

AI ASSISTED CODING

ASSIGNMENT-2

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Lab 2: Exploring Additional AI Coding Tools beyond Copilot – Gemini (Colab) and Cursor AI

Task 1: Statistical Summary for Survey Data

❖ Scenario:

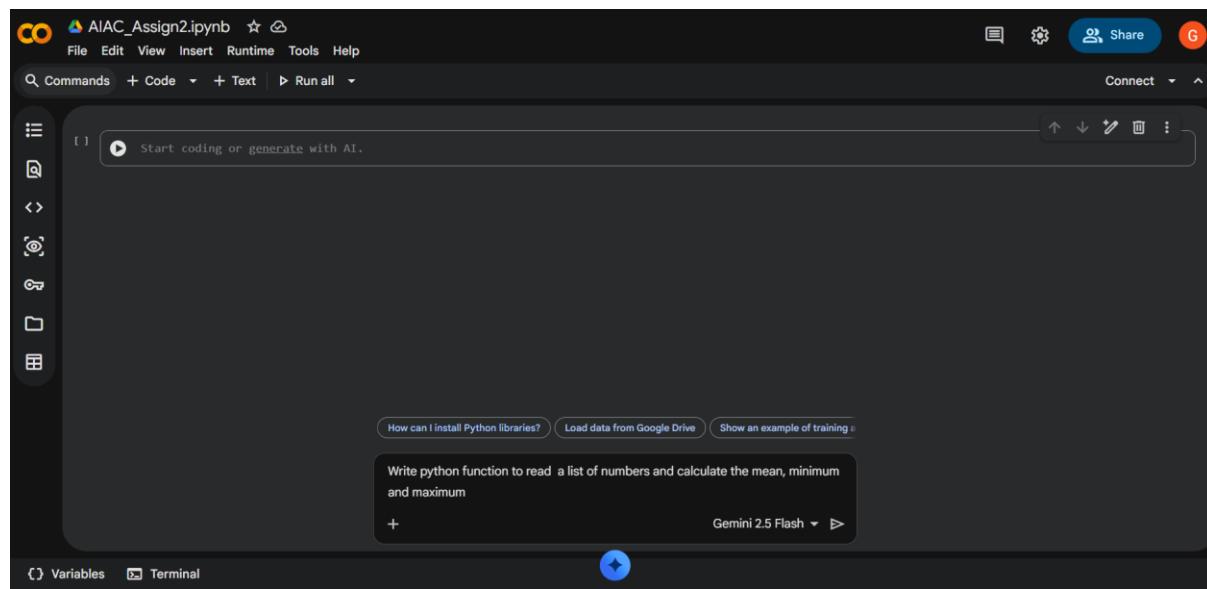
You are a data analyst intern working with survey responses stored as numerical lists.

❖ Task:

Use Google Gemini in Colab to generate a Python function that reads a list of numbers and calculates the mean, minimum, and maximum values.

❖ Expected Output:

- Correct Python function
- Output shown in Colab
- Screenshot of Gemini prompt and result



The screenshot shows a Jupyter Notebook interface with a dark theme. A code cell contains the following Python function:

```

def analyze_numbers(numbers):
    """
    Calculates the mean, minimum, and maximum of a list of numbers.

    Args:
        numbers (list): A list of numerical values.

    Returns:
        tuple: A tuple containing (mean, min, max). Returns (None, None, None) if the input list is empty.
    """
    if not numbers:
        return None, None, None

    mean_val = sum(numbers) / len(numbers)
    min_val = min(numbers)
    max_val = max(numbers)

    return mean_val, min_val, max_val

```

Below the code cell is a Gemini AI assistant window. The user has asked it to "Write python function to read a list of numbers and calculate the mean, minimum and maximum". Gemini has responded with the provided code. There is also a smaller input field asking "What can I help you build?" and a status bar at the bottom indicating "Gemini 2.5 Flash".

