

$S = 'hello'$

1] This is an assignment statement.

2] Process RHS first.

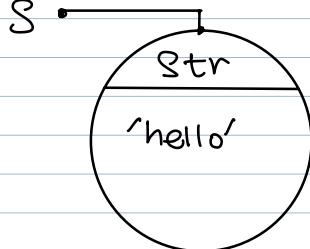
3] From single quotes syntax, Python infers

the type of data value to be string.

4] In order to store the value, Python
allocates a new object of class 'str'
in the program memory.

5] Python goes to LHS of the assignment
statement and finds the variable name
to be S . Therefore, it names the newly
allocated object as S .

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[You want to apply various functions on the above
object]

`>>> dir(str)`

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`>>> S = 'hello'`

`>>> S.append(500)`

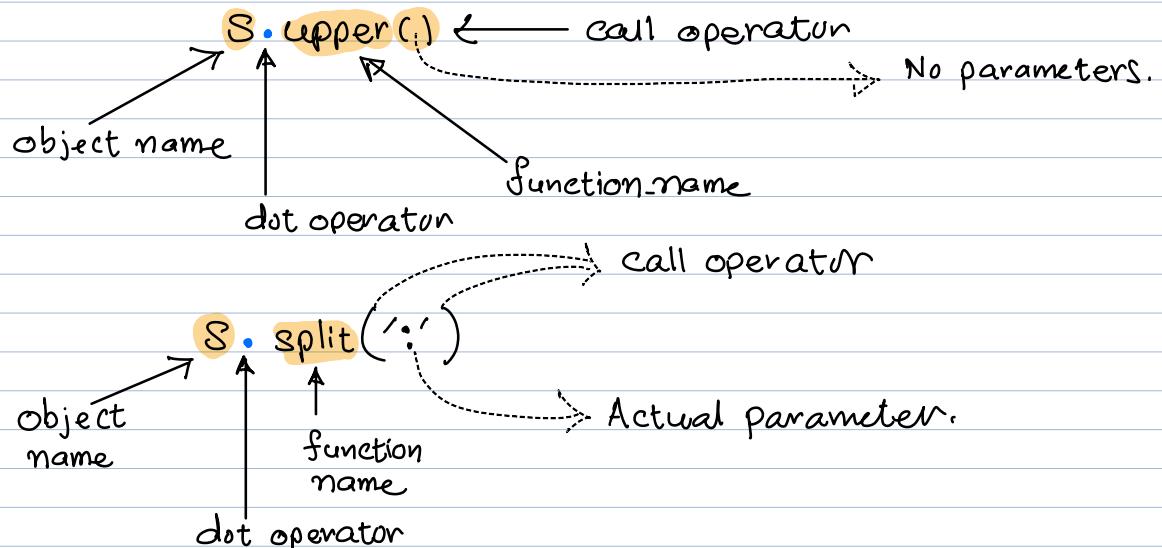
`>>> dir(list)`

General Syntax: How to apply function on object?

Assumption: Function that is being applied on the object

is present in the class of that object.

Syntax: object_name.function_name(parameters if any)



`S.upper()` | Function named 'upper' implemented
in class `str`, is applied on object
of class `str`, whose name is 'S'

internally
`str.upper(S)`

`S.split('::')`
internally
`str.split(S, '::')`