Quiz 1 Review

Background

So I can get a better sense of the backgrounds in this class, please select all the classes you have taken:

CSE 103	14 respondents	22 %
CSE 120	55 respondents	87 %
CSE 130	41 respondents	65 [%]
No Answer	13 respondents	21 %

2% answered correctly

Background

Have you ever programmed in Python before?

Yes, a lot	50 respondents	66 %	/
Yes, a little	24 respondents	32 %	
No	2 respondents	3 %	

It is worthwhile to learn!

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Pros:

Optimizations

Error messages

Warnings

Compiler flags

Debugging

Cons:

Can't catch all errors

Compile time

Bad messages

What do people hope to get out of this class?

A few answers that I liked:

- "reverse engineering as used in cyber security"
- "become a better software engineer"
- "take away some of the magic"
- "write more performant code"
- "theory of programming languages"

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• Thank you for all your thoughtful answers!