



BASIC IO

Formatted Output & Console Input



Optional *print* Argument *sep*

Ex1_printArguments.py

- Consider statement
`print(value0, value1, ..., valueN)`
- *Print* function uses string consisting of **one space** character as **separator**
- Optionally change the separator to any string we like with the ***sep*** argument

Statement	Outcome
<code>print("Hello", "World!", sep="**")</code>	Hello**World!
<code>print("Hello", "World!", sep="")</code>	HelloWorld!
<code>print("1", "two", 3, sep=" ")</code>	1 two 3

Optional *print* Argument *end*

- Print statement ends by executing a **newline** operation.
- Optionally change the ending operation with the ***end*** argument

```
print("Hello", end=" ")  
print("World!")
```

[Run]

Hello World!

```
print("Hello", end="")  
print("World!")
```

[Run]

HelloWorld!

The *expandtabs()* Method

- *expandtab()* – controls the number of position between horizontal tab stops (default is 8)

```
## Demonstrate use of escape sequences.  
print("01234567890123456")  
print("a\tb\tc")  
print("a\tb\tc".expandtabs(5))  
print("Nudge, \tnudge, \nwink, \twink.".expandtabs(11))
```

[Run]

```
01234567890123456  
a      b      c  
a      b      c  
Nudge,      nudge,  
wink,       wink.
```

Justifying Output in a Field

Ex2_justification.py

- *ljust()*, *rjust()* and *center()* methods control the justification of data in a field of a specified width

```
## Demonstrate justification of output.  
print("0123456789012345678901234567")  
print("Rank".ljust(5), "Player".ljust(20), "HR".rjust(3), sep="")  
print('1'.center(5), "Barry Bonds".ljust(20), "762".rjust(3), sep="")  
print('2'.center(5), "Hank Aaron".ljust(20), "755".rjust(3), sep="")  
print('3'.center(5), "Babe Ruth".ljust(20), "714".rjust(3), sep="")
```

[Run]

```
0123456789012345678901234567  
Rank Player HR  
 1 Barry Bonds 762  
 2 Hank Aaron 755  
 3 Babe Ruth 714
```

The *format()* Method

Ex3a_format.py & *Ex3b_format.py*

- The *format()* method takes the passed arguments, formats them, and places them in the string where the placeholders {} are
- The placeholder: curly brackets: {}
- zero-based numbering system - Numbering begins with zero instead of one
- More formatting types
https://www.w3schools.com/python/ref_string_format.asp

```
fruit1 = "apples"  
fruit2 = "pears"  
print( "I want to buy {} and {}."  
.format(fruit1, fruit2) )
```

[Run]

I want to buy apples and pears.

Justify Output with *format* Method (1 of 4)

- Given: `str1` is a string and `w` is a field width

```
print("{0:<ws}".format(str1))  
print("{0:^ws}".format(str1))  
print("{0:>ws}".format(str1))
```



```
print(str1.ljust(w))  
print(str1.center(w))  
print(str1.rjust(w))
```

Justify Output with *format* Method (2 of 4)

- Given: num is a number and w is a field width

```
print("{0:<wn}".format(num))  
print("{0:^wn}".format(num))  
print("{0:>wn}".format(num))
```



```
print(str(num).ljust(w))  
print(str(num).center(w))  
print(str(num).rjust(w))
```


Justify Output with *format* Method (3 of 4)

```
## Demonstrate justification of output.  
print("0123456789012345678901234567")  
print("{0:^5s}{1:<20s}{2:>3s}".format("Rank", "Player", "HR"))  
print("{0:^5n}{1:<20s}{2:>3n}".format(1, "Barry Bonds", 762))  
print("{0:^5n}{1:<20s}{2:>3n}".format(2, "Hank Aaron", 755))  
print("{0:^5n}{1:<20s}{2:>3n}".format(3, "Babe Ruth", 714))
```

[Run]

```
0123456789012345678901234567  
Rank Player           HR  
  1  Barry Bonds      762  
  2  Hank Aaron       755  
  3  Babe Ruth        714
```

