

Why Python?

- 1) Easy to Learn and Use
- 2) Mature and Supportive Python Community
- 3) Support from Renowned Corporate Sponsors
- 4) Hundreds of Python Libraries and Frameworks
- 5) Versatility, Efficiency, Reliability, and Speed
- 6) Big data, Machine Learning and Cloud Computing
- 7) First-choice Language
- 8) The Flexibility of Python Language
- 9) Use of python in academics
- 10) Automation

First Example: Hello, World!

+ print("Hello, World!")



How to code in Python?

- + Python offers a number of different options.
- + The code can be written in a text editor and stored as a file that is then run from the command line window or an integrated development environment (IDE).

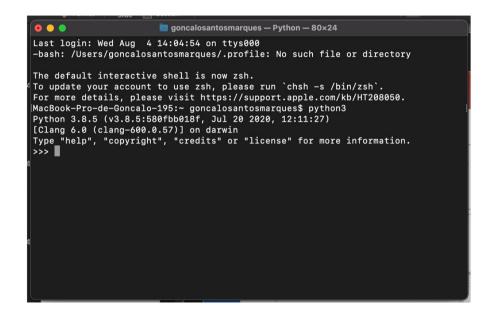
How to run a Python app

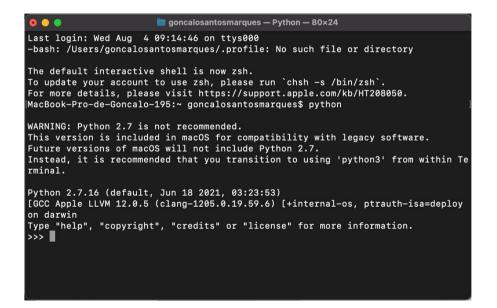
- + To write and run the "Hello, World!", open your favorite editor (Atom, gedit, Emacs etc.), type the given line and save the file with a suitable filename, for instance, hello.py.
- + Then, open a terminal window, navigate to the directory where you saved the file, and type python hello.py using a regular terminal.

Ways to use Python

- + Python offers some alternatives to the traditional style of programming using a text editor and a terminal window, and some of these alternatives can be very useful when learning to program.
- + You can use Python interactively by simply typing python in a terminal window, without a subsequent file name.
- + This will open an environment for typing and running Python commands, which is not very suitable for writing programs over several lines, but extremely useful for testing Python commands and statements.

Terminal





Attention:

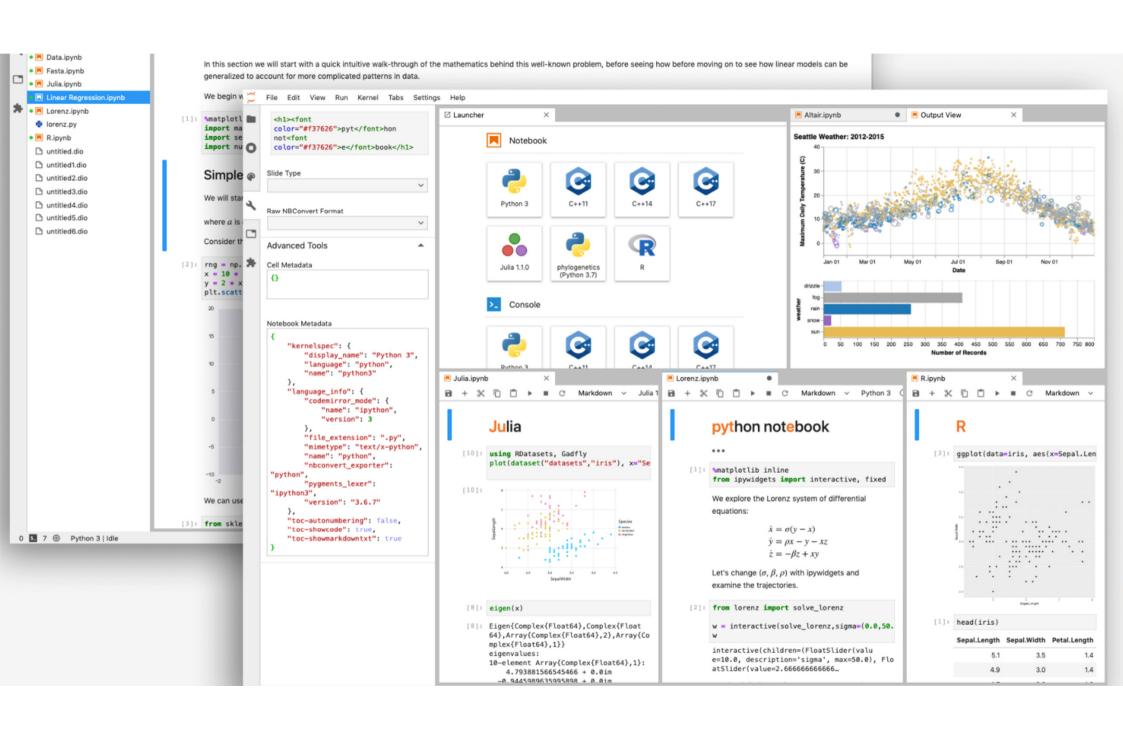
- + Several Python versions are availanle.
- + You can have diferente Python versions installed in your computer.
- + We will use Python 3 in this class.
- + If you do not have Python installed find it here: https://www.python.org/downloads/

Hello World!

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-bash: /Users/goncalosantosmarques/.profile: No such file or directory
The default interactive shell is now zsh.
To update your account to use zsh, please run `chsh -s /bin/zsh`.
For more details, please visit https://support.apple.com/kb/HT208050.
MacBook-Pro-de-Goncalo-195:~ goncalosantosmarques$ python3
Python 3.8.5 (v3.8.5:580fbb018f, Jul 20 2020, 12:11:27)
[Clang 6.0 (clang-600.0.57)] on darwin
Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license" for more information.
|>>> print("Hello, World!")
Hello, World!
>>>
```

Jupyter notebooks

- + Jupyter notebooks are a form of interactive notebooks that combine code and text.
- + The notebooks are viewed through a browser and look quite like a simple web page, but with the important difference that the code segments are "live" Python code that can be run, changed, and rerun while reading the document.
- + These features are particularly useful for teaching purposes, since detailed explanations of new concepts are easily combined with interactive examples.





Basic mathematical functions

- + import math
- + This module provides access to the mathematical functions defined by the C standard.

Square root

- + import math
- + math.sqrt(4) # 2.0

Note that: attempting to use this function with negative arguments will lead to errors.

Trigonometric functions

- + theta = math.pi / 4
- + math.cos(theta) # 0.7071067811865476
- + math.sin(theta) # 0.7071067811865475
- + math.tan(theta) # 0.999999999999999

Inverse trigonometric functions

- + math.asin(-1) # -1.5707963267948966
- + math.acos(-1) # 3.141592653589793
- + math.atan(1) # 0.7853981633974483

Logarithm functions

- + math.log(10) # 2.302585092994046
- + math.log(10, 10) # 1.0

Others

Gamma functions: math.gamma(5) # 24.0

Gaussian error: math.erf(2) # 0.9953222650189527

Factorial: math.factorial(5) # 120

Numpy arrays

- + NumPy provides an N-dimensional array type, the <u>ndarray</u>, which describes a collection of "items" of the same type.
- + The items can be <u>indexed</u> using for example N integers.

Create and access to array data

- + import numpy as np
- + ary = np.array([1, 2, 3, 4]) # array([1, 2, 3, 4])
- + ary[0] # 1
- + ary[2] #3
- + ary[::2] # array([1, 3])

Array Type

- + np.array([1, 2, 3, 4], dtype=np.float32)
- + # array([1., 2., 3., 4.], dtype=float32)
- + arr = np.array([1, 2, 3, 4])
- + print(arr.dtype) # dtype('int64')
- + arr.dtype = np.float32
- + print(arr)
- + #[1.e-45 0.e+00 3.e-45 0.e+00 4.e-45 0.e+00 6.e-45 0.e+00]
- + arr = arr.astype(np.float32)
- + print(arr)
- + #[1. 2. 3. 4.]

Array operations

```
import numpy as np
arr_a = np.array([1, 2, 3, 4])
arr_b = np.array([1, 0, -3, 1])
arr_a + arr_b # array([2, 2, 0, 5])
arr_a - arr_b # array([0, 2, 6, 3])
arr_a * arr_b # array([1, 0, -9, 4])
arr_b / arr_a # array([1, 0, -1, 0.25])
arr_b**arr_a # array([1, 0, -27, 1])
arr = np.array([1, 2, 3, 4])
new = 2*arr
print(new) # [2, 4, 6, 8]
```

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Chapter 01—-bash — 116x23

~—Python

~Downloads/Applying-Math-with-Python-master/Chapter 01

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[2 4 6 8]

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Create arrays

- + import numpy as np
- + np.linspace(0, 1, 5) # array([0., 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, 1.0])
- + np.arange(0, 1, 0.3) # array([0.0, 0.3, 0.6, 0.9])

Higher dimensional Arrays

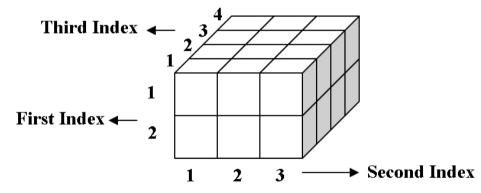
- + import numpy as np
- + mat = np.array([[1, 2], [3, 4]])
- + vec = np.array([1, 2])
- + mat.shape # (2, 2)
- + vec.shape # (2,)

Reshape

- + NumPy array is stored in one-dimensional array.
- + An array can be reshaped.
- + mat.reshape(4,)
- + # array([1, 2, 3, 4])

Higher dimensions

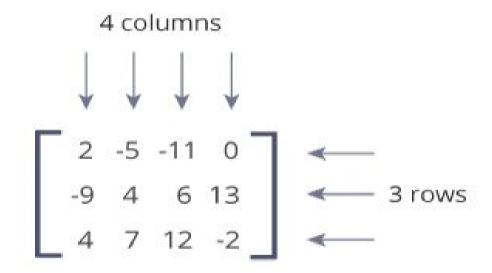
- + mat1 = [[1, 2], [3, 4]]
- + mat2 = [[5, 6], [7, 8]]
- + mat3 = [[9, 10], [11, 12]]
- + arr_3d = np.array([mat1, mat2, mat3])
- + arr_3d.shape # (3, 2, 2)
- + mat[0, 0] # 1 top left element
- + mat[1, 1] # 4 bottom right element
- + mat[:, 0] # array([1, 3])



Three-dimensional array with twenty four elements

Matrices

This matrix is a 3x4 (pronounced "three by four") matrix because it has 3 rows and 4 columns.



Python Matrix

$$+ A = [[1, 4, 5], [-5, 8, 9]]$$

Transpose

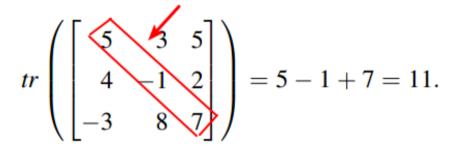
The transpose \mathbf{A}^T of a matrix \mathbf{A} can be obtained by reflecting the elements along its main diagonal.

Repeating the process on the transposed matrix returns the elements to their original position.

Transpose in Python

Trace (Linear algebra)

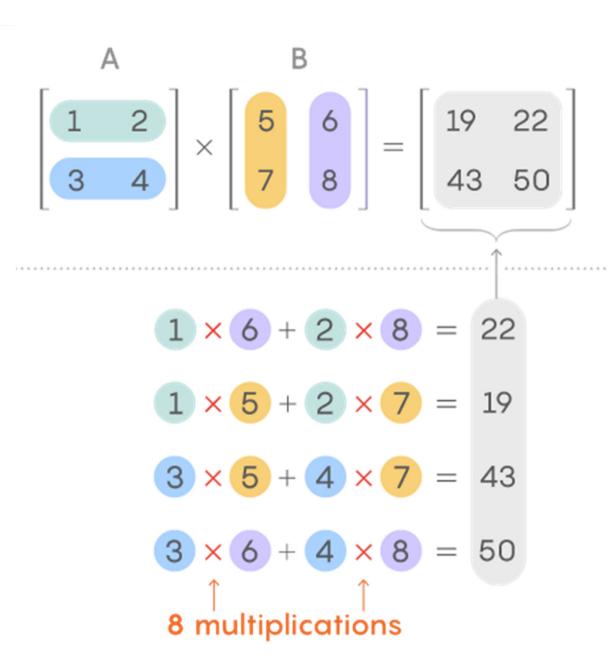
+ In linear algebra, the **trace** of a square matrix **A**, denoted tr(**A**), is defined to be the sum of elements on the main diagonal (from the upper left to the lower right) of **A**.



Trace in Python

- + A = np.array([[1, 2], [3, 4]])
- + A.trace() # 5

Matrix multiplication



Matrix multiplication in Python

```
A = np.array([[1, 2], [3, 4]])
B = np.array([[5, 6], [7, 8]])
print(A@B)
#[[19 22]
[43 50]]
```

Other operations in Python

```
+ A = np.array([[1, 2], [3, 4]])
+ from numpy import linalg
+ linalg.det(A) # -2.0000000000000004
+ linalg.inv(A)
+ # array([[-2., 1.],
+ # [1.5, -0.5]])
```

Computing with Formulas



Programming Simple Mathematics

$$A = P (1 + (r/100))^n$$

P is the initial deposit (the *principal*), r is the yearly interest rate given in percent, n is the number of years

A is the final amount.

Let's code

- + The task is now to write a program that computes A for given values of P, r and n.
- + To evaluate the formula above, we first need to assign values to P, r and n, and then make the calculation.
- + P = 100, r = 5.0, and n = 7

Option 1:

We can use our terminal and type the following:

print(100*(1 + 5.0/100)**7)

Test this:

write(100*(1+5,0/100)^7)

- + This make sense for us but not for Python.
- + Output:
- + >>> write(100*(1+5,0/100)^7)
- + Traceback (most recent call last):
- + File "<stdin>", line 1, in <module>
- + NameError: name 'write' is not defined

Variables and Variable Types

```
primary = 100
r = 5.0
n=7
amount = primary * (1+r/100)**n
print(amount)
```

Comment your code

```
# program for computing the growth of
# money deposited in a bank
primary = 100 #initial amount
r = 5.0  #interest rate
n = 7  #the number of years
amount = primary * (1+r/100)**n
print(amount)
```

All variables have types

- + print(type(hello)) #<class 'str'>
- + print(type(r)) # <class 'float'>
- + print(type(primary)) # <class 'float'>
- + print(type(n)) # <class 'int'>

Formatting Text Output

+ print(primary,final_amount)

+ 100 140.71004226562505

+ Target: After 7 years, 100 EUR has grown to xxx EUR.

Python text formatting

print(f"After {n} years, 100 EUR has grown to {amount} EUR.")

After 7 years, 100 EUR has grown to 140.71004226562505 EUR.

Note: Do we need that decimal cases?

String format

```
t = 1.234567
print(f"Default output gives t = {t}.")
Default output gives t = 1.234567

print(f"We can set the precision: t = {t:.2}.")
We can set the precision: t = 1.2.

print(f"Or control the number of decimals: t = {t:.2f}.")
Or control the number of decimals: t = 1.23.
```

String format

print(f"We may set the space used for the output: $t = \{t:8.2f\}$.")

We may **set** the space used **for** the output: t = 1.23

How to interact with user?

- + So far, all the values we have assigned to variables have been written directly into our programs.
- + If we want a different value of a variable, we need to edit the code and rerun the program. Of course, this is not how we are used to interacting with computer programs.
- + Usually, a program will receive some input from users, most often through a graphical user interface (GUI).

Input

+ We need to request three variables to the user.

P is the initial deposit (the *principal*), r is the interest rate, n is the number of years

Input

```
P = input("Please enter initial deposit :\n")
r = input("Please enter yearly interest rate :\n")
n = input("Please enter number of years :\n")
```

Input Type

```
P = float(input("Please enter initial deposit :\n"))
r = float(input("Please enter yearly interest rate :\n"))
n = float(input("Please enter number of years :\n"))
```

When Your Input Might Raise an Exception

```
>>> P = float(input("Please enter initial deposit :\n"))
Please enter initial deposit :
1
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "<stdin>", line 1, in <module>
ValueError: could not convert string to float: 'l'
>>>
```

```
while True:
  try:
   P = float(input("Please enter initial deposit :\n"))
   r = float(input("Please enter yearly interest rate :\n"))
   n = float(input("Please enter number of years :\n"))
  except ValueError:
    print("Sorry, I didn't understand that.")
    break
  else:
    amount = P * (1+r/100)**n
    break
print(f"After {n} years, 100 EUR has grown to {amount:.2f} EUR.")
```