

Variables

We use variables to temporarily store data in computer's memory.

`x = 10` is an integer (a whole number without a decimal point)

`x = 4.9` is a float (a number with a decimal point)

`x = 'Python'` is a string (a sequence of characters)

`x = True` is a boolean. Boolean values can be True or False.

Receiving Input

`input()` -> return a string

`number = int(input('enter number :'))` -> return number

Strings

We can define strings using single (' ') or double (" ") quotes.

We can get individual characters in a string using square brackets [].

`course = 'Python for Beginners'`

`course[0]` # returns the first character -> P

`course[1]` # returns the second character -> y

`course[-1]` # returns the first character from the end -> s

`course[-2]` # returns the second character from the end -> r

We can slice a string using a similar notation:

`course[1:5]`

The above expression returns all the characters starting from the index position of 1 to 5 (but excluding 5). The result will be 'ytho'

If we leave out the start index, 0 will be assumed.

If we leave out the end index, the length of the string will be assumed.

We can use formatted strings to dynamically insert values into our strings:

`name = 'hodi'`

`message = f'Hi, my name is {name}'` -> Hi, my name is hodi

`message.upper()` # to convert to uppercase

`message.lower()` # to convert to lowercase

`message.title()` # to capitalize the first letter of every word

`message.find('p')` # returns the index of the first occurrence of p
(or -1 if not found)

`message.replace('p', 'q')`

`contains = 'Python' in course` -> True / False

Arithmetic Operations

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`a > b`

+

`a >= b` (greater than or equal to)

*

`a < b`

`/` # returns a float

`a != b` (not equals)

`//` # returns an int

`a == b` (equals)

`%` # returns the remainder of division

`a <= b`

`**` # exponentiation - `x ** y` = x to the power of y

Augmented assignment operator:

`x = x + 10`

`x += 10`

If Statements

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if condition:
    print("true block")
elif is_cold:
    print("else true block")
else:
    print("false false block")
```

While loops

```
i = 1
while i < 5:
    print(i)
    i+=1
```

For loops

```
for i in range(1, 5):
    print(i)
```

- range(5): generates 0, 1, 2, 3, 4
- range(1, 5): generates 1, 2, 3, 4
- range(1, 5, 2): generates 1, 3

Lists

```
numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
numbers[0] # returns the first item
numbers[1] # returns the second item
numbers[-1] # returns the first item from the end
numbers[-2] # returns the second item from the end
numbers.append(6) # adds 6 to the end
numbers.insert(0, 6) # adds 6 at index position of 0
numbers.remove(6) # removes 6
numbers.pop() # removes the last item
numbers.clear() # removes all the items
numbers.index(8) # returns the index of first occurrence of 8
numbers.sort() # sorts the list
numbers.reverse() # reverses the list
numbers.copy() # returns a copy of the list
```