



python™
Lecture (01)



“Computing with Numbers”

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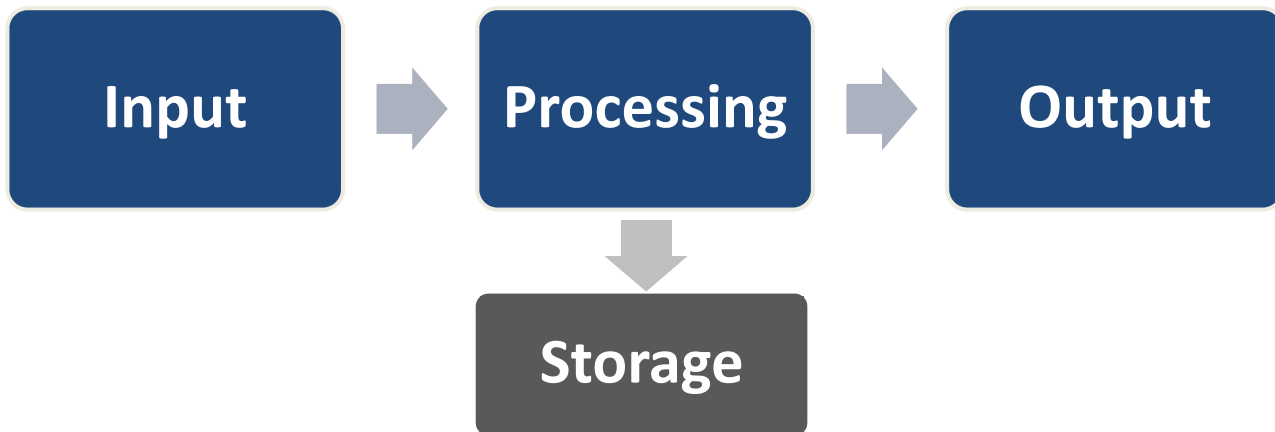
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Introduction to Engineering

Outline

- What is a Computer?
- What is a Computer Program?
- Inside the Editor (Wing IDE)
- Arithmetic Operations (Integers and Floats)
- Assigning Variables
- Getting Input
- Producing Output
- The Math Library

What is a Computer?

- Multipurpose device
- Accepts input
- Processes data
- Stores data
- Produces output



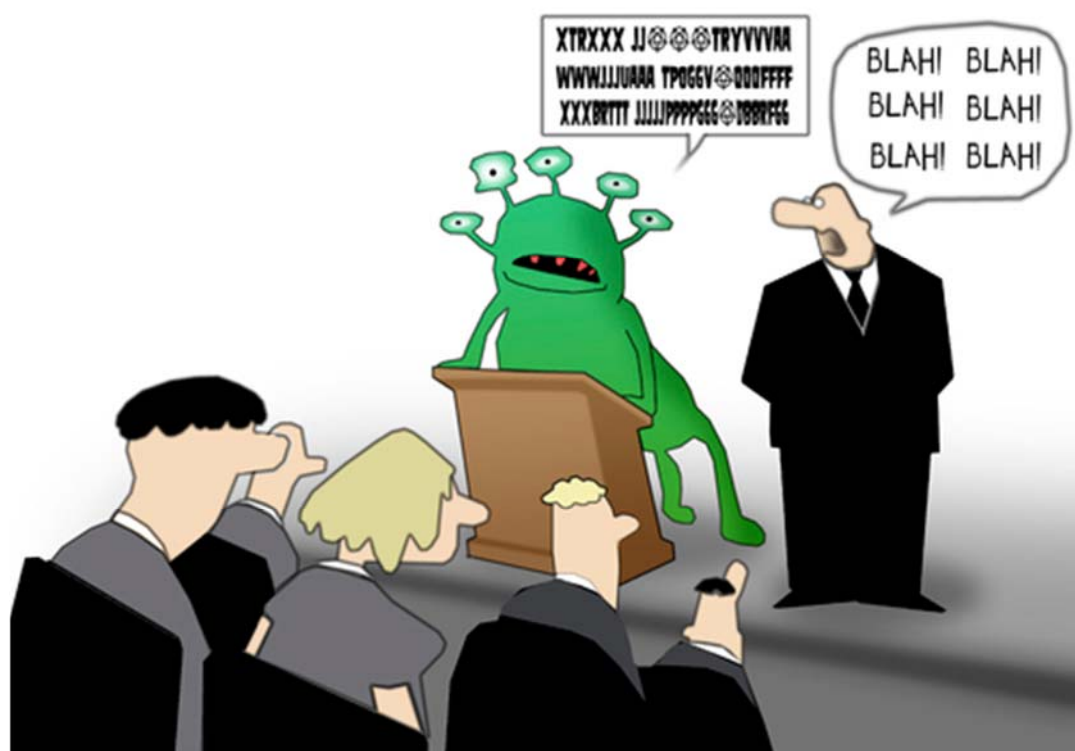
What is a Computer Program?

