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    CS241 Homework 05
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     # The strategy is that for every opening brace that I put on the stack,
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     # there should be a closing brace that matches it to pop off.
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    # So, if I have { [ ( ) ] }
     # Then I will push {, [, and (onto the stack.
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     \mbox{\tt\#} When I see a closing ), then I should see a
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     # ( popped off the stack. If I get something else,
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     # then the the braces are not ordered properly. If the
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     # stack is empty, then I'm missing a brace.
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    filename = input("File: ")
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    braces = []
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    balanced = True
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    with open(filename, "r") as fileIn:
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        for brace in fileIn: # Read each line
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           brace = brace.strip() # Remove whitespace
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           if (brace == "{") or (brace == "(") or (brace == "["):
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              braces.append(brace) # Push open brace onto the stack
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           else:
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              if (len(braces) == 0): # Close brace received but empty stack
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                 balanced = False
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                 break
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              # Pop off stack and check for mismatch between open and close brace
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              prev_brace = braces.pop()
              if (((brace == "}") and (prev_brace != "{")) or
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                  ((brace == ")") and (prev_brace != "(")) or
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                  ((brace == "]") and (prev_brace != "["))):
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                 balanced = False
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                 break
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     # Stack should now be empty. If it is not, then not balanced.
     if (len(braces) != 0) or (not balanced):
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        print("Not balanced")
     else:
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        print("Balanced")
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