EECS 1015: LAB #6 – More on Lists, Dictionaries, and Tuples

Assigned: Nov 1, 2021

Due date: Nov 12, 2021 (Friday) [11.59pm Eastern Time]

#Important reminder

1) You must submit your lab via web-submit.

- 2) Please make sure you correctly submit your file (only a single file, please lab6.py).
- 3) Please follow the instructions carefully read the lab carefully to understand everything you need to do.

1. GOALS/OUTCOMES FOR LAB

- To practice using lists, dictionaries, and tuples
- To use for-loops with lists, dictionaries, and tuples
- To practice writing your own code and functions

2. LAB 6 - TASK/INSTRUCTIONS

Task 0: [This will be the same for all labs]: Start your code with comments that include this lab ID, your full name, email address, and student id as follows:

Lab 6

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Section A or B

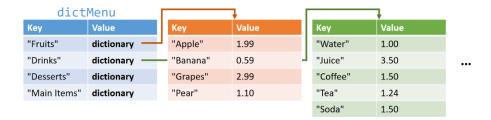
This lab only has two main tasks. You will need to use the start code at this link. Several pre-defined global variables are required. Link to code here: https://trinket.io/python/c68d8b0081

Video for this lab: https://www.eecs.yorku.ca/~mbrown/EECS1015 Lab6.mp4

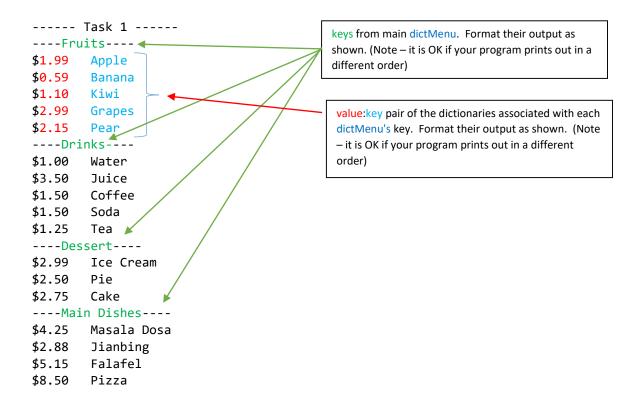
Instructions for each task are given on the following pages.

TASK 1 – Printing dictionary of dictionaries [5 points – dictionary of dictionaries]

In the starting code, there is a dictionary variable dictMenu. This dictionary has keys that are strings. Each string represents a food category on the menu (e.g., "Fruits", "Drinks", .."). The keys of dictMenuhave values that are dictionaries. These associated dictionaries have key: value pairs that represent the item's name as a string and its associated price as a float. See diagram below giving a visual representation of dictMenu.



Task 1 is to print out all the items in the dictMenu in the format shown below (all floats should be formatted with 2 decimal places). This task is not very complicated (only a few lines of code), but you need to think carefully about how the data is organized. Note that it is OK if your order is different than what is shown below:



TASK 2 - Message decoding [5 points - list of lists, using dictionaries]

For task2, you'll use four variables in the starting code: decoder, msg1, msg2, msg3.

The decoder dictionary consists of integer keys that represent codes. The value of each key is a single character string.

The message strings (msg1, msg2, msg3) are lists of lists. Each inner list is a sequence of integers (code) that represents a character in a string. Use the **decoder** dictionary to look up the correct character to convert the list to a string. See diagram below:

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The decoder variable is a dictionary where the key in an integer
                                            (code) and the associated value is a string with a single character.
decoder = { code:'Y', code:'Z', code:'X' }
                               The msg1 variable(s) [there are three in your lab, msg1, msg2, msg3] are lists of lists.
                               Each inner list is a set of code numbers that represent a single
                               character in a string.
msg1 = [ [code, code, code, .., code], ..., [code, code, code .., code] ]
                                         Convert the lists of codes to a string
                                                       decoder
                                                                                   Final string
              [code, code, ..., code]
                                              Use the dictionary to
                                                                                   "String1"
                                              decode the codes into
              [code, code, ..., code]
                                                                                   "StringN"
                                              their associated characters.
Example
decoder = { 80:'H', 14:'o', 101:'e', 93:'l'}
                                   decoded by dictionary
code list
                                                                       final string
[80, 101, 93, 93, 14]
                              -> 'H', 'e', 'l', 'l', 'o'
                                                                          "Hello"
```

Task 2 is to decode all three messages and print them out. In the following, I show the results of decoding messages: msg1, msg2. I'm not showing msg3, so you can find out what it is on your own. Your output needs to have all three strings.

You have complete freedom to implement this task in anyway you want as long as the output is correct. You may introduce your own functions. Before printing each message, print the message ID (i.e., 1, 2, or 3) above it as shown below:

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----- Task 2 -----
                                                   Example for msg1
--- Message 1 ----
                                                   msg1 = [[80, 121, 116, 104, 111, 110],
Python
                                                    [105, 115], [99, 111, 111, 108, 46]]
is
                                                   msg1 variable is a list of 3 lists.
cool.
                                                   Each list is decoded with the help of the decoder
--- Message 2 ----
                                                   dictionary to produce three strings as described
   , - .
(_ 0 _)
                                                   Print each string on its own line to get the final
  / o \
                                                   decoded message.
 (/ /)
--- Message 3 ----
(message 3 not show)
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3. GRADING SCHEME (Maximum number of points possible 10)

To get full marks you need to make sure you follow the instructions correctly. The following will be our grading scheme for the Lab components specified in Section 2 of this document.

Task 0: (0 points, but deduction if you skip this part)

- Filename must be "lab6.py" (all lowercase, no spaces)
- The Python comments at the beginning of your program **must** include your name, email, and York student id (this is important for grading)
- If your file name is incorrect, or you do not put in the required information, we will deduct -5 points (Why are we so harsh? Because if you don't put in your name and student id, it can be very difficult for the TAs to determine whose submission this is.)

Main Task:

- 2 Tasks [-5 points for each that doesn't work properly]
- You can't receive below a 0.
- -No submission 0 points
- -Any submission up to one week after the due date is 50% off the total marks
- -Any submission after one week of the due date will not be marked and treated as no submission.

See pages below on how to submit your lab code.

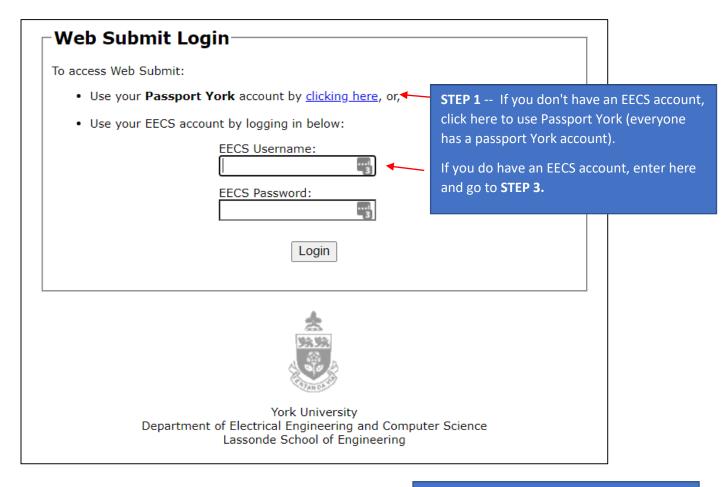
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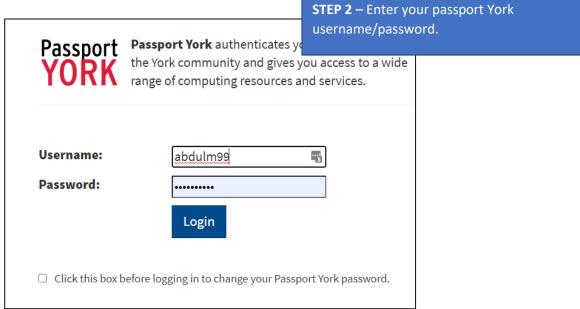
Note, if you use the new experimental testing platform it can perform websubmit for you!

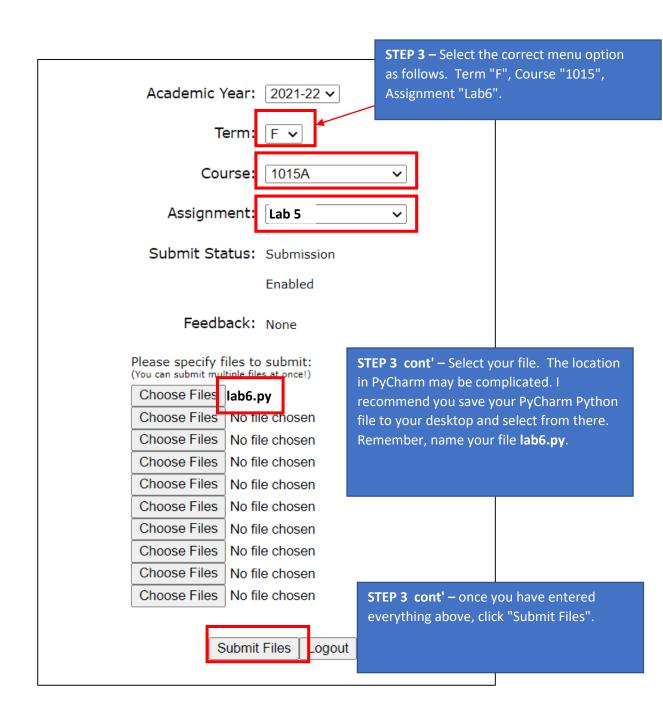
4. SUBMISSIONS (EECS web-submit)

You will submit your lab using the EECS web submit.

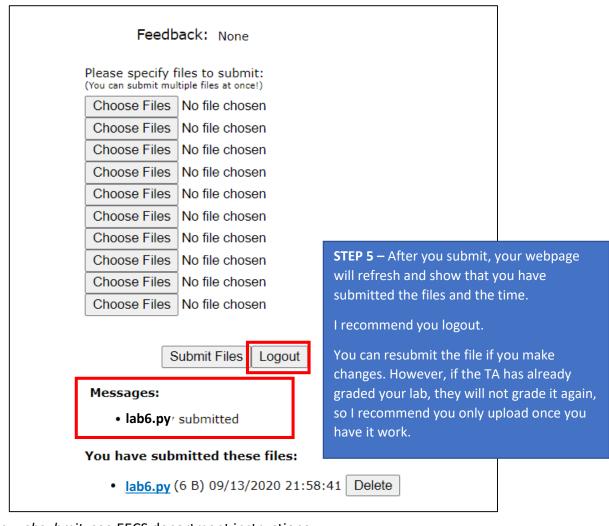
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