



Python WHILE Loop

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While LOOP Definition

Getting to know python while loop.



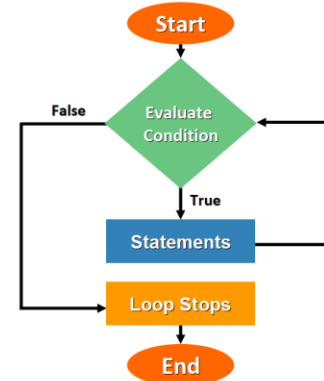
While Loop Definition

They are used to **repeat a sequence of statements an unknown number of times**. This type of loop runs **while** a given condition is True and it only stops when the condition becomes False.

When we write a while loop, we don't **explicitly define how many iterations will be completed**, we only write the condition that has to be True to continue the process and False to stop it.

Definition

Flowchart





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Python

While Loop

Python while loop syntax and how to write a program that executes repeatedly.

Python While Loop Statement



Indefinite Iteration

Using for unexpected loop or event control loop.



Definite Iteration

You can use python for loop and python while loop.

Comparison For loop and While loop

```
for x in range (Start, Stop, Step) :  
    print("hello")
```

Start

```
while condition to loop(Stop) :  
    print("hello")
```

Step

Using while loop :

1. set start
2. set stop
3. set step

Manually.

Python for loop using range function

This function yields a sequence of numbers. When called with one argument, say n, it creates a sequence of numbers from 0 to n-1.

SYNTAX:

```
control_var = 0 #Start
while control_var for evaluate : #Stop
    ↑
    i
    n
    d
    e
    n
    t
    statements
control_var step for while loop
```


Definite Iteration using while loop

```
#printing hello 10 times
```

start

```
while stop :  
    print("Hello")
```

step

```
print("END")
```

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Definite Iteration using while loop

Ex.1
for

```
for n in range(6) :  
    print(n)
```

Ex.1
while

```
n = 0  
while n < 6:  
    print(n)  
    n = n + 1
```



0
1
2
3
4
5

Definite Iteration using while loop

Ex.2

```
for n in range(3,6) :  
    print(n)
```

Ex.2

```
n = 3  
while n < 6 :  
    print(n)  
    n = n + 1
```

3

4

5

Definite Iteration using while loop

Ex.3
for

```
for n in range(3, 15, 2):  
    print(n)
```

Ex.3
while

```
n = 3  
while n < 15 :  
    print(n)  
    n = n + 2
```

3

5

7

9

11

13

Example of infinite loop

```
count = 0
while (count < 9):
    print('The count is:', count)
    count = count + 1
```

```
count = 0
while (count < 9):
    print('The count is:', count)
```

Infinite Loop

```
count = 0
while (count < 9):
    print('The count is:', count)
    count = count - 1
```

Infinite Loop

Example of indefinite iteration using while

```
working = "1"
while working == "1" :
    num = input("Enter a number : ")
    print ("You entered: ", num)
    working = input("Do you want to (1=working):")
```

Result

```
Enter a number : 10
You entered: 10
Do you want to (1=working):1
Enter a number : 15
You entered: 15
Do you want to (1=working):0
```

Example of indefinite iteration using while

Example : print "Hello" in case of a number is positive and stop when a number is negative number.

```
num = int(input("Enter a number : "))  
while num > 0 :  
    print("Hello")  
    num = int(input("Enter a number : "))  
print("\nProgram closed.")
```

```
Enter number : 13  
Hello  
Enter number : 7  
Hello  
Enter number : 23  
Hello  
Enter number : -1  
  
Program closed.
```

Example of indefinite iteration using while

Example : Calculate the average all of the positive number and stop when an input number is negative

```
num = int(input("Enter a number : "))
sum,cnt = 0,0
while num > -1 :
    sum = sum + num
    cnt = cnt + 1
    num = int(input("Enter a number : "))
print("SUM = ",sum)
print("AVG = %0.2f"%(sum/cnt))
print("Program closed.")
```

Enter number : 13

Enter number : 7

Enter number : 23

Enter number : -1

Sum of number : 43

Average of number : 14.33

Example of indefinite iteration using while

Example : count digits of a number

```
number = int(input("Enter a number : "))
digit = 0
while number > 0 :
    digit = digit + 1
    number = number//10
print("Digits of the number = ",digit)
```

Output

```
Enter a number : 123456
Digits amount = 6
```

Example of indefinite iteration using while

```
number = input("Enter a number: ")
if number.isnumeric() :
    number = int(number)
    digit = 0
    while number > 0 :
        digit = digit + 1
        number = number//10
        print(number)
        print("Digits of the number = ",digit)
else:
    print("Error. Please enter only numeric.")
```

Output

```
Enter a number : 123456
Digits amount = 6
```

Example of indefinite iteration using while

Example : Calculate the average all of the positive number and stop when an input number is negative

```
number = input("Enter a number: ")
while number.isnumeric() == False :
    print("Error.")
    number = input("Enter a number: ")

number = int(number)
digit = 0
while number > 0 :
    digit = digit + 1
    number = number//10
    print(number)
print("Digits of the number = ",digit)
```

