

```
a = 1
```

```
a
```

```
↻ 1
```

```
print(a)
```

```
↻ 1
```

```
print("Hello world")
```

```
↻ Hello world
```

```
# Factorial function: iterative
def fact(n):
    result = 1
    while n > 1:
        result = result * n
        n = n - 1

    return result
```

```
fact(100)
```

```
↻ 9332621544394415268169923885626670049071596826438162146859296389521759999322991560894146397615651828625369792082722375825118
```

```
# Factorial function: iterative
def fact(n):
    if n == 0:
        return 1
    return n * fact(n - 1)

    return result
```

```
fact(100)
```

```
↻ 9332621544394415268169923885626670049071596826438162146859296389521759999322991560894146397615651828625369792082722375825118
```

```
type(fact)
```

```
↻ function
```

```
a = 0.1
```

```
type(a)
```

```
↻ float
```

```
a = 0.1
sum = 0
for _ in range(10):
    sum = sum + a
print(sum)
```

```
↻ 0.9999999999999999
```

```
type(a)
```

```
↻ float
```

```
print(a)
```

```
↻ 0.1
```

```
# Formatted string
f"a is really {a : .20f}"
```

```
↻ 'a is really 0.10000000000000000555'
```

```
list(range(10))
```

```
↔ [0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9]
```

```
list(range(1, 10))
```

```
↔ [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9]
```

```
list(range(1, 10, 2))
```

```
↔ [1, 3, 5, 7, 9]
```

```
l = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]  
type(l)
```

```
↔ list
```

```
l = list(range(20))
```

```
l
```

```
↔ [0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19]
```

```
l = l[2:11]  
print(l)
```

```
↔ [2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]
```

```
l = l[2:11:2]  
print(l)
```

```
↔ [4, 6, 8, 10]
```

```
l[1:len(l)]
```

```
↔ [6, 8, 10]
```

```
l[1:]
```

```
↔ [6, 8, 10]
```

```
l
```

```
↔ [4, 6, 8, 10]
```

```
l[:3]
```

```
↔ [4, 6, 8]
```

```
l[:]
```

```
↔ [4, 6, 8, 10]
```

```
lnew = l[::-1]  
print(lnew)
```

```
↔ [10, 8, 6, 4]
```

```
lnew[1] = 10  
print(lnew)
```

```
↔ [10, 10, 6, 4]
```

```
print(l)
```

```
↔ [4, 6, 8, 10]
```

```
l[3] = 8.5  
print(l)
```

```
↵ [4, 6, 8, 8.5]
```

```
l[0] = 'charlotte'  
print(l)
```

```
↵ ['charlotte', 6, 8, 8.5]
```

```
t = (1, 3, 5, 5)  
type(t)
```

```
↵ tuple
```

```
# Python tuples are immutable  
t[0] = 0
```

```
↵ -----  
      TypeError                                Traceback (most recent call last)  
      <ipython-input-57-51595a4035f3> in <cell line: 1>()  
      ----> 1 t[0] = 0  
  
      TypeError: 'tuple' object does not support item assignment
```

```
a = 1, 2, 3  
print(a)
```

```
↵ (1, 2, 3)
```

```
# This does tuple assignment (a, b) = (1, 2)  
a, b = 1, 2
```

```
print (a, b)
```

```
↵ 1 2
```

```
temp = a  
a = b  
b = temp  
print(a, b)
```

```
↵ 2 1
```

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```
a, b = b, a  
print(a, b)
```

```
↵ 1 2
```

```
math.pi
```

```
↵ 3.141592653589793
```

```
spi = str(math.pi)  
spi
```

```
↵ '3.141592653589793'
```

```
float(spi)
```

```
↵ 3.141592653589793
```

```
int("2351")
```

```
↵ 2351
```

```
s = 'UNC Charlotte'  
s.find('har')
```

```
5
```

```
s.find('hare')
```

```
-1
```

```
None
```

```
s = "UNC Charlotte's campus is full of hares."
s.rfind('har')
```

```
34
```

```
s.split()
```

```
['UNC', 'Charlotte's', 'campus', 'is', 'full', 'of', 'hares.']
```

```
s = 'UNC Charlotte's campus is full of hares.'
```

```
File "<ipython-input-29-abab82ca6718>", line 1
    s = 'UNC Charlotte's campus is full of hares.'
                                     ^
SyntaxError: unterminated string literal (detected at line 1)
```

```
s
```

```
'UNC Charlotte's campus is full of hares.'
```

```
s = 'charlotte'
s[0:5], s[5:]
```

```
('charl', 'charl')
```

```
s[0:5:2]
```

```
'cal'
```

```
s[-1], s[-2], s[-2:]
```

```
('e', 't', 'te')
```

```
s[::-1]
```

```
'etto1rahc'
```

```
s
```

```
'charlotte'
```

```
# Python strings are immutable
s[0] = 's'
```

```
-----
TypeError                                 Traceback (most recent call last)
<ipython-input-37-910e3094fc67> in <cell line: 1>()
----> 1 s[0] = 's'

