Lab_Assignment_4.3

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Task 1: Zero-Shot Prompting – Leap Year Check

Scenario

Zero-shot prompting involves giving instructions without providing examples.

Task Description

Use zero-shot prompting to instruct an AI tool to generate a Python function that:

• Accepts a year as input

• Checks whether the given year is a leap year

• Returns an appropriate result

Note: No input-output examples should be provided in the prompt.

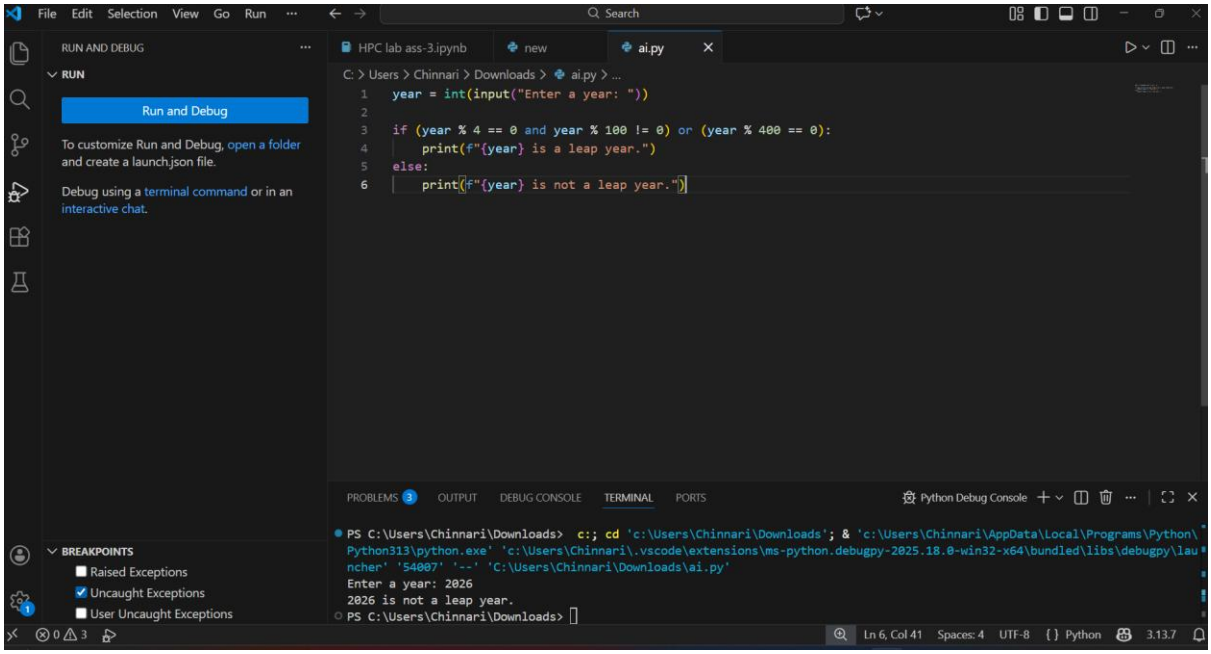
Expected Output

• AI-generated leap year checking function

• Correct logical conditions

• Sample input and output

• Screenshot of AI-generated response (if required)



Task 2: One-Shot Prompting – Centimeters to Inches Conversion

Scenario

One-shot prompting guides AI using a single example.

Task Description

Use one-shot prompting by providing one input-output example to generate a Python function that:

• Converts centimeters to inches

• Uses the correct mathematical formula

Example provided in prompt:

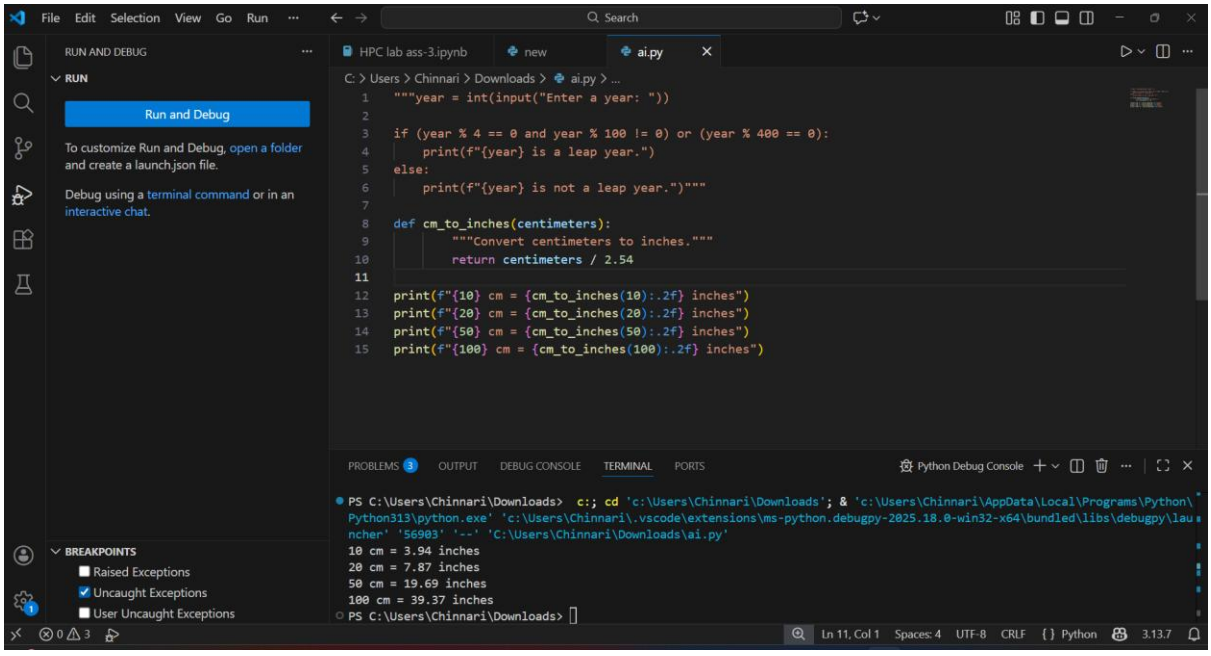
Input: 10 cm → Output: 3.94 inches

Expected Output

• Python function with correct conversion logic

• Accurate calculation

• Sample test cases and outputs



Task 3: Few-Shot Prompting – Name Formatting

Scenario

Few-shot prompting improves accuracy by providing multiple examples.

Task Description

Use few-shot prompting with 2–3 examples to generate a Python function that:

• Accepts a full name as input

• Formats it as “Last, First”

Example formats:

• "John Smith" → "Smith, John"

• "Anita Rao" → "Rao, Anita"

