Introductory Programming Using Python

Day 2

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Administrative matters

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"Roll Call!"

The instructor is ~~busy~~ taking attendance ☺

Perform software installation (if haven't done so):
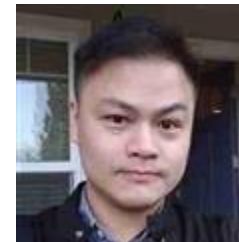* Python 3.8.x
* Wing IDE

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Programme Day Two

| Morning	Afternoon
• Read and writing files • Copying, moving and deleting files and folders • Working with Excel • Image Processing	• Connecting to the Web • Sending emails • Creating Chart • Generating PDF

Outline for the day

| Time	Agenda
9.00am	Welcome and admin matters
9.15am – 10.30am	• Read and writing files • Copying, moving and deleting files and folders
10.30am – 10.45am	Break
10.45am – 12.30pm	• Working with Excel • Image Processing
12.30pm – 1.30pm	Lunch
1.30pm – 3.15pm	• Connecting to the Web • Sending emails
3.15pm – 3.30pm	Break
3.30pm – 4.30pm	• Creating Chart • Generating PDF
4.45pm – 5.00pm	Wrap up, Q&A

File Tree

- **Windows**
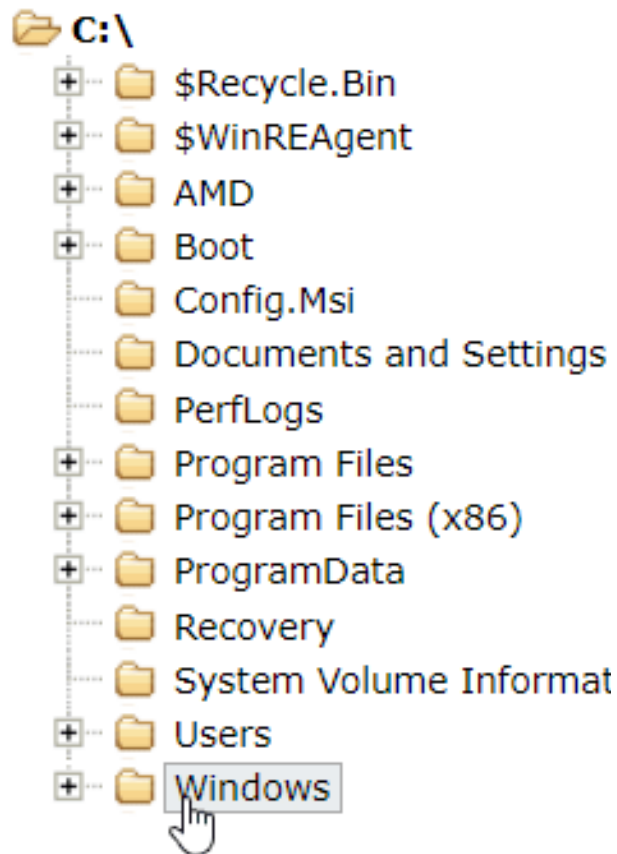
- **Linux**
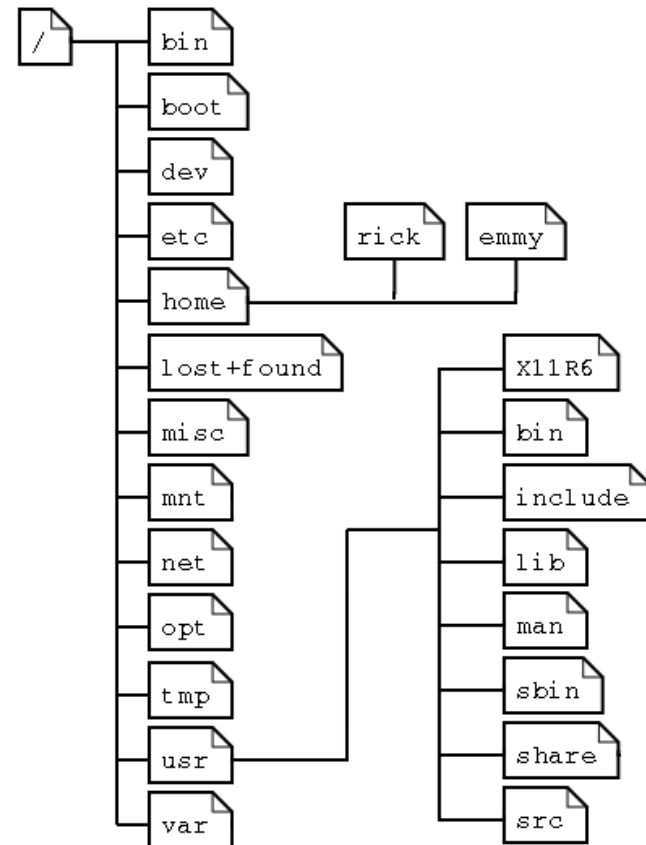
File Paths

An absolute file path describes how to access a given file or directory, starting from the root of the file system.
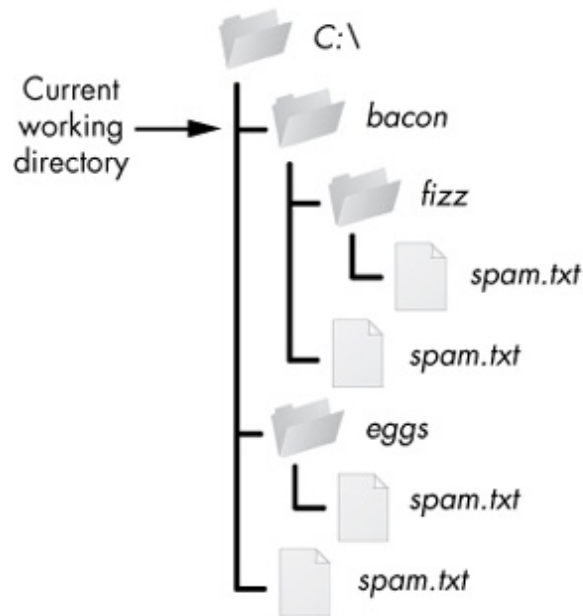
A relative file path is interpreted from the perspective your current working directory.

Absolute file paths are notated by a **leading forward slash or drive label**.

Relative file paths are notated by a **lack of a leading forward slash**.

Read files

```
1   # make sure you have a hello.txt in your current working director
2   # same directory as your python script
3   helloFile = open("hello.txt")
4   content = helloFile.read()
5   print(content)
6   helloFile.close()
7
8   # make sure you have a hello.txt in the specified director
9   # same directory as your python script
10  helloFile = open("hello.txt")
11
12  content = helloFile.readlines()
13  print(content)
14
```
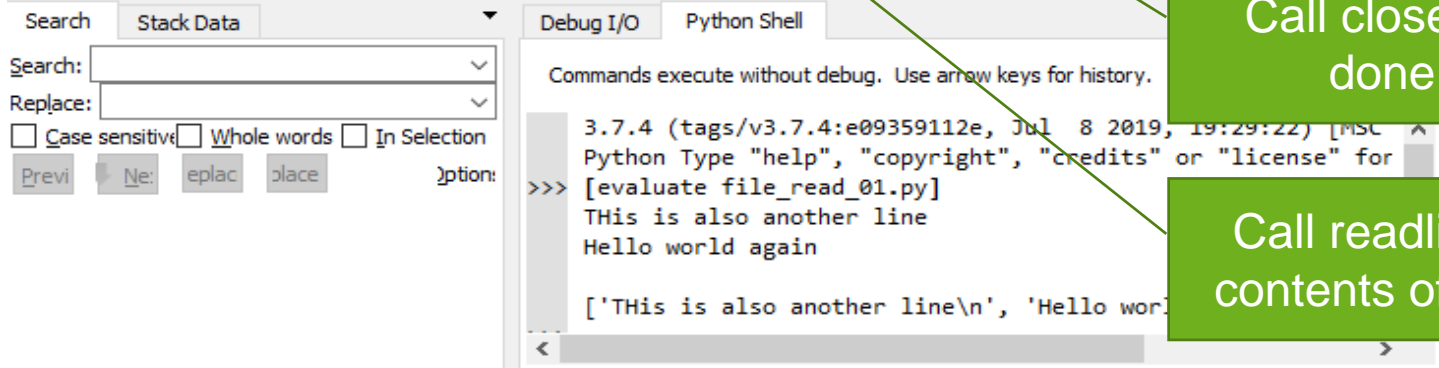
Open() will return a file object which has reading and writing related methods

Pass 'r' (or nothing) to open() to open the file in read mode.

Call read() to read the contents of a file

Call close() when you are done with the file.

Call readlines() to read the contents of a file, line by line

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Debug I/O | Python Shell

Commands execute without debug. Use arrow keys for history.

```
3.7.4 (tags/v3.7.4:e09359112e, Jul  8 2019, 19:29:22) [MSC
Python Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license" for
>>> [evaluate file_read_01.py]
THis is also another line
Hello world again

['THis is also another line\n', 'Hello worl
```

file_read.py

Write files

```
1    # make sure you have a hello.txt in your current working director
2    # same directory as your python script
3    helloFile = open("hello.txt", "w")
4    helloFile.write("This is also another line\n")
5    helloFile.close()
6
7    # reopen to display content
8    helloFile = open("hello.txt")
9    print(helloFile.read())
10   helloFile.close()
11
12   # open the file for adding next text
13   helloFile = open("hello.txt", "a")
14   helloFile.write("Hello world again\n")
15   helloFile.close()
16
17   # reopen to display content
18   helloFile = open("hello.txt")
19   print(helloFile.read())
20   helloFile.close()
```

Pass 'w' to open() to open the file in write mode or 'a' for append mode.

Opening a non-existent file in write or append mode will create that file

Call write() to write a string to a file.

