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Aim: Practical based on Interacting with Web APIs

IDE:

To interact with web APIs using Python and libraries like requests. The practical will involve making GET and POST requests, handling responses, and parsing JSON data.

Library Installation

pip install requests

Select an API: Choose a public API for testing. For this tutorial, we'll use the JSONPlaceholder API, a free fake online REST API for testing and prototyping.

Making a GET Request

Fetch a list of posts.

```
import requests
```

```
# Define the API endpoint
```

```
url = 'https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/posts'
```

```
# Make a GET request
```

```
response = requests.get(url)
```


```
# Check the status code
```

```
if response.status_code == 200:
```

```
    # Parse JSON response
```

```
    posts = response.json()
```

```
print("Fetched Posts:")
```

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```
for post in posts[:5]: # Print the first 5 posts
```

```
    print(f"Title: {post['title']}")
```

```
else:
```

```
    print(f"Failed to retrieve posts. Status code: {response.status_code}")
```

```
lab21 > example1.py > ...
1  import requests
2  url='https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/posts'
3  response=requests.get(url)
4  if response.status_code == 200:#200-means success any other number is error
5      posts=response.json()#json to list/dictionary
6      print(f"Fetches Posts:")
7      for post in posts[:5]: # Print the first 5 posts
8          print(f"Title: {post['title']}")
9  else:
10     print(f"Failed to retrieve posts. Status code: {response.status_code}")
```

```
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✓ TERMINAL
PS G:\sem-3\python_lab> python -u "g:\sem-3\python_lab\lab21\example1.py"
● Fetches Posts:
Title: sunt aut facere repellat provident occaecati excepturi optio reprehenderit
Title: qui est esse
Title: ea molestias quasi exercitationem repellat qui ipsa sit aut
Title: eum et est occaecati
Title: nesciunt quas odio
```

Making a POST Request

Create a new post.

```
import requests
```



```
# Define the API endpoint
```

```
url = 'https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/posts'
```

```
# Define the data to send
```

```
new_post = {
```

```
    "title": "My New Post",
```

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```

"body": "This is the content of my new post.",

"userId": 1

}

# Make a POST request

response = requests.post(url, json=new_post)

# Check the status code

if response.status_code == 201:

    # Parse JSON response

    created_post = response.json()

    print("Created Post:")


    print(f"Title: {created_post['title']}")

    print(f"Body: {created_post['body']}")

else:

    print(f"Failed to create post. Status code: {response.status_code}")

```

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```

lab21 > createNewPost.py > ...
1  import requests
2  url='https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/posts'
3
4  new_post = {
5      "title": "My New Post",
6      "body": "This is the content of my new post.",
7      "userId": 1
8  }
9  response=requests.post(url,json=new_post)#dict to json
10 if response.status_code == 201:#201-means created sucessfully
11     created_post=response.json()
12     print("Created Post:")
13     print(f"Title: {created_post['title']}")
14     print(f"Body: {created_post['body']}")
15 else:
16     print(f"Failed to create post. Status code: {response.status_code}")

```

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```

PS G:\sem-3\python_lab> python -u "g:\sem-3\python_lab\lab21\createNewPost.py"
Created Post:
Title: My New Post
Body: This is the content of my new post.

```

Error Handling

Handle potential errors in API requests.

```
import requests
```

```
url = 'https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/posts/1000' # Non-existent post
```

```
response = requests.get(url)
```



```
if response.status_code == 200:
```

```
    post = response.json()
```

```
    print("Fetched Post:", post)
```

```
else:
```

```
    print(f"Error: {response.status_code} - {response.reason}")
```

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```

lab21 > errorHandling.py > ...
1  import requests
2  url='https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/posts/1000'
3  response=requests.get(url)
4  if response.status_code == 200:
5      post=response.json()
6      print("Fetched Post:", post)
7  else:
8      print(f"Error:{response.status_code}--{response.reason}")
9
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PS G:\sem-3\python_lab> python -u "g:\sem-3\python_lab\lab21\errorHandling.py"
Error: 404 - Not Found

```


Post Lab:

Building a Simple API Client (Write a simple Python class that encapsulates the functionality for making GET and POST requests to the JSONPlaceholder API. Include methods for fetching posts and creating a new post.)

```

lab21 > postLab.py > ...
1  import requests
2
3  class APIClient:
4      def __init__(self):
5          self.base_url="https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com"
6
7      def fetch_posts(self):
8          url=f"{self.base_url}/posts"
9          response=requests.get(url)
10
11         if response.status_code==200:
12             print("Posts fetched successfully.")
13             return response.json()
14         else:
15             print(f"Error fetching posts: {response.status_code}")
16             return None
17
18     def create_post(self,title,body,user_id):
19         url=f"{self.base_url}/posts"
20         new_post={
21             "title": title,
22             "body": body,
23             "userId": user_id
24         }
25         response=requests.post(url,json=new_post)
26         if response.status_code == 201:
27             print("Post created successfully.")

```

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```

lab21 > postLab.py > APIClient
3 class APIClient:
18 def create_post(self,title,body,user_id):
28     return response.json()
29 else:
30     print(f"Error creating post: {response.status_code}")
31     return None
32
33 client=APIClient()
34
35 posts=client.fetch_posts()
36 if posts:
37     print("\nFirst 5 Posts:")
38     for p in posts[:5]:
39         print(f"- {p['title']}")
40
41 new_post=client.create_post("My API Post", "This is a body.", 1)
42 if new_post:
43     print("\nCreated Post:")
44     print(new_post)

```

```

PS G:\sem-3\python_lab> python -u "g:\sem-3\python_lab\lab21\postLab.py"
• Posts fetched successfully.

First 5 Posts:
- sunt aut facere repellat provident occaecati excepturi optio reprehenderit
- qui est esse
- ea molestias quasi exercitationem repellat qui ipsa sit aut
- eum et est occaecati
- nesciunt quas odio
Post created successfully.

Created Post:
{'title': 'My API Post', 'body': 'This is a body.', 'userId': 1, 'id': 101}

```

GITHUB LINK:

https://github.com/Heer972005/Python_Lab