

Unit II: Computational Thinking and Programming - I

- Lists: introduction, indexing, list operations (concatenation, repetition, membership and slicing), traversing a list using loops, built-in functions/methods—len(), list(), append(), extend(), insert(), count(), index(), remove(), pop(), reverse(), sort(), sorted(), min(), max(), sum(); nested lists, suggested programs: finding the maximum, minimum, mean of numeric values stored in a list; linear search on list of numbers and counting the frequency of elements in a list.

Main point

- **list** is an **ordered sequence** having **elements** of **different data types** enclosed in **square brackets** that are **separated** by **comma**. Example:- `l1=[4, "CS", 25.5]`
- list **not** support **vector operation**
- List are accessed by using syntax:- `listname[index]`
- Lists are **mutable** that mean the **contents of the list** can be **changed** after it has been created

List Operation:- Concatenation

- join two or more lists using concatenation operator depicted by the symbol **+**
- syntax: `list1/listname1 + list2/listname2` , Example:- `[4,5]+ [7,8,9]` gives `[4,5,7,8,9]`
- **no changes** made by Concatenation operation **in original lists**
- **List** can **be concatenated with** another **list only**.
- try to **concatenate** a list **with other data type** will result in **TypeError**

List Operation:- Repetition

- **Replicate a list** using repetition operator depicted **by symbol ***
- syntax: `list1/listname1 * n` , Example:- `[5,6] * 3` gives `[5,6,5,6,5,6]`
- **no changes** made by repetition operation **in original list**

List Operation:- Membership

- membership operators '**in**' and '**not in**' returns **True or False**
- syntax: `value in listname` or `value not in listname`, Example:- `5 in [4,5,7]` gives **True**
- **given value** is checked with **each element in list**

List Operation: - Slicing

- **access some part** of a list by method called **slicing**
- syntax:- `listname[start: end: step]` Example `l1[2:6:2]`
- **start , end , step** must be **integer (positive, zero or negative)**
- **default** value of **start is 0** and **end is n** where **n is length** of string and **step is 1** if not provided
- **default** value of **start is -1** and **end is -(n+1)** where **n is length** of string if **step =-1**

Traversing a String

- **access each element** of a list by using **for or while loop**
- Syntax:- `for i in list_name:`
- starts from the first element of the list and automatically ends when the last element is accessed from list.

Built-in Function

```
>>> l2=["ana","ravi","pankaj"]
```

```
>>> l=[7,8,11,3]
```

Method	Description	Example
len(list_name)	Returns the length of the given list	>>> len(l) 4
list(iterable=())	Creates a list having element in iterable , creates an empty list if no argument is passed	>>> l1=list("hello") >>> print(l1) ['h', 'e', 'l', 'l', 'o'] >>> l3=list(range(5,8)) >>> print(l3) [5, 6, 7]
min(list_name)	Returns minimum or smallest element of the list List must contain same type of value	>>> min(l) 3 >>> min(l2) 'ana'
max(list_name)	Returns maximum or largest element of the list List must contain same type of value	>>> max(l) 11 >>> max(l2) 'ravi'
sum(iterable, start=0)	Returns sum of the elements of the list Work with numeric values only and reject non-numeric types Add start in result if start is given	>>> sum(l) 29 >>> sum(l,10) 39
sorted(iterable, reverse=False)	Return new list consisting of the same elements as original list arranged in sorted order	>>> sorted(l) [3, 7, 8, 11] >>> sorted(l2) ['ana', 'pankaj', 'ravi']

List Methods

```
>>> list1 = [10,20,30,40]
```

```
>>> list2=[40,15,25,5]
```

```
>>> list3=[14,18,20,16]
```

Method	Description	Example
append(element)	Used to add single element in list at the end of list. Appends only a single element passed as an argument at the end of the list. That element can be a number , string list , dictionary or user defined object	>>> list1.append(50) >>> list1 [10, 20, 30, 40, 50] ----- >>> list1.append([50,60]) >>> list1 [10, 20, 30, 40, [50, 60]]
extend(iterable)	Used to add multiple elements in list at the end of list. Appends each element of the list passed as argument to the end of the given list.	>>> list4 = [50,60] >>> list1.extend(list4) >>> list1 [10, 20, 30, 40, 50,60]
insert(index, element)	Used to add single element in list before given index.	>>> list1.insert(2,25) >>> list1 [10, 20, 25, 30, 40]

