logical = c(TRUE, FALSE))
  mixed_list
## $vector
## [1] 1 2 3
##
## $matrix
        [,1] [,2]
##
## [1,]
           1
                 3
## [2,]
           2
                 4
##
## $char
## [1] "Hello"
##
## $logical
## [1] TRUE FALSE
```

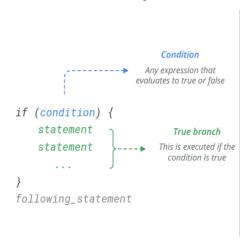
Section 3: Control Structures in R

Allow users to control the flow of execution of a series of R expressions

- Commonly used control structures are:
 - if and else: testing a condition and acting on it
 - for: execute a loop a fixed number of times
 - while: execute a loop while a condition is true
 - repeat: execute an infinite loop (must break out of it to stop)
 - break: break the execution of a loop
 - next: skip an interation of a loop

If statement

• Execute a block of code, if a specified condition is true



Adopted from: https://www.learnbyexample.org/r-if-else-elseif-statement/

```
# Example 1
    x <- 10
    y <- 12
    if(x < y) {
        print("x is less than 12!")
    }

## [1] "x is less than 12!"

# Example 2
    data("iris")
    if(mean(iris$Sepal.Length)!=mean(iris$Petal.Length)){</pre>
```

```
print("It is true")
}
```

[1] "It is true"

If and else statement

• Execute a block of code, if the condition is false

Syntax

```
if (condition) {
    statement
    statement
    statement
    ...
} else {
    statement
    s
```

Adopted from: https://www.learnbyexample.org/r-if-else-elseif-statement/

```
# Example 1
    x <- 10
    y <- 12
    if(x > y) {
        print("x is greater than y")
    } else {
        print("y is greater than x")
    }
}
```

```
## [1] "y is greater than x"
```

```
# Example 2
  if(mean(iris$Sepal.Length) < mean(iris$Petal.Length)) {
    print("This is true and mean of sepal length is less than petal length")
} else {
    print("This is false and mean of petal length is less than sepal length")
}</pre>
```

[1] "This is false and mean of petal length is less than sepal length"

Else If statement

• Specify a new condition to test, if the first condition is false.

```
Syntax
                           if (condition) {
                               statement )
                                                          First condition
                               statement
                                                  This is executed if the first condition is true
                           } else if (condition) {
                               statement
   A new condition
                               statement
  to test if previous condition isn't true
                           } else {
                               statement
                                                         This is executed if none
                               statement
                            following_statement
```

Adopted from: https://www.learnbyexample.org/r-if-else-elseif-statement/

```
# Example 1
    x <- 12
    y <- 13
    if(x > y) {
        print("x is greater")
    } else if(x < y) {
        print("y is greater")
    } else {
        print("x and y are equal")
}</pre>
```

[1] "y is greater"

```
# Example 2
    x <- 12
    y <- 12
    if(x > y) {
        print("x is greater")
    } else if(x < y) {
        print("y is greater")
    } else {
        print("x and y are equal")
    }
}</pre>
```

[1] "x and y are equal"

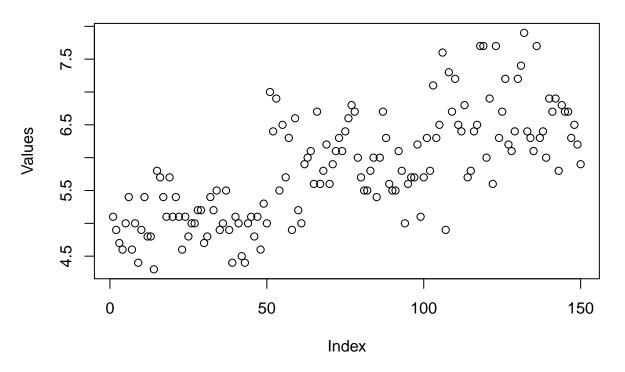
Multiple Condition Statements

- Join two or more conditions into a single if statement
- Logical operators: && (and), ||(or) and ! (not). && (and) expression is True, if all the conditions are true
- For more details Click Here

```
# Example of Multiple conditions
# First let us check means
mean(iris$Sepal.Length)
```

[1] 5.843333

Sepal length



ifelse Function

• Function checks the condition for every element of a vector and selects elements from the specified vector depending upon the result.

Syntax

```
ifelse (condition, TrueVector, FalseVector)
```

```
ConditionTrue branchFalse branchCondition is checked for<br/>every element of a vectorSelect element from this<br/>if the condition is trueSelect element from this<br/>if the condition is false
```

Apply Function

- Repetitively perform an action on multiple chunks of data.
- · Runs faster than loop and requires less coding

Basic function: apply(X, MARGIN, FUN)

- X is an array or matrix.
- Margin specifies whether you want to apply the function across rows (1) or columns (2)
- FUN is the function you want to use

```
### Apply funtion

# First create a matrix
   my.matrx <- matrix(c(1:10, 11:20, 21:30), nrow = 10, ncol = 3)
   my.matrx</pre>
```

```
##
         [,1] [,2] [,3]
   [1,]
                11
                     21
##
            1
##
  [2,]
            2
                12
                     22
## [3,]
            3
                13
                     23
##
  [4,]
            4
                14
                     24
## [5,]
            5
                15
                     25
## [6,]
            6
                     26
                16
##
   [7,]
            7
                17
                     27
## [8,]
            8
                18
                     28
## [9,]
            9
               19
                     29
                20
                     30
## [10,]
           10
```

