LISTS II

The for Loop, Lists, and Tuples

The for Loops (1 of 2)

- A for loop is used for iterating over a sequence (that is either a list, a tuple, a dictionary, a set, or a string).
- A loop, one of the important structure in programming, is a part of program that can execute a block of code repeatedly.
- When designing programs you think ahead of times how many times the loop needs to be preformed.

The for Loops (2 of 2)

Syntax:

```
for var in sequence:
indented block of statements
```

- Sequence can be
 - Arithmetic progression of numbers
 - String
 - List
 - File object

Looping Through a String

Ex1_for_string_list.py

■ Even strings are iterable objects, they contain a sequence of characters:

Looping Through a List

- You can loop through the list items by using a *for* loop.
- Print all items in the list, one by one:

Indentation

- Where in other programming languages the indentation in code is for readability only, the **indentation** in Python is **very important**. Python uses indentation to indicate a block of code.
- Python relies on indentation (whitespace at the beginning of a line) to define **scope** in the code. Other programming languages often use curly-brackets for this purpose.
- Sometimes multiple instructions needs to be executed if a condition was true, the indentation level determine where the if ends.

The range() Function (1 of 3)

Ex2_list_range.py

- To loop through a set of code a specified number of times, we can use the *range()* function.
- The *range*(n) function returns a sequence of numbers, starting from 0 by default, and increments by 1 (by default), and counting from 0 to n-1.

```
>>> for x in range(3):
    print(x)

0
1
2
```

The range() Function (2 of 3)

■ The range() function defaults to 0 as a starting value, however it is possible to specify the **starting** value by adding a parameter.

8

```
range (3, 10) generates the sequence 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9.
range (0, 4) generates the sequence 0, 1, 2, 3.
range (-4, 2) generates the sequence -4, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1.
```

The range() Function (3 of 3)

■ The *range*() function defaults to increment the sequence by 1, however it is possible to specify the step value by adding a **third** parameter.

```
>>> for x in range(3, 10, 2):
    print(x)

3
    range(3, 10, 2) generates the sequence 3,5,7,9.
    range(0, 24, 5) generates the sequence 0,5,10,15,20.
    range(-10, 10, 4) generates the sequence -10,-6,-2,2,6.
```

else in the for Loop

■ The *else* keyword in a *for* loop specifies a block of code to be executed when the loop is finished.

List Comprehensions

Ex3_List_Comprehension_Slice.py

Combines the *for* loop and the creation of new elements of the *list* into one line

```
>>> squares = [value**2 for value in range(1, 11)]
[1, 4, 9, 16, 25, 36, 49, 64, 81, 100]
```

List Slicing

■ Use slicing to loop through a subset of the elements in a list

Use slicing to copy a list

```
>>> x = squares[:]
```

PE5_1

 A - H, determine the output displayed by the lines of code. I - K, write the code by using the output. Save your code as PE5_1.py.

A	<pre>a = list(range(5)) print(a)</pre>	В	b = [] for i in range b.append(i)		
Output		Output	print(b)	Е	#Print all the odd numbers from 1 to 9 inclusive in a list, odd_num.
С	x = list(range(-10, 10)	_			
	<pre>print(x) print(min(x), max(x), sum(x))</pre>			Outside	[1 2 5 7 0]
				Output F	<pre>[1,3,5,7,9] # Make a list of the first 10 cubes and use a for loop to print out the value of each cube in a new line (see output below).</pre>
Output					
D	even_num = list(range(2, 11, 2))				
	print(even_num[0], even_num[-1])				
				Output	1 8
Output					27
					64
					125
					216
					343
					512
					729 1000
				G	#Use a list comprehension to generate a list of the first 10
					cubes. Use a for loop to print out the value of each cube in
					row separated by a ' ' (see output below).
				Output	1 8 27 64 125 216 343 512 729 1000

PE5_2

- List slicing. Save it as PE5_2.py.
 - a) Use a list comprehension to generate a list of all even numbers from 0 to 100 inclusive.
 - b) Use slicing to print the first five even numbers in the list.
 - c) Use slicing to print the last five even numbers in the list.
 - d) Use slicing to print all list numbers between 20 and 30 inclusive.

Example Output

```
[0, 2, 4, 6, 8]
[92, 94, 96, 98, 100]
[20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30]
```

The Tuple Object (1 of 3)

Ex4_tuples.py

- Tuples, like lists, are ordered sequences of items
- Difference tuples cannot be modified in place
 - Have no append, extend, or insert method
- Items of tuple cannot be directly deleted, sorted, or altered

The Tuple Object (2 of 3)

- All other list functions and methods apply
 - Items can be accessed by indices
 - Tuples can be sliced, concatenated, and repeated
- Tuples written as comma-separated sequences enclosed in parentheses
 - Can also be written without the parentheses.

The Tuple Object (3 of 3)

■ Tuples have several of same functions as lists

```
t = 5, 7, 6, 2
print(t)
print(len(t), max(t), min(t), sum(t))
print(t[0], t[-1], t[:2])

[Run]
(5, 7, 6, 2)
4 7 2 20
5 2 (5, 7)
```

Indexing, Deleting, Slicing and Out of Bounds (1 of 2)

- Python does not allow out of bounds indexing for individual items in lists and tuples
 - But does allow it for slices

■ Given

Indexing, Deleting, and Slicing Out of Bounds (2 of 2)

- If left index in slice too far negative
 - Slice will start at the beginning of the list
- If right index is too large,
 - Slice will go to the end of the list.
- \blacksquare t = 5, 7, 6, 2
- \blacksquare t[-7:7] is (5, 7, 6, 2)
- \blacksquare t[-7:2] is (5, 7)

PE5_3 & PE5_4 & PE5_5

Write your codes and run

Lists & Tuples - Terminologies

- 1 append
- 2 clear
- 3 copy
- 4 extend
- 5 find
- 6 join
- 7 insert
- 8 pop
- 9 remove
- 10 sort
- 11 split

- 12 del
- 13 for
- 14 len
- 15 List
- 16 max
- 17 min
- 18 range
- 19 reverse
- 20 sorted
- 21 tuple

- 22 Loop
- 23 Iteration
- 24 Indentation
- 25 Immutable
- 26 List Comprehension
- 27 Mutable
- 28 Objects
- 29 Slicing
- 30 Out of Bounds
- 31 Zero Indexing

Quiz 5

- Quiz 5A has 10 questions in 15 minutes, 10 pts
 - 10 multiple choice/true or false questions, 1 pt. for each question
 - Quiz 5A has two attempt, the higher grade will be selected
 - Submit Quiz 5A (at least 1-minute) **before** the due time to Blackboard
- Quiz 5B has 2 code questions, 15 pts
 - Write the Python code based on the given question
 - Each question will be given during the last 10-minute of each session of week 5
 - Quiz 5B-1 on session A, and Quiz 5B-2 on session B
 - Quiz 5B has one attempt

DB 5

Instruction:

- 1) Choose any **one** of the questions from **PE5_1**, any **one** of the questions from **PE5_6**, **and** any **one** of the questions from **PE5_7**. Please **avoid** selecting the exact same questions. Make sure to indicate the **question #** you're working on in the thread title as soon as you open your thread. Then you can **explain and edit your questions** (1.2 pt).
- 2) Explain the following (0.3 pt). Why can't you use the *sort* method in an assignment statement? Ex., inventory = items.sort()
- 3) Submit your posts before the due date. Let's learn from each other.