

High School Programming Competition
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Problem 1

First prime number. Write a program where the user enters a positive integer and the computer prints the first prime number greater than or equal to the user's input. (A prime is a natural number that has exactly 2 distinct natural number divisors: 1 and itself)

Input:

Enter a positive integer? 95

Output:

97

Problem 2

Rotate integers. Write a program that takes n integers and prints them in all possible rotation orders.

Input:

How many integers? 4

Input 4 integers? 5 2 0 4

Output:

5 2 0 4

2 0 4 5

0 4 5 2

4 5 2 0

Problem 3

Random students. Write a program where you enter n different student names and then ask the program to generate k random names out of the names you entered. Each time you run the program, the output should come up with a random sequence.

Input: Ask for n /// $n=6$

Enter name? Mary

Enter name? Ann

Enter name? Dan

Enter name? Jo

Enter name? Al

Enter name? Ray

Enter size of random group? 3

Output:

Mary Ann Ray (names do not repeat in a group)

Run again:
Ann Dan Al
Etc.

Problem 4

Poker. Check if *straight*. Enter 5 integers between 1 and 13. The program should check if the numbers could be organized in consecutive order.

Examples:

Input: Enter 5 cards? 4 6 5 3 7

Output: Yes. Straight.

Run again:

Input: Enter 5 cards? 4 6 12 3 7

Output: No.

Run again:

Input: Enter 5 cards? 89 6 12 3 7

Output: Error input.

Run again:

Input: Enter 5 cards? 11 10 12 13 9

Output: Yes. Straight.

Problem 5

Perfect cubes. Write a program to find all the triplets (a, b, c) where a, b and c are integers greater than 1 and less than or equal to 100, with the property that the sum of their cubes is a perfect cube.

$$a^3 + b^3 + c^3 = d^3$$

the program should display all triplets in ascending order without repetitions, that is the triplet (3 4 5) should occur only once (not (5 4 3) or (4 3 5) etc).

d a b c

Output:

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6      (3 4 5)
12     (6 8 10)
18     (2 12 16)
...
99     (11 66 88)
100    (16 68 88)
100    (35 70 85)
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