	Inserts an element before the given index in the list	----- >>> list1.insert(-1,25) >>> list1 [10, 20, 30, 25, 40]
remove(value)	Remove first occurrence of value from the list. Raises ValueError if the value is not present	>>> list1.remove(30) >>> list1 [10, 20, 40] >>> list1.remove(50) ValueError: list.remove(x): x not in list
pop(index=-1)	Remove and return item at given index (default last if index is not given) Raises IndexError if list is empty or index is out of range .	>>> list1.pop(1) 20 >>> list1.pop() 40
count(value)	Return number of occurrences of value.	>>> l=[2,4,2,'a'] >>> l.count(2) 2 >>> l.count("a") 1
index(value, start, stop)	Return index of first occurrence of value. Raises ValueError if the value is not present	>>> list1.index(20) 1 >>> list1.index(90) ValueError: 90 is not in list
reverse()	Reverse the element of list *IN PLACE* .	>>> list2.reverse() >>> list2 [5, 25, 15, 40]
sort(reverse=False)	Sort the list in ascending order The sort is in-place (i.e. the list itself is modified) The reverse flag can be set(True) to sort in descending order .	>>> list2.sort() >>> list2 [5, 15, 25, 40] >>> list3.sort(reverse=True) >>> list3 [20, 18, 16, 14]

Nested Lists

- **list appears** as an **element of another list** Example:- >>> list1 = [1,2,'a','c',[6,7,8],4,9]
- To **access** the **element** of the **nested list** of **list1**:- specify two indices **list1[i][j]**
- first index will **i take to the desired nested list** and second index **j will take to the desired element** in that nested list

Copying Lists

- **list2 = list1** does not create a new list. Rather, it just makes **list1** and **list2** refer to the **same list object** so **any changes** made to either of them **will be reflected** in the other list
- we can create a copy or clone of the list **as a distinct object** by **three methods**
 1. list2=list1[:]
 2. List2=list(list1)
 3. import copy
List2=copy.copy(list1)

List as Argument to a Function

Whenever a list is passed as an argument to a function, we have to consider two scenarios:

(A) Elements of the **original list may be changed**, i.e. **changes made** to the list in the function are **reflected back** in the calling function.

```
>>> list1 = [10,20,30,40]
>>> def add(l):
    i=int(input("enter number to inserted"))
    l.append(i)
    print("list in function:",l)
>>> add(list1)
enter number to inserted65
list in function: [10, 20, 30, 40, 65]
>>> print("original list:",list1)
original list: [10, 20, 30, 40, 65]
```

B) If the **list is assigned a new value** inside the function then a **new list object is created** and it becomes the **local copy of the function**. Any **changes made inside** the local copy of the function are **not reflected back** to the calling function.

```
>>> list1 = [10,20,30,40]
>>> def rep(l):
    l=l*2                # list assigned with new value i.e. l*2
    l.append(len(l))
    print("list in function:",l)
>>> rep(list1)
list in function: [10, 20, 30, 40, 10, 20, 30, 40, 8]
>>> print("original list:",list1)
original list: [10, 20, 30, 40]
```

What you learned

List Manipulation:- list1 = [10,20,30,40] list2=[35,45,65]

- Append an element:- list1.append(20)
- Insert an element:- list1.insert(2,50)
- Append a list to the given list:- list1.extend(list2)
- Modify an existing element:- list1[3]=90
- Delete an existing element from its position:- list1.pop(3)
- Delete an existing element with a given value:- list1.remove(30)
- Sort the list in ascending order:- list1.sort()
- Sort the list in descending order :- list2.sort(reverse=True)
- Display the list. :- print(list1)

2023-main

1. Fill in the blank :

_____ is not a valid built-in function for list manipulations.

- (a) count() (b) length() (c) append() (d) extend()

2. Which of the following functions is a valid built-in function for both list and dictionary datatype ?

- (a) items() (b) len() (c) update() (d) values()

3. Write a function search_replace() in Python which accepts a list L of numbers and a number to be searched. If the number exists, it is replaced by 0 and if the number does not exist, an appropriate message is displayed. Example : L = [10,20,30,10,40]

Number to be searched = 10 , List after replacement :

L = [0,20,30,0,40]

2023

1. Fill in the blank.

_____ function is used to arrange the elements of a list in ascending order.

- (a) sort() (b) arrange() (c) ascending() (d) asort()

2. Which function returns the sum of all elements of a list ?

- (a) count() (b) sum() (c) total() (d) add()

