# ### Swarms Tool Documentation

A tool is a Python function designed to perform specific tasks, with clear type annotations and comprehensive docstrings. Below are examples of tools to help you get started.

#### # Rules

To create a tool in the Swarms environment, follow these rules:

#### 1. \*\*Function Definition\*\*:

- The tool must be defined as a Python function.
- The function should perform a specific task and be named appropriately.

# 2. \*\*Type Annotations\*\*:

- All arguments and the return value must have type annotations.
- Both input and output types must be strings ('str').

## 3. \*\*Docstrings\*\*:

- Each function must include a comprehensive docstring that adheres to PEP 257 standards. The docstring should explain:
  - The purpose of the function.
  - Arguments: names, types, and descriptions.
  - Return value: type and description.
  - Potential exceptions that the function may raise.

## 4. \*\*Input and Output Types\*\*:

- The function's input must be a string.
- The function's output must be a string.
### Example Tools
### Examples and Anti-Examples
#### Example 1: Fetch Financial News
**Correct Implementation**
```python
import requests
import os
def fetch_financial_news(query: str = "Nvidia news", num_articles: int = 5) -> str:
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Fetches financial news from the Google News API and returns a formatted string of the top news.
Args:
query (str): The query term to search for news. Default is "Nvidia news".
num_articles (int): The number of top articles to fetch. Default is 5.
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Returns:
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str: A formatted string of the top financial news articles.

### Raises:

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ValueError: If the API response is invalid or there are no articles found.
  requests.exceptions.RequestException: If there is an error with the request.
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url = "https://newsapi.org/v2/everything"
params = {
  "q": query,
  "apiKey": os.getenv("NEWSAPI_KEY"),
  "pageSize": num_articles,
  "sortBy": "relevancy",
}
try:
  response = requests.get(url, params=params)
  response.raise_for_status()
  data = response.json()
  if "articles" not in data or len(data["articles"]) == 0:
     raise ValueError("No articles found or invalid API response.")
  articles = data["articles"]
  formatted_articles = []
  for i, article in enumerate(articles, start=1):
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title = article.get("title", "No Title")
       description = article.get("description", "No Description")
       url = article.get("url", "No URL")
       formatted_articles.append(
          f"{i}. {title}\nDescription: {description}\nRead more: {url}\n"
       )
     return "\n".join(formatted_articles)
  except requests.exceptions.RequestException as e:
     print(f"Request Error: {e}")
     raise
  except ValueError as e:
     print(f"Value Error: {e}")
     raise
**Incorrect Implementation**
```python
import requests
import os
def fetch_financial_news(query="Nvidia news", num_articles=5):
   # Fetches financial news from the Google News API and returns a formatted string of the top
news.
```

```
url = "https://newsapi.org/v2/everything"
params = {
  "q": query,
  "apiKey": os.getenv("NEWSAPI_KEY"),
  "pageSize": num_articles,
  "sortBy": "relevancy",
}
response = requests.get(url, params=params)
response.raise_for_status()
data = response.json()
if "articles" not in data or len(data["articles"]) == 0:
  raise ValueError("No articles found or invalid API response.")
articles = data["articles"]
formatted_articles = []
for i, article in enumerate(articles, start=1):
  title = article.get("title", "No Title")
  description = article.get("description", "No Description")
  url = article.get("url", "No URL")
  formatted_articles.append(
     f"{i}. {title}\nDescription: {description}\nRead more: {url}\n"
  )
```

```
return "\n".join(formatted_articles)
**Issues with Incorrect Implementation:**
- No type annotations for arguments and return value.
- Missing comprehensive docstring.
#### Example 2: Convert Celsius to Fahrenheit
**Correct Implementation**
```python
def celsius_to_fahrenheit(celsius_str: str) -> str:
  ....
  Converts a temperature from Celsius to Fahrenheit.
  Args:
     celsius_str (str): The temperature in Celsius as a string.
  Returns:
     str: The temperature converted to Fahrenheit as a formatted string.
  Raises:
     ValueError: If the input cannot be converted to a float.
  ....
  try:
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celsius = float(celsius_str)
     fahrenheit = celsius * 9/5 + 32
     return f"{celsius}°C is {fahrenheit}°F"
  except ValueError as e:
     print(f"Value Error: {e}")
     raise
**Incorrect Implementation**
```python
def celsius_to_fahrenheit(celsius):
  # Converts a temperature from Celsius to Fahrenheit.
  celsius = float(celsius)
  fahrenheit = celsius * 9/5 + 32
  return f"{celsius}°C is {fahrenheit}°F"
**Issues with Incorrect Implementation:**
- No type annotations for arguments and return value.
- Missing comprehensive docstring.
- Input type is not enforced as string.
#### Example 3: Calculate Compound Interest
**Correct Implementation**
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```python
def calculate_compound_interest(principal_str: str, rate_str: str, time_str: str, n_str: str) -> str:
  ....
  Calculates compound interest.
  Args:
     principal_str (str): The initial amount of money as a string.
     rate_str (str): The annual interest rate (decimal) as a string.
     time_str (str): The time the money is invested for in years as a string.
     n_str (str): The number of times that interest is compounded per year as a string.
  Returns:
     str: The amount of money accumulated after n years, including interest.
  Raises:
     ValueError: If any of the inputs cannot be converted to the appropriate type or are negative.
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  try:
     principal = float(principal_str)
     rate = float(rate_str)
     time = float(time_str)
     n = int(n_str)
     if principal < 0 or rate < 0 or time < 0 or n < 0:
        raise ValueError("Inputs must be non-negative.")
```

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amount = principal * (1 + rate / n) ** (n * time)
     return f"The amount after {time} years is {amount:.2f}"
  except ValueError as e:
     print(f"Value Error: {e}")
     raise
**Incorrect Implementation**
```python
def calculate_compound_interest(principal, rate, time, n):
  # Calculates compound interest.
  principal = float(principal)
  rate = float(rate)
  time = float(time)
  n = int(n)
  if principal < 0 or rate < 0 or time < 0 or n < 0:
     raise ValueError("Inputs must be non-negative.")
  amount = principal * (1 + rate / n) ** (n * time)
  return f"The amount after {time} years is {amount:.2f}"
```

\*\*Issues with Incorrect Implementation:\*\*

- No type annotations for arguments and return value.
- Missing comprehensive docstring.
- Input types are not enforced as strings.

By following these rules and using the examples provided, you can create robust and well-documented tools in the Swarms environment. Ensure that all functions include proper type annotations, comprehensive docstrings, and that both input and output types are strings.

#### Example Tool 4: Reverse a String

\*\*Functionality\*\*: Reverses a given string.

```python

def reverse\_string(s: str) -> str:

....

Reverses a given string.

Args:

s (str): The string to reverse.

Returns:

str: The reversed string.

Raises:

TypeError: If the input is not a string.

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```
try:
     if not isinstance(s, str):
       raise TypeError("Input must be a string.")
     return s[::-1]
  except TypeError as e:
     print(f"Type Error: {e}")
     raise
#### Example Tool 5: Check Palindrome
**Functionality**: Checks if a given string is a palindrome.
```python
def is_palindrome(s: str) -> str:
  ....
  Checks if a given string is a palindrome.
  Args:
     s (str): The string to check.
  Returns:
     str: A message indicating whether the string is a palindrome or not.
  Raises:
     TypeError: If the input is not a string.
```

