

# PYTHON

## Lecture - 07

### Lecture Topics

- Python Functions & Modules (Part – 02)





# Scope of Variables in Python

The **scope of a variable** in Python is defined as **the specific area or region** where the variable is **accessible** to the user.

Python variables are classified in three categories –

- Local Variables
- Global Variables
- Nonlocal Variables

```
pi = 3.1416           → Global
```

```
for i in range(10):
```

```
    x = input()        → Local
```



# Scope of Variables in Python

## Local Variable

A local variable is **defined within a specific function or block of code**. It can only be **accessed by** the function or block where it was defined, and it has a limited scope.

```
def myfunction():  
    a = 10                #local variable  
    b = 20                #local variable  
    print("variable a:", a)  
    print("variable b:", b)  
    return a+b  
  
print (myfunction())
```



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```
n = int(input())
list = []
for i in range(n):
    x = int(input())           #local variable
    list.append(x)
print(list)
```



# Scope of Variables in Python

## Global Variable

A global variable can be accessed from any part of the program, and it is defined outside any function or block of code.

It is not specific to any block or function.

```
x = 10          #Global variable
y = 5           #Global variable

def getSum():
    return x + y

sum = getSum()
print(sum)
```



# Scope of Variables in Python

## Nonlocal Variables

The Python variables that are not defined in either local or global scope are called nonlocal variables.

They are used in nested functions.

```
def yourfunction():  
    a = 5  
    b = 6  
    # nested function  
    def myfunction():  
        # nonlocal function  
        nonlocal a  
        nonlocal b  
        a = 10  
        b = 20  
        print("variable a:", a)  
        print("variable b:", b)  
        return a+b  
    print (myfunction())  
yourfunction()
```

### Output:

**variable a: 10**  
**variable b: 20**  
**30**

*variable should  
not belong to  
the inner  
function*



# Scope of Variables in Python

**Local Variables Cannot Be Used in the Global Scope**

```
def spam():  
    eggs = 31337  
  
spam()  
print(eggs)
```

Traceback (most recent call last):  
 File "/home/ribnat/Python.py", line 5, in <module>  
 print(eggs)  
NameError: name 'eggs' is not defined



# Scope of Variables in Python

## Local Scopes Cannot Use Variables in Other Local Scopes

```
def spam():  
    eggs = 99 #local var  
    bacon()  
    print(eggs)  
  
def bacon():  
    ham = 101  
    eggs = 0 #another local var  
  
spam()
```

99





# Scope of Variables in Python

**Global Variables Can Be Read from a Local Scope**

```
def spam():  
    print(eggs)
```

```
eggs = 42  
spam()  
print(eggs)
```

42  
42



# Scope of Variables in Python

## Local and Global Variables with the Same Name

```
def spam():  
    eggs = 'spam local'  
    print(eggs) # prints 'spam local'  
  
def bacon():  
    eggs = 'bacon local'  
    print(eggs) # prints 'bacon local'  
    spam()  
    print(eggs) # prints 'bacon local'  
  
eggs = 'global'  
bacon()  
print(eggs) # prints 'global'
```

bacon local  
spam local  
bacon local  
global



# Scope of Variables in Python

## The **global** Statement

If you need to modify a global variable from within a function (local scope), use the **global** statement.

```
def spam():  
    global eggs  
    eggs = 'spam'  
  
eggs = 'global'  
print(eggs)  
spam()  
print(eggs)
```

global  
spam



# Exception Handling

Getting an error, or exception, in your Python program means the entire program will crash.

So, it's important to detect errors, handle them, and then continue to run.

```
def spam(divideBy):  
    return 42 / divideBy  
  
print(spam(2))  
print(spam(12))  
print(spam(0))  
print(spam(1))
```

21.0

3.5

Traceback (most recent call last):

File "/home/ribnat/Python.py", line 6,  
in <module>

print(spam(0))

File "/home/ribnat/Python.py", line 2,  
in spam

return 42 / divideBy

ZeroDivisionError: division by zero



# Exception Handling

Errors can be handled with **try** and **except** statements.

```
def spam(divideBy):  
    try:  
        return 42 / divideBy  
    except ZeroDivisionError:  
        print('Error: Invalid  
argument.')
```

```
print(spam(2))  
print(spam(12))  
print(spam(0))  
print(spam(1))
```

```
21.0  
3.5  
Error: Invalid argument.  
None  
42.0
```

# Exception Handling

Any errors that occur in function calls in a try block will also be caught.

```
def spam(divideBy):  
    return 42 / divideBy  
try:  
    print(spam(2))  
    print(spam(12))  
    print(spam(0))  
    print(spam(1))  
except ZeroDivisionError:  
    print('Error: Invalid  
argument.')
```

21.0

3.5

Error: Invalid argument.



# Python - Modules

A **module** is a file containing definition of **functions**, **classes**, **variables**, **constants** or any other Python **object**.

Contents of this file can be made available to any other program.

Python has the **import** keyword for this purpose.

