

Concept Mapping

Instructions

Review the session's content by **defining key terms** and linking them in a **concept map**.

1. Define key terms (in the context of this session). Write a brief (~1 sentence) definition of each of the terms below. Note: key terms continue onto next page.
2. Link terms in a concept map. On the reverse of this page are a series of blank boxes connected by arrows. Each arrow describes the link between the concepts.

Key terms

Term	Definition
matrix	A 2-dimensional data structure (rows and columns) all of one type (like an atomic vector)
names	An attribute of a vector that gives each element a label
data frame	A 2-dimensional data structure (rows and columns) with mixed-type columns (like a datasheet)
blanks	When used in indexing, accesses an entire dimension (e.g. whole row or whole column)
dimension(s)	The shape of the data structure. 1d for vectors, 2d for matrices and data frames.
\$	The “buck” operator, pulls columns from data frames
data structures	An umbrella term for objects that store data, like vectors, matrices, and data frames
list	
negative integers	When used to index, drops elements by position.

logicals	When used to index, keeps only elements where the index is TRUE
[]	The square bracket operator, used for indexing
vector	A 1d data structure all of one type
positive integers	When used to index, keeps elements by position
indexing	Accessing data in a data structure

Concept map

