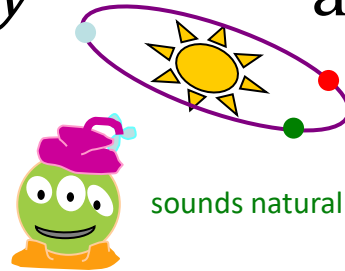


Coding in *circles*!

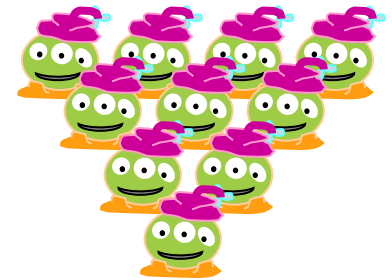
Thinking *loopily* and *cumulatively*

for a while



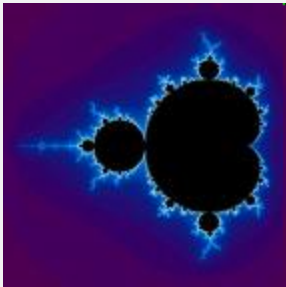
sounds natural to me!

+=



Today *Loops* have arrived...

Next week: putting loops to good use:



What we give you on the midterm...

Hmmm Instructions

System instructions

halt Stop!
read rX Place user input in register rX
write rX Print contents of register rX
nop Do nothing

Setting register data

setn rX N Set register rX equal to the integer N (-128 to +127)
addn rX N Add integer N (-128 to 127) to register rX
copy rX rY Set rX = rY

Arithmetic

add rX rY rZ Set rX = rY + rZ
sub rX rY rZ Set rX = rY - rZ
neg rX rY Set rX = -rY
mul rX rY rZ Set rX = rY * rZ
div rX rY rZ Set rX = rY // rZ (integer division; rounds down; no remainder)
mod rX rY rZ Set rX = rY % rZ (returns the remainder of integer division)

Jumps!

jumpn N Set program counter to address N
jumpr rX Set program counter to address in rX
jeqzn rX N If rX == 0, then jump to line N
jnezn rX N If rX != 0, then jump to line N
jgtzn rX N If rX > 0, then jump to line N
jltzn rX N If rX < 0, then jump to line N
calln rX N Copy addr. of next instr. into rX and then jump to mem. addr. N

Interacting with memory (RAM)

pushr rX rY Store contents of register rX onto stack pointed to by reg. rY
popr rX rY Load contents of register rX from stack pointed to by reg. rY
loadn rX N Load register rX with the contents of memory address N
storen rX N Store contents of register rX into memory address N
loadr rX rY Load register rX with data from the address location held in reg. rY
storer rX rY Store contents of register rX into memory address held in reg. rY

Useful Python Functions

The following are Python functions we've created in assignments or built-in functions that you may find useful. You can use these functions in answers you write without needing to define/explain them.

abs(x) Returns the absolute value of x
count(e, L) Returns the number of times e appears in L
ind(e, L) Returns the index of the first occurrence of e in L
len(L) Returns the number of elements in L
max(L) Returns the largest element in L
min(L) Returns the smallest element in L
removeAll(e, L) Removes all occurrences of e from L
removeOne(e, L) Removes the first occurrence of e from L
removeUpto(e, L) Removes all elements from L up to and including the first occurrence of e
sort(L) Returns a new list with the elements of L sorted
sum(L) Returns the sum of the elements in L

Jumping for Conditionals

```
00  read r1
01  read r2
02  sub r3 r1 r2
03  jltzn r3 07
04  write r2
05  write r1
06  jumpn 09
07  write r1
08  write r2
09  halt
```

Hmmm — Assembly

```
100 INPUT X
110 INPUT Y

130 IF X < Y THEN GOTO 170
140 PRINT Y
150 PRINT X
160 GOTO 190
170 PRINT X
180 PRINT Y
190 STOP
```

BASIC — Dartmouth College, 1963

Jumping for Conditionals

```
x = int(input())
y = int(input())

if not x < y:
    print(y)
    print(x)
else:
    print(x)
    print(y)
```

