

# KnitR + $\text{L}^{\text{A}}\text{T}_{\text{E}}\text{X} \rightarrow \text{paper}$

## Tools for Reproducible Research

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```
\documentclass[12pt]{article}

\usepackage{graphicx}

\title{An example document}
\author{Karl Broman}

\begin{document}

\maketitle
\thispagestyle{empty}

\section{A section}

This is a simple example of a \LaTeX\ document for an article.
Here's some in-line math:  $y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \epsilon$ .

And here's a display equation:


$$\hat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1} X'y$$


\end{document}
```

# What I actually do

```
\documentclass[12pt]{article}

\setlength{\headheight}{10pt}
\setlength{\headsep}{15pt}
\setlength{\topmargin}{-25pt}
\setlength{\topskip}{0in}
\setlength{\textheight}{8.7in}
\setlength{\footskip}{0.3in}
\setlength{\oddsidemargin}{0.0in}
\setlength{\evensidemargin}{0.0in}
\setlength{\textwidth}{6.5in}

\begin{document}
\begin{center}
\textbf{\large An example document}

\vspace{10mm}
Karl Broman
\end{center}

\vspace{30mm}
\textbf{\sffamily A section}
```

# Why L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X?

- ▶ Fine control of document appearance
- ▶ Transparency of how that was achieved
- ▶ Version control (diff/merge)
- ▶ Typesetting equations
- ▶ Markdown's not quite ready, or sufficiently rich  
(but see the R package [rticles](#))

simple  $\longleftrightarrow$  flexible

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```
\centerline{\Large simple \quad $\longleftarrow$ \quad flexible}
```

Modify your desires to match the defaults.

Focus your compulsive behavior on things that matter.

# Stuff I use a lot

```
% other fonts
\usepackage{palatino}
\usepackage{times}

\setlength{\rightskip}{0pt plus 1fil} % makes ragged right

\newcommand{\LOD}{\text{LOD}}

\usepackage{setspace}
\setstretch{2.0}

\addtocounter{framenumbers}{-1}

% make figures S1, S2, ...
\renewcommand{\thefigure}{\textbf{S\arabic{figure}}}
\renewcommand{\figurename}{\textbf{Figure}}

% bigger space between rows in tables
\renewcommand{\arraystretch}{1.5}

% paragraphs not indented but have space between
\setlength{\parskip}{6pt}
\setlength{\parindent}{0pt}
```



# KnitR + L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X → Rnw

```
\documentclass[12pt]{article}

\title{An example Rnw document}
\author{Karl Broman}

\begin{document}
\maketitle

<<load_library, echo=FALSE, results="hide">>=
library(broman) # used for myround()
@

<<example_chunk>>=
x <- rnorm(100)
y <- 5*x + rnorm(100)
lm.out <- lm(y ~ x)
plot(x,y)
abline(lm.out$coef)
@

The estimated slope is \Sexpr{myround(lm.out$coef[2], 1)}.
\end{document}
```

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\title{An example Rnw document}
\author{Karl Broman}

\begin{document}
\maketitle

<<load_library, echo=FALSE, results="hide">>=
library(broman) # used for myround()
@

<<example_chunk, out.width="0.8\\textwidth">>=
x <- rnorm(100)
y <- 5*x + rnorm(100)
lm.out <- lm(y ~ x)
plot(x,y)
abline(lm.out$coef)
@

