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Tuples

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Outline

- Lists
 - Tuples
 - Sets
 - Dictionaries
- are all collections

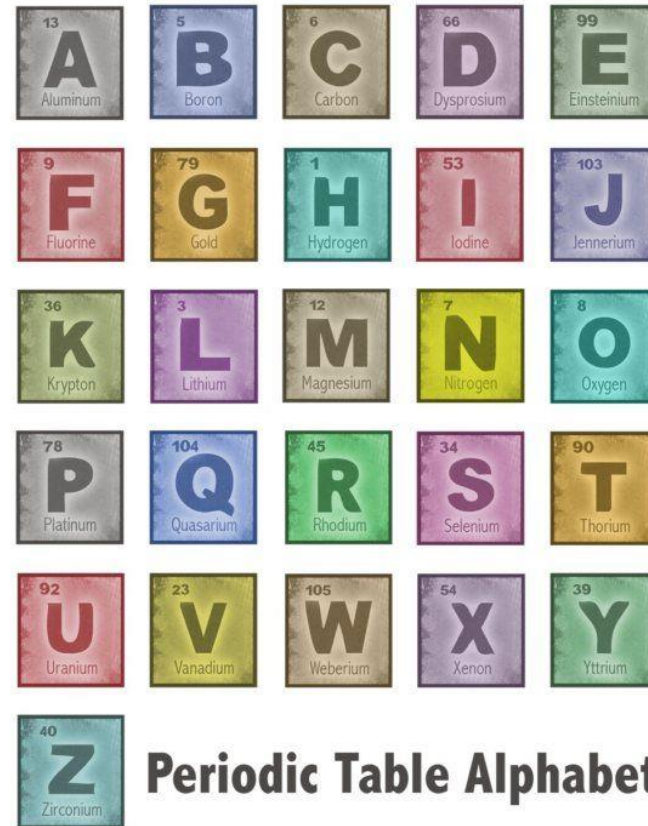
We used “Lists” so far.

We will cover “Tuples” today.

Lists vs Tuples

	Lists	Tuples	
Ordered	✓	✓	
Indexed	✓	✓	
Append or insert or Update items	✓	✗	Note: However, you can add two tuples together. You can recreate tuples
Can contain duplicates	✓	✓	
Uses	Square Brackets	Round Brackets	
	[]	()	

When to use “tuples”?



When you have a collection that doesn't change, go with the “tuples”.

“tuples” are faster compared to “lists”

Tuple

Tuple is a collection which is **ordered** and **unchangeable**. Allows **duplicate** members.

Once created, you can not add or delete items

Tuples: An introduction

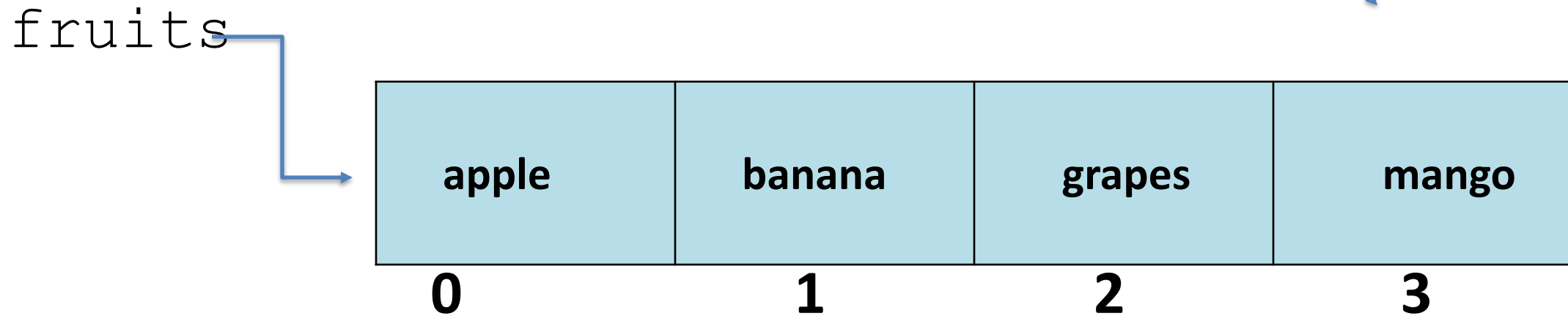
https://www.w3schools.com/python/python_tuples.asp

An example of a tuple

We use **ROUND** Brackets to indicate a Tuple.

