

# 1. Store text data into variable

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In [1]: message = "Hello World"
        print(message)
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Hello World

We can use both single quote and double quote when creating string data. So, when we use it separately?  
If the data have a single quote as a data, then we need to use double quote. We can use a escape character "\" instead.

# 2. Methods for the String data type

- len(str) : Return the length of input string.
- str[idx] : Return the element in index idx.
- str[:idx] : Return the sequence of elements in index zero to idx.
- str.lower() : Convert the uppercase characters into lowercase.
- str.upper() : Convert the lowercase characters into uppercase.
- str.count(key) : Count the number of key existing in string data.
- str.find(key) : Return the first index of key in string data.
- str.replace('a', 'b') : Replace first argument 'a' with 'b'.

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In [4]: print(len(message))
        print(message[3])
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# 3. String formatting

Above the version 3.6, Python release the new way of formatting called f-format.

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In [6]: new_message = f'{message} is new!'
        print(new_message)
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Hello World is new!

# 4. helper method : dir, help

dir funtion returns method we can use based on input object.

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In [7]: print(dir(new_message))
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['__add__', '__class__', '__contains__', '__delattr__', '__dir__', '__doc__', '__eq__', '__format__', '__ge__', '__getattribute__', '__getitem__', '__getnewargs__', '__gt__', '__hash__', '__init__', '__init_subclass__', '__iter__', '__le__', '__len__', '__lt__', '__mod__', '__mul__', '__ne__', '__new__', '__reduce__', '__reduce_ex__', '__repr__', '__rmod__', '__rmul__', '__setattr__', '__sizeof__', '__str__', '__subclasshook__', 'capitalize', 'casefold', 'center', 'count', 'encode', 'endswith', 'expandtabs', 'find', 'format', 'format_map', 'index', 'isalnum', 'isalpha', 'isascii', 'isdecimal', 'isdigit', 'isidentifier', 'islower', 'isnumeric', 'isprintable', 'isspace', 'istitle', 'isupper', 'join', 'ljust', 'lower', 'lstrip', 'maketrans', 'partition', 'replace', 'rfind', 'rindex', 'rjust', 'rpartition', 'rstrip', 'rstrip', 'split', 'splitlines', 'startswith', 'strip', 'swapcase', 'title', 'translate', 'upper', 'zfill']
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help function returns the documents of input object and functions.

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In [9]: help(str.lower)
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Help on method\_descriptor:

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lower(self, /)
    Return a copy of the string converted to lowercase.
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