

COMP 2853

LESSON 5: LISTS AND TUPLES



Agenda – Lesson 5

- Quick Review
 - Lab 4 Review
 - Strings
 - Pre-Reading – Lists and Tuples
- Quiz 4
 - Review Answers
- Assignment 1 – Recommended Structure
- Lists and Tuples
- Lab 5 – We will start it in-class. You will finish it for homework.

Quiz 4

- This is an individual closed book assessment, please do your own work
- You have 20 minutes to complete it
- We will go over the answers afterwards

Course Outline

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Topics

- Containers
- Tuples
- Tuple: multiple return from function
- Lists
- Lists and loops
- List functions and methods
- Lists of lists
- List Comprehensions
- Mutable Operations

Containers

- In python, related data can be grouped together into a single variable.
- For example, instead of declaring one string variable to store the name of a single province, we could declare a container variable to store all of the names of all Canadian provinces.
- There are four container types in python:
 - - tuple
 - - list
 - - set
 - - dictionary.
- This lesson examines the first two: tuples and lists.

Tuples

- A tuple contains an ordered sequence of elements (e.g. a bunch of strings for the names of the Canadian provinces).
- Duplicate elements are allowed.
- Elements are automatically given an index, beginning from zero.
- Tuple elements cannot be **added, removed, or updated** once declared (“immutable”).
- Tuples use (parentheses).
- Example:

0	“british columbia”
1	“alberta”
2	“saskatchewan”
- `provinces = ()` # empty tuple; very rare to do this
- `canadian_provinces = (“british columbia”, “alberta”, “saskatchewan”)`

Tuples: Functions and Methods

```
canadian_provinces = ("british columbia", "alberta", "saskatchewan")
```

[**Square brackets**] give access to individual elements in tuples.

```
print(canadian_provinces[1])          # alberta  
  
print(canadian_provinces[3])          # Exception: IndexError  
  
print(len(canadian_provinces))        # 3
```

0	"british columbia"
1	"alberta"
2	"saskatchewan"

```
car_makers = ("dodge", "ford", "honda", "toyota", "dodge")
```

```
print(car_makers.count("dodge"))      # 2; there are 2 instances of "dodge"  
  
print(car_makers.count("ford"))       # 1  
  
print(car_makers.count("lamborghini")) # 0
```


Practice

```
tup1=(1)  
print(type(tup1))
```

```
tup2=(1,)  
print(type(tup2))
```

```
tup3=()  
print(type(tup3))
```

Tuple: Multiple Return

- Functions only permit one return value, but with a tuple we can return several at once.

```
def get_name_from_user():  
    first = input("What is your first name? ")  
    middle = input("What is your middle name? ")  
    last = input("What is your last name? ")  
    return (first, middle, last) # a tuple; notice the parentheses  
full_name = get_name_from_user()  
print("Your full name is %s %s %s" %(full_name[0],full_name[1],full_name[2]))
```

- OUTPUT:

What is your first name? tiger

What is your middle name? tont

What is your last name? woods

Your full name is tiger tont woods

Tuples - Alternate

- It is okay to specify a tuple without the () as well:

```
def get_name_from_user():  
    first = input("What is your first name? ")  
    middle = input("What is your middle name? ")  
    last = input("What is your last name? ")  
    return first, middle, last # return <class 'tuple'>
```

- You can also assign the returned tuple to individual variables:

```
first_name, middle_name, last_name = get_name_from_user()  
print("Your full name is %s %s %s" %(first_name, middle_name, last_name))
```

Rewrite code:

```
def get_name_from_user():  
    first = input("What is your first name? ")  
    middle = input("What is your middle name? ")  
    last = input("What is your last name? ")  
    return first, middle, last  
  
return_value= get_name_from_user()  
print("Your full name is "+ return_value[0] +" "+return_value[1] +" "+return_value[2])
```

```
def get_name_from_user():  
    first = input("What is your first name? ")  
    middle = input("What is your middle name? ")  
    last = input("What is your last name? ")  
    return first, middle, last  
  
first_name, middle_name, last_name = get_name_from_user()  
print("Your full name is ", first_name, middle_name, last_name)
```

List (Array)

