




In-depth Python (fast, unstructured)


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...
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|     constants, names, varnames, filename, name, firstlineno,
|     lnotab[, freevars[, cellvars]])
|
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|
| ...
```



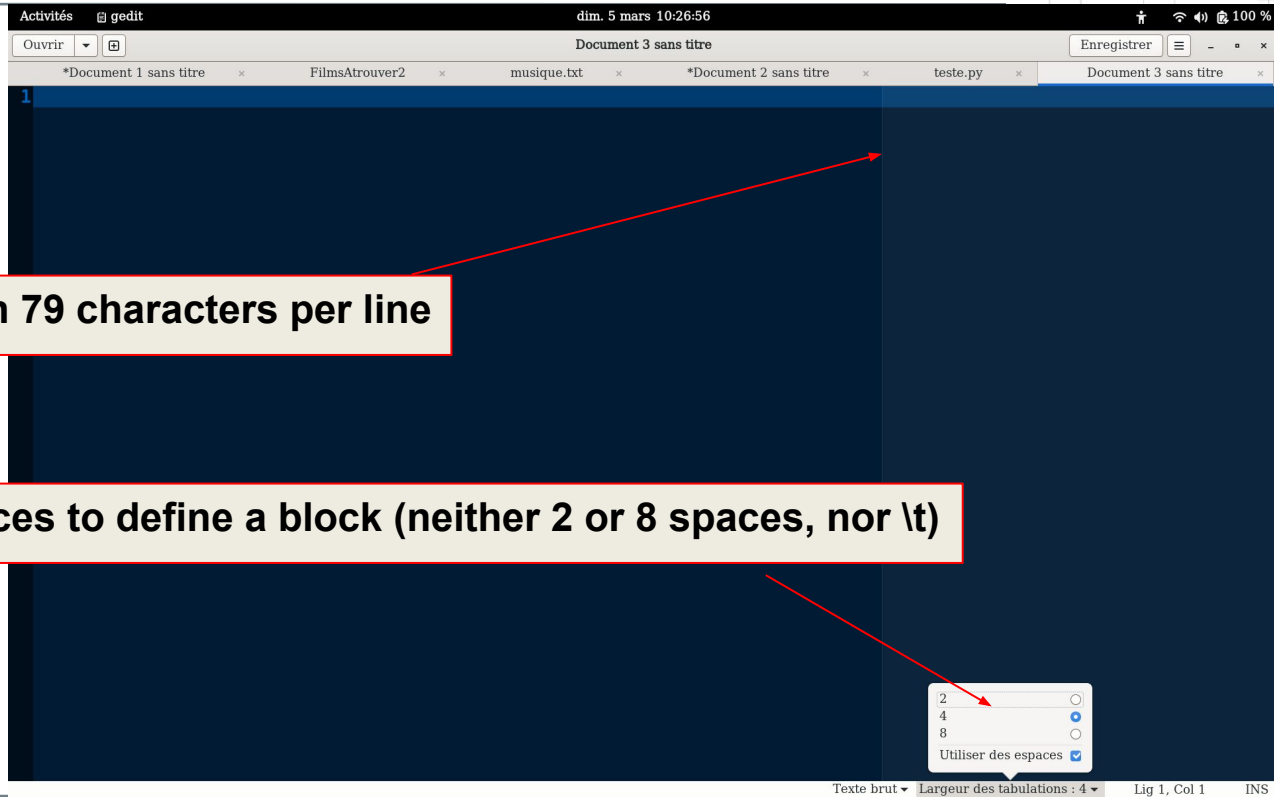
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Generalities

pep8



pep8: readability



```
if this_happens or that_happens \  
    or these_happen:  
    print('blah')
```

```
filepath = "this/sweet/line/" \  
           "looksbetter.xlsx"
```

Parentheses can be used too to divide long lines:

```
from minibelt import (dmerge, get, iget, normalize,  
                      chunks, window, skip_duplicates, flatten)
```

```
("strings are automatically concatenated "  
"if they are only separated by "  
"white spaces.")
```

pep8



Operators must be surrounded by spaces:

```
>>> variable = 'valeur'  
>>> this == that  
>>> 1 + 2
```

except when grouping the mathematical operators with the highest priority to distinguish the groups:

```
>>> a = x*2 - 1  
>>> b = x*x + y*y  
>>> c = (a+b) * (a-b)
```

and for the = sign in the declaration of arguments and the passing of parameters:

```
>>> def my_func(arg='value'):  
...     pass  
...  
result = my_func(arg='value')
```



Modules :

- Import of module > import of module content
- Import standard lib > import third party libs > import your project

Variable names:

- Single letters, in lower case: for loops and indices.
- Lower case letters + underscores (bottom dash _): for modules, variables, functions and methods.
- Upper case letters + underscores : for (pseudo) constants.
- Camel case : class names

pep8



How to check if our code satisfies the pep8?

```
$ pip install pycodestyle  
$ pycodestyle script.py
```

or: `pylint`

types



Numbers, strings and tuples are not mutable, lists and dictionaries are.

There are generic operations for sequences such as slicing, which can be applied to any type of sequence: tuple, list, str... A sequence is, in fact, a collection of objects indexed by their position.

Multi-type compatible operations are usually functions or expressions, like `len(X)` or `X[0]`. Type-specific operations are methods: `string.upper()`...

types



```
>>> isinstance([], list)
True
```

```
>>> type(True) == int, isinstance(True, int)
(False, True)
```

The `isinstance()` function is used to check if an object is an instance of the specified class while taking care of inheritance.

`type()`, on the other hand, only checks for equality of reference types and discards subtypes



Numbers

binary digits

```
>>> 1&1
1
>>> 1&0
0
>>> 0&1
0
>>> 0&0
0
>>> 1|0
1
>>> 1|1
1
>>> 0|1
1
>>> 0|0
0
```

- **xor :**
 0^1
- **shift of bits:**

```
>>> 1<<2
4
>>> 1<<3
8
>>> 1<<3+1
16
>>> (1<<3)+1
9
>>> 4<<1
8
```



binary digits



From ascii to bin:

```
>>> bin(int.from_bytes('hello'.encode(), 'big'))
'0b110100001100101011011000110110001101111'
```

and the opposite:

```
>>> n = int('0b110100001100101011011000110110001101111', 2)
>>> n.to_bytes((n.bit_length() + 7) // 8, 'big').decode()
'hello'
```

int, float and decimal

```
>>> 10_000_000, 11_111_111
(10000000, 11111111)
```

```
>>> scientific_nb = 1.23e2 # 1.23 * 10^2
```

```
>>> from decimal import Decimal
```

```
>>> from more_itertools import numeric_range
```

```
>>> list(numeric_range(Decimal('1.7'), Decimal('3.5'), Decimal('0.3')))
[Decimal('1.7'), Decimal('2.0'), Decimal('2.3'), Decimal('2.6'),
Decimal('2.9'), Decimal('3.2')]
```

complex numbers

```
>>> 4+3j
```

```
(4+3j)
```

```
>>> j^2
```

```
1
```





Strings

string

```
>>> dd="dfdfDSQFqsd"
```

```
>>> "fDSQFq" in dd
```

```
True
```

```
>>> dd.lower()
```

```
'dfdfdsqfqs'
```

```
>>> dd.upper()
```

```
'DFDFDSQFQSD'
```

```
>>> dd.islower()
```

```
False
```

```
>>> dd.isspace()
```

```
False
```

```
>>> "12123".isdigit()
```

```
True
```

```
>>> "sample".endswith(("ple", "ple."))
```

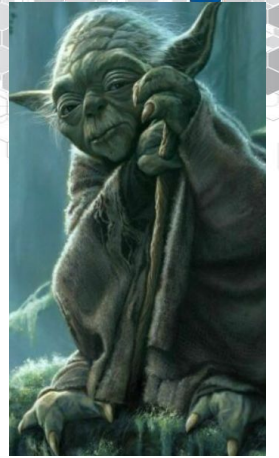
```
True
```

string