3. Given is a Python list declaration :

Listofnames=["Aman","Ankit","Ashish","Rajan","Rajat"]

Write the output of :

print (Listofnames [-1:-4:-1])

4. Write the output of the code given below :

```
def short_sub (lst,n) :  
    for i in range (0,n) :  
        if len (lst)>4:  
            lst [i]=lst [i]+lst[i]  
        else:  
            lst[i]=lst[i]  
subject=['CS' , 'HINDI' , 'PHYSICS' , 'CHEMISTRY' , 'MATHS']  
short_sub(subject,5)  
print(subject)
```

5. Write a function EOReplace() in Python, which accepts a list L of numbers. Thereafter, it increments all even numbers by 1 and decrements all odd numbers by 1.

Example :

If Sample Input data of the list is : L=[10,20,30,40,35,55]

Output will be :L=[11,21,31,41,34,54]

2021-comp

1. A List is declared as L = ['ONE', 'TWO', 'THREE'], What will be the output?

print(max(L))

2. What shall be the output for the execution of the following Python Code ?

Cities = ['Delhi', 'Mumbai']

Cities[0], Cities[1] = Cities[1], Cities[0]

print(Cities)

3. Write the output for the execution of the following Python code : 2

```
def change(A):  
    S=0  
    for i in range(len(A)//2):  
        S+=(A[i]*2)  
    return S  
  
B = [10,11,12,30,32,34,35,38,40,2]  
  
C = Change(B)  
  
Print('Output is',C)
```

4. Write the definition of a function Sum3(L) in Python, which accepts a list L of integers and displays the sum of all such integers from the list L which end with the digit 3. For example, if the list L is passed [123, 10, 13, 15, 23] then the function should display the sum of 123, 13, 23, i.e. 159 as follows :

Sum of integers ending with digit 3 = 159

2020- comp

1. Find and write the output of the following Python code :

```
def ChangeVal(M,N):  
    for i in range(N):  
        if M[i]%5 == 0:  
            M[i] //= 5  
        if M[i]%3 == 0:  
            M[i] //= 3  
  
L=[25,8,75,12]  
ChangeVal(L,4)  
  
for i in L :  
    print(i, end='#')
```

2019

1. Write definition of a method/function AddOddEven(VALUEs) to display sum of odd and even values separately from the list of VALUEs.

For example : If the VALUEs contain [15, 26, 37, 10, 22, 13]

The function should display

Even Sum: 58

Odd Sum: 65

2. Write definition of a method/function HowMany(ID,Val) to count and display number of times the value of Val is present in the list ID. 3 For example : If the ID contains [115,122,137,110,122,113] and Val contains 122 The function should display 122 found 2 Times

3. Write a python method/function Swapper(Numbers) to swap the first half of the content of a list Numbers with second half of the content of list Numbers and display the swapped values. 2 Note : Assuming that the list has even number of values in it. For example : If the

list Numbers contains [35,67,89,23,12,45] After swapping the list content should be displayed as [23,12,45,35,67,89]

4. Write a python method/function Count3and7(N) to find and display the count of all those numbers which are between 1 and N, which are either divisible by 3 or by 7. 2 For example : If the value of N is 15 The sum should be displayed as 7 (as 3,6,7,9,12,14,15 in between 1 to 15 are either divisible by 3 or 7)

2019

1. Write definition of a method/function DoubletheOdd(Nums) to add and display twice of odd values from the list of Nums. For example :If the Nums contains [25,24,35,20,32,41]

The function should display

Twice of Odd Sum: 202

OR

(b) Write definition of a method/function FindOut(Names, HisName) to search for HisName string from a list Names, and display the position of its presence. 3

For example : If the Names contain ["Arun","Raj","Tarun","Kanika"] and His Name contains "Tarun"

The function should display

Tarun at 2

2018

2. Find and write the output of the following python code :

```
Val    = [20,"A",40,"K",10,"H"]
Freq   = 0
Sum     = 0
Cat     = ""
For I in range(1,6,2):
    Freq = Freq + I
    Sum  = Sum + Val[I-1]
    Cat  = Cat + Val[I] + "*"
print Freq,Sum,Cat
```

3. Write definition of a method Endingwith5(SCORES) to add all those values in the list of SCORES, which are ending with 5 and display the sum. For example,

If the SCORES contain [205,506,365,100,230,335]

