

CS100 Python

Introduction to Programming

Lecture 23. Exception, Function and Scope

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Learning Objectives

- **Exception**
- **Function**
 - Function definition
 - Function invocation
- **Scope**
 - Local
 - Non-local
 - Global
 - Name resolution

The assert statement

```
def Div(x,y):  
    assert y!=0, "denominator is 0"  
    return x/y  
  
x = int(input("Input numerator:"))  
y = int(input("Input denominator:"))  
print(Div(x,y))
```

Input numerator:1

Input denominator:0

Input/Output

Traceback (most recent call last):

...

File "C:\Users\Fu Song\Desktop\hello.py", line 2, in Div
 assert y!=0, "denominator is 0"

AssertionError: denominator is 0

Errors and Exceptions

There are (at least) two distinguishable kinds of errors

- **Syntax errors**: a.k.a. parsing errors, most common one

```
>>> while True print('Hello world')
File "<stdin>", line 1
while True print('Hello world')
^
SyntaxError: invalid syntax
```

- **Exceptions**: errors detected during execution

```
>>> 10 * (1/0)
Traceback (most recent call last):
File "<stdin>", line 1, in <module>
ZeroDivisionError: division by zero
```

Handling Exceptions

- Improve robustness and fault tolerance
- User-friendly error message
- Try statement

```
while True:
    try:
        x = int(input("Please enter a number: "))
        break
    except ValueError:
        print("Oops! That was no valid number.
        Try again...")
```

If-Else vs. Exception Handling

- It is **better** to use exception handling than if-else
- **Proper** use of exception handling, instead of **abuse** of exception handling
- Catch **precise** exception
- **Proper** exception handling for different exception

Exception hierarchy

BaseException	+-- OSError	+-- SystemError
+-- SystemExit	+-- BlockingIOError	+-- TypeError
+-- KeyboardInterrupt	+-- ChildProcessError	+-- ValueError
+-- GeneratorExit	+-- ConnectionError	+-- UnicodeError
+-- Exception	+-- BrokenPipeError	+-- UnicodeDecodeError
+-- StopIteration	+-- ConnectionAbortedError	+-- UnicodeEncodeError
+-- ArithmeticError	+-- ConnectionRefusedError	+-- UnicodeTranslateError
+-- FloatingPointError	+-- ConnectionResetError	
+-- OverflowError	+-- FileExistsError	+-- Warning
+-- ZeroDivisionError	+-- FileNotFoundError	+-- DeprecationWarning
+-- AssertionError	+-- InterruptedError	+-- PendingDeprecationWarning
+-- AttributeError	+-- IsADirectoryError	+-- RuntimeWarning
+-- BufferError	+-- NotADirectoryError	+-- SyntaxWarning
+-- EOFError	+-- PermissionError	+-- UserWarning
+-- ImportError	+-- ProcessLookupError	+-- FutureWarning
+-- LookupError	+-- TimeoutError	+-- ImportWarning
+-- IndexError	+-- ReferenceError	+-- UnicodeWarning
+-- KeyError	+-- RuntimeError	+-- BytesWarning
+-- MemoryError	+-- NotImplementedError	+-- ResourceWarning
+-- NameError	+-- SyntaxError	
+-- UnboundLocalError	+-- IndentationError	
	+-- TabError	

The try statement

`try_stmt ::= try1_stmt | try2_stmt`

`try1_stmt ::= "try" ":" suite
 "finally" ":" suite`

`try2_stmt ::= "try" ":" suite
 "except" [expression ["as" identifier]] ":" suite

 "except" [expression ["as" identifier]] ":" suite
 ["else" ":" suite]
 ["finally" ":" suite]`

The try statement

```
try:  
    suite  
finally:  
    suite
```

- There is **no** exception handler
- **But**, the finally suite is always executed before leaving the **try** statement
- The **finally** clause is useful for releasing external resources (such as files or network connections), regardless of whether the use of the resource was successful

The try statement

```
try: suite
except expression [as e1]: suite
.....
except [expression [as en]]: suite
[else: suite]
[finally: suite]
```

- If there **no** finally clause, then it contains **at least one** except clause
- The **last** except can omit the expression, in this case, it will catch all the possible exception

The try statement

```
try: suite
except expression [as e1]: suite
.....
except expression [as en]: suite
[else: suite]
[finally: suite]
```

- If **no** exception occurs in the try clause, no exception handler is executed,
- **but** else clause is executed if **no** return, continue, or break statement was executed in try clause
- Exceptions in the **else** clause are **not** handled by the preceding except clauses

The try statement

```
try: suite
except expression [as e1]: suite
.....
except expression [as en]: suite
[else: suite]
[finally: suite]
```

When an exception occurs in the try suite, a search for an exception handler is started from the except clauses in turn until one is found that matches the exception (type-checking)

The try statement

```
try: suite
except expression [as e1]: suite
.....
except expression [as en]: suite
[else: suite]
[finally: suite]
```

If **no except** clause matches the exception in the current try block, the search **continues** in the **surrounding code** and on **the invocation stack**

The try statement

```
try: suite
except expression [as e1]: suite
.....
except expression [as en]: suite
[else: suite]
[finally: suite]
```

- When a **matching except** clause is **found**, the except clause's suite is **executed**
- When the end of this block is reached, execution **continues normally** after the entire try statement

