

COM5961 DATA DRIVEN PRODUCTS & SERVICES DESIGN:

LESSON 1 - BASIC PYTHON PROGRAMMING II

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Today's agenda.

- 1. Python data collection structure: list, tuple, dictionary, etc.**
- 2. Use of loop in handling data collection.**
- 3. What is a ‘function’? Why is it so important to programming?**
- 4. Use of module in building program libraries for reusability.**
- 5. Introducing the Pandas program library for data analysis and visualisation.**

LISTS AND DICTIONARIES

Basic Data Structures in Python

- List and Tuple
- Dictionary and Set

Tuple and List

- Tuples are arrays enclosed with round brackets for storing multiple variables
- Variables with data types can be stored into a Tuple
- A Tuple operates like a string and therefore can be indexed from the beginning (positive) and the end (negative)
- Tuples are immutable
- Inorder to manipulate a tuple, a new one has to be created
- Tuples can be nested e.g. Tuple2 = (1,2,(3,4),5)
- Due to its rigidity, List is more commonly used than Tuple.
- Lists are like Tables but are mutable and enclosed with square brackets
- List, similar to a Tuple, operates like a string when it comes to access individual element within the data structure

Looping Operations

```
In [50]: 1 for i in range(0,10):
2     print(i)
```

```
0
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
```

Using List to Store Data

```
In [52]: 1 name_list = ['John', "Mike", "Mary", "Jane"]
2 hrs_list = [30.0, 40.0, 50.0, 60.0]
3 rate_list = [65.0, 75.0, 65.0, 75.0]
4 index = 0
5 for n in name_list:
6     hrs = hrs_list[index]
7     rate = rate_list[index]
8     fee = hrs * rate
9     money_made = name_list[index] + " makes $" + str(fee) + "."
10    print(hrs, rate, fee, money_made)
11    index = index + 1
```

```
30.0 65.0 1950.0 John makes $1950.0.
40.0 75.0 3000.0 Mike makes $3000.0.
50.0 65.0 3250.0 Mary makes $3250.0.
60.0 75.0 4500.0 Jane makes $4500.0.
```

Using Dictionary to Store Data

Set and Dictionary

- Similar to lists and tuples, sets support different Python types
- Sets use {} (braces) to embed values/elements
- Sets do not allow duplicates
- Lists can be converted into sets with the set function
- Dictionary store data in an array of key-value pairs in braces
- For instance, here is a dictionary instance: dict = {"key1":1,"key2":2,"key3":3}
- 1st column representing the key and 2nd column representing the value
- .keys() returns all the keys
- .values() returns all the values

In [176]:

```
1 dict1 = {'Peter':80,"David":90,"Mary":100}
2 print(dict1)
3 print(dict1.keys())
4 print(dict1.values())
5 print(dict1[ "David"])
```

```
{'Peter': 80, 'David': 90, 'Mary': 100}
dict_keys(['Peter', 'David', 'Mary'])
dict_values([80, 90, 100])
90
```

In [29]:

```
1 dict1 = {'Peter':80,"David":90,"Mary":100}
2 for key in dict1:
3     print(key, dict1[key])
```

```
Peter 80
David 90
Mary 100
```

Combining List and Dictionary

Try it out

```
In [5]: 1 student1 = {'id':'1111','name':'David Chan','email':'david@cuhk.edu.hk'} # Python dictionary is similar to JavaScript object
2 student2 = {'id':'1112','name':'Peter Lee','email':'peter@cuhk.edu.hk'}
3 student3 = {'id':'1113','name':'Mary Fung','email':'mary@cuhk.edu.hk'}
4 print(student1,student2) # similar to JavaScript document.write
```

```
{'id': '1111', 'name': 'David Chan', 'email': 'david@cuhk.edu.hk'} {'id': '1112', 'name': 'Peter Lee', 'email': 'peter@cuhk.edu.hk'}
```

```
In [6]: 1 students = [] # Python list is similar to JavaScript array
2 students.append(student1) # Python list append is similar to JavaScript array push
3 students.append(student2)
4 students.append(student3)
5 print(students) # print out a list of dictionaries
```

```
[{'id': '1111', 'name': 'David Chan', 'email': 'david@cuhk.edu.hk'}, {'id': '1112', 'name': 'Peter Lee', 'email': 'peter@cuhk.edu.hk'}, {'id': '1113', 'name': 'Mary Fung', 'email': 'mary@cuhk.edu.hk'}]
```

```
In [205]: 1 for i in students: # Python for loop is similar to JavaScript for (i=0;i<students.length;i++) {document.write...}
2     print(i) # print out a list of dictionaries
```

```
{'id': '1111', 'name': 'David Chan', 'email': 'david@cuhk.edu.hk'}
{'id': '1112', 'name': 'Peter Lee', 'email': 'peter@cuhk.edu.hk'}
{'id': '1113', 'name': 'Mary Fung', 'email': 'mary@cuhk.edu.hk'}
```

```
In [206]: 1 key = 0
2 for i in students:
3     print(i) # first loop prints out individual dictionary
4     for key in i: # second loop within first loop prints out individual element within each dictionary
5         print(key, ':', i[key])
```

```
{'id': '1111', 'name': 'David Chan', 'email': 'david@cuhk.edu.hk'}
id : 1111
name : David Chan
email : david@cuhk.edu.hk
{'id': '1112', 'name': 'Peter Lee', 'email': 'peter@cuhk.edu.hk'}
id : 1112
name : Peter Lee
email : peter@cuhk.edu.hk
{'id': '1113', 'name': 'Mary Fung', 'email': 'mary@cuhk.edu.hk'}
id : 1113
name : Mary Fung
email : mary@cuhk.edu.hk
```

