# Python - Almost a circle

#### Python



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## **Background Context**

The AirBnB project is a big part of the Higher level curriculum. This project will help you be ready for it.

In this project, you will review everything about Python:

- Import
- Exceptions
- Class
- Private attribute
- Getter/Setter
- · Class method
- · Static method
- Inheritance
- Unittest
- Read/Write file

You will also learn about:

- args and kwargs
- Serialization/Deserialization
- JSON



### Resources

#### Read or watch:

- args/kwargs (/rltoken/7zBCbNkZbTlhjBk3ElF51Q)
- JSON encoder and decoder (/rltoken/Z2J1HT8EQtKC5ppFRGN5JQ)
- unittest module (/rltoken/p5yLGmkQPUoKIXRMVYmNWA)
- Python test cheatsheet (/rltoken/wgELatpgT9UQII0z7DPPAg)

## **Learning Objectives**

At the end of this project, you are expected to be able to explain to anyone (/rltoken/LnSf21WNEy0h1xxtCU1luA), without the help of Google:

### General

- What is Unit testing and how to implement it in a large project
- How to serialize and deserialize a Class
- How to write and read a JSON file
- What is \*args and how to use it
- What is \*\*kwargs and how to use it
- How to handle named arguments in a function

## Requirements

## **Python Scripts**

- Allowed editors: Visual studio code
- All your files will be interpreted/compiled on Ubuntu 20.04 LTS using python3 (version 3.4.3)

- All your files should end with a new line
- (/) A README.md file, at the root of the folder of the project, is mandatory
  - Your code should use the PEP 8 style (version 1.7.\*)
  - The length of your files will be tested using wc
  - All your modules should be documented: python3 -c 'print(\_\_import\_\_("my\_module").\_\_doc\_\_)'
  - All your classes should be documented: python3 -c
     'print(\_\_import\_\_("my\_module").MyClass.\_\_doc\_\_)'
  - All your functions (inside and outside a class) should be documented: python3 -c

```
'print(__import__("my_module").my_function.__doc__)' and python3 -c
'print(__import__("my_module").MyClass.my_function.__doc__)'
```

• A documentation is not a simple word, it's a real sentence explaining what's the purpose of the module, class or method (the length of it will be verified)

## **Tasks**

#### 0. Base class

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Score: 26.0% (Checks completed: 40.0%)

Write the first class Base:

Create a folder named <code>models</code> with an empty file <code>\_\_init\_\_.py</code> inside - with this file, the folder will become a Python package

Create a file named models/base.py:

- Class Base:
  - o private class attribute \_\_nb\_objects = 0
  - o class constructor: def \_\_init\_\_(self, id=None)::
    - if id is not None, assign the public instance attribute id with this argument value you can assume id is an integer and you don't need to test the type of it
    - otherwise, increment \_\_nb\_objects and assign the new value to the public instance attribute id

This class will be the "base" of all other classes in this project. The goal of it is to manage id attribute in all your future classes and to avoid duplicating the same code (by extension, same bugs)

```
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ cat 0-main.py
#!/usr/bin/python3
""" 0-main """
from models.base import Base
if __name__ == "__main__":
    b1 = Base()
    print(b1.id)
    b2 = Base()
    print(b2.id)
    b3 = Base()
    print(b3.id)
    b4 = Base(12)
    print(b4.id)
    b5 = Base()
    print(b5.id)
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ ./0-main.py
1
2
3
12
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$
```

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- File: models/base.py, models/\_\_init\_\_.py

1. First Rectangle

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Score: 43.33% (*Checks completed: 66.67%*)

Write the class Rectangle that inherits from Base:

- In the file models/rectangle.py
- Class Rectangle inherits from Base
- Private instance attributes, each with its own public getter and setter:

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o \_\_width -> width

- Class constructor: def \_\_init\_\_(self, width, height, x=0, y=0, id=None):
  - Call the super class with id this super call with use the logic of the \_\_init\_\_ of the Base class
  - Assign each argument width, height, x and y to the right attribute

Why private attributes with getter/setter? Why not directly public attribute?

