

11.Functions

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1 Functions

1.1 Why functions?

- Semantic enrichment of code
- Reusability

Without function

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In [1]: t0 = 12
        t1 = -35
        t2 = 144

        f0 = t0 * 9 / 5 + 32
        f1 = t1 * 9 / 5 + 32
        f2 = t2 * 9 / 5 + 32
```

With function

```
In [2]: def celsius_to_fahrenheit(celsius_temperature):
        print(celsius_temperature * 9 / 5 + 32)

        t0 = 12
        t1 = -35
        t2 = 144

        f0 = celsius_to_fahrenheit(t0)
        f1 = celsius_to_fahrenheit(t1)
        f2 = celsius_to_fahrenheit(t2)
```

```
53.6
-31.0
291.2
```

1.2 Function morphology

Definition

```
def function_name(parameter1, parameter2):  
    function_body
```

Usage

```
a = 3  
function_name(a, 'Qua-qua')
```

For example

```
print("Hi, guys")
```

print - function name
"Hi, guys" - argument

```
In [1]: # Definition of function with 0 arguments  
def function_example():  
    print('!')
```

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In [4]: # Usage  
function_example()
```

!

```
In [5]: # Simple function  
def greet():  
    print('Hi there')
```

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In [6]: greet()
```

Hi there

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In [7]: # Function with 1 argument called name  
def greet(name):  
    print('Hi there', name)
```

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In [8]: # Usage  
greet('Vasya')
```

Hi there Vasya

In the moment of line execution with that function usage passed argument binds with argument in function

In the previous example this takes place
name = 'Vasya'

After that function body operates with the passed value as a variable called name