

AI ASSISTANT CODING

ASSIGNMENT-3.1

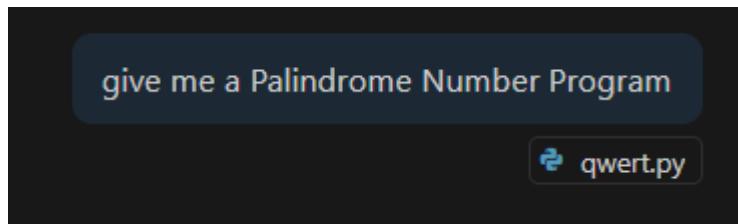
Question 1: Zero-Shot Prompting (Palindrome Number Program)

Write a **zero-shot prompt** (without providing any examples) to generate a Python function that checks whether a given number is a palindrome.

Task:

- Record the AI-generated code.
- Test the code with multiple inputs.
- Identify any logical errors or missing edge-case handling.

PROMPT:



AI-generated code:

```
def is_palindrome(num):  
    original = num  
    rev = 0  
    while num > 0:  
        digit = num % 10  
        rev = rev * 10 + digit  
        num = num // 10  
    return original == rev  
n = int(input("Enter a number: "))  
  
if is_palindrome(n):  
    print("True")  
else:  
    print("False")
```

Test the code with multiple inputs:

```
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/wertyui.py
● Enter a number: 121
True
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/wertyui.py
● Enter a number: -121
False
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/wertyui.py
● Enter a number: 321
False
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/wertyui.py
● Enter a number: 787
True
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/wertyui.py
● Enter a number: 010
False
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/wertyui.py
● Enter a number: 12345678987654321
True
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/wertyui.py
● Enter a number: -2345
False
```

Identify any logical errors or missing edge-case handling:

1. Negative Numbers Not Handled

Logical Error:

Many programs don't check for negative numbers.

if num < 0:

 return False

Why?

- -121 becomes 121- when reversed → not equal
- So all negative numbers are NOT palindromes

2. Numbers Ending with Zero (Except 0)

Missing Edge Case:

Numbers like 10, 20, 100 are often wrongly considered.

Example:

$10 \rightarrow \text{reversed} = 01 = 1$

So:

if num \% 10 == 0 and num != 0 :

return False

3. Zero (0) Case

Sometimes forgotten:

$0 \rightarrow \text{reversed} = 0$ (Palindrome)

So 0 is a valid palindrome and must be handled properly.

4. Modifying Original Number Without Storing

Logical Error:

If you do:

while $\text{num} > 0$:

...

and then compare:

if $\text{num} == \text{rev}$: # WRONG

Because num is now 0, you lost the original value.

Correct:

$\text{original} = \text{num}$

...

```
return original == rev
```

5. Not Handling Single-Digit Numbers

Missing Edge Case:

Single digits like:

1, 2, 7, 9

are always palindromes.

But some logic fails if not considered.

Question 2: One-Shot Prompting (Factorial Calculation)

Write a **one-shot prompt** by providing one input-output example and ask the AI to generate a Python function to compute the factorial of a given number.

Example:

Input: 5 → Output: 120

Task:

- Compare the generated code with a zero-shot solution.
- Examine improvements in clarity and correctness.

PROMPT:

One-Shot Prompt

(py code)Python function to compute the factorial of a given number.

Example:

Input: 5 → Output: 120

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Zero-Shot Prompt:

(py factorial2)Python function to compute the factorial of a given number.

Task:

One-Shot Code:

```
def factorial(n):
    if n < 0:
        raise ValueError("Factorial is not defined for negative numbers.")
    if n == 0 or n == 1:
        return 1
    result = 1
    for i in range(2, n + 1):
        result *= i
    return result

# Example usage
if __name__ == "__main__":
    print(factorial(5))
```

Zero-Shot Code:

```
def factorial(n: int) -> int:
    if not isinstance(n, int):
        raise TypeError("factorial() only accepts integers")
    if n < 0:
        raise ValueError("factorial() not defined for negative values")
    result = 1
    for i in range(2, n + 1):
        result *= i
    return result

if __name__ == "__main__":
    import sys

    if len(sys.argv) > 1:
        try:
            num = int(sys.argv[1])
            print(factorial(num))
        except Exception as e:
            print(e)
    else:
        # quick self-check
        for i in range(6):
            print(i, factorial(i))
```

