

# AI ASSISTED CODING

LAB 10

## Task 1: Syntax and Error Detection

**Task:** Identify and fix syntax, indentation, and variable errors in the given script

```
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1  def add_numbers(a, b):
2      result = a + b
3      return result
4
5  print(add_numbers(10, 20))
```

### 1. Function Definition Syntax:

The original code was missing a colon (:) at the end of the function definition line. In Python, every function header must end with a colon.

Fixed:

```
def add_numbers(a, b):
```

### 2. Variable Name Typo:

The function tried to return `reslt`, which was a typo. The correct variable name is `result`, which holds the sum of `a` and `b`.

Fixed:

```
return result
```

### 3. Function Call Arguments:

The function call was missing a comma between the two arguments (`10 20`). Arguments in Python must be separated by commas.

Fixed:

```
print(add_numbers(10, 20))
```

With these corrections, the code will run successfully and print the sum of 10 and 20.

## Task 2: Logical and Performance Issue Review

**Task:** Optimize inefficient logic while keeping the result correct.

```
def find_duplicates(nums):  
    seen = set()  
    duplicates = set()  
    for num in nums:  
        if num in seen:  
            duplicates.add(num)  
        else:  
            seen.add(num)  
    return list(duplicates)  
  
numbers = [1,2,3,2,4,5,1,6,1,2]  
print(find_duplicates(numbers))
```

Here's an explanation of the optimized code for finding duplicates:

### 1. Original Logic Issue:

The original code used nested loops to compare every pair of elements, resulting in  $O(n^2)$  time complexity. This is inefficient for large lists.

### 2. Optimized Approach:

- The code now uses two sets: `seen` to track numbers already encountered, and `duplicates` to store numbers that appear more than once.
- As it iterates through the list, if a number is already in `seen`, it's added to `duplicates`. Otherwise, it's added to `seen`.
- This approach ensures each duplicate is only added once and reduces the time complexity to  $O(n)$ .

### 3. Result:

The function returns a list of unique duplicate values, maintaining correctness and improving performance.

## Task 3: Code Refactoring for Readability

**Task:** Refactor messy code into clean, PEP 8–compliant, well-structured code.

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```
1 def factorial(n):  
2     result = 1  
3     for i in range(1, n + 1):  
4         result *= i  
5     return result  
6  
7 print(factorial(5))
```

Here's an explanation of the refactored code:

### 1. Function Naming:

The function is renamed from `c` to `factorial`, making its purpose clear and descriptive.

### 2. Variable Naming:

The variable `x` is renamed to `result` for better readability and clarity.

### 3. PEP 8 Compliance:

- Proper indentation (4 spaces per level).
- Spaces around operators and after commas.
- Function and variable names use lowercase letters and underscores.

### 4. Structure:

The code is organized so that each part is easy to read and understand, following Python's best practices.

This makes the code clean, readable, and maintainable.

## Task 4: Security and Error Handling Enhancement

**Task:** Add security practices and exception handling to the code

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import sqlite3

def get_user_data(user_id):
    try:
        conn = sqlite3.connect("users.db")
        cursor = conn.cursor()
        # Use parameterized query to prevent SQL injection
        query = "SELECT * FROM users WHERE id = ?;"
        cursor.execute(query, (user_id,))
        result = cursor.fetchall()
    except sqlite3.Error as e:
        print(f"Database error: {e}")
        result = []
    except Exception as e:
        print(f"Unexpected error: {e}")
        result = []
    finally:
        if 'conn' in locals():
            conn.close()
    return result

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    user_input = int(input("Enter user ID: "))
    print(get_user_data(user_input))
except ValueError:
    print("Invalid input. Please enter a numeric user ID.")
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Here's an explanation of the improvements made to the code:

**1. SQL Injection Prevention:**

The code now uses a parameterized query ( `?` ) instead of string formatting. This prevents attackers from injecting malicious SQL through user input.

**2. Exception Handling:**

- The function wraps database operations in a `try-except-finally` block.
- It catches `sqlite3.Error` for database-specific issues and a general `Exception` for other errors.
- If an error occurs, it prints a message and returns an empty list.

**3. Resource Management:**

The database connection is closed in the `finally` block to ensure it always closes, even if an error occurs.

**4. Input Validation:**

The code checks if the user input is a valid integer before querying the database. If not, it prints an error message.

These changes make the code more secure, robust, and user-friendly.

## Task 5: Automated Code Review Report Generation

**Task:** Generate a **review report** for this messy code.

```

1  def review_code():
2      report = []
3      report.append("Code Review Report for buggy_code_task5.py\n")
4      report.append("1. Function Naming:\n- The function name 'calc' is generic. Use descriptive names like 'calculate' or 'arithmetic_operation'.\n")
5      report.append("2. Input Validation:\n- No checks for division by zero. This can cause runtime errors.\n")
6      report.append("3. Consistency and Readability:\n- Mixed indentation and inconsistent formatting. Use consistent indentation and spacing.\n")
7      report.append("4. Error Handling:\n- The function prints 'wrong' for invalid operations but does not return a value. Consider raising exceptions")
8      report.append("5. PEP 8 Compliance:\n- Use proper spacing, indentation, and avoid one-liners for better readability.\n")
9      report.append("6. Usage Example:\n- The code does not handle exceptions when dividing by zero.\n")
10     report.append("\nSuggested Improvements:\n")
11     report.append("- Use descriptive function and variable names.\n- Add input validation and exception handling.\n- Follow PEP 8 style guidelines.\n")
12     return "".join(report)
13
14 print(review_code())

```

Here's an explanation of the review report code:

- The function `review_code()` builds a list of comments about the messy code, covering naming, input validation, readability, error handling, and PEP 8 compliance.
- It points out specific issues, such as lack of division by zero checks, inconsistent formatting, and poor error handling.
- The report also suggests improvements: using descriptive names, adding validation and exception handling, following style guidelines, and returning error messages instead of printing.
- The function returns the report as a formatted string, which is printed for easy reading.

This approach helps systematically analyze and improve code quality.