```
colnames(my.matrx)<-c("Length", "Breadth", "Width")</pre>
#Get sum across rows by using apply function
    sumrow<-apply(my.matrx, 2, mean)</pre>
    sumrow
   Length Breadth
                      Width
       5.5
              15.5
##
                       25.5
# Creating own function
    sumrow<-apply(my.matrx, 1, function (x) sum(x)*2)</pre>
    sumrow
## [1] 66 72 78 84 90 96 102 108 114 120
# Creating function outside and then apply
# Creating a function to calculate Cofficient of variation
    my.cofvar<- function(x){</pre>
      (sd(x)/mean(x))*100
# Now apply it it dataframe or matrix
    cv<-apply(my.matrx,1, my.cofvar)</pre>
  [1] 90.90909 83.33333 76.92308 71.42857 66.66667 62.50000 58.82353 55.55556
## [9] 52.63158 50.00000
```

lapply function

- lapply() operates on list and always returns a list, '1' in lapply() refers to 'list'
- Syntex: *lapply(X, FUN, ...)*
 - X is a list
 - Fun, function to be applied
- Additional arguments passed to function
- *lapply()* always returns a list whereas *apply()* can return a vector, list, matrix or array.
- No scope of MARGIN in *lapply()*, always to columns

```
## lapply Function
# Create a list first
    list.1<-list(Length=c(6,4,8,6.5),breadth=c(7,8,6,8),width=c(6.8,7.2,6.6,8))
    list.1

## $Length
## [1] 6.0 4.0 8.0 6.5

##
## $breadth
## [1] 7 8 6 8

##
## $width
## [1] 6.8 7.2 6.6 8.0

# Get mean of all lists using lapply function
    mean.all <- lapply(list.1,mean)
    mean.all # Mean for all the lists</pre>
```

```
## $Length
## [1] 6.125
##
## $breadth
## [1] 7.25
##
## $width
## [1] 7.15
```

sapply Function

- syntax for sapply() is as follows: sapply(x, fun,....)*
- sapply() and lapply() work basically the same.
- The only difference is that *lapply()* always returns a list, whereas *sapply()* tries to simplify the result into a vector or matrix.

```
• Additional argument if simplify = F then sapply() returns a list similar to lapply()
## sapply Function
# Create a vector first
    vec < -c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8)
    mean.vec <- sapply(vec,mean)</pre>
    mean.vec
## [1] 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
# Additional argument simplify
    vec < -c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8)
    mean.vec <- sapply(vec,mean, simplify = FALSE) # RETURNS REULTS AS LAPPLY</pre>
    mean.vec
## [[1]]
## [1] 1
##
## [[2]]
## [1] 2
## [[3]]
## [1] 3
##
## [[4]]
## [1] 4
## [[5]]
## [1] 5
##
## [[6]]
## [1] 6
##
## [[7]]
## [1] 7
##
## [[8]]
## [1] 8
```

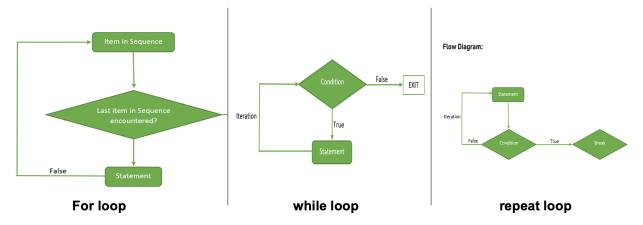
tapply Function

- tapply() function breaks the data set up into groups and applies a function to each group.
- The syntax: *tapply(x,INDEX,FUN,...,simplify)*
- x is required vector
- A grouping factor or a list of factors
- The function to be applied
- · Additional arguments
- Simplify return simplified results

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Loops in R

• Loops run in cycling or iterating manner. They control statement that allows multiple executions of a statement or a set of statements.



Adopted from https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/loops-in-r-for-while-repeat/

for loop

- For loop, loops our texts, data frames etc.
- Loops repeatedly depending upon the number of elements

Syntex

for (var in vector) {

```
statement(s)
```

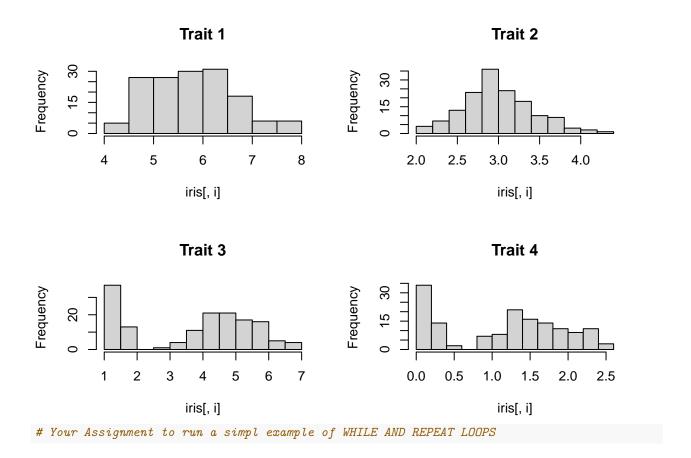
while loop

- Runs a statement or a set of statements repeatedly unless the given condition becomes false.
- Entry controlled loop.

repeat loop

- repeat loop run the same statement or a group of statements repeatedly until the stop condition has been encountered
- Iterate infinitely if no condition given

