

Programming Tools and Technologies for Data Science

Postgraduate Course

Part A) The R Language

Introduction to the R language. Basic Operators. Basic Types and Classes of Objects. Vectors, Matrices, Lists and Data-Frames. Basic Built-In Functions in R. Importing and Exporting Data. Writing Functions in R. Basic Statistics with R. Distributions in R and Simulations. Plots in R. The Data-Table Object for fast subset, grouping, update, sorting and aggregation of large data-sets. The R Package GGPlot2 for Creating Elegant Data Visualizations. Applications.

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