Python If ... Else

Python supports the usual 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

These conditions can be used in several ways, most commonly in "if statements" and loops.
An "if statement" is written by using the if keyword.

```
a = 33
b = 200
if b > a:
  print("b is greater than a")
```

Elif

The elif keyword is pythons way of saying "if the previous conditions were not true, then try this condition".

```
a = 33
b = 33
if b > a:
  print("b is greater than a")
elif a == b:
  print("a and b are equal")
```

Else

The else keyword catches anything which isn't caught by the preceding conditions.

```
a = 200
b = 33
if b > a:
  print("b is greater than a")
elif a == b:
  print("a and b are equal")
else:
  print("a is greater than b")
```

You can also have an `else` without the `elif`:

```
a = 200
b = 33
if b > a:
```

```
  print("b is greater than a")
else:
  print("b is not greater than a")
```

Short Hand If

If you have only one statement to execute, you can put it on the same line as the if statement.

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

Short Hand If ... Else

If you have only one statement to execute, one for if, and one for else, you can put it all on the same line:

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

Вы также можете иметь несколько операторов else в одной строке:

```
a = 340
b = 340
print("A") if a > b else print("=") if a == b else print("B")

=
```

And

The and keyword is a logical operator, and is used to combine conditional statements:

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

Or

The `or` keyword is a logical operator, and is used to combine conditional statements:

```
a = 200
b = 33
c = 500
if a > b or a > c:
  print("At least one of the conditions is True")
```

Nested If

You can have `if` statements inside `if` statements, this is called *nested* `if` statements.

```
x = 41
if x > 10:
  print("Above ten,")
  if x > 20:
```

```
    print("and also above 20!")
  else:
    print("but not above 20.")

Above ten,
and also above 20!
```

The pass Statement

`if` statements cannot be empty, but if you for some reason have an `if` statement with no content, put in the `pass` statement to avoid getting an error.

```
a = 33
b = 200
if b > a:
  pass
```