- A List is a kind of collection (data structure):
 - A collection allows us to put many values in a single “variable”.
 - A collection is nice because we can carry all multiple values around in one convenient package.
 - `my_Friends=['Jim', 'Brian', 'Anu', 'Alex']`
 - `carryon =['socks', 'shirt', 'perfume']`
- Arrays in Python are also call lists.
- Arrays store multiple values of the same data type

Looking Inside Lists

- Elements of the array are referenced sequentially with an index.
- Just like strings, we can get at any single element in a list using an index specified in **square brackets**

-3	-2	-1
Jim	Brian	Zuel
0	1	2

```
>>> my_Friends = [ 'Jim', 'Brian', 'Zuel' ]  
>>> print (my_Friends[1])  
>>> Brian
```

Array Methods

- Append: `List.append(elem)`
- Insert: `List.insert(index,elem)` Note: **2 arguments**
- Extend: `list.extend(list2)` Note: `list.extend("lucy")` vs. `list.extend(["lucy"])`
- Index: `list.index(elem)`
- Remove: `list.remove(elm)`
- Pop: `list.pop()` **Default: last one or based on index**
- Sort: `list.sort()`
- Reverse: `list.reverse()`

```
>>> list1.extend('lucy')
>>> list1
['Hello', 'the world', 'l', 'u', 'c', 'y']
>>> list1.extend(['lucy'])
>>> list1
['Hello', 'the world', 'l', 'u', 'c', 'y', 'lucy']
```

Lists are Mutable

- Strings are "**immutable**" - we *cannot* change the contents of a string - we must make a **new string** to make any change
- Lists are "**mutable**" - we *can* **change** an element of a list using the **index** operator

```
>>> fruit="Apple"
>>> fruit[0]
'A'
>>> fruit[0]='B'
Traceback (most recent call last):
  File "<pyshell#5>", line 1, in <module>
    fruit[0]='B'
TypeError: 'str' object does not support item
assignment
>>> new_list=[2,34,56,23,11]
>>> new_list
[2, 34, 56, 23, 11]
>>> new_list[3]=99
>>> new_list
[2, 34, 56, 99, 11]
```


How long is a List

- The `len()` function takes a `list` as a parameter and returns the number of `elements` in the `list`
- Actually `len()` tells us the number of elements of *any* set or sequence

```
my_Friends=['Jim','Brian','Zuel']  
for i in range(0,len(my_Friends)):  
    print(my_Friends[i])
```

```
Jim  
Brian  
Zuel
```

```
>>> greet = 'Hello Bob'  
>>> print (len(greet))  
9  
  
>>> x = [ 1, 2, 'joe', 99]  
>>> print (len(x))  
4
```

Adding elements (append() vs. extend())

- We can create an empty **list** and then add elements using the **append** method
- The **list** stays in order and new elements are **added** at the end of the **list**

```
>>> stuff = list()
>>> stuff.append('book')
>>> stuff.append(99)
>>> print (stuff)
['book', 99]
>>> print (stuff)
['book', 99]
>>> stuff.append(['cookie','22'])
>>> print(stuff)
['book', 99, ['cookie', '22']]
>>> stuff.extend(['cookie','22'])
>>> stuff
['book', 99, ['cookie', '22'], 'cookie', '22']
```

index() vs. find()

```
arr=[1,2,3,1,2,1,11,0,1,23,1]  
arr.index(20)  
arr.find(30)
```

ERROR!

Traceback (most recent call last):

File "<string>", line 2, in <module>
ValueError: 20 is not in list

ERROR!

Traceback (most recent call last):

File "<string>", line 3, in <module>
AttributeError: 'list' object has no attribute 'find'

```
arr=[1,2,3,1,2,1,11,0,1,23,1]
```

```
def findValue(arr, value):
```

```
    if value in arr:
```

```
        return True
```

```
    else:
```

```
        return False
```

```
value =1;
```

```
if findValue(arr, value) is True:
```

```
    arr.remove(value)
```

```
    print(arr)
```

```
else:
```

```
    print("Can not find the number")
```

Insert a whole List into another list

#Insert lst2 to lst1 before 4

lst1=[1,2,3,4,5,6,7]

lst2=['apple','pear','Plum']

