

CS 1110 Fall 2022

- **Outcomes:**
 - **Fluency** in (Python) procedural programming
 - Usage of assignments, conditionals, and loops
 - Ability read and test programs from specifications
 - **Competency** in object-oriented programming
 - Ability to recognize and use objects and classes
 - **Knowledge** of searching and sorting algorithms
 - Knowledge of basics of vector computation
- **Website:**
 - www.cs.cornell.edu/courses/cs1110/2022fa/

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Class Structure

- **Lectures.** Every Tuesday/Thursday
 - Not just slides; interactive demos almost every lecture
 - Because of enrollment, please stay with your section
 - **Semi-Mandatory.** 1% Participation grade from polling
- **Section/labs.** Phillips 318 or Hollister 401
 - Guided exercises with TAs and consultants helping out
 - Meets Tuesday/Thursday or Wednesday/Friday
 - **Only Phillips 318 has computers** (bring your laptop)
 - Contact Amy (ahf42@cornell.edu) for section conflicts
 - **Mandatory.** Missing more than 3 lowers your final grade

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What Do I Need for this Class?

- **Laptop Computer**
 - Capable of running Python (no ChromeBooks!)
 - Minimum of 8Gb of RAM
- **Python Installation**
 - Will be using the latest Anaconda version
 - See instructions on website for how to install
- **iClicker.** Acquire by **next Tuesday**
 - Credit for answering – even if wrong
 - iClicker App for smartphone **is not** acceptable

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Things to Do Before Next Class

- Visit the course website:
 - www.cs.cornell.edu/courses/cs1110/2021fa/
 - This IS the course syllabus, updated regularly
- Read **Get Started**
 - Enroll in **Ed Discussions**
 - Register your **iClicker** online
 - Sign into CMS and complete **Survey 0**
 - Install Python and complete **Lab 0**
 - Take the academic integrity quiz

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Getting Started with Python

- Will use the “command line”
 - OS X/Linux: **Terminal**
 - Windows: **PowerShell**
 - Purpose of the first lab
- Once installed type “python”
 - Starts an *interactive shell*
 - Type commands at >>>
 - Responds to commands
- Use it like a calculator
 - Use to evaluate *expressions*

```
Last login: Sun Aug 21 14:06:34 on tt
[mmwhite@rlyeh]~$ python
Python 3.9.12 (main, Apr  5 2022, 01:
[Clang 12.0.0 ] :: Anaconda, Inc. on
Type "help", "copyright", "credits" o
>>> 1+1
2
>>> 'Hello'+'World'
'HelloWorld'
>>> 
```

This class uses Python 3.9

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Expressions and Values

- An **expression** represents something
 - Python *evaluates it*, turning it into a **value**
 - Similar to what a calculator does
- Examples:
 - >>> 2.2
 - 2.2
 - >>> (3 * 7 + 1) * 0.1
 - 2.2



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What Are Types?

- Think about + in Python:

```
>>> 1+2  
3
```



```
>>> "Hello"+"World"  
"HelloWorld"
```

(Diagram: A bracket groups the two code snippets above, with labels "adds numerically" and "glues together" pointing to the respective results.)

- Why does + given different answers?
 - + is different on data of different *types*
 - This idea is fundamental to programming

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Example: int

- **Values:** integers
 - ..., -1, 0, 1, ...
 - Literals are just digits:
1, 45, 43028030
 - No commas or periods
- **Important Rule:**
 - *int* ops make *ints*
(if making numbers)
- What about division?
 - 1 // 2 rounds to 0
 - / is **not** an *int* op
- **Operations:** math!
 - +, - (add, subtract)
 - *, // (mult, divide)
 - ** (power-of)
- Companion op: %
 - Gives the remainder
 - 7 % 3 evaluates to 1

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Example: float

- **Values:** real numbers
 - 2.51, -0.56, 3.14159
 - Must have decimal
 - 2 is *int*, 2.0 is *float*
- **Operations:** math!
 - +, - (add, subtract)
 - *, / (mult, divide)
 - ** (power-of)
- Ops similar to *int*
- **Division** is different
 - Notice /, not //
 - 1.0/2.0 evals to 0.5
- But includes //, %
 - 5.4//2.2 evals to 2.0
 - 5.4 % 2.2 evals to 1.0
- Superset of *int*?

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Using Big float Numbers

- **Exponent notation** is useful for large (or small) values
 - -22.51e6 is -22.51 * 10⁶ or -22510000
 - 22.51e-6 is 22.51 * 10⁻⁶ or 0.00002251
- Python *prefers* this in some cases

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>>> 0.000000000001  
1e-11
```

A second kind
of float literal

Remember: values
look like literals

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Example: bool

- **Values:** True, False
 - That is it.
 - Must be capitalized!
- **Three Operations**
 - b and c
(True if **both** True)
 - b or c
(True if **at least one** is)
 - not b
(True if b is **not**)
- Made by **comparisons**
 - *int*, *float* operations
 - But produce a **bool**
- Order comparisons:
 - i < j, i <= j
 - i >= j, i > j
- Equality, inequality:
 - i == j (**not** =)
 - i != j

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Example: str

- **Values:** text, or *sequence of characters*
 - String literals must be in quotes
 - Double quotes: "Hello World!", "abcex3\$g<&"
 - Single quotes: 'Hello World!', 'abcex3\$g<&'
- **Operation:** + (catenation, or concatenation)
 - 'ab' + 'cd' evaluates to 'abcd'
 - concatenation can only apply to strings
 - 'ab' + 2 produces an **error**

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