Python and Object Oriented Programming (OOP)

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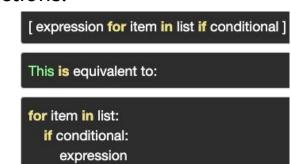
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 - list comprehension



Python as an OOP language

Object Oriented Programming Paradigm

Python is an OOP language, and in OOP:

- Programs are made up of object and function definitions
- Most of the computation: in terms of operations on objects.
- Correspondence:
 - Each **object** definition
 Some real world object /concept
 - Functions that operate on that object <-> Ways real-world objects interact

Object Oriented Programming Paradigm

You are building a project with many functions with no obvious connection between some class definition and other methods.

Many functions appear to take always at least one **object** of a particular **type**.

=>This observation motivates the needs for a **method**:

a *function* associated with a particular *class* (i.e., a user-defined type).

Object Oriented Programming Paradigm

Methods:

- Defined inside a class definition
 - make the relationship between the class and the method explicit.
- The syntax to invoke them: different from calling a function.

OOP Notions: Class, Object and Method

- Object: encapsulates an entity formed by:
 - A state (its data or attributes)
 - Its functioning (methods)
- Class: an object template or generic concept used to define its properties and services.
 - __init__ method: receives initialization parameters (to be assigned to the class member variables, which are declared with 'self')
 - Self:
 - Refers to the object itself
 - The first parameter of a method
 - Differentiates parameter names from member variables
 - E.g. self.breads = breads; (Similar to *this* in Java)

OOP Notions: Class, Object and Method

- An object = a concrete instance of a class
- In Python, <u>everything:</u>
 - is an object (in the sense that it can be assigned to a variable or passed as an argument to a function)
 - Functions, Methods, Modules, Classes, and instances of a class are *first-class objects*
 - can have attributes and methods.

Class and Object Syntax

```
class Animal:
   def __init__(self, age, weight):
        self.age = age
        self. weight = weight
   def __privateMethod(self):
        print(self.weight)
   def getWeight(self):
        return self. weight
   def eat(self,kgm):
        self. weight += kgm
        print("The animal weights", self. weight, "kg after eating.")
```

Objects and Classes Syntax

- Creating an instance (object) of a class: ClassName objectName
- Executing a function: **functionName(ArgumentList...)**
- Executing a method: objectName.methodName(ArgumentList...)
- Defining a method: def methodName(self,):

```
class Animal:
    def __init__(self,age,weight):
        self.age = age
        self.__weight = weight
```

Inheritance

- The ability to define a new class that is a modified version of an existing class.
- The language feature most often associated with OOP.
- A (sub)class B inherits from (super) class A:
 - o when B contains (inherits) all the attributes and methods of parent class A
- Allows:
 - a progressive specialization of classes
 - a larger code reutilization

Inheritance. Syntax:

```
class Bird(Animal):
    def __str__(self):
        return "I am a bird of "+str(self.getWeight())+" kg."
    def fly(self):
        print("I fly as a bird!")
```

Inheritance:

Python allows multiple inheritance

- Animal is the superclass of the rest of classes that inherit from it
- Platypus inherits from two classes at the same time
- The method *fly()* has different behaviour depending on the concrete type of object
- Many languages do not allow multiple inheritance

Multiple Inheritance. Syntax:

```
class Platypus1(Mammal, Bird):
    def __str__(self):
       return "I am something rare"
    pass
```



Encapsulation

- One of the main advantages of OOP
- Allows to construct objects with methods and attributes that cannot be called externally:
 - E.g. Internal code, Code we don't want altered
 - Very useful if we want implementation details hidden from a determined class.
 - E.g. the weight of an animal may be stored in a different country (pounds, not Kg).

Encapsulation

Getters and setters allow to keep the UI always the same

(independently of this internal codification -which would be private-)

Encapsulation: Interface Example

```
class Animal:
        def __init__ (self, age, weight):
 6
             self.age = age
             self. weight = weight
 8
 9
        def __privateMethod(self):
            print(self.weight)
10
11
12
        def getWeight(self):
            return self. weight
13
14
15
        def eat(self,kgm):
16
             self. weight += kgm
17
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18
```

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What if the application is for a traffic jam control system?

