

Day 8

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- A tuple is a collection which is ordered and unchangeable and allow duplicate values.
- Difference b/w tuples and the lists is that the tuples cannot be changed unlike lists.
- Tuples uses parentheses (round bracket) lists use square brackets.
- Tuples are sequences, just like lists.
- Tuples are immutable - "never-changing"
- Tuples items are indexed, the first item has index [0], the second item has index [1] etc.

1) Allow Duplicates:-

Since tuples are indexed, they can have items with the same value.

ex:- `tuple1 = ("apple", "banana", "apple", "cherry")`
`print (tuple1)`

2) Tuple length :-

To determine how many items a tuple has, use `len()` function.

ex:- `print (len (tuple1))`

3) tuple() constructor -

note the double round-brackets.

ex: tuple1 = tuple(("apple", "banana", "cherry"))
print(tuple1)

4) tuple items - Data Types :-

It can be of any data type with strings, integers and boolean values.

ex:- tuple1 = ("abc", 34, True, 40, "male")

5) type() -

tuples are defined as objects with the data type 'tuple':

ex: mytuple = ("apple", "banana", "cherry")
print(type(mytuple))

6) Create Tuple with one item -

To create tuple with one item you have to add a comma after item.

ex:- thistuple = ("apple",)
print(type(thistuple))

7) Access Tuple items -

you can access tuple items by referring to the index number, inside square brackets.

ex:- thistuple = ("apple", "banana")
print(thistuple[1])

8) Negative indexing -
Negative indexing means start from the end. -1 refers to last item

ex:- `tuple2 = ("apple", "banana", "cherry")`
`print (tuple2 [-1])`

9) Range of indexes -
Specify a range of indexes by specifying where to start & where to end the range.

ex:- `thistuple = ("apple", "banana", "cherry", "kiwi", "mango")`
`print (thistuple [2:4])`

10) Add items -
Since tuples are immutable, they do not have a built-in append() method.

~~you~~ way to add items to a tuple is :
convert it into list, add your item and convert it back to tuple.

ex:- i) `thistuple = ("apple", "banana", "cherry")`
`y = list(thistuple)`
`y.append("orange")`
`thistuple = tuple(y)`

ii) `thistuple = ("apple", "banana", "cherry")`
`y = ("orange",)`
`thistuple += y`
`print (thistuple)`

11) delete the tuple completely.

ex:- `thistuple = ("apple", "Kiwi", "cherry")`
`del thistuple`
`print(thistuple)`

Sets.

- Sets are used to store multiple items in a single variable.
- A set is a collection which is unordered, unchangeable, and unindexed.
- Each element in the set must be unique, immutable
- Collection of unique values.
- Set has no duplicate elements
- The major advantage of using a set, as opposed to list, is that it has a highly optimized method for checking whether a specific element is contained in the set.
- Sets are unordered, we cannot access items using indexes like we do in lists