Built-In Methods

Function	Description
abs()	Returns the absolute value of a number
all()	Returns True if all items in an iterable object are true
any()	Returns True if any item in an iterable object is true
ascii()	Returns a readable version of an object. Replaces none-ascii characters with escape character
bin()	Returns the binary version of a number
bool()	Returns the boolean value of the specified object
bytearray()	Returns an array of bytes
bytes()	Returns a bytes object
callable()	Returns True if the specified object is callable, otherwise False
chr()	Returns a character from the specified Unicode code.
classmethod()	Converts a method into a class method
compile()	Returns the specified source as an object, ready to be executed
complex()	Returns a complex number
delattr()	Deletes the specified attribute (property or method) from the specified object
dict()	Returns a dictionary (Array)
dir()	Returns a list of the specified object's properties and methods
divmod()	Returns the quotient and the remainder when argument1 is divided by argument2
enumerate()	Takes a collection (e.g. a tuple) and returns it as an enumerate object
eval()	Evaluates and executes an expression
exec()	Executes the specified code (or object)
filter()	Use a filter function to exclude items in an iterable object
float()	Returns a floating point number
format()	Formats a specified value
frozenset()	Returns a frozenset object
getattr()	Returns the value of the specified attribute (property or method)
globals()	Returns the current global symbol table as a dictionary
hasattr()	Returns True if the specified object has the specified attribute (property/method)
hash()	Returns the hash value of a specified object

help()	Executes the built-in help system
hex()	Converts a number into a hexadecimal value
id()	Returns the id of an object
input()	Allowing user input
int()	Returns an integer number
isinstance()	Returns True if a specified object is an instance of a specified object
issubclass()	Returns True if a specified class is a subclass of a specified object
iter()	Returns an iterator object
len()	Returns the length of an object
list()	Returns a list
locals()	Returns an updated dictionary of the current local symbol table
map()	Returns the specified iterator with the specified function applied to each item
max()	Returns the largest item in an iterable
memoryview()	Returns a memory view object
min()	Returns the smallest item in an iterable
next()	Returns the next item in an iterable
object()	Returns a new object
oct()	Converts a number into an octal
open()	Opens a file and returns a file object
ord()	Convert an integer representing the Unicode of the specified character
pow()	Returns the value of x to the power of y
print()	Prints to the standard output device
property()	Gets, sets, deletes a property
range()	Returns a sequence of numbers, starting from 0 and increments by 1 (by default)
repr()	Returns a readable version of an object
reversed()	Returns a reversed iterator
round()	Rounds a numbers
set()	Returns a new set object
setattr()	Sets an attribute (property/method) of an object
slice()	Returns a slice object
sorted()	Returns a sorted list

staticmethod()	Converts a method into a static method
str()	Returns a string object
sum()	Sums the items of an iterator
super()	Returns an object that represents the parent class
tuple()	Returns a tuple
type()	Returns the type of an object
vars()	Returns the __dict__ property of an object
zip()	Returns an iterator, from two or more iterators

String Methods

Method	Description
capitalize()	Converts the first character to upper case
casefold()	Converts string into lower case
center()	Returns a centered string
count()	Returns the number of times a specified value occurs in a string
encode()	Returns an encoded version of the string
endswith()	Returns true if the string ends with the specified value
expandtabs()	Sets the tab size of the string
find()	Searches the string for a specified value and returns the position of where it was found
format()	Formats specified values in a string
format_map()	Formats specified values in a string
index()	Searches the string for a specified value and returns the position of where it was found
isalnum()	Returns True if all characters in the string are alphanumeric
isalpha()	Returns True if all characters in the string are in the alphabet
isascii()	Returns True if all characters in the string are ascii characters
isdecimal()	Returns True if all characters in the string are decimals
isdigit()	Returns True if all characters in the string are digits
isidentifier()	Returns True if the string is an identifier
islower()	Returns True if all characters in the string are lower case
isnumeric()	Returns True if all characters in the string are numeric
isprintable()	Returns True if all characters in the string are printable

isspace()	Returns True if all characters in the string are whitespaces
istitle()	Returns True if the string follows the rules of a title
isupper()	Returns True if all characters in the string are upper case
join()	Converts the elements of an iterable into a string
ljust()	Returns a left justified version of the string
lower()	Converts a string into lower case
lstrip()	Returns a left trim version of the string
maketrans()	Returns a translation table to be used in translations
partition()	Returns a tuple where the string is parted into three parts
replace()	Returns a string where a specified value is replaced with a specified value
rfind()	Searches the string for a specified value and returns the last position of where it was found
rindex()	Searches the string for a specified value and returns the last position of where it was found
rjust()	Returns a right justified version of the string
rpartition()	Returns a tuple where the string is parted into three parts
rsplit()	Splits the string at the specified separator, and returns a list
rstrip()	Returns a right trim version of the string
split()	Splits the string at the specified separator, and returns a list
splitlines()	Splits the string at line breaks and returns a list
startswith()	Returns true if the string starts with the specified value
strip()	Returns a trimmed version of the string
swapcase()	Swaps cases, lower case becomes upper case and vice versa
title()	Converts the first character of each word to upper case
translate()	Returns a translated string
upper()	Converts a string into upper case
zfill()	Fills the string with a specified number of 0 values at the beginning