Because we want to protect attributes of our class. With a setter, you are able to validate what a developer is trying to assign to a variable. So after, in your class you can "trust" these attributes.

```
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ cat 1-main.py
#!/usr/bin/python3
""" 1-main """
from models.rectangle import Rectangle
if __name__ == "__main__":
    r1 = Rectangle(10, 2)
    print(r1.id)
    r2 = Rectangle(2, 10)
    print(r2.id)
    r3 = Rectangle(10, 2, 0, 0, 12)
    print(r3.id)
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ ./1-main.py
1
2
12
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$
```

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#### 2. Validate attributes

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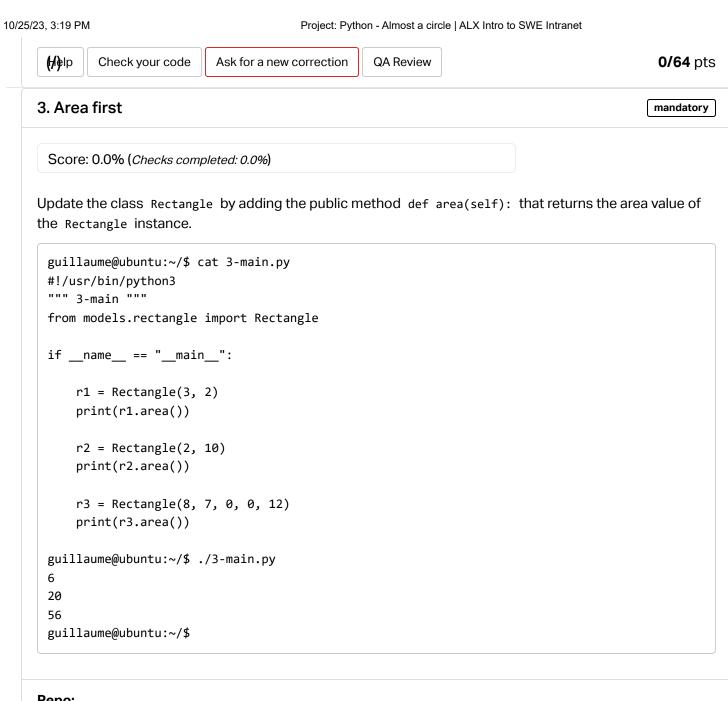
Score: 0.0% (Checks completed: 0.0%)

Update the class Rectangle by adding validation of all setter methods and instantiation (id excluded):

- If the input is not an integer, raise the TypeError exception with the message: <name of the (/) attribute> must be an integer. Example: width must be an integer
  - If width or height is under or equals 0, raise the ValueError exception with the message: <name of the attribute> must be > 0. Example: width must be > 0
  - If x or y is under 0, raise the ValueError exception with the message: <name of the attribute> must be >= 0 . Example: x must be >= 0

```
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ cat 2-main.py
#!/usr/bin/python3
""" 2-main """
from models.rectangle import Rectangle
if __name__ == "__main__":
    try:
        Rectangle(10, "2")
    except Exception as e:
        print("[{}] {}".format(e.__class__.__name__, e))
    try:
        r = Rectangle(10, 2)
        r.width = -10
    except Exception as e:
        print("[{}] {}".format(e.__class__.__name__, e))
    try:
        r = Rectangle(10, 2)
        r.x = \{\}
    except Exception as e:
        print("[{}] {}".format(e.__class__.__name__, e))
    try:
        Rectangle(10, 2, 3, -1)
    except Exception as e:
        print("[{}] {}".format(e.__class__.__name__, e))
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ ./2-main.py
[TypeError] height must be an integer
[ValueError] width must be > 0
[TypeError] x must be an integer
[ValueError] y must be >= 0
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$
```

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#### 4. Display #0

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Update the class Rectangle by adding the public method def display(self): that prints in stdout the Rutangle instance with the character # - you don't need to handle x and y here.

```
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ cat 4-main.py
#!/usr/bin/python3
""" 4-main """
from models.rectangle import Rectangle
if __name__ == "__main__":
    r1 = Rectangle(4, 6)
    r1.display()
    print("---")
    r1 = Rectangle(2, 2)
    r1.display()
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ ./4-main.py
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##
##
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$
```

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5. __str__ mandatory

Score: 13.0% (Checks completed: 20.0%)

Update the class Rectangle by overriding the __str__ method so that it returns [Rectangle] (<id>)
<x>/<y> - <width>/<height>
```

```
gyillaume@ubuntu:~/$ cat 5-main.py
#!/usr/bin/python3
""" 5-main """
from models.rectangle import Rectangle

if __name__ == "__main__":
    r1 = Rectangle(4, 6, 2, 1, 12)
    print(r1)

    r2 = Rectangle(5, 5, 1)
    print(r2)

guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ ./5-main.py
[Rectangle] (12) 2/1 - 4/6
[Rectangle] (1) 1/0 - 5/5
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$
```

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#### 6. Display #1

mandatory

Score: 0.0% (Checks completed: 0.0%)

Update the class Rectangle by improving the public method def display(self): to print in stdout the Rectangle instance with the character # by taking care of x and y

```
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ cat 6-main.py
#!/usr/bin/python3
""" 6-main """
from models.rectangle import Rectangle
if __name__ == "__main__":
    r1 = Rectangle(2, 3, 2, 2)
    r1.display()
    print("---")
    r2 = Rectangle(3, 2, 1, 0)
    r2.display()
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ ./6-main.py | cat -e
$
  ##$
  ##$
  ##$
---$
 ###$
 ###$
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$
```

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#### 7. Update #0

mandatory

Score: 8.48% (Checks completed: 13.04%)

Update the class Rectangle by adding the public method def update(self, \*args): that assigns an argument to each attribute:

- 1st argument should be the id attribute
- 2nd argument should be the width attribute
- 3rd argument should be the height attribute
- 4th argument should be the x attribute
- 5th argument should be the y attribute

This type of argument is called a "no-keyword argument" - Argument order is super important.

```
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ cat 7-main.py
#!/usr/bin/python3
""" Doc """
from models.rectangle import Rectangle
if __name__ == "__main__":
    r1 = Rectangle(10, 10, 10, 10)
    print(r1)
    r1.update(89)
    print(r1)
    r1.update(89, 2)
    print(r1)
    r1.update(89, 2, 3)
    print(r1)
    r1.update(89, 2, 3, 4)
    print(r1)
    r1.update(89, 2, 3, 4, 5)
    print(r1)
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ ./7-main.py
[Rectangle] (1) 10/10 - 10/10
[Rectangle] (89) 10/10 - 10/10
[Rectangle] (89) 10/10 - 2/10
[Rectangle] (89) 10/10 - 2/3
[Rectangle] (89) 4/10 - 2/3
[Rectangle] (89) 4/5 - 2/3
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$
```

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#### 8. Update #1

mandatory

Score: 6.5% (Checks completed: 10.0%)

Update the class Rectangle by updating the public method def update(self, \*args): by changing the prototype to update(self, \*args, \*\*kwargs) that assigns a key/value argument to attributes:

(/)

- \*\*kwargs can be thought of as a double pointer to a dictionary: key/value
  - As Python doesn't have pointers, \*\*kwargs is not literally a double pointer describing it as such is just a way of explaining its behavior in terms you're already familiar with
- \*\*kwargs must be skipped if \*args exists and is not empty
- Each key in this dictionary represents an attribute to the instance

This type of argument is called a "key-worded argument". Argument order is not important.

