

Python Programming

Dict Homework 1

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Problem #1: Special String Mapping

- Read a string and do the following conversions for its letters
 - If it is lower letter, use this map of 26 letters:
 - abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
 - YZIMNESTODUAPWXHQFBRJKCGVL
 - E.g. $a \Rightarrow Y$ and $z \Rightarrow L$
 - If it is digit, use this map of 10 letters:
 - 0123456789
 - !@#\$%^&*()
 - Otherwise, don't change it!
- Input \Rightarrow Output
 - acMNmn39 \Rightarrow YIMNPW\$)
 - vwXYZ0123 \Rightarrow KCXYZ!@#\$

Problem#2: Sort by type

- Implement function: `def sort_different_types(lst):`
- It takes a list of different data types (int, float, string, list, tuple)
 - Return a list:
 - For every data type, group and sort from small to large
 - Within data types: Order them based on the order of the list (int comes first? Be first)
 - Assumption: provided lists or tuples will be comparable.

```
lst = [10, 'most', 2.5, 7, 'aly', 9, 4.5, 2, 'ziad', -4, 1.1, [1, 5], 5, [0, 7, 8]]  
print(sort_different_types(lst))
```

```
[-4, 2, 5, 7, 9, 10, 'aly', 'most', 'ziad', 1.1, 2.5, 4.5, [0, 7, 8], [1, 5]]
```

Problem #3: Fast Prefix Finder

- Read an Integer N on a line, then read N lines of strings (database)
- Then read an Integer Q on a line, then read Q lines of strings (queries)
- For every query, list all database strings that starts with this query
 - However the database is huge: using query in list is very slow
- Print entries according to reading order
- See screenshot

```
5
Hey
Hello
Hi
Mostafa Saad
Mostafa Ziad
4
He
He matches ['Hey', 'Hello']
H
H matches ['Hey', 'Hello', 'Hi']
Most
Most matches ['Mostafa Saad', 'Mostafa Ziad']
MOST
Not found
```

Problem #4: Filter Duplicates!

- Write function: `def filter_duplicates_preserve_order(lst):`
 - Input is list of list of integers
 - Output: A new list after removing all duplicate lists
 - You must **preserve the input order**
 - Use a Dict

```
def filter_duplicates_preserve_order(lst):...  
  
if __name__ == '__main__':  
    print(filter_duplicates_preserve_order([[7, 1], [2, 4],  
                                           [7, 1], [5, 2], [2, 4]]))
```

```
[[7, 1], [2, 4], [5, 2]]
```

“Acquire knowledge and impart it to the people.”

“Seek knowledge from the Cradle to the Grave.”