

Basic python practice

1. Identify methods from the integer class that can recapitulate all the listed mathematical operators above. E.g., $x + 2$ can be recapitulated as `x.__add__(2)`. Do the same for '-', '*', '/', '%', '**', and '//'
2. Predict the results of the following expressions. Verify you are correct using the Python interpreter.
 - a. $2 + 3 * 5$
 - b. $(2 + 3) * 5$
 - c. $15 // 4$
 - d. $15 / 4$
 - e. $15 \% 3$
 - f. $8 ** 2$
 - g. $4 ** .5$
 - h. $(6 + 25) \% 5$
 - i. $(5 // 2) ** 3$
 - j. $(2.3 \% 2) * 2$
3. Type `var = 2` in your interpreter. Predict the values of `var` of the following expressions. Verify using the interpreter.
 - a. `var += 3`
 - b. `var -= 2`
 - c. `var *= 4`
 - d. `var /= 3`
 - e. `var **= 2`
 - f. `var %=13`
 - g. `var //= 2`
4. In lectures we discussed how operators rely on magic methods to run. However, there is not a 1:1 correspondence between how an operator works and directly calling a magic method. To see this, let's try a few examples. Example 1: Set `x = 2`
 - a. Try to create a one line expression using magic methods that is the same as `x * 4 + 3`
 - b. Try to create a one line expression using magic methods that is the same as `x + 4 * 3`. Why is there an issue here?
5. Example 2: Set `x = 2` and `y = 3.0`
 - a. Add `x + y`
 - b. Now try to use the magic method to run this. What is the issue? The `+` operator actually can call multiple magic methods. If there is a `NotImplemented` exception thrown by the magic method, it next tries a second magic method of the 2nd variable (`y`) in this case. Try to figure out which magic method is called next (hint it is close to the 1st magic method)
6. Identify the magic method/attribute used by the `type()` and `dir()` functions
7. `z = (3 + 4j)`. What attributes hold the real data and imaginary data for `z`?
8. Set `w = True`, `x = 2`, `y = 3.0`, `z = (3 + 4j)`.
 - a. What type are the four variables?

- b. What type is created when you do:
 - i. $w + w$, $x + x$, $y + y$, or $z + z$?
 - ii. $w + x$, $w + y$, $w + z$?
 - iii. $x + y$, $x + z$?
 - iv. $y + z$?
- 9. Set $x = 3.0$. What objects are created by the `__int__` and `__str__` magic methods?
- 10. `isinstance` is a built in function that takes in two arguments, an object and a class name and returns `True` if the object belongs to the class and `False` if it doesn't. Create an integer and float object and verify that you can use `isinstance` to test whether the object classes are integers or floats.