

Assignment – 2.5

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AI Assisted Coding

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Task 1: Refactoring Odd/Even Logic (List Version)

❖ Scenario:

You are improving legacy code.

❖ Task:

Write a program to calculate the sum of odd and even numbers in a list.

then refactor it using AI.

❖ Expected Output:

❖ Original and improved code

The screenshot shows a VS Code interface with the following details:

- File Explorer:** Shows a tree view with items like "AI-A-CODING-V2", ".github", ".vscode", "Assessment2.5", "task1.py", "Assignment1.5", "AI Assisted Coding-as...", "AI Assisted Coding-do...", "assignment2... IA_U", "day1.py", "README.md", "task2.py", "task3.py", "task5_iterative.py", and "task5_recursive.py".
- Editor:** The main editor window displays the file "task1.py" with the following code:

```
# Task 1: Refactoring Odd/Even Logic (List Version)
# # Scenario:
# # You are improving Legacy code.
# # Task:
# # Write a program to calculate the sum of odd and even numbers in a list,
# # then refactor it using AI.
# # Expected Output:
# # Original and Improved code

# Original Code (Legacy Style)
def calculate_sums_original(numbers):
    odd_sum = 0
    even_sum = 0
    i = 0
    while i < len(numbers):
        if numbers[i] % 2 == 0:
            even_sum = even_sum + numbers[i]
        else:
            odd_sum = odd_sum + numbers[i]
        i = i + 1
    return odd_sum, even_sum

# Test the original code
numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]
odd, even = calculate_sums_original(numbers)
print("Original code:")
print(f"Sum of odd numbers: {odd}")
print(f"Sum of even numbers: {even}")

# Test the original code
numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]
odd, even = calculate_sums_original(numbers)
print("Original Code:")
print(f"Sum of odd numbers: {odd}")
print(f"Sum of even numbers: {even}")
```

- Terminal:** The terminal shows the output of running the script, which matches the printed results from the code.
- Bottom Status Bar:** Includes "Ctrl-K to generate command", "Plan, ⌘ for context, / for commands", and "Ask Auto".

```

task1-2.py - AI-A-coding-v2 - Cursor
File Edit Selection View Go Run Terminal Help
task1.py task1-2.py X
Assessment2.5 > task1-2.py ...
1 # Improved Code (Refactored)
2 def calculate_sums_improved(numbers):
3     """
4         Calculate the sum of odd and even numbers in a list.
5
6         Args:
7             numbers: List of integers
8
9         Returns:
10            tuple: (sum_of_odd_numbers, sum_of_even_numbers)
11
12    odd_sum = sum(num for num in numbers if num % 2 != 0)
13    even_sum = sum(num for num in numbers if num % 2 == 0)
14
15    return odd_sum, even_sum
16
17 # Alternative Improved version using filter
18 def calculate_sums_alternative(numbers):
19     """Alternative refactored version using filter."""
20     odd_sum = sum(filter(lambda x: x % 2 != 0, numbers))
21     even_sum = sum(filter(lambda x: x % 2 == 0, numbers))
22
23     return odd_sum, even_sum
24
25 # Test the improved code
26 numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]
27 odd2, even2 = calculate_sums_improved(numbers)
28 print(f"\nImproved Code:")
29 print(f"Sum of odd numbers: {odd2}")
30 print(f"Sum of even numbers: {even2}")
31
32 # Test alternative version
33 odd2, even2 = calculate_sums_alternative(numbers)
34 print(f"\nAlternative Improved Code:")
35 print(f"Sum of odd numbers: {odd2}")
36 print(f"Sum of even numbers: {even2}")
37
38 print(f"\nSum of odd numbers: {odd2}, even numbers: {even2}")

task1.py lines 1-9
task1.py (1-9)
# Improved Code (Refactored)
def calculate_sums_improved(numbers):
    """
        Calculate the sum of odd and even numbers in a list.
    """

    Args:
        numbers: List of integers

    Returns:
        tuple: (sum_of_odd_numbers, sum_of_even_numbers)

    odd_sum = sum(num for num in numbers if num % 2 != 0)
    even_sum = sum(num for num in numbers if num % 2 == 0)
    return odd_sum, even_sum

# Alternative Improved version using filter
def calculate_sums_alternative(numbers):
    """Alternative refactored version using filter."""
    odd2 = sum(filter(lambda x: x % 2 != 0, numbers))
    even2 = sum(filter(lambda x: x % 2 == 0, numbers))
    return odd2, even2

# Test the improved code
numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]
odd, even = calculate_sums_improved(numbers)
print("Improved Code:")
print(f"Sum of odd numbers: {odd}")
print(f"Sum of even numbers: {even}")
# Test alternative version
odd2, even2 = calculate_sums_alternative(numbers)
print("Alternative Improved Code:")
print(f"Sum of odd numbers: {odd2}")
print(f"Sum of even numbers: {even2}")

Improvements:
1. Readability: Uses list comprehensions and built-in sum().
2. Conciseness: Fewer lines, clearer intent.
3. Pythonic: Uses generator expressions and functional patterns.
4. Documentation: Adds a docstring.
5. Efficiency: Similar performance, more idiomatic.

Both versions produce the same output:
• Sum of odd numbers: 25 (1+3+5+7+9)
• Sum of even numbers: 30 (0+2+4+6+8+10)

Should I combine these into a single file, or do you want to test them separately?

Python Debug Console
PS E:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2> ^C
PS E:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2> e; cd 'e:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2'; & 'c:\Python314\python.exe' 'c:\Users\sprus\cursor\extensions\ms-python-18.0-win32-x64\bundled\libs\debug\launcher' '61638' ... 'e:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2\Assessment2.5\task1-2.py'
Improved Code:
Sum of odd numbers: 25
Sum of even numbers: 30
Alternative Improved Code:
Sum of odd numbers: 25
Sum of even numbers: 30
PS E:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2>