```
# For loop
# Example 1
    for (i in 1:5) {
     print(i^3)
## [1] 1
## [1] 8
## [1] 27
## [1] 64
## [1] 125
# Example 2
    x \leftarrow c(-8, 9, 11, 45)
     for (i in x) {
        y < -x/2
        print(y)
## [1] -4.0 4.5 5.5 22.5
## [1] -4.0 4.5 5.5 22.5
## [1] -4.0 4.5 5.5 22.5
## [1] -4.0 4.5 5.5 22.5
# Example 3
# Histogram for iris data all columns
# Get iris data
    data(iris)
# Histograms
    par(mfrow = c(2, 2)) # Create 2 x 2 plotting matrix
    for (i in 1:ncol(iris[,c(1:4)])){ # loop over columns
     plot <- hist(iris[,i], main=paste("Trait", i))</pre>
     plot
```



Section 4: String Manipulations

- String manipulation refers to operations that modify, analyze, or otherwise work with text data (strings) in programming.
- In R, there are numerous functions for manipulating strings, allowing you to perform actions like concatenation, substring extraction, pattern matching, and more.

Basic String Manipulations

- nchar(): number of characters
- tolower() :convert to lower case
- toupper(): convert to upper case
- casefold(): case folding
- chartr(): character translation
- abbreviate(): abbreviation
- substr(): substrings of a character vector
- paste() or paste0(): combine strings,paste0() removes spaces.

More extensive details can be found in book Handling and Processing Strings

• We will use library stringer to do more manipulations

```
# Load library
  library(stringr)
# First create a string
   x<-c("ICAR", "IRRI", "Training")</pre>
# Get number of characters
   nchar(x)
## [1] 4 4 8
# Convert to lower case
   y<-tolower(x)
   у
## [1] "icar"
                  "irri"
                              "training"
# Convert to upper case
   y<-toupper(x)
## [1] "ICAR"
                  "IRRI"
                             "TRAINING"
# Upper or lower case conversion with casefold()
# upper case folding
   y<-casefold(x, upper = TRUE)
   у
## [1] "ICAR"
                  "IRRI"
                             "TRAINING"
# Replace 'IRRI' by 'IRRIGO'
   help("chartr")
   z<-"IRRI ICAR TRAINING"
   z2<-chartr("I", "G",z)
   z2
## [1] "GRRG GCAR TRAGNGNG"
# abbreviate species name column in iris data set
    iris$Species<- abbreviate(iris$Species, minlength = 3)</pre>
   head (iris$Species)
## [1] "sts" "sts" "sts" "sts" "sts" "sts"
#with package stringer
   head(abbreviate(iris$Species, minlength = 4, dot = FALSE,
                     strict = FALSE))
   sts sts sts sts sts
## "sts" "sts" "sts" "sts" "sts" "sts"
# Replace substrings with substr()
   help("substr")
    substr(iris$Species, 1, 3)<-"MY"</pre>
# Check similar function in stringr
# Concatenating strings
x<-c("ICAR", "Colloboration", "Genomic")
y<-c("IRR", "Training", "Prediction")
yx<- paste(x, y)</pre>
yх
## [1] "ICAR IRR"
                                "Colloboration Training" "Genomic Prediction"
```

```
# Without space
yx<- pasteO(x, y) # Output: "HelloWorld"</pre>
yх
## [1] "ICARIRR"
                                 "ColloborationTraining" "GenomicPrediction"
Set Operations
   • union(): set union
   • intersect(): intersection
   • setdiff(): set difference
   • setequal(): equal sets identical() exact equality
   • is.element(): is element
   • %in%(): contains
   • sort(): sorting
   • rep(): repetition
# First create a two character vectors
    set1 = c("ICAR", "IRRI", "TRAINING", "PROGRAM")
    set2 = c("IRRI", "TRAINING", "PROGRAM", "2020")
# union of set1 and set2
    union(set1, set2) #discards any duplicated values in the provided vectors
## [1] "ICAR"
                   "IRRI"
                              "TRAINING" "PROGRAM" "2020"
#Set intersection with intersect()
    intersect(set1, set2) # common between two
## [1] "IRRI"
                   "TRAINING" "PROGRAM"
# Set difference with setdiff()
    setdiff(set2, set1)
## [1] "2020"
# First create set 3 and set 4
    set3=c("IRRI", "ICAR", "TRAINING", "PROGRAM")
# Set equality with setequal()
    setequal(set1, set3)
## [1] TRUE
# Exact equality with identical()
    identical(set1, set3)
## [1] FALSE
# Element contained with is.element()
# Create elements
    elem1 = "IRRI"
    elem2 = "2020"
# elem1 in set 1
    is.element(elem1, set1) #if an element is contained in a given set of character strings
## [1] TRUE
# elem1 in set10?
    elem1 %in% set1 # alternative
```

```
## [1] TRUE
# Sorting with sort()
#sort() allows us to sort the elements of a vector, either in increasing order (by
#default) or in decreasing order using the argument decreasing:
# sort (decreasing order)
    set5<-c("boy", "girl", "apple")</pre>
    set6<-c("boy", "girl", "apple", "2020")</pre>
    sort(set5)
## [1] "apple" "boy"
                        "girl"
    sort(set6)
## [1] "2020" "apple" "boy"
                                "girl"
#Repetition with rep()
# repeat 'x' 4 times
    help("rep")
   rep("Apple", 4)
## [1] "Apple" "Apple" "Apple" "Apple"
    help("paste")
# Check similar functions in stringr
```

Regular Expressions

Patter matching and substitution

- grep: match a pattern
- grepl: similar to grep, output as logical
- regexpr: similar to grepl, output different and detailed
- gregexpr: similar to regexpr, output as list
- *sub()*: replacing one pattern with another one
- gsub(): replacing one pattern with another one (all occurrences)

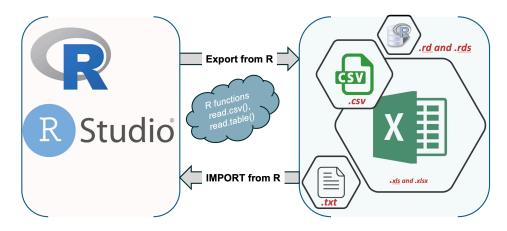
All adopted from the same book given above

```
# Replacing first occurrence with sub()
# string
 help("sub")
 Rstring = c("The r Foundation",
            "for Statistical Computing",
            "R is FREE software",
            "r is a collaborative project")
# substitute 'R' with 'R
  sub("R", "RR", Rstring, ignore.case = TRUE)
## [1] "The RR Foundation"
                                       "foRR Statistical Computing"
## [3] "RR is FREE software"
                                       "RR is a collaborative project"
#Replacing all occurrences with gsub()
# substitute
 gsub("R", "RR", Rstring)
## [1] "The r Foundation"
                                      "for Statistical Computing"
## [3] "RR is FRREE software"
                                      "r is a collaborative project"
```

```
## Splitting Character Vectors
 sentence = c("R is a collaborative project with many contributors")
# split into words
strsplit(sentence, " ")
## [[1]]
## [1] "R"
                     "is"
                                     "a"
                                                      "collaborative"
## [5] "project"
                      "with"
                                     "many"
                                                      "contributors"
# telephone numbers
tels<-c("5_1_0_548_20")
tels = c("510-548-2238", "707-231-2440", "650-752-1300")
# split each number into its portions
strsplit(tels, "_")
## [[1]]
## [1] "510-548-2238"
## [[2]]
## [1] "707-231-2440"
## [[3]]
## [1] "650-752-1300"
# Check similar functions in stringr: your assignment
## Additional on Regular expressions
# Meta-characters
# string
money = "$money"
# the naive but wrong way
sub(pattern = "$", replacement = "", x = money)
## [1] "$money"
# the right way in R
 sub(pattern = "\\$", replacement = "_", x = money)
## [1] "_money"
# Sequences
#replaces the first match, while gsub() replaces all the matches.
# replace digit with ' '
sub("\\d", "_", "the dandelion war 2010")
## [1] "the dandelion war 010"
 gsub("\\d", "_", "the dandelion war 2010")
## [1] "the dandelion war ____"
 sub("\\D", "_", "the dandelion war 2010")
## [1] "_he dandelion war 2010"
 gsub("\\D", "_", "the dandelion war 2010")
## [1] "______2010"
```

Section 5: Importing and Exporting Data

• Data can be in .txt, .csv, .xls or .xlsx etc. In some cases data are also stored in data bases or servers.



In this section we will focus on reading and exporting the data files from the folder. More on data import and export in R can be found here Link 1, and Link 2

First we will know how to set the director and path to the folder

Set Working Directory

Ris always pointed at a directory on your computer

- Check current directory using function getwd()
- Set working directory using function setwd()
- Create working directory using function dir.create()

```
# Setting a new working directory
setwd("~/Documents/Research/Workshops/IRRI-IIRR_2024/Module1")
#setwd("C:Documents/Research/Workshops/") # In windows, replace path
# Get a working directory
getwd()
```

```
## [1] "/Users/waseemhussain/Documents/Research/Workshops/IRRI-IIRR_2024/Module1"
```

```
# Create a new working directory
dir.create("Test")
```

```
## Warning in dir.create("Test"): 'Test' already exists
```

Import and Export .csv Files

- The read.csv() function is for reading ".csv" files.
- The syntex for reading .csv files is read.csv(filename or path, header=TRUE, sep=""...)

Import and Export .txt Files

- The R base function read.table() is a general function that can be used to read a file in table format.
- The R base function write.table() is used to export the .txt files.
- A simple function is write.table(x, file, append=FALSE,sep="",dec="".",row.names=TRUE,col.names=TRUE)
- The data will be imported as a data frame. More can be found here Link 1; and Link 2

Import and Export .xlsx Files

- For reading excel files or sheets we will use the R package readxl, For more details Click here
- For writing the excel sheets or files we will use R package
- We will upland the files from the folder **Data**, which is sub-folder of main directory.
- More on reading and exporting excel files can be found here Link 1 and Link 2

```
# IMPORT EXCEL SHEETS
# Load the Library
library(readxl)
# Read the excel file
# Specify sheet by INDEX
my_data <- read_excel("./Data/iris.xlsx", sheet = 1)
# Specify sheet by Name
my_data <- read_excel("./Data/iris.xlsx", sheet = "IRIS_COPY")
# EXPORT EXCEL FILES</pre>
```

```
library(writex1)
# Writing the Existing file
#write_xlsx(my_data, "./Data/myIrisExoprt.xlsx")
# Check with Library ("xlsx")
```

Import from Web

- Here we will read data directly from web having rice data available at http://ricediversity.org/data/index.cfm.
- The phenotypic data has 34 traits phenotyped for 413 genotypes.

