
Testing the solution

Test planning

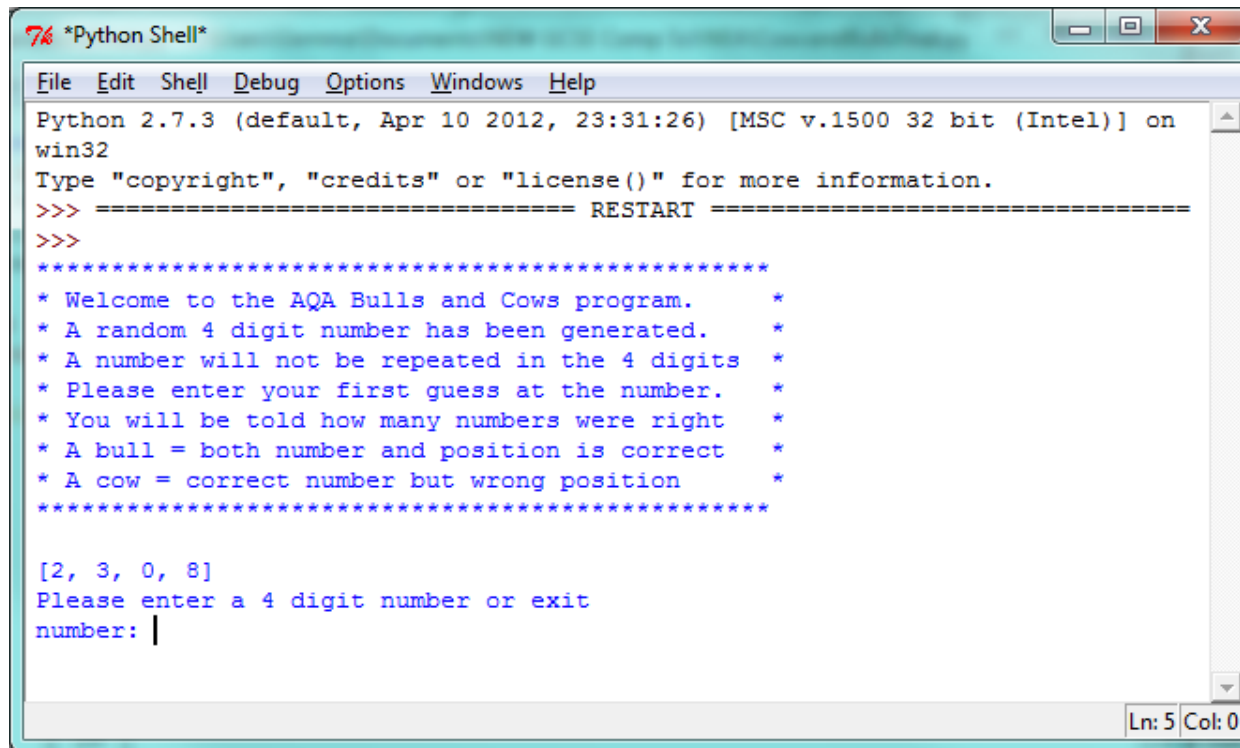
Description of Test	Test Data	Expected Results	Actual Results
The instructions are displayed and a prompt is shown for the user.	None	Instructions displayed and prompt allows keyboard entry.	As expected - Figure 1
A random 4 digit number is generated without duplicates	None	A test print output shows that a valid random number is generated.	Number [2, 3, 0, 8] has been generated and will be used for further tests. See Figure 1
Test that valid data is entered in the user prompt	1234	The number is accepted and checked against the random number. A count of cows and bulls is shown.	Error found, Figure 2a. The user entered number gave an error that the user_entry was an integer and had no length value. Retested, As expected – Figure 2b. Using the results from test 2 a count of 2 cows and 0 bulls is shown.
Test that erroneous data is entered, 4 non-digits	abcd	An error message is output stating that invalid data has been entered.	As expected – Figure 3.
Test that boundary data is entered, more than 4 digits	12345	An error message is output stating that the number is the wrong length	As expected – Figure 3.
Test that boundary data is entered, less than 4 digits	123	An error message is output stating that the number is the wrong length	As expected – Figure 3.
Test that erroneous data is entered, duplicate digits	1123	An error message is output stating that the number has duplicates.	As Expected – Figure 3.