```

Task 2: Area Calculation Explanation

❖ Scenario:

You are onboarding a junior developer.

❖ Task:

Ask Gemini to explain a function that calculates the area of different shapes.

❖ Expected Output:

➤ Code

➤ Explanation

The screenshot shows the Gemini Code Assist interface. At the top, there's a navigation bar with File, Edit, Selection, View, Go, Run, Terminal, Help, and a search bar. Below the navigation bar, a message says "Restricted Mode is intended for safe code browsing. Trust this window to enable all features." There's a "Manage" button and a "Learn More" link. The main area has a dark theme with light-colored code. On the left, there's a sidebar with icons for file operations like Open, Save, and Print. A "Preview Channel" section displays the text "Hello, Sai" and "How can Gemini help?". The code editor shows a Python script named "assign-2(2303A51118).copilot.py" with the following content:

```
p_cvg1gvanjpm > LocalState > sessions > C0976C9093CAF1FB4390F7A26394FAB8F6DC99C > transfers > 2026-02 > assign-2(2303A51118).copilot.py > ...
1 def reverse_string_functional(text):
2     """
3         Reverses the input string and returns it.
4     """
5     reversed_text = ""
6     for char in text:
7         reversed_text = char + reversed_text
8     return reversed_text
9
10 # Testing the function
11 input_str = input("Enter text: ")
12 result = reverse_string_functional(input_str)
13 print(f"Result: {result}")
```

