



ChatGPT 4o/Dall-E 2025

Agenda

- Review: ChatGPT and R/Rstudio
- Programming convention
- Rstudio panes
- Handout







Review

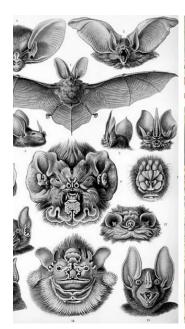
- Good and bad experiences with ChatGPT? Other LLMs?
- What is explicit programming? Give examples.
- What are data types versus data structures?
- What data type is the default in R?
- What subclass is the default for numeric class objects in R?
- How many dimensions does a DataFrame have in R?
- Which data structure in R has more than 2-dimensions?



- What are the 4 components of grammar of data manipulation?
- What are the 3 components of grammar of graphics?
- What are pipes in R?
- How does `group_by()` work? Why is it dangerous?
- Questions from homework?

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Common programming convention

- Something in **<angle brackets>** serves as a placeholder in cases where you should fill in information. For example:
 - name = <your_name> would become name = "charles"
- [square brackets] are often used to designated optional options
- **Backticks (`)** signify code. Note: this symbol is *different* than an apostrophe ('). For example:
 - `name = "charles"`
- `foo`, `bar`, and `foobar` are common placeholders as well, usually `foobar` is used in more complex cases than `foo` and `bar`
- snake_case is often used for objects in R and Python, while camelCase is often used for variables is languages like Java. PascalCase is used for classes. Column names, including in a dataframe, often use snake_case or Title_Case.
- functions() or foo_functions() look like this while object.methods() or class.methods() look like this
- (Functions is a reusable block of code. Objects are defined by their class which is like a set of behaviors. Methods are like functions but act differently on objects depending on their class.)
- **CONSTANT_VARIABLES**, variables you don't change, are often named in all caps. For example `PI = 3.14`

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