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**Description**

This package contains all the datasets included in Flury (1997), and is intended to support use of the book when teaching with R.

**Details**

Package: Flury  
 Type: Package  
 Version: 0.1  
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**References**

Flury (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics* New York: Springer ISBN 0-387-98206-X

**See Also**

Lookup cross references the tables in the book with the R object names

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angels	<i>Angels</i>
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**Description**

Frequency table of the wing length of 130 angels from species *Angelus angelus* and *Angelus diabolicus*

**Usage**

```
data(angels)
```

**Format**

A data frame derived from a frequency table with 10 cells derived from 130 angels

Wing.Length Wing length (mm - miracle metres)

Frequency Count

**Details**

Rather than supply raw data, the original authors only provide information in ten intervals

**Source**

Oses, M. and J.Paul (1997) "Morphometric discrimination between two species of angels and estimation of their relative frequency" *J.Celest.Morph.* 1011:747-767

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) "A First Course in Multivariate Statistics", Springer NY

**Examples**

```
data(angels)
## Not run:
plot(angels, type = "l")
## End(Not run)
```

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apples

*Apple rootstock data*

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### Description

Growth and size measurements on eight apple trees of each of six different rootstocks.

### Usage

```
data(apples)
```

### Format

A data frame with 48 observations on the following 5 variables.

Rootstock a factor with levels 1 2 3 4 5 6

Girth.4 Trunk girth at 4 years (10cm)

Growth.4 Extension growth at 4 years (m)

Girth.15 Trunk girth at 15 years (10cm)

Weight.15 Weight of tree above ground at 15 years (1000 pounds)

### Source

Andrews D.F. and A.M Herzberg (1985) *Data* New York:Springer

### References

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

### Examples

```
data(apples)
## Not run:
pairs(apples[,-1],
      lower.panel = function(x, y){ points(x, y,
      pch = unclass(apples[,1]),
      col = as.numeric(apples[,1]))},
      main = "Pairwise scatter plots for apple rootstocks")
## End(Not run)
```

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`basketball`*Basketball Data*

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**Description**

An experiment conducted on April 18th 1996 at Bryan Park, Bloomington, Indiana. These data record the number of successes within six attempts to hit a basketball from the distance recorded

**Usage**

```
data(basketball)
```

**Format**

'basketball' is a data frame with 20 observations on the following 5 variables.

Distance Distance from the hoop (feet)

Steve Steve's score

Andy Andy's Score

Chris Chris' Score

Bernard Bernard's Score (attempts abandoned after 10 feet)

**Details**

Further details on the experiment are given in Flury (1997), Table 7.5.4 (page 532)

**Source**

Flury, B.D. (1997) "A First Course in Multivariate Statistics", Springer NY

**Examples**

```
data(basketball)
## Not run:
bb <- glm(cbind(Andy, 6-Andy) ~ sqrt(Distance),
family = binomial, data = basketball)
with(basketball, (plot(Distance, Andy/6, main = "Andy's Success Rate") ))
lines(basketball$Distance, predict(bb, type = "response"))
## End(Not run)
```

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challenger

*Challenger O Ring Data*

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### Description

These record the number of rocket booster 'O' rings seen to be damaged on each previous shuttle flight prior to the Challenger disaster of 20th January 1986

### Usage

```
data(challenger)
```

### Format

'challenger' is a data frame with 23 observations on the following 2 variables.

Temp Ambient temperature (Fahrenheit) at launch time

Damage Number of damaged 'O' rings (out of a total of 6)

### Source

Chatterjee, S., M.S. Handcock and J.S. Simonoff (1995) *A Casebook for a First Course in Statistics and Data Analysis* New York: Wiley

### References

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

### Examples

```
data(challenger)
## Not run:
ch <- glm(cbind(Damage, 6-Damage) ~ Temp, family = binomial, data = challenger)
with(challenger, plot(Temp, Damage/6))
lines(challenger$Temp, predict(ch, type = "response") )
abline(v=32, col = "red", lwd = 2)## temp when challenger launched
## End(Not run)
```

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computers

*Computer Repair Data*

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**Description**

These data give the repair times of N=14 computers.

**Usage**

```
data(computers)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 14 observations on the following 2 variables.

Units The number of parts requiring replacement

Minutes Time taken to repair the computer (minutes)

**Source**

Chatterjee, S. and B. Price (1977) *Regression Analysis by Example* New York: Wiley

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(computers)
## Not run:
plot(computers, main = "Computer repair data")
## End(Not run)
```

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cork

*Directional Cork deposit data*

---

**Description**

Cork deposits on North, East, West and South of 28 cork trees.

**Usage**

```
data(cork)
```

**Format**

A data frame 28 observations on cork deposits from the North, East, South and West.

North Deposit on North of tree (mm)

East Eastern deposit (mm)

South Southern deposit (mm)

West Western deposit (mm)

**Source**

Rao, C.R. (1948) "Tests of significance in multivariate analysis" *Biometrika* 35:58-79

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(cork)
## Not run:
pairs(cork)
## End(Not run)
```

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dead.beetles

*Beetle mortality data*

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**Description**

Beetle mortality data following exposure to insecticide.

**Usage**

```
data(dead.beetles)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 8 observations on the following 3 variables.

Dose log<sub>10</sub> CS<sub>2</sub>mf/l

tested Number of beetles tested

died Number of beetles killed

**Source**

Bliss, C.J. (1975) The calculation of the dosage-mortality curve *Annals of Applied Biology* 22:134-167

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(dead.beetles)
## Not run:
with(dead.beetles, plot(Dose, died / tested))
dead.glm <- glm(cbind(died, tested-died) ~ Dose, family = binomial, data = dead.beetles)
lines(dead.beetles$Dose, predict(dead.glm, type = "response"))
## End(Not run)
```

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deer

*Giant deer premolars*

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**Description**

Breadth of the lower left second premolar of the giant deer (*Megaloceros pachyoseus*)

**Usage**

```
data(deer)
```

**Format**

'deer' is a vector with 39 observations on the lower left second premolar of the giant deer

**Source**

Dong, Z. (1996) Looking into Peking Man's subsistence - a taphonomic analysis of the middle pleistocene *Homo erectus* site in China. Unpublished PhD thesis, Department of Anthropology, Indiana University

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(deer)
## Not run:
hist(deer, breaks = 10, main = "Deer lower left 2nd premolar")
## End(Not run)
```

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dogwood

*Flowering dogwood trees*

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**Description**

Data collected on flowering dogwood trees collected in 39 equally sized plots in Hoosier National Forest in Southern Indiana. The total number of trees, the number flowering and the aspect (direction of slope) of the plot were recorded.

**Usage**

```
data(dogwood)
```

**Format**

'dogwood' is a data frame with observations from 39 plots on the following 3 variables.

Aspect Orientation of the plot, i.e. direction of steepest descent, in degrees clockwise from North

Total.Trees Total number of trees in the plot

Flowering.Trees Number of flowering dogwood trees in the plot

**Source**

Data courtesy of K. Dorman and D.Whitehead, Indiana University Department of Biology

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(dogwood)
```

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electrode

*Electrode Manufacture*

---

**Description**

Comparison of eletrode measurements from two machines

**Usage**

```
data(electrode)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 100 observations, 50 from each machine, on the following 5 variables.

Machine a factor with levels 1 2

X1 Total diameter

X2 Probe diameter

X3 Total height

X4 Basal height

X5 Internal diameter

**Details**

See Figure 5.3.3 in Flury 1997, or the original figure 7.20 in Flury and Riedwyl for a better explanation of the five measurements. The actual data presented are linear transformations of the original variables (for reasons of commercial confidentiality).