#Insert Function

def insertElemt(id):

for element in lst2:

lst1.insert(id,element)

id +=1

id=lst1.index(4)

insertElemt(id)

print(lst1)

```
#Insert lst2 to lst1 before 4
```

```
lst1=[1,2,3,4,5,6,7]
```

```
lst2=['apple','pear','Plum']
```

```
#Insert Function
```

```
def insertElemt(id):
```

```
    for element in lst2:
```

```
        lst1.insert(id,element)
```

```
        id +=1
```

```
id=lst1.index(4)
```

```
insertElemt(id)
```

```
print(lst1)
```

```
[1, 2, 3, 'apple', 'pear', 'Plum', 4, 5, 6, 7]
```

pop() vs. remove() vs. del

```
>>> stuff
['book', 99, ['cookie', '22'], 'cookie', '22']
>>> stuff.pop()
'22'
>>> stuff
['book', 99, ['cookie', '22'], 'cookie']
>>> stuff.pop(1)
99
>>> stuff
['book', ['cookie', '22'], 'cookie']
```

```
>>> stuff
['book', 99, ['cookie', '22'], 'cookie', '22']
>>> stuff.remove('22')
>>> stuff
['book', 99, ['cookie', '22'], 'cookie']
>>> stuff.remove(99)
>>> stuff
['book', ['cookie', '22'], 'cookie']

>>> stuff=['book', 99, ['cookie', '22'], 'cookie', '22']
>>> del stuff[4]
>>> stuff
['book', 99, ['cookie', '22'], 'cookie']
>>> del stuff[1]
>>> stuff
['book', ['cookie', '22'], 'cookie']
```

Lists and Loops

```
index = 0
```

```
while index < len(all_letters):
```

```
    print("letter is %s\n" % all_letters[index])
```

```
    index += 1
```

OUTPUT:

letter is a

letter is b

letter is c

letter is d

letter is e

letter is f

letter is g

letter is h

letter is I

letter is j

letter is k

List Functions and Methods

- `countries = ["japan", "canada", "china", "mexico", "england", "greenland"]`
- `print(min(countries)) # canada`
- `print(max(countries)) # mexico`
- `print(countries.index("england")) # 4`
- `print(countries.count("iceland")) # 0` since it appears 0 times
- `print(countries.count("canada")) # 1` since it appears 1 time

`min` – Returns the minimum number in lists of integers or floats

`Max` – Returns the maximum number in lists of integers or float

Lists of Lists

```
row_0 = ["a", "b", "c", "d", "e", "f", "g", "h"]
```

```
row_1 = ["i", "j", "k", "l", "m", "n", "o", "p"]
```

```
row_2 = ["q", "r", "s", "t", "u", "v", "w", "x"]
```

```
row_3 = ["y", "z"]
```

```
table = [row_0, row_1, row_2, row_3]
```

```
number_of_rows = len(table)
```

```
ii = 0
```

```
while ii < number_of_rows:
```

```
    print("Row %d" % (ii), end=': ')
```

```
    number_of_letters_in_this_row = len(table[ii])
```

```
    jj = 0
```

```
    while jj < number_of_letters_in_this_row:
```

```
        print((table[ii][jj]), end=' ')
```

```
        jj += 1
```

```
    print()
```

```
    ii += 1
```

OUTPUT

Row 0:: a b c d e f g h

Row 1:: i j k l m n o p

Row 2:: q r s t u v w x

Row 3:: y z

List Comprehensions

- A list comprehension is a shorter way to create a new list, from another list, based upon conditions that you set.

```
provinces = ["british columbia", "alberta", "saskatchewan", "manitoba", "ontario", "quebec"]  
provinces_with_e = [province for province in provinces if "e" in province]  
print(provinces_with_e) # ['alberta', 'saskatchewan', 'quebec']
```

- Here, each element of provinces takes a turn becoming the new variable called “province”. If that element contains the letter e, it is appended to the new list provinces_with_e.

```
newlist = [expression for item in iterable if condition == True]
```

List: Mutable Operations

```
cities = ["Vancouver", "Surrey", "Burnaby", "Nanaimo", "Victoria",  
"Port Hardy"]
```

```
island_cities = cities[3:] # Slicing
```

```
print(island_cities) # Nanaimo, Victoria, Port Hardy
```

```
del cities[1] # surrey is deleted
```

```
print(cities) # Vancouver, Burnaby, Nanaimo, Victoria, Port Hardy
```

