

Lab 1

PART A (2 marks, due end of class)

1. If you have not already done so, install **Python 3.12** (or later) on your laptop:
 - a. Download and install from <https://www.python.org/downloads/>
2. If you have not already done so, install **PyCharm 2024** (or later) on your laptop:
 - a. Apply for a free student license at <https://www.jetbrains.com/student>
Note: The Community Edition is acceptable as well.
 - b. If you sign-up with your my.bcit.ca e-mail, you get access to the Professional Edition
 - c. Download and install the PyCharm IDE
3. Create a new Python project in PyCharm:
 - a. Create a new “Pure Python” project called Lab1 using a “Virtualenv” and Python 3.10 (or later version) as the base interpreter.
 - b. Create a new python file in your project called lab1a.py.
 - c. Write the code to produce the following output, **plus put your name into a comment at the top of the file**. Follow all PEP guidelines.
Hello World!
This is my first python program!
 - d. Run the lab1a.py program by right clicking on the file name and selecting Run. It should output Hello World in the console area of PyCharm.
 - e. Take a screenshot of the output of running lab1a.py in PyCharm.
4. Show your output to your instructor in class to confirm whether your output is correct (Online: Optional).
5. Upload your **screenshot and lab1a.py** file to the Learning Hub (Activities -> Assignments -> Lab 1).

Part B (10 marks, due before next lecture)

Note: Only use syntax covered in class, do not use syntax not yet covered otherwise you will lose marks.

1. Use your project you created in Part A
2. Create a new Python file called lab1b.py
3. Write the code as per the following specifications
 - a. Print the statement “Enter your name:”
Get the user’s name from the console and save it to a variable called **name**
 - b. Print the statement “Enter x value:”, get the x value from the console and save it to a variable called **xStr**
 - c. Print the statement “Enter y value:”, get the y value from the console and save it to a variable called **yStr**
 - d. Create a variable called **x** and assign it the integer value of **xStr**
Create a variable called **y** and assign it the integer value of **yStr**.
 - e. Calculate the following using your **x** and **y** variables and the appropriate arithmetic operators:
 - The sum of **x** and **y** (i.e., x plus y), assigning it to a variable called **total**
 - The difference of **x** and **y** (i.e., x minus y), assigning it to a variable called **diff**
 - The product of **x** and **y** (i.e., x times y), assigning it to a variable called **prod**
 - The division of **x** and **y** (i.e., x divided by y), assigning it to a variable called **div**
 - f. Using print statements, display the following each on a separate line:

<name> your calculations are:

<x> + <y> = <total>

<x> - <y> = <diff>

<x> * <y> = <prod>

<x> / <y> = <div>

Where the <x>, <y>, <total>, <diff>, <prod>, <div> are the actual values of those variables. For instance, for a **name** of Johnny, **x** of 10 and **y** of 8:

Johnny your calculations are:

10 + 8 = 18

10 - 8 = 2

10 * 8 = 80

10 / 8 = 1.25

Note: Use print statements with comma separated values. DO NOT use f-strings or formatted strings as we have not covered that yet.

- g. Add a comment to your code describing how (or if) the calculated values would be different if you converted them to floats rather than ints.
 - h. Print the string “The calculations are complete.”
 - i. Include at least 4 *descriptive* comments in your code (i.e., not just single letters or word) and use whitespace to separate groupings of code
 - j. Always end your program with a single blank line (i.e., press return after your last line of code)
4. Take a screenshot of your output
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