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# Factorial of a number using recursion

def recur_factorial(n):
    if n == 1:
        return n

else:
        return n * recur_factorial(n - 1)

num = 8

# check if the number is negative
    if num
    < 0:
        print("Sorry, factorial does not exist for negative numbers")
elif num == 0:
        print("The factorial of 0 is 1")
else:
        print("The factorial of",
num, "is", recur_factorial(num))</pre>
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