Python Bootcamp

Week 2

Week 2 Objectives

- 1. Conditionals
- 2. Loops
 - a. While
 - b. For
 - c. Break, Continue, Pass

Conditional

Execute a set of statements if a condition is met

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E.g.

if 5 < 4:
    print("5 is smaller than 4)
else:
    print("5 is larger than 4")</pre>
```

Conditional

if... elif... else...

Program checks if the conditional for 'if' is true, then each of the 'elif' conditions. If the above are untrue, the block of statements under 'else' will run

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E.g. a = 4
b = 5

if a > b:
    print("a is larger than b")
elif a == b:
    print("a is equal to b")
else:
    print("a is smaller than b")
```

Truth Table

Expression	Evaluates to	
True and True	True	
True and False	False	
False and True	False	
False and False	False	

Expression	Evaluates to	
True or True	True	
True or False	True	
False or True	True	
False or False	False	

Expression Evaluates to ...

not True False

not False True

Table 2-4: The not Operator's Truth Table

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and or not

Conditions

(Python Logic Conditions)

Same as mathematics

Given that a = 1, b = 2:

Equals	a == b	False
Not Equal	a != b	True
Less than	a < b	True
Greater than	a > b	False
Less than or equal to	a <= b	True
Greater than and equal to	a >= b	False

^{*} Note the double '=' for equals

^{*} When there are 2 symbols for a logic condition, '=' comes last

Exercise

Write a program that takes 2 inputs: num1 and num2. Output the larger number.

If they are the same, output 'same'.

Loops

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print(i)
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1 2 3

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2

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Exercise

Write a program to print numbers 2 to 8 inclusive, using either a while or for loop

End