

WRITING FUNCTIONS



`make_sum` ←
name of your function

function `(a, b)` {
 `c ← a + b`
 return(c)
}

a number of arguments
passed & used in your function

→ What happens
inside your
function

return statement

GOOD PRACTICES

- ◆◆ Use meaningful names for both your function and the arguments
- ◆◆ Use an explicit `return()` statement at the end of your function
- ◆◆ Make your functions short and simple — each function should do one thing at a time
- ◆◆ Writing assertions, warnings, and stops is helpful — both for the user and developer