Python

```
100 INPUT X
110 INPUT Y

130 IF X < Y THEN GOTO 170
140 PRINT Y
150 PRINT X
160 GOTO 190
170 PRINT X
180 PRINT Y
190 STOP
```

BASIC — Dartmouth College, 1963

Factorial Revisited

```
00 read r1
01 setn r2 1
02 jeqzn r1 06
03 mul r2 r2 r1
04 addn r1 -1
05 jumpn 02
06 write r2
07 halt
```

Hmmm — Assembly

```
100 INPUT N
110 LET R = 1
120 IF N == 0 THEN GOTO 160
130 LET R = R * N
140 LET N = N - 1
150 GOTO 120
160 PRINT R
170 STOP
```

BASIC — Dartmouth College, 1963

Factorial Revisited

The epic battle for
"Structured Programming"

```
00 read r1
01 setn r2 1
02 jeazn r1 06
03 m
04 a
05 j
06 w
07 k
```

```
100 INPUT N
110 LET R = 1
120 IF N == 0 THEN GOTO 160
130 LET R = R * N
```

Letters to the Editor

Go To Statement Considered Harmful

Key Words and Phrases: go to statement, jump instruction, branch instruction, conditional clause, alternative clause, repetitive clause, program intelligibility, program sequencing

CR Categories: 4.22, 5.23, 5.24

EDITOR:

For a number of years I have been familiar with the observation that the quality of programmers is a decreasing function of the density of **go to** statements in the programs they produce. More recently I discovered why the use of the **go to** statement has such disastrous effects, and I became convinced that the **go to** statement should be abolished from all "higher level" programming languages (i.e. every language that is not a machine language).

dynamic progress is only c
call of the

"GOTO Considered Harmful" Considered Harmful

The most-noted item ever published in *Communications* was a letter from Edsger W. Dijkstra

"GOTO Considered Harmful" Considered Harmful" Considered Harmful?

I enjoyed Frank Rubin's letter ("GOTO Considered Harmful" Considered Harmful," March 1987, pp. 185-186).

"Go To Statement Considered Harmful" [1] which attempted to give a reason why the **go to** statement might be harmful. Although the argument was semantic and unconvincing, its failure to have become fixed in programming

Hm

Factorial Revisited

The epic battle for
...whatever...

```
00 read r1
01 setn r2 1
02 jeazn r1 06
03 m
04
```

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100 INPUT N
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```

“Considered Harmful” Essays Considered Harmful

It is not uncommon, in the context of academic debates over computer science and Web standards, to see one or more “considered harmful” essays. These essays have existed in some form or another for decades, but it has become obvious that their time has passed. Because “considered harmful” essays are often written by people who are productive both in terms of encouraging discussion and in terms of producing useful code, it is not surprising that the words, “considered harmful” essays can

“Considered Harmful” essays considered harmful

Okay, that title is a bit of a brain twister. Hear me out though, I promise I'll eventually make some kind of sense. Since the late 60's, a type of computer-related essays, namely so-called “considered harmful” essays, became a thing. Considered harmful essays are all about writing page up and page down about why something programmatic is a bad idea. The first considered harmful essay, at least the first somewhat mainstream one, was called “Go To Statements Considered Harmful”. It was called “Go To Statements Considered Harmful” because some really m

What Are “Considered Harmful” Essays?

The [Jargon File](#) has a [short entry](#) on “considered harmful” essays.

Edsger W. Dijkstra's note in the March 1968 issue of the first salvo in the structured programming debate, supplied by CACM's editor, Niklaus Wirth.

Factorial Revisited

Invent the *while* loop...
Lots in common with *if*

```
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120 IF N == 0 THEN GOTO 160
130 LET R = R * N
140 LET N = N - 1
150 GOTO 120
160 PRINT R
170 STOP
```

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```
n = int(input())
r = 1
while n != 0:
    r = r * n
    n = n - 1

print(r)
```

Python

Two ways to program...

Imperative code!

- Inspired by machine
- Modify old variables
- Repeat using loops

What we're doing now...

Functional code!

- Inspired by math
- Make new variables
- Repeat using recursion

What did in week one...

A common pattern...

