

Collection Types



Introduction



▶ What is a collection type?

- ▷ There are various **collection types** in Python. While types such as `int` and `str` hold a single value, collection types hold *multiple values*.
- ▷ In your programs, you usually need to group several items to render as a single object. We use **collection types** of data to do this job.



Collection Types

- List
- Tuple
- Dictionary
- Set





Lists

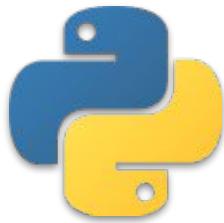


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Introduction

▶ What is a **list** ?

- ▷ One of the most useful collections in Python is a **list**.
- ▷ In Python, a **list** is only an ordered collection of valid Python values.
- ▷ The **list** type is probably the most commonly used collection type in Python.





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Creating a list

Creating a list

- ▶ A **list** can be created by enclosing values, separated by commas, in square brackets  `[]`.
- ▶ Another way to create a **list** is to call the **list()** function.

- `[]`
- `list()`

Creating a list



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[]



list()



```
list_1 = ['h', 'a', 'p', 'p', 'y']
word = 'happy'
list_2 = list(word)
print(list_1)
print(list_2)
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...

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['h', 'a', 'p', 'p', 'y']
['h', 'a', 'p', 'p', 'y']
```

Creating a list (review of pre-class)

- Here is another example of creating a list :

```
1 country = ['USA', 'Brasil', 'UK', 'Germany', 'Turkey', 'New Zealand']
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3 print(country)
4
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2
```



Tips:

- All the country names are printed in the same order as they were stored in the list because lists are **ordered**.

Creating a `list` (review of pre-class)

- ▶ Here is another example of creating a `list` using `list()`.
- ▶ We can do it when we want to create a `list` from an iterable object: that is, type of object whose elements you can import individually. The `lists` are iterable like other collections and `string` types.

```
1 string_1 = 'I quit smoking'  
2  
3 new_list_1 = list(string_1) # we created multi element list  
4 print(new_list_1)  
5  
6 new_list_2 = [string_1] # this is a single element list  
7 print(new_list_2)  
8
```

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```

```
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2 ['I quit smoking']  
3
```

Creating a list

Tips:

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- If you noticed, **lists** can contain **more than one** of the **same** value.

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5  
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7 print(new_list_2)  
8
```

! It has
only one
element.

! It has 14
elements.

```
1 ['I', ' ', 'q', 'u', 'i', 't', ' ', 's', 'm', 'o', 'k', 'i', 'n', 'g']  
2 ['I quit smoking']  
3
```

Creating a list

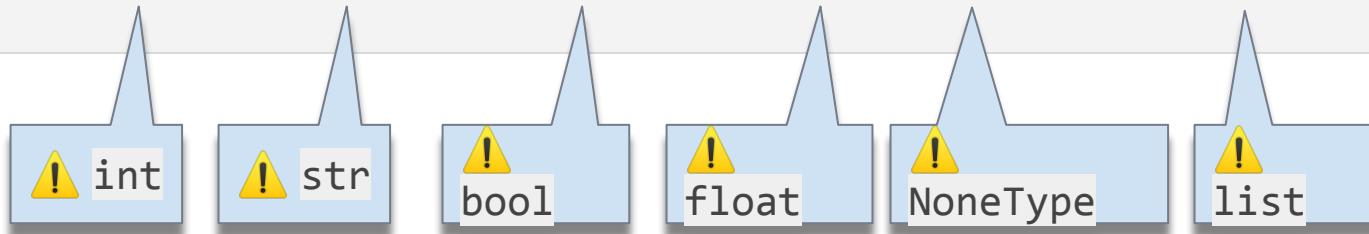
- ▶ The components of a **list** are not limited to a single data type, given that Python is a dynamic language.
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```
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Creating a list



► Task:

- Try to figure out the output of these list operations in your mind.

```
my_list = ['Joseph', 'Clarusway', 2022]
new_list1 = list(my_list) # what will be the output?
new_list2 = [my_list] # what will be the output?

print(new_list1)
print(len(new_list1)) # what is the length of the variable?

print(new_list2)
print(len(new_list2))
```

Creating a list

- ▶ The output:

```
['Joseph', 'Clarusway', 2022]  
3  
[['Joseph', 'Clarusway', 2022]]  
1
```

Creating a list

- ▶ Task:
 - ▷ Create a list from **string** value of "2022's hard".
 - ▷ Use both **list()** function and square brackets **[]**.



Creating a list

- ▶ The code :

```
my_list1 = ["2022's hard"]  
my_list2 = list("2022's hard")
```

```
print(my_list1)  
print(my_list2)
```

Each item/char including
spaces came into the list

```
["2022's hard"]  
['2', '0', '2', '2', "'", "'", 's', ' ', 'h', 'a', 'r', 'd']
```



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Basic Operations with Lists

Basic Operations with lists

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How to create an empty list?

Basic Operations with lists

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```
empty_list_1 = []
```

```
empty_list_2 = list()
```

Two methods for creating
an empty list.