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>>> [evaluate file_write..py]
THis is also another line

THis is also another line
Hello world again
```

file_write.py

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Copy and moving files

```python
import shutil

# copy file, destination must exist
shutil.copy("hello.txt", "folder1")

# recursively copy an entire directory
# error if the destination folder already exist
shutil.copytree("folder1", "folder_to_delete")
shutil.copytree("folder1", "folder_to_delete2")

# move file, destination must exist
shutil.move("folder1/hello.txt","folder2")

# move and rename file
shutil.move("folder_to_delete/hello.txt","folder_to_delete2/newhello.txt")
```

- shutil.copy(src, dst) – Copy the file *src* to the file or directory *dst*

- shutil.copytree(src, dst) - Recursively copy an entire directory tree rooted at *src*.

- shutil.move(src, dst) - Recursively move a file or directory (*src*) to another location (*dst*).

https://docs.python.org/3/library/shutil.html

file_copy.py

Deleting files

```
import os

# error if file do not exist
os.unlink("folder2/hello.txt")

# get current working directory
print(os.getcwd())

# delete directory (can only delete empty folder)
os.rmdir("folder_to_delete")

import shutil
# delete directory (with content)
# error if folder is not found
shutil.rmtree("folder_to_delete2")
```

- os.unlink() will delete a file

- os.rmdir() will delete a folder (but folder must be empty)

- shutil.rmtree() will delete a folder and all its contents

e.g. To delete all .docx file in the current folder

```
import os

for filename in os.listdir():
    if filename.endswith(".docx"):
        print(filename)
        os.unlink(filename)
```

⚠ Deleting can be dangerous, so do a dry run first

send2Trash module

- Install send2trash module using pip.exe
    -> pip install send2trash

- send2trash.send2trash() will send a file or folder to the recycling bin

```
Administrator: Command Prompt

Microsoft Windows [Version 6.3.9600]
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C:\Users\charissa_chua>cd C:\Users\charissa_chua\PycharmProjects\ExerciseTwo\venv\Scripts

C:\Users\charissa_chua\PycharmProjects\ExerciseTwo\venv\Scripts>pip.exe install send2trash
Collecting send2trash
  Using cached https://files.pythonhosted.org/packages/49/46/c3dc27481d1cc57b9385aff41c474ceb7714f79
Installing collected packages: send2trash
Successfully installed send2trash-1.5.0
You are using pip version 10.0.1, however version 18.0 is available.
You should consider upgrading via the 'python -m pip install --upgrade pip' command.

C:\Users\charissa_chua\PycharmProjects\ExerciseTwo\venv\Scripts>
```

```
>>> import send2trash
>>> send2trash.send2trash("D:\\folder2\\new_hello.txt")
```

Recycle Bin

new_hello.txt
Text Document
0 bytes

ices

file_trash.py
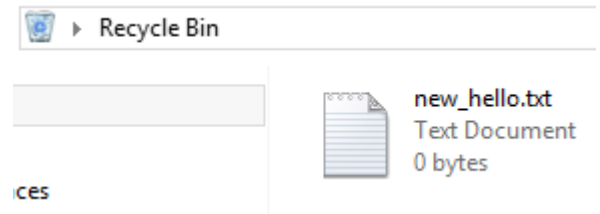
Use Case Sharing

- Organizing students' submissions into separate folder
  - Class of 25 students

25 folders, one for each student

Student 120101   Student 122431
Student 120897   Student 122868
Student 120904   Student 123295
Student 121104   Student 123525
Student 121243   Student 123534
Student 121550   Student 123673
Student 121804   Student 123864
Student 121938   Student 123900
Student 122061   Student 124059
Student 122084   Student 124133
Student 122152   Student 124990
Student 122263   Student 128079

Team 1
Team 2
Team 3
Team 4
Team 5

Student submission sorted by teams

Other Use Cases

- System administrators can use these commands to
  - Copy and backup files to other hard-disks
  - Delete folders/ files at fixed schedules
    - End of financial year?
    - End of semester?

- Others use
  - Check timestamp of files, and delete all files created before a certain date

Exercise

- **Write code to achieve the following:**

1. Create a file named: "myfile.txt".
2. Write the following line of text into the file:
   - Programming is fun!
3. Close the file
4. Create a folder called "myfolder"
   - Use os.mkdir() command
5. Copy myfile.txt to myfolder

Python Package Index

- https://pypi.org/
- A repository of software for the Python Programming Language
- Python Installation provides the core libraries needed for the common tasks
  - Additional packages can be found at the website and installed as extension
    - E.g. send2trash, openpyxl, pillow etc

- Installation is easy done with the following command
  - **pip install <software_package>**

- Installed packages can be found at:
  - C:\python38\Lib\site-packages

Using pip install

- **For all windows users by default**
  - Open command prompt
  - pip install <package_name>

- **For Mac User**
  - Open terminal
  - **pip3** install <package_name>

- **For RP staff using RP issued laptop**
  - Open command prompt
  - pip install --user <package_name>

Double-Dash

Excel Spreadsheet Manipulation with Python

Working with Excel

- Install openpyxl module using "pip install openpyxl"

- Full openpyxl documentation: https://openpyxl.readthedocs.io/en/stable/index.html

Typical Workflow for Excel Automation

You are given some data in a spreadsheet

You want to do some or all of the following
- Analyze the data
- Manipulate the data
- Create visualization (Charts, Pivot Table etc)

Output the processed data in another spreadsheet
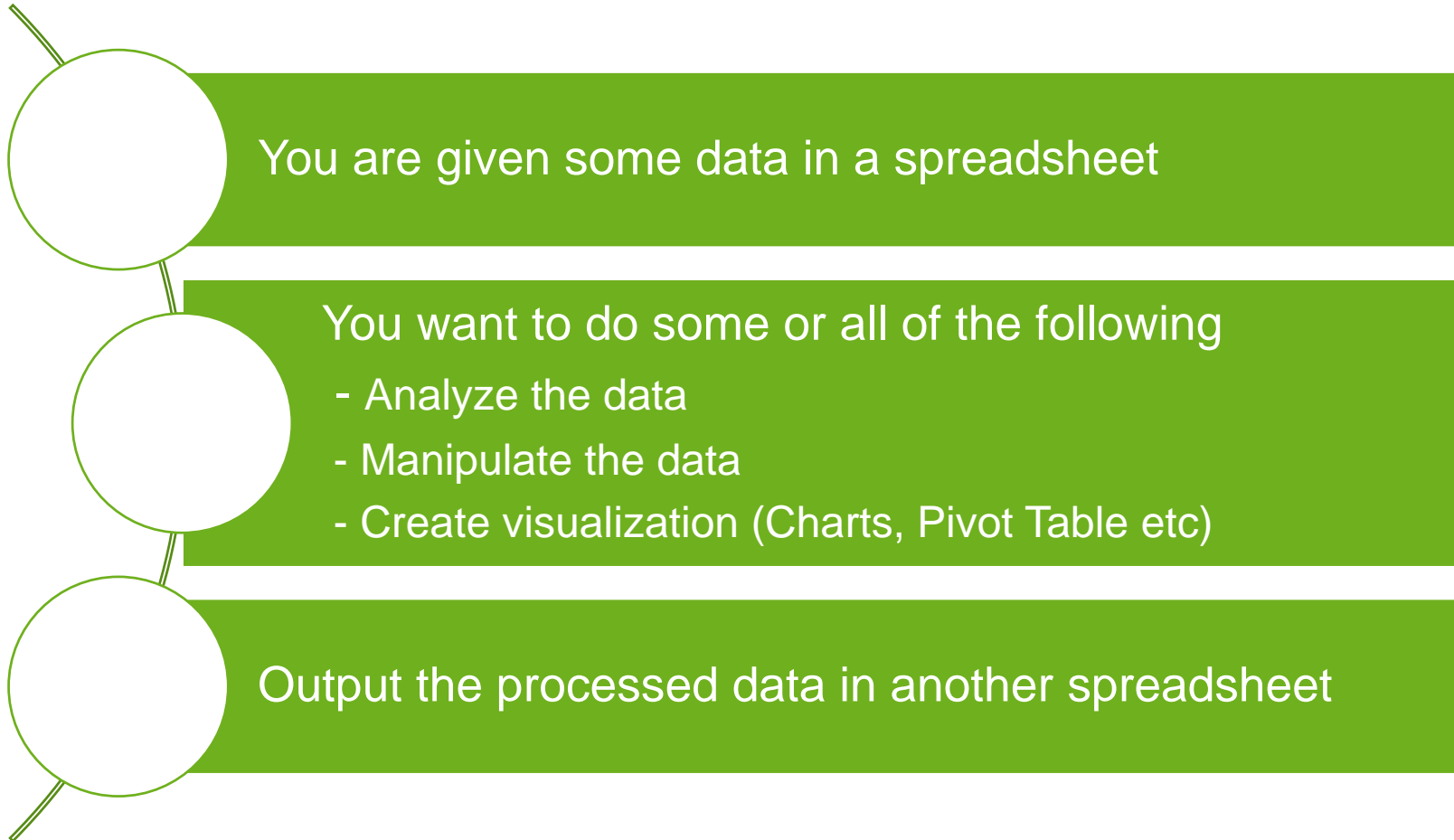
Reading Excel file

1) Import openpyxl

2) Load Excel content into "workbook" object by specifying the file name

```python
import openpyxl

workbook = openpyxl.load_workbook("bmi.xlsx")
sheet=workbook["Sheet1"]
```

3) Get the worksheet named "Sheet1"

```python
name = sheet.cell(row=2, column=1).value
weight = sheet.cell(row=2, column=2).value
height = sheet.cell(row=2, column=3).value
```

4) Get the value of each cell by specifying the row and column

```python
print("name:%s \tweight: %d \theight: %f " % (name, weight, height))
```

5) Display the retrieved values, only for a row

excel_read_bmi.py

Reading Excel file

The typical workflow for reading excel file is to use a *for* loop to go through each row to read the data

