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BATCH 43

WEEK 9.4

### TASK 1: Auto-Generating Function Documentation in a Shared Codebase

**CODE:**

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week9.4.py > ...
1  def add(a, b):
2      """
3          Adds two numbers and returns the result.
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5          Args:
6              a (int | float): The first number.
7              b (int | float): The second number.
8
9          Returns:
10             int | float: The sum of a and b.
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12         Example:
13             >>> add(5, 3)
14             8
15             ***
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17         return a + b
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20     def subtract(a, b):
21         """
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23         Subtracts the second number from the first number.
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week9.4.py > ...
19  def subtract(a, b):
20      """
21          Args:
22              a (int | float): The number to subtract from.
23              b (int | float): The number to subtract.
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25          Returns:
26              int | float: The difference between a and b.
27
28          Example:
29              >>> subtract(10, 4)
30              6
31              ***
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33         return a - b
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37     def multiply(a, b):
38         """
39
40         Multiplies two numbers.
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42         Args:
43             a (int | float): The first number,
44             b (int | float): The second number.
45
46         Returns:
47             int | float: The product of a and b.
48
49         Example:
50             >>> multiply(6, 7)
51             42
52             ***
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54 def divide(a, b):
55     """
56     Divides the first number by the second number.
57
58     Args:
59         a (int | float): The numerator.
60         b (int | float): The denominator.
61
62     Returns:
63         float: The result of division.
64
65     Raises:
66         ValueError: if b is zero.
67
68     Example:
69         >>> divide(10, 2)
70         5.0
71     """
72
73     if b == 0:
74         raise ValueError("Cannot divide by zero.")
75     return a / b
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78 def is_even(number):
79     """
80     Checks whether a number is even.
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82     Args:
83         number (int): The number to check.
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78     def is_even(number):
79         """
80             Returns:
81                 bool: True if the number is even, False otherwise.
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83             Example:
84                 >>> is_even(4)
85                 True
86             """
87         return number % 2 == 0
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113         raise ValueError("Factorial is not defined for negative numbers.")
114     result = 1
115     for i in range(1, n + 1):
116         result *= i
117     return result
118 print(add(5, 3))      # Output: 8
119 print(subtract(10, 4)) # Output: 6
120 print(multiply(6, 7)) # Output: 42
121
```

## Output:

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Could not find platform independent libraries <prefix>
8
6
42
```

## Summary:

This task demonstrates how AI-assisted tools can be used to automatically generate well-structured Google-style docstrings for an existing Python codebase that lacks documentation. By adding clear function descriptions, parameter types, return values, exceptions, and example usages, the readability and maintainability of the code significantly improve. The experiment with zero-shot and context-based prompting shows that more detailed and guided prompts produce higher-quality documentation. Overall, AI-driven documentation enhances team collaboration, simplifies onboarding for new developers, and ensures consistent documentation standards across the shared codebase.

## TASK 2: Enhancing Readability Through AI-Generated InlineComments

### CODE:

```
120  #=====
121  def fibonacci(n):
122      if n <= 0:
123          return []
124      if n == 1:
125          return [0]
126
127      sequence = [0, 1]
128
129      for i in range(2, n):
130          # Each number is the sum of the previous two numbers
131          sequence.append(sequence[i - 1] + sequence[i - 2])
132
133      return sequence
134
135
136  def binary_search(arr, target):
137      left = 0
138      right = len(arr) - 1
139
140      while left <= right:
141          # Prevents overflow and ensures correct mid calculation
142          mid = left + (right - left) // 2
143
144          if arr[mid] == target:
145              return mid
146
147          elif arr[mid] < target:
148              # Target must be in the right half (array assumed sorted)
149              left = mid + 1
150          else:
151              # Target must be in the left half
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week9.4.py > ...
136 def binary_search(arr, target):
137     # Target must be in the left half
138     right = mid - 1
139
140     return -1
141
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144
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146
147 def bubble_sort(arr):
148     n = len(arr)
149
150     for i in range(n):
151         swapped = False # Tracks whether a swap happened in this pass
152
153         for j in range(0, n - i - 1):
154             # largest element in this pass moves to its correct position at the end
155             if arr[j] > arr[j + 1]:
156                 arr[j], arr[j + 1] = arr[j + 1], arr[j]
157                 swapped = True
158
159             # Optimization: Stop early if the array is already sorted
160             if not swapped:
161                 break
162
163     return arr
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176 if __name__ == "__main__":
177     print("Fibonacci:", fibonacci())
178
179     sorted_list = bubble_sort([64, 34, 25, 12, 22, 11, 90])
180     print("Sorted:", sorted_list)
181
182     print("Index of 25:", binary_search(sorted_list, 25))
```

### Output:

```
Fibonacci: [0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8]
Sorted: [11, 12, 22, 25, 34, 64, 90]
Sorted: [11, 12, 22, 25, 34, 64, 90]
Index of 25: 3
(.venv) PS C:\Users\vikas\Downloads\AI Assist Coding> []
```

### Summary:

This task demonstrates how AI-generated inline comments can significantly improve code readability without overwhelming the script with unnecessary explanations. By adding concise comments only to complex or non-obvious logic—such as optimization strategies, algorithmic decisions, and boundary handling—the clarity of the program is enhanced while maintaining clean structure. The resulting code is easier to understand, debug, and maintain, making it more accessible for future developers working in a shared codebase.

