- Q1. Does assigning a value to a string's indexed character violate Python's string immutability?
- Q2. Does using the += operator to concatenate strings violate Python's string immutability? Why or why not?
- Q3. In Python, how many different ways are there to index a character?
- Q4. What is the relationship between indexing and slicing?
- Q5. What is an indexed character's exact data type? What is the data form of a slicing-generated substring?
- Q6. What is the relationship between string and character "types" in Python?
- Q7. Identify at least two operators and one method that allow you to combine one or more smaller strings to create a larger string.
- Q8. What is the benefit of first checking the target string with in or not in before using the index method to find a substring?
- Q9. Which operators and built-in string methods produce simple Boolean (true/false) results?
- Q1. Yes, assigning a value to a string's indexed character violates Python's string immutability. Strings in Python are immutable, which means their contents cannot be modified once they are created.
- Q2. No, using the += operator to concatenate strings does not violate Python's string immutability. The += operator creates a new string object that is the concatenation of the original string and the new string, and then assigns that new string object to the original string variable.
- Q3. In Python, there is only one way to index a character in a string, which is to use square brackets with the index of the desired character. For example, my_string[3] would return the fourth character of the string.
- Q4. Indexing and slicing are related in that they both involve accessing specific characters or substrings within a string. Indexing accesses a single character at a specific position, while slicing accesses a substring consisting of a range of characters between two positions.
- Q5. An indexed character's exact data type is a string of length 1. A slicing-generated substring is also a string.

- Q6. In Python, there is no distinct "character" type. Characters are simply represented as strings of length 1.
- Q7. Two operators that allow you to combine one or more smaller strings to create a larger string are the + and * operators. The join() method is also a common way to concatenate strings.
- Q8. Checking the target string with in or not in before using the index method to find a substring can help prevent errors or exceptions if the substring is not found in the target string. The in and not in operators return a boolean value indicating whether the substring is present or not, which can be used to handle cases where the substring is not found.
- Q9. The in and not in operators produce simple Boolean (true/false) results indicating whether a given substring is present in a target string. The startswith() and endswith() methods also produce Boolean results indicating whether a string starts or ends with a specified substring.