The try statement

```
try: suite
except expression [as e1]: suite
.....
except expression [as en]: suite
[else: suite]
[finally: suite]
```

- If **finally** is present, it is **always executed**
- **Moreover**, during the search in the **surrounding** code and on the **invocation** stack, **finally** clause of the searching try block is also executed whatever exception is matched or not

The try statement

```
def foo(a,b):  
    try:  
        print("try-1")  
        x = a/b  
        print("try-2")  
    except ZeroDivisionError:  
        print("except")  
        return  
    else:  
        print("else")  
        return  
    finally:  
        print("finally")  
  
foo(1,2)
```

Output

```
try-1  
try-2  
else  
finally  
>>>
```

If **finally** is present,
it is **always** executed

The try statement

```
def foo(a,b):  
    try:  
        print("try-1")  
        x = a/b  
        print("try-2")  
    except ZeroDivisionError:  
        print("except")  
        return  
    else:  
        print("else")  
        return  
    finally:  
        print("finally")  
  
foo(1,0)  
print("after foo")
```

Raise here

Output

```
try-1  
except  
finally  
after foo  
>>>
```

If finally is present, it is always executed even if there is **return**

The try statement

```
def foo(a,b):  
    try:  
        print("try-1")  
        x = a/b  
        print("try-2")  
    except AssertionError:  
        print("except")  
        return  
    else:  
        print("else")  
        return  
    finally:  
        print("finally")  
  
foo(1,0)
```

Output

```
try-1  
finally  
Traceback (most recent  
call last):  
...  
ZeroDivisionError:  
division by zero  
>>>
```

The try statement

```
def foo(a,b):  
    try:  
        print("try-1")  
        x = a/b  
        print("try-2")  
    except AssertionError:  
        print("except-1")  
        return  
    finally:  
        print("finally-1")  
  
try:  
    foo(1,0)  
except ZeroDivisionError:  
    print("except-2")  
else:  
    print("else-2")  
finally:  
    print("finally-2")
```

Output

```
try-1  
finally-1  
except-2  
finally-2  
>>>
```

Surrounding finally
is also executed

The try statement

```
def foo(a,b):  
    try:  
        print("try-1")  
        x = a/b  
        print("try-2")  
    except AssertionError:  
        print("except-1")  
        return  
    finally:  
        print("finally-1")  
  
try:  
    foo(1,0)  
except IndexError:  
    print("except-2")  
else:  
    print("else-2")  
finally:  
    print("finally-2")
```

Output

```
try-1  
finally-1  
finally-2  
Traceback (most recent  
call last):  
...  
ZeroDivisionError:  
division by zero
```

Surrounding finally
is also executed

Exception hierarchy

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+-- MemoryError	+-- NotImplementedError	+-- ResourceWarning
+-- NameError	+-- SyntaxError	
+-- UnboundLocalError	+-- IndentationError	
	+-- TabError	

The try statement

```
x = [1,2,3]
try:
    print(x[0])
    print(x[3])
except IndexError:
    print("Out of range")
```

```
try:
    print(x[0])
    print(x[3])
except LookupError:
    print("Out of range")
```

Output

```
1
Out of range
1
Out of range
>>>
```

The more specific
exception handler,
the better

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Function definition

funcdef ::=

"def" funcname "(" [parameter_list] ")" " ":" suite

- **No** return type or types of parameters
- Don't miss colon (:)
- Don't miss **INDENT** in the function body, i.e., suite
- **Nested** function definitions are allowed
- Function definition itself is an **object**

Function definition: Example

```
def fib(n):  
    a, b = 0, 1  
    while a < n:  
        print(a, end=' ')  
        a, b = b, a+b  
    print()  
fib(1000)
```

Compute fibonacci sequence

Function definition: docstring

funcdef ::=

`"def" funcname "(" [parameter_list] ")" " ":" suite`

- We can add a comment after `:` in function definition in the form of

`"""multiple comments"""`

- **Docstring** will regard the comment as the information of the function
- It is **better** to add function comment in your code

Function definition: Example

```
#fib.py
def fib(n):
    '''Input: an integer n>=0
       Output: Fibonacci sequence'''
    a, b = 0, 1
    while a < n:
        print(a, end=' ')
        a, b = b, a+b
    print()
fib(1000)
```

```
>>> import os
>>> os.chdir("D:\\Test")
>>> import fib
0 1 1 2 3 5 8 13 21 34 55 89 144
Help on function fib in module fib:
```



import os package
and set the path of
console to path of
fib.py

```
fib(n)
    Input: an integer n such that n>=0
    Output: the numbers less than n in Fibonacci sequence
```

```
>>> help(fib)
Help on module fib:
```

Help(fib) also shows
information of fib.py

```
NAME
    fib
```

```
FUNCTIONS
    fib(n)
        Input: an integer n such that n>=0
        Output: the numbers less than n in Fibonacci sequence
```

```
FILE
    d:\test\fib.py
```

```
*Python 3.7.0 Shell*
File Edit Shell Debug Options Window Help
Python 3.7.0 (v3.7.0:1bf9cc5093, Jun 27 2018, 04:06:47) [MSC v.191
1)] on win32
Type "copyright", "credits" or "license()" for more information.
>>> import os
>>> os.chdir("D:\\Test")
>>> import fib
0 1 1 2 3 5 8 13 21 34 55 89 144 233 377 610 987
Help on function fib in module fib:

fib(n)
    Input: an integer n such that n>=0
    Output: the numbers less than n in Fibonacci sequence

>>> fib.fib(
    (n)
    Input: an integer n such that n>=0
    Output: the numbers less than n in Fibonacci sequence
```

