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Misc: The Condition controls*)

In[115]:= ? If

If[*condition*, *t*, *f*] gives *t* if *condition* evaluates to True, and *f* if it evaluates to False.
If[*condition*, *t*, *f*, *u*] gives *u* if *condition* evaluates to neither True nor False. >>

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In[116]:= If[ListQ[{1}], Print["Yes, This is a " Head[{1}]], Print["No, This is a " Head[{1}]]]
? ListQ
? Head
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Yes, This is a List

ListQ[*expr*] gives True if *expr* is a list, and False otherwise.

Head[*expr*] gives the head of *expr*. >>

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In[119]:= HeadTest[x_] :=
  If[ListQ[x], Print["Yes, This is a " Head[x] ], Print["No, This is a " Head[x] ]];
HeadTest[1]
HeadTest[{1}]
? Print
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No, This is a Integer

Yes, This is a List

Print[*expr*] prints *expr* as output. >>

In[123]:= ? While

While[*test*, *body*] evaluates *test*, then *body*, repetitively, until *test* first fails to give True. >>

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In[124]:= n = 1; result = 0;
While[n < 10, result = result + (1 / 2) ^ n; n++]
result // N
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Out[126]= 0.998047

In[127]:= ? For

For[*start*, *test*, *incr*, *body*] executes *start*, then repeatedly evaluates *body* and *incr* until *test* fails to give True. >>

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In[128]:= Clear[n]; Clear[result];
For[n = 1; result = 0, n < 10, n++, result = result + (1 / 2) ^ n]
result // N
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Out[130]= 0.998047

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In[131]:= Plus @@ ((1 / 2) ^ # & /@ Range[9]) // N
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Out[131]= 0.998047

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In[132]:= Clear[r];
For[i = 1; r = 1 / 2, i <= 10, i++, r = r^2]
r // N
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Out[134]= 5.562684646268003 × 10-309
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Nest[#^2 &, (1 / 2), 10] // N
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5.562684646268003 × 10-309
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In[135]:= ? Do
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`Do[expr, {imax}]` evaluates *expr* *i_{max}* times.
`Do[expr, {i, imax}]` evaluates *expr* with the variable *i* successively taking on the values 1 through *i_{max}* (in steps of 1).
`Do[expr, {i, imin, imax}]` starts with *i* = *i_{min}*.
`Do[expr, {i, imin, imax, di}]` uses steps *di*.
`Do[expr, {i, {i1, i2, ...}}]` uses the successive values *i₁*, *i₂*,
`Do[expr, {i, imin, imax}, {j, jmin, jmax}, ...]` evaluates *expr* looping over different values of *j*, etc. for each *i*. >>

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In[136]:= Clear[r]; r = {};
Do[r = Append[r, i / j], {i, 1, 10}, {j, 1, 10}]
r
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Out[138]= {1, 1/2, 1/3, 1/4, 1/5, 1/6, 1/7, 1/8, 1/9, 1/10, 2, 1, 2/3, 2/5, 2/7, 2/9, 2/10, 3, 1/2, 3/4, 3/5, 3/7, 3/8, 3/9, 3/10, 4, 2, 4/3, 4/5, 4/7, 4/9, 4/10, 5, 2/3, 5/4, 5/6, 5/7, 5/8, 5/9, 5/10, 6, 3/2, 6/5, 6/7, 6/10, 7, 3/4, 7/5, 7/6, 7/8, 7/9, 7/10, 8, 4/3, 8/5, 8/7, 8/9, 8/10, 9, 5/4, 9/6, 9/7, 9/8, 9/10, 10, 5/2, 10/3, 10/4, 10/6, 10/7, 10/8, 10/9, 1}
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In[139]:= r = {1, 1/2, 1/3, 1/4, 1/5, 1/6, 1/7, 1/8, 1/9, 1/10, 2, 1, 2/3, 2/5, 2/7, 2/9, 2/10, 3, 1/2, 3/4, 3/5, 3/7, 3/8, 3/9, 3/10, 4, 2, 4/3, 4/5, 4/7, 4/9, 4/10, 5, 2/3, 5/4, 5/6, 5/7, 5/8, 5/9, 5/10, 6, 3/2, 6/5, 6/7, 6/10, 7, 3/4, 7/5, 7/6, 7/8, 7/9, 7/10, 8, 4/3, 8/5, 8/7, 8/9, 8/10, 9, 5/4, 9/6, 9/7, 9/8, 9/10, 10, 5/2, 10/3, 10/4, 10/6, 10/7, 10/8, 10/9, 1};
Select[r, # > 1 &]
? Select
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Out[140]= {2, 3, 4, 2, 3, 5, 5/2, 5/3, 5/4, 6, 3, 2, 3/2, 6/5, 7, 7/2, 7/3, 7/4, 7/5, 6, 8, 4, 8/3, 8/5, 8/7, 8/9, 8/10, 9, 9/2, 9/3, 9/4, 9/5, 9/6, 9/7, 9/8, 9/10, 10, 5, 10/3, 10/2, 10/4, 10/6, 10/7, 10/8, 10/9, 1}
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`Select[list, crit]` picks out all elements *e_i* of *list* for which *crit*[*e_i*] is True.
`Select[list, crit, n]` picks out the first *n* elements for which *crit*[*e_i*] is True. >>

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In[142]:= Select[r, IntegerQ]
Cases[r, x_? (IntegerQ[#] == True &)]
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Out[142]= {1, 2, 1, 3, 1, 4, 2, 1, 5, 1, 6, 3, 2, 1, 7, 1, 8, 4, 2, 1, 9, 3, 1, 10, 5, 2, 1}
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Out[143]= {1, 2, 1, 3, 1, 4, 2, 1, 5, 1, 6, 3, 2, 1, 7, 1, 8, 4, 2, 1, 9, 3, 1, 10, 5, 2, 1}
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In[144]:= ? Cases
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Cases[{ e_1, e_2, \dots }, *pattern*] gives a list of the e_i that match the pattern.
 Cases[{ e_1, \dots }, *pattern* → *rhs*] gives a list of the values of *rhs* corresponding to the e_i that match the pattern.
 Cases[*expr*, *pattern*, *levelspec*] gives a list of all parts of *expr* on levels specified by *levelspec* that match the pattern.
 Cases[*expr*, *pattern* → *rhs*, *levelspec*] gives the values of *rhs* that match the pattern.
 Cases[*expr*, *pattern*, *levelspec*, *n*] gives the first *n* parts in *expr* that match the pattern. >>

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In[145]:= Select[r, # > 5 & || # < 2 &]
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Out[145]= {1, 1/2, 1/3, 1/4, 1/5, 1/6, 1/7, 1/8, 1/9, 1/10, 1, 2/3, 1/2, 2/5, 1/3, 2/7, 1/4, 2/9, 1/5, 3/2, 1, 3/4, 3/5, 1/2, 3/7, 3/8,
1/3, 3/10, 3/4, 1, 4/5, 2/3, 4/7, 1/2, 4/9, 2/5, 5/3, 4, 1, 5/6, 5/7, 5/8, 5/9, 5/10, 1, 3/2, 6/5, 1, 6/7, 3/4, 2/3, 3/5,
7/4, 7/5, 7/6, 1, 7/8, 7/9, 7/10, 8/5, 4/3, 8/7, 1, 8/9, 4/5, 9/2, 9/7, 9/8, 1, 9/10, 5/3, 10/7, 5/4, 10/9, 1}
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In[146]:= Select[r, # > 2 && # < 5 &]
Select[r, 2 < # < 5 &]
% == %%
? %
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Out[146]= {3, 4, 5/2, 3, 7/2, 7/3, 4, 8/3, 9/2, 3, 9/4, 10/3, 5/2}
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Out[147]= {3, 4, 5/2, 3, 7/2, 7/3, 4, 8/3, 9/2, 3, 9/4, 10/3, 5/2}
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Out[148]= True
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% *n* or Out[*n*] is a global object that is assigned to be the value produced on the n^{th} output line.
 % gives the last result generated.
 %% gives the result before last. %%...% (*k* times) gives the k^{th} previous result. >>

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In[150]:= alphabet = CharacterRange["a", "z"]
len = Length[%]
num = Range[len]
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Out[150]= {a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z}
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Out[151]= 26
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Out[152]= {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26}
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In[153]:= numalphabetrule = #[[1]] → #[[2]] & /@Transpose[{num, alphabet}]
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Out[153]= {1 → a, 2 → b, 3 → c, 4 → d, 5 → e, 6 → f, 7 → g, 8 → h, 9 → i, 10 → j, 11 → k, 12 → l, 13 → m, 14 → n,
15 → o, 16 → p, 17 → q, 18 → r, 19 → s, 20 → t, 21 → u, 22 → v, 23 → w, 24 → x, 25 → y, 26 → z}
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In[154]:= num /. numalphabetrule
ReplaceAll[num, numalphabetrule]
? ReplaceAll
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Out[154]= {a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z}
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Out[155]= {a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z}
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expr /. rules applies a rule or list of rules in an attempt to transform each subpart of an expression *expr*. >>

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In[157]:= num /. x_ /; x > 15 -> "b"
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Out[157]= {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, b, b, b, b, b, b, b, b, b, b, b}
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In[158]:= # /. (x_ /; x > 15 -> b) & /@ num
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Out[158]= {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, b, b, b, b, b, b, b, b, b, b, b}
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In[159]:= If[# > 15, #, # /. numalphabetrule] & /@ num
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Out[159]= {a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26}
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