Interactive data visualization and reporting

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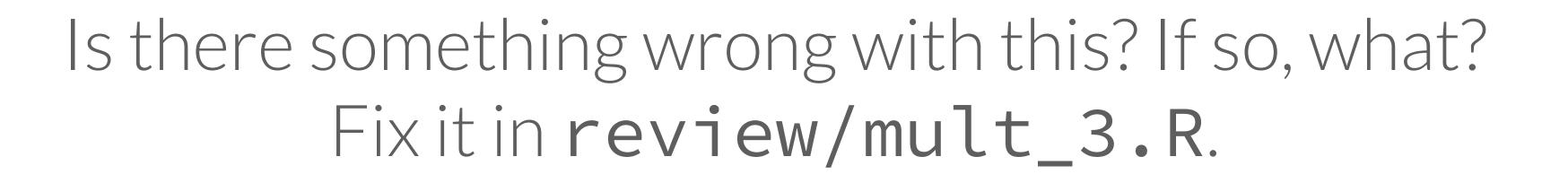


https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vGUNqq3jVLg

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Review

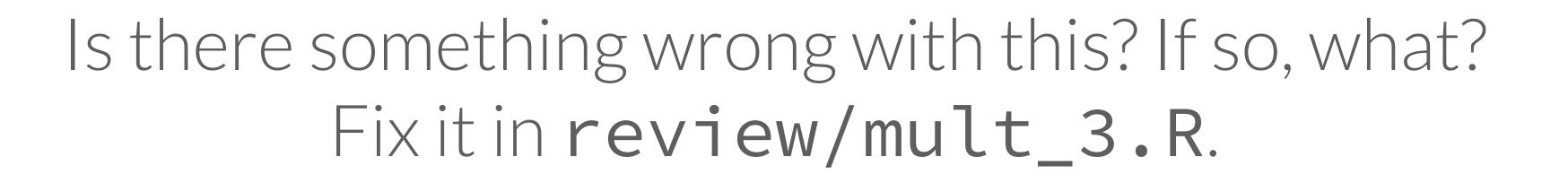




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    sidebarPanel(sliderInput("x", "Select x", min = 1, max = 50, value = 30)),
    mainPanel( textOutput("x_updated") )
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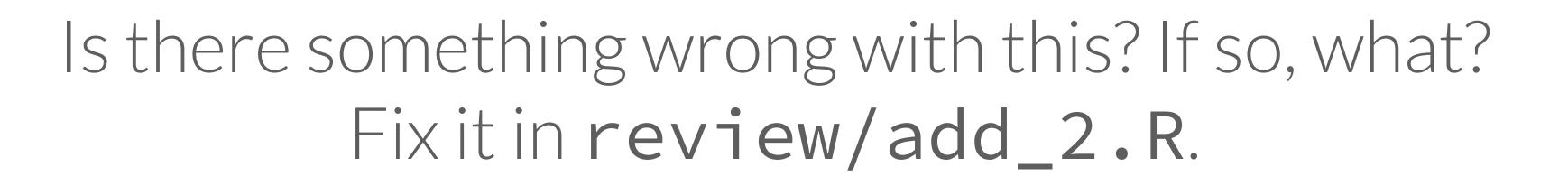


See review/whats_wrong.R.
There are a bunch of small mistakes.
See how many you can catch and fix.





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server <- function(input, output) {</pre>
  add_2
        \leftarrow function(x) { x + 2 }
  current_x <- add_2(input$x)</pre>
  output$x_updated <- renderText({ current_x })</pre>
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Stop - delay - trigger

Stop with isolate()

- Wrap an expression with isolate() to suppress its reactivity
- This will stop the currently executing reactive expression/observer/output from being notified when the isolated expression changes



Only update the alpha level when other inputs of the plot change

movies/movies-06.R

Delay with eventReactive()

- Calculate a value only in response to a given event with eventReactive()
- Two main arguments (the event to react to and the value to calculate in response to this event):

eventReactive(eventExpr, valueExpr, ...)

simple reactive value - input\$click, call to reactive expression - df(), or complex expression inside {}

the expression that produces the return value when **eventExpr** is invalidated



Remove the functionality for selecting types, instead randomly sample a user defined number of movies, but only sample and update outputs when an action button is pushed

movies/movies-07.R



Update the previous app so that a sample with a default sample size is taken and plotted upon launch

movies/movies-08.R

Trigger with observe Event()

- Trigger a reaction (as opposed to calculate/recalculate a value) with observeEvent()
- Also two main arguments:

observeEvent(eventExpr, handlerExpr, ...)

simple reactive value - input\$click, call to reactive expression - df(), or complex expression inside {}

expression to call whenever eventExpr is invalidated



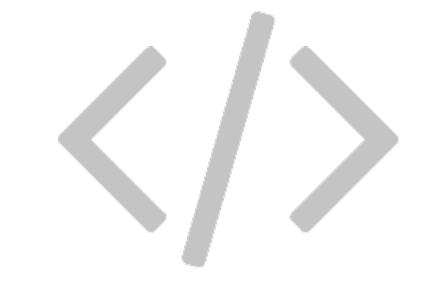
Add a button to write a csv of the current random sample

movies/movies-09.R

Stop-delay-trigger

- isolate() is used to stop a reaction
- eventReactive() is used to create a calculated value that only updates in response to an event
- bobserveEvent() is used to perform an action in response to an event

Shiny in Rmd



You can embed a Shiny app in an R Markdown file.

movies/movies-10.Rmd

Deploying your app

Deploying your app

- Start with shinyapps.io
- Easy to use, secure, and scalable
- Comes with built in metrics
- Free tier available!

Your turn!



Go to our final project on RStudio Cloud.

Create a folder called Shiny.

In that folder create an R script called app.R.

Create a simple data visualization app for using your project.

There is no Shiny app requirement for the project, this is just for practice.