Type left (shows information of the function

Function definition is object

```
>>> import os
>>> os.chdir("D:\\Test")
>>> import fib
0 1 1 2 3 5 8 13 21 34 55 89 144 233 377 610 987
Help on function fib in module fib:

fib(n)
    Input: an integer n such that n>=0
    Output: the numbers less than n in Fibonacci sequence

>>> type(fib.fib)
<class 'function'>
>>>
```

The type of a function object is **function**

**Can we add types of the
return value and parameters
in a function definition?**

Type annotation

Types of
parameters type

```
def GetLarger(x:int, y:int) -> int:  
    if x>=y:  
        return x  
    else:  
        return y
```

return type

Does it work?

Type annotation

```
def GetLarger(x:int, y:int) -> int:  
    if x>=y:  
        return x  
    else:  
        return y  
print(GetLarger(1,2))  
print(GetLarger(1,2.0))
```

Output

2
2.0

Type annotation does not make any sense
It is still recommended to add for readability

Default values of arguments

- Parameters can have default values,

$p_1 = v_1, p_2 = v_2, \dots, p_n = v_n$

- But**, all the parameters occurred at **right hand** of some parameter having default value must have default values

Default values of arguments

```
def GetLarger(x = 1, y = 2):  
    if x >= y:  
        return x  
    else:  
        return y
```

```
def GetLarger(x:int, y:int=2) -> int:  
    if x >= y:  
        return x  
    else:  
        return y
```

No error

Default values of arguments

```
def GetLarger(x = 1, y):  
    if x >= y:  
        return x  
    else:  
        return y
```

```
def GetLarger(x:int=1, y:int) -> int:  
    if x >= y:  
        return x  
    else:  
        return y
```

SyntaxError: non-default argument follows default argument

Function call

```
def funcname(p1,p2,...,pn):  
    body
```

Actual arguments in function call can be passed by

- **positional argument**: argument are passed in the order of parameters

```
funcname(v1,v2,...,vn)
```

- **keyword argument**: argument are passed by preceding the corresponding parameters without preserving their orders

```
funcname(pi=vj,pj=vj,...)
```

Function call: Example

```
def GetPow(base, exp):  
    '''input: two integers base and exp  
    return base**exp'''  
    return base**exp  
  
print(GetPow(2,3))  
print(GetPow(exp = 3, base = 2))
```

Output

8

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Arbitrary number of parameters

Arbitrary Argument List: a way to define a function with arbitrary number of parameters:

`funcname(v1, ..., vn, *para, x1, ..., xm)`

- zero or more normal arguments may occur for *para
- para is used as a tuple (tuple will be introduced later)
- Parameters x₁, ..., x_m after *para should be used as keyword arguments

Arbitrary Argument List: Example

```
>>> def demo(*p):  
    print(p)
```

```
>>> demo(1,2,3)  
(1, 2, 3)
```

```
>>> demo(1,2)  
(1, 2)
```

```
>>> demo(1,2,3,4,5,6,7)  
(1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7)
```

```
>>> demo()  
( )
```

tuple

Tuple is in
the form of
(...)

Arbitrary Argument List: Example

```
>>> def demo(*p,v):  
    print(p,v)
```

```
>>> demo(1,2,3,v=4)
```

```
(1, 2, 3) 4
```

```
>>> demo(1,2,3)
```

Type error

```
Traceback (most recent call last):
```

```
File "<pyshell#9>", line 1, in <module>
```

```
    demo(1,2,3)
```

```
TypeError: demo() missing 1 required keyword-  
only argument: 'v'
```

```
>>>
```

Arbitrary number of parameters

Unpacking Argument List : another way to define a function with arbitrary number of parameters:

`funcname(v1, ..., vn, **para)`

- zero or more **keyword arguments** may occur for ****para**
- **para** is used as a dictionary **dict** (introduced later)
- ****para** should be the last parameter
- **v_n** could be arbitrary argument list

Arbitrary Argument List: Example

```
>>> def demo(**p):  
    print(p)
```

```
>>> demo(x=1, y=2)
```

keyword arguments

```
{'x': 1, 'y': 2}
```

```
>>> demo(x=1, y=2, z=3)
```

```
{'x': 1, 'y': 2, 'z': 3}
```

Dict

```
>>>
```

Arbitrary Argument List: Example

```
>>> def demo(**p, v):  
    print(p)
```

```
SyntaxError: invalid syntax
```

```
>>>
```

SyntaxError

```
>>> def demo(**p, v=1):  
    print(p)
```

```
SyntaxError: invalid syntax
```

```
>>>
```

Arbitrary Argument List: Example

```
>>> def demo(x,y,*t,**d):  
    print(x,y,t,d)  
  
>>> demo(1,2,3,4,a=5,b=6)  
1 2 (3, 4) {'a': 5, 'b': 6}  
>>>
```

Mixed use of Arbitrary Argument List
and Unpacking Argument List

Lambda expression

```
lambdaexpr ::= "lambda" parameter_list ":" expr
```

- **Lambda** expressions can be used to define small **anonymous** functions
- Parameter_list: is a list of parameters p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n
- The anonymous function return the value of **expr**
- Parameters are similar to normal functions
 - Default value, Keyword arguments
 - Arbitrary Argument List and Unpacking Argument List