The screenshot shows a Jupyter Notebook interface with a dark theme. A code cell contains the following Python code:

```

# Example usage:
my_list = [10, 20, 30, 40, 50]
mean, minimum, maximum = analyze_numbers(my_list)

print(f"Original List: {my_list}")
print(f"Mean: {mean}")
print(f"Minimum: {minimum}")
print(f"Maximum: {maximum}")

# Example with an empty list
empty_list = []
mean_empty, min_empty, max_empty = analyze_numbers(empty_list)
print("\nOriginal List (empty):", empty_list)
print("Mean: {}, Minimum: {}, Maximum: {}".format(mean_empty, min_empty, max_empty))

```

The output pane shows the results of running the code:

```

Original List: [10, 20, 30, 40, 50]
Mean: 30.0
Minimum: 10
Maximum: 50

Original List (empty): []
Mean: None, Minimum: None, Maximum: None

```

At the bottom right, there is a timestamp "2:17 PM" and a Python 3 icon.

Task 2: Armstrong Number – AI Comparison

❖ Scenario:

You are evaluating AI tools for numeric validation logic.

❖ Task:

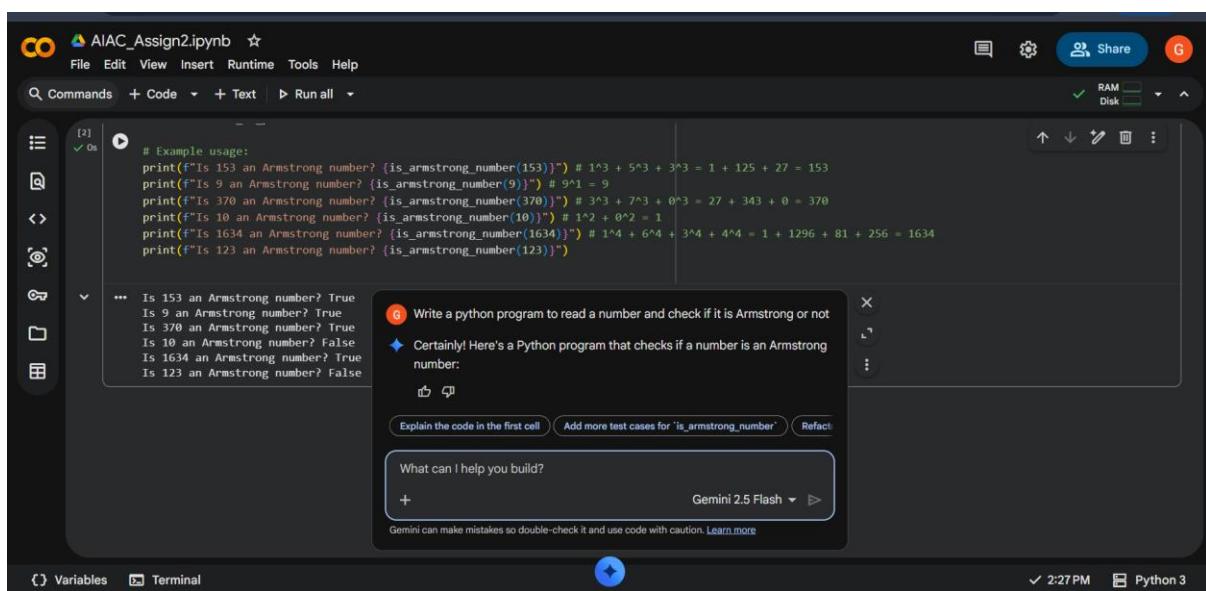
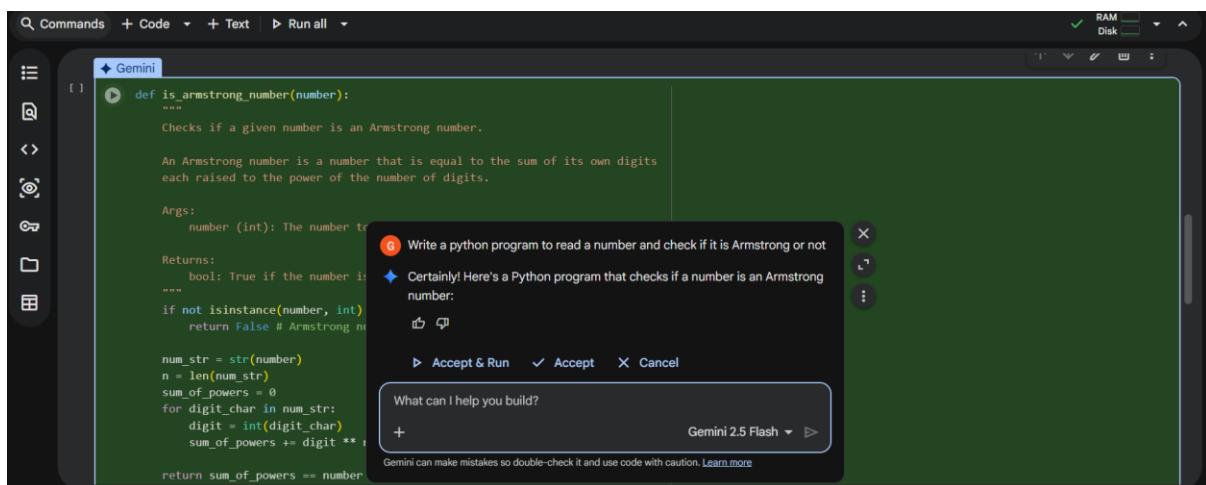
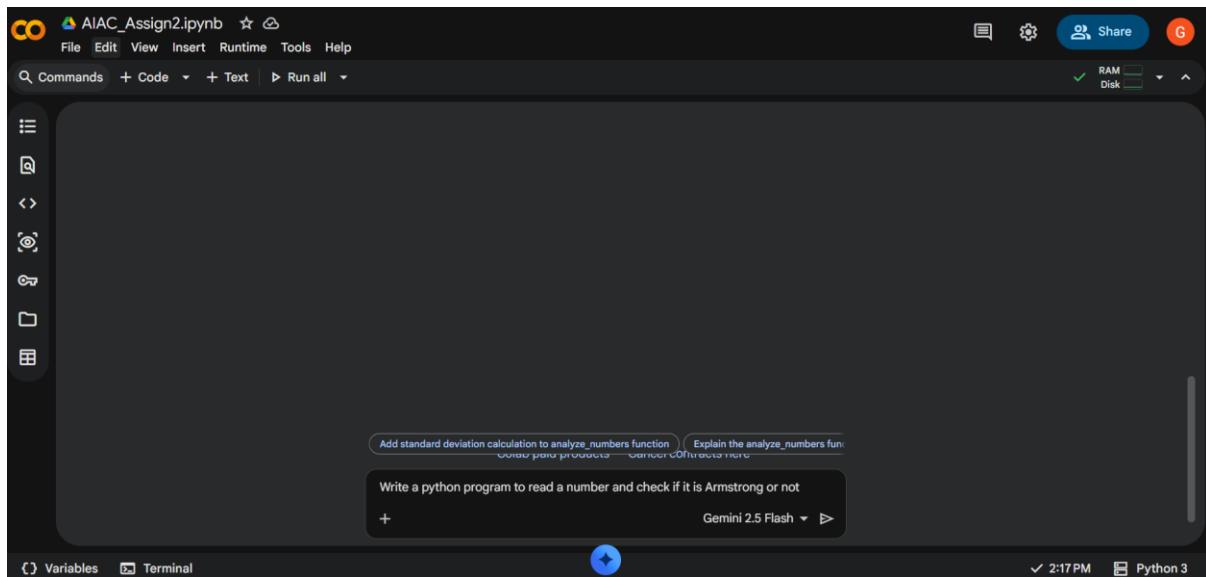
Generate an Armstrong number checker using Gemini and GitHub Copilot.

Compare their outputs, logic style, and clarity.

❖ Expected Output:

- Side-by-side comparison table
- Screenshots of prompts and generated code

Gemini Copilot



Github Copilot

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Write a python program to read a number and check if it Armstrong or not

Add Context...

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Lab_assignment_2.py > ...

Generate code

Add Context...

1 def is_armstrong(num):
2 """
3 Check if a number is an Armstrong number.
4 An Armstrong number is equal to the sum of its digits each raised to the power of the number of digits.
5 """
6 num_str = str(num)
7 num_digits = len(num_str)
8 sum_of_powers = sum(int(digit) ** num_digits for digit in num_str)
9 return sum_of_powers == num
10
11 # Read input from user
12 number = int(input("Enter a number: "))
13
14 # Check and display result
15 if is_armstrong(number):
16 print(f"{number} is an Armstrong number")
17 else:
18 print(f"{number} is not an Armstrong number")

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Lab_assignment_2.py > ...

