

# LAB ASSIGNMENT-3.2

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## Lab 3: Prompt Engineering – Improving Prompts and Context Management

### Task Description-1

- Progressive Prompting for Calculator Design: Ask the AI to design a simple calculator program by initially providing only the function name. Gradually enhance the prompt by adding comments and usage examples.

```
calculator.py
1 def calculator(num1, num2, operation):
2     """
3     A simple calculator that performs operations based on function name.
4     Parameters:
5     num1 (float): First number
6     num2 (float): Second number
7     operation (str): Operation to perform ('add', 'subtract', 'multiply', 'divide', 'power', 'modulo')
8     Returns:
9     float: Result of the operation
10    """
11
12    operations = {
13        'add': lambda a, b: a + b,
14        'subtract': lambda a, b: a - b,
15        'multiply': lambda a, b: a * b,
16        'divide': lambda a, b: a / b if b != 0 else "Error: Division by zero",
17        'power': lambda a, b: a ** b,
18        'modulo': lambda a, b: a % b if b != 0 else "Error: Modulo by zero"
19    }
20
21    if operation.lower() in operations:
22        result = operations[operation.lower()](num1, num2)
23        return result
24    else:
25        return f"Error: Unknown operation '{operation}'. Available: {' '.join(operations.keys())}"
26
27
28 # Example usage
29 if __name__ == "__main__":
30     print(calculator(10, 5, 'add'))
31     print(calculator(10, 5, 'multiply'))
32     print(calculator(10, 5, 'divide'))
33     print(calculator(10, 5, 'power'))
34     print(calculator(10, 5, 'modulo'))
35
36
37 PROBLEMS  DEBUG CONSOLE  TERMINAL  PORTS
38 PS C:\Users\VipOnDroid\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT_002262> & C:\Users\VipOnDroid\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python313\python.exe "C:\Users\VipOnDroid\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT_002262\calculator_app.py"
39
40 25
41 20
42 2.0
43 1000000
44
45 PS C:\Users\VipOnDroid\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT_002262>
```

```
calculator.py: 100
101 # Test 1: Addition
102 print("\n[1] ADDITION: calculator(10, 5, 'add')")
103 result = calculator(10, 5, 'add')
104 print(f"Result: {result}")
105 print(f"Calculation: 10 + 5 = {result}")
106
107 # Test 2: Subtraction
108 print("\n[2] SUBTRACTION: calculator(10, 5, 'subtract')")
109 result = calculator(10, 5, 'subtract')
110 print(f"Result: {result}")
111 print(f"Calculation: 10 - 5 = {result}")
112
113 # Test 3: Multiplication
114 print("\n[3] MULTIPLICATION: calculator(10, 5, 'multiply')")
115 result = calculator(10, 5, 'multiply')
116 print(f"Result: {result}")
117 print(f"Calculation: 10 * 5 = {result}")
118
119 # Test 4: Division
120 print("\n[4] DIVISION: calculator(10, 5, 'divide')")
121 result = calculator(10, 5, 'divide')
122 print(f"Result: {result}")
123 print(f"Calculation: 10 / 5 = {result}")
124
125 # Test 5: Exponentiation
126 print("\n[5] POWER/EXPONENT: calculator(10, 5, 'power')")
127 result = calculator(10, 5, 'power')
128 print(f"Result: {result}")
129 print(f"Calculation: 10^5 = {result}")
130
131 # Test 6: Modulo
132 print("\n[6] MODULO (Remainder): calculator(10, 5, 'modulo')")
133 result = calculator(10, 5, 'modulo')
134 print(f"Result: {result}")
135 print(f"Calculation: 10 % 5 = {result}")
136
137 # Test 7: Additional examples with different numbers
138 print("\n\n * * *")
139 print("ADDITIONAL EXAMPLES")
140 print(" * * *")
141
142 print("\nExample 1: calculator(25, 4, 'divide')")
143 result = calculator(25, 4, 'divide')
144 print(f"Result: {result}")
145
146 print("\nExample 2: calculator(7, 3, 'modulo')")
147 result = calculator(7, 3, 'modulo')
148 print(f"Result: {result}")
149
150 print("\nExample 3: calculator(2, 8, 'power')")
151 result = calculator(2, 8, 'power')
152 print(f"Result: {result}")
153
154 # Test error handling
155 print("\n\n * * *")
156 print("ERROR HANDLING")
157 print(" * * *")
158
159 print("\nTest 1: Division by zero")
160 result = calculator(10, 0, 'divide')
161 print(f"Result: {result}")
162
163 print("\nTest 2: Invalid operation")
164 result = calculator(10, 5, 'square')
165 print(f"Result: {result}")
166
167 print("\n\n * * *")
168 print("END OF PROGRAM")
169 print(" * * *")
```

```
calculator_app.py: 100
101 # Test error handling
102 print("\n\n * * *")
103 print("ERROR HANDLING TESTS")
104 print(" * * *")
105
106 print("\nTest 1: Division by zero")
107 result = calculator(10, 0, 'divide')
108 print(f"Result: {result}")
109
110 print("\nTest 2: Invalid operation")
111 result = calculator(10, 5, 'square')
112 print(f"Result: {result}")
113
114 print("\n\n * * *")
115 print("END OF PROGRAM")
116 print(" * * *")
```

```
calculator_app.py
PS C:\Users\VipOneDrive\Desktop> AI ASSISTANT CODING & C:\Users\hp\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python13\python.exe "c:\Users\hp\OneDrive\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT CODING\calculator_app.py"
calculator.py
Calculation: 10 + 5 = 15
[2] SUBTRACTION: calculator(10, 5, 'subtract')
Result: 5
Calculation: 10 * 5 = 5
[3] MULTIPLICATION: calculator(10, 5, 'multiply')
Result: 50
Calculation: 10 * 5 = 50
[4] DIVISION: calculator(10, 5, 'divide')
Result: 2.0
Calculation: 10 / 5 = 2.0
[5] POWER/EXPONENT: calculator(10, 5, 'power')
Result: 100000
Calculation: 10^5 = 100000
[6] MODULO (Remainder): calculator(10, 5, 'modulo')
Result: 0
Calculation: 10 % 5 = 0
=====
ADDITIONAL EXAMPLES
=====
Example 1: calculator(25, 4, 'divide')
Result: 6.25
Example 2: calculator(7, 3, 'modulo')
Result: 1
Example 3: calculator(2, 8, 'power')
Result: 256
=====
ERROR HANDLING TESTS
=====
Test 1: Division by zero
Result: Error: Division by zero
Result: Error: Division by zero
Test 2: Invalid operation
Result: Error: Division by zero
Result: Error: Division by zero
Result: Error: Division by zero
Test 3: Invalid operation
Result: Error: Division by zero
Result: Error: Division by zero
Test 4: Invalid operation
Result: Error: Unknown operation 'square'. Available: add, subtract, multiply, divide, power, modulo
=====
PS C:\Users\VipOneDrive\Desktop> AI ASSISTANT CODING
```

