

Quiz 8

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Quiz Instructions

Generators, first-class functions and decorators



The questions are all multiple choice or true/false. You may take the quiz twice, with 15 minutes for each attempt. Questions may differ between attempts. The highest score of the two attempts will be considered. You can only view the results once, immediately after finishing an attempt.

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Question 1

4 pts

When should you use a decorator?

- ☐ When you have a function that is too long.
- ☐ When you need your function to handle any errors that might occur from bad arguments from the user.
- ☐ When you want to save the function's output to a file.
- ☒ When you want to add behavior to a function that is not part of its primary purpose, which you may also want to apply to a number of different functions.

Question 2

4 pts

What can you do with a generator object?

- ☐ Index into it.
- ☐ Import it so you can access it from other files.
- ☒ Iterate over it as many times as you want.
- ☐ Iterate over it once.

Question 3**4 pts**

Match the object with its type.

`stuff = (c for c in "AlphaBet" if
c.isupper())`

generator



`junk = [x for x in range(100) if x%2]`

list



`paraphernalia = {'a': "aacorn", 'b':
"broccolini"}`

dictionary



`panoply = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5}`

set

**Question 4****4 pts**

A Python generator will remember the current values of its variables between calls.

☒ True☐ False**Question 5****4 pts**

What does a generator do?

☐ Supplies electrical power to the CPU.☐ Creates a data structure of items stored contiguously in memory.

- ☐ Turns Python code into machine language.
- ☒ Produces an iterable sequence of values.

Question 6**4 pts**

What would be the expected output of the following code?

```
def concat_strings():  
    def cat(s1, s2):  
        return s1+s2  
    return cat  
  
print(cat("pers", "picacious"))
```

- ☐ 'perspicacious'
- ☐ 'picaciouspers'
- ☐ 'pers'
- ☒ NameError: name 'cat' is not defined

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