Introduction to Programming in Python



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Iwan (E1) Sandjaja, Metta, and Tucker.

I came from Surabaya, East Java to Waco, Texas nine years ago.

My name means 10.000 in Chinese. 10.000 is magic number for mastery.

I love to read, swim, and practice Aikido.





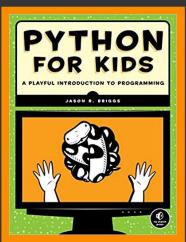
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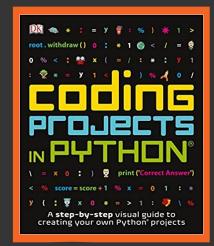
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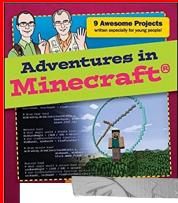
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Python is beginner friendly









Tip

If an elementary school student can do it, you can do it too.



Python is Powerful

Multiple programming paradigms
Imperative, object-oriented, functional, and symbolic math

→ Everywhere

Computational Intelligence (CI), Natural Language Processing (NLP), Computer Graphics (CG), Computer Vision (CV), and Embedded System (ES).

Python in CI/AI

There are two big Python library in machine learning





https://robertmarks.org/REPRINTS/1993_IntelligenceComputationalVersus.pdf

Python in NLP















https://medium.com/microsoftazure/7-amazing-open-source-nlp-tools-to-try-wit h-notebooks-in-2019-c9eec058d9f1

Python in CG







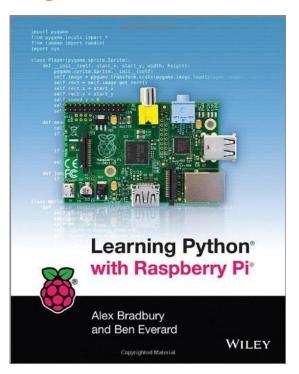
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Three programming principles: Sequential Looping **Branching**

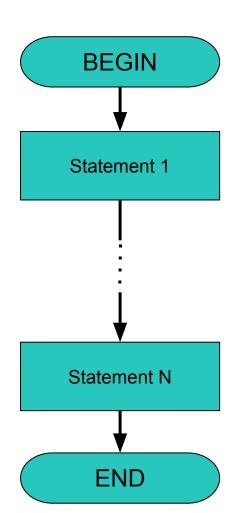


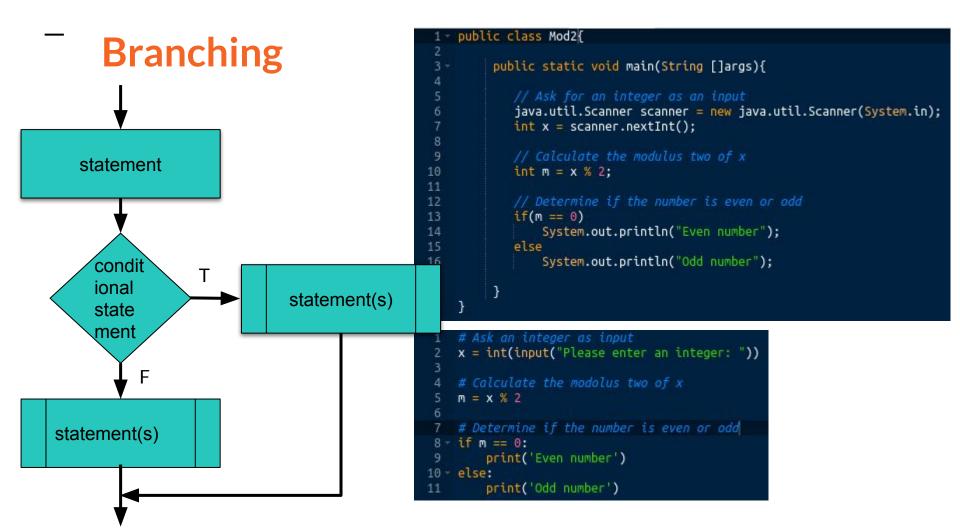
This three programming principles is the building block for imperative programming paradigm.

Sequential

```
public class CoolArithmetic{
         public static void main(String []args){
            int a = 10, b = 20;
            System.out.println("a = " + a + " b = " + b);
            a = a + b;
11
            b = a - b;
12
            a = a - b;
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14
            System.out.println("a = " + a + " b = " + b);
```

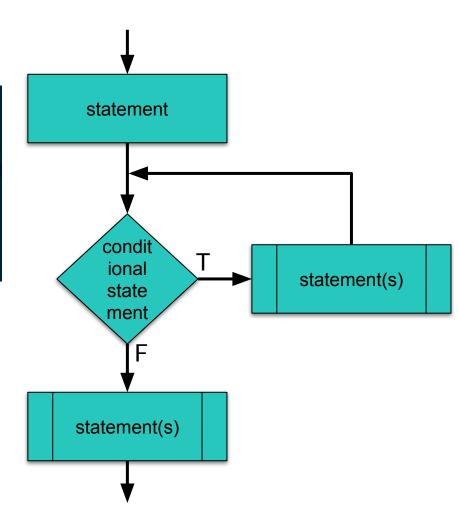
```
1  # Declaration and initialization of variables
2  a, b = (10, 20)
3  print("a =", a, " b =", b)
4
5  # Arithmetic Trick
6  a = a + b
7  b = a - b
8  a = a - b
9
10  # Print the result
11  print("a =", a, " b =", b)
```





Looping

```
1 # List of string.
2 a = ['Mary', 'had', 'a', 'little', 'lamb']
3
4 # Use a range function to generate the index
5 for i in range(len(a)):
6 print(i, a[i])
```





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Example!

Guess a number between 0-15 by asking yes/no questions!

First attempt Use a regular loop with range function

Time It! How long to execute

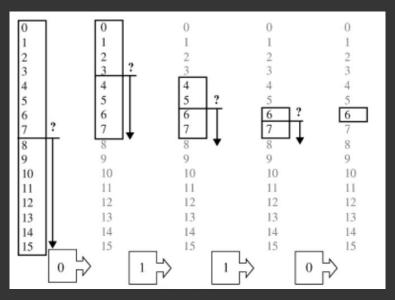


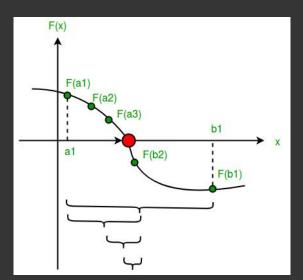
Tip

%%timeit

Try to find a number between 0 - (2**20-1)

2nd Attempt! Binary search Do interval halving.







Tip

20 Questions game

Binary tree

Bisection method in numerical

Which one is faster? Time it again Order of growth (Big-O notation)



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Congratulation!

You have learned about important imperative programming principles using Python.

Now, it your turn!

You can ask **any questions** and please give

me your feedback at

https://bit.ly/e1_feedback