Basic Operations with lists



- ▶ We can add an element into a list using `.append()` or `.insert()` methods.
- ▶ `.append()` appends an object to the end of a `list`.

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```
numbers = [1, 4, 7]
numbers.append(9)
numbers.append('9')
print(numbers)
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...

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numbers.append('k')
print(numbers)
```

```
[1, 4, 7, 9, 'k']
```

Basic Operations with lists



- ▶ Take a look at the example



```
1 empty_list = []
2 empty_list.append(6666)
3 empty_list.append('Multiverse')
4 empty_list.append([0])
5
6 print(empty_list)
7
8 |
```

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6 print(empty_list)
7
8 |
```

Output

```
[6666, 'Multiverse', [0]]
```

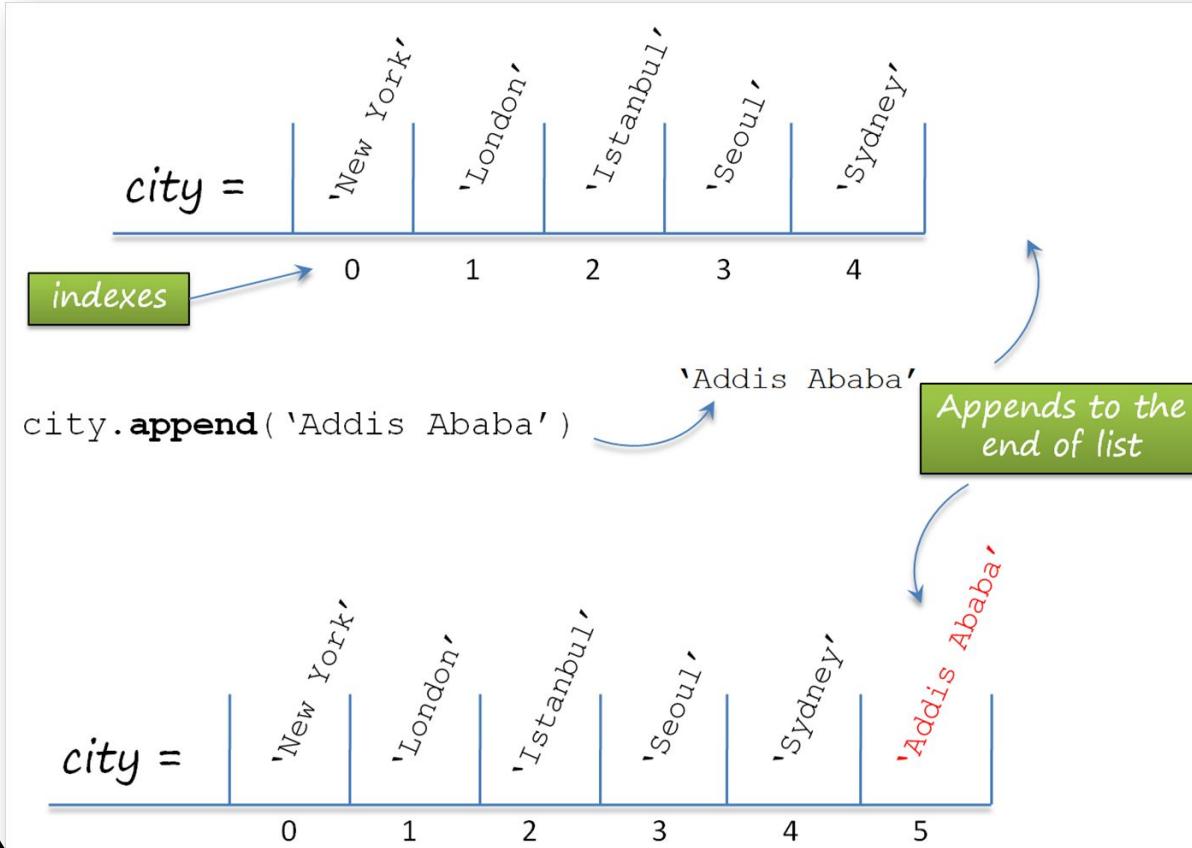
Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ Here's the pre-class example



```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']
2 city.append('Addis Ababa')
3
4 print(city)
5
```

Basic Operations with lists



Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ Here's an another example



```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']
2 city.append('Addis Ababa')
3
4 print(city)
5
```

```
1 ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2
```

Basic Operations with lists



▶ Task :

- ▷ Create an empty `list` and then collect the `int` numbers (1 - 4) one by one into the `list` you created using `.append()` method.

Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ The code can be like :

```
numbers = []
numbers.append(1)
numbers.append(2)
numbers.append(3)
numbers.append(4)
```

```
print(numbers)
```

```
[1, 2, 3, 4]
```

Basic Operations with lists

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```
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numbers.insert(2, 9)
print(numbers)
numbers.insert(2, 6)
print(numbers)
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...

Basic Operations with lists



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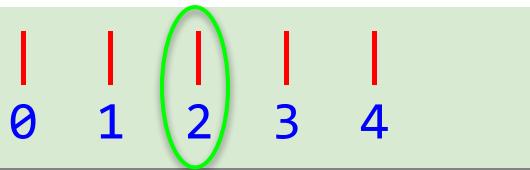
- `.append()`
- `.insert()`



```
numbers = [1, 4, 7]
numbers.insert(2, 9)
print(numbers)
numbers.insert(2, 6)
print(numbers)
```

Adds into index '2'

[1, 4, 9, 7]
[1, 4, 6, 9, 7]



Basic Operations with lists



- ▶ Consider this pre-class example



```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2 city.insert(2, 'Stockholm')
3
4 print(city)
5
```



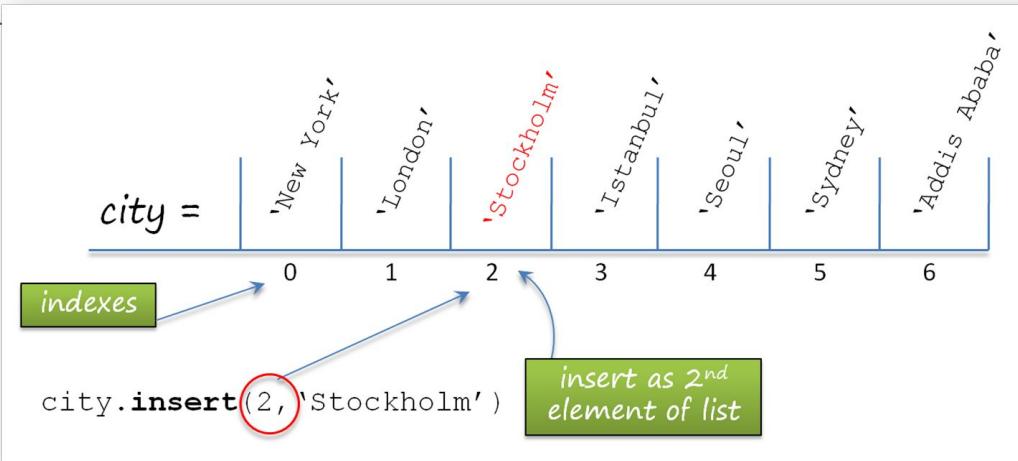
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3
4 print(city)
5
```

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2
```



Basic Operations with lists



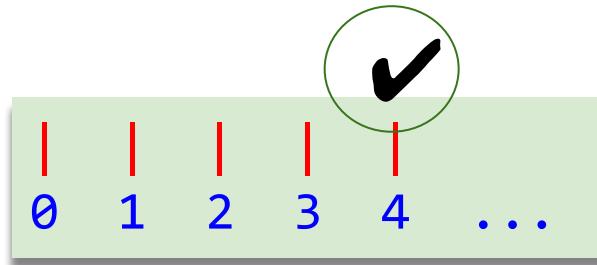
▶ Task :

- ▷ Create a **list** which consists of the **int** numbers (1 - 4) and then insert number **5** at the **end** of the **list** using **.insert()** method.

Basic Operations with lists



- The code can be like :



```
numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4]  
numbers.insert(4, 5)
```

```
print(numbers)
```

index

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

Basic Operations with lists



- ▶ We can remove and sort the elements of the **list**.
- ▶ **.remove()** removes the elements from the **list**.

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numbers.remove(7)
print(numbers)
```

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```

```
[1, 4, 9]
```

Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ Consider this pre-class example



```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Stockholm', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2 city.remove('London')
3 print(city) # we have deleted 'London'
4
```

Basic Operations with lists

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4
```

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1 ['New York', 'Stockholm', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2
```

Basic Operations with lists



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```
numbers = [4, 1, 9, 7]
numbers.sort()
print(numbers)
```



Basic Operations with lists

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```
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print(numbers)
```

```
[1, 4, 7, 9]
```

Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ Here's the pre-class example



```
1 city = ['New York', 'Stockholm', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney', 'Addis Ababa']
2 city.sort() # lists the items in alphabetical order
3 print(city)
4
```

Basic Operations with lists

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```
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2 city.sort() # lists the items in alphabetical order
3 print(city)
4
```

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2
```

Basic Operations with lists



- ▶ `.sort()` sorts the elements in the `list`.

```
mix_list = ['d', 1, 'a', 7]
mix_list.sort()
print(mix_list)
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...

Basic Operations with lists



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```
mix_list = ['d', 1, 'a', 7]
mix_list.sort()
print(mix_list)
```

```
TypeError
last)
<ipython-input-7-ad44188425eb> in <module>
      1 mix_list = ['d', 1, 'a', 7]
----> 2 mix_list.sort()
      3 print(mix_list)
```

```
Traceback (most recent call
```

```
TypeError: '<' not supported between instances of 'int' and 'str'
```



Basic Operations with lists

- ▶ `.sort()` sorts the elements in the list.

```
mix_li  
mix_li  
print(  
  
TypeError:  
last)  
<ipython  
  1 mix_list = [ 0 , 1, - a , /]  
----> 2 mix_list.sort()  
  3 print(mix_list)
```

The items to be sorted in the list should be the same type.

TypeError: '<' not supported between instances of 'int' and 'str'

Basic Operations with lists

- We can also measure the length of the list by using `len()` function. Take a look at this pre-class example



```
1 city = ['Addis Ababa', 'Istanbul', 'New York', 'Seoul', 'Stockholm', 'Sydney']
2 print(len(city))
3
```

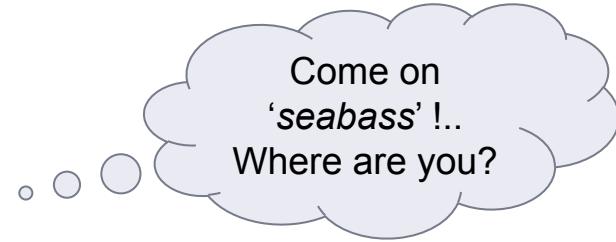
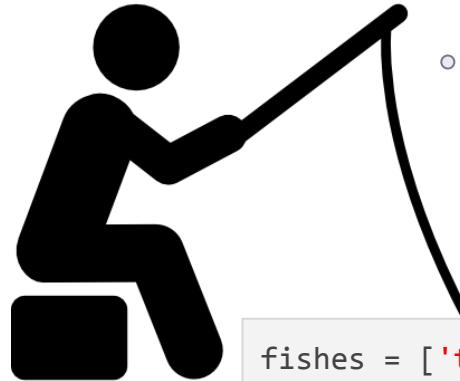
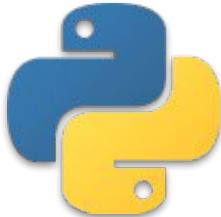
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2 print(len(city))
3
```

```
1 6
2
```



```
fishes = ['tuna', 'squid', 'seabass']
```



Accessing Lists



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Indexing a list

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```
list_name[index no]
```

Indexing a list

- To access or use the elements of a **list**, we can use index numbers of the **list** enclosed by square brackets.

```
list_name[index no]
```

```
word = ['h', 'a', 'p', 'p', 'y']
print(word[1])
```

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```

```
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print(word[1])
```

```
a
```

Indexing a list (review the pre-class)

- Here is the pre-class example of indexing a list :

```
1 colors = ['red', 'purple', 'blue', 'yellow', 'green']
2 print(colors[2]) # If we start at zero,
3 # the second element will be 'blue'.
4
```

Indexing a list (review the pre-class)

- Here is an example of indexing a list :



```
1 colors = ['red', 'purple', 'blue', 'yellow', 'green']
2 print(colors[2]) # If we start at zero,
3 # the second element will be 'blue'.
4
```

```
1 blue
2 |
```

Indexing a list (review the pre-class)

- Here is another pre-class example of indexing a nested list.

```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']  
2  
3 city_list = []  
4 city_list.append(city) # we have created a nested list  
5  
6 print(city_list)  
7
```

Indexing a list (review the pre-class)

- ▶ Here is another pre-class example of indexing a nested list.

```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']
2
3 city_list = []
4 city_list.append(city) # we have created a nested list
5
6 print(city_list)
7
```

```
1 [[['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]]
2
```

How many items do the
city list have?

Indexing a list (review the pre-class)

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5  
6 print(city_list)  
7
```

```
1 [[['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2
```



city_list
has only one
item.

Tips :

- If you notice that `city_list` has double square brackets.

Indexing a list

- ▶ Let's access `city_list`'s first and the only element.

```
1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2 print(city_list[0]) # access to first and only element  
3
```

Indexing a list

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```
1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2 print(city_list[0]) # access to first and only element  
3
```

```
1 ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']  
2
```



Indexing a list

- Let's access `city_list`'s first and the only element.

```
1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2 print(city_list[0]) # access to first and only element  
3
```

```
1 ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']  
2
```

- The output of the syntax `city_list[0]` is a `list` type. So we can still access its elements.

```
1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2 print(city_list[0][2])  
3
```

! it is also a
list

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...



Indexing a list

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```
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3
```

```
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2 print(city_list[0][2])  
3
```

```
1 Istanbul  
2
```

Indexing a list

- The output of the syntax `city_list[0][2]` is a `str` type.
So we can still access its elements.

```
1 city_list = [['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']]  
2 print(city_list[0][2][3])  
3
```



it is a

str

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2 print(city_list[0][2][3])  
3
```

```
1 a  
2
```

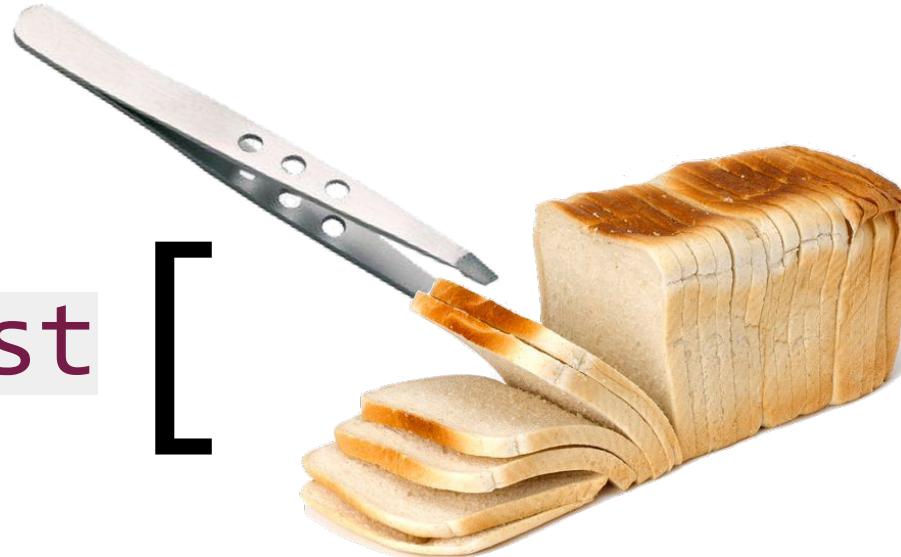


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Slicing a list

[



]

Slicing a list

- The formula syntax



```
list_name = [start:stop:step]
```

From 'start' to 'stop-1', by 'step':

Slicing a list



- ▶ Consider this simple example :

```
1 even_numbers = [2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14]  
2 print(even_numbers[2:5])  
3  
4
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...

Slicing a list



- ▶ Consider this simple example :

```
1 even_numbers = [2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14]
2 print(even_numbers[2:5])
3
4
```

Output

```
[6, 8, 10]
```



The type of the
output is also a **list**.



range() function

- ▶ Returns a list of arithmetic progressions.
 - ▷ As we stated before, the formula syntax of the **range()** function is :

```
range(start, stop, step)
```

parameters

```
>>> list(range(10))
[0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9]
>>> list(range(1, 11))
[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]
>>> list(range(0, 30, 5))
[0, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25]
```

Slicing a list



▶ Task :

- ▶ Create a **list** of numbers from **1** to **10** using **range()** function and select **odd** ones by **slicing** method and then print the result.

Review the
function



- ▶ **range(start, stop, step)** function returns an object that produces a sequence of integers from **start** (including) to **stop** (excluding) by **step**.



Slicing a list

- ▶ The code can be like :

```
1 odd_numbers = list(range(11))
2
3 print(odd_numbers)
4 print(odd_numbers[1:11:2])
5
6
7
```

Output

```
[0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]
[1, 3, 5, 7, 9]
```



Slicing a list

- ▶ Usage options of slicing are as follows :
 - `my_list[:]`: returns the full copy of the sequence
 - `my_list[start:]` : returns elements from `start` to the end element
 - `my_list[:stop]` : returns element from the 1st element to `stop-1`
 - `my_list[::-step]` : returns each element with a given `step`

Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- ▶ Consider this pre-class example :

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']  
2  
3 print(animals[:]) # all elements of the list  
4
```

Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- ▶ Consider this simple example :

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2
3 print(animals[:]) # all elements of the list
4
```

```
1 ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2
```

`print(animals) = print(animals[:])`

These syntaxes give the same output.

Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- ▶ Slicing options :

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2 print(animals[3:])
3
```

Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- The following example slices the `animals` starts at index=3 to the end.

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2 print(animals[3:])
3
```

```
1 ['wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2
```

Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- ▶ Slicing options :

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2 print(animals[:5])
3
```

Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- The following example slices the `animals` starts at index=0 to the index=4.

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2 print(animals[:5])
3
```

```
1 ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit']
2
```

Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- ▶ Slicing options :

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2 print(animals[::-2])
3
```

Slicing a list (review the pre-class)

- This example slices animals starts at index=0 to the end with 2 step.

```
1 animals = ['elephant', 'bear', 'fox', 'wolf', 'rabbit', 'deer', 'giraffe']
2 print(animals[::-2])
3
```

```
1 ['elephant', 'fox', 'rabbit', 'giraffe']
2
```

Slicing a list



▶ Task :

- ▷ Select and print the **string typed numbers** from the following **list** using *indexing* and *slicing* methods.
- ▷ Your code must consist of a **single line**.

```
mix_list = [1, [1, "one", 2, "two", 3, "three"], 4]
```

Slicing a list



- The code can be like :

```
mix_list = [1, [1, "one", 2, "two", 3, "three"], 4]
```

```
print(mix_list[1][1:6:2])
```

! it is also a
list

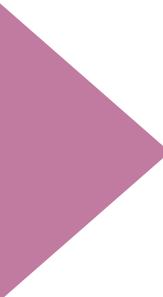
```
['one', 'two', 'three']
```



a list.



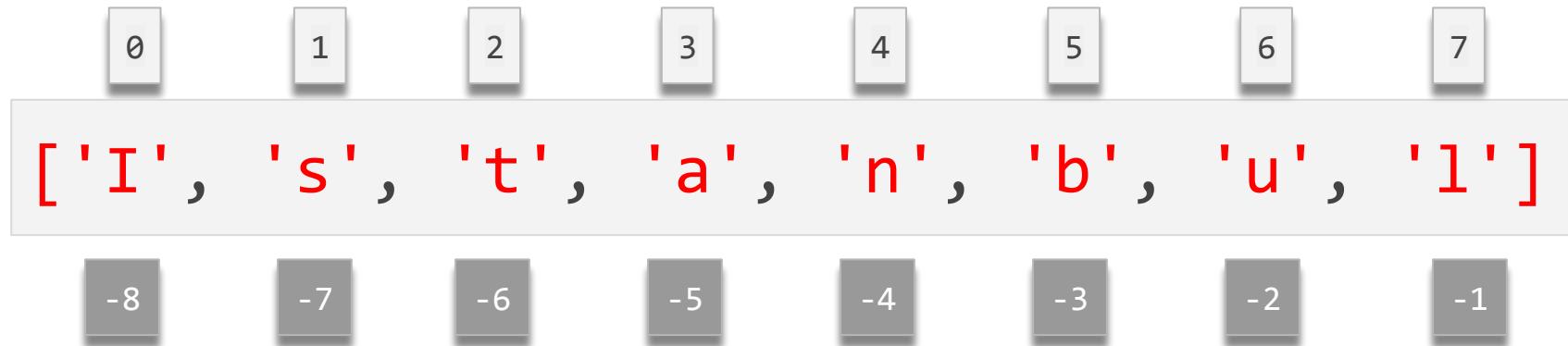
Negative Indexing & Slicing





Negative Indexing & Slicing

- ▶ Sample of the negative indices sequence



Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- ▶ Take a look at this pre-class example of negative indexing.

