



Basic Operations with Lists

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Basic Operations with lists

- Creating an empty list is a phenomenon in Python.

How to create an empty list?



Basic Operations with lists

- Two methods for creating an empty list.

```
empty_list_1 = []
empty_list_2 = list()
```

Basic Operations with lists

- .append() appends an object to the end of a list.

- .append()
- .insert()



Basic Operations with lists

- `.append()` appends an object to the end of a `list`.

- `.append()`
- `.insert()`



```
numbers = [1, 4, 7]
numbers.append(9)
numbers.append('9')
print(numbers)
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...

Basic Operations with lists

- We can add an element into a list using `.append()` or `.insert()` methods.
- `.append()` appends an object to the end of a `list`.

- `.append()`
- `.insert()`



```
numbers = [1, 4, 7]
numbers.append(9)
numbers.append('9')
print(numbers)
```

```
[1, 4, 7, 9, '9']
```

Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ Take a look at the example 

```
1 empty_list = []
2 empty_list.append(6666)
3 empty_list.append('Multiverse')
4 empty_list.append([0])
5
6 print(empty_list)
7
8
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...



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Basic Operations with lists

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```
1 empty_list = []
2 empty_list.append(6666)
3 empty_list.append('Multiverse')
4 empty_list.append([0])
5
6 print(empty_list)
7
8
```

Output

```
[6666, 'Multiverse', [0]]
```

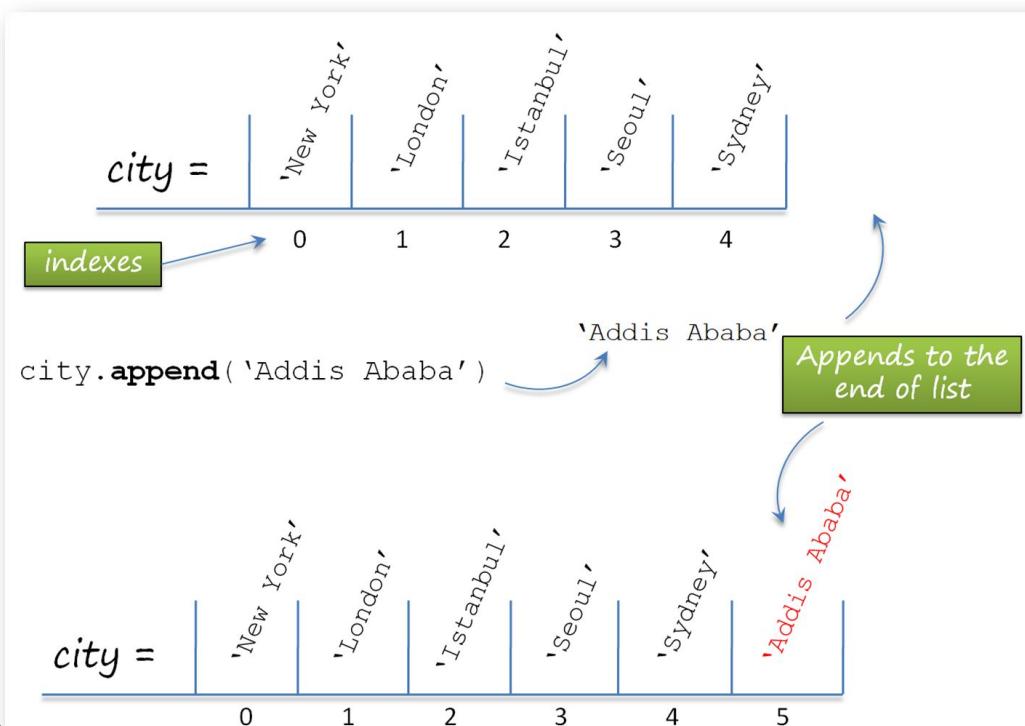


Basic Operations with lists

- Here's the pre-class example 

```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']
2 city.append('Addis Ababa')
3
4 print(city)
5
```

Basic Operations with lists





Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ Here's an another example 

```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']
2 city.append('Addis Ababa')
3
4 print(city)
5
```

```
1 ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2
```

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Basic Operations with lists

▶ Task :

- ▶ Create an empty **list** and then collect the **int** numbers (1 - 4) one by one into the **list** you created using **.append()** method.



Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ The code can be like :