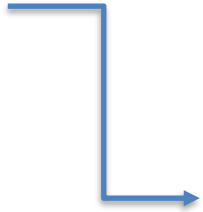
```
fruits = ("apple", "banana", "grapes", "mango")
```

You can visualize the TUPLE as follows:



tuple of integers

marks



10	8	7	0	9	11	10	10	4	5
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

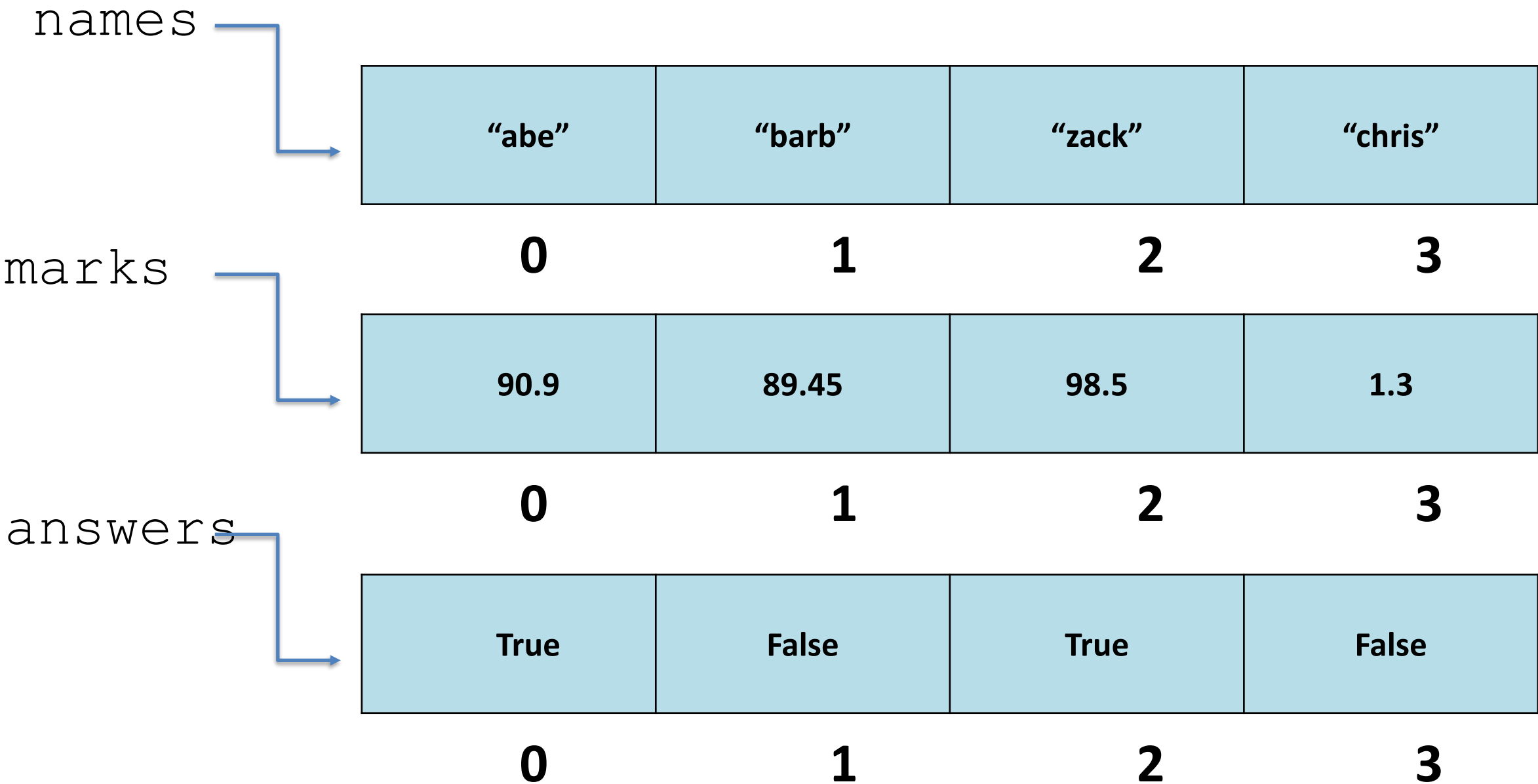
How many students are there in the class?

