

20.1 The Draw Program

This is the sample drawing application from the first chapter. It illustrates the use of the tkinter library including many widgets and mouse handling. This program can be downloaded from the text's website.

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1  # The imports include turtle graphics and tkinter modules.
2  # The colorchooser and filedialog modules let the user
3  # pick a color and a filename.
4  import turtle
5  import tkinter
6  import tkinter.colorchooser
7  import tkinter.filedialog
8  import xml.dom.minidom
9
10 # The following classes define the different commands that
11 # are supported by the drawing application.
12 class GoToCommand:
13     def __init__(self, x, y, width=1, color="black"):
14         self.x = x
15         self.y = y
16         self.width = width
17         self.color = color
18
19     # The draw method for each command draws the command
20     # using the given turtle
21     def draw(self, turtle):
22         turtle.width(self.width)
23         turtle.pencolor(self.color)
24         turtle.goto(self.x, self.y)
25
26     # The __str__ method is a special method that is called
27     # when a command is converted to a string. The string
28     # version of the command is how it appears in the graphics
29     # file format.
30     def __str__(self):
31         return '<Command_x="' + str(self.x) + '"_y="' + str(self.y) + \'
32             \' + str(self.width) + \'
33             \' + str(self.color) + '">GoTo</Command>'
34
35 class CircleCommand:
36     def __init__(self, radius, width=1, color="black"):
37         self.radius = radius
38         self.width = width

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39         self.color = color
40
41     def draw(self, turtle):
42         turtle.width(self.width)
43         turtle.pencolor(self.color)
44         turtle.circle(self.radius)
45
46     def __str__(self):
47         return '<Command radius="' + str(self.radius) + "_width='" + \
48             str(self.width) + '"_color="' + self.color + '">Circle </Command>'
49
50 class BeginFillCommand:
51     def __init__(self, color):
52         self.color = color
53
54     def draw(self, turtle):
55         turtle.fillcolor(self.color)
56         turtle.begin_fill()
57
58     def __str__(self):
59         return '<Command color="' + self.color + '">BeginFill </Command>'
60
61 class EndFillCommand:
62     def __init__(self):
63         pass
64
65     def draw(self, turtle):
66         turtle.end_fill()
67
68     def __str__(self):
69         return "<Command>EndFill </Command>"
70
71 class PenUpCommand:
72     def __init__(self):
73         pass
74
75     def draw(self, turtle):
76         turtle.penup()
77
78     def __str__(self):
79         return "<Command>PenUp </Command>"
80
81 class PenDownCommand:
82     def __init__(self):
83         pass
84
85     def draw(self, turtle):
86         turtle.pendown()
87
88     def __str__(self):
89         return "<Command>PenDown </Command>"
90
91 # This is the PyList container object. It is meant to hold a
92 class PyList:
93     def __init__(self):
94         self.gcList = []
95
96     # The append method is used to add commands to the sequence.
97     def append(self, item):
98         self.gcList = self.gcList + [item]
99
100     # This method is used by the undo function. It slices the sequence
101     # to remove the last item
102     def removeLast(self):
103         self.gcList = self.gcList[:-1]
104
105     # This special method is called when iterating over the sequence.
106     # Each time yield is called another element of the sequence is returned
107     # to the iterator (i.e. the for loop that called this.)

