

Lecture 09: Python GUI

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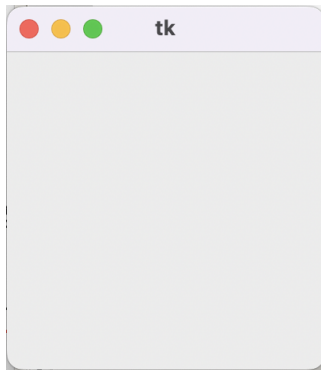
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A first GUI application

```
from tkinter import *  
myroot = Tk()  
myroot.mainloop()
```



Title, geometry, resizable

```
from tkinter import *  
myroot = Tk()  
myroot.geometry('350x150')  
myroot.title("First GUI Application")  
myroot.mainloop()
```

```
from tkinter import *  
myroot = Tk()  
myroot.geometry("600x400")  
myroot.title("First GUI Application")  
myroot.resizable(width=True,height=False)  
myroot.mainloop()
```



Add a Label

```
from tkinter import *  
myroot = Tk()  
myroot.geometry('350x150')  
myroot.title("First GUI Application")  
  
label1 = Label(myroot, text="This is a label")  
label1.pack()  
  
myroot.mainloop()
```

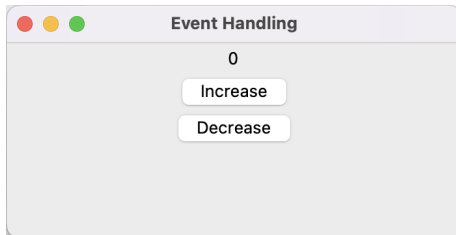


And two buttons

```
from tkinter import *  
myroot = Tk()  
myroot.geometry('350x150')  
myroot.title("First GUI Application")  
  
label1 = Label(myroot, text="0")  
label1.pack()  
  
btn1 = Button(myroot, text="Increase")  
btn1.pack()  
btn2 = Button(myroot, text="Decrease")  
btn2.pack()  
  
myroot.mainloop()
```



A simple GUI



Object Oriented GUI

```
from tkinter import *

class MyApplication(Tk):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        self.title("Event Handling")

        self.label1 = Label(self, text="This is a label")
        self.label1.pack()

        self.btn1 = Button(self, text="Increase")
        self.btn1.pack()
        self.btn2 = Button(self, text="Decrease")
        self.btn2.pack()

if __name__ == "__main__":
    myApp = MyApplication()
    myApp.geometry('350x150')
    myApp.mainloop()
```

Simple Event Handling

```
from tkinter import *
class MyApplication(Tk):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        self.title("Event Handling")

        self.label1 = Label(self, text="0")
        self.label1.pack()

        self.btn1 = Button(self, text="Increase")
        self.btn1.pack()
        self.btn2 = Button(self, text="Decrease")
        self.btn2.pack()

        def clicked1(event):
            self.label1.config(text = int(self.label1['text'])+1)
        def clicked2(event):
            self.label1.config(text = int(self.label1['text'])-1)

        self.btn1.bind('<Button-1', clicked1)
        self.btn2.bind('<Button-1', clicked2)
```


Simple Event Handling

```
from tkinter import *
class MyApplication(Tk):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        self.title("Event Handling")

        self.label1 = Label(self, text="0")
        self.label1.pack()

        def clicked1():
            self.label1.config(text = int(self.label1['text'])+1)
        def clicked2():
            self.label1.config(text = int(self.label1['text'])-1)

        self.btn1 = Button(self, text="Increase", command=clicked1)
        self.btn1.pack()
        self.btn2 = Button(self, text="Decrease", command=clicked2)
        self.btn2.pack()
```

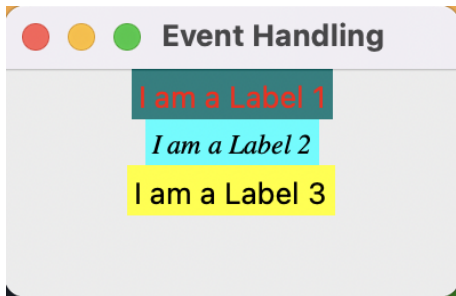
Layout Manager - Pack

```
from tkinter import *

class MyApplication(Tk):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        self.title("Event Handling")
        self.label1 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 1", fg="red",
                             bg = "teal")
        self.label1.pack()
        self.label2 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 2",
                             font="Times 12 italic", bg = "cyan")
        self.label2.pack()
        self.label3 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 3", bg = "yellow")
        self.label3.pack()

if __name__ == "__main__":
    myApp = MyApplication()
    myApp.geometry("200x100")
    myApp.mainloop()
```

Three Labels



```
from tkinter import *

class MyApplication(Tk):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        self.title("Event Handling")
        self.label1 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 1", fg="red",
                             bg = "teal")
        self.label1.pack(fill=X)
        self.label2 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 2",
                             font="Times 12 italic", bg = "cyan")
        self.label2.pack(fill=X)
        self.label3 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 3", bg = "yellow")
        self.label3.pack(fill=X)

if __name__ == "__main__":
    myApp = MyApplication()
    myApp.geometry("200x100")
    myApp.mainloop()
```