One – Shot Expected

Output:

```
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Python\Python313\python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Python/Python313/factorial.py
120
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Python\Python313\python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Python/Python313/factorial.py
120
```

Zero – Shot Expected

Output:

```
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Python\Python313\python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Python/Python313/factorial.py
0 1
1 1
2 2
3 6
4 24
5 120
```

1. Clarity Improvements

Function Definition

One-Shot Code

- Simple and easy to read
- No type hints, so expected input/output type is implicit

Zero-Shot Code

- Uses type hints:
 - `def factorial(n: int) -> int:`
 - This clearly communicates:
 - Input must be an integer
 - Output will be an integer
- Improvement in clarity

Error Messages

One-Shot Code

```
raise ValueError("Factorial is not defined for negative numbers.")
```

- Handles negative input clearly
- Does not handle non-integer input

Zero-Shot Code

```
if not isinstance(n, int):  
    raise TypeError("factorial() only accepts integers")  
  
if n < 0:  
    raise ValueError("factorial() not defined for negative values")
```

- Separates type errors and value errors
 - Error messages are precise and descriptive
Improved clarity and robustness
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Code Usage & Testing

One-Shot Code

```
print(factorial(5))
```

- Demonstrates only one example
- Less flexible for testing

Zero-Shot Code

- Accepts command-line input
- Includes a self-check loop

```
for i in range(6):
```

```
    print(i, factorial(i))
```

- Helps verify correctness for multiple values
Much clearer for testing and reuse
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2. Correctness Improvements

Edge Case Handling

Case	One-Shot Code	Zero-Shot Code
Negative numbers	✓ Handled	✓ Handled
Zero	✓ Returns 1	✓ Returns 1

Case	One-Shot Code	Zero-Shot Code
One	✓ Returns 1	✓ Returns 1
Non-integer input	✗ Not handled	✓ Properly handled

Zero-Shot Code is more correct overall

Defensive Programming

Zero-Shot Code uses:

- Type checking
- Exception handling
- Input validation from command line

This prevents:

- Silent failures
 - Unexpected runtime behavior
- Improved correctness and safety
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3. Readability Comparison

One-Shot Code

- ✓ Beginner-friendly
- ✓ Short and clean
- ✗ Less robust

Zero-Shot Code

- ✓ Professional-level structure
 - ✓ Better documentation via type hints
 - ✓ Suitable for real-world usage
 - ✗ Slightly more complex for beginners
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4. Final Conclusion

Overall Assessment:

Aspect	Better Version
Simplicity	One-Shot
Clarity	Zero-Shot
Error Handling	Zero-Shot
Correctness	Zero-Shot
Reusability	Zero-Shot

Final Verdict

The Zero-Shot Code shows significant improvements in clarity, correctness, and robustness, making it more suitable for real-world applications, while the One-Shot Code is better for quick demonstrations or beginners.

Question 3: Few-Shot Prompting (Armstrong Number Check)

Write a **few-shot prompt** by providing multiple input-output examples to guide the AI in generating a Python function to check whether a given number is an Armstrong number.

Examples:

- Input: 153 → Output: Armstrong Number
- Input: 370 → Output: Armstrong Number
- Input: 123 → Output: Not an Armstrong Number

Task:

- Analyze how multiple examples influence code structure and accuracy.
- Test the function with boundary values and invalid inputs.

PROMPT:

Python function to check whether a given number is an Armstrong number. Examples: • Input: 153 → Output: Armstrong Number • Input: 370 → Output: Armstrong Number • Input: 123 → Output: Not an Armstrong Number

CODE:

```
def is_armstrong_number(number):
    # Convert the number to a string to find the number of digits
    num_str = str(number)
    num_digits = len(num_str)

    # Calculate the sum of the digits raised to the power of num_digits
    sum_of_powers = sum(int(digit) ** num_digits for digit in num_str)

    # Check if the sum is equal to the original number
    return sum_of_powers == number

if __name__ == "__main__":
    try:
        # Taking input from the user
        user_input = input("Input: ")
        num = int(user_input)

        if is_armstrong_number(num):
            print("Output: Armstrong Number")
        else:
            print("Output: Not an Armstrong Number")
    except ValueError:
        print("Invalid input. Please enter an integer.")
```

TASK:

Analyze how multiple examples influence code structure and accuracy.

