Welcome back

Python course 2016 - Week 2 - Day 5

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Git cheat sheet

```
$ git clone git@github.com:xapple/python_homework.git
$ cd python_homework
$ vim README.md
$ git status
      $ git commit -a -m "Added all my changes"
$ git push
[later, if collaborative project]
```

\$ git pull

Exercise correction

Live demo

Zen of Python

>>> import this

The Zen of Python, by Tim Peters

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Although practicality beats purity.

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Unless explicitly silenced.

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There should be one—— and preferably only one ——obvious way to do it. Although that way may not be obvious at first unless you're Dutch.

Now is better than never.

Although never is often better than *right* now.

If the implementation is hard to explain, it's a bad idea.

If the implementation is easy to explain, it may be a good idea.

Namespaces are one honking great idea —— let's do more of those!

Beautiful is better than ugly

```
1111111
  Give me a function that takes a list of numbers and returns only
  the even ones, divided by two.
   111111
  halve_evens_only = lambda nums: map(lambda i: i/2, filter(lambda
  i: not i%2, nums))
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  def halve_evens_only(nums):
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       return [i/2 for i in nums if not i % 2]
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```

Explicit is better than implicit

```
"""Load the cat, dog, and mouse models so we can edit instances
  of them."""
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  def load():
       from menagerie.cat.models import *
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       from menagerie.dog.models import *
       from menagerie.mouse.models import *
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  def load():
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       from menagerie.models import cat as cat_models
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       from menagerie.models import dog as dog_models
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       from menagerie.models import mouse as mouse_models
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```

Simple is better than complex

```
111111
   Can you write out these measurements to disk?
   1111111
   measurements = [
   {'weight': 392.3, 'color': 'purple', 'temperature': 33.4},
   {'weight': 34.0, 'color': 'green', 'temperature': -3.1}
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```

Simple is better than complex

```
def store(measurements):
       import sqlalchemy
       import sqlalchemy.types as sqltypes
       db = sqlalchemy.create_engine('sqlite:///measurements.db')
       db.echo = False
       metadata = sqlalchemy.MetaData(db)
       table = sqlalchemy. Table ('measurements', metadata,
 8
           sqlalchemy.Column('id', sqltypes.Integer, primary_key=True),
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           sqlalchemy.Column('weight', sqltypes.Float),
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           sqlalchemy.Column('temperature', sqltypes.Float),
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           sqlalchemy.Column('color', sqltypes.String(32)),
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       table.create(checkfirst=True)
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       for measurement in measurements:
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           i = table.insert()
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           i.execute(**measurement)
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```

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Simple is better than complex

```
def store(measurements):
       import json
       with open('measurements.json', 'w') as f:
           f.write(json.dumps(measurements))
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Make your own modules

Live demo

15 minutes break



Generators

Live demo

Example with no loop

Fibonacci sequences

Prime numbers sequences

File example

Imitating python objects

Live demo

__len__

__iter__

__str__

__repr__

__getitem__

function(string_to_search, pattern)

"Cats are smarter than dogs"

"dogs"
"do.+"
"d[1-9]"
"d[^o]"

import re

re.match()
re.search()
re.findall()

```
import re
  line = "Cats are smarter than dogs."
  match_obj = re.match('dogs', line)
  if match_obj:
     print "match_obj.group() :", match_obj.group()
  else:
     print "No match!!"
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  search_obj = re.search('dogs', line)
  if search_obj:
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  # No match!!
  # dogs
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```

```
import re
   line = "Cats are smarter than dogs"
   list_result = re.findall('dogs', line)
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   # ['dogs']
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```

Special characters

Live demo

15 minutes break



Exercise: FASTA parser

https://github.com/xapple/python_ebc_2016/ tree/master/day_05/exercise/

15 minutes break



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Suggest subjects for day 6

tinyurl.com/zk38vlm