1. The given code implements the Euclidean algorithm to find the greatest common divisor (GCD) of two numbers a and b. The algorithm repeatedly computes the remainder of b divided by a, and swaps a and b until a becomes zero. At this point, the GCD is the value of b.

The first call to func checks if a (which is 30) is equal to zero. Since it is not, the function calls itself with the arguments (75 % 30, 30), which simplifies to (15, 30).

In the second call to func, a is not zero, so the function calls itself again with the arguments (30 % 15, 15), which simplifies to (0, 15). Now a is zero, so the function returns the value of b, which is 15.

Therefore, the output of the given code snippet is:

c) 15

2. The given code creates a tuple of numbers and then sorts them in ascending order using the sorted() function. It then defines a lambda function even that returns True if a number is even (i.e., divisible by 2) and False otherwise. It then applies the filter() function to the sorted numbers using the lambda function even as the filter criterion. This creates a filter object that contains only the even numbers from the sorted tuple.

Finally, the code prints the type of the filter object using the type() function.

The output of the code will be:

b) Filter

This is because filter() returns a filter object, which is an iterator that contains the elements from the original iterable that satisfy the filter criterion. The filter object is not a list, tuple, or integer, but it can be converted to a list or tuple using the list() or tuple() functions, respectively.

3. When using *args in a function parameter, it allows the function to accept an arbitrary number of arguments. The arguments are collected into a tuple.

So, the answer is:

- a) Tuple
 - 4. (d)error
 - 5. (a)raise
 - 6. (c)datetime
 - **7** c) 208
- 8. The function that converts a date to the corresponding time in Python is strftime.

strftime stands for "string format time" and is used to convert a datetime object to a string representation of the date and time in a specified format.

On the other hand, strptime is used to parse a string representation of a date and time into a datetime object.

Therefore, the correct answer is b) strftime.

- 9. b)immutable
- 10. range()
- 11. C. Lambda function.
- 12. The correct answer is C. Both A and B.

The pickle module in Python is used to serialize and de-serialize Python object structures.

Serialization is the process of converting an object into a format that can be stored or transmitted, such as a byte stream or a file. De-serialization is the process of converting the serialized object back into its original form.

The pickle module provides two main functions: pickle.dump() and pickle.load(). The pickle.dump() function is used to serialize a Python object structure and save it to a file or a byte stream. The pickle.load() function is used to read a serialized object structure from a file or a byte stream and de-serialize it back into its original form.

13. The correct answer is B. dump() method.

14. a load()

15. A text file can contain all of the mentioned above: alphabets, numbers, and special symbols.

In general, a text file is a file that contains only human-readable characters encoded in some character set, such as ASCII, UTF-8, or ISO-8859. The characters can include letters, digits, punctuation marks, whitespace, and other printable characters.

In Python, we can read and write to text files using the built-in open() function, with the file mode set to "r" for reading or "w" for writing. For example, to open a text file called "data.txt" for reading, we can use the following code:

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with open("data.txt", "r") as f:
contents = f.read()
print(contents)
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This code opens the file "data.txt" in read mode, reads the entire contents of the file using the read() method, and then prints the contents to the console.

- 17. The correct answer is d) captains = {}.
- 19. The correct answer is b) for ship, captain in captains.items(): print(f"The {ship} is captained by {captain}.").

In Python, we can iterate over the key-value pairs in a dictionary using the items() method. This method returns a sequence of tuples, where each tuple contains a key-value pair from the dictionary. We can then use tuple unpacking to assign the key and value to separate variables.

Option a) for item in captains.items(): print(f"The [ship] is captained by [captain].") is not correct because it uses square brackets instead of curly braces to format the output string, and the variables ship and captain are not defined within the loop.

Option c) for captain, ship in captains.items(): print(f"The {ship} is captained by {captain}.") is not correct because it swaps the variable names captain and ship, which would result in incorrect output.

Therefore, option b) for ship, captain in captains.items(): print(f"The {ship} is captained by {captain}.") correctly iterates over the key-value pairs in the captains dictionary, assigns the ship name to the variable ship and the captain name to the variable captain, and then uses string interpolation to format the output string with the correct ship and captain names.

20. c) del captains["Discovery"]

16. d) Both a and b