

AI Assisted Coding

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Task - 1 : Use AI to generate two solutions for checking prime numbers:

- Naive approach(basic)
- Optimized approach

Prompt : Generate two Python Code to check whether a given number is prime:

A basic (naïve) method that checks divisibility up to $n - 1$.

An optimized method that checks divisibility only up to \sqrt{n} .

For each method:

Provide clear, correct Python code.

Explain the working logic step by step.

Analyze and state the time complexity using Big-O notation.

Screenshots:

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explain how the optimized version improves upon the basic one

# Method 1: Basic Prime Checking
def is_prime_basic(n):
    if n <= 1:
        return False
    for i in range(2, n):
        if n % i == 0:
            return False
    return True

# Method 2: Optimized Prime Checking
def is_prime_optimized(n):
    if n <= 1:
        return False
    if n <= 3:
        return True
    if n % 2 == 0 or n % 3 == 0:
        return False
    i = 5
    while i * i <= n:
        if n % i == 0 or n % (i + 2) == 0:
            return False
        i += 6
    return True
```

Input : 29,17

Output:

```
Enter a number to check if it's prime: 29
29 is a prime number (Basic Check).
29 is a prime number (Optimized Check).
PS C:\Users\Vivek\OneDrive\Desktop\3-2\AI-Assisted-Coding> 31
31
PS C:\Users\Vivek\OneDrive\Desktop\3-2\AI-Assisted-Coding> python
.py"
Enter a number to check if it's prime: 17
17 is a prime number (Basic Check).
17 is a prime number (Optimized Check).
PS C:\Users\Vivek\OneDrive\Desktop\3-2\AI-Assisted-Coding>
```

Task - 2 : (Transparency in Recursive Algorithms)

Objective: Use AI to generate a recursive function to calculate Fibonacci numbers.

Prompt : Generate a recursive function to calculate Fibonacci numbers.

which should have the following features:

1. Write the code clearly and correctly.
2. Add detailed comments explaining:
 - what recursion is
 - how the function calls itself
3. Clearly explain:
 - the base cases
 - the recursive case
4. After the code, give a step-by-step explanation of how the function executes for n = 5.

Do not skip explanations.

Do not give vague theory.

The explanation must directly follow the code logic.

ScreenShots :

The screenshot shows a code editor window with Python code. The code defines a function `cm_to_inches` that converts centimeters to inches. It includes a docstring, a try-except block for input validation, and a print statement. The code is run in a Python environment, and the output shows the conversion of 10 cm to 3.94 inches.

```
def cm_to_inches(cm: float) -> float:
    """Convert centimeters to inches."""
    return cm / 2.54

# Accept input, convert and print result
try:
    cm_value = float(input("Enter length in centimeters: ").strip())
    inches = cm_to_inches(cm_value)
    print(f"{cm_value} cm = {inches:.2f} inches")
except ValueError:
    print("Please enter a valid number.")

[1]  ✓  10.0 cm = 3.94 inches
```

Input : 10

Output :

The screenshot shows the execution results of the Python code. The code defines a function `cm_to_inches` and prints the conversion of 10.0 cm to 3.94 inches.

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# Accept input, convert and print result
try:
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    inches = cm_to_inches(cm_value)
    print(f"{cm_value} cm = {inches:.2f} inches")
except ValueError:
    print("Please enter a valid number.")

[2]  ✓  1.4s
...  10.0 cm = 3.94 inches
```

Task-3 :Few-Shot Prompting - Name Formatting Scenario

Few-shot prompting improves accuracy by providing multiple examples.

Prompt : Format a person's full name into the format "Last, First" using Python.

Examples:

Input: John Smith

Output: Smith, John

Input: Anita Rao

Output: Rao, Anita

Input: Rahul Verma

Output: Verma, Rahul

Now generate a Python Code that:

- Accepts a full name as input
- Formats the name as "Last, First"
- Returns the formatted name
- Includes sample inputs and outputs