- A detailed, step-by-step set of **instructions** telling a computer exactly what to do
- **Programs** are written by **Programmers** using **Programming Languages**
 - Example: Python
- Programming Languages such as Python are called **high-level** computer languages (human-readable)
- They need to be translated to a language the computer can understand (**low-level**)

Translation Process

- There are 2 ways to translate from a High-level language to a Low-level one
 - Using an interpreter
 - Using a compiler

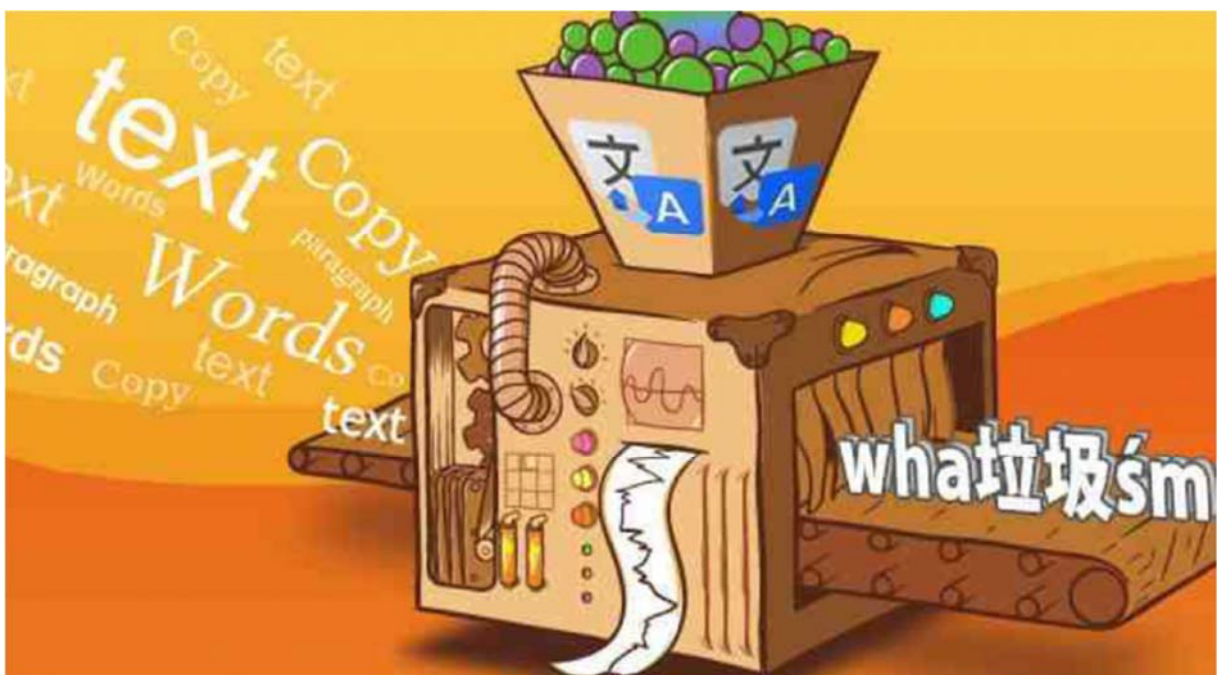
Interpreter



Interpreters

- Just like real life language translators, you can think of an interpreter as a program that takes your code and translates it to the processor can understand **line by line.**
- Each time you need to translate a statement, you need to pass it through the interpreter
- Each time you run your code, it has to go through the interpreter again
- Interpreted programs are very flexible (developed and run interactively)