```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']  
2 print(city[-4])  
3
```

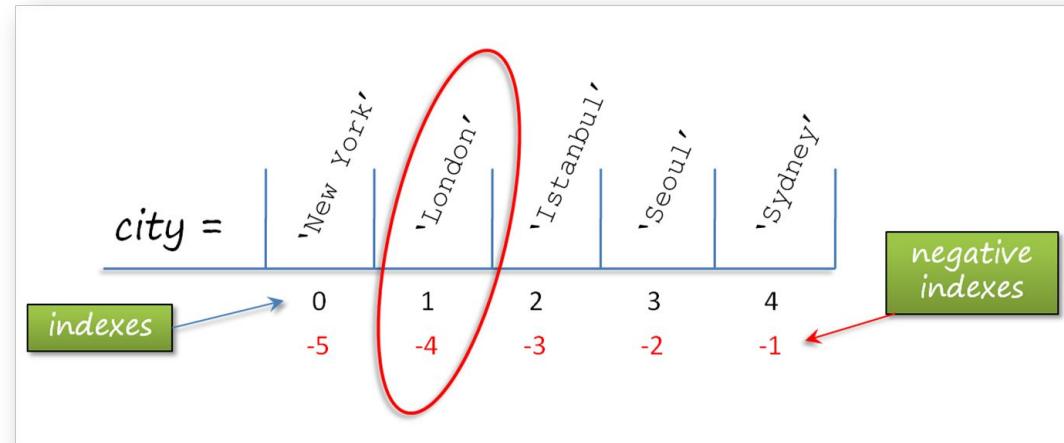
What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...

Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- The output is.

```
1 city = ['New York', 'London', 'Istanbul', 'Seoul', 'Sydney']  
2 print(city[-4])  
3
```

```
1 London  
2
```



Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- Now, let's consider this pre-class example of negative slicing.

```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']  
2 print(reef[-3:])  
3
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...



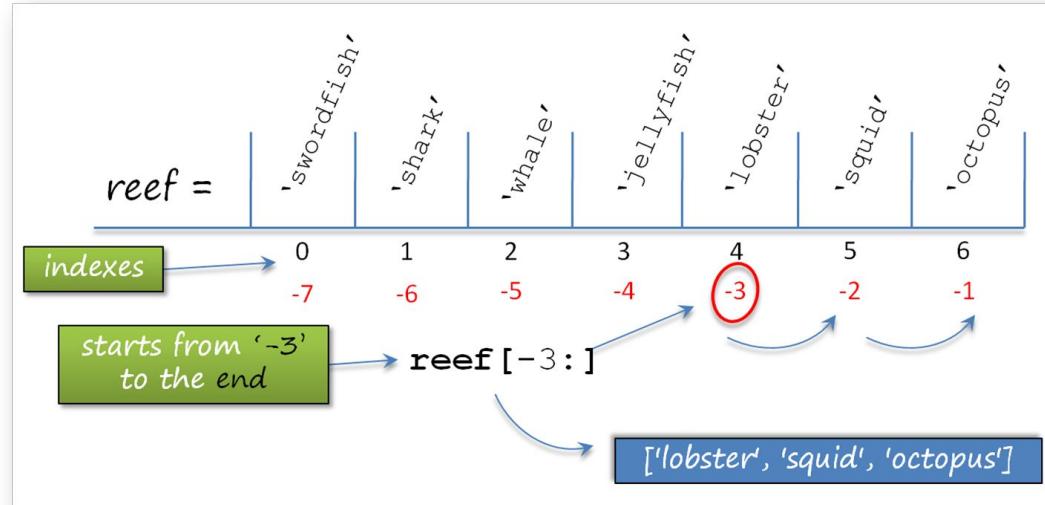
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Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- The output is :

```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']  
2 print(reef[-3:])  
3
```

```
1 ['lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']  
2
```



Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- ▶ Here's another pre-class example of negative slicing.

```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']  
2 print(reef[:-3])  
3
```

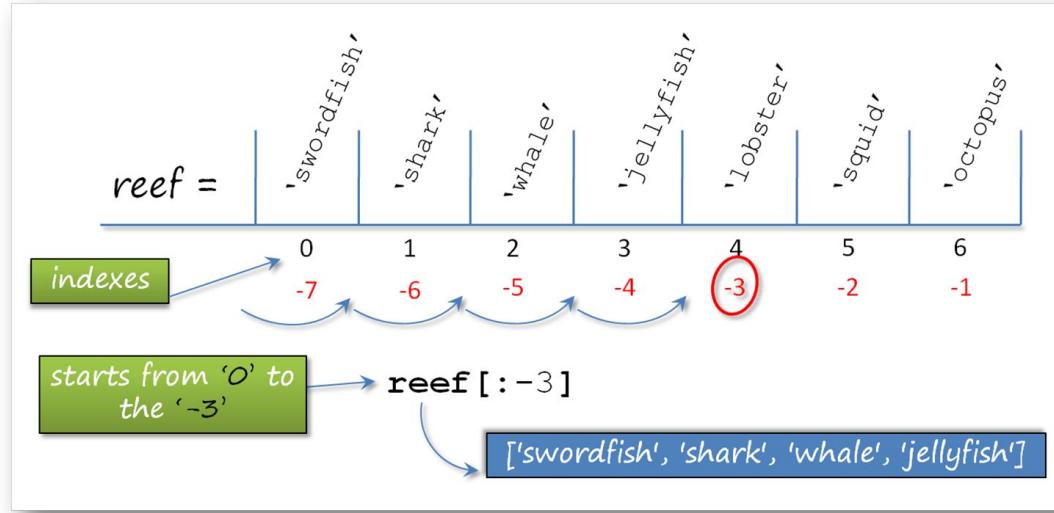
What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...

Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- The output is :

```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']  
2 print(reef[:-3])  
3
```

```
1 ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish']  
2
```



Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- ▶ Let's see negative stepping in the pre-class content :

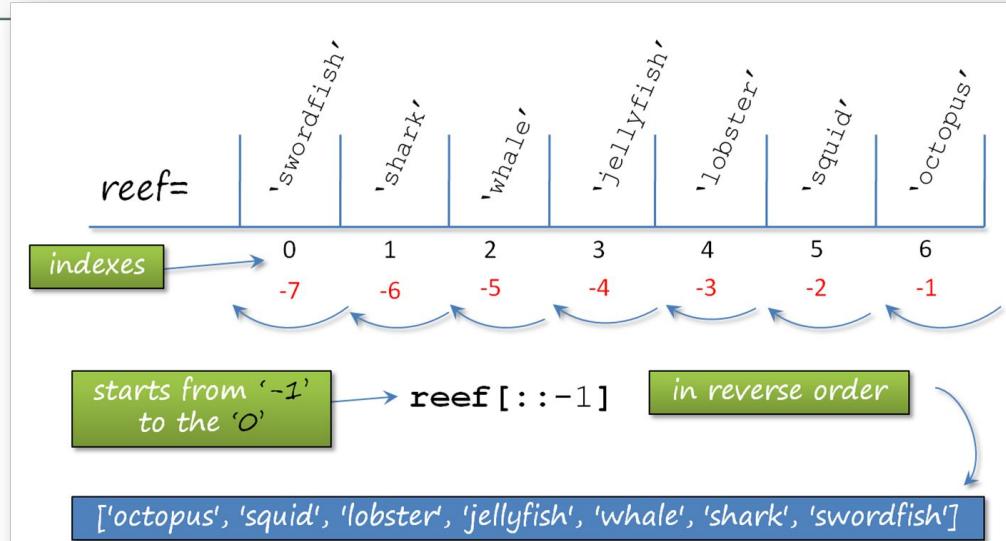
```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']
2 print(reef[::-1]) # we have produced the reverse of the list
3
```

Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- The output is :

```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']  
2 print(reef[::-1]) # we have produced the reverse of the list  
3
```

```
1 ['octopus', 'squid', 'lobster', 'jellyfish', 'whale', 'shark', 'swordfish']  
2
```



Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- Here's another example of negative **stepping**.

```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']  
2 print(reef[::-2])  
3
```

What is the output? Try to figure out in your mind...

Negative Indexing & Slicing(review)

- Here's another example of negative **stepping**.

```
1 reef = ['swordfish', 'shark', 'whale', 'jellyfish', 'lobster', 'squid', 'octopus']
2 print(reef[::2])
3
```

```
1 ['octopus', 'lobster', 'whale', 'swordfish']
2
```

Negative Indexing & Slicing

Tips :

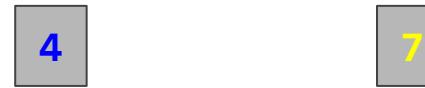
- If you choose negative step with the start and end indexes together, those should be used accordingly, that is, the **end** index should be less than the **start** index.

```
1 letters = ["a", "b", "c", "d", "e", "f", "g", "h", "i", "j"]
2
3 print(letters[7:3:-1])
4 print(letters[2:6:-1])
5
6
7
```



Negative Indexing & Slicing

```
1 letters = ["a", "b", "c", "d", "e", "f", "g", "h", "i", "j"]
2
3 print(letters[7:3:-1])
4 print(letters[2:6:-1])
```



- Starts at index 7 from right to left.
- Goes to index 4.

```
['h', 'g', 'f', 'e']
[]
```



Negative Indexing & Slicing

```
1 letters = ["a", "b", "c", "d", "e", "f", "g", "h", "i", "j"]
2
3 print(letters[7:3:-1])
4 print(letters[2:6:-1])
```

- Starts at index **2** from right to left.
- No way to reach index **6**.
- So, the output is an empty **list**.

```
['h', 'g', 'f', 'e']
[]
```

THANKS!

End of the Lesson

(Lists)

