

Short Circuit error

- If $(3/0 == 1 \text{ or } 3/2 != 0)$
 \underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\text{undefined}} \rightarrow \text{Will create an error}
- If $(3/2 != 0 \text{ or } 3/0 == 1)$
 \underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\text{This is true. therefore, the back portion}} \rightarrow \text{will be ignored and the result is TRUE}

Formatting Numbers

- `format(var, '_')`

 \underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{0.2f = To 2 d.p. \rightarrow 1.35}

 \underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{% = Put in % \rightarrow 135.236%}

 \underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{.0% = Round off and % \rightarrow 135%}

 d = designator
`,d = 123, 456`
`10d =12345`

Chained Variables

- When $a = b = c = 10$, assign all variables to the last indicator

You can also use {}

```
print("lol {} I am {}".format("hi", "poop"))
lol poop I am hi
print("{} ate {:.1f} of cake and {}".format("tom", .5, "loli", "ham"))
tom ate 66.7% of cake and loli
```

Swapping Variables

- You can use $a = \text{Temp}$ $a, b = b, a$
 $a = b$
 $b = \text{Temp}$

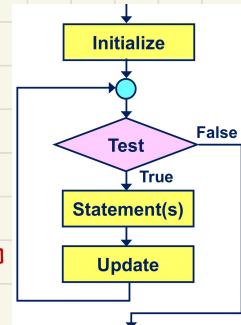
Looping



- Can dynamically change how many times to repeat

4 Basic steps

1. Initialize : Loop control variable, how many times to loop
2. Test : Do we continue the loop or not?
3. Loop Body : If evaluated = True, execute internal
4. Update : Modify loop control variable so next test can exit loop [num=num+1]



How to loop?

1. ID the statement that needs to loop
2. Wrap statement in loop
3. Code the loop continuation and the addition function

Counter Control | Sentinel Control

- Loop repeats N times

* fixed loop number

Total loop number is related to the data provided.

Exact number of loops unknown.

↳ you can use Sentinel variables like time to cut off a counter

Sentinel Value

→ make sure they don't appear in normal inputs

- This is the "termination condition"

While

- Allows repetition as long as a condition is true

while < boolean expression >

Suite (indented statements)

- when condition becomes false, the loop exits.

Else for while loop

When while loop = False, else suite kicks in

- Will start even if while was never true
- Final task when loop ends

Continue

- Skip the rest of the while & move back to start

Break for while loop

* non-normal exit / early exit

- Immediately escape the while loop.
skip past the else suite as well

```
value = 1
print ("before while", value)

while value <=3:
    value = value + 1
    print ("while", value)
    if value == 2:
        break
    else:
        print ("else", value)
print ("after while", value)
```

Compared to quick check question:
added if and break.

- Executing break exits the immediate loop that contains it.
- It goes after the whole enclosing loop

For Statement

- Performs assignment of (in) to (var).

aka, for the-char in "Imtao"
print (the-char)

will output
I
m
t
a
o

- Basically, assigns information to the var until all elements have been assigned

Continue, Break and Else will also function in FOR loops.

Nested loops

- One loop inside another

Range function

Difference between each number in the sequence (default value is 1)

range([start], [end], [step])
Starting number of the sequence. (default value is 0)
Generate numbers up to, but not including, this number.
- All have to be integers
range([end])
Python runs start to 0 and stop to 1.
Example: range(11) == [0, 1, 2, ..., 10]
range([start], [end])
i. Python joins step to 1 (default value)
Example: range(1, 11) == [1, 2, ..., 10]
range([start], [end], [step])
Examples:
range(1, 11, 2) == [1, 3, 5, 7, 9]
range(11, 1, -2) == [11, 9, 7, 5, 3, 1]

Pass Statement

- Test to see if it is correct
- Placeholder, come back later to fill details

String

- In a sequence, can identify with unique index (position)

String = "Hello World"

Characters	H	e	l	i	o	W	o	r	l	d
Indices	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
										10
										... -2 -1

