## SECTION 22: ERRORS AND EXCEPTIONS HANDLING - 46 minutes, 6 parts

# 2/4 Objects and Data Structures Assessment - Solutions

- -> the objects and data structures assessment
- -> a description of all the objects and data types which we've learned about
- · -> he's gone to the solutions ipynb file
- -> this is for tuples and dictionaries

## · -> numbers

- -> write an equation that uses multiplication, division, subtraction and exponentials
- -> it's all of these things in one cell

# -> then explaining what the cells will produce

- -> 2/3 makes 0
- -> Python 2 does class division for integers
- -> we want float division in this example
- -> this is done by changing 2 to 2.0

# -> then three questions about Python code

- -> typing the code to check that order of operations is understood
- -> then the type of the result of this operation

# -> the string section for this

- -> then what you would use to find a number's square root, as well as it's square
- -> there is a map module for this

## -> indexing starts at 0

- -> for indexing and slicing
- -> he prints out the same number backwards, then the 0th element of it

# -> building out a list

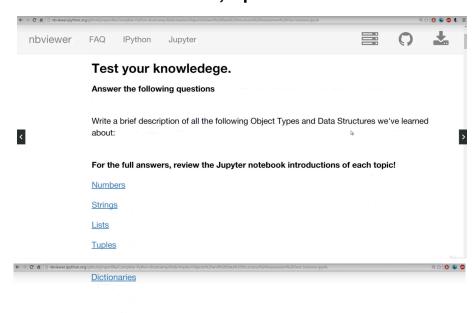
- -> this method between brackets
- -> or having a list of 0 and multiplying it by 3

## -> then sorting a list

-> this could have been done with the sorted function, or with the method sort()

# -> then re-assigning hello to a list

- -> indexing for nested lists
- -> this could also be done using the sorted function, or sort() method



#### **Numbers**

Write an equation that uses multiplication, division, an exponent, addition, and subtraction that is equal to 100.25.

Hint: This is just to test your memory of the basic arithmetic commands, work backwards from 100.25

```
In [10]: # Your answer is probably different (20000 - (10 ** 2) / 12 * 34) - 19627.75
```

Explain what the cell below will produce and why. Can you change it so the answer is correct?

In [11]: 2/3
Out[11]: 0

Out[10]: 100.25

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Answer: Because Python 2 performs classic division for integers. Use floats to perform true division. For example: 2.0/3  $_{\rm b}$ 

Answer these 3 questions without typing code. Then type code to check your answer.

What is the value of the expression 4 \* (6 + 5)What is the value of the expression 4 \* 6 + 5

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## -> then multiple keys and indices

- -> the other has two keys
- -> the third is the key, index, nested key and then three more keys left

# -> dictionaries can't be sorted, because normal dictionaries are mappings not sequences

- -> the order of the mappings doesn't matter
- -> there is a subclass of dictionaries called ordered dictionaries

## -> tuples are immutable and lists aren't

- -> tuples look like coordinates
- -> sets don't allow for duplicate items

## · -> booleans

- -> there is a section on comparison operators
- -> then there are also comparison operators
- -> he gives examples of these in the notebook
- -> comparisons between different elements of a list
- -> the next lecture is Python comparison operators

```
In [16]: 4 * (6 + 5)
Out[16]: 44

In [17]: 4 * 6 + 5
Out[17]: 29

In [18]: 4 + 6 *<sub>1</sub>5
Out[18]: 34
```

What is the *type* of the result of the expression 3 + 1.5 + 4?

#### **Answer: Floating Point Number**

What would you use to find a number's square root, as well as its square?

```
In [14]: 100 ** 0.5
Out[14]: 10.0
In [12]: 10 ** 2
Out[12]: 100
```

## **Strings**

Given the string 'hello' give an index commadn that returns 'e'. Use the code below:

```
In [19]: s = 'hello'
# Print out 'e' using indexing
s[1]
Out[19]: 'e'
```

Reverse the string 'hello' using indexing:

```
In [21]: s = 'hello'
# Reverse the string using indexing
s[::-1]
Out[21]: 'olleh' *
```

Given the string hello, give two methods of producing the letter 'o' using indexing.

#### Lists

Build this list [0,0,0] two seperate ways.

```
In [25]: #Method 1
[0]*3
Out[25]: [0, 0, 0]
In [27]: #Method 2
1 = [0,0,0]
1
```

#### **Dictionaries**

Out[27]: [0, 0, 0]

Using keys and indexing, grab the 'hello' from the following dictionaries:

```
In [41]: d = {'simple_key':'hello'}
           # Grab 'hello'
 In [42]: d['simple_key']
Out[42]: 'hello'
 In [43]: d = {'k1':{'k2':'hello'}}
In [44]: d['k1']['k2']
Out[44]: 'hello'
 In [45]: # Getting a little tricker
          d = {'k1':[{'nest_key':['this is deep',['hello']]}]}
 In [51]: # This was harder than I expected...
           d['k1'][0]['nest_key'][1][0]
 Out[51]: 'hello'
In [52]: # This will be hard and annoying!
d = {'k1':[1,2,{'k2':['this is tricky',{'toughie':[1,2,['hello']]}}]}}
In [61]: # Phew
          d['k1'][2]['k2'][1]['toughie'][2][0]
Out[61]: 'hello'
```

Can you sort a dictionary? Why or why not?

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Answer: No! Because normal dictionaries are *mappings* not a sequence.

## **Tuples**

What is the major difference betwen tuples and lists?

#### Tuples are immutable!

How do you create a tuple?

```
In [63]: t = (1,2,3)
```

## Sets

What is unique about a set?

Answer: They don't allow for duplicate items!

Use a set to find the unique values of the list below:

```
In [64]: 1 = [1,2,2,33,4,4,11,22,3,3,2]
In [65]: set(1)
Out[65]: {1, 2, 3, 4, 11, 22, 33}
```

### **Booleans**

Out[70]: False

For the following quiz questions, we will get a preview of comparison operators:

Operator	Descri	ption	Example	
== ,	If the values of two operands are equal, then the condition becomes true.		(a == b) is not true.	
!=	If values of two operands are not equal, then condition becomes true.			
<b>&lt;&gt;</b>	If values of two operands are not equal, then condition becomes true.		(a <> b) is true. This is similar to != operator.	
>	than th	alue of left operand is greater e value of right operand, then on becomes true.	(a > b) is not true.	
	<	If the value of left operand is less than	(a < b) is true.	
		the value of right operand, then condition becomes true.		
	>=	If the value of left operand is greater than or equal to the value of right operand, then condition becomes true	(a >= b) is not true.	
	<=	If the value of left operand is less than or equal to the value of right operand, then condition becomes true.	(a <= b) is true.	

What will be the resulting Boolean of the following pieces of code (answer fist then check by typing it in!)

```
In [66]: # Answer before running cell
2 > 3

Out[66]: False
In [67]: # Answer before running cell
3 <= 2

Out[67]: False
In [68]: # Answer before running cell
3 == 2.0

Out[68]: False
In [69]: # Answer before running cell
3.0 == 3

Out[69]: True

In [70]: # Answer before running cell
4**0.5 != 2</pre>
```

Final Question: What is the boolean output of the cell block below?

## Great Job on your first assessment!

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