Jupyter Notebooks

- notebooks.azure.com or
- "pip install --user jupyter" (to install locally)
- use the custom command prompt we made
- navigate to folder where your files are
- "jupyter notebook" (to run)

Python Basics

- print basic output command
- input basic input command

Variables

 a memory location that is given a name

to hold a particular bit of data - names can't begin with #, @, \$, !,

- names can't have spaces
- keep variables names short and concise
- names are in the format: first_name
- letter case is important
- must give the variable a value before you can use it. (e.g. name = "john")

String Concatenation

variable + variable : only works if both are strings

variable, variable: only works in "print" and adds an extra space

string.format(variable, variable) :
 "string" is specially formatted string that
 holds "{}" markers

string % variable, variable : old Python 2 method

f"{variable}{variable}" : new Python 3 method

print("text" * 3): repeats the "text"

Comments

- '#' starts a comment

- can consist of any normal text
- 'rule of thumb' a comment every 3-5 lines - short comments can go either at the end of a line or on its own line
- long comments must go on their own line
- try and keep entire line less than 80 chars

Math (in Python)

+, -, *: addition, subtraction, multiplication

"/": decimal division

"//": integer division (use only with integers)

"%": remainder (modulo

division) **: exponents

-e.g. 3 ** 2 = 9

BEDMAS

B - Brackets

E - Exponents

D - Division

M - Multiplication

A - Addition

S - Subtraction

$$1 + (-1) * 4 + 6 / 7 + (10)$$

$$1 + (-1) * 4 + .857142857 + 10$$

$$1 + (-4) + .857142857 + 10$$

7.857142857

$$a^{2} = b^{2} + c^{2}$$

$$a = \sqrt{b^{2} + c^{2}}$$

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$$c = 4 a =$$

math.sqrt(b ** 2 +

Data Type Conversions

int() - converts from string to
integer float() - converts from
string to decimal str() - converts
from a number to a string
 Print / String (revisited)

- printing on multiple lines
- using multiple print statementsprint("Hello")print("World")

- using a single print statement print("Hello\nWorld")
- using multiple print
 statements on the
 same line
 print("Hello",
 end=") # end has 2
 single quotes
 print("World")