

Python Exercises

1. Given a string name = "John Doe", check if it starts with the letter 'J'.
2. Given two integers a=7 and b=3, check if a is divisible by b.
3. Given a float x=-3.14, check if it is positive or negative.
4. Given a list numbers=[1, 2, 3, 4, 5], find the sum of all elements in the list.
5. Given a dictionary person, add a new key-value pair for the person's occupation.

Solutions

1. Given a string name, check if it starts with the letter 'J'.

```
name = "John Doe"
if name[0] == "J":
    print("The name starts with the letter 'J'")
else:
    print("The name does not start with the letter 'J'")
```

2. Given two integers a and b, check if a is divisible by b.

```
a = 6
b = 3
if a % b == 0:
    print(f"{a} is divisible by {b}")
else:
    print(f"{a} is not divisible by {b}")
```

3. Given a float x, check if it is positive or negative.

```
x = -3.14
if x >= 0:
    print(f"{x} is positive")
else:
    print(f"{x} is negative")
```

4. Given a list numbers, find the sum of all elements in the list.

```
numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
sum = 0
for num in numbers:
    sum += num
print(f"The sum of elements in the list is {sum}")
```

5. Given a dictionary person, add a new key-value pair for the person's occupation.

```
person = {"first_name": "John", "last_name": "Doe", "age": 30}
person["occupation"] = "Data Scientist"
print(person) # Output: {'first_name': 'John', 'last_name': 'Doe', 'age': 30, 'occupation': 'Data Scientist'}
```