What is the total marks earned by all the students together?

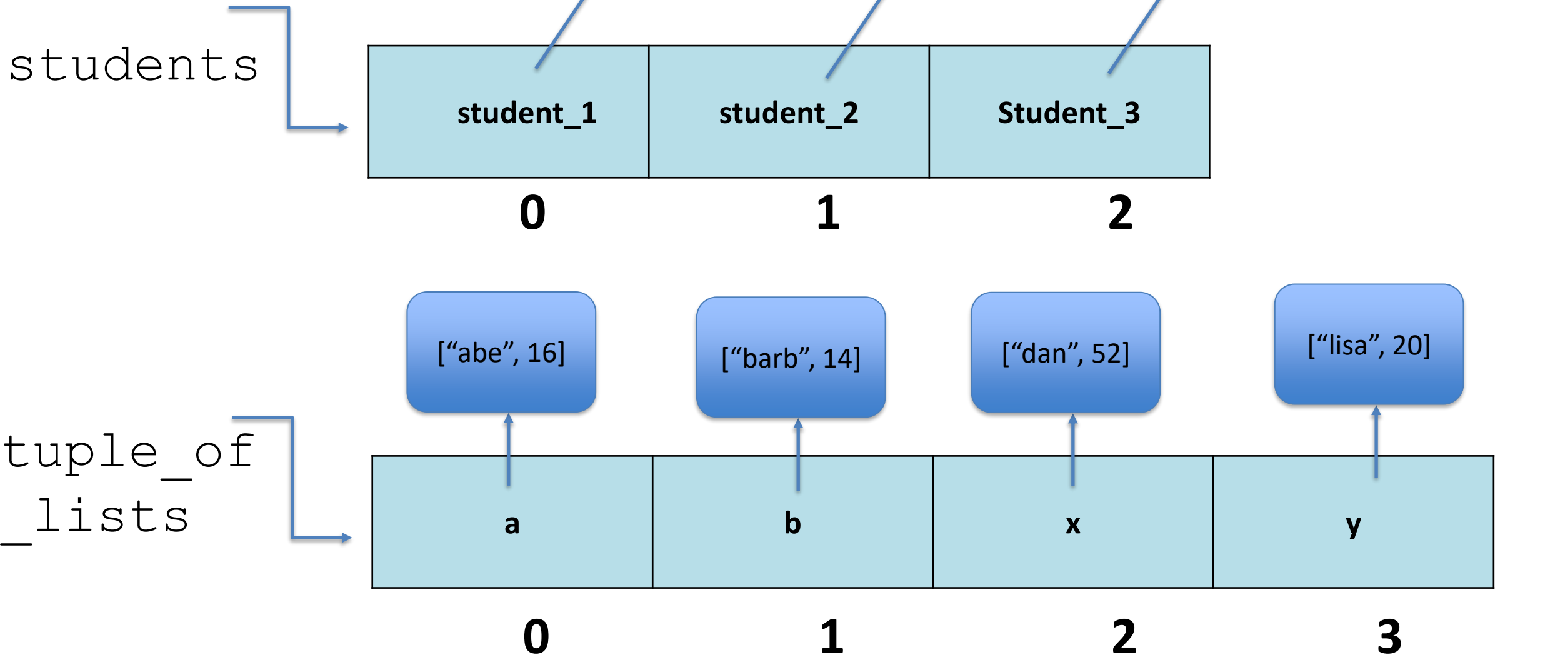
What is the highest score?

