

Topic 3: range() Function

◆ Definition

The range() function in Python is used to generate a sequence of numbers, often for looping purposes.

◆ Terminologies

- **Start:** The beginning number of the sequence (default is 0).
 - **Stop:** The number at which the sequence ends (exclusive).
 - **Step:** The difference between each number (default is 1).
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◆ Syntax

range(start, stop, step)

◆ Examples + Outputs

Example 1

```
for i in range(5):  
    print(i)
```

Output:

```
0  
1  
2  
3  
4
```

Example 2

```
for i in range(2, 10, 2):
```

```
print(i)
```

Output:

2

4

6

8

Example 3

Reverse order:

```
for i in range(10, 0, -1):
```

```
    print(i)
```

Output:

10

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

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◆ Benefits

- ✓ Saves memory (doesn't create a full list).
- ✓ Useful in loops and indexes.
- ✓ Great for counters and sequences.

◆ Challenges

Solved Challenge 1:

```
for i in range(1, 6):  
    print(i**2)
```

Solved Challenge 2:

```
for i in range(10, 0, -2):  
    print(i)
```

Your 18 Challenges:

1. Print numbers 1–20.
2. Print even numbers 2–20.
3. Print numbers from 10 down to 1.
4. Print squares of numbers 1–10.
5. Use range to print “Python” 5 times.
6. Print numbers with step 3 up to 30.
7. Print multiples of 5 using range.
8. Print numbers 50–100 with step 10.
9. Use range to count odd numbers 1–15.
10. Print countdown from 5 to 1.
11. Print all multiples of 4 under 40.
12. Generate range(0, 101, 10).
13. Use range() with len() to access list items.
14. Print all indexes in a string.
15. Print first 10 numbers starting from 3.
16. Print every second number in 1–10.
17. Print total of all numbers in range(1,11).

18. Create nested loop with `range(3)`.