```
numbers = []
numbers.append(1)
numbers.append(2)
numbers.append(3)
numbers.append(4)

print(numbers)
```

```
[1, 2, 3, 4]
```

Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ `.insert()` adds a new object to the `list` at a specific (given) `index`.

- `.append()`
- `.insert()`



Basic Operations with lists

- `.insert()` adds a new object to the `list` at a specific (given) index.

- `.append()`
- `.insert()`



```
numbers = [1, 4, 7]
numbers.insert(2, 9)
print(numbers)
numbers.insert(2, 6)
print(numbers)
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...



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Basic Operations with lists

- `.insert()` adds a new object to the `list` at a specific (given) index.

- `.append()`
- `.insert()`



```
numbers = [1, 4, 7]
numbers.insert(2, 9)
print(numbers)
numbers.insert(2, 6)
print(numbers)
```

Adds into index '2'

[1, 4, 9, 7]
[1, 4, 6, 9, 7]

0	1	2	3	4
---	---	---	---	---



Basic Operations with lists

- Consider this pre-class example



```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2 city.insert(2, 'Stockholm')
3
4 print(city)
5
```

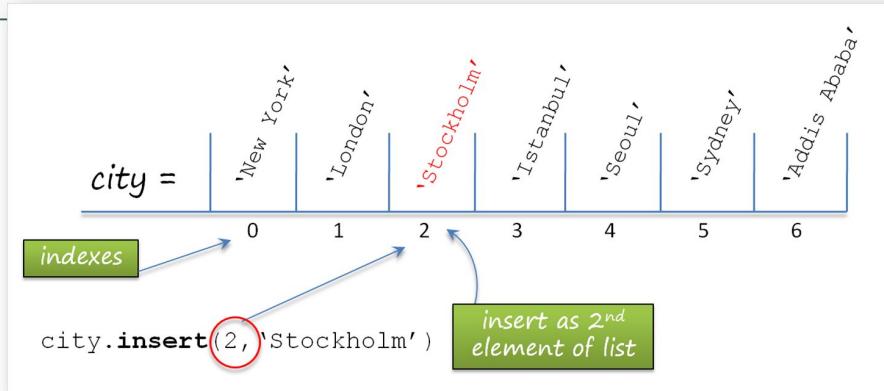
Basic Operations with lists

- Consider this pre-class example



```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2 city.insert(2, 'Stockholm')
3
4 print(city)
5
```

```
1 ['New York', 'London', 'Stockholm', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2
```





Basic Operations with lists

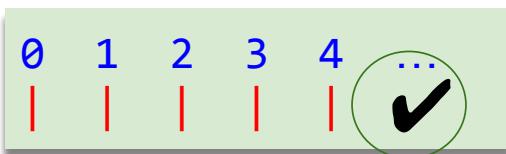
► Task :

- Create a **list** which consists of the **int** numbers (1, 2, 3, 4) and then insert number **5** at the **end** of the **list** using **.insert()** method.



Basic Operations with lists

► The code can be like :



```
numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4]
numbers.insert(4, 5)

print(numbers)
```

```
[1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
```



Basic Operations with lists

- `.remove()` removes the elements from the `list`.

- `.remove()`
- `.sort()`

Basic Operations with lists

- We can remove and sort the elements of the `list`.
- `.remove()` removes the elements from the `list`.

- `.remove()`
- `.sort()`



```
numbers = [1, 4, 7, 9]
numbers.remove(7)
print(numbers)
```





Basic Operations with lists

- We can remove and sort the elements of the **list**.
- **.remove()** removes the elements from the **list**.

- **.remove()**
- **.sort()**



```
numbers = [1, 4, 7, 9]
numbers.remove(7)
print(numbers)
```

```
[1, 4, 9]
```



Basic Operations with lists

- Consider this pre-class example



```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Stockholm', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2 city.remove('London')
3 print(city) # we have deleted 'London'
4
```



Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ Consider this pre-class example 

```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Stockholm', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2 city.remove('London')
3 print(city) # we have deleted 'London'
4
```

```
1 ['New York', 'Stockholm', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2
```

Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ `.sort()` sorts the elements in the list.