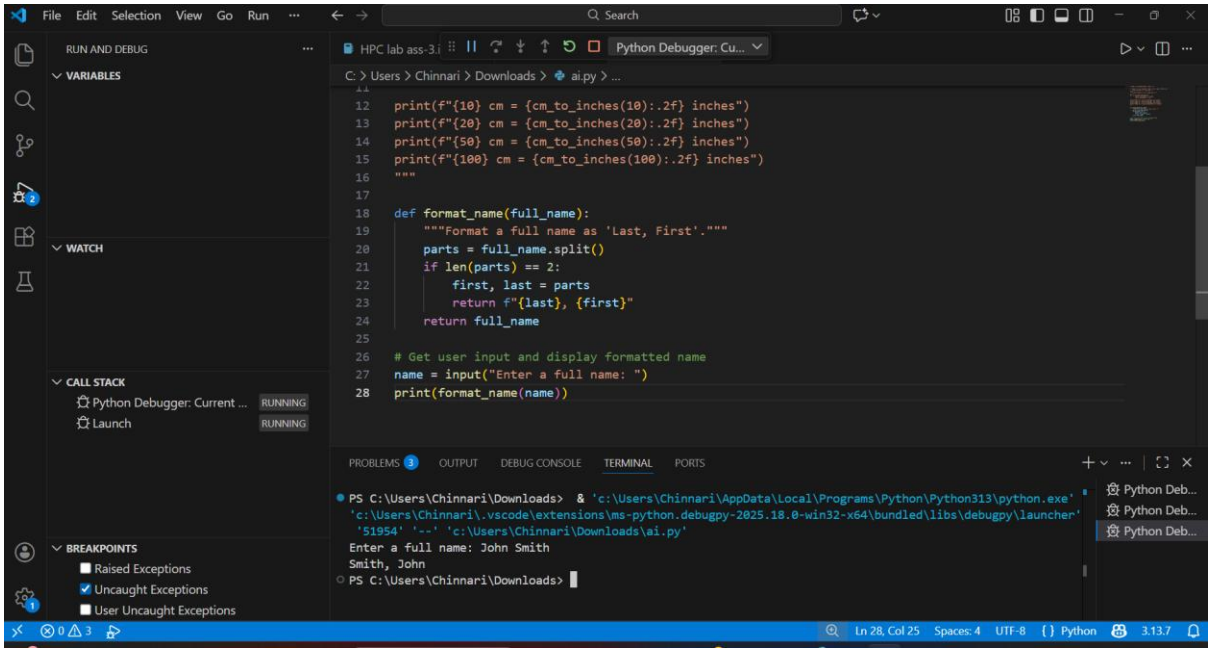
Expected Output

• Well-structured Python function

• Output strictly following example patterns

• Correct handling of names

• Sample inputs and outputs



Task 4: Comparative Analysis – Zero-Shot vs Few-Shot

Scenario

Different prompt strategies may produce different code quality.

Task Description

Use zero-shot prompting to generate a function that counts vowels in a string

• Use few-shot prompting for the same problem

• Compare both outputs based on:

o Accuracy

o Readability

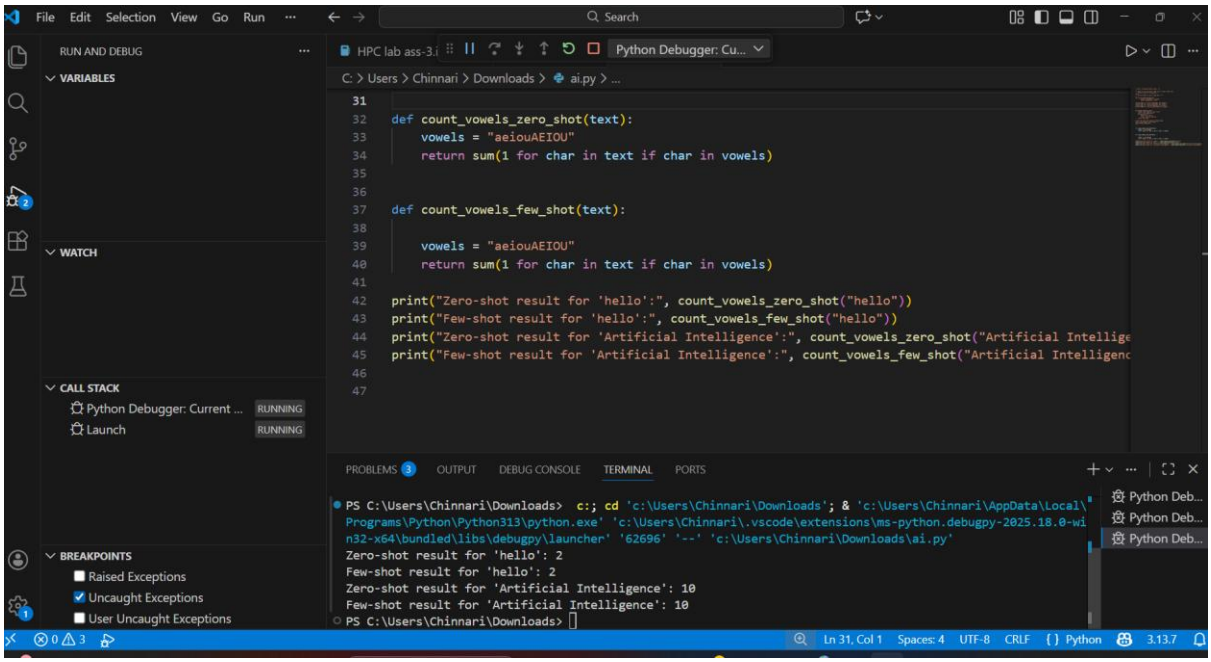
o Logical clarity

Expected Output

• Two vowel-counting functions

• Comparison table or short reflection paragraph

• Conclusion on prompt effectiveness



Task 5: Few-Shot Prompting – File Handling

Scenario

File processing requires clear logical understanding.

Task Description

Use few-shot prompting to generate a Python function that:

• Reads a .txt file

• Counts the number of lines in the file

• Returns the line count

Expected Output

• Working Python file-processing function

• Correct line count

- Sample .txt input and output
- AI-assisted logic explanation