- It would need a different interface
 - E.g. location, velocity, direction, update_location(), is_stuck_in_traffic()...

Public methods

In Python: all methods are public

Except those starting with double underscore: ___

What would this call produce?

71 **print**(bear.getWeight())

```
class Animal:
         def __init__(self, age, weight):
13
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             self.__weight = weight
         def __privateMethod(self):
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         def getWeight(self):
             return self._weight
         def eat(self, kgm):
             self.__weight += kgm
             print("The animal weights %f kg after eating" % self.__weight)
     class Bird(Animal):
         def __str__(self):
             return "I am a bird of "+str(self.getWeight()) + " kg."
         def fly(self):
30
             print("I fly as a bird!")
     class Mammal(Animal):
```

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71 print(bear.getWeight())
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```

The weight of the bear

And...?

72 | bear.privateMethod()

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             return "I am a bird of "+str(self.getWeight()) + " kg."
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             print("I fly as a bird!")
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```

And...?

72 | bear.privateMethod()

Runtime error!

```
class Animal:
  12
           def __init__(self, age, weight):
  13
                self.age = age
  14
                self. weight = weight
           def __privateMethod(self):
                print(self.weight)
           def getWeight(self):
                return self. weight
           def eat(self, kgm):
                self.__weight += kgm
                print("The animal weights %f kg after eating" % self.__weight)
       class Bird(Animal):
           def __str_(self):
                return "I am a bird of "+str(self.getWeight()) + " kg."
  30
           def fly(self):
                print("I fly as a bird!")
       class Mammal(Animal):
     Line 24, Column 71
ine animal weights 0.400000 kg after eating
I fly as a bird!
The animal weights 160.000000 kg after eating
I cannot fly, I am a mammal!
```

I fly as a bird!
160
Traceback (most recent call last):
 File "Animal.py", line 85, in <module>
 bear.__privateMethod() # AttributeError: Mammal instance has no attribute '__privateMethod'
AttributeError: Mammal instance has no attribute '__privateMethod'

I am a mammal of 160 kg. I am a bird of 30 kg.

I am something rare

I cannot fly, I am a mammal!

I cannot fly, I am a Bird but ostrichs do not fly!

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Python is a Dynamic & Strongly typed Programming language

- Python is a **dynamically typed** language (We don't have to declare the type of variable while assigning a value to a variable in Python).
 - The property of many languages of being able to execute distinct code depending on the **object** that makes the call
 - Based on the use of inheritance
 - Allows to reference objects by the superclass type
 - In run time, the derived class will be called instead.
- Python is also a **strongly typed** language: the interpreter keeps track of all variables types
 - Objects still have a type (but determined at runtime)

When identifying classes and objects is not obvious....

Development plan

Start writing functions that read and write global variables (when necessary).

- Once you get the program working:
 - a. Look for associations between global variables
 - b. and the functions that use them.
- 2. Encapsulate related variables as attributes of an object.
- Transform the associated functions into methods of the new class.

Practical time! You will:

- 1. Part 1 (Individual): Project 0: Unix/Python/OOP Tutorial: Learning to use classes in context.
 - a. Join the course by creating an account in Gradescope.com and using this access Entry Code: **V8E588** (Thanks to Pieter Abbeel & Dan Klein's UC Berkeley CS188)
 - b. Submit via Gradescope. Deadline: 1 week from today at 23.59 (check always in Gradescope exact date).
- 2. Part 2 (in pairs): Creating classes
 - a. Implement a program that contains the definition of **two classes**, both subclasses of a main **superclass** (You can also build upon the Animal classes theme or other you like. E.g. *Vehicles*.)
 - b. Choose **three attributes** that are common to both classes, **two** that are **specific** to each class, and think where to declare them.
 - c. Write min. **2 methods** in each class and execute them in the main program.
 - d. In your **private** github repository called **IN104_NameA_SurnameA-NameB_SurnameB** (all team members Note: this exercise is preferable to do, if you can't be a pair, individually), add as collaborators your team mate(s) and your TA.
 - e. Create a folder inside called "OOP" that contains your executable programs (.py files)
 - f. Show /Send the link to the program in your repository to your TA

