

Last class recap & today

Today:

- practice writing simple programs (SIPO)
- modulo op
- constants: why useful & best practice
- practice using ``math`` module
- int, float types & mixed arithmetic
- more 'print' tricks

Third program: dhms2s

Task: convert a time given in days, hours, minutes, and seconds to the equivalent number of seconds

- do it by hand for a few input cases**
- think what input, output should be what needs to be calculated**
- translate into python**
- check if code reproduces calc's done by-hand**

Third program: dhms2s

```
6 print("Enter your values now,")
7 days = eval(input("Enter days: "))
8 hours = eval(input("Enter hours: "))
9 minutes = eval(input("Enter minutes: "))
10 seconds = eval(input("Enter seconds: "))
11 tot_seconds = days*24*60*60 + hours*60*60 + minutes*60 + seconds
12 print("Total seconds is", tot_seconds)
13
```

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Can we make this code faster?

```
tot_seconds = ((days*24 + hours)*60 + minutes)*60 + seconds
```

Now lets write a program that does the inverse calculation:

take a large number of seconds and find the equivalent number of days, hours, minutes, and seconds

- do it by hand (consider 200,000 seconds)**
- determine: input, output, processing steps**

s2dhms

```
10 tot_seconds = eval(input("Enter the number of seconds: "))
11 days = tot_seconds // (24*60*60)
12 remainder = tot_seconds - days * (24*60*60)
13 hours = remainder // (60*60)
14 remainder = remainder - hours * (60*60)
15 minutes = remainder // 60
16 remainder = remainder - minutes*60
17 print(tot_seconds, "seconds is", days, "days,")
18 print(hours, "hours,", minutes, "minutes and")
19 print(remainder, " seconds.")
20
```

Let's improve this code!

s2dhms

days = $200,000 / (24 * 60 * 60) = 2$
remainder = $200,000 - 2 * (24 * 60 * 60) = 27,200$
hours = $27,200 / (60 * 60) = 7$
remainder = $27,200 - 7 * (60 * 60) = 2000$
minutes = $2,000 / 60 = 33$
seconds = $2,000 - 33 * 60 = 20$

- the **input** is the number of seconds (200,000),
- the **processing** consists of several steps to find the number of days, hours, minutes and seconds, including intermediate steps to find the remainders along the way,
- the **output** is the number of days, hours, minutes and seconds.

modulo: 5th arithmetic operator

- yields the remainder of a division
- denoted by ' $\%$ '
example: $7\%3 = \text{remainder of } 7/3 = 1$
- everyday arithmetic: $-$, $+$, $/$, $*$
- remainder calc is needed in many computat'ns
- exist in most programming languages

s2dhms: rewrite using modulo

```
days = tot_seconds / (24*60*60)
remainder = tot_seconds % (24*60*60)
hours = remainder / (60*60)
remainder = remainder % (60*60)
minutes = remainder / 60
remainder = remainder % 60
```

Can we do better?

s2dhms: improve via symbolic constants

```
days = tot_seconds / (24*60*60)
remainder = tot_seconds % (24*60*60)
hours = remainder / (60*60)
remainder = remainder % (60*60)
minutes = remainder / 60
remainder = remainder % 60
```

We calculate the same thing more than once,
hence there inefficiency.

Also, its not clear why are we multiplying certain numbers etc.

Let's avoid these using symbolic constants

s2dhms: improve via symbolic constants

```
SECS_PER_DAY = 24 * 60 * 60
SECS_PER_HOUR = 60 * 60
SECS_PER_MINUTE = 60
```

```
days = tot_seconds // SECS_PER_DAY
remainder = tot_seconds % SECS_PER_DAY
hours = remainder // SECS_PER_HOUR
remainder = remainder % SECS_PER_HOUR
minutes = remainder // SECS_PER_MINUTE
remainder = remainder % SECS_PER_MINUTE
```

- Calculate once, use many times
- pick sym. constant names in a descriptive way to increase clarity
- Python convention: use capitals for constants: a cue to the reader

s2dhms: putting it all together

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3#
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5#
6# S. Bulut, Spring 2018-19
7
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10SECS_PER_MINUTE = 60
11
12# Input.
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14print("      Seconds to Days, Hours, Minutes and Seconds")
15print("-----")
16print
17print("This program converts a number of seconds to its")
18print("equivalent in days, hours, minutes and seconds.")
19tot_seconds = eval(input("Enter the number of seconds now (e.g. 116529): "))
20print
21
22# Processing.
23days = tot_seconds // SECS_PER_DAY
24remainder = tot_seconds % SECS_PER_DAY
25hours = remainder // SECS_PER_HOUR
26remainder = remainder % SECS_PER_HOUR
27minutes = remainder // SECS_PER_MINUTE
28remainder = remainder % SECS_PER_MINUTE
29
30# Output.
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32print(minutes, "minutes and", remainder, "seconds")
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Data types: int and float

- most common data types to store numbers
- **int** -> integers (positive & negative whole numbers without integers)
- **float** -> floating point values (numbers with decimals)
- “5” is not the same as “5.” or “5.0” in Python and other lang’s
- use **float** for measurements etc, use **int** for counts
- avoid mixing **int**’s and **float**’s (especially in python2)
 - although Python does its best to convert things to a more general type
i.e. int -> float , float -> complex
 - subtle problems can arise
 - conversion takes extra time
- Not Good: $(-40 + 32.0) * 5 / 9$ **Good:** $(-40.0 + 32.0) * 5.0 / 9.0$
- Casting: `int(3.14)` -> 3 `float(4)` -> 4.0

Data types: int and float (Aside)

```
>>> type(1.5)
<class 'float'>
>>> type(4)
<class 'int'>
>>> int(1.5)
1
>>> float(4)
4.0
>>> import sys
>>> import math
>>> print("max integer: ",sys.maxsize,"2^{",math.log(sys.maxsize,2),
"} or 10^{", math.log(sys.maxsize),"}")
max integer:  9223372036854775807 2^{ 63.0 } or 10^{ 43.668272375276
55 }
>>> sys.float_info
sys.float_info(max=1.7976931348623157e+308, max_exp=1024, max_10_exp
=308, min=2.2250738585072014e-308, min_exp=-1021, min_10_exp=-307, d
ig=15, mant_dig=53, epsilon=2.220446049250313e-16, radix=2, rounds=1
)
>>> 
```

use math module: calculate diameter of a tree

Scott used a tape measure to measure the circumferences of all the trees in a regeneration plot, but the database wants him to enter diameters instead of circumferences. Assuming the trees are roughly circular in cross-section we can calculate the diameter from the circumference, because the diameter is twice the radius and the radius is the circumference divided by 2π . Write a program that will let him enter the circumference and will print the corresponding diameter. A sample run might look like:

use math module: calculate diameter of a tree

```
8 import math
9 import math as m
10 from math import pi
11 #from math import *
12
13 circ = eval(input("Enter circumference:"))
14 print()
15 diameter = circ/math.pi
16 diameter2 = circ/m.pi
17 diameter3 = circ/pi
18
19 print("Diamter is ",diameter)
20 print("Diamter is : %1.2f" % diameter)
21 print("Diamter is : %1.2f" % diameter2)
22 print("Diamter is : %1.2f" % diameter3)
23
```