- `.remove()`
- `.sort()`



Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ `.sort()` sorts the elements in the `list`.

- `.remove()`
- `.sort()`



```
numbers = [4, 1, 9, 7]
numbers.sort()
print(numbers)
```



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Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ `.sort()` sorts the elements in the `list`.

- `.remove()`
- `.sort()`



```
numbers = [4, 1, 9, 7]
numbers.sort()
print(numbers)
```

```
[1, 4, 7, 9]
```



Basic Operations with lists

- Here's the pre-class example 

```
1 city = ['New York', 'Stockholm', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2 city.sort() # lists the items in alphabetical order
3 print(city)
4
```



Basic Operations with lists

- Here's an example 

```
1 city = ['New York', 'Stockholm', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2 city.sort() # lists the items in alphabetical order
3 print(city)
4
```

```
1 ['Addis Ababa', 'Istanbul', 'New York', 'Seoul', 'Stockholm', 'Sydney']
2
```



Basic Operations with lists

- `.sort()` sorts the elements in the `list`.

```
mix_list = ['d', 1, 'a', 7]
mix_list.sort()
print(mix_list)
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...



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Basic Operations with lists

- `.sort()` sorts the elements in the `list`.

```
mix_list = ['d', 1, 'a', 7]
mix_list.sort()
print(mix_list)
```

```
TypeError
last)
<ipython-input-7-ad44188425eb> in <module>
      1 mix_list = ['d', 1, 'a', 7]
----> 2 mix_list.sort()
      3 print(mix_list)
```

Traceback (most recent call

TypeError: '<' not supported between instances of 'int' and 'str'



Basic Operations with lists

- `.sort()` sorts the elements in the `list`.

```
mix_li  
mix_li  
print()  
  
TypeError:  
last)  
<ipython  
1 mix_list = [ 0 , 1 ,  a ,  ]  
----> 2 mix_list.sort()  
3 print(mix_list)
```

The items to be sorted in the list should be the same type.

recent call

```
TypeError: '<' not supported between instances of 'int' and 'str'
```

Basic Operations with lists

- Sort these elements in the `lists`. **Do not** play with Playground/IDEs, push your brains!..

```
list_1 = [ 'one' , 'four' , 'nine' ]  
list_2 = [ '@' , '*-' , 'False' ]  
list_3 = [ True , False ]  
list_4 = [[3], [44], [-12]]  
list_5 = [[1, 3], [44, -40], [-12, 1]]
```

Basic Operations with lists



- Now! You can Play with Playgrounds. 😊

```
list_1 = ['one', 'four', 'nine']
list_2 = ['@', '*-', 'False']
list_3 = [True, False]
list_4 = [[3], [44], [-12]]
list_5 = [[1, 3], [44, -40], [-12, 1]]
```

ord()

gives the ASCII codes for any char

Basic Operations with lists



- We can also measure the length of the list by using len() function. Take a look at this pre-class example



```
1 city = ['Addis Ababa', 'Istanbul', 'New York', 'Seoul', 'Stockholm', 'Sydney']
2 print(len(city))
3
```



Basic Operations with lists

- We can also measure the length of the list by using **len()** function. Take a look at this pre-class example



```
1 city = ['Addis Ababa', 'Istanbul', 'New York', 'Seoul', 'Stockholm', 'Sydney']
2 print(len(city))
3
```

```
1 6
2
```

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Basic Operations with lists

- Calculate the **length** of these **lists**. **Do not** play with Playground/IDEs, push your brains!..

```
list_1 = ['one', 'four', 'nine']
list_2 = ['@', '*-', 'False']
list_3 = [True, False]
list_4 = [[3], [44], [-12]]
list_5 = [[1, 3], [44, -40], [-12, 1]]
```



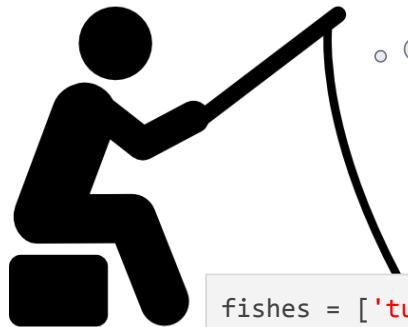
Basic Operations with lists

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list_5 = [[1, 3], [44, -40], [-12, 1]]
```

Circle how you are feeling:





Come on
'seabass'!..
Where are you?

```
fishes = ['tuna', 'squid', 'seabass']
```



Accessing Lists

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fruit[1]

fruit = ['Apple', 'Orange', 'Banana']

Indexing a list

list()

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Did you find this lesson (from pre-class) interesting or challenging?