List/Array Methods

Method	Description
append()	Adds an element at the end of the list
clear()	Removes all the elements from the list

copy()	Returns a copy of the list
count()	Returns the number of elements with the specified value
extend()	Add the elements of a list (or any iterable), to the end of the current list
index()	Returns the index of the first element with the specified value
insert()	Adds an element at the specified position
pop()	Removes the element at the specified position
remove()	Removes the first item with the specified value
reverse()	Reverses the order of the list
sort()	Sorts the list

Dictionary Methods

Method	Description
clear()	Removes all the elements from the dictionary
copy()	Returns a copy of the dictionary
fromkeys()	Returns a dictionary with the specified keys and value
get()	Returns the value of the specified key
items()	Returns a list containing a tuple for each key value pair
keys()	Returns a list containing the dictionary's keys
pop()	Removes the element with the specified key
popitem()	Removes the last inserted key-value pair
setdefault()	Returns the value of the specified key. If the key does not exist: insert the key, with the specified value
update()	Updates the dictionary with the specified key-value pairs
values()	Returns a list of all the values in the dictionary

Tuple Methods

Method	Description
count()	Returns the number of times a specified value occurs in a tuple
index()	Searches the tuple for a specified value and returns the position of where it was found

Set Methods

Method	Description

add()	Adds an element to the set
clear()	Removes all the elements from the set
copy()	Returns a copy of the set
difference()	Returns a set containing the difference between two or more sets
difference_update()	Removes the items in this set that are also included in another, specified set
discard()	Remove the specified item
intersection()	Returns a set, that is the intersection of two or more sets
intersection_update()	Removes the items in this set that are not present in other, specified set(s)
isdisjoint()	Returns whether two sets have a intersection or not
issubset()	Returns whether another set contains this set or not
issuperset()	Returns whether this set contains another set or not
pop()	Removes an element from the set
remove()	Removes the specified element
symmetric_difference()	Returns a set with the symmetric differences of two sets
symmetric_difference_update()	inserts the symmetric differences from this set and another
union()	Return a set containing the union of sets
update()	Update the set with another set, or any other iterable

Files Methods

Method	Description
close()	Closes the file
detach()	Returns the separated raw stream from the buffer
fileno()	Returns a number that represents the stream, from the operating system's perspective
flush()	Flushes the internal buffer
isatty()	Returns whether the file stream is interactive or not
read()	Returns the file content
readable()	Returns whether the file stream can be read or not
readline()	Returns one line from the file
readlines()	Returns a list of lines from the file
seek()	Change the file position

seekable()	Returns whether the file allows us to change the file position
tell()	Returns the current file position
truncate()	Resizes the file to a specified size
writable()	Returns whether the file can be written to or not
write()	Writes the specified string to the file
writelines()	Writes a list of strings to the file

Math module

Method	Description
math.acos()	Returns the arc cosine of a number
math.acosh()	Returns the inverse hyperbolic cosine of a number
math.asin()	Returns the arc sine of a number
math.asinh()	Returns the inverse hyperbolic sine of a number
math.atan()	Returns the arc tangent of a number in radians
math.atan2()	Returns the arc tangent of y/x in radians
math.atanh()	Returns the inverse hyperbolic tangent of a number
math.ceil()	Rounds a number up to the nearest integer
math.comb()	Returns the number of ways to choose k items from n items without repetition and order
math.copysign()	Returns a float consisting of the value of the first parameter and the sign of the second parameter
math.cos()	Returns the cosine of a number
math.cosh()	Returns the hyperbolic cosine of a number
math.degrees()	Converts an angle from radians to degrees
math.dist()	Returns the Euclidean distance between two points (p and q), where p and q are the coordinates of that point
math.erf()	Returns the error function of a number
math.erfc()	Returns the complementary error function of a number
math.exp()	Returns E raised to the power of x
math.expm1()	Returns E^x - 1
math.fabs()	Returns the absolute value of a number
math.factorial()	Returns the factorial of a number