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Enter a number: 153
153 is an Armstrong number
PS C:\Users\gudah\OneDrive\Documents\AIAC> & c:/Users/gudah/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/python313/python.exe c:/Users/gudah/OneDrive/Documents/AIAC/Lab_assignment_2.py
Enter a number: 23
23 is not an Armstrong number
PS C:\Users\gudah\OneDrive\Documents\AIAC>

Comparison: Armstrong Number Programs

Aspect	GitHub Copilot Code	Google Colab Gemini Copilot Code
Purpose	Checks if a number is an Armstrong number	Checks if a number is an Armstrong number
Input Handling	Takes input from the user using <code>input()</code>	Uses predefined test values (no user input)
Output Style	Prints a clear message (is / is not an Armstrong number)	Prints True or False with explanation comments
Return Value	Returns True or False internally	Returns True or False
Logic Style	Uses Pythonic one-line sum with generator expression	Uses step-by-step loop (beginner-friendly)
Code Length	Shorter and more compact	Slightly longer and more detailed
Readability	Clean, but may feel compact for beginners	Very clear and easy to understand
Validation Checks	No validation for negative or non-integer input	Checks for non-integer and negative numbers
Documentation	Short docstring	Detailed docstring with Args & Returns
Examples / Testing	Depends on user input	Multiple example test cases included
Best For	Quick use, competitive coding, clean scripts	Learning, teaching, and clarity
Error Safety	May crash if input is invalid	Safer due to input validation

Task 3: Leap Year Validation Using Cursor AI

❖ Scenario:

You are validating a calendar module for a backend system.

❖ Task:

Use Cursor AI to generate a Python program that checks whether a given year is a leap year.

Use at least two different prompts and observe changes in code.

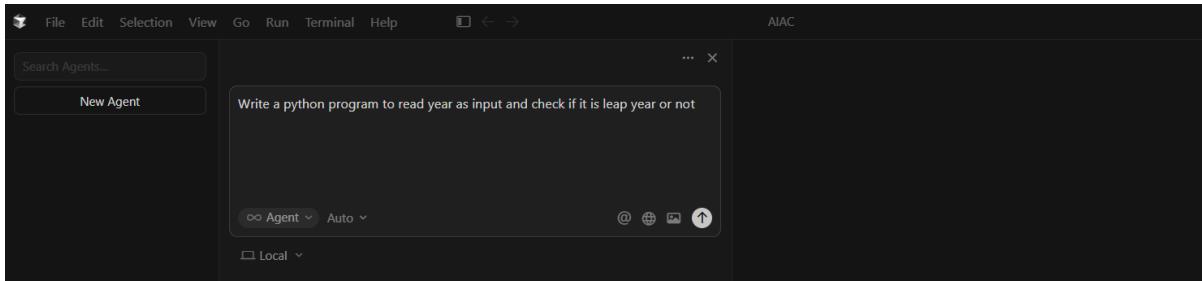
❖ Expected Output:

➤ Two versions of code

➤ Sample inputs/outputs

➤ Brief comparison

Version-1



```
def is_leap_year(year):
    """
    Check if a given year is a leap year.

    A year is a leap year if:
    - It is divisible by 400, OR
    - It is divisible by 4 but NOT divisible by 100

    Args:
        year (int): The year to check

    Returns:
        bool: True if the year is a leap year, False otherwise
    """
    if year % 400 == 0:
        return True
    elif year % 100 == 0:
        return False
    elif year % 4 == 0:
        return True
    else:
        return False
```

```
Write a python code to read year as input and check if it is leap year or not
return False

# Main program
if __name__ == "__main__":
    try:
        # Read year as input
        year = int(input("Enter a year: "))

        # Check if it's a leap year
        if is_leap_year(year):
            print(f"{year} is a leap year.")
        else:
            print(f"{year} is not a leap year.")

    except ValueError:
        print("Error: Please enter a valid integer for the year.")
```