**Source**

Flury, B. and H. Riedwyl (1988) *Multivariate Statistics: A practical approach*. London: Chapman and Hall

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics* New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(electrode)
## Not run: pairs(apply(electrode[,-1], 2, jitter, 2),
  lower.panel = function(x, y){ points(x, y,
    pch = unclass(electrode[,1]),
    col = as.numeric(electrode[,1]))},
  main = "Pairwise scatter plots for Electrode data")
## End(Not run)
```

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f.swiss.heads

*Female Swiss Heads*

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**Description**

Six measurements on heads of female swiss soldiers.

**Usage**

```
data(f.swiss.heads)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 59 observations on the following 6 variables.

MFB a numeric vector, minimum frontal breadth

BAM a numeric vector, breadth of angulus mandibulae

TFH a numeric vector, true facial height

LGAN a numeric vector, length from glabella to apex nasi

LTN a numeric vector, length from tragion to nasion

LTG a numeric vector, length from tragion to gnathion

**Details**

These data correspond to those reported in siwss.heads, except that here we have data for 59 females.

**Source**

Flury, B.D. and H. Riedwyl (1988) *Multivariate Statistics; A Practical Approach* London: Chapman and Hall

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics* New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(f.swiss.heads)
## Not run: pairs(f.swiss.heads)
cor(f.swiss.heads) ## how do we compare this with:
cor(swiss.heads)
## End(Not run)
```

---

f.twins

*Female Twins*

---

**Description**

Anthropometric data collected in the 1950's for 36 mono- and 43 dizygotic female twins. See also m.twins

**Usage**

```
data(m.twins)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 89 observations on the 6 variables and a factor indicating whether the twins are mono- or di-zygotic.

Type a factor with levels monozygotic dizygotic

STA1 Stature of first twin (cm)

HIP1 Hip width of first twin (cm)

CHE1 Chest circumference of first twin (cm)

STA2 Stature of second twin (cm)

HIP2 Hip width of second twin (cm)

CHE2 Chest circumference of second twin (cm)

**Source**

Data courtesy of the Institute of Anthropology, University of Hamburg

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(f.twins)
## Not run: pairs(f.twins[,-1],
  lower.panel = function(x, y){ points(x, y,
    pch = unclass(f.twins[,1]),
    col = as.numeric(f.twins[,1]))},
  main = "Pairwise scatter plots for male twins")
## End(Not run)
```

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f.voles

*Female vole data*

---

**Description**

Data on measurements from females of two species of voles, *Microtus californicus* and *M. ochrogaster*

**Usage**

```
data(f.voles)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 86 observations with a factor denoting the species and a further seven variables describing various measurements in units of 0.1mm.

Species a factor with levels californicus ochrogaster

Age Age in Days

L2.Condylo Condylo incisive length

L9.Inc.Foramen Incisive foramen length

L7.Alveolar Alveolar length of upper molar tooth row

B3.Zyg Zygomatic width

B4.Interorbital Interorbital width

H1.Skull Skull height

**Details**

The letter-number at the start of the variable name refers to the variable names used by the authors in the original publication.

**Source**

Airoldi, J.-P. and R.S. Hoffmann (1984) "Age variation in voles (*Microtus californicus*, *M. ochrogaster*) and its significance for systematic studies" Occasional papers of the Museum of Natural History, University of Kansas, Lawrence KS 111:1-45

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(f.voles)
## Not run: pairs(f.voles[,-1],
  lower.panel = function(x, y){ points(x, y,
  pch = unclass(f.voles[,1]),
  col = as.numeric(f.voles[,1]))},
  main = "Pairwise scatter plots for Female vole data")
## End(Not run)
```

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`flea.beetles`*Flea Beetles data*

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**Description**

Two species of flea beetle (*Haltica oleracea*, *H. carduorum*), with 4 body measurements

**Usage**

```
data(flea.beetles)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 39 observations; 19 from *Haltica oleracea* and 20 from *H. carduorum* (denoted by a factor) and four measurements.