Glossary

- **Object-oriented language**: A language that provides features, such as user-defined classes and method syntax, that facilitate object-oriented programming.
- **Object-oriented programming:** A style of programming in which data and the operations that manipulate it are organized into classes and methods.
- **Method**: A function that is defined inside a class definition and is invoked on instances of that class.
- **Subject:** The object a method is invoked on.
- **Operator overloading:** Changing the behavior of an operator like + so it works with a user defined type.
- **Type-based dispatch:** A programming pattern that checks the type of an operand and invokes different functions for different types.
- **Polymorphic**: Pertaining to a function that can work with more than one type.
- Information hiding: The principle that the interface provided by an object should not depend on its implementation, in particular the representation of its attributes.

Glossary

- **Class attribute**: An attribute associated with a class object. Class attributes are defined inside a class definition but outside any method.
- **Instance attribute:** An attribute associated with an instance of a class.
- **Inheritance**: The ability to define a new class that is a modified version of a previously defined class.
- **Parent class**: The class from which a child class inherits.
- **Child class**: A new class created by inheriting from an existing class; also called a "subclass."
- **IS-A relationship**: The relationship between a child class and its parent class.
- **HAS-A relationship**: The relationship between two classes where instances of one class contain references to instances of the other.
- **Class diagram**: A diagram that shows the classes in a program and the relationships between them. Great to begin a problem by drawing them!

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Reminder: Course & Team Python Conventions

PEP-8: Defines Python coding practices https://www.python.org/dev/peps/pep-0008

- Indentation: 4 spaces (good editors will replace <TAB> by 4 spaces)
- Variables: lower_case_with_underscores
- Functions: lower_case_with_underscores()
- Classes: UpperCamelCase
- Attributes: lower_case_with_underscores
- **Protected attributes**: _prefixed_with_1_underscore
- Constants: ALL_CAPS
- Modules: lowercase (single word)

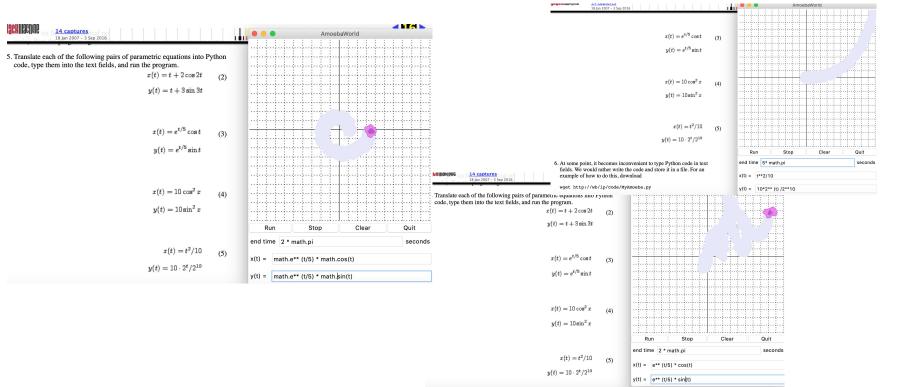
PEP-257: Documentation conventions.

- Prescribe the function/ method's effect as a command ("Do this", "Return that:").
- Docstring should NOT be a "signature" (reiterating the function/method parameters, which can be obtained by instrospection).

