Solutions to Assignment-1 Session-1 (Introduction)

5.1 True or False

- 1. Prescriptive Analytics used to predict the future outcomes? : False
- 2. Base R packages installed automatically? : True

5.2 What is Recycling of elements in a vector?

The automatic lengthening of vectors in certain settings is called recycling.

When applying an operation to two vectors that require them to be of the same length, R automatically repeats the shorter one until it is long enough to match the longer one.

5.3 Example of recycling of elements.

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> c(1,2,3,4,5) + c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9) [1] 2 4 6 8 10 7 9 11 13 Warning message: In c(1, 2, 3, 4, 5) + c(1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9) : longer object length is not a multiple of shorter object length
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The shorter vector was recycled for operation as,

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> c(1,2,3,4,5,1,2,3,4) + c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9)
Now bot vector are of same length to produce output as:
[1] 2 4 6 8 10 7 9 11 13
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