Compiler



Compilers

- Compilers are programs that translate all of your code in one go, producing binary or object code that can be understood by the processor .
- Compiling is similar to one-shot translation. You give a translator an entire document and get back the translation for the whole thing..
- Once compiled, each time you run your code, you just invoke the object code (you do not need to re-compile)
- Compiled programs are faster than interpreted ones because you only need to translate the code **once**

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- Wing101 is the IDE we will be using throughout this course. You will be writing, running, and testing all your code in Wing.
 - You must have Wing installed on your laptop before next week.

Download Python (Select version 3.6.4):

- <https://www.python.org/downloads/>

Download Wing:

- <https://wingware.com/downloads/wingide-101>

Online shell:

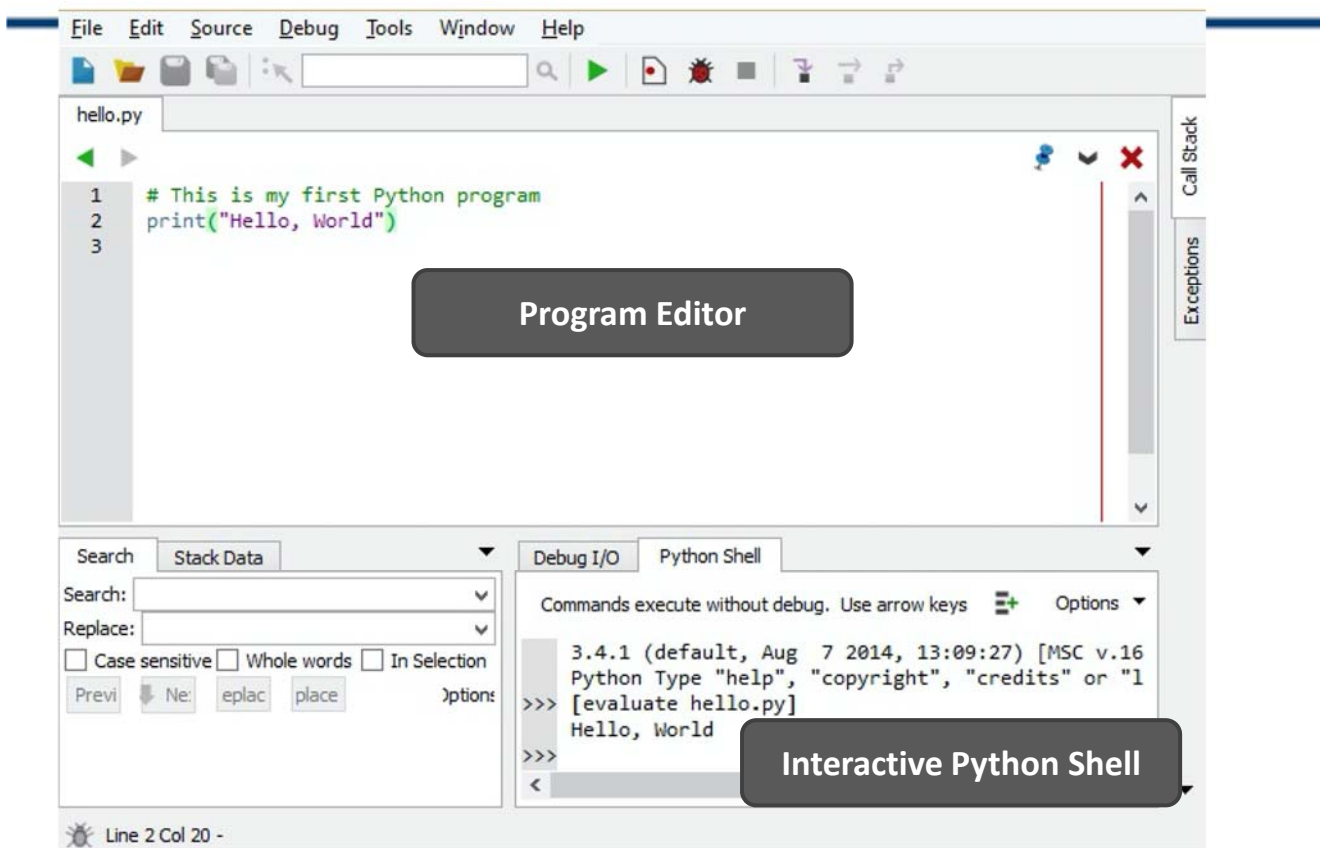
- <https://www.python.org/shell/>

Mobile IDE

- **Pydroid 3 - IDE for Python 3**
- <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=ru.iiec.pydroid3>

Let's Code!!!

Inside the Editor (Wing IDE)



Expressions – Integer Operations

```
>>> 5 + 2
```

```
7
```

```
>>> 3 * 4
```

```
12
```

```
>>> -5 + 3
```

```
-2
```

```
>>> 13 / 2
```

```
6.5
```

```
>>> 15 % 10
```

```
5
```

```
>>> 2 ** 3
```

```
8
```

Expressions – Float Operations

```
>>> 5.5 + 4.5
```

```
10.0
```

```
>>> 3.2 * 2
```

```
6.4
```

```
>>> -4.0 + 2.0
```

```
-2.0
```

```
>>> 13.0 / 2
```

```
6.5
```

```
>>> 15.0 % 2
```

```
1.0
```

```
>>> 2.0 ** 3
```

```
8.0
```

Arithmetic Operators

Operator	Symbol	Example	Result
-	Negation	-5	-5
*	Multiplication	8.5 * 2.5	21.25
/	Division	11 / 3	3.66666
%	Remainder	8.5 % 3.5	1.5
+	Addition	11 + 3	14
-	Subtraction	5 - 19	-14
**	Exponentiation	2 ** 5	32

Operators Precedence

Operator	Symbol
**	Exponentiation
-	Negation
*, /, %	Multiplication, division, and remainder
+-	Addition and subtraction

- **Example:**

```
>>> 150 - 50 * (2 + 3)
```

```
-100
```

Note: Brackets () have the highest precedence

Variables & Assignment Statement

- A **Variable** is a name with a value associated with it
- Variables **names** can use *letters, digits*, and the *underscore “_”* symbol
- You create a new variable simply by giving it a value
- **Examples:**
 - $X = 2$
 - $grade1 = 85.5$
 - $table_length = 300$
- Note that Python variables are **Case Sensitive**
 - $x \neq X$
 - $grade \neq Grade$

Variables & Assignment Statement

- An assignment statement is executed as follows:
 1. Evaluate the expression on the right of the = sign
 2. Store that value with the variable on the left of the = sign
- **Examples:**

$x = 5 + 2$	$x = 7$
$y = 12 / 5$	$y = 2.4$
$z = 12 + 5 * 2$	$z = 22$
$y = x * 2$	$y = 14$
$x = x + 1$	8
$z += 3$	$z = 25$

combined operators

Assigning Input

- The purpose of an input statement is to get some information from the user
- **Example:**
 - `x = input()`
 - `x=int(input())`
 - If the user enters 5 then $x = 5$
- Input with Prompt:
 - `grade = input ("please enter a grade:")`
- Note: the user can enter an expression
 - `x = input("Please enter an expression:")`
- If the user enters $3 + 2$ then $x = 3 + 2$

Simultaneous Assignment

- Python allows assigning values to multiple variables in 1 statement
- **Examples:**
 - `>>> x,y = 3,5`
`x = 3 and y = 5`
 - `>>> x1,y1 = input("please enter 2 numbers:").split()`
`20 30`
`X1 = 20 and y1 = 30`

The Print Function

- The purpose of the **Print** statement is to produce output to the user

- **Examples:**

```
>>> print(3 + 5)
```

```
8
```

```
>>> x = 10
```

```
>>> print(x)
```

```
10
```

The Math Library

- Python provides many other useful mathematical functions in a special **math library**
- A **library** is just a file that contains some useful functions
- To use a library you need to **import** the file
- **Example:**

```
from math import *
```

