# **Python Project Virtual Pet**

### **Assignment Overview**

Classes

## **Assignment Background**

In this project, you will write a Python program to *implement a virtual pet*. You can decide the species, name, and gender of your pet. You can also interact with your pet by feeding your pet, playing with your pet, bathing your pet, etc. You will design a user-defined Class called 'Pet' to achieve that.

A pet has the following basic attributes:

- Species (we assume two species: dog and cat)
- Name
- Gender (we assume two genders: male and female)
- Fur color

As well as some other attributes that are related to physical or mental health status:

- Energy
- Hunger
- Thirst
- Loneliness
- Smell

These attributes are measured in the range from 0 to 10. For the 'energy' attribute, the ideal value is 10. For the other attributes ('hunger', 'thirst', 'loneliness', and 'smell'), the ideal value is 0. When a pet object is created, his or her initial status is randomized within an acceptable range. For example, a newly created pet may have a hunger/thirst/loneliness/smell level in the range of (0, 5), and have an energy level in the range of (5, 10).

Therefore, in your pet class, you will have attributes related to each feature that we mentioned. Make them as private attributes (i.e., the attribute name should start with a single underscore, like self.\_name)

The goal of this game is to take care of your pet by keeping your pet in a good status (i.e., lower hunger/thirst/loneliness/smell level, and higher energy level). You can take care of your pet by taking each of the following actions:

- Let your pet get some sleep
- Feed your pet some food
- Feed your pet some water

- Play with your pet
- Bathe your pet.

The health status of your pet will be updated each time you take a certain action:

- After you feed your pet food, his/her hunger level will be decreased.
- After you feed your pet water, his/her thirst level will be decreased.
- After you play with your pet, the loneliness level will be decreased, but the hunger level, thirst level, and smell level will be increased.
- After you bathe your pet, the smell level will be decreased.
- After your pet gets some sleep, the energy level will be increased.

After you take an action, your pet will give you feedback about the specific action you took. Next, your pet will report his/her status if some attributes are too low or too high. For example, after you play with your pet, your pet will first say 'Thanks for your company'. Next, if the hunger level of your pet is lower than a threshold (say 5), your pet will say 'I am hungry'. Please note that multiple attributes may need to be reported after an action. If your pet is both hungry and thirsty after playing with you, he/she will say two sentences: 'I am hungry,' and then 'I am thirsty'.

The game begins by prompting you to entering the species, name, gender, and fur color of your pet, each feature separated by a space. Once those inputs are validated, a pet object will be created. Then the program will prompt you to enter a command. Your command will either lead to an action taken or lead to a table that shows you the health status of your pet. The program will repeatedly prompt you to input a command, until you enter 'q' and then you will quit this game.

### **Project Specifications**

You must implement the following classes and methods. You are not allowed to add methods and you are only allowed to access attributes using the provided methods (that is no "name mangling" allowed).

