

2.7 Exercises

Write a complete Python program to solve each of the following problems. Use formatted strings to make nice output statements. Note that a few of these require *if*-statements. We'll discuss these statements in detail in the next chapter; for you you might look at program ?? for an illustration of *if*-statements.

- 2.1. Write a program that asks the user to enter two numbers and then prints the product of those numbers. Here is a typical run of the program:

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Enter a number: 23
Enter another number: 45
23 x 45 is 1035
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- 2.2. Write a program that asks the user to enter a string, and then reports the number of letters in that string. Here is a typical run:

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Enter a string: Ask not what you can do for your country.
That string has 41 letters.
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- 2.3. Write a program that asks the user to enter one number. The program should then say if that number is even or odd. Remember that a number x is even if $x\%2$ is 0, and odd if $x\%2$ is 1. Here is a typical run:

```
Enter a number: 23
23 is an odd number.
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Here is another run:

```
Enter a number: 34
34 is an even number.
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- 2.4. Write a program that asks the user to enter two numbers and then prints the smaller of those numbers. Here is a typical run:

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Enter a number: 34
Enter another number: 23
The smaller of those is 23
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- 2.5. Redo program (2.4), but with three numbers. You will have to do more logic to figure out which is the smallest number:

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Enter one number: 23
Enter another number: 16
Enter yet another number: 45
The smallest of those is 16
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- 2.6. Write a program that inputs a non-negative integer as a number of cents and prints that value in the standard dollars-and-cents format. For example, with input 405 the output should be \$4.05; for 23 the output should be \$0.23, and for 1900 the output should be \$19.00.