

# Data Types, Arithmetic Functions

## Set Working Directory and Clear the Environment

```
rm(list=ls())  
setwd("C:/Users/19107/Desktop/R Stuff/2023 or Earlier/Recreation")
```

## Libraries

```
library(ggplot2)  
library(haven)  
library(patchwork)  
library(gridExtra)  
library(dplyr)  
library(stargazer)  
library(countrycode)  
library(stringi)  
library(devtools)
```

## Data Generation and Types

### Generate a Variable

You can use the = symbol to “assign” a value to a variable or you can use the <- symbol for the same purpose, I use =

NOTE if you want to use the logical operator “equal to” you must use == otherwise R will think you are assigning not logically evaluating.

### Value Variable of type “numeric”

```
x = 5  
x == 5
```

```
[1] TRUE
```

Some simple math R uses most of the conventional forms of operators e.g. /, \*, +, -

```
124/12
```

```
[1] 10.33333
```

```
100-90
```

```
[1] 10
```

```
45*197
```

```
[1] 8865
```

```
345.32+1098.00087
```

```
[1] 1443.321
```

```
x*7+3-10/2
```

```
[1] 33
```

**Value Variable of type “character” or “string”**

```
x = "five"  
x
```

```
[1] "five"
```

```
x = "Tyler is the greatest TA there has ever been"  
x
```

```
[1] "Tyler is the greatest TA there has ever been"
```

## More complex data forms

### Vector Variable

```
x = c(1, 3, 5, 7)  
x = 1:7  
x = rep(5,5) # rep(repeat this, this many times)  
x = seq(1,7,.2) # seq(start, stop, interval)
```

Since we have a vector we can now do a few more complex math operations

```
median(x)
```

```
[1] 4
```

```
mean(x)
```

```
[1] 4
```

```
sd(x) # Standard Deviation
```

```
[1] 1.818424
```

### Matrix Variable

```
x = matrix(data = c(1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6),  
           ncol= 2,  
           nrow= 3,  
           byrow= TRUE)
```

```
)  
x
```

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

“byrow” on vs off

```
x = matrix(data = c(1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6),  
           ncol= 2,  
           nrow= 3,  
           byrow= FALSE  
           )  
x
```

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

## Dataframe

A type you all may be closely familiar with, a collection of some number of variables, most of our data comes as a dataframe.

```
id= 1:10  
grade= rep("A", 10)  
name = c("Alex", "Rael", "Furkan", "Se Yoon", "Mohsin", "Shannon",  
        ↪ "Burran", "Kathleen", "Kaan", "Alice")  
  
x = data.frame(id,  
              grade,  
              name,  
              stringsAsFactors = FALSE)  
  
x
```

	id	grade	name
1	1	A	Alex
2	2	A	Rael
3	3	A	Furkan
4	4	A	Se Yoon
5	5	A	Mohsin
6	6	A	Shannon
7	7	A	Burran
8	8	A	Kathleen
9	9	A	Kaan
10	10	A	Alice

You can add new variables to your dataframe or call on existing variables using the \$ operator

```
# Call an Existing Variable
x$grade
```

```
[1] "A" "A" "A" "A" "A" "A" "A" "A" "A" "A"
```

```
# New Variable
x$absences = c(0,15,6,0,0,0,0,8,0,0)
```

## Indexing

you can call on specific elements of a variable by indexing from a list/vector using the [] and numbers for the relevant position

```
y= 1:7
y[2]
```

```
[1] 2
```

You can also use indexing to replace elements of a variable

```
x$grade[2]="C"
x
```

	id	grade	name	absences
1	1	A	Alex	0
2	2	C	Rael	15
3	3	A	Furkan	6
4	4	A	Se Yoon	0
5	5	A	Mohsin	0
6	6	A	Shannon	0
7	7	A	Burran	0
8	8	A	Kathleen	8
9	9	A	Kaan	0
10	10	A	Alice	0

### Indexing a Matrix/Dataframe

```
x = matrix(data = c(1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6),
           ncol= 3,
           nrow= 2,
           byrow= TRUE
)
x
```

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

```
# in a matrix row comes first then column, if you leave either blank
↳ after the comma the whole row/column is returned
```

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

```
[1] 2
```

```
x[1,]
```

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

```
x[,2]
```

```
[1] 2 5
```

```
# Indexing will also allow you to change elements in a matrix just like  
↪ with a vector or list
```

```
x[1,2]=1000
```

```
x
```

```
      [,1] [,2] [,3]  
[1,]    1 1000    3  
[2,]    4    5    6
```

```
# indexing works on dataframes as well but often using  
# the $ operator is easier,  
# also you can apply indexing in conjunction with the $ operator
```

```
id= 1:10
```

```
grade= rep("A", 10)
```

```
name = c("Alex", "Rael", "Furkan", "Se Yoon", "Mohsin", "Shannon",  
↪ "Burran", "Kathleen", "Kaan", "Alice")
```

```
x = data.frame(id,  
               grade,  
               name,  
               stringsAsFactors = FALSE)
```

```
# These are Equivalent
```

```
x[1,3]
```

```
[1] "Alex"
```

```
x$name[1]
```

```
[1] "Alex"
```