Species a factor with levels *oleracea* *carduorum*

TG Distance of the Transverse Groove to the posterior border of the prothorax (microns)

Elytra Length of the Elytra (in units of 0.01mm)

Second.Antenna Length of the second antennal joint (microns)

Third.Antenna Length of the third antennal joint (microns)

**Source**

Lubischew, A.A. (1962) "On the use of discriminant functions in taxonomy". *Biometrics* 18:455-477

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(flea.beetles)
## Not run: pairs(flea.beetles[,-1],
  lower.panel = function(x, y){ points(x, y,
    pch = unclass(flea.beetles[,1]),
    col = unclass(flea.beetles[,1]))},
  main = "Pairwise scatter plots for Lubischew's Flea Beetle data")

## End(Not run)
```

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ghq

*General Health Questionnaire Data*

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### **Description**

Tabulated data on the number of patients requiring psychiatric treatment.

### **Usage**

```
data(ghq)
```

### **Format**

'ghq' is a data frame tabulating N= 120 patients according to their gender and GHQ (general health questionnaire) score. There are 17 different combinations of gender and GHQ score, for each combination the number of patients and the number requiring psychiatric treatment are reported.

Gender a factor with levels Male Female

GHQ Score on the Generalised Health Questionnaire

Number Number of patients in that combination

PsychiatricT Number of patients in that combinations requiring psychiatric treatment

### **Source**

Silvapulle, M.J. (1981) "On the existence of maximum likelihood estimators for the binomial response model" *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society Series B* 43:310-313

### **References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

### **Examples**

```
data(ghq)
```

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irisf

*Edgar Anderson's Iris Data*

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### Description

This famous (Fisher's or Anderson's) iris data set gives the measurements in centimeters of the variables sepal length and width and petal length and width, respectively, for 50 flowers from each of 3 species: "Iris setosa", "I. versicolor", and "I. virginica".

### Usage

```
data(irisf)
```

### Format

'irisf' is a data frame with 150 observations with a factor indicating the species and four quantitative variables:

Species a factor with levels setosa versicolor virginica

Sepal.Length Sepal length

Sepal.Width Sepal width

Petal.Length Petal length

Petal.Width Petal width

### Source

Fisher, R. A. (1936) "The use of multiple measurements in taxonomic problems". *Annals of Eugenics*, 7:179-188.

Anderson, E (1935) "The irises of the Gaspé Peninsula", *Bulletin of the American Iris Society*, 59:2-5

### References

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

### See Also

'iris' in datasets, which is presents the same data, but with the species as the fifth column rather than the first

### Examples

```
data(irisf)
## Not run:
pairs(irisf[,-1])
## End(Not run)
```

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lookup	<i>Lookup table</i>
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**Description**

This cross references the data objects and the tables in Flury (1997)

**Usage**

```
data(lookup)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 33 observations on the following variable.

Data.Name R data object name

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(lookup)
## Not run: lookup
```

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m.twins	<i>Male Twins</i>
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**Description**

Anthropometric data collected in the 1950's for 49 monozygotic and 40 dizygotic male twins. See also female twins (f.twins) .

**Usage**

```
data(m.twins)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 89 observations on the 6 variables and a factor indicating whether the twins are mono- or di-zygotic.

Type a factor with levels monozygotic dizygotic

STA1 Stature of first twin (cm)

HIP1 Hip width of first twin (cm)

CHE1 Chest circumference of first twin (cm)  
 STA2 Stature of second twin (cm)  
 HIP2 Hip width of second twin (cm)  
 CHE2 Chest circumference of second twin (cm)

### Source

Data courtesy of the Institute of Anthropology, University of Hamburg

### References

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

### Examples

```
data(m.twins)
## Not run:
pairs(m.twins[,-1],
      lower.panel = function(x, y){ points(x, y,
      pch = unclass(m.twins[,1]),
      col = as.numeric(m.twins[,1]))},
      main = "Pairwise scatter plots for male twins")
## End(Not run)
```

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microtus

*Microtus classification (more vole data)*

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### Description

*Microtus multiplex* and *M. subterraneus* are difficult to distinguish morphologically. Here we have 43 known *multiplex*, 46 known *subterraneus* and a further 199 unidentified species.

### Usage

```
data(microtus)
```

### Format

A data frame with 288 observations with a factor indicating the species and observations on a further 8 variables.

Group a factor with levels *multiplex* *subterraneus* *unknown*

M1Left Width of upper left molar 1 (0.001mm)

M2Left Width of upper left molar 2 (0.001mm)

M3Left Width of upper left molar 3 (0.001mm)

Foramen Length of incisive foramen (0.001mm)

Pbone Length of palatal bone (0.001mm)  
 Length Condyle incisive length or skull length (0.01mm)  
 Height Skull height above bullae (0.01mm)  
 Rostrum Skull width across rostrum (0.01mm)

### Details

89 species have been identified by means of chromosomal analysis.

### Source

Airoidi, J.-P., B. Flury, M. Salvioni (1996) dQuoteDiscrimination between two species of *Microtus* using both classified and unclassified observations *Journal of Theoretical Biology* 177:247-262

### References

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

### Examples

```
data(microtus)
## Not run: pairs(microtus[,-1],
  lower.panel = function(x, y){ points(x, y,
  pch = unclass(microtus[,1]),
  col = as.numeric(microtus[,1]))},
  main = "Pairwise scatter plots for Microtus data")
## End(Not run)
```

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midge

*Midge Data*

---

### Description

Data on the Antenna length and Wing length of two species of Midge

### Usage

```
data(midge)
```

### Format

A data frame with 15 observations on the following 3 variables.

Species a factor with levels Af (*Amerohelea fasciata*) Apf (*A. pseudofasciata*)

Ant.Length a numeric vector, Antenna length (mm)

Wing.Length a numeric vector, Wing length (mm)

**Details**

These data concern two newly discovered species of American predaceous midges. Interest surrounds the possibility of classifying these two species based on external measurements alone. Two possible measures are recorded here.

**Source**

Grogan, W.L, and W.W. Wirth (1981) "A new American genus of predaceous midges related to *Palpomyia* and *Bezzia* (Diptera: Ceratopogonidae)" *Proceedings of the Biological Society of Washington* 94:1279-1305

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, Springer NY

**Examples**

```
data(midge)
## Not run:
with(midge, plot(Ant.Length, Wing.Length,
col = as.numeric(Species), pch = 16, main = "Scatterplot of midge data"))
legend("bottomright", pch = 16, col = c(1,2), legend = c("Af", "Apf"))
## End(Not run)
```

---

mumps

*Mumps antibodies*


---

**Description**

Data have been collected on the anti-mumps antibody level in N=385 unvaccinated children aged 14.

**Usage**

```
data(mumps)
```

**Format**

'mumps' is a vector with 385 observations on children age 14 recording the log concentration of anti-mumps antibodies.

**Source**

Data courtesy of Dr. B. Neuenschwander, Swiss Federal Office of Public Health, Division of Epidemiology, 3097 Liebefeld, Switzerland

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics* New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(mumps)
## Not run: hist(mumps, breaks = 26,
  main = "Mumps antibody concentration", xlab = "Log antibody concentration" )
## End(Not run)
```

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pipits

*Wing length of Water Pipits*

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**Description**

Measurements of Wing Length for N=381 Water Pipits (*Anthus spinoletta*).

**Usage**

```
data(pipits)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 17 observations summarising the frequency of wing lengths of 381 Water Pipits.