TypeError: 'str' object does not support item assignment
```

```
s, s * 2
```

```
('charlotte', 'charlottecharlotte')
```

```
s + s
```

```
'charlottecharlotte'
```

```
x = list(range(1, 11))
```

```
x
```

```
[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]
```

```
x[::2], x[1::2]
```

```
((1, 3, 5, 7, 9), [2, 4, 6, 8, 10])
```

```
x[2] += 2
```

```
x[5] += 3
```

```
x
```

```
[1, 2, 5, 4, 5, 9, 7, 8, 9, 10]
```

```
[j * 10 for j in x if j % 2 == 0]
```

```
[20, 40, 80, 100]
```

```
[j for j in x if j % 2 == 0]
```

```
[2, 4, 8, 10]
```

```
x
```

```
[1, 2, 5, 4, 5, 9, 7, 8, 9, 10]
```

```
y = tuple(x)
```

```
y
```

```
(1, 2, 5, 4, 5, 9, 7, 8, 9, 10)
```

```
y[0] = 0
```

```
-----
TypeError                                 Traceback (most recent call last)
<ipython-input-50-b8cef91e0169> in <cell line: 1>()
----> 1 y[0] = 0

TypeError: 'tuple' object does not support item assignment
```

```
def prod_sum(a, b):
    return a + b, a * b
```

```
y = prod_sum(2, 3)
```

```
type(y)
```

```
tuple
```

```
y
```

```
(5, 6)
```

```
(5,)
```

```
(5,)
```

```
a
```

```
2
```

```
# Dictionaries
```

```
d = {'john': 23, 'alex': 25, 'bill': 99}
```

```
print(type(d))
```

```
print(d)
```

```
>>> <class 'dict'>
{'john': 23, 'alex': 25, 'bill': 99}
```

```
'alex' in d
```

```
>>> True
```

```
'mary' in d
```

```
>>> False
```

```
d['mary'] = 30
d
```

```
>>> {'john': 23, 'alex': 25, 'bill': 99, 'mary': 30}
```

```
d['john'] = 35
d
```

```
>>> {'john': 35, 'alex': 25, 'bill': 99, 'mary': 30}
```

```
d['harry']
```

```
>>> -----
      KeyError                                Traceback (most recent call last)
      <ipython-input-17-62aaa5814145> in <cell line: 1>()
      ----> 1 d['harry']

      KeyError: 'harry'
```

```
# Two solutions for initializing value (if key non-existent) or updating value (if key exists in dictionary).
```

```
key = 'harry'
# Solution 1
if key in d:
    d[key] += 10
else:
    d[key] = 10

key = 'barry'
#Solution 2
d[key] = d.get(key, 0) + 10

print(d)
```

```
>>> {'john': 35, 'alex': 25, 'bill': 99, 'mary': 30, 'harry': 10, 'barry': 10}
```

```
del d['harry']
del d['barry']
```

```
# Note right-branching effect of if-else, and one way of including quotes in a Python string.
```

```
a = 5
if a == 0:
    print('nada')
else:
    if a == 1:
        print('uno')
    else:
        if a == 2:
            print('dos')
        else:
            if a == 3:
                print('tres')
            else:
                print("I'm tired")
```

```
>>> I'm tired
```

```
# elif statements eliminate right-branching.
a = 5
if a == 0:
    print('nada')
elif a == 1:
    print('uno')
elif a == 2:
    print('dos')
elif a == 3:
    print('tres')
else:
    print("I'm tired")
```

↻ I'm tired

```
# If x belongs to a, return True (else with for).
def search(a, x):
    for e in a:
        if e == x:
            return True
    else:
        return False
```

```
search([1, 2, 3, 5], 4)
```

↻ False

```
l1 = [1, 2, 3]
l1.append(4)
print(l1)
```

↻ [1, 2, 3, 4]

```
# Fibonacci numbers 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, ...
# Function that generates a list with the first n Fibonacci numbers.
```

```
def fibo1(n):
    if n == 1:
        return [1]

    if n == 2:
        return [1, 1]

    a, b = 1, 1
    result = [a, b]
    for _ in range(n-2):
        a, b = b, a + b
        result.append(b)

    return result

print(fibo1(30))
```

↻ [1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, 34, 55, 89, 144, 233, 377, 610, 987, 1597, 2584, 4181, 6765, 10946, 17711, 28657, 46368, 75025, 1

```
# Fibonacci numbers 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, ...
# Function that generates the nth Fibonacci numbers.
```

```
def fibo1(n):
    a, b = 0, 1
    for _ in range(n):
        a, b = b, a + b

    return a

fibo1(100)
```

↻ 354224848179261915075

```
# Fibonacci numbers 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, ...
# Function that generates the nth Fibonacci number
```

```
def fibo2(n):
    if n == 1:
        return 1

    if n == 2:
```

```

return 1

return fibo2(n-1) + fibo2(n-2)

fibo2(100)

```

```

-----
KeyboardInterrupt Traceback (most recent call last)
<ipython-input-103-ca69cc326b77> in <cell line: 12>()
    10     return fibo2(n-1) + fibo2(n-2)
    11
----> 12 fibo2(100)