The estimated slope is \Sexpr{myround(lm.out$coef[2], 1)}.
\end{document}
```

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Standard

Extended Math UserGuide\*

### 5.1.6 Operators with Limits [idx](#) [idx](#) [sub:Operators-with-Limits](#)

Sum  $\sum$  and integral  $\int$  operators are very often decorated with limits. These limits can be entered in LyX by entering them as you would enter a super- or subscript, directly after the symbol. The sum operator will automatically place its “limits” over and under the symbol in displayed formulas, and on the side in inline formulas. Such as  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} = e$ , versus

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} = e$$

Integral signs, however, will place the limits on the side in both formula types.

All operators with limits will be automatically re-sized when placed in display mode. The placement of the limits can be changed by placing the cursor directly behind the operator and hitting M-m | or using the menu Edit  $\triangleright$  Math  $\triangleright$  ChangeLimitsType.

Certain other mathematical expressions have this “moving limits” feature as addition, such as [idx](#)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x),$$

which will place the  $x \rightarrow \infty$  underneath the “lim” in display mode. In inline formulas it looks like this:  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x)$ .

Note that the lim-function was entered as the function macro `\lim`. Have a look at section [Ref: sub:Functions](#) for an explanation of function macros.

### 5.1.7 Math Symbols [idx](#)

Font: Default

# Also

- ▶ Overleaf
- ▶ ShareLaTeX
- ▶ Authorea
- ▶ Verbosus

# Flavors of $\text{\LaTeX}$

- ▶  $\text{\LaTeX}$
- ▶ `pdflatex`
- ▶ `xelatex`
- ▶ `lualatex`

# Getting help

- ▶ Google
- ▶ [tex.stackexchange.com](http://tex.stackexchange.com)
- ▶ Ask a friend
- ▶ Look at others' documents
- ▶ Resign yourself to something less-than-ideal

# Figure captions and floats

```
<<fig_with_caption, fig.cap="Scatterplot of $y$ vs $x$" >>=  
x <- rnorm(100)  
y <- 5*x + rnorm(100)  
lm.out <- lm(y ~ x)  
plot(x,y)  
abline(lm.out$coef)  
@
```

```
\begin{figure}[]  
\includegraphics{figure/fig_with_caption}  
  
\caption{Scatterplot of $y$ vs $x$\label{fig:fig_with_caption}}  
\end{figure}
```

# Tables in L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

```
\begin{tabular}{rrrrr} \hline
& Estimate & Std. Error & t value & Pr(>$$|t$|$) \\ \hline
(Intercept) & 0.04 & 0.11 & 0.4 & 0.69 \\
x & 0.98 & 0.10 & 10.0 & 0.00 \\ \hline
\end{tabular}
```



# xtable

```
<<generate_and_fit>>=  
x <- rnorm(100)  
y <- x + rnorm(100)  
lm.out <- lm(y ~ x)  
@  
  
<<table, results="asis">>=  
library(xtable)  
xtable(lm.out, digits=c(0,2,2,1,2))  
@  
  
