Modules

Python packages



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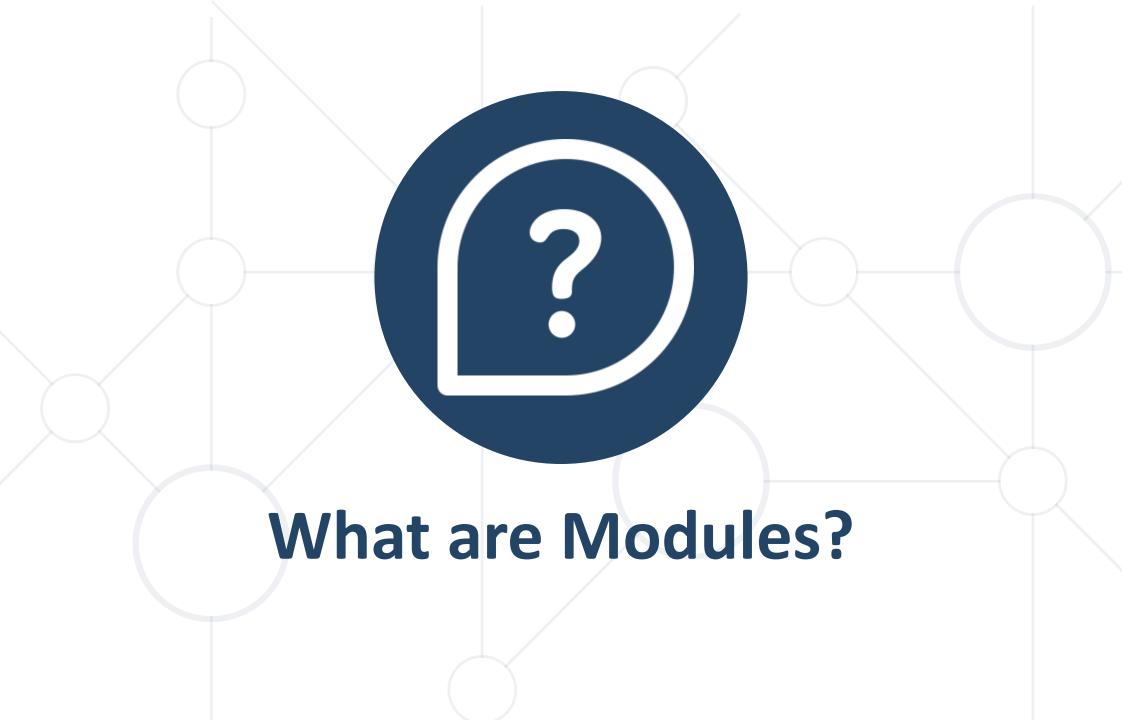
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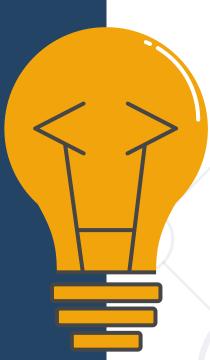


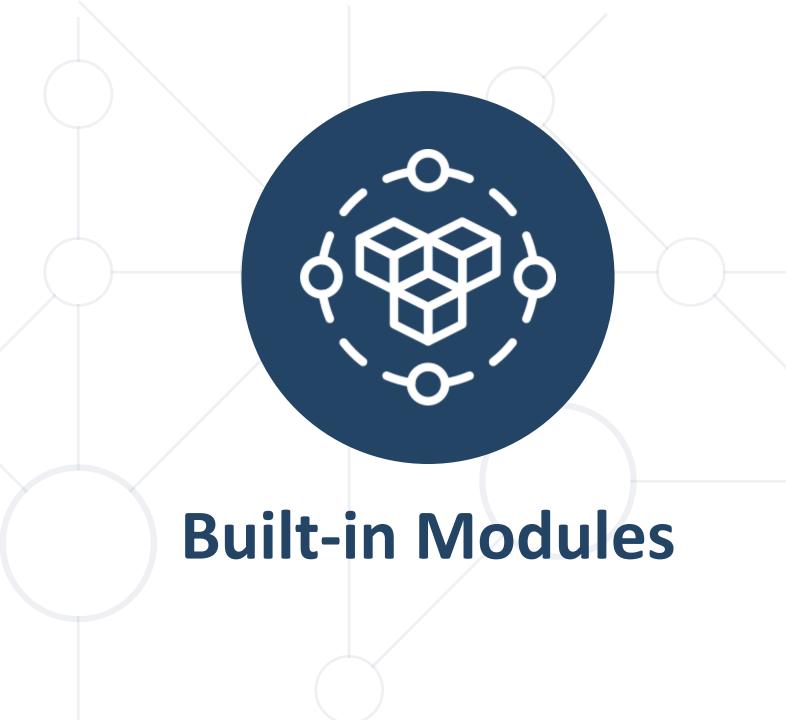
Definition and Usage





- They are stored in packages
- A package is a collection of Python modules
- Why use modules?
 - Keep Python files short and simple
 - Reuse code across multiple files by importing





