

# Problem 3

HW2

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```
suppressPackageStartupMessages({  
  library(purrr)  
  library(tidyr)  
  library(ggplot2)  
  library(dplyr)  
})  
  
options(scipen = 99) # Penalize scientific notation  
  
set.seed(123456) # PLEASE DO NOT CHANGE THE SEED
```

## Advanced Monte-Carlo for Poisson Process

In the context of Problem 2, please modify your solution to include that:

1. Car salesmen work 3 separate shifts: 12am-8am, 8am-4pm, 4pm-12am rather than hourly
2. Every hour of the day has its own average arrival rate
3. Car salesmen cannot work two shifts in one day.

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You are working for Poisson Car Dealerships Inc. and your task is to optimize the employment in a particular popular car dealership location.

The customers arrive to that dealership according to a Poisson arrival process (meaning that the number of customers that will arrive to the dealership on a particular hour is distributed with Poisson distribution and average arrival rate  $\lambda$ )

Salesmen are assigned to customers on 1-on-1 basis for the entire hour. Say, if 1 customer comes in at 3pm, then he occupies 1 salesman for that entire hour. The occupied salesman will be free again at 4pm to work with another customer.

Assume your dealership is open 24 hours a day / 7 days a week.

Also, assume that car salesmen work not on hourly basis but on a shift-basis. More precisely, they have 3 separate shifts: 12am-8am, 8am-4pm, 4pm-12am. Also note that current laws prohibit the person from working more than 1 shift in a day. If a salesman works in the morning shift then he is done for the day. (The laws do permit to work adjacent shift across different days: say, it is allowed to have 4pm-12am shift one day followed immediately by 12am-8am shift the next day.)

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### Question 1

- Please simulate one possible future for the next month (30 days = 720 hours).
- Output:

- Please create data.frame `df1` with  $N$  rows that contains your sample values in column `df1$X`, current hour (in 0-23 format) in `df1$hour` and current day (in 1-30 format) `df1$day`.

```
N <- 720L

# Specify a given average arrival rate for every hour
AVG_ARRIVAL_RATE <- 10*sin(seq(0,3*pi/4,length.out = 24))
names(AVG_ARRIVAL_RATE) <- 0:23 # 24-hour based time

# Print the (rounded) arrival rate for every hour of the day
print(round(AVG_ARRIVAL_RATE,2))

##      0      1      2      3      4      5      6      7      8      9     10     11     12     13     14
## 0.00 1.02 2.03 3.03 3.98 4.90 5.77 6.57 7.31 7.97 8.54 9.03 9.42 9.72 9.91
##     15     16     17     18     19     20     21     22     23
## 9.99 9.98 9.85 9.63 9.30 8.88 8.36 7.76 7.07

# Please write your code below

df1 <- data.frame(hour = rep(0:23,N/24),
                  day = rep(1:30, each =24))%>%
  group_by(hour)%>%
  mutate(X = rpois(30,AVG_ARRIVAL_RATE[hour+1]))

head(df1)

## Source: local data frame [6 x 3]
## Groups: hour [6]
##
##   hour   day    X
##   <int> <int> <int>
## 1     0     1     0
## 2     1     1     2
## 3     2     1     2
## 4     3     1     2
## 5     4     1     3
## 6     5     1     3
```

## Question 2

- Please simulate  $R = 2000$  possible ways your future may look for the next month (30 days = 720 hours)
- Output:
  - Please create data.frame `df2` with  $N \times R$  rows that contains your sample values in column `df2$X`, current hour (in 0-23 format) in `df2$hour`, current day (in 1-30 format) `df2$day` and sample id in column `df2$id`.

```
R <- 2000L

# Please write your code below

df2 <- data.frame(id = rep(1:R, each=N),
                  hour = rep(0:23, R*N/24),
                  day = rep(rep(1:30, each=24),R))%>%
  group_by(hour)%>%
```

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mutate(X = rpois(30*R,AVG_ARRIVAL_RATE[hour+1]))

head(df2)
```

```
## Source: local data frame [6 x 4]
## Groups: hour [6]
##
##      id  hour  day    X
##   <int> <int> <int> <int>
## 1     1     0     1     0
## 2     1     1     1     1
## 3     1     2     1     2
## 4     1     3     1     2
## 5     1     4     1     3
## 6     1     5     1     6
```

### Question 3

- Please compute how much workforce you should deploy every day to make sure that in **99% of the days** there are enough salesmen present for every customer (without waiting).
- Hints:
  - you may want to look at `quantile()` function
- Output:
  - Please save the value into integer variable `q3`

*# Please write your code below*

```
df3 <- df2 %>%
  mutate(shift = ifelse(hour %in% c(0:7),1,ifelse(hour %in% c(8:15),2,3))) %>%
  group_by(id,day,shift) %>%
  summarise(max_shift_X = max(X))%>%
  group_by(id,day) %>%
  summarise(day_X = sum(max_shift_X))

q3 <- as.integer(quantile(df3$day_X,0.99))
q3
```

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## [1] 45
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