

EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRILANKA DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION IN SCIENCE – 2016 / 2017 SECOND SEMESTER (MARCH-2019) CC 153 – BIOSTATISTICS PRACTICAL (REPEAT)

Answer the following question.

Time: Two hours.

01. The Department of Healthcare Science wants to study factors that could affect the pulse rate of humans. As a pilot survey, it has collected some data from university staff. The description of data that have been collected is given below.

Gender : Gender of the persons (1: male, 2: female)
Marital : Marital status of persons (1: married, 2: not married)
Smoke : Smoking habits of persons (1: smoking, 2: not smoking)
Work : Type of work (1: teaching, 2: administration, 3: maintenance, 4: labour)
Liquor : Use of liquor (1: never, 2: rare, 3: often)
Age : Age of persons in years
Height : Height of persons in inches
Weight : Weight of persons in pounds
Ex-hours: Number of hours of exercise per week

Pulse : Number of pulse within a minute

Data collected by the department from 75 staff are given in text file "Pulse.txt". Analyse the given data.by using statistical software "Minitab" and identify factors affect pulse rate. Prepare a detail statistical report.