% a non-floating version  
<<table, results="asis">>=  
library(xtable)  
xtab <- xtable(lm.out, digits=c(0,2,2,1,2))  
print(xtab, floating=FALSE)  
@
```

# Read proofs carefully

As submitted

$$\Pr(g_1 = i, g_2 = j) = \begin{cases} \frac{1-r}{8(1+6r)} & \text{if } i = j \\ \frac{r}{8(1+6r)} & \text{if } i \neq j \end{cases}$$

As printed

$$\Pr(g_1 = i, g_2 = j) = \begin{cases} \frac{1-r}{8(1+6r)} & \text{if } i = j \\ \frac{r}{2(1+6r)} & \text{if } i \neq j. \end{cases}$$

# Re-type that!

**Table 4 Two-locus haplotype probabilities at generation  $F_4$  in the formation of four-way RIL by sibling mating**

Chr.	Individual	Prototype	No. states	Probability of each
A	Random	AA	4	$\frac{1}{4(1+6r)} \left[ \frac{6r^2-7r-3rs}{4(1+6r)s} \right] \left( \frac{1-2r+s}{4} \right)^k + \left[ \frac{6r^2-7r+3rs}{4(1+6r)s} \right] \left( \frac{1-2r-s}{4} \right)^k$
		AB	4	$\frac{r}{2(1+6r)} + \left[ \frac{10r^2-r-rs}{4(1+6r)s} \right] \left( \frac{1-2r+s}{4} \right)^k - \left[ \frac{10r^2-r+rs}{4(1+6r)s} \right] \left( \frac{1-2r-s}{4} \right)^k$
		AC	8	$\frac{r}{2(1+6r)} \left[ \frac{2r^2+3r+rs}{4(1+6r)s} \right] \left( \frac{1-2r+s}{4} \right)^k + \left[ \frac{2r^2+3r-rs}{4(1+6r)s} \right] \left( \frac{1-2r-s}{4} \right)^k$
X	Female	AA	2	$\frac{1}{3(1+4r)} + \frac{1}{6(1+r)} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^k - \left[ \frac{4r^3-(4r^2+3r)t+3r^2-5r}{4(4r^2+5r+1)t} \right] \left( \frac{1-r+t}{4} \right)^k + \left[ \frac{4r^3+(4r^2+3r)t+3r^2-5r}{4(4r^2+5r+1)t} \right] \left( \frac{1-r-t}{4} \right)^k$
		AB	2	$\frac{2r}{3(1+4r)} + \frac{r}{3(1+r)} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^k + \left[ \frac{2r^3+6r^2-(2r^2+r)t}{2(4r^2+5r+1)t} \right] \left( \frac{1-r+t}{4} \right)^k - \left[ \frac{2r^3+6r^2+(2r^2+r)t}{2(4r^2+5r+1)t} \right] \left( \frac{1-r-t}{4} \right)^k$
		AC	4	$\frac{2r}{3(1+4r)} - \frac{r}{6(1+r)} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^k - \left[ \frac{9r^2+5r+rt}{4(4r^2+5r+1)t} \right] \left( \frac{1-r+t}{4} \right)^k + \left[ \frac{9r^2+5r-rt}{4(4r^2+5r+1)t} \right] \left( \frac{1-r-t}{4} \right)^k$
		CC	1	$\frac{1}{3(1+4r)} - \frac{1}{3(1+r)} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^k + \left[ \frac{9r^2+5r+rt}{2(4r^2+5r+1)t} \right] \left( \frac{1-r+t}{4} \right)^k - \left[ \frac{9r^2+5r-rt}{2(4r^2+5r+1)t} \right] \left( \frac{1-r-t}{4} \right)^k$
X	Male	AA	2	$\frac{1}{3(1+4r)} - \frac{1}{3(1+r)} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^k + \left[ \frac{r^3-(8r^3+r^2-3r)t-10r^2+5r}{2(4r^4-35r^3-29r^2+15r+5)} \right] \left( \frac{1-r+t}{4} \right)^k + \left[ \frac{r^3+(8r^3+r^2-3r)t-10r^2+5r}{2(4r^4-35r^3-29r^2+15r+5)} \right] \left( \frac{1-r-t}{4} \right)^k$
		AB	2	$\frac{2r}{3(1+4r)} - \frac{2r}{3(1+r)} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^k + \left[ \frac{r^4+(5r^3-r)t-10r^3+5r^2}{4r^4-35r^3-29r^2+15r+5} \right] \left( \frac{1-r+t}{4} \right)^k + \left[ \frac{r^4-(5r^3-r)t-10r^3+5r^2}{4r^4-35r^3-29r^2+15r+5} \right] \left( \frac{1-r-t}{4} \right)^k$
		AC	4	$\frac{2r}{3(1+4r)} + \frac{r}{3(1+r)} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^k - \left[ \frac{2r^4+(2r^3-r^2+r)t-19r^3+5r}{2(4r^4-35r^3-29r^2+15r+5)} \right] \left( \frac{1-r+t}{4} \right)^k - \left[ \frac{2r^4-(2r^3-r^2+r)t-19r^3+5r}{2(4r^4-35r^3-29r^2+15r+5)} \right] \left( \frac{1-r-t}{4} \right)^k$
		CC	1	$\frac{1}{3(1+4r)} + \frac{2}{3(1+r)} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^k + \left[ \frac{2r^4+(2r^3-r^2+r)t-19r^3+5r}{4r^4-35r^3-29r^2+15r+5} \right] \left( \frac{1-r+t}{4} \right)^k + \left[ \frac{2r^4-(2r^3-r^2+r)t-19r^3+5r}{4r^4-35r^3-29r^2+15r+5} \right] \left( \frac{1-r-t}{4} \right)^k$

$s = \sqrt{4r^2-12r+5}$  and  $t = \sqrt{r^2-10r+5}$ ; the autosomal haplotype probabilities are valid for  $r < \frac{1}{2}$

# BibTeX for bibliographies