math.floor()	Rounds a number down to the nearest integer
math.fmod()	Returns the remainder of x/y
math.frexp()	Returns the mantissa and the exponent, of a specified number
math.fsum()	Returns the sum of all items in any iterable (tuples, arrays, lists, etc.)
math.gamma()	Returns the gamma function at x
math.gcd()	Returns the greatest common divisor of two integers
math.hypot()	Returns the Euclidean norm
math.isclose()	Checks whether two values are close to each other, or not
math.isfinite()	Checks whether a number is finite or not
math.isinf()	Checks whether a number is infinite or not
math.isnan()	Checks whether a value is NaN (not a number) or not
math.isqrt()	Rounds a square root number downwards to the nearest integer
math.ldexp()	Returns the inverse of math.frexp() which is x * (2**i) of the given numbers x and i
math.lgamma()	Returns the log gamma value of x
math.log()	Returns the natural logarithm of a number, or the logarithm of number to base
math.log10()	Returns the base-10 logarithm of x
math.log1p()	Returns the natural logarithm of 1+x
math.log2()	Returns the base-2 logarithm of x
math.perm()	Returns the number of ways to choose k items from n items with order and without repetition
math.pow()	Returns the value of x to the power of y
math.prod()	Returns the product of all the elements in an iterable
math.radians()	Converts a degree value into radians
math.remainder()	Returns the closest value that can make numerator completely divisible by the denominator
math.sin()	Returns the sine of a number
math.sinh()	Returns the hyperbolic sine of a number
math.sqrt()	Returns the square root of a number
math.tan()	Returns the tangent of a number
math.tanh()	Returns the hyperbolic tangent of a number

math.trunc()	Returns the truncated integer parts of a number

Random Module

Method	Description
seed()	Initialize the random number generator
getstate()	Returns the current internal state of the random number generator
setstate()	Restores the internal state of the random number generator
getrandbits()	Returns a number representing the random bits
randrange()	Returns a random number between the given range
randint()	Returns a random number between the given range
choice()	Returns a random element from the given sequence
choices()	Returns a list with a random selection from the given sequence
shuffle()	Takes a sequence and returns the sequence in a random order
sample()	Returns a given sample of a sequence
random()	Returns a random float number between 0 and 1
uniform()	Returns a random float number between two given parameters
triangular()	Returns a random float number between two given parameters, you can also set a mode parameter to specify the midpoint between the two other parameters
betavariate()	Returns a random float number between 0 and 1 based on the Beta distribution (used in statistics)
expovariate()	Returns a random float number based on the Exponential distribution (used in statistics)
gammavariate()	Returns a random float number based on the Gamma distribution (used in statistics)
gauss()	Returns a random float number based on the Gaussian distribution (used in probability theories)
lognormvariate()	Returns a random float number based on a log-normal distribution (used in probability theories)
normalvariate()	Returns a random float number based on the normal distribution (used in probability theories)
vonmisesvariate()	Returns a random float number based on the von Mises distribution (used in directional statistics)
paretovariate()	Returns a random float number based on the Pareto distribution (used in probability theories)
weibullvariate()	Returns a random float number based on the Weibull distribution (used in statistics)

RegEx module

The `re` module offers a set of functions that allows us to search a string for a match:

Function	Description
findall	Returns a list containing all matches
search	Returns a Match object if there is a match anywhere in the string
split	Returns a list where the string has been split at each match
sub	Replaces one or many matches with a string

Metacharacters are characters with a special meaning:

Character	Description	Example	Try it
[]	A set of characters	"[a-m]"	Try it »
\	Signals a special sequence (can also be used to escape special characters)	"\d"	Try it »
.	Any character (except newline character)	"he..o"	Try it »
^	Starts with	"^hello"	Try it »
$	Ends with	"planet$"	Try it »
*	Zero or more occurrences	"he.*o"	Try it »
+	One or more occurrences	"he.+o"	Try it »
?	Zero or one occurrences	"he.?o"	Try it »
{}	Exactly the specified number of occurrences	"he{2}o"	Try it »
|	Either or	"falls|stays"	Try it »
()	Capture and group		

Special Sequences

A special sequence is a `\` followed by one of the characters in the list below, and has a special meaning:

Character	Description	Example	Try it
\A	Returns a match if the specified characters are at the beginning of the string	"\AThe"	Try it »
\b	Returns a match where the specified characters are at the beginning or at the end of a word (the "r" in the beginning is making sure that the string is being treated as a "raw string")	r"\bain" r"ain\b"	Try it » Try it »