```python
import openpyxl

workbook = openpyxl.load_workbook("bmi.xlsx")
sheet=workbook["Sheet1"]


max_row = sheet.max_row # get number of rows

#loop through every row
for i in range(2, max_row + 1):

    #read cell
    name = sheet.cell(row=i, column=1).value
    weight = sheet.cell(row=i, column=2).value
    height = sheet.cell(row=i, column=3).value

    print("name:%s \tweight: %d \theight: %f " % (name, weight, height))
```

1) Get the number of rows and columns

2) Use For loop to go through every row

3) Display the retrieved values, for all rows

excel_read_bmi.py

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Update Excel file

```python
import openpyxl

workbook = openpyxl.load_workbook("bmi.xlsx")
sheet=workbook["Sheet1"]

max_row = sheet.max_row # get number of rows

# add a column header for bmi
sheet.cell(row=1, column=4).value = "bmi"

#loop through every row
for i in range(2, max_row + 1):

    #read cell
    name = sheet.cell(row=i, column=1).value
    weight = sheet.cell(row=i, column=2).value
    height = sheet.cell(row=i, column=3).value

    bmi = weight / (height * height)

    sheet.cell(row=i, column=4).value = bmi

    print("name:%s \tBMI: %f" % (name, bmi))

#save the file
workbook.save("bmi_update.xlsx")
```

1) Load file into memory & get the sheet

2) Adds a header at the 4th column

3) Perform calculation with values taken from the excel files

4) Add calculated value to cell

5) Save the spreadsheet

excel_update_bmi.py

Create Excel file

If you have data in nested python list, you can write the data into an excel file.

```python
import openpyxl

workbook = openpyxl.Workbook()

#get the default sheet
sheet=workbook["Sheet"]

#create a list of tuples as data source
data = [
    [225.7,'Gone with the Wind','Victor Fleming'],
    [194.4, 'Star Wars', 'George Lucas'],
    [161.0, 'ET: The Extraterrestrial', 'Steven Spielberg']
]

for row in data:
    sheet.append(row)

#save the spreadsheet
workbook.save("movies.xlsx")
```

1) Some data in nested list

2) Using for loop to add each row of data into the excel sheet

3) Save the spreadsheet

Format Excel

```python
import openpyxl
from openpyxl.styles import Font, PatternFill, Border, Side

workbook = openpyxl.load_workbook("bmi.xlsx")
sheet=workbook["Sheet1"]

#define the colors to use for styling
BLUE = "0033CC"
LIGHT_BLUE = "E6ECFF"
WHITE = "FFFFFF"

#define styling
header_font = Font(name="Tahoma", size=14, color=WHITE)
header_fill = PatternFill("solid", fgColor=BLUE)

# format header
for row in sheet["A1:c1"]:
  for cell in row:
    cell.font = header_font
    cell.fill = header_fill

#define styling
white_side = Side(border_style="thin", color=WHITE)
blue_side = Side(border_style="thin", color=BLUE)
alternate_fill = PatternFill("solid", fgColor=LIGHT_BLUE)
border = Border(bottom=blue_side, left=white_side, right=white_side)

# format rows
for row_index, row in enumerate(sheet["A2:C3"]):
  for cell in row:
    cell.border = border
    if row_index %2 :
      cell.fill = alternate_fill

workbook.save("bmi_format.xlsx")
```

1) Import necessary functions

2) Setup colors and styles

3) Loop through cell and set properties

excel_format.py

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Excel Charts

- Openpyxl supports the creation of many types of charts
  - Area Charts
  - Bar and Column Charts
  - Bubble Charts
  - Line Charts
  - Scatter Charts
  - etc
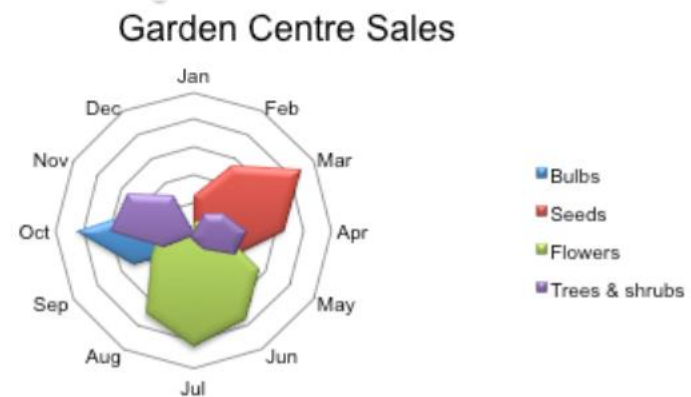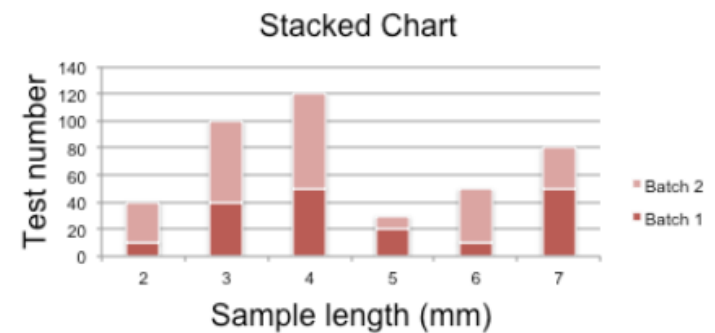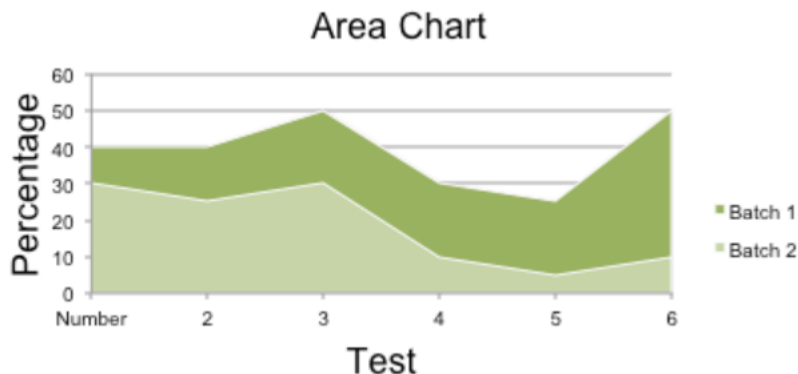
Create Excel Chart

1) Import necessary functions

```python
import openpyxl
from openpyxl.chart import BarChart, Reference, Series

workbook = openpyxl.load_workbook("bmi.xlsx")
sheet=workbook["Sheet1"]

chart = BarChart()

labels = Reference(sheet, min_col=1, min_row=2, max_row=3)
data = Reference(sheet, min_col=3, min_row=1, max_row=3)

chart.add_data(data, titles_from_data=True)
chart.set_categories(labels)
chart.title = "Height"

sheet.add_chart(chart, 'E1')
workbook.save('bmi_chart.xlsx')
```

2) Load the data from excel file

3) Specify the label and the data range

4) Add the chart to the sheet, and save the file in another excel file.

Create Excel Chart

```python
import openpyxl
from openpyxl.chart import BarChart, Reference, Series

workbook = openpyxl.load_workbook("bmi.xlsx")
sheet=workbook["Sheet1"]


chart = BarChart()

# first column is used as label, starting from row 2
labels = Reference(sheet, min_col=1, min_row=2, max_row=3)

# first row is used for header, that is why min_row is 1
data = Reference(sheet, min_col=3, min_row=1, max_row=3)

chart.add_data(data, titles_from_data=True)
chart.set_categories(labels)
chart.title = "Bar Chart"
chart.x_axis.title = "Name"
chart.y_axis.title = "Height"
chart.series[0].SeriesLabel = "height"

sheet.add_chart(chart, 'E1')
workbook.save('bmi_chart.xlsx')
```

1) Import necessary functions

2) Load the data from excel file

3) Specify the label and the data range

4) Specify values for title x-axis and y-axis for the chart

5) Add the chart to the sheet, and save the file in another excel file.

More Explanation on Chart Reference

data = Reference(sheet, min_col=3, min_row=1, max_row=3)

min_col = 3 ← height

Min_col = 2 ← weight

labels = Reference(sheet, min_col=1 min_row=2, max_row=3)
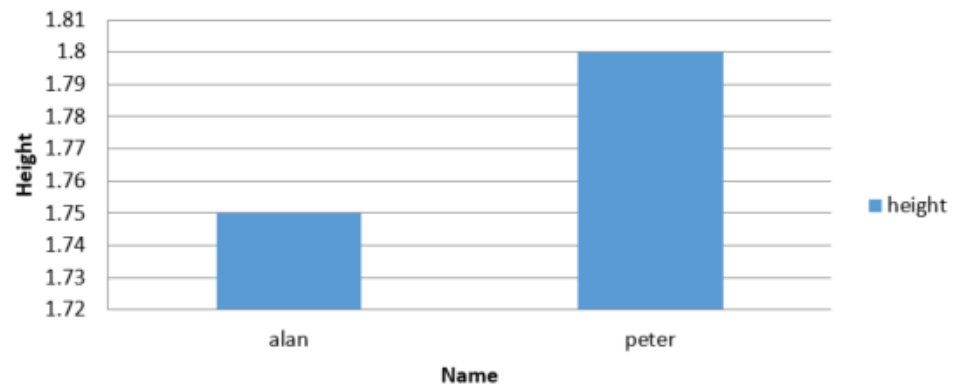
Exercise

- **Write code to achieve the following:**

  1. Refer to the documentation at
     https://openpyxl.readthedocs.io/en/stable/charts/pie.html#id1

  2. Follow the instruction to create the following pie chart.
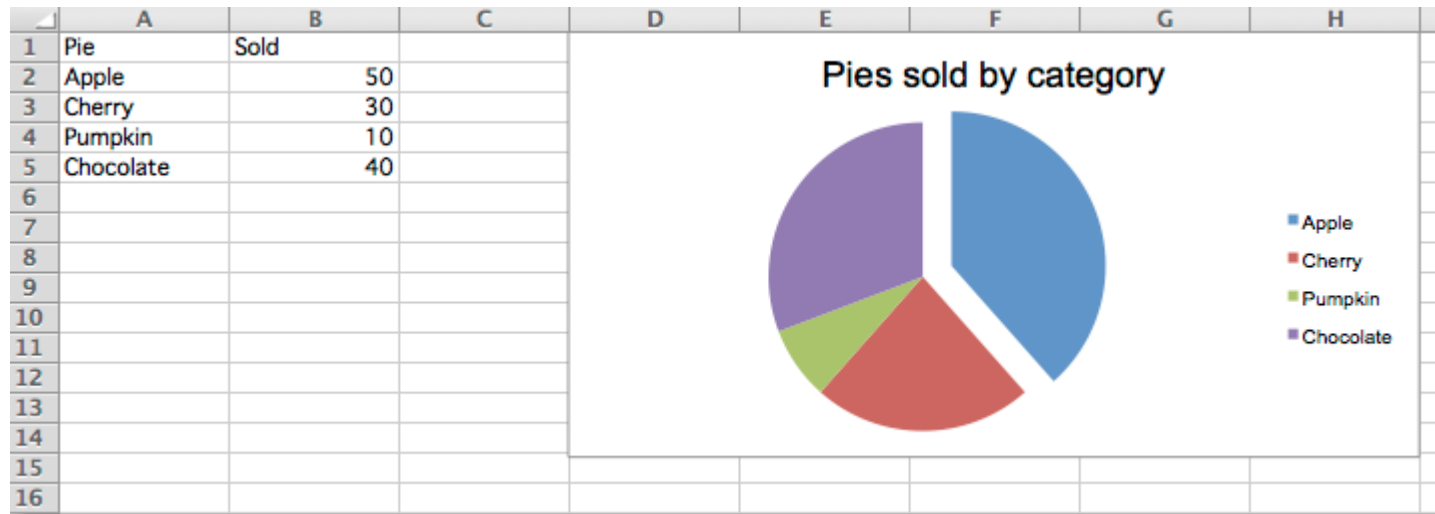
Use Case Sharing

- RPA (Robotic Process Automation) can be used to send WhatsApp messages to students individually

- Write script
  - to split contact list for students based on intake year
  - to add country code: 65 to all the numbers

2 students in 2017 intake

Create worksheets for students of different intake

Image Processing with Python

Image Processing
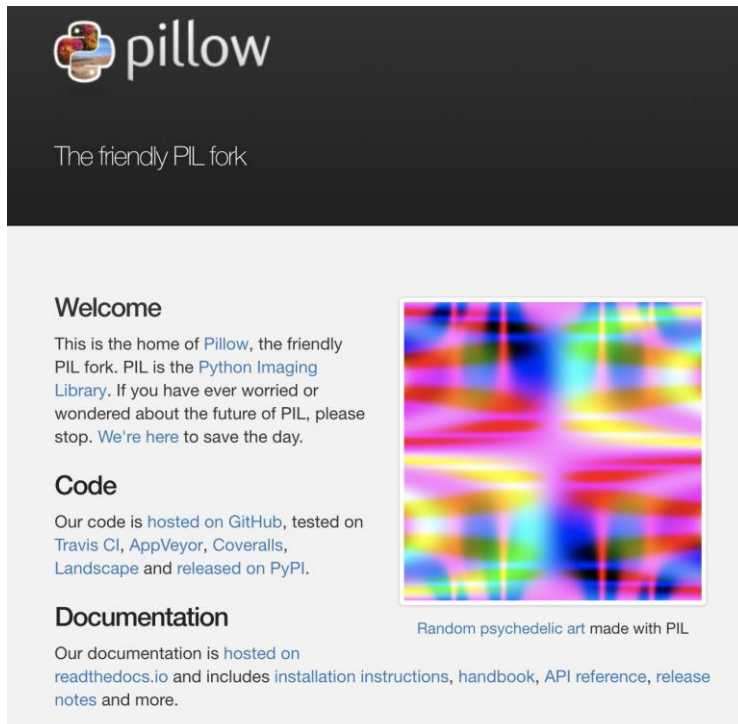
For the next section we are going to use the Python Image Library, or in short Pillow.

Install using the following command:
pip install pillow

The documentation is at:
https://pillow.readthedocs.io/en/stable/handbook/overview.html

Image Processing

```python
import os
from PIL import Image

filename = "img/clungup.jpg"

im = Image.open(filename)
print ("%s - %s" % (im.size, im.mode))

# show the image
im.show()

# close the file
im.close()
```
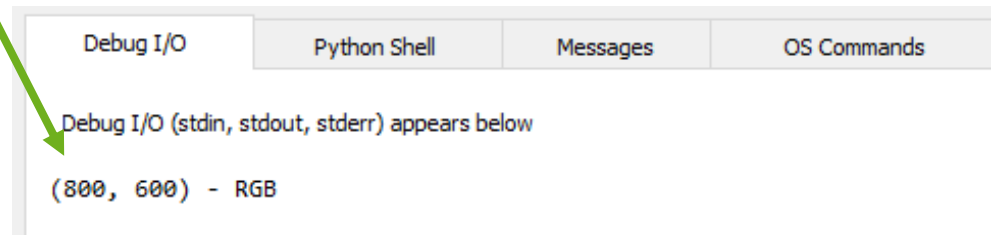
As a start we need to import it:
import Image

We can open images with
im = Image.open(fullname)

Then we can display the image using
im.show()

Print some info about the image using
im.size and im.mode

Debug I/O	Python Shell	Messages	OS Commands

Debug I/O (stdin, stdout, stderr) appears below

(800, 600) - RGB

Size: 800 x 600, Mode: RGB

image_show_info.py

Image Processing

```python
import os
from PIL import Image, ImageFilter

filename = "img/clungup.jpg"

im = Image.open(filename)

out = im.filter(ImageFilter.BLUR)

im.show()
out.show()
```

Pillow has many conversion and filters, to use filters we need to extend our import:
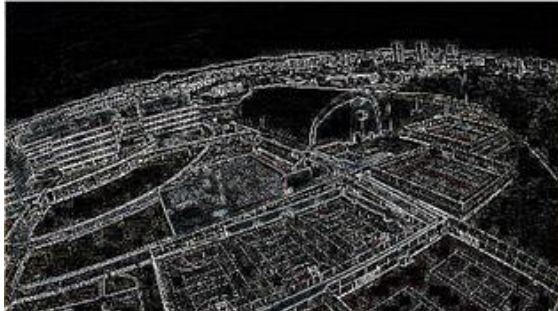from PIL import Image, ImageFilter

The way you can apply filters is :
out = im.filter(ImageFilter.BLUR)

Try other different filters!

image_blur_filter.py

Image processing - filters


```
image = ImageOps.grayscale(image)
```



```
image = image.filter(ImageFilter.FIND_EDGES)
```

```
image = image.filter(ImageFilter.CONTOUR)
```



```
image = ImageOps.solarize(image)
```


⚠ * Remember to include
ImageOps in your import statement

Image processing - filters

```python
import os
from PIL import Image, ImageFilter, ImageOps

filename = "img/clungup.jpg"

im = Image.open(filename)

# Filter
#out = im.filter(ImageFilter.BLUR)
#out = im.filter(ImageFilter.FIND_EDGES)
#out = im.filter(ImageFilter.CONTOUR)

# ImageOps
out = ImageOps.grayscale(im)
#out = ImageOps.solarize(im)

im.show()
out.show()
```
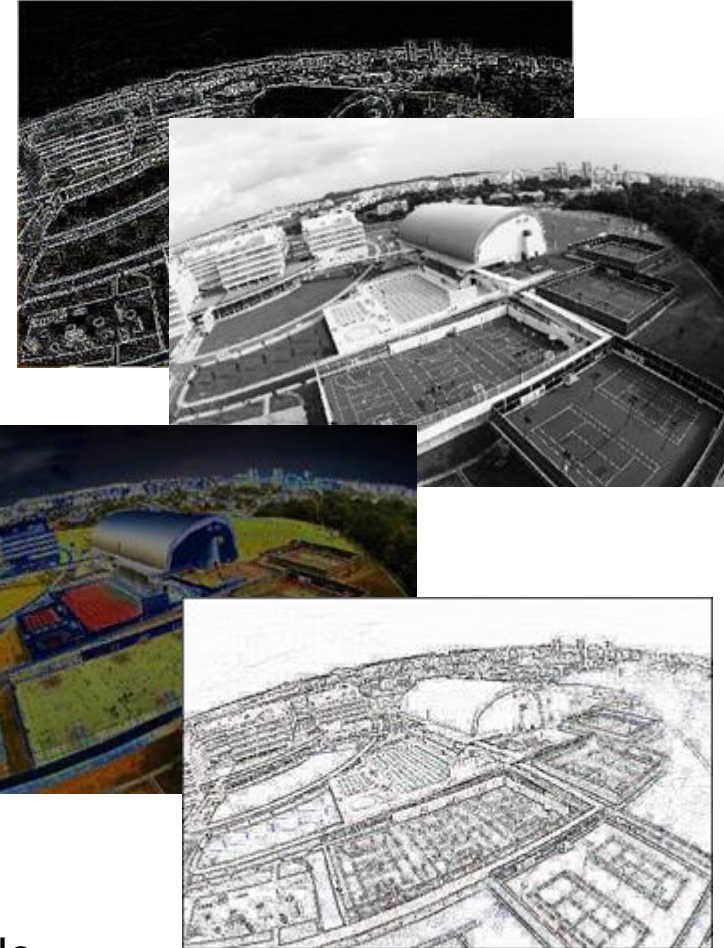
⚠ * Remember to include ImageOps in your import statement

image_other_filters.py

Image Processing - Rotating

