Profiling in Python

- A profile is "a set of statistics that describes how often and for how long various parts of the program executed."
- Standard library:
 - cProfile
 - profile
- Third-party library:
 - line-profiler
 - memory-profiler

Measuring execution time of small code snippets

- The module timeit:
 - simple way to time small bits of Python code
 - Command-Line Interface
 - Callable Interface