```
# Read from web directly
  rice.pheno <- read.table("http://www.ricediversity.org/data/sets/44kgwas/RiceDiversity_44K_Phenotypes
   header = TRUE, stringsAsFactors = FALSE, sep = "\t")
# First five rows and columns
  rice.pheno[1:5, 1:5]</pre>
```

HybID	NSFTVID	Flowering.time.at.Arkansas	Flowering.time.at.Faridpur	Flowering.time.at.Aberdeen
081215-	1	75.08333	64	81
A05				
081215-	3	89.50000	66	83
A06				
081215-	4	94.50000	67	93
A07				
081215-	5	87.50000	70	108
A08				
090414-	6	89.08333	73	101
A09				

Import and Export .rds

- To preserve the data structures, such as column data types (numeric, character or factor), saving or exporting files in .rds is best option. .rds is the R data format and can be also used to save big files.
- · More on this can be found Click here

```
# Save an .rds object in folder
saveRDS(my_data, file = "./Data/my_data.rds")
# Restore or read the same object
myrds<-readRDS(file = "./Data/my_data.rds")</pre>
```

Section 6: Data Wrangling and Manipulations

- There are many ways for data wrangling and manipulation tasks to perform in R. There are handful R packages
 to do Data wrangling and Manipulations and they fall in tidyverse R packages https://www.tidyverse.org/pack
 ages/.
- The **dplyr**, **tidyr**, **data.table** in tidyverse R packages provide a powerful and efficient way to work with data in R.
- Some resources on data wrangling and Manipulations are Link 1, Link 2, Link 3, Link 4, Link 5; and Link 6
- Here we will use some examples from dplyr and tidyr R packages

```
# Install packages and load
 packages = c("dplyr", "tidyr", "reshape", "reshape2")
# Create a function which will install the package if it is not installed
 package.check <- lapply(packages, FUN = function(x) { # apply lapply to list of packages</pre>
   if (!require(x, character.only = TRUE)) {
     install.packages(x, dependencies = TRUE) # install dependencies if required'library(x, character.
   })
# Read iris data file
 iris<-read.csv(file="./Data/iris.csv", header = TRUE)</pre>
 iris$Species.abr<-abbreviate(iris$Species, minlength = 3)</pre>
# Function FILTER
 iris1<-iris %>% filter(Species == "setosa", Species.abr == "sts")
\# same in base R
 iris2<-iris[iris$Species == "setosa" & iris$Species.abr == "sts", ]</pre>
# Function ARRANGE
 iris1<- iris1 %>% arrange(Sepal.Length)
# Use desc() to order a column in descending order:
   iris1<-iris1%>% arrange(desc(Sepal.Length))
#Choose rows using their position with slice()
   iris %>% slice(1:5)
```

Lines	Sepal.Length	Sepal.Width	Petal.Length	Petal.Width	Species	Species.abr
1	5.1	3.5	1.4	0.2	setosa	sts
2	4.9	3.0	1.4	0.2	setosa	sts
3	4.7	3.2	1.3	0.2	setosa	sts
4	4.6	3.1	1.5	0.2	setosa	sts
5	5.0	3.6	1.4	0.2	setosa	sts

```
# in base R
   test<-iris[c(1,5, 6:10), ]
   iris1<-iris %>% slice(-c(1:5))
# Function SELECT
# Select columns by name
    iris1<-iris %>% select(Sepal.Length, Sepal.Width)
# Select all columns between
   iris1<-iris %>% select(Sepal.Length:Petal.Width)
# Select all columns except one
   iris1<- iris %>% select(!Sepal.Length)
    #iris %>% select(!c(Sepal.Length, Petal.Width))
# Select all columns ending with length
   iris1<-iris %>% select(starts_with("Species"))
   iris1<-iris %>% select(ends with("abr"))
# more: starts_with(), ends_with(), matches() and contains() (Your assignment)
    #select(iris, contains("Length"))
    iris1<-iris %>% select(contains("."))
    #iris1<-select(iris, contains("."))</pre>
# Function MUTATE
```

```
# Add single column
    iris1<-iris %>% mutate(Additional = Sepal.Length/ 100)
# Add several columns
   iris1<-iris%>%mutate(Additional2 = sqrt(Sepal.Length), Check = "vrs")
# What is alternative in R base function (Your Assignment)
# Function SUMMARISE
 summary<-iris %>% summarise(Sepal.Length = mean(Sepal.Length, na.rm = TRUE))
 summary
                                      Sepal.Length
                                         5.843333
 iris %>% summarise(Mean=mean(Sepal.Length, na.rm = TRUE), SD=sd(Sepal.Length, na.rm = TRUE))
                                     Mean
                                                 SD
                                   5.843333
                                           0.8280661
# Summaries with column names
 iris %>% summarise(mean(Sepal.Length, na.rm = TRUE)),mean(Petal.Length, na.rm = TRUE))
               mean(Sepal.Length, na.rm = TRUE)
                                            mean(Petal.Length, na.rm = TRUE)
                                   5.843333
                                                                   3.758
# Summarise a subset of rows
 iris%>%
   slice(1:10) %>%
   summarise(sum(Sepal.Length))
                                    sum(Sepal.Length)
                                               48.6
#Function DISTINCT
 iris%>% distinct(across(Species))
                                       Species
                                       setosa
                                       versicolor
                                       virginica
# Pipe to perform multiple tasks
 test<-iris %>%
   filter(Species == "setosa")%>% # filter
   mutate(SePAL.2=Sepal.Length/ 10)%>% # create new column
   select(SePAL.2, Species) # and select the column
# Another pipe example
```