```
>>> 'aze'.rstrip('ze')
'a'
>>> 'dpoip ds \n'.rstrip()
'dpoip ds'
```



string: the pythonic way



Find the first non-repeated occurrence of a letter

```
for c in my_string:
    if my_string.index(c) == my_string.rindex(c):
        print(c)
        break
```

Remove duplicate words while maintaining the order of the string:

```
sentence = "The sound sounds sound".split()
list(dict.fromkeys(sentence).keys())
```

f-string

```
>>> text = "Data Science Blog"
>>> print(f"{text=}")
text='Data Science Blog'
```

`f"{stuff_to_print:format}"`

```
>>> f"{1000000:d}"
'1000000'
```

```
>>> f"{1000000:,d}"
'1,000,000'
```

```
>>> dd='abc'
>>> f"blabla : {dd:>10} fois"
'blabla :          abc fois'
```



f-string: numbers

```
>>> pi_val = 3.141592
>>> print(f"Example 1: {pi_val:f}")
Example 1: 3.141592
>>> print(f"Example 2: {pi_val:.2f}")
Example 2: 3.14
```

f-strings are flexible enough to allow nesting:

```
>>> float_val = 1.5
>>> precision = 3
>>> print(f"{float_val:.{precision}f}")
1.500
```

f-string: percentage and scientific notation



Percentage:

```
>>> val = 0.5
>>> print(f"Example 1: {val:%}")
Example 1: 50.000000%
>>> print(f"Example 2: {val:.0%}")
Example 2: 50%
```

Scientific notation:

```
>>> val = 1.23e3 # 1.23 * 10^3
>>> print(f"Example 1: {val:e}")
Example 1: 1.230000e+03
>>> print(f"Example 2: {val:.3E}")
Example 2: 1.230E+03
```

f-string: dates

```
>>> from datetime import date, datetime
>>> day = date(
...     year=2022,
...     month=9,
...     day=1
... )
>>> print(f"{day}")
2022-09-01
>>> print(f"{day:%Y/%m/%d}")
2022/09/01
>>> print(f"{day:%Y %B %d (%A)}")
2022 September 01 (Thursday)
>>> now = datetime.now()
>>> print(f"{now:%Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S.%f}")
2023-03-05 13:03:00.824671
```


f-string: padding

```
>>> val = 1
>>> print(f"1: {val:1d}")
1: 1
>>> print(f"2: {val:2d}")
2:  1
>>> print(f"3: {val:3d}")
3:   1
```

Padding with zeros:

```
>>> print(f"3: {val:03d}")
3: 001
```



Containers

list



```
>>> L=[1,2,1,3,2]
```

```
>>> L.remove(2)
```

```
>>> L
```

```
[1, 1, 3, 2]
```

=> (only) the first occurrence is removed

```
>>> L.pop(3)
```

```
2
```

=> return and remove the third element

```
>>> L
```

```
[1, 1, 3]
```

```
>>> [1,2,1,3]+[2,3,1,2,3]
```

```
[1, 2, 1, 3, 2, 3, 1, 2, 3]
```

list: accession, deletion...