```
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ cat 8-main.py
#!/usr/bin/python3
""" 8-main """
from models.rectangle import Rectangle
if __name__ == "__main__":
    r1 = Rectangle(10, 10, 10, 10)
    print(r1)
    r1.update(height=1)
    print(r1)
    r1.update(width=1, x=2)
    print(r1)
    r1.update(y=1, width=2, x=3, id=89)
    print(r1)
    r1.update(x=1, height=2, y=3, width=4)
    print(r1)
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ ./8-main.py
[Rectangle] (1) 10/10 - 10/10
[Rectangle] (1) 10/10 - 10/1
[Rectangle] (1) 2/10 - 1/1
[Rectangle] (89) 3/1 - 2/1
[Rectangle] (89) 1/3 - 4/2
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$
```

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#### 9. And now, the Square!

mandatory

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### White the class Square that inherits from Rectangle:

- In the file models/square.py
- Class Square inherits from Rectangle
- Class constructor: def \_\_init\_\_(self, size, x=0, y=0, id=None)::
  - Call the super class with id, x, y, width and height this super call will use the logic of the
     \_\_init\_\_ of the Rectangle class. The width and height must be assigned to the value of
     size
  - You must not create new attributes for this class, use all attributes of Rectangle As reminder:
     a Square is a Rectangle with the same width and height
  - $\circ$  All width, height, x and y validation must inherit from Rectangle same behavior in case of wrong data
- The overloading \_\_str\_\_ method should return [Square] (<id>) <x>/<y> <size> in our case, width or height

As you know, a Square is a special Rectangle, so it makes sense this class Square inherits from Rectangle. Now you have a Square class who has the same attributes and same methods.

```
gyillaume@ubuntu:~/$ cat 9-main.py
#!/usr/bin/python3
""" 9-main """
from models.square import Square
if __name__ == "__main__":
    s1 = Square(5)
    print(s1)
    print(s1.area())
    s1.display()
    print("---")
    s2 = Square(2, 2)
    print(s2)
    print(s2.area())
    s2.display()
    print("---")
    s3 = Square(3, 1, 3)
    print(s3)
    print(s3.area())
    s3.display()
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ ./9-main.py
[Square] (1) 0/0 - 5
25
#####
#####
#####
#####
#####
[Square] (2) 2/0 - 2
  ##
  ##
[Square] (3) 1/3 - 3
 ###
 ###
 ###
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$
```

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- File: models/square.py

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#### 10. Square size

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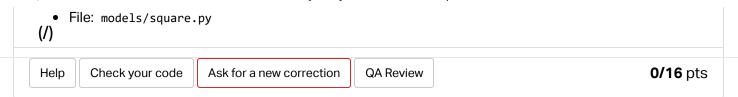
Update the class Square by adding the public getter and setter size

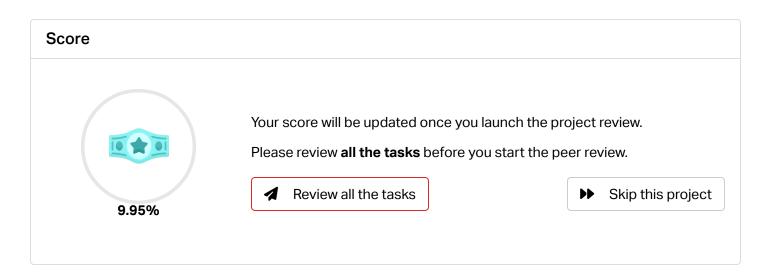
- The setter should assign (in this order) the width and the height with the same value
- The setter should have the same value validation as the Rectangle for width and height No need to change the exception error message (It should be the one from width)

```
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ cat 10-main.py
#!/usr/bin/python3
""" 10-main """
from models.square import Square
if __name__ == "__main__":
    s1 = Square(5)
    print(s1)
    print(s1.size)
    s1.size = 10
    print(s1)
    try:
        s1.size = "9"
    except Exception as e:
        print("[{}] {}".format(e.__class__.__name__, e))
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$ ./10-main.py
[Square] (1) 0/0 - 5
[Square] (1) 0/0 - 10
[TypeError] width must be an integer
guillaume@ubuntu:~/$
```

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