

List, Tuple & Set

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What is a List?

- An ordered set of values:
 - Ordered: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, ...
 - Values: can be anything, integers, strings, other lists
- List values are called *elements*.
- A *string* is an ordered set of characters so it is “like” a list but not exactly the same thing.



The Empty List

`x = []`

- The empty list is usually used to initialize a list variable but not give it any useful elements.



Accessing Elements:

- List elements are accessed via integer indexes starting at 0 and working up.

```
numbers = [ 3, 87, 43]
print(numbers[1], numbers[2], numbers[0])
87 43 3
```

```
x = 3
print(numbers[x-2])
87
```

```
print (numbers[1.0])
TypeError: sequence index must be integer
```

```
print (numbers[3])
TypeError: list index out of range
```

```
print (numbers[-1])    # a negative index counts
back                  # from the end of the list
3                     # index -1 is the last element
```

```
print (numbers[-3])
```

Accessing Many Elements:

- By index value, one at a time (called *list traversal*)

```
# list of a known size
horsemen = ['war', 'famine', 'pestilence', 'death']
i = 0
while i < 4:
    print (horsemen[i])
    i = i + 1
```

```
# or if you don't know how long the list is
i = 0
length = len(horsemen)
while i < length:
    print(horsemen[i])
    i = i + 1
```

always safer to use *len* as an upper bound

```
war
famine
pestilence
death
```

always $I < \text{length}$;
never $I \leq \text{length}$

List Membership:

- You simply ask if a value is "*in*" or "*not in*" a list.
- This is always a *True/False* question.

```
horsemen = ['war', 'famine', 'pestilence', 'death']
if 'debauchery' in horsemen:
    print( 'There are more than 4 horsemen of the apocolipse.')

print( 'debauchery' not in horsemen)
1
```

List Operations:

- Add two lists:

```
a = [1, 2, 3]
b = [4, 5, 6]
c = a + b
print (c)
[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6]
```

- Repeat a list many times:

```
a = [1, 2, 3]
print (a*3)
[1, 2, 3, 1, 2, 3, 1, 2, 3]
```

- Exercise: Create a list of 20 zeros.

```
zeros = [0]*20
```



List Slices:

- Sometimes you just want a sub-list (*slice*) of a list.

list[a:b] means

list[a], list[a+1], ..., list[b-1]

**# all list elements with indexes from a to b;
including a and excluding b**

```
vowels = ['a', 'e', 'i', 'o', 'u']  
print (vowels[2:4])  
['i', 'o']
```

```
# how do you print out the last element?  
print (vowels[2:])  
['i', 'o', 'u']
```

- Exercise: What does `vowels[:3]` mean?

```
['a', 'e', 'i']
```


Lists are *Mutable*

```
fruit = ['apple', 'orange', 'pear']  
fruit[1] = 'fig'  
print fruit  
['apple', 'fig', 'pear']
```



List Slices Used to Modify a List:

- Suppose you are keeping an ordered list:

```
names = ['adam', 'carol', 'henry', 'margot', 'phil']
```

- And you want to add *kate*. Assignment doesn't work!

```
names = ['adam', 'carol', 'henry', 'margot', 'phil']  
names[2] = 'kate'
```

```
print (names)  
['adam', 'carol', 'kate', 'margot', 'phil']
```

- You can add an element by squeezing it into an empty slice between two list elements:

```
names = ['adam', 'carol', 'henry', 'margot', 'phil']  
names[2:2] = 'kate'
```

```
print (names)  
['adam', 'carol', 'henry', 'kate', 'margot', 'phil']
```

Starting at index 2
but not including 2;
ie, empty



List Deletion:

- Using the *del* operator

```
names = ['adam', 'carol', 'henry', 'margot', 'phil']  
del names[3]
```

```
print (names)  
['adam', 'carol', 'henry', 'phil']
```

- Replacing an element with an empty list

```
names = ['adam', 'carol', 'henry', 'margot', 'phil']  
names[3:4] = [ ]
```

```
print (names)  
['adam', 'carol', 'henry', 'phil']
```

- Deleting slices

```
names = ['adam', 'carol', 'henry', 'margot', 'phil']  
del names[1:4]
```

```
print (names)  
['adam', 'phil']
```



Lists, Objects and Values

- Lists are different:

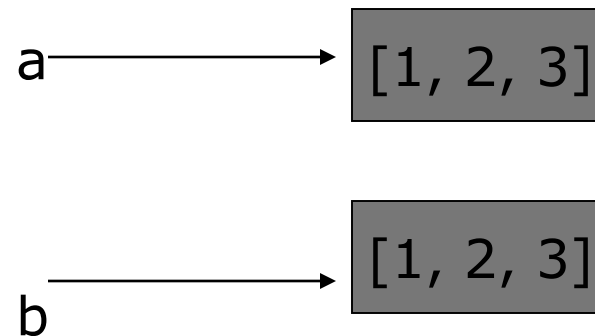
```
a = [1, 2, 3]
```

```
b = [1, 2, 3]
```

```
print( id(a), id(b))
```

```
135023431 135024732
```

- So this time the memory state picture is:



Aliasing

- However, if we assign one variable to another:

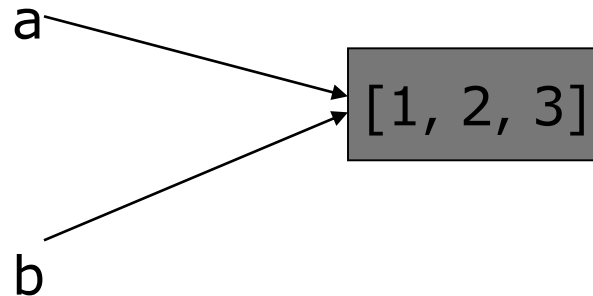
```
a = [1, 2, 3]
```

```
b = a
```

```
print( id(a), id(b))
```

```
135023431 135023431
```

- So this time the memory state picture is:



- More importantly, changing *b* also changes *a*

```
b[0] = 0
```

```
print a
```

```
[0, 2, 3]
```

Cloning a List:

- Cloning means making an exact but separate copy:
- Not Cloning:

```
a = [1, 2, 3]
b = a

print (id(a), id(b))
135023431 135023431
```

- Cloning:

```
a = [1, 2, 3]
b = a[:]          # slices are always separate lists

print (id(a), id(b))
135023431 13502652
```



List Methods:

Method	Meaning
<code><list>.append(x)</code>	Add element x to end of list.
<code><list>.sort()</code>	Sort (order) the list. A comparison function may be passed as a parameter.
<code><list>.reverse()</code>	Reverse the list.
<code><list>.index(x)</code>	Returns index of first occurrence of x.
<code><list>.insert(i, x)</code>	Insert x into list at index i.
<code><list>.count(x)</code>	Returns the number of occurrences of x in list.
<code><list>.remove(x)</code>	Deletes the first occurrence of x in list.
<code><list>.pop(i)</code>	Deletes the ith element of the list and returns its value.

Adding Elements

- *"""List are mutable objects represented*
- *by []list is an ordered collection"""*
- `l=[]`
- `print(l)`
- *"""append adds an item at the end of*
- *list"""*
- `l.append(9)`
- `l.append("hello")`
- `l.append(75.2)`
- `print(l)`
- *"""insert adds item at a given*
- *index-index(insert(index,object)"""*
- `l.insert(0,90)`
- `print(l)`

Adding Elements

- `l1=[78,23]`
- *"""extend list by appending elements from object"""*
- `l.extend(l1)`
- `print(l)`
- `l.extend("abc")`
- `print(l)`
- `l.extend([32, "abc", 35.5])`
- `print(l)`
- *"""append can be used to create nested list"""*
- `l1=[34,56]`
- `l1.append([23,34])`
- `print(l1)`

More Operations..