```
L = ['abc', 9.1, (2012, 12, 21)]
```

```
a, _, (year, month, day) = L
```

```
a, *middle, c = [1, 2, 3, 4]
```

```
a, *_ , c = [1, 2, 3, 4]
```

```
del L[0]      # remove element at position 0
```

```
del L[2:5]
```

```
L.remove(x)  # remove x
```

```
L.extend((1,2)) # any kind of container
```

list: append and insert

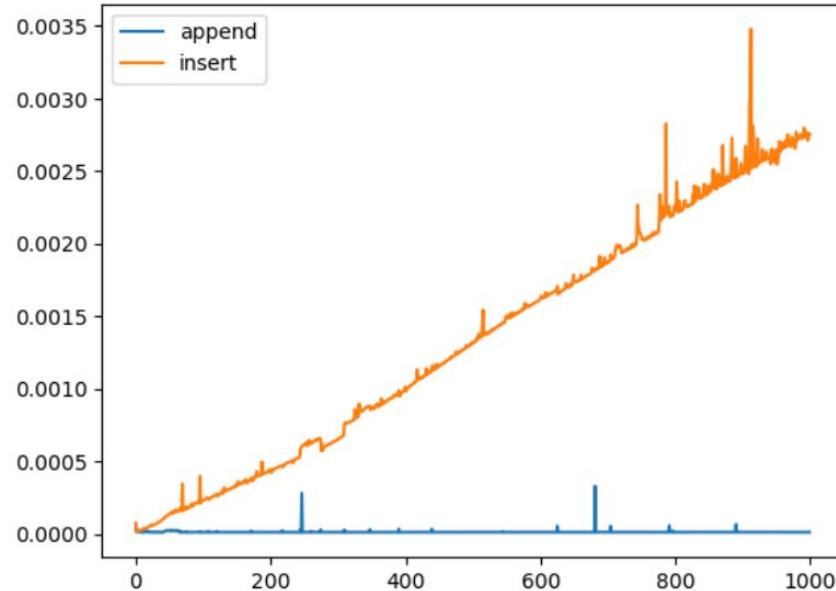
```
1 liste1, liste2 = [], []
2 T1, T2 = [], []
3 N=100000
4 t=time()
5 for k in range(N):
6     liste1.append(1)
7     if k%100 == 0:
8         T1.append(time()-t)
9         t=time()
10 t=time()
11 for k in range(N):
12     liste2.insert(0, 1)
13     if k%100 == 0:
14         T2.append(time()-t)
15         t=time()
```

list: append and insert



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8         T1.append(time()-t)
9         t=time()
10 t=time()
11 for k in range(N):
12     list2.insert(0, 1)
13     if k%100 == 0:
14         T2.append(time()-t)
15         t=time()
```

```
1 %matplotlib inline
2 %pylab inline
3 plot(T1, label='append')
4 plot(T2, label='insert')
5 legend()
```



list: sort



```
>>> l = [[1, 2], [1, 4, 3], [2, 3]]
>>> sorted(l, key=lambda x:x[1])
[[1, 2], [2, 3], [1, 4, 3]]
>>> l
[[1, 2], [1, 4, 3], [2, 3]]
>>> l.sort(key=lambda x:x[1])
>>> l
[[1, 2], [2, 3], [1, 4, 3]]
```

list: manipulate them as stacks



```
>>> stack = [3, 4, 5]
>>> stack.append(6)
>>> stack.append(7)
>>> stack
[3, 4, 5, 6, 7]
>>> stack.pop()
7
>>> stack
[3, 4, 5, 6]
>>> stack.pop()
6
>>> stack
[3, 4, 5]
```

LIFO: Last in, first out

list: manipulate them as queues



```
>>> queue = ["Eric", "John", "Michael"]
>>> queue.append("Terry")
>>> queue.append("Graham")
>>> queue.pop(0)
'Eric'
>>> queue.pop(0)
'John'
>>> queue
['Michael', 'Terry', 'Graham']
```

FIFO: First in, first out

list: iteration



```
>>> L=[(1,2),(2,3)]
>>> for i,j in L:
...     print(i,j)
...
1 2
2 3
```

```
a = [1,2,3,4,5]
b = [10,20,30,40,50]
c = [100,200,300,400,500]
for x,y,z in zip(a,b,c):
    print(x,y,z)
```

list of lists



```
>>> l1, l2 = [1, 3, 8], [2, 4, 9]
```

```
>>> list(zip(l1, l2))
```

```
[(1, 2), (3, 4), (8, 9)]
```

```
>>> l = [(1,2), (3,4), (8,9)]
```

```
>>> list(zip(*l))
```

```
[(1, 3, 8), (2, 4, 9)]
```

list comprehensive



```
>>> [k for k in container if condition]
```

```
>>> seq1 = 'abc'
```

```
>>> seq2 = (1,2,3)
```

```
>>> [(x,y) for x in seq1 for y in seq2]
```

```
[('a', 1), ('a', 2), ('a', 3), ('b', 1), ('b', 2), ('b', 3),  
('c', 1), ('c', 2), ('c', 3)]          => all possible couples
```

```
>>> s = [['Every', 'piece of'], ['software written today is', 'likely'], ['going to'], ['infringe on',  
"someone else's", 'patent.']]
```

```
>>> [k for sublist in s for k in sublist]
```

```
['Every', 'piece of', 'software written today is', 'likely', 'going to', 'infringe on', 'someone  
else's', 'patent.']
```

iter



The function to build an iterator from an iterable: string, list, tuple, set...

