




Mastering Python

الدرس #2

Python's Language Basics
اساسيات لغة بايثون



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Agenda

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- Loops
- Exception Handling

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If Conditional

Python supports the following logical conditions from mathematics:

- Equals: $a == b$
- Not Equals: $a != b$
- Less than: $a < b$
- Less than or equal to: $a <= b$
- Greater than: $a > b$
- Greater than or equal to: $a >= b$

If Condition

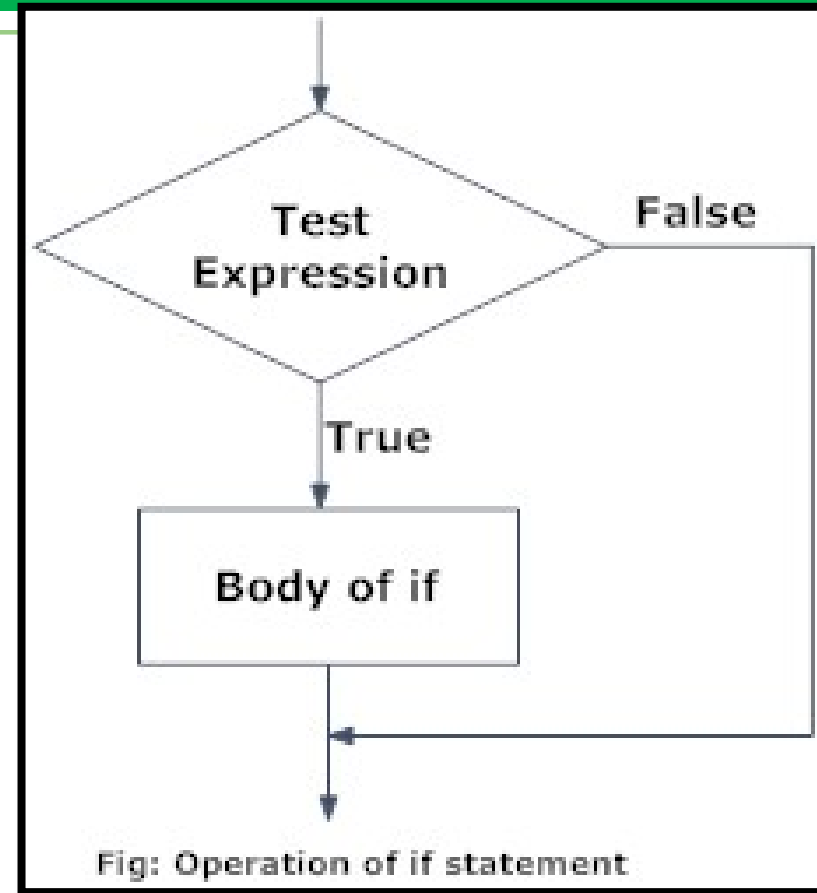
if test expression:
statement(s)

the program evaluates the test expression and will execute statement(s) only if the text expression is True. If the text expression is False, the statement(s) is not executed.

```
num = 3
if num > 0:
    print(num, "is a positive number.")
print("This is always printed.")
```

Output

3 is a positive number.



