# Applied Computational Statistics for Analytics!

Welcome! The lecture will begin in a few moments

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### Let's get started!



## Roadmap

- Lectures: Zoom [as you know, since you are here!]
  - Be prepared to open a browser or your smart phone or other device to AhaSlides.com/STATITMWn  $\leftarrow$  note link changes weekly to n = current week number.
- Everything else: Campuswire
  - links to lecture video (speaker&screen view only)
  - PDFs of notes written during lecture
  - any slides shared
  - any handouts for reacing
  - HW links for download & submission. These will take you to Google Classroom. You need to add this course on Google classroom.
  - Questions, information, discussion, peer Q&A, etc.

#### The tech:

- We will be using R code and Python code.
- You will learn to type Markdown documents.
- This will be required submission format for all work.

#### Lecture time:

The majority of the lecture was done via AhaSlides and iPad screen share in the live lecture. Curren students will receive the video recording.

- Statistical reasoning with data
- Role of probability, role of chance
- A short overview of what R/Rstudio look like (next slides)

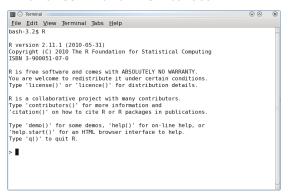
# Why R?

- Free (open-source)
- Programming language (not point-and-click)
- Excellent graphics
- Offers broadest range of statistical tools
- Easy to generate reproducible reports
- Easy to integrate with other tools

#### The R Console

#### Basic interaction with R is through typing in the console

#### This is the **terminal** or **command-line** interface



# The R Console & RStudio & Python (together)

- You type in commands, R gives back answers (or errors)
- Menus and other graphical interfaces are extras built on top of the console
- We will use RStudio in this class
- Download R: https://cran.r-project.org/mirrors.html
- Then download RStudio: http://www.rstudio.com/
- Install Python (if you dont' already have it): https://www.anaconda.com/

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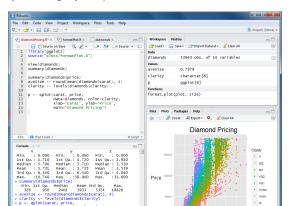
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### RStudio: Panes overview

- **Source** pane: create a file that you can save and run later
- Console pane: type or paste in commands to get output from R
- Workspace/History pane: see a list of variables or previous commands
- Files/Plots/Packages/Help pane: see plots, help pages, and other items in this window.

### Console pane

- Use the Console pane to type or paste commands to get output from R
- To look up the help file for a function or data set, type ?function into the Console
  - E.g., try typing in ?mean
- Use the tab key to auto-complete function and object names

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> clarity <- levels(diamonds$clarity)</pre>
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             xlab="Carat", ylab="Price",
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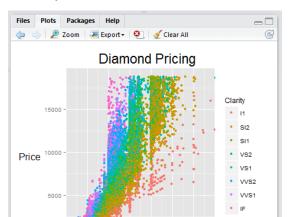
### Source pane

- Use the **Source** pane to create and edit R and Rmd files
- The menu bar of this pane contains handy shortcuts for sending code to the Console for evaluation

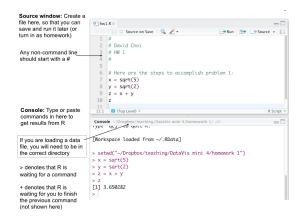
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# Files/Plots/Packages/Help pane

- By default, any figures you produce in R will be displayed in the Plots tab
  - Menu bar allows you to Zoom, Export, and Navigate back to older plots
- When you request a help file (e.g., ?mean), the documentation will appear in the Help tab



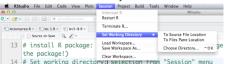
# RStudio: Source and Console panes



### RStudio: Toolbar

#### Two helpful menu items in Rstudio

• Set the current directory:



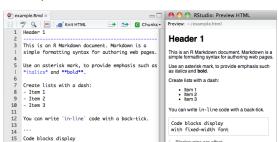
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#### R Markdown

- R Markdown allows the user to integrate R code into a report
- When data changes or code changes, so does the report
- No more need to copy-and-paste graphics, tables, or numbers
- Creates **reproducible** reports
  - Anyone who has your R Markdown (.Rmd) file and input data can re-run your analysis and get the exact same results (tables, figures, summaries)
- Can output report in HTML (default), Microsoft Word, or PDF

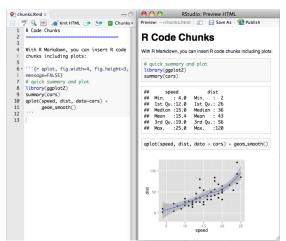
#### R Markdown

- This example shows an R Markdown (.Rmd) file opened in the Source pane of RStudio.
- To turn an Rmd file into a report, click the Knit HTML button in the Source pane menu bar
- The results will appear in a Preview window, as shown on the right
- You can knit into html (default), MS Word, and pdf format
- These lecture slides are also created in RStudio (using beamer\_presentation as the output format, which is not what you typically will use)



### R Markdown

- To integrate R output into your report, you need to use R code chunks
- All of the code that appears in between the "triple back-ticks" gets executed when you Knit



### More information and instructions

#### Where's Python?

For an instructional 8-minute video on how to run Python inside RStudio, check the Campuswire link.

Check Campuswire for additional handouts, notes, etc.!

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