## Task Description-2

- Refining Prompts for Sorting Logic: Start with a vague prompt for sorting student marks, then refine it to clearly specify sorting order and constraints.

```
stage2_partial_sorting.py
1 """
2 Stage 1: AI Response to Partially Refined Prompt
3 Prompt: "Write a function to sort student marks in descending order"
4
5 Improvements: Now sorts in descending order (as specified)
6 Remaining Issues:
7 - Only handles marks without student names
8 - No tie-breaking strategy specified
9 - Still minimal error handling
10 - No input validation
11 """
12 def sort_marks_stage2(marks):
13     """Sort student marks in descending order."""
14     return sorted(marks, reverse=True)
15
16 # Stage 2 Example Usage:
17 if __name__ == "__main__":
18     print("=== STAGE 2: Partially Refined Prompt ===")
19     marks2 = [85, 92, 78, 92, 88, 76]
20     result2 = sort_marks_stage2(marks2)
21     print(f"Input: {marks2}")
22     print(f"Output: {result2}")
23     print(f"Improvement: Now sorts descending as requested")
24     print(f"Issue: No student names associated with marks\n")
25
26
PROBLEMS  DEBUG CONSOLE  TERMINAL  PORTS
PS C:\Users\VipOneDrive\Desktop> AI ASSISTANT CODING & C:\Users\hp\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python13\python.exe "c:\Users\hp\OneDrive\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT CODING\stage2_partial_sorting.py"
=== STAGE 2: Partially Refined Prompt ===
Input: [85, 92, 78, 92, 88, 76]
Output: [92, 92, 88, 85, 78, 76]
Improvement: Now sorts descending as requested
Issue: No student names associated with marks
PS C:\Users\VipOneDrive\Desktop> AI ASSISTANT CODING
```

```
stage1_vague_sorting.py > ...
1  """
2  Stage 1: AI Response to Vague Prompt
3  Prompt: "Write a function to sort student marks"
4
5  Issues with this response:
6  - Sort direction is arbitrary (ascending chosen without specification)
7  - No tie-breaking strategy
8  - Limited error handling
9  - No input validation
10 - No documentation of behavior
11 """
12
13 def sort_marks_stage1(marks):
14     """Sort student marks."""
15     return sorted(marks)
16
17
18 # Stage 1 Example Usage:
19 if __name__ == "__main__":
20     print("=== STAGE 1: Vague Prompt ===")
21     marks1 = [85, 92, 78, 92, 88, 76]
22     result1 = sort_marks_stage1(marks1)
23     print(f"Input: {marks1}")
24     print(f"Output: {result1}")
25     print(f"Issue: Sorts ascending, but was descending intended?\n")
26
27
28 PROBLEMS DEBUG CONSOLE TERMINAL PORTS
PS C:\Users\hp\OneDrive\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT_000190> cd C:\Users\hp\OneDrive\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT_000190\stage1_vague_sorting.py
== STAGE 1: Vague Prompt ==
Input: [85, 92, 78, 92, 88, 76]
Output: [76, 78, 88, 92, 92]
Issue: Sorts ascending, but was descending intended?
PS C:\Users\hp\OneDrive\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT_000190>
```