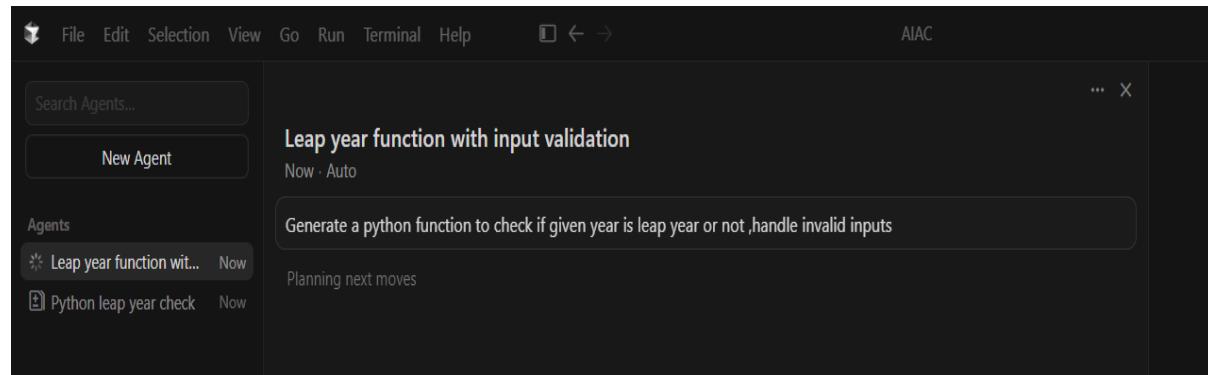
No linter errors found in leap_year.py

Created `leap_year.py` that:

1. Reads a year from user input
2. Checks if it's a leap year using:
 - Divisible by 400 → leap year
 - Divisible by 100 (but not 400) → not a leap year
 - Divisible by 4 (but not 100) → leap year
 - Otherwise → not a leap year

```
leap_year.py > ...
1 def is_leap_year(year):
2     """
3         Check if a given year is a leap year.
4
5         A year is a leap year if:
6             - It is divisible by 400, OR
7             - It is divisible by 4 but NOT divisible by 100
8
9     Args:
10        year (int): The year to check
11
12    Returns:
13        bool: True if the year is a leap year, False otherwise
14    """
15    if year % 400 == 0:
16        return True
17    elif year % 100 == 0:
18        return False
19    elif year % 4 == 0:
20        return True
21    else:
22        return False
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Enter a year: 2004
2004 is a leap year.
PS C:\Users\gudah\OneDrive\Documents\AIAC> & C:/Users/gudah/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/gudah/OneDrive/Documents/AIAC/leap_year.py
Enter a year: 2007
2007 is not a leap year.
PS C:\Users\gudah\OneDrive\Documents\AIAC>
```

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Leap year function with input validation
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Generate a python function to check if given year is leap year or not ,handle invalid inputs

Creating a Python function to check if a year is a leap year, with invalid input handling.

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leap_year_checker.py +93
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```
def is_leap_year(year):
    """
    Check if a given year is a leap year.

    A leap year is:
    - Divisible by 400, OR
    - Divisible by 4 but NOT divisible by 100

    Args:
        year: The year to check (int, float, or string representation)

    Returns:
        bool: True if the year is a leap year, False otherwise

    Raises:
        ValueError: If the input cannot be converted to a valid year
        TypeError: If the input type is not supported
    """
    # Handle None input
    if year is None:
        raise ValueError("Year cannot be None")

    # Try to convert to integer
    try:
        # Convert to float first to handle string inputs like "2024.0"
        year_float = float(year)
        year_int = int(year_float)
    
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- Leap year function with ... 2m
- Python leap year check 3m