What is the lowest score?

tuples of (integers, strings, floats, booleans)



Tuples (objects, lists)



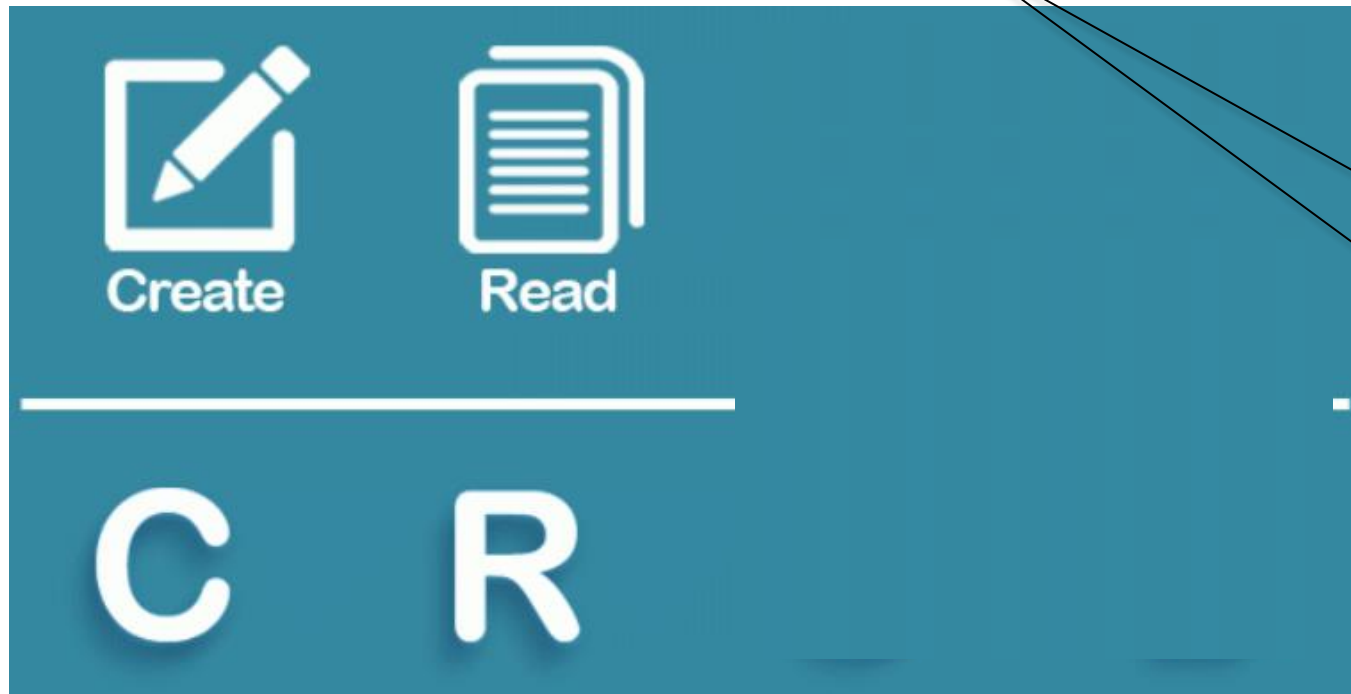
CRUD of Tuples

C – Create (with an initial list)

R – Read (Query, Traversal, Find, Search)

