TUPLE

Ordered, Indexed and Unchangeable. Allows duplicate. Elements can be of any data type.

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In [1]:
         thistuple = (1, 3, 7, 8, 7, 5, 4, 6, 8, 5)
         x = thistuple.count(5)
         print(x)
        2
In [2]:
         thistuple = (1, 3, 7, 8, 7, 5, 4, 6, 8, 5)
         x = thistuple.index(8) # return first index of occurence. Raises exception if not found
         print(x)
        3
In [3]:
         thistuple = ("apple",)
         print(type(thistuple))
         #NOT a tuple
         thistuple = ("apple")
         print(type(thistuple))
        <class 'tuple'>
        <class 'str'>
```

Updating Tuple

Since they are immutable. Therefore, we first cast them as LIST, then change its contents, and then we'll make them again tuple with changes items.

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In [4]:
    x = ("apple", "banana", "cherry")
    y = list(x)
    y[1] = "kiwi"
    y.remove("apple")
    x = tuple(y)
    print(x)

    del x
    try:
        print(x)
    except:
        print("Tuple x no longer exists")

    ('kiwi', 'cherry')
    Tuple x no longer exists
```

HOWEVER

Joining of Tuple can be done easily.

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In [5]:
    tuple1 = ("a", "b", "c")
    tuple2 = (1, 2, 3)
    tuple3 = tuple1 + tuple2
    print(tuple3)

    fruits = ("apple", "banana", "cherry")
    mytuple = fruits * 2
    print(mytuple)

    ('a', 'b', 'c', 1, 2, 3)
    ('apple', 'banana', 'cherry', 'apple', 'banana', 'cherry')
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In [6]:
         \# n(var \ on \ LHS) = n(var \ on \ RHS)
         # if LHS is tuple, it expects RHS to be tuple.
         # if RHS is tuple, LHS may[not] be tuple
         fruits = ("apple", "banana", "cherry")
         green, yellow, red = fruits
         print(green)
         print(yellow)
         print(red)
         print('#'*15)
         fruits = ("apple", "banana", "cherry", "strawberry", "raspberry")
         green, yellow, *red = fruits
         print(green)
         print(yellow)
         print(red)
         print('#'*15)
         fruits = ("apple", "mango", "papaya", "pineapple", "cherry")
         (green, *tropic, red) = fruits
         print(green)
         print(tropic)
         print(red)
        apple
```

apple
banana
cherry
#############
apple
banana
['cherry', 'strawberry', 'raspberry']
############
apple
['mango', 'papaya', 'pineapple']
cherry

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In [7]: # tuples(or any other sequences) can be compared. Underlying concept is, corresponding elements are compared.

print((0,1,2) < (5,1,2))
print(('jones', 'Sally') < ('Jones', 'Sam'))
print(ord('j'))
print(ord('J'))</pre>
True
False
106
74
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