

**BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MESRA, RANCHI
(END SEMESTER EXAMINATION)**

CLASS: M.Sc./Pre-PhD
BRANCH: Remote Sensing

SEMESTER: II/I
SESSION: SP/2024

SUBJECT: GI518 SPATIAL DATA HANDLING THROUGH PROGRAMMING
TIME: 3 Hours

FULL MARKS: 50

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. The question paper contains 5 questions each of 10 marks and total 50 marks.
 2. Attempt all questions.
 3. The missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.
 4. Before attempting the question paper, be sure that you have got the correct question paper.
 5. Tables/Data handbook/Graph paper etc. to be supplied to the candidates in the examination hall.
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| Q.1(a) | Explain the concepts of data frames in R environment. Describe the following statement sequence.
<pre>x <- 10:1
y <- -4:5
q <- c("Hockey", "Football", "Baseball", "Curling", "Rugby",
+ "Lacrosse", "Basketball", "Tennis", "Cricket", "Soccer")
theDF <- data.frame(x, y, q)
theDF</pre> | [5] | CO1 | Remember |
| Q.1(b) | Describe the concept of slicing and generating regular sequences in R with suitable examples. | [5] | CO1 | Understand |
| Q.2(a) | Explain the significance of Correlation and justify the statement, "Correlation does not imply causation". Describe the following statement sequences.
<pre>library(ggplot2)
head(economics)
cor(economics\$pce, economics\$psavert)
where pce is personal consumption expenditures and psavert is the personal savings rate.</pre> | [5] | CO2 | Apply |
| Q.2(b) | Some students were given a task to plot the rainfall over some of the coordinates without taking ground truth values. The students utilized the following snippets in R environment to perform the activities. Describe the statement sequences and explain the outputs generated.
<pre>name <- LETTERS[1:10]
longitude <- c(-116.7, -120.4, -116.7, -113.5, -115.5,
-120.8, -119.5, -113.7, -113.7, -110.7)
latitude <- c(45.3, 42.6, 38.9, 42.1, 35.7, 38.9,
36.2, 39, 41.6, 36.9)
stations <- cbind(longitude, latitude)

set.seed(0)
precip <- round((runif(length(latitude))*10)^3)
psize <- 1 + precip/500
plot(stations, cex=psize, pch=20, col='red',
main='Precipitation')
add names to plot
text(stations, name, pos=4)
add a legend
breaks <- c(100, 250, 500, 1000)
legend.psize <- 1+breaks/500
legend("topright", legend=breaks, pch=20,
pt.cex=legend.psize, col='red', bg='gray')</pre> | [5] | CO2 | Analyze |
| Q.3(a) | Describe the output of the following statement sequences? | | CO3 | Apply |
| (i) | <pre>string = "Harry"
n = len(string)
mystery = string [0] + string[n - 1]
print(mystery)</pre> | [5] | | |

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(ii) for i in range(3) :
      for j in range(5) :
          if i % 2 == j % 2 :
              print("*", end="")
          else :
              print(" ", end="")
      print()
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- Q.3(b) Explain the concept of Immutability in python with some examples and which data structure could be utilized to resolve the challenges posed by this? [5] CO3 Evaluate
- Q.4(a) Describe the concept of the functions in Python. Explain the importance of recursive functions. [5] CO4 Understand
- Q.4(b) Describe the output of the following statement sequence. [5] CO4 Apply
- ```
def main() :
 printTriangle(4)
def printTriangle(sideLength) :
 if sideLength < 1 : return
 printTriangle(sideLength - 1)
 print("[]" * sideLength)
main()
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- Q.5(a) Explain the process of Customizing layer visualization through Google Earth Engine. Describe following GEE snippets. [5] CO5 Understand and apply
- ```
Map.addLayer(image, {min: 0, max: 3000}, 'custom
visualization');
Map.addLayer(image, {min: 0, max: 3000, palette: ['blue',
'green', 'red']}, 'custom palette');
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- Q.5(b) Describe the code snippets from a GEE code and explain the outputs at each step. [5] CO5 Evaluate
- ```
var point = ee.Geometry.Point([-122.292, 37.9018]);
var l8 = ee.ImageCollection('LANDSAT/LC08/C02/T1_TOA');
var image = ee.Image(
 l8.filterBounds(point)
 .filterDate('2015-01-01', '2015-12-31')
 .sort('CLOUD_COVER')
 .first()
);
var nir = image.select('B5');
var red = image.select('B4');
var ndvi =
nir.subtract(red).divide(nir.add(red)).rename('NDVI');

Map.centerObject(image, 9);
var ndviParams = {min: -1, max: 1, palette: ['blue', 'white',
'green']};
Map.addLayer(ndvi, ndviParams, 'NDVI image');
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