Description of Test	Test Data	Expected Results	Actual Results
Test that the number entered has correct number of bulls and cows.	Based on random generated number	A message is output stating correct number of cows and bulls.	As expected – Figure 4.
Test that the number entered matches the random number and number of guesses is correct.	Based on random generated number	A message is output stating 4 bulls and congratulations.	As expected – Figure 5.
Exit typed before any guesses made.	Exit	Program exits with message output.	Program did not exit but gave an invalid format error – Figure 6a. Input case sensitive, so code corrected to use lower() python format function. Retested As Expected Figure 6b
Additional test to ensure program working with errors fixed.	None	Program accepted incorrect input with error messages, and correct guesses.	Figure 7.

Testing evidence

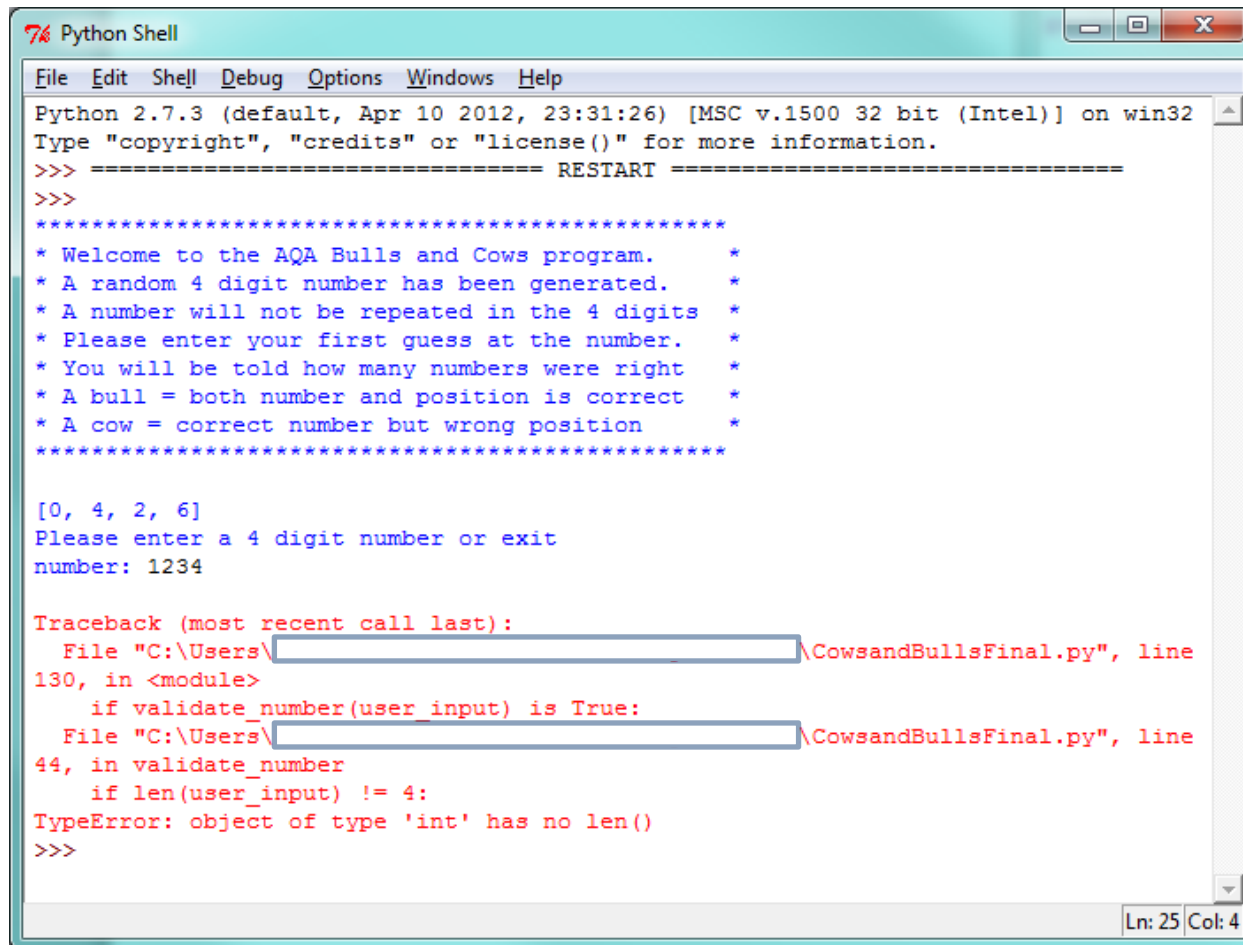
Figure 1.