If Condition

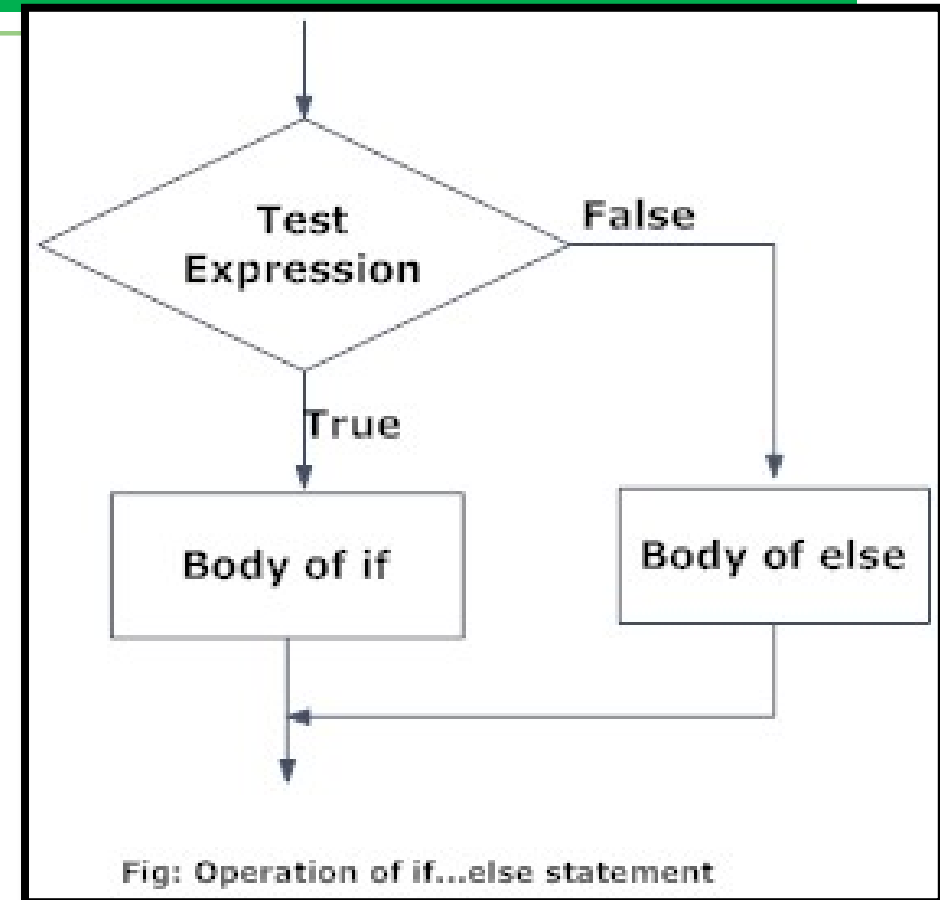
```
if test expression:  
    statement(s)  
else  
    statement(s)
```

the program evaluates the test expression and will execute statement(s) only if the text expression is True. If the text expression is False, the else statement(s) is executed.

```
num = -5  
if num >= 0:  
    print("Positive or Zero")  
else:  
    print("Negative number")
```

Output

Negative number



If Condition

if test expression:

Body of if

elif test expression:

Body of elif

else:

