Good morning



How are you?

How did the sample test work out during the weekend?

Read the tasks

It is generally a good idea to read the tasks carefully.

Usually we would like you to do quite much exactly what is specified there.

Hint, verbs like return indicate what you have to do.

Stacks and queues? What was that?

Unrelated - But computational responsibility

Think about your use of your computers:

In 2018, online video viewing generated more than 300 MtCO2, i.e. as much greenhouse gas as Spain emits: 1% of global emissions.

Pornographic videos make up 27% of all online video traffic in the world. Taken alone, in 2018 they generated more than 80 MtCO2, i.e. as much as all France's households: close to 0.2% of global emissions.

The greenhouse gas emissions of VoD (video on demand) ser- vices (e.g. Netflix and Amazon Prime) are equivalent to those of a country like Chile (more than 100 MtCO2eq/year, i.e. close to 0.3% of global emissions), the country hosting the COP25 in 2019.

https://theshiftproject.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/Excutive-Summary EN The-unsustainable-use-of-online-video.pdf (https://theshiftproject.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/Excutive-Summary EN The-unsustainable-use-of-online-video.pdf)

Functions, parameters and arguments

Parameters are variables that are a part of a functions description.

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In [26]:
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# Here are x and y the parameters of the function multiply_numbers.
def multiply_numbers(x, y):
    return x * y
```

• Arguments are the values, which are passed into a function.

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In [ ]:
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# Here are 4 and 5 the arguments which are passed into the function multiply_
multiply_numbers(4, 5)
```

Required arguments

- The arguments which are required by the functions description.
- These arguments has to be in positional order (when we don't use keywords).

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In [38]:
 1
    def parrot(some_string, number_repetitions):
        """This function will repeat some_string, number_repetitions times
 2
 3
 4
        :param some_string: string
 5
            The string to repeat
        :param number_repetitions: int
 6
 7
            The number of times the string should be repeated
 8
        :returns: string
 9
        return str(some_string) * int(number_repetitions)
10
```

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In [42]:
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1  # What will happen?
2  # parrot("blah ", 16)
3  
4  # parrot("blah ")
5  
6  # parrot(16, "blah ")
```

Keyword arguments

- When the function is called, one can use the parameters names to identify the arguments.
- The positional order does not matter when one uses keyword arguments.

Default arguments

- Arguments which will take a default value, if no value were provided in the function call
- The default value must be specied in the functions definition.

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In []:
    print(help(print))
```

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In [50]:
    def parrot(some_string, number_repetitions = 1):
 1
          """This function will repeat some string, number_repetitions times
 2
 3
 4
          :param some_string: string
 5
              The string to repeat
          :param number_repetitions: int
 6
 7
              The number of times the string should be repeated, with 1 as default
 8
          :returns: string
 9
         return str(some_string) * int(number_repetitions)
10
In [ ]:
    parrot("blah")
 1
 2
    # parrot("blah", number_repetitions=10)
 3
Variable-length arguments

    These arguments can be used when you don't know have many arguments there will be used in a

    function call

    These variable-length arguments are shown by the a *

 • We can see this in print's documentation <a href="https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html">https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html</a>
    (https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html)
In [53]:
    def print knock off(*objects):
 1
 2
         for obj in objects:
 3
              print(obj, end=" ")
In [ ]:
    print knock off("This", "is", "a", "test")
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In []:

print("This", "is", "a", "test")