```
#Flipping the image horizontally or vertically
out = im.transpose(Image.FLIP_LEFT_RIGHT)
out = im.transpose(Image.FLIP_TOP_BOTTOM)
```

Flip images

```
#Rotating the image
out = im.transpose(Image.ROTATE_90)
out = im.transpose(Image.ROTATE_180)
out = im.transpose(Image.ROTATE_270)
```

Rotate images

```
#Contrast
#First add ImageEnhance to our imports:
from PIL import Image, ImageFilter, ImageEnhance

#Then:

enh = ImageEnhance.Contrast(im)
out = enh.enhance(1.3)
```

make image brighter by
changing the contrast

image_rotate.py

Image Processing - Writing

```python
import os
from PIL import Image, ImageFilter, ImageOps

filename = "clungup.jpg"

src_folder = "img/"
out_folder = "out/"

im = Image.open(src_folder + filename) # img/clungup.jpg
out = im.filter(ImageFilter.BLUR)

outFilename = out_folder + filename # out/clungup.jpg

out.save(outFilename)
```

You can see the image, but it's not being saved !

All you need to do to save the images in the "out" folder is:
out.save(the name of the output file)

Image processing – Converting

Sometimes, we may want to keep all your photos in the same format.

Or, we obtained some gif files but want to have bmp or png type.

Pillow understands the output file, and will convert if the output file is different from the input.

fname1   fname2
holiday.gif   ->   holiday.jpg

How can we convert the string holday.gif to holiday.jpg ?

```
>>> fname1 = "holiday.gif"
>>> fname2 = fname1.split(".")[0] + ".jpg"
>>> print(fname2)
holiday.jpg
>>>
```

```
>>> fname1 = "holiday.gif"
>>> f, e = os.path.splitext(fname1)
>>> fname2 = f + ".jpg"
>>> print(fname2)
holiday.jpg
>>>
```

Image processing – Converting

```python
import os
from PIL import Image, ImageFilter, ImageOps

filename = "clungup.jpg"

src_folder = "img/"
out_folder = "out/"

im = Image.open(src_folder + filename) # img/clungup.jpg
out = im.filter(ImageFilter.BLUR)

# split the filename and the extension
f, e = os.path.splitext(filename)

# add the gif extension to the filename
fname2 = f + ".gif"

outFilename = out_folder + fname2 # out/clungup.gif

out.save(outFilename)
```

os.path.splitext(file) returns a list. We are only interested in f which is the first item in the list.

image_convert_ext.py

Image processing – Watermark

Create the mark image
You can reduce the size to 100,100

Create a new function called

def watermark(im, mark, position):
        ….

It takes the original image, the watermark image and the desired position that we want the watermark to appear. The function will return the result.

We can use this function like:

watermark(im, mark, (0, 50)).show()

or

imOut = watermark(im, mark, (0,50))
imOut.save(fileOut)

```
mark = Image.open("img\\watermark.png")
mark = mark.resize((100,100))
```

There could be cases where you want to leave a small footprint on your images, called watermark.

In this case we can use the \\img\\watermark.png and place it in each image on the bottom right.

Copyright
@RP

Image processing – Watermark

```python
from PIL import Image

def watermark(im, mark, position):
    layer = Image.new("RGBA", im.size, (0,0,0,0))
    layer.paste(mark, position)
    return Image.composite(layer, im, layer)

im = Image.open("img\\clungup.jpg")
mark = Image.open("img\\watermark.png")
mark = mark.resize((100,100))
mark.putalpha(128)

out = watermark(im, mark, (0,0))
out.show()
```

First we need to create a new layer with the size of the original image.

Then we paste the watermark image at the desired position and we return the composite.

Finally we merge the image and the layer together and return the result.

Then you can use it like shown here

image_watermark.py

Use Case I: Batch Resize

1. Find all the files in "img" folder with ".jpg" extension

2. Resize all the file to 60 x 90.

3. Save all the files to the resized folder

```python
import os
from PIL import Image, ImageFilter, ImageOps

files = os.listdir('img')
size = 60, 90

for file in files:
    if file.lower().endswith(".jpg"):
        im = Image.open("img/" + file)
        im.thumbnail(size, Image.ANTIALIAS)
        im.save("resized/" + file, "JPEG")
```

image_batch_resize.py

Use Case II: Batch Rename

1. Find all the files in "img" folder with ".jpg" extension

2. Copy all the files to the renamed folder

3. Rename all the files with the "s-" prefix.

```python
import os
import shutil

files = os.listdir('img')

for file in files:
    if file.lower().endswith(".jpg"):
        shutil.copyfile("img/" + file, "renamed/s-" + file[:-4] + ".jpg")
```

image_batch_rename.py

Web Automation with Python

Connecting to the Web

- requests – download files and web pages from the Web

pip install requests

Get the required information from the given URL

```
import requests

url="https://api.data.gov.sg/v1/environment/24-hour-weather-forecast"
req=requests.get(url)
print(req.text)
```

Data.gov.sg

Search Singapore's Public Data

View All Datasets

Economy   Education   Environment   Finance   Health   Infrastructure   Society   Technology   Transport

web_request.py

Connecting to the Web

- Data is in JSON format

- Use a JSON formatter tool to present the data in a nicer form

http://jsonviewer.stack.hu/

```
import requests

url="https://api.data.gov.sg/v1/environment/24-hour-weather-forecast"
req=requests.get(url)
print(req.text)
```

Connecting to the Web

- To work with JSON data, import json first
- Use json.loads() to load the data in JSON format
- Extract and retrieve the required data

```python
import json
import requests

url="https://api.data.gov.sg/v1/environment/24-hour-weather-forecast"
req=requests.get(url)

data = json.loads(req.text)

# print update timestamp
update_time = data["items"][0]["update_timestamp"]
print("Update time: " + update_time)

# print forecast
forecast = data["items"][0]["general"]["forecast"]
print("Forecast: " + forecast)
```

```
Update time: 2020-07-22T14:51:18+08:00
Forecast: Thundery Showers
```

web_json.py

Connecting to the Web

- Beautiful Soup – a third party module that parses HTML (web pages)

> Web Scraping – download and process Web content
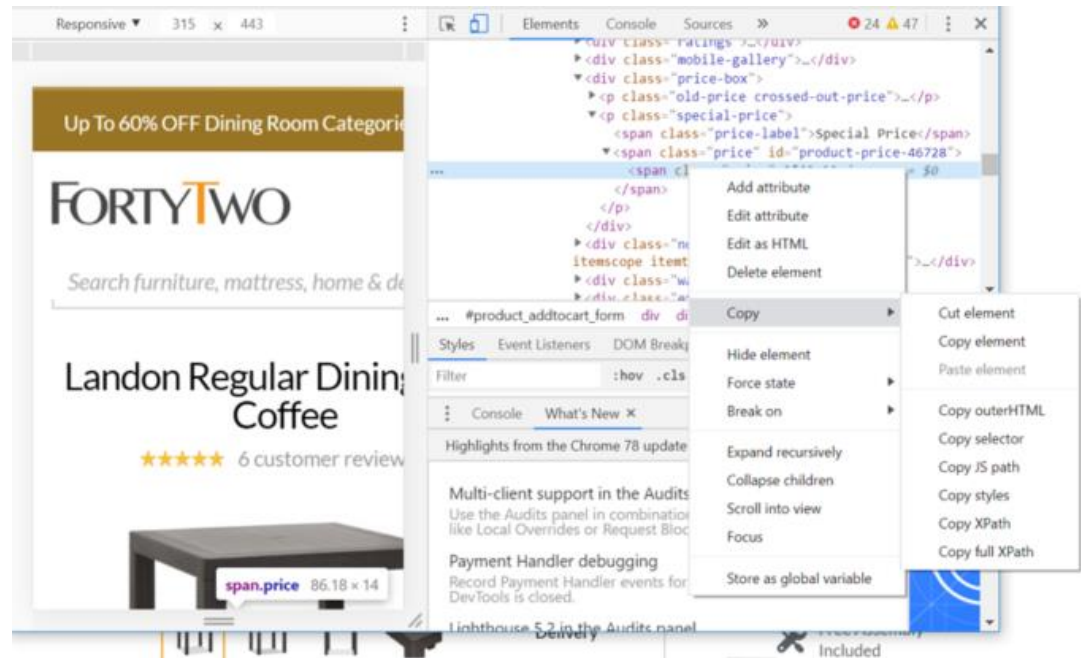
- Install Beautiful Soup 4 - **pip install beautifulsoup4**
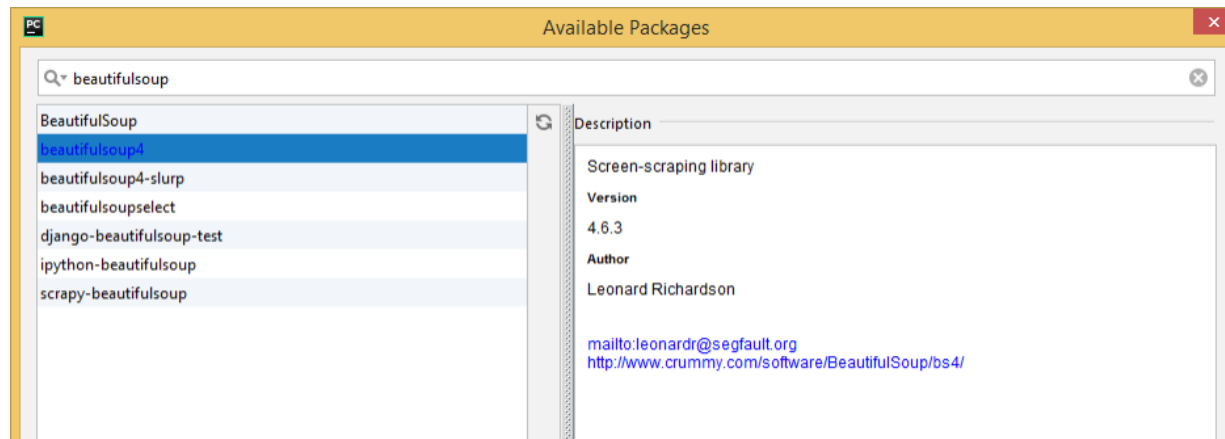
Connecting to the Web

- What's the URL?

https://www.fortytwo.sg/dining/dining-tables/landon-regular-dining-table-coffee.html

Connecting to the Web
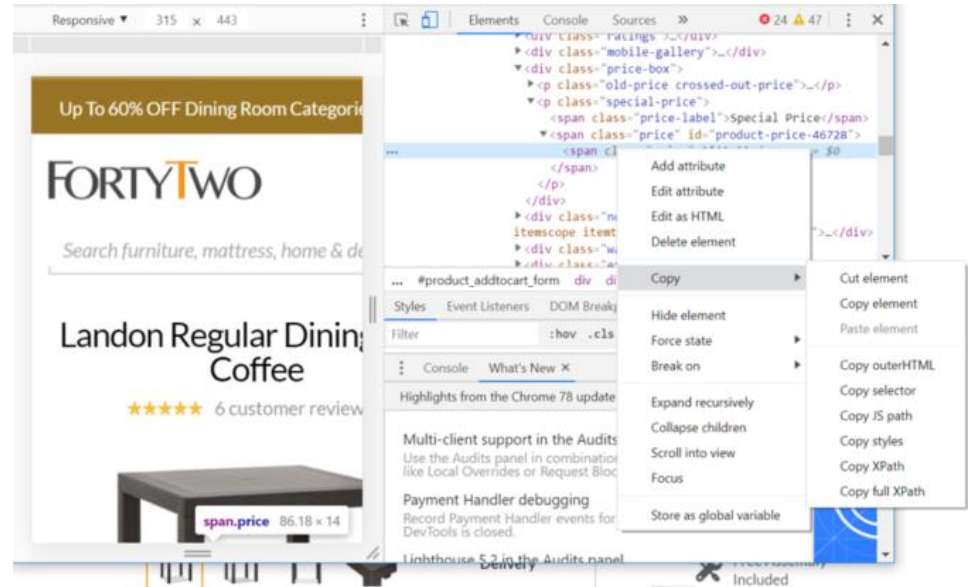
- Get the url

https://www.fortytwo.sg/dining/dining-tables/landon-regular-dining-table-coffee.html

- Select the element to extract
  - right-click -> "Inspect"
  - hover to "Copy"
  - click on "Copy selector"

Connecting to the Web

- Get the url

- Select the element to extract

  - right-click -> "Inspect"

  - hover to "Copy"

  - click on "Copy selector"