~~U – Update (Modify, Change, Edit)~~

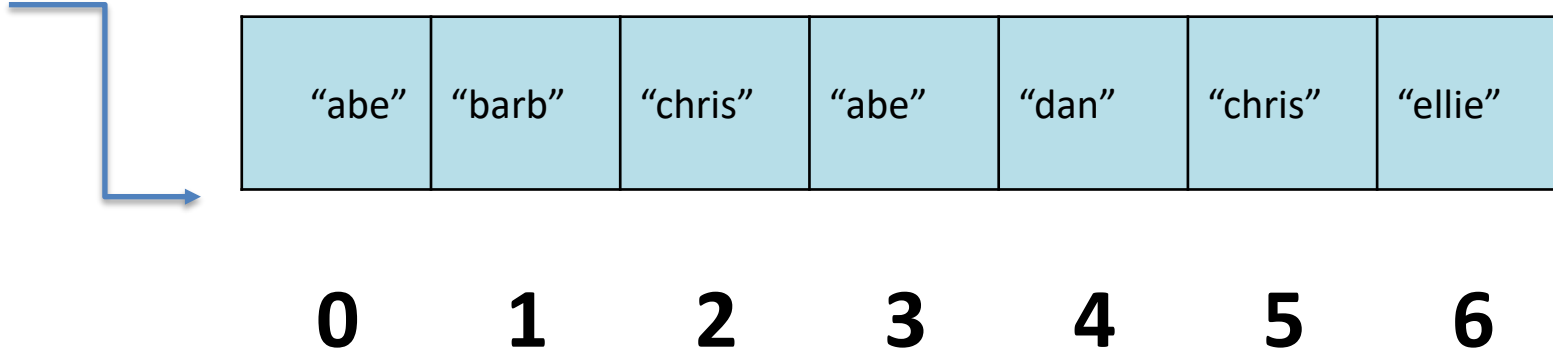
~~D – Delete (Remove, Empty)~~



You can delete the entire tuple, but you can not delete items in the tuple

Creating a tuple

students



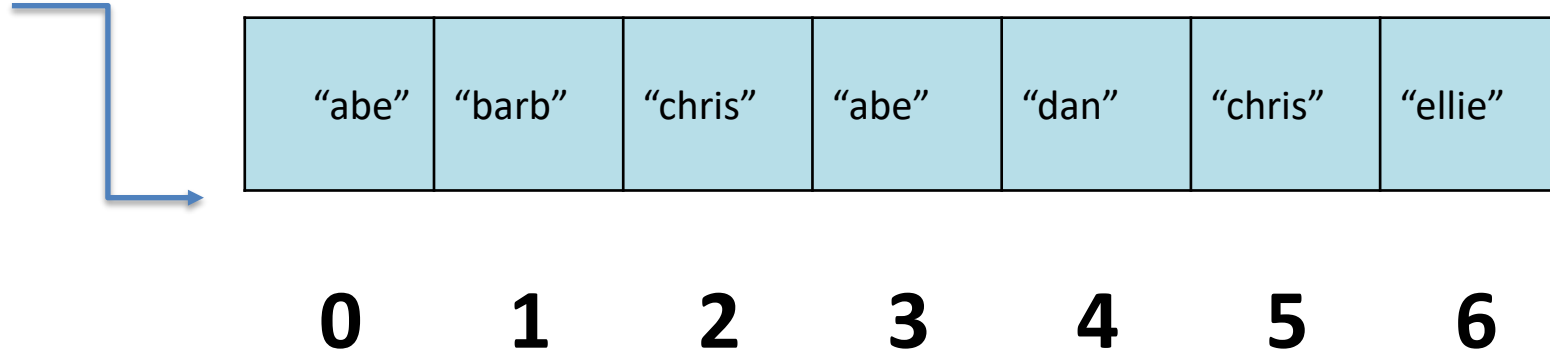
"abe"	"barb"	"chris"	"abe"	"dan"	"chris"	"ellie"
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

tuple of students

```
students = ("abe", "barb", "chris", "abe", "dan", "chris", "ellie")
```

Reading a tuple

students



We use **subscript** notation to access an element.

The first element sits at the index 0

The second element sits at the index 1

```
student_1 = students[0]
```

```
student_5 = students[6]
```

You can not edit a tuple.

Python 3.6
([known limitations](#))

```
1 list = [10,20,30]
2 list.append(40)
3
4 tuple = (10, 20, 30)
→ 5 tuple.append(40)
```

[Edit this code](#)

→ line that just executed

→ next line to execute

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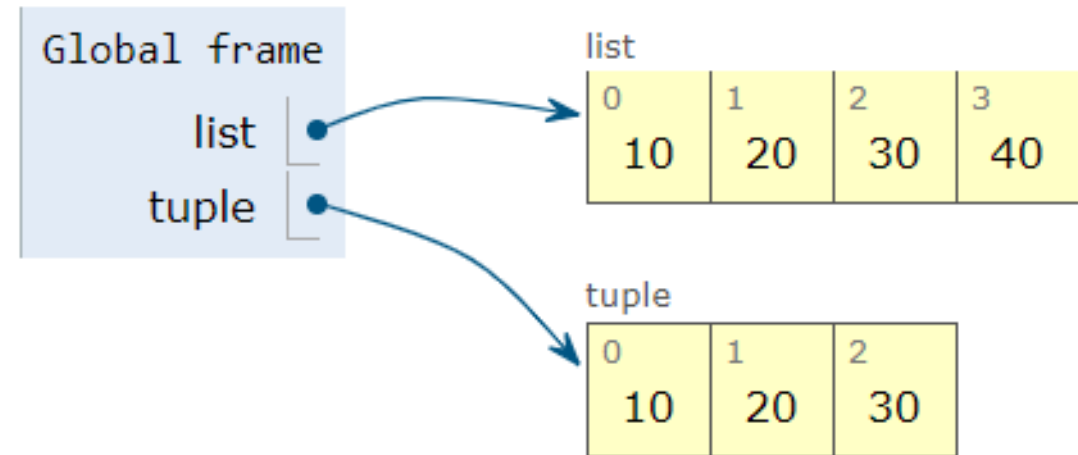
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Done running (4 steps)

