

EE393 Python for Engineers

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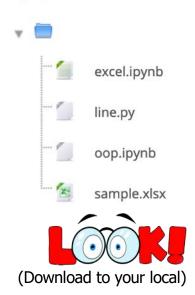
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Agenda

- Short review
- Working with Excel files
 - openpyxl
- Objects in Python
- OOP basics
- OOP examples





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Learning objectives for 16.11.2020

- Working with Excel files using openpyxl
- Understand "object" concept in python
- Learn OOP basics to create own object prototypes – classes
- Working with our own libraries

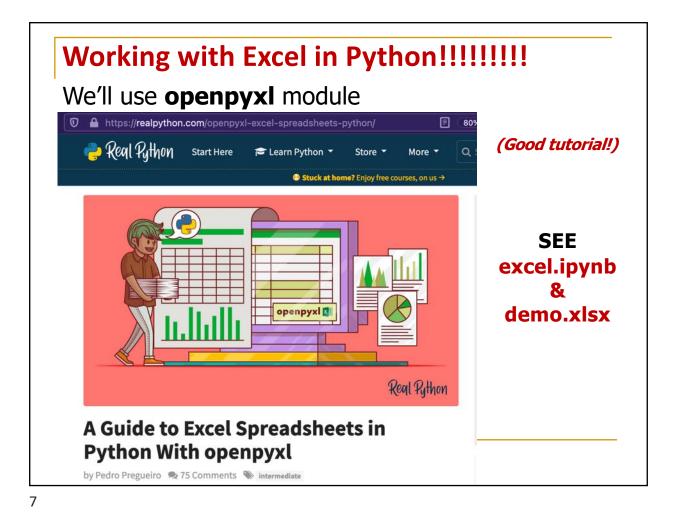
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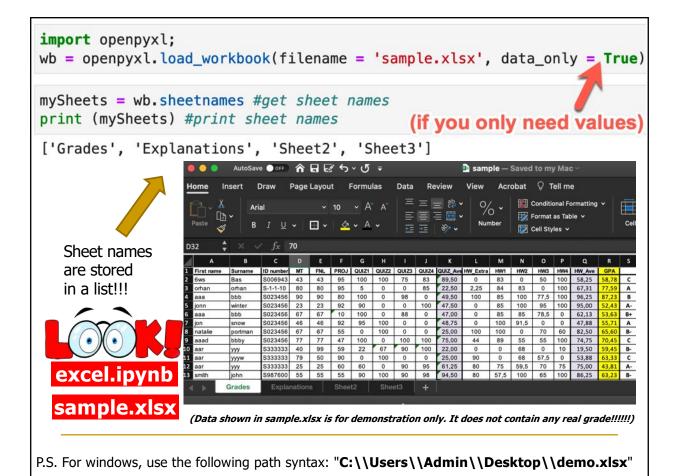
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Last week

- Iterables, Referencing
- Generators
- Global variables
- Important utility libs : random, sys, os, datetime
- Special methods in python (starts with double underscore; ___)__name__, __main__
- eval and exec functions
- Python libs for science and engineering : numpy, scipy, matplotlib etc. – an introduction

Our experience with the objects so far...

