



Python & ML - Module 00

Basic stuff - Eleven Commandments

Summary: The goal of the module is to get started with the Python language.

Chapter I

Common Instructions


- The version of Python recommended to use is 3.7, you can check the version of Python with the following command: `python -V`
- The norm: during this bootcamp you will follow the [PEP 8 standards](#). You can install [pycodestyle](#) which is a tool to check your Python code.
- The function `eval` is never allowed.
- The exercises are ordered from the easiest to the hardest.
- Your exercises are going to be evaluated by someone else, so make sure that your variable names and function names are appropriate and civil.
- Your manual is the internet.
- You can also ask questions in the `#bootcamps` channel in the [42AI](#) or [42born2code](#).
- If you find any issue or mistake in the subject please create an issue on [42AI repository on Github](#).
- We encourage you to create test programs for your project even though this work **won't have to be submitted and won't be graded**. It will give you a chance to easily test your work and your peers' work. You will find those tests especially useful during your defence. Indeed, during defence, you are free to use your tests and/or the tests of the peer you are evaluating.
- Submit your work to your assigned git repository. Only the work in the git repository will be graded. If Deepthought is assigned to grade your work, it will be run after your peer-evaluations. If an error happens in any section of your work during Deepthought's grading, the evaluation will stop.

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Chapter II

Exercise 00

	Exercise : 00
\$PATH	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex00/</i>	
Files to turn in : answers.txt , requirements.txt	
Forbidden functions : None	

The first thing you need to do is to install Python.

Conda manual install

If you want a fully automated install go to Automated install part. The automated part will allow you to reinstall everything more easily in case you use another computer. Below is a step by step installation.

- Download conda install with the following command (MacOS version):

```
$>curl -LO "https://repo.anaconda.com/miniconda/Miniconda3-latest-MacOSX-x86_64.sh"
$>
```

- Install conda using the script (we advise you to install it with this path `/goinfre/miniconda3`).

```
$>sh Miniconda3-latest-MacOSX-x86_64.sh -b -p <path>
$>
```

The goinfre will change depending on your desktop location in cluster, so you will need to reinstall everything.

- Add export to your `.zshrc` file.

```
$>export PATH=$MINICONDA_PATH:$PATH
$>
```

- Source your `.zshrc` file.

```
$>source ~/.zshrc
$>
```

- Check your Python environment.

```
$>which python
$>
```

- Install needed requirements.

```
$>conda install -y "jupyter" "numpy" "pandas"
$>
```

Your Python should now be the one corresponding to the miniconda environment!

Conda automated install

A way to install the entire environment is to define a bash function in your `.zshrc`.

- Copy paste the following code into your `.zshrc`:

```
function set_conda {
HOME=$(echo ~)
INSTALL_PATH="/goinfre"
MINICONDA_PATH=$INSTALL_PATH"/miniconda3/bin"
PYTHON_PATH=$(which python)
SCRIPT="Miniconda3-latest-MacOSX-x86_64.sh"
REQUIREMENTS="jupyter numpy pandas"
DL_LINK="https://repo.anaconda.com/miniconda/Miniconda3-latest-MacOSX-x86_64.sh"

if echo $PYTHON_PATH | grep -q $INSTALL_PATH; then
    echo "good python version :)"
else
    cd
    if [ ! -f $SCRIPT ]; then
        curl -LO $DL_LINK
    fi
    if [ ! -d $MINICONDA_PATH ]; then
        sh $SCRIPT -b -p $INSTALL_PATH"/miniconda3"
    fi
    conda install -y $(echo $REQUIREMENTS)
    clear
    echo "Which python:"
    which python
    if grep -q "^export PATH=$MINICONDA_PATH" ~/.zshrc
    then
        echo "export already in .zshrc";
    else
        echo "adding export to .zshrc ...";
        echo "export PATH=$MINICONDA_PATH:$PATH" >> ~/.zshrc
    fi
    source ~/.zshrc
fi
}
```

By default, conda will be installed in the goinfre (look at the `INSTALL_PATH` variable). Feel free to change that path if you want to. The function can be used whenever we want and will carry out the installation of miniconda and all needed libraries for the module. It will also add a line to export miniconda environment.

- Source your `.zshrc` with the following command:

```
$>source ~/.zshrc  
$>
```

- Use the function `set_conda`:

```
$>set_conda  
$>
```

When the installation is done rerun the `set_conda` function.

- Check your Python path.

```
$>which python  
$>
```

Your Python should now be the one corresponding to the miniconda environment!

Getting started


As an introduction, complete the following questionnaire using Python and `pip`, save your answers in a file `answers.txt` (write an answer per line in the text file), and check them with your peers.

Find the commands to:

- Output a list of installed packages.
- Output a list of installed packages and their versions.
- Show the package metadata of `numpy`.
- Search for PyPI packages whose name or summary contains "tesseract".
- Freeze the packages and their current versions in a `requirements.txt` file you have to turn-in.

Chapter III

Exercise 01

	Exercise : 01
	Rev Alpha
	Turn-in directory : <i>ex01/</i>
	Files to turn in : exec.py
	Forbidden functions : None


You have to make a program that reverses the order of a string and the case of its words. If you have more than one argument you have to merge them into a single string and separate each arg by a ' ' (space char).

Examples

```
$> python exec.py "Hello World!" | cat -e
!DLR0w OLLEh$
$> python exec.py "Hello" "my Friend" | cat -e
DNEIRf YM OLLEh$
$> python exec.py
$>
```

Chapter IV

Exercise 02

	Exercise : 02
The Odd, the Even and the Zero	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex02/</i>	
Files to turn in : whois.py	
Forbidden functions : None	


You have to make a program that checks if a number is odd, even or zero. The program will accept only one parameter, an integer.

Examples

```
$> python whois.py 12
I'm Even.
$> python whois.py 3
I'm Odd.
$> python whois.py
$> python whois.py 0
I'm Zero.
$> python whois.py Hello
ERROR
$> python whois.py 12 3
ERROR
```


Chapter V

Exercise 03

	Exercise : 03
Functional file	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex03/</i>	
Files to turn in : <code>count.py</code>	
Forbidden functions : None	

Create a function called `text_analyzer` that displays the sums of upper-case characters, lower-case characters, punctuation characters and spaces in a given text.

`text_analyzer` will take only one parameter: the text to analyze. You have to handle the case where the text is empty (maybe by setting a default value). If there is no text passed to the function, the user is prompted to give one.

Test it in the Python console.

Examples

```
$> python
>>> from count import text_analyzer
>>> text_analyzer("Python 2.0, released 2000, introduced
features like List comprehensions and a garbage collection
system capable of collecting reference cycles.")
The text contains 143 characters:
- 2 upper letters
- 113 lower letters
- 4 punctuation marks
- 18 spaces

>>> text_analyzer("Python is an interpreted, high-level,
general-purpose programming language. Created by Guido van
Rossum and first released in 1991, Python's design philosophy
emphasizes code readability with its notable use of significant
whitespace.")
The text contains 234 characters:
- 5 upper letters
- 187 lower letters
- 8 punctuation marks
- 30 spaces
```

```
>>> text_analyzer()  
What is the text to analyse?  
>> Python is an interpreted, high-level, general-purpose  
programming language. Created by Guido van Rossum and first  
released in 1991, Python's design philosophy emphasizes code  
readability with its notable use of significant whitespace.  
The text contains 234 characters:  
- 5 upper letters  
- 187 lower letters  
- 8 punctuation marks  
- 30 spaces
```

Handle the case when more than one parameter is given to `text_analyzer`:


```
>>> from count import text_analyzer  
>>> text_analyzer("Python", "2.0")  
ERROR
```

You're free to write your docstring and format it the way you want.

```
>>> print(text_analyzer.__doc__)  
This function counts the number of upper characters, lower characters,  
punctuation and spaces in a given text.
```

Chapter VI

Exercise 04

	Exercise : 04
Elementary	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex04/</i>	
Files to turn in : operations.py	
Forbidden functions : None	

You have to make a program that prints the results of the four elementary mathematical operations of arithmetic (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division) and the modulo operation. This should be accomplished by writing a function that takes 2 numbers as parameters and returns 5 values, as formatted in the console output below.

