



**ACADGILD**

**SESSION 4:**  
**FOUNDATIONAL R PROGRAMMING-II**  
*Assignment 2*

**Submitted by: Munmun Ghosal**  
Login Id: munmun55@gmail.com  
(M):+91-8007178659

Table of Contents

1. Problem Statement ..... 3

2. Solution ..... 3

## 1. Problem Statement

```
1. x <- c('data.science.in.R','machine.learning.in.R')
```

Perform the below string operation:

- Replace the period character "." within each string with another character i.e. "-" minus sign.

```
2. x <- c('data.science.in.R','machine.learning.in.R')
```

Perform the below String operation:

- Append again with "-" minus sign character at the start of each string and finally concatenate all the string within the vector to form a final single string and assigning it to some object

## 2. Solution

```
1. x <- c('data.science.in.R','machine.learning.in.R')
```

Replace the period character "." within each string with another character i.e. "-" minus sign.

**The R-script for the given problem is as follows:**

```
x <- c('data.science.in.R', 'machine.learning.in.R')
x
gsub("\\.", '-', x)
```

**Explanation:**

- `gsub()` perform replacement of the first and all matches respectively.
- Here, `gsub()` replaces "." with "-" sign.

**The output of the R-Script (from Console window) is given as follows:**

```
> x <- c('data.science.in.R', 'machine.learning.in.R')
> x
[1] "data.science.in.R"      "machine.learning.in.R"

> gsub("\\.", '-', x)
[1] "data-science-in-R"      "machine-learning-in-R"
```

2. `x <- c('data.science.in.R','machine.learning.in.R')`  
Append again with "-" minus sign character at the start of each string and finally concatenate all the string within the vector to form a final single string and assigning it to some object

**The R-script for the given problem is as follows:**

```
x <- c('data.science.in.R','machine.learning.in.R')
x
y <- paste("-", x, collapse = "")
y
```

**Explanation:**

- `paste()` function concatenates vectors after converting to character.
- Here, `paste()` Appends with "-" minus sign character at the start of each string and finally concatenates all the string within the vector to form a final single string and assigning it to object named "y"

**The output of the R-Script in console window is given as follows:**

```
> x <- c('data.science.in.R','machine.learning.in.R')
> x
[1] "data.science.in.R"      "machine.learning.in.R"
> y <- paste("-", x, collapse = "")
> y
[1] "- data.science.in.R- machine.learning.in.R"
```