

ISCAM Technology Hints

- **Downloading the ISCAM Workspace**

1. Make sure R is downloaded to your computer
2. Go to this webpage: <http://www.rossmanchance.com/iscam2/ISCAM2Files.html>

On many computers, you will be able to click the link and it will download the .RData file and launch R. On other computers, you may need to select R from a list of programs (if it doesn't automatically recognize the .RData extension).

If this works, you are encouraged to always follow these steps to launch R.

If this doesn't work (especially Mac users), then you have the option of saving the .RData file to your computer. If this option isn't obvious you can right-click on the link (PC) or use alt-click (Mac) to be able to save the file. For R to recognize this file, it *must have the .RData* extension. If your file does not have this extension, change the file name. Then in R, you can select **File > Load Workspace** and direct R to this file. (You can also use the pull-down menu to select "all file types" if R is not seeing this file.)

If using this approach, you are advised to redownload the Workspace periodically as it is still undergoing revisions this quarter.

- **Saving Graphs**

In both R and Minitab, you should be able to click on the graph and copy (e.g., ctrl-C on PC which places it on the clipboard) and then paste (e.g., ctrl-V) into a word processing file. It's easiest if the format of these pictures in Word is "in line with text." The graphics can also be saved pdf or jpeg files.

For more Minitab tips, see <http://statweb.calpoly.edu/bchance/stat217/Minitab.html>