```python
import bs4
import requests

requestObj = requests.get("https://www.fortytwo.sg/dining/dining-tables/landon-regular-dining-table-coffee.html")
requestObj.raise_for_status()
soup = bs4.BeautifulSoup(requestObj.text, 'html.parser')

elements = soup.select("#product-price-46728") # $69.90
print("Current Price: " + elements[0].text)

elements = soup.select("#old-price-46728")  # $129.90
print("\nOld Price: " + elements[0].text)

elements = soup.select("div.earliest-delivery-date")  # Earliest by Sunday, 31 May 2020
print("\nDelivery Date: " + elements[0].text)
```


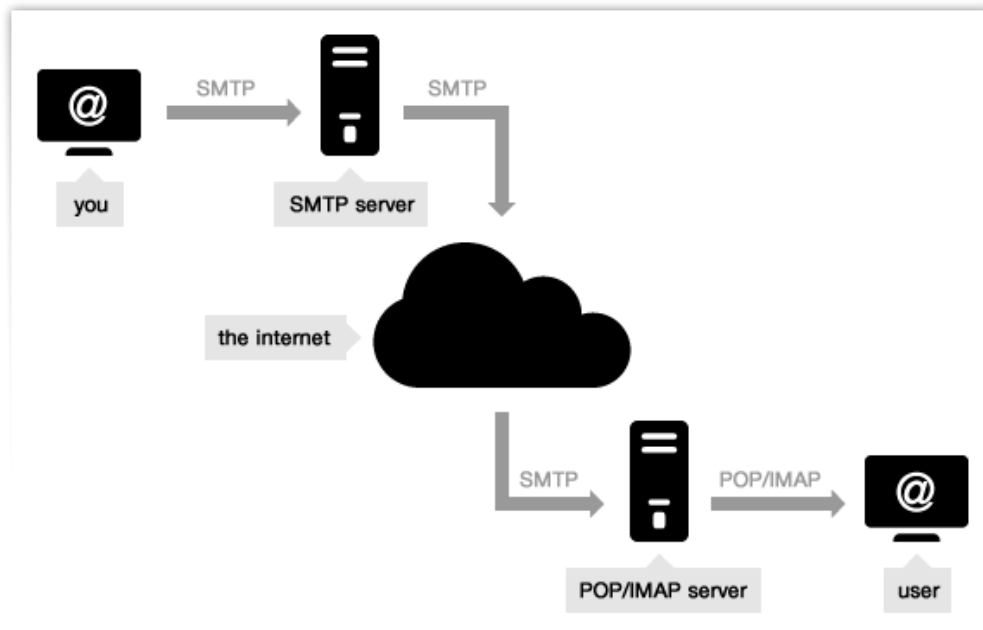web_scrap.py

Email Automation with Python

Send Email
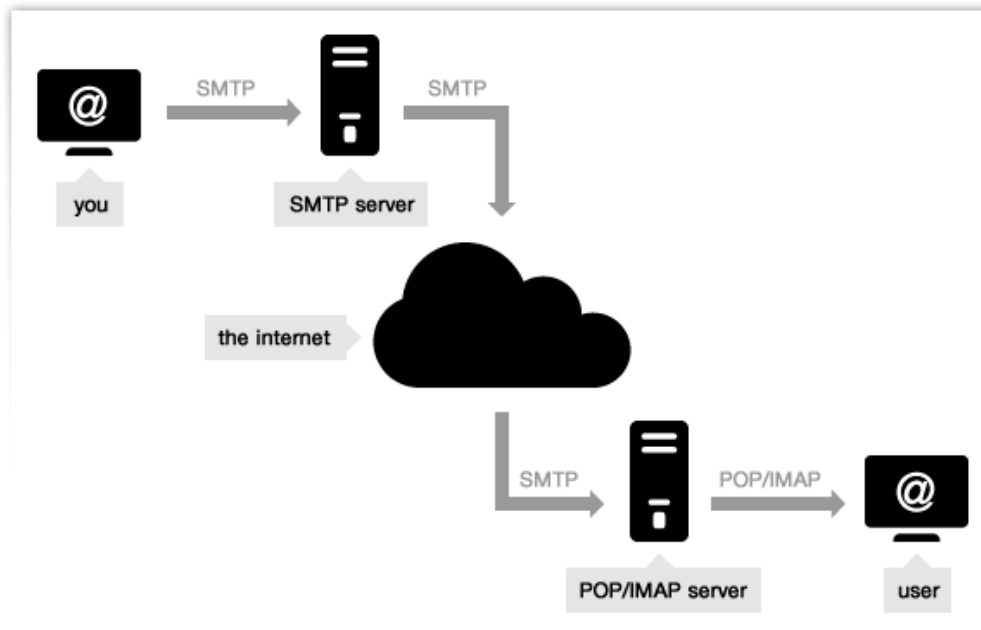
- SMTP (Simple Mail Transfer Protocol) is used for sending and delivering from a client to a server via port 25, 465 or 587: it's the **outgoing server**.

- IMAP and POP are two methods to access email. IMAP is the recommended method when you need to check your emails from several different devices, such as a phone, laptop, and tablet.

https://www.mailgun.com/blog/which-smtp-port-understanding-ports-25-465-587/

https://serversmtp.com/what-is-smtp-server/

Send Email

- **Note**: The SMTP servers used when you send your emails- Hotmail, Gmail , Yahoo Mail – are **shared among users**

- Common providers establish some **strict limits** on the number of emails you can send (e.g. Yahoo's restriction is 100 emails per hour).

- If you plan to send a bulk email or set up an email campaign you should opt for a professional outgoing email server like turboSMTP,

- which guarantees a controlled IP and ensure that all your messages reach their destination.

Send Email using Gmail

Incoming Mail (IMAP) Server	imap.gmail.com
	Requires SSL: Yes
	Port: 993
Outgoing Mail (SMTP) Server	smtp.gmail.com
	Requires SSL: Yes
	Requires TLS: Yes (if available)
	Requires Authentication: Yes
	Port for SSL: 465
	Port for TLS/STARTTLS: 587
Full Name or Display Name	Your name
Account Name, User name, or Email address	Your full email address
Password	Your Gmail password

Note: If you are using your office network, most port numbers, including 587, may be blocked.

Send Email using Gmail

- Import smtplib module

- Specify Gmail email & password, receiver's email address, email title & content

- Connect to SMTP server using Port 587

- Call starttls() to enable encryption for your connection

- Login using email and password

- Call sendmail()

- Call quit() to disconnect from the SMTP server

```python
import smtplib

sender_email_address = "your_email_address@gmail.com"
sender_email_password = "xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx"
receiver_email_address = "another_email_address@gmail.com"
email_title_content = "Subject: Sending Email Using Python\nThis is a test email."

email_title_content = "Subject: Sending Email Using Python\nThis is a test email."
```

➢The start of the email body must begin with "Subject: " for the subject line. The "\n" newline character separates the subject line from the main body content.