Too hard



Just right



Too easy



Students, drag the icon!



Indexing a list

- The formula syntax 

```
list_name[index no]
```

Indexing a list

- To access or use the elements of a **list**, we can use index numbers of the **list** enclosed by square brackets.

```
list_name[index no]
```

```
word = ['h', 'a', 'p', 'p', 'y']
print(word[1])
```



Indexing a list

- To access or use the elements of a **list**, we can use index numbers of the **list** enclosed by square brackets.

```
list_name[index no]
```

```
word = ['h', 'a', 'p', 'p', 'y']
print(word[1])
```

```
a
```

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Indexing a list(review the pre-class)

- Here is the pre-class example of indexing a **list**:

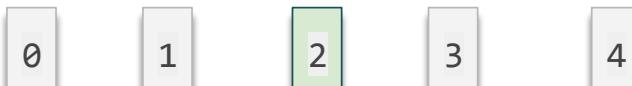
```
1 colors = ['red', 'purple', 'blue', 'yellow', 'green']
2 print(colors[2]) # If we start at zero,
3 # the second element will be 'blue'.
4
```

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Indexing a list(review the pre-class)

- Here is an example of indexing a **list**:



```

1 colors = ['red', 'purple', 'blue', 'yellow', 'green']
2 print(colors[2]) # If we start at zero,
3 # the second element will be 'blue'.
4

```

```

1 blue
2

```



Indexing a list(review the pre-class)

- Here is another pre-class example of indexing a nested **list**.

```

1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']
2
3 city_list = []
4 city_list.append(city) # we have created a nested list
5
6 print(city_list)
7

```



Indexing a list(review the pre-class)

- Here is another pre-class example of indexing a nested list.

```

1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']
2
3 city_list = []
4 city_list.append(city) # we have created a nested list
5
6 print(city_list)
7

```

```

1 [[ 'New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]
2

```

How many items do the
city list have?

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Students, write your response!

Indexing a list(review the pre-class)

- Here is another example of indexing a nested list.

```

1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']
2
3 city_list = []
4 city_list.append(city) # we have created a nested list
5
6 print(city_list)
7

```

```

1 [[ 'New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]
2

```

⚠️ city_list
has only one
item.



- If you notice that `city_list` has double square brackets.



Indexing a list

- Let's access `city_list`'s first and the only element.

```
1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2 print(city_list[0]) # access to first and only element  
3
```

Indexing a list

- Let's access `city_list`'s first and the only element.

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1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
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3
```

```
1 ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']  
2
```



Indexing a list

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```
1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2 print(city_list[0]) # access to first and only element  
3
```

```
1 ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']  
2
```

- The output of the syntax `city_list[0]` is a `list` type. So we can still access its elements.

```
1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2 print(city_list[0][2])  
3
```



it is also a

list

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...



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Indexing a list

- Let's access `city_list`'s first and the only element.

```
1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2 print(city_list[0]) # access to first and only element  
3
```

```
1 ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']  
2
```

- The output of the syntax `city_list[0]` is a `list` type. So we can still access its elements.

```
1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2 print(city_list[0][2])  
3
```

```
1 Istanbul  
2
```



Indexing a list

- The output of the syntax `city_list[0][2]` is a `str` type.
So we can still access its elements.

```
1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2 print(city_list[0][2][3])  
3
```

! it is a
str

What is the output? Try to
figure out in your mind...



Students, write your response!

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Indexing a list

- The output of the syntax `city_list[0][2]` is a `str` type.
So we can still access its elements.

```
1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2 print(city_list[0][2][3])  
3
```

```
1 a  
2
```

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

'I s t a n b u l'



Slicing a list []



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What do you understand from slicing a list?

Type your understanding from pre-class content.



Students, write your response!