The line [2, 3, 0, 8] shows the randomly generated number.



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*Python Shell*
File Edit Shell Debug Options Windows Help
Python 2.7.3 (default, Apr 10 2012, 23:31:26) [MSC v.1500 32 bit (Intel)] on
win32
Type "copyright", "credits" or "license()" for more information.
>>> ===== RESTART =====
>>>
*****
* Welcome to the AQA Bulls and Cows program.      *
* A random 4 digit number has been generated.      *
* A number will not be repeated in the 4 digits    *
* Please enter your first guess at the number.     *
* You will be told how many numbers were right    *
* A bull = both number and position is correct     *
* A cow = correct number but wrong position        *
*****
[2, 3, 0, 8]
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: |
Ln: 5 Col: 0
```

Figure 2a.



The screenshot shows a Python Shell window titled "Python Shell" with a menu bar (File, Edit, Shell, Debug, Options, Windows, Help). The shell displays the following text:

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>>> ===== RESTART =====
>>>
*****
* Welcome to the AQA Bulls and Cows program.      *
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* A number will not be repeated in the 4 digits    *
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* You will be told how many numbers were right    *
* A bull = both number and position is correct    *
* A cow = correct number but wrong position        *
*****

[0, 4, 2, 6]
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 1234

Traceback (most recent call last):
  File "C:\Users\...\CowsandBullsFinal.py", line
130, in <module>
    if validate_number(user_input) is True:
  File "C:\Users\...\CowsandBullsFinal.py", line
44, in validate_number
    if len(user_input) != 4:
TypeError: object of type 'int' has no len()
>>>
```

The status bar at the bottom right of the shell window shows "Ln: 25 Col: 4".

```
while user_input != "exit":
    print("Please enter a 4 digit number or exit")
    user_input = input("number: ")
```

This was a problem because I had used the function input() for the user input. I changed the code to use raw_input() and it worked.

```
while user_input != "exit":  
    print("Please enter a 4 digit number or exit")  
    user_input = raw_input("number: ")
```

