

S1B2_PythonTutorial

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1 Introducing our Tools

- Python primer
- First steps in Qiskit

1.1 Python Tutorial

- Very brief tutorial into Python
- We work with Jupyter Notebooks and use Anaconda to manage our packages (convenient, similar across different OS)
- Python 3.x

```
[1]: # Hello world example  
  
print("Hello World!")
```

Hello World!

```
[2]: 2+2
```

```
[2]: 4
```

```
[3]: "Hello World!"
```

```
[3]: 'Hello World!'
```

```
[5]: # integer  
s1=3;  
  
type(s1)
```

```
[5]: int
```

```
[6]: # string  
s2="Hello";  
  
type(s2)
```

[6]: str

```
[7]: # float
s3=3.1415;

type(s3)
```

[7]: float

```
[8]: type(s1+s3)
```

[8]: float

```
[10]: # list
l=[1,2,3]

# tuple
t=(1,2,3)

# set
s=set((1,2,3))

# dictionary
d={1:"one",2:"two","3":"three"}
```

```
[11]: d
```

[11]: {1: 'one', 2: 'two', '3': 'three'}

```
[12]: d[1]
```

[12]: 'one'

```
[13]: l[2]
```

[13]: 3

```
[14]: l[2]=10
```

```
[15]: l
```

[15]: [1, 2, 10]

```
[16]: # formatting a string
s = "And the winner is %s with %d points" % ("Jan",10)
```

```
[17]: s
```

```
[17]: 'And the winner is Jan with 10 points'
```

```
[18]: # if statement

a = 2;
if a>3:
    print("true")
else:
    print("false")
```

false

```
[20]: # loop
for i in range(10):
    print(i)
```

0
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9

```
[21]: # function
def sumAB(a,b):
    return a+b
```

```
[22]: sumAB(1,2)
```

```
[22]: 3
```

```
[25]: def function(*argv, **kwarg):
        print("argv -- variable length arguments: %s" % str(argv))
        print("kwarg -- keyed arguments: %s" % str(kwarg))
```

```
[26]: function(1,2,3,four=4,five=5)
```

argv -- variable length arguments: (1, 2, 3)
kwarg -- keyed arguments: {'four': 4, 'five': 5}

```
[27]: function(6)
```

argv -- variable length arguments: (6,)
kwarg -- keyed arguments: {}

```
[28]: # function with more outputs
def function2(a):
    return 2*a, 0.5*a
```

```
[29]: function2(2)
```

```
[29]: (4, 1.0)
```

```
[30]: output1, output2=function2(2)
output2
```

```
[30]: 1.0
```

```
[31]: # Class
class dummyClass(object):
    v = ""

    def __init__(self, inputString):
        self.v = inputString

    def append(self, append2v):
        return self.v+str(append2v)
```

```
[32]: c=dummyClass("My string")
```

```
[33]: c.v
```

```
[33]: 'My string'
```

```
[34]: c.append(" ... ")
```

```
[34]: 'My string ... '
```

```
[30]: # lambda function -- example apply function on a list
list(map(lambda x: x+x, [1,2,3,4]))
```

```
[30]: [2, 4, 6, 8]
```

2 NumPy

Let us add few bits and pieces of the numPy library for the high-performance numerical computations.

- Fast operations with arrays
- C/C++/Fortran integration underneath
- Linear algebra, random numbers, Fourier transform...

numPy is used in scikit-learn and thus we familiarise with it as part of the Python tutorial.

```
[35]: import numpy as np
```

```
[36]: np.array([1,2,3])
```

```
[36]: array([1, 2, 3])
```

```
[37]: np.array([1,2,3],dtype=complex)
```

```
[37]: array([1.+0.j, 2.+0.j, 3.+0.j])
```