Appendix

[Extra, optional material, not used in this course]

Extra Didactic Tools: Swampy and Amoeba for OOP (yet to be ported to Python 3)



Polymorphism

```
class Animal:
        def __init__(self, age, weight):
 6
            self.age = age
            self. _weight = weight
        def __privateMethod(self):
10
            print(self.weight)
11
12
        def getWeight(self):
13
            return self. weight
14
15
        def eat(self,kgm):
            self. weight += kgm
16
17
            print("The animal weights", self. weight, "kg after eating.")
18
19
    class Bird (Animal):
20
        def str (self):
            return "I am a bird of "+str(self.getWeight())+" kg."
21
        def fly (self):
23
            print("I fly as a bird!")
24
25
    class Mammal(Animal):
26
        def str (self):
            return "I am a mammal of "+str(self.getWeight())+" kg."
        def fly (self):
28
            print("I cannot fly, I am a mammal!")
30
31
    class Ostrich (Bird, Animal): #Avestruz
32
        def fly (self):
33
            print("I cannot fly, I am a Bird but ostrichs do not fly!")
24
```

Polymorphism, Encapsulation & Inheritance

in Python classes



```
class Platypus1 (Mammal, Bird):
        def str (self):
37
            return "I am something rare"
    class Platypus2 (Bird, Mammal):
41
        def __str__(self):
            return "I am something rare"
        pass
    animal1 = Animal(3, 0.5)
    animal1. eat(0.2)
    canary = Bird(1,0.3)
    canary.eat(0.1)
    canary.flv()
    bear = Mammal(10.150)
    bear.eat(10)
    bear.fly()
    print(bear)
    ostrich = Ostrich(5,30)
    print(ostrich)
    ostrich.fly()
    platvpus = Platvpus1(2.3)
    platypus.fly()
    print(platypus)
    platypus = Platypus2(2,3)
    platypus.fly()
70
    print(bear.getWeight())
    bear.privateMethod()
```

Polymorphism: QUIZ 40 41

What lines contain examples of

polymorphism?

- a) 47 and 50
- b) 36 and 41
- c) 55 and 60
- d) 63 and 68
- e) 60 and 63

```
36
        def __str__(self):
            return "I am something rare"
37
38
        pass
    class Platypus2 (Bird, Mammal):
        def str (self):
            return "I am something rare"
43
        pass
44
45
46
    animal1 = Animal(3, 0.5)
47
    animal1. eat(0.2)
48
    canary = Bird(1,0.3)
    canary.eat(0.1)
50
51
    canary.fly()
52
53
    bear = Mammal(10, 150)
    bear.eat(10)
54
    bear.fly()
    print(bear)
57
    ostrich = Ostrich(5,30)
    print(ostrich)
    ostrich.fly()
60
61
62
    platypus = Platypus1(2,3)
63
    platypus.fly()
64
65
    print(platypus)
66
67
    platypus = Platypus2(2,3)
    platypus.fly()
68
69
70
71
    print(bear.getWeight())
    bear.privateMethod()
```

class Platypus1 (Mammal, Bird):

35

Python as a functional language

Python as functional language: Advantages

A function can return a function

```
3
    def money(country):
        def spain():
            print("Euro")
6
        def japan ():
            print("Yen")
        def eeuu():
            print("dollar")
10
        functor_money={"es":spain,
11
12
                         "jp":japan,
13
                         "us":eeuu}
14
15
        return functor_money[country]
16
```

Python as functional language: Advantages

- Saving a function in a variable (to later apply it over arguments)
 - E.g.: f saves a function, and thus, can be called for its execution.

```
def money(country):
 4
         def spain ():
 5
             print("Euro")
         def japan ():
 6
             print("Yen")
 8
         def eeuu():
             print("dollar")
10
11
        functor_money={ "es ": spain,
12
                          "jp":japan,
13
                          "us":eeuu}
14
15
        return functor_money[country]
16
17
    f = money("us")
    money("us")()
18
19
    f ()
```

What does line 17 prints?

```
3
    def money(country):
        def spain():
 5
             print("Euro")
6
        def japan ():
             print("Yen")
 8
        def eeuu():
 9
             print("dollar")
10
11
        functor_money={"es":spain,
12
                         "jp":japan,
13
                         "us":eeuu}
14
15
        return functor money [country]
16
17
    f = money("us")
    money("us")()
18
19
    f()
```