```
foods = ["apple", "banana", "cherry"]
```

```
i = 0  
while i < len(foods):  
    food = foods[i]  
    print(food)  
    i = i + 1
```

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```
foods = ["apple", "banana", "cherry"]
```

```
i = 0
while i < len(foods):
    food = foods[i]
    print(food)
    i = i + 1
```

```
for food in foods:
    print(food)
```

Invent the **for** loop...
A better way?

for loops: four examples...

This slide is
four for for!



For loops define and
assign a variable!!!

The variable has
each value in turn
from some sequence

```
for i in [0,1,2]:  
    print("i is", i)
```

There's an indented
block of code it'll
execute each time

Imperative design in Python

for

```
for x in [40,41,42]:  
    print(x)
```

while

```
x = 42  
while x > 0:  
    print(x)  
    x -= 1
```

Loops!

variables vary

a lot!

x = 41

x += 1

addn r1 1

the initial value is often not
the one we want in the end

But we change it as we go...

for loops: four examples...

This slide is
four for **for**!



```
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```

For loops define and
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four for **for**!



```
for i in [0,1,2]:  
    print("i is", i)
```

```
i is 0  
i is 1  
i is 2
```

For loops define and
assign a variable!!



for loops: four examples...

```
for i in [0,1,2]:  
    print("i is", i)
```

[0,1,2]

```
for i in range(0,3):  
    print("i is", i)
```

```
i is 0  
i is 1  
i is 2
```

For loops define and
assign a variable!!!



for loops: four examples...

```
for i in [0,1,2]:  
    print("i is", i)
```

```
for i in range(0,3):  
    print("i is", i)
```

[0,1,2]

i is 0

i is 1

i is 2

```
for x in [2,5,2024]:  
    print("x is", x)
```

x is 2

x is 5

x is 2024

```
for i in    
    print('Happy birthday!')
```

How could we get
this to run 42 times?

There are a *range* of answers to this one...



for loops: four examples...

```
for i in [0,1,2]:  
    print("i is", i)
```

```
for i in range(0,3):  
    print("i is", i)
```

[0,1,2]

i is 0

i is 1

i is 2

```
for x in [2,5,2024]:  
    print("x is", x)
```

x is 2

x is 5

x is 2024

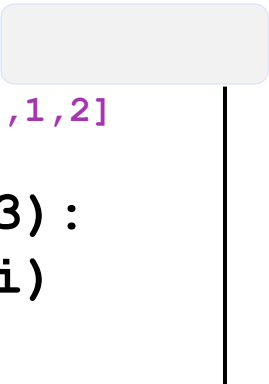
```
for i in range(42)  
    print('Happy birthday!')
```

How could we get
this to run 42 times?

range(1,43)
range(0,42)

There are a *range* of answers to this one...

for fun(ctions)



```
def funA():  
    for i in range(0,3):  
        print("i is", i)  
    return
```

[0,1,2]

```
def funB():  
    for i in range(0,3):  
        print("i is", i)  
    return
```

[0,1,2]

for fun(ctions)

```
def funA():  
    for i in range(0,3):  
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    return
```

[0,1,2]

```
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    for i in range(0,3):  
        print("i is", i)  
    return
```

[0,1,2]

for vs. return?
Who wins???

Epic keyword battle...

for fun(ctions)

```
def funA():  
    for i in range(0,3):  
        print("i is", i)  
    return
```

[0,1,2]

```
def funB():  
    for i in range(0,3):  
        print("i is", i)  
    return
```

[0,1,2]

return
Wins!

return?
wins???

keyword battle...

for fun(ctions)

```
def funA():  
    for i in range(0,3):  
        print("i is", i)  
    return
```

[0,1,2]

↑
outside
the
loop



```
i is 0  
i is 1  
i is 2
```

return!

```
def funB():  
    for i in range(0,3):  
        print("i is", i)  
    return
```

[0,1,2]

→
inside
the
loop!



```
i is 0
```

return!

```
def fun1():
    for i in range(1,6):
        if i%2 == 0:
            print("i is", i)
    return
```

of times the
for loop runs?

of times the
if-test is True?

```
def fun3():
    for i in range(1,6):
        if i%2 == 0:
            print("i is", i)
    return
```

```
def fun2():
    for i in range(1,6):
        if i%2 == 0:
            print("i is", i)
    return
```

```
def fun4():
    for i in range(1,6):
        if i%2 == 0:
            print("i is", i)
    return
```

four fors

what prints:

A

no printing...

The loop runs 1 time,
then the function returns
i=1, i=2, i=3, i=4, i=5

The if-test is never True

what prints:

B

**syntax
error**

The loop never runs...
The function never runs...

The if-test never runs

what prints:

C

i is 2

The loop runs 2 times,
then the function returns
i=1, i=2, i=3, i=4, i=5

The if-test is True 1 time

what prints:

D

**i is 2
i is 4**

The loop runs 5 times,
then the function returns
i=1, i=2, i=3, i=4, i=5

The if-test is True 2 times

```
def fun1():
    for i in range(1,6):
        if i%2 == 0:
            print("i is", i)
    return
```

of times the
for loop runs?

of times the
if-test is True?

D

```
def fun3():
    for i in range(1,6):
        if i%2 == 0:
            print("i is", i)
    return
```

A

```
def fun2():
    for i in range(1,6):
        if i%2 == 0:
            print("i is", i)
    return
```

C

```
def fun4():
    for i in range(1,6):
        if i%2 == 0:
            print("i is", i)
    return
```

B

four fors

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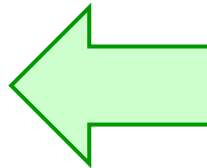
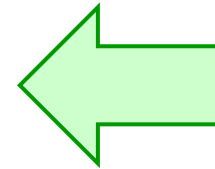
Iterative design in Python

for

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for x in [40,41,42]:  
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```

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```
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    x -= 1
```



Loops!

variables **vary**

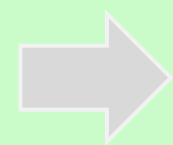
a lot!

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x += 1

the initial value is often not the one we want in the end

But we change it as we go...



addn r1 1



!

That's why they're called *variables*

`age = 41`
The "old" value (41)

`age = age + 1`
The "new" value (42)

Only in code can one's
newer age be older than
one's older age...!



`age += 1`

`age *= 2`
`age -= 74`
`age /= 7`

Echoes from Hmmm:

`05 addn r1 1`

That's why they're called *variables*

```
age = 41
```

The "old" value (41)

```
age = age + 1
```

The "new" value (42)

Only in code can one's newer age be older than one's older age...!



```
age += 1
```

Python shortcuts

```
hwToGo = 7  
hwToGo = hwToGo - 1
```

```
hwToGo -= 1
```

```
amoebas = 21000000  
amoebas = amoebas * 2
```

```
amoebas *= 2
```

```
u235 = 8400000000000000000;  
u235 = u235 / 2
```

```
u235 /= 2
```

for!

It's what the fox
says: *Duck!*



1 x is assigned each value
from this sequence

```
for x in [2, 4, 6, 8]:  
    print('x is', x)
```

3

LOOP back to
the top for
EACH value in
the list

2 the BODY or BLOCK of the
for loop runs with that x

```
print('Done!')
```

4 Code AFTER the loop will not run
until the loop is finished.

This is the #1 for-loop error! (what? why?)

anatomy?

empty?

x unused?

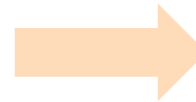
Hmmm

Recursive Hmmm
factorial, hw6pr4

```
00 setn r15 42
01 read r1
02 calln r14 5
03 write r13
04 halt
05 jnezn r1 8
06 setn r13 1
07 jumpr r14
08 pushr r14 r15
09 pushr r1 r15
10 addn r1 -1
11 calln r14 5
12 popr r1 r15
13 popr r14 r15
14 mul r13 r1 r13
15 jumpr r14
```

Loops!