So, in a for loop, we call :

first to `iter()`, to build an iterator,

then to `next()`, until the exception `StopIteration` is raised, then caught.

set



```
>>> s=set([1,2,3])
>>> s.remove(3)
>>> 1 in s
True
>>> s.add(5)
>>> s
{1, 2, 5}
>>> for k in set([1, 2]):
    print(k)
```

dictionary: keys and values



Test the existence of a key:

```
>>> key in dico
```

Note that the membership test for (keys of) dictionaries is faster than for lists: as for sets, they are hash tables. We go from $O(n)$ to $O(1)$.

Recovering the keys:

```
>>> dd={'a':10, 'b':20, 'c':30}
>>> [*dd]
['a', 'b', 'c']
```

Update multiple values at once:

```
>>> dd.update(c=5, d=3, e=2)
```

Either the keys are created or their values are updated.

dictionary: accession



First, second value of a dictionary:

```
dd = iter(dico)
next(dd)
next(dd)
```

When accessing an element, `dd[k]` returns an error if `k` is not a key of the `dd` dictionary.
An alternative is to use `get()`:

```
>>> dd.get('d')
>>> dd.get('d', 5)
5
>>> dd
{'a': 10, 'b': 20, 'c': 30}
```


dictionary: deletion



Delete the last added item:

```
>>> dd={ }
>>> dd[1]=5
>>> dd[2]=6
>>> dd[3]=7
>>> dd.popitem()
(3, 7)
>>> dd
{1: 5, 2: 6}
```

Recover a value while deleting the key:

```
>>> dd.pop(2)
6
>>> dd
{1: 5}
```

dictionary: deletion



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```
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>>> dd[1]=5
>>> dd[2]=6
>>> dd[3]=7
>>> dd.popitem()
(3, 7)
>>> dd
{1: 5, 2: 6}
```

this returns dict[key] by deleting it from dict, if the key exists. And which, otherwise, raises the KeyError exception. To return a default value if it doesn't exist:

Recover a value while deleting the key:

```
>>> dd.pop(2)
6
>>> dd
{1: 5}
```

```
>>> dd.pop(2)
Traceback (most recent call
last):
  File "<stdin>", line 1, in
<module>
KeyError: 2
>>> dd.pop(2, 5)
5
>>>
```

dictionary: operations



Copy (deep) a dictionary:

```
>>> dico = {'a':1, 'b':2}
>>> dico2 = dico.copy()
>>> dico2['c'] = 3
>>> dico
{'a': 1, 'b': 2}
```

Making an over-dictionary:

```
>>> {'x':5, **dico}
{'x': 5, 'a': 1, 'b': 2}
```

And to concatenate two dictionaries:

```
>>> dico3 = {'x':7, 'y':8}
>>> dict(dico, **dico3)
{'a': 1, 'b': 2, 'x': 7, 'y': 8}
```

dictionary <-> XML



Save a dictionary in XML:

```
>>> import xmltodict
>>> xmltodict.unparse(dico, output=open('fic.xml', 'wb'))
```

the reverse:

```
>>> with open('fic.xml', 'rb') as f:
    dico = xmltodict.parse(f)
```

dictionary: max elements



Get the key of the largest value in a dictionary:

```
>>> max(dd, key = dd.get)
```

Obtain the key-value pair corresponding to the largest of the values in a dictionary:

```
>>> max(dd.items(), key = lambda x: x[1])
```

dictionary: defaultdict



```
>>> import collections
>>> dd=collections.defaultdict(lambda: 0)
>>> dd[4]
0
>>> dd
defaultdict(<function <lambda> at 0x7fb87e89b520>, {4: 0})
>>> dd=collections.defaultdict(lambda: {})
>>> dd[4]
{}
>>> dd[6][7]=8
>>> dd
defaultdict(<function <lambda> at 0x7fb87e89b490>, {4: {}, 6: {7: 8}})
```

dictionary: defaultdict



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>>> dd[4]
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>>> dd[6][7]=8
>>> dd
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```

see also: `from sortedcontainers import SortedDict`



Structures of control

if

```
>>> x = 5 if a==3 else 0
```



for



else in for :

```
>>> a="123"
>>> for each in a:
...     if each == 0:
...         break
... else:
...     print('break statement did not executed')
...
break statement did not executed
```

enumerate



```
>>> L=[(1,2),(2,3)]
>>> for index, item in enumerate(L):
...     print(index, item)
...
0 (1, 2)
1 (2, 3)
```

while



while and walrus operator:

```
line = f.readLine()
while line:
    print(line)
    line = f.readLine()
```

can be simplified in:

```
while line := f.readLine():
    print(line)
```

try ... except



```
try:
    block-1 ...
except Exception1 as e:
    handler-1 ...
except Exception2:
    handler-2 ...
else:
    else-block
finally:
    final-block
```

The code of block-1 is executed.

If this code raises an exception, the different "except" blocks are tested: if the exception is of class Exception1, handler-1 is executed; otherwise if it is of class Exception2, handler-2 is executed, etc.

If no exception is raised, the else-block is executed.

No matter what has happened before, the final-block is executed once all the above has been completed.



Functions

functions: definition



```
>>> def increment(s):  
...     """  
...     doctring  
...     """  
...     y = x + 1  
...     return there  
... 
```

recursive:

```
>>> def facto(n):  
...     if n == 1 :  
...         return 1  
...     else :  
...         return n*facto(n-1)  
... 
```


functions: special parameters



For a function, there are special parameters capable of intercepting an indefinite number of values. The signature of the function becomes polymorphic.

`*args`: placed at the end of the parameter list, this variable aggregates in a tuple all the parameters that have not been defined.

```
>>> def toto(x, *args):  
...     print args  
...  
>>> toto(5, 2, 'a')  
(2, 'a')
```

functions: special parameters

`**kw` placed just after `*args`, this variable intercepts all the remaining named parameters. They are stored in a dictionary.

```
>>> def toto(x, *args, **kw):
...     print args
...     print kw
...
>>>
>>> toto(5, 2, 'a')
(2, 'a')
{}
>>> toto(5, 'a', r = 2)
('a',)
{'r': 2}
```

functions: lambda



The lambdas are there to make disposable functions, usable only once.

```
>>> (lambda x, y: x*y) (2, 6)
12
```

```
>>> list(map(lambda a, b: a+b, [1, 2, 3], [2, 4]))
[3, 6]
```



Files and directories

Reading/writing files



Read files:

```
with open('file_name.txt', 'r') as f:  
    content = f.read()
```

write in files:

```
with open('file_name.txt', 'w') as f:  
    f.write(string_data)
```

=> 'a' to append

Read an ISO-8859-1 file:

```
import codecs  
codecs.open('myfile', 'r', 'iso-8859-1').read()
```

files: info



File size:

```
os.stat('somefile.txt').st_size
```

Get the name of the most recent file:

```
files = glob.glob('../SynologyDrive/predictops*.csv')  
max_file = max(files, key=os.path.getctime)
```

Knowing if a file is less than an hour old:

```
dt.datetime.fromtimestamp(  
    os.path.getctime('predictops.2021-08-23-6.csv')) >  
dt.datetime.now() - dt.timedelta(hours=1))
```

pickle



To store or restore any object:

```
import pickle
with open('file_name.pkl', 'wb') as f:
    pickle.dump(object, f)

with open('file_name.pkl', 'rb') as f:
    object = pickle.load(f)
```



Test if a directory exists:

```
>>> from os.path import isdir
>>> isdir('my_dir')
True
```

Remove a file:

```
>>> os.remove('my_file')
```


pathlib



To create an object of type path:

```
>>> import pathlib
>>> path = pathlib.Path('foo') / 'bar' / 'foo.txt'
```

We then obtain an object of the PosixPath or WindowsPath class, depending on the platform.

To create a directory:

```
>>> p = pathlib.Path("my_dir")
>>> p.mkdir(exist_ok=True, parents=True)
```

Get the current directory:

```
>>> pathlib.Path.cwd()
```

pathlib



Go to his home :

```
>>> p = pathlib.Path.home()
```

Create an empty file:

```
>>> p = pathlib.Path('my_file.txt')
```

```
>>> p.touch()
```

```
>>> p.name, p.stem, p.suffix  
( 'my_file.txt', 'my_file', '.txt' )
```

The pathlib objects correspond to paths that can be absolute (starting from the root) or relative, which we can test:

```
>>> p.is_absolute()
```

To obtain the absolute path:

```
>>> pathlib.Path('.').resolve()
```

pathlib



Get the parent directory of a pathlib object (directory or file)

```
>>> p.parent
```

Get the current directory of the executed file:

```
>>> pathlib.Path(__file__)
```

Change the extension of a file

```
>>> p.rename(p.with_suffix('.fasta'))
```

Add subdirectories to a directory defined with pathlib:

```
>>> p = p.joinpath(*['results', 'dept'])
```

Iterate on a directory/subdirectory:

```
for path in p.iterdir():  
    for subpath in path.iterdir():
```

zip files

```
import zipfile
with zipfile.ZipFile('fichier.zip', 'w') as file:
    file.write('contenu.txt')

with open('fichier.zip', 'rb') as file:
    zipfile.ZipFile(file).extractall('.')
```

xlsx files



Get the list of sheets:

```
from openpyxl import load_workbook
wb = load_workbook(filename='fichier.xlsx',
                  read_only=True)
print(wb.sheetnames)
```

Read a given sheet from a file:

```
from openpyxl import load_workbook
wb = load_workbook(filename='fichier.xlsx',
                  read_only=True)

ws = wb['2012']
for row in ws.iter_rows(min_row=4):
    if row[1].value != None:
        print(row[4].value)
```

xls (old) files



```
from xlrd import open_workbook

wb = open_workbook('fic.xls')

# sheet names
print(wb.sheet_names())

ws = wb.sheet_by_index(0) # or by_names
for row in range(1, ws.nrows):
    print(ws.cell_value(row, 4)) # column 5
```

csv files: read



Reading line by line:

```
with open('file.csv', mode='r') as csv_file:
    csv_reader = csv.reader(csv_file, delimiter=',')
    for row in csv_reader:
        print(float(row[1]))
```

Reading line -> dictionary

```
with open('file.csv', mode='r') as csv_file:
    csv_reader = csv.DictReader(csv_file)
    next(csv_reader, None) # skip the headers
    for row in csv_reader:
        print(float(row['GC rate']))
```

csv files: write



```
import csv
with open('fic.csv', mode='w') as f:
    fieldnames =
['accession']+list(dico[next(iter(dico))].keys())
    writer = csv.DictWriter(f, fieldnames=fieldnames)
    writer.writeheader()
    for k in dico:
        writer.writerow({'accession':k, **dico[k]})
```




Modules

logging



config parser



statistics



```
from statistics import mean, stdev
```

datetime



distance: Hamming



Number of different characters:

```
>>> from Levenshtein import hamming
>>> hamming("spam", "swim")
2
```

distance: Levenshtein



Measure the similarity between two strings (edit distance) :

```
>>> from Levenshtein import distance, ratio
```

```
>>> ratio('Levenshtein', 'Lenvinsten')  
0.7619047619047619
```

```
>>> distance('Levenshtein', 'Lenvinsten')  
4
```

=> It takes at least 4 insertion/deletion/replacement operations to go from the first to the second.

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```
>>> from itertools import product
>>> eqn = '%s'.join(list('123456789')) + '==2002'
>>> eqn
'1%s2%s3%s4%s5%s6%s7%s8%s9==2002'
>>> for ops in product(*[['', '+', '*']]*8):
    if eval(eqn % ops):
        print(eqn % ops)
```

