

## Lab: Strings

*[All codes given below are for Python 2.7.x, for Python 3 make suitable change]  
For Python3.x: use () in print, and use input in place of raw\_input*

***# Run following commands and observe the output:***

***1#***

```
my_string = 'Hello'  
print my_string
```

***#output***

***Hello***

***2#***

```
my_string = "Hello"  
print my_string
```

***#output***

***Hello***

***3#***

```
my_string = """Hello"""  
print my_string
```

***#output***

***Hello***

***# triple quotes string can extend multiple lines***

***4#***

```
my_string = """Hello, welcome to  
    the world of Python"""  
print my_string
```

***#output***

***Hello, welcome to***

## *the world of Python*

### **#format function**

```
default_order = "{} , {} and {}".format('ECE','MEC','CSE')
print '\n--- Default Order ---'
print default_order
```

### **#output**

```
--- Default Order ---
ECE, MEC and CSE
```

### **# Order using positional argument**

```
positional_order = "{1} in {0} is {2}".format('Guna','University','JUET')
print '\n--- Positional Order ---'
print positional_order
```

### **#output**

```
--- Positional Order ---
University in Guna is JUET
```

### **# Order using keyword argument**

```
keyword_order = "{r} has {j} and {u}".format(j='Jaypee',u='University',r='Raghogarh')
print '\n--- Keyword Order ---'
print keyword_order
```

### **#output**

```
--- Keyword Order ---
Raghogarh has Jaypee and University
```

### **# input a string at run time**

### **#use of input**

```
my_string = input('Enter your string in cotes :')
print 'the string {0} has length {1}'.format(my_string,len(my_string))
```

### **#output**

**Enter your string in cotes : 'Jaypee'**  
**the string Jaypee has length 6**

**#use of raw\_input**

```
my_string = raw_input('Enter your string without cotes : ')  
print 'the string {0} has length {1}'.format(my_string,len(my_string))
```

**#output**

**Enter your string without cotes : university**  
**the string university has length 10**

### **Report 1:**

**List all string functions in python, and write at least two examples of each.**

#### **Exercise:**

**Use built-in functions for followings:**

- A. Write a program to display a given string from backward.
- B. Write a program to count number of words in string.
- C. Write a program to concatenate one string contents to another.
- D. Write a program to compare two strings they are exact equal or not.
- E. Write a program to find a substring within a string. If found display its starting position.
- F. Write a program to convert a string in uppercase.
- G. Write a program to convert a string in lowercase.
- H. Calculate number of occurrences of 'a' in a input string using recursion.

**Write Python Script for followings (Avoid use of built-in function, if possible)**

- 1. Create a function that writes the Fibonacci series up to n numbers.
- 2. Write a function that receives two numbers as an argument and display all prime numbers between these two numbers. Call this function from main ().
- 3. Define a function max() that takes two numbers as arguments and returns the largest of them. Use the if-then-else construct available in Python. (It is true that Python has the max() function built in, but writing it yourself is nevertheless a good exercise.
- 4. Define a function max\_of\_three() that takes three numbers as arguments and returns the largest of them.
- 5. Define a function that computes the length of a given string.
- 6. Write a script to input a string form the user and output the first non repeating character.

7. Write a function that takes a character (i.e. a string of length 1) and returns True if it is a vowel, False otherwise.

8. Write a function `translate()` that will translate a text into "rovarspraket" (Swedish for "robber's language"). That is, double every consonant and place an occurrence of "o" in between.

For example, `translate("this is fun")`  
should return the string "tothohisos isos fofunon".

9. Define a function `reverse()` that computes the reversal of a string. For example, `reverse("I am testing")` should return the string "gnitset ma I".

10. Define a function `is_palindrome()` that recognizes palindromes (i.e. words that look the same written backwards).

For example, `is_palindrome("radar")` should return True.

11. Write a function `is_member()` that takes a value (i.e. a number, string, etc) `x` and a list of values `a`, and Returns **True** if `x` is a member of `a`, **False** otherwise.

(Note that this is exactly what the `in` operator does, but for the sake of the exercise you should pretend Python did not have this operator.)

12. Write a python script to make word guessing game. The game runs as follows:

```
word is ***** its length is 6
You have 6 attempts left
Enter a char(lowercase): t
correct..
word is **t**
You have 6 attempts left
Enter a char(lowercase): p
Previous guess: p
try again...
word is **t**
You have 5 attempts left
Enter a char(lowercase): s
Previous guess: ps
try again...
word is **t**
You have 4 attempts left
Enter a char(lowercase): a
correct..
word is *at**
You have 4 attempts left
Enter a char(lowercase): e
correct..
word is *at*e*
You have 4 attempts left
Enter a char(lowercase): h
correct..
word is *athe*
You have 4 attempts left
Enter a char(lowercase): r
correct..
word is *ather
You have 4 attempts left
Enter a char(lowercase): f
correct..
word is father
Congratulations! you got the word
>>>
```

13. Write a python script to take two values as string (using `raw_input`) and convert it into a multiple lists which appears like matrix. (See sample input and output)

Sample string input: 3 5

Sample O/P:    [0, 0, 0, 0, 0]  
                  [0, 1, 2, 3, 4]  
                  [0, 2, 4, 6, 8]

Sample string input: 5 5

Sample O/P:

[0, 0, 0, 0, 0 ]

[0, 1, 2, 3, 4 ]

[0, 2, 4, 6, 8 ]

[0, 3, 6, 9, 12]

[0, 4, 8, 12, 16]

14. Write a python script to read a paragraph and print its words in sorted order

Sample input: jaypee university of engineering and technology raghogarh guna madhya pradesh

Sample Output:

and engineering guna jaypee madhya of pradesh raghogarh technology university