ASSIGNMENT EXCEPTION HANDLING

1. What is an exception in Python ? What is the difference between Exceptions and Syntax errors?

Ans. Error in Python can be of two types i.e. [Syntax errors and Exceptions](https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/errors-and-exceptions-in-python/). Errors are problems in a program due to which the program will stop the execution. On the other hand, exceptions are raised when some internal events occur which change the normal flow of the program.

**Different types of exceptions in python:**

In Python, there are several built-in exceptions that can be raised when an error occurs during the execution of a program. Here are some of the most common types of exceptions in Python:

* **SyntaxError:** This exception is raised when the interpreter encounters a syntax error in the code, such as a misspelled keyword, a missing colon, or an unbalanced parenthesis.
* **TypeError**: This exception is raised when an operation or function is applied to an object of the wrong type, such as adding a string to an integer.
* **NameError**: This exception is raised when a variable or function name is not found in the current scope.
* **IndexError**: This exception is raised when an index is out of range for a list, tuple, or other sequence types.
* **KeyError**: This exception is raised when a key is not found in a dictionary.
* **ValueError**: This exception is raised when a function or method is called with an invalid argument or input, such as trying to convert a string to an integer when the string does not represent a valid integer.
* **AttributeError**: This exception is raised when an attribute or method is not found on an object, such as trying to access a non-existent attribute of a class instance.
* **IOError**: This exception is raised when an I/O operation, such as reading or writing a file, fails due to an input/output error.
* **ZeroDivisionError**: This exception is raised when an attempt is made to divide a number by zero.
* **ImportError**: This exception is raised when an import statement fails to find or load a module.

## 2. What happens when an exception is not handled in Python?

Python has many built-in exceptions which forces your program to output an error when something in it goes wrong. When these exceptions occur, it causes the current process to stop and passes it to the calling process until it is handled. If not handled, our program will crash.

3. which Python statement is used to catch and handle exception in Python ?

Ans. Try and except statements are used to catch and handle exceptions in Python. Statements that can raise exceptions are kept inside the try clause and the statements that handle the exception are written inside except clause.

**Example:**Let us try to access the array element whose index is out of bound and handle the corresponding exception.

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| # Python program to handle simple runtime error  #Python 3    a **=** [1, 2, 3]  **try**:  **print** ("Second element = %d" **%**(a[1]))        # Throws error since there are only 3 elements in array  **print** ("Fourth element = %d" **%**(a[3]))    **except**:      print ("An error occurred") |

**Output**

Second element = 2

An error occurred

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| # Python program to demonstrate try, except and finally    # No exception Exception raised in try block  **try**:      k **=** 5**//**0  # raises divide by zero exception.      print(k)    # handles zerodivision exception  **except** ZeroDivisionError:  **print**("Can't divide by zero")    **finally**:      # this block is always executed      # regardless of exception generation.      print('This is always executed') |

**Output:**

Can't divide by zero

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These are just a few examples of the many types of exceptions that can occur in Python. It’s important to handle exceptions properly in your code using try-except blocks or other error-handling techniques, in order to gracefully handle errors and prevent the program from crashing.