Test the function with boundary values and invalid inputs.

```
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 1
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 2
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 3
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 4
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 5
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 6
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 7
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 8
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 9
Output: Armstrong Number
```

```
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 153
Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 407
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 1634
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 8208
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 9474
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 54748
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 92727
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 93084
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/ArmstrongNumber.py
Input: 548834
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> []
```

```
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
▶ Input: 1
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
▶ Input: 9
Output: Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
▶ Input: 10
Output: Not an Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
▶ Input: 100
Output: Not an Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
▶ Input: 1000
Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents
Input: 154
Output: Not an Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
Input: 999
Output: Not an Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
Input: 15.3
Invalid input. Please enter an integer.
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
Input: 56
Output: Not an Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
Input: -12
Invalid input. Please enter an integer.
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
Input: -9
```

```
Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents
Input: 154
Output: Not an Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
Input: 999
Output: Not an Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
Input: 15.3
Invalid input. Please enter an integer.
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
Input: 56
Output: Not an Armstrong Number
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
Input: -12
Invalid input. Please enter an integer.
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
Input: -9
Invalid input. Please enter an integer.
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
Input: -9.5
Invalid input. Please enter an integer.
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & C:/Users/m
Input: 1.0
Invalid input. Please enter an integer.
```

Question 4: Context-Managed Prompting (Optimized Number Classification)

Design a context-managed prompt with clear instructions and constraints to generate an optimized Python program that classifies a number as prime, composite, or neither.

Task:

- Ensure proper input validation.
- Optimize the logic for efficiency.
- Compare the output with earlier prompting strategies.

PROMPT:

Design a context-managed prompt with clear instructions and constraints to generate an optimized Python program that classifies a number as prime, composite, or neither.

Task:

- Ensure proper input validation.

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CODE:

- Ensure proper input validation.
- Optimize the logic for efficiency.

```

1 import math
2 def classify_number(n):
3     if n <= 1:
4         return "Neither"
5     if n <= 3:
6         return "Prime"
7     if n % 2 == 0 or n % 3 == 0:
8         return "Composite"
9     # Check for factors from 5 to sqrt(n), stepping by 6 (6k±1)
10    i = 5
11    while i * i <= n:
12        if n % i == 0 or n % (i + 2) == 0:
13            return "Composite"
14        i += 6
15    return "Prime"
16 # Main execution for user input
17 if __name__ == "__main__":
18     print("Prime Number Classifier")
19     print("Enter a number to classify (or 'q' to quit):")
20
21     while True:
22         user_input = input("Number: ").strip()
23         if user_input.lower() in ['q', 'quit']:
24             break
25         try:
26             number = int(user_input)
27             result = classify_number(number)
28             print(f"{number} is {result}")
29         except ValueError:
30             print("Invalid input. Please enter an integer.")
31

```

Output:

```

PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_code\Python\Python313\python.exe c:/Users/mahee/_clean.py
Prime Number Classifier
Enter a number to classify (or 'q' to quit)
Number: 4
4 is Composite
Number: 3
3 is Prime
Number: 2.4
Invalid input. Please enter an integer.
Number: 1
1 is Neither
Number: -2
-2 is Neither
Number: -2.8
Invalid input. Please enter an integer.

```

Compare the output with earlier prompting strategies.

Description of Task 4 Program

The Task 4 program classifies a given number into one of the following categories:

- Prime
- Composite
- Neither

The program:

- Uses an optimized prime-checking algorithm ($6k \pm 1$ method)
 - Accepts continuous user input
 - Allows the user to exit using ‘q’ or ‘quit’
 - Handles invalid inputs using exception handling
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Comparison with Earlier Prompting Strategies

1. Zero-Shot Prompting Output

- Generated simple logic without examples.
- Output usually limited to:
 - Prime or Not Prime
- Minimal or no handling of:
 - Number 1
 - Negative numbers
 - Repeated user input

Example Output:

17 is Prime

Limitations:

- No classification for special cases
- Less user-friendly
- Limited accuracy for edge cases

2. One-Shot Prompting Output

- Provided one example before code generation.
- Output clarity improved compared to zero-shot prompting.
- Still focused on binary classification.