AttributeError: 'tuple' object has no attribute 'append'
(see [UNSUPPORTED FEATURES](#))

Frames

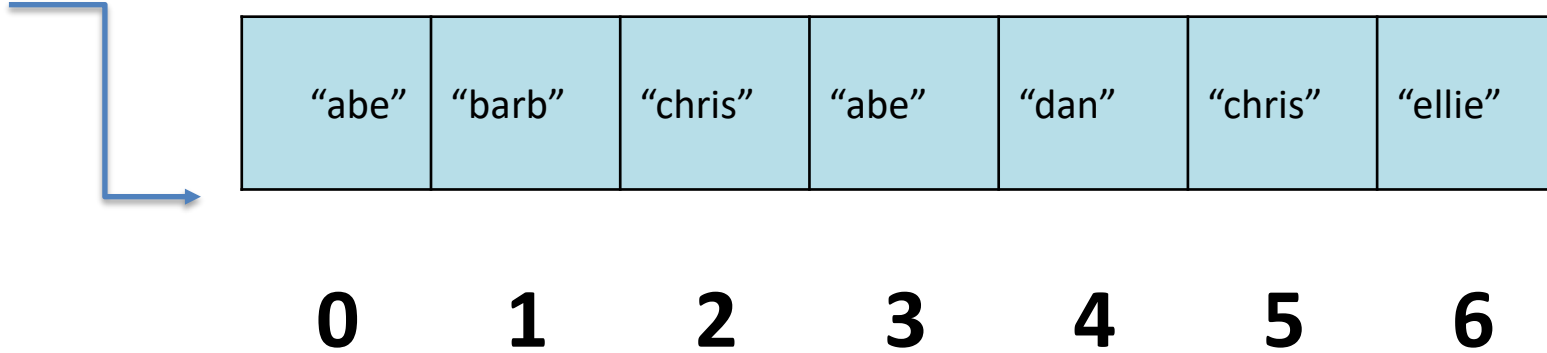
Objects



Tuples are unchangeable
(also called “**immutable**”)

How to update/change a value? We can't!

students



"abe"	"barb"	"chris"	"abe"	"dan"	"chris"	"ellie"
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

For example, how do we change the name of 4th student from "abe" to "abraham"?

~~students[3] = "abraham"~~

Python 3.6
([known limitations](#))

```
1 tuple = ("one","three" )  
→ 2 tuple[1] = "two"
```

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→ line that just executed

→ next line to execute

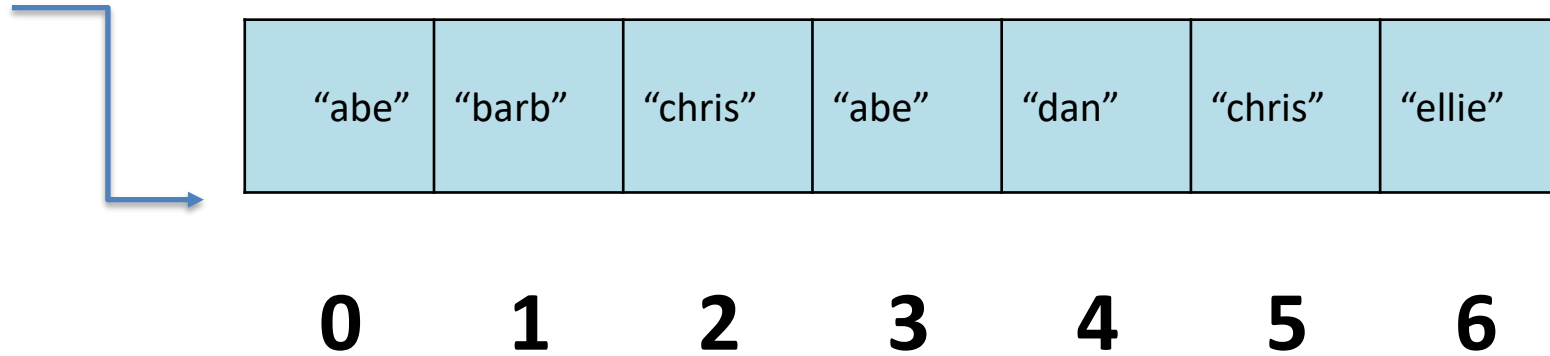
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Done running (2 steps)

