

python

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1 variables

python is dynamically typed (variables are checked during run time) so no need to mention their types this can be achieved because every python variable is a reference to an object (+ or -).

```
1 a=4**0.5
2 a="degla" #no errors
3 print a #a is "degla"
```

Python is strong-typed (in expressions variables are bound to their specific type)

```
1 temp = 'Hello World!'
2 #temp = temp + 10; program terminates
3 #TypeError: cannot concatenate str and int objects
```

' and " are treated the same

```
1 "hello" , " 'abc " , 'abc'# are allowed
2 #"hello' is not allowed
```

2 arithmetic expressions

```
1 a=1/4# (a is 0)
2 a=1.0/4# (a is 0.25)
3 a=5.0//2# (a is 2.0)
4 a=9.0//3.1# (a is 2.0)
5 a=9.5//3.1# (a is 3.0)
```

if no one is float then it is integer division.

```
1 a=2**5# (a is 32)
2 a= 4**0.5# (a is 2.0)
```

** is exponentiation and can be used with irrationals

3 Strings

There are several ways to format strings in Python to interpolate variables. The new way (new in Python 3.6+)

F-Strings

```
1 x=10
2 formatted = f"i have {x} bbbananas"# formatted = "i have 10 bbbananas"
```

the tried and true way (python2 -i 3.5) .format method

```
1 x=10
2 formatted="i have {} bbbananas".format(10)
```

4 common functions

insert, append, extend, clear, reverse, sort, count, join

```
1 x=[1,2,3,4]
2 x.insert(2,"hi") # [1,2,"hi",3,4]
3 x.append(8) # [1,2,"hi",3,4,8]
4 x,y=[1,2] , [3,4]
5 x.append(y) # x=[1,2,[3,4]]
6 x,y=[1,2] , [3,4]
7 x.extend(y) # x=[1,2,3,4]
8 x.clear() # x=[] removes all items from the list
9 x=[1,2,3,4]
10 x.reverse() # x=[4,3,2,1]
11 x.sort() # x=[1,2,3,4]
12 x=[1,2,3,4,3,2,1,4,10,2]
13 x.count(2) # 3
14 x.count(69) # 0
15 x=["hi","my","name","is","Alfred"]
16 " ".join(x) # "my name is Alfred"
```

pop:

- removes the item at the given position in the list and return it.
- if no index is specified, removes and returns the last item

remove.

- removes the first item from the list with the given value
- throws ValueError if such value doesn't exist

index.

- returns the first index of the specified value
- returns ValueError if such value doesn't exist

5 slices

[start(included), end(excluded), step]

```
1 x=[1,2,3,4,5,6,7]
2 x[1:3]=['a','b','c'] # [1,'a','b','c',4,5]
3 x=[1,2,3,4,5]
4 x[::2] # [1,3,5,7]
5 x[::-1] # [7,6,5,4,3,2,1]
```

6 list comprehension

```
1 [num*10 for num in range(1,6)] # [10,20,30,40,50]
2
3 [bool(val) for val in [0, [], '' ] ] # [False,False,False]
4
5 items=["aaa", "nnn", "qqqq"]
6 [item[0]+item[1:] for item in items]

1 numbers = [1,2,3,4,5,6]
2 evens=[x for x in numbers if x %2==0]
3 odds=[x for x in numbers if x%2==1]
```

```

1 [x*2 if x%2==0 else x/2 for x in numbers]
2 [0.5, 4, 1.5, 8, 2.5, 12]

1 tmp= "This is so much fun!"
2 ''.join( y for y in tmp if y not in "aeiou" )
3 # "Ths s s mch fn!"

```

7 Data Types.

7.1 Dictionnaires

Dictionary in Python is an unordered collection of data values, used to store data values like a map, which unlike other Data Types that hold only single value as an element, Dictionary holds key:value pair. Dictionary in Python is an unordered collection of data values, used to store data values like a map, which unlike other Data Types that hold only single value as an element, Dictionary holds key:value pair **keys can't be repeated and must be immutable**.

```

1 tmp_dictionnary = dict(key = 'value') #{'key': 'value'}
2 Dict = {1: 'Geeks', 2: 'For', 3: 'Geeks'}
3 Dict[1] # "Geeks"
4 Dict = {'Name': 'Geeks', 1: [1, 2, 3, 4]}
5 Dict[1] # [1,2,3,4]

```

accessing all values in a dict

```

1 for value in Dict.values():
2     print(value)
3 # "Geeks", [1,2,3,4]

```

accessing all keys in a dict

```

1 for key in Dict.keys():
2     print(key)
3 # "Name", 1

```

for both

```

1 x={1: [1, 2, 3], 1: 'ax', 'alala': 12}
2 for key,value in x.items():
3     print(key,value)
4
5 #((1,2),[1,2,3])
6 #(1,"ax")
7 #("alala",12)

```

check existence.

```

1 x={1: "pp", "name": 69}
2
3 1 in x # True
4 69 in x # False
5
6 69 in x.values() # True
7 [1,2] in x.values() # False

```

if the key value already exists, the value gets updated otherwise a new Key with the value is added to the Dictionary.

```

1 d={}
2 d[1]="aa" # d is {1:"aa"}
3 d[(1,2)]={"key": "oop"} # d is {1:"aa", (1,2):{"key", "oop"}}
4 d[(1,2)]=2 # d is {1:"aa", (1,2):2}

```

copy

```

1 d=dict(a=1,b=2,c=3)
2 c=d.copy()
3 c is d # False
4 c==d # True

```

get retrieves a key in an object and return None instead of a KeyError if the key doesn't exist

```

1 d= dict(a=1,b=2,c=3)
2 d['a'] # 1
3 d.get('a') # 1
4 d["pp"] # KeyError
5 d.get("pp") # None

```

fromkeys Creates key-value pairs from comma separated values and it has no effect on an already created dict:

```

1 {}.fromkeys("a","b") # {'a':'b'}
2 {}.fromkeys(["email"],"unknown") # {'email': 'unknown'}
3 {}.fromkeys("a",[1,2,3,4,5]) # {"a":[1,2,3,4,5]}
4 a={1:"pp"}
5 a.fromkeys(1,"po") # a is still {1:"pp"}

```

pop takes a single argument corresponding to a key and removes the key:value pair. returns the value associated with the key.

```

1 d={1:"q": "b":3}
2 d.pop("b") # 3 d is {1:"q"}
3 d.pop() # TypeError
4 d.pop("o") # KeyError

```

update update keys and values in a dict with another dict

```

1 first=dict(a=1,b=2,c=3)
2 second={1:"alfred big"}
3 second.update(first)
4 second # {"a":1, "b":2, "c":3, 1:"alfred big"}

```