

Problem 1.

Here is a function that computes the sum of a list of numbers.

```
def sum_nums(L):  
    s = 0  
    for num in L:  
        s += num  
  
    return s
```

Write a function with the signature `def count_evens(L)` that returns the number of even integers in the list `L`. Assume `L` only contains integers.

Problem 2.

You can use `str()` to convert objects to strings:

```
>> str(42)  
'42'
```

In particular, you can obtain the string representation of a list `list0` by using `str()`

```
>> list0 = [1, 2, 3]  
>> str(list0)  
'[1, 2, 3]'
```

Without using `str()` with arguments that are lists (using it with arguments that are not lists is fine), write a function `list_to_str(lis)` which returns the string representation of the list `lis`. You may assume `lis` only contains integers.

Reminder:

```
>> "hello" + "python"  
"hellopython"
```

Problem 3.

You can compare lists using the `==` operator:

```
>> l1 = [1, 2, 3]  
>> l2 = [4, 5, 6]  
>> l3 = [1, 2, 3]  
>> l1 == l2  
False  
>> l1 == l3  
True
```

Without using the `==` operator to compare lists (you can still compare individual elements of the lists), write a function `lists_are_the_same(list1, list2)` which returns `True` iff `list1` and `list2` contain the same elements in the same order. You'll need to use a loop (either `while` or `for`)

Problem 4.

Write a function with the signature `list1_start_with_list2(list1, list2)`, which returns `True` iff `list1` is at least as long as `list2`, and the first `len(list2)` elements of `list1` are the same as `list2`. Note: `len(lis)` is the length of the list `lis`, i.e., the number of elements in `lis`.

First write the function without using slicing (“slicing” means saying things like `list1[2:5]`), and using a loop.

Problem 5.

Write a function with the signature `match_pattern(list1, list2)` which returns `True` iff the pattern `list2` appears in `list1`. In other words, we return `True` iff there is an `i` such that $0 \leq i \leq \text{len}(\text{list1}) - \text{len}(\text{list2})$ and

```
list1[i] = list2[0]
list1[i + 1] = list2[1]
.
.
.
list1[i + len(list2) - 1] = list2[-1]
```

For example, if `list1` is `[4, 10, 2, 3, 50, 100]` and `list2` is `[2, 3, 50]`, `match_pattern(list1, list2)` returns `True` since the pattern `[2, 3, 50]` appears in `list1`

Problem 6.

Write a function with the signature `duplicates(list0)`, which returns `True` iff `list0` contains at least two adjacent elements with the same value.