Lambda expression

```
>>> SumAll = lambda x,y,z:x+y+z
>>> type(SumAll)
<class 'function'>
>>> SumAll(1,2,3)
6
>>>
```

Lambda expression

```
>>> f = lambda x, y, z: x+y+z
>>> f(1,2,3)
6
>>> g = lambda x, y=2, z=3: x+y+z
>>> g(1)
6
>>> g(2, z=4, y=5)
11
```

Parameters are similar to normal functions

Nested Functions

Functions can be defined in a function body

```
def maker(n):  
    def action(x):  
        return x ** n  
    return action  
f = maker(2)  
print(f)  
print(f(3))
```

Function **action** is defined in the function **maker**

Output <function maker.<locals>.action at 0x00C6B8E8>
9
>>>

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Scope

- A **scope** defines the visibility of a **name** (variable, function, etc.) within a block
- If a **local name** is defined in a **block**, its scope includes that block
- If the **definition** occurs in a **function block**, the scope extends to **any blocks contained within the defining one**, unless a contained block introduces a different binding for the name
- When a **name** is used in a code block, it is resolved using the **nearest enclosing scope**
- When a name is not found at all, a **NameError** exception is raised
- **Scopes are either non-overlapped or nested**

Scope

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
        x = "local"
        print(x)
    print(x)
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
```

Scopes:

- global
- foo
- bar

The scope of x

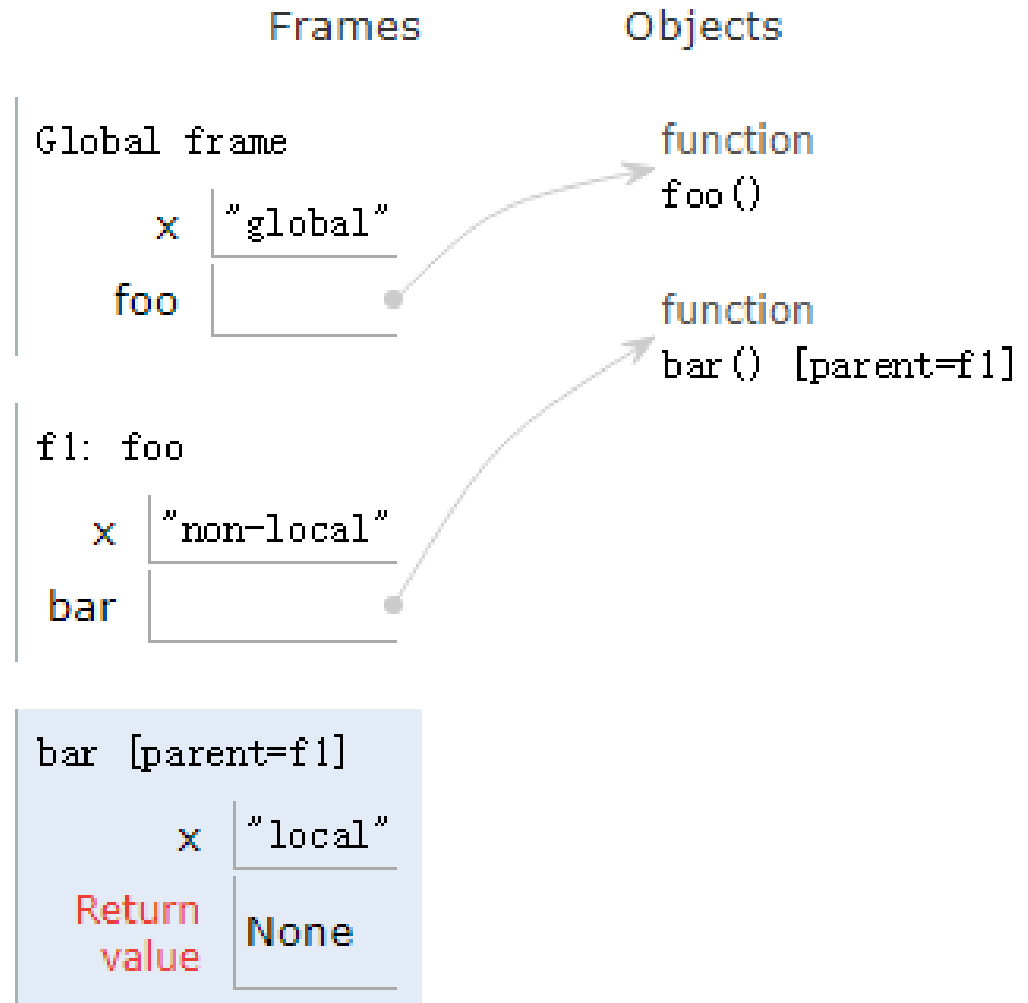
- global x: global - foo
- non-local x: foo - bar
- local x: bar

Output

```
global
non-local
local
>>>
```

Scope

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
        x = "local"
        print(x)
    print(x)
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
```



When a **name** is used in a code block, it first search the name in the **current scope**

Scope

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
        print(x) ←
    print(x)
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
```

Output

