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Interactive Coding Exercises

Exercise 1 - Paint Area Calculator

Overview

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Instructions

You are painting a wall. The instructions on the paint can says that 1 can of paint can cover 5 square meters of wall. Given a random height and width of wall, calculate how many cans of paint you'll need to buy.

number of cans = (wall height x wall width) \div coverage per can.

e.g. Height = 2, Width = 4, Coverage = 5

number of cans = (2 * 4) / 5

= 1.6

But because you can't buy 0.6 of a can of paint, the result should be rounded up to 2 cans.

IMPORTANT: Notice the name of the function and parameters must match those on line 13 for the code to work.

Example Input

test_h = 3 test_w = 9

Example Output

You'll need 6 cans of paint.

Hint

1. To round up a number:

https://stackoverflow.com/questions/2356501/how-do-you-round-up-a-number-in-python

2. Make sure you name your function/parameters the same as when it's called on the last line of code.

Test Your Code

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Check your code is doing what it is supposed to. When you're happy with your code, click submit to check your solution.

Solution

https://repl.it/@appbrewery/day-8-1-solution

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