

Operators and Interactivity

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Objectives

At the end of this lecture, you will learn about....

- Strings
- Operators
- Program Interactivity
- Math Function

Strings

Strings

- Strings in Python can be enclosed in either single quotes (') or double quotes ("), or three of each (''') or (""")

```
>>> type('Welcome to ICT')
<class 'str'>
>>> type("Welcome to ICT")
<class 'str'>
>>> type("""Welcome to ICT""")
<class 'str'>
>>> type('''Welcome to ICT'''')
<class 'str'>
```

Strings

- Triple quoted strings can even span multiple lines:

```
>>> message="""Welcome to ICT  
, hope you will enjoy  
Python"""  
>>> print(message)  
Welcome to ICT  
, hope you will enjoy  
Python  
>>>
```

```
>>> print("""Welcome to ICT  
, hope you will enjoy  
Python""")  
Welcome to ICT  
, hope you will enjoy  
Python
```

What is the expected output?

```
>>>  
>>> print('Welcome to ICT's graduation night! ')  
|
```

Operators

Operators

- Operators are symbols in programming languages to perform processing actions
 - ✓ Arithmetic Operators
 - ✓ Assignment Operators
 - ✓ Relational Operators – Conditional Operators
 - ✓ Logical Operators – Conditional Operators

Arithmetic Operators

Operators	Example	Given y=5; z=3
+	x = y + z	x = 8
-	x = y - z	x = 2
*	x = y * z	x = 15
/	x = y / z	x = 1.666666666666667
%	x = y % z	x = 2
//	x = y // z	x = 1
**	x = y ** z	x = 125

Order of Arithmetic Operators

- When more than one operator appears in an expression, the order of evaluation depends on the rules of precedence.
- Order of precedence (highest to lowest) is:

Operator	Description	
()	Parentheses (grouping)	
**	Exponentiation (raise to a power)	<i>right to left</i>
* / // %	Multiplication, division, floor division, modulus	<i>left to right</i>
+ -	Addition, subtraction	<i>left to right</i>
=	Assignment	

Activity 1

- In what order would you solve this mathematical equation?

$$E_{wg} = 6.112 \times e^{(17.67 \times T_w) / (T_w + 243.5)}$$

Where,

T_w = Wet Bulb Temperature
 e = Vapor Pressure

Mathematical Formulae to Python

	Mathematical Formulae	Python Statement
1.	$y = ax + b$	
2.	$y = (a + b) (a - b)$	
3.	$y = 2[(a + b) (a - b)] - x$	
4.	$y = 1 - \frac{2a}{3b}$	
5.	$a = -b$	

Assignment Operator =

- ❑ Assigns value to variable
- ❑ Assignment is from right to left

✓ E.g. What is the value of **k** after each line?

k = 6

k = k + 1

- adds 1 to value of variable **k**
- assigns new value back to the variable **k**

Assignment Statements

□ Simple Assignment

<variable> = <expr>

- ✓ *variable* is an identifier, *expr* is an expression
- ✓ The expression on the RHS is evaluated to produce a value which is then associated with the variable named on the LHS.

```
x = 3.9 * y * (1-z)  
fahrenheit = 9/5 * celsius + 32  
x = 5
```

Assignment Statements

- Variables can be reassigned as many times as you need during the execution of your program!

```
>>> class_size=0
>>> class_size
0
>>> class_size=18
>>> class_size
18
>>> class_size = class_size + 1
>>> class_size
19
>>> print("The class size is", class_size)
The class size is 19
```

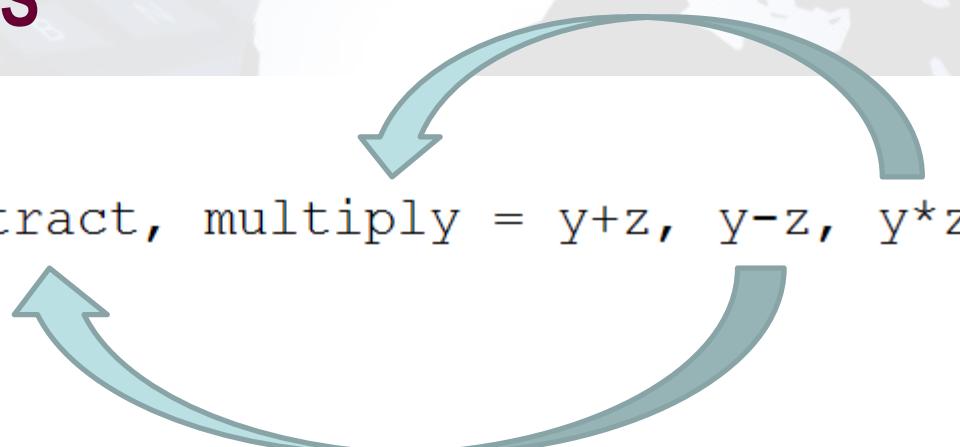
Simultaneous Assignment

- Several values can be calculated at the same time

`<var>, <var>, ... = <expr>, <expr>, ...`

- Evaluate the expressions in the RHS and assign them to the variables on the LHS

```
>>> y = 5
>>> z = 3
>>> add, subtract, multiply = y+z, y-z, y*z
>>> add
8
>>> subtract
2
>>> multiply
15
```



Activity 2

- Given num1 = 5, num2 = 3, how would you swap the values in num1 and num2 ?