```
test2<- iris%>%
group_by(Species) %>% # Group by these variables
summarise( # Summarise data
length.mean = mean(Sepal.Length),
width.mean = median(Sepal.Width),
n = n()
)
# Assignmet: Check with Tidyr, reshape2, data.table functions
```

Section 7: Basic and Advanced Graphics

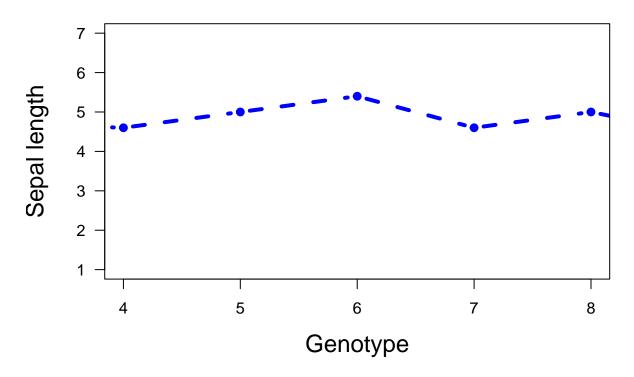
Basic Graphics with R

- In this section we will learn basic data visualization using base function *plot()*.
- More on the basic graphics with inbuilt functions in R can be found Click here.
- Here will will plot various plots like scatter and line plot, bar plot, histograms etc.,

Scatter Plot

```
#SCATTER PLOT
 plot(iris$Sepal.Length,
# Add features
 xlab="Genotype", # Add x label name
 ylab="Sepal length", # add y lable name
 main="Scatter plot for Sepal length",# add main title
 type="b",
# Different types of graphsx
 las=1, #0 is the default, with text always parallel to its axis.
 pch=20,
  cex=1.
 col="blue",
 lty=2, # line type
 lwd=4, # line or point width
 font.lab = 1, # font type
 col.lab="black",
 cex.lab = 1.5, # size of axis
 xlim=c(4,8), ylim=c(1,7), # adjust limits of axis
```

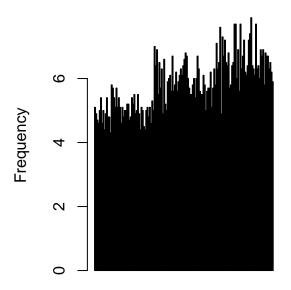
Scatter plot for Sepal length

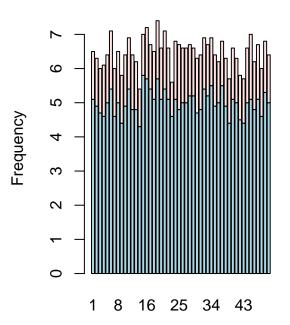


Barplot

Bar Plot for Sepal length

Bar Plot for Sepal length





Sepal length

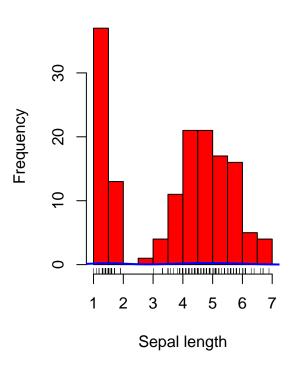
Sepal length

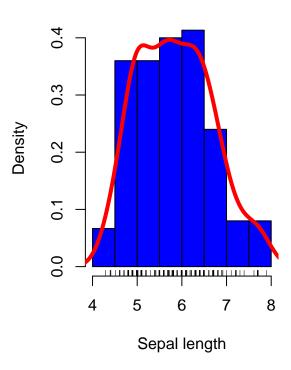
Histograms

