CS116 TUTORIAL



When is the CSII6 midterm?
A. It was this Tuesday.
B. Monday, March 2nd at 7 AM.
C. Do we have a midterm?
D. Monday, March 2nd at 7 PM.

REMINDERS

- Midterm Q&A session is TOMORROW!!!!!! (2:00-3:50 at STC1012)
- Midterm is on March 2nd
- Check A5 solution for preparing for the Midterm!
- Assignment 6 is due at 10 AM on Wednesday, March 11th
 - Hint: Best time to come seek help is any day that's not the day before the due time. (Less competition!)

$\mathsf{TODAY} \to \mathsf{L} \bigcirc \mathsf{PS!!}$

- 2 Types of loops
 - -while
 - -for
- Nested Loops

REVIEW – WHILE LOOPS

initialize variables
while condition:
 body of while, including
 update of variables

This part will continuously be executed until condition is False

- The body of the while loop will execute until condition == False
- The condition is only checked before each execution of the loop body.
- Variables MUST be updated, otherwise there might be an infinite loop! (Sort of like maximum recursion depth)

REVIEW – FOR LOOPS

for item in collection:
 *** body of loop ***

A collection can be like something like a list, a string, etc.

- The body of the for loop will execute len(collection) times, once for every element in collection
- Similar to map; goes through every element in the collection

What is the value of L after going through this for loop?

L = [0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6]

for x in L: L[(x+1)%len(L)] = x

A. [6, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
B. [6, 0, 2, 2, 4, 4, 6]

L = [0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6]

1) For x = 0, L[1] = 0, L = [0, 0, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6] 2) For x = 0, L[1] = 0, L = [0, 0, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6] 3) For x = 2, L[3] = 2, L = [0, 0, 2, 2, 4, 5, 6] 4) For x = 2, L[3] = 2, L = [0, 0, 2, 2, 4, 5, 6] 5) For x = 4, L[5] = 4, L = [0, 0, 2, 2, 4, 4, 6] 6) For x = 4, L[5] = 4, L = [0, 0, 2, 2, 4, 4, 6] 7) For x = 6, L[0] = 6, L = [6, 0, 2, 2, 4, 4, 6]

- Be careful of mutating your collection inside the loop!
 - Never change the length of the same collection that you are iterating over in a for loop

WHILE LOOP VERSION OF A FOR LOOP

for item in collection:
 body of loop

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i = 0
while i < len(collection):
    item = collection[i]
    ***body of loop***(same as above)
    i = i + 1</pre>
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REVIEW – NESTED LOOPS

for i in collection1: *** body of outer for *** Body of for j in collection2: *** body of inner for ***

- For each i in collection1, the inner for • loop will be executed
- **Examples of possible** collection1: •
 - list of nested lists
 - lists of strings

outer

for

loop



The inner for loop will be executed times.

The body of the inner for will execute times for <u>each</u> value of i.

What is L[0] after calling A(L)?

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L = [0,1,2,3]
def A(lst):
    m = lst[0]
    for n in lst:
        if n > m:
            m = n
            n += 1
        return m
```

- A. 0
- B. 3
- C. Error
- D. None of the above

WHAT SHOULD MY LOOP Counter BE?

Examples for some *meaningful* counter names:

- i **to** n => integer
- L => List
- s => string
- c => characters (strings of length I)
 - You are always allowed to use other meaningful names

i, j, k convention for integer counters are in fact inherited from *Fortran*. In Fortran, integer variables had to start with the letters i through n.

- This is only for interest, materials on this will not be tested on exam.

QUESTION 1 - ALL_SAME_TYPE

Write a function all_same_type that consumes a list, called lst, and returns True if all members of that list are of the same type, else False.

For example:

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all_same_type([2, 5, 3]) => True
all_same_type([2, 'R', 4.56]) => False
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Note that Python's built-in type function does not distinguish between types of lists:

i.e. type([1,2]) == type(['a', 'b'])

QUESTION 2 – MAX_EVEN_SUM

Write a Python function max_even_sum that consumes a nonempty list, lst. Each value in lst is a list of positive integers. It computes the sum of the even integers in each of the element lists in lst, and returns the largest out of these sums.

If an element list contains no even integers, its sum is zero.

For example:

max_even_sum([[], [3], [2,4,6]]) => 12

QUESTION 3 – SUM_DIGITS

Write a Python function sum_digits **using loops** that consumes a Nat (called n), and returns a number represents the summation of its digits.

Examples: sum_digits(1) =>1 sum_digits(55) =>10 5+5 = 10

QUESTION 4 – MAKE_LIST

Write a Python function make_list that consumes a natural number
n and returns a list of strings. The produced list will look like
["", "1", "22", "333", "4444", "55555", ...,
"nnnnn...nnnn"]
where the last element is the number n repeated n times.

For example: make_list(0) => [""] make_list(3) => ["", "1", "22", "333"]

QUESTION 5 – VALID_INPUT

Write a function called valid_input that consumes a string to be used as the prompt, prompt, a list of strings of valid inputs, valid, and a positive integer max_guess.

The function should continuously prompt the user for input until the user enters a value in the list valid, and then return that value, or print a message when maximum number of guess is reached. If the user enters an invalid value, the function will let them know by printing: "Invalid input. Try again." to the screen. If maximum number of guess is reached, the function will print "Maximum number of guesses reached" and return None in this case.

QUESTION 5 (CONTINUED)

For example:
If the user enters "6", "5", and "3",
valid_input("Enter a digit < 5: ",
 ["0", "1", "2", "3", "4"], 5) => "3"
and the following is printed:
Enter a digit < 5: 5
Invalid input. Try again.
Enter a digit < 5: 3</pre>

Note: You may assume that the user enters input that is the correct type.