Slicing a list

- The formula syntax 

```
list_name = [start:stop:step]
```

From 'start' to 'stop-1' by 'step'.

Slicing a list



- Consider this simple example :

```
1 even_numbers = [2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14]
2 print(even_numbers[2:5])
3
4
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...



Slicing a list

- Consider this simple example :

```
1 even_numbers = [2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14]  
2 print(even_numbers[2:5])  
3  
4
```

Output

```
[6, 8, 10]
```

⚠ The type of the output is also a **list**.

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Slicing a list

- Consider this simple example :

```
1 even_numbers = [2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14]  
2 print(even_numbers[2:5])  
3  
4
```

Tips :

- Slicing is just similar to indexing. The difference is adding **colon** or **colons** in square brackets.

```
[6, 8, 10]
```

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Slicing a list

► Task :

- ▶ Create a **list** of numbers from **1** to **10** using **range()** function and select **odd** ones by **slicing** method and then print the result.



Slicing a list

► Task :

- ▶ Create a **list** of numbers from **1** to **10** using **range()** function and select **odd** ones by **slicing** method and then print the result.

Review the
function



- ▶ **range(start,stop,step)** function returns an object that produces a sequence of integers from **start** (including) to **stop** (excluding) by **step**.



Slicing a list

- The code can be like :

```
1 odd_numbers = list(range(11))
2
3 print(odd_numbers)
4 print(odd_numbers[1:11:2])
5
6
7
```

Output

```
[0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]
[1, 3, 5, 7, 9]
```



Slicing a list

- Usage options of slicing are as follows :
- `my_list[:]`: returns the full copy of the sequence
- `my_list[start:]` : returns elements from `start` to the end element
- `my_list[:stop]` : returns element from the 1st element to `stop-1`
- `my_list[::-step]` : returns each element with a given `step`



Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- Consider this pre-class example :

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2
3 print(animals[:]) # all elements of the list
4
```

Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- Consider this simple example :

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2
3 print(animals[:]) # all elements of the list
4
```

```
1 ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2
```

`print(animals) = print(animals[:])`

These syntaxes give the same output.



Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- ▶ Slicing options :

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2 print(animals[3:])
3
```



Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- ▶ The following example slices the `animals` starts at index=3 to the end.

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2 print(animals[3:])
3
```

```
1 ['wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2
```



Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- Slicing options :

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2 print(animals[:5])
3
```



Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- The following example slices the `animals` starts at index=0 to the index=4.

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2 print(animals[:5])
3
```

```
1 ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit']
2
```



Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- Slicing options :

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2 print(animals[::2])
3
```



Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- This example slices animals starts at index=0 to the end with 2 step.

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2 print(animals[::2])
3
```

```
1 ['elephant', 'fox', 'rabbit', 'giraffe']
2
```



Slicing a list

Task:

- ▶ Select and print the **string typed numbers** from the following **list** using *indexing* and *slicing* methods.
- ▶ Your code must consist of a **single line**.

```
mix_list = [1, [1, "one", 2, "two", 3, "three"], 4]
```



Students, write your response!

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Slicing a list

- ▶ The code can be like :

```
mix_list = [1, [1, "one", 2, "two", 3, "three"], 4]
```

```
print(mix_list[1][1:6:2])
```

⚠ a list.

⚠ it is also a list

```
['one', 'two', 'three']
```

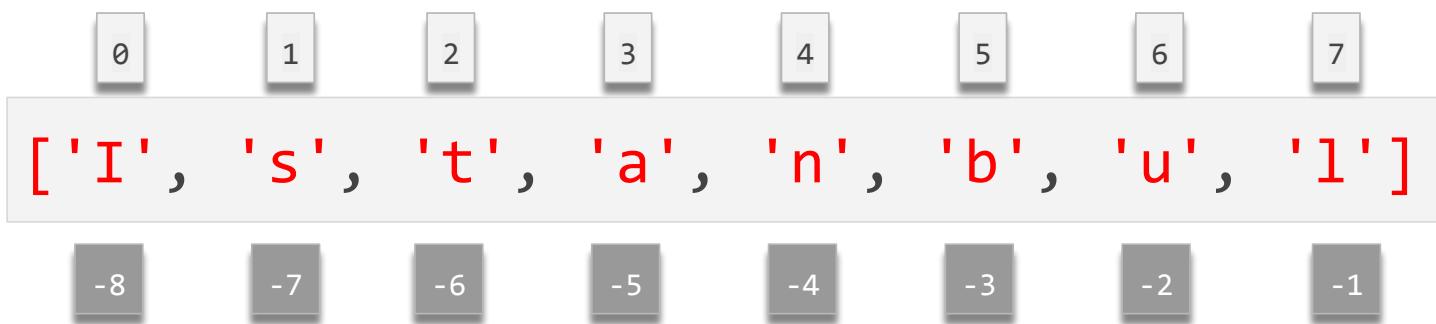


Negative Indexing & Slicing

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Negative Indexing & Slicing

- ▶ Sample of the negative indices sequence





Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- Take a look at this pre-class example of negative indexing.