Wing.Length Wing Length (mm)

Frequency Frequency observed

**Source**

Flury, B.D., J.-P. Airoldi and J.-P. Biber (1992) "Gender identification of water pipits using mixtures of distributions" *Journal of Theoretical Biology* 158:465-480

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(pipits)
## Not run: plot(pipits, type = "l",
  main = "Frequency polygon for wing length of water pipits")
## End(Not run)
```

---

pipits2

*Wing length of water pipits*

---

### Description

Measurements of Wing Length for 381 Water Pipits caught at Tour du Valat, France.

### Usage

```
data(pipits2)
```

### Format

'pipits2' is a data frame with 15 observations summarising the frequency of wing lengths of 381 Water Pipits.

Wing.length Wing Length (mm)

Number Frequency observed

### Source

Flury, B.D., J.-P. Airoldi and J.-P. Biber (1992) "Gender identification of water pipits using mixtures of distributions" *Journal of Theoretical Biology* 158:465-480

### References

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

### Examples

```
data(pipits2)
## Not run:
plot(pipits2, type = "l")
## End(Not run)
```

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robustus

*Australopithecus robustus molar size*

---

### Description

*Australopithecus robustus* are early hominids from Africa. The molar size is assumed to be larger in males than female, these data can therefore be used with a mixture model in a study on sexual dimorphism.

**Usage**

```
data(robustus)
```

**Format**

'robustus' is a vector with 36 observations on the breadth (mm) of the lower first molar of *Australopithecus robustus*.

**Source**

Dong, Z. (1996) Looking into Peking Man's subsistence - a taphonomic analysis of the middle pleistocene *Homo erectus* site in China. Unpublished PhD thesis, Department of Anthropology, Indiana University

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(robustus)
## Not run:
hist(robustus, breaks =11, main = "Molar breadth")
## End(Not run)
```

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sibling.heads

*Sibling Heads*

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**Description**

Skull length and breadth measured on siblings in 25 families

**Usage**

```
data(sibling.heads)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 25 observations on the following 4 variables.

S1Length Head length of first son

S1Breadth Head breadth of first son

S2Length Head length of second son

S2Breadth Head breadth of second son

**Source**

Frets, G.P. (1921) "Heredity of head form in man" *Genetica* 3:193-384

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(sibling.heads)
## Not run:
pairs(sibling.heads)
## End(Not run)
```

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snailsf	<i>Aquatic snails hiding behaviour</i>
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**Description**

Three subsets of aquatic snail (*Potamopyrgus antipodarum*) were studied. Data were collected on diseased, juvenile and brooding females to assess the influence of infection on the behaviour of the snails. To avoid predation, snails are usually less likely to be found on the tops of rocks during the day.

**Usage**

```
data(snailsf)
```

**Format**

'snailsf' is a data frame with 27 observations on the following 6 variables.

Infected a factor with levels 0 (not infected) and 1 (infected)

Juvenile a factor with levels 0 and 1 (juvenile)

Brooding.Female a factor with levels 0 1

Time Time of day, in 24 hour clock notation

Found Number of snails found on the top of a rock

Collected Number of snails collected

**Source**

Data courtesy by E.Levri and C.Lively, Indiana University Department of Biology.

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```

data(snailsf)
## Not run:
S <- sin(snailsf$Time * pi/12)
C <- cos(snailsf$Time * pi/12)
snail.glm <- glm(cbind(Found, Collected-Found) ~ Infected + C + S,
  family = binomial, data = snailsf)
summary(snail.glm)
## End(Not run)

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steve

*Steve's Basketball Data*


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**Description**

Steve shot a basketball six times from each distance (1 to 20 feet), the results of the first throw from each distance are recorded as a hit or a miss

