

# Assignment 12 Solutions ¶

**Q1. Does assigning a value to a string's indexed character violate Python's string immutability ?**

**Ans:** String's indexed character cannot to be assigned a New value , as Strings are **immutable**.

Example:

```
name = "Reinforcement"
print(id(name)) #73472
name[0] = "V" # Raises TypeError
```

**Q2. Does using the += operator to concatenate strings violate Python's string immutability? Why or why not ?**

**Ans:** += operator is used to concatenate strings, it does not violate Python's string immutability Property. Because doing so new creates a new association with data and variable. E.g.

str\_1="a" and str\_1+="b" . effect of this statements to create string ab and reassign it to variable str\_1 , any string data is not actually modified.

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In [1]: str_1 = 'a'
print(id(str_1))
str_1 += 'b'
print(id(str_1)) # Does not Modify existing string, Creates a New String Object

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```

**Q3. In Python, how many different ways are there to index a character?**

**Ans:** A Character in string can be indexed using string name followed by index number of character in square bracket. **Positive Indexing** i.e. first index is 0 and so on, or **Negative Indexing** i.e. last letter is -1 and so on can be used to index a character

```
In [2]: in_string = "iNeuron Full Stack Data Science"
print(in_string[9],in_string[10],in_string[2]) # Positive Indexing
print(in_string[-1],in_string[-5],in_string[-2]) # Negative Indexing

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**Q4. What is the relationship between indexing and slicing?**

**Ans:** We can access elements of sequence datatypes by using slicing and indexing. Indexing is used to obtaining individual element while slicing for sequence of elements.

```
In [3]: in_string = "iNeuron Full Stack Data Science"
print(in_string[1],in_string[3],in_string[5]) # Indexing
print(in_string[1:15]) # Slicing
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**Q5. What is an indexed character's exact data type? What is the data form of a slicing-generated substring?**

**Ans:** Indexed characters and sliced substrings have datatype **String**.

```
In [4]: in_string = "iNeuron Full Stack Data Science"
print(type(in_string[3])) # Indexing -> str
print(type(in_string[1:10])) # Indexing -> str
```

```
<class 'str'>
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```

**Q6. What is the relationship between string and character "types" in Python?**

**Ans:** Object that contains sequence of character datatypes are called String.

**Q7. Identify at least two operators & one method that allow you to combine one or more smaller strings to create a larger string ?**

**Ans:** + , += and \* allow to combine one or more smaller strings to create a larger string.

`<string>.join(<sep>)` method joins element of iterable type like list and tuple to get a combined string.

```
In [5]: in_string = 'iNeuron '
in_string += 'Full Stack Data Science'
print(in_string + ' FSDS')
print('FSDS '*3)
print(" ".join(['I','N','E','U','R','O','N'])) # List Iterable
print(" ".join(('I','N','E','U','R','O','N')).lower()) # Tuple Iterable
```

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```

**Q8. What is the benefit of first checking the target string with in or not in before using the index method to find a substring ?**

**Ans:** Checking the target string with `in` or `not` Operators before using the index method to find a substring just helps confirming availability of substring and thus avoid raising of **ValueError**.

**Example:**

```
in_string = "ineuron"  
in_string.index('x') # Raises ValueError
```

**Q9. Which operators and built-in string methods produce simple Boolean (true/false) results?**

**Ans:** The String Operators and built-in methods to Produce Simple Boolean (True/False) Results are:

- `in`
- `not`
- `<string>.isalpha()`
- `<string>.isalnum()`
- `<string>.isdecimal()`
- `<string>.isdigit()`
- `<string>.islower()`
- `<string>.isnumeric()`
- `<string>.isprintable()`
- `<string>.isspace()`
- `<string>.istitle()`