

Bootcamp 134 | Python

Course 06 | Basic Python



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- Lambda Functions
- map, filter, and reduce
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Functional Programming

- Immutability:
 - Cannot change the value of inputs.
- Pure functions:
 - Depends only on inputs.
- Avoiding side effects:
 - In programming, a side effect occurs when a function does something beyond calculating an output.
- Benefits

Lambda

- ▶ In Python, a lambda is a way to create anonymous functions — functions without a name.
- ▶ Lambda functions are usually used for short, simple operations, especially when defining a full function using `def` would be too long or unnecessary.
 - ▶ *lambda arguments: expression*

Lambda | Example

```
def add_one(x):
```

```
    return x + 1
```

```
add = lambda x, y: x + y
```

```
print(add(3, 5)) # Output: 8
```

Map

- ▶ Applying a function to all items in a list or iterable

- ▶ *`map(function, list)` # return a list*

- ▶ For example:

`numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]`

*`Squ = list(map(lambda x: x * x, numbers))`*

Filter

- ▶ Filtering items in an iterable based on a condition

- ▶ *`filter(function, list)` # return a list*

- ▶ *Function return a Boolean value*

- ▶ For example:

```
numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
```

```
even_numbers = list(filter(lambda x: x % 2 == 0, numbers))
```

Reduce

- ▶ For accumulating results (e.g., summing elements). Good for when you want to convert all elements to a single value.
 - ▶ *`reduce(function, list)` # return a single value*
 - ▶ *Function has two args*
- ▶ For example:

```
from functools import reduce
```

```
numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
```

```
total = reduce(lambda x, y: x + y, numbers)
```


Generators

- Generator is a function that return a iterator
 - *Generator function: use from yield*
 - *Generator expression: (expression for i in <iterator> condition (optional))*

Generators | Function Example

```
def count_up_to(n):  
    i = 1  
    while i <= n:  
        yield i    # use from yield  
        i += 1
```

```
for num in count_up_to(5):  
    print(num)
```

Generators | Expression Example

```
squares = (x**2 for x in range(1, 6))
```

```
for s in squares:
```

```
    print(s)
```

- What is the difference between list comprehensions and generators?

Decorator

- A decorator is a function that takes another function or class, extends or modifies its behavior without changing the original code.
- Is a very powerful and useful tool in python.
- What is the difference between a function and a decorator?

Decorator | Syntax and Use

```
def <name_of_decorator>(func):  
    def wrapper():  
        <every code before execute func>  
        func()  
        <every code after execute func>  
    return wrapper
```

```
@<name_of_decorator>  
def <any_function>():  
    <body of function>
```

Recursion

- Using a function within itself
- For example:

```
number = [1,2,3,4,5]
```

```
def new_func(inp):
```

```
    print(inp[-1])
```

```
    inp.pop()
```

```
    if len(inp) > 0:
```

```
        new_func(inp)
```

```
new_func(number)
```

Sets | Intro

- ▶ Are unordered, unchangeable, and do not allow duplicates
- ▶ Type: `<class 'set'>`

Sets | Create

```
<name_of_set> = { 'value_01', 'value_02' }
```

► *For example:*

```
student_codes = { "102548", "102487", "103479", "103241" }
```

- Can not access to set members.
- For access to members of set, use from loop and in/not in keyword

Sets | Add

<name_of_set>.add(<new value>) # add new value to set

<name_of_set>.update(<iterator like list>) # add members of iterator to set (not update)

► *For example:*

students_code.add("104987")

students_code.update(["104597", "104852"])

Sets | Delete

<code><name_of_set>.remove(<value>)</code>	<i># error if not exist</i>
<code><name_of_set>.discard(<value>)</code>	<i># don't error if not exist</i>
<code><name_of_set>.pop()</code>	<i># remove a random item</i>
<code><name_of_set>.clear()</code>	<i># empties the set</i>
<code>del <name_of_set></code>	<i># remove the set completely</i>

Sets | In Loops

for i in <name_of_set>: # for waliking on set members

► *For example:*

for i, j in ali_info.items():

print(f"{i}: {j}")

Sets | Operators

<code>set3 = set1.union(set2)</code>	<i># union two set and don't change origin</i>
<code>set3 = set1 / set2</code>	<i># union two set and don't change origin</i>
<code>set1.update(set2)</code>	<i># union two set and change origin</i>
<code>set3 = set1.intersection(set2)</code>	<i># intersect two set and don't change origin</i>
<code>set3 = set1 & set2</code>	<i># intersect two set and don't change origin</i>
<code>set1.intersection_update(set2)</code>	<i># intersect two set and change origin</i>

Sets | Operators 2

```
set3 = set1.difference(set2)    # difference two set and don't change origin
set3 = set1 - set2              # difference two set and don't change origin
set1.difference_update(set2)    # difference two set and change origin
set3 = set1.symmetric_difference(set2)  # two-sided difference two set and don't change origin
set1.symmetric_difference_update(set2)  # two-sided difference two set and change origin
```

Itertools Module

- ▶ The itertools library in Python is one of the standard modules designed to work with iterators.

Itertools Module | Count

```
from itertools import count
```

```
for i in count(10, 2):
```

```
    print(i)
```

```
    if i > 20:
```

```
        break
```

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Itertools Module | Chain

```
from itertools import chain
```

```
a = [1, 2, 3]
```

```
b = ['a', 'b']
```

```
result = list(chain(a, b))
```

```
print(result)
```

[1, 2, 3, 'a', 'b']

Itertools Module | Cycle

```
from itertools import cycle
```

```
count = 0
```

```
for item in cycle(['A', 'B', 'C']):
```

```
    print(item)
```

```
    count += 1
```

```
    if count == 6:
```

```
        break
```

A

B

C

A

B

C

Itertools Module | Combinations

```
from itertools import combinations  
  
items = ['A', 'B', 'C']  
for combo in combinations(items, 2):  
    print(combo)
```

('A', 'B')
('A', 'C')
('B', 'C')

Itertools Module | Permutations

```
from itertools import permutations
```

```
items = ['A', 'B', 'C']
```

```
for perm in permutations(items, 2):
```

```
    print(perm)
```

('A', 'B')

('A', 'C')

('B', 'A')

('B', 'C')

('C', 'A')

('C', 'B')

Any question?

Next course

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