\B	Returns a match where the specified characters are present, but NOT at the beginning (or at the end) of a word (the "r" in the beginning is making sure that the string is being treated as a "raw string")	r"\Bain" r"ain\B"	Try it » Try it »
\d	Returns a match where the string contains digits (numbers from 0-9)	"\d"	Try it »
\D	Returns a match where the string DOES NOT contain digits	"\D"	Try it »
\s	Returns a match where the string contains a white space character	"\s"	Try it »
\S	Returns a match where the string DOES NOT contain a white space character	"\S"	Try it »
\w	Returns a match where the string contains any word characters (characters from a to Z, digits from 0-9, and the underscore _ character)	"\w"	Try it »
\W	Returns a match where the string DOES NOT contain any word characters	"\W"	Try it »
\Z	Returns a match if the specified characters are at the end of the string	"Spain\Z"	Try it »

Sets

Set	Description	Try it
[arn]	Returns a match where one of the specified characters (a, r, or n) are present	Try it »
[a-n]	Returns a match for any lower case character, alphabetically between a and n	Try it »
[^arn]	Returns a match for any character EXCEPT a, r, and n	Try it »
[0123]	Returns a match where any of the specified digits (0, 1, 2, or 3) are present	Try it »
[0-9]	Returns a match for any digit between 0 and 9	Try it »
[0-5][0-9]	Returns a match for any two-digit numbers from 00 and 59	Try it »
[a-zA-Z]	Returns a match for any character alphabetically between a and z, lower case OR upper case	Try it »
[+]	In sets, +, *, ., |, (), $,{} has no special meaning, so [+] means: return a match for any + character in the string	Try it »

Iterator

Iterator	Arguments	Results	Example
`count()`	start, [step]	start, start+step, start+2*step, ...	`count(10) --> 10 11 12 13 14 ...`
`cycle()`	p	p0, p1, ... plast, p0, p1, ...	`cycle('ABCD') --> A B C D A B C D ...`
`repeat()`	elem [,n]	elem, elem, elem, ... endlessly or up to n times	`repeat(10, 3) --> 10 10 10`

Iterator	Arguments	Results	Example
`accumulate()`	p [,func]	p0, p0+p1, p0+p1+p2, ...	`accumulate([1,2,3,4,5]) --> 1 3 6 10 15`
`chain()`	p, q, ...	p0, p1, ... plast, q0, q1, ...	`chain('ABC', 'DEF') --> A B C D E F`
`chain.from_iterable()`	iterable	p0, p1, ... plast, q0, q1, ...	`chain.from_iterable(['ABC', 'DEF']) --> A B C D E F`
`compress()`	data, selectors	(d[0] if s[0]), (d[1] if s[1]), ...	`compress('ABCDEF', [1,0,1,0,1,1]) --> A C E F`
`dropwhile()`	pred, seq	seq[n], seq[n+1], starting when pred fails	`dropwhile(lambda x: x<5, [1,4,6,4,1]) --> 6 4 1`
`filterfalse()`	pred, seq	elements of seq where pred(elem) is false	`filterfalse(lambda x: x%2, range(10)) --> 0 2 4 6 8`
`groupby()`	iterable[, key]	sub-iterators grouped by value of key(v)	

Iterator	Arguments	Results	Example
`islice()`	seq, [start,] stop [, step]	elements from seq[start:stop:step]	`islice('ABCDEFG', 2, None) --> C D E F G`
`pairwise()`	iterable	(p[0], p[1]), (p[1], p[2])	`pairwise('ABCDEFG') --> AB BC CD DE EF FG`
`starmap()`	func, seq	func(*seq[0]), func(*seq[1]), ...	`starmap(pow, [(2,5), (3,2), (10,3)]) --> 32 9 1000`
`takewhile()`	pred, seq	seq[0], seq[1], until pred fails	`takewhile(lambda x: x<5, [1,4,6,4,1]) --> 1 4`
`tee()`	it, n	it1, it2, ... itn splits one iterator into n	
`zip_longest()`	p, q, ...	(p[0], q[0]), (p[1], q[1]), ...	`zip_longest('ABCD', 'xy', fillvalue='-') --> Ax By C- D-`

Iterator	Arguments	Results
`product()`	p, q, ... [repeat=1]	cartesian product, equivalent to a nested for-loop
`permutations()`	p[, r]	r-length tuples, all possible orderings, no repeated elements
`combinations()`	p, r	r-length tuples, in sorted order, no repeated elements
`combinations_with_replacement()`	p, r	r-length tuples, in sorted order, with repeated elements

Examples	Results
`product('ABCD', repeat=2)`	AA AB AC AD BA BB BC BD CA CB CC CD DA DB DC DD
`permutations('ABCD', 2)`	AB AC AD BA BC BD CA CB CD DA DB DC
`combinations('ABCD', 2)`	AB AC AD BC BD CD
`combinations_with_replacement('ABCD', 2)`	AA AB AC AD BB BC BD CC CD DD