Box 1.1 Missing Packages

When you install the poliscidata package, R should automatically install all the packages that our package depends on. We've found, however, that R sometimes fails to install all the required dependencies. If this happens, you will see an error message that you are missing a required package. Don't panic. You can fix this problem pretty easily. You just need to install the missing packages manually. You can either select the "Install package(s) . . . " option from the Packages drop-down menu, select a repository near you, and select the missing package from the very long list of available packages, or you can type:

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install.packages("name_of_missing_package")
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on the Console command line, substituting the name of the missing package where indicated. If R reports that it is missing another package, keep installing missing packages until the missing package error messages go away. You will not have to do all this each time you use R. It is simply a set-up issue.