

Practical: API Testing Research Assessment Rubric

	10-9	8-7	6-5	4-0
Functionality	<p>API tests demonstrate comprehensive & robust coverage on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CRUD (create, read, update & delete) functionality. • Validation rules. • Query parameters, i.e., filtering & sorting data. • Status codes, i.e., checking if a response returns 200. • The shape of the data, i.e., does the response data contain a specific column? 	<p>API tests demonstrate clear & detailed coverage on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CRUD (create, read, update & delete) functionality. • Validation rules. • Query parameters, i.e., filtering & sorting data. • Status codes, i.e., checking if a response returns 200. • The shape of the data, i.e., does the response data contain a specific column? 	<p>API tests demonstrate coverage on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CRUD (create, read, update & delete) functionality. • Validation rules. • Query parameters, i.e., filtering & sorting data. • Status codes, i.e., checking if a response returns 200. • The shape of the data, i.e., does the response data contain a specific column? 	<p>API tests does not, or does not fully demonstrate coverage on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CRUD (create, read, update & delete) functionality. • Validation rules. • Query parameters, i.e., filtering & sorting data. • Status codes, i.e., checking if a response returns 200. • The shape of the data, i.e., does the response data contain a specific column?
Code Elegance	<p>API tests thoroughly demonstrate code elegance on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of intermediate variables, i.e., no method calls as arguments. • Sufficient modularity. • Idiomatic use of control flow, data structures and in-built functions. • Adheres to an OO architecture. • Formatted code. • No dead or unused code. • Database configured for testing environment. 	<p>API tests clearly demonstrate code elegance on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of intermediate variables, i.e., no method calls as arguments. • Sufficient modularity. • Idiomatic use of control flow, data structures and in-built functions. • Adheres to an OO architecture. • Formatted code. • No dead or unused code. • Database configured for testing environment. 	<p>API tests demonstrate code elegance on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of intermediate variables, i.e., no method calls as arguments. • Sufficient modularity. • Idiomatic use of control flow, data structures and in-built functions. • Adheres to an OO architecture. • Formatted code. • No dead or unused code. • Database configured for testing environment. 	<p>API tests do not or do not fully demonstrate code elegance on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of intermediate variables, i.e., no method calls as arguments. • Sufficient modularity. • Idiomatic use of control flow, data structures and in-built functions. • Adheres to an OO architecture. • Formatted code. • No dead or unused code. • Databases configured for testing environment.

Documentation & Git Usage	README file contains thorough evidence of how to setup the environment for development & run the tests.	README file contains clear evidence of how to setup the environment for development & run the tests.	README file contains evidence of how to setup the environment for development & run the tests.	README file does not or does not fully contain evidence of how to setup the environment for development & run the tests.
	Git commit messages are comprehensively formatted & reflect the functionality changes in succinct detail.	Git commit messages are clearly formatted & reflect the functionality changes in substantial detail.	Git commit messages are formatted & reflect the functionality changes in detail.	Git commit messages are not or are not fully formatted & do not or do not reflect the functionality changes.

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Date:

Learner ID:

Assessor's Name:

Assessor's Signature:

Criteria	Out Of	Weighting	Final Result
Functionality	10	60	
Code Elegance	10	30	
Documentation & Git Usage	10	10	
Final Result			/100
This assessment is worth 20% of the final mark for the Introductory Application Development Concepts course.			

Feedback:

Functionality:

Code Elegance:

Documentation & Git Usage: