

CS 160

CS Orientation

Finish Repetition and Strings
Begin Functions

What happens when you enter bad data?

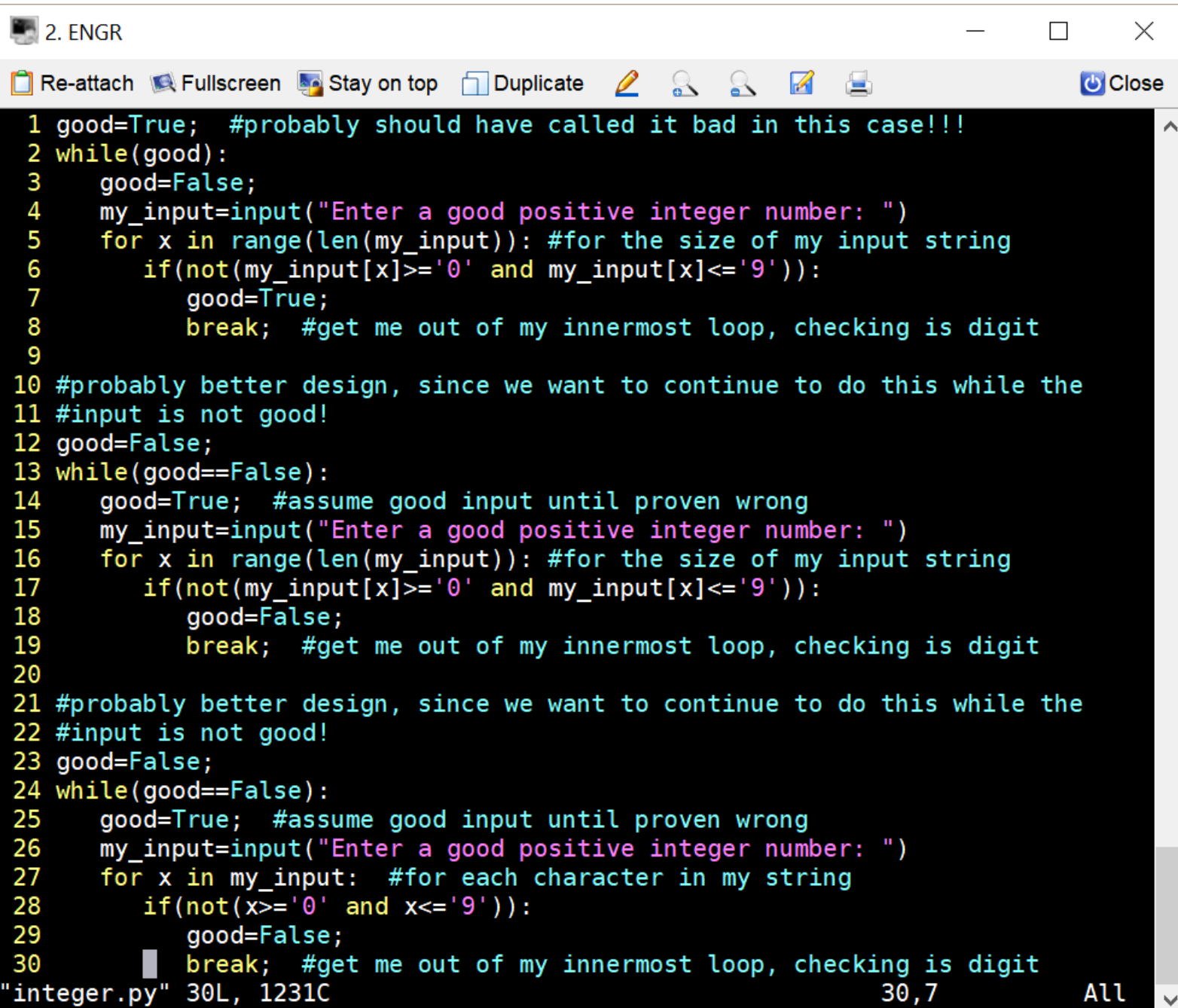
- Where/when does the error occur?

Strings

- Create a string
`my_string="hello";`
- Access a character
`my_string[0]` #gives you first character
- Length
`len(my_string)`

In-class Exercise #4 cont...

- Without using a built-in function to do the checking for you...
 - How will you make sure you get a good positive integer from the user?
 - How will you make sure you get a good integer from the user?
 - How will you make sure you get a good floating point number from the user?



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1 good=True; #probably should have called it bad in this case!!!
2 while(good):
3     good=False;
4     my_input=input("Enter a good positive integer number: ")
5     for x in range(len(my_input)): #for the size of my input string
6         if(not(my_input[x]>='0' and my_input[x]<='9')):
7             good=True;
8             break; #get me out of my innermost loop, checking is digit
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10 #probably better design, since we want to continue to do this while the
11 #input is not good!
12 good=False;
13 while(good==False):
14     good=True; #assume good input until proven wrong
15     my_input=input("Enter a good positive integer number: ")
16     for x in range(len(my_input)): #for the size of my input string
17         if(not(my_input[x]>='0' and my_input[x]<='9')):
18             good=False;
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22 #input is not good!
23 good=False;
24 while(good==False):
25     good=True; #assume good input until proven wrong
26     my_input=input("Enter a good positive integer number: ")
27     for x in my_input: #for each character in my string
28         if(not(x>='0' and x<='9')):
29             good=False;
30             break; #get me out of my innermost loop, checking is digit
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