

Programming

Programming & Python Basics

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Recap

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... and user-defined types



String

str()

- instantiation: s = 'a_new_string' or s = "a_new_string"
- length:len(s)
- access:
 - **first:** s[0]
 - slice: s[1:3]
 - last: s[-1]
- existence: 'n' in s or 'new' in s
- frequency: s.count('new')



List

list()

- instantiation: 1 = [1, 2, 3]
- length: len(1)
- add elements: 1.append("content")
- access:
 - first: 1[0]
 - slice: 1[1:3]
 - last: 1[-1]
- existence: 2 in 1
- location: l.index(3)



Complex data: Mappings

dict()

- instantiation: d = dict(), d = {'x': 1, 'y': 2 }, ...
- length: len(1)
- b add elements: d['a'] = 'ef'
- access: d['a']
- existence: 'a' in d



Conditional statements: if/else clause

if «Boolean expression»: □□□□□ ≪statement» ▲ Mind the indentation!

OR



Boolean operators, Comparisons

- Elementary logic: and, or, not
- Comparators:

×.	==	"is equal/equivalent to"
×.	! =	"is not equal/equivalent to"
×.	>	"is larger than"
×.	<	"is is smaller than"
×.	>=	"is larger or equal to"
×.	<=	"is smaller or equal to"
×.	is	"is identical instance of"
×.	is not	"is not identical instance of"
×.	in	"is contained in collection"
×.	not in	"is not contained in collection"



Classes, Modules & Packages Programming Errors & Debugging



for-Loop

for «control variable name» in «iterable»:



for-Loop: Iteration over ordered collections

Loop over elements

1	# tuple filled with arbitrary elements
2	<pre>my_tuple = (1, 2.0, 'text', list(), dict())</pre>
3	
4	# for-loop over my_tuple with control
	variable 'el'
5	for el in my_tuple:
6	<pre>msg = 'element:u{}'.format(el)</pre>
7	<pre>print(msg)</pre>



for-Loop: Iteration over ordered collections

Loop over indices with range

1	# tuple filled with arbitrary elements
2	<pre>my_tuple = (1, 2.0, 'text', list(), dict())</pre>
3	
4	# for-loop over my_tuple with control
	variable 'i'
5	<pre>for i in range(len(my_tuple)):</pre>
6	el = my_tuple[i]
7	$msg = 'element_{\sqcup} \{ \} : { } '.format(i, el)$
8	<pre>print(msg)</pre>



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for-Loop: Iteration over ordered collections

Update list in for-loop

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for-Loop: Iteration over ordered collections Loop over indices and elements with enumerate

1	# list filled with arbitrary elements
2	<pre>my_list = [1, 2.0, 'text', list(), dict()]</pre>
3	
4	# for-loop over my_list with control
	variables 'i' and 'el'
5	<pre>for i, el in enumerate(my_list):</pre>
6	# update element with index i
7	<pre>my_list[i] = 'element_u{}:_u{}'.format(i,</pre>
	el)
8	$print('old:_{\sqcup}{}, _new:_{\sqcup}{}'.format(el,$
	<pre>my_list[i]))</pre>



for-Loop: Iteration over unordered collections

Loop over elements of a set

1	# set filled with arbitrary elements
2	my_set = {1, 1, 1, 2.0, 'text'}
3	
4	<pre># for-loop over my_set with control variable</pre>
	'el '
5	for el in my_set:
6	<pre>msg = 'element:{{}'.format(el)</pre>
7	<pre>print(msg)</pre>

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for-Loop: Iteration over unordered collections Loop over keys of a dict

- # dictionary filled with arbitrary elements
 2 my_dict = {'key': 'value', 1: 'text', (1, 2)
 : 'text'}
- # for-loop over keys of my_dict with control
 variable 'key'
- for key in my_dict:
- val = my_dict[key]

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for-Loop: Iteration over unordered collections

Loop over items of a dict

- # dictionary filled with arbitrary elements
 my_dict = {'key': 'value', 1: 'text', (1, 2)
 : 'text'}
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Conditional iteration

Another type of loop in Python: while

Loops until condition becomes False

$$x = 5$$
while x > 0:
print(x)
x -= 1 # shorthand for $x = x - 1$

Special keywords in loops:

- continue: aborts current iteration and continues with the next
- break: aborts loop completely



Quiz

What does the instruction tuple(range(3)) return?

[1, 2, 3] (1, 2, 3) (0, 1, 2) (0, 1, 2, 3)

Let x be any integer, how many times is the print statement in the follwing for-loop executed?

```
for i in range(x):
for j in range(i):
print((i, j))
```



Quiz

What does the instruction tuple(range(3)) return?

[1, 2, 3] (1, 2, 3) $(0, 1, 2) \checkmark$ (0, 1, 2, 3)

Let x be any integer, how many times is the print statement in the follwing for-loop executed?

```
1 for i in range(x):
2 for j in range(i):
3 print((i, j))
```

 $\binom{x}{2}$ times



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Summary

- for loop
- while loop



What comes next?

- Write your first for and while loops
- Familiarize yourself with the Spyder
- Due date for this week's exercises is *Wednesday, Nov 8, 2023*.

Next lecture: Functions & more