

TAMU ENGR-102 Exam Reference Sheet

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Special Numerical Operators

$x \% y$ -> Modulo: Remainder of $\frac{x}{y}$
 $x // y$ -> Floor Division: $\lfloor \frac{x}{y} \rfloor$

Conditional Statements

```
if condition1:
    print("condition1 is True")
elif condition2: # Optional
    print("condition2 is True")
else: # Optional
    print("conditions 1 & 2 are False")
```

Lists

Accessing Elements (x[index]):

```
x = [[9, 6], 4]
x[0][1] -> 6
x[-2] -> [9, 6]
x[1] -> 4
```

List/Str Slicing (x[start:end:indexJump]):

```
x = ['H', 'o', 'w', 'd', 'y']
x[2:] -> ['w', 'd', 'y']
x[:3] -> ['H', 'o', 'w']
x[2:4] -> ['w', 'd']
x[1:-1] -> ['o', 'w', 'd']
x[-5:-1] -> ['H', 'o', 'w', 'd']
x[::-1] -> ['y', 'd', 'w', 'o', 'H']
```

In-Place Methods:

```
x.append(y) # Adds y to end of x
del x[i] # Deletes x[i]
x.remove(y) # Deletes y
x.pop() # Deletes & returns x[-1]
x.sort() # Lexicographically sorts x
x.index(y) # Returns index of y
```

Static Methods:

```
len(x) # Number of elements in x
min(x) # Lowest number in x
max(x) # Highest number in x
sum(x) # Summation of numbers in x
```

Loops

Keywords:

```
break # Exits loop
continue # Skips to next iteration
```

While (Conditional Loop):

```
# Runs code until condition is False
while condition:
    print("condition is True")
```

For (Ranged Loop):

```
# i: Starting Value
# n: Stopping Value
# j: Step Value
range(i=0, n, j=1) -> list[int][i:n:j]
# Generates list( $\{x \in \mathbb{Z} | i \leq x < n\}$ )
```

```
x = list(range(3)) -> [0, 1, 2]
for i in x:
    print(i) -> "0\n1\n2\n"
```

Terminal Input/Output

Output to Terminal:

```
# end: char at end of print
# sep: char separating args
print(*args, end='\n', sep=' ')
```

Input from Terminal:

```
# Prints msg to terminal; grabs input
inp = input(msg) -> str
iinp = int(input(msg)) -> int
finp = float(input(msg)) -> float
```

F-Strings

```
x, name = 3.1415, 'Ritchey'
f"TXT | {x}" -> "TXT | 3.1415"
f"How-D {x:.2f}" -> "How-D 3.14"
f"{x:10.2f}" -> "3.14"
f"{name:<10}" -> "Ritchey "
f"{name:>10}" -> "Ritchey"
f"{name:^10}" -> "Ritchey "
f"{name:*^13s}" -> "***Ritchey***"
```

Pythonic Quirks

Operator Precedence (Highest to Lowest):

Numerical Operators (PEMDAS)

1. () # Parentheses
2. ** # Exponential
3. -x # Parity Negation
4. *, /, //, % # Multiplication/Division
5. +, - # Addition/Subtraction

Relational Operators

6. ==, !=, <=, >=, # Comparisons
- >, <, is, is not

Boolean Operators

7. not # Negation
8. and # Conjunction
9. or # Disjunction

Type-Casting to Boolean

```
# Int & Float: ONLY 0 is False
bool(0) -> False
bool(-1) -> True
bool(0.0) -> False
```

```
# Str: ONLY Empty is False
bool('') -> False
```

```
# Lists: ONLY Empty is False
bool([]) -> False
```

```
# None keyword is always False
bool(None) -> False
```

Type-Specific Behavior:

Strings & Tuples are Immutable

```
stringVar[0] = 'k' -> ERROR
tupleVar[1] = 2 -> ERROR
```

List Alias Assignment

```
A = [1, 2, 3]
# Variable B is now an alias for A
B = A
A[1] = 27
# Same OBJECT; not just same value
A == B -> True
A is B -> True
```

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`x // y` -> Integer Division: $\lfloor \frac{x}{y} \rfloor$

Conditional (if-elif-else) Statement:

```
if condition1:
    Do this
elif condition2: # Optional
    Do this instead
else: # Optional
    Otherwise, do this
```

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x[::-1] -> ['y', 'd', 'w', 'o', 'H']
```

Instance Methods (In-Place):

```
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x.remove(y) # Deletes y
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Dictionaries:

Accessing Elements:

```
d = {'x':9, 'y':"Howdy", 'z':[3, 6, 1]}
d['y'] -> "Howdy"
d['z'][-2] -> 6
d.get('x') -> 9
for key in d:
    Do this for each key in d
```

```
for key, value in d.items():
    Do this for each key:value pair in d
```

Modification:

```
d[k] = v # Adds key:value pair to d
del d[k] # Deletes key:value pair
```

Functions:

```
def func1(): # Declaration
    '''0 args; implicit return (None)'''
    Do this # Definition

def func2(a, b=25): # b has default val
    '''Positional args; explicit return'''
    Do this
    return finalVal

if name == "main":
    func1() -> None # Function Call
    func2(x) -> finalVal # a = x, b = 25
    func2(x, y) -> finalVal # a = x, b = y
```

Try-Except Block:

```
try:
    Try running this exception-prone code
except Exception: # Optional
    Run if specified exception raised
except:
    Run if any exception raised
else: # Optional
    Run only if no exception raised
finally: # Optional
    Always run this
```

Loops:

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break # Exists loop
continue # Skips to next iteration
```

While:

```
Repeats indented code until condition is False
while condition:
    Do this
```

For:

```
Iterates over container (list, tuple, dict)
range(start, end, jump) -> list[int][::jump]
for var in range:
    Do this
```

File IO:

Useful File Methods:

```
str.strip() -> str # Trim edge ' ', '\n'
str.split(x) -> list[str] # Split at x
str.join(list[str]) -> str # Joins strs in list
```

Open/Close File:

File Modes:

```
'r': Read starting at 0th line
'w': Write starting at 0th line
'a': Append starting at last line
```

```
with open(filename, mode) as file:
```

```
Do this # Auto-closes file after indent
```

```
file = open(filename, mode)
file.close()
```

Read Methods:

```
file.read() -> str # All file data
file.readline() -> str # 1 line
file.readlines() -> list[str] # All file data
```

Write Methods:

```
file.write(str) # Writes str
file.writelines(list[str]) # Writes list[str]
```