What does line 18 prints?

```
3
    def money(country):
        def spain():
 5
             print("Euro")
6
        def japan ():
             print("Yen")
 8
        def eeuu():
 9
             print("dollar")
10
11
        functor_money={"es":spain,
12
                         "jp":japan,
13
                         "us":eeuu}
14
15
        return functor money [country]
16
17
    f = money("us")
    money("us")()
18
19
    f()
```

What does line 19 prints?

```
3
    def money(country):
        def spain():
 5
             print("Euro")
6
        def japan ():
             print("Yen")
 8
        def eeuu():
 9
             print("dollar")
10
11
        functor_money={"es":spain,
12
                         "jp":japan,
13
                         "us":eeuu}
14
15
        return functor money [country]
16
17
    f = money("us")
    money("us")()
18
19
    f()
```

What does line 17 prints? Nada/Nothing/Rien!

```
3
    def money(country):
        def spain ():
 5
             print("Euro")
 6
        def japan ():
             print("Yen")
 8
        def eeuu():
 9
             print("dollar")
10
11
        functor_money={"es":spain,
12
                         "jp":japan,
13
                         "us":eeuu}
14
15
        return functor money [country]
16
17
    f = money("us")
    money("us")()
18
19
    f()
```

What do lines 18 and 19 print?

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def money(country):
        def spain ():
             print("Euro")
        def japan ():
             print("Yen")
8
        def eeuu():
9
             print("dollar")
10
11
        functor_money={ "es ": spain,
12
                         "jp":japan,
13
                         "us":eeuu}
14
15
        return functor_money[country]
16
    f = money("us")
   money("us")()
    f()
```

Lambda functions

- Anonymous
- Not referenced later (single use)
- 1 single line for function + its code
- lambda operator: lambda argument_list: expression
 - Not followed by parenthesis to indicate parameters
 - these go right after the name of the function, finalized with a colon (:)

Lambda functions

```
>>> sum = lambda x, y : x + y
>>> sum(3,4)
7
>>>
```

Equivalent to:

```
>>> def sum(x,y):
... return x + y
...
>>> sum(3,4)
7
>>>
```

map

Applies 1 function to each element in the list. Returns the new list

```
def multiply(x):
    return (x*x)
def add(x):
    return (x+x)
funcs = [multiply, add]
for i in range(5):
    value = list(map(lambda x: x(i), funcs))
    print(value)
# Output:
# [0, 0]
# [1, 2]
# [4, 4]
# [9, 6]
# [16, 8]
```

filter

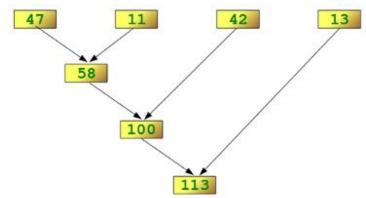
 Returns the elements of the original list whose (boolean) evaluation of the passed function is true

```
number_list = range(-5, 5)
less_than_zero = list(filter(lambda x: x < 0, number_list))
print(less_than_zero)
# Output: [-5, -4, -3, -2, -1]</pre>
```

reduce

Applies recursively the passed function to each element of the list until returning a unique result

```
>>> import functools
>>> functools.reduce(lambda x,y: x+y, [47,11,42,13])
113
>>>
```



reduce

Applies recursively the passed function to each element of the list until returning a unique result

```
from functools import reduce
product = reduce((lambda x, y: x * y), [1, 2, 3, 4])
# Output: 24
```

Equivalent to:

```
product = 1
list = [1, 2, 3, 4]
for num in list:
    product = product * num

# product = 24
```

Python as functional language: Advantages

- Iterators (as commonly used in LISP), used in conjunction with lists
- List Comprehension: an expression followed by a for loop inside () or []
 - E.g.: for each element of list l, do expr:

```
myList = [num * 2 for num in myOtherList]
```

map, filter, reduce: All limited to 1 expression

(the function they apply over the elements of the list passed as 2nd argument)