```python
# program.py

# 1st run
statement1
statement2
statement3


# 2nd run
statement1
statement2
statement3


#...
```

```python
# program.py

def foo():
    statement1
    statement2
    statement3
    return


var1 = foo()
var2 = foo()


#...
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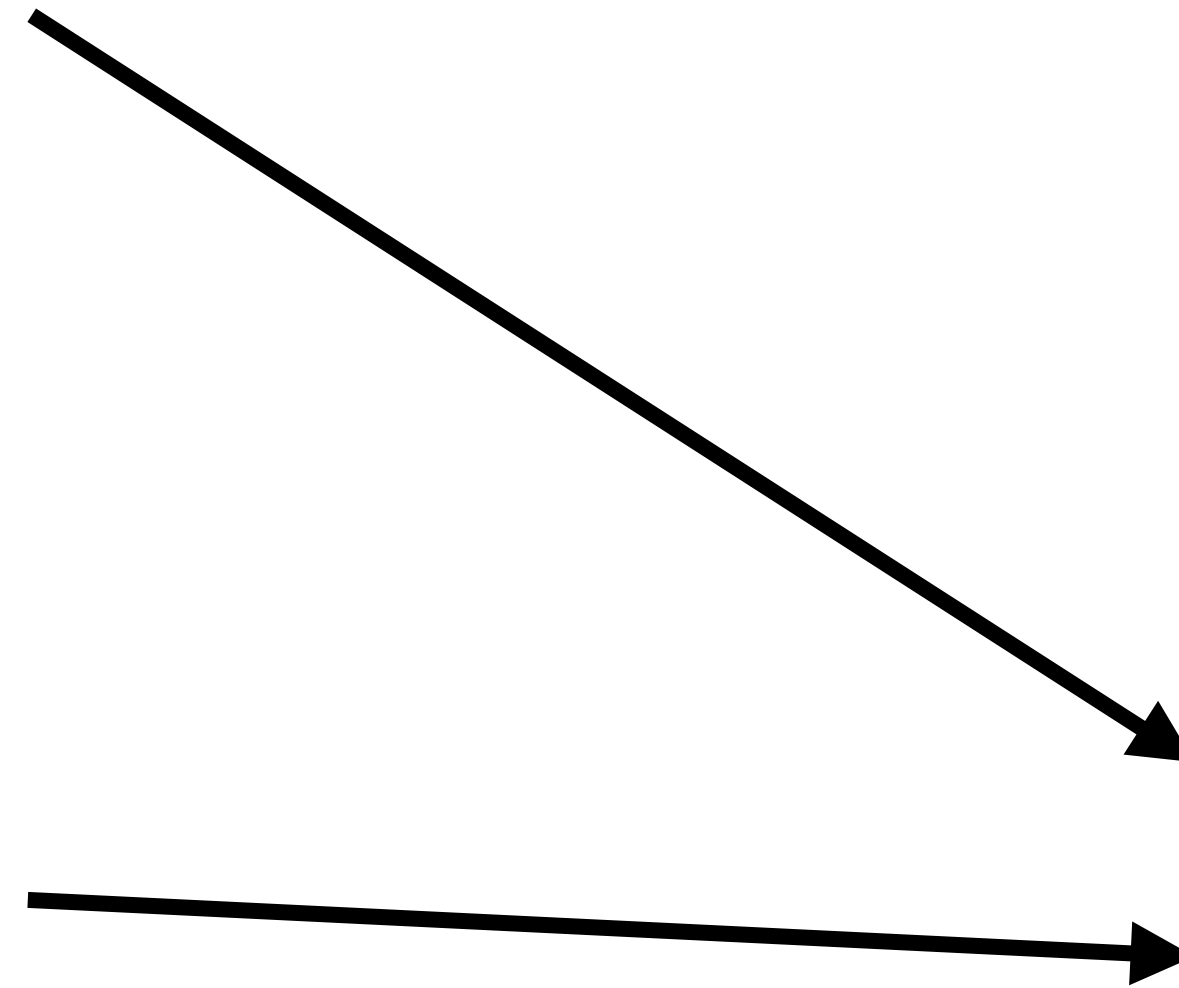
mandatory args   optional args

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def foo(x, y, z=3):
    return x + y + z
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foo(1, 2, 4)
7
foo(1, 2)
6
foo(x=1, y=2)
6
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