



NAMING RULES

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Variables have some basic **naming rules**



Variable names **can**:

- Contain letters (case sensitive!)
- Contain numbers
- Contain underscores
- Begin with a letter or underscore



Variable names **cannot**:

- Begin with a number
- Contain spaces or other special characters (*, &, ^, -, *etc.*)
- Be reserved Python keywords like **del** or **list**



PRO TIP: “Snake case” is the recommended naming style for Python variables, which is all lowercase with words separated by underscores (first_second_third, new_price, etc.)