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	Lab 4	Lab 4: Advanced Prompt Engineering – Zero-shot, One-shot, and Few-shot Techniques				
1		Lab Objectives:				
		 To explore and appropriate generation. 	ply different levels	of prompt examples in A	AI-assisted code	

- To understand how zero-shot, one-shot, and few-shot prompting affect AI output quality.
- To evaluate the impact of context richness and example quantity on AI performance.
- To build awareness of prompt strategy effectiveness for different problem types.

Lab Outcomes (LOs):

After completing this lab, students will be able to:

- Use zero-shot prompting to instruct AI with minimal context.
- Use one-shot prompting with a single example to guide AI code generation.
- Apply few-shot prompting using multiple examples to improve AI responses.
- Compare AI outputs across the three prompting strategies.

Task Description#1

 Zero-shot: Prompt AI to write a function that checks whether a given year is a leap year.

Prompt:

```
write a function that checks whether a given year is a
leap
year with taking year input
```

Code:

```
def is_leap_year(year):
    """
    Returns True if the given year is a leap year, False otherwise.
    """
    return (year % 4 == 0 and year % 100 != 0) or (year % 400 == 0)

def check_leap_year():
    year = int(input("Enter a year: "))
    if is_leap_year(year):
        print(f"{year} is a leap year.")
    else:
        print(f"{year} is not a leap year.")
    check_leap_year()
```

Output:

```
Enter a year: 1995

1995 is not a leap year.

PS C:\Users\allur\Desktop\B.Tech\2-1:
Enter a year: 2024

2024 is a leap year.
```

Expected Output#1

AI-generated function with no examples provided

Task Description#2

 One-shot: Give one input-output example to guide AI in writing a function that converts centimeters to inches.

Prompt:

writing a function that converts centimeters to inches. cand call the function and take input and call the function

Code:

```
def cm_to_inches(cm):
    """
    Converts centimeters to inches.
    """
    return cm / 2.54

def convert_cm_to_inches():
    cm = float(input("Enter length in centimeters: "))
    inches = cm_to_inches(cm)
    print(f"{cm} cm is equal to {inches:.2f} inches.")

convert_cm_to_inches()
```

Output:

```
Enter length in centimeters: 59
59.0 cm is equal to 23.23 inches.
PS C:\Users\allur\Desktop\B.Tech\2-1> p
Enter length in centimeters: 546
546.0 cm is equal to 214.96 inches.
```

Expected Output#2

• Function with correct conversion logic

Task Description#3

• Few-shot: Provide 2–3 examples to generate a function that formats full names as "Last, First".

Expected Output#3

· Well-structured function respecting the examples

Prompt:

generate a python code that formats full names as "Last, First" using functions

Code:

```
def format_name(first, last):
    """
    Formats the full name as 'Last, First'.
    """
    return f"{last}, {first}"

def get_and_format_name():
    first = input("Enter first name: ")
    last = input("Enter last name: ")
    formatted = format_name(first, last)
    print(f"Formatted name: {formatted}")

# Example usage
get_and_format_name()
```

Output:

```
Enter first name: allu
Enter last name: kyath
Formatted name: kyath, allu
PS C:\Users\allur\Desktop\B.Tech\
Enter first name: miss
Enter last name: sri
Formatted name: sri, miss
```

Task Description#4

• Compare zero-shot and few-shot prompts for writing a function that counts the number of vowels in a string.

Expected Output#4

• Functional output and comparative reflection

Prompt:

generate a python code that counts the number of vowels in a string using a function

Output:

```
PS C:\Users\allur\Desktop\B.Tech\2-1> python -u "c:\Users\allur\Desktop\B.Tech\2-1> python -u "c:\Users\allur\Desktop\B.Tech\2-1>
```

Task Description#5

 Use few-shot prompting to generate a function that reads a .txt file and returns the number of lines.

Expected Output#5

• Working file-processing function with AI-guided logic

Prompt:

```
generate a python code that creates, inserts textreads a .txt file and returns the number of lines using functions
```

Code:

```
create_and_write_file(filename, text):
   Creates a .txt file and writes the given text to it.
   with open(filename, 'w') as f:
       f.write(text)
def read file and count lines(filename):
   Reads the file and returns the number of lines.
   with open(filename, 'r') as f:
       lines = f.readlines()
   return len(lines)
def file_operations():
   filename = "sample.txt"
   text = input("Enter text to write to the file (use \\n for new lines):\n")
   text = text.replace("\\n", "\n")
   create and write file(filename, text)
   num_lines = read_file_and_count_lines(filename)
   print(f"Number of lines in '{filename}': {num_lines}")
```

Output:

Number of lines in 'sample.txt': 1

Note: Report should be submitted a word document for all tasks in a single document with prompts, comments & code explanation, and output and if required, screenshots

Evaluation Criteria:

Criteria	Max Marks
Zero Shot (Task #1)	0.5
One Shot (Task#2)	0.5
Few Shot (Task#3 & Task #5)	1.0
Comparison (Task#4)	0.5
Total	2.5 Marks