Conditional Loop Statement

*statements block executed **as long as** condition is true*

```
while logical condition:
    statements block
```


```
s = 0      } initializations before the loop
i = 1      }
while i <= 100:        # condition with a least one variable value (here i)
    s = s + i**2
    i = i + 1          # make condition variable change !
print("sum:",s)
```

beware of infinite loops!

Algo: $s = \sum_{i=1}^{i=100} i^2$

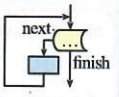
Loop Control

`break` *immediate exit*
`continue` *next iteration*
`else` *block for **normal** loop exit.*

Iterative Loop Statement

*statements block executed **for each** item of a container or iterator*

```
for var in sequence:
    statements block
```



Go over sequence's **values**

```
s = "Some text"   } initializations before the loop
cnt = 0
for c in s:       # loop variable, assignment managed by for statement
    if c == "e":
        cnt = cnt + 1
print("found",cnt,"'e'")
```

Algo: count number of e *in the string.*

loop on dict/set ⇔ loop on keys sequences
use *slices* to loop on a subset of a sequence

Go over sequence's **index**

- modify item at index
- access items around index (before / after)

```
lst = [11,18,9,12,23,4,17]
lost = []
for idx in range(len(lst)):
    val = lst[idx]
    if val > 15:
        lost.append(val)
        lst[idx] = 15
print("modif:",lst,"-lost:",lost)
```

Algo: limit values greater than 15, memorizing of lost values.

good habit : don't modify loop variable

Go simultaneously over sequence's **index** and **values**:

```
for idx,val in enumerate(lst):
```

Display

```
print("v=",3,"cm :",x,",",y+4)
```

items to display : literal values, variables, expressions

`print` options:

- `sep=" "` items separator, default space
- `end="\n"` end of print, default new line
- `file=sys.stdout` print to file, default standard output

Input

```
s = input("Instructions:")
```

`input` always returns a **string**, convert it to required type (cf. boxed *Conversions* on the other side).

Integer Sequences

```
range([start,] end [,step])
```

start default 0, *end* not included in sequence, *step* signed, default 1

`range(5)` → 0 1 2 3 4 `range(2,12,3)` → 2 5 8 11
`range(3,8)` → 3 4 5 6 7 `range(20,5,-5)` → 20 15 10
`range(len(seq))` → *sequence of index of values in seq*

range provides an immutable sequence of int constructed as needed

Generic Operations on Containers

`len(c)` → items count
`min(c)` `max(c)` `sum(c)`
`sorted(c)` → `list` sorted *copy*
`val in c` → boolean, membership operator `in` (absence `not in`)
`enumerate(c)` → *iterator* on (index, value)
`zip(c1,c2…)` → *iterator* on tuples containing c_i items at same index
`all(c)` → `True` if **all** `c` items evaluated to true, else `False`
`any(c)` → `True` if **at least one** item of `c` evaluated true, else `False`

*Note: For dictionaries and sets, these operations use **keys**.*

*Specific to **ordered sequences containers** (lists, tuples, strings, bytes…)*

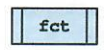
`reversed(c)` → *inversed iterator* `c*5` → duplicate `c+c2` → concatenate
`c.index(val)` → *position* `c.count(val)` → *events count*

```
import copy
copy.copy(c) → shallow copy of container
copy.deepcopy(c) → deep copy of container
```

Function Definition

function name (identifier)
named parameters

```
def fct(x,y,z):
    """documentation"""
    # statements block, res computation, etc.
    return res
```



result value of the call, if no computed result to return: `return None`

parameters and all variables of this block exist only *in* the block and *during* the function call (think of a "black box")

Advanced: `def fct(x,y,z,*args,a=3,b=5,**kwargs):`

**args variable positional arguments (→`tuple`), default values,*
***kwargs variable named arguments (→`dict`)*

Operations on Lists

modify original list

`lst.append(val)` add item at end
`lst.extend(seq)` add sequence of items at end
`lst.insert(idx,val)` insert item at index
`lst.remove(val)` remove first item with value *val*
`lst.pop([idx])` →*value* remove & return item at index *idx* (default last)
`lst.sort()` `lst.reverse()` sort / reverse liste *in place*

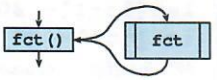
Function Call

```
r = fct(3,i+2,2*i)
```

storage/use of returned value — *one argument per parameter*

this is the use of function name *with parentheses* which does the call

*Advanced: *sequence **dict*



Operations on Dictionaries

`d[key]=value` `d.clear()`
`d[key]` → *value* `del d[key]`
`d.update(d2)` update/add associations
`d.keys()` `d.values()` `d.items()` →*iterable views on keys/values/associations*
`d.pop(key[,default])` → *value*
`d.popitem()` → *(key,value)*
`d.get(key[,default])` → *value*
`d.setdefault(key[,default])` →*value*

Operations on Sets

Operators:
`|` → union (vertical bar char)
`&` → intersection
`-` `^` → difference/symmetric diff.
`<` `<=` `>` `>=` → inclusion relations
Operators also exist as methods.

`s.update(s2)` `s.copy()`
`s.add(key)` `s.remove(key)`
`s.discard(key)` `s.clear()`
`s.pop()`

Operations on Strings

`s.startswith(prefix[,start[,end]])` `s.strip([chars])`
`s.endswith(suffix[,start[,end]])` `s.count(sub[,start[,end]])` `s.partition(sep)` → *(before,sep,after)*
`s.index(sub[,start[,end]])` `s.find(sub[,start[,end]])`
`s.is…()` *tests on chars categories (ex.* `s.isalpha()`*)*
`s.upper()` `s.lower()` `s.title()` `s.swapcase()`
`s.casefold()` `s.capitalize()` `s.center([width,fill])`
`s.ljust([width,fill])` `s.rjust([width,fill])` `s.zfill([width])`
`s.encode(encoding)` `s.split([sep])` `s.join(seq)`

Files

storing data on disk, and reading it back

```
f = open("file.txt","w",encoding="utf8")
```

file **variable** for operations
name of file on disk (+path…)
opening **mode**
- `'r'` read
- `'w'` write
- `'a'` append
- …`'+'` `'x'` `'b'` `'t'`

encoding of chars for *text files*: `utf8` `ascii` `latin1` …

cf. modules `os`, `os.path` and `pathlib`

writing

`f.write("coucou")`
`f.writelines(list of lines)`

reading

read empty string if end of file

`f.read([n])` → *next chars*
if n not specified, read up to end !
`f.readlines([n])` → `list` *of next lines*
`f.readline()` → *next line*

text mode `t` *by default (read/write* `str`*), possible binary mode* `b` *(read/write* `bytes`*). **Convert from/to required type !***

`f.close()` dont forget to **close the file** after use !

`f.flush()` write cache
`f.truncate([size])` resize

reading/writing progress sequentially in the file, modifiable with:
`f.tell()` →*position*
`f.seek(position[,origin])`

Very common: opening with a guarded block (automatic closing) and reading loop on lines of a text file:

```
with open(…) as f:
    for line in f :
        # processing of line
```

Formatting

formating directives — values to format

```
"modele{} {} {}".format(x,y,r) → str
"{selection:formatting!conversion}"
```

- **Selection** :
  `2`
  `nom`
  `0.nom`
  `4[key]`
  `0[2]`
- **Formatting** :

Examples:
`"{:+2.3f}".format(45.72793)` → `'+45.728'`
`"{1:>10s}".format(8,"toto")` → `'      toto'`
`"{x!r}".format(x="I'm")` → `'"I\'m"'`

fill char *alignment* *sign* *mini width*.*precision~maxwidth* *type*

`<` `>` `^` `=` — `+` `-` *space* — `0` at start for filling with 0

integer: `b` binary, `c` char, `d` decimal (default), `o` octal, `x` or `X` hexa…
float: `e` or `E` exponential, `f` or `F` fixed point, `g` or `G` appropriate (default),
string: `s` … `%` percent

- **Conversion** : `s` (readable text) or `r` (literal representation)