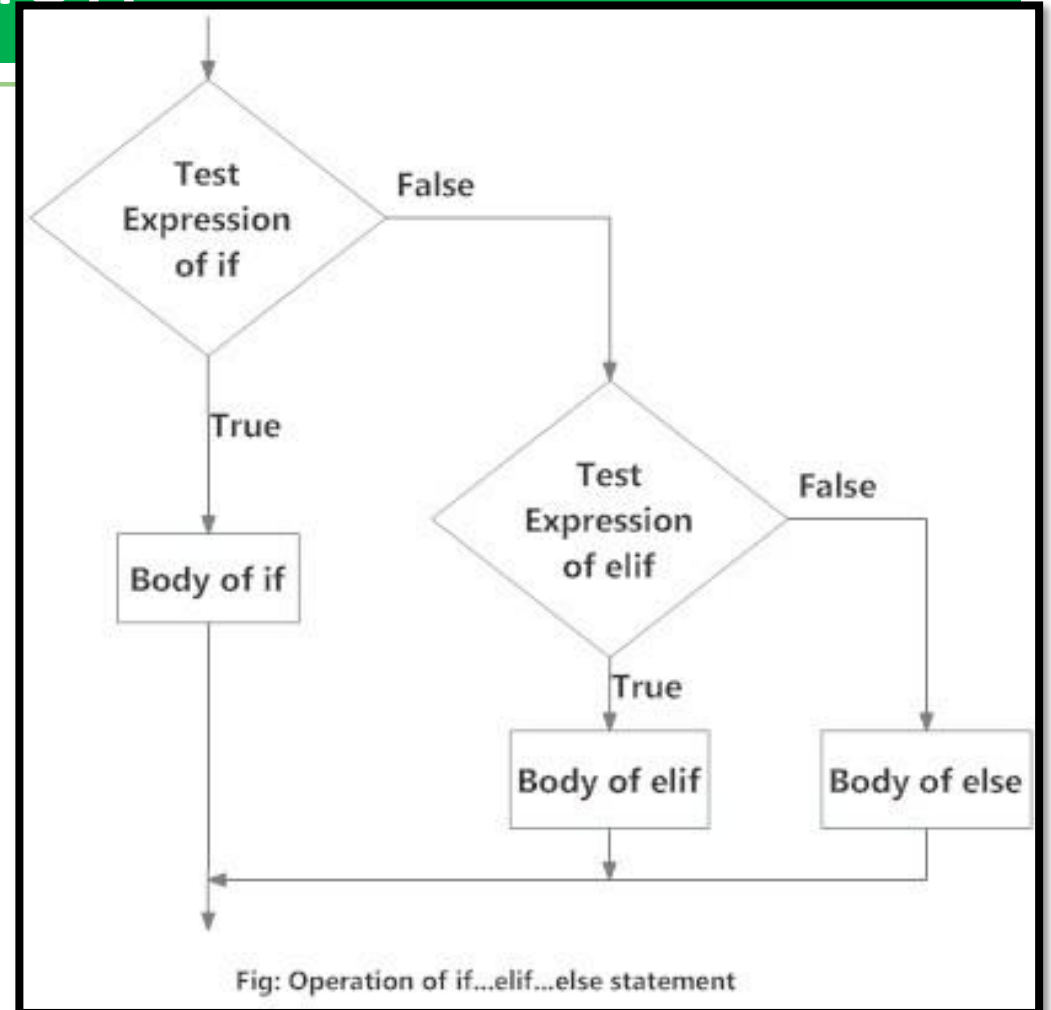
Body of else

The elif is short for else if. It allows us to check for multiple expressions. If the condition for if is False, it checks the condition of the next elif block and so on. If all the conditions are False, body of else is executed. Only one block among the several if...elif...else blocks is executed according to the condition.

```
num = 3.4
if num > 0:
    print("Positive number")
elif num == 0:
    print("Zero")
else:
    print("Negative number")
```

Output

Positive number



If Condition

```
a, b = 1,10
if a > b:
    print("a > b")
elif a < b:
    print("a < b")
else:
    print("a = b")
```

Output

a < b

```
a, b = 1,10
max = a if (a > b) else b
print(max)
```

Output

10

```
if 'a' in ['b','c','a']:
    print("a in the list")
else: print("a not in the list")
```

Output

a in the list

If Condition

```
a=10  
b=5  
if a > b: print("a is greater than b")
```

Output

a is greater than b

```
a = 2  
b = 330  
print("A") if a > b else print("B")
```

Output

B

```
a = 1000  
b = 330  
print("A") if a > b else print("=") if a == b else print("B")
```

Output

1000

```
a = 200  
b = 33  
c = 500  
if a > b and c > a:  
    print("Both conditions are True")
```

Output

Both conditions are True

If Condition – Practice

1. Write a program to accept 2 numbers from the user and print them in order (ascending) using “if else” condition
2. Write a program to accept Name, Age from the user and :
 - If Age less than 18 to print “Under Age”
 - Ask the user to enter the School Average
 - If Average greater or equal 90 to print “Excellent Average”
 - Else if average greater or equal to 50 and less than 90 to print “ Passed”
 - Else print “Failed”
 - If Age Greater or equal to 18 to print “Adult”
 - Ask the user to enter his job title
 - print Age, Name and Job Tilt

Loops

A **for** loop is used for iterating over a sequence (that is either a range, list, a tuple, a dictionary, a set, or a string).

```
for a in range(3):  
    print(a)
```

Output

```
0  
1  
2
```

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

Output

```
1  
3  
5
```

```
for item in ['Jordan', 'US', 'UK']:  
    print(item)
```

Output

```
Jordan  
US  
UK
```

```
for x in "name":  
    print(x)
```

Output

```
n  
a  
n  
e
```

Loops

```
fruits = ["apple", "banana", "cherry"]  
for x in fruits:  
    print(x)  
    if x == "banana":  
        break
```

Output

```
Apple  
banana
```

```
fruits = ["apple", "banana", "cherry"]  
for x in fruits:  
    if x == "banana":  
        continue  
    print(x)
```

Output

```
apple  
cherry
```

```
for x in range(6):  
    print(x)  
else:  
    print("Finally finished!")
```

Output

```
0  
1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
Finally finished!
```

Loops

```
color = ["red", "green", "blue"]  
fruits = ["apple", "banana", "cherry"]
```

```
for x in color :  
    for y in fruits:  
        print(x, y)
```

Output

```
red apple  
red banana  
red cherry  
green apple  
green banana  
green cherry  
blue apple  
blue banana  
blue cherry
```

```
words = ['cat', 'window', 'defenestrate']  
for w in words:  
    print(w, len(w))
```