Indices 10 and -1 point to the same location: d

To put apostrophe, you can use escape character
'Mike's book'

Index from

Left

Right

① Non-Ve Value, Start @ 0

② -Ve value, Start @ -1

myStr = "Hello World"

x = myStr[1]

print(x)

#will print e

print(myStr)

? #will print Hello World

print(myStr[-2])

? #will print l

print(myStr[11])

? ? Error



} Index

Slicing String

- "Cut" part of a string

NOT INCLUDED

the index of the end of a subsequence (not included)

Syntax: [start : finish : step]
↓
the index of the start of a subsequence

By default, these indices, (start and finish), will point to the beginning and end of the string, respectively.

If: Step = -Ve \Rightarrow Start undefined,
presume start LHS @ -1

Basic Str operations

1) Length Length of a string: len()
e.g. len(opStr) \Rightarrow 5

2) Combine Concatenate strings: +
e.g. opStr + "operations" \Rightarrow "Basic operations"

3) Repeat Repeat String: *
e.g. opStr * 3 \Rightarrow "BasicBasicBasic"

IN
"contained within"

- Operator: in
- a in b: True if string a is contained in string b

myStr = "abcdefg"

'c' in myStr \rightarrow true

'cde' in myStr \rightarrow true

'cef' in myStr \rightarrow false

myStr in myStr \rightarrow true

myStr = "Hello World"

print(myStr[1:6])

'ello'

print(myStr[1:2])

'e'

print(myStr[-7:-1])

'o Worl'

print(myStr[-3:-5])

" (empty)

print(myStr[:6])

'Hello '

print(myStr[5:])

' World'

Output

Characters	H	e	l	i	o	W	o	r	l	d
Indices	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	-12	-10	-9	-8	-7	-6	-5	-4	-3	-2 -1

myStr[3:-2] = "lo wor"

Reversing str

adstring = "Madam I'm Adam"

reversing = adstring[::-1] \Rightarrow "mada n'I .madam"

ASCII \Rightarrow unicode

ASCII

Unicode

- Uses 8 bits to store a character
- $2^8 = 256$ different characters
- Uses 16 bits to store a character
- $2^{16} = 65,536$ characters

The Unicode space is divided into 17 planes.

Each plane contains 65,536 code points (16-bit).

Total of: 1,114,112 characters, 96,000 used.

From character \rightarrow unicode

ord('a')

chr(97) \Rightarrow 'a'

From unicode \rightarrow character

① Used in encryption

② Used to compare char "a" < "b" ?

code = ord('a')

chr(code + 1) \Rightarrow 'b'

Iterable: Can use for loop

to call

String.method()

Uppercase

```
myStr = "shouting!"
myStr.upper() ➔ 'SHOUTING!'
```

Find

```
myStr = "Find in a string"
myStr.find('d') ➔ 3
If no char, output = -1
→ 'd' is called an argument of the method.
```

Join

```
str1 = "abcd"
str2 = "1234"
str2.join(str1) ➔ 'a1234b1234c1234d'
str1.join(str2) ➔ '1abcd2abcd3abcd4'
```

`base.join(target)`
insert base into target

Function - Code that "executes"
Method - an "augmenter"
- dot notation invocation

Mutable List!

Unlike str("")



Composite Type / Data Structure

① Built-in

1) String, list, Tuple, Dictionary

List

```
aList = list('abc')
aList ➔ ['a', 'b', 'c']

newList = [1, 3.14159, 'a', True]
```

Slicing List

myList	1	'a'	3.14159	True
Index Forward	0	1	2	3
Index Backward	-4	-3	-2	-1

```
myList[1] ➔ 'a'

myList[:3] ➔ [1, 'a', 3.14159]

myList[0] = 'a'      #index assignment

myList.append(e)    // e: element to append

myList.extend(L)    // L: a list

myList.pop(i)       // i: index (default: -1)

myList.insert(i,e)

myList.remove(e)

myList.sort()

myList.reverse()
```

Split List. () is what to split by

```
splitLst = 'this is a test'.split()
print(splitLst) ➔ ['this', 'is', 'a', 'test']
```

Join List

```
sortStr = ''.join(myLst) ➔ 'abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz'
```

myLst = [4, 7, 1, 2]
myLst = myLst.sort() ➔ myLst.sort() is a null.
Don't assign
myLst ➔ None

Basic List operator

1) Addition

concatenate: + (only for lists – not string + list)

2) Repeat

repeat: *

3) Call for "n"

Indexing: the [] operator), e.g., lst[3] ➔ 4th item in the list

4) Cut

slicing: [:]

5) Check IN

membership: the in operator

6) Length

length: the len() function

Indexing Lists

* [5 , X , "abc"] [|] = X

List Operators

`min(lst)` Minimum element in the list

`max(lst)` Maximum element in the list

`sum(lst)` Sum of the elements, numeric only

myList = [1,3]	[1, 3]
myList[0] = 'a'	['a', 3]
myList.append(2)	['a', 3, 2]
lst = [6,5]	['a', 3, 2, 6, 5]
myList.extend(lst)	['a', 3, 2, 6, 5]
myList.extend(5)	ERROR!
element = myList.pop()	['a', 3, 2, 6]
print(element)	5
myList.append([8,9])	['a', 3, 2, 6, [8,9]]
myList.insert(0, 'b')	['b', 'a', 3, 2, 6]
myList.insert(-1, 'b')	['b', 'a', 3, 2, 'b', 6]
myList.insert(10, 'c')	['b', 'a', 3, 2, 'b', 6, 'c']
myList.remove('b')	['a', 3, 2, 'b', 6, 'c']
myList.sort()	TypeError!
myList.remove('b')	['a', 3, 2, 6, 'c']
myList.remove('a')	[3, 2, 6, 'c']
myList.remove('c')	[3, 2, 6]
myList.remove('d')	ValueError!!
myList.sort()	[2, 3, 6]
myList.reverse()	[6, 3, 2]

```
[n**2 for n in range(1,6)]
```

```
[1, 4, 9, 16, 25]
```

```
[x + y for x in range(1,5) for y in range (1,4)]
```

```
?
```

It is as if we had done the following:

```
myList = []
for x in range (1,5):
    for y in range (1,4):
        myList.append(x+y)
```

```
[c for c in "Hi There Mom" if c.isupper()]
```

```
['H', 'T', 'M']
```

Tuple

- Immutable List, Can't be changed
- Everything works like list, except modify

Index / Slicing / len() / Print()

Creating Tuple

```
myTuple = 1,2      # creates (1,2)
myTuple = (1,)     # creates (1)
myTuple = (1)      # creates 1 not (1)
myTuple = 1,       # creates (1)
```

Dictionary

- Two elements, a Key & Value
- Calling Key returns the Value

Access requires [] and the key is the index.

```
myDict = {}
```

```
myDict['bill'] = 25
```

```
print(myDict['bill'])
```

```
del myDict['bill']
```

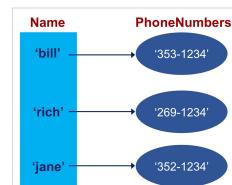
`() marker`: used to create a dictionary

`: marker`: used to create key:value pairs

```
contacts = {'bill': '353-1234',
            'rich': '269-1234',
            'jane': '352-1234'}
```

```
print(contacts)
```

{'jane': '352-1234',
 'bill': '353-1234',
 'rich': '269-1234'}



`len(myDict)` → number of key:value pairs in the dictionary

`element in myDict` → boolean; is element a key in the dictionary?

`for key in myDict` → iterate through the keys of a dictionary

`myDict.items()` → return all the key:value pairs

`myDict.keys()` → return all the keys

`myDict.values()` → return all the values

`myDict.clear()` → empty the dictionary

`myDict.update(yourDict)` → for each key in yourDict, update myDict with that key:value pair

Printing using FOR

```
for key in myDict:  
    print(key)
```

```
for key,value in myDict.items():  
    print(key, value)
```

```
for value in myDict.values():  
    print(value)
```

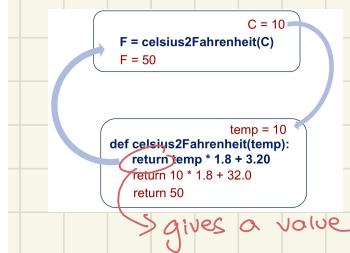
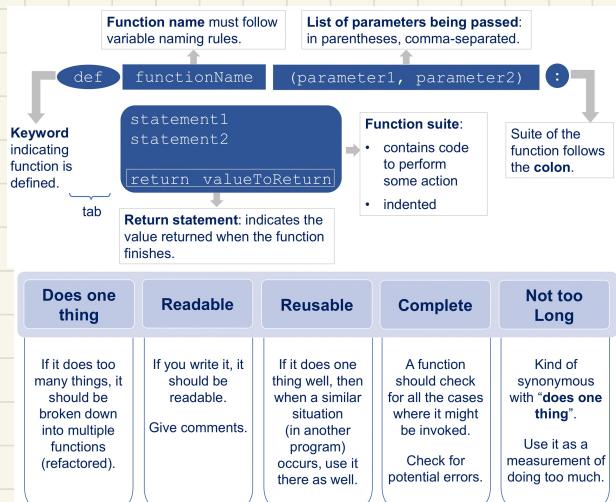
Operators



`myDict.update(yourDict)` → for each key in yourDict, update myDict with that key:value pair

Function Development

- Input will give you Output
- for example, `sqrt(10)`



If no return,
it's a procedure

↳ Performs some duty,
like printing or save file

If multiple return,
end @ 1st return

```
def funcA (number):  
    if number > 0:  
        return "positive!"  
  
    elif number < 0:  
        return "negative!"  
  
    else:  
        return "zero!"
```

ABSTRACTION:

- View things @ different Levels of detail
 - ↳ enough for info, not enough to be confused

Programs = Algorithms + Data Structures
↳ functions ↳ String, List

ABCD

A BCD A
AB CD BA
ABC D CBA
ABC DD CBA

Decomposition

- Break down problems into parts that are easier
- 1) Solve complex problems
- 2) Collaboration & teamwork
- 3) Easy analysis

Divide & Conquer Recursive function

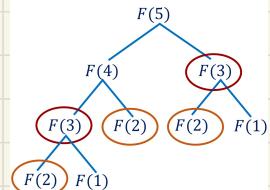
↳ Function that invokes itself

* May be redundant due to repeated computation

Base Case
↳
Repeated Step

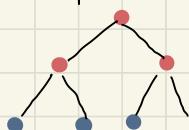
```
def reverser(a_str):
    if len(a_str) == 1: # base case
        return a_str
    else: # recursive step
        new_str = reverser(a_str[1:]) + a_str[0]
        return new_str
```

Look! Multiple calls of F(3), F(2) & F(1)



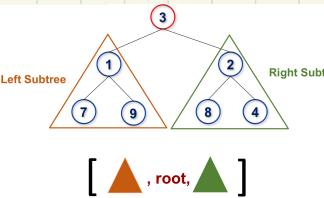
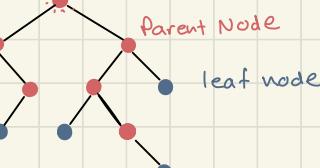
Binary Tree

Complete Binary Tree

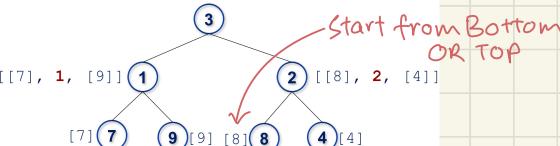


- Every two leafs

Root Node



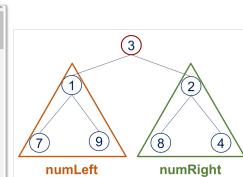
[[[7], 1, [9]], 3, [[8], 2, [4]]]



Number of nodes

```
def numNodes(t):
    if len(t) == 1:
        return 1;

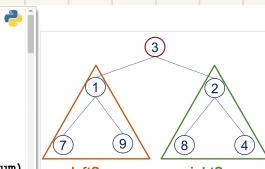
    else:
        numLeft = numNodes(t[0])
        numRight = numNodes(t[2])
        return (numLeft + numRight + 1)
```



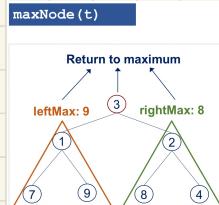
Sum of nodes

```
def sumNodes(t):
    if len(t) == 1:
        return t[0];

    else:
        leftSum = sumNodes(t[0])
        rightSum = sumNodes(t[2])
        return (t[1] + leftSum + rightSum)
```



Maximum Value In Tree



```
def maxNode(t):
    if len(t) == 1:
        return t[0];
    else:
        leftMax = maxNode(t[0])
        rightMax = maxNode(t[2])

        maxValue = t[1]
        if leftMax > maxValue:
            maxValue = leftMax

        if rightMax > maxValue:
            maxValue = rightMax

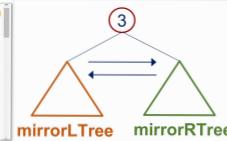
        return maxValue
```

Mirror/Reflect Tree

```
def mirror(t):
    if len(t) == 1:
        return t

    else:
        parent = t[1]
        mirrorLTree = mirror(t[0])
        mirrorRTree = mirror(t[2])

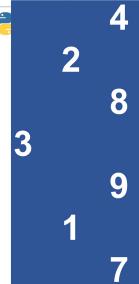
    return [mirrorRTree, parent, mirrorLTree]
```



Print Tree

```
def printTree(t, level):
    if len(t) == 1:
        print(" " * level, end="")
        print(t[0])

    else:
        printTree(t[2], level + 1)
        print(" " * level, end="")
        print(t[1])
        printTree(t[0], level + 1)
```



Pattern Recognition

Iterative Accumulation $a+b+c+d=55$

Three Important Elements

- result variable (to store the accumulation result)
- for loop
- target value (in each iteration)

```
n = 10
result = 0
for i in range(1,n+1):
    result = result + i
print(result)
```

$0/1 - 1/2 + 2/3 - 3/4 + 4/5 - 5/6 + 6/7 - 7/8 + 8/9 - 9/10$

Three Important Elements

Iteration i

```
n = 10
result = 0
for i in range(1,n+1):
    if i%2 == 1:
        result = result + (i-1)/i
    else:
        result = result - (i-1)/i
print(result)
```

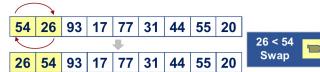
Sorting Items

Bubble

The bubble sort makes multiple passes through a list.

For each pass, the bubble sort is operated as follows:

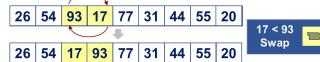
- 1 Compare the first two numbers, and if the second number is smaller than the first, then the numbers are swapped.



- 2 Then move down one number, compare the number and the number that follows it, and swap the two numbers, if necessary.



- 3 Repeat this process.



There are $n-1$ passes

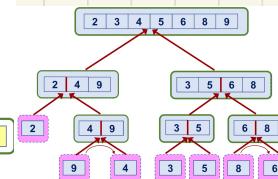
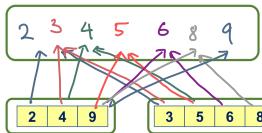
At the start of the second pass,

- the largest value is now in place
- there are $n-1$ items left to sort
- meaning, there will be $n-2$ pairs



Merge Sort

- Step 1** Compare the first elements of both lists one by one.
- Step 2** Move the smaller element out of the list that it was found in. Add this value to the list of "sorted items".
- Step 3** Repeat the process until only a single list remains.
- Step 4** One list should still contain elements. This list is sorted. Move its contents into the result list.