Examples

```
$> python operations.py 10 3
Sum:      13
Difference: 7
Product:   30
Quotient:  3.3333333333333335
Remainder: 1
$>
$> python operations.py 42 10
Sum:      52
Difference: 32
Product:   420
Quotient:  4.2
Remainder: 2
$>
$> python operations.py 1 0
Sum:      1
Difference: 1
Product:   0
Quotient:  ERROR (div by zero)
Remainder: ERROR (modulo by zero)
$>
$> python operations.py
Usage: python operations.py <number1> <number2>
Example:
    python operations.py 10 3
$>
$> python operations.py 12 10 5
InputError: too many arguments
```

```
Usage: python operations.py <number1> <number2>  
Example:
```

```
python operations.py 10 3
```

```
$>
```

```
$> python operations.py "one" "two"
```

```
InputError: only numbers
```

```
Usage: python operations.py <number1> <number2>
```

```
Example:
```

```
python operations.py 10 3
```

```
$>
```

```
$> python operations.py "512" "63.1"
```

```
InputError: only numbers
```


```
Usage: python operations.py <number1> <number2>
```

```
Example:
```

```
python operations.py 10 3
```

Chapter VII

Exercise 05

	Exercise : 05
The right format	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex05/</i>	
Files to turn in : <i>kata00.py, kata01.py, kata02.py, kata03.py, kata04.py</i>	
Forbidden functions : None	

Let's get familiar with the useful concept of **string formatting** through a kata series.

kata00

```
t = (19,42,21)
```

Including the tuple above in your file, write a program that dynamically builds up a formatted string like the following:

```
$> python kata00.py
The 3 numbers are: 19, 42, 21
```

kata01

```
languages = {
    'Python': 'Guido van Rossum',
    'Ruby': 'Yukihiro Matsumoto',
    'PHP': 'Rasmus Lerdorf',
}
```

Using the languages dictionary above, a similar exercise:

```
$> python kata01.py
Python was created by Guido van Rossum
Ruby was created by Yukihiro Matsumoto
PHP was created by Rasmus Lerdorf
```

kata02

```
t = (3,30,2019,9,25)
```

Given the tuple above, whose values stand for: (hour, minutes, year, month, day), write a program that displays it in the following format:

```
$> python kata02.py
09/25/2019 03:30
```

kata03

```
phrase = "The right format"
```

Write a program to display the string above right-aligned, with '-' padding and a total length of 42 characters:

```
$> python kata03.py | cat -e
-----The right format%
$> python kata03.py | wc -c
42
```

kata04


```
t = ( 0, 4, 132.42222, 10000, 12345.67)
```

Given the tuple above, return the following result:

```
$> python kata04.py
module_00, ex_04 : 132.42, 1.00e+04, 1.23e+04
```

Chapter VIII

Exercise 06

	Exercise : 06
A recipe	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex06/</i>	
Files to turn in : recipe.py	
Forbidden functions : None	

It is time to discover Python dictionaries. Dictionaries are collections that contain mappings of unique keys to values.



Check what is a nested dictionary in Python.

First, you have to create a cookbook dictionary called **cookbook**. **cookbook** will store 3 recipes:

- sandwich
- cake
- salad

Each recipe will store 3 values:

- ingredients: a **list** of ingredients
- meal: type of meal
- prep_time: preparation time in minutes

Sandwich's ingredients are *ham*, *bread*, *cheese* and *tomatoes*. It is a *lunch* and it takes *10* minutes of preparation. Cake's ingredients are *flour*, *sugar* and *eggs*. It is a *dessert* and it takes *60* minutes of preparation. Salad's ingredients are *avocado*, *arugula*, *tomatoes* and *spinach*. It is a *lunch* and it takes *15* minutes of preparation.

1. Get to know dictionaries. In the first place, try to print only the **keys** of the dictionary. Then only the **values**. And to conclude, all the **items**.
2. Write a function to print a recipe from **cookbook**. The function parameter will be the name of the recipe.
3. Write a function to delete a recipe from the dictionary. The function parameter will be the name of the recipe.
4. Write a function to add a new recipe to **cookbook** with its ingredients, its meal type and its preparation time. The function parameters will be the name of recipe, ingredients, meal and prep_time.
5. Write a function to print all recipe names from **cookbook**. Think about formatting the output.
6. Last but not least, make a program using the four functions you just created.

The program will prompt the user to make a choice between printing the cookbook, printing only one recipe, adding a recipe, deleting a recipe or quitting the cookbook.