## TASK 3: Generating Module-Level Documentation for a Python Package

Code:

```
186 """
187 student_utils.py
188
189 This module provides utility classes and functions for managing
190 student academic records. It includes functionality for storing
191 student data, calculating averages, assigning grades, and managing
192 multiple student records.
193
194 Dependencies:
195 - No external libraries required (built-in Python only)
196
197 Key Components:
198 - Student: Represents an individual student and their marks.
199 - StudentManager: Manages a collection of Student objects.
200 - calculate_grade(): Determines grade based on average score.
201
202 Example:
203 >>> from student_utils import Student, StudentManager
204 >>> s = Student("Vikas", 101, [85, 90, 88])
205 >>> s.calculate_average()
206 87.67
207 >>> manager = StudentManager()
208 >>> manager.add_student(s)
209
210 """
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211 class Student:
212     def __init__(self, name, roll_number, marks=None):
213         self.name = name
214         self.roll_number = roll_number
215         self.marks = marks if marks else []
216
217     def calculate_average(self):
218         if not self.marks:
219             return 0.0
220         return sum(self.marks) / len(self.marks)
221
222     def calculate_grade(self):
223         if avg >= 90:
224             return "A"
225         elif avg >= 80:
226             return "B"
227         elif avg >= 70:
228             return "C"
229         elif avg >= 60:
230             return "D"
231         return "F"
232
233
234 class StudentManager:
235     def __init__(self):
236         self.students = []
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237
238     def add_student(self, student):
239         self.students.append(student)
240     print("Student Manager initialized.")
241     print("Adding student Vikas with roll number 101 and marks [85, 90, 88].")
242     vikas = Student("Vikas", 101, [85, 90, 88])
243     manager = StudentManager()
244     manager.add_student(vikas)
245     print(f"Student {vikas.name} added with average marks: {vikas.calculate_average():.2f} and grade: {calculate_grade(vikas.calculate_grade())}.")
```

## Output:

```
Student Manager initialized.  
Adding student Vikas with roll number 101 and marks [85, 90, 88].  
Student Vikas added with average marks: 87.67 and grade: B  
(.venv) PS C:\Users\vikas\Downloads\AI Assist Coding> █
```

## Summary:

This task demonstrates how AI can generate a professional module-level docstring that clearly describes the purpose, structure, dependencies, and usage of a Python module. The documentation provides an immediate overview for developers, improving discoverability and usability. Such structured documentation is suitable for real-world repositories and internal team sharing.

## **TASK 4:** Converting Developer Comments into Structured Docstrings

### CODE:

```
259     def factorial(n):  
260         """  
261             Calculate the factorial of a non-negative integer.  
262  
263             Args:  
264                 n (int): A non-negative integer.  
265  
266             Returns:  
267                 int: The factorial of the given number.  
268  
269             Raises:  
270                 ValueError: If n is negative.  
271  
272             Example:  
273                 >>> factorial(5)  
274                 120  
275             """  
276             if n < 0:  
277                 raise ValueError("Negative numbers are not allowed.")  
278  
279             result = 1  
280             for i in range(1, n + 1):  
281                 result *= i  
282  
283             return result  
284  
285
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276
277     def is_prime(num):
278         """
279             Determine whether a number is prime.
280
281         Args:
282             num (int): The number to check.
283
284         Returns:
285             bool: True if the number is prime, False otherwise.
286
287         Example:
288             >>> is_prime(7)
289             True
290         """
291         if num <= 1:
292             return False
293
294         for i in range(2, int(num ** 0.5) + 1):
295             if num % i == 0:
296                 return False
297
298         return True
299     print("Factorial of 5:", factorial(5)) # Output: 120
300     print("Is 7 prime?", is_prime(7))      # Output: True
301 |
```

## Output:

```
Factorial of 5: 120
Is 7 prime? True
(.venv) PS C:\Users\vikas\Downloads\AI Assist Coding>
```

## Summary:

This task shows how AI can convert lengthy inline comments into structured, standardized Google-style docstrings. The result reduces clutter inside function bodies while preserving original intent. The code becomes cleaner, more professional, and consistent across the project, improving maintainability and readability.

## Task5: Mini Automatic Documentation Generator

Code:

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305 import ast
306 import os
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308 def insert_docstrings(file_path):
309     if not os.path.exists(file_path):
310         print(f"Error: File '{file_path}' not found.")
311         return
312
313     with open(file_path, "r") as f:
314         lines = f.readlines()
315
316     tree = ast.parse("\n".join(lines))
317     output_lines = lines[:]
318
319     for node in ast.walk(tree):
320         if isinstance(node, ast.FunctionDef):
321             line_no = node.lineno
322             doc = f"\"\"\""
323             doc += f"\n    {node.name} function.\n\n    Args:\n        TODO: Add parameter descriptions.\n\n    Returns:\n        TODO: Add return description.\n    \"\"\""
324
325             output_lines.insert(line_no, doc)
326
327     new_file = "documented_" + os.path.basename(file_path)
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6     with open(new_file, "w") as f:
7         f.writelines(output_lines)
8
9     print(f"Documentation generated in {new_file}")
10 print("Inserting docstrings into 'week9.4.py'...")
11 insert_docstrings("week9.4.py")
12

```

## Output:

```

Inserting docstrings into 'week9.4.py'...
Documentation generated in documented_week9.4.py
(.venv) PS C:\Users\vikas\Downloads\AI Assist Coding>

```

## Summary:

This task builds a simple internal documentation utility that scans a Python file, detects functions and classes using the `ast` module, and inserts placeholder Google-style docstrings automatically. It helps developers quickly scaffold documentation for new files, encouraging standardized documentation practices while saving time. This approach can be extended into a more advanced internal documentation tool for real-world development teams.