

# UNDERSTANDING I/O FUNCTIONS IN PYTHON







# WHAT ARE I/O FUNCTIONS?

I/O (INPUT/OUTPUT) FUNCTIONS HANDLE DATA INPUT FROM USERS OR FILES AND OUTPUT DATA TO THE CONSOLE OR FILES. THEY ARE ESSENTIAL FOR INTERACTING WITH YOUR PROGRAMS!

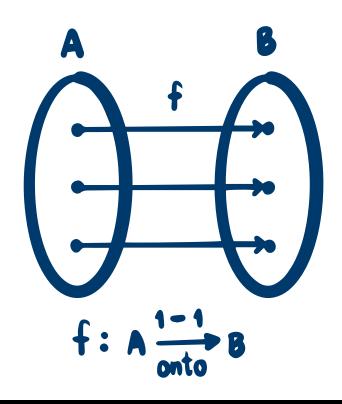






#### READING INPUT FROM USERS

USE THE INPUT() FUNCTION TO READ USER INPUT:



name = input("Enter your name: ")
print(f"Hello, {name}!")





### READING FROM FILES

TO READ DATA FROM A FILE, USE THE OPEN() FUNCTION:



with open('file.txt', 'r') as file:
 content = file.read()
 print(content)





#### WRITING TO FILES

YOU CAN ALSO WRITE DATA TO A FILE:



with open('file.txt', 'w') as file:
 file.write("Hello, World!")
This will overwrite the file content.





# **APPENDING TO FILES**

TO ADD DATA WITHOUT OVERWRITING, USE THE APPEND MODE 'A':



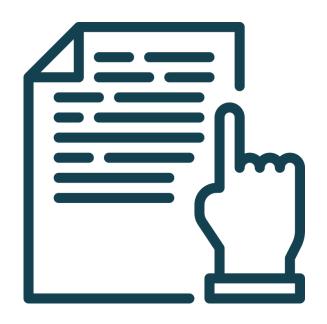
with open('file.txt', 'a') as file:
 file.write("\nGoodbye, World!")





#### READING LINES FROM FILES

READ A FILE LINE BY LINE USING READLINES():



with open('file.txt', 'r') as file:

lines = file.readlines()

for line in lines:

print(line.strip()) # Strip removes leading/trailing whitespace





# HANDLING EXCEPTIONS

ALWAYS HANDLE EXCEPTIONS TO AVOID ERRORS:



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try:
    with open('file.txt', 'r') as file:
        content = file.read()
except FileNotFoundError:
    print("File not found!")
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### **CONCLUSION**

I/O FUNCTIONS ARE CRUCIAL FOR DATA HANDLING IN PYTHON. MASTER THEM TO ENHANCE YOUR PROGRAM'S INTERACTIVITY AND FUNCTIONALITY!







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