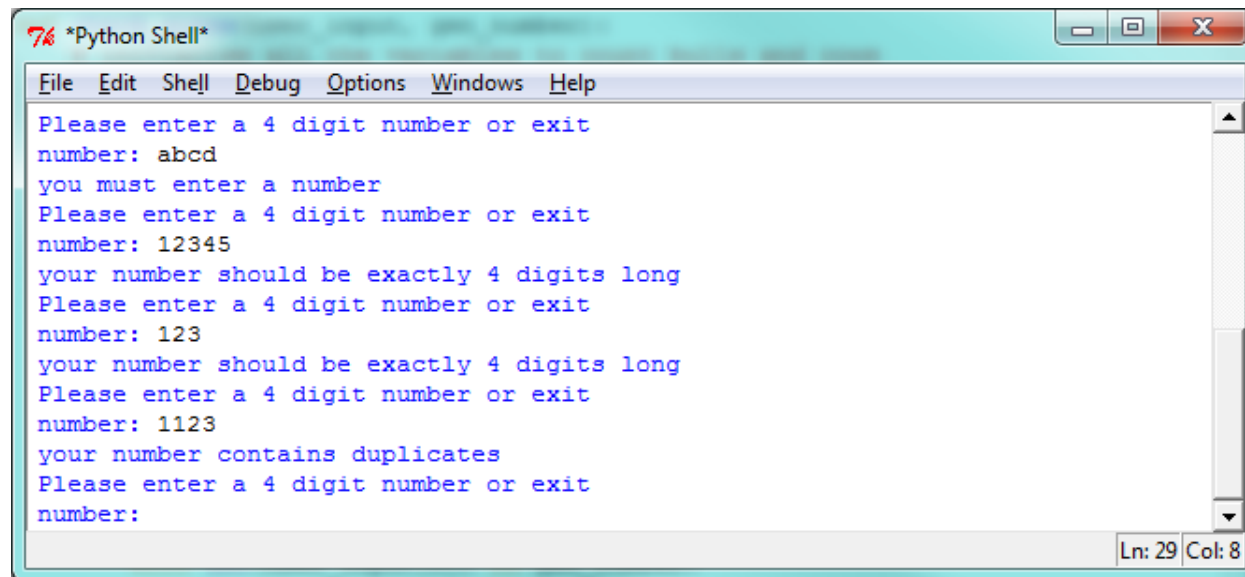
Fixed code

Figure 2b.

```
* You will be told how many numbers were right *  
* A bull = both number and position is correct *  
* A cow = correct number but wrong position *  
*****  
  
[2, 3, 0, 8]  
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit  
number: 1234  
You have 0 bulls and 2 cows  
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit  
number: |
```

