Using Flask Restful Services

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Abstract

You are required to implement a flask client to the flask server, whose IP address and port number will be given during the lab. Your task is to find the 64-bit secret unsigned integer by querying the flask server. The further details are given in the subsequent sections of this document.

1 Flask Server

The server endpoint is named "number_game". It keeps a uniformly randomly generated 64-bit unsigned integer. When queried with a guess which is an integer value, it returns three string values:

- "success": the guess is correct
- "greater": the secret number is greater than the guess
- "smaller": the secret number is smaller than the guess

The IP address and the port number of the server will be provided by your TAs during the lab.

2 Flask Client

You need to develop a flask client that sends queries to the server using the "get" method. Your client can send as many queries as necessary to find the secret key. When it recover the secret key, your program prints it and terminates.

3 Notes

- You are required to work alone.
- Compress your Python code using winzip, name it as "cs403-534_assign02_yourname.zip" and submit it to SUCourse.