ScreenShots :

```

def format_name(full_name: str) -> str:
    """
    Format a full name as 'Last, First'. If already 'Last, First' returns normalized form."""
    name = full_name.strip()
    if "," in name:
        return name
    # If already in "Last, First" form, normalize spacing
    if "," in name:
        last, first = [part.strip() for part in name.split(",")]
        return f'{last}, {first}' if last or first else ""
    parts = name.split()
    if len(parts) < 2:
        return parts[0]
    last = parts[-1]
    first = parts[:-1]
    first = " ".join(first)
    return f'{first}, {last}'

# Accept input and print result
try:
    full_name_input = input("Enter full name: ").strip()
    result = format_name(full_name_input)
    print(result if result else "No name provided.")
except Exception:
    print("No input provided.")

# Sample inputs and outputs
print(format_name("John Smith"))    # Output: Smith, John
print(format_name("Anita Rao"))     # Output: Rao, Anita
print(format_name("Rahul Verma"))   # Output: Verma, Rahul
print(format_name("Cher"))          # Output: Cher
print(format_name("Doe, Jane"))     # Output: Doe, Jane

```

Input : John smith

Output :

```

# Accept input and print result
try:
    full_name_input = input("Enter full name: ").strip()
    result = format_name(full_name_input)
    print(result if result else "No name provided.")
except Exception:
    print("No input provided.")

# Sample inputs and outputs
print(format_name("John Smith"))    # Output: Smith, John
print(format_name("Anita Rao"))     # Output: Rao, Anita
print(format_name("Rahul Verma"))   # Output: Verma, Rahul
print(format_name("Cher"))          # Output: Cher
print(format_name("Doe, Jane"))     # Output: Doe, Jane

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[3] ✓ 9.6s

... smith, john
Smith, John
Rao, Anita
Verma, Rahul
Cher
Doe, Jane

Task-4 : Comparative Analysis - Zero-Shot vs Few-Shot Scenario

Different prompt strategies may produce different code quality.

Prompt : 1. Generate a Python Code that accepts a string as input and counts the number of vowels in the string.

The function should return the total vowel count.

Also include a sample input and output.

2. Count the number of vowels in a string using Python.

Examples:

Input: "hello"

Output: 2

Input: "Education"

Output: 5

Input: "sky"

Output: 0

Now generate a Python Code that:

- Accepts a string as input
- Counts the number of vowels in the string
- Returns the total count
- Includes sample inputs and outputs

3. Compare the zero-shot and few-shot vowel counting functions based on accuracy, readability, and logical clarity.

Present the comparison in a table or a short reflection paragraph.

Conclude which prompting technique is more effective and why.

Screenshots : 1.

```
def count_vowels(s: str) -> int:
    """
    Return the total number of vowels (a, e, i, o, u) in the given string (case-insensitive).
    """
    vowels = set("aeiouAEIOU")
    return sum(1 for ch in s if ch in vowels)

# Sample input and output
sample_input = "Hello, World!"
print(f"Sample input: {sample_input}")
print(f"Vowel count: {count_vowels(sample_input)}")

# Example using existing notebook variable `full_name_input` (if present)
try:
    print(f"Notebook variable full_name_input: '{full_name_input}' -> Vowel count: {count_vowels(full_name_input)}")
except NameError:
    pass
```

2.

```
def count_vowels_in_string(s: str) -> int:
    """
    Return number of vowels in s (case-insensitive).
    """
    return count_vowels(s)

# Accept input and print result
user_s = input("Enter a string: ").strip()
print(count_vowels_in_string(user_s))

# Sample inputs and outputs
print("Hello ->", count_vowels_in_string("hello"))      # 2
print("Education ->", count_vowels_in_string("Education"))# 5
print("sky ->", count_vowels_in_string("sky"))           # 0

# Examples using existing notebook variables
print(f"sample_input ('{sample_input}') ->, count_vowels_in_string({sample_input})")
print(f"full_name_input ('{full_name_input}') ->", count_vowels_in_string({full_name_input}))
```

3.

```
# Comparison of zero-shot vs few-shot vowel counting (printed for notebook cell)
print()

Comparison:
"Accuracy: Both implementations are functionally equivalent for typical inputs—no difference in correctness.\n"
"Readability: The zero-shot implementation is concise and direct; the few-shot wrapper adds a small layer of indirection but can impr."
"Logical clarity: The zero-shot function exposes the core logic clearly; the few-shot wrapper clarifies API/usage but hides implement."
"Conclusion: Few-shot prompting is generally more effective for guiding naming, intent, and handling edge cases through examples, but"

Python
```

Output : 1.

