

notes

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1 Comments

```
[1]: # This is a comment
    '''
    This is also a comment
    '''

    print('Hello World')
```

Hello World

2 Multiple statements in single line

```
[2]: a = 3; print(a)
```

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3 Multiline statements

```
[3]: a = 1 + 3 + 4 + \
      5 + 6 + 7
    print(a)
```

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4 Multiple variable assignments

```
[4]: a,b = 4,5
    print(a,b)
```

4 5

5 help() & __doc__

```
[5]: def my_func():  
      '''This is a doc-string'''  
      pass  
  
      help(my_func)  
      print('-'*100)  
      print(my_func.__doc__)
```

Help on function my_func in module __main__:

```
my_func()  
    This is a doc-string
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```

This is a doc-string

6 print() and input()

```
[1]: print?
```

Signature: print(*args, sep=' ', end='\n', file=None, flush=False)

Docstring:

Prints the values to a stream, or to sys.stdout by default.

sep

string inserted between values, default a space.

end

string appended after the last value, default a newline.

file

a file-like object (stream); defaults to the current sys.stdout.

flush

whether to forcibly flush the stream.

Type: builtin_function_or_method

```
[2]: input?
```

Signature: input(prompt='')

Docstring:

Forward raw_input to frontends

Raises

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StdinNotImplementedError if active frontend doesn't support stdin.

File: /usr/local/lib/python3.11/site-packages/ipykernel/kernelbase.py

Type: method

7 Types of statements

7.0.1 Empty Statements

- Empty statements are also known as “pass statements”
- They serve as a placeholder and do nothing when executed
- The `pass` keyword is used to create an empty statement
- Commonly used as a temporary placeholder when writing code or as a stub for future implementation

7.0.2 Simple Statements

- Simple statements are single-line statements that perform a specific action or operation
- They typically end with a newline character or a semicolon
- Common examples include assignment statements, function calls, and print statements

7.0.3 Compound Statements (Block Statements)

- Compound statements consist of one or more simple statements grouped together into a block
- They are often used to control program flow and define structures like loops and conditional statements
- Compound statements are defined using indentation (whitespace) in Python
- Common examples include if statements, while loops, for loops, and function definitions

```
[3]: # Empty statement
def foo():
    pass # Placeholder for function implementation

# Simple statements
x = 5 # Assignment statement
print("Hello, World!") # Print statement
result = min(2, 3) # Function call and assignment

# Compound statements
if x > 0:
    print("x is positive") # Indented block as part of the if statement
else:
    print("x is not positive") # Indented block as part of the else statement

while x < 5:
    print(x) # Indented block as part of the while loop
    x += 1

def greet(name):
    print(f"Hello, {name}!") # Indented block as part of the function
    ↪ definition
```

```
Hello, World!  
x is positive
```

8 Switch/Match

```
[4]: x = 1  
  
match x:  
    case 1: print("x is 1")  
    case 2: print("x is 2")  
    case 3: print("x is 3")  
    case _: print("x is something else")
```

```
x is 1
```

```
[6]: %%writefile my_module.py  
def greet():  
    print('Hello World!')
```

```
Overwriting my_module.py
```