List: Mutable Operations

```
cities = ["Vancouver", "Surrey", "Burnaby", "Nanaimo", "Victoria", "Port Hardy"]
```

```
cities.extend(["Tsawwassen", "Coquitlam"]) # adds these to the end of cities
```

```
cities.insert(1, "Delta") # puts delta before surrey and after Vancouver
```

```
removed_city = cities.pop(0) # Vancouver is removed and stored in removed_city
```

```
cities.sort()
```

```
print(cities)
```

```
cities.reverse()
```

```
print(cities)
```

List Comprehension

- List Comprehension - iterates over a list, modifies each element, and returns a new list consisting of the modified elements.
- Structure:
 - `new_list = [expression for name in iterable]`
 - `new_list = [expression for name in iterable if condition]`
- A list comprehension has three components:
 - An *expression component* to evaluate for each element in the iterable object.
 - A *loop variable component* to bind to the current iteration element.
 - An *iterable object component* to iterate over (list, string, tuple, enumerate, etc).
 - An optional if statement with *condition* can be added to include or exclude elements.

List Comprehension - Examples

- The benefit of List Comprehension is less code (i.e., code reduction) than a standard for loop

For Loop	Equivalent List Comprehension
<pre>my_list = [5, 20, 50] for i in range(len(my_list)): my_list[i] = str(my_list[i]) print(my_list) ['5', '20', '50']</pre>	<pre>my_list = [5, 20, 50] my_list = [str(i) for i in my_list] print(my_list) ['5', '20', '50']</pre>
<pre>my_list = [[5, 10, 15], [2, 3, 16], [100]] sum_list = [] for row in my_list: if sum(row) > 25: sum_list.append(sum(row)) print(sum_list) [30, 100]</pre>	<pre>my_list = [[5, 10, 15], [2, 3, 16], [100]] sum_list = [sum(row) for row in my_list if sum(row) > 25] print(sum_list) [30, 100]</pre>

How do you modify one element of a tuple in Python?

- **Once a tuple is created, you cannot change its values.** Tuples are unchangeable, or immutable as it also is called.

```
tup=("Johnny", "Sophia", "Zoey")  
# tup[0]="Lei"  
temp_list=list(tup)  
temp_list[0]="Lei"  
tup=tuple(temp_list)  
print(tup)
```

Sets

- A set can be created by using either the built-in `set()` function or curly braces `{}`.

```
my_set = set('12334445')  
print(my_set)
```

The resulting output is:
{ '3', '2', '5', '1', '4' }

```
my_set = set('repetition')  
print(my_set)
```

The resulting output is:
{ 'e', 'r', 'p', 'o', 't', 'n', 'i' }

- Strings are treated as separate items unless given as a list or tuple

```
your_set = set(['foo', 'foo', 'bar', 'car', 'star', 'car'])  
print(your_set)
```

The resulting output is:
{ 'foo', 'bar', 'star', 'car' }

Sets

A set can also be created using curly brackets {}

```
my_set = {"hello", 1, 2, 4}  
print(my_set)
```

The resulting output is:

```
{1, 2, 4, "hello"}
```

Sets

- Cannot access items by referring to an index
- Loop through the set
- Use the **in** keyword

```
this_set={"apple","banana", "pineapples", "peaches", "pears"}  
for items in this_set:  
    print(items)
```

Example output:

```
banana  
pears  
apple  
peaches  
pineapples
```

```
this_set={"apple","banana", "pineapples", "peaches", "pears"}  
if 'apple' in this_set:  
    print("apple was found")
```

Example output:
apple was found

Sets

- Once a set is created, you cannot change its items, but you can add/remove items
- Add one item using add() method
- Add multiple items using the update() method

```
this_set = {"apple", "banana", "cherry"}  
this_set.add("orange")  
this_set.update(["orange", "mango", "grapes"])
```

Sets

- Get the number of items in a set using len() method

```
this_set = {"apple", "banana", "cherry"}  
print(len(this_set))
```

- Remove an item using the `remove()` method

```
this_set = {"apple", "banana", "cherry"}  
this_set.remove("banana")
```

*if the item does not exist, remove()
will raise an error

- Remove an item using the `discard()` method

```
this_set = {"apple", "banana", "cherry"}  
this_set.discard("banana")
```

*if the item does not exist, discard()
will **NOT** raise an error

Sets

- The `clear()` method empties the set

```
this_set = {"apple", "banana", "cherry"}  
this_set.clear()
```

