Object-Oriented Programming 50:198:113 (Fall 2022)

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Homework Assignment 4

The assignment is due by 11:59PM of the due date. The point value is indicated in square braces next to each problem. Each solution must be the student's own work. Assistance should be sought or accepted only from the course instructor. Any violation of this rule will be dealt with harshly.

The first problem of this assignment requires you to add overloaded operators to the Time class from Homework #3. In addition, you are asked to implement some functions (outside the class) that manipulate Time objects. The second problem requires the implementation of several functions for matrices (these are defined in Problem 2), and the third problem requires you to create a Matrix class. As in past (and future) assignments, you are graded not only on the correctness of the code, but also on clarity and readability. Hence, I will deduct points for poor indentation, poor choice of object names, and lack of documentation. For documentation, all functions, classes, and methods should have appropriate docstring documentation. For the rest of your code, use a common sense approach. While I do not expect every line of code to be explained, all code blocks that carry out a significant task should be documented briefly in clear English.

Download from Canvas the homework document hw4.pdf, the module time.py for Problem 1, the test file test_time.py (for Problem 1), and the file matrix.py (for Problem 2).

Important note: When writing each of the following programs, it is important that you name the functions exactly as described because I will assume you are doing so when testing your programs. If your program produces errors because the functions do not satisfy the stated prototype, points will be deducted. You may not use the datetime module anywhere in your solution for this problem.

Problem 1 [17 points] Time class. In Problem 2 of the previous homework assignment, you implemented some methods of a Time class. In this problem, you are asked to build on this class further by adding overloaded operators. These are described below. (*Please refer to the problem 2 description in Homework 2 if necessary.*)

Note: Download the module time.py from Canvas. It contains my implementation of the Time class methods from Homework #3. Insert your code into this module. You may not use the datetime module anywhere in your solution for this problem.

1. __add__: This method overloads the + operator. It returns the "sum" of a Time instance and a non-negative integer mins. The sum of a Time instance T and the non-negative integer mins is the Time instance that occurs mins minutes after T. For example, if T is the time instance 9:15AM, then T + 653 should return the Time instance 8:08PM. Hint: The method total_minutes() might be useful here. Alternatively, you may find minute_ahead() useful.

- 2. __sub__: This method overloads the operator and subtracts a non-negative integer from a Time instance. The difference of a Time instance T and the non-negative integer mins is the Time instance that occurs mins minutes before T. For example, if T is the time instance 9:15AM, then T 653 should return the Time instance 10:22PM. *Hint:* The methods total_minutes() or minute_back() may come in useful here.
- 3. __lt__: This method overloads the < (less than) operator and compares two Time objects. It returns True if the Time instance on the left hand side of the < operator occurs strictly before the Time instance on the right hand side of the < operator. Note that the comparison is made for a 24-hour time period beginning at midnight. (Hence, AM times always occur before PM times.)
- 4. __gt__: This method overloads the > operator and returns a True or False value. The meaning of this operator should be obvious from the explanation for the < operator above
- 5. __le__: This method overloads the <= operator and returns a True or False value.
- 6. __ge__: This method overloads the >= operator and returns a True or False value.
- 7. __eq__: This method overloads the == operator and returns a True or False value.
- 8. _ne_: This method overloads the != operator and returns a True or False value.

In addition, implement the following functions. Note: These are regular functions, not Time methods. Do not manipulate Time instance attributes directly to implement these functions. You are required to use Time methods to implement this function.

- Implement a function called time_interval with two parameters, T1 and T2, both of which are Time objects. This function returns the number of hours and minutes in the time interval between T1 and T2. The function should return a pair (hrs, mins), where hrs is the (maximal) number of hours and mins is the number of minutes between T1 and T2. For example, if T1 is the time 10:45AM and T2 is the time 4:20PM, then time_interval(T1, T2) should return (5, 35) because there are 5 hours and 35 minutes between T1 and T2.
- Implement a function called time_schedule with three parameters: start_time (a Time object), duration (an integer), and N (an integer). The function should return a list of length N. The list contains the N Times that occur every duration minutes starting at start_time. For example, if T1 is the time 10:45AM, then L = time_schedule(T1, 12, 10) creates a list L containing the 10 times that occur every 12 minutes starting at 10:45AM. Therefore, print(L) should print [10:45AM, 10:57AM, 11:09AM, 11:21AM, 11:33AM, 11:45AM, 11:57AM, 12:09PM, 12:21PM, 12:33PM]. Note: The function returns a list of Time objects, not a list of strings.

Complete the implementation of the Time class, time_interval function, and time_schedule function in the module time.py (you must download this module from Canvas). I have also provided a test file called test_time.py that you can use to test your implementation. That module will simply import the time.py module. Edit time.py to implement the overloaded operators for Time as described above. When you are ready to test your implementation, type python3 test_time.py to test your implementation.