```python
print("Trying to connect to Gmail SMTP server")
smtpObj = smtplib.SMTP("smtp.gmail.com", 587)
smtpObj.starttls()

print("Connected. Logging in...")
smtpObj.login(sender_email_address, sender_email_password)

smtpObj.sendmail(sender_email_address, receiver_email_address, email_title_content)
print("Email sent successfully...")

smtpObj.quit()
```
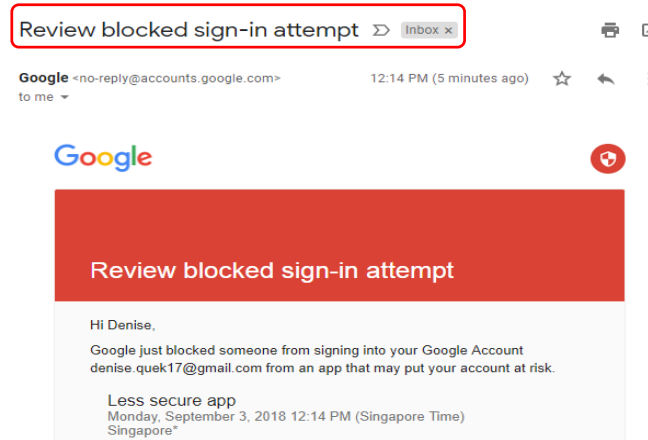
email_gmail.py

Send Email using Gmail

- Google may block attempted sign-in from unknown devices that don't meet their security standards!


```
C:\Users\denise_quek\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python37\python.exe D:/CET_Python/Denise/TestEmail.py
Trying to connect to Gmail SMTP server
Connected. Logging in...
Traceback (most recent call last):
  File "D:/CET_Python/Denise/TestEmail.py", line 13, in <module>
    smtpObj.login(sender_email_address, sender_email_password)
  File "C:\Users\denise_quek\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python37\lib\smtplib.py", line 730, in login
    raise last_exception
  File "C:\Users\denise_quek\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python37\lib\smtplib.py", line 721, in login
    initial_response_ok=initial_response_ok)
  File "C:\Users\denise_quek\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python37\lib\smtplib.py", line 642, in auth
    raise SMTPAuthenticationError(code, resp)
smtplib.SMTPAuthenticationError: (534, b'5.7.9 Application-specific password required. Learn more at\n5.7.9

Process finished with exit code 1
```

Send Email using Gmail

Steps To Create Google App Password

Step 1: Login to Gmail. Go to Account → Signing in to Google

Step 2: Make sure that 2-Step Verification is on

Step 3: Create an App password

Send Email using Gmail

Send Email using Gmail

- Replace your actual password with the App password

```python
import smtplib

sender_email_address = "your_email_address@gmail.com"
sender_email_password = "xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx"
receiver_email_address = "another_email_address@gmail.com"
email_title_content = "Subject: Sending Email Using Python\nThis is a test email."
```

- Run your email program

```
C:\Users\denise_quek\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python37\python.exe D:/CET_Python/Denise/TestEmail.py
Trying to connect to Gmail SMTP server
Connected. Logging in...
Email sent successfully...

Process finished with exit code 0
```

Use Case: Send emails to students

- Send email to students who were absent

	A	B	C
1	**Student**	**Email**	**Status**
2	Alicia	code.musically@gmail.com	Present
3	Bryan	code.musically@gmail.com	Present
4	Carol	code.musically@gmail.com	Absent
5	David	code.musically@gmail.com	Absent
6	Evelyn	code.musically@gmail.com	Present
7			

Sheet1

```python
#! python3

import openpyxl, smtplib

def sendEmail(name, emailTo):
    email_body = "Subject: Your attendance. \nDear %s, \nYou were absent for class.\n" %(name)

    smtpObj = smtplib.SMTP("smtp.gmail.com", 587)
    smtpObj.starttls()
    smtpObj.login("code.musically@gmail.com", "xxxxxxxxxxxxx")
    smtpObj.sendmail('code.musically@gmail.com', emailTo, email_body)

    smtpObj.quit()
```

Use Case: Send Emails to Students

- Open an Excel file
- Send email to students who were absent

```python
16    workbook = openpyxl.load_workbook("D:\CET_Python\students_attendance.xlsx")
17    sheet = workbook["Sheet1"]
18
19    max_row = sheet.max_row
20    max_column = sheet.max_column
21
22    for i in range(1, max_row+1):
23
24        attendance = sheet.cell(row=i, column=3).value
25
26        if attendance == "Absent":
27            name = sheet.cell(row=i, column=1).value
28            email = sheet.cell(row=i, column=2).value
29
30            print(name + " is absent.")
31            sendEmail(name, email)
32            print("Email sent to " + email)
33            print()
34
```
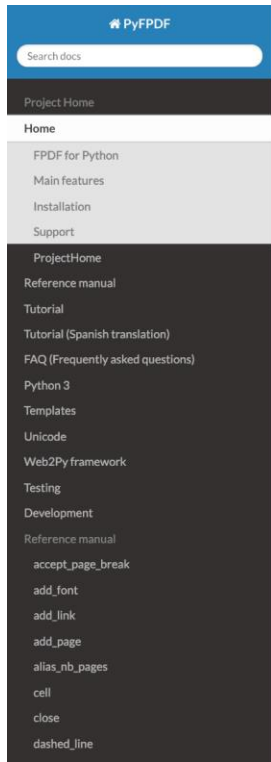
email_students.py

Sharing other Use Cases

- Sending Emails using Outlook
- Create Appointment using Outlook

Generate PDF Report with Python

PDF

- Install fpdf
  - pip install fpdf

https://pyfpdf.readthedocs.io/en/latest/Tutorial/index.html

PDF – Basic document

```python
import fpdf

#create a new pdf
document = fpdf.FPDF()

#define font and color for title and add the first page
document.set_font("Times","B", 14)
document.set_text_color(19,83,173)
document.add_page()

#write the title of the document
document.cell(0,5,"PDF Test Document")
document.ln()

#write a long paragraph
document.set_font("Times", "", 11)
document.set_text_color(0)
document.multi_cell(0,10, "This is an example of a long paragraph. \n" * 10)
document.ln()

#save the document
document.output("pdf_report.pdf")
```

- Import fpdf
- Create a new pdf document
- Add page
- Add text
- Save file

PDF Test Document

This is an example of a long paragraph.

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This is an example of a long paragraph.

pdf_text.py

PDF – adding images

```python
import fpdf

#create a new pdf
document = fpdf.FPDF()

#define font and color for title and add the first page
document.set_font("Times","B", 14)
document.set_text_color(19,83,173)
document.add_page()

#add a image
document.image("rp_logo.png", x=10, y=5, w=23)

document.set_y(40);

#write the title of the document
document.cell(0,5,"PDF Test Document")
document.ln()

#write a long paragraph
document.set_font("Times", "", 11)
document.set_text_color(0)
document.multi_cell(0,5, "This is an example of a long paragraph. " * 10)
document.ln()

#save the document
document.output("pdf_report.pdf")
```

- Import fpdf
- Create a new pdf document
- Add page
- Add text, logo
- Save file

PDF Test Document

This is an example of a long paragraph. This is an example of a long paragraph. This is an example of a long paragraph. This is an example of a long paragraph. This is an example of a long paragraph. This is an example of a long paragraph. This is an example of a long paragraph. This is an example of a long paragraph. This is an example of a long paragraph. This is an example of a long paragraph.

https://pyfpdf.readthedocs.io/en/latest/reference/image/index.html

pdf_image.py

PDF – Adding password

```python
import fpdf
import PyPDF2

#create a new pdf
document = fpdf.FPDF()

#define font and color for title and add the first page
document.set_font("Times","B", 14)
document.set_text_color(19,83,173)
document.add_page()

#write the title of the document
document.cell(0,5,"PDF Test Document")
document.ln()

#save the document
document.output("pdf_report_before_pw.pdf")

#save the document into a new password protected/encrypted pdf
pdffile = open(r"pdf_report_before_pw.pdf", "rb")
pdfReader = PyPDF2.PdfFileReader(pdffile)
pdfWriter = PyPDF2.PdfFileWriter()
for pageNum in range(pdfReader.numPages):
    pdfWriter.addPage(pdfReader.getPage(pageNum))

pdfWriter.encrypt('123')
resultPDF = open(r"pdf_report_after_pw.pdf", "wb")
pdfWriter.write(resultPDF)
resultPDF.close()
pdffile.close()
```

- pip install PyPDF2

Password is 123

https://pythonhosted.org/PyPDF2/

pdf_password.py

Use Cases

- Automation:
  - Generation of reports with data from spreadsheet or database
  - Generation of Course Certificates in PDF format
  - Password protection of banking statement in PDF file

Charting/Visualisation with Python

Charting

pip install matplotlib

Full documentation:
https://matplotlib.org/

Charting

```python
1    import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
2
3    #set up values
4    VALUES = [100,150,125,170]
5    POS = [0,1,2,3]
6    LABELS = ['Q1 2018','Q2 2018','Q3 2018','Q4 2018']
7
8    #set up the chart
9    plt.bar(POS,VALUES)
10   plt.xticks(POS, LABELS)
11   plt.ylabel('Sales')
12
13   #to display the chart
14   plt.show()
```
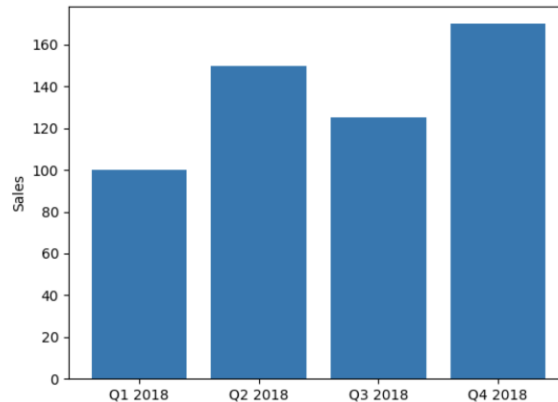
- Install matplotlib
- Prepare data
- Create bar graph
- Display the chart

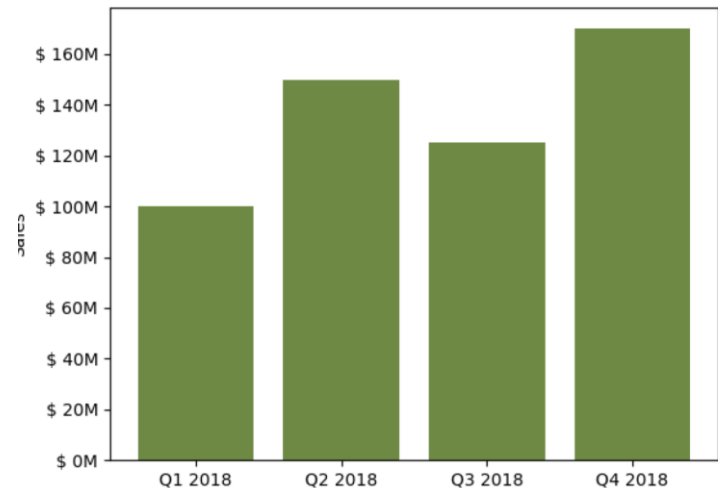https://matplotlib.org/api/_as_gen/matplotlib.pyplot.bar.html

chart_bar.py

Charting