```
global
non-local
non-local
>>>
```

Scopes:

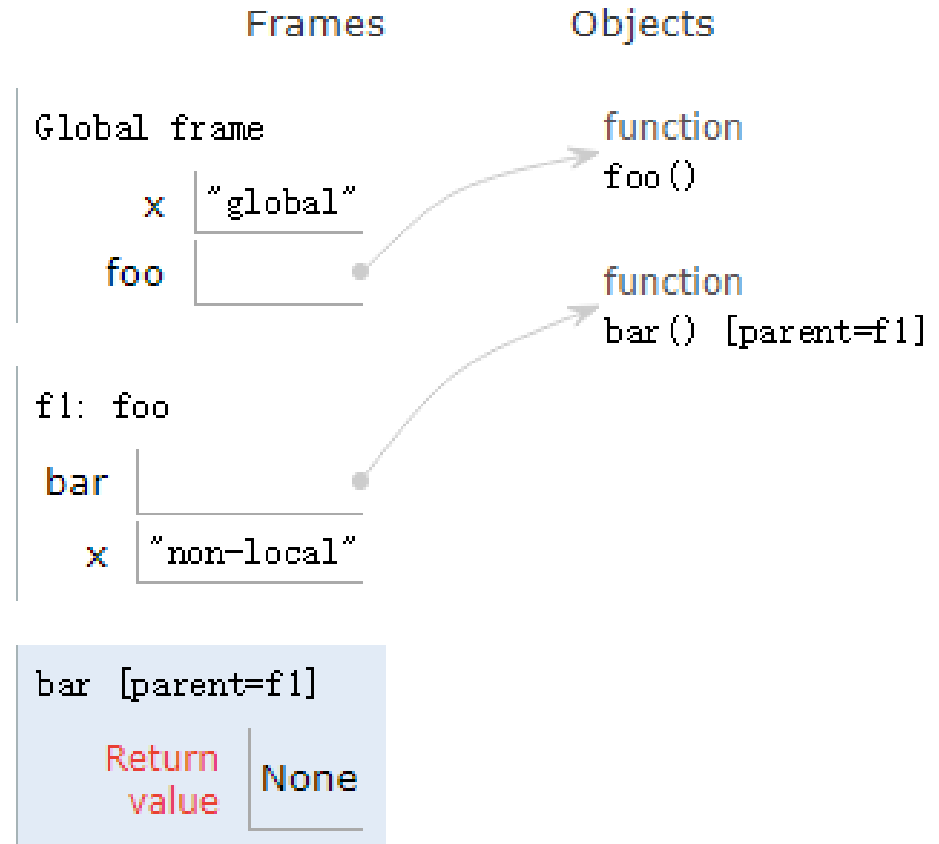
- global
- foo
- bar

The scope of x

- global x: global – foo
 - non-local x: foo
- When a **name** is not found in the current block, it is resolved using the **nearest enclosing scope**

Scope

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
        print(x) ←
    print(x)
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
```



- `print(x)` in `bar` uses **non-local x**, as the scope of `bar` does not have `x`

Scope

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    def bar():
        x = "local"
        print(x)
    print(x) ←
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
```

Scopes:

- global
- foo
- bar

The scope of x

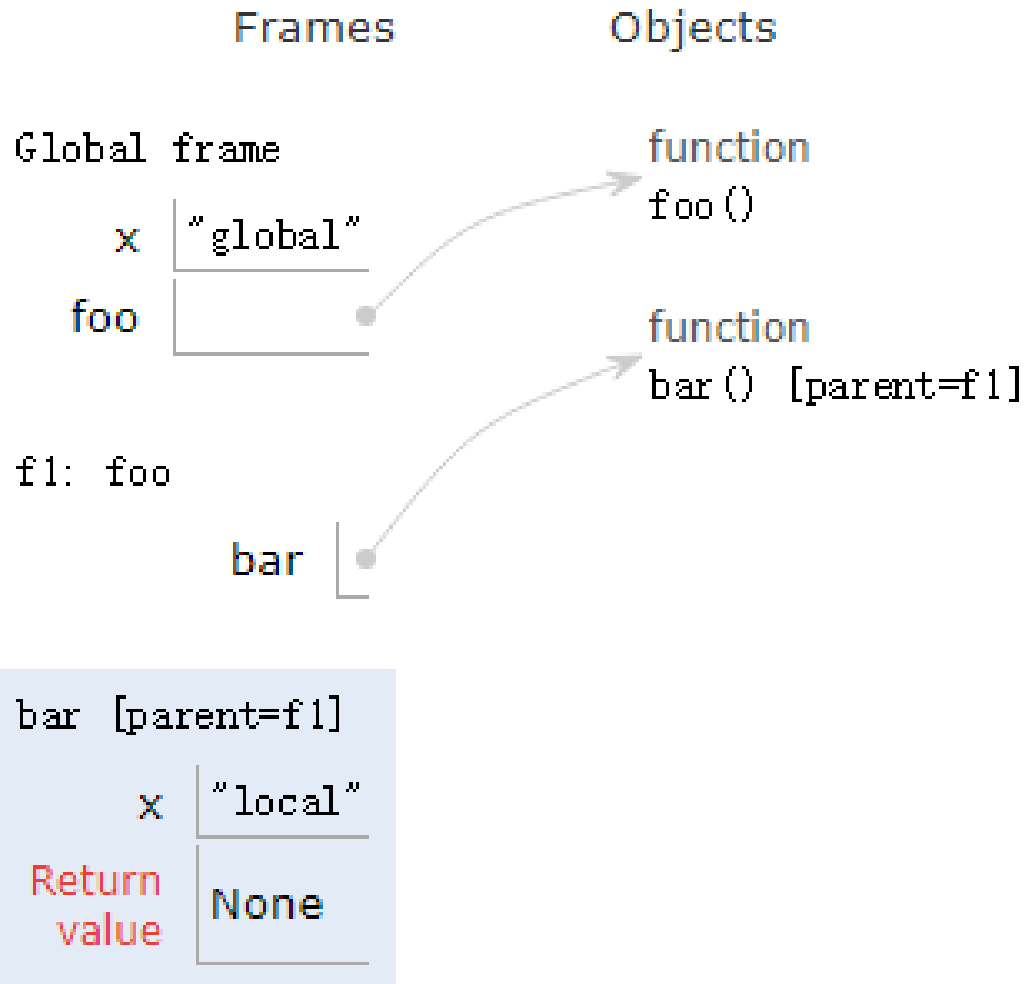
- global x: global – bar
- local x: bar

Output