It could look like the example below but feel free to organize it the way you want to:

```
$> python recipe.py
Please select an option by typing the corresponding number:
1: Add a recipe
2: Delete a recipe
3: Print a recipe
4: Print the cookbook
5: Quit
>> 3

Please enter the recipe's name to get its details:
>> cake

Recipe for cake:
Ingredients list: ['flour', 'sugar', 'eggs']
To be eaten for dessert.
Takes 60 minutes of cooking.
...
```

Your program must continue running until the user exits it (option 5):

```
$> python recipe.py
Please select an option by typing the corresponding number:
1: Add a recipe
2: Delete a recipe
3: Print a recipe
4: Print the cookbook
5: Quit
>> 5

Cookbook closed.
$>
```

The program will also continue running if the user enters a wrong value. It will prompt the user again until the value is correct:

```
$> python recipe.py
Please select an option by typing the corresponding number:
1: Add a recipe
```




```
2: Delete a recipe
3: Print a recipe
4: Print the cookbook
5: Quit
>> test
```

```
This option does not exist, please type the corresponding number.
To exit, enter 5.
...
```

Chapter IX

Exercise 07

	Exercise : 07
Shorter, faster, pythonest	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex07/</i>	
Files to turn in : filterwords.py	
Forbidden functions : filter	


Using list comprehensions, you have to make a program that removes all the words in a string that are shorter than or equal to *n* letters, and returns the filtered list with no punctuation. The program will accept only two parameters: a string, and an integer *n*.

Examples

```
$> python filterwords.py "Hello, my friend" 3
['Hello', 'friend']
$> python filterwords.py "A robot must protect its own existence as long as such protection does not
conflict with the First or Second Law" 6
['protect', 'existence', 'protection', 'conflict']
$> python filterwords.py Hello World
ERROR
$> python filterwords.py 300 3
ERROR
```

Chapter X

Exercise 08

	Exercise : 08
	S.O.S
Turn-in directory : <i>ex08/</i>	
Files to turn in : sos.py	
Forbidden functions : None	

You have to make a function which encodes strings into Morse code. All alphanumeric characters are accepted by the encoder.

Examples


```
$> python sos.py "SOS"
... --- ...
$> python sos.py
$> python sos.py "HELLO / WORLD"
ERROR
$> python sos.py "96 BOULEVARD" "Bessiere"
----. -.... / -... --- ..- .-. . .-. .- .-. .- / -... . . . . .- .
```



<https://morsecode.world/international/morse2.html>

Chapter XI

Exercise 09

	Exercise : 09
Secret number	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex09/</i>	
Files to turn in : guess.py	
Forbidden functions : None	

You have to make a program that will be an interactive guessing game. It will ask the user to guess a number between 1 and 99. The program will tell the user if their input is too high or too low. The game ends when the user finds out the secret number or types **exit**. You will import the **random** module with the **randint** function to get a random number. You have to count the number of trials and print that number when the user wins.

Examples

```
$> python guess.py
This is an interactive guessing game!
You have to enter a number between 1 and 99 to find out the secret number.
Type 'exit' to end the game.
Good luck!

What's your guess between 1 and 99?
>> 54
Too high!
What's your guess between 1 and 99?
>> 34
Too low!
What's your guess between 1 and 99?
>> 45
Too high!
What's your guess between 1 and 99?
>> A
That's not a number.
What's your guess between 1 and 99?
>> 43
Congratulations, you've got it!
You won in 5 attempts!
$>
```

If the user discovers the secret number on the first try, tell them. If the secret number is 42, make a reference to Douglas Adams.


```
$> python guess.py
This is an interactive guessing game!
You have to enter a number between 1 and 99 to find out the secret number.
Type 'exit' to end the game.
Good luck!
>> 42
The answer to the ultimate question of life, the universe and everything is 42.
Congratulations! You got it on your first try!
$>
```

```
$> python guess.py
This is an interactive guessing game!
You have to enter a number between 1 and 99 to find out the secret number.
Type 'exit' to end the game.
Good luck!

What's your guess between 1 and 99?
>> exit
Goodbye!
$>
```

Chapter XII

Exercise 10

	Exercise : 10
Loading bar!	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex10/</i>	
Files to turn in : <i>loading.py</i>	
Forbidden functions : None	

You have to create a function called `ft_progress(lst)`.
The function will display the progress of a `for` loop.



yield operator!

Examples

```
listy = range(1000)
ret = 0
for elem in ft_progress(listy):
    ret += (elem + 3) % 5
    sleep(0.01)
print()
print(ret)
```

```
$> python loading.py
ETA: 8.67s [ 23%][====>                ] 233/1000 | elapsed time 2.33s
...
2000
```

```
listy = range(3333)
ret = 0
for elem in ft_progress(listy):
    ret += elem
    sleep(0.005)
print()
print(ret)
```

```
$> python loading.py  
ETA: 14.67s [ 9%][=>          ] 327/3333 | elapsed time 1.33s  
...  
5552778
```

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