

In problems 1a-1c and 4a-4c, we can store a simplified **Scooter Rental** database as a nested **dict**. The **outer dict** has keys (**str**) that are scooter names: e.g., **'s1'**, each associated with an **inner dict** whose keys are **date 2-tuples** (month: 1-12 followed by day in the month: 1-31), each associated with a **list** of **3-tuples**: the renter's **name (str)**, the **minutes** rented (**int**), the **feet** travelled (**int**). For example, a small database has the form:

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```

1a. (6 pts) Write a function named **rentals**: it takes two arguments: **db** (a Scooter Rental database) and **date (2-tuple)** in the form (**month,day**); assume -don't check whether- it is a legal one). The **rentals** function returns the total number of rentals on that **date**. **Requirement:** You must write the body of this function as **one return statement**, but you can use **multiple lines** to write that statement clearly.

```
def rentals (db : {str: {(int,int): [(str,int,int)]}}, date : (int,int)) -> int:
```

1b. (6 pts) Write a function named **by_month**: it takes one argument: **db** (a Scooter Rental database). It returns a dictionary (**dict** or **defaultdict**) whose keys are months (**int**: 1-12) and whose associated values are the sum (**int**) of the **feet** travelled for all rentals in that month. There are **no statement requirements** for this problem. Hint: don't iterate over the 12 months; naturally process months by iterating over the **db**.

```
def by_month (db : {str: {(int,int): [(str,int,int)]}}) -> {int:int}:
```

1c. (8 pts) Write a function named **by_name**: it takes one argument: **db** (a Scooter Rental database). It returns a **sorted list** of renter names (**str**). These names are sorted in **decreasing order** by the **number of rentals (int)** for each renter; and if two renters have the same number of rentals, they appear in decreasing order of the **feet (int) they travelled**. There are **no statement requirements** for this problem. Hint: Solve this problem similarly to 1b, by building a useful dictionary, associating each renter name with data that are useful for sorting.

```
def by_name (db : {str: {(int,int): [(str,int,int)]}}) -> [str]:
```

2a. (6 pts) In the **Match?** column in the table below, circle whether or not the Regular Expression (RE) pattern string `"^x([ab]?c)*(x+)$"` matches each of the following test strings

String #	Test String	Match?
1	"xxx"	(see answer sheet)
2	"xxxxcx"	(see answer sheet)
3	"xacbcxx"	(see answer sheet)
4	"xaacxx"	(see answer sheet)
5	"x"	(see answer sheet)
6	"xaax"	(see answer sheet)
7	"xcacbcxx"	(see answer sheet)

2b. (9 pts) Recall that the **sub** (substitute) function in the **re** module is defined like

```
def sub(re_pattern : str, rep_func : callable, text : str) -> str:
```

It searches **text** for substrings matching **re_pattern**; for every substring that it finds, it replaces it with the result of calling **rep_func**, supplying the resulting match object as its argument.

For example `re.sub(r"a\d", (lambda m : "A#"), "a5bcayza7")` returns `"A#bcayzA#"`: every occurrence of **a** followed by any digit is replaced by `"A#"`. We don't use `^` or `$` in this pattern, because the pattern can match anywhere in **text**. Here **rep_func** is a simple **lambda** that **does not use** the match object it is passed, but **m** is **bound to the match object** so the **match object** could have been used inside the **lambda**.

We define a **big-number-list (BNL)** as a sequence of any number (including 0: none) of **two(or more)-digit integers** that are **unsigned** and appear between `<` and `>`; integers are separated by commas (,) and there are **no spaces** inside the **BNL**. For example, `<>` is a **BNL**; so is `<22>`; so is `<237,42,128>`. But `<87,5>` is not a **BNL** because 5 has only one digit. Recall that the characters `<` and `>` have no special meaning in RE.

Define a **pattern** and **rep_func** below, so the call `re.sub(pattern, rep_func, text)` replaces every **BNL** in **text** by its number of digits inside the `<>`. For example `re.sub(pattern, rep_func, 'By processing <237,42,128> and <>')` returns the substituted string `'By processing <8> and <0>'`

Hint: recall that if an option is discarded in a RE, then its match group is **None**, not an empty string.

```
pattern =
```

```
def rep_func(mo) -> str :    #mo is the match object for each time pattern matches in text
```

3. (15 pts) When we take a measurement that might include errors, we might record its value as $7.5 \pm .25$ (meaning a measured value of 7.5 **plus or minus the error bound .25**); we can also represent this same measurement as an interval 7.25 to 7.75 meaning a measurement somewhere between these two values: a number that is ≥ 7.25 and ≤ 7.75 . In this problem we will represent measurements in this second form: whose first number represents the lowest value the measurement can be, and whose second number represents the highest value the measurement can be: the first number must always be \leq the second: note that an interval of 7.5 to 7.5 is legal: it means a measurement that is an exact value: its error bound is ± 0 .

