

Task 8: Create a Python Program to Calculate Factorial

DESCRIPTION:

- This is the description of Task-8 of my python internship at Happieloop.
- Here, the task is to implement a function to print the **Factorial of a given Number**.
- This task is simple and can be developed using recursion.
- I have created a file named **task8.py** and developed the code according to the requirements of the task.
- I have developed the code using the **factorial()** function for the code.
- I have implemented this code in Visual Studio Code(Source code editor) and executed the code in the Terminal of the VS Code Editor.
- Now coming to the code I have written, firstly let me define what is **Recursion**.
- **Recursion** refers to the process in which a function calls itself as a subroutine.
- This allows the function to be repeated several times, each time using the result of the previous iteration as the input.
- It simplifies the implementation of complex problems by breaking them down into smaller, more manageable subproblems.
- The recursive function used in the code is:

return n*factorial(n)

- Factorial of a number is nothing but giving the product of a number till it reaches to 1 subtracting the number by 1 each time.
- Let me explain to you, the operation of **Factorial** with an example.
- Assume $n=5$,
The factorial of 5 is $5*4*3*2*1$ i.e., 120.

CODE:

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def factorial(n):  
    if n<=1:  
        return 1  
    else:  
        return n*factorial(n-1)  
  
n=int(input("Enter a number:"))  
if n<0:  
    print("The input should be positive integer")  
else:  
    print(f"The factorial of {n} is: ", factorial(n))
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- Now let's see the implementation of the code by giving different sample inputs and obtaining corresponding outputs.
- We can see and determine the accuracy of the code by giving large inputs to the code.

OUTPUT:

Enter a number:10

The factorial of 10 is: 3628800

Enter a number:5

The factorial of 5 is: 120

Enter a number:4

The factorial of 4 is: 24

Enter a number:15

The factorial of 15 is: 1307674368000

Enter a number:35

The factorial of 35 is:

10333147966386144929666651337523200000000

Enter a number:41

The factorial of 41 is:

3345252661316380710817006205344075166515200000000
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Enter a number:530

The factorial of 530 is:

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