- `l=[92,56,12,78,1]`
- `print(l.count(92))`
- *`#sort()` the list in increasing order of elements"""*
- `l.sort()`#doesn't return object -inplace sorting
- `print(l)`
- *`#sort(reverse=True)` sort the list in non increasing order"""*
- `l.sort(reverse=True)`
- `print(l)`
- `l.reverse()`
- `print(l)`

Remove/del

```
l=[23,"bill",67, 89, 90,"abc", "xyz"]  
"""remove searches for an element in list and  
deletes it"""  
l.remove("abc")  
print(l)  
del(l[2])  
print(l)  
del(l[2:])  
print(l)  
l.extend([34,4,67,90])  
print(l)  
#del l[2:4]  
del(l[:-1])  
print(l)  
del l[:]  
print(l)  
"""delete list"""  
del l  
print(l)#NameError: name 'l' not defined
```

Index/pop

- `l = ["abc", 30, 50]`
- `x = l.index(30)`
- `print(x)`
- *"""pop function by default removes last element*
- *--pop(index)"""*
- `numbers.pop()`
- `print(numbers)`
- `x = numbers.pop(0)`
- `print(numbers)`
- `x = len(numbers)`
- `print(x)`
- `x = max(numbers)`
- `print(x)`
- `x = min(numbers)`
- `print(x)`

Sorted

- `l=[5,4,3,2,1]`
- `p=sorted(l)`
- `print(p)`

Array

- `l=array('i')`
- `l.append(90)`
- `l.append(40)`
- `print(l)`
- *`#l.append(53.25)`*
- `print(l)`
- `l[0]=100`
- `print(l)`

More...

- `s=array('u', "hello")`
- `print(s)`
- `for ch in s:`
 - `print(ch)`
- `s.reverse()`
- `print(s)`
- `s.pop()`
- `print(s)`
- `s.index("l")`
- `x=sorted(s)`
- `print(x)`
- `p=array('i')`
- `for x in range(1,6):`
 - `p.append(x)`
- `print(p)`

typecodes

Type code	C Type	Python Type	Minimum size in bytes
'b'	signed char	int	1
'B'	unsigned char	int	1
'u'	Py_UNICODE	Unicode character	2
'h'	signed short	int	2
'H'	unsigned short	int	2
'i'	signed int	int	2
'I'	unsigned int	int	2
'l'	signed long	int	4
'L'	unsigned long	int	4
'q'	signed long long	int	8
'Q'	unsigned long long	int	8
'f'	float	float	4
'd'	double	float	8

Tuples

- Same as lists but
 - Immutable
 - Enclosed in parentheses
 - A tuple with a single element ***must*** have a comma inside the parentheses:
 - **`a = (11,)`**

Examples

- **>>> mytuple = (11, 22, 33)**
- **>>> mytuple[0]**
11
- **>>> mytuple[-1]**
33
- **>>> mytuple[0:1]**
(11,)
- **The comma is required!**

Why?

- No confusion possible between **[11]** and **11**
- **(11)** is a perfectly acceptable expression
 - **(11) without the comma** is the integer 11
 - **(11,) with the comma** is a tuple containing the integer 11

Tuples are immutable

- **>>> mytuple = (11, 22, 33)**
- **>>> saved = mytuple**
- **>>> mytuple += (44,)**
- **>>> mytuple**
(11, 22, 33, 44)
- **>>> saved**
(11, 22, 33)

Things that do not work

- **mytuple += 55**

Traceback (most recent call last):Z

...

TypeError:

can only concatenate tuple (not "int") to tuple

- Can understand that!

Sorting tuples

- `>>> atuple = (33, 22, 11)`

- `>>> atuple.sort()`

Traceback (most recent call last):

...

AttributeError:

'tuple' object has no attribute 'sort'

- `>>> atuple = sorted(atuple)`

- `>>> atuple`
`[11, 22, 33]`

Tuples are immutable!

sorted() returns a list!

Most other things work!

- **>>> atuple = (11, 22, 33)**
- **>>> len(atuple)**
3
- **>>> 44 in atuple**
False
- **>>> [i for [i for i in atuple]**
[11, 22, 33]

Converting sequences into tuples

- **>>> alist = [11, 22, 33]**
- **>>> atuple = tuple(alist)**
- **>>> atuple**
(11, 22, 33)
- **>>> newtuple = tuple('Hello World!')**
- **>>> newtuple**
('H', 'e', 'l', 'l', 'o', ' ', 'W', 'o', 'r', 'l', 'd', '!')

Python Expression	Results	Description
<code>len((1, 2, 3))</code>	3	Length
<code>(1, 2, 3) + (4, 5, 6)</code>	<code>(1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6)</code>	Concatenation
<code>('Hi!',) * 4</code>	<code>('Hi!', 'Hi!', 'Hi!', 'Hi!')</code>	Repetition
<code>3 in (1, 2, 3)</code>	True	Membership
<code>for x in (1,2,3) : print (x, end = ' ')</code>	1 2 3	Iteration

```
T=('C++', 'Java', 'Python')
```

Python Expression	Results	Description
T[2]	'Python'	Offsets start at zero
T[-2]	'Java'	Negative: count from the right
T[1:]	('Java', 'Python')	Slicing fetches sections

S.No.	Function & Description
1	<u>cmp(tuple1, tuple2)</u> Compares elements of both tuples.(Not in Python 3)
2	<u>len(tuple)</u> Gives the total length of the tuple.
3	<u>max(tuple)</u> Returns item from the tuple with max value.
4	<u>min(tuple)</u> Returns item from the tuple with min value.
5	<u>tuple(seq)</u> Converts a list into tuple.

Tuples...

#creating Empty tuple

```
t=tuple()
print(type(t))
t=()
print(type(t))
```

#initializing tuple

```
t=(1,) #initialization with single element
t=(1, 'ab', 56.67, 67)
print(t)
```

#adding two Tuples

```
s=(1,2,3)+( 'ab', 4)
print(s)
```

#repetition

```
print(s*3)
```

#tuples are immutable--add or modifying not allowed

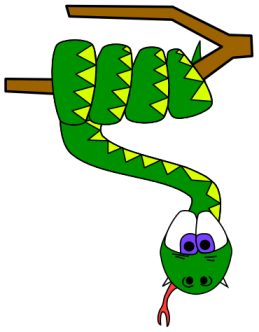
Tuples

#iterating tuples

```
t=(1, 'ab', 3, 45.67, 'bg')
for i in t:
    print(i)
for i in range(len(t)): #tuples support integer indexing
    print(t[i])
```

#functions

```
print(len(t))
t=(23, 56, 21, 67, 43)
print(max(t))
print(min(t))
l=[1, 2, 3]
t=tuple(l) #conversion
print(t)
t=(23, 56, 21, 67, 43)
l=sorted(t)
print(l)
#t.sort()--tuples dont have sort functions
l=reversed(t)
print(tuple(l))
```



Sets

Method	Description
<u>add()</u>	Add an element to a set
<u>clear()</u>	Remove all elements form a set
<u>difference()</u>	Return the difference of two or more sets as a new set
<u>difference_update()</u>	Remove all elements of another set from this set
<u>discard()</u>	Remove an element from set if it is a member. (Do nothing if the element is not in set)
<u>intersection()</u>	Return the intersection of two sets as a new set
<u>intersection_update()</u>	Update the set with the intersection of itself and another
<u>isdisjoint()</u>	Return True if two sets have a null intersection
<u>issubset()</u>	Return True if another set contains this set
<u>issuperset()</u>	Return True if this set contains another set

More..