Relational Operators

- *Relational operators compares the two operands and produce a Boolean value of either **True** or **False**.*

Operator	Description
<code>==</code>	equal
<code>!=</code>	not equal
<code>></code>	greater than
<code>>=</code>	greater than or equal
<code><</code>	less than
<code><=</code>	less than or equal

Activity 3

- Assume $x = 4$, $y = 3$, $z = 2$, evaluate the following expression

Boolean Expression	Result
$x < y + z$	
$y == 2 * x + 3$	
$z <= x - y$	
$z > x \% z$	
$x != y$	

Logical Operators

- *Logical operators allow us to build more complex Boolean expressions from simpler Boolean expressions.*

Logical Operator	Description
and	produces True only if both Boolean expressions are true
or	produces True if either of the Boolean expressions is true
not	Negates a Boolean value

Operators - Example

- Assume $x = 1, y = 4, z = 14$

Boolean Expression	Result
$x \leq 1 \text{ and } y == 3$	
$x \leq 1 \text{ or } y == 3$	
$\text{not } (x > 1)$	
$\text{not } x > 1$	
$\text{not } (x \leq 1 \text{ or } y == 3)$	
$x \leq 1 \text{ or } y > 1 \text{ and } z < 1$	
$(x \leq 1 \text{ or } y > 1) \text{ and } z < 1$	

Order of Operators

Operator Precedence, from highest to lowest:

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<, <=, >, >=, !=, ==	Relational operators	
not x	Boolean NOT	
and	Boolean AND	
or	Boolean OR	

Type conversion

- **int(), float(), str(), and bool() convert to integer, floating point, string, and boolean (True or False) types, respectively**

Example	Output
print (4.0 / 2.0)	
print (int(4) / int(2))	
print (float(4) / float(2))	
print (int (3.1415926))	
print (str(3.1415926))	
print(bool(1))	
print(bool(0))	

Activity 4

- Given the following algebraic expressions, write the equivalent Python expression.

Algebraic Expression	Python Expression
$y = ax^2 + bx + c$	
$y = \frac{ax^3 + bx^2 + cx}{4}$	
$p = \frac{1}{3} + rs - uv$	
$s = \frac{4}{3(r+34)} - 9(a+bc) + \frac{3+d}{a+bd}$	



Program Interactivity

Program Interactivity

<variable> = *input(<prompt>)*

- Built-in function in Python for getting input from user and store it into a variable.

```
>>> name = input("Enter your name: ")  
Enter your name: Joel  
>>> name  
'Joel'
```

- ✓ First the prompt is printed
- ✓ The input part waits for the user to enter a value and press <enter>
- ✓ The expression that was entered is captured as a string of characters and is assigned to the variable.

Assigning Input

- You need to convert the string to int or float in order to use the numeric value.

```
>>> height = int(input("Enter your height in cm: "))  
Enter your height in cm: 179  
>>> height  
179
```

```
>>> weight = float(input("Enter your weight in kg: "))  
Enter your weight in kg: 55.8  
>>> weight  
55.8
```

Example – CalBMI.py (assign inputs)

```
# This program calculates the body mass index of a person

#Input values for variables height & weight
height = float(input('Enter your height in m: '))
weight = float(input('Enter your weight in kg: '))

bmi = weight / (height * height)

#Display bmi
print('Your height is ' + str(height) + 'm')
print('Your weight is ' + str(weight) + 'kg')
print('Your bmi is ' + str(bmi))
```

Output

```
Enter your height in m: 1.73
Enter your weight in kg: 60
Your height is 1.73m
Your weight is 60.0kg
Your bmi is 20.04744562130375
```

```
Enter your height in m: 1.45
Enter your weight in kg: 60
Your height is 1.45m
Your weight is 60.0kg
Your bmi is 28.53745541022592
```

Math Functions

Math Functions

- Python comes with a large number of *modules* of its own which have functions for different purposes
- Most common module is **math** that has mathematical functions for computation.
 - ✓ Usage: **import math**

```
>>> import math  
>>> math.sqrt(5)  
2.23606797749979
```

```
>>> math.pi  
3.141592653589793
```

```
>>> math.pow(2, 2)  
4.0
```

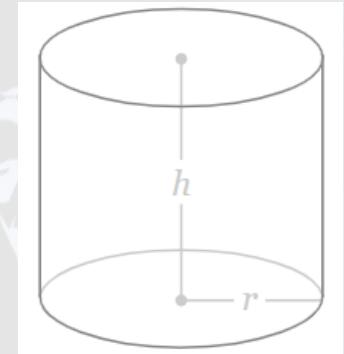
Math Functions

Math function	Description
factorial(x)	Returns the factorial of x
ceil(x)	Returns the smallest integer greater than or equal to x.
exp(x)	Returns $e^{**}x$
pow(x, y)	Returns x raised to the power y
sqrt(x)	Returns the square root of x
trunc(x)	Returns the truncated integer value of x
pi	Mathematical constant, the ratio of circumference of a circle to it's diameter (3.14159...)
e	mathematical constant e (2.71828...)

Refer to: <https://docs.python.org/3/library/math.html> for other math functions

Activity 5

Write a program that inputs the radius and height values of a cylinder and displays the surface area of the cylinder.



$$A = 2\pi rh + 2\pi r^2$$

Activity 6

Write a program that accepts the time in seconds as input and converts it into hours, minutes and seconds.

```
Please enter the time to be converted, in sec: 8600  
Time: 2 hr, 23 min 20 sec
```

Reading Reference

❑ How to Think Like a Computer Scientist: Learning with Python 3

- ✓ Chapter 2

http://openbookproject.net/thinkcs/python/english3e/variables_expressions_statements.html

Summary

- Type function to find out the data type
- Operators
- Program Interactivity
- Use of Math Functions