

Python Menu Function and Module



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Lecture 9: *Python Menu
Function and Module*

Menu functions



In many programs users will be offered a choice of options.

A good way to do this is via a menu:

- list the choices available
- provide clear instructions
- provide an exit route

Example: Menu function



```
def mainMenu():  
    print("1. Do something good")  
    print("2. Do something bad")  
    print("3. Quit")  
    selection=int(input("Enter the choice: "))  
    if selection==1:  
        good()  
    elif selection==2:  
        bad()  
    elif selection==3:  
        exit  
    else:  
        print("Invalid Choice. Enter 1-3")  
        mainMenu()
```

Output

```
1. Do something good  
2. Do something bad  
3. Quit  
Enter the choice:
```

mainMenu()

Example: Menu function



```
def mainMenu():  
    print("1. Do something good")  
    print("2. Do something bad")  
    print("3. Quit")  
    selection=int(input("Enter the choice: "))  
    if selection==1:  
        good()  
    elif selection==2:  
        bad()  
    elif selection==3:  
        exit  
    else:  
        print("Invalid Choice. Enter 1-3")  
        mainMenu()
```

Output

```
1. Do something good  
2. Do something bad  
3. Quit  
Enter the choice:1
```

If we enter the choice 1 then we will get an error of
NameError: name 'good' is not defined

mainMenu()

Example: Menu function with all functions defined



- We must define the all functions

```
def mainMenu():  
    print("1. Do something good")  
    print("2. Do something bad")  
    print("3. Quit")  
    selection=int(input("Enter the choice: "))  
    if selection==1:  
        good()  
    elif selection==2:  
        bad()  
    elif selection==3:  
        exit  
    else:  
        print("Invalid Choice. Enter 1-3")  
        mainMenu()
```

```
def good():  
    print("Good")  
def bad():  
    print("Bad")
```

```
mainMenu()
```

Output

```
1. Do something good  
2. Do something bad  
3. Quit
```

```
Enter the choice: 1
```

```
Good
```

```
Process finished with exit code 0
```

- But this program will not let us to go back to the main menu

Menu function with all functions defined and return back to main function



- We must define the all functions

```
def mainMenu():
    print("1. Do something good")
    print("2. Do something bad")
    print("3. Quit")
    selection=int(input("Enter the choice: "))
    if selection==1:
        good()
    elif selection==2:
        bad()
    elif selection==3:
        exit
    else:
        print("Invalid Choice. Enter 1-3")
        mainMenu()

def good():
    print("Good")
    anykey=input("Enter any key to return to the main menu function ")
    mainMenu()

def bad():
    print("Bad")
    anykey = input("Enter any key to return to the main menu function ")
    mainMenu()

mainMenu()
```

Output

1. Do something good
2. Do something bad
3. Quit

Enter the choice: 1

Good

Enter any key to return to the main
menu function1

1. Do something good
2. Do something bad
3. Quit

Enter the choice: 2

Bad

Enter any key to return to the main
menu functiontrtr

1. Do something good
2. Do something bad
3. Quit

Enter the choice:

Menu function with different choice



- If we put different input than integer value, then we will get an error in existing setting

```
def mainMenu():  
    print("1. Do something good")  
    print("2. Do something bad")  
    print("3. Quit")  
    selection=int(input("Enter the choice: "))  
    if selection==1:  
        good()  
    elif selection==2:  
        bad()  
    elif selection==3:  
        exit  
    else:  
        print("Invalid Choice. Enter 1-3")  
        mainMenu()  
  
def good():  
    print("Good")  
    anykey=input("Enter any key to return to the main menu function ")  
    mainMenu()  
  
def bad():  
    print("Bad")  
    anykey = input("Enter any key to return to the main menu function ")  
    mainMenu()
```

mainMenu()

Output

```
1. Do something good  
2. Do something bad  
3. Quit  
Enter the choice: dfd
```

ValueError: invalid literal for int() with
base 10: 'dfd'

