

## Topic 2: Variables, Expressions, and Spreadsheets

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## Muddiest Points



# Poll Question: Spreadsheets

If I copy the contents of B1 to C4 what formula will be in C4?

①  $=\$A0 + 2$

②  $=\$A2 + 2$

③  $=\$A3 + 2$

④  $=\$C0 + 2$

⑤  $=\$C2 + 2$

⑥  $=\$C3 + 2$

	A	B	C
1	10	$=\$A1+2$	
2			
3			
4			

# Poll Question: Python Naming

Which are legal python names?

- \_\_\_\_
  - 12monkeys
  - l33tCoder42
- 1 1 and 2
  - 2 1 and 3
  - 3 2 only
  - 4 2 and 3
  - 5 1, 2, and 3

# Poll Question: Program Tracing

What is the value of  $y$  after this code executes?

```
x = 2
```

```
y = x + 3
```

```
x = 5
```

1 2

2 3

3 5

4 8

5 10

# Poll Question: Program Tracing

What get outputted to the screen as a result of running the following program if the user types in 5?

```
x = input(Enter a number: )  
y = x + 3  
print(y)
```

- ① TypeError
- ② SyntaxError
- ③ 53
- ④ 8

# Poll Question: Program Tracing

Result of running this code if the user types in 2 and 10?

```
x = int(input())  
y = int(input())  
z = x + y  
print(z)
```

- ① TypeError
- ② SyntaxError
- ③ 12
- ④ 210



# Poll Question: Spreadsheets

What will be the expression when the cell at B0 is copied to D4?

①  $=\$C\$1+\$C2$

②  $=\$A\$1+\$D4$

③  $=\$A\$5+\$A2$

④  $=\$A\$1+\$A4$

⑤  $=\$A\$1+\$A5$

	A	B	C	D
1	10	$=\$A\$1+\$A2$		
2	2			
3	1			
4	0			
5	-1			

# Poll Question: Whitespace

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Whitespace is any character that takes up vertical or horizontal space but does not produce an otherwise visible mark.

# Topic Review: Escape Character

- ① Treat backslash(\) as a special character
- ② \ means that the character *immediatly* following it should be treated differently.
  - ① \' and \" escape quotes within a string.
  - ② \t encodes a tab.
  - ③ \n encodes a new line.
  - ④ \\ encodes a slash.

# Poll Question:

How many of the following characters are visible on the screen?

```
print( '\t\\n\\\t ' )
```

1 1

2 2

3 3

4 4

5 5

# Poll Question: Python Literals

Which of the following is not a valid Python literal?

- ① 1.00001
- ② 1E-7
- ③ 1,097
- ④ -3.00
- ⑤ '\\\\'

# Division, Floor Division, and Modulo

- 1 Division operator (`/`) gives best approximation to true result and *always return a float*.
- 2 Floor division (`//`) rounds down the closet whole number. The type of the result will follow the normal rules.
- 3 Modulo operator(`%`) performs a division and returns the remainder. The type of the result will always be the same.
- 4 For any numbers `x` and `y`, the following equality holds:  
$$(y == (y // x) * x + (y \% x))$$

# Poll Question: More Math Operators

Which computes how many (whole) apples I can give to each friend?

- ❶ `num_friends / num_apples`
- ❷ `num_apples / num_friends`
- ❸ `num_friends // num_apples`
- ❹ `num_apples // num_friends`
- ❺ `num_friends % num_apples`
- ❻ `num_apples % num_friends`



# Order of Operations in Python

- Parentheses precedence
- Exponentiation
- Positive and negative
- Multiplication, Division, Modulo
- Addition, Subtraction precedence

Highest



Lowest

**Note:** Python evaluates from left to right within a precedence level

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