raw\_sample = train\_sampler.dataset[0]  
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print(f"Raw Sample Type: {type(raw\_sample)}")

Raw Sample Type: <class 'lib.utils.tensor.TensorDict'>

print(f"Raw Sample Keys (if dictionary): {list(raw\_sample.keys()) if isinstance(raw\_sample, dict) else 'Not a dictionary'}")

Raw Sample Keys (if dictionary): ['template\_images', 'template\_anno', 'template\_masks', 'search\_images', 'search\_anno', 'search\_masks', 'dataset', 'test\_class', 'valid']

for key, value in raw\_sample.items():

if isinstance(value, torch.Tensor):

print(f"{key}: shape {value.shape}, dtype {value.dtype}")

else:

print(f"{key}: type {type(value)}")

template\_images: shape torch.Size([2, 3, 256, 256]), dtype torch.float32

template\_anno: shape torch.Size([2, 4]), dtype torch.float32

template\_masks: shape torch.Size([2, 256, 256]), dtype torch.float32

search\_images: shape torch.Size([1, 3, 256, 256]), dtype torch.float32

search\_anno: shape torch.Size([1, 4]), dtype torch.float32

search\_masks: shape torch.Size([1, 256, 256]), dtype torch.float32

dataset: type <class 'str'>

test\_class: type <class 'str'>

valid: type <class 'bool'>

template\_images: shape torch.Size([2, 3, 256, 256]), dtype torch.float32

template\_anno: shape torch.Size([2, 4]), dtype torch.float32

template\_masks: shape torch.Size([2, 256, 256]), dtype torch.float32

search\_images: shape torch.Size([1, 3, 256, 256]), dtype torch.float32

search\_anno: shape torch.Size([1, 4]), dtype torch.float32

search\_masks: shape torch.Size([1, 256, 256]), dtype torch.float32

dataset: type <class 'str'>

test\_class: type <class 'str'>

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First step is the sample.py & lasot.py

**Example Parameters**

* **Visible Frames**: Let's assume we have a list of visible frames represented as a 1D tensor, where 1 indicates visibility and 0 indicates invisibility. For example:
  + visible = [1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 1] (indices 2, 5, and 9 are invisible)
* **self.num\_template\_frames**: 2 (indicating we want 2 template frames)
* **self.num\_search\_frames**: 1 (indicating we want to reserve 1 frame for searching)
* **self.max\_gap**: 2 (the maximum gap allowed between frames)
* **gap\_increase**: 1 (an additional gap to consider)

**Calculation of base\_frame\_id**

1. **Minimum ID Calculation**:
   * min\_id = self.num\_template\_frames - 1 = 2 - 1 = 1
2. **Maximum ID Calculation**:
   * max\_id = len(visible) - self.num\_search\_frames = 11 - 1 = 10
3. **Sampling**:
   * We call \_sample\_visible\_ids(visible, num\_ids=1, min\_id=1, max\_id=10).
   * The valid indices in the range [1, 10] are [1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10] (indices 2 and 5 are invisible).
   * Let's say the sampled base\_frame\_id is 4.

**Calculation of prev\_frame\_ids**

1. **Minimum ID Calculation**:
   * min\_id = base\_frame\_id[0] - self.max\_gap - gap\_increase = 4 - 2 - 1 = 1
2. **Maximum ID Calculation**:
   * max\_id = base\_frame\_id[0] = 4
3. **Sampling**:
   * We call \_sample\_visible\_ids(visible, num\_ids=self.num\_template\_frames - 1, min\_id=1, max\_id=4).
   * The valid indices in the range [1, 4] are [1, 3] (index 2 is invisible).
   * Let's say the sampled prev\_frame\_ids are [1, 3].

**Summary of Numeric Example**

* **Sampled base\_frame\_id**: [4]
* **Sampled prev\_frame\_ids**: [1, 3]

**Explanation of the Results**

* **base\_frame\_id**: The sampled frame ID is 4, which is visible.
* **prev\_frame\_ids**: The sampled previous frame IDs are 1 and 3, both of which are visible. These frames can be used as template frames for the current frame.

**Note on search\_frame\_ids**

If we were to sample search\_frame\_ids, we would need to define how many frames we want to search for and their constraints. However, based on the provided code, the focus is on sampling the base\_frame\_id and prev\_frame\_ids.

In this example, we have successfully sampled the required frame IDs while adhering to the visibility constraints defined in the \_sample\_visible\_ids function.

Template Frames

The output appears to be a 3D array of pixel values, representing a sequence of template frames. Each frame is a 2D array of pixel values, with three color channels (RGB).

Here's a breakdown of the structure:

\* The outermost array has a shape of `(n, h, w, 3)`, where:

+ `n` is the number of template frames

+ `h` is the height of each frame

+ `w` is the width of each frame

+ `3` represents the three color channels (RGB)

\* Each frame is a 2D array of shape `(h, w, 3)`, where each pixel is represented by three values (R, G, B) ranging from 0 to 255.

\* The values in the array are of type `uint8`, indicating that they are unsigned 8-bit integers.

The output shows two template frames, each with a different set of pixel values. The frames appear to be quite large, with dimensions of around 130x170 pixels. The pixel values range from 0 to 255, indicating that the frames are represented in a 24-bit color format.

Without more context, it's difficult to say what these template frames represent or how they are being used. However, based on the structure and content of the output, it's likely that these frames are being used for some kind of image processing or computer vision task.

Inside seqtrack.py

This shows that template\_images comes in as part of the input data dictionary and has a shape of (N\_t, batch, 3, H, W) as indicated in the docstring comment. To see how it's actually created, we would need to look at the dataset/dataloader code that feeds into this actor class

From the code context, N\_t refers to the number of template frames being processed. This can be seen in the shape format of template\_images tensor which is (N\_t, batch, 3, H, W), where:

* N\_t: Number of template frames
* batch: Batch size
* 3: Number of channels (RGB)
* H: Height
* W: Width

To understand the role of a **function object** in decorators, let’s start from the basics and build up step by step.

**What Is a Function Object in Python?**

In Python, functions are not just pieces of code—they are **objects**. This means that a function can be:

* Created dynamically.
* Passed as an argument to another function.
* Returned from a function.
* Stored in a variable.

When you define a function using the def keyword, Python creates a **function object** in memory. This object contains:

1. The **code** for the function.
2. Metadata about the function (name, documentation, etc.).
3. Any **default arguments**.

For example:

def say\_hello():

print("Hello!")

# say\_hello is now a function object

Here:

* say\_hello is a name that refers to a function object.
* The function object contains the logic print("Hello!").

You can inspect the function object:

print(say\_hello) # Output: <function say\_hello at 0x...>

**Function Object in Decorators**

A decorator is a function that **takes a function object as input**, processes it, and returns either:

* The same function object (unchanged).
* A modified version of the function object.
* A completely new function object.

When you use a decorator with @decorator\_name, the decorator is called with the original function object as its argument.

**Step-by-Step with Function Objects**

Let’s take an example with a decorator:

def my\_decorator(func):

print(f"Intercepting the function object: {func}")

def wrapper():

print("Before the function call")

func() # Call the original function

print("After the function call")

return wrapper

@my\_decorator

def say\_hello():

print("Hello!")

**1. Without a Decorator:**

If there was no decorator, defining say\_hello() would create a function object:

def say\_hello():

print("Hello!")

* A function object is created and assigned to the name say\_hello.
* Calling say\_hello() executes the code inside the function: print("Hello!").

**2. With a Decorator:**

When you use @my\_decorator, the following happens:

1. **Function Object Interception**: The function object say\_hello is passed to the decorator my\_decorator:
2. my\_decorator(say\_hello)
   * Here, say\_hello is the original function object.
   * The decorator can inspect it, modify it, or replace it.

During this step, the decorator prints:

Intercepting the function object: <function say\_hello at 0x...>

1. **Decorator Creates a Wrapper**: The decorator defines a new function object called wrapper:
2. def wrapper():
3. print("Before the function call")
4. func() # Calls the original function
5. print("After the function call")
   * wrapper is a new function object.
   * This function object wraps around the original function object, adding behavior before and after its execution.
6. **Return the Wrapper**: The decorator returns the wrapper function object. Now, the name say\_hello refers to the new wrapper object instead of the original function.

**Runtime Execution**

When you call say\_hello() now, you are calling the wrapper function object, which:

1. Prints "Before the function call".
2. Calls the original function func() (the intercepted say\_hello object).
3. Prints "After the function call".

**Output**:

Intercepting the function object: <function say\_hello at 0x...>

Before the function call

Hello!

After the function call

**Summary of Interception in Terms of Function Objects**

1. **Intercepting**:
   * Normally, the function object would be assigned directly to its name.
   * With a decorator, Python **intercepts** this process by passing the function object to the decorator first.
2. **Decorator as an Interceptor**:
   * The decorator inspects the function object and can modify its behavior.
   * It creates and returns a new function object (like wrapper) that wraps the original function.
3. **What Gets Assigned**:
   * After interception, the **new function object** (returned by the decorator) gets assigned to the original name.

In essence:

* A **function object** is intercepted by the decorator.
* The decorator processes this function object.
* A modified or wrapped function object is returned, replacing the original.

Does this clarify both **function objects** and **interception**?