

Python Programming



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TUPLE DATA TYPE



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Learning Mantra

**If you really strong in the basics, then
remaining things will become so easy.**

Agenda:

- 1. Accessing elements of tuple**
- 2. Tuple vs immutability**
- 3. Mathematical operators for tuple**
- 4. Important functions/Methods of Tuple**

3. Accessing elements of tuple:

- We can access elements of a tuple either by using **index** or by using **slice operator**.

1. By using index:

Eg:

```
t=(10,20,30,40,50,60)
```

```
print(t[0])
```

```
print(t[-1])
```

```
print(t[100])
```

```
10  
60
```

```
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IndexError                                Traceback (most recent call last)  
<ipython-input-7-a762027e6505> in <module>  
      2 print(t[0])                        #10  
      3 print(t[-1])                      #60  
----> 4 print(t[100])                     #IndexError: tuple index out of range  
  
IndexError: tuple index out of range
```

2. By using slice operator:

Eg:

```
t=(10,20,30,40,50,60)
```

```
print(t[2:5])
```

```
print(t[2:100])
```

```
print(t[::2])
```

```
(30, 40, 50)
(30, 40, 50, 60)
(10, 30, 50)
```

Eg:

```
t= tuple('karthikeya')
```

```
print(t[0])
```

```
print(t[1:5:1])
```

```
print(t[-2:-5:-1])
```

```
k
('a', 'r', 't', 'h')
('y', 'e', 'k')
```

4. Tuple vs immutability

- Once we create a tuple, we cannot change its content. Hence tuple objects are immutable.

Eg:

```
t=(10,20,30,40)
```

```
t[1]=70
```

```
-----  
TypeError
```

```
Traceback (most recent call last)
```

```
<ipython-input-12-b9dcfa3c846d> in <module>
```

```
1 t=(10,20,30,40)
```

```
----> 2 t[1]=70
```

```
TypeError: 'tuple' object does not support item assignment
```


5. Mathematical operators for tuple

□ We can apply + and * operators for tuple.

1. Concatenation Operator(+):

Eg:

```
t1=(10,20,30)
```

```
t2=(40,50,60)
```

```
t3=t1+t2
```

```
print(t3)
```

(10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60)

Eg:

```
t1 = 10,20,30,40
```

```
t2 = 10,20,30,40
```

```
t3 = t1 + t2 # because list and tuple allow duplicates, so you will get all the elements
```

```
print(t3)
```

```
(10, 20, 30, 40, 10, 20, 30, 40)
```

2. Multiplication operator (or) repetition operator(*)

Eg:

```
t1=(10,20,30)
```

```
t2=t1*3
```

```
print(t2)    #(10,20,30,10,20,30,10,20,30)
```

```
(10, 20, 30, 10, 20, 30, 10, 20, 30)
```

6. Important functions/Methods of Tuple

1. len():

- ❑ It is an in-built function of Python, if you provide any sequence (i.e., strings, list, tuple etc.), in that how many elements are there that will be returned this function.
- ❑ It is used to return number of elements present in the tuple.

Eg:

```
t=(10,20,30,40)
```

```
print(len(t))      # 4
```

2. count():

- ❑ To return number of occurrences of given element in the tuple.

Eg:

```
t=(10,20,10,10,20)
```

```
print(t.count(10))    # 3
```

3. index():

- ❑ It returns index of first occurrence of the given element. If the specified element is not available then we will get **ValueError**.

Eg:

```
t=(10,20,10,10,20)
```

```
print(t.index(10))
```

```
print(t.index(30))
```

```
0
```

```
-----  
ValueError
```

```
Traceback (most recent call last)
```

```
<ipython-input-18-e5a94eb1d82a> in <module>
```

```
1 t=(10,20,10,10,20)
```

```
2 print(t.index(10))    # 0
```

```
----> 3 print(t.index(30))    # ValueError: tuple.index(x): x not in tuple
```

```
ValueError: tuple.index(x): x not in tuple
```

4. sorted():

- ❑ It is used to sort elements based on default natural sorting order (Ascending order).

