

**1. What exactly is []?**

**Ans.** The square brackets are used to create a list in python. Eg. L = [1,2,3,4,5,6]

**2. In a list of values stored in a variable called spam, how would you assign the value 'hello' as the third value? (Assume [2, 4, 6, 8, 10] are in spam.)**

```
l = [2, 4, 6, 8, 10]
```

```
l[2]='hello'
```

```
l
```

**Ans.** [2, 4, 'hello', 8, 10]

**Let's pretend the spam includes the list ['a', 'b', 'c', 'd'] for the next three queries.**

**3. What is the value of spam[int(int('3' \* 2) / 11)]?**

**Ans.** 'd'

**4. What is the value of spam[-1]?**

**Ans.** 'd'

**5. What is the value of spam[:2]?**

**Ans.** ['a','b','c']

**Let's pretend bacon has the list [3.14, 'cat,' 11, 'cat,' True] for the next three questions.**

**6. What is the value of bacon.index('cat')?**

**Ans.** 1

**7. How does bacon.append(99) change the look of the list value in bacon?**

```
bacon.append(99)
```

```
bacon
```

```
[3.14, 'cat', 11, 'cat', True, 99]
```

**Ans.** \_\_\_\_\_

**8. How does bacon.remove('cat') change the look of the list in bacon?**

```
bacon.remove('cat')
```

```
bacon
```

```
[3.14, 11, 'cat', True, 99]
```

Ans.

9. What are the list concatenation and list replication operators?

```
l = [1,2,3,4,5]  
l1 = [1,2,3,4,5]
```

```
l2 = l + l1 #list concatenation operator '+'
```

```
l2
```

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

```
l*3 #list replication operator '*'
```

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

Ans.

10. What is difference between the list methods append() and insert()?

Ans.

```
l
```

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

```
l.append("Prince") #append will insert the object at the end of the list
```

```
l
```

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

```
l.insert(1,"Francis") #insert will insert object at any index preferred
```

```
l
```

```
[1, 'Francis', 2, 3, 4, 5, 'Prince']
```

11. What are the two methods for removing items from a list?

```
1
```

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

```
l.pop()    #pop method  
1
```

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

```
l.remove("Francis")  #remove method
```

```
1
```

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

**Ans.**

**12. Describe how list values and string values are identical.**

**Ans.** list and string values can be iterated through. They are iterables.

```
l=[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7]  
s = "Prince"
```

```
for i in l:  
    print(i)
```

```
1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7
```

```
for i in s:  
    print(i)
```

```
P  
r  
i  
n  
c  
e
```

**13. What's the difference between tuples and lists?**

**Ans.** Tuples are immutable whereas lists are mutable.

```
l = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7]
t = (1,2,3,4,5,6,7)
```

```
l[3]=100
```

```
l
```

```
[1, 2, 3, 100, 5, 6, 7]
```

```
t[3]=100
```

```
-----
TypeError                                Traceback (most recent call last)
<ipython-input-51-3502da552cce> in <module>
----> 1 t[3]=100
```

```
TypeError: 'tuple' object does not support item assignment
```

**14. How do you type a tuple value that only contains the integer 42?**

```
t =(42,)
type(t)
```

**Ans.** tuple

**15. How do you get a list value's tuple form? How do you get a tuple value's list form?**

**Ans.** We have to use Type casting to do that.

```
l = ["Prince","Francis","Annies"]
l = tuple(l)
type(l)
```

```
tuple
```

```
t = ("Prince","Francis","Annies")
t = list(t)
type(t)
```

```
list
```

**16. Variables that "contain" list values are not necessarily lists themselves. Instead, what do they contain?**

```
v = (1,2,3,4,[1,"sdf",34],"Prince")
s = {1:[1,2,3,4,5], "z":(1,"ouoi",232)}
```

**Ans.**

### 17. How do you distinguish between `copy.copy()` and `copy.deepcopy()`?

**Ans.** `copy` creates a new compound object however it will not copy the child objects to the new compound object instead will reference the child objects to the new object. A change in the new compound objects will make a change in the original objects.

```
import copy
l1 = [1,2,3,[50,60],5,6]
```

```
l2 = copy.copy(l1)
```

```
l2[3][1]= 50
```

---

```
l2 #after shallow copying
```

```
[1, 2, 3, [50, 50], 5, 6]
```

---

```
l1 # original list after shallow copying
```

```
[1, 2, 3, [50, 50], 5, 6]
```

Deep copy creates a new compound object and one by one copies each child object to the new compound object. A change in new child objects will not impact or change the values in the original object.

```
l1 = [1,2,3,[50,60],5,6]
```

```
l2 = copy.deepcopy(l1)
```

```
l2[3][0]= 100
```

---

```
l2 #after deep copying
```

```
[1, 2, 3, [100, 60], 5, 6]
```

---

```
l1 #after deep copying
```

```
[1, 2, 3, [50, 60], 5, 6]
```

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