This screenshot shows the Gemini Code Assist interface again. The top navigation bar and sidebar are similar. The main code editor area shows a Python script named "task2.py" with the following content:

```
For 'rectangle', expects 'length' and 'width'.
For 'circle', expects 'radius'.
For 'triangle', expects 'base' and 'height'.

Returns:
    float: The calculated area of the shape
    str: An error message if the shape is not supported or dimensions are missing.

...
if shape == "rectangle":
    if "length" in kwargs and "width" in kwargs:
        return kwargs["length"] * kwargs["width"]
    else:
        return "Error: Missing length or width for rectangle."
elif shape == "circle":
    if "radius" in kwargs:
        return math.pi * (kwargs["radius"] ** 2)
    else:
        return "Error: Missing radius for circle."
elif shape == "triangle":
    if "base" in kwargs and "height" in kwargs:
        return 0.5 * kwargs["base"] * kwargs["height"]
    else:
        return "Error: Missing base or height for triangle."
else:
    return "Error: Unsupported shape."

# Example usage
rectangle_area = calculate_area("rectangle", length=10, width=5)
print(f"The area of the rectangle is: {rectangle_area}")

circle_area = calculate_area("circle", radius=5)
print(f"The area of the circle is: {circle_area}")

triangle_area = calculate_area("triangle", base=6, height=4)
print(f"The area of the triangle is: {triangle_area}")

# Example of an error
square_area = calculate_area("square", side=5)
print(f"The area of the square is: {square_area}")
```

A warning message in the top right corner says: "The set project ID (double-equator-c2lb2) was invalid, or the current account lacks permission to view it." Below the code editor, there are buttons for "Reject", "Accept", and "Edit". The status bar at the bottom shows "Generated by Gemini gpt-3.5-pro".

The screenshot shows a code editor interface with two tabs: 'task2.py' and 'task2.py ~'. The code in 'task2.py' is as follows:

```

1  #!/usr/bin/python
2
3  # GEMINI CODE ASSIST-DRAFT
4
5  print("The area of the rectangle is: (rectangle_area)")
6
7  circle_area = calculate_area("circle", radius=5)
8  print("The area of the circle is: (circle_area)")
9
10 triangle_area = calculate_area("triangle", base=8, height=4)
11 print("The area of the triangle is: (triangle_area)")
12
13 # Example of an error
14 square_area = calculate_area("square", side=5)
15 print("The area of the square is: (square_area)")
16
17
18 Explanation
19
20 This Python script defines a single function calculate_area that is designed to be a flexible tool for finding the area of several different geometric shapes.
21
22 Function Definition:
23
24     def calculate_area(shape, **kwargs):
25         """A function that calculates the area of a shape based on its type and dimensions.
26
27         Args:
28             shape (str): The name of the shape (e.g., 'rectangle', 'circle', 'triangle').
29             **kwargs: A dictionary of keyword arguments representing dimensions.
30
31             - For 'rectangle', expects 'length' and 'width'.
32             - For 'circle', expects 'radius'.
33             - For 'triangle', expects 'base' and 'height'.
34
35         Returns:
36             float: The calculated area of the shape.
37             str: An error message if the shape is not supported or dimensions are missing.
38
39         If shape == "rectangle":
40             if "length" in kwargs and "width" in kwargs:
41                 return kwargs["length"] * kwargs["width"]
42             else:
43                 return "Error: Missing length or width for rectangle."
44
45         elif shape == "circle":
46             if "radius" in kwargs:
47                 return math.pi * (kwargs["radius"] ** 2)
48             else:
49                 return "Error: Missing radius for circle."
50
51         elif shape == "triangle":
52             if "base" in kwargs and "height" in kwargs:
53                 return 0.5 * kwargs["base"] * kwargs["height"]
54             else:
55                 return "Error: Missing base or height for triangle."
56
57         else:
58             return "Error: Unsupported shape."
59
60 # Example Usage:
61 rectangle_area = calculate_area("rectangle", length=10, width=5)
62 print("The area of the rectangle is: (rectangle_area)")
63
64 circle_area = calculate_area("circle", radius=5)
65 print("The area of the circle is: (circle_area)")
66
67 triangle_area = calculate_area("triangle", base=8, height=4)
68 print("The area of the triangle is: (triangle_area)")
69
70 # Example of an error
71 square_area = calculate_area("square", side=5)
72 print("The area of the square is: (square_area)")
73
74
75 Generated by Gemini gemini-2.5-pro
    
```

The terminal below shows the execution of the script:

```

E:\Users\AI-A-coding-v2> task2.py
The area of the rectangle is: 50.0
The area of the circle is: 78.54
The area of the triangle is: 16.0
The area of the square is: Error: Unsupported shape.
    
```

Explanation

This Python script defines a single function `calculate_area` that is designed to be a flexible tool for finding the area of several different geometric shapes.