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leap_year_checker.py > is_leap.year
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1 def is_leap_year(year):
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9         Args:
10            year: The year to check (int, float, or string representation)
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12         Returns:
13            bool: True if the year is a leap year, False otherwise
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15         Raises:
16             ValueError: If the input cannot be converted to a valid year
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19         # Handle None input
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21             raise ValueError("Year cannot be None")
22
23         # Try to convert to integer
24         try:
25             # convert to float first to handle string inputs like "2024.0"
26             year_float = float(year)
27             year_int = int(year_float)
28
29             # Check if conversion was valid (e.g., "2024.5" should be invalid)
30             if year_float != year_int:
31                 raise ValueError(f"Year must be an integer, got: {year}")
32
33         except (ValueError, TypeError) as e:
34             if isinstance(e, ValueError) and "invalid literal" not in str(e).lower():
35                 raise
36             raise ValueError(f"Invalid year input: {year}. Year must be a number.")
```

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② Leap year function with ... 2m
② Python leap year check 3m

1 def is_leap_year(year):
2     # Check if year is positive (leap year calculation doesn't make sense for negative years)
3     if year_int < 0:
4         raise ValueError(f"Year must be a positive number, got: {year_int}")
5
6     # Leap year logic:
7     # 1. If divisible by 400, it's a Leap year
8     # 2. Else if divisible by 100, it's NOT a Leap year
9     # 3. Else if divisible by 4, it's a Leap year
10    # 4. Otherwise, it's not a Leap year
11
12    if year_int % 400 == 0:
13        return True
14    elif year_int % 100 == 0:
15        return False
16    elif year_int % 4 == 0:
17        return True
18    else:
19        return False
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22 # Example usage and test cases
23 if __name__ == "__main__":
24     # Test cases for valid leap years
25     test_cases = [
26         (2000, True), # Divisible by 400
27         (2004, True), # Divisible by 4, not by 100
28         (2020, True), # Divisible by 4, not by 100
29         (2024, True), # Divisible by 4, not by 100
30         (1900, False), # Divisible by 100 but not by 400
31         (2001, False), # Not divisible by 4
32         (2023, False), # Not divisible by 4
33     ]
34
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print("Testing valid leap years:")
for year, expected in test_cases:
    result = is_leap_year(year)
    status = "✓" if result == expected else "✗"
    print(f"{status} {year}: {result} (expected {expected})")

print("\nTesting invalid inputs:")
invalid_inputs = [
    None,
    "abc",
    "2024.5",
    -2024,
    [],
    {},
]
]

for invalid_input in invalid_inputs:
    try:
        result = is_leap_year(invalid_input)
        print(f"✗ {invalid_input}: Should have raised an error, but returned {result}")
    except (ValueError, TypeError) as e:
        print(f"✓ {invalid_input}: Correctly raised {type(e).__name__}: {e}")

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leap_year_checker.py > ...
1 def is_leap_year(year):
2     # Handle None input
3     if year is None:
4         raise ValueError("Year cannot be None")
5
6     # Try to convert to integer
7     try:
8         # Convert to float first to handle string inputs like "2024.0"
9         year_float = float(year)
10        year_int = int(year_float)
11
12        # Check if conversion was valid (e.g., "2024.5" should be invalid)
13        if year_float != year_int:
14            raise ValueError(f"Year must be an integer, got: {year}")
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Testing valid leap years:

- ✓ 2000: True (expected True)
- ✓ 2004: True (expected True)
- ✓ 2020: True (expected True)
- ✓ 2024: True (expected True)
- ✓ 1900: False (expected False)
- ✓ 2001: False (expected False)
- ✓ 2023: False (expected False)

Testing invalid inputs:

- ✓ None: Correctly raised ValueError: Year cannot be None
- ✓ abc: Correctly raised ValueError: could not convert string to float: 'abc'
- ✓ 2024.5: Correctly raised ValueError: Year must be an integer, got: 2024.5
- ✓ -2024: Correctly raised ValueError: Year must be a positive number, got: -2024
- ✓ []: Correctly raised ValueError: Invalid year input: []. Year must be a number.
- ✓ 2001: False (expected False)
- ✓ 2023: False (expected False)

Ctrl+K to generate command

Task 4: Student Logic + AI Refactoring (Odd/Even Sum)

❖ Scenario:

Company policy requires developers to write logic before using AI.

❖ Task:

Write a Python program that calculates the sum of odd and even numbers in a tuple, then refactor it using any AI tool.

❖ Expected Output:

➤ Original code

➤ Refactored code

➤ Explanation of improvements

Original code

```
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Lab_assignment_2.py X
Lab_assignment_2.py > ...
22     #sum of even and odd numbers in tuple
23     t=tuple(map(int,input().split()))
24     es=0
25     os=0
26     for i in t:
27         if i%2==0:
28             es+=i
29         else:
30             os+=i
31     print("sum of even numbers is ",es)
32     print("sum of odd numbers is ",os)
33