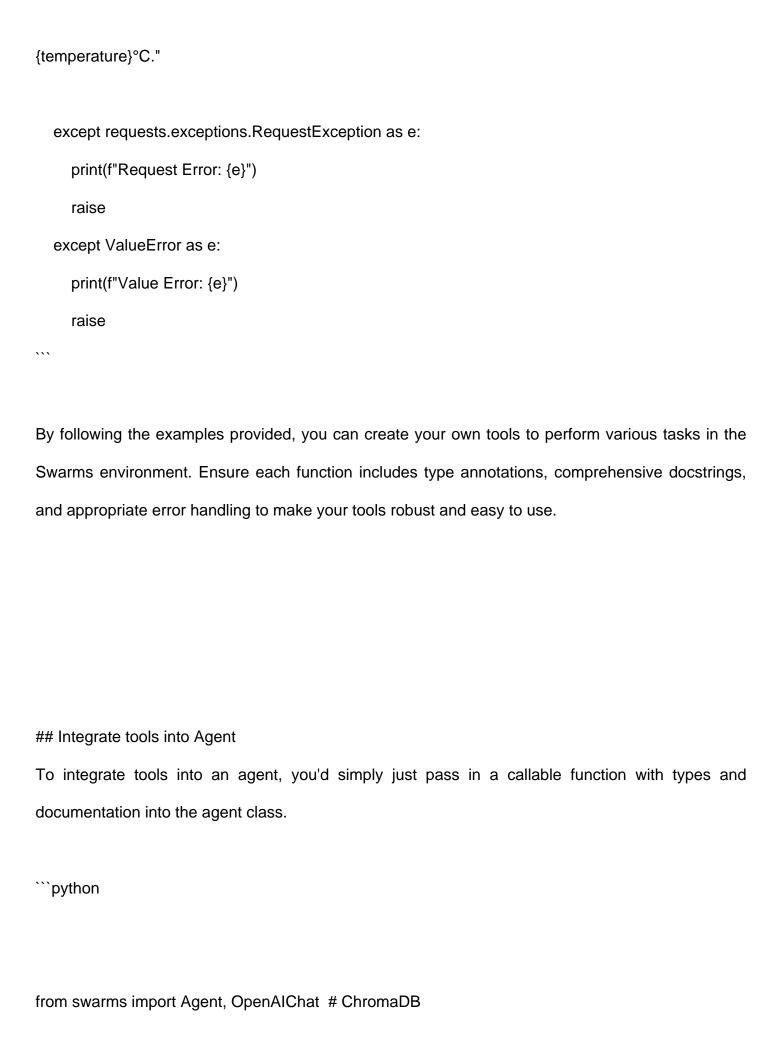
```
try:
     if not isinstance(s, str):
       raise TypeError("Input must be a string.")
     normalized_str = ".join(filter(str.isalnum, s)).lower()
     is_palindrome = normalized_str == normalized_str[::-1]
     return f"The string '{s}' is {'a palindrome' if is_palindrome else 'not a palindrome'}."
  except TypeError as e:
     print(f"Type Error: {e}")
     raise
#### Example Tool 6: Fetch Current Weather
**Functionality**: Fetches the current weather for a given city from the OpenWeatherMap API.
```python
import requests
import os
def fetch_current_weather(city: str) -> str:
  Fetches the current weather for a given city from the OpenWeatherMap API.
  Args:
     city (str): The name of the city to fetch the weather for.
```

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#### Returns:

str: A formatted string of the current weather in the specified city.

```
Raises:
  ValueError: If the API response is invalid or the city is not found.
  requests.exceptions.RequestException: If there is an error with the request.
....
url = "http://api.openweathermap.org/data/2.5/weather"
params = {
  "q": city,
  "appid": os.getenv("OPENWEATHERMAP_KEY"),
  "units": "metric",
}
try:
  response = requests.get(url, params=params)
  response.raise_for_status()
  data = response.json()
  if "weather" not in data or "main" not in data:
     raise ValueError("Invalid API response or city not found.")
  weather_description = data["weather"][0]["description"]
  temperature = data["main"]["temp"]
        return f"The current weather in {city} is {weather_description} with a temperature of
```



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# Model
IIm = OpenAIChat(
  temperature=0.1,
)
# Tools
def terminal(
  code: str,
):
  Run code in the terminal.
  Args:
     code (str): The code to run in the terminal.
  Returns:
     str: The output of the code.
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  out = subprocess.run(
     code, shell=True, capture_output=True, text=True
  ).stdout
  return str(out)
```

