

command-line-arguments-to-count-word

' AIM:

To write a python program for getting the word count from the contents of a file using command line arguments.

' EQUIPEMENT'S REQUIRED:

PC Anaconda - Python 3.7

' ALGORITHM:

Step 1: Import the sys module.

Step 2: Pass the filename as the first argument after the name of script. Open the file as sys.argv[1]

Step 3: Read the file using read() method.

Step 4: Use split() method to split the file content into words.

Step 5: Use len() to find the total words.

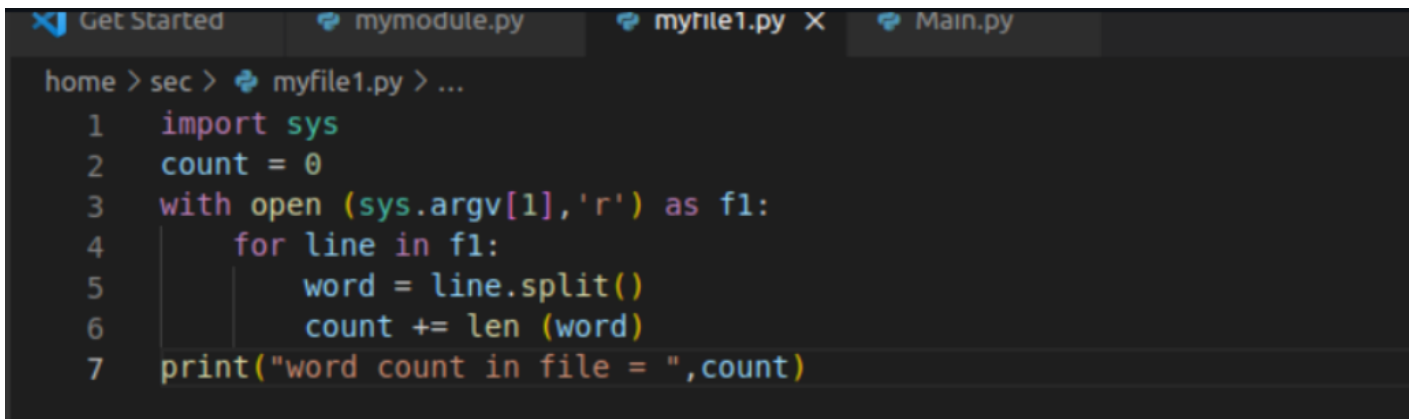
Step 6: Run the program to determine the number of words in the file created

' PROGRAM:

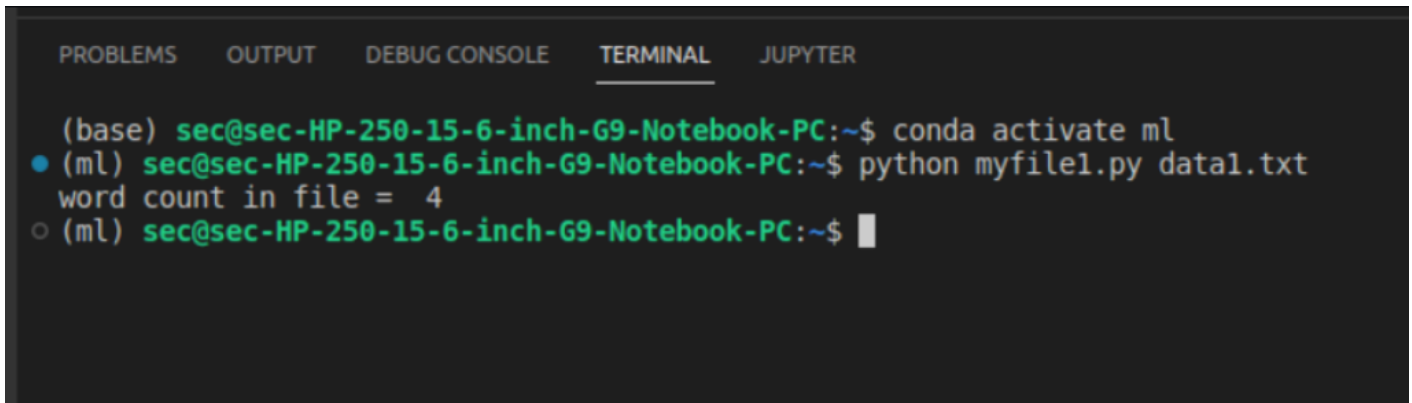
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"""
Program to sort the elements in the list using the Selection Sort algorithm.
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"""

import sys
count = 0
with open(sys.argv[1], 'r') as f1:
    for line in f1:
        word = line.split()
        count += len(word)
print("word count in file = ", count)
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' OUTPUT:



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home > sec > myfile1.py > ...
1  import sys
2  count = 0
3  with open (sys.argv[1],'r') as f1:
4      for line in f1:
5          word = line.split()
6          count += len (word)
7  print("word count in file = ",count)
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PROBLEMS  OUTPUT  DEBUG CONSOLE  TERMINAL  JUPYTER

(base) sec@sec-HP-250-15-6-inch-G9-Notebook-PC:~$ conda activate ml
● (ml) sec@sec-HP-250-15-6-inch-G9-Notebook-PC:~$ python myfile1.py data1.txt
word count in file = 4
○ (ml) sec@sec-HP-250-15-6-inch-G9-Notebook-PC:~$
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RESULT:

Thus the program is written to find the word count from the contents of a file using command line arguments.