Process finished with exit code 1

Menu function with different choice and error control



- By adding try and except error we can eliminate the error but that will also end our python program.

```
def mainMenu():  
    print("1. Do something good")  
    print("2. Do something bad")  
    print("3. Quit")  
    try:  
        selection=int(input("Enter the choice: "))  
        if selection==1:  
            good()  
        elif selection==2:  
            bad()  
        elif selection==3:  
            exit  
        else:  
            print("Invalid Choice. Enter 1-3")  
            mainMenu()  
    except ValueError:  
        print("Invalid Choice, enter 1-3")
```

```
def good():  
    print("Good")  
    anykey=input("Enter any key to return to the main menu function")  
    mainMenu()
```

```
def bad():  
    print("Bad")  
    anykey = input("Enter any key to return to the main menu function")  
    mainMenu()
```

```
mainMenu()
```

Output

1. Do something good
2. Do something bad
3. Quit

Enter the choice: reff

Invalid Choice, enter 1-3

Process finished with exit code 0

Menu function with different any type of input



- By introducing the while loop, we can Control the error and bring back the program back to main menu we must start infinite while loop.

```
def mainMenu():
    print("1. Do something good")
    print("2. Do something bad")
    print("3. Quit")
    while True:
        try:
            selection=int(input("Enter the choice: "))
            if selection==1:
                good()
                break
            elif selection==2:
                bad()
                break
            elif selection==3:
                break

        else:
            print("Invalid Choice. Enter 1-3")
            mainMenu()
    except ValueError:
        print("Invalid Choice, enter 1-3")
    exit
```

```
def good():
    print("Good")
    anykey=input("Enter any key to return to the main menu function")
    mainMenu()
```

```
def bad():
    print("Bad")
    anykey = input("Enter any key to return to the main menu function")
    mainMenu()
```

```
mainMenu()
```

Output

1. Do something good
2. Do something bad
3. Quit

Enter the choice: RR

Invalid Choice, enter 1-3

Enter the choice:

Menu function another way of implementation

```
print("Welcome to NotFlix")
print("-----")

#***** FUNCTIONS *****

def login():
    #STUB for Login - full code will be added later
    print("Stub for LOGIN")
    print()

def register():
    #STUB for Register - full code will be added later
    print("Stub for REGISTER")
    print()

def help():
    #STUB for Help - full code will be added later
    print("Stub for HELP")
    print()

def quit():
    #STUB for Quit - full code will be added later
    print("GOODBYE")

def invalid_entry():
    #STUB for Invalid Entry - full code will be added later
    print("Invalid entry, please try again")
    print()

def menu():
    #Display menu, prompt for and accept keyboard choice
    print("Please select one of the following:")
    print()
    print("Type 1 if you want to Login")
    print("Type 2 if you want to Register")
    print("Type 3 if you want Help")
    print("Type 4 if you want to Quit")
    choice = input(">>")
    return choice
```

Menu function another way of implementation



- This is the main part of the program, everything before was definitions of functions.
- Program will repeat until option 4 is selected.
- Each other valid entry will call the appropriate function (at this point just a stub).
- Invalid entries will result in an error message and a chance to choose again.

```
menu_choice = menu()      # Call menu() and set          # menu_choice to          # returned value

while True:
    if menu_choice == "1":
        login()
    elif menu_choice == "2":
        register()
    elif menu_choice == "3":
        help()
    elif menu_choice == "4":
        quit()
        break
    else:
        invalid_entry()

    menu_choice = menu()
```

Develop a Menu function for a restaurant



```
• def mainMenu():
    print("1. Starter")
    print("2. Main Food")
    print("3. Dessert")
    print("4. Soft Drinks")
    print("5. Quit")

    while True:
        try:
            selection=int(input("Enter the choice: "))
            if selection==1:
                starter()
                break
            elif selection==2:
                mainfood()
                break
            elif selection==3:
                dessert()
                break
            elif selection==4:
                softdrinks()
                break
            elif selection==5:
                break

        else:
            print("Invalid Choice. Enter 1-5")
            mainMenu()
    except ValueError:
        print("Invalid Choice, enter 1-5")
    exit
```

```
def starter():
    print("Chilli Potatoes: 10 RMB")
    print("Chilli Paneer: 20 RMB")
    print("Vegitable Gold Coins: 20 RMB")
    anykey=input("Enter any key to return to the main menu function")
    mainMenu()
```

```
def mainfood():
    print("Fried rice: 30 RMB")
    print("grlic fried: 30 RMB")
    print("vegetale fried rice: 30 RMB")
    print("mushroom rice fried rice: 30 RMB")
    anykey = input("Enter any key to return to the main menu function")
    mainMenu()
```

```
def dessert():
    print("Fried Banana: 30 RMB")
    print("Toffee apples: 30 RMB")
    print("Date wantons: 30 RMB")
    print("Ice cream: 30 RMB")
    anykey = input("Enter any key to return to the main menu function")
    mainMenu()
```

```
def softdrinks():
    print("cola: 30 RMB")
    print("sprite: 30 RMB")
    print("pepsi: 30 RMB")
    anykey = input("Enter any key to return to the main menu function")
    mainMenu()
```

```
mainMenu()
```