Python Function

Functional Decomposition and Abstraction

- A Python function takes input parameters and returns output results
- A function starts with the "def" keyword
- Calling the function will pass control from the calling command to the called function
- Make sure the number of parameters called match with the number of parameters and type
- Enclose programming statements in a function to transform inputs into outputs
- Built-in functions can come with Python (e.g. `y = len(list)`) and other imported external modules
- A function can take it multiple input parameters (e.g. `def Multi(a,b):`)
- Global and local variables can be initialized and used inside a Python program but only local variables exist inside a function

```
def name_of_function(parameter1, parameter2...):
```

[Python variable assignment statements,
mathematical and logical operations]

```
return result
```

Example

```
def calc_avg(x,y):  
    result = x + y  
    return result
```

```
print("Result = ", calc_avg(10,20))
```

Output

Result=30

Python Module

What is a module?

A module is an external Python file which contains the functions that can be imported into the current Python program to be used.

In [7]:

```
1 from convert_temp import *
2 # Move the following functions into convert_temp module file.
3
4 total_temp = 0
5 total_temp = get_daily_celcius()
6 display_avg(total_temp)
```

```
Enter Sun's temperature in celcius:23
Sun's temperature in Fahrenheit:73.4
Enter Mon's temperature in celcius:24
Mon's temperature in Fahrenheit:75.2
Enter Tue's temperature in celcius:28
Tue's temperature in Fahrenheit:82.4
Enter Wed's temperature in celcius:19
Wed's temperature in Fahrenheit:66.2
Enter Thu's temperature in celcius:17
Thu's temperature in Fahrenheit:62.6
Enter Fri's temperature in celcius:21
Fri's temperature in Fahrenheit:69.8
Enter Sat's temperature in celcius:25
Sat's temperature in Fahrenheit:77.0
```

```
Average temperature for the week:72.37
```

The Pandas Library

Creating Pandas Data Frames from Lists and Dictionaries

```
In [18]: 1 import pandas as pd
2 # Define a list of dictionaries
3 scores = [{ 'Student': 'David Chan', 'Jan': 90, 'Feb': 85, 'Mar': 88},
4            { 'Student': 'Peter Lee', 'Jan': 72, 'Feb': 75, 'Mar': 68},
5            { 'Student': 'John Lui', 'Jan': 60, 'Feb': 80, 'Mar': 100 }]
6
7 df = pd.DataFrame(scores) # Assign the list of dictionaries to a dataframe
8 df # display dataframe
```

Out[18]:

	Feb	Jan	Mar	Student
0	85	90	88	David Chan
1	75	72	68	Peter Lee
2	80	60	100	John Lui

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4 student2 = {'id': '1112', 'name': 'Peter Lee', 'email': 'peter@cuhk.edu.hk'}
5 student3 = {'id': '1113', 'name': 'Mary Fung', 'email': 'mary@cuhk.edu.hk'}
6 students.append(student1) # Python list append is similar to JavaScript array push
7 students.append(student2)
8 students.append(student3)
9
10 print(students) # print out a list of dictionaries
11 df = pd.DataFrame(students) # Assign the list of dictionaries to a dataframe
12 df # display dataframe
```

```
[{'id': '1111', 'name': 'David Chan', 'email': 'david@cuhk.edu.hk'}, {'id': '1112', 'name': 'Peter Lee', 'email': 'peter@cuhk.edu.hk'}, {'id': '1113', 'name': 'Mary Fung', 'email': 'mary@cuhk.edu.hk'}]
```

Out[17]:

	email	id	name
0	david@cuhk.edu.hk	1111	David Chan
1	peter@cuhk.edu.hk	1112	Peter Lee
2	mary@cuhk.edu.hk	1113	Mary Fung

Saving To and Retrieving From CSV Files

In [24]:

