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5) print("outer function returning inner function")
6) return inner
7) f1=outer()
8) f1()
9) f1()
10) f1()
```

Output

outer function started
outer function returning inner function
inner function execution
inner function execution
inner function execution

Q. What is the difference between the following lines?

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f1 = outer
f1 = outer()
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- In the first case for the outer() function we are providing another name f1(function aliasing).
- But in the second case we calling outer() function, which returns inner function. For that inner function() we are providing another name f1

Note: We can pass function as argument to another function

Eg: filter(function,sequence)
map(function,sequence)
reduce(function,sequence)