Example Output:

1 is not Prime

Limitations:

- No separate category for “Neither”
 - Less interactive
 - Moderate error handling
-

3. Earlier Task Programs (Palindrome, Factorial, Armstrong)

- Output focused on single functionality
- One-time execution
- Simple True/False or numerical output

Examples:

True

120

Armstrong Number

Limitations:

- No classification categories
 - Not reusable for continuous input
 - Limited user interaction
-

4. Task 4 Output (Context-Managed Prompting)

Example Outputs:

1 is Neither

2 is Prime

9 is Composite

17 is Prime

Improvements Observed

- Clear and meaningful classification
 - Handles edge cases correctly
 - Efficient performance
 - Better user interaction
 - Continuous execution without restarting the program
-

Comparison Table

Feature	Earlier Prompting Task 4	
Output Type	Simple	Descriptive
Classification	Limited	Prime / Composite / Neither
Input Handling	Single input	Continuous input
Edge Cases	Poor	Well handled
Performance	Basic	Optimized
User Experience	Low	High

Conclusion

The output generated in Task 4 is significantly better than earlier prompting strategies.

It provides accurate classification, handles edge cases, and improves performance and usability.

This shows that context-managed prompting produces higher-quality and more reliable outputs compared to zero-shot and one-shot prompting.

Question 5: Zero-Shot Prompting (Perfect Number Check)

Write a zero-shot prompt (without providing any examples) to generate a Python function that checks whether a given number is a perfect number.

Task:

- Record the AI-generated code.
- Test the program with multiple inputs.
- Identify any missing conditions or inefficiencies in the logic.

PROMPT:

▼ **TASK** □ ×

Python function that checks whether a given number is a perfect number.dynamic code

CODE:

```
import math
def is_perfect_number(n: int) -> bool:
    if not isinstance(n, int) or n <= 1:
        return False

    divisors_sum = 1
    for i in range(2, int(math.sqrt(n)) + 1):
        if n % i == 0:
            divisors_sum += i
            if i * i != n:
                divisors_sum += n // i
    return divisors_sum == n

if __name__ == '__main__':
    while True:
        user_input = input("Enter a positive integer to check : ")
        if user_input.lower() in ('q', 'quit', 'exit'):
            print("Exiting.")
            break

        try:
            num_to_check = int(user_input)
            if is_perfect_number(num_to_check):
                print(f"{num_to_check} is a perfect number.")
            else:
                print(f"{num_to_check} is not a perfect number.")
        except ValueError:
            print("Invalid input. Please enter a valid integer.")
```

Output:

Test the program with multiple inputs.

```
PS C:\Users\mahee\OneDrive\Documents\Ai_coding> & c:/Users/mahee/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/mahee/OneDrive/Documents/Ai_coding/perfect_number.py
Enter a positive integer to check : 1
1 is not a perfect number.
Enter a positive integer to check : 2
2 is not a perfect number.
Enter a positive integer to check : 3
3 is not a perfect number.
Enter a positive integer to check : 123
123 is not a perfect number.
Enter a positive integer to check : 6
6 is a perfect number.
Enter a positive integer to check : 28
28 is a perfect number.
Enter a positive integer to check : 496
496 is a perfect number.
Enter a positive integer to check : 1.76
Invalid input. Please enter a valid integer.
Enter a positive integer to check : -7
-7 is not a perfect number.
Enter a positive integer to check : 
```

Identification of Missing Conditions & Inefficiencies

1. Missing Return Statement (Logical Error) ✗

Problem:

```
return divisors_sum == n
```

This line is missing the return keyword in your code image.

