

Take-home assignment four

- Submit source codes (.py or .ipynb file) and a screenshot of the output. The source codes should be properly documented such that they are readable.

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1. (30%) Please write a function that takes the following as input: (1) a list of integers, *lst*, (2) a positive integer named *length*, and (3) another integer named *avg*. The function counts and returns how many sub-lists of size *length* and average value greater than *avg*. For example,

- If *lst*=[3,2,6,8,3], *length*=3 and *avg*=5, the function should print 2, because sub-lists [2,6,8] and [6,8,3] have length of 3 and average greater than 5.
- If *lst*=[2,2,2,2,2], *length*=5 and *avg*=2, the function should print 0, because there are no sub-lists of size 5 and average greater than 2.

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2. (30%) Please write a function that takes a list of integers, lst , as input. For each element in the list, $lst[i]$, the function calculates the distance between $lst[i]$ and its closest higher value, $lst[j]$, where $j > i$, i.e., the distance is equal to $j - i$. The function stores the distance in a new list, $lst2$, and returns this list. You can imagine that the input list lst provides daily temperatures, and for each day in lst , the resulting list $lst2$ counts how many days to get a higher temperature. If there is no higher temperature in the future, set the corresponding value to 0 in $lst2$. For example,

- If $lst=[20, 15, 30, 66, 36, 36, 51, 89, 92]$, then $lst2$ should be $[2, 1, 1, 4, 2, 1, 1, 1, 0]$.
- If $lst=[29, 30, 21, 28, 9, 12]$, then $lst2$ should be $[1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0]$.

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3. (40%) Please write a function that takes the following as input: (1) a string, *my_string*, and (2) a positive integer, *lng*. The function needs to counts and returns how many substrings that have length of *lng* and no repeating characters. For example,

- If *my_string*='qwedsedaf' and *lng*=5, then the function should print 2, because 'qweds' and 'sedaf' have no repeating characters.
- If *my_string*='python' and *lng*=7, then the function should print 0, because there are no substrings of length 7 with no repeating characters.