

HW1_Notebook

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1 Stats 21: Homework 1

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I've started the homework file for you. You'll need to fill in the rest with your answers. My encouragement is to use the keyboard shortcuts as much as possible and use the mouse as little as possible while working the Jupyter Notebook.

After you complete the homework with your answers, go to the menu and choose Kernel > Restart & Run All. Go through the document to **make sure all requested output is visible**. You will not get credit for problems where the requested output is not visible, even if the function you coded is correct.

When you are satisfied with the output, choose File > Download As ... > PDF or HTML. If you choose to save as HTML, you'll then need to "Print as PDF". Submit the PDF to Gradescope.

Again, you must make sure all requested output is visible to receive full credit.

2 Task 1

Create an account on GitHub.

Change your profile picture. Ideally, use photo of yourself that would be appropriate for a resume. If you are not comfortable with the idea of using a photo of yourself, use any other image that is suitable for a workplace environment.

Create a repository on GitHub (other than the forked class notes repository). Make at least two additional commits to the repository and push them to GitHub.

Provide a link to your repository here.

2.1 Your Answer:

Link to your repository: <https://github.com/aaronradparvar/homework-1/tree/main>

3 Problem 2

An important part of programming is learning to interpret error messages and understanding what correction needs to be made.

Read and familiarize yourself with the following error messages.

Explain the error. Then duplicate each cell and correct the error. The first problem has been done for you as an example.

```
[8]: # A
print("Hello World"
```

```
File "<ipython-input-8-41ea49db4490>", line 2
    print("Hello World"
      ^
SyntaxError: unexpected EOF while parsing
```

Answer: The `print()` function is missing the closing parenthesis. This results in an unexpected EOF error.

```
[1]: # A corrected:
print("Hello World")
```

Hello World

```
[10]: # B
print("Hello")
      print("Goodbye")
```

```
File "<ipython-input-10-7ba5ff192526>", line 3
    print("Goodbye")
      ^
IndentationError: unexpected indent
```

Answer: the indent for `print("Goodbye")` violates the syntax rules of jupyter lab and results in an unexpected indent error where the function will not run

```
[2]: # B corrected:
print("Hello")
print("Goodbye")
```

Hello
Goodbye

```
[ ]: # C
x = 10
if x > 8
    print("x is greater than 8")
```

Answer : After the if statement `if x > 8` is called, a colon needs to be added to denote the if statement and recognize its relation to the `print()` command. Failing to do so results in a invalid syntax error

```
[3]: # C corrected
x = 10
if x > 8:
    print("x is greater than 8")
```

x is greater than 8

```
[ ]: # D
if x = 10:
    print("x is equal to 10")
```

Answer: in `if x =10` a single equal sign is not enough to establish a logical condition required for a if statement. Two equal signs `==` to prevent the invalid syntax error

```
[4]: # D Corrected :
if x == 10:
    print("x is equal to 10")
```

x is equal to 10

```
[ ]: # E
x = 5
if x == 5:
    print("x is five")
```

Answer: the command `print("x is five")` requires an indentation to denote its relationship to the if statement written above it.

```
[5]: # E Corrceted :
x = 5
if x == 5:
    print("x is five")
```

x is five

```
[ ]: # F
l = [1, 2, 50, 10]
l = sort(l)
```

Answer: `sort()` is not a defined function in any loaded library which will numerically sort the list `l`. Instead, use the loaded function `sorted()` . Note: If this was R, `sort()` would have been the correct function to use

```
[6]: # F Corrected :
l = [1, 2, 50, 10]
```

```
l = sorted(l)
print(l)
```

[1, 2, 10, 50]

4 Problem 3

Use Python as a calculator. Enter the appropriate calculation in a cell and be sure the output value is visible.

A. How many seconds are there in 42 minutes 42 seconds?

```
[7]: minutes = 42
      seconds = 42
      total_seconds = minutes*60 + seconds
      print(total_seconds)
```

2562

B. There are 1.61 kilometers in a mile. How many miles are there in 10 kilometers?

```
[8]: total_miles = 10/1.61
      print(total_miles)
```

6.211180124223602

C. If you run a 10 kilometer race in 42 minutes 42 seconds, what is your average 1-mile pace (time to complete 1 mile in minutes and seconds)? What is your average speed in miles per hour?

```
[9]: import math
      speed_per_mi = ((total_seconds/10)*1.61)/60
      speed_per_mi_minutes = str(math.modf(speed_per_mi)[1])
      speed_per_mi_seconds = str(math.prod([math.modf(speed_per_mi)[0], 60]))

      print("The average 1 mile pace is " + speed_per_mi_minutes + " Minutes and " +
            ↪ speed_per_mi_seconds + " seconds")

      mph = str(60/speed_per_mi)

      print("the average speed in mph is " + mph)
```

The average 1 mile pace is 6.0 Minutes and 52.482000000000004 seconds
the average speed in mph is 8.727653570337614

5 Problem 4

Write functions for the following problems.

A. The volume of a sphere with radius r is

$$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$$

Write a function `sphere_volume(r)` that will accept a radius as an argument and return the volume.

```
[10]: def sphere_volume(r):  
      vol = (4/3)*math.pi*(r**3)  
      return vol
```

- Use the function to find the volume of a sphere with radius 5.
- Use the function to find the volume of a sphere with radius 15.

```
[11]: sphere_volume(5)
```

```
[11]: 523.5987755982989
```

```
[12]: sphere_volume(15)
```

```
[12]: 14137.166941154068
```

B. Suppose the cover price of a book is \$24.95, but bookstores get a 40% discount. Shipping costs \$3 for the first copy and 75 cents for each additional copy.

Write a function `wholesale_cost(books)` that accepts an argument for the number of books and will return the total cost of the books plus shipping.

```
[13]: def wholesale_cost(books):  
      book_cost = (books*24.95) * .6  
      shipping = 3 + ((books-1)*.75)  
      total = book_cost+shipping  
      return total
```

- Use the function to find the total wholesale cost for 60 copies.
- Use the function to find the total wholesale cost for 10 copies.

```
[14]: wholesale_cost(60)
```

```
[14]: 945.4499999999999
```

```
[15]: wholesale_cost(10)
```

```
[15]: 159.45
```

C. A person runs several miles. The first and last miles are run at an ‘easy’ pace. Other than the first and last miles, the other miles are at a faster pace.

Write a function `run_time(miles, warm_pace, fast_pace)` to calculate the time the runner will take. The function accepts three input arguments: how many miles the runner travels (minimum value is 2), the warm-up and cool-down pace, the fast pace. The function will print the time in the format minutes:seconds, and will return a tuple of values: (minutes, seconds)

Use the function to find the time to run a total of 5 miles. The warm-up pace is 8:15 per mile. The speed pace is 7:12 per mile.

Call the function using: `run_time(miles = 5, warm_pace = 495, fast_pace = 432)`

```
[16]: def run_time(miles, warm_pace, fast_pace):
      if miles < 2:
          print("invalid input. total miles run must be at least 2")
          return
      else:
          total_warm = warm_pace*2
          total_fast = (miles-2)*fast_pace
          total_time = total_warm + total_fast
          minutes = total_time//60
          seconds = total_time%60
          print(str(minutes)+":"+f'{seconds:02}')
          return minutes,seconds
```

```
[17]: run_time(miles = 5, warm_pace = 495, fast_pace = 432)
```

38:06

```
[17]: (38, 6)
```

Another important skill is to be able to read

Now look up the function `str.split()` at <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str.split>

Adjust the function so that the call can be made with minutes and seconds:

```
run_time(miles = 5, warm_pace = "8:15", fast_pace = "7:12")
```

```
[18]: def run_time(miles, warm_pace, fast_pace):
      if miles < 2:
          print("invalid input. total miles run must be at least 2")
          return
      else:
          warm_pace = int(warm_pace.split(':')[0])*60 + int(warm_pace.split(':
      ↪')[1])
```

```

    fast_pace = int(fast_pace.split(':')[0])*60 + int(fast_pace.split(':
↪') [1])
    total_warm = warm_pace*2
    total_fast = (miles-2)*fast_pace
    total_time = total_warm + total_fast
    minutes = total_time//60
    seconds = total_time%60
    print(str(minutes)+":"+f'{seconds:02}')
    return minutes,seconds

```

```
[19]: run_time(miles = 5, warm_pace = "8:15", fast_pace = "7:12")
```

38:06

```
[19]: (38, 6)
```

6 Problem 5

Use `import math` to gain access to the math library.

Create a function `polar(real, imaginary)` that will return the polar coordinates of a complex number.

The input arguments are the real and imaginary components of a complex number. The function will return a tuple of values: the value of the radius `r` and the angle `theta`.

For a refresher, see: <https://ptolemy.berkeley.edu/eecs20/sidebars/complex/polar.html>

Show the results for the following complex numbers:

- $1 + i$
- $-2 - 3i$
- $4 + 2i$

```
[20]: import math
def polar(real, imaginary):
    r = math.sqrt((real**2)+(imaginary**2))
    theta = math.atan(imaginary/real)
    return r, theta

```

```
[21]: polar(1,1)
```

```
[21]: (1.4142135623730951, 0.7853981633974483)
```

```
[22]: polar(-2,-3)
```

```
[22]: (3.605551275463989, 0.982793723247329)
```

```
[23]: polar(4,2)
```

```
[23]: (4.47213595499958, 0.4636476090008061)
```

7 Problem 6

Define a function called `insert_into(listname, index, iterable)`. It will accept three arguments, a currently existing list, an index, and another list/tuple that will be inserted at the index position.

Python's built-in function, `list.insert()` can only insert one object.

```
[24]: # write your code here
def insert_into(listname, index, iterable):
    return listname[:index]+iterable+listname[index:]
```

```
[25]: # do not modify. We will check this result for grading
l = [0, 'a', 'b', 'c', 4, 5, 6]
i = ['hello', 'there']
insert_into(l, 3, i)
```

```
[25]: [0, 'a', 'b', 'hello', 'there', 'c', 4, 5, 6]
```

8 Problem 7

Define a function called `first_equals_last(listname)`

It will accept a list as an argument. It will return `True` if the first and last elements are equal and the if the list has a length greater than 1. It will return `False` for all other cases.

```
[26]: # write your function here
def first_equals_last(listname):
    if len(listname) <= 1:
        return False
    elif listname[0] == listname[len(listname)-1]:
        return True
    else:
        return False
```



```
[27]: # do not modify. We will check this result for grading
a = [1,2,3]
first_equals_last(a)
```

[27]: False

```
[28]: # do not modify. We will check this result for grading
b = ['hello', 'goodbye', 'hello']
first_equals_last(b)
```

[28]: True

```
[29]: # do not modify. We will check this result for grading
c = [1,2,3,'1']
first_equals_last(c)
```

[29]: False

```
[30]: # do not modify. We will check this result for grading
d = [[1,2],[3,2],[1,2]]
first_equals_last(d)
```

[30]: True

```
[31]: [1,2] is [1,2]
```

[31]: False