1. Design a class called **Pet** which initialize the following attributes in its \_\_init\_\_() function:

```
self._name # string
self._species # string
self._gender # string
self._color # string
self._hunger # float
self._thirst # float
self._smell # float
self._loneliness # float
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self. energy # float
self. edible items # list
self. drinkable items # list
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- We provide a skeleton of the **Pet** class with all attributes in the init method initialized to None. You need to fill in appropriate values for initialization:
  - o The default values for name, species, gender, and color are 'Fluffy', 'Dog', 'Male', and 'White' respectively. Force the attribute values to be capitalized (hint: use the capitalize () string method).
  - o The initial value for hunger, thirst, smell, and loneliness are a random integer number in the range of [0, 5], while the initial value for energy is a random integer number in the range of [5, 10]. (hint: import the cse231 random module and then use the *cse231 randint()* function).
  - The initial value for edible items and drinkable items is an empty list. (We will append some items to these lists later on, so that edible items and drinkable items will be a list of different class types, and each class type is provided in the edible. py file. An example of a list of class types is given here: a list = [str, int, float])
- We provide a complete method called reply to master(). After you initialize the attributes mentioned above, there is a call to the reply to master method.
- 2. Complete the following class methods:
  - a. def get hunger level (self): simply return the value of self. hunger
  - b. def get thirst level (self): similar to previous.
  - c. def get energy level (self): similar to previous.
  - d. def drink (self, liquid): this method represents the action of 'feeding water'.
    - i. this method takes an input parameter called liquid, which is an instance that belongs to a certain class type. This class type should be an element in the self. drinkable items list. (For example, if liquid = 1 (or any other integer), then int must be an element in the self. drinkable items list.) Otherwise, your program will output an error message. (Hint: use isinstance() function).
    - ii. Call the time pass by method with the default time (which is complete and does not need modification).
    - iii. If the liquid is valid, you will decrease the thirsty value of your pet, based on the quantity of this liquid. (hint: read the edible.py file and figure out how to get the quantity attribute of the liquid). You must make sure that your pet's thirst level will not go below zero. For example, if the thirst value is 3, and the quantity of the liquid is 2, then after you call the drink function, thirst will be 1. If the quantity of the liquid is 4, then thirst will become 0, not -1. If all the liquid is not drunk, print "Too much drink to finish. I will leave some for you."
    - iv. A pet will not drink if their thirst is less than 2. If they will not drink, print a message, e.g. "Your pet is satisfied, no desire sustenance now." if they are not hungry.
    - v. If the liquid is invalid, print "Not drinkable"

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vi. After you update the \_thirst value, call the \_reply\_to\_master() method (which is also complete, but you need to figure out the input argument to this method).

- e. def feed(self, food): the logic of this method is very similar to drink. The difference is that in this method, you will update the value of \_hunger. You will also call the \_reply\_to\_master() method with a different input argument than used with drink.
- f. def shower(self): (provided)
  - i. call the \_time\_pass\_by() method. The shower takes a time=4. (If you wanted to create a more fun game, you could import random, assign a random time and use the cse231\_random.randint(3,5) function. However, such a game program won't pass Mimir tests!).
  - ii. this method changes two attributes of your pet: the \_smell and the \_loneliness. The smell level will always drop to zero. The loneliness level of your pet will be decreased depending on how long the shower takes. For example, if the time = 2 and the loneliness level was 3, then after the shower the loneliness level will drop to 1. Please note that the loneliness level cannot go below zero. Therefore, if time = 4 and loneliness level was 3, then it will drop to 0, instead of -1.
  - iii. After those two attributes are updated, call the reply\_to\_master() method and then the update status() method.
- g. def sleep(self):
  - i. Similar to the *shower* method, but sleeping takes a time=7, and the attribute modified by this method is *self.\_energy* which will increase. Please note that the energy level will not exceed MAX (10). Therefore, if time = 7 and the loneliness level was 4, then loneliness will rise to 10, instead of 11.
- h. def play with (self):
  - i. Similar to the *shower* method, but *play\_with* takes a time=4, and this method changes three attributes of your pet: *self.\_loneliness*, *self.\_smell*, and *self.\_energy*. The loneliness and energy level will decrease, and the smell level will increase, depending the time you have spent playing with your pet. Please note that all the attribute values will not exceed the range of MIN (0) and MAX (10).
- i. def show status(self):
  - i. this method will display the hunger, thirst, smell, loneliness, and energy attributes of your pet as a table. Attribute values will be sorted in alphabetical order. An example is given below:

The number of '#' is proportional to the attribute value, and it will occupy 20 spaces in total. A partially formatted string is in the provided file.

- 3. After you complete the Pet class, design two subclasses of Pet:
  - a. Class Cat: this class inherits the Pet class. The init method of this class will inherit most of the features from the Pet class (by calling Pet's \_\_init\_\_ method which is also a good place to set the species to 'cat'). Besides that, the cat class will update two attributes (all within init):
    - i. self.\_edible\_items: it will be a list that contains elements from the 'cat edible items' list (which is at the beginning of the template code.)
    - ii. self.\_drinkable\_items: it will be a list that contains elements from the 'cat drinkable items'.
  - b. Class **Dog**: this class inherits the **Pet** class. The *init* function of this class will inherit most of the features from the Pet class (using Pet's \_\_init\_\_ method). Besides that, the cat class will update two attributes (all within init):
    - i. self.\_edible\_items: it will be a list that contains elements from the 'dog edible items' list (which is at the beginning of the template code.)
    - ii. self.\_drinkable\_items: it will be a list that contains elements from the 'dog drinkable items'.

Both of the above two class definitions should be less than 6 lines of code.

#### 4. Design your main function:

a. Prompt your user to enter the species, name, gender, fur color of the pet, separated by spaces. If the user hits the Enter key, the program will assume that your user wants to use default values (species='dog', gender='male', color='white'). A valid pet has species that is 'dog' or 'cat' and gender that is 'male' or 'female'. Otherwise, if the user inputs invalid values (say, 'pig fluffy male white'), the program will repeat this prompt until the user input is valid. An example is given below:

```
Welcome to this virtual pet game!
Please input the species (dog or cat), name, gender (male / female), fur color of your pet, seperated by space
---Example input: [dog] [fluffy] [male] [white]
(Hit Enter to use default settings): pig fluffy male white
Please input the species (dog or cat), name, gender (male / female), fur color of your pet, seperated by space
---Example input: [dog] [fluffy] [male] [white]
(Hit Enter to use default settings):
(@>><@) : Hi master, my name is Fluffy.
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b. Once the pet input is valid, your program will create an instance of the Dog (or Cat) class, and repeatedly prompt you to input a valid command to interact with your Dog (or Cat) instance, until you enter a 'q'. You have six commands: [feed] or [drink] or [shower] or [sleep] or [play] or [status]. The first five commands are five actions you can take with your pet, and the [status] command will show a table of your pet's health status. A running example of a complete program is shown below.

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seperated by space
  ---Example input: [dog] [fluffy] [male] [white]
  (Hit Enter to use default settings):
(\circ > \lor < \circ): Hi master, my name is Fluffy.
You can let your pet eat, drink, get a shower, get some sleep, or play with him or her by en
tering each of the following commands:
  --- [feed] [drink] [shower] [sleep] [play]
  You can also check the health status of your pet by entering:
  --- [status].
[feed] or [drink] or [shower] or [sleep] or [play] or [status] ? (q to quit): status
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Hunger
                                                                                                 ] 0.00/10
Loneliness : [####
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Smell
                                 : [#####
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Thirst
                                 : [##
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[feed] or [drink] or [shower] or [sleep] or [play] or [status] ? (q to quit): play
(ო^ω^ო) : Happy to have your company ~
[feed] or [drink] or [shower] or [sleep] or [play] or [status] ? (q to quit): status
                                 : [################
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Energy
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Hunger
Loneliness : [
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Smell
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Thirst
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[feed] or [drink] or [shower] or [sleep] or [play] or [status] ? (q to quit): q
Bye ~
```

# **Sample Output**

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Class Test Pet tests the Pet ___init__ methods.

Class Test Dog tests the Dog __init__ methods.

Class Test Cat tests the Cat init methods.
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Method Test Pet\_Drink\_Feed tests get\_thirst\_level(),
get\_hunger\_level(), drink() and feed() methods and tests some
defaults to init .

Method Test Pet\_Shower\_Sleep\_Play tests get\_energy\_level(),
shower(), sleep() and play\_with() methods and tests some defaults
to \_init\_.

Test 1 input1.txt and output1.txt are on web page

Test 2 includes tests of a number of errors
 input2.txt and output2.txt are on web page