

Conditional Loop Statement

statements block executed as long as condition is true

```
while logical condition:
    statements block
```

Beware of infinite loops!

```
s = 0
i = 1
while i <= 100:
    s = s + i**2
    i = i + 1
print("sum:", s)
```

initializations before the loop
condition with a least one variable value (here *i*)
make condition variable change!

Algo: $s = \sum_{i=1}^{100} i^2$

Iterative Loop Statement

statements block executed for each item of a container or iterator

```
for var in sequence:
    statements block
```

Go over sequence's values

```
s = "Some text"
cnt = 0
for c in s:
    if c == "e":
        cnt = cnt + 1
print("found", cnt, "'e'")
```

initializations before the loop
loop variable, assignment managed by for statement
Algo: count number of e in the string.

Display

```
print("v=", 3, "cm :", x, ", ", y+4)
```

items to display: literal values, variables, expressions

print options:

- `sep=" "` items separator, default space
- `end="\n"` end of print, default new line
- `file=sys.stdout` print to file, default standard output

Input

```
s = input("Instructions: ")
```

`input` always returns a string, convert it to required type (cf. boxed Conversions on the other side).

Generic Operations on Containers

Note: For dictionaries and sets, these operations use keys.

- `len(c)` → items count
- `min(c)` `max(c)` `sum(c)`
- `sorted(c)` → list sorted copy
- `val in c` → boolean, membership operator `in` (absence `not in`)
- `enumerate(c)` → iterator on (index, value)
- `zip(c1, c2...)` → iterator on tuples containing *c_i* items at same index
- `all(c)` → **True** if all *c* items evaluated to true, else **False**
- `any(c)` → **True** if at least one item of *c* evaluated true, else **False**

Specific to ordered sequences containers (lists, tuples, strings, bytes...)

- `reversed(c)` → inversed iterator
- `c*5` → duplicate
- `c+c2` → concatenate
- `c.index(val)` → position
- `c.count(val)` → events count

`import copy`

- `copy.copy(c)` → shallow copy of container
- `copy.deepcopy(c)` → deep copy of container

Operations on Lists

modify original list

- `lst.append(val)` add item at end
- `lst.extend(seq)` add sequence of items at end
- `lst.insert(idx, val)` insert item at index
- `lst.remove(val)` remove first item with value *val*
- `lst.pop([idx])` → value remove & return item at index *idx* (default last)
- `lst.sort()` `lst.reverse()` sort / reverse liste in place

Operations on Dictionaries

- `d[key]=value` `d.clear()`
- `d[key] → value` `del d[key]`
- `d.update(d2)` { update/add associations
- `d.keys()` → iterable views on keys/values/associations
- `d.values()`
- `d.items()`
- `d.pop(key[,default])` → value
- `d.popitem()` → (key,value)
- `d.get(key[,default])` → value
- `d.setdefault(key[,default])` → value

Operations on Sets

Operators:

- `|` → union (vertical bar char)
- `&` → intersection
- `-` `^` → difference/symmetric diff.
- `<` `<=` `>` `>=` → inclusion relations

Operators also exist as methods.

```
s.update(s2) s.copy()
s.add(key) s.remove(key)
s.discard(key) s.clear()
s.pop()
```

Files

storing data on disk, and reading it back

```
f = open("file.txt", "w", encoding="utf8")
```

file variable for operations name of file on disk (+path...)

opening mode

- `'r'` read
- `'w'` write
- `'a'` append
- `'+' 'x' 'b' 't'`

encoding of chars for text files: utf8 ascii latin1 ...

writing

```
f.write("coucou")
f.writelines(list of lines)
```

text mode *t* by default (read/write *str*), possible binary mode *b* (read/write *bytes*). Convert from/to required type!

```
f.close()
```

don't forget to close the file after use!

```
f.flush()
```

write cache

reading

read empty string if end of file

```
f.read([n])
```

→ next chars if *n* not specified, read up to end!

```
f.readlines([n])
```

→ list of next lines

```
f.readline()
```

→ next line

```
f.truncate([taille])
```

resize

```
f.tell()
```

→ position

```
f.seek(position, origin)
```

Very common: opening with a guarded block (automatic closing) and reading loop on lines of a text file:

```
with open(...) as f:
    for line in f:
        # processing of line
```

Function Definition

function name (identifier)

named parameters

```
def fct(x, y, z):
    """documentation"""
    # statements block, res computation, etc.
    return res
```

parameters and all variables of this block exist only in the block and during the function call (think of a "black box")

Advanced: `def fct(x, y, z, *args, a=3, b=5, **kwargs):`

- `*args` variable positional arguments (→ tuple), default values,
- `**kwargs` variable named arguments (→ dict)

Function Call

```
r = fct(3, i+2, 2*i)
```

storage/use of returned value one argument per parameter

this is the use of function name with parenthesis which does the call

Advanced: `*sequence` `**dict`

Operations on Strings

- `s.startswith(prefix[,start[,end]])`
- `s.endswith(suffix[,start[,end]])` `s.strip([chars])`
- `s.count(sub[,start[,end]])` `s.partition(sep)` → (before, sep, after)
- `s.index(sub[,start[,end]])` `s.find(sub[,start[,end]])`
- `s.is...()` tests on chars categories (ex. `s.isalpha()`)
- `s.upper()` `s.lower()` `s.title()` `s.swapcase()`
- `s.capitalize()` `s.center([width, fill])`
- `s.ljust([width, fill])` `s.rjust([width, fill])` `s.zfill([width])`
- `s.encode(encoding)` `s.split([sep])` `s.join(seq)`

Formatting

formatting directives values to format

```
"modele{} {} {}".format(x, y, r) → str
```

"{selection:formatting!conversion}"

Selection:

```
2
nom
0.nom
4[key]
0[2]
```

Examples:

```
"{:+2.3f}".format(45.72793)
→ '+45.728'
"{1:>10s}".format(8, "toto")
→ '      toto'
"{x!r}".format(x="I'm")
→ "'I\\'m'"
```

Formatting:

fill char alignment sign mini width precision~maxwidth type

`<> ^ = + - space` 0 at start for filling with 0

integer: *b* binary, *c* char, *d* decimal (default), *o* octal, *x* or *X* hexa...

float: *e* or *E* exponential, *f* or *F* fixed point, *g* or *G* appropriate (default),

string: *s* ... % percent

Conversion: *s* (readable texte) or *r* (literal representation)

good habit: don't modify loop variable