

LAB 3

Topics: Booleans, Boolean Operators, Extra topic - Binary Op.

Booleans - They are essentially True, False
In Python they are represented as follows:
True $\rightarrow x = \text{True}$
False $\rightarrow y = \text{False}$

Boolean Operators - There are three Boolean operators
And, Or, Not

In Python, rep. as follows:

and

or

not

Boolean Truth tables - The and, or, not ops. have the following truth tables

AND

	a	b	a & b
0	0	0	0
1	0	1	0
2	1	0	0
3	1	1	1

} Both a, b must be 1 (True) for the output to be True

OR

	a	b	a b
0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1
2	1	0	1
3	1	1	1

} Either a, b must be 1 for the output to be true

NOT $a \mapsto \neg a$

0	0	1
1	1	0

} Reverses the boolean value

Extra Topic - Read if interested

Binary - Represented in base 2 i.e. 0, 1

Example - 0000, 0101, ...

Converting from base 2 to base 10 can be done easily

Note: 2^n $2^1 2^0$
 000...000

The general formula is as follows!

$$\text{Answer}_{10} = \sum_{i=0}^n k_i * 2^i$$

Indicates whether a bit is 0 or 1

Example: 0101 $\rightarrow \sum k_i * 2^i = (1 * 2^0) + (1 * 2^2) = 1 + 4 = \underline{5}$

Always starts at least significant bit (rightmost) and moves left

Bitwise Operators

There are a few bitwise operators:

&, |, ^, <<, >>

& (bitwise and)

$$\begin{array}{r} 0100 \\ \& 0000 \\ \hline 0000 \end{array}$$

| (bitwise or)

$$\begin{array}{r} 0100 \\ | 0000 \\ \hline 0100 \end{array}$$

^ (exclusive or)

$$\begin{array}{r} 10100 \\ \wedge 0000 \\ \hline 10100 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10100 \\ \wedge 0100 \\ \hline 11000 \end{array}$$

} output 1 if at least 1 bit is True, but if both are True the output is False!

\ll (Shift logical left) - moves bits left (*)

$1 \ll 0001 \rightarrow 0010$ ($2^1 * 1$)

\gg (Shift arithmetic right) - moves bits right (//)
and sign extends

$1 \gg 0010 \rightarrow 0001$ ($2/2^1$)

If statements - rep. as follows

if condition: \leftarrow Condition must evaluate to True for code to be executed
code

If elif (else if) - Identical to if but with elif

if condition: } If if statement is false, then the elif
code } conditional is checked
elif condition: }
code }

If elif else - Else statement executed if no condition is True

if condition:
code

elif condition:
code

else: } else statement has no conditional statement to eval.
code }

Examples

$x = 3$

$y = 5$

if $x > 5$:
print("...")

else if $x > y$:
print("OK")

else:
print("OK")

$x = 3$

$y = 5$

if $5 > 3$:
print("...")

if $y > 3$:
print("OK")

else:
print("2")

if $3 > 5$:
if $5 \neq 6$

→ if $3 > 5$ and $5 \neq 6$