Functional
programming



Iterative
programming

Looping Hmmm factorial,
similar to hw6pr2 and pr3

```
00 read r1
01 setn r2 1
02 jeqzn r1 06
03 mul r2 r2 r1
04 addn r1 -1
05 jumpn 02
06 write r2
07 halt
```

Hmmm... I think I'll
take Python!



four questions for **for**

what list is this!?

find the sum of the list?

printing partial sums?

factorial function?

```
for x in range(1, 8) :
```

```
    print('x is', x)
```

four questions for **for**

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find the sum of the list?

printing partial sums?

factorial function?

[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7]

```
for x in range(1, 8):
```

```
print('x is', x)
```

tsum with for

how to use N?

find the sum of the list?

printing partial sums?

create factorial?!

Four questions...



```
def tsum( N ) :
```

```
    for x in range( 1, 5 ) :
```

```
        print( "x is", x )
```


tsum with for

```
def tsum( N ) :  
    result = 0  
    for x in range( 0 , N+1 ) :  
        result = result + x  
    return result
```



Hey!? This is *not*
the right answer...
YET

← thought experiments w/ return →

fac with for

fac (5) :

We want to return **1 * 2 * 3 * 4 * 5**

fac with for

fac (5) :

We want to return **1 * 2 * 3 * 4 * 5**

fac (N) :

We want to return **1 * 2 * 3 * ... * N**

fac with for

how to use N?

find the sum of the list?

printing partial sums?

create factorial?!

Four questions...



```
def fac ( N ) :
```

```
    for x in range (      ) :
```

```
        return result
```

fac with for

```
def fac( N ) :  
    result = 1  
    for x in range(1, N+1) :  
        result = result * x  
    return result
```



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YET

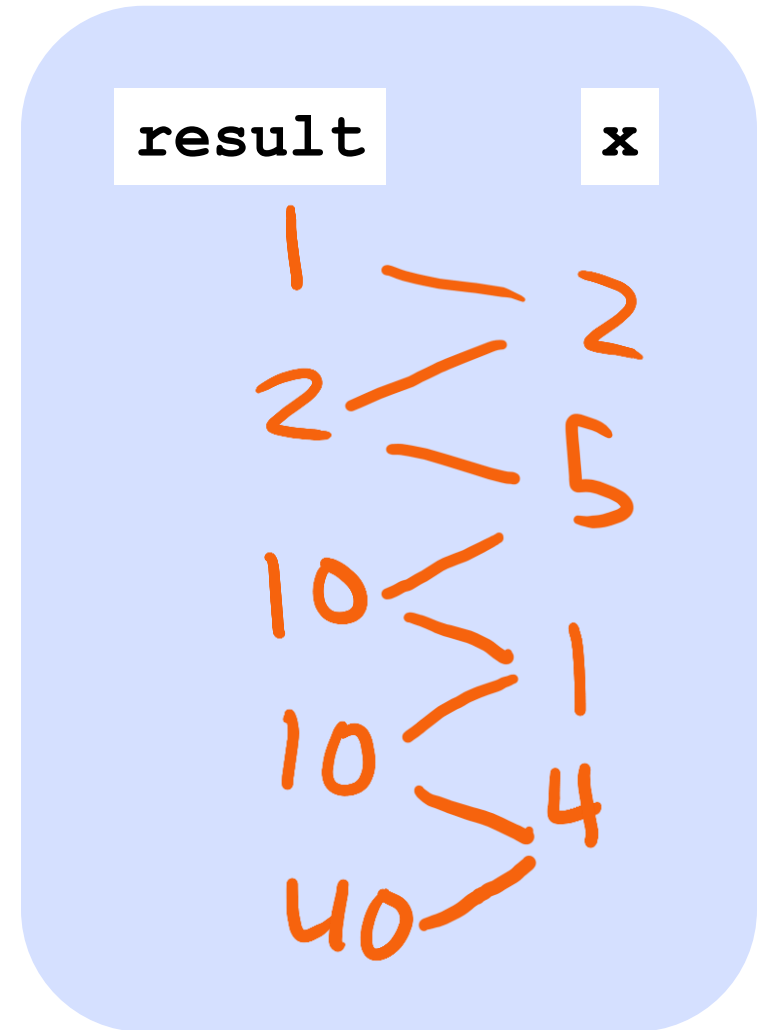
← thought experiments w/ return →

for-loop "laddering"

Warning: **no one**
else uses this term...



```
result = 1
for x in [2, 5, 1, 4]:
    result *= x
print(result)
```



↓ meets up with
Jacob's ladder

Fun!

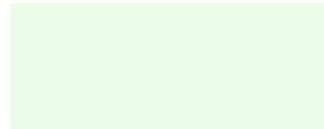
What does the loop say?

```
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24  
S = 'time to think this over! '
```

```
result = '' [0,1,2,...,24]
```

```
for i in range(len(S)):  
    if S[i-1] == ' ':  
        result += S[i]
```

```
print(result)
```



Looks like a four-'t' "to" to me!



res.

S[i-1]

S[i]

i

0

1

2

3

4

5

6

7

8

Fun!

What does the loop say?

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```

```
print(result)
```

ttto

Looks like a four-'t' "to" to me!



res.

S[i-1]

S[i]

i

' '	't'	0
't'	'i'	1
'i'	'm'	2
'm'	'e'	3
'e'	' '	4
' '	't'	5
't'	'o'	6
'o'	' '	7
' '	't'	8

Fun!

What does the loop say?

```
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24  
S = 'time to think this over! '
```

```
result = ''  
for i in list(range(len(S))):  
    if S[i-1] == ' ':  
        result += S[i]  
  
print(result)
```

[0,1,2,...,24]

25

'tttto'

Looks like a four-'t' "to" to me!



change
' ' to 'i'

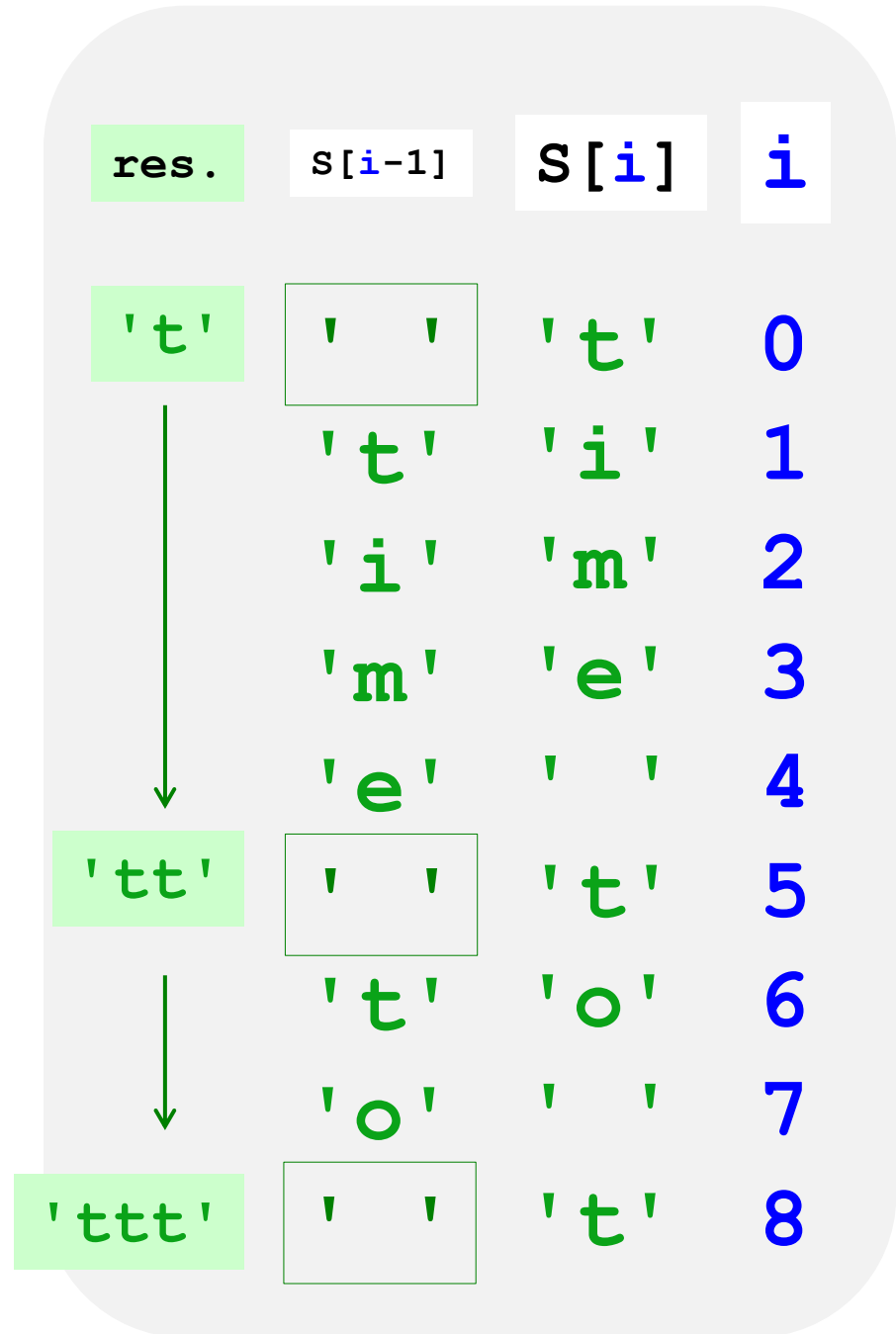
Extra! How could you change
one character above to yield mns