Output

```
cat 3  
window 6  
defenestrate 12
```

```
l = ["eat", "sleep", "repeat"]  
for count, e in enumerate(l):  
    print (count, e)
```

Output

```
0 eat  
1 sleep  
2 repeat
```

Loops

```
i=0
while i<4:
    print(i)
    i+=1
```

Output

```
0
1
2
3
```

```
while True:
    a=input('>')
    if a=='exit':
        break
    print (a)
```

Output

```
>1
1
>exit
```

```
colors = ["red", "green", "blue", "purple"]
i = 0
while i < len(colors):
    print(colors[i])
    i += 1
```

Output

```
red
green
blue
purple
```

Loops– Practice

1. Write a program to print the following using for loop :

```
*  
*  
*  
*  
*  
*  
*  
*  
*  
*  
*
```

2. Write a program print the following using while loops :

```
* * * * *  
* * * * *  
* * * * *  
* * * * *
```

Loops– Practice

3. Write a program to print the following using nested loops :

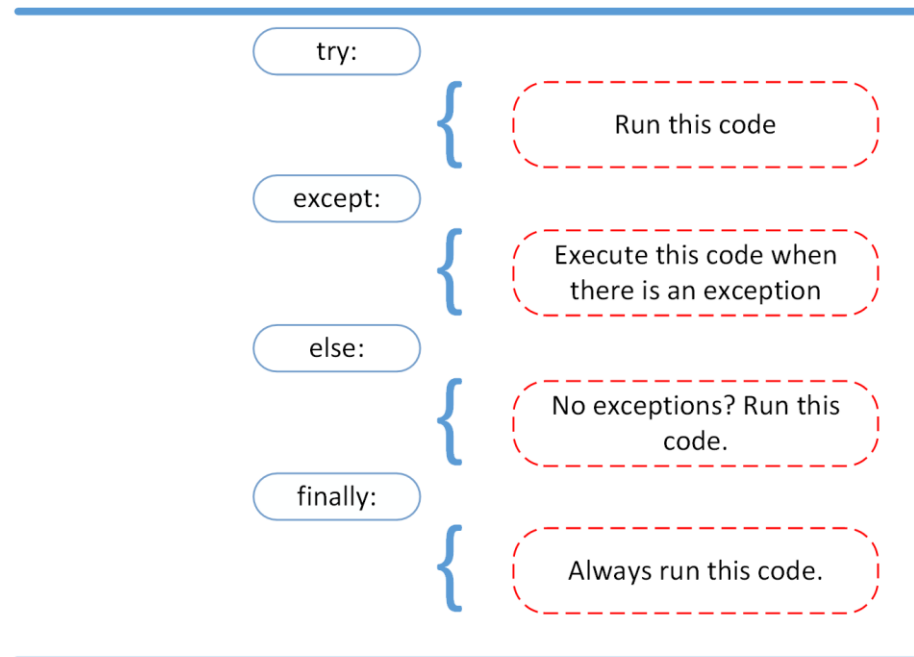
```
*
**
***
****
*****
*****
*****
*****
*****
```

4. Write a program print the following using nested loops

```
  *
  **
 ***
****
*****
*****
*****
*****
*****
```

Exceptions Handling

- An exception is an error that happens during execution of a program
- The try block lets you test a block of code for errors.
- The except block lets you handle the error.
- The finally block lets you execute code, regardless of the result of the try- and except blocks.



Exceptions Handling

```
while True:
    try:
        n = input("Please enter an integer: ")
        n = int(n)
        break
    except ValueError:
        print("No valid integer! Please try again ...")
print("Great, you successfully entered an integer!")
```

Output

```
Please enter an integer: e
No valid integer! Please try again ...

Please enter an integer: 1.2
No valid integer! Please try again ...

Please enter an integer: 3
Great, you successfully entered an integer!
```

```
try:
    x = float(input("Your number: "))
    inverse = 1.0 / x
except ValueError:
    print("You should have given either an int or a float")
except ZeroDivisionError:
    print("Infinity")
finally:
    print("There may or may not have been an exception.")
```

Output

```
Your number: 0
Infinity
There may or may not have been an exception.
```



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Hussam Hourani has over 25 years of Organizations Transformation, VROs, PMO, Large Scale and Enterprise Programs Global Delivery, Leadership, Business Development and Management Consulting. His client experience is wide ranging across many sectors but focuses on Performance Enhancement, Transformation, Enterprise Program Management, Artificial Intelligence and Data Science.