



Python Programming

Assignment 3

Pattern Filling using Inner Function and Recursion

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Assignment 3 : Fn: *fillMyMatrixPat(myMat)*

Ref: HW2 of Session 7

- Write a recursive function which goes through an empty matrix passed to it which has many levels of inner matrices with varying depths, all of them being empty.
- Input (global values): *strVal* = “*abcdefghijk*”, *PAT_LEN* = *someInt* (some +ve int)
- The program needs to fill in the pattern as per the values in the above identifiers.
- **The rules to be followed are the following:**
 1. Assuming the above value is in *strVal*, after ‘k’ is filled into an empty list, it should wrap around from ‘a’. **Note:** The string used, needs to be configurable manually.
 2. You are free to follow my implementation (**outerChkMyMatrix**) discussed in the **Session 17** or your own as the starting point, but it needs to use inner functions with recursion.
 3. You can assume that the list object passed to the function has **sub-lists**, which are all empty.
 4. Returns the same list object back which is filled in with the pattern as per configuration values.
 5. You can now use the filled in matrix to test the *outerChkMyMatrix()* code too.

Sample inputs and expected outputs are given in the next pages ...

Assign 3: Inputs (empty list) and Outputs (filled list)

(python file for testing)) – assign3_dummy.py

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calling fillMatrixPat

strVal: abcdefghijk
PAT_LEN: 3

```
myMat0: []  
myMat0: ['a', 'b', 'c']  
myMat1: []  
myMat1: [['a', 'b', 'c']]  
myMat2: [], [], [], []  
myMat2: [['a', 'b', 'c'], ['d', 'e', 'f'],  
          ['g', 'h', 'i'], ['j', 'k', 'a']]
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strVal: abcdefghijk
PAT_LEN: 4

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myMat0: []  
myMat0: ['a', 'b', 'c', 'd']  
myMat1: [['a', 'b', 'c', 'd']]  
myMat2: [], [], [], []  
myMat2: [['a', 'b', 'c', 'd'], ['e', 'f', 'g', 'h'],  
          ['i', 'j', 'k', 'a'], ['b', 'c', 'd', 'e']]
```

strVal: abcdefghijk
PAT_LEN: 5

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myMat0: []  
myMat0: ['a', 'b', 'c', 'd', 'e']  
myMat1: []  
myMat1: [['a', 'b', 'c', 'd', 'e']]  
myMat2: [], [], [], []  
myMat2: [['a', 'b', 'c', 'd', 'e'],  
          ['f', 'g', 'h', 'i', 'j'],  
          ['k', 'a', 'b', 'c', 'd'],  
          ['e', 'f', 'g', 'h', 'i']]
```

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strVal: 0123456789

PAT_LEN: 2

myMat0: []

myMat0: ['0', '1']

myMat1: [[]]

myMat1: [['0', '1']]

myMat2: [[], [], [], []]

myMat2: [['0', '1'], ['2', '3'], ['4', '5'], ['6', '7']]

myMatrix2

[[[], []], [[], []], [[], []], [[], []], [[], []], [[], []], [[], []], [[], []], [[], []], [[], []]]

myMatrix2

**[[['0', '1'], ['2', '3']], [['4', '5']], [['6', '7'], ['8', '9'], ['0', '1']], [['2', '3']],
[['4', '5'], ['6', '7'], ['8', '9'], ['0', '1']]]**

Note: Use outerChkMyMatrix() written in the Session 17

The result of checking the myMatrix2: True

The returned matrix is:

**[[['0', '1'], ['2', '3']], [['4', '5']], [['6', '7'], ['8', '9'], ['0', '1']],
[['2', '3']], [['4', '5'], ['6', '7'], ['8', '9'], ['0', '1']]]**

Note: len(strVal) < PAT_LEN is also valid



strVal: 1234

PAT_LEN: 5

myMatrix4

[[[]], [[[[[[]]]]]]]]

myMatrix4

**[[['1', '2', '3', '4', '1'],
[[[[['2', '3', '4', '1', '2']]]]]]]]**

Note: Use outerChkMyMatrix() written in the Session 17

**The result of checking the myMatrix4:
True**

The returned matrix is:

**[[['1', '2', '3', '4', '1'],
[[[[['2', '3', '4', '1', '2']]]]]]]]**

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strVal: abcdefghijk

PAT_LEN: 3

myMatrix3

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[[[]], [], [], [], [], [], [], [], [], []]
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myMatrix3

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[[['a', 'b', 'c'], ['d', 'e', 'f']], [['g', 'h', 'i']], [['j', 'k', 'a'], ['b', 'c', 'd'], ['e', 'f', 'g']],  
 [['h', 'i', 'j']], [['k', 'a', 'b'], ['c', 'd', 'e'], ['f', 'g', 'h']], ['i', 'j', 'k']]
```

Note: Use outerChkMyMatrix() written in the Session 17

The result of checking the myMatrix3: True

The returned matrix is:

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[[['a', 'b', 'c'], ['d', 'e', 'f']], [['g', 'h', 'i']], [['j', 'k', 'a'], ['b', 'c', 'd'], ['e', 'f', 'g']],  
 [['h', 'i', 'j']], [['k', 'a', 'b'], ['c', 'd', 'e'], ['f', 'g', 'h']], ['i', 'j', 'k']]
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