change
1 to 4


or another
to yield etnsr

change
- to +

or another
to yield eoks!



for: *two types*

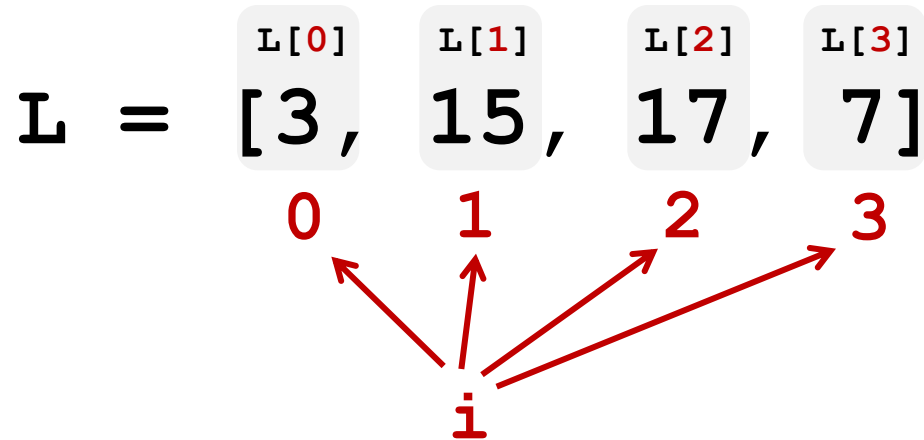
`L = [3, 15, 17, 7]`


Elements vs **Indexes**
Indices

```
for x in L:  
    print(x)
```

element-based loops

for: *two types*



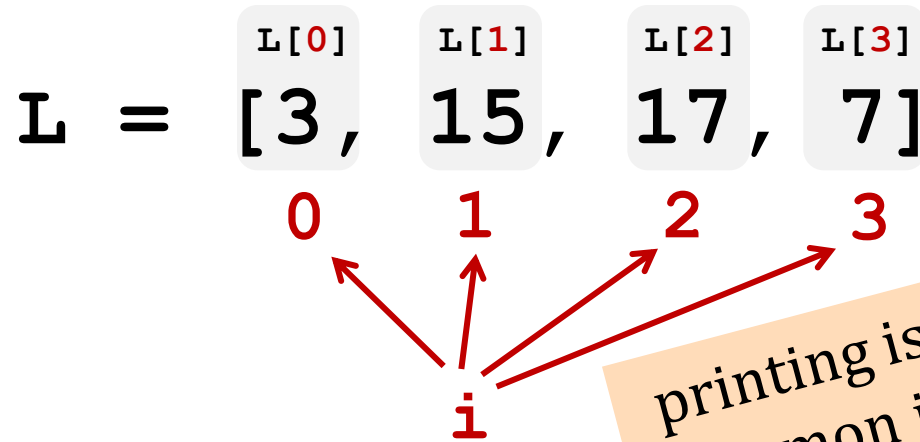
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