```

# Sample input and output
sample_input = "Hello, World!"
print(f"Sample input: {sample_input}")
print(f"Vowel count: {count_vowels(sample_input)}")

# Example using existing notebook variable `full_name_input` (if present)
try:
    print(f"Notebook variable full_name_input: '{full_name_input}' -> Vowel count: {count_vowels(full_name_input)}")
except NameError:
    pass

```

4] ✓ 0.0s

Sample input: Hello, World!
Vowel count: 3
Notebook variable full_name_input: 'john smith' -> Vowel count: 2

Python

2.

```

# Sample inputs and outputs
print("hello ->", count_vowels_in_string("hello"))      # 2
print("Education ->", count_vowels_in_string("Education"))# 5
print("sky ->", count_vowels_in_string("sky"))           # 0

# Examples using existing notebook variables
print(f"sample_input ('{sample_input}') ->", count_vowels_in_string(sample_input))
print(f"full_name_input ('{full_name_input}') ->", count_vowels_in_string(full_name_input))

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[5] ✓ 11.9s

...
0
hello -> 2
Education -> 5
sky -> 0
sample_input ('Hello, World!') -> 3
full_name_input ('john smith') -> 2

Python

3.

```

| "Conclusion: Few-shot prompting is generally more effective for guiding naming, intent, and handling edge cases through examples, but for this simple vowel-count task the zero-shot implementation is functionally equivalent." )

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[6] ✓ 0.0s

... Comparison:
Accuracy: Both implementations are functionally equivalent for typical inputs—no difference in correctness.
Readability: The zero-shot implementation is concise and direct; the few-shot wrapper adds a small layer of indirection but can improve naming/intent.
Logical clarity: The zero-shot function exposes the core logic clearly; the few-shot wrapper clarifies API/usage but hides implementation.

Conclusion: Few-shot prompting is generally more effective for guiding naming, intent, and handling edge cases through examples, but for this simple vowel-count task the zero-shot implementation is functionally equivalent.

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Task-5 : Few-Shot Prompting - File Handling Scenario

File processing requires clear logical understanding.

Prompt : Read a text file and count the number of lines using Python.

Examples:

Example 1:

File content:

Hello

Welcome to Python

File handling is easy

Output:

Number of lines: 3

Example 2:

File content:

AI

Prompt Engineering

Few-shot Learning

Output:

Number of lines: 3

Now generate a Python Code that:

- Reads a .txt file given its filename

- Counts the total number of lines in the file
- Returns the line count
- Includes a sample .txt file input and its output
- Explains the logic used in the function

Screenshots :

```

def count_lines_in_file(filename: str) -> int:
    """Read a text file and return the total number of lines."""
    try:
        with open(filename, 'r') as file:
            lines = file.readlines()
        return len(lines)
    except FileNotFoundError:
        print(f"Error: File '{filename}' not found.")
        return 0
    except Exception as e:
        print(f"Error reading file: {e}")
        return 0

# Create a sample .txt file for testing
sample_filename = "sample.txt"
with open(sample_filename, 'w') as f:
    f.write("Hello\n")
    f.write("Welcome to Python\n")
    f.write("File handling is easy\n")

# Test the function with the sample file
line_count = count_lines_in_file(sample_filename)
print(f"File: {sample_filename}")
print(f"Number of lines: {line_count}")

# Additional example
with open("sample2.txt", 'w') as f:
    f.write("AI\n")
    f.write("Prompt Engineering\n")
    f.write("Few-shot Learning\n")

print(f"\nFile: sample2.txt")
print(f"Number of lines: {count_lines_in_file('sample2.txt')}")

# Logic explanation:
# The function opens the file in read mode ('r') using a context manager (with statement).
# It reads all lines using readlines(), which returns a list of strings (each line including '\n').
# The length of this list gives the total number of lines.
# Exception handling ensures robustness for missing or unreadable files.

```

Input :

Hello
Welcome to python
File handling is easy

Output :

```

f.write("Prompt Engineering\n")
f.write("Few-shot Learning\n")

print(f"\nFile: sample2.txt")
print(f"Number of lines: {count_lines_in_file('sample2.txt')}")

# Logic explanation:
# The function opens the file in read mode ('r') using a context manager (with statement).
# It reads all lines using readlines(), which returns a list of strings (each line including '\n').
# The length of this list gives the total number of lines.
# Exception handling ensures robustness for missing or unreadable files.

[1] ✓ 0.0s
...
File: sample.txt
Number of lines: 3

File: sample2.txt
Number of lines: 3

```