```python
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from matplotlib.ticker import FuncFormatter

def value_format(value, position):
        return '$ {}M'.format(int(value))

# set up values
VALUES = [100,150,125,170]
POS = [0,1,2,3]
LABELS = ['Q1 2018','Q2 2018','Q3 2018','Q4 2018']

# set up the chart
# Colors can be specified in multiple formats, as
# described in https://matplotlib.org/api/colors_api.html
# https://xkcd.com/color/rgb/
plt.bar(POS,VALUES, color='xkcd:moss green')
plt.xticks(POS, LABELS)
plt.ylabel('Sales')

# retreive the current axes and apply formatter
axes = plt.gca()
axes.yaxis.set_major_formatter(FuncFormatter(value_format))

# to display the chart
plt.show()
```

- Install matplotlib
- Prepare data
- Customise graph options
- Create bar graph
- Display the chart

chart_bar_format.py

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Charting

```python
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

#set up values
VALUESA = [100,150,125,170]
VALUESB = [0,15,40,80]
VALUESC = [3,5,7,3]
POS = [0,1,2,3]
LABELS = ['Q1 2018','Q2 2018','Q3 2018','Q4 2018']

# Create the first plot
plt.subplot(2,1,1)

#creata a bar graph with informaton about VALUESA
plt.bar(POS,VALUESA)
plt.ylabel('Sales')

#create a different Y axis, and add information
#about VALUESB as a line plot
plt.twinx()
plt.plot(POS,VALUESB,'o-',color='red')
plt.xticks(POS, LABELS)
plt.ylabel('Sales B')
plt.xticks(POS, LABELS)

#create another subplot and fill it iwth VALUESC
plt.subplot(2,1,2)
plt.plot(POS, VALUESC)
plt.gca().set_ylim(bottom=0)
plt.xticks(POS,LABELS)

plt.show()
```

- Multiple charts
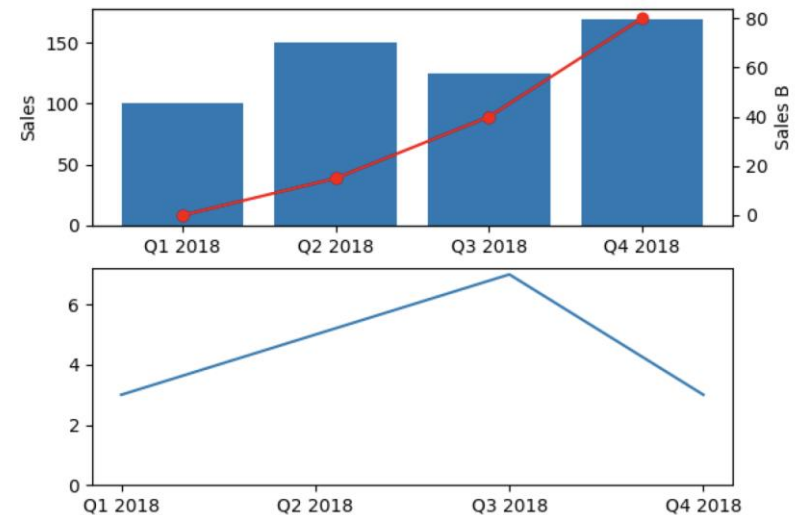
https://matplotlib.org/api/_as_gen/matplotlib.pyplot.subplot.html

chart_subplots.py

Charting – Scatter Plot

```python
1   import csv
2   import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
3   from matplotlib.ticker import FuncFormatter
4
5   def format_minutes(value, pos):
6           return '{}m'.format(int(value))
7
8   def format_dollars(value, pos):
9           return '${}'.format(value)
10
11  # read data from csv
12  fp = open("scatter.csv","r", newline='')
13  reader = csv.reader(fp)
14  data = list(reader)
15
16  data_x=[]
17  data_y=[]
18  for x, y in data:
19          data_x.append(float(x))
20          data_y.append(float(y))
21
22  plt.scatter(data_x, data_y)
23
24  plt.gca().xaxis.set_major_formatter(FuncFormatter(format_minutes))
25  plt.xlabel('Time in website')
26  plt.gca().yaxis.set_major_formatter(FuncFormatter(format_dollars))
27  plt.ylabel('Spending')
28
29  plt.show()
```

- To save a plot:
  plt.savefig(*filename*)

- Save the plot before you display

chart_scatter.py
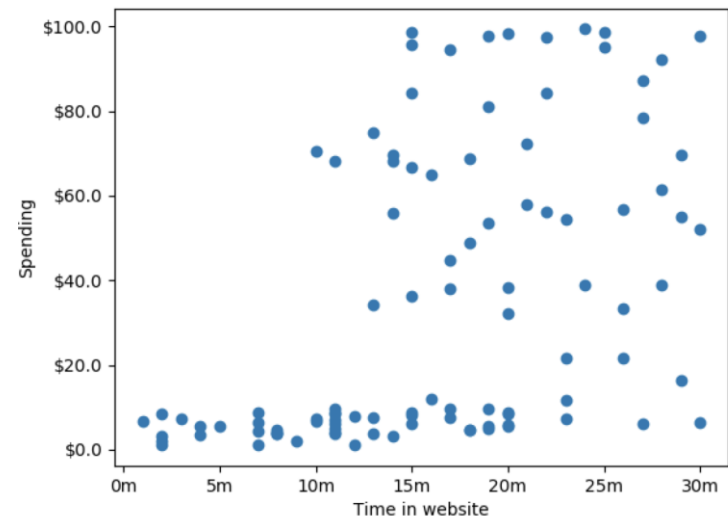
End of Day 2

This concludes the Introduction to Python, I hope you enjoyed it.

QUESTIONS ?

Where to go from here ?

Getting started step by step
http://www.python.org/about/gettingstarted/

Run through the python tutorials:
http://docs.python.org/tutorial/index.html

Keep the API doc under your pillow:
http://docs.python.org/library/index.html

Advanced examples:
http://www.diveintopython.org/toc/index.html

Where to go from here ?

MOOC:
DataCamp
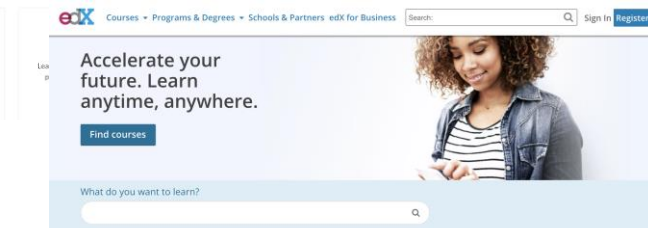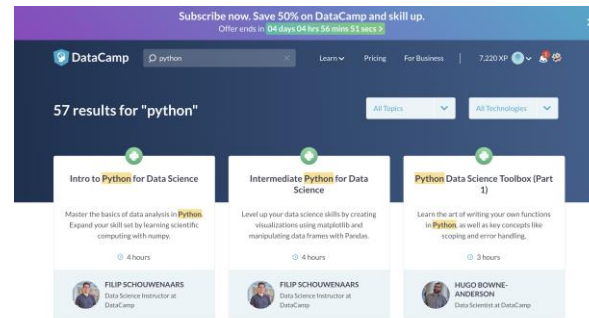https://www.datacamp.com/

Edx
https://www.edx.org/

Udemy (freemium course)
https://t.me/freecourse

Where to go from here ?

Think Python is an introduction to Python programming for beginners. It starts with basic concepts of programming, and is carefully designed to define all terms when they are first used and to develop each new concept in a logical progression. Larger pieces, like recursion and object-oriented programming are divided into a sequence of smaller steps and introduced over the course of several chapters.

Think Python is a Free Book. It is available under the Creative Commons Attribution-NonCommercial 3.0 Unported License, which means that you are free to copy, distribute, and modify it, as long as you attribute the work and don't use it for commercial purposes. http://greenteapress.com/thinkpython/thinkpython.pdf

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- https://www.rp.edu.sg/soi/lifelong-learning

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+ **Artificial Intelligence for Techies - A Hands-On Approach (1 day Beginner)**

+ **An Introduction to Code-Free Machine Learning (1 day Beginner)**

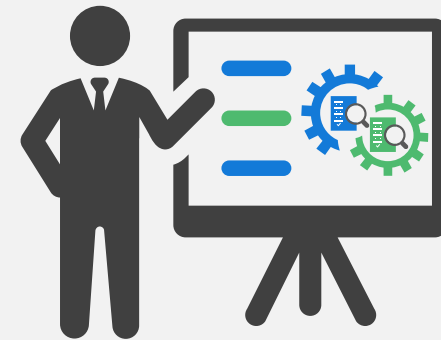# Thank you

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