- After importing a library you can use all the functions defined inside

The Math Library

Python	Mathematics	English
<code>pi</code>	π	An approximation of pi.
<code>e</code>	e	An approximation of e .
<code>sin(x)</code>	$\sin x$	The sine of x .
<code>cos(x)</code>	$\cos x$	The cosine of x .
<code>tan(x)</code>	$\tan x$	The tangent of x .
<code>asin(x)</code>	$\arcsin x$	The inverse of sine x .
<code>acos(x)</code>	$\arccos x$	The inverse of cosine x .
<code>atan(x)</code>	$\arctan x$	The inverse of tangent x .
<code>log(x)</code>	$\ln x$	The natural (base e) logarithm of x
<code>log10(x)</code>	$\log_{10} x$	The common (base 10) logarithm of x .
<code>exp(x)</code>	e^x	The exponential of x .
<code>ceil(x)</code>	$\lceil x \rceil$	The smallest whole number $\geq x$
<code>floor(x)</code>	$\lfloor x \rfloor$	The largest whole number $\leq x$

Using the Math Library

- **The square root function (sqrt)**

```
>>> x = sqrt(9)
```

```
x = 3.0
```

- **The sin function**

```
>>> x = sin(30)
```

```
-0.9880316240928618
```

```
>>> x = radians(30)
```

```
>>> sin(x)
```

```
0.49999999999999994
```

- **pi variable**

```
>>> print(pi)
```

```
3.14159265359
```

Casting (Type Conversion)

- In Python you can convert a variable from a type to another
- To get the type of a variable use the `type(var)` function
- Example:

```
>>> x = 3
>>> type(x)
<type 'int'>
>>> x = float(x)
>>> type(x)
<type 'float'>
>>> str(1 + 3)
'4'
```

<code>float(expr(</code>	Convert expr to a floating point value
<code>int(expr(</code>	Convert expr to an integer value
<code>str(expr(</code>	Return a string representation of expr

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Input From User

```
x=input('Enter any number')
Print(x+2)
>>>TypeError: must be str, not int

x=int(input('enter num1'))
print(x+2)
>>>4
```

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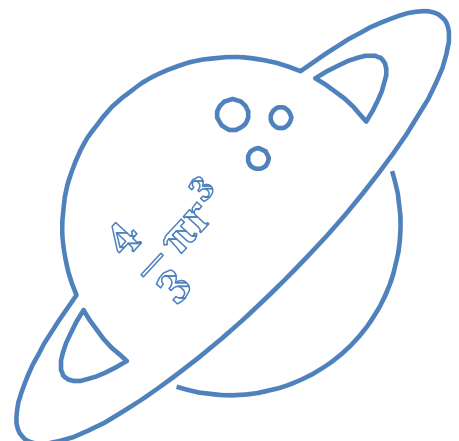
Problem 1

- Write a program to determine the length of a ladder required to reach a given height when leaned against a house
- The height and angle of the ladder are given as inputs

$$= \text{nel} \frac{\text{hgieht}}{\sin \text{elgna}}$$

Problem 2

- Write a program that asks the user for the radius of a sphere and prints its volume



Problem 3

- Write a program that asks the user for the radius of a sphere and prints its volume.
- $v = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$
- What is the volume of a sphere with a radius of 5?
- **Hint:** 392.6 is wrong!

Python Tutor

- PythonTutor is an online tool for visualizing code.
- Check it at www.pythontutor.com/visualize.html
- Remember: Python executes line by line

The screenshot displays the Python Tutor interface. On the left, a code editor shows the following Python 3.6 code:

```
Python 3.6
1 x=10
2 y=10
3
4 add=x+y
→ 5 print(x+y)
```

Below the code, there are links for [Edit code](#) and [Live programming](#). A legend indicates that a green arrow points to the line that has just executed, and a red arrow points to the next line to execute. A message states: "Click a line of code to set a breakpoint; use the Back and Forward buttons to jump there." At the bottom, there are navigation buttons: << First, < Back, Program terminated, Forward >, and Last >>.

On the right, the "Print output" window shows the value "20". Below it, the "Frames" and "Objects" panels are visible. The "Global frame" panel shows the following state:

Variable	Value
x	10
y	10
add	20



Thanks,..
See you next week isA,..

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