Python Sorting

Python provides a module named operator that contains the useful itemgetter for sorting values other than the first and allows sorting on multiple values.

```
from operator import itemgetter
restaurant_info = [['Kentucky', 15, 6, 'Fried chicken'],
                   ['Macdonald', 12, 5, 'Burger'],
                   ['Subway', 13, 7, 'Sandwiches']]

# field 1 (Index 0): name of restaurant
# field 2 (Index 1): distance of restaurant
# field 3 (index 2): average price per person of the restaurant
# field 4 (index 3): signature dish of the restaurant

sort_info = sorted (restaurant_info, key = itemgetter(1))
print('sort by distance', sort_info)
```

Using Timsort

- Merge & insert sort

Bubble

Step 1: Get the length of the sequence

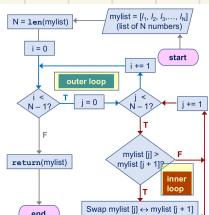
Step 2: Take the first element and compare it with the immediate neighbor to the right: $a_i > a_{i+1}$

- If true: swap and increment i by one
- If false: increment i by one

Step 3: Repeat step 2, $N - 1$ times

Pseudocode

```
while k < N
    for i = 0 to N - 1
        if a[i] > a[i + 1]
            swap()
    end
    k = k + 1
end
```



```
def bubbleSort(alist):
    for passnum in range(len(alist)-1):
        for i in range(len(alist)-passnum-1):
            if alist[i]>alist[i+1]:
                temp = alist[i]
                alist[i] = alist[i+1]
                alist[i+1] = temp
```

```
alist = [54,26,93,17,77,31,44,55,20]
bubbleSort(alist)
print(alist)
```

Merge Sort

Step 1: If the input sequence has fewer than two elements, return.

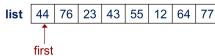
Step 2: Partition the input sequence into two halves.

Step 3: Sort the two subsequences using the same algorithm.

Step 4: Merge the two sorted subsequences to form the output sequence.

Pseudocode

```
MergeSort(list, first, last)
if (first < last)
    middle = (first + last) div 2
    MergeSort(list, first, middle)
    MergeSort(list, middle+1, last)
    Merge(list, first, middle, last)
end if
```



This means we have a list on the left and a list on the right.

- Step 1**: Compare the first elements of both lists one by one.
- Step 2**: Add this value to the list of "sorted items". Move the smaller element out of the list that it was found in.
- Step 3**: Repeat the process until only a single list remains.
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Suggested code

```
while left_list and right_list:
    if left_list[0] < right_list[0]:
        result_list.append(left_list[0])
        left_list.pop(0)
    else:
        result_list.append(right_list[0])
        right_list.pop(0)
if left_list:
    result_list.extend(left_list)
else:
    result_list.extend(right_list)
```

```
def mergesort(list_of_items):
    list_len = len(list_of_items)

    # base case
    if list_len < 2:
        return list_of_items
    left_list = list_of_items[:list_len // 2] # //
    right_list = list_of_items[list_len // 2:] # " to force division

    # merge sort left and right list recursively
    left_list = mergesort(left_list)
    right_list = mergesort(right_list)
    return merge(left_list, right_list)
```

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def merge(left_list, right_list):
    result_list = []

    # while left and right list has elements
    while left_list and right_list:
        if left_list[0] < right_list[0]:
            result_list.append(left_list[0])
            left_list.pop(0)
        else:
            result_list.append(right_list[0])
            right_list.pop(0)

    # left list still contain elements. Append its contents to end of the result
    if left_list:
        result_list.extend(left_list)
    else:
        result_list.extend(right_list)

    return result_list
```

Search

index() provides where a key is located

iterative Search $\stackrel{?}{=}$ Binary Search

- One by one
 - for sorted lists
- Any list
 - Divide by two, then look at the middle value.
 - Continously look @ middle value to find the result.