The following class defines `__init__` for a **Measurement** from two numbers (either **int** or **float**). For example, to represent the measurement above, we can define `m = Measurement(7.25,7.75)`. In the class below, **(a)** define the method called by the **repr** function, **(b)** define the method called by the **<** operator to work for two **Measurement** objects: **a < b** is **True** if the highest possible value of **a** is less than the lowest possible value of **b**, and **(c)** overload the **addition** operator so that we can add two **Measurements** and can also add a **Measurement** and an **exact value** (**int** or **float**): the **Measurement** can appear on either side of the **exact value**. Note that **addition is commutative**. Attempting to add any other type to a **Measurement** should fail.

Adding two **Measurements** results in a **Measurement**: adding **Measurement(a,b)** to **Measurement(c,d)** results in **Measurement(a+c,b+d)**: adding its lowest and highest numbers. Adding a **Measurement** and an **exact value** results in a **Measurement**: adding **Measurement(a,b)** to **exact value v** results in **Measurement(a+v,b+v)**: adding the **exact value** to both the lowest and highest numbers; or, think of an **exact value v** as **Measurement(v,v)**: a **Measurement** that is exact: its lowest and highest numbers are the same.

```
class Measurement:
    def __init__(self,low,high):
        assert low<=high, f'Measurement.__init__: low({low})>high({high}) '
        self.low = low
        self.high = high

# a) overload the method called by repr

# b) overload the method called by < assuming both objects are Measurements

# c) overload + allowing Measurement + Measurement, Measurement + int or float, and
#     int or float + Measurement; addition fails for any other combinations
```

4. (15 pts) We can store a simplified **Scooter Rental** database as a nested **dict**. The **outer dict** has keys (**str**) that are scooter names: e.g., **'s1'**, each associated with an **inner dict** whose keys are **date 2-tuples** (month: 1-12 followed by day in the month: 1-31), each associated with a **list of 3-tuples**: the renter's **name (str)**, the **minutes** rented (**int**), the **feet** travelled (**int**). For example, a small database has the form:

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Define the **Scooter_DB** class; it is initialized with a **list of 5-tuples**, of the form **('s1', (11,6), 'Amy',10,2000)**: representing all the information needed for one rental,. In its **__init__** method, it creates a **db attribute** to store such values in a nested dictionary (**dict** or **defaultdict**) of the form shown above, creating **no other attributes** for **Scooter_DB** objects. Assume **sdb = Scooter_DB(...)**

- Write the **__contains__** method to determine whether or not a specified person has ever rented a specified scooter: e.g., checking whether **('Bob','s1')** in **sdb**. The first argument should be a **2-tuple** with the renter's name followed by the scooter's name. If either name is not in the Scooter Database; return **False**.
- Overload the **__getitem__** method so that **s[date]** returns a **list of 3-tuples** containing all rentals on that **date** in the database: **sdb[(11,6)]** returns a **list** containing (in any order) **[('Amy',10,2000), ('Bob',8,1500), ('Bob',7,1500), ('Gil',20,400), ('Dan',17,3500), ('Eva',15,1800)]**
- Overload the **__delitem__** method so that **del sdb[date]** deletes all rentals on that **date** from the **Scooter_DB** object. Recall that trying to **del** a key not in a dictionary raises a **KeyError** exception.

When **sdb[11,6]** is translated the **date** argument is bound to the **2-tuple (11,6)**.

```
class Scooter_DB:
    def __init__(self,rentals):
        ... code to initialize self.db into nested dict form shown above
```

5. (5 pts) Answer each question directly, in one sentence.

5a1. (2 pts) How does Python recognize that code is a generator function?

5a2. (1 pts) When a generator function is called, what does it return?

5a3. (2 pts) When is the first statement in a generator function's body executed?

