FUNCTIONS

In Python, a function is defined using the def keyword, followed by the function name, parentheses containing any parameters, and a colon. The function body is indented and contains the code to be executed.

Types of Functions

- 1.Built-in Functions: These are pre-defined functions provided by a programming language or environment. Examples include print(), len() in Python, and printf() in C.
- 2.User-defined Functions: These are functions created by the programmer to perform specific tasks. They follow a defined structure with a name, parameters, and a body.
- 3. Anonymous Functions (Lambda Functions): These are functions without a name, often used for short, simple operations
- 4.Recursive Functions: These functions call themselves within their definition, useful for tasks that can be divided into similar subtasks.

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#define a function
#svntax
def function_name(paramenters):
  #statement
 pass
def greet():
  print("welcome")
#call a function
greet()
₹
    welcome
#Lambda function
add=lambda x,y:x+y
print(add(2,3))
#Recursive function
def factorial(n):
 if n ==1:
    return 1
    return n*factorial(n-1)
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Arguments in Functions

Arguments are values passed to a function when it is called. They can be categorized as follows:

- 1.Positional Arguments: These are arguments that are passed to a function in a specific order.
- 2. Keyword Arguments: These are arguments passed to a function by explicitly naming each parameter and its corresponding value.
- 3.Default Arguments: These are arguments that assume a default value if no value is provided during the function call
- 4. Variable-length Arguments: *args (Non-keyword arguments): Allows a function to accept any number of positional arguments.

kwargs (Keyword arguments): Allows a function to accept any number of keyword arguments **bold text

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#Arbitary keyword
def info(**kwargs):
    for key,value in kwargs:
        print("kwargs.iteam()")

#positinal argument
def subtract(a, b):
    return a - b

#result = add(2, 3) # 2 and 3 are positional arguments

result = print(subtract(10, 7))
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<del>_</del> 3
result1 = print(subtract(9, 15))
<del>→</del> -6
def info(age, gender):
 print(f" Hi my age is :{age} years old & my gender is {gender}")
shagun = info("14", "Female")
→ Hi my age is :14 years old & my gender is Female
Mohit = info("Male", "21")
Hi my age is :Male years old & my gender is 21
#keyword arguments
def greet(name, message):
    return f"{message}, {name}!"
#result = greet(name="Alice", message="Hello") # name and message are keyword arguments
Greeting = print(greet(name = "Harsimar", message = "Hi"))
→ Hi, Harsimar!
Greeting1 = print(greet(message = "Hello", name = "Divyansh"))
→ Hello, Divyansh!
#default arguments
def greet(name, message="Hello"):
    return f"{message}, {name}!"
result1 = greet("Alice")
                                  # Uses default message "Hello"
result2 = greet("Bob", "Hi")
                                 # Uses provided message "Hi"
Greet = print(greet("Mehakpreet"))

→ Hello, Mehakpreet!
#variable length arguments(*args)
def sum all(*a):
    return sum(a)
#result = sum all(1, 2, 3, 4) # Accepts multiple positional arguments
Summation = print(sum_all(67, 12, 178, 19, 90, 14, 25, 12, 45))
→ 462
#**kwargs
def print_details(**g):
    for key, value in g.items():
        print(f"{key}: {value}")
print_details(name="Alice", age=30, city="New York")
→ name: Alice
     age: 30
     city: New York
print_details(Locality = "Model Town", Address = "SCF, BLOCK-3, Third floor", H_no.= "3", St.no = "4")
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File "<ipython-input-36-1dbe4a7c4040>", line 1
    print_details(Locality = "Model Town", Address = "SCF, BLOCK-3, Third floor", H_no.= "3", St.no = "4")

SyntaxError: positional argument follows keyword argument
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PRACTICE QUESTIONS ON PYTHON FUNCTIONS:

- 1. Write a Python function that takes a string as input and returns the reverse of the string.
- 2.Create a list of numbers. Write a function that finds and returns the maximum value in the list without using the built-in max() function.
- 3.Define a function that accepts a list of integers and returns a new list containing only the even numbers from the original list.
- 4.Implement a Python function to check if a given word is a palindrome (reads the same backward as forward).
- 5. Create a dictionary with student names as keys and their corresponding ages as values. Write a function to find and print the names of students who are above a certain age.
- 6.Develop a Python function that calculates the sum of squares for a given range of numbers.
- 7. Write a recursive function that calculates the Fibonacci sequence for a given term.
- 8.Create a class called Rectangle with methods to calculate the area and perimeter. Initialize the class with the length and width as attributes.
- 9.Implement a function that takes a list of strings and returns a new list with the strings sorted by their lengths in ascending order.
- 10.Use a lambda function to filter a list of integers and return a new list containing only the numbers greater than 10.
- 11. Write a function that takes a list of numbers and returns a new list containing only the unique elements.
- 12. Create a Python function that accepts a string and counts the occurrences of each character. Return the result as a dictionary.
- 13.Implement a function to calculate the average of a list of numbers without using the built-in sum() and len() functions.
- 14. Write a function that checks if a given year is a leap year. A leap year is divisible by 4 but not divisible by 100 unless it is divisible by 400.
- 15.Design a function that takes a list of strings and returns a new list with only the strings that have more than 5 characters.
- 16.Create a function that accepts a sentence and counts the number of vowels (a, e, i, o, u) in it.
- $17. Write \ a \ Python \ function \ that \ takes \ a \ number \ and \ checks \ whether \ it \ is \ a \ prime \ number.$
- 18.Implement a function that reverses the order of words in a given sentence.
- 19. Create a function to find and return the second-largest number in a list of integers.
- 20. Write a function that takes a string and returns True if it is a palindrome (ignoring spaces and case), and False otherwise.

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# Secret message string
secret_message = "77722245672yugdegwd.90eddedudj3d."
# Initialize the index
index = 0
# Use a while loop to print each character until a period is found
while index < len(secret_message):</pre>
    if secret_message[index] == '.':
        break
    print(secret_message[index], end='')
    index += 1
print() # To move to the next line after the loop ends
→ 77722245672yugdegwd
#2.Create a list of numbers. Write a function that finds and returns the maximum value in the list without using the built-in max() function
string=input("enter a name:-")
def rev(string):
   k=string
   if len(k)>0:
     return(k[::-1])
print(rev(string))
→ enter a name:-lofer
     refol
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3.Define a function that accepts a list of integers and returns a new list containing only the even numbers from the original list.

4.Implement a Python function to check if a given word is a palindrome (reads the same backward as forward).

```
string=input("enter a name:-")
def check_paliindrome(string):
   if string == string[::-1]:
     return True
   else:
     return False
print(check_paliindrome(string))

    enter a name:-navi
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