```
1 import pandas as pd
2 # Define a list of dictionaries
3 scores = [{ 'assignment scores': 'David Chan', 'Jan': 90, 'Feb': 85, 'Mar': 88},
4            { 'assignment scores': 'Peter Lee', 'Jan': 72, 'Feb': 75, 'Mar': 68},
5            { 'assignment scores': 'John Wong', 'Jan': 60, 'Feb': 80, 'Mar': 100 }]
6 df = pd.DataFrame(scores) # Assign the list of dictionaries to a dataframe
7 df # display dataframe
8 df.to_csv('students.csv', mode='w', index=False)
9 df
```

Out[24]:

	Feb	Jan	Mar	assignment scores
0	85	90	88	David Chan
1	75	72	68	Peter Lee
2	80	60	100	John Wong

Reading Data From a CSV File Into a Pandas Data Frame

In [25]:

```
1 import pandas as pd
2 df = pd.read_csv("students.csv") # import csv file by using the read_csv function in Pandas
3 df # list the dataframe
```

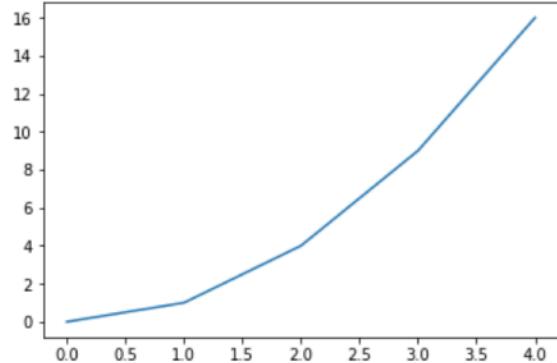
Out[25]:

	Feb	Jan	Mar	assignment scores
0	85	90	88	David Chan
1	75	72	68	Peter Lee
2	80	60	100	John Wong

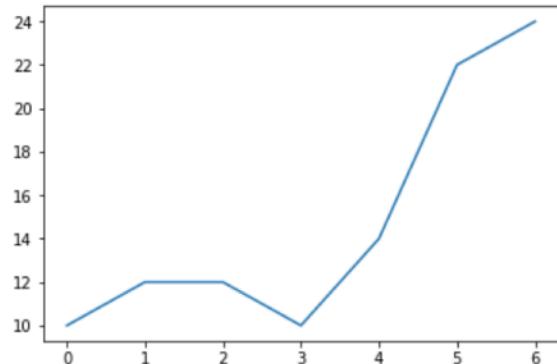
In [2]:

```
1 from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
2 x_values = [0, 1, 2, 3, 4]
3 y_values = [0, 1, 4, 9, 16]
4 plt.plot(x_values, y_values)
5 plt.show()
```

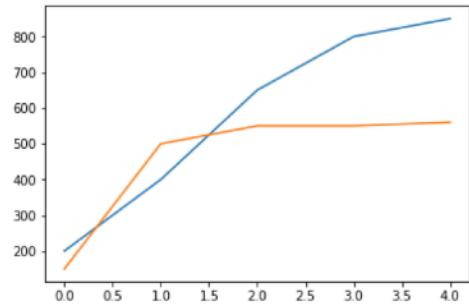
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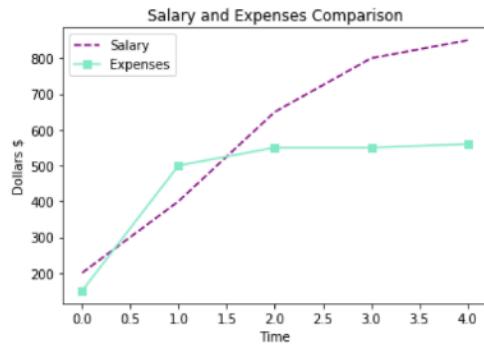
```
In [3]: 1 from matplotlib import pyplot as plt  
2 days = range(7)  
3 money_spent = [10,12,12,10,14,22,24]  
4 plt.plot(days,money_spent)  
5 plt.show()
```



```
In [6]: 1 from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
2 time = [0, 1, 2, 3, 4]
3 # time = range(5)
4 salary = [200, 400, 650, 800, 850]
5 expenses = [150, 500, 550, 550, 560]
6 plt.plot(time, salary)
7 plt.plot(time, expenses)
8 plt.show()
```



```
In [5]: 1 from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
2 time = [0, 1, 2, 3, 4]
3 salary = [200, 400, 650, 800, 850]
4 expenses = [150, 500, 550, 550, 560]
5 plt.plot(time, salary, color='purple', linestyle='--')
6 plt.plot(time, expenses, color="#82edc9", marker='s')
7 plt.legend(['Salary', 'Expenses'])
8 plt.xlabel("Time")
9 plt.ylabel("Dollars $")
10 plt.title('Salary and Expenses Comparison')
11 plt.show()
```



Thank you for your time!