**Usage**

```
data(steve)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 20 observations on the following 2 variables.

Distance Distance between Steve and the basket

Hit.or.Miss The result of Steve's first attempt at each distance, a factor with levels H M

**Source**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```

data(steve)
## Not run:
steve.glm <- glm(Hit.or.Miss ~ Distance, family = binomial, data =
steve)
plot(steve, main = "Steve's basketball data", pch = 16)
lines(steve$Distance, predict(steve.glm, type = "response"))
## End(Not run)

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strider

*Skeletal dimensions of water striders*

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### Description

Water striders live on the surface of lakes and ponds. These insects grow in six distinct stages called instars; at each transition they shed their skin / skeleton. Data has been collected on N=88 female water striders from species *Limnoporus canaliculatus*. Measurements are reported for the first three instars.

### Usage

```
data(strider)
```

### Format

A data frame with 88 observations on the following 6 variables.

Femur1 Average length of femur, instar 1

Tibia1 Average length of tibia, instar 1

Femur2 Average length of femur, instar 2

Tibia2 Average length of tibia, instar 2

Femur3 Average length of femur, instar 3

Tibia3 Average length of tibia, instar 3

### Details

The actual analysis used the variables  $x_j^{(star)} = 100 \log(x_j)$ , for the  $j = 1$  to 6 variables reported.

### Source

Data courtesy of Dr. C.P. Klingenberg, University of Alberta

### References

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

### Examples

```
data(strider)
## Not run:
X <- 100 * log(strider)
cov(X) ## etc.
## End(Not run)
```

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`swiss.heads`*Swiss Heads*

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**Description**

Six measurements on heads of swiss soldiers.

**Usage**

```
data(swiss.heads)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 200 observations on the following 6 variables.

MFB a numeric vector, minimum frontal breadth

BAM a numeric vector, breadth of angulus mandibulae

TFH a numeric vector, true facial height

LGAN a numeric vector, length from glabella to apex nasi

LTN a numeric vector, length from tragion to nasion

LTG a numeric vector, length from tragion to gnathion

**Details**

Data collected on head measurements of members of the Swiss Army. Six measures are reported here.

swiss.heads contains details for 200 male soldiers, 20 years old f.swiss.heads contains details for 200 female soliders

**Source**

Flury, B.D. and H. Riedwyl (1988) *Multivariate Statistics; A Practical Approach* London: Chapman and Hall

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics* New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(swiss.heads)
## Not run:
pairs(swiss.heads)
## End(Not run)
```

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treesf	<i>Tree data</i>
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**Description**

Measurement on black cherry trees

**Usage**

```
data(treesf)
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**Format**

'treesf' is familiar data frame with observations on 31 trees with respect to the following 3 variables.

Diameter Diameter measured one foot above ground (inches)

Height Height (feet)

Volume Volume (cubic feet)

**Details**

Note that the diameter needs to be converted to feet (12 inches in 1 foot) before use. Assuming cone shaped trunks, the volume of wood available should be found from:  $V = (\pi/12)D^2H$ . By taking logarithms of the variables it is possible to fit  $\log V = \log(\pi/12) + 2 \log D + \log H$  by using `lm()`.

**Source**

Ryan, B.F., B. Joiner and T.A. Ryan (1976) *Minitab Handbook (2nd edition)* Boxton: Duxbury Press (page 278)

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, Springer NY

**Examples**

```
data(treesf)
## Not run:
Y <- log(treesf$Volume)
X1 <- log(treesf$Diameter / 12)
X2 <- log(treesf$Height)
trees.lm <- lm(Y ~ X1 + X2)
summary(trees.lm)
log(pi/12)
vcov(trees.lm)
## End(Not run)
```

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`turtles`*Turtle Carapace measurements (Jolicoeur and Mosimann)*

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**Description**

Measurements on the turtle carapace of 24 male and 24 female painted turtles (*Chrysemys picta marginata*).

**Usage**

```
data(turtles)
```

**Format**

'turtle.carapace' is a data frame with 48 observations on the following 4 variables.