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PS C:\Users\gudah\OneDrive\Documents\AIAC> & c:/Users/gudah/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python313/python.exe c:/Users/gudah/OneDrive/Documents/AIAC/Lab_assignment_2.py
3 6 1 0 3 2 4 1
Sum of even numbers is 12
sum of odd numbers is 8
```

Refactored Code

```
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Lab_assignment_2.py X
Lab_assignment_2.py > ...
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22     #sum-of-even-and-odd-numbers-in-tuple
23     t=tuple(map(int,input().split()))
24     es=0
25     os=0
26     for i in t:
27         if i%2==0:
28             es+=i
29         else:
30             os+=i
31     print("sum-of-even-numbers-is-",es)
32     print("sum-of-odd-numbers-is-",os)
33

CHAT
IMPROVING INPUT HANDLING AND EDGE CASE MANAGEMENT
Here's an improved version with edge case and input validation handling:
# Sum of even and odd numbers in tuple
def get_tuple_input():
    """Get and validate tuple input from user"""
    while True:
        try:
            user_input = input("Enter numbers separated by spaces: ")
            # Handle empty input
            if not user_input:
                print("Error: Please enter at least one number")
                continue
            # Convert to tuple of integers
            t = tuple(map(int, user_input.split()))
            return t
        except ValueError:
            print("Error: Please enter valid integers only")

def calculate_sums(t):
    """Calculate sum of even and odd numbers"""
    es = 0 # even sum
    os = 0 # odd sum

    for i in t:
        if i % 2 == 0:
            es += i
        else:
            os += i

    print("sum-of-even-numbers-is-",es)
    print("sum-of-odd-numbers-is-",os)

Explore and understand your code
Ask Auto
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```
Lab_assignment_2.py
37 # Sum of even and odd numbers in tuple
38 def get_tuple_input():
39     """Get and validate tuple input from user"""
40     while True:
41         try:
42             user_input = input("Enter numbers separated by spaces: ").strip()
43             # Handle empty input
44             if not user_input:
45                 print("Error: Please enter at least one number.")
46                 continue
47             # Convert to tuple of integers
48             t = tuple(map(int, user_input.split()))
49             return t
50         except ValueError:
51             print("Error: Please enter valid integers only.")
52 def calculate_sums(t):
53     """Calculate sum of even and odd numbers"""
54     es = 0 # even sum
55     os = 0 # odd sum
56     for i in t:
57         if i % 2 == 0:
58             es += i
59         else:
60             os += i
61     return es, os
62 # Main program
63 if __name__ == "__main__":
64     t = get_tuple_input()
65     if len(t) == 0:
66         print("Error: Tuple is empty.")
67     else:
68         es, os = calculate_sums(t)
69         print(f"Sum of even numbers: {es}")
70         print(f"Sum of odd numbers: {os}")
71         print(f"Total numbers: {len(t)}")
```

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Lab_assignment_2.py
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39     """Get and validate tuple input from user"""
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56     for i in t:
57         if i % 2 == 0:
58             es += i
59         else:
60             os += i
61     return es, os
62 # Main program
63 if __name__ == "__main__":
64     t = get_tuple_input()
65     if len(t) == 0:
66         print("Sum of even numbers: 0")
67         print("Sum of odd numbers: 0")
68         print("Total numbers: 0")
69     else:
70         es, os = calculate_sums(t)
71         print(f"Sum of even numbers: {es}")
72         print(f"Sum of odd numbers: {os}")
73         print(f"Total numbers: {len(t)}")
```

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Enter numbers separated by spaces: 7 5 -9 0 7 1 3
Sum of even numbers: 0
Sum of odd numbers: 14
Sum of odd numbers: 14
Total numbers: 7
```

Key improvements:

- Input validation:** Checks for empty input and non-integer values
- Error handling:** Try-except block catches invalid inputs
- Retry logic:** Prompts user again if input is invalid
- Modular functions:** Separated logic into reusable functions
- Better formatting:** Uses f-strings for cleaner output
- Edge cases handled:** Empty tuples, zero values, negative numbers
- User-friendly messages:** Clear error and result messages