```
%bibliography format
\usepackage[authoryear]{natbib}
\bibpunct{(}{)}{;}{a}{f}{,}
```

A number of investigators have developed methods for identifying such sample mix-ups `\citep{Westra2011, Schadt2012, Lynch2012, Ekstrom2012}`, and a similar approach was applied by `\citet{Baggerly2008, Baggerly2009}` in their forensic...

```
\bibliographystyle{genetics}
\renewcommand*{\refname}{\centerline{\normalsize\sffamily
  \textbf{Literature Cited}}}
\bibliography{samplemixups}
```

```
@article{Baggerly2008,
author = {Baggerly, Keith A. and Coombes, Kevin R.},
journal = {J. Clin. Oncol.},
pages = {1186--1187},
title = {Run batch effects potentially compromise...},
volume = {26},
year = {2008} }
```

# Organizing analyses

- ▶ Directory for the main analysis project

```
~/Projects/Blah
```

- ▶ Directory for a paper

```
~/Docs/Papers/Blah
```

- ▶ Paper directory may have an analysis directory

```
~/Docs/Papers/Blah/Analysis
```

- ▶ Symbolic links to .RData files

```
ln -s ~/Projects/Blah/DerivedData/blah.RData .
```

- ▶ Each part well organized and fully reproducible.
- ▶ R Markdown reports documenting different aspects.
- ▶ Analysis with the paper may be re-done "properly."

# Make every number reproducible.

```
<<define_numbers, echo=FALSE>>=
numbers <- c("one", "two", "three", "four", "five",
            "six", "seven", "eight", "nine", "ten")
cap <- function(vec) paste0(toupper(substr(vec, 1, 1)),
                           substr(vec, 2, nchar(vec)))
Numbers <- cap(numbers)
n <- sample(1:10, 1)
@
```

Then if I want to talk about a number, like `\Sexpr{n}`, I can refer to it by name: `\Sexpr{numbers[n]}`. And I can start a sentence with it. `\Sexpr{Numbers[n]}` grasshoppers walked into a bar\dots

But be careful about singular vs. plural, and so write `\Sexpr{Numbers[n]}` grasshopper `\Sexpr{ifelse(n>1, "s", "")}` walked\dots

# Keep the figures separate

```
# simple make file

mypaper.pdf: mypaper.tex Figs/fig1.pdf Figs/fig2.pdf
    pdflatex mypaper

Figs/fig1.pdf: R/fig1.R
    cd R;R CMD BATCH fig1.R fig1.Rout

Figs/fig2.pdf: R/fig2.R
    cd R;R CMD BATCH fig2.R fig2.Rout
```

```
\clearpage
\includegraphics{Figs/fig1.pdf}

\clearpage
\includegraphics{Figs/fig2.pdf}
```

# Version Control

- ▶ Your manuscript is under version control, right?



# Version Control

- ▶ Your manuscript is under version control, right?
- ▶ Local or private repository for the whole thing
  - including reviewers' reports and my response
  - PDF of submitted and final manuscript
- ▶ Snapshot of the final version as a public repository
  - I don't really want to show the whole history

# Word

- ▶ With papers led by a collaborator, I'm usually stuck with Word.
- ▶ But my analyses and figures are fully reproducible.
- ▶ Create an R Markdown document with the detailed results.

# Summary

- ▶  $\text{\LaTeX}$  is brilliant for fine control and for equations
- ▶ Floating figures and tables can be a pain
- ▶ You use KnitR with  $\text{\LaTeX}$  much the same way as you'd used it with Markdown.
- ▶ Ensure that every statistic, figure, and table in your paper are fully reproducible.
- ▶ Use xtable to make tables.
- ▶ Separate out the code for the figures.
- ▶ Use version control!