```
par(mfrow = c(1,2))
 hist(iris$Petal.Length,
    freq=TRUE,
    breaks=12,
    col="red",
    xlab="Sepal length",
    main="Histogram for Seapl length")
 rug(jitter(iris$Petal.Length)) # add rugs
 lines(density(iris$Petal.Length), col="blue", lwd=2) # add density curve
# Another graph
  hist(iris$Sepal.Length,
    freq=FALSE,
    breaks=8,
    col="blue",
    xlab="Sepal length",
    main="Histogram for Seapl length")
 rug(jitter(iris$Sepal.Length)) # add rugs
 lines(density(iris$Sepal.Length), col="red", lwd=4) # add density curve
```

Histogram for Seapl length

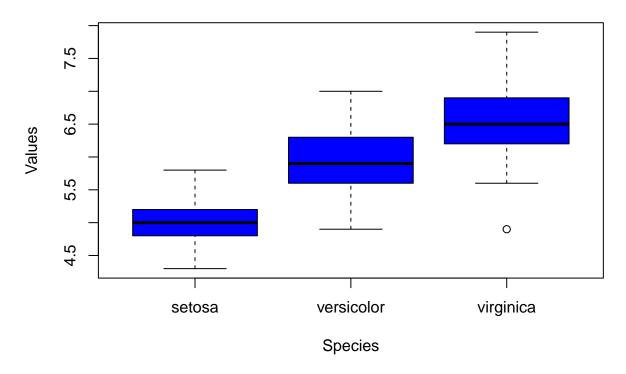
Histogram for Seapl length





Boxplots

Box plot for Sepal length



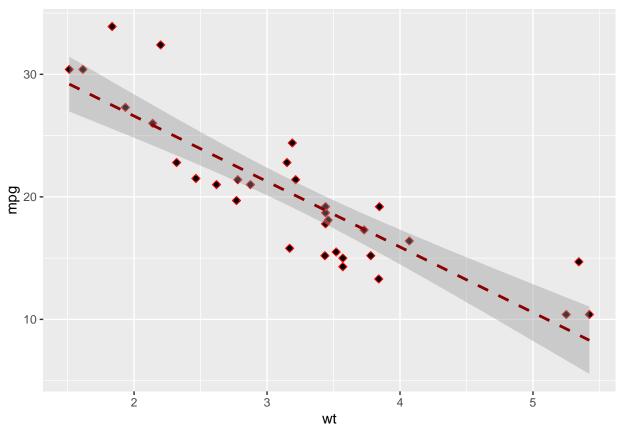
Advanced Graphics with ggplot2

- ggplot2 () is a powerful R package for data visualization (https://ggplot2.tidyverse.org/)
- It uses "Grammar of Graphics" to create customizable and complex plots intuitively, making it ideal for both beginners and advanced users.
- It seamlessly integrates with data frames and extensive community support further enhance its appeal.

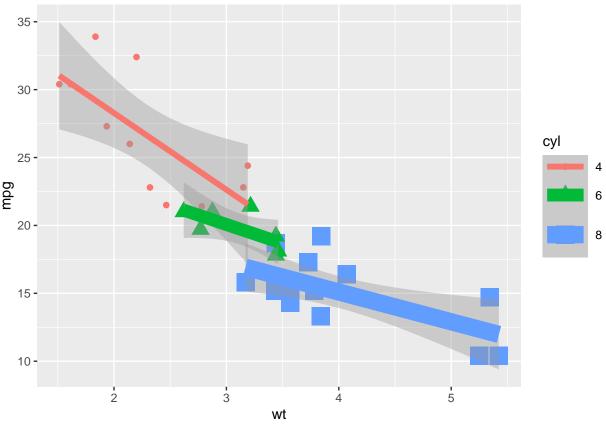
- Here we will plot some graphs using ggplot 2 and give you flavor how beautiful ggplot2 is in graphics
- We will also learn how to export high resolution figures from R Click here for more

SCATTER PLOT

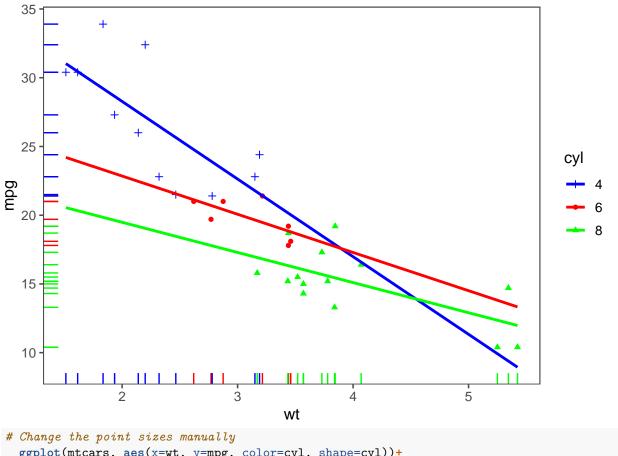
```
# SCATTER PLOT
# Install and Load the libraries
packages = c("ggplot2", "grid", "ggthemes", "plotly")
# Create a function which will install the package if it is not installed
package.check <- lapply(packages, FUN = function(x) { # apply lapply to list of package
if (!require(x, character.only = TRUE)) {
   install.packages(x, dependencies = TRUE) # install dependencies if required
   library(x, character.only = TRUE) # Load the package
   }
}
}
# Use ggplot Function to plot
ggplot(mtcars, aes(x=wt, y=mpg))+</pre>
```



```
# SCATTER PLOT MULTIPLE GROUPS
# Change point shapes by the levels of cyl
mtcars$cyl<-as.factor(mtcars$cyl)
ggplot(mtcars, aes(x=wt, y=mpg, shape=cyl, color=cyl, size=cyl)) +
    geom_point()+
    geom_smooth(method=lm)+
    geom_smooth(method=lm, se=FALSE, fullrange=FALSE)</pre>
```

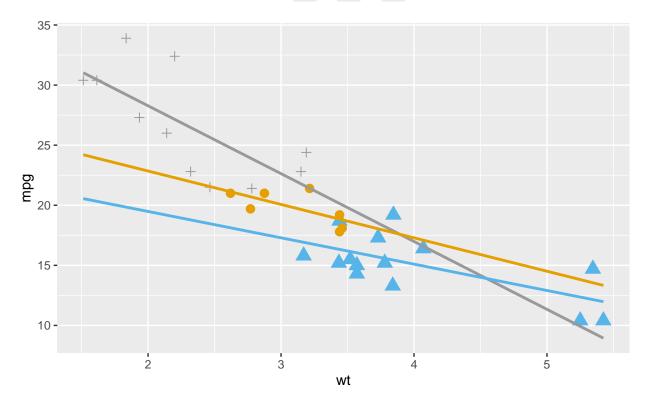


```
# Change point shapes and colors manually
ggplot(mtcars, aes(x=wt, y=mpg, color=cyl, shape=cyl))+
   geom_point()+
   geom_smooth(method=lm, se=FALSE, fullrange=TRUE)+
   scale_shape_manual(values=c(3, 16, 17))+
   scale_color_manual(values=c('blue','red', 'green'))+
   theme(legend.position="top")+
   geom_rug()+
   theme_few()
```



