

List data structure

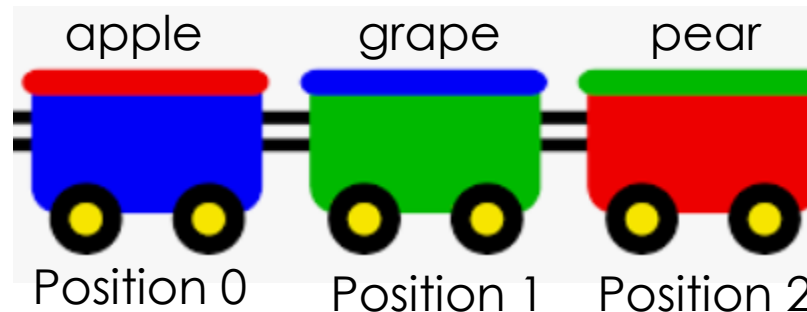


Python list

- List is a collection of data (numbers, string, etc.). Each data is associated with a position (indexed)
- Example:

`numlist = [1, 7, 9, 9]`

`fruitlist = ["apple", "grape", "pear"]`



Example

```
numlist=[1, 7, 9, 9]
print(numlist)
print(numlist[3])
fruitlist=["apple", "grape", "pear"]
print(fruitlist)
print(fruitlist[1])
```

```
[1, 7, 9, 9]
```

```
9
```

```
['apple', 'grape', 'pear']
```

```
grape
```

List Method:	Description:
<i>list.append(x)</i>	Adds item <i>x</i> to the end of the list
<i>list.extend(L)</i>	Adds all items in list <i>L</i> to the end of the list
<i>list.insert(i,x)</i>	Inserts item <i>x</i> at index position <i>i</i>
<i>list.remove(x)</i>	Removes first item <i>x</i> from the list
<i>list.pop(i)</i>	Removes item at index position <i>i</i> and returns it
<i>list.index(x)</i>	Returns the index position in the list of first item <i>x</i>
<i>list.count(x)</i>	Returns the number of times <i>x</i> appears in the list
<i>list.sort()</i>	Sort all list items, in place
<i>list.reverse()</i>	Reverse all list items, in place

Example

```
numlist=[1,12, 9, 9, 6, 9]
print("Number of 9 in the list is:\t", numlist.count(9))
print("The first position of 9 is:\t", numlist.index(9))
numlist.sort()
print("Sorted list is:\t\t\t", numlist)
numlist.reverse()
print("Reverse sorted list is\t\t", numlist)
```

Number of 9 in the list is:	3
The first position of 9 is:	2
Sorted list is:	[1, 6, 9, 9, 9, 12]
Reverse sorted list is	[12, 9, 9, 9, 6, 1]

Example

```
fruitlist=["apple", "grape", "pear"]
vegalist=["lattuce", "carrot"]
fruitlist.append("peach")
print("The new list is:\t", fruitlist)
fruitlist.remove("grape")
print("After remove grage:\t", fruitlist)
tbe = fruitlist.pop(2)
print("Removed from the list:\t", tbe)
print("The new list is:\t", fruitlist)
fruitlist.extend(vegalist)
print("The extened list is:\t", fruitlist)
```

The new list is:	['apple', 'grape', 'pear', 'peach']
After remove grage:	['apple', 'pear', 'peach']
Removed from the list:	peach
The new list is:	['apple', 'pear']
The extened list is:	['apple', 'pear', 'lattuce', 'carrot']

Two methods to enumerate all elements in a list

```
fruitlist=["apple", "grape", "pear"]
```

Method 1

```
for x in range(len(fruitlist)):  
    print(fruitlist[x])
```

Method 2

```
for x in fruitlist:  
    print(x)
```

len(fruitlist) return
the length of the
list

Python tuple

- tuple is a collection of fixed data (their value cannot be changed)
- Example:

```
fruit_tuple=("apple", "grape", "pear")  
print(fruit_tuple)  
print(fruit_tuple[1])  
print(len(fruit_tuple))
```

Parenthesis is used
in defining a tuple

```
('apple', 'grape', 'pear')  
grape  
3
```

Square parenthesis
is used in indexing

Today's Challenge 1

In previous program to display date, we used a long if-elif... statement to find the string for the current month. Can you use tuple data structure to simple the previous program?

```
Today is: May 31, 2019  
The current time is: 1:49:39PM
```

```
import datetime  
date_time = datetime.datetime.now()  
date = date_time.date() # Gives the date  
time = date_time.time() # Gives the time
```

```
mstr = "Jan."  
m = date.month  
if (m==2):  
    mstr = "Feb."  
elif (m==3):  
    mstr = "Mar."  
elif (m==4):  
    mstr = "Apr."  
elif (m==5):  
    mstr = "May"  
elif (m==6):  
    mstr = "Jun."
```

```
elif (m==7):  
    mstr = "Jul."  
elif (m==8):  
    mstr = "Aug."  
elif (m==9):  
    mstr = "Sep."  
elif (m==10):  
    mstr = "Oct."  
elif (m==11):  
    mstr = "Nov."  
elif (m==12):  
    mstr = "Dec."
```

Solution for Challenge 1

```
import datetime
date_time = datetime.datetime.now()
date = date_time.date()  # Gives the date
time = date_time.time()  # Gives the time

mon_tuple = ("Jan.", "Feb.", "Mar.", "Apr.", "May", "Jun.",
             "Jul.", "Aug.", "Sep.", "Oct", "Nov.", "Dec.")

hstr = "AM"
h = time.hour
if (h>12):
    h=h-12;
    hstr = "PM"

print("Today is: "+ mon_tuple[date.month-1] +" "
      +str(date.day)+", "+str(date.year))

tmp = str(h)+":"+str(time.minute)+":"+str(time.second)+hstr
print("The current time is: "+tmp)
```

Today's Challenge 2

A typing game



- The program first display a list of 5 words
- If you type one of the 5 words correctly, the word will be removed from the list.
- The program also time how long you take to type, if you take longer than a specified time, the program will add new words to the list
- You win the game if there is no more words in the list
- You lose the game is there is more than 10 words in the list

Today's Challenge 2

A typing game



```
public process autonomous fanbase camera
```

```
Type:public
```

```
process autonomous fanbase camera
```

```
Type:process
```

```
autonomous fanbase camera
```

```
movie software club voice etiquette
```

```
Type:movie
```

```
software club voice etiquette wish wildspread wildspread enable require shopping  
computer
```

A typing game

```
import random
from time import *

word_tuple = ("program", "computer", "club", "software", "hardware", "circuit",
              "mall", "movie", "television", "theater", "shopping", "hotel",
              "diplomatic", "etiquette", "candidate", "support", "require",
              "edge", "voice", "vision", "content", "camera", "process",
              "wildspread", "public", "awareness", "system", "autonomous", "
              "fanbase", "mind", "mindset", "wish", "hope", "will")

init_num = 5
words = []
tstep = 3.0
tdiff = 0.0

#create the initial word list
for k in range(init_num):
    num = random.randint(0, 35)
    words.append(word_tuple[num])

word_num = len(words)
```

```
while word_num>0 and word_num<10:
    new_word_num = int(tdiff/tstep)
    for k in range(new_word_num):
        words.append(word_tuple[random.randint(0, 35)])

#print the word list
line=""
for w in words:
    line = line + w + " "
print(line)

# start the timer
start_time = time()
inword=input("Type:")

# check if the typed word is in the words list
```

Can you write this portion of the code?

```
# stop the timer
end_time = time()
tdiff=end_time-start_time
```

```
# check game results  
if word_num==0:  
    print("You win the game")  
else:  
    print("You lose the game")
```

- Can you find a bug of this program and take advantage of it for not losing the game (though you may not win)
- Can you remove the bug (debug)?