1*23+45*6*7+89==2002

1*2+34*56+7+89==2002

more_itertools: map_reduce



```
>>> from more_itertools import map_reduce
>>> data = 'This sentence has words of various lengths in it, both
short ones and long ones'.split()
>>> keyfunc = lambda x: len(x)
>>> map_reduce(data, keyfunc)
defaultdict(None,
{4: ['This', 'both', 'ones', 'long', 'ones'],
8: ['sentence'],
3: ['has', 'it,', 'and'],
5: ['words', 'short'],
2: ['of', 'in'],
7: ['various', 'lengths']})
```

more_itertools: map_reduce



```
>>> valuefunc = lambda x: 1
>>> map_reduce(data, keyfunc, valuefunc)
defaultdict(None,
{4: [1, 1, 1, 1, 1],
8: [1],
3: [1, 1, 1],
5: [1, 1],
2: [1, 1],
7: [1, 1]})

>>> reducefunc = sum
>>> map_reduce(data, keyfunc, valuefunc, reducefunc)
defaultdict(None, {4: 5, 8: 1, 3: 3, 5: 2, 2: 2, 7: 2})
```

more_itertools: split_at



Transform a list into a list of lists split according to the occurrence of an element ?
(works with any iterable)

```
lines = [ "erhgedrgh", "erhgedrghed", "esdrhesdresr", "ktguygkyuk",  
"-----", "srdthsrtd", "waefawef", "ryjrtyfj",  
"-----", "edthedt", "awefawe", ]  
list(more_itertools.split_at(lines, lambda x: '-----' in  
x))
```

```
=> [['erhgedrgh', 'erhgedrghed', 'esdrhesdresr', 'ktguygkyuk'],  
['srdthsrtd', 'waefawef', 'ryjrtyfj'], ['edthedt', 'awefawe']]
```

more_itertools: partition



Separates an iterable in two, according to a boolean function:

```
is_old = lambda x: datetime.now() - x < timedelta(days=30)
```

```
old, recent = partition(is_old, dates)
```

```
list(old)
```

```
# [datetime.datetime(2015, 1, 15, 0, 0), datetime.datetime(2019, 2,  
1, 0, 0), datetime.datetime(2018, 2, 4, 0, 0)]
```

```
list(recent)
```

```
# [datetime.datetime(2020, 1, 16, 0, 0), datetime.datetime(2020, 1,  
17, 0, 0), datetime.datetime(2020, 2, 2, 0, 0)]
```

Image



convert an image to grayscale:

```
>>> from PIL import Image as im
>>> from PIL import ImageOps
>>> dd=im.open('my_image.png')
>>> ImageOps.grayscale(dd).save('my_new_image.png')
```



IDEs, etc.

ipython



xonsh - Python-powered shell

```
christophe@coriace:~ x christophe@coriace: ~ | xonsh x christophe
(base) christophe@coriace ~ $ ls
Bureau          Modèles
Documents       Musique
Downloads       Public
Images          Raisons_sortie.txt
Malaya-Speech  Téléchargements
Untitled.ipynb  deces_naissances.csv
Vidéos          go
config          igv
deces.csv       interventions.csv
deces_dates.csv liste.txt
(base) christophe@coriace ~ $ 2+1
3
(base) christophe@coriace ~ $ a = 5; print(a)
5
(base) christophe@coriace ~ $ from os import listdir
(base) christophe@coriace ~ $ for k in listdir():
..... print(k.upper())
..... break
.....
.ASPELL.EN.PREPL
(base) christophe@coriace ~ $ █
```

spyder





Miscellaneous

exec



```
>>> statement = '''a = 10; print(a + 5)'''  
>>> exec(statement)  
15
```

The zen of python (easter egg)



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```

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