Sure, here are the **answers only**: 1. a 2. c 3. Serialization 4. d 5. a 6. b 7. c 8. a 9. a 10. c 11. c 12. a 13. c 14. b 15. b 16. d 17. c 18. c 19. EOFError (End Of File Error) occurs when the input() function hits an "end of file" condition (no data is provided) and there's nothing left to read. **Example:** try: while True: data = input() except EOFError:

print("No more input.")

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2 tell(): Returns the current file pointer position.
f = open('sample.txt', 'rb')
              # Move to 5th byte
f.seek(5)
print(f.tell()) # Output: 5
f.close()
21. The flush() method forces the program to write data from the buffer to the file
immediately.
Example:
f = open("file.txt", "w")
f.write("Hello")
f.flush() # Ensures "Hello" is written to disk immediately
f.close()
22.30
23.
Positional Argument
                                            Default Argument
Values assigned based on
                                            Values assigned if not provided by the
                                            caller
position
Example: def add(a, b):
                                            Example: def add(a, b=5):
add(2, 3) \rightarrow a=2, b=3
                                            add(2) \rightarrow a=2, b=5
24. for name in ['Shruthi', 'Priya', 'Pradeep', 'Vaishnav']: # Changed ) to ]
                                        # print name → print(name)
  print(name)
  if name[0] == 'P':
                                         \# = \rightarrow ==
    break
   else:
                                           #" → '
      print('Over')
   print("Done")
```

20. 2 seek(offset, whence=0): Moves the file pointer to a specific position.

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25. Possible outputs:
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print(emp)

except EOFError:

pass

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If BEG=0, END=2 \rightarrow 10@20@
If BEG=1, END=3 \rightarrow 20@30@
If BEG=2, END=4 \rightarrow 30@40@
Max value:(a),(c)
26.
import pickle
def add_record():
  with open('Stu.dat', 'ab') as f:
    rollno = int(input("Enter roll number: "))
     name = input("Enter name: ")
    marks = float(input("Enter marks: "))
     pickle.dump((rollno, name, marks), f)
27.
import pickle
def countrec():
  with open('salary.DAT', 'rb') as f:
    try:
       while True:
         emp = pickle.load(f)
         if emp[2] > 20000:
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28.
def count_lines():
  w, h = 0, 0
  with open("Country.txt", "r") as f:
    for line in f:
       line = line.strip()
      if line.startswith(('W', 'w')):
         w += 1
       elif line.startswith(('H', 'h')):
         h += 1
  print("W or w:", w, "H or h:", h)
29.
def AMCount():
  a_count = m_count = 0
  with open("STORY.TXT", "r") as f:
    for ch in f.read():
      if ch in 'Aa':
         a count += 1
       elif ch in 'Mm':
         m_count += 1
  print("A or a:", a_count, "M or m:", m_count)
30.
def word_vowel_consonant():
  vowels = 'aeiouAEIOU'
  with open("DATA.TXT", "r") as f:
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for line in f:
          for word in line.split():
            v = sum(1 for ch in word if ch in vowels)
            c = sum(1 for ch in word if ch.isalpha() and ch not in vowels)
            print(f"{word} - Vowels: {v}, Consonants: {c}")
   31.a Output:
   New String is: iNdiA%****
   31.b Difference between break and continue:
• break: Exits the loop completely.
   Example:
• for i in range(5):
     if i == 3:
        break
     print(i) # Output: 0 1 2
• continue: Skips the current iteration and continues with the next.
   Example:
 for i in range(5):
     if i == 3:
       continue
     print(i) # Output: 0 1 2 4
   32.a Output:
   Now@44 #11
   Now@33 #22
   Now@44 #55
   Now@11 #44
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32.b Any three rules for naming an identifier in Python:

- 1. Must begin with a letter (A–Z or a–z) or an underscore (_).
- 2. Cannot begin with a digit.
- 3. Cannot use Python keywords or special characters (like @, \$, %).

33.a Output:

banana

nanba

33.b Output:

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{'biscuit': 3, 'cake': 4}

{'jam': 4}

{'box': {'biscuit': 3, 'cake': 4}, 'jars': {'jam': 4}}
```

34.a Difference between readline() and readlines():

- readline(): Reads one line at a time.
 Example:
- f = open("file.txt", "r")
- print(f.readline())
- readlines(): Reads all lines and returns them as a list.
 Example:
- f = open("file.txt", "r")
- print(f.readlines())

34.b Python program to count the word "if":

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count = 0
with open("abc.txt", "r") as f:
  for line in f:
    words = line.lower().split()
    count += words.count("if")
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print("Count of 'if':", count)

35.a Difference between mutable and immutable data types:

• Mutable: Can be changed after creation.

Example: list, dict

- a = [1, 2]; a[0] = 10
- Immutable: Cannot be changed after creation.

Example: int, str, tuple

• a = "hello"; a[0] = "H" → Error

35.b Most appropriate list methods:

- (a) remove(element)
- **(b)** pop(2)
- **(c)** insert(0, element)
- **(d)** extend(other_list)