```
global
global
local
>>>
```


Scope

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    def bar():
        x = "local"
        print(x)
    print(x) ←
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
```



print(x) in **foo** uses **global x**, not **local x**

Scope

```
def foo():  
    def bar():  
        print(x)  
        → x = "local"  
        print(x)  
        bar()  
print(x)  
foo()
```

Scopes:

- global
- foo
- bar

The scope of x

- local x: bar

When a name is not found at all, a **NameError** exception is raised

Scope

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local-foo"
    def bar():
        x = "local-bar"
        print(x)
    print(x)
    bar()
def baz():
    x = "local-baz"
    print(x)
print(x)
foo()
baz()
bar()
```

Scopes:

- global
- foo
- bar
- baz

The scope of x

- global x: global
- non-local-foo x: foo
- local-var x: bar
- local-baz x: baz

Scope **foo** and **baz** are
non-overlapped

Scope

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local-foo"
    def bar():
        x = "local-bar"
        print(x)
    print(x)
    bar()
def baz():
    x = "local-baz"
    print(x)
print(x)
foo()
baz()
bar() ←
```

Output

```
global
non-local-foo
local-bar
local-baz
Traceback (most recent call last):
  File "D:\Test\fib.py", line 16, in
    <module>
      bar()
NameError: name 'bar' is not
defined
```