Function Definition:

```
def calculate_area(shape, **kwargs):
```

This defines a function named `calculate_area` that accepts two arguments:

`shape`: A string that tells the function which shape's area to calculate (e.g., "rectangle").

`**kwargs`: This is a special Python feature that allows the function to accept any number of keyword arguments (like `length=10` or `radius=5`). These arguments are collected into a dictionary named `kwargs`. This makes the function adaptable, as different shapes require different parameters for area calculation.

Conditional Logic:

The function uses `if`, `elif` (else if), and `else` statements to determine which shape has been requested and then performs the correct calculation.

`if shape == "rectangle":`

If the shape is a "rectangle", the code checks if the necessary dimensions, `length` and `width`, are provided in the `kwargs` dictionary.

If they are present, it calculates the area by multiplying length and width.

If they are missing, it returns an error message.

elif shape == "circle":

If the shape is a "circle", it checks for a radius.

If found, it calculates the area using the formula $\pi * r^2$, importing the math module to get an accurate value of math.pi.

If the radius is missing, it returns an error.

elif shape == "triangle":

If the shape is a "triangle", it checks for a base and height.

If they are present, it calculates the area using the formula $0.5 * \text{base} * \text{height}$.

If they are missing, it returns an error.

else:

If the provided shape name does not match any of the supported shapes ("rectangle", "circle", "triangle"), the function returns an "Unsupported shape" error.

Example Usage:

The lines at the end of the script demonstrate how to use the function and print the results for a rectangle, a circle, a triangle, and an unsupported shape to show how the error handling works.

Task 3: Prompt Sensitivity Experiment

❖ **Scenario:**

You are testing how AI responds to different prompts.

❖ **Task:**

Use Cursor AI with different prompts for the same problem and observe code changes.

❖ **Expected Output:**

➤ **Prompt list**

➤ **Code variations**

The screenshot shows the Visual Studio Code interface with the following details:

- Code Editor:** The main window displays a Python file named `task3.py` with the following code:

```
# Write a Python function to reverse an integer.
def reverse(x: int) -> int:
    INT_MAX = 2**31 - 1
    INT_MIN = -2**31
    sign = -1 if x < 0 else 1
    x = abs(x)
    rev = 0
    while x != 0:
        rev = rev * 10 + x % 10
        x //= 10
    rev *= sign
    if rev < INT_MIN or rev > INT_MAX:
        return 0
    return rev
```

- Terminal:** The bottom panel shows a terminal window with the following session history:

```
PS E:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2> & 'c:\Python314\python.exe' 'c:\Users\sprus\cursor\extensions\ms-python-on.debug-2025.18.0-win32-x64\bundle\libs\debug\launcher' '59879' '--' 'e:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2\Assessment2.5\task3.py'
PS E:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2> 9547
# PS E:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2> & 'c:\Python314\python.exe' 'c:\Users\sprus\cursor\extensions\ms-python-on.debug-2025.18.0-win32-x64\bundle\libs\debug\launcher' '62775' '--' 'e:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2\Assessment2.5\task3.py'
# PS E:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2> & 'c:\Python314\python.exe' 'c:\Users\sprus\cursor\extensions\ms-python-on.debug-2025.18.0-win32-x64\bundle\libs\debug\launcher' '62814' '--' 'e:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2\Assessment2.5\task3.py'
# PS E:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2> 8520
# PS E:\sem6\AI-A-coding-v2>
```

task3.2.py - AI-A-coding-v2 - Cursor

```

File Edit Selection View Go Run Terminal Help
task1.py task2.py task3.py task3.2.py task4.py task5.py
Assessment2.5
1 def reverse_integer(x):
2     """
3         Reverse an integer
4         Args:
5             x: An integer to reverse
6         Returns:
7             The reversed integer, or 0 if the reversed integer overflows 32-bit signed integer range
8             (i.e., outside [-2^31, 2^31 - 1] = [-2147483648, 2147483647])
9     """
10    # Handle negative numbers
11    is_negative = x < 0
12    num = abs(x)
13
14    # Reverse the digits
15    reversed_num = 0
16    while num > 0:
17        reversed_num = reversed_num * 10 + num % 10
18        num /= 10
19
20    # Apply sign
21    if is_negative:
22        reversed_num = -reversed_num
23
24    # Check for 32-bit signed integer overflow
25    INT_MIN = -2**31 # -2147483648
26    INT_MAX = 2**31 - 1 # 2147483647
27
28    if reversed_num < INT_MIN or reversed_num > INT_MAX:
29        return 0
30
31    return reversed_num
32
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36
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38
39
39 # __name__ == "__main__":
40 # Test case 1: Positive number
41 print("reverse_integer(123) = (reverse_integer(123))" # Expected: 321
42
43 # Test case 2: Negative number
44 print("reverse_integer(-123) = (reverse_integer(-123))" # Expected: -321
45
46 # Test case 3: Number ending with zero
47 print("reverse_integer(120) = (reverse_integer(120))" # Expected: 21
48
49 # Test case 4: Single digit
50 print("reverse_integer(5) = (reverse_integer(5))" # Expected: 5
51
52 # Test case 5: Zero
53 print("reverse_integer(0) = (reverse_integer(0))" # Expected: 0
54
55 # Test case 6: Overflow case (reversed number exceeds INT_MAX)
56 print("reverse_integer(1534236489) = (reverse_integer(1534236489))" # Expected: 0 (overflow)
57
58 # Test case 7: Overflow case (reversed number exceeds INT_MIN)
59 print("reverse_integer(-2147483648) = (reverse_integer(-2147483648))" # Expected: 0 (overflow)

```

Upgrade to Pro

Integer reversal with overflow handling

Writing a Python function to reverse an integer with 32-bit signed integer overflow handling.

Checking the current file for context.

Read task3.2.py

Writing a function to reverse an integer with 32-bit signed integer overflow handling.

Edit Illegal value for maxlen

Reading the file size?

Read task3.2.py

Improving overflow handling checking during reversal to prevent intermediate values from exceeding 32-bit bounds

Edit Illegal value for maxlen

Reversing the file with improved overflow handling

Edit Illegal value for maxlen

Checking the file and trying a different approach

Read task3.2.py

Improving overflow handling by checking during reversal instead of after

Edit Illegal value for maxlen

Testing the current implementation:

Run command: cd python
cd "e:\sem2\AI-A-coding-v2\Assessment2.5" & python task3.2.py

Use AllowSet + Run

Problems Output Debug Console Terminal Ports
PowerShell Extension (2025.4.0)
Copyright (c) Microsoft Corporation.
https://www.microsoft.com/powershell
Type "help" to get help.

PS E:\sem2\AI-A-coding-v2

Cursor Tab

1 file
Plan, @ for context, / for commands
(cd Agent Auto -x
Cursor Tab
Un 56 Col 103 Spaces: 4 UTF-8 CRLF Python Python 3.14 (64-bit) Go Live

