

Week 1: Day 3 - Exercises & Practice

(control-flow, good code lecture)

1. Script takes number and prints out sum of squares of all integers less than that number
 - a. Try with a loop construct
 - b. Try to do this in one line
2. Script that checks if there are lowercase characters in the string, if so, print only these characters
3. Mean calculator function
 - a. Takes in a list of numbers, calculates the mean
4. Inverse case function
 - a. Takes in a string, returns it in inverse case
5. Factorial function
 - a. Takes in a number, calculates the factorial
6. Flavours of mean function
 - a. First write 3 functions that calculate the arithmetic, geometric, and harmonic means
 - b. write a function to unite them and allows you to pick which type of mean you want given an input parameter, set a default too: `def meanpicker(param1, param2 = 'default')`
7. Extension of the FizzBuzz exercise from day 2:
 - a. write a fancier version of FizzBuzz that takes numbers as input and returns sounds based on the numbers that your input is divisible by - for example, an Input of 2: “Whack”, 3: “Zip” 4: “Yow” would print 24 as “WhackZipYow”. The number range can be picked freely.
 - b. before you do this, discuss with your neighbor how you want to structure your code
 - c. properly document this code
 - d. write in a robust manner such that it can handle incorrect input
8. DNA transcription function:
 - a. try to break your own code by giving it wrong input
 - b. then account for this