TypeError: 'tuple' object does not support item assignment

You can reassign or delete the entire tuple

students



```
1 students = ("abe", "barb", "chris")
2
3 students = ("abe", "barb", "chris", "dan")
4
5 del students
6 |
```

Tuple having only one value

```
#@title Tuples having only one item
```

```
a = 7
```

```
a = (7)
```

```
a = 3 + 4
```

```
a = (3 + 4)
```

```
print(type(a), a)
```

```
b = [5, 10]
```

```
print(type(b), b)
```

```
c = [9]
```

```
print(type(c), c)
```

```
d = (8, 4)
```

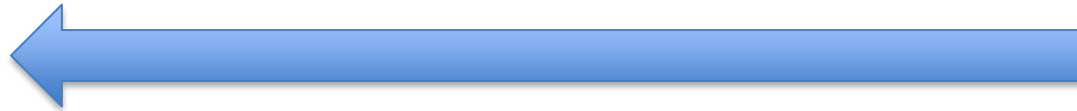
```
print(type(d), d)
```

```
e = (3)
```

```
print(type(e), e)
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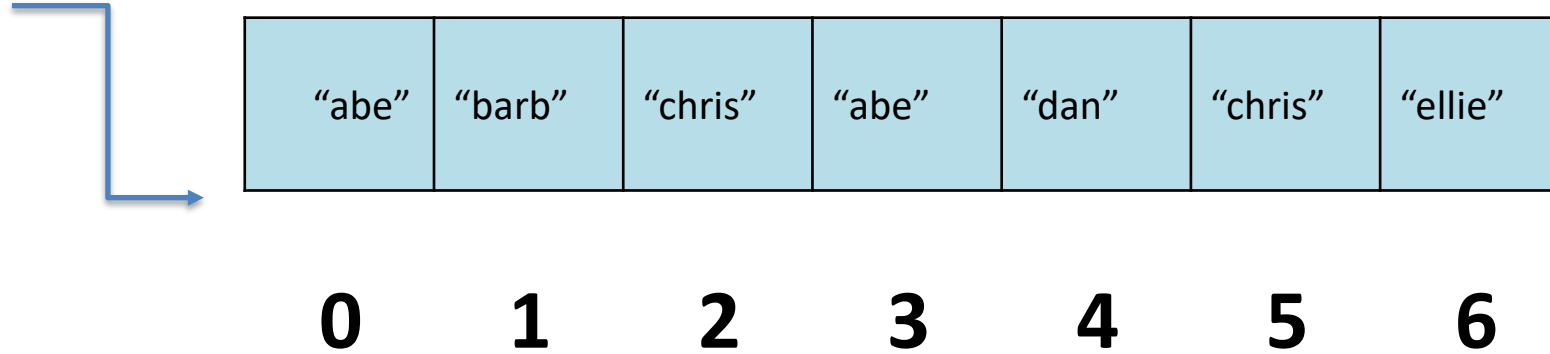
```
f = (88, )
```