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108     def __iter__(self):
109         for c in self.gcList:
110             yield c
111
112     # This is called when the len function is called on the sequence.
113     def __len__(self):
114         return len(self.gcList)
115
116     # This class defines the drawing application. The following line says that
117     # the DrawingApplication class inherits from the Frame class. This means
118     # that a DrawingApplication is like a Frame object except for the code
119     # written here which redefines/extends the behavior of a Frame.
120     class DrawingApplication(tkinter.Frame):
121         def __init__(self, master=None):
122             super().__init__(master)
123             self.pack()
124             self.buildWindow()
125             self.graphicsCommands = PyList()
126
127     # This method is called to create all the widgets, place them in the GUI,
128     # and define the event handlers for the application.
129     def buildWindow(self):
130
131         # The master is the root window. The title is set as below.
132         self.master.title("Draw")
133
134         # Here is how to create a menu bar. The tearoff=0 means that menus
135         # can't be separated from the window which is a feature of tkinter.
136         bar = tkinter.Menu(self.master)
137         fileMenu = tkinter.Menu(bar, tearoff=0)
138
139         # This code is called by the "New" menu item below when it is selected.
140         # The same applies for loadFile, addToFile, and saveFile below. The
141         # "Exit" menu item below calls quit on the "master" or root window.
142         def newWindow():
143             # This sets up the turtle to be ready for a new picture to be
144             # drawn. It also sets the sequence back to empty. It is necessary
145             # for the graphicsCommands sequence to be in the object (i.e.
146             # self.graphicsCommands) because otherwise the statement:
147             # graphicsCommands = PyList()
148             # would make this variable a local variable in the newWindow
149             # method. If it were local, it would not be set anymore once the
150             # newWindow method returned.
151             theTurtle.clear()
152             theTurtle.penup()
153             theTurtle.goto(0,0)
154             theTurtle.pendown()
155             screen.update()
156             screen.listen()
157             self.graphicsCommands = PyList()
158
159         fileMenu.add_command(label="New",command=newWindow)
160
161         # The parse function adds the contents of an XML file to the sequence.
162         def parse(filename):
163             xmlDoc = xml.dom.minidom.parse(filename)
164
165             graphicsCommandsElement = xmlDoc.getElementsByTagName("GraphicsCommands")[0]
166
167             graphicsCommands = graphicsCommandsElement.getElementsByTagName("Command")
168
169         for commandElement in graphicsCommands:
170             print(type(commandElement))
171             command = commandElement.firstChild.data.strip()
172             attr = commandElement.attributes
173             if command == "GoTo":
174                 x = float(attr["x"].value)
175                 y = float(attr["y"].value)
176                 width = float(attr["width"].value)

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177         color = attr["color"].value.strip()
178         cmd = GoToCommand(x,y,width,color)
179
180     elif command == "Circle":
181         radius = float(attr["radius"].value)
182         width = float(attr["width"].value)
183         color = attr["color"].value.strip()
184         cmd = CircleCommand(radius,width,color)
185
186     elif command == "BeginFill":
187         color = attr["color"].value.strip()
188         cmd = BeginFillCommand(color)
189
190     elif command == "EndFill":
191         cmd = EndFillCommand()
192
193     elif command == "PenUp":
194         cmd = PenUpCommand()
195
196     elif command == "PenDown":
197         cmd = PenDownCommand()
198     else:
199         raise RuntimeError("Unknown_Command:_" + command)
200
201     self.graphicsCommands.append(cmd)
202
203 def loadFile():
204
205     filename = tkinter.filedialog.askopenfilename(title="Select_a_Graphics_File")
206
207     newWindow()
208
209     # This re-initializes the sequence for the new picture.
210     self.graphicsCommands = PyList()
211
212     # calling parse will read the graphics commands from the file.
213     parse(filename)
214
215     for cmd in self.graphicsCommands:
216         cmd.draw(theTurtle)
217
218     # This line is necessary to update the window after the picture is drawn.
219     screen.update()
220
221
222 fileMenu.add_command(label="Load ...",command=loadFile)
223
224 def addToFile():
225     filename = tkinter.filedialog.askopenfilename(title="Select_a_Graphics_File")
226
227     theTurtle.penup()
228     theTurtle.goto(0,0)
229     theTurtle.pendown()
230     theTurtle.pencolor("#000000")
231     theTurtle.fillcolor("#000000")
232     cmd = PenUpCommand()
233     self.graphicsCommands.append(cmd)
234     cmd = GoToCommand(0,0,1,"#000000")
235     self.graphicsCommands.append(cmd)
236     cmd = PenDownCommand()
237     self.graphicsCommands.append(cmd)
238     screen.update()
239     parse(filename)
240
241     for cmd in self.graphicsCommands:
242         cmd.draw(theTurtle)
243
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246         screen.update()
247
248     fileMenu.add_command(label="Load Into ...",command=addToFile)
249
250     # The write function writes an XML file to the given filename
251     def write(filename):
252         file = open(filename, "w")
253         file.write('<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="no" ?>\n')
254         file.write('<GraphicsCommands>\n')
255         for cmd in self.graphicsCommands:
256             file.write('    '+str(cmd)+'\n')
257
258         file.write('</GraphicsCommands>\n')
259
260         file.close()
261
262     def saveFile():
263         filename = tkinter.filedialog.asksaveasfilename(title="Save Picture As ...")
264         write(filename)
265
266     fileMenu.add_command(label="Save As ...",command=saveFile)
267
268
269     fileMenu.add_command(label="Exit",command=self.master.quit)
270
271     bar.add_cascade(label="File",menu=fileMenu)
272
273     # This tells the root window to display the newly created menu bar.
274     self.master.config(menu=bar)
275
276     # Here several widgets are created. The canvas is the drawing area on
277     # the left side of the window.
278     canvas = tkinter.Canvas(self,width=600,height=600)
279     canvas.pack(side=tkinter.LEFT)
280
281     # By creating a RawTurtle, we can have the turtle draw on this canvas.
282     # Otherwise, a RawTurtle and a Turtle are exactly the same.
283     theTurtle = turtle.RawTurtle(canvas)
284
285     # This makes the shape of the turtle a circle.
286     theTurtle.shape("circle")
287     screen = theTurtle.getscreen()
288
289     # This causes the application to not update the screen unless
290     # screen.update() is called. This is necessary for the ondrag event
291     # handler below. Without it, the program bombs after dragging the
292     # turtle around for a while.
293     screen.tracer(0)
294
295     # This is the area on the right side of the window where all the
296     # buttons, labels, and entry boxes are located. The pad creates some empty
297     # space around the side. The side puts the sideBar on the right side of the
298     # this frame. The fill tells it to fill in all space available on the right
299     # side.
300     sideBar = tkinter.Frame(self,padx=5,pady=5)
301     sideBar.pack(side=tkinter.RIGHT, fill=tkinter.BOTH)
302
303     # This is a label widget. Packing it puts it at the top of the sidebar.
304     pointLabel = tkinter.Label(sideBar,text="Width")
305     pointLabel.pack()
306
307     # This entry widget allows the user to pick a width for their lines.
308     # With the widthSize variable below you can write widthSize.get() to get
309     # the contents of the entry widget and widthSize.set(val) to set the value
310     # of the entry widget to val. Initially the widthSize is set to 1. str(1) is
311     # needed because the entry widget must be given a string.
312     widthSize = tkinter.StringVar()
313     widthEntry = tkinter.Entry(sideBar,textvariable=widthSize)
314     widthEntry.pack()