<u>pop()</u>	Remove and return an arbitrary set element. Raise <code>KeyError</code> if the set is empty
<u>remove()</u>	Remove an element from a set. If the element is not a member, raise a <code>KeyError</code>
<u>symmetric_difference()</u>	Return the symmetric difference of two sets as a new set
<u>symmetric_difference_update()</u>	Update a set with the symmetric difference of itself and another
<u>union()</u>	Return the union of sets in a new set
<u>update()</u>	Update a set with the union of itself and others

Built in functions..

Function	Description
<u>all()</u>	Return True if all elements of the set are true (or if the set is empty).
<u>any()</u>	Return True if any element of the set is true. If the set is empty, return False.
<u>len()</u>	Return the length (the number of items) in the set.
<u>max()</u>	Return the largest item in the set.
<u>min()</u>	Return the smallest item in the set.
<u>sorted()</u>	Return a new sorted list from elements in the set(does not sort the set itself).
<u>sum()</u>	Retrun the sum of all elements in the set.

Set...

#creating an empty set

```
s=set()
```

```
print(type(s))
```

s={}#doesn't creates a set --creates empty dictionary**

```
print(type(s))
```

#initialization

```
s={1,11,2,34,23}
```

```
s.add(63)
```

```
print(s)
```

#set is not reversible

#s.sort() cant use sort with set

```
print(sorted(s))#returns a sorted list
```

```
s.remove(2)
```

```
print(s)
```

#print(s[1:4])--set is not subscriptable

Set...

```
s={11,22,13,45,34,67,89,'gh'}  
p={98,23,13,66,45,89,'jhon',56.78,56,32,'ab','gh'}  
t={'gh','hj',66,67}  
print(s.union(p,t))  
print(s.intersection(p,t))  
print(p.difference(s,t))#returns difference between 2 or more sets  
#print(s,p)  
s.difference_update(p,t)#updates s with s difference p,t  
print(s)
```

Set...

```
s={11,22,13,45,34,67,89,'gh'}
p={98,23,13,66,45,89,'jhon',56.78,56,32,'ab','gh'}
t={'gh','hj'}
s.update(p,t)#update set s with union of s & p & t
print(s)
s={11,22,13,45,34,67,89}
s.discard(34)#removes element- if not found do nothing
print(s)
#s.remove(34)#removes element if not found raise error
s.discard(34)
s.intersection_update(p)#works with two sets only
#update set element with intersection-returns None
print(s)
```

Set...

```
s={11,22,13,45,34,67,89}
```

```
p={98,23,13,66,45,89, 'jhon',56.78,56,32, 'ab', 'gh'}
```

```
t={ 'gh', 'hj'}
```

```
print(s.symmetric_difference(p))#works with two sets
```

#returns symmetric difference of two sets

```
print(s)
```

```
s.symmetric_difference_update(p)#works with two sets
```

#updates set s with symmetric difference of s & p

```
print(s)
```

Set...

```
s={1,2,3}
p={1,2,3,4,5,6}
t={7,8}
print(s.issubset(p))
print(p.issuperset(s))
print(s.isdisjoint(t))
print(sum(s))
```

Misc...

```
S={1,2,3}
if all(s):
    print("All elements are true")
else:
    print("All elements are not true")
s={0,0,23}
if any(s):
    print("At least one is true")
else:
    print("All are false")
l=[1,2,3]
if all(l):
    print("All elements are true")
d={None:0, 'ab':None}
if all(d):
    print("All elements are true")
else:
    print("Not true")
#all and any works with all types
```

Misc...

```
from copy import copy, deepcopy
l=[1,2,3,['ab','bc']]
t=l
print(t,l,id(t),id(l))
p=copy(l)#shallow copy--copies references in new objects
#therefore ids of elements are same
print(id(p[3]),id(l[3]))#ids same
print(p,l,id(p),id(l))
s=deepcopy(l)#copies elements in new object therefore ids
different
print(id(s[3]),id(l[3]))#ids different
print(s,l,id(s),id(l))
```