Eg:

```
t=(10,30,40,20)
```

```
print(sorted(t))    # sorted() is going to return list
```

Output:

```
[10, 20, 30, 40]
```

Eg:

```
t=(10,30,40,20)
```

```
t.sort()
```

```
print(t)
```

```
AttributeError                                Traceback (most recent call last)
<ipython-input-31-6dd56d99cf24> in <module>
      1 t =(10,30,40,20)
----> 2 t.sort()
      3 print(t)
```

```
AttributeError: 'tuple' object has no attribute 'sort'
```


Eg:

```
t=(40,10,30,20)
```

```
print(id(t))
```

```
2653757219768
```

```
print(type(t))
```

```
<class 'tuple'>
```

```
t=sorted(t)
```

```
2653757029192
```

```
print(id(t))
```

```
<class 'list'>
```

```
print(type(t))
```

```
[10, 20, 30, 40]
```

```
print(t)      # Result is in List form.
```

Eg:

```
t=(40,10,30,20)
```

```
t1=sorted(t)
```

```
print(type(t1))
```

```
print(t1)
```

```
print(type(t))
```

```
print(t)
```

```
<class 'list'>  
[10, 20, 30, 40]  
<class 'tuple'>  
(40, 10, 30, 20)
```

Eg:

```
t=(40,10,30,20)
```

```
t1=tuple(sorted(t))
```

```
print(type(t1))
```

```
print(t1)
```

```
print(type(t1))
```

```
print(t)
```

```
<class 'tuple'>  
(10, 20, 30, 40)  
<class 'tuple'>  
(40, 10, 30, 20)
```

❑ We can sort according to reverse of default natural sorting order is as follows:

Eg:

```
t=(40,10,30,20)
```

```
t1=sorted(t,reverse=True)
```

```
print(t1)      #[40, 30, 20, 10]
```

5. min() and max() functions

- ❑ These functions return minimum and maximum values according to default natural sorting order.
- ❑ These functions will work on tuple with respect to homogeneous elements only.

Eg:

```
t=(40,10,30,20)
```

```
print(min(t))      #10
```

```
print(max(t))      #40
```

Eg:

```
t = ('karthi')           # based on Unicode values these functions will work.
```

```
print(min(t))           # a
```

```
print(max(t))           # t
```

Eg:

```
t = ('kArthi')
```

```
print(min(t))           # A
```

```
print(max(t))           # t
```

6. cmp():

- ❑ It compares the elements of both tuples.
- ❑ If both tuples are equal then returns 0.
- ❑ If the first tuple is less than second tuple then it returns -1.
- ❑ If the first tuple is greater than second tuple then it returns +1.

Eg:

```
t1=(10,20,30)
```

```
t2=(40,50,60)
```

```
t3=(10,20,30)
```

```
print(cmp(t1,t2)) # -1
```

```
print(cmp(t1,t3)) # 0
```

```
print(cmp(t2,t3)) # +1
```

```
-----  
NameError                                Traceback (most recent call last)  
<ipython-input-41-558f5c41fd64> in <module>  
      2 t2=(40,50,60)  
      3 t3=(10,20,30)  
----> 4 print(cmp(t1,t2)) # -1  
      5 print(cmp(t1,t3)) # 0  
      6 print(cmp(t2,t3)) # +1  
  
NameError: name 'cmp' is not defined
```

Note : cmp() function is available only in Python 2 but not in Python 3

Eg:

```
t1=(10,20,30)
```

```
t2=(40,50,60)
```

```
t3=(10,20,30)
```

```
print(t1==t2)
```

```
print(t1==t3)
```

```
print(t2==t3)
```

```
print(t1<t2) # true, because it compares only first element.
```

False
True
False
True

Eg:

```
t1=(10,20,30)
```

```
t2=(5,50,60)
```

```
print(t1<t2)      # False
```

Any question?



If you try to practice programs yourself, then you will learn many things automatically

Spend few minutes and then enjoy the study

Thank You