task3.2.py - AI-A-coding-v2 - Cursor

```

File Edit Selection View Go Run Terminal Help
task1.py task2.py task3.py task3.2.py task4.py task5.py
Assessment2.5
1 # Write a Python function to reverse an integer with 32-bit signed integer overflow handling.
2
3 def reverse_integer(x):
4     """
5         Reverse an integer with 32-bit signed integer overflow handling.
6         Args:
7             x: An integer to reverse
8         Returns:
9             The reversed integer, or 0 if the reversed integer overflows 32-bit signed integer range
10            (i.e., outside [-2^31, 2^31 - 1] = [-2147483648, 2147483647])
11
12    # Handle negative numbers
13    is_negative = x < 0
14    num = abs(x)
15
16    # Reverse the digits
17    reversed_num = 0
18    while num > 0:
19        reversed_num = reversed_num * 10 + num % 10
20        num /= 10
21
22    # Apply sign
23    if is_negative:
24        reversed_num = -reversed_num
25
26    # Check for 32-bit signed integer overflow
27    INT_MIN = -2**31 # -2147483648
28    INT_MAX = 2**31 - 1 # 2147483647
29
30    if reversed_num < INT_MIN or reversed_num > INT_MAX:
31        return 0
32
33    return reversed_num
34
35
36
37
38
39
39 # __name__ == "__main__":
40 # Test case 1: Positive number
41 print("reverse_integer(123) = (reverse_integer(123))" # Expected: 321
42
43 # Test case 2: Negative number
44 print("reverse_integer(-123) = (reverse_integer(-123))" # Expected: -321
45
46 # Test case 3: Number ending with zero
47 print("reverse_integer(120) = (reverse_integer(120))" # Expected: 21
48
49 # Test case 4: Single digit
50 print("reverse_integer(5) = (reverse_integer(5))" # Expected: 5
51
52 # Test case 5: Zero
53 print("reverse_integer(0) = (reverse_integer(0))" # Expected: 0
54
55 # Test case 6: Overflow case (reversed number exceeds INT_MAX)
56 print("reverse_integer(1534236489) = (reverse_integer(1534236489))" # Expected: 0 (overflow)
57
58 # Test case 7: Overflow case (reversed number exceeds INT_MIN)
59 print("reverse_integer(-2147483648) = (reverse_integer(-2147483648))" # Expected: 0 (overflow)

```

Upgrade to Pro

Integer reversal with overflow handling

Writing a Python function to reverse an integer with 32-bit signed integer overflow handling.

Read task3.2.py

Improving overflow handling by checking during reversal instead of after

Edit Illegal value for maxlen

Testing the current implementation:

Ran command: cd python
cd "e:\sem2\AI-A-coding-v2\Assessment2.5" & python task3.2.py

At C:\Users\prince\AppData\Local\Temp\py-script-#f1c1bb-f70a-4912-aed7-7d7aaec82118.ps
1:7 char:43
+ cd "e:\sem2\AI-A-coding-v2\Assessment2.5" & python task3.2.py
+
The token 'cd' is not a valid statement separator in this version.
+ + CategoryInfo : ParserError: (:) [], ParentContainsErrorRecordException
+ FullyQualifiedErrorId : InvalidStatementEnd

Failing the PowerShell command:

Ran command: cd python
cd "e:\sem2\AI-A-coding-v2\Assessment2.5"; python task3.2.py

reverse_integer(123) = 321
reverse_integer(-123) = -321
reverse_integer(120) = 21
reverse_integer(5) = 5
reverse_integer(0) = 0
reverse_integer(1534236489) = 0
reverse_integer(-2147483648) = 0

Use AllowSet + Run

The function is implemented and working. It:
1. Reverses an integer by extracting digits and building the reversed number
2. Handles negative numbers by preserving the sign
3. Checks for 32-bit signed integer overflow — returns 0 if the reversed number is outside [-2,147,483,648, 2,147,483,647]

Test cases:
• 123 → 321
• -123 → -321
• 120 → 21 (trailing zeros removed)
• 5 → 5
• 1534236489 → 0 (overflow)
• -2147483648 → 0 (overflow)

The function correctly handles edge cases and overflow. The implementation checks bounds after reversal, which works since Python integers are unbounded and we only need to validate the final result against 32-bit limits.

Would you like me to optimize it to check for overflow during reversal, or is the current implementation sufficient?