Python Module



- In Python, modules refer to the Python file, which contains Python code like Python statements, classes, functions, variables, etc.
- A file with Python code is defined with extension.py
- For example: In Test.py, where the test is the module name.
- In Python, large code is divided into small modules. The benefit of modules is, it provides a way to share reusable functions.
- Types of modules
- In Python, there are two types of modules.
 1. Built-in Modules
 2. User-defined Modules

Python modules types



• Built-in modules

- Built-in modules come with default Python installation.
- One of Python's most significant advantages is its rich library support that contains lots of built-in modules.
- Hence, it provides a lot of reusable code.
- Some commonly used Python built-in modules are datetime, os, math, sys, random, etc.

• User-defined modules

- The modules which the user defines or create are called a user-defined module.
- We can create our own module, which contains classes, functions, variables, etc., as per our requirements.

How to import modules?



- In Python, the import statement is used to import the whole module.
- Also, we can import specific classes and functions from a module.
- For example, **import** module name.
- When the interpreter finds an import statement, it imports the module presented in a search path.
- The module is loaded only once, even we import multiple times.
- To import modules in Python, we use the Python **import** keyword.
- With the help of the **import** keyword, both the built-in and user-defined modules are imported.

How to import modules?



- `import math`

```
# use math module functions  
print(math.sqrt(5))  
# Output 2.23606797749979
```

- If we want to use more than one module, then we can import multiple modules. This is the simplest form of import a statement that we already use in the above example.
- `import math, random`

```
print(math.factorial(5))  
print(random.randint(10, 20))
```


How to import specific class of modules?



- Import only specific classes or functions from a module
- To import specific classes or functions, we can use the form...import statement.
- It is an alternate way to import. By using this form, we can import individual attributes and methods directly into the program.
- In this form, we are not required to use the module name. See the following example. Syntax of from...import statement:

- `# import only factorial function from math module`
`from math import factorial`

```
print(factorial(5))
```

- If we want to use the module with a different name, we can use from..import...as statement.
- `import random as rand`

```
print(rand.randrange(10, 20, 2))
```

Import all names of a module



- If we need to import all functions and attributes of a specific module, then instead of writing all function names and attribute names, we can import all using an asterisk *.
- ```
from math import *
print(pow(4,2))
print(factorial(5))

print(pi*3)
print(sqrt(100))
```

# Create Module in Python



- In Python, to create a module, write Python code in the file, and save that file with the .py extension. Here our module is created.

- ```
def my_func():  
    print("Learn Python with PYnative")
```

Variables in Module

- In Python, the module contains Python code like classes, functions, methods, but it also has variables. A variable can list, tuple, dict, etc.
- Let's see this with an example: First, create a Python module with the name `test_module.py` and write the below code in that file.
- ```
cities_list = ['Mumbai', 'Delhi', 'Bangalore', 'Karnataka', 'Hyderabad']
```
- Now, create a Python file with the name `test_file.py`, write the below code and import the above module `test_module.py`.

# Create Module in Python



Now, create a Python file with the name `test_file.py`, write the below code and import the above module `test_module.py` in that file. See the following code.

```
import test_module
```

```
access first city
```

```
city = test_module.cities_list[1]
```

```
print("Accessing 1st city:", city)
```

```
Get all cities
```

```
cities = test_module.cities_list
```

```
print("Accessing All cities :", cities)
```

When we execute this `test_file.py`, the variable of `test_module.py` is accessible using the dot(`.`) operator.

# Questions??

