

02-iterations

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1 Iterations

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```
[456]: # Lists we're going to need

galaxy_names = ["NGC 5128", "TXS 0506+056", "NGC 1068", "GB6 J1040+0617", "TXS_
↪2226-184"]
distances_mpc = [3.7, 1.75e3, 14.4, 1.51e4, 107.1] # Mpc
luminosities = [1e40, 3e46, 4.9e38, 6.2e45, 5.5e41] # erg/s
```

1.1 Introducing range

```
[297]: for i in range(5):
        print(i)
```

```
0
1
2
3
4
```

```
[295]: for i in range(12,30,7): # start on 12, end on 29, steps of 7
        print(i)
```

```
12
19
26
```

1.1.1 Exercise - print name and distance of each galaxy in our list

```
[370]: for i in range(len(galaxy_names)):
        print(f"Name: {galaxy_names[i]}; D = {distances_mpc[i]} Mpc")
```

```
Name: NGC 5128; D = 3.7 Mpc
Name: NGC 1068; D = 14.4 Mpc
Name: TXS 0506+056; D = 1750.0 Mpc
Name: GB6 J1040+0617; D = 15100.0 Mpc
Name: TXS 2226-184; D = 107.1 Mpc
```

1.1.2 More pythonic method - iterate directly over the list elements!

```
[360]: for pair in zip(distances_mpc, luminosities):
        print(pair)
```

```
(3.7, 1e+40)
(14.4, 4.9e+38)
(1750.0, 3e+46)
(15100.0, 6.2e+45)
(107.1, 5.5e+41)
```

```
[366]: for dist, lum in zip(distances_mpc, luminosities):
        print(dist, lum)
```

```
3.7 1e+40
14.4 4.9e+38
1750.0 3e+46
15100.0 6.2e+45
107.1 5.5e+41
```

1.1.3 Exercise - modify the printing code above to avoid using indices

```
[369]: for name, dist in zip(galaxy_names, distances_mpc):
        print(f"Name: {name}; D = {dist} Mpc;")
```

```
Name: NGC 5128; D = 3.7 Mpc; L = 5.5e+41 erg/s
Name: NGC 1068; D = 14.4 Mpc; L = 5.5e+41 erg/s
Name: TXS 0506+056; D = 1750.0 Mpc; L = 5.5e+41 erg/s
Name: GB6 J1040+0617; D = 15100.0 Mpc; L = 5.5e+41 erg/s
Name: TXS 2226-184; D = 107.1 Mpc; L = 5.5e+41 erg/s
```

1.1.4 And now a little cosmetic improvement using f-strings

```
[380]: for name, dist in zip(galaxy_names, distances_mpc):
        print(f"Name: {name:15}; D = {dist:10.1f} Mpc;")
```

```
Name: NGC 5128          ; D =          3.7 Mpc;
Name: NGC 1068          ; D =          14.4 Mpc;
Name: TXS 0506+056      ; D =        1750.0 Mpc;
```

```
Name: GB6 J1040+0617 ; D = 15100.0 Mpc;
Name: TXS 2226-184 ; D = 107.1 Mpc;
```

```
[382]: for name, dist in zip(galaxy_names, distances_mpc):
        print(f"Name: {name:15}; D = {dist:.1e} Mpc;") # extra points for
        ↪scientific notation
```

```
Name: NGC 5128 ; D = 3.7e+00 Mpc;
Name: NGC 1068 ; D = 1.4e+01 Mpc;
Name: TXS 0506+056 ; D = 1.8e+03 Mpc;
Name: GB6 J1040+0617 ; D = 1.5e+04 Mpc;
Name: TXS 2226-184 ; D = 1.1e+02 Mpc;
```

1.1.5 Simplifying counting with enumerate

```
[346]: list(enumerate(galaxy_names))
```

```
[346]: [(0, 'NGC 5128'),
        (1, 'NGC 1068'),
        (2, 'TXS 0506+056'),
        (3, 'GB6 J1040+0617'),
        (4, 'TXS 2226-184')]
```

```
[373]: for i, name in enumerate(galaxy_names):
        print(f"Position: {i}; Name: {name}")
```

```
Position: 0; Name: NGC 5128
Position: 1; Name: NGC 1068
Position: 2; Name: TXS 0506+056
Position: 3; Name: GB6 J1040+0617
Position: 4; Name: TXS 2226-184
```

1.2 Creating lists

Exercise: convert distance list from Mpc to cm

```
[393]: distances_cm = []
        for d in distances_mpc:
            distances_cm.append(d * 3e24)

        print(distances_cm)
```

```
[1.11e+25, 5.25e+27, 4.32e+25, 4.53e+28, 3.213e+26]
```

Exercise: select distances < 100 Mpc and convert them to cm

```
[391]: # Exercise: convert distance list from Mpc to cm
```

```
short_distances_cm = []  
for d in distances_mpc:  
    if d < 100:  
        short_distances_cm.append(d * 3e24)  
  
print(short_distances_cm)
```

```
[1.11e+25, 4.32e+25]
```

1.2.1 Introducing list comprehension!

```
[395]: distances_cm = [d * 3e24 for d in distances_mpc]
```

```
print(distances_cm)
```

```
[1.11e+25, 5.25e+27, 4.32e+25, 4.53e+28, 3.213e+26]
```

```
[397]: # We can also select elements based on some criterium on the same one line:
```

```
short_distances_cm = [d * 3e24 for d in distances_mpc if d < 100.]  
print(short_distances_cm)
```

```
[1.11e+25, 4.32e+25]
```

Exercise: get list of names based on distance critrion

```
[399]: closeby_galaxy_names = [name for name, dist in zip(galaxy_names, distances_mpc)  
    ↪ if dist < 100 ]  
  
print(closeby_galaxy_names)
```

```
['NGC 5128', 'NGC 1068']
```

1.3 Counting

```
[403]: # By building a list and checking its length:
```

```
print(len(closeby_galaxy_names))
```

```
2
```

```
[402]: # Or better - if you don't need the list you don't have to create it
```

```
count = 0
```

```

for dist in distances_mpc:
    if dist < 100:
        count += 1
print(count)

```

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1.4 Simultaneously iterating through multiple lists

```

[362]: from math import pi

fluxes = []
for lum, d_mpc in zip(luminosities, distances_mpc):
    d_cm = d_mpc * 3e24
    fluxes.append(lum / (4 * pi * d_cm ** 2))

print(fluxes[1])

```

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```

[415]: # Exercise - do the same using list comprehension!
fluxes = [lum / (4 * pi * (d_mpc * 3e24) ** 2) for lum, d_mpc in
    ↪ zip(luminosities, distances_mpc)]
print(fluxes[3])

```

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1.5 Iterating thorough tables with nested loops

1.5.1 Example - calculate a 2D table of fluxes based on the luminosities and distances

```

[416]: from math import pi

flux_table = []
for lum in luminosities:
    flux_table.append([])
    for d_mpc in distances_mpc:
        d_cm = d_mpc * 3e24
        flux_table[-1].append(lum / (4 * pi * d_cm ** 2))

print(flux_table[3][3])

```

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1.5.2 Exercise - use list comprehension to rewrite the function in only one line!

```
[420]: table = [[lum / (4 * pi * (d_mpc * 3e24) ** 2) for lum in luminosities] for  
        ↪ d_mpc in distances_mpc]  
  
print(table[3][3])
```

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1.6 The break statement

```
[254]: galaxy_names  
  
i = 0  
  
for i, name in enumerate(my_list):  
    print(my_list[i])  
    if (my_list[i] == 'Guru'):  
        print('Found the name Guru')  
        break
```

Siya

Tiya

Guru

Found the name Guru

After while-loop exit

Think, pair, share: breaks in nested loops

```
[268]: # What's the output of the following code?  
  
for i in range(4):  
    for j in range(4):  
        if j == 2:  
            break  
        print(f"{i} and {j}");
```

0 and 0

0 and 1

1 and 0

1 and 1

2 and 0

2 and 1

3 and 0

3 and 1

1.7 The continue statement

```
[261]: for i in range(10):  
        if not i % 2:  
            continue  
        print(f"{i} is odd")
```

```
1 is odd  
3 is odd  
5 is odd  
7 is odd  
9 is odd
```

Think, pair, share: breaks in nested loops

```
[275]: # What's the output of the following code?  
  
for i in range(4):  
    if i < 2:  
        continue  
    for j in range(4):  
        print(f"{i} and {j}");
```

```
2 and 0  
2 and 1  
2 and 2  
2 and 3  
3 and 0  
3 and 1  
3 and 2  
3 and 3
```

1.8 From lists to dictionaries

1.8.1 Exercise: create dictionary mapping galaxy_name to luminosity

```
[424]: galaxy_luminosities = {}  
  
for name, lum in zip(galaxy_names, luminosities):  
    galaxy_luminosities[name] = lum  
  
print(galaxy_luminosities["TXS 0506+056"])
```

```
3e+46
```

A more pythonic way

```
[429]: galaxy_luminosities = {name:lum for name, lum in zip(galaxy_names,
↳luminosities)}

print(galaxy_luminosities["TXS 0506+056"])
```

3e+46

An even more pythonic way

```
[430]: galaxy_luminosities = dict(zip(galaxy_names, luminosities))

print(galaxy_luminosities["TXS 0506+056"])
```

3e+46

1.9 Iterate through dictionaries

```
[439]: for k in galaxy_luminosities:
        print(f"{k:15s} has {galaxy_luminosities[k]:.2e} erg/s ")
```

```
NGC 5128          has 1.00e+40 erg/s
TXS 0506+056      has 3.00e+46 erg/s
NGC 1068          has 4.90e+38 erg/s
GB6 J1040+0617    has 6.20e+45 erg/s
TXS 2226-184      has 5.50e+41 erg/s
```

More pythonic:

```
[440]: for k, v in galaxy_luminosities.items():
        print(f"{k:15s} has {v:.2e} erg/s ")
```

```
NGC 5128          has 1.00e+40 erg/s
TXS 0506+056      has 3.00e+46 erg/s
NGC 1068          has 4.90e+38 erg/s
GB6 J1040+0617    has 6.20e+45 erg/s
TXS 2226-184      has 5.50e+41 erg/s
```

Exercise: create a dictionary mapping galaxy names to their observed flux

```
[452]: d1 = {name : lum / (4 * pi * (d * 3e24) ** 2) for name, lum, d in
↳zip(galaxy_names,
↳luminosities,
↳distances_mpc) }
print(d1["GB6 J1040+0617"])
```


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1.9.1 Last exercise

Create a nested dictionary in the form

```
galaxy_catalog = {galaxy_name1 : {'lum': luminosity1,
                                   'dist': distance1,
                                   'flux': flux1},
                  galaxy_name2 : {'lum': luminosity2,
                                   'dist': distance2,
                                   'flux': flux2},
                  #...
                  }
```

[]: