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R Cheat Sheet

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General

Get Help

```
? <Object/Function>
```

Find the working directory

```
getwd()
```

Setting Working directroy

```
setwd("~/specdata")
```

List files in working dir

```
dir()
```

Load code file into workspace

```
source("file.R")
```

Find the type of an object

```
class(my_vector)
```

List objects in workspace

```
ls()
```

Change page width

```
options(width = 160)
```

Operators

Assignement var <- <New value>

Compare two objects identical(obj1, obj2)

Equality var1 == var2

Special Values

NA value is **Not Available**

NaN Not a Number

Inf Infinity

T True

F False

Debugging

traceback

Prints function call stack

```
debug( <fn> )
```

Flags a function for "debug" mofr which allows you to step through execution of a function one line at a time

browser

Suspends the execution of a function, and outs the function in debug mode. n-next

trace

Allows you to insert debugging code into a function

recover

Allows you to modify the error behaviour so that you can browse the function call statck

Subsetting Vectors

First 10 elements x[1:10]

Vector of all NAs x[is.na(x)]

Vector of real values x[!is.na(x)]

Values greater than 0 y[y > 0]

Combine conditions x[!is.na(x) & x > 0]

3rd, 5th, 7th elements of x x[c(3,5,7)]

All but the 2nd and 10th (neg) x[c(-2, -10)] or x[-c(2,10)]

Access element by label vect["bar"] or vect[c("foo", "bar")]

Index vectors come in four different flavors -- logical vectors, vectors of positive integers, vectors of negative integers, and vectors of character strings

Vectors

Concatinante function

```
patients <- c("Bill", "Gina", "Kelly", "Sean")
```

Matrices

Help on matrix type

```
? matrix
```

Add dimensions to vector to make a matrix

```
dim(my_vector) <- c(4, 5)
```

View dimesions of a matrix

```
dim(my_matrix)
```

View dimesions of a matrix

```
attributes(my_matrix)
```

Create a matrix. (4x5 containing 1-> 20)

```
my_matrix2 <- matrix( 1:20, 4, 5 )
```

+ Matrices can only contain a **single class** of data.

+ The first number is the number of rows and the second is the number of columns.

Data Frames

Create a data frame from a vector and matrix

```
my_data <- data.frame(patients, my_matrix)
```

Add columns name to data frame

```
colnames(my_data) <- cnames-vector
```

Select rows based on column value

```
frame[ frame$col == "val", ]
```

Select columns by position

```
frame[, 1:4] cols 1 to 4
```

<http://www.r-tutor.com/r-introduction/data-frame/data-frame-row-slice>



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Conversion

To number	as.number(x)
To boolean (logical)	as.logical(x)
To complex number	as.complex()

Reading Data

```
# Create empty data frame
data <- data.frame()

#Readfiles id is vector of
integers
for ( i in id ) {
  infile = sprintf ("%s/%-03d.csv", directory, i)
  data <- rbind(data,read.csv(
  infile ))
}
head(data)
```

IF statement

```
if(<condition>) {
  ## do something
} else {
  ## do something else
}
if(<condition1>) {
  ## do something
} else if(<condition2>) {
  ## do something different
} else {
  ## do something different
}
```

For Statement

```
for(i in 1:10) {
  print(i)
}
```

While Statement

```
count <- 0
while(count < 10) {
  print(count)
  count <- count + 1
}
```

Repeat Statement

```
x0 <- 1
tol <- 1e-8
repeat {
  x1 <- computeEstimate()
  if(abs(x1 - x0) < tol) {
    break
  } else {
    x0 <- x1
  }
}
```

next,return

```
for(i in 1:100) {
  if(i <= 20) {
    ## Skip the first 20
    iterations
    next
  }
  ## Do something here
}
```

next is used to skip an iteration of a loop

Loop functions

lapply	Loop over a list and evaluate a function on each element
sapply	Same as lapply but try to simplify the result
tapply	Apply a function over the margins of an array

Loop functions (cont)

mapply	Multivariate version of lapply
apply	Used to evaluate a function (often an anonymous one) over the margins of an array.
rowSums	apply(x,1,sum)
rowMeans	apply(x,1,mean)
colSums	apply(x,2,sum)
colMeans	apply(x,2,mean)
x<- list(a = 1:5, b= rnorm(10))	lapply(x,mean)
An anonymous fn for extracting the 1st col of each matrix	
>lapply(x,function(elt) elt[,1])	



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