# Package: trainsplit (via r-universe)

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<b>Title</b> Split a Dataframe, Tibble, or Data.table into Training and Test Sets	
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<b>Description</b> Split a dataframe, tibble, or data.table into a list containing training and test sets. Can specify either number or percentage of observations to go into the training set.	
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## **Description**

Splits a dataframe, tibble, or data.table into a test set and training set. Specify either the number or percentage of observations to put into training set.

#### Usage

```
trainsplit(
  data,
  ntrain = NULL,
  trainpct = NULL,
  round_ntrain = "round",
  seed = NULL
)
```

## **Arguments**

data The dataset you want to split

ntrain The number of observations to go into the training set. Must be  $\geq 0$  and  $\leq$ 

nrow(data).

trainpct Fraction of observations to go into training set. Must be  $\geq 0$  and  $\leq 1$ . If set

to 0 or 1, the empty test or training set will still inherit the same column names

and types as the original dataset.

round\_ntrain What to do when nrow(data) \* trainpct is not a whole number. Default behavior

is to round the size of the training set. Use 'ceiling' or 'floor' to instead set the

size of training set to next highest or lowest whole number.

seed Sets the random seed; use this argument if you want to always get the same

result. Note: sets seed only locally within the function.

#### Value

A list, containing the training and test sets.

#### **Examples**

```
# Returns a list containing the training and test sets:
trainsplit(mtcars, trainpct = 0.75)
# Specify size of training set by number of rows, not percent:
trainsplit(mtcars, ntrain = 10)
# Size of training set rounds to one:
trainsplit(mtcars, trainpct = 0.01, round_ntrain = 'ceiling')
# Also works with data.table:
trainsplit(data.table::as.data.table(mtcars), trainpct = 0.75)
```

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