

Practical 5:

Aim: - Write a program to check the syntax of looping statements in Python language.

Theory: -

Python For Loops

A **for** loop is used for iterating over a sequence (that is either a list, a tuple, a dictionary, a set, or a string).

This is less like the **for** keyword in other programming languages, and works more like an iterator method as found in other object-orientated programming languages.

With the **for** loop we can execute a set of statements, once for each item in a list, tuple, set etc.

Example :-

```
fruits = ["apple", "banana", "cherry"]
for x in fruits:
    print(x)
```

Example 2:-

```
for x in range (0,x):
    print(x)
```

Syntax:-

for counter **in** iterable:

where,

for and in are keywords

counter can be any variable you used to get the value from iterable

iterable is an object that can be “iterated over”

Syntax 2:-

`for counter in range (start_value,end_value)`

where,

for and in and range are keywords

counter can be any variable you used to get the value from iterable

start is interger used to assign the index for looping over an iterable

end is interger used to assign the the end range for looping over an

iterable

Code:-

```
import sys

str = input("Enter for loop to check syntax: \n")
striped_string = str.replace(" ", "")
in_pos = str.find("in")
col_pos = str.find(":")
range_exist = [1 if striped_string.find("inrange") != -1 else 0][0]

#check if for exist
print("Checking for keyword exist.....")
if str[0:3] != "for":
    print("What are you trying to do?\n")
    sys.exit()

#check if space after for exist
print("Checking space after for .....")
if str[3] != " ":
    print("Forgot a space after for...")
    sys.exit()

#check for counter variable
print("Checking if counter variable exist .....")
if striped_string.find("forin") != -1:
    print("Forgot to give a counter variable to loop ..")
    sys.exit()

#check if space before in exist
print("Checking if space before in exist .....")
if str[in_pos-1] != " ":
    print("Forgot the space before in...")
    sys.exit()

#check if in exist
print("Checking if in keyword exist .....")
if in_pos == -1:
    print("Forgot the in...")
    sys.exit()

#check if space after for exist
print("Checking if sapace after in exist .....")
if str[in_pos+2] != " ":
    print("Forgot a space after in...")
    sys.exit()
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#check if colon at the end exist
print("Checking if in : exist at the end of the string.....")
if col_pos+1 != len(str.strip()):
    print("Forgot the : ...",)
    sys.exit()

#checking if counter variable exist
print("Checking if counter variable exist.....")
for_in = str[3:in_pos].replace(" ", "")
if len(for_in) > 1:
    print("Something is wrong")
    sys.exit()

#check for loop variable or range variable
print("Checking if loop type is a range based.....")
if range_exist == 1:
    #check if range exist
    print("Checking if range is provided or not.....")
    if striped_string.find("range:") != -1:
        print("Forgot the give a the range")
    else:
        #check if space after range exist
        print("Checking if range is provided after range keyword....")
        range_pos = striped_string.find("range")
        print("Checking range type.....")
        if striped_string.find("range") != -1:
            print("Checking if ( exist.....")
            open_pos = striped_string.find("range")+5
            print("Checking if ) exist.....")
            close_pos = striped_string.rindex("(")
            print("Checking if ( is before ) exist.....")
            #if ( is after range
            if open_pos < range_pos:
                print("Where did you even put the ( ?")
            #if ) is afrer ( and range
            elif close_pos < range_pos or close_pos < open_pos:
                print("Where did you even put the ) ?")
            else:
                print("Checking if two ranges exist.....")
                list_range = striped_string[open_pos+1:close_pos].replace(" ", "")
                #check if comma seprating is not at start
                if list_range.find(",") == 0:
                    print("What is the start of the range ?")
                #check if comma seprating is not at end
                elif list_range.find(",") == len(list_range)-1:
                    print("What is the end of the range ?")
                    sys.exit()

elif range_exist == 0:
    print("Checking if loop variable is provided.....")
    if striped_string.find("in:") != -1:
        print("Forgot to give a iterable..")
        sys.exit()

print("No errors")

```

Output:-

Input:-

for i in x:

Expected output:-

No error

```
Enter for loop to check syntax:
for i in x:
Checking for keyword exist.....
Checking space after for .....
Checking if counter variable exist .....
Checking if space before in exist .....
Checking if in keyword exist .....
Checking if sapace after in exist .....
Checking if in : exist at the end of the string.....
Checking if counter variable exist.....
Checking if loop type is a range based.....
Checking if loop variable is provided.....
No errors
```

Input:-

```
for i in range(x,y):
```

Expected output:-

No error

```
Enter for loop to check syntax:
for i in range(x,y):
Checking for keyword exist.....
Checking space after for .....
Checking if counter variable exist .....
Checking if space before in exist .....
Checking if in keyword exist .....
Checking if sapace after in exist .....
Checking if in : exist at the end of the string.....
Checking if counter variable exist.....
Checking if loop type is a range based.....
Checking if range is provided or not....
Checking if range is provided after range keyword....
Checking range type....
Checking if ( exist....
Checking if ) exist....
Checking if ( is before ) exist....
Checking if two ranges exist....
No errors
```

Input:-

```
for i in range(x,y)
```

Expected output:-

: missing

```
Enter for loop to check syntax:
for i in range(x,y)
Checking for keyword exist.....
Checking space after for .....
Checking if counter variable exist .....
Checking if space before in exist .....
Checking if in keyword exist .....
Checking if sapace after in exist .....
Checking if in : exist at the end of the string.....
Forgot the : ...
```

Input:-

```
for in x:
```

Expected output:-

Missing counter variable

```
Enter for loop to check syntax:
for in x:
Checking for keyword exist.....
Checking space after for .....
Checking if counter variable exist .....
Forgot to give a counter variable to loop ..
```

Input:-

For i in :

Expected output:-

Missing iterable

```
Enter for loop to check syntax:
for i in :
Checking for keyword exist.....
Checking space after for .....
Checking if counter variable exist .....
Checking if space before in exist .....
Checking if in keyword exist .....
Checking if sapace after in exist .....
Checking if in : exist at the end of the string.....
Checking if counter variable exist.....
Checking if loop type is a range based.....
Checking if loop variable is provided.....
Forgot to give a iterable ..
```

Input:-

For i in (x,): :

Expected output:-

Missing end of the range

```
Enter for loop to check syntax:
for i in range(x,):
Checking for keyword exist.....
Checking space after for .....
Checking if counter variable exist .....
Checking if space before in exist .....
Checking if in keyword exist .....
Checking if sapace after in exist .....
Checking if in : exist at the end of the string.....
Checking if counter variable exist.....
Checking if loop type is a range based.....
Checking if range is provided or not....
Checking if range is provided after range keyword....
Checking range type....
Checking if ( exist....
Checking if ) exist....
Checking if ( is before ) exist....
Checking if two ranges exist....
What is the end of the range ?
```

Conclusion:-

We successfully checked the syntax of for loop in python

References :-

<https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/c-program-to-check-syntax-of-for-loop/>