```
# Change the point sizes manually
ggplot(mtcars, aes(x=wt, y=mpg, color=cyl, shape=cyl))+
   geom_point(aes(size=cyl)) +
   geom_smooth(method=lm, se=FALSE, fullrange=TRUE)+
   scale_shape_manual(values=c(3, 16, 17))+
   scale_color_manual(values=c('#999999','#E69F00', '#56B4E9'))+
   scale_size_manual(values=c(2,3,4))+
   theme(legend.position="top")
```

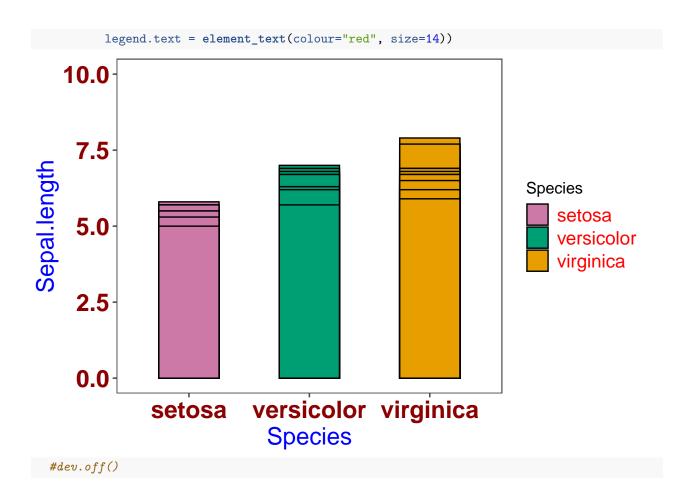




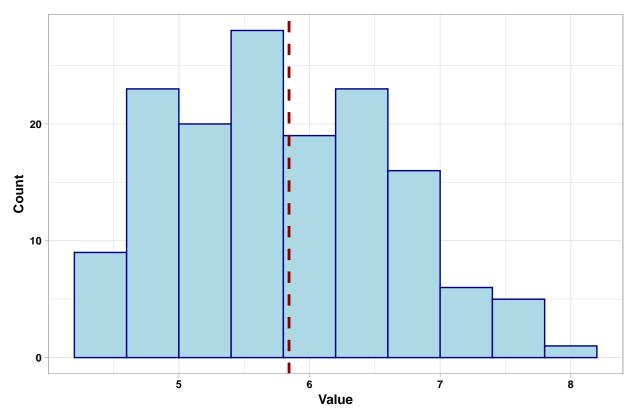
BAR PLOT

- Here will also learn how to export the figures. To export we need to function first. For example, we will export as .png and rest of code followed the function and close it using *dev.off()* function at end.
- In R, the *dev.off()* function is used to close the current graphical device. When you create a plot, R opens a graphical device to display it (such as the R plotting window or a file like a PDF or PNG). Once you are done with your plotting and no longer need that graphical device, you call dev.off() to close it.

```
#png(file="myBar_plot.png", width=14, height =10,
      #units = 'in', res=700) # function to Export as .png
 #tiff(""myBar_plot.tiff", units="in", width=5, height=5, res=500) # export as tiff
 # pdf(""myBar_plot.pdf", width = 4, height = 4) # Export as PDF
# ggplot 2 function
 ggplot(mydata, aes(x = Species, y = Sepal.Length, fill=Species))+
    #qeom_bar(stat = "identity", width=0.5, color="black")+
   geom_bar(stat = "identity", width=0.5,
            color="black", position=position_dodge())+
   theme_few()+ # Select the theme
   ylim(0, 10)+ # Set Y limit
   labs(title = "", x = "Species", y = "Sepal.length")+ # add titles
   theme (axis.title.x = element_text(color="blue", size=18), # modify axis titles
          axis.title.y = element text(color="blue", size=18))+
   theme(axis.text= element text(face = "bold", color = "darkred", size =18))+
   scale_fill_manual(values=c("#CC79A7", "#009E73", "#e79f00"))+ # Manual coloring
   theme(legend.title = element_text(colour="black", size=12),
         legend.position = "right",
```



HISTOGRAMS



- For more advanced plots check my GitHub Page Additional ggplot2
- For additional Correlation and Heatmap plots in R please check my GitHub Page Correlation Plots**

Section 8: Writting Own Functions

R function is pieces of code that perform a desired operation on given input(s) and return the output back to the user. In this section we will learn how to build own R functions and perform tasks. Building your own functions in R is straightforward. You can define a function using the *function()* keyword.

Here's the basic syntax:

Syntax

```
functionName <- function(argument1, argumen2...) {
    #function Body
    return(varc)
    }</pre>
```

- Function Name Name of the function.
- **Arguments** An argument is a placeholder. When a function is invoked, you pass a value to the argument.
- Function Body Collection of statements that defines what the function does.
- Return Value The return value of a function is the last expression in the function body to be evaluated.

```
## [1] 6.702938
```

```
my.cofvar(sample.data2$Height)
```

[1] 12.00314

For handful resource on writting own R Functions:

- 1. A tutorial for writing functions in R
- 2. Write your own R functions
- 3. Writing Your Own Functions in R: Introduction
- 4. How to Make a Custom R Package

Section 9: R Markdown

R Markdown is a powerful tool for creating dynamic documents, reports, presentations, and dashboards that can combine text, code, and output. Key Features of R Markdown are:

- Data Analysis Reports
- Interactive Dashboards
- Reproducible Research
- Web Applications

Check our Analytical Pipeline created in R Markdown at https://github.com/whussain2/Analysis-pipeline

For handful resource on R Markdown

- 1. R Markdown Tutorial 1
- 2. R Markdown from R Studio
- 3. R Markdown Tutorial 2

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