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315 widthSize.set(str(1))
316
317 radiusLabel = tkinter.Label(sideBar, text="Radius")
318 radiusLabel.pack()
319 radiusSize = tkinter.StringVar()
320 radiusEntry = tkinter.Entry(sideBar, textvariable=radiusSize)
321 radiusSize.set(str(10))
322 radiusEntry.pack()
323
324 # A button widget calls an event handler when it is pressed. The circleHandler
325 # function below is the event handler when the Draw Circle button is pressed.
326 def circleHandler():
327     # When drawing, a command is created and then the command is drawn by calling
328     # the draw method. Adding the command to the graphicsCommands sequence means the
329     # application will remember the picture.
330     cmd = CircleCommand(float(radiusSize.get()), float(widthSize.get()), penColor.get())
331     cmd.draw(theTurtle)
332     self.graphicsCommands.append(cmd)
333
334     # These two lines are needed to update the screen and to put the focus back
335     # in the drawing canvas. This is necessary because when pressing "u" to undo,
336     # the screen must have focus to receive the key press.
337     screen.update()
338     screen.listen()
339
340 # This creates the button widget in the sideBar. The fill=tkinter.BOTH causes the button
341 # to expand to fill the entire width of the sideBar.
342 circleButton = tkinter.Button(sideBar, text = "Draw_Circle", command=circleHandler)
343 circleButton.pack(fill=tkinter.BOTH)
344
345 # The color mode 255 below allows colors to be specified in RGB form (i.e. Red/
346 # Green/Blue). The mode allows the Red value to be set by a two digit hexadecimal
347 # number ranging from 00-FF. The same applies for Blue and Green values. The
348 # color choosers below return a string representing the selected color and a slice
349 # is taken to extract the #RRGGBB hexadecimal string that the color choosers return.
350 screen.colormode(255)
351 penLabel = tkinter.Label(sideBar, text="Pen_Color")
352 penLabel.pack()
353 penColor = tkinter.StringVar()
354 penEntry = tkinter.Entry(sideBar, textvariable=penColor)
355 penEntry.pack()
356 # This is the color black.
357 penColor.set("#000000")
358
359 def getPenColor():
360     color = tkinter.colorchooser.askcolor()
361     if color != None:
362         penColor.set(str(color)[-9:-2])
363
364 penColorButton = tkinter.Button(sideBar, text = "Pick_Pen_Color", command=getPenColor)
365 penColorButton.pack(fill=tkinter.BOTH)
366
367 fillLabel = tkinter.Label(sideBar, text="Fill_Color")
368 fillLabel.pack()
369 fillColor = tkinter.StringVar()
370 fillEntry = tkinter.Entry(sideBar, textvariable=fillColor)
371 fillEntry.pack()
372 fillColor.set("#000000")
373
374 def getFillColor():
375     color = tkinter.colorchooser.askcolor()
376     if color != None:
377         fillColor.set(str(color)[-9:-2])
378
379 fillColorButton = \
380     tkinter.Button(sideBar, text = "Pick_Fill_Color", command=getFillColor)
381 fillColorButton.pack(fill=tkinter.BOTH)
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384     def beginFillHandler():
385         cmd = BeginFillCommand(fillColor.get())
386         cmd.draw(theTurtle)
387         self.graphicsCommands.append(cmd)
388
389     beginFillButton = tkinter.Button(sideBar, text = "Begin_Fill", command=beginFillHandler)
390     beginFillButton.pack(fill=tkinter.BOTH)
391
392     def endFillHandler():
393         cmd = EndFillCommand()
394         cmd.draw(theTurtle)
395         self.graphicsCommands.append(cmd)
396
397     endFillButton = tkinter.Button(sideBar, text = "End_Fill", command=endFillHandler)
398     endFillButton.pack(fill=tkinter.BOTH)
399
400     penLabel = tkinter.Label(sideBar, text="Pen_Is_Down")
401     penLabel.pack()
402
403     def penUpHandler():
404         cmd = PenUpCommand()
405         cmd.draw(theTurtle)
406         penLabel.configure(text="Pen_Is_Up")
407         self.graphicsCommands.append(cmd)
408
409     penUpButton = tkinter.Button(sideBar, text = "Pen_Up", command=penUpHandler)
410     penUpButton.pack(fill=tkinter.BOTH)
411
412     def penDownHandler():
413         cmd = PenDownCommand()
414         cmd.draw(theTurtle)
415         penLabel.configure(text="Pen_Is_Down")
416         self.graphicsCommands.append(cmd)
417
418     penDownButton = tkinter.Button(sideBar, text = "Pen_Down", command=penDownHandler)
419     penDownButton.pack(fill=tkinter.BOTH)
420
421     # Here is another event handler. This one handles mouse clicks on the screen.
422     def clickHandler(x,y):
423         # When a mouse click occurs, get the widthSize entry value and set the width of the
424         # pen to the widthSize value. The float(widthSize.get()) is needed because
425         # the width is a float, but the entry widget stores it as a string.
426         cmd = GoToCommand(x,y,float(widthSize.get()),penColor.get())
427         cmd.draw(theTurtle)
428         self.graphicsCommands.append(cmd)
429         screen.update()
430         screen.listen()
431
432     # Here is how we tie the clickHandler to mouse clicks.
433     screen.onclick(clickHandler)
434
435     def dragHandler(x,y):
436         cmd = GoToCommand(x,y,float(widthSize.get()),penColor.get())
437         cmd.draw(theTurtle)
438         self.graphicsCommands.append(cmd)
439         screen.update()
440         screen.listen()
441
442     theTurtle.ondrag(dragHandler)
443
444     # the undoHandler undoes the last command by removing it from the
445     # sequence and then redrawing the entire picture.
446     def undoHandler():
447         if len(self.graphicsCommands) > 0:
448             self.graphicsCommands.removeLast()
449             theTurtle.clear()
450             theTurtle.penup()
451             theTurtle.goto(0,0)
452             theTurtle.pendown()