Scope

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local-foo"
    def bar():
        x = "local-bar"
        print(x)
    print(x)
    bar()
def baz():
    x = "local-baz"
    print(x)
print(x)
foo()
baz()
bar() ←
```

Frames

Objects

Global frame

x	"global"
foo	
baz	

function
foo()

function
baz()

f1: foo

x	"non-local-foo"
bar	

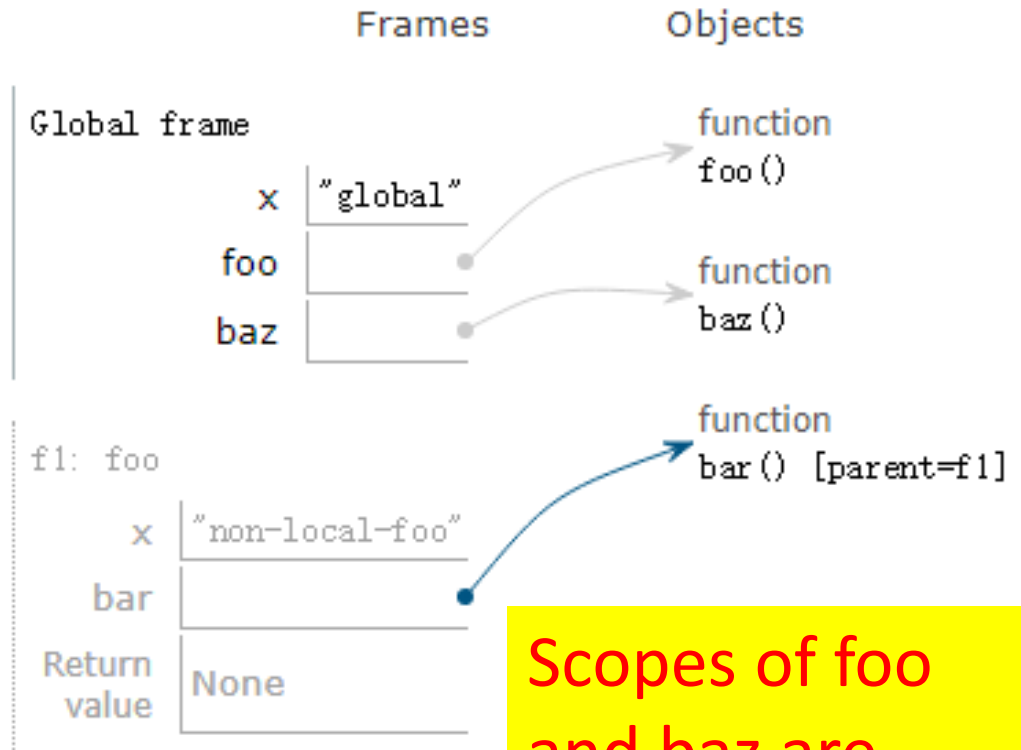
function
bar() [parent=f1]

bar [parent=f1]

x	"local-bar"
Return value	None

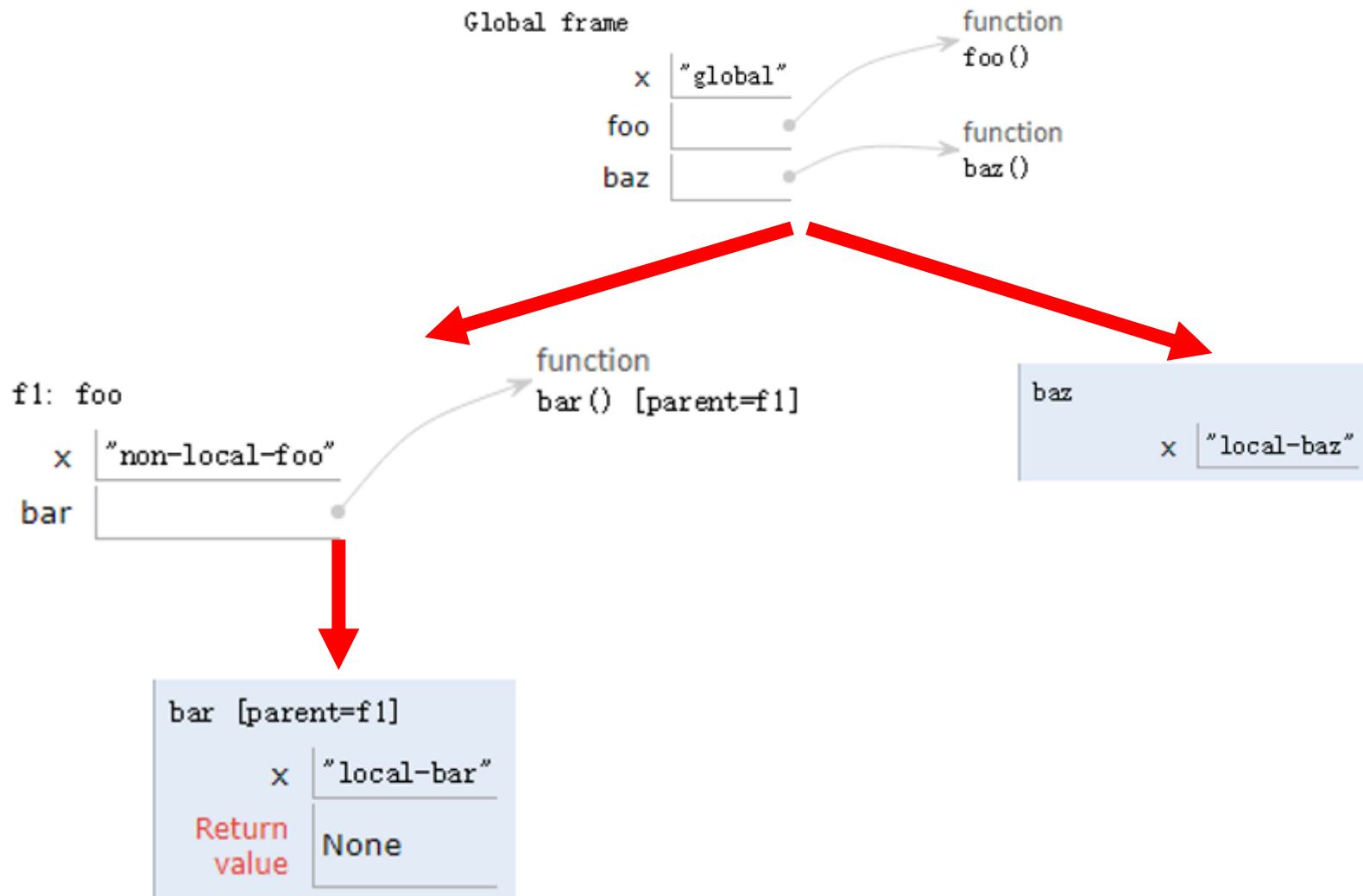
Scope

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local-foo"
    def bar():
        x = "local-bar"
        print(x)
    print(x)
    bar()
def baz():
    x = "local-baz"
    print(x)
print(x)
foo()
baz()
bar()
```



Scopes of `foo` and `baz` are non-overlapped. `foo` is invisible in `baz`

Namespace in tree-structure



Warning

- Scopes are determined **statically**
- If a **name** binding operation occurs **anywhere** within a code **block**, **all uses of the name** within the block are treated as references to the **current block**
- This can lead to errors when a name is used within a block **before** it is bound