```
import math          #here, math is a module  
print ("Square root of 100:", math.sqrt(100))
```



# Python - Built-in Modules

Python's standard library comes bundled with a large number of modules. i.e.

math → mathematical operations for floating point numbers.  
cmath → mathematical operations for complex numbers.  
string → contains a number of functions for string processing.  
random → generate pseudo-random numbers.

and many more...





# Python - Creating our own Module

Let us save the following code as **mymodule.py**

```
def SayHello(name):  
    print ("Hi {}! How are you?".format(name))  
    return
```

Now, run the following code through another python file.

```
import mymodule  
mymodule.SayHello("Harish")
```



# Python - Creating our own Module

Firstly, save the following code as **myMath.py**

```
def sum(x,y):  
    return x+y  
  
def avg(x,y):  
    return (x+y)/2  
  
def power(x,y):  
    return x**y  
  
def maxTwo(x,y):  
    if x>y:  
        return x  
    else:  
        return y
```

Now, run the following code through another python file.

```
import myMath  
  
print (myMath.sum(10,20))  
# 30  
  
print (myMath.avg(10,20))  
# 15.0  
  
print (myMath.power(10,2))  
# 100  
  
print (myMath.maxTwo(10,2))  
# 10
```



# Python - Module (The **import ... as** Statement)

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    return x+y  
  
def avg(x,y):  
    return (x+y)/2  
  
def power(x,y):  
    return x**y  
  
def maxTwo(x,y):  
    if x>y:  
        return x  
    else:  
        return y
```

Now, run the following code through another python file.

```
from myMath as x  
  
print (x.sum(10,20))  
# 30  
print (x.avg(10,20))  
# 15.0  
print (x.power(10,2))  
# 100  
print (x.maxTwo(10,2))  
# 10
```



# Python - Module (The **from ... import** Statement)

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def avg(x,y):  
    return (x+y)/2  
  
def power(x,y):  
    return x**y  
  
def maxTwo(x,y):  
    if x>y:  
        return x  
    else:  
        return y
```

Now, run the following code through another python file.

```
from myMath import sum, maxTwo  
  
print (myMath.sum(10,20))  
# 30  
  
print (myMath.avg(10,20))  
# Error  
  
print (myMath.power(10,2))  
# Error  
  
print (myMath.maxTwo(10,2))  
# 10
```



# Python - Module (The **from ... import\*** Statement)

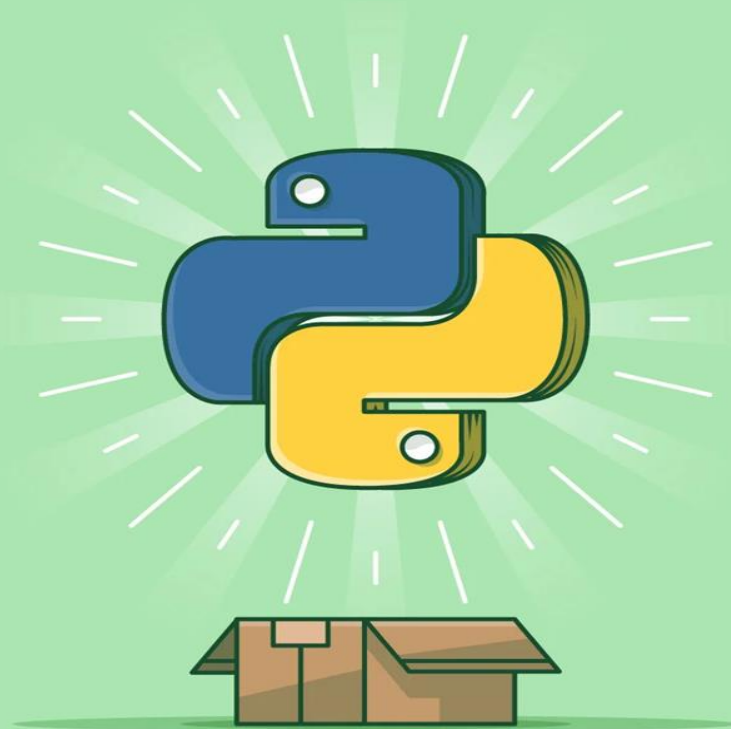
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    return x+y  
  
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    return (x+y)/2  
  
def power(x,y):  
    return x**y  
  
def maxTwo(x,y):  
    if x>y:  
        return x  
    else:  
        return y
```

Now, run the following code through another python file.