The sum should be displayed as 905

4. Write definition of a Method COUNTNOW(REGIONS) to find and display names of those REGIONS, in which there are less than or equal to 5 characters. 2

For example : If the list REGIONS contains

["GOA","NEW DELHI","DAMAN","CHENNAI","BANGALORE"]

The following should get displayed

GOA

DAMAN

2017

(d) Find and write the output of the following Python code :

```
TXT    = ["20", "50", "30", "40"]
CNT    = 3
TOTAL  = 0
for C in [7,5,4,6]:
    T = TXT[CNT]
    TOTAL = float (T) + C
    print TOTAL
    CNT-=1
```

2. Write definition of a method EvenSum(NUMBERS) to add those values in the list of NUMBERS, which are odd.

3. Write definition of a method MSEARCH(STATES) to display all the state names from a list of STATES, which are starting with alphabet M. For example : If the list STATES contains ["MP","UP","WB","TN","MH","MZ","DL","BH","RJ","HR"]

The following should get displayed :

MP
MH
MZ

2017-delhi

(d) Find and write the output of the following Python code :

```
STR = ["90", "10", "30", "40"]
COUNT = 3
SUM = 0
for I in [1,2,5,4]:
    S = STR[COUNT]
    SUM = float (S)+I
    print SUM
    COUNT-=1
```

2. Write definition of a method OddSum(NUMBERS) to add those values in the list of NUMBERS, which are odd.

3. Write definition of a Method AFIND(CITIES) to display all the city names from a list of CITIES, which are starting with alphabet A. For example :

If the list CITIES contains ["AHMEDABAD","CHENNAI","NEW DELHI","AMRITSAR","AGRA"]

The following should get displayed

AHMEDABAD
AMRITSAR
AGRA

2016

(d) Find and write the output of the following python code :

2

```
Numbers = [9,18,27,36]
for Num in Numbers:
    for N in range(1, Num%8):
        print(N,"#",end="")
    print()
```

2016-outside

(d) Find and write the output of the following Python code :

2

```
Values=[10,20,30,40]
for Val in Values:
    for I in range(1, Val%9):
        print(I,"*",end="")
    print()
```

SQP-2024

1. Assertion(A): List is an immutable data type

Reasoning(R): When an attempt is made to update the value of an immutable variable, the old variable is destroyed and a new variable is created by the same name in memory.

2. Predict the output of the following code:

```
S = "LOST"
L = [10,21,33,4]
D={ }
for I in range(len(S)):
    if I%2==0:
        D[L.pop()] = S[I]
    else:
        D[L.pop()] = I+3

for K,V in D.items():
    print(K,V,sep="*")
```

3. Write the Python statement for each of the following tasks using BUILT-IN functions/methods only:

(i) To insert an element 200 at the third position, in the list L1.

SQP-2023

1. Write a function INDEX_LIST(L), where L is the list of elements passed as argument to the function. The function returns another list named 'indexList' that stores the indices of all Non-Zero Elements of L. For example:

If L contains [12,4,0,11,0,56]

The indexList will have - [0,1,3,5]

SQP-2020

1. Identify the output of the following Python statements.

```
x = [[10.0, 11.0, 12.0],[13.0, 14.0, 15.0]]
```

```
y = x[1][2]
```

```
print(y)
```

a. 12.0

b. 13.0

c. 14.0

d. 15.0

2. Identify the output of the following Python statements.

```
lst1 = [10, 15, 20, 25, 30]
```

```
lst1.insert( 3, 4)
```

```
lst1.insert( 2, 3)
```

```
print (lst1[-5])
```

a. 2

b. 3

c. 4

d. 20

3. What is the output of the following code snippet?

```
def ChangeVal(M,N):  
    for i in range(N):  
        if M[i]%5 == 0:  
            M[i]//=5  
        if M[i]%3 == 0:  
            M[i]//=3  
L = [25,8,75,12]  
ChangeVal(L,4)  
for i in L:  
    print(i,end="#")
```

a) 5#8#15#4#

b) 5#8#5#4#

c) 5#8#15#14#

d) 5#18#15#4#

SQP-2021

1. Given the lists L=[1,3,6,82,5,7,11,92] , write the output of print(L[2:5])

3. Write a function LShift(Arr,n) in Python, which accepts a list Arr of numbers and n is a numeric value by which all elements of the list are shifted to left.

Sample Input Data of the list

Arr= [10,20,30,40,12,11], n=2

Output

Arr = [30,40,12,11,10,20]