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## VI SEMESTER B.TECH END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, APRIL/MAY 2019 SUBJECT: PROGRAM ELECTIVE: DATA SCIENTIST'S TOOLBOX AND R PROGRAMING [CRA 4009] REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM (30/04/2019)

Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 50

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## Instructions to Candidates:

- Answer ALL the questions.
- Missing data if any, may be suitably assumed.
- 1A. Explain the different types of operators that can be used to extract subsets of R objects. How can we retrieve a single element of a two dimensional matrix in the form of 1x1 matrix. Explain using a suitable code snippet.
- 1B. What is the necessity of a repeat loop in R? Explain with an example. Write R program to print words residing at even number indices of a vector. Also, do not print the first two and the last three words from the vector.
- 1C. Explain pushing and pulling in Git.
- 2A. What is data? How are they measured? Write the differences between Raw data and Processed data.
- **2B.** Explain lazy evaluation with an example. Does the following code produce an error? Justify your answer.

- **2C.** Simulate a Poisson log-linear model for 100 observations where  $Y \sim Poisson(\mu)$  and  $\log \mu = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x$ ,  $\beta_0 = 0.5$  and  $\beta_1 = 0.3$
- 3A. Writing for and while loops is useful when programming but not particularly easy when working interactively on the command line. Justify this statement with all compact forms of function present in R.
- **3B.** Mention any five important features of R. How do we create a vector in R? Explain with a suitable example.
- **3C.** What is version control? Explain the use of Git in version control.

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4A.	What is a free variable? Illustrate with an example. How do we associate a value to a free variable?			
4B.				
4C	How do you create binary variables in R? Explain with an example.			
5A.	Explain the concept of Data Frames in R using a suitable example. Write an R code to create the following data frame as the output.			
	emp_id emp_name salary start_date			
	1	1	Rick 623.30 2012-01-01	
	2	2	Dan 515.20 2013-09-23	
	2 3	0.000	Michelle 611.00 2014-11-15	5
	4		Ryan 729.00 2014-05-11	
	5	5	Gary 843.25 2015-03-27	
	Also, write a code snippet to append the following row to the data frame.  emp_id emp_name salary start_date  6 John 672.50 2016-03-04			
5B.	Explain the difference between implicit coercion and explicit coercion in R with suitable examples.			
5C.	Explain the following debugging tools with an example			
	i. Traceback() ii.Recover()			2

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