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PYTHON Programming

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STUDY BUDDIES

BASICS

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① # Variables & Maths

variables

>>> <var name> = <value>

Ex >>> x = 5

Naming

>>> bigFoot = 4

↑ ↑ (Upper Case, NO spaces)
lowercase

Math: +, -, *, /, () Paranthesis, ** power, % remainder

int & float

integer = 0, 15, 20 ...

float = 2.3, 6.4018, 7.0 ...

float()

float(3) → 3.0

float(3)/2 → 1.5

float(3/2) → 1.0

Other functions

abs()

sin(), cos(), floor()

ceil(), pow()

Ex pow() = power(a * x)

int()

int(3.0) → 3

int(3.0)/2 → 1

etc.

② Strings, Lists, tuples & Dictionaries

strings

$x = \text{'Hello'}$
or $x = \text{"Hello"}$ } both are acceptable

Combining strings

Use '+' to combine two strings together

Ex

```
x = "Hello"
y = x + " World"
```

↑
space

>>> f ⇒ 'Hello World' // output

Combining numbers + strings

str(): use to convert TO a STRING

En $x = \text{"Hello"}$
 $z = 10$

$y = x + \text{str}(z) \rightarrow \text{Hello10}$

Special characters

placing numbers values within strings

syntax : "%d" % NUM = substitute INTEGER
Z = 10

Ex $y = \text{"Hello \%d"} \% z \rightarrow \text{Hello 10}$

Similarly, "%f" % NUM = substitute float

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$y = \text{"Hello 7.f"}\%Z \rightarrow \text{Hello 10.000000}$

∴ ".3f" %NUN = substitute cut off FLOAT

Ex $y = \text{"Hello \%0.3f"} \%z \rightarrow \text{Hello 10.000}$

special characters

"\n" = newline character

"\t" = TAB character

Keyword 'IN'

used to CHECK if a value is written
another value

Ex "Hello" in "Hello World"

↳ o/p True/false

[] **LISTS** — Its like vectors
in c++

Created using '['] square brackets

x = []

Ex x = ["Hello", 4, 2.2]



Fun(CTIONS)

① append (VALUE) : Adds value to end of list

Ex x = ["Hello", 4, 2.2]

x.append(5)

⇒ x → ['Hello', 4, 2.2, 5]

② insert(location, VALUE) : insert value at a location

Ex x = ["H", 4, 2.2, 5]

x.insert(1, 3.14)

⇒ x → ['H', 3.14, 4, 2.2, 5]

- ③ `pop(location)`: remove and return the value at the location

Ex $x = ['H', 3.14, 4, 2.2, 5]$

$x.pop(1)$

$\ggg x \rightarrow ['H', 4, 2.2, 5]$

- ④ `len(string or list)`: return the TOTAL number of items within a string or list, short for length.

Ex $x = ['H', 4, 2.2, 5]$

$len(x) \rightarrow 4$

$\ggg len("Hello") \rightarrow 5$

- ⑤ `list(item)`: Convert item to a list

Ex $y = list("Hello")$

$\ggg y \rightarrow ['H', 'e', 'l', 'l', 'o']$

- ⑥ more 'in' stuffs

Ex $y = ["Hello"] \rightarrow f$

$\ggg y \rightarrow ['H', 'e', 'l', 'l', 'o']$

$\ggg 's' \text{ in } y \rightarrow \text{false}$

TUPLES ()

Just like lists but UNADJUSTABLE

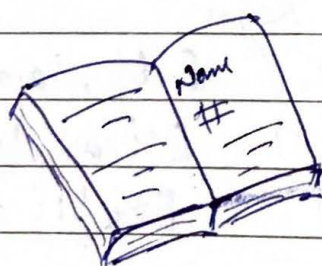
Ex $x = ()$ <sup>i.e. no add or delete
fns. like in list</sup>

$\gg x = ('Hello', 4, 5)$

#	<u>Tuples</u>	vs.	<u>Lists</u>
	more memory efficient		Takes more memory
	cannot be adjusted		Adjustable

DICTIONARIES { }

Used for binding KEYS to VALUES
(i.e. just like a phone book!)



Ex $\gg sam = \{ \}$

$\gg sam['Name'] = 'Rajiv'$

$\gg sam['Age'] = 27$

$\gg sam$

$\{ 'Name': 'Rajiv', 'Age': 27 \}$

Retrieving the values in dictionary

~~dict~~ dictionary[key]: GET and SET the value
del dict[key]: DELETE a value/key pair

Ex >>> sam["Name"] → 'Rajiv'

Ex >>> del sam['Age']
>>> sam → {'Name': 'Rajiv'}

EXERCISE-1

- ① a = str(int(2.23) + float(14)) + "tomatoes"
a = ?? 16.0tomatoes
- ② "ham Ham".upper() HAM HAM
- ③ "HELLO world".lower() hello world
- ④ a = "I am Rajiv"
 - a) b.split() ['i', 'am', 'rajiv']
 - b) b.split("m") ['i', 'a', 'rajiv']
 - c) b.join(a) ~~['i', 'i', 'am', 'rajiv', 'i', 'am', 'rajiv', ...]~~
- ⑤ "int: %.d, float: %.0.5f" % (14.4, 55.2)
'int: 14, float 55.20000'
- ⑥ L = [1, 6, 7, 26, 0, 3, 4, 5]

L[:7]	[1, 6, 7, 26, 0, 3, 4, 5]
L[:2]	[1, 6]
L[2:]	[7, 26, 0, 3, 4, 5]
L[::2]	[1, 7, 0, 4]
L[1::2]	[6, 26, 3, 5]

EXERCISE - 2

① $L = [1, 2, 3]$

$x = [5, 6, L]$

$x = ???$

② $y = [1, 2, 3, 1, 5, 2, 1, 3]$

$z = \text{list}(\text{set}(y))$

$z = ??$

③ $\text{myDict} = \{14: 'Hamm', 20: 'sandwich'\}$

$\text{myDict.keys}()$

$\text{myDict.values}()$

$\text{len}(\text{myDict})$

③ Conditionals: if, else, elif, operands, examples

IF = if (condition is true):
do this!

Ex if (5 > 2):
print 'True'

ELSE

Catches everything that does NOT meet prior conditionals

Ex if (5 > 2):
print 'True'
else:
print 'false'

ELIF (i.e else if)

- Comes AFTER 'if' statement
- Sets up another conditional

```
if (...):
```

```
    ...
```

```
elif (...):
```

```
    ...
```

```
else:
```

```
    ...
```

Ex

```
if (a > b):
```

```
    print 'a is big'
```

```
elif (b > a):
```

```
    print 'b is big'
```

```
else:
```

```
    print 'a equals to b'
```

Comparison Operators

<, <=, >, >=, ==, !=

'AND'

- Combines two conditionals
- Only True if BOTH conditions are true!

```
if (7 > 5) and (5 < 7):
```

```
    print 'True'
```

'OR'

Ex No need 😊