Python Most important Built-in-Modules list

Module Name	Purpose	Key Methods
math	Mathematical functions and constants	math.sqrt(x), math.sin(x), math.cos(x), math.pi, math.e
random	Generate random numbers and make random choices	<pre>random.random(), random.randint(a, b), random.choice(seq), random.shuffle(seq)</pre>
os	Interaction with the operating system	<pre>os.getcwd(), os.listdir(path), os.path.join(path, *paths), os.path.exists(path)</pre>
sys	Access to system-specific parameters and functions	sys.argv, sys.platform, sys.exit(status)
datetime	Work with dates, times, and timedeltas	<pre>datetime.datetime.now(), datetime.date(year, month, day), datetime.timedelta(days, seconds, microseconds, milliseconds, minutes, hours, weeks)</pre>
collections	Specialized container datatypes	<pre>collections.deque(iterable), collections.Counter(iterable), collections.defaultdict(default_factory)</pre>
json	Encode and decode JSON	<pre>json.dumps(obj), json.loads(json_str), json.dump(obj, file_obj), json.load(file_obj)</pre>
re	Regular expression operations	<pre>re.search(pattern, string), re.match(pattern, string), re.findall(pattern, string), re.sub(pattern, repl, string)</pre>
urllib	Work with URLs and make HTTP requests	<pre>urllib.request.urlopen(url), urllib.request.urlretrieve(url, filename), urllib.parse.urlencode(params)</pre>
argparse	Parse command-line arguments and options	<pre>argparse.ArgumentParser(), .add_argument(), .parse_arg s()</pre>
csv	Read and write CSV files	<pre>csv.reader(file_obj), csv.writer(file_obj), csv.DictReader(file_obj), csv.DictWriter(file_obj, fieldnames)</pre>
pickle	Object serialization and deserialization	<pre>pickle.dump(obj, file_obj), pickle.load(file_obj)</pre>
gzip	Work with gzip- compressed files	<pre>gzip.open(filename, mode), gzip.compress(data)</pre>
sqlite3	Interaction with SQLite databases	<pre>sqlite3.connect(database), connection.execute(sql), connection.commit(), connection.close()</pre>
time	Time-related functions	<pre>time.time(), time.sleep(seconds), time.localtime(), time.strftime(format)</pre>
itertools	Tools for efficient iteration	<pre>itertools.product(iterables, repeat), itertools.permutations(iterable, r), itertools.combinations(iterable, r)</pre>
functools	Higher-order functions and callable objects	<pre>functools.partial(func, *args, **keywords), functools.reduce(func, iterable[, initializer])</pre>
os.path	Functions for path manipulation	os.path.join(path, *paths), os.path.dirname(path), os.path.basename(path), os.path.exists(path)