Example of indefinite iteration using while

Example : use while loop to count vowel of any alphabet

```
vowels = ['A','E','I','O','U']
status = "Y"
cnt = 0
while status == "Y" :
    char = input("Enter alphabet(A-Z) : ").upper()
    if char >= 'A' and char <= 'Z' :
        if char in vowels :
            cnt = cnt + 1
    status = input("Do you want to continue
(y=yes/n=no) : ").upper()
print("Vowel amount of A-Z = ",cnt)
```

Class Activity

while loop



Class Activity

จงเขียนโปรแกรมที่ทำหน้าที่รับตัวเลขเข้ามาจากแป้นพิมพ์ เพื่อหาจำนวน**เลขคู่** และ **เลขคี่** ว่ามีอย่างละกี่จำนวน จบการทำงานเมื่อมีการรับค่ามาเป็นเลข 0

Enter Number : 20

ข้อมูลตัวที่ 1

Enter Number : 18

ข้อมูลตัวที่ 2

Enter Number : 35

ข้อมูลตัวที่ 3

Enter Number : 34

ข้อมูลตัวที่ 4

Enter Number : 0

ข้อมูลตัวที่ 5

Total even number = 3

Total odd number = 1


While Loop

Python List



How to append list using while loop

Example: Input 5 numbers using while loop and then append each number into a list

1. Declare variable list type name is Number
 2. Using for loop to repeat 5 times
 3. Using input statement to get input data from keyboard
 4. Append the input data into the list
 5. Display the list
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How to append list using while loop

Example: Input 5 numbers using while loop and then append each number into a list

```
number = []  
x = 1  
while x <= 5 :  
    num = int(input("Enter number : "))  
    number.append(num)  
    x = x + 1  
print("List = ",Number)
```

How to append list using while loop

Example: Input N amounts of number using for loop and then append each number into a list

1. Declare variable list type name is Number
 2. Input amount of number (N times) do you want
 3. Using for loop to repeat amount(N) times
 4. Using input statement to get input data from keyboard
 5. Append the input data into the list
 6. Display the list
- 

How to append list using while loop

Example: Append number into the number list using while loop

```
number = []
n = int(input("Enter total amount of numbers : "))
i = 0
while i < n :
    num = int(input("Enter a number : "))
    number.append(num)
    i = i + 1
print(number)
```

How to append list using while loop

Example: Access data of the Number list (in before example)

```
x = 0
while x < n :
    print("Data = ", number[x])
    x = x + 1
```

Class Activity

while loop





Eatery Program

**Expected
Output**

**List Menu
Price :
H = 90
P = 185
W = 20**

Menu : H = Hamburger, P = Pizza, W = Water, E = Exit

Enter menu (H,P,W,E=exit) : H

Enter amount : 2

Menu : H = Hamburger, P = Pizza, W = Water, E = Exit

Enter menu (H,P,W,E=exit) : p

Enter amount : 3

Menu : H = Hamburger, P = Pizza, W = Water, E = Exit

Enter menu (H,P,W,E=exit) : E

Total price = 735.00 baths

Discount = 73.50 baths

Net price = 661.50 baths

The background is a deep purple gradient. It features several abstract, colorful, organic shapes in shades of blue, cyan, yellow, and magenta. There are also geometric wireframe models: a tetrahedron in the top left, a sphere in the top right, and a cube in the bottom right. A small yellow and blue sphere is in the top center, and another is in the bottom left.

Homework of Week7

Write a program that repeatedly prompt using while loop

LAB7 – ITI Restaurant Program

| Menu | | |
|------|-------------------------|-------|
| ID | Menu | Price |
| F01 | Tuna Tartare Salsa | 125 |
| F02 | Cordon Bleu Chicken | 145 |
| F03 | Salmon Steak with Sauce | 169 |
| F04 | Caesar Salad | 139 |
| D01 | Sparkling Sunset | 90 |
| D02 | Coke Mojito | 60 |

Menu ID: **F01**
Amount : **3**
Next order (Y/N) : **N**

ITI Member Card (Y/N) : **N**

| Receipt | | |
|--------------------|-----|-------------|
| Menu | QTY | Total Price |
| Tuna Tartare Salsa | 3 | 375 |
| Total Amount | | 375.00 |
| Tax (7%) | | 26.25 |
| Discount (10%) | | 0.00 |
| Net Total | | 401.25 |

Count digit all of number in a list

```
numlist = [111,22,33333,444444,5555555,6666666]
```

**Expected
Output**

```
111 = 3 Digits  
22 = 2 Digits  
33333 = 5 Digits  
444444 = 6 Digits  
5555555 = 7 Digits  
6666666 = 7 Digits
```

Nested Loop examples



Multiplication Table Example

```
mae_start = int(input("Enter a start of multiplication table: "))
mae_stop = int(input("Enter a stop of multiplication table : "))
for m in range(mae_start,mae_stop+1) :
    for n in range(1,13) :
        ans = m*n
        print("%4d x %2d =%4d"%(m,n,ans))
    print("="*50)
```

[Test and Run this program](#)



Thank you

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