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453         for cmd in self.graphicsCommands:
454             cmd.draw(theTurtle)
455         screen.update()
456         screen.listen()
457
458         screen.onkeypress(undoHandler, "u")
459         screen.listen()
460
461     # The main function in our GUI program is very simple. It creates the
462     # root window. Then it creates the DrawingApplication frame which creates
463     # all the widgets and has the logic for the event handlers. Calling mainloop
464     # on the frames makes it start listening for events. The mainloop function will
465     # return when the application is exited.
466     def main():
467         root = tkinter.Tk()
468         drawingApp = DrawingApplication(root)
469
470         drawingApp.mainloop()
471         print("Program_Execution_Completed.")
472
473     if __name__ == "__main__":
474         main()

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20.2 The Scope Program

This is the sample program from the first chapter that illustrates the use of scope within a program. This program can be downloaded from the text's website.

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1  import math
2
3
4  PI = math.pi
5
6  def area(radius):
7      global z
8      z = 6
9      theArea = PI * radius ** 2
10
11     return theArea
12
13
14  def main():
15      global z
16
17      historyOfPrompts = []
18      historyOfOutput = []
19
20      def getInput(prompt):
21          x = input(prompt)
22          historyOfPrompts.append(prompt)
23
24          return x
25
26      def showOutput(val):
27          historyOfOutput.append(val)
28          print(val)
29
30      rString = getInput("Please_enter_the_radius_of_a_circle:")

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