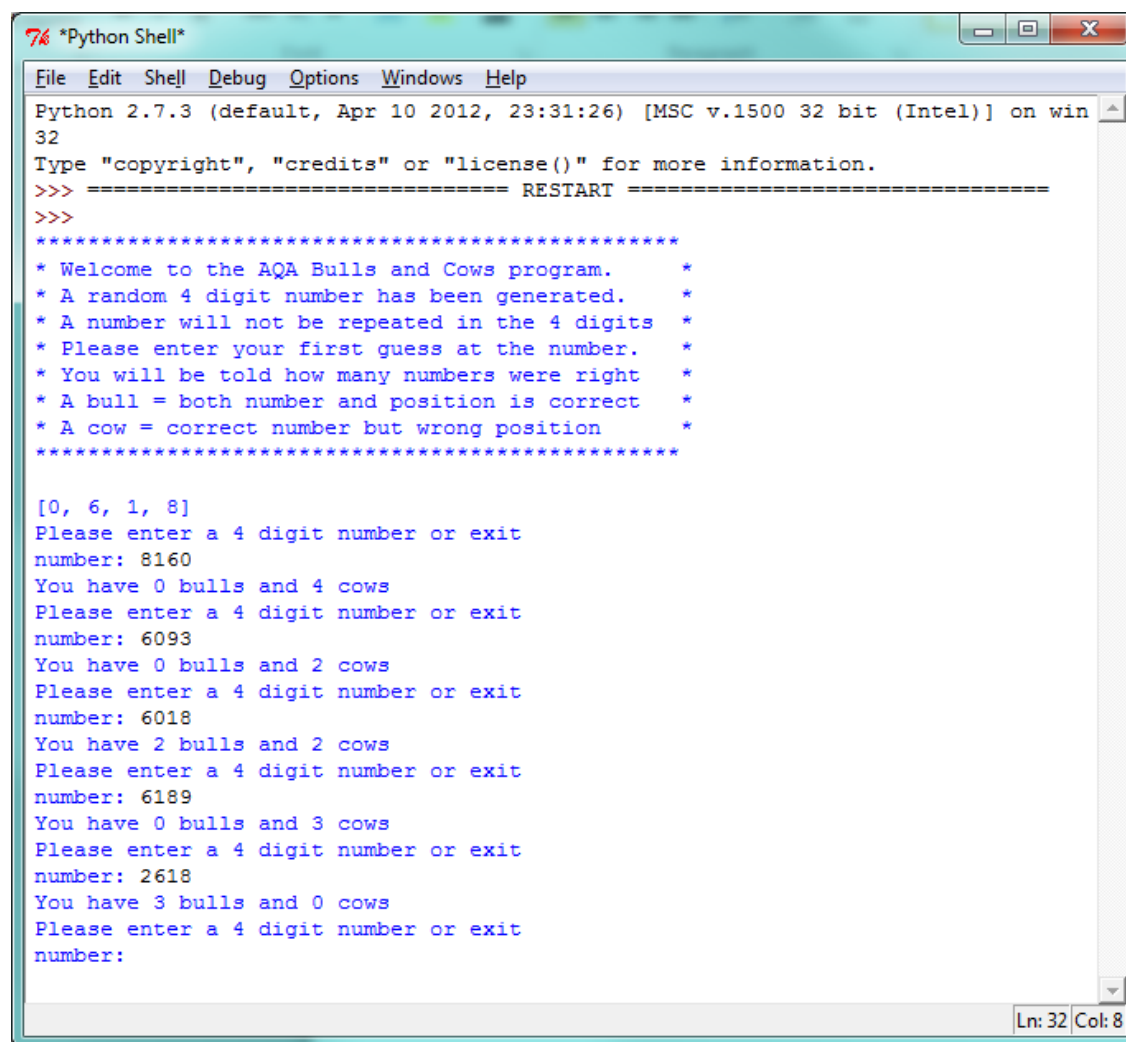
Ln: 20 Col: 8

Figure 3.



```
*Python Shell*
File Edit Shell Debug Options Windows Help
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: abcd
you must enter a number
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 12345
your number should be exactly 4 digits long
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 123
your number should be exactly 4 digits long
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 1123
your number contains duplicates
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number:
Ln: 29 Col: 8
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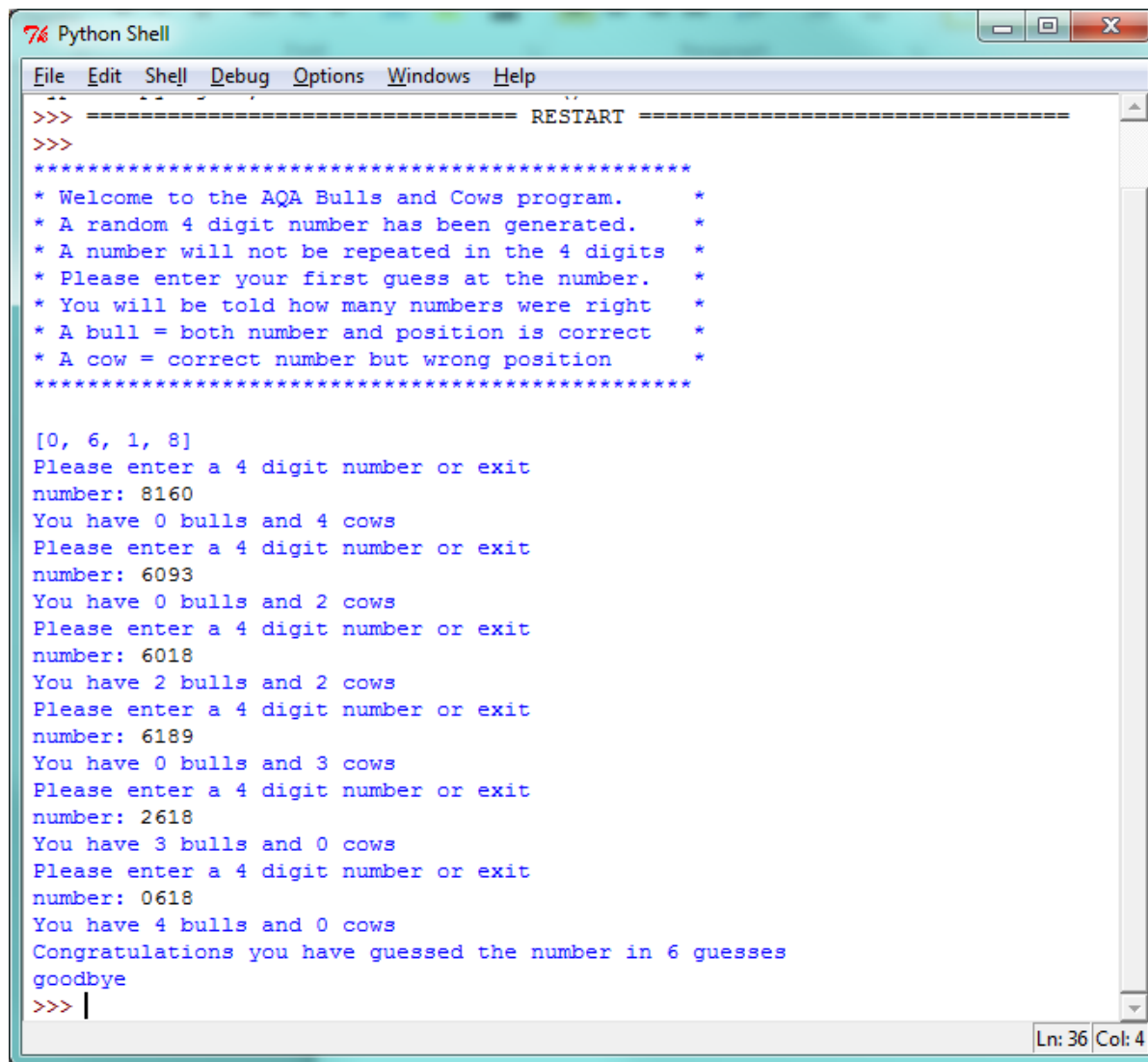
Figure 4.



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*Python Shell*
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32
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>>> ===== RESTART =====
>>>
*****
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* A cow = correct number but wrong position *
*****

[0, 6, 1, 8]
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 8160
You have 0 bulls and 4 cows
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 6093
You have 0 bulls and 2 cows
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 6018
You have 2 bulls and 2 cows
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 6189
You have 0 bulls and 3 cows
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 2618
You have 3 bulls and 0 cows
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number:
Ln: 32 Col: 8
```

Figure 5

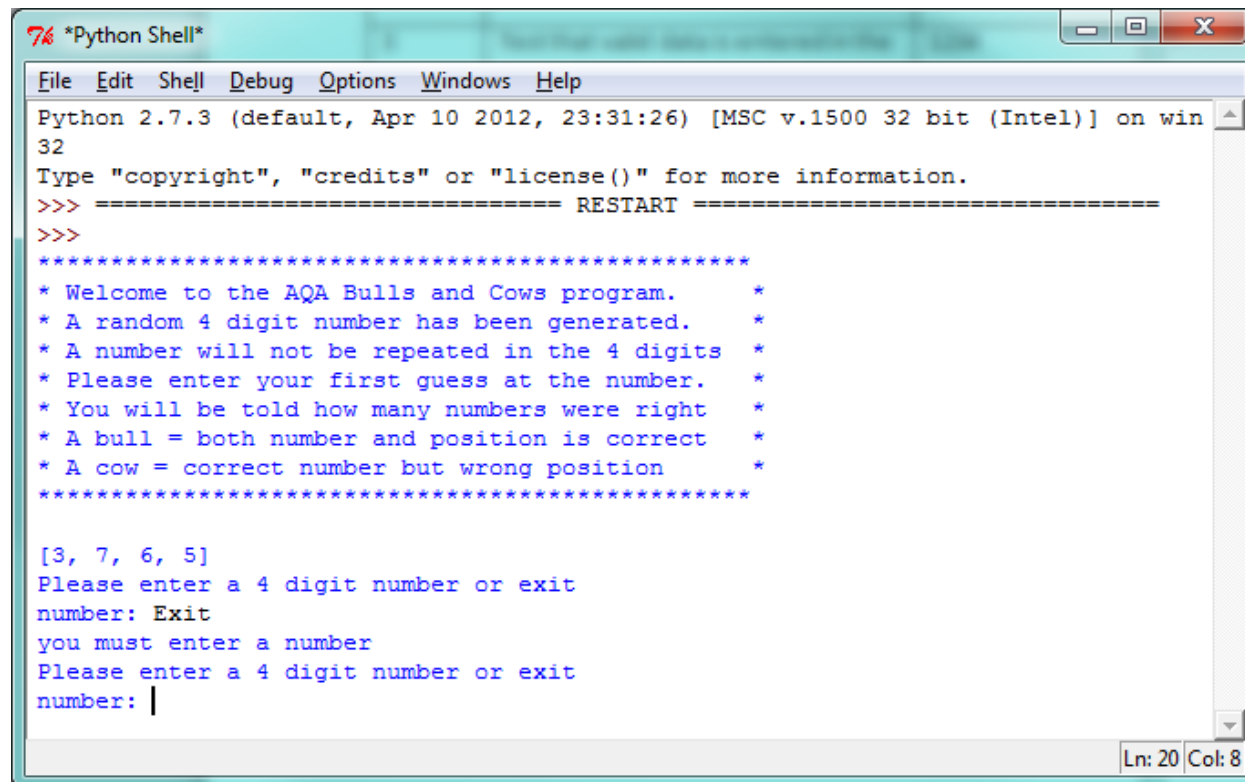


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>>>
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* Please enter your first guess at the number.      *
* You will be told how many numbers were right     *
* A bull = both number and position is correct      *
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*****

[0, 6, 1, 8]
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 8160
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number: 6093
You have 0 bulls and 2 cows
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number: 6018
You have 2 bulls and 2 cows
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 6189
You have 0 bulls and 3 cows
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 2618
You have 3 bulls and 0 cows
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 0618
You have 4 bulls and 0 cows
Congratulations you have guessed the number in 6 guesses
goodbye
>>> |
```

Ln: 36 Col: 4

Figure 6a

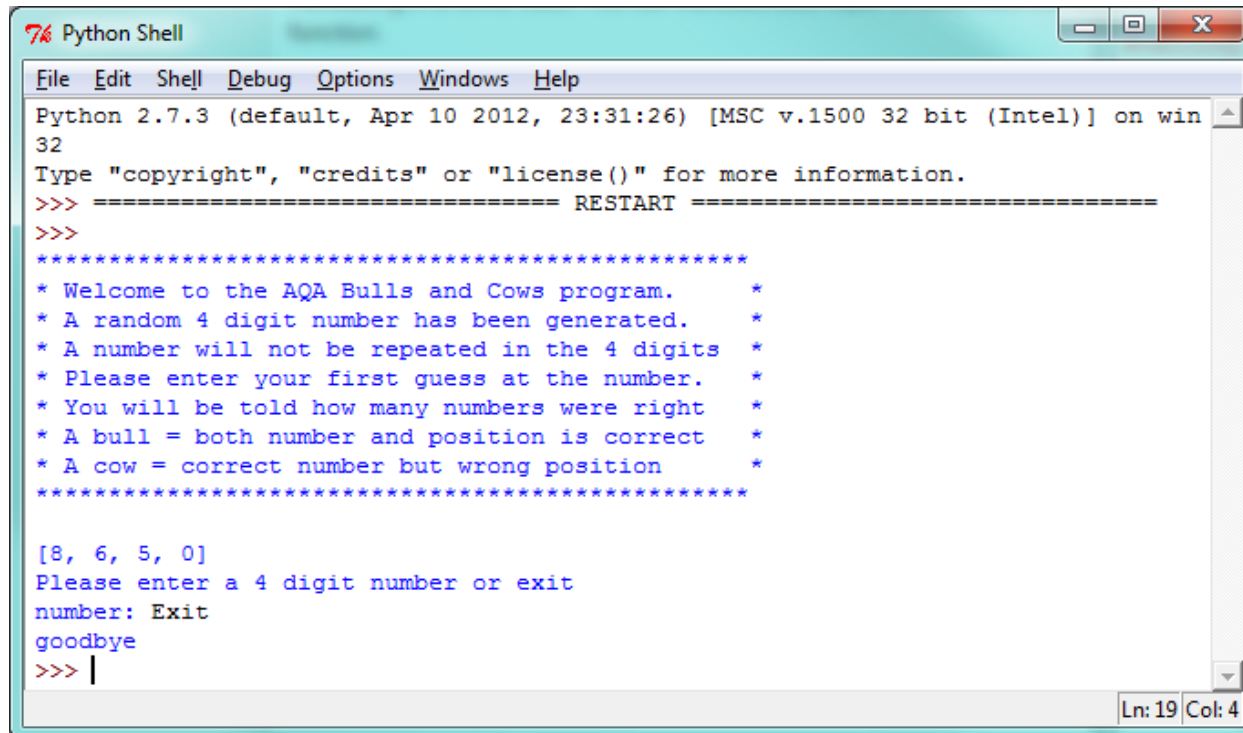


The screenshot shows a Python Shell window titled '*Python Shell*'. The window has a menu bar with 'File', 'Edit', 'Shell', 'Debug', 'Options', 'Windows', and 'Help'. The text inside the window is as follows:

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* A number will not be repeated in the 4 digits    *
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* You will be told how many numbers were right    *
* A bull = both number and position is correct     *
* A cow = correct number but wrong position        *
*****
[3, 7, 6, 5]
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: Exit
you must enter a number
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: |
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The status bar at the bottom right of the window shows 'Ln: 20 Col: 8'.

Figure 6b.

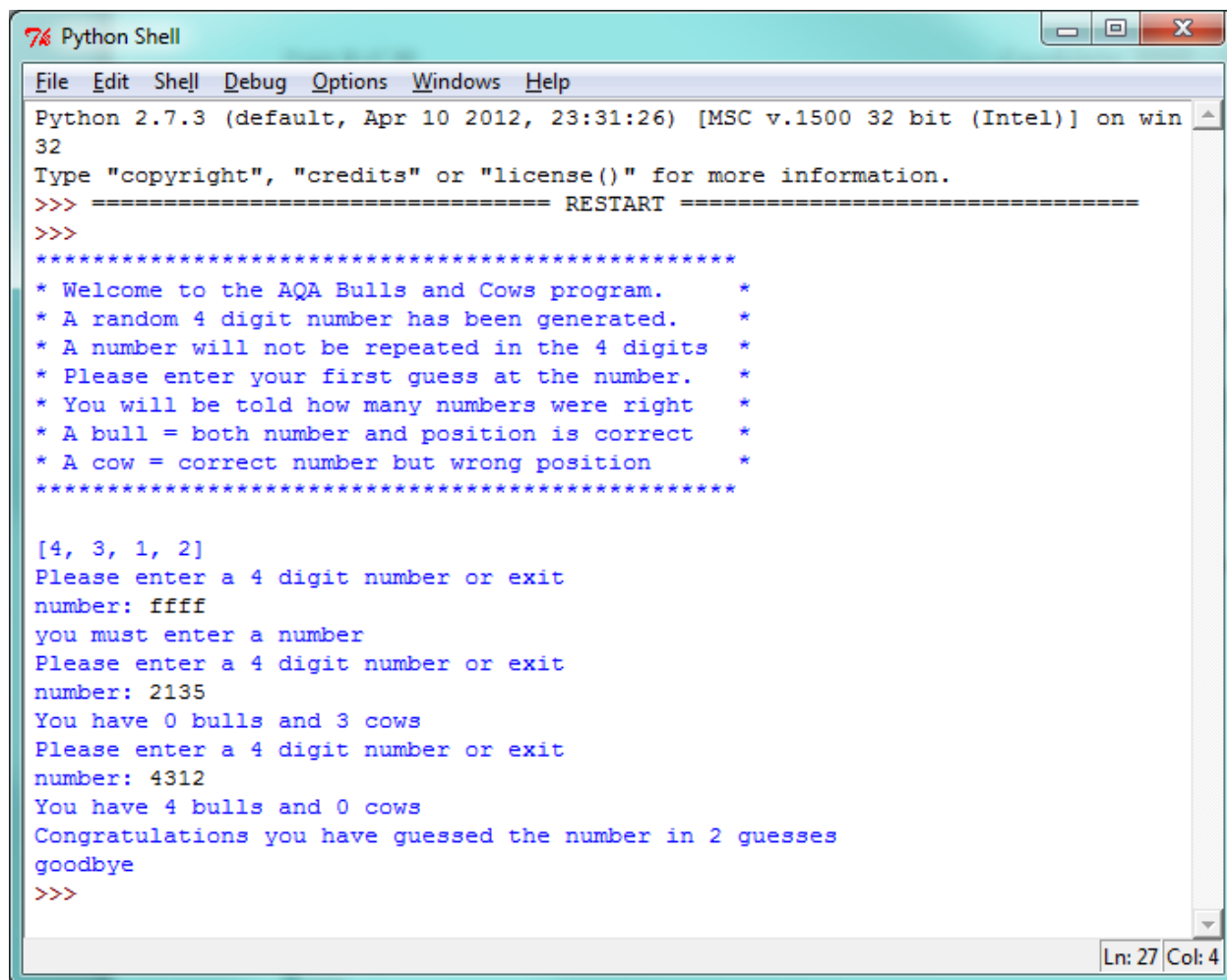


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Python 2.7.3 (default, Apr 10 2012, 23:31:26) [MSC v.1500 32 bit (Intel)] on win
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* A number will not be repeated in the 4 digits    *
* Please enter your first guess at the number.     *
* You will be told how many numbers were right    *
* A bull = both number and position is correct     *
* A cow = correct number but wrong position        *
*****
[8, 6, 5, 0]
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: Exit
goodbye
>>> |
Ln: 19 Col: 4
```

```
while user_input != "exit":
    print("Please enter a 4 digit number or exit")
    user_input = raw_input("number: ").lower()
```

Corrected code

Figure 7.



```
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*****

[4, 3, 1, 2]
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: ffff
you must enter a number
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 2135
You have 0 bulls and 3 cows
Please enter a 4 digit number or exit
number: 4312
You have 4 bulls and 0 cows
Congratulations you have guessed the number in 2 guesses
goodbye
>>>
```

Ln: 27 Col: 4