Gender a factor with levels Male Female

Length carapace length

Width carapace width

Height carapace height

**Source**

Jolicoeur, P. and J.E. Mosimann (1960) "Size and Shape Variation in the Painted Turtle: A Principal Component Analysis", *Growth*, 24:339-354

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(turtles)
## Not run:
pairs(turtles[,-1],
      lower.panel = function(x, y){ points(x, y,
      pch = unclass(turtles[,1]),
      col = as.numeric(turtles[,1]))},
      main = "Pairwise scatter plots for painted turtles")
## End(Not run)
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vasoc	<i>Vasoconstriction</i>
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**Description**

Effect of the rate and volume of air breathed in by human subjects on vasoconstriction in the skin of their fingers.

**Usage**

```
data(vasoc)
```

**Format**

'vasoc' is a data frame with 39 observations on the following 3 variables.

Volume Volume of air inspired

Rate Rate of air inspired

Y Binary indicator, 1 = vasoconstriction, 0 = no-vasoconstriction

**Source**

Finney, D.J. (1947) The estimation from original records of the relationship between dose and quantal response *Biometrika* 34:320-334

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(vasoc)
## Not run:
with(vasoc, plot(Volume, Rate, pch = Y+15, col = Y+1))
## End(Not run)
```

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`wine.sugar`*Sugar adulteration in wine production*

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**Description**

Chemical composition of N=344 commercial samples of concentrated grape must used in wine production. The four variables recorded are considered for discovering adulteration with added sugar from non-grape plants. In unadulterated wines, myoinositol and D/H(I) should follow normal distributions.

**Usage**

```
data(wine.sugar)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 344 observations on the following 4 variables.

Myo Myo-inositol mg/kg sugar

Scyllo Scylloinositol mg/kg sugar

DH.I D/H(I) (ppm)

DH.II D/H(II) (ppm)

**Source**

Monetti, A., G. Versini, G. Dalpiaz and F. Reniero (1996) "Sugar adulterations control in concentrated rectified grape musts by finite mixture distribution analysis of the myo- and scyllo-inositol contents and the D/H methyl ratio of fermentative alcohol" *Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry* 44:2194-2201

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, New York: Springer

**Examples**

```
data(wine.sugar)
## Not run:
with(wine.sugar, plot(log(Myo), DH.I))
require(MASS)
dens <- with(wine.sugar, kde2d(log(Myo), DH.I))
contour(dens)
## End(Not run)
```

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wines

*Chemical composition of wines*

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### **Description**

These data have been collected on the chemical composition of Weisser Riesling wines from three countries; South Africa, Germany and Italy

### **Usage**

```
data(wines)
```

### **Format**

'wines' is a data frame with 26 observations, one factor denoting the country of origin and 15 quantitative variables denoting 15 free monoterpenes and C[13]-norisoprenoids. It is thought these influence the wine's aroma.

Country a factor with levels South Africa Germany Italy

Y1 a numeric vector

Y2 a numeric vector

Y3 a numeric vector

Y4 a numeric vector

Y5 a numeric vector

Y6 a numeric vector

Y7 a numeric vector

Y8 a numeric vector

Y9 a numeric vector

Y10 a numeric vector

Y11 a numeric vector

Y12 a numeric vector

Y13 a numeric vector

Y14 a numeric vector

Y15 a numeric vector

### **Details**

There are a total of nine South African wines, seven German wines (all from Pfalz) and ten from Northern Italy (from both Trentino Alto Adige as Friuli)

**Source**

Marais, J., G. Versini, C.J. van Wyj and A. Rapp (1992) "Effect of region on free and bound monoterpene and C[13]-norisoprenoid concentration in Weisser Riesling wines" *South African Journal of Enology and Viniculture* 13:71-77

**References**

Flury, B.D. (1997) *A First Course in Multivariate Statistics*, Springer NY

**Examples**

```
data(wines)
## Not run: pairs(wines[,-1],
  lower.panel = function(x, y){ points(x, y,
  pch = unclass(wines[,1]),
  col = as.numeric(wines[,1]))},
  main = "Pairwise scatter plots for Marais wine data")
## rather congested scatter plots!
## End(Not run)
```

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