Dictionaries Level - 1

Practice Problem 33

★ Description:

- Write a Python program that checks if a key exists in a dictionary or not.
- If the key exists in the dictionary, print True. Else, print False.
- The key should be stored in the variable key.

Expected Output:

Dictionary	Key	Output
{"a": 4, "b": 6}	"a"	True
{"a": 4, "b": 6}	"c"	False
{}	"d"	False

Hints:

• The in operator can be very helpful to solve this challenge.

Practice Problem 34

★ Description:

- Write a Python program that adds a new key-value pair to a dictionary only if the key doesn't exist already.
- If the key-value pair exists in the dictionary, do **not** update the existing value. The dictionary should not be modified in this case.
- Store the new key in the new_key variable and the new value in the new_value variable.
- Print the final value of the dictionary.

Expected Output:

Example 1: New Pair Added

Initial Dictionary:

```
{"January": 45, "February": 56, "March": 67}
```

New Key-Value Pair:

Output:

```
{"January": 45, "February": 56, "March": 67, "April": 67}
Example 2: No Change
Initial Dictionary:
{"January": 45, "February": 56, "March": 67}
New Key-Value Pair:
The key already exists in the dictionary
"January": 67
Output:
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{"January": 45, "February": 56, "March": 67}
```

Hints:

• You can use the not in operator to check if a key is not in a dictionary.

Practice Problem 35

Description:

- Write a Python program that merges two dictionaries and prints the resulting
- "Merging" the dictionaries involves making a new dictionary with the key-value pairs in both dictionaries.

Expected Output:

From these two dictionaries:

```
my_dict1 = {"a": 1, "b": 2, "c": 3}
my_dict2 = {"c": 4, "d": 6, "e": 8}
```

The output should be:

```
final_dict = {'a': 1, 'b': 2, 'c': 4, 'd': 6, 'e': 8}
```

Hints:

- Notice that the key-value pairs that share the same key on both dictionaries are not repeated. They are updated with the value of the second dictionary.
- There is a Python operator that you can use to merge two or more dictionaries.

Practice Problem 36

Description:

- Write a Python program that checks if all values in a dictionary are equal.
- If they are, print True. Else, print False.

Expected Output:

Dictionary	Output
{"a": 4, "b": 4, "c": 4}	True
{"a": 4, "b": 6, "c": 4}	False
{"a": 4, "b": 6, "c": 10}	False
{}	"Empty"

Hints:

- Loops will be very helpful to solve this challenge. You could also make a set from the dictionary to keep only one copy per value.
- The .values() method returns the values in a dictionary.

Practice Problem 37

Description:

- Write a Python program that prints the largest value in a dictionary.
- If the dictionary is empty, print None.
- You may assume that the values are numeric.

Expected Output:

Dictionary	Output
{"a": 4, "b": 3, "c": 7}	7
{"a": 4, "b": 6}	6
{"a": 4, "b": 4}	4
{}	None

You may print "None" as a string or as the special value None.

Practice Problem 38

⋆ Description:

- Write a Python program that prints the **smallest** value in a dictionary.
- \bullet If the dictionary is empty, print $\ensuremath{\mathsf{None}}$.
- You may assume that the values are numeric.

Expected Output:

Dictionary	Output
{"a": 4, "b": 3, "c": 7}	3
{"a": 4, "b": 6}	4
{"a": 4, "b": 4}	4
{}	None

You may print "None" as a string or as the special value None.