

Day -2

Array / List

→ collection of items stored at

contiguous memory locations.

Note: * Python doesn't have built-in support for Array.

→ We use list instead of it.

→ Python uses '0' based indexing.

* Lists can be created using list() function or

using square brackets → variable-name = []

→ In python, we need to import array module to use arrays :— as → import array as arr

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List

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Array

→ can have different data type of elements.

→ Same data type elements only.

→ No need to import any module.

→ have to import a module called 'array'

→ More flexibility in modification of data.

→ Less flexibility.

→ preferred for shorted sequences of data items. → for longer sequence of data items.

→ consume large memory for easy addition of elements. → comparatively more compact in memory size.

List Data Type Methods:-

→ `append()` - add an item to the end.

→ `insert()` - insert an item in a particular pos.

→ `remove()` - to remove a particular value.

→ `pop()` - removes particular item and return (if value passed); else, goes to the last item.

→ `remove()` - removes all the items from the list; as well as `del l[:]`

→ `index()` - to find the index of a particular value which is in list.

→ `count()` - to the repetitive times of a particular value.

→ `sort()` - sort the items of a list.

→ `reverse()` - reverse the elements as opposite to 'sort()'.

→ `copy()` - return the shallow copy of the list.

List Comprehension:-

→ provide a concise way to create lists.

→ It is an elegant way to create new lists.

A basic of list comprehension is:-

l-comp = [expression for var in old-list if(condition)]

WHAT IF we try to find squares? -

squares = []

for num in range(5):

squares.append(num**2)

O/P:- [0, 1, 4, 9, 16]

WHAT IF we use list comprehension? -

squares = [num**2 for num in range(5)]

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* if we wish, we can add a condition statement also in it.

Here, to find ~~only~~ even number from 1-10.

evens = [num for num in range(1, 11) if num % 2 == 0]

O/P:- [2, 4, 6, 8, 10] //