2.1 Basic operations

```
[38]: npArray=np.array([[1,2],[3,4],[5,6]])
```

```
[39]: npArray.ndim
```

```
[39]: 2
```

```
[40]: npArray.shape
```

```
[40]: (3, 2)
```

```
[41]: npArray.size
```

```
[41]: 6
```

```
[42]: npArray.dtype
```

```
[42]: dtype('int64')
```

```
[43]: npArray.itemsize # of each element in bytes
```

```
[43]: 8
```

```
[44]: np.zeros([3,3])
```

```
[44]: array([[0., 0., 0.],  
          [0., 0., 0.],  
          [0., 0., 0.]])
```

```
[45]: np.ones(3)
```

```
[45]: array([1., 1., 1.])
```

```
[46]: np.empty([3,3])
```

```
[46]: array([[0., 0., 0.],
           [0., 0., 0.],
           [0., 0., 0.]])
```

```
[47]: np.random.random((1))
```

```
[47]: array([0.57137326])
```

```
[49]: np.random.random((1,5))
```

```
[49]: array([[0.42891732, 0.63999045, 0.47397617, 0.75932328, 0.45034846]])
```

```
[50]: np.random.randint(3, size=(3,3))
```

```
[50]: array([[0, 2, 0],
           [0, 1, 1],
           [1, 1, 2]])
```

```
[51]: np.eye(3)
```

```
[51]: array([[1., 0., 0.],
           [0., 1., 0.],
           [0., 0., 1.]])
```

```
[52]: np.linspace(0,3,num=5)
```

```
[52]: array([0. , 0.75, 1.5 , 2.25, 3.  ])
```

```
[53]: np.arange(0,3,step=0.25)
```

```
[53]: array([0. , 0.25, 0.5 , 0.75, 1.  , 1.25, 1.5 , 1.75, 2.  , 2.25, 2.5 ,
           2.75])
```

```
[54]: np.arange(12).reshape(2,6)
```

```
[54]: array([[ 0,  1,  2,  3,  4,  5],
           [ 6,  7,  8,  9, 10, 11]])
```

```
[55]: a1=np.random.randint(3, size=(3,3));
a2=np.arange(9).reshape(3,3);
```

```
[56]: a1
```

```
[56]: array([[1, 0, 0],
           [1, 2, 0],
           [2, 1, 1]])
```

```
[57]: a2
```

```
[57]: array([[0, 1, 2],  
           [3, 4, 5],  
           [6, 7, 8]])
```

```
[58]: a1,a2
```

```
[58]: (array([[1, 0, 0],  
           [1, 2, 0],  
           [2, 1, 1]]), array([[0, 1, 2],  
           [3, 4, 5],  
           [6, 7, 8]]))
```

```
[59]: a1+a2
```

```
[59]: array([[1, 1, 2],  
           [4, 6, 5],  
           [8, 8, 9]])
```

```
[60]: a1-a2
```

```
[60]: array([[ 1, -1, -2],  
           [-2, -2, -5],  
           [-4, -6, -7]])
```

```
[61]: a1*2
```

```
[61]: array([[2, 0, 0],  
           [2, 4, 0],  
           [4, 2, 2]])
```

```
[62]: a1**2
```

```
[62]: array([[1, 0, 0],  
           [1, 4, 0],  
           [4, 1, 1]])
```

```
[63]: a1>3
```

```
[63]: array([[False, False, False],  
           [False, False, False],  
           [False, False, False]])
```

```
[64]: a1+=2
```

```
[65]: a1
```

```
[65]: array([[3, 2, 2],
           [3, 4, 2],
           [4, 3, 3]])
```

```
[66]: # matrix product
      np.dot(a1,a2)
```

```
[66]: array([[18, 25, 32],
           [24, 33, 42],
           [27, 37, 47]])
```

```
[67]: # elementw-wise
      a1*a2
```

```
[67]: array([[ 0,  2,  4],
           [ 9, 16, 10],
           [24, 21, 24]])
```

```
[ ]:
```

3 Qiskit

Our objective is to use qiskit actively. Easy way to install the Qiskit is to use Anaconda (install the most recent version, all libraries). Otherwise follow <https://qiskit.org> for details.