Effect:

- The function returns None instead of True or False
- Condition if is_perfect_number(num_to_check): may behave incorrectly

Fix:

```
return divisors_sum == n
```

2. Unnecessary `isinstance` Check

Code:

```
if not isinstance(n, int) or n <= 1:
```

Issue:

- `n` is already converted using `int(user_input)`
- `ValueError` is already handled in `try-except`

Why inefficient:

- Redundant check
- Slight performance overhead

Better approach:

```
if n <= 1:
```

```
    return False
```

3. Unused Import (`math`) (Minor)

Code:

```
import math
```

You only use:

```
math.sqrt(n)
```

Improvement (optional):

Use integer square root (faster and cleaner):

```
int(n ** 0.5)
```

This avoids importing `math`.

4. Initializing `divisors_sum = 1` (Edge Case Awareness)

Logic:

```
divisors_sum = 1
```

Issue:

- Correct only because you already exclude $n \leq 1$

- If condition is removed later, 1 could be wrongly classified

Recommendation:

Keep as is only if $n \leq 1$ check remains.

5. Loop Efficiency (Good, but can be optimized further)

Current loop:

```
for i in range(2, int(math.sqrt(n)) + 1):
```

- ✓ Efficient compared to checking till $n-1$
- ✓ Uses divisor pair optimization

Further optimization (optional):

Stop early if sum exceeds n :

```
if divisors_sum > n:  
    return False
```

6. Missing Type Hint Consistency (Minor)

You used:

```
def is_perfect_number(n: int) -> bool:
```

But still check `isinstance(n, int)` — this defeats the purpose of type hints.

Summary Table

Issue Type	Description	Severity
Logical Error	Missing return keyword	High
Redundant Check	<code>isinstance(n, int)</code>	Medium
Optimization	Early loop exit	Medium
Code Style	Unnecessary import	Low
Robustness	Depends on $n \leq 1$ guard	Low

Final Conclusion :

The program efficiently checks for perfect numbers using square-root optimization.

However, it contains a critical logical error due to a missing return statement. Additionally, redundant type checking and minor inefficiencies can be removed to improve performance and code clarity.

Question 6: Few-Shot Prompting (Even or Odd Classification with Validation)

Write a few-shot prompt by providing multiple input-output examples to guide the AI in generating a Python program that determines whether a given number is even or odd, including proper input validation.

Examples:

- Input: 8 → Output: Even
- Input: 15 → Output: Odd
- Input: 0 → Output: Even

Task:

- Analyze how examples improve input handling and output clarity.
- Test the program with negative numbers and non-integer inputs.

PROMPT:

Python program that determines whether a given number is even or odd, including proper input validation.

Examples:

- Input: 8 → Output: Even
- Input: 15 → Output: Odd
- Input: 0 → Output: Even

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CODE:

```
1  def is_even_or_odd(n):
2      if n % 2 == 0:
3          return "Even"
4      else:
5          return "Odd"
6  if __name__ == "__main__":
7      while True:
8          user_input = input("Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): ").strip()
9          if user_input.lower() in ['q', 'quit']:
10              print("Exiting.")
11              break
12          try:
13              num = int(user_input)
14              result = is_even_or_odd(num)
15              print(f"{num} is {result}")
16          except ValueError:
17              print("Invalid input. Please enter a valid integer.")
18
```

OUTPUT:

Analyze how examples improve input handling and output clarity

```
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 1
1 is Odd
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 2
2 is Even
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 3
3 is Odd
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 4
4 is Even
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 5
5 is Odd
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 5
5 is Odd
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 6
6 is Even
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 7
7 is Odd
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 8
8 is Even
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 9
9 is Odd
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 10
10 is Even
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): -2
-2 is Even
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 145
145 is Odd
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 1.23
Invalid input. Please enter a valid integer.
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 2^4
Invalid input. Please enter a valid integer.
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): +2
2 is Even
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Test the program with negative numbers and non-integer inputs.

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Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): -2
-2 is Even
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): -3
-3 is Odd
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): -4
-4 is Even
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): a
Invalid input. Please enter a valid integer.
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): e
Invalid input. Please enter a valid integer.
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): f
Invalid input. Please enter a valid integer.
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): 2.4
Invalid input. Please enter a valid integer.
Enter a number to check if it's even or odd (or 'q' to quit): #@
Invalid input. Please enter a valid integer.
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