import subprocess

```
def browser(query: str):
  Search the query in the browser with the 'browser' tool.
  Args:
     query (str): The query to search in the browser.
  Returns:
     str: The search results.
  ....
  import webbrowser
  url = f"https://www.google.com/search?q={query}"
  webbrowser.open(url)
  return f"Searching for {query} in the browser."
def create_file(file_path: str, content: str):
  .....
  Create a file using the file editor tool.
  Args:
     file_path (str): The path to the file.
     content (str): The content to write to the file.
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Returns:
     str: The result of the file creation operation.
  with open(file_path, "w") as file:
     file.write(content)
  return f"File {file_path} created successfully."
def file_editor(file_path: str, mode: str, content: str):
  ....
  Edit a file using the file editor tool.
  Args:
     file_path (str): The path to the file.
     mode (str): The mode to open the file in.
     content (str): The content to write to the file.
  Returns:
     str: The result of the file editing operation.
  ....
  with open(file_path, mode) as file:
     file.write(content)
  return f"File {file_path} edited successfully."
```

```
agent = Agent(
  agent_name="Devin",
  system_prompt=(
     "Autonomous agent that can interact with humans and other"
     " agents. Be Helpful and Kind. Use the tools provided to"
     " assist the user. Return all code in markdown format."
  ),
  Ilm=Ilm,
  max_loops="auto",
  autosave=True,
  dashboard=False,
  streaming_on=True,
  verbose=True,
  stopping_token="<DONE>",
  interactive=True,
  tools=[terminal, browser, file_editor, create_file],
  # long_term_memory=chromadb,
  metadata_output_type="json",
  # List of schemas that the agent can handle
  # list_base_models=[tool_schema],
  function_calling_format_type="OpenAI",
  function_calling_type="json", # or soon yaml
# Run the agent
agent.run("Create a new file for a plan to take over the world.")
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)

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## Example 2
```python
import os
import requests
from swarms import Agent
from swarm_models import OpenAlChat
# Get the OpenAl API key from the environment variable
api_key = os.getenv("OPENAI_API_KEY")
# Create an instance of the OpenAlChat class
model = OpenAlChat(
  api_key=api_key, model_name="gpt-4o-mini", temperature=0.1
)
def fetch_financial_news(
```

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query: str = "Nvidia news", num_articles: int = 5
) -> str:
  ....
  Fetches financial news from the Google News API and returns a formatted string of the top news.
  Args:
     api_key (str): Your Google News API key.
     query (str): The query term to search for news. Default is "financial".
     num_articles (int): The number of top articles to fetch. Default is 5.
  Returns:
     str: A formatted string of the top financial news articles.
  Raises:
     ValueError: If the API response is invalid or there are no articles found.
     requests.exceptions.RequestException: If there is an error with the request.
  .....
  url = "https://newsapi.org/v2/everything"
  params = {
     "q": query,
     "apiKey": os.getenv("NEWSAPI_KEY"),
     "pageSize": num_articles,
     "sortBy": "relevancy",
  }
  try:
```

```
response = requests.get(url, params=params)
  response.raise_for_status()
  data = response.json()
  if "articles" not in data or len(data["articles"]) == 0:
     raise ValueError("No articles found or invalid API response.")
  articles = data["articles"]
  formatted articles = []
  for i, article in enumerate(articles, start=1):
     title = article.get("title", "No Title")
     description = article.get("description", "No Description")
     url = article.get("url", "No URL")
     formatted_articles.append(
       f"{i}. {title}\nDescription: {description}\nRead more: {url}\n"
     )
  return "\n".join(formatted_articles)
except requests.exceptions.RequestException as e:
  print(f"Request Error: {e}")
  raise
except ValueError as e:
  print(f"Value Error: {e}")
  raise
```

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## Example usage:
# api_key = "ceabc81a7d8f45febfedadb27177f3a3"
# print(fetch_financial_news(api_key))
# Initialize the agent
agent = Agent(
  agent_name="Financial-Analysis-Agent",
  # system_prompt=FINANCIAL_AGENT_SYS_PROMPT,
  Ilm=model,
  max_loops=2,
  autosave=True,
  # dynamic_temperature_enabled=True,
  dashboard=False,
  verbose=True,
  streaming_on=True,
  # interactive=True, # Set to False to disable interactive mode
  dynamic_temperature_enabled=True,
  saved_state_path="finance_agent.json",
  tools=[fetch_financial_news],
  # stopping_token="Stop!",
  # interactive=True,
  # docs_folder="docs", # Enter your folder name
  # pdf_path="docs/finance_agent.pdf",
```

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# sop="Calculate the profit for a company.",
  # sop_list=["Calculate the profit for a company."],
  user_name="swarms_corp",
  # # docs=
  ## docs_folder="docs",
  retry_attempts=3,
  # context_length=1000,
  # tool_schema = dict
  context_length=200000,
  # tool_schema=
  # tools
  # agent_ops_on=True,
  # long_term_memory=ChromaDB(docs_folder="artifacts"),
)
# Run the agent
response = agent("What are the latest financial news on Nvidia?")
print(response)
```