Qiskit is a Software Development Toolkit for working with quantum computers on the low-level (pulses, circuits...). It is open-source and we can execute code on IBM Quantum Computers.

```
[3]: # Import numpy
      import numpy as np

      # Import basic object from the Qiskit
      from qiskit import QuantumCircuit
```

```
[4]: # Check the version of the qiskit you use
      import qiskit.tools.jupyter
      %qiskit_version_table
      %qiskit_copyright
```

<IPython.core.display.HTML object>

<IPython.core.display.HTML object>

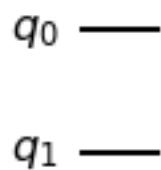
The Qiskit library allows us to build the quantum circuits, where we can perform operations on quantum bits and thus implement the quantum algorithms.


```
[5]: # Create quantum circuit
circuit = QuantumCircuit(2)
```

```
[6]: # Draw it
%matplotlib inline

circuit.draw('mpl')
```

[6]:

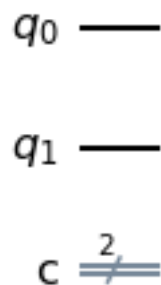


We have created simple object, which is composed of two qubits. We have not done anything with the object yet -- we have set the workbench and we can start adding elements to it.

The circuit with some gates...

```
[9]: # Create quantum circuit -- 2 qubits and 2 classical bits
circuit = QuantumCircuit(2, 2)
circuit.draw('mpl')
```

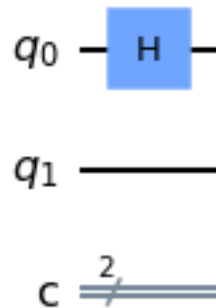
[9]:



```
[10]: # Add an H gate to qubit 0
circuit.h(0)
```

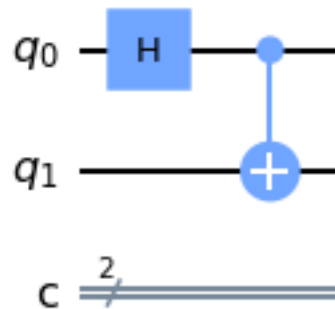
```
circuit.draw('mpl')
```

[10]:



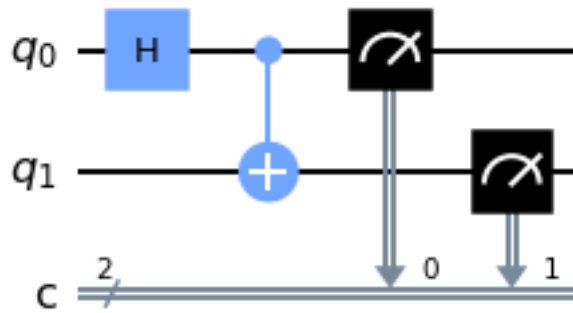
```
[11]: # Add an CNOT gate, control qubit 0 and target qubit 1
circuit.cx(0, 1)
circuit.draw('mpl')
```

[11]:



```
[12]: # Quantum measurement -- linking the quantum qubits to classical bits
circuit.measure([0,1], [0,1])
circuit.draw('mpl')
```

[12]:



Once we create the circuit, we can start using it. There are two options:

- Simulator
- Real Quantum Computer

3.1 Simulator

```
[13]: from qiskit import Aer
      from qiskit import execute

      simulator = Aer.get_backend('qasm_simulator')

      # Execute the circuit in the simulator
      job = execute(circuit, simulator, shots=1024)
```

```
[14]: # Bit messy outcome...
      job.result()
```

```
[14]: Result(backend_name='qasm_simulator', backend_version='0.8.1',
qobj_id='41fc1a03-dafd-4c9a-8e8b-4cfcec5a882f',
job_id='fc6cc27c-b1d9-4477-ab94-5cae2cc07fee', success=True,
results=[ExperimentResult(shots=1024, success=True,
meas_level=MeasLevel.CLASSIFIED, data=ExperimentResultData(counts={'0x3': 522,
'0x0': 502}), header=QobjExperimentHeader(clsbit_labels=[['c', 0], ['c', 1]],
creg_sizes=[['c', 2]], global_phase=0.0, memory_slots=2, metadata=None,
n_qubits=2, name='circuit-11', qreg_sizes=[['q', 2]], qubit_labels=[['q', 0],
['q', 1]]), status=DONE, seed_simulator=2055376700,
metadata={'parallel_state_update': 8, 'parallel_shots': 1, 'measure_sampling':
True, 'method': 'stabilizer', 'fusion': {'enabled': False}},
time_taken=0.002284898)], date=2022-02-19T23:49:41.644471, status=COMPLETED,
status=QobjHeader(backend_name='qasm_simulator', backend_version='0.8.1'),
metadata={'mpi_rank': 0, 'time_taken': 0.0030557320000000002,
```

```
'max_gpu_memory_mb': 0, 'max_memory_mb': 8192, 'parallel_experiments': 1,
'num_mpi_processes': 1, 'omp_enabled': True}, time_taken=0.003438711166381836)
```

```
[15]: # Take result
result = job.result()
```

```
[16]: # Counts
counts = result.get_counts(circuit)
print("\nTotal count for 00 and 11 are:",counts)
```

