String Basics

String:

- A **string** is a sequence of characters enclosed in quotes.
- Can be written using:
- ➤ Single quotes → 'hello'
- **▶ Double quotes** → "hello"
- ➤ Triple quotes → "hello" or ""hello"" (used for multi-line strings).

String Indexing:

- In Python, each character in a string has a **position (index)**.
- Indexing starts from **0** for the first character.
- You can access characters using square brackets [].

String Slicing:

- You can extract a portion (substring) using string[start:end].
- start index is **inclusive**, end index is **exclusive**.
- Syntax: string[start:end:step]

Strings are Immutable

- You cannot change a string after it is created.
- Example: You cannot replace "P" with "J" directly in "Python".
- You must create a new string instead.

String Concatenation:

• You can join two strings using +.

String Repetition:

• You can repeat a string using *.