Three Labels



```
from tkinter import *

class MyApplication(Tk):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        self.title("Event Handling")
        self.label1 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 1", fg="red",
                             bg = "teal")
        self.label1.pack(fill=X, padx=10)
        self.label2 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 2",
                             font="Times 12 italic", bg = "cyan")
        self.label2.pack(fill=X, pady=10)
        self.label3 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 3", bg = "yellow")
        self.label3.pack(fill=X)

if __name__ == "__main__":
    myApp = MyApplication()
    myApp.geometry("200x100")
    myApp.mainloop()
```

```
from tkinter import *

class MyApplication(Tk):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        self.title("Event Handling")
        self.label1 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 1", fg="red",
                             bg = "teal")
        self.label1.pack(side=TOP)
        self.label2 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 2",
                             font="Times 12 italic", bg = "cyan")
        self.label2.pack(side=LEFT)
        self.label3 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 3", bg = "yellow")
        self.label3.pack(side=RIGHT)

if __name__ == "__main__":
    myApp = MyApplication()
    myApp.geometry("200x100")
    myApp.mainloop()
```

Layout Manager - Place

```
from tkinter import *

class MyApplication(Tk):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        self.title("Event Handling")
        self.label1 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 1", fg="red",
                             bg = "teal")
        self.label1.place(x=30, y=10, width=120, height=25)
        self.label2 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 2",
                             font="Times 12 italic", bg = "cyan")
        self.label2.place(x=30, y=40, width=120, height=25)
        self.label3 = Label(self, text="I am a Label 3", bg = "yellow")
        self.label3.place(x=30, y=70, width=120, height=25)

if __name__ == "__main__":
    myApp = MyApplication()
    myApp.geometry("200x100")
    myApp.mainloop()
```


Layout Manager - Grid

```
from tkinter import *

class MyApplication(Tk):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        self.title("Event Handling")
        for i in range(1,10):
            Button(self,text=i).grid(row=(i-1)//3,column=(i-1)%3)

if __name__ == "__main__":
    myApp = MyApplication()
    myApp.geometry("200x100")
    myApp.mainloop()
```



Variables

- Some widgets (like text entry widgets, radio buttons and so on) can be connected directly to application variables by using special options: `variable`, `textvariable`, `onvalue`, `offvalue`, and `value`.
- This connection works both ways: if the variable changes for any reason, the widget it's connected to will be updated to reflect the new value.
- These Tkinter control variables are used like regular Python variables to keep certain values.
- It's not possible to hand over a regular Python variable to a widget through a `variable` or `textvariable` option.
- The only kinds of variables for which this works are variables that are subclassed from a class called `Variable`, defined in the Tkinter module.



Variables

```
from tkinter import *
class MyApplication(Tk):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        self.title("Event Handling")
        mystr = StringVar()
        mystr.set('0')
        self.label1 = Label(self, textvariable=mystr)
        self.label1.pack()
        def clicked1():
            mystr.set(int(mystr.get())+1)
        def clicked2():
            mystr.set(int(mystr.get())-1)
        self.btn1 = Button(self, text="Increase", command=clicked1)
        self.btn1.pack()
        self.btn2 = Button(self, text="Decrease", command=clicked2)
        self.btn2.pack()
```



Variables - Another Example

```
from tkinter import *

myroot = Tk()
myroot.geometry('200x100')
num1 = BooleanVar()
def selectIt():
    if num1.get() == True:
        print("Python Selected")
    else:
        print("Python Not Selected")
def changeIt():
    num1.set(not num1.get())
mychk1 = Checkbutton(myroot, variable = num1, text = 'Python', command =
mychk1.pack()
mybtn1 = Button(myroot, text='Toggle', command=changeIt)
mybtn1.pack()
```



Frames

```
from tkinter import *
root = Tk()
root.title("Search")
root.geometry("420x100")
f1 = Frame(root)
lblfind = Label(f1,text="Find:")
lblfind.pack(side=LEFT)
entry = Entry(f1,width=200)
entry.pack(side=LEFT)
f1.pack()
f2 = Frame(root)
lbloption=Label(f2,text="Options:")
chk1=Checkbutton(f2,text="Regular Expression")
chk2=Checkbutton(f2,text="Whole word")
chk3=Checkbutton(f2,text="Match Case")
lbloption.grid(row=0,column=0)
chk1.grid(row=0,column=1)
chk2.grid(row=0,column=2)
chk3.grid(row=0,column=3)
f2.pack()
f3 = Frame(root)
btn1=Button(f3,text="Find")
btn2=Button(f3,text="Close")
btn1.pack(side=RIGHT)
btn2.pack(side=RIGHT)
f3.pack(fill=X)
root.mainloop()
```