Total count for 00 and 11 are: {'11': 522, '00': 502}

3.2 Quantum Computer

We need to have an account with IBM to access the quantum computer. In order to get the account, create an account at:

<https://quantum-computing.ibm.com/>

Once you have your account, generate API token. We use it to link it to our account.

```
from qiskit import IBMQ
IBMQ.save_account(TOKEN)
```

Remark: This is not executable cell as you need to run it only once. Keep the TOKEN private and do not share it.

```
[17]: # Load account from the disk
IBMQ.load_account()
```

ibmqfactory.load_account:WARNING:2022-02-20 00:03:55,287: Credentials are already in use. The existing account in the session will be replaced.

```
[17]: [<AccountProvider for IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open', project='main')>,
      <AccountProvider for IBMQ(hub='ibm-q-startup', group='spinup-ai',
project='reservations')>]
```

```
[18]: # The object IBMQ contains information about connections etc
IBMQ.providers()
```

```
[18]: [<AccountProvider for IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open', project='main')>,
      <AccountProvider for IBMQ(hub='ibm-q-startup', group='spinup-ai',
project='reservations')>]
```

```
[20]: # Get a provider from the IBMQ object
provider = IBMQ.get_provider(hub = 'ibm-q')
```

```
[20]: <AccountProvider for IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open', project='main')>
```

```
[22]: # And all available backends
ibmq_backends = provider.backends()
ibmq_backends
```

```
[22]: [<IBMQSimulator('ibmq_qasm_simulator') from IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open',
project='main')>,
<IBMQBackend('ibmq_armonk') from IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open',
project='main')>,
<IBMQBackend('ibmq_santiago') from IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open',
project='main')>,
<IBMQBackend('ibmq_bogota') from IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open',
project='main')>,
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project='main')>,
<IBMQBackend('ibmq_belem') from IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open',
project='main')>,
<IBMQBackend('ibmq_quito') from IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open',
project='main')>,
<IBMQSimulator('simulator_statevector') from IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open',
project='main')>,
<IBMQSimulator('simulator_mps') from IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open',
project='main')>,
<IBMQSimulator('simulator_extended_stabilizer') from IBMQ(hub='ibm-q',
group='open', project='main')>,
<IBMQSimulator('simulator_stabilizer') from IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open',
project='main')>,
<IBMQBackend('ibmq_manila') from IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open',
project='main')>]
```

The physical machines can be busy and choosing the right one can be useful. We can use a simple function to choose the least busy one...

```
[23]: from qiskit.providers.ibmq import least_busy
lb = least_busy(provider.backends(filters=lambda x: x.configuration().n_qubits_
↪ >= 2, simulator=False))
lb
```

VBox(children=(HTML(value="<h1 style='color:#ffffff;background-color:#000000;padding-top: 1%;p

```
[23]: <IBMQBackend('ibmq_belem') from IBMQ(hub='ibm-q', group='open', project='main')>
```

```
[24]: # Let us execute the job above on the machine
job_exp = execute(circuit, lb, shots=1024)
result_exp = job_exp.result()
```

```
[25]: # Counts
counts = result_exp.get_counts(circuit)
print("\nTotal count for 00 and 11 are:",counts)
```

Total count for 00 and 11 are: {'00': 485, '01': 34, '10': 26, '11': 479}

The real quantum computer is noisy and contains errors!

We have run the code on the real quantum computer!

[]:

[]: