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OBJECT ORIENTED AND FUNCTIONAL PROGRAMMING WITH PYTHON

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FUNCTIONAL PROGRAMMING

STUDY GOALS

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- Functional aspects of Python
- Higher-order functions
- More functional aspects of Python
 - Function composition
 - Currying
 - Generators
 - Comprehensions
 - Monad
- Examples

PYTHON FUNCTIONAL PROGRAMMING (FP) BASICS

- FP has a long tradition
 - rooted in logic (lambda calculus)
- Pure functions
 - no side effects
 - deterministic
 - referential transparency
 - inputs, some processing, outputs
- Data are immutable
- Functions are composable

```
def add(a, b):
    return a+b

def add_and_print(a, b):
    #or write to files
    print("Adding!")
    return a+b
```

IMMUTABLE DATA IN PYTHON

- Mutable:
 - lists, sets, dictionaries, etc.
- Immutable:
 - Tuples, frozensets, strings, numbers

```
#Tuples are immutable
person = ("Paul", 29, "USA")

#Sets are mutable
nunber_set = set([1,2,3])

#Frozen sets are immutable
immutable_numbers = frozenset([1,2,3,4])

#lists are mutable
number_list = [1,2,3,4]
```

- Functions operating on functions
- Examples
 - map: applies a function to all the items in an input_list
 - reduce: performing some computation on a list and returning the result
 - filter: creates a list of elements for which a function returns true

```
from functools import reduce
numbers = [1,2,3,4,5]
squared_numbers = list(map(lambda x:x**2,numbers))
print("Squared numbers:",squared_numbers)
#Squared numbers: [1, 4, 9, 16, 25]
even_numbers = list(filter(lambda x:x % 2 ==0, numbers))
print("Even numbers: ", even_numbers)
#Even numbers: [2, 4]
product = reduce(lambda x,y:x*y,numbers)
print("Product: ", product)
#Product: 120
```

LAMBDAS & LIST COMPREHENSIONS

- Lambdas for quick function definition
 - used for anonymous functions
- List comprehensions to create new lists
 - works for sets, dictionary, etc., too

```
add = lambda \ a,b: a+b
square = lambda x: x**2
print(add(4,5)) #9
print(square(5)) #25
numbers = [1,2,3,4,5]
squares = [x**2 \text{ for } x \text{ in } numbers]
print("Squares: ", squares)
#Squares: [1, 4, 9, 16, 25]
even_numbers = [x \text{ for } x \text{ in numbers if } x\%2 ==0]
print("Even numbers: ", even_numbers)
#Even numbers: [2, 4]
```

EXTENDED PYTHON EXAMPLE

```
from functools import reduce
#Using recursive function
def factorial(n):
    if n == 0 or n == 1:
        return 1
    else:
        return n * factorial(n-1)
#Using reduce & Lambda
def calculate factorial(num):
    numbers = range(1, num+1)
    result = reduce(lambda x,y: x*y,numbers)
    return result
#Main program
number = 5
factorial_result = factorial(number)
print(f"The factorial using pure function: {factorial_result}")
factorial_result_fp = calculate_factorial(number)
print(f"The factorial using high-order functions: {factorial result fp}")
```

FUNCTION COMPOSITION

 Combining two or more functions in such a way that the output of one function becomes the input of the second function and so on

```
def add_one(x):
    return x+1
def square(x):
    return x**2
def compose(f, g):
    return lambda x: f(g(x))
#main program
add one then square = compose(square, add one)
number = 5
result = add_one_then_square(number)
print(f"Result square(add_one({number})): ",result)
```

CURRYING PARTIAL FUNCTIONS

- Currying: create new functions from a function that takes multiple arguments, each derived function will then take only a single argument
- partial() function that allows us to use a partial application of a function in a more simplified way

```
#Currying
def multiply_numbers(a, b):
    return a * b
def multiply_by_three(a):
    return multiply_numbers(a, 3)
print(multiply_by_three(5))
#15
```

```
#Partial function
from functools import partial
def multiply_numbers(a, b):
    return a * b
multiply_by_three =
partial(multiply_numbers, 3)
print(multiply_by_three(5))
#15
```

Yield is used in Python generators. If the body of a def contains yield,
 the function automatically becomes a generator function.

```
def fibonacci():
    a, b = 0, 1
    while True:
        yield a
        a, b = b, a+b
fib_sequence = fibonacci()
for i in range(10):
    print(next(fib_sequence))
# Output: 0 1 1 2 3 5 8 13 21 34
```

COMPREHENSIONS IN PYTHON

```
squares = [x^{**2} \text{ for } x \text{ in } range(1,11)]
print(squares)
#[1, 4, 9, 16, 25, 36, 49, 64, 81, 100]
squares_dict = \{x: x^{**2} \text{ for } x \text{ in } range(1,6)\}
print(squares_dict)
#{1: 1, 2: 4, 3: 9, 4: 16, 5: 25}
even_set = \{x \text{ for } x \text{ in } range(1,11) \text{ if } x \% 2 ==0\}
print(even set)
\#\{2, 4, 6, 8, 10\}
#Generator of squares of numbers from 1 to 10
squares_gen = (x^{**} 2 \text{ for } x \text{ in } range(1,11))
print(tuple(squares_gen))
#(1, 4, 9, 16, 25, 36, 49, 64, 81, 100)
```

MONADS IN PYTHON

- Monad is a functional programming design pattern that enables you to combine several calculations or functions into a single expression while also managing error circumstances and side effects. Every function in the chain should, in theory, return a new monad that may be used as input by the function after it.
- Maybe Monad: Represents a computation that may or may not return a value. This is useful for handling error conditions or optional values.

```
class Maybe:
                                       def reciprocal(x):
                                           if x!=0:
   def __init__(self,value):
        self.value = value
                                                return Maybe(1/x)
   def bind(self,func):
                                           else:
        if self.value is None:
                                                return Maybe(None)
            return Maybe(None)
                                       def compute result(x):
        else:
                                            result = Maybe(x)
                                           result = result.bind(square root)
            return func(self.value)
   def repr (self):
                                           result = result.bind(reciprocal)
                                           return result
        return str(self.value)
def square_root(x):
                                       #Main program
    if x \ge 0:
                                       value = 4
        return Maybe(x**0.5)
                                       result = compute_result(value)
    else:
                                       print(result) #Output: 0.5
        return Maybe(None)
```

TRANSFER TASK



- 1. Write a program to return a distinct values from a list E.g., given a list [1, 2, 2, 3, 3, 4, 5], return [1,2,3,4,5]
- 2. Write a program to compute factorial of a number, using **yield** keyword in a generator function

TRANSFER TASK PRESENTATION OF THE RESULTS

Please present your results.

The results will be discussed in plenary.