Till now, we have been using objects all along the past two months. Python provides us with many built-in objects. Here is some simple code where the first few lines should feel very simple and natural to all of us.

```
[5]: mylist = list()
      mylist.append('python')
                                                Every list we create
      mylist.append('OzU')
                                                has data
      mylist.append('EE393')
                                               There are methods
                                                we can use on the
      mylist.sort()
                                                instances of lists
      print (mylist[0])
                                                that we created:
      print (mylist.__getitem__(0))
                                                append, sort, count,
      print (list.__getitem__(mylist,0))
                                               We use methods
                                                using "dot notation"
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OOP – Object oriented programming

- In all the programs we developed so far, we have designed our program around <u>functions</u> i.e. blocks of statements which manipulate data. This is called the <u>procedural programming</u>. It helps us better organizing and maintaining programs
- There is another way of organizing our program which is to combine data and functionality and wrap it inside something called an object.
- This is called the *object oriented* programming paradigm. Most of the time we can use procedural programming, but when writing large programs or have a problem that is better suited to this method, you can use object oriented programming techniques.

oop.ipynb

Oriented
Programming

Object Oriented

A program is made up of many <u>cooperating objects</u> Instead of being the "whole program"

- each object is a little "island" within the program and cooperatively working with other objects

A program is made up of one or more objects working together - objects make use of each other's capabilities

In <u>Python</u>, almost everything is an object. That is, everything we created as a "type" will have data attached to it and will have functions attached to it, aswell.

Typical example is "list". It is similar for tuple, dict, set, int, float, str ...

All of these types can be used to create instances of then. Then we use many built-in functions (methods) of these objects to do different tasks.

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The Object of Objects

- Basic idea view a complex system as the interaction of simpler *objects*. An object is a sort of active data type that combines data and operations.
- Objects know stuff (contain data) and they can do stuff (have operations).
- Objects interact by sending each other messages.

Example: Suppose we want to develop a data processing system for OzU.

We must keep records on students who attend the school.
 Each student will be represented as an object.

The Object of Objects

- The student object would contain data like:
 - Name
 - Surname
 - Department
 - ID number
 - Courses taken
 - E-mail address
 - Home Address
 - GPA
 - etc.

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The Object of Objects

- The student object should also respond to requests.
- We may want to send out a campus-wide mailing, so we'd need a campus address for each student.
- We could send the printEmailAddress to each student object. When the student object receives the message, it prints its own address.
- Objects may refer to other objects.
- Each course might be represented by an object:
 - Instructor
 - Course syllabus
 - Prerequisite courses
 - When and where the class meets

- Sample Operation
 - addStudent
 - delStudent
 - changeRoom
 - **...**

Object

An Object is a bit of self-contained Code (i.e. methods or functions) and Data

A key aspect of the Object approach is to break the problem into smaller understandable parts (divide and conquer)

Objects have boundaries that allow us to ignore un-needed detail

As we discussed previously, we have been using objects all along: String Objects, Integer Objects, Dictionary Objects, List Objects...

See example built-in objects in oop.ipynb



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Definitions



- Class a template to create objects
- Method or Message A defined capability of a class
- Field or attribute- A bit of data in a class
- Object or Instance A working copy of a template something which is created from a template

Terminology: Class

Defines the abstract characteristics of a thing (object), including the thing's characteristics (its attributes, fields or properties) and the thing's behaviors (the things it can do, or methods, operations or features). One might say that a class is a blueprint or factory that describes the nature of something.

For example, the class Dog would consist of traits shared by all dogs, such as breed and fur color (**characteristics**), and the ability to bark and sit (**behaviors**).

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Object-oriented_programming

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Terminology: Instance

One can have an instance of a class or a particular object. The instance is the actual object created at runtime. In programmer jargon, the Lassie object is an instance of the Dog class. The set of values of the attributes of a particular object is called its state.

The object consists of state and the behavior that's defined in the object's class.

Object and Instance are often used interchangeably.

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Terminology: Method

An object's abilities. In language, methods are verbs. Lassie, being a Dog, has the ability to bark. So bark() is one of Lassie's methods. She may have other methods as well, for example sit() or eat() or walk() or save_timmy().

Within the program, using a method usually affects only one particular object; all Dogs can bark, but you need only one particular dog to do the barking

Method and Message are often used interchangeably.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Object-oriented programming

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Classes and objects are the two main aspects of object oriented programming:

A **class** creates a new *type* where **objects** are **instances** of the class.

The simplest class possible is shown in the following example.

class Person:
 def say_hi(self):
 print('Hello, how are you?')

p = Person()
p.say_hi()

An instance of the object is CREATED!



self keyword is used for the class method. Class methods have only one specific difference from ordinary functions - they must have an extra first name that has to be added to the beginning of the parameter list, but you **do not** give a value for this parameter when you call the method, Python will provide it. This particular variable refers to the object *itself*, and by convention, it is given the name <u>self</u> It is like "this" pointer in C++ or "this" reference in Java.

init method

This method is run as soon as an object of a class is instantiated (i.e. created). The method is useful to do any *initialization* (it is like C++ constructor)