```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']
2 print(city[-4])
3
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...

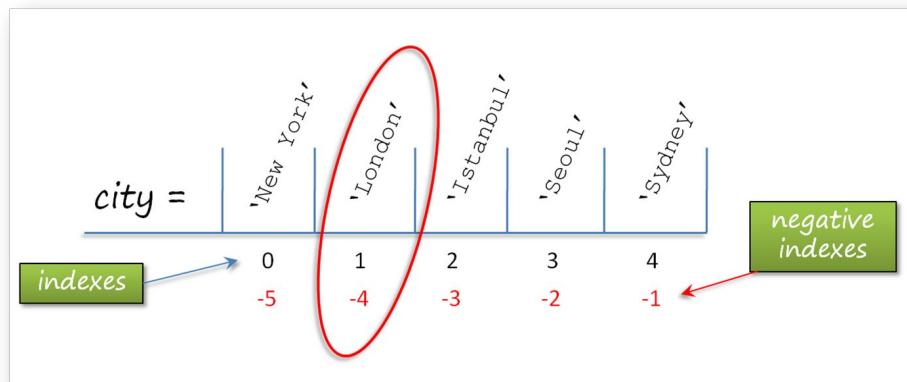


Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- The output is.

```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']
2 print(city[-4])
3
```

```
1 London
2
```





Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- Now, let's consider this pre-class example of negative slicing.

```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']
2 print(reef[-3:])
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...



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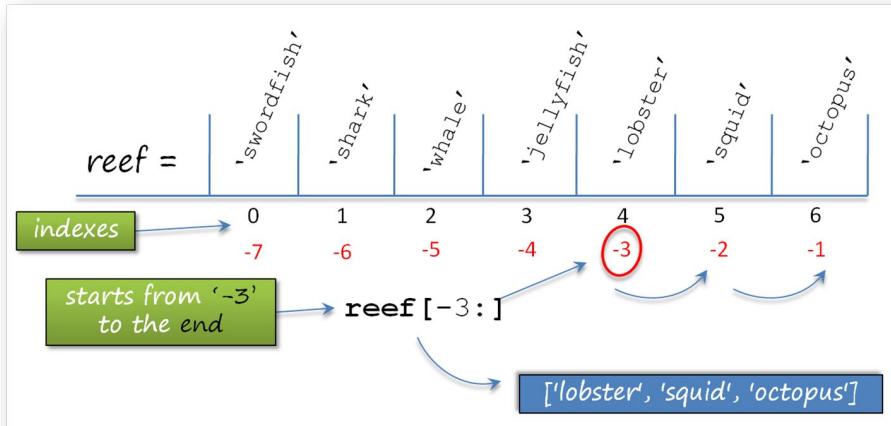
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Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- The output is :

```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']
2 print(reef[-3:])
```

```
1 ['lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']
2
```





Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- Here's another pre-class example of negative slicing.

```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']
2 print(reef[:-3])
3
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...



Students, write your response!