Use before binding

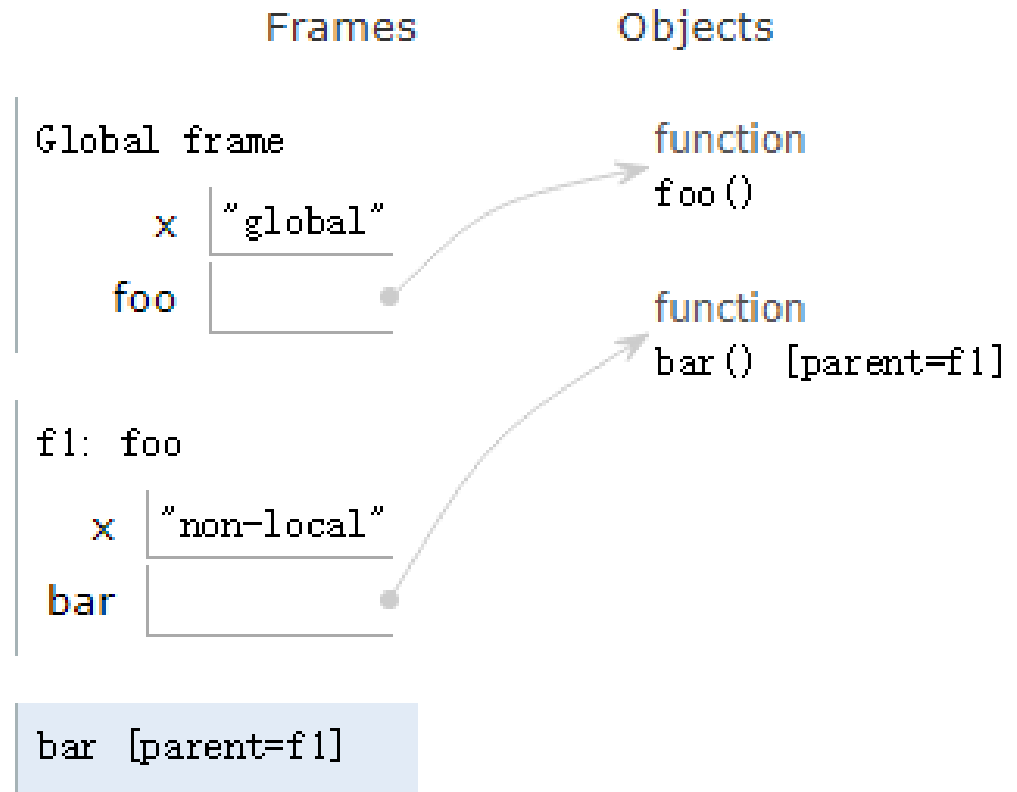
Output

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
        → print(x)
        x = "local"
    print(x)
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
```

```
global
non-local
Traceback (most recent call last):
  File "D:\Test\fib.py", line 10, in
    <module>
      foo()
  File "D:\Test\fib.py", line 8, in foo
    bar()
  File "D:\Test\fib.py", line 5, in bar
    print(x)
UnboundLocalError: local variable 'x'
referenced before assignment
>>>
```

Use before binding

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
        → print(x)
        x = "local"
    print(x)
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
```




`x` is defined in the **local block**, but it has not been bound to an object when it is used

Global Statements

- If the **global** statement **global x** occurs within a block, all uses of the name **x** specified in the statement refer to the binding of that name in the global namespace
- The **global** statement has the same scope as a name binding operation in the same block
- If the **nearest enclosing scope** for a **free variable** contains a global statement, the free variable is treated as a **global**
- If **no** global **x** exists, then **NameError**

Global Statements: Example

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
         global x
        print(x)
    print(x)
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
```

Output

```
global
non-local
global
>>>
```

**Read global x
in local block**

Global Statements: Example

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
        → global x
        x = "newglobal"
        print(x)
    print(x)
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
print(x) ←
```

Output

```
global
non-local
new-global
new-global
>>>
```

Rebinding
global x in
local block

Global Statements: Example

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
        def baz():
            → print(x)
        baz()
    → global x
    print(x)
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
```

Output

```
global
non-local
global
>>>
```

**Read global x in
nearest enclosing
scope, even
global is declared
after baz()**

Warning

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
        global x
        print(x)
    print(x)
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
```


Output

```
global
non-local
global
```

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
        print(x)
        global x
    print(x)
    bar()
print(x)
foo()
```

SyntaxError: name 'x' is used prior to global declaration (<string>, line 6)

Warning

```
def foo():  
    x = "non-local"  
    def bar():  
        def baz():  
            print(x)  
        baz()  
         global x  
        print(x)  
        bar()  
    print(x)  
    foo()
```

Traceback (most recent call last):
 File "D:\Test\fib.py", line 10, in
 <module>
 print(x)
NameError: name 'x' is not
defined

If **no** global **x** exists, then **NameError**

Nonlocal Statements

- The **nonlocal** statement **nonlocal x** causes corresponding name **x** to refer to **previously bound variables** in the **nearest enclosing function scope (excluding global scope)** 不包含global！！
- **SyntaxError** is raised at compile time if the given name does not exist in any enclosing function scope

Nonlocal Statements: Example

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
         x = "local"
        def baz():
            nonlocal x
            print(x)
        baz()
    bar()
foo()
```

Output

```
local
>>>
```

x to refer to **previously bound variables** in the nearest enclosing function scope

Nonlocal Statements: Example

```
x = "global"
def foo():
    x = "non-local"
    def bar():
        → def baz():
            nonlocal x
            print(x)
        bar()
    bar()
foo()
```

Output

```
non-local
>>>
```

x to refer to **previously bound variables** in the nearest enclosing function scope

Nonlocal Statements: Example

```
x = "global" ←
def foo():
    def bar():
        def baz():
            nonlocal x
            print(x)
        baz()
    bar()
foo()
```

Output

SyntaxError: no
binding for
nonlocal 'x' found
(<string>, line 5)

x cannot refer to
previously bound
variables in the global
scope

Recap

- **Exception**
- **Function**
 - Function definition
 - Function invocation
- **Scope**
 - Local
 - Non-local
 - Global
 - Name resolution