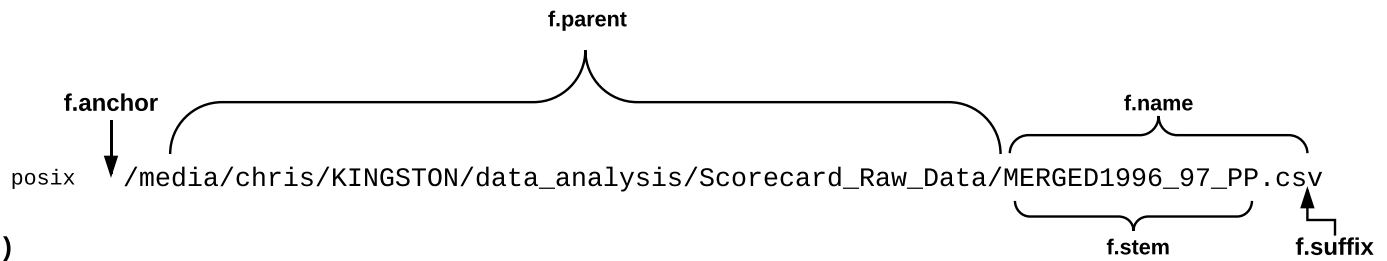


# Python Pathlib Cheatsheet



**f.absolute()**

Windows `D:/data_analysis/Scorecard_Raw_Data/MERGED1996_97_PP.csv`

`f.drive`

posix `file:///media/chris/KINGSTON/data_analysis/Scorecard_Raw_Data/MERGED1996_97_PP.csv`

**f.as\_uri()**

Windows `file:///D:/data_analysis/Scorecard_Raw_Data/MERGED1996_97_PP.csv`

**list(f.parents)**

```
[PosixPath('/media/chris/KINGSTON/data_analysis/Scorecard_Raw_Data'),  
PosixPath('/media/chris/KINGSTON/data_analysis'),  
PosixPath('/media/chris/KINGSTON'),  
PosixPath('/media/chris'),  
PosixPath('/media'),  
PosixPath('/')]
```

**f.parts**

```
('/', 'media', 'chris', 'KINGSTON', 'data_analysis', 'Scorecard_Raw_Data', 'MERGED1996_97_PP.csv')
```

**Path('test.tar.gz').suffixes**

```
['.tar', '.gz']
```

Create a Path object for a directory

```
from pathlib import Path  
p = Path("/media/chris/KINGSTON/data_analysis")
```

Create a Path object for a file

```
f = p.joinpath('Scorecard_Raw_Data/MERGED1996_97_PP.csv')  
f = p / "Scorecard_Raw_Data" / "MERGED1996_97_PP.csv"
```

Create a list of all .csv files in current dir

```
list(p.glob('*.csv'))
```

Create a list of all .csv files recursing through all subdirectories

```
list(p.rglob('*.csv'))
```

Rename a file

```
f.with_name("Merged96_97.csv")
```

Get modified and created time of a file

```
import time  
  
time.ctime(f.stat().st_mtime)  
time.ctime(f.stat().st_ctime)
```

Get size of file

```
f.stat().st_size
```

Create a Path object from multiple parts

```
dir_parts = ["in", "input.xlsx"]  
f2 = Path.cwd().joinpath(*dir_parts)
```

Test if Path is a dir or file

```
p.is_dir()  
f.is_file()
```

Test if Path exists

```
p.exists()
```

Get current working and home dir

```
Path.cwd()  
Path.home()
```

Use scandir to iterate through dirs and build list of all files

```
import os  
  
file_list = []  
for entry in os.scandir(p):  
    if entry.is_file():  
        file_list.append(entry)
```