Problem 2 [28 points] Matrix Operations. This problem requires you to work with a list of lists. You are expected to use list comprehension whenever suitable in this module. Download

module matrix.py from Canvas. Insert your implementation at the beginning of the module. This module contains some test code for you to test the implementation of your functions.

In this problem, you are asked to write several functions to manipulate *matrices*. An $m \times n$ matrix is a rectangular array of numbers consisting of m rows and n columns. If m = n, the matrix is said to be a square matrix. An example of a 2×3 matrix A and a 3×3 (square) matrix B is shown below.

$$A = \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 5 & 3 & -1 \\ 9 & 4 & 12 \end{array} \right]$$

$$B = \left[\begin{array}{rrr} 6 & 9 & 12 \\ -8 & 6 & -4 \\ 7 & 11 & 13 \end{array} \right]$$

For an $m \times n$ matrix A, the element of the matrix in the i-th row and j-th column is denoted by a_{ij} , where $1 \le i \le m$ and $1 \le j \le n$. Using this notation, we can now define a number of operations on matrices.

- The sum of two $m \times n$ matrices A and B is an $m \times n$ matrix C such that $c_{ij} = a_{ij} + b_{ij}$. We write this as C = A + B.
- The **difference** of two $m \times n$ matrices A and B is an $m \times n$ matrix C such that $c_{ij} = a_{ij} b_{ij}$. We write this as C = A B.
- The **product** of two matrices A and B is defined when A is an $m \times k$ matrix and B is a $k \times n$ matrix (that is, the number of columns in A is the same as the number of rows in B). In this case, the product C of A and B, written as C = AB, is an $m \times n$ matrix, where c_{ij} is obtained by multiplying the i-th row of A with the j-th column of B as follows:

$$c_{ij} = a_{i1}b_{1j} + a_{i2}b_{2j} + a_{i3}b_{3j} + \ldots + a_{ik}b_{kj}$$

Note that the number of elements in the i-th row of A is equal to the number of elements in the j-th column of B.

• The **determinant** of a *square* matrix A, denoted det(A), is a function that calculates a real value from a matrix. It is defined as follows:

If
$$A = [a], \det(A) = a$$

If
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$
, $\det(A) = ad - bc$

For all larger $n \times n$ matrices, let A_{1j} denote the $(n-1) \times (n-1)$ matrix obtained by deleted row 1 and column j from A. Then $\det(A)$ is defined recursively as follows:

$$\det(A) = a_{11}\det(A_{11}) - a_{12}\det(A_{12}) + a_{13}\det(A_{13}) - a_{14}\det(A_{14}) + \dots + (-1)^{n-1}a_{1n}\det(A_{1n})$$

Here are some examples to illustrate the above matrix operations. Let A and B be the example matrices shown on the previous page. In addition, let

$$C = \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 0 & -21 & -1 \\ 11 & 13 & 17 \end{array} \right]$$

Then, we have

$$A + C = \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 5 & -18 & -2 \\ 20 & 17 & 29 \end{array} \right]$$

$$A - C = \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 5 & 24 & 0 \\ -2 & -9 & -5 \end{array} \right]$$

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 30 - 24 - 7 & 45 + 18 - 11 & 60 - 12 - 13 \\ 54 - 32 + 84 & 81 + 24 + 132 & 108 - 16 + 156 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 52 & 35 \\ 106 & 237 & 248 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(B) = 6\det(B_{11}) - 9\det(B_{12}) + 12\det(B_{13})
= 6\det(\begin{bmatrix} 6 & -4 \\ 11 & 13 \end{bmatrix}) - 9\det(\begin{bmatrix} -8 & -4 \\ 7 & 13 \end{bmatrix}) + 12\det(\begin{bmatrix} -8 & 6 \\ 7 & 11 \end{bmatrix})
= 6(78 + 44) - 9(-104 + 28) + 12(-88 - 42)
= 732 + 684 - 1560
= -144$$

In our Python program, we will represent an $m \times n$ matrix as a list of m elements (one for each row), where each element is itself a list of n numbers. In other words, a matrix will be stored as a list of lists. For example, the above matrix A will be represented as A = [[5, 3, -2], [9, 4, 12]]. Note that in the mathematical matrix notation, the row numbers go from 1 to m and the column numbers go from 1 to m. Hence, row m of the matrix is the m the lement of m and column m of the matrix is the m this means that the element m is stored in m [j-1][j-1].

In order to implement the above matrix operations in Python, you are asked to write the following functions. **Important:** Do not import any modules when implementing or testing this program.

- 1. (1 point) A function called dimension with a single parameter, a matrix M. The function returns the number of rows and the number of columns in M. The returned object is thus a 2-tuple.
- (1 point) A function called row with two parameters, a matrix M and a positive integer
 The function returns the i-th row of M. Recall that row numbers in a matrix start at
 Raise an exception if i is an invalid number. Observe that the returned object is a list.
- 3. (3 points) A function called column with two parameters, a matrix M and a positive integer j. The function returns the j-th column of M. Recall that row numbers in a matrix start at 1. Raise an exception if j is an invalid number. Observe that the returned object is a list.

- 4. (3 points) A function called matrix_sum with two parameters, a matrix A and a matrix B. If A and B have the same dimensions, the function should return the matrix sum of A and B. If A and B do not have the same dimensions, the function should raise an exception.
- 5. (2 points) A function called matrix_difference with two parameters, a matrix A and a matrix B. If A and B have the same dimensions, the function should return the matrix difference of A and B. If A and B do not have the same dimensions, the function should raise an exception.
- 6. (6 points) A function called matrix_product with two parameters, a matrix A and a matrix B. If A and B are product compatible (that is, if the number of columns in A is equal to the number of rows in B), then the function should return the matrix product of A and B. If they are not not product compatible, the function should raise an exception. Use functions row and column to implement this function.
- 7. (4 points) A function called reduce_matrix with three parameters: a matrix M, a positive integer i, and a positive integer j. The function returns the matrix obtained from M by removing the i-th row and j-th column of M. Raise an exception if i and j are invalid numbers for M. Note that the row and column dimensions of the returned matrix are one less than the row and column dimensions of M. Important: Do not modify M itself when computing the reduced matrix. Create a new matrix with the reduced dimensions and return that.
- 8. (6 points) A function called determinant with a single parameter, a matrix M. If the matrix is not a square matrix, the function should raise an exception. If it is a square matrix, the function returns the determinant of M. Implement the function recursively; the function reduce_matrix will come in handy here.
- 9. (2 points) A function called pretty_print with a single parameter, a matrix M. The function should print the matrix in a neatly formatted way (use the usual row-wise order); use string formatting with field widths. We use this function to print the matrix in a readable format, since printing it out as a list of lists is not easy to read, particularly for large matrices.
- Problem 3 [30 points] A Matrix Class. In Problem 2, you wrote several functions to manipulate matrices. Indeed, a matrix is a good example of a new type of object for which it would make sense to use object-oriented design. In this problem, you will *create* a class called Matrix in a module called matrixclass.py. The methods you are asked to implement are very similar to the functions you were asked to implement in Problem 2. In fact, you should adapt the code in the previous problem to implement this class. You will also need to *rewrite* the test code (the code that appears in the body of the if __name__ == "_main__" block) to test your Matrix class. In other words, you are asked to mimic the test code provided in the previous problem by creating Matrix instances and making appropriate calls to Matrix methods to test out your Matrix class implementation.

Implement the following methods for your Matrix class. Recall that all class methods must have self as the first parameter.

• __init__: The constructor initializes the matrix by storing its elements as a list of lists. Hence, the constructor will have a list of equal-length lists as its parameter. Raise an exception if the parameter is not a list of equal-length lists. **Important note:** The instance attribute must be private.

- dimension(self): Returns the dimension of the matrix.
- row(self, i): Returns the i-th row of the matrix. Raise an exception if i is an invalid row number.
- column(self, j): Returns the j-th column of the matrix. Raise an exception if j is an invalid row number.
- __add__: The overloaded operator that returns the matrix sum of its two matrix parameters. Note that a Matrix object is returned. Raise an exception if the matrices being added do not have the same dimensions.
- __sub__: The overloaded operator that returns the matrix difference of its two matrix parameters. Note that a Matrix object is returned. Raise an exception if the matrices being added do not have the same dimensions.
- __mul__: The overloaded operator that returns the matrix product of its two matrix parameters. Note that a Matrix object is returned. Raise an exception if the matrices being multiplied are not product-compatible.
- reduce matrix(self, i, j): Returns the matrix obtained by deleting row i and column j from the matrix. Raise an exception if i and j are invalid numbers for the matrix. Note that a Matrix object is returned.
- determinant: Returns the determinant of the matrix. Raise an exception if the matrix is not square.
- __str__: Returns a printable string representation of the matrix. The string should be neatly formatted, in a manner similar to the pretty_print function of the previous problem.
- Finally, rewrite the test code provided to you (in matrix.py) to create Matrix objects and make appropriate calls to Matrix methods.

Point distribution will be similar to Problem 2, but reduced by about 1 point for some of the methods. The remaining points will be assigned to the test code portion of the problem.

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Implement the first problem in the file called time.py (downloaded from Canvas), the second problem in the file called matrix.py (downloaded from Canvas), and the third one in a file called matrixclass.py. Your name and RUID should appear as a comment at the very top of each file.

Test each of your programs thoroughly before submitting your homework. When you are ready to submit, upload your files on Canvas as follows:

- 1. Go to the "Assignments" tab of the Canvas site for this course.
- 2. Click on "Programming Assignment #4" under Homework Assignments.
- 3. Download the homework document (hw4.pdf) and the Python files time.py, test_time.py, and matrix.py.
- 4. Use this same link to upload your files time.py, matrix.py, and matrixclass.py.

You must submit your assignment at or before 11:59PM on November 11, 2022.