TUPLE IN PYTHON

Tuples are used to store multiple items in a single variable. A tuple is a collection which is ordered and unchangeable. Tuples are written with round brackets.

Tuple Items

Tuple items are ordered, unchangeable, and allow duplicate values.

Tuple items are indexed, the first item has index [0], the second item has index [1] etc.

Ordered

When we say that tuples are ordered, it means that the items have a defined order, and that order will not change.

Unchangeable

Tuples are unchangeable, meaning that we cannot change, add or remove items after the tuple has been created.

Allow Duplicates

Since tuples are indexed, they can have items with the same value.

Access Tuple Items

You can access tuple items by referring to the index number, inside square brackets:

Negative Indexing

Negative indexing means start from the end.

-1 refers to the last item, -2 refers to the second last item etc.

Range of Indexes

You can specify a range of indexes by specifying where to start and where to end the range.

When specifying a range, the return value will be a new tuple with the specified items.

Add Items

Since tuples are immutable, they do not have a built-in append() method, but there are other ways to add items to a tuple.

- 1. Convert into a list: Just like the workaround for *changing* a tuple, you can convert it into a list, add your item(s), and convert it back into a tuple.
- 2. Add tuple to a tuple. You are allowed to add tuples to tuples, so if you want to add one item, (or many), create a new tuple with the item(s), and add it to the existing tuple: Using Asterisk*

If the number of variables is less than the number of values, you can add an * to the variable name and the values will be assigned to the variable as a list:

Join Two Tuples

To join two or more tuples you can use the + operator:

PRACTICE QUESTIONS:

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1. Create a tuple with 5 numbers and print it.

[ ] my_tuple = (1,2,3,4,5)
print(my_tuple)

2: (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)

2. Access the 2nd and 4th elements of the tuple (10, 20, 30, 40, 50).

[ ] my_tuple = (10,20,30,40,50)
print(my_tuple[1])
print(my_tuple[3])

2: 20
40

3. Find the length of a tuple ('a', 'b', 'c', 'd').

[ ] my_tuple = ('a', 'b', 'c', 'd')
print(len(my_tuple))

3: 4

4. Iterate over a tuple and print each element.

[ ] for value in enumerate(my_tuple):
print(value)

2: (6, 'a')
(1, 'b')
(2, 'c')
(3, 'd')
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5. Check if 25 is present in the tuple (10, 20, 25, 30).
[ ] my_tuple = (10,20,25,30)
    print(25 in my_tuple)
<u>→</u> True
  6. Convert a list [1, 2, 3, 4] to a tuple.
[ ] li = [1,2,3,4]
    tu = tuple(li)
    print(tu)
→ (1, 2, 3, 4)
    7. Concatenate two tuples: (1, 2) and (3, 4).
 [ ] t1 =(1,2)
      t2 = (3,4)
      t3 = t1+t2
      print(t3)
 → (1, 2, 3, 4)
    8. Repeat the tuple (1, 2) 3 times using the * operator.
 my_tuple = (1,2) *3
      print(my_tuple)
 → (1, 2, 1, 2, 1, 2)
     9. Find the index of element 20 in (10, 20, 30, 20).
  [ ] my_tuple =(10,20,30,20)
       print(my_tuple.index(20))
  → 1
   10. Count how many times 5 appears in the tuple (5, 1, 5, 2, 5).
  [ ] my_tuple=(5,1,5,2,5)
       print(my_tuple.count(5))
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   11. Slice the tuple (10, 20, 30, 40, 50) to get (20, 30, 40).
  my_tuple = (10,20,30,40,50)
       print(my_tuple[1:4])
  → (20, 30, 40)
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12. Unpack the tuple ("Python", "Java", "C++") into separate variables.
[ ] my_tuple = "Python", "Java", "C++"
    a,b,c=my_tuple
    print(a,b,c)
→ Python Java C++
 13. Create a tuple of 10 even numbers using a for loop and tuple().
[ ] even=[]
    for i in range (1,11):
      even.append(i*2)
    even_tuple= tuple(even)
    print(even_tuple)
2 (2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20)
 14. Create a nested tuple and access the second element of the inner tuple
[] t = (1, 2, (3, 4, 5))
     inner = t[2][1]
     print(inner)
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15. Create a tuple with a single element and verify its type.
my_tuple=(40,)
     print(type(my_tuple))
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16. Write a function that takes a tuple of numbers and returns their sum
[ ] my_tuple = (1,2,3,4,5)
    print(sum(my_tuple))
→ 15
 17. Swap the values of two variables using a tuple.
a = 5
    b = 10
    a, b = b, a
    print( a)
    print( b)
→ 10
 18. Given a tuple of names, return a tuple of names that start with "A".
[ ] def names_starting_with_A(names):
        result = tuple(name for name in names if name.startswith("A"))
        return result
    # Example usage
    names_tuple = ("Alice", "Bob", "Ankit", "John", "Aman")
    filtered_names = names_starting_with_A(names_tuple)
    print(filtered_names)
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