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19IT103 – COMPUTATIONAL THINKING AND PYTHON PROGRAMMING

- ❖ A readable, dynamic, pleasant, flexible, fast and powerful language

UNIT III - CONTROL FLOW, FUNCTIONS, STRINGS

Conditionals: Boolean values and operators, conditional (if), alternative (if-else), chained conditional (if-elif-else); Iteration: state, while, for, break, continue, pass; Fruitful functions: return values, parameters, local and global scope, function composition, recursion; Strings: string slices, immutability, string functions and methods, string module; Lists as arrays. Illustrative programs: square root, gcd, exponentiation, sum an array of numbers, linear search, binary search.

3.1 Conditionals

3.1.1 Boolean Values and Operators

- A Boolean expression is an expression that is either **true** or **false**.
- Converting Boolean to integer, the value is always **0** for false and **1** for true
- Converting integer to Boolean, the value is True for all integers except zero
- Python type is **bool**.

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Boolean Expression	Meaning
$x \neq y$	x is not equal to y
$x > y$	x greater than y
$x < y$	x less than y
$x \leq y$	x less than or equal to
$x \geq y$	x greater than or equal to

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and Operator:

Op1	Op2	Op1 and Op2
TRUE	TRUE	TRUE
TRUE	FALSE	FALSE
FALSE	TRUE	FALSE
FALSE	FALSE	FALSE

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or Operator:

Op1	Op2	Op1 or Op2
TRUE	TRUE	TRUE
TRUE	FALSE	TRUE
FALSE	TRUE	TRUE
FALSE	FALSE	FALSE

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Example 1: “and” operator

```
print("Enter Month and Day")
month=input()
day=int(input())
if(month=="january" and day==26):
    print("republic day")
elif(month=="august" and day==15):
    print("independence day")
elif(month=="october" and day==2):
    print("Gandhi Jayanthi")
else:
    print("invalid input")
```

Output:

```
Enter Month and Day
august
15
independence day
>>> |
```

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Example 1: “or” operator

```
import sys
month=input("Enter the month to display number of days: ")
if(month=="may" or month=="july" or month=="august"):
    print ("31")
elif(month=="jun"):
    print ("30")
else:
    print ("invalid")
```

Output:

```
| Enter the month to display number of days: may
| 31
```


3.1 Conditionals

3.1.2 Conditional Statements

- In programming language conditional statements are used to perform different computations or actions depending on whether a condition evaluates to true or false
- The conditions use comparisons and arithmetic expressions with variables
- The expressions are evaluated to Boolean values True or False

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3.1.2 Conditional Statements

Python conditional statements are

1. if statement
2. If..else statement
3. If..elif..else statement
4. Nested if statement

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Rules for conditional statements:

- The **colon(:)** is required at the end of the condition
- The body of the if statement is indicated by the **indentation**(four spaces are used for indentation)
- Python interprets non-zero values as true and 0 as false

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3.1.2 Conditional Statements

1. 'if' Statement :

- Sometimes we want to execute a code or a block of code only **if a certain condition is satisfied**.
- The program evaluates the condition and will execute statement(s) only if the condition is **True**.
- If the condition is **False**, the statement(s) is not executed.
- In Python, the body of the if statement is indented.
- Python interprets non-zero values as True. None and 0 are interpreted as False.

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3.1.2 Conditional Statements

Syntax:

```
if (test expression/condition):  
    statement(s)
```

Example:

```
print("Enter Your age")  
n=int(input())  
if(n>=18):  
    print("Eligible for voting")
```

```
Enter Your age  
20  
Eligible for voting  
>>> |
```

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3.1.2 Conditional Statements

2. 'if...else' Statement

- The if..else statement evaluates test expression and will execute body of if only when test condition is True.
- If the condition is False, body of else is executed. Indentation is used to separate the blocks.

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2. 'if...else' Statement

Syntax:

```
if (test expression / condition):  
    statement(s)  
else:  
    statement(s)
```

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2. 'if...else' Statement

Example 1:

```
num = 3
if num >= 0:
    print("Positive or Zero")
else:
    print("Negative number")
```

Output:

```
Positive or Zero
>>> |
```


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2. 'if...else' Statement

Example 2:

```
print("Enter a number")
num=int(input())
if(num%2)==0:
    print("Even Number")
else:
    print("Odd Number")
```

Output:

```
Enter a number
23
Odd Number
>>> |
```

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3. Chained conditional - if...elif...else

- The elif is short for else if. It allows us to check for **multiple expressions**.
- If the condition for if is False, it checks the condition of the next elif block and so on.
- If all the conditions are False, body of else is executed.
- Only one block among the several if...elif...else blocks is executed according to the condition.
- The if block can have only one else block. But it can have multiple elif blocks.

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3. Chained conditional - if...elif...else

Syntax

```
if (test expression/condition):  
    Body of if  
elif (test expression/condition):  
    Body of elif  
else:  
    Body of else
```

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3. Chained conditional - if...elif...else

Example 1:

```
num = 3.4
if num > 0:
    print("Positive number")
elif num == 0:
    print("Zero")
else:
    print("Negative number")
```

Output:

```
Positive number
>>> |
```

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3. Chained conditional - if...elif...else

Example 2:

```
n=int(input("Enter a number between seven and ten: "))
if(n==7):
    print("heptagon")
elif(n==8):
    print("octogon")
elif(n==9):
    print("nanogon")
elif(n==10):
    print("decagon")
else:
    print("input should be from 7 to 10")
```

Output:

```
Enter a number between seven and ten: 8
octogon
```

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4. Nested Conditional

- A conditional statement defined **inside** another conditional statement is called nested conditional statement.
- Any number of these statements can be nested inside one another.
- **Indentation** is the only way to figure out the level of nesting.
- Similarly, alternative and chained conditionals can also be nested

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4. Nested Conditional

Example:

```
num = float(input("Enter a number: "))
if num >= 0:
    if num == 0:
        print("Zero")
    else:
        print("Positive number")
else:
    print("Negative number")
```

Output:

```
Enter a number: 12
Positive number
>>> |
```

Summary

- A Boolean expression is an expression that is evaluated as either true or false.
- Two boolean operators are 'and' and 'or'.
- If statement executes its body only when it is true.
- To execute alternative statements when a condition fails, if-else is useful
- If-elif-else is used to check multiple conditions
- Conditionals inside conditional is said to be nested conditional

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