

Conditionals

1. In your home directory, create a new folder called *exercise3*
2. Inside *exercise3* make a new file called *conditionals.py*
3. Inside *conditionals.py*, use *random()* make a list of 2 random integers less than 5 and print it
4. Run *conditionals.py* a number of times. Your output should change every time
5. Inside *conditionals.py*, add code to
 - (i) Print statement '*1st element is greater*' if the 1st element of the list is greater than the second,
 - (ii) Print statement '*2nd element is greater*' if the 2nd element of the list is greater than the second
 - (ii) Print sum of the two elements and the statement '*both are equal*', if the two elements are equal to each other
6. Verify that *conditionals.py* is running correctly. How do you know that *conditionals.py* is giving you the correct results?

Functions and Conditionals

1. In a new file *functions.py*, write a function *max3(x)* to return the maximum between 3 numbers extracted from an input string *x* of format: '*number1,number2,number3*'. You can assume that each number will have a maximum length of 2

Example: If your input string is: '12,24,05', *max3('12,24,05')* should return 24

2. In *functions.py*, write another function: *less_than_10(x)* that prints 'Yes' if *x* is less than 10, 'No' if *x* is greater than 10 and 'Maybe' if *x* is equal to 10

3. In *functions.py*, write another function: *compare_type(x, y)* in *functions.py* that returns *True* if *x* and *y* have the same type, else returns *False*

Hint: *type()*, Comparison operator?

4. In a new file *compare.py*, write a function *compare(x, y)* which compares 2 inputs *x* and *y* of the same type. You can assume that both your inputs *x* and *y* are either lists or strings of length 3. The function should
 - a. Print 'invalid input' if *x* and *y* are of different types, or if the length of *x* and *y* is not 3 [Can you use *compare_type()* from *functions.py*]

ELSE for all valid inputs,

- b. Print '*x>y*' if for the same index, all the elements in *x* is greater than *y*.
- c. Print '*x<y*' if for the same index, all the elements in *x* is less than *y*.
- d. Print '*x=y*' if for the same index, all the elements in *x* is equal to *y*.
- e. Print '*x?y*' for all other cases

Hint: nested conditions → if/else inside if/else?

Bonus

1. <http://codingbat.com/python/Warmup-1>