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Attributes

Announcements

Review: Generating Partitions (from Discussion)

Generating Partitions (from Discussion)

```
def partition_gen(n, m):
    """Yield the partitions of n using parts up to size m.

    >>> for partition in sorted(partition_gen(6, 4)):
        ...     print(partition)
    1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1
    1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 2
    1 + 1 + 1 + 3
    1 + 1 + 2 + 2
    1 + 1 + 4
    1 + 2 + 3
    2 + 2 + 2
    2 + 4
    3 + 3
    ....
```

- What **small initial choice** can I make?
 - For trees, often: which branch to explore?
- What **recursive call for each option?** `partition_gen(n-m, m)` `partition_gen(n, m-1)`
- How can you **combine the results** of those recursive calls?

Use m or don't use m

Writing Recursive Functions (Review)

Make sure you can answer the following before you start writing code:

- What **small initial choice** can I make?
 - For trees, often: which branch to explore?
- What **recursive call for each option**?
 - partition_gen($n-m$, m)
 - partition_gen(n , $m-1$)
- How can you **combine the results** of those recursive calls?
 - What type of values do they ~~return~~ ^{yield} ~~yielded~~
 - What do the possible ~~return~~ ^{yielded} values mean?
 - How can you use those ~~return~~ ^{yielded} values to complete your implementation? E.g.,
 - Look to see if any option evaluated to true
 - Add up the results from each option

Choose an example! **partition_gen(6, 4)**
Write down the result of each recursive call

Method Calls

Dot Expressions

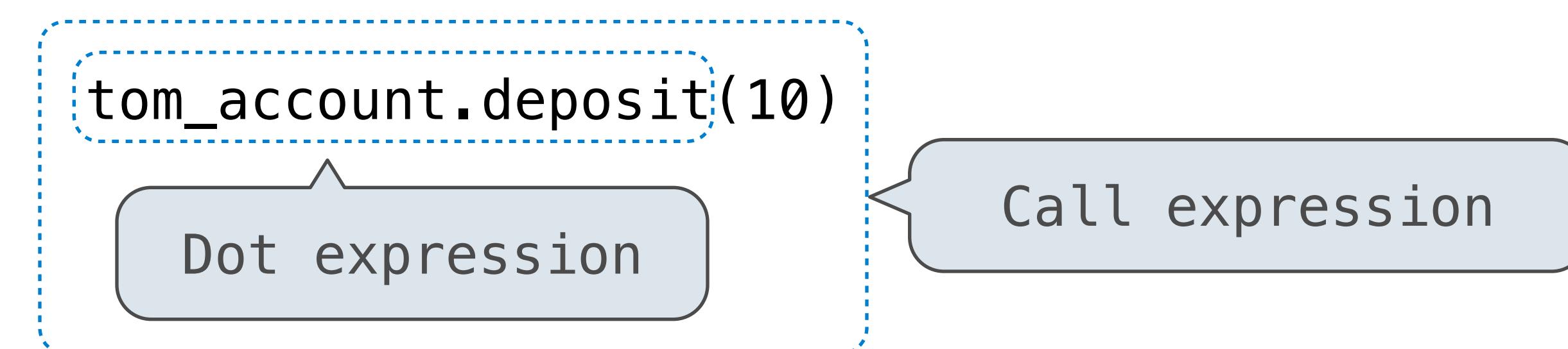
Methods are invoked using dot notation

<expression> . <name>

The <expression> can be any valid Python expression

The <name> is just a name (not a complex expression)

Evaluates to the value of the attribute looked up by <name> in the object
that is the value of the <expression>



(Demo)

Attribute Lookup

Looking Up Attributes by Name

Both instances and classes have attributes that can be looked up by dot expressions

`<expression> . <name>`

To evaluate a dot expression:

1. Evaluate the `<expression>` to the left of the dot, which yields the object of the dot expression
2. `<name>` is matched against the instance attributes of that object; if an attribute with that name exists, its value is returned
3. If not, `<name>` is looked up in the class, which yields a class attribute value
4. That value is returned unless it is a function, in which case a bound method is returned instead

Discussion Question: Where's Waldo?

Write an expression **with no quotes or +** that evaluates to 'Waldo'

```
class Town:  
    def __init__(self, w, aldo):  
        if aldo == 7:  
            self.street = {self.f(w): 'Waldo'}  
  
    def f(self, x):  
        return x + 1  
  
    >>> Town(1, 7).street[2]  
'Waldo'
```

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Write an expression **with no quotes or +** that evaluates to 'Waldo'

```
class Beach:  
    def __init__(self):  
        sand = ['Wal', 'do']  
        self.dig = sand.pop  
  
    def walk(self, x):  
        self.wave = lambda y: self.dig(x) + self.dig(y)  
        return self
```

Reminder: s.pop(k)
removes and returns
the item at index k

```
>>> Beach().walk(0).wave(0)  
'Waldo'
```

Class Attributes

Class Attributes

Class attributes are "shared" across all instances of a class because they are attributes of the class, not the instance

```
class Account:  
  
    interest = 0.02    # A class attribute  
  
    def __init__(self, account_holder):  
        self.balance = 0  
        self.holder = account_holder  
  
    # Additional methods would be defined here  
  
    >>> tom_account = Account('Tom')  
    >>> jim_account = Account('Jim')  
    >>> tom_account.interest  
0.02  
    >>> jim_account.interest  
0.02
```

The **interest** attribute is *not* part of the instance; it's part of the class!

(Demo)

Attribute Assignment Statements

Account class
attributes

interest: ~~0.02~~ ~~0.04~~ 0.05
(withdraw, deposit, __init__)

Instance
attributes of
jim_account

balance: 0
holder: 'Jim'
interest: 0.08

Instance
attributes of
tom_account

balance: 0
holder: 'Tom'

```
>>> jim_account = Account('Jim')
>>> tom_account = Account('Tom')
>>> tom_account.interest
0.02
>>> jim_account.interest
0.02
>>> Account.interest = 0.04
>>> tom_account.interest
0.04
>>> jim_account.interest
0.04
```

```
>>> jim_account.interest = 0.08
>>> jim_account.interest
0.08
>>> tom_account.interest
0.04
>>> Account.interest = 0.05
>>> tom_account.interest
0.05
>>> jim_account.interest
0.08
```

Discussion Question: Class Attribute Assignment

Implement the **Place** class, which takes a **name**. Its **print_history()** method prints the **name** of the **Place** and then the names of all the **Place** instances that were created before it.

```
class Place:  
    last = None  
  
    def __init__(self, n):  
        self.name = n  
        self.then = _____  
        _____ = self  
  
    def print_history(self):  
        print(self.name)  
        if self.then is not None:  
            self.then.print_history()
```

OK to write
self.last or
type(self.last)

Not ok to write **self.last**

```
>>> places = [Place(x*2) for x in range(10)]  
>>> places[4].print_history()  
8  
6  
4  
2  
0  
  
>>> places[6].print_history()  
12  
10  
8  
6  
4  
2  
0
```

More Tree Practice

Spring 2023 Midterm 2 Question 4(a)

Implement `exclude`, which takes a tree `t` and a value `x`. It returns a tree containing the root node of `t` as well as each non-root node of `t` with a label not equal to `x`. The parent of a node in the result is its nearest ancestor node that is not excluded.

```
def exclude(t, x):
    """Return a tree with the non-root nodes of tree t labeled anything but x.

    >>> t = tree(1, [tree(2, [tree(2), tree(3), tree(4)]), tree(5, [tree(1)])])
    >>> exclude(t, 2)
    [1, [3], [4], [5, [1]]]
    >>> exclude(t, 1) # The root node cannot be excluded
    [1, [2, [2], [3], [4]], [5]]
    """
    filtered_branches = map(lambda y: _____, _____)
    bs = []
    for b in filtered_branches:
        if _____:
            bs._____([_____])
        else:
            bs.append(b)
    return tree(label(t), bs)
```

30% got it right;
1 of 4 options

37% of students got this right

24% got it right

What will the recursive call on each branch return?

What should we do with those return values?

Branch has label x?
Take its branches

Otherwise we're cool with the branch as-is