1 file
Plan, @ for context, / for commands
(cd Agent Auto -x
Cursor Tab
Un 56 Col 103 Spaces: 4 UTF-8 CRLF Python Python 3.14 (64-bit) Go Live

The screenshot shows a code editor with several tabs open, all titled "task3.py - AI-A-coding-v2 - Cursor". The main pane displays the following Python code:

```
# Write an optimized Python solution for reversing an integer with strict overflow checks for coding interviews.

Assessment05.3 ? task3.py F
Assessment2.5 * task3.2.py U
task3.py U
task3.2.py U
task3.2.2.py U
task3.2.3.py U
task3.py U

# Write an optimized Python solution for reversing an integer with strict 32-bit signed integer overflow handling.

def reverse_integer(x):
    """
    Optimized solution to reverse an integer with strict 32-bit signed integer overflow handling.

    Time Complexity: O(log(n)) - where n is the input number
    Space Complexity: O(1) - constant extra space
    """

    Args:
        x: An Integer to reverse

    Returns:
        The reversed integer, or 0 if the reversed integer overflows 32-bit signed integer range
        (i.e., -2^31, 2^32 - 1] = [-2147483648, 2147483647]

    # 32-bit signed integer bounds
    INT_MIN = -2**31
    INT_MAX = 2**31 - 1

    result = 0

    while x != 0:
        digit = x % 10
        x = x // 10

        # Strict overflow check BEFORE multiplication
        # Check if result * 10 + digit would overflow
        if result > INT_MAX // 10 or (result == INT_MAX // 10 and digit > INT_MAX % 10):
            return 0

        # For positive overflow: result * 10 + digit < INT_MIN
        # Rearranges result // (INT_MAX // digit) * 10
        if result < INT_MIN // 10 or (result == INT_MIN // 10 and digit < INT_MIN % 10):
            return 0

        # Safe to perform the operation
        result = result * 10 + digit

    return result

# Alternative optimized version (more Pythonic and cleaner)
def reverse_integer_2(x):
    """
    Alternative optimized solution - cleaner approach handling
    Time Complexity: O(log(n))
    """

    # Write an optimized solution for reversing an integer with strict 32-bit signed integer overflow handling.

    def reverse_integer(x):
        """
        Optimized solution to reverse an integer with strict 32-bit signed integer overflow handling.

        Time Complexity: O(log(n)) - where n is the input number
        Space Complexity: O(1) - constant extra space
        """

        Args:
            x: An Integer to reverse

        Returns:
            The reversed integer, or 0 if the reversed integer overflows 32-bit signed integer range
            (i.e., -2^31, 2^32 - 1] = [-2147483648, 2147483647]

        # 32-bit signed integer bounds
        INT_MIN = -2**31
        INT_MAX = 2**31 - 1

        result = 0

        while x != 0:
            digit = x % 10
            x = x // 10

            # Strict overflow check BEFORE multiplication
            # Check if result * 10 + digit would overflow
            if result > INT_MAX // 10 or (result == INT_MAX // 10 and digit > INT_MAX % 10):
                return 0

            # For negative overflow: result * 10 + digit < INT_MIN
            # Rearranges result // (INT_MAX // digit) * 10
            if result < INT_MIN // 10 or (result == INT_MIN // 10 and digit < INT_MIN % 10):
                return 0

            # Safe to perform the operation
            result = result * 10 + digit

        return result
```

Task 4: Tool Comparison Reflection

❖ Scenario:

You must recommend an AI coding tool.

◆ Task:

Based on your work in this topic, compare Gemini, Copilot, and Cursor AI for usability and code quality.

❖ **Expected Output:**

Short written reflection

Based on my experience using Gemini, GitHub Copilot, and Cursor AI during this topic, I observed clear differences in both usability and code quality.

Gemini is useful for understanding concepts and generating explanations, but it often produces generic code unless very strict constraints are provided. It is better suited for learning and problem understanding rather than competitive or production-level coding.

GitHub Copilot integrates smoothly with IDEs like VS Code and provides fast, context-aware code suggestions. However, its outputs sometimes assume the developer will handle edge cases, so overflow handling and constraints may be missed unless explicitly guided.

Cursor AI provided the best balance of usability and code quality. It allows direct interaction with the codebase, understands existing files, and responds well to detailed prompts. When constraints are clearly mentioned, Cursor AI consistently generated correct, optimized, and readable code, making it ideal for real development and debugging tasks.

Conclusion:

For learning → Gemini

For quick coding assistance → Copilot

For serious development and prompt-based experimentation → Cursor AI