```
print(type(f), f)
```



Iterating the tuple

students



Iteration = Loop

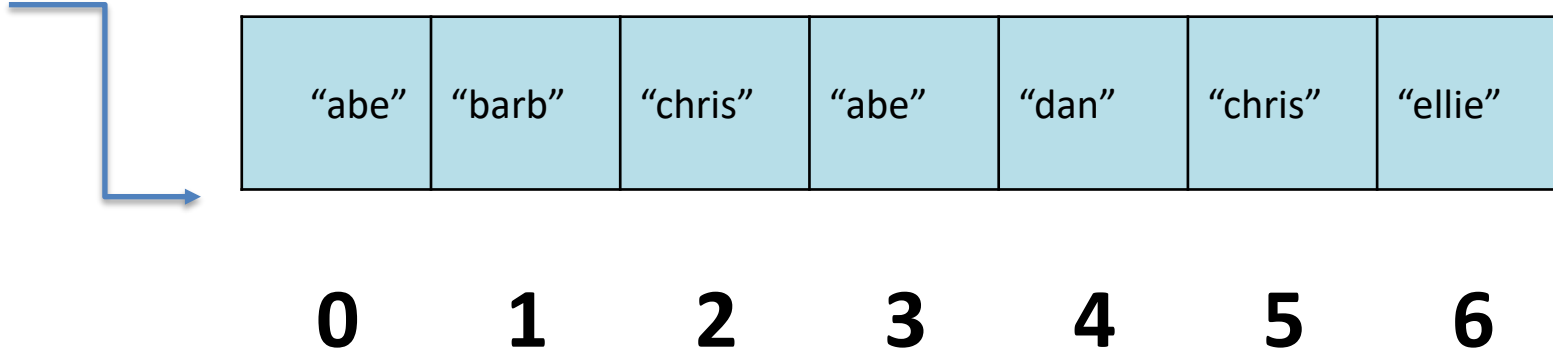
Iterating the list = Traversing the list = Visiting each and every element of the list.

For example, how can we print the first three characters of each element in the students list?

```
for x in students:
```

Iterating the tuple (Contd.)

students



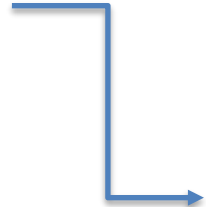
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```
for x in students:  
    print(x[0:2])
```

Checking for the memberships? **in**

students



"abe"	"barb"	"chris"	"abe"	"dan"	"chris"	"ellie"
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Is "barb" in the tuple?

"barb" **in** students

```
>>> if ("barb" in students):  
        print("Yes! Barb is registered")
```

```
Yes! Barb is registered
```

Python's Built-in Functions

		Built-in Functions		
abs()	delattr()	hash()	memoryview()	set()
all()	dict()	help()	min()	setattr()
any()	dir()	hex()	next()	slice()
ascii()	divmod()	id()	object()	sorted()
bin()	enumerate()	input()	oct()	staticmethod()
bool()	eval()	int()	open()	str()
breakpoint()	exec()	isinstance()	ord()	sum()
bytearray()	filter()	issubclass()	pow()	super()
bytes()	float()	iter()	print()	tuple()
callable()	format()	len()	property()	type()
chr()	frozenset()	list()	range()	vars()
classmethod()	getattr()	locals()	repr()	zip()
compile()	globals()	map()	reversed()	__import__()
complex()	hasattr()	max()	round()	

Some functions are valid for lists.

I highlighted some.

Can you find other functions that are valid on tuples?

<https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html>

tuple Methods (only two methods are valid)

Method	Purpose
append(x)	Add x to the end of the list
extend(list_x)	Add all items from list_x at the end of the list
insert(,x)	Inserts an item at a given position. The first argument is the index of the element before which to insert. For example, a.insert(0, x) inserts at the front of the list.
remove(x)	Removes the first item x (note: there can be multiple items x in the list)
pop()	Removes the last item and returns the item
pop([i])	Removes the first item
clear()	Removed all elements in the list. Empties the list.
index(x)	Returns the index of the first item x.
count(x)	Counts the number of times x is appearing in the list
sort()	Sorts the elements in ascending order. sort(reverse=True) sorts the elements in descending order
reverse()	Reverses a list
copy()	Returns a copy of the list. You can also use “list” built-in function for the same purpose.

https://www.w3schools.com/python/python_ref_tuple.asp

Tuple summary

Do you have a list that is fixed?

Do you have a list that doesn't need to change?

Go for the “tuples”.

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