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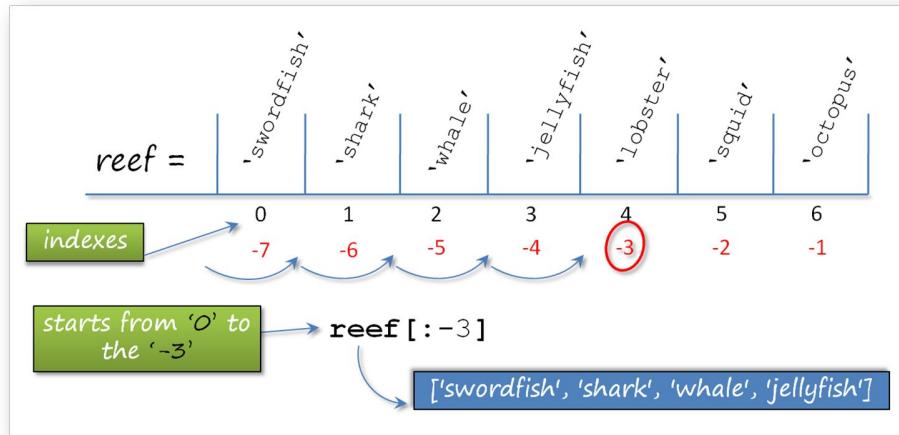
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```

```
1 ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish']
2
```





Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- Let's see negative stepping in the pre-class content :

```

1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']
2 print(reef[::-1]) # we have produced the reverse of the list
3

```



Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- The output is :

```

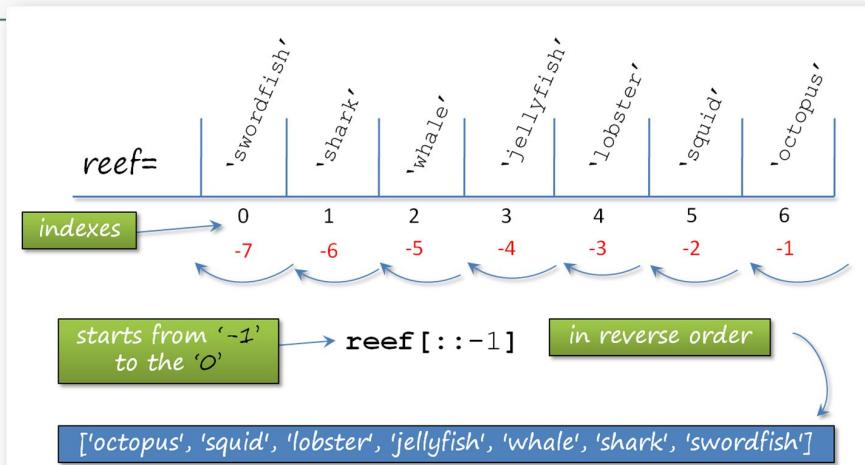
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2 print(reef[::-1]) # we have produced the reverse of the list
3

```

```

1 ['octopus', 'squid', 'lobster', 'jellyfish', 'whale', 'shark', 'swordfish']
2

```



► Negative Indexing & Slicing(review) ➤

- Here's another example of negative **stepping**.

```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']  
2 print(reef[::-2])  
3
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...



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► Negative Indexing & Slicing(review) ➤

- Here's another example of negative **stepping**.

```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']  
2 print(reef[...-2])  
3
```

```
1 ['octopus', 'lobster', 'whale', 'swordfish']  
2
```



Negative Indexing & Slicing

Tips :

- If you choose negative step with the start and end indexes together, those should be used accordingly, that is, the **end** index should be less than the **start** index.

```
1 letters = ["a", "b", "c", "d", "e", "f", "g", "h", "i", "j"]
2
3 print(letters[7:3:-1])
4 print(letters[2:6:-1])
5
6
7
```

Negative Indexing & Slicing

```
1 letters = ["a", "b", "c", "d", "e", "f", "g", "h", "i", "j"]
2
3 print(letters[7:3:-1])
4 print(letters[2:6:-1])
5
6
7
```

- Starts at index 7 from right to left.
- Goes to index 4.

```
['h', 'g', 'f', 'e']
[]
```

Negative Indexing & Slicing



```
1 letters = ["a", "b", "c", "d", "e", "f", "g", "h", "i", "j"]
2
3 print(letters[7:3:-1])
4 print(letters[2:6:-1])
5
6
7
```

- Starts at index **2** from right to left.
- No way to reach index **6**.
- So, the output is an empty **list**.

```
['h', 'g', 'f', 'e']
[]
```