Definition



- The Python interpreter has a number of built-in modules
- They are pre-installed and we can call them at any given time
- In order to call them we use the keyword import

```
import random
fruits = ["apple", "banana", "cherry"]

random.choice(fruits)
random.shuffle(fruits)
```

Different Ways to Import



```
import random as module_name
module_name.randint(1, 10)
```

```
from random import choice as gimme_one, shuffle as mix
gimme_one(["coke", "steak", "chips"])
mix(["coke", "steak", "chips"])
```

from math import *
sqrt(pi)

Problem: Calculate Logarithm



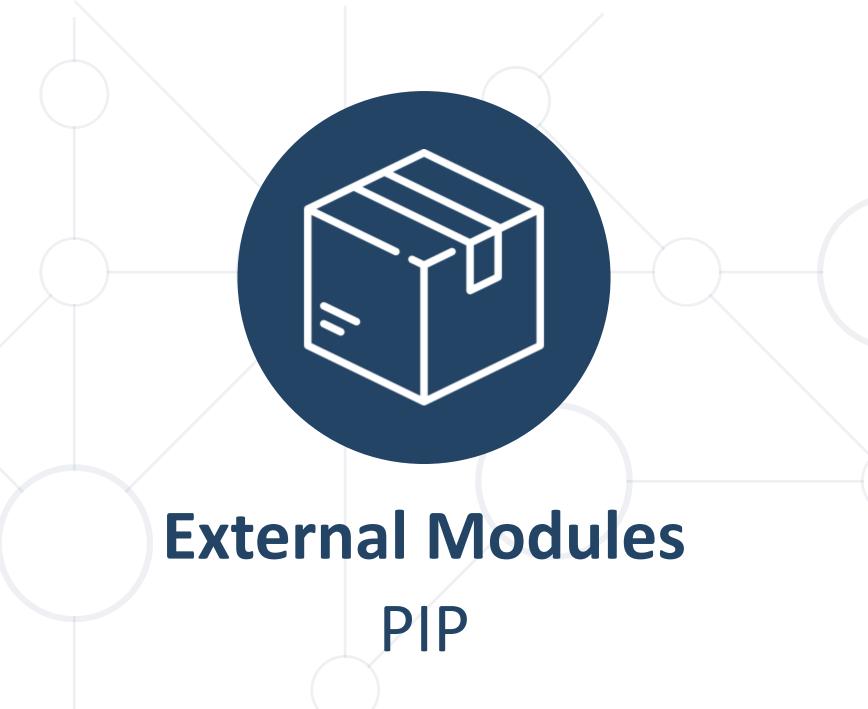
- Write a program that prints the calculated logarithm of any given number
- You will receive 2 inputs
 - The number (integer)
 - The base (if it is the word "natural" find the natural logarithm)
- Format the result up to the 2nd decimal digit and print it



Solution: Calculate Logarithm



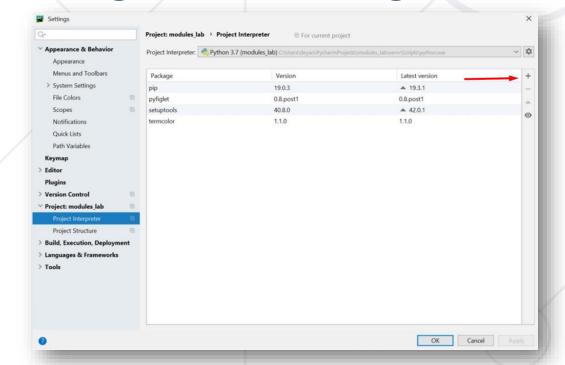
```
from math import log
number = int(input())
base = input()
if base == "natural":
    print(f"{log(number):.2f}")
else:
    print(f"{log(number, int(base)):.2f}")
```

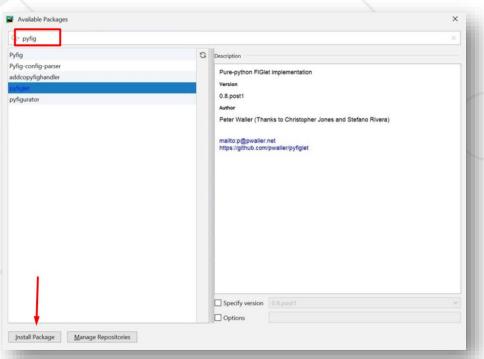


Package Management System (PIP)



- External modules are downloaded from the internet by using pip
- In PyCharm you have pip already installed, so you can jump straight to installing them





Requirements Files



- A Requirements file is just a list of pip install arguments placed in a file
- You should not rely on the items in the file being installed by pip in any particular order

```
### example-requirements.txt ###
numpy
matplotlib
django == 3.0.1
# Refer to other requirements files #
-r other-requirements.txt
```

Requirements Files – Common Uses





- hold the result from pip freeze
- force pip to resolve dependencies properly
- force pip to install an alternate version of a sub-dependency
- override a dependency with a local patch that lives in version control



Some External Modules



Termcolor

```
from termcolor import colored
text = colored('Hello World!', 'red', attrs=['bold', 'underline'])
print(text) # Hello World!
```

PyFiglet

```
from pyfiglet import figlet_format

text =figlet_format("Python",font="isometric1")
print(text)
```

Problem: ASCII Art



Using the pyfiglet package, write a program that encrypts given words by using the characters: "-|_/\()" to structure the word

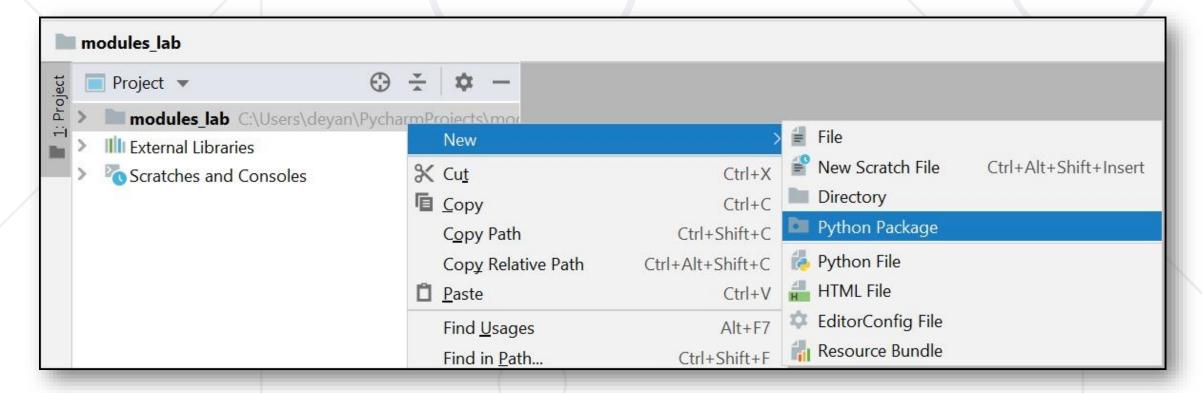
```
from pyfiglet import figlet_format
def print_art(msg):
    ascii_art = figlet_format(msg)
    print(ascii art)
msg = input("What would you like to print? ")
print_art(msg)
```



Creating a Module (Through PyCharm)



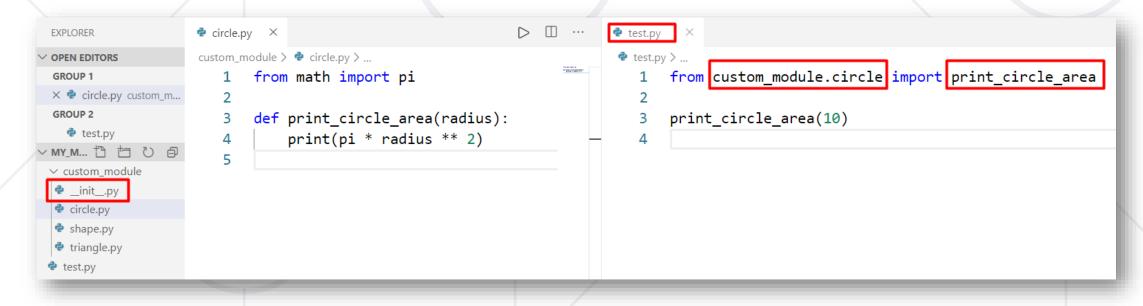
- Any .py file can be imported and used as a module
- In PyCharm there is a separate option to create a package(module)



The __init__ File in a Module



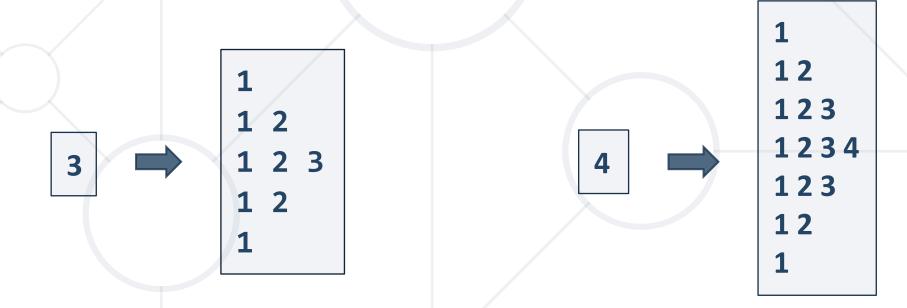
- You can make any folder a module by just adding an init file in the folder
- The file can be empty



Problem: Triangle



- Create a module for printing a triangle
- You will receive an integer number which is the size of the triangle



Solution: Triangle



```
def print_triangle(size):
    for row in range(1, size + 2):
        print(*[col for col in range(1, row)])
    for row in range(size, 0, -1):
        print(*[col for col in range(1, row)])
```

```
from triangle import *

size = int(input())
print_triangle(size)
```

Summary



- A module is a file consisting of Python code
- There are a couple of ways to import a module:

```
import <module_name>
from <module_name> import <module_attribute>
import <module_name> as <custom_name>
```

 Modules make our code short, simple, and reusable





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