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1. What is the purpose of a function in Python?

a) To execute a single line of code

b) To store and organize code for reuse

c) To print output to the console

d) To import code from external modules

Answer: b) To store and organize code for reuse

1. What is the syntax for defining a function in Python?

a) def function\_name(parameters):

b) function function\_name(parameters):

c) function\_name(parameters):

d) function(parameters) def function\_name:

Answer: a) def function\_name(parameters):

1. What are arbitrary or variable arguments in Python functions?

a) Arguments that can be passed in any order

b) Arguments that must be passed in a specific order

c) Arguments that can have any value

d) Arguments that can have any number of values

Answer: d) Arguments that can have any number of values

1. What is the purpose of the return statement in a Python function?

a) To exit the function

b) To print output to the console

c) To assign a value to a variable

d) To return a value from the function

Answer: d) To return a value from the function

1. What is a keyword argument in a Python function?

a) An argument that must be passed in a specific order

b) An argument that can have any value

c) An argument that can be passed by name

d) An argument that is optional

Answer: c) An argument that can be passed by name

1. What is the purpose of the \*args parameter in a Python function definition?

a) To specify a required argument

b) To accept an arbitrary number of positional arguments

c) To accept an arbitrary number of keyword arguments

d) To specify a default value for an argument

Answer: b) To accept an arbitrary number of positional arguments

1. What is the purpose of the \*\*kwargs parameter in a Python function definition?

a) To specify a required argument

b) To accept an arbitrary number of positional arguments

c) To accept an arbitrary number of keyword arguments

d) To specify a default value for an argument

Answer: c) To accept an arbitrary number of keyword arguments

1. What is the purpose of the format method in Python strings?

a) To assign a value to a variable

b) To print output to the console

c) To format a string with placeholders

d) To return a value from a function

Answer: c) To format a string with placeholders

1. What is the syntax for invoking the format method with keyword arguments in Python?

a) string.format(\*args)

b) string.format(\*\*kwargs)

c) string.format(key=value)

d) string.format(key=value, \*args)

Answer: c) string.format(key=value)

1. What is the purpose of the zip function in Python?

a) To merge two lists into a dictionary

b) To iterate over multiple lists in parallel

c) To reverse the order of a list

d) To sort a list in descending order

Answer: b) To iterate over multiple lists in parallel