Exercises

- 1) Write a program to check if a given string is a palindrome or not.
- 2) Write a program to count the number of vowels and consonants in a given string.
- 3) Write a program to find the second largest number in a given list.
- 4) Write a program to find the second smallest number in a given list.
- 5) Write a program to find the largest element in a given list.
- 6) Write a program to find the smallest element in a given list.
- 7) Write a program to check if a given number is a perfect square or not.
- 8) Write a program to check if a given string is a valid identifier or not.
- 9) Write a program to check if a given number is a multiple of 5 and 7.
- 10) Write a program to check if a given year is a leap year using the ternary operator.

Exercises and solution

1) Checking if a string is a palindrome or not:

```
string = input("Enter a string: ")
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if string == string[::-1]:
    print("The string is a palindrome.")
else:
    print("The string is not a palindrome.")
```

2) Counting the number of vowels and consonants in a string:

```
string = input("Enter a string: ")
vowels = 0
consonants = 0
for i in string:
    if i.lower() in 'aeiou':
        vowels += 1
    elif i.isalpha():
        consonants += 1
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print("Number of vowels:", vowels)
print("Number of consonants:", consonants)
```

3) Finding the second largest number in a list:

```
lst = [3, 6, 2, 8, 1, 9, 4]
largest = lst[0]
second_largest = lst[0]
```

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for i in lst:
    if i > largest:
        second_largest = largest
        largest = i
    elif i > second_largest and i != largest:
        second_largest = i
```

print("The second largest number is:", second_largest)

4) Finding the second smallest number in a list:

lst = [3, 6, 2, 8, 1, 9, 4]
smallest = lst[0]
second_smallest = lst[0]

for i in lst:

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if i < smallest:
    second_smallest = smallest
    smallest = i
elif i < second_smallest and i != smallest:
    second_smallest = i
```

print("The second smallest number is:", second_smallest)

5) Finding the largest element in a list:

```
lst = [3, 6, 2, 8, 1, 9, 4]
largest = lst[0]
for i in lst:
    if i > largest:
        largest = i
```

print("The largest element is:", largest)

6) Finding the smallest element in a list:

```
lst = [3, 6, 2, 8, 1, 9, 4]
smallest = lst[0]
```

```
for i in lst:
if i < smallest:
smallest = i
```

print("The smallest element is:", smallest)

7) Checking if a number is a perfect square or not:

import math

num = int(input("Enter a number: "))

if math.isqrt(num)**2 == num:

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print("The number is a perfect square.")
else:
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print("The number is not a perfect square.")

8) Checking if a string is a valid identifier or not:

```
identifier = input("Enter an identifier: ")
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if identifier.isidentifier():
    print("The identifier is valid.")
else:
    print("The identifier is not valid.")
```

9) Checking if a number is a multiple of 5 and 7:

```
num = int(input("Enter a number: "))
```

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if num % 5 == 0 and num % 7 == 0:
    print("The number is a multiple of 5 and 7.")
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else:
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print("The number is not a multiple of 5 and 7.")

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10)
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Checking if a year is a leap year using the

ternary operator:

```
year = int(input("Enter a year: "))
leap = True if year % 4 == 0 and (year % 100 != 0 or year % 400 == 0) else
False
if leap:
    print(year, "is a leap year.")
else:
    print(year, "is not a leap year.")
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