-----
      83 frames -----
<ipython-input-103-ca69cc326b77> in fibo2(n)
     5     return 1
     6
----> 7     if n == 2:
     8         return 1
     9
KeyboardInterrupt:

```

```

def fibo():
    a, b, = 1, 1
    while True:
        yield a
        a, b = b, a + b

```

```
gen = fibo()
```

```
next(gen)
```

```
↻ 1
```

```
next(gen)
```

```
↻ 1
```

```
next(gen)
```

```
↻ 2
```

```
next(gen)
```

```
↻ 3
```

```
for _ in range(20):
    print(next(gen), end = ' ')

```

```
↻ 5 8 13 21 34 55 89 144 233 377 610 987 1597 2584 4181 6765 10946 17711 28657 46368
```

```

# Use `cmath` if you need to generate complex numbers.
import math

```

```

def quad_sol(a, b, c):
    """
    This function calculates the solutions of a quadratic equation ...
    """
    term = math.sqrt(b * b - 4 * a * c)
    sol1 = (-b + term) / (2 * a)
    sol2 = (-b - term) / (2 * a)

    return sol1, sol2

```

```
quad_sol(1, -4, 3)
```

```
↻ ((3+0j), (1+0j))
```

```
quad_sol(1, 1, 1)
```

```
((-0.5+0.8660254037844386j), (-0.5-0.8660254037844386j))
```

```
def seq1():
    a = [1, 2, 4, 7, 11, 16, 22, 29, 37, 46, 56, 67, 79, 94]
    while True:
        for e in a:
            yield e
```

```
gen1 = seq1()
for i in range(30):
    print(next(gen1), end = ' ')
```

```
1 2 4 7 11 16 22 29 37 46 56 67 79 94 1 2 4 7 11 16 22 29 37 46 56 67 79 94 1 2
```

```
def seq2():
    a, d = 1, 1
    while True:
        yield a
        a, d = a + d, d + 1
```

```
gen2 = seq2()
for i in range(30):
    print(next(gen2), end = ' ')
```

```
1 2 4 7 11 16 22 29 37 46 56 67 79 92 106 121 137 154 172 191 211 232 254 277 301 326 352 379 407 436
```

Write a function `find_sublist(a, b)` that returns `True` if and only if the list `b` appears somewhere in `a`. For example:

- `find_sublist([-10, 2, 5, -2, 3], [2, 5])` should return `True`.
- `find_sublist([-10, 2, 5, -2, 3], [2, 7])` should return `False`.

```
def find_sublist(a, b):
    for i in range(len(a)):
        # Try to see if b appears starting at position i in a.
        found = True
        for j in range(len(b)):
            if b[j] != a[i + j]:
                found = False
                break
        if found:
            return True
    return False
```

```
a = [-10, 2, 5, -2, 3]
b1 = [2, 5]
b2 = [2, 5, -2]
b3 = [2, 7]
```

```
find_sublist(a, b1)
```

```
True
```

```
find_sublist(a, b2)
```

```
True
```

```
find_sublist(a, b3)
```

```
False
```

The `for` loop in Python can have an `else` clause which gets executed if the loop ends normally.

```
def find_sublist(a, b):
    for i in range(len(a)):
        for j in range(len(b)):
            if b[j] != a[i + j]:
                break
```

```

else:
    return True
return False

```

```
find_sublist(a, b1), find_sublist(a, b2), find_sublist(a, b3)
```

```
(True, True, False)
```

Practice problems

- Write a function `remove_duplicates(a)` that takes as input a sorted list and return a list where all duplicates are removed. For example, `remove_duplicates([1, 2, 2, 4, 6, 6, 6, 9, 10, 11, 11, 11, 11, 13, 14, 14])` should return `[1, 2, 4, 6, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14]`.
- Write a function `remove_duplicates(a)` that removes duplicates from a list that is not necessarily sorted. For example, `remove_duplicates([-3, 4, 2, 4, -3, 2])` should return `[-3, 4, 2]`.
- Write a function to find the longest common prefix string amongst an array of strings. For example, `longest_prefix(["flower", "flow", "flight"])` should return `'fl'`.
- Generate a list of all permutations of the elements in a list. For example, `perm([1, 2, 3])` should output `[[1, 2, 3], [1, 3, 2], [2, 1, 3], [2, 3, 1], [3, 1, 2], [3, 2, 1]]`.
- Consider a pre-order tree representation using lists, where a tree T with the value R in the root node and subtrees T_1, T_2, \dots, T_n is represented as a list $[R, T_1, T_2, \dots, T_n]$. For example, [this tree](#) would be represented as `[2, [7, [2], [10], [6, [5], [11]]], [5, [9, [4]]]`. Write the functions:
 - `count_nodes(t)` that count the nodes of a tree. For the tree above it should return 10.
 - `count_leaves(t)` that counts the leaves of a tree. For the tree above it should return 5.
 - `height(t)` that calculates the height of a tree. The the tree above it should return 3.
 - `find(t, x)` that returns `True` if and only if t contains the number x .