

FUN WITH FRONTENDS IN PYTHON

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QT

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- PyQt5 vs PySide2

EXAMPLE

```
#!/usr/bin/python3 # <- Remember Python 2.7 retires in a few months

import sys # <- gets all of the system functions
from PySide2.QtWidgets import (QApplication, # <- the basic application
                                QLabel, # <- your standard labels
                                QWidget, # <- individual components of your app
                                QVBoxLayout) # <- container to tie everything together

app = QApplication(sys.argv) # <- Sets up the app and passes all command line arguments
window = QWidget()
layout = QVBoxLayout()
label = QLabel("<font size=40> Hello Techlahoma! </font>") # <- Has HTML style tagging
layout.addWidget(label)
window.setLayout(layout)
window.setWindowTitle("Hello Techlahoma!")
window.show()
app.exec_()
```

A SIMPLE WINDOW IN QT



GETTING STARTED

- `python -m pip install PySide2 --user`
- <https://doc.qt.io/qtforpython/tutorials/>
- DuckDuckGo or Ecosia

PYTHON ♥ QT

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