

Operators

=	Assigns a value to an object
<-	
>	greater than
<	less than
>=	greater than or equal to
<=	less than or equal to
==	exactly equal to
!=	not equal to
!x	not x
x y	x OR y
x & y	x AND y
>	Sends something (e.g., dataframe or function output) to something else. i.e., it is an elegant way to nest tidyverse functions.

Example:

```
library(tidyverse)
msleep |>
  filter (co nse rvation == 'domesticated') |>
  summarise(m = mean(brainwt, na.rm = TRUE),
            s = sd(brainwt, na.rm = TRUE),
            med = median(brainwt, na.rm = TRUE)
  )
```

Note that `summarise()` is nested within `filter()`, which is using info from the `msleep` dataframe.

Basic R Functions

Access a function's help file

```
?[function name]
```

Load a csv file

```
read.csv( " file_name.csv ", header = TRUE )
```

Install a library

```
install.packages( "library_name")
```

Load an installed library

```
library( library_name)
```

Resize images in Google Collab

```
options( repr.plot.width = x, repr.plot.height = y)
```

Return the amount of values in x

```
length(x)
```

Return the number of rows in a dataframe

```
nrow(dataframe)
```

Return the absolute value(s) in x

```
abs(x)
```

Return the sum of all the values in x

```
sum(x)
```

Return the square-root of the value(s) in x

```
sqrt(x)
```



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Basic R Functions (cont)

Return the mean of the values in x with optional arguments for trimming and removing NAs

```
mean(x, tr = 0, na.rm = FALSE)
```

Return the median of the values in x with optional arguments removing NAs

```
median(x, na.rm = FALSE)
```

Return the sample standard deviation of values in x with optional argument for removing NAs

```
sd(x, na.rm = FALSE)
```

Return the sample variance of values in x with optional argument for removing NAs

```
var(x, na.rm = FALSE)
```

Return the quartiles for x with optional argument for removing NAs

```
quanti_le(x, na.rm = FALSE)
```

Sort the values of x into ascending order

```
sort(x)
```

Compute the median absolute deviation of x with optional argument to remove NAs

```
mad(x, na.rm = FALSE)
```

Find NA values in x (returns TRUE/FALSE)

```
is.na(x)
```

Paste things together into a single string

```
paste(x, y, z, sep = " ")
```

Create a table of counts

Examples:

```
table(x)
```

```
table(x, y)
```

Data Frames

Create a new data frame

```
col_1 <- c("A ", " B", " C")
col_2 <- c(21, 22, NA)
new_df <- data.frame(c col_1, col_2)
```

Add a column

```
new_df $col_3 <- c(51, 52, 53)
```

Select a specific value (e.g., 52 = row 2, column 3)

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

Select a series of values (e.g., all of row 2)

```
new_df[2, c(1,2,3)]
or
new_df[2, ]
```

Select an entire column (e.g., column 2)

```
new_df $col_2
or
new_df[ , 2]
```

Isolate values that are not NAs

```
new_df $col_2 [!is.na(new_df$ col_2)]
```

Filter Function

Used to select specific observations from a dataframe according to a rule you specify.

```
filter (da taf rame, subset rule)
```

Example 1:

```
filter (he igh tData, Father < 60.1 | Father > 75.3)
```

Example 2:

```
heightData |> filter (Father < 60.1 | Father > 75.3)
```



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R Cheat Sheet Cheat Sheet

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Subset Function

Used to select specific observations from a dataframe according to a rule you specify.

```
subset (da taf rame, subset rule, select = ("co lumns to keep"))
```

Example:

```
outliers <- subset (he igh tData, Father < 60.1 | Father > 75.3, select = c("F ath er"))
```

Library Functions

library(tidyverse) or library(dplyr)

Aggregate data sets into a new dataframe.

For example . . .

```
msleep %>%
  group_by(vore, conser vation) %>%
  summarise(m = mean(b rainwt, na.rm = TRUE),
            s = sd(bra inwt, na.rm = TRUE)
  )
```

library(rcompanion)

Calculates lambda for Tukey's ladder of powers

```
transf orm Tuk ey(x, plotit = FALSE, return Lambda = TRUE)
```

library(WRS2)

Winsorized variance of x

```
winvar(x, tr = .2)
```

Distribution Functions

Return the the corresponding *quantile* for a given cumulative probability

Normal Distribution

```
qnorm (pr ob a b ility, mean, sd)
```

T Distribution

```
qt(pr oba bi lity, df, lower.t ail)
```

F Distribution

```
qf(pro bab ility, df1, df2, lower.t ail)
```

Chi-Square Distribution

```
qchisq (pr oba bility, df, lower.t ail)
```

Return the the corresponding cumulative *probability* for a given quantile.

Normal Distribution

```
pnorm (qu antile, mean, sd)
```

T Distribution

```
pt(qua ntile, df, lower.t ail)
```

F Distribution

```
pf(qua ntile, df1, df2, lower.t ail)
```

Chi-Square Distribution

```
pchisq (qu antile, df, lower.t ail)
```

Note:

- z-scores and t-scores (e.g. critical T and test statistics) are types of quantiles.

- The calculations are all performed from left to right by default unless you specify lower.tail = FALSE).

Plotting: library(ggplot2)

Histogram

```
ggplot (da taF rame, aes(x = Dep_Var)) +  
  geo m_h ist ogr am( colour = " bla ck",  
                      fill = " whi te")
```



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Plotting: library(ggplot2) (cont)

Density Plot

```
ggplot (dataframe, aes(x = Dep_Var)) +  
    geom_density (colour = "black",  
                  fill = "pink",  
                  adjust = 1)
```

Boxplot - for one sample

```
ggplot (dataframe, aes(y = Dep_Var)) +  
    geom_boxplot()
```

Boxplot - for two or more samples

```
ggplot (dataframe, aes(x = Indep_Var, y = Dep_Var)) +  
    geom_boxplot()
```

Barplot with errorbars

```
ggplot (plotData, aes(x = Indep_Var, y = Dep_Var,  
                      fill = Indep_Var)) +  
    geom_bar(stat = "identity", colour = "black") +  
    geom_errorbar(aes(ymin = bottom_values,  
                      ymax = top_values),  
                  width = .25)
```

Q-Q Plot For two independent samples

Remove + facet_wrap() for a single sample

```
ggplot (dataframe, aes(sample = Dep_Var)) +  
    stat_qq() +  
    stat_qq_line() +  
    facet_wrap(~ Indep_Var)
```

Line Plot of Means with Two Predictors

```
ggplot (plotData, aes(x = PredictorA, y = Means, group = PredictorB, colour = PredictorB)) +  
    geom_line (position = position_dodge(width = 0.4)) +  
    geom_pointr (position = position_dodge(width = 0.4))
```

Scatterplot with Regression Line

```
ggplot (dataframe, aes(x = predictor, y = response)) +  
    geom_point() +  
    geom_abline( intercept = b0, slope = b1)
```

Note:

Indep_Var = Independent Variable

Dep_Var = Dependent Variable

plotData = Dataframe of aggregated values

R Style Guide (from the Tidyverse)

<https://style.tidyverse.org/>



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