

General Instructions: Do not copy-paste from this file to terminal. If you have doubts, contact the instructors or TAs. And do not panic!

- The first two tasks in this worksheet require you to use Python3 shell. You need to copy paste your work (commands and outputs) to a file using gedit or nano.
 - The last few problems in this worksheet will require you to write a program.
 - You should keep all your files in CS1101/ws04 folder.
 - Use gedit or nano to type your programs.
 - The name of the programs should be prob-n.py for nth problem.
 - Save the output of your program in a text file prob-n-output.txt.
 - After you finish, create an archive of the folder ws04 with name ws04-idnumber.tgz and upload in WeLearn.
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- Open gedit.
- Open a terminal and start the python shell.
- Complete the next two tasks given below in the python shell in your terminal.
- You will copy-paste the python commands and the corresponding outputs in gedit and save the file as prob-N.txt where N is the number of the task. For each task you need to save one file.

- Task 1: *Exploring conditions*

1. Type **python3** to start a python shell
2. Let, **a = 0.0** and **b = 3//5**
3. Check the output of **a == b**.
4. Check the output of **a is b**.
5. Check the output of **a == b and a is b**. Explain your observation.
6. Type the following in the shell using appropriate indentations

```
a = 0; b = 20; k = 0
while a < b:
    b = b - 3
    k += 1
print(k-1)
```

7. What is the significance of the final printed value?
8. Divisibility: check whether a given integer n is an exact multiple (integer division yields an integer and no remainder) of another number m . Try **$n \% m == 0$** as a test?
9. Save the gedit contents as prob-1.txt

• Task 2: *List comprehension and loops and breaks*

1. Type the following in a python shell

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[n for n in range(20) if n%2==0]
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2. The above prints the even numbers in the range 0 to 19.

3. Generate a list of numbers having values 2^n where n is from 0 to 20 and is multiple of 3.

4. Use a **for** loop to print numbers from 1 to 20.

5. Break the loop **if** the loop counter is 7.

6. Try the following in a python shell:

```
a = 0; k = 1
while 2**k < 20:
    a += 2**k
    k += 1
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print(a, k)
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7. The above loop tries to evaluate $\sum_k 2^k$ for all k which satisfies $2^k < 20$.

8. Modify the loop to evaluate $\sum_k 2^k/k$ for all k which satisfies $2^k < 20$.

9. Save the gedit contents as prob-2.txt

4. Write a program that takes an integer (a) from the user and then finds the largest positive integer k for which $2^k < a$.

5. A prime number is an integer divisible only by one and itself. How do we check whether a number n is prime? To check if n is divisible by another number q , we can check if $p \% q == 0$. Now notice that for a generally divisible non-prime number (say, 36) we have

$$36 = 2 \times 18$$

$$36 = 3 \times 12$$

$$36 = 4 \times 9$$

$$36 = 6 \times 6$$

$$36 = 9 \times 4$$

$$36 = 12 \times 3$$

$$36 = 18 \times 2$$

We notice, that after 6 (i.e., $\sqrt{36}$) we do not have a new pair. As such, we need not check for q beyond \sqrt{n} . Now, write a program to take an integer from a user and check whether it is prime. Try to use a **while** loop to implement it.

6. We have seen that the statement **a, b = p, q** assigns the values of p and q to a and b . So, **a, b = b, a** will swap (interchange) the values of a and b . Using this trick, write a program to generate all Fibonacci numbers below a given cutoff (taken from the user). Check the previous worksheet for the definitions of Fibonacci numbers.