- The `del` keyword will delete the set completely

```
del this_set
```

Sets

- The `union()` method returns a new set with all items from each of the sets

```
this_set = {"apple", "banana", "cherry"}  
that_set = {1, 2, 3}
```

```
new_set = this_set.union(that_set)
```

```
The resulting new_set:  
{1, 2, 'apple', 3, 'cherry', 'banana'}
```

- Can also be done using `update()`

Dictionaries

- A dictionary is an object that stores an unordered collection of data
- Each element has two parts: a key and a value
- **A list element has an index**
A dictionary value has a key
- A key is like a meaningful index
- Each key is associated with one value, much like each word in the English Language dictionary is associated with a definition
- Elements are commonly referred to as key-value pairs, and sometimes as an item
- To retrieve a specific value from a dictionary, you use the key that is associated with that value

Dictionaries

- You can create a dictionary using {}

```
this_dict = {"brand": "Ford", "model": "Mustang", "year": 1964}  
print(this_dict)
```

The resulting output:

```
{ 'brand' : 'Ford', 'model' : 'Mustang', 'year' : 1964 }
```

- The keys 'brand', 'model', and 'year' will have the data 'Ford', 'Mustang', and 1964 associated with them respectively
- **dictionary_name = { "key_name" : "value", "key_2_name" : "value 2" }**

Containers

- Tuple (value1, value2)
- List [value3, value4]
- Set { value5, value6 }
- Dictionary { key7:value7, key8:value8 }

Let's build a sample program that
uses all four.

Dictionaries

- You can also use the built-in function `dict()` using keyword arguments to specify the **key-value pairs**

```
this_dict = dict(brand= "Ford", model= "Mustang", year= 1964)
print(this_dict)
```

The resulting output:

```
{'brand': 'Ford', 'model': 'Mustang', 'year': 1964}
```

- Or by specifying a list of tuple-pairs

```
this_dict = dict([('brand', 'Ford'), ('model', "Mustang"), ('year', 1964)])
print(this_dict)
```

The resulting output:

```
{'brand': 'Ford', 'model': 'Mustang', 'year': 1964}
```

Dictionaries

- Access values by using square brackets, `this_dict[key]`
- `model_name = this_dict['model']`
- Also done by using `get()` method
- `model_name = this_dict.get('model')`
`model_name = this_dict.get('model', 'model not found')`
- Square brackets are also used for adding or modifying a value
- `this_dict['model'] = 'Ford Focus'`
- If the key exists, the value is modified (NO DUPLICATE KEYS ARE POSSIBLE)
- If the key does not exist, the key-value pair is added

Dictionaries

- Delete a key using the del keyword
- `del this_dict['model']`
- Remove all items from a dictionary using the clear() method
- `this_dict.clear()`
- Merge dictionaries together using the update() method
- Existing entries are overwritten if the same key exists in the second dictionary (that_dict)
- `this_dict.update(that_dict)`

Dictionaries

- Remove and return the key value from the dictionary using the pop() method
- If a value does not exist, the default is returned
- `model_name = this_dict.pop('model', 'model not found')`
- Use the in keyword to test for existence of a key in this_dict
- `if 'model' in this_dict`
- `len()` is used to return the amount of elements in a dictionary
- `len(this_dict)`

Dictionaries - Iterating

- A for loop can be used to iterate over a dictionary object, the loop variable being set to a key for each iteration
- Print all the keys in the dictionary, one by one

```
this_dict = {'brand': 'Ford', 'model': 'Mustang', 'year': 1964}
for key in this_dict:
    print(key)
```

The resulting output:

```
brand
model
year
```

Dictionaries - Iterating

- Print all the values in a dictionary using [] notation

```
this_dict = {'brand': 'Ford', 'model': 'Mustang', 'year': 1964}
for key in this_dict:
    print(this_dict[key])
```

- Can also use the values() method to return the values in a dictionary

```
this_dict = {'brand': 'Ford', 'model': 'Mustang', 'year': 1964}
for val in this_dict.values():
    print(val)
```

- Output for both

```
Ford
Mustang
1964
```

Lab 5

- There is only one part for this lab.
- We will start the lab in class. You will need to finish it for homework and submit it to the Dropbox on the Learning Hub (Activities -> Assignments -> Lab 5). Due before next class.