5b. (5 pts) Write the **no_same_adjacent** iterator decorator as a generator function: it has one parameter, **iterable**. It produces each value in **iterable**, but never the same value **twice in a row** (always producing the first value because there was no value before it). For example, calling **list(no_same_adjacent('aaaabaccd'))** returns **['a', 'b', 'a', 'c', 'd']**: note each value is different from the one before it; the **a** appears twice but not **in a row**. **Requirement:** write this generator function using a **for** loop: use no **while** loops; you can define local variables, but cannot create any new data structures.

```
def no_same_adjacent (iterable):
```

5c. (5 pts) Write the **pairs** iterator decorator as a generator function: it has one parameter, **iterable**. It produces a **2-tuple** that is the first two values in the **iterable**, then the second, two, etc. For example, calling **list(pairs('abcd'))** returns **[('a','b'), ('c','d')]**. If there are an odd number of values in **iterable**, it ultimately returns a **2-tuple** with the last value followed by **None**: **list(pairs('abcde'))** returns **[('a','b'), ('c','d'), ('a',None)]**. Also, **None** may appear in **iterable**: calling **list(pairs([None,None,None]))** returns **[(None,None), (None,None)]**. Recall that well-behaved generator functions **return** instead of raising a **StopIteration** exception. **Requirement:** write this generator function using a **while** loop: use no **for** loops; you can define local variables, but cannot create any new data structures.

```
def pairs(iterable):
```

6a. (4 pts) Indicate the **places** where Python looks, in the **order** in which it looks at them, to **locate the value bound to a name *n*** used inside some **function body** (not an attribute of an object; for attributes see 6b). Assume no special declarations (e.g., no **nonlocal**) about the name in the function. You do not need to fill in all blanks for full credit.

(1st)

(2nd)

(3rd)

(4th)

(5th)

6b. (4 pts) Indicate the **places** where Python looks, in the **order** in which it looks at them, to **locate the value bound to an attribute** of an object ***o***. You do not need to fill in all blanks for full credit.

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(2nd)

(3rd)

(4th)

(5th)

6c (7 pts) Answer each question in one sentence.

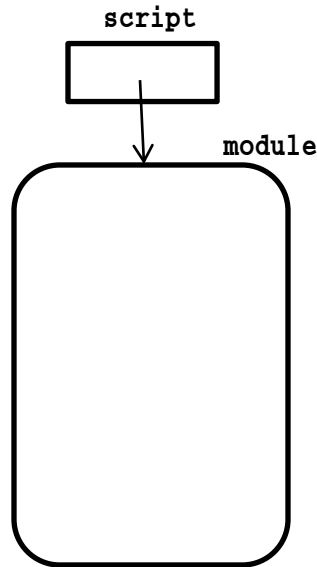
6c1. (3 pts) How can we control the meaning of an operator applied to an object constructed from a class we write?

6c2. (2 pts) When a method is called on an object, how does Python determine in which class the method is defined?

6c3. (2 pts) In what fundamental way does Python treat ***x* + *y*** different than ***y* + *x***? Hint: think about something interesting you can say about objects ***x*** and ***y***.

7a. (5 pts). Draw an appropriate box/oval/arrow picture that illustrates the following computation. All definitions occur in the module **script**. Label all boxes/variables with the name of the variable; label all ovals/objects with the name of its type. If a reference is changed, cross out the old reference and write in the new one.

```
x = [0,0]
y = [x,x[0]]
x[1] = y
x[1][0][0] = x[1]
x[0][1] = '2'
```



7b. (5 pts) Write a function named **of_all**, which takes any number of arguments that each refer to a function object: assume each function object takes **one argument** and returns an **int**; The **of_all** function **returns a function** that takes one argument; when called it returns the **sum** of all the values produced by the function objects passed as arguments to **of_all**. For example, if we write **oa = of_all (lambda x : x+1, lambda x : 2*x)** then calling **oa(3)** returns 10 because 3+1 is 4 and 2*3 is 6 and the **sum** of 4 and 6 is 10.

Mistake on the Answer Sheet. Write the function header and its body on the answer sheet.

7c. (5 pts) The following code (lines are numbered) is **WRONG**. It is supposed to print **d**'s keys and their values in decreasing order of the values (see box on the right for correct output). Carefully examine the code.

```
1. d = {'a': 1, 'b': 3, 'c' : 2}
2. sorted_d = sorted(d.items(), key = lambda x : -x[1] )
3. for k,v in sorted_d.items():
4.     print(k,v)
```

Output should be:

```
b 3
c 2
a 1
```

(1) Explain where Python detects that something is wrong when executing this code. Explain what is wrong.

(2) Rewrite one line above (label it 1-4) so that the code produces the correct output: rewrite only one line.