## OUTPUT:

```
stage1_specific_sorting.py > ...
28 def sort_marks_stage3(names, marks):
29     Returns:
30     list of tuples (name, mark) sorted by mark (desc) then name (asc)
31     """
32     # Zip names and marks together
33     student_data = list(zip(names, marks))
34
35     # Sort by marks (descending), then by name (ascending)
36     sorted_students = sorted(student_data, key=lambda x: (-x[1], x[0]))
37
38     return sorted_students
39
40
41 # Stage 3 Example Usage:
42 if __name__ == "__main__":
43     print("=== STAGE 3: More Specific Prompt ===")
44     names3 = ["Alice", "Bob", "Charlie", "Diana", "Eve", "Frank"]
45     marks3 = [85, 92, 78, 92, 88, 76]
46
47     result3 = sort_marks_stage3(names3, marks3)
48     print(f"Input:")
49     print(f"Names: {names3}")
50     print(f"Marks: {marks3}")
51     print(f"Output (sorted):")
52     for name, mark in result3:
53         print(f"    {name}: {mark}")
54
55     print(f"\nImprovement: Student names included, tie-breaking implemented")
56     print(f"Issue: Limited error handling for edge cases\n")
57
58 PROBLEMS DEBUG CONSOLE TERMINAL PORTS
PS C:\Users\hp\OneDrive\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT_000190> cd C:\Users\hp\OneDrive\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT_000190\stage1_specific_sorting.py
Output (sorted):
Bob: 92
Diana: 92
Eve: 88
Alice: 85
Charlie: 78
Frank: 76
Improvement: Student names included, tie-breaking implemented
Issue: Limited error handling for edge cases
PS C:\Users\hp\OneDrive\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT_000190>
```

## Task Description-3

- Few-Shot Prompting for Prime Number Validation: Provide multiple input output examples for a function that checks whether a number is prime. Observe how few-shot prompting improves correctness.

```
def isPrime(n):
    """
    Checks whether a number is prime.
    A prime number is a natural number greater than 1 that has no positive divisors other than 1 and itself.
    Args:
        n: An integer to check
    Returns:
        True if n is prime, False otherwise
    Edge cases handled:
        - Negative numbers: False
        - Zero: False
        - One: False
        - Two: True (smallest prime)
    """
    # Handle edge cases: negative numbers, 0, and 1
    if n <= 1:
        return False

    # 2 is the smallest prime number
    if n == 2:
        return True

    # Even numbers (except 2) are not prime
    if n % 2 == 0:
        return False

    # Check divisibility by odd numbers up to sqrt(n)
    i = 3
    while i * i <= n:
        if n % i == 0:
            return False
        i += 2 # Only check odd numbers

    return True

# Test cases based on provided examples
test_cases = [
    (-5, False),
    (0, False),
    (1, False),
    (2, True),
    (3, True),
    (4, False),
    (9, False),
    (11, True),
    (17, True),
    (20, False),
    (25, False),
    (29, True),
]

print("Testing isPrime function:")
all_passed = True
for n, expected in test_cases:
    result = isPrime(n)
    status = "✓ PASS" if result == expected else "✗ FAIL"
    if result != expected:
        all_passed = False
    print(f"isPrime({n:3d}) = {str(result):5s} | Expected: {str(expected):5s} | {status}")

print("All tests passed: ", all_passed)
```

Task: Implement a function (named `isPrime`) that checks whether a number is prime.

Below are multiple input-output examples. Use them to infer correct logic and handle edge cases properly.

Examples:

Input	Output
-5	False
0	False
1	False
2	True
3	True
4	False
9	False
11	True
17	True
20	False
25	False
29	True

Requirements:

- Return False for negative numbers, 0, and 1

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    (4, False),
    (9, False),
    (11, True),
    (17, True),
    (20, False),
    (25, False),
    (29, True),
]

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print("All tests passed: ", all_passed)
```

Task: Implement a function (named `isPrime`) that checks whether a number is prime.

Below are multiple input-output examples. Use them to infer correct logic and handle edge cases properly.

Examples:

Input	Output
-5	False
0	False
1	False
2	True
3	True
4	False
9	False
11	True
17	True
20	False
25	False
29	True

Requirements:

- Return False for negative numbers, 0, and 1

## Task Description-4

- Prompt-Guided UI Design for Student Grading System: Create a user interface for a student grading system that calculates total marks, percentage, and grade based on user input.

## CODE AND OUTPUT:

```
# Create a python UI program that accepts student marks,
# calculates total, percentage, and assigns grade.

def student_grading():
    marks = []
    # input marks for 5 subjects
    for i in range(5):
        mark = float(input("Enter marks for subject (%i): " % (i+1)))
        marks.append(mark)
    # calculate total marks
    total = sum(marks)
    # calculate percentage
    percentage = (total / 500) * 100
    # grade calculation
    if percentage >= 90:
        grade = "A"
    elif percentage >= 80:
        grade = "B"
    elif percentage >= 70:
        grade = "C"
    elif percentage >= 60:
        grade = "D"
    else:
        grade = "F"
    # display results
    print("Total Marks:", total)
    print("Percentage:", "{:.2f}%".format(percentage))
    print("Grade:", grade)
# function call
student_grading()
```

Output:

```
Enter marks for subject (1): 75
Enter marks for subject (2): 85
Enter marks for subject (3): 90
Enter marks for subject (4): 70
Enter marks for subject (5): 75
Total Marks: 495
Percentage: 99.00%
Grade: A
```

## Task Description-5

- Analyzing Prompt Specificity in Unit Conversion Functions: Improving a Unit Conversion Function (Kilometers to Miles and Miles to Kilometers) Using Clear Instructions.

## Expected Output-5

- Analysis of code quality and accuracy differences across multiple prompt variations.

```
Unit Conversion Function.py > miles_to_km
1 # Improved unit conversion with validation and clear logic
2
3 def km_to_miles(km):
4     """
5     Converts kilometers to miles.
6     1 km = 0.621371 miles
7     """
8     if not isinstance(km, (int, float)):
9         raise ValueError("Input must be a number")
10    if km < 0:
11        raise ValueError("Distance cannot be negative")
12    return km * 0.621371
13
14 def miles_to_km(miles):
15     """
16     Converts miles to kilometers.
17     1 mile = 1.60934 Kilometers
18     """
19     if not isinstance(miles, (int, float)):
20         raise ValueError("Input must be a number")
21     if miles < 0:
22         raise ValueError("Distance cannot be negative")
23     return miles * 1.60934
24
25 # Sample test
26 print("10 km =", km_to_miles(10), "miles")
27 print("5 miles =", miles_to_km(5), "km")

```

PROBLEMS    DEBUG CONSOLE    TERMINAL    POINTS

```
PS C:\Users\hp\OneDrive\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT CODING> & C:\Users\hp\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python313\python.exe "C:\Users\hp\OneDrive\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT CODING\Unit Conversion Function.py"
10 km = 6.21371 miles
5 miles = 8.0467 km
PS C:\Users\hp\OneDrive\Desktop\AI ASSISTANT CODING>
```