# Advanced Exercises with Loops 

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Lecture \#9

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## SHORT Online Class Evaluation

- You will get an email invitation. Please go to the URL in there and fill out a mid-quarter evaluation.
- This is strictly about Prof. Matni and the class. It is ANONYMOUS
- I promise to take your feedback seriously, so leave some constructive feedback too! ©
- Open now and will close tomorrow just before midnight!

> If I get at least $85 \%$ participation, EVERYONE gets +2 pts on the midterm \#1 exam score!

## Administrative

- Please note that next Monday $(2 / 18)$ is a Uni. Holiday
- Hw05 - due next week Wednesday (2/20)
- Lab05 starts tomorrow (is due Monday 2/18)
- Midterm Exam \#1 grades will be posted on Wednesday
- Online class evaluation due on Tuesday by midnight


## Lecture Outline

- Loops with Turtle
- Nested Loops
- Accumulated Loops


## More Drawing Abstraction

- Drawing any regular polygon using Turtle and loops!
def drawPolygon(myTurtle, sideLength, numSides):
turnAngle $=360$ / numSides
for i in range(numsides):
myTurtle.forward(sideLength)
myTurtle.right(turnAngle)


## Simpler Drawing By Repetition

- Drawing a spiral using Turtle and loops!
def drawSpiral(myTurtle, maxSide):
for sideLength in range(1, maxSide+1, 5):
myTurtle.forward(sideLength)
myTurtle.right(90)


## Nested Loops

- What would this do?
listX = [ [1, 2, 3], [4, 5, 6], [7, 8, 9] ]
for i in listX:

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for j in i:
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print(j)

Let's try it out!

## Exercises with Nested Loops

```
def drawRectangle(width, height):
""" print a rectangle with given width
    and height using the character *
    (instead of turtle)
    For example drawRectangle(5,3)
    should print
    *****
    *****
    *****
| | !
```


## Exercises with Nested Loops

def drawRectangle(width, height):
for $w$ in range(width):
for $h$ in range(height):
print("*")
print("")

## PLEASE NOTE THE INDENTATIONS!!!!

## Applying while <br> Example of an Accumulated Sum

Unlimited data entry (please note corrections from last week's slides)

```
AllGrades = 0 # (1) initialize for accumulated sum
grade = input("enter grade or q to quit: ")
while grade != "q": # (2) check condition
    AllGrades = AllGrades + int(grade) # accumulate sum
    grade = input("enter grade or q to quit: ") # ask again
# While loop has ended (no indents after here),
# now you can do other stuff...
print("Total grades is:", AllGrades)
print("You're all done now!")
```


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def countElements(MyL):
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sum $=0$
for item in MyL:
sum $=$ sum + 1
return sum


## Accumulation Operators

- Instead of:
$X=X+6$
Or
$Y=Y * 9$
Or
$Z=Z / 5$
- You can do:
$X+=6$
Or
Y * $=9$
Or
Z /= 5


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def countOddNumbers(lst):
""" returns the number of odd numbers in lst """
oddItems = 0
for item in MyL:
if item \% 2 == 1:
oddItems += 1
return oddItems


## Exercises with Accumulation 3

- Useful for "accumulating" something while going through a collection.
- Finish this function:
def countWords(sentence):
""" returns the number of words in the string sentence """


## YOUR TO-DOs

$\square$ Start Lab5 (lab tomorrow ; turn it in by Monday, 2/18)
$\square$ Start HW5 (due on Wednesday, 2/20)
$\square$ Make a playlist of songs that make you feel good

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