Justify Output with *format* Method (4 of 4)

Ex3b_Format.py

■ Number formatting

Statement	Outcome	Comment
<code>print("{0:10d}".format(12345678))</code>	12345678	number is an integer
<code>print("{0:10,d}".format(12345678))</code>	12,345,678	thousands separators added
<code>print("{0:10.2f}".format(1234.5678))</code>	1234.57	set precision to two decimal places
<code>print("{0:10,.2f}".format(1234.5678))</code>	1,234.57	set precision and separators added
<code>print("{0:10,.3f}".format(1234.5678))</code>	1,234.568	set precision and separators added
<code>print("{0:10.2%}".format(12.345678))</code>	1234.57%	set precision and % added
<code>print("{0:10,.3%}".format(12.345678))</code>	1,234.568%	set precision, separators and % added

F-strings (1 of 3)

- PEP (Python Enhancement Proposal) 498 introduced a new string **formatting** mechanism, [literal string interpolation](#)
- F-string, the leading ***f* character** preceding the string literal
- Making string interpolation simpler
- Providing a concise and convenient way to embed python expressions inside string literals for formatting

F-strings (2 of 3)

Ex4a_fstrings.py

- To create an f-string, prefix the string with the letter “f”
- f-strings can be used upon variables
- f-strings can span multiple lines if parenthesis are used
- <https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/formatted-string-literals-f-strings-python/>

```
fruit1 = "apples"
```

```
fruit2 = "pears"
```

```
qty = 7
```

```
txt = (f"I want to buy {qty} "  
f"{fruit1} and {fruit2}.")
```

```
print(txt)
```

```
[Run]
```

```
I want to buy 7 apples and pears.
```

F-strings (3 of 3)

Ex4b_fstrings.py

- Align information into columns of specific width
- Justify columns left, right and/or center aligned

```
fruit1 = "apples"  
brand1 = "gala"  
qty = 100  
print(f"{fruit1:<10}{brand1:>10}{qty:^10}")
```

[Run]

```
apples                gala      100
```

PE3_1

1. A – D, determine the output displayed by the lines of code. Save your code as *PE3_1.py*

A	<pre>print("012345678901234567890") print('A'.rjust(5), 'B'.center(5), 'C'.ljust(5), sep = "")</pre>
Output	
B	<pre>print("01234567890123456") print("{0:^7}{1:4}{2:>6s}".format("one", "two", "three")) print(f"{'one':^7}{'two':4}{'three':>6s}")</pre>
Output	
C	<pre>n=1234 print("01234567890123456789") print(f"{n:10}{n:^10}") print("01234567890123456789") print(f"{n:<10}{n:>10}") print("01234567890123456789") print(f"{n:10.3f}{n:10,.2f}{n}") print("012345678901234567890123456789") print(f"{n:10.2%}{n:12,.2%}")</pre>
Output	
D	<pre>q1= '''"If {0:s} dream it, {0:s} do it. - Walt Disney"''' print(q1.format('you can')) a = "ONE" b = "DAY" q2 = f"\n{a} {b} or {b} {a}. You decide. Paulo Coelho\""</pre>
Output	

The *input()* Function (1 of 2)

- Prompts the user to enter data

```
town = input("Enter the name of your city: ")
```

- *User types response, presses ENTER key*
- *Entry assigned to variable on left*

The *input()* Function (2 of 2)

Ex4_input.py

- The *input* function always returns a **string**
- A combination of an *input* function and an ***int***, ***float***, or ***eval*** function allows **numbers** to be input into a program

```
>>> letGrade = input("Enter your grade(A-F): ")
```

```
>>> numGrade = int(input("Enter your grade(0 - 100): "))
```

```
>>> average = float(input("Enter your average(0.0 - 100.0):"))
```

```
>>> gpa = eval(input("Enter your GPA(0 - 4): "))
```


