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Aim: Serialization in python using Pickel

Objective: To introduce basic concept of Pickel module

Theory:

• What is Serialization?

- Serialization is the process of converting a Python object into a byte stream that can be stored in a file or transmitted over a network.
- What is Pickle?
- Pickle is a Python module used for serializing and deserializing Python objects.
- Why Pickle?
- Pickle provides a convenient way to save Python objects to disk and load them back into memory later.
- How to use Pickle?
- The pickle module provides two main functions: dump() for serialization and load() for description.

1) pickle.dump(obj, file):

- The **pickle.dump()** function is used to serialize a Python object **obj** and write it to a file specified by the file object **file**.
- This function takes two parameters:
 - **obj**: The Python object to be serialized.
 - **file**: A file object opened in binary write mode ('wb') where the serialized data will be written.

2) pickle.load(file):

- The **pickle.load()** function is used to deserialize data from a file specified by the file object **file** and reconstruct the original Python object.
- This function takes one parameter:
 - **file**: A file object opened in binary read mode ('rb') from which the serialized data will be read and deseria



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Code:-

```
import pickle

data = {'emp_name': 'Purva', 'emp_id': '4210', 'emp_add': 'Mumbai'}
with open('data.pickle', 'wb') as f1 :

    pickle.dump(data, f1)
    print('Pickling Completed...')

with open('data.pickle', 'rb') as f2 :
    print('Unpickling the data : ')

data = pickle.load(f2)
    print(data)
```

Output:-

```
Pickling Completed...
Unpickling the data :
{'emp name': 'Purva', 'emp id': '4210', 'emp add': 'Mumbai'}
```

Conclusion: Serialization in Python using Pickle has been demonstrated.