# **Python**

# Python and R for Data Science

Data Science and Management



## Exercise 1: find number of unique characters

Define a function count\_uniq that:

- takes as arguments:
  - a string s
- returns:
  - the number of unique characters in s

In [6]: # Solution goes here

Run this code to test your solution:

```
In [7]: try: assert count_uniq("test") == 3 and count_uniq("Aejeje") == 3 and not print("
 except: print('Test failed')
```

# Exercise 2: remove duplicates

Define a function remove\_duplicates that:

- takes as arguments:
  - a list s of strings
- returns:
  - a copy of s without duplicate elements

In [6]: # Solution goes here

Run this code to test your solution:

```
In [7]: try: assert remove_duplicates(["test", "luiss", "data", "test", "science"]) == ["
 except: print('Test failed')
```

#### Exercise 3: find common elements

Define a function common\_elements that:

- takes as arguments:
  - a set s of strings
  - a set k of strings
- returns:
  - a list containing all common elements between s and k

In [8]: # Solution goes here

Run this code to test your solution:

```
In [9]:
 friend1_companies = {'Google', 'Amazon', 'Apple', 'Microsoft'}
 friend2_companies = {'Facebook', 'Google', 'Tesla', 'Amazon'}
 try: assert common_elements(friend1_companies, friend2_companies) == {'Google', 'except: print('Test failed')
```

Test passed

# Exercise 4: count word frequency

Define a function word\_freq that:

- takes as arguments:
  - a string s
- returns:
  - a dictionary containing as key each word in sand as value the count of that

Count the word case-insensitive.

```
In [12]: # Solution goes here
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Run this code to test your solution:

```
In [13]: try: assert word_freq("Python is fun and learning Python is fun") == {'python': 2
except: print('Test failed')
```

# Exercise 5: track voting results

Define a function update\_votes that:

- takes as arguments:
  - a dictionary votes having as key names of candidates and as value the number of votes received by each one of them
  - a list new\_votes of names of candidates
- returns:
  - the votes dictionary updated with the new votes received

In [15]: # Solution goes here

Run this code to test your solution:

```
In [16]:
 votes = {
     'Alice': 120,
     'Bob': 150,
     'Charlie': 90
 }

 new_votes = ['Alice', 'Charlie', 'Charlie', 'Bob', 'Alice', 'Alice']
 try: assert update_votes(votes, new_votes) == {'Alice': 123, 'Bob': 151, 'Charlie except: print('Test failed')
```