

File Input and Output

File Input and Output: Sample Program List

sample_read.py

*This program illustrates the basic textfile input. The program opens a textfile and reads the content one line at a time. The content of the textfile **sample1.txt** is read into the program.*

sample_save.py

*This program illustrates the basic textfile output. The program outputs strings using the write method of a file object. The string data are saved to the textfile **sample1.txt**.*

compute_expense_sum.py

*This program illustrates how the string data are read and processed as numerical values. The program reads the data stored in the textfile **april_expense.txt**. The data file contains string representation of float values, one float value per line. The program reads a line and converts it to float and add the converted float value to the running sum.*

common_names.py

This program reads information on 1000 common names in United States. Each line consists of name, frequency, and the ratio. The program stores the data in a list and prompts the user to enter a name. If the name is in the list, the ranking of the name is displayed.

binary_file_io.py

This program shows how we can save to and read data from a binary file. In this sample code, we read and save a list of tuples.