```
class Person:
    def __init__(self, name):
        self.name = name

    def say_hi(self):
        print('Hello, my name is', self.name)
p = Person('Ali Veli')
p.say_hi()
```

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self

It is like the pointer "this" in C++
In Python, functions in a class access data via **self**

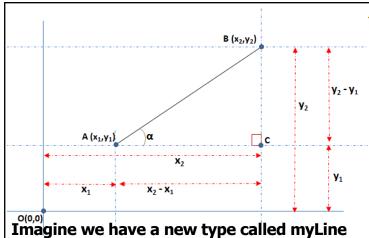
```
#simple class v2
                                             What's the name of the class?

    What are the data stored in each

class Person:
                                             instances of the object?
    def __init__(self, tmp=""):
                                           · What are the meythods?
         self.name = tmp
    def say_hi(self):
         print('Hello {0:s}, how are you?'.format(self.name))
p = Person()
p.say_hi()
p2 = Person ("Jon Snow")
p2.say_hi()
Hello , how are you?
Hello Jon Snow, how are you?
```

self acts like a variable, but it won't call any data

If we print "self" in a class function, it will print the reference of the object created!!!



line1 = myLine() #default line (0,0)-(1,1)
line2 = myLine(2.7,-0.5,6.25,3) #(1.7,-0.5)-(6.25,3)
print ("length of line1 :", line1.length())
print ("length of line2 :", line2.length())
line1.moveX(1,3) #(x1=x1+1 and y1=y1+3)
print ("length of line1 :", line1.length())
print ("slope of line 2 :", line2.slope())

length of line1 : 1.4142135623730951
length of line2 : 4.985228179331413
length of line1 : 3.1622776601683795
slope of line 2 0.9859154929577465

Case study: line class

A line can be defined by giving two coordinates, namely (x1,y1) and (x2,y2)

DATA: x1,y1,x2,y2



If we have a line, we could want to know:

- its length
- İts new position when we move it by a certain amount
- its slope
- <etc.>

These are class methods



```
class myLine:
#constructor
                                               Constructor method is called
    def __init__(self, a=0, b=0, c=1, d=1):
                                               whenever we create a new myLine
         self.x1=a; self.y1=b;
                                               object. X1,x2,y1 and y2 are our
         self.x2=c; self.y2=d
                                               data which defines "line"
    def length(self): #returns length
                                               Length is an ordinary Python
         import math
                                               function. It is used as a method
         dx = self.x1-self.x2
                                               from an object (i.e. outside of the
         dy = self.y1-self.y2
                                               class) such as x.length(). It
         ll = math.sqrt(dx*dx + dy*dy)
                                               returns a value to the caller
         return ll
    def moveX(self, dx1=0, dx2=0):
                                               These are other methods we define
                                               in the class. They are used in the
         self.x1 += dx1
                                               same way as «length». Note that,
         self.x2 += dx2
                                               we put «self» all the time. A
                                               method can invoke (call) several
    def moveY(self, dy1=0,dy2=0):
                                               values as normal functions in
         self.y1 += dy1
                                               Python do
         self.y2 += dy2
    def slope(self):
         return (self.y2-self.y1)/(self.x2-self.x1)
```

```
Converting classes to library
    > orhang > Personal > Courses > OzU > EE393 > 2020-21 > week7 > 🍖 line.py > 😘 myLine
         def __init__(self,a=0,b=0,c=1,d=1):
              self.x1=a; self.y1=b
              self.x2=c; self.y2=d
          def length(self): #returns length
                                                         import line
             import math
             dx = self.x1-self.x2
                                                         l1 = line.myLine(1,2,-2,4)
             ll = math.sqrt(dx*dx + dy*dy)
                                                         print ("length of line :", l1.length())
             return ll
                                                         l1.moveX(1,3) \#(x1=x1+1 \text{ and } x2=x2+3)
        def moveX(self, dx1=0,dx2=0):
                                                         11.moveY(0,-2) \#(y2=y2-2)
             self.x1 += dx1
             self.x2 += dx2
                                                         print ("length of line :", l1.length())
         def moveY(self, dy1=0,dy2=0):
                                                         length of line: 3.605551275463989
             self.y1 += dy1
              self.y2 += dy2
                                                         length of line: 1.0
          def slope(self):
              return (self.y2-self.y1)/(self.x2-self.x1)
import line
print (dir(line.myLine))
['_class_', '_delattr_', '_dict_', '_dir_', '_doc_', '_eq_', '_format
_', '_ge_', '_getattribute_', '_gt_', '_hash_', '_init_', '_init_subcl
ass_', '_le_', '_lt_', '_module_', '_ne_', '_new_', '_reduce_', '_reduce_ex_', '_repr_', '_setattr_', '_sizeof_', '_str_', '_subclasshook_'
', '_weakref_', 'length', 'moveX', 'moveY', 'slope']
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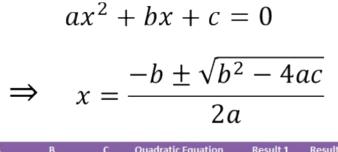
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How can we improve this method?

- (Quiz)
- Take **myLine** as a starting point and extend it by adding new methods (at least five more) and new data (such as line color, thickness etc. —at least one data must be added) and use them in a driver program.
 - □ Some ideas: slope angle in degrees, rotate by certain amount around (0,0), make mirror of it, add two lines to each other to form a new line, scale the line by a factor, get the equation of the line in the form of y=mx+n, determine the intersection point with the x axis, determine intersection point of two lines,... and possibly more!!!!

Case study: quadEqn class (simple)

2nd order quad eqn and its solution is given as follows:



Α	В	C	Quadratic Equation	Result 1	Result 2	
1	-3	2	$x^2 + -3x + 2 = 0$	2	1	
1	5	6	$x^2 + 5x + 6 = 0$	-2	-3	
3	-6	3	$3x^2 + -6x + 3 = 0$	1	1	
2	-4	7	$2x^2 + -4x + 7 = 0$	#NUM!	#NUM!	1
-3	-24	-48	$-3x^2 + -24x + -48 = 0$	-4	-4	
1	2	3	$x^2 + 2x + 3 = 0$	#NUM!	#NUM!	1
1	2	0	$x^2 + 2x + 0 = 0$	0	-2	

No Real Number Solution Exists

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Class simpleEqn





```
myEquation = simpleEqn(1,4,2)
print ("Coeffs:", myEquation.a, myEquation.b, myEquation.c)
print ("Solution :",myEquation.solve())
myEquation2 = simpleEqn(-1,4,-6)
print ("Coeffs:", myEquation2.a, myEquation2.b, myEquation2.c)
print ("Solution :",myEquation2.solve())
```

Coeffs: 1 4 2

Solution: [-0.5857864376269049, -3.414213562373095]

Coeffs: -1 4 -6

Solution : ['no real root']

```
class simpleEqn:
#solver
   def solve(self):
        import math
        for x in [self.a, self.b, self.c]:
            if (type(x)!=int) and (type(x)!=float):
                return ["invalid input"]
        if self.a==0:
            return ["it's not a 2nd order egn"]
        roots = [0,0]
        d = self.b**2 - 4*self.a*self.c
        if (d<0):
            roots = ["no real root"]
        else:
            roots[0] = (-self.b + math.sqrt(d))/(2*self.a)
            roots[1] = (-self.b - math.sqrt(d))/(2*self.a)
        return roots
#default constructor
   def __init__(self, aa=1, bb=1, cc=1):
        self.a = aa
        self.b = bb
        self.c = cc
```

Example: QuadEquation class (Advanced)

Object: QuadEqn

It holds a second order equation

Data:

- Coefficients of the equation
- Name of the equation

class QuadEqn contains methods suitable for working with

2nd order equations given as ax^2+bx+c=0

The methods are:

- delta(): returns b^2-4ac
- sumOfRoots(): returns -b/a
- multOfRoots(): returns c/a
- solve () : solves the equation and returns a list
- printEquation (): prints equation in a fancy format
- _ add _ : adds two equation to each other by overloading "+"
- change(): changes the coefficients of the equation

Usage:

eqn1 = QuadEqn(-3,-9,5, "my equation1") is used to define $-3x^2-9x+5=0$

Then, eqn1.solve() returns a list which contains solution!



```
eqn1 = QuadEqn(-3,-9,5, name="Equation 1")
eqn2 = QuadEqn(2,2,3, "Eqn 2")
eqn1.printEquation()
solution=eqn1.solve()
print (solution)
print ("delta is", eqn1.delta())
print (eqn1.sumOfRoots())
print (eqn1.multOfRoots())
eqn2.printEquation()
eqn3 = eqn1 + eqn2 # + is overloaded
eqn3.printEquation()
print ("Number of Equations:",QuadEqn.count)
eqn3.change(2,2,2,"new")
eqn3.printEquation()
```

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Object Lifecycle

Objects are created, used, and discarded

We have special blocks of code (methods) that get called

- At the moment of creation (constructor)
- At the moment of destruction (destructor)

Constructors are used a lot

Destructors are seldom used

Access Modifiers

- In Python, there is no keywords like 'public', 'protected' and 'private' to define the accessibility.
- In other words, In Python, it acquiesce that all attributes are public.
- But there is a method in Python to define Private:
- Add "__" in front of the variable and methodn name can hide them when accessing them from out of class.

```
Access Modifiers
class Person:
    def __init__(self):
        self.A = 'Ali Veli'---
                                       → Public variable
        self. B = 'Natalie Portman'
                                             Private variable
    def PrintName (self):
        print (self.A)
        print self._B -
                                    → Invoke private variable in class
P = Person()

    Access public variable out of class, succeed

>>> P.A -
'Ali Veli'
>>> P.__B — Access private variable our of class, fail
Traceback (most recent call last):
  File "<pyshell#61>", line 1, in <module>
    P. B
AttributeError: Person instance has no attribute ' B'
>>> P.PrintName() — Access public function but this function access
Ali Veli
                        Private variable __B successfully since they are in
Natalie Portman
                        the same class.
```

Accessibility

- Actually, the private accessibility method is just a rule, not the limitation of compiler.
- Its fact is to change name of private name like __variable or __function() to_ClassName__variable or_ClassName__function().

So we can't Access them because of wrong names.

We even can use the special syntax to access the private data or methods. The syntax is actually its changed name.

```
Accessibility
#Accessibility
                                                   Define public function
class C:
    def accessible(self):
        print ("you can see me")
                                                    Define private function
    def __inaccessible(self): 
        print ("you can NOT see me")
                                                      Access public function
var1 = C()
var1.accessible()
                                                      Can't access private function
var1.__inaccessible()
you can see me
AttributeError
                                            Traceback (n
<ipython-input-166-16cec1890434> in <module>
      9 \text{ var1} = C()
     10 var1.accessible()
 --> 11 var1.__inaccessible()
AttributeError: 'C' object has no attribute '__inacces

    Access private function via changed name

var1._C__inaccessible() -
you can NOT see me
```

Static Methods

To declare a static method, you have to specify the <code>@staticmethod</code> descriptor before the name of the method as shown below:

```
class Car:
    @staticmethod
    def get_class_details():
        print ("This is a car class")

Car.get_class_details()
```

In the above script, we create a class <code>Car</code> with one static method <code>get_class_details()</code> . Let's call this method using the class name.

```
Car.get_class_details()
```

You can see that we did not need to create an instance of the Car class in order to call the get_class_details() method, rather we simply used the class name. It is important to mention that static methods can only access class attributes in Python.

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In summary:

- Class a template
- Attribute A variable within a class
- Method A function within a class
- Object A particular instance of a class
- Constructor Code that runs when an object is created

Object Oriented programming is a very structured approach to code reuse

We can group data and functionality together and create many independent instances of a class

SEE YOU NEXT WEEK!!!



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