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from myMath import *  
  
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# 30  
  
print (myMath.avg(10,20))  
# 15.0  
  
print (myMath.power(10,2))  
# 100  
  
print (myMath.maxTwo(10,2))  
# 10
```

# Exercise Time





## Exercise – 7.1

Create a function that takes **a list** of int numbers as a parameter and returns its **sum**.



## Exercise – 7.1 (ans)

```
def findSum(x):  
    sum = 0  
    for i in x:  
        sum+=i  
    return sum
```

```
List = [2,3,7,10]  
print(findSum(List))
```





## Exercise – 7.2

Create a function that takes **two** of **int** numbers as a parameter and returns their **GCD**.



## Exercise – 7.2 (ans)

```
def GCD(x,y):  
    n = min(x,y)  
    gcd = 0  
    for i in range(1,n+1):  
        if x%i == 0 and y%i == 0:  
            gcd = i  
    return gcd  
  
ans = GCD(8,12)  
print(ans)
```



## Exercise – 7.3

Build a **module** called **myString.py** that contain the following functions (each of them takes a string as parameter) —  
**vowelCount()** → returns the count of vowel in the string.  
**uniqueChar()** → returns the count of unique char of the string.

And then import and call the functions from another python file.

### **For Example:**

**vowelCount("school")** → return 2, as there are 2 vowels.  
**uniqueChar("exercise")** → return 6, as there are 6 unique char.



## Exercise – 7.3 (ans)

```
#save file as myString.py
def vowelCount(str):
    cnt = 0
    for ch in str:
        if(ch=='a' or ch=='e' or ch=='i' or ch=='o' or ch=='u'):
            cnt+=1
    return cnt

def uniqueChar(str):
    List = []
    for i in range(26):
        List.append(0)
    for ch in str:
        idx = int(ord(ch)) - int(ord('a'))
        List[idx]=1
    cnt = 0
    for i in List:
        if(i>0):
            cnt+=1
    return cnt
```



## Exercise – 7.3 (ans cont.)

```
#In another python file, write the code and run
```

```
import myString
```

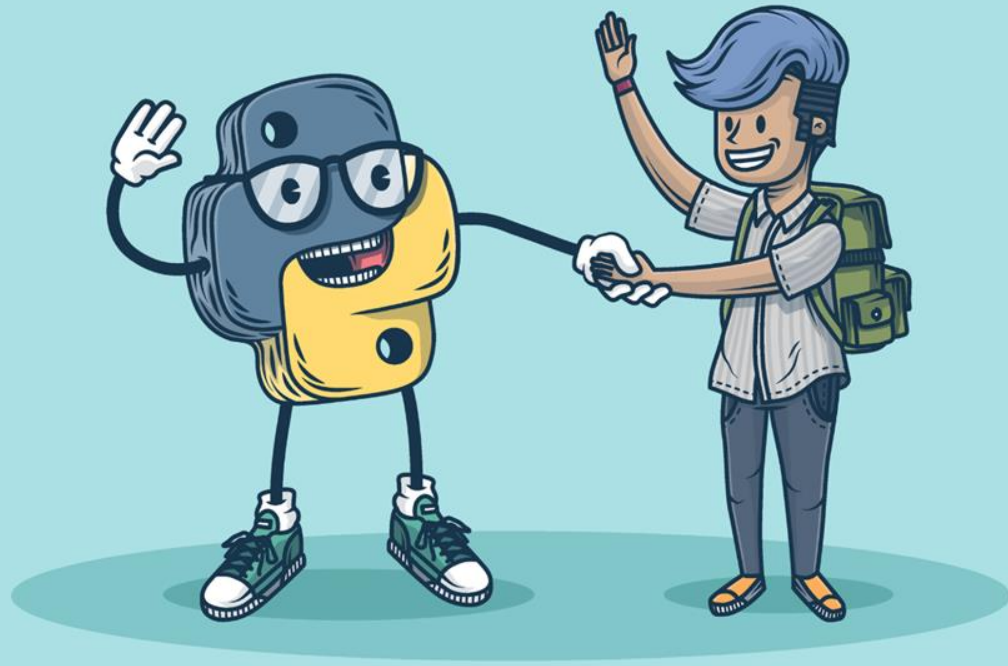
```
print(myString.vowelCount("school"))
```

```
print(myString.uniqueChar("exercise"))
```



# Resources

- <https://www.tutorialspoint.com/python/index.htm>
- <https://www.w3resource.com/python/python-tutorial.php>
- <https://www.w3resource.com/python-exercises/string/>
- <https://www.w3schools.com/python/>
- <https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/python-programming-language/>
- [https://youtu.be/t2\\_Q2BRzeEE?si=OO6J\\_YNCZykedqsT](https://youtu.be/t2_Q2BRzeEE?si=OO6J_YNCZykedqsT)
- <https://realpython.com/>
- Head First Python, 3rd Edition by Paul Barry
- Automate the Boring Stuff with Python By Al Sweigart.



*Thank You*