PE3_2

2. Calculates the amount of a server's tip. Save the code as *PE3_2.py*.
- a) Prompt and request input the amount of the bill (in float) and the percentage of tip (in integer).
 - b) Calculate, set the result to two decimal places and print the result.
- Input text can be any content. Just make sure to precisely match the output format below.*

Example Output 1:

```
Enter the amount of the bill: 36.99
Enter the percentage of tip: 18
Tip: $6.66
```

Example Output 2:

```
Enter the amount of the bill: 100
Enter the percentage of tip: 20
Tip: $20.00
```

PE3_3 & PE3_4 & PE3_5

- Write your codes and run

Summary (1 of 3)

- **`print(var1, ..., varN, sep=str1, end=str2)`**
displays the N values separated by str1 and ending with str2.
The arguments **`sep`** and **`end`** are **optional** and have default values “ ” and “\n”.
- When the right the side of the colon in a pair of curly braces is just the letter s, the colon and the letter s can be omitted. For instance, {0:s} can abbreviated to {0}.
- A **place holder** such as {0} applies not only to **strings**, but also to **numbers** and **expressions**.

Summary (2 of 3)

- When the *format* method is used to format a **string**, **left-justify** is the default justification. Therefore, when a $<$ (less than), $^$ (caret), or $>$ (greater than) symbol is not present, the string will be displayed left-justified in its field.
- When the *format* method is used to format a **number**, **right-justify** is the default justification.
- The *format* method replaces numbered placeholders of the form {n:format specifier} in a string with comma separated arguments of the method.

```
str1 = "The population of {0:s} is {1:.2%} of the U.S. population."  
print(str1.format("Texas", 26448000 / 309000000))
```

Summary (3 of 3)

- The *Input* function displays a prompt and then assigns data entered by the user to a variable.

```
>>> gpa = eval(input("Enter your GPA (0 - 4): "))
```

- The *eval()* function evaluates the specified expression, if the expression is a legal Python statement, it will be executed.
- The *int* and *float* functions execute faster than *eval* function and are preferred by many Python programmers when they can be used safely.
- The *int* and *float* are constructor functions to perform type casting numbers.

```
>>> int(4.8)          >>> float(4)
4                     4.0
```

Variables - Terminologies

☐ 1 argument

☐ 2 separator

☐ 3 sep argument

☐ 4 newline

☐ 5 end argument

☐ 6 `\n`

☐ 7 `\t`

☐ 8 `.expandtab(n)`

☐ 9 optional

☐ 10 default

☐ 11 place holder

☐ 12 `str.ljust(n)`

☐ 13 `str.rjust(n)`

☐ 14 `str.center(n)`

☐ 15 `^`

☐ 16 `<`

☐ 17 `>`

☐ 18 `,`

☐ 19 `.nf`

☐ 20 `.n%`

☐ 21 `prompt`

☐ 22 `input()`

☐ 23 `float()`

☐ 24 `int()`

☐ 25 `eval()`

☐ 26 constructor functions

☐ 27 type casting

☐ 28 exception handling

☐ 29 try statement

☐ 30 exception clauses

☐ 31 indentation/tabs

Quiz 3

- Quiz 3A has 10 questions in 15 minutes, 10 pts
 - 10 multiple choice/true or false questions, 1 pt. for each question
 - Quiz 3A has *two* attempt, the *higher* grade will be selected
 - Submit Quiz 3A (at least 1-minute) **before** the due time to Blackboard
- Quiz 3B has 2 code questions, 15 pts
 - Write the Python code based on the given question
 - Each question will be given during the first 10-minute of each session of week 3
 - Quiz 3B-1 on session A, and Quiz 3B-2 on session B
 - Quiz 3B has *one* attempt

DB 3

- Instruction:

- 1) Choose any **one** of the questions from **PE3_1**, any **one** of the questions from **PE3_6**, **and** any **one** of the questions from **PE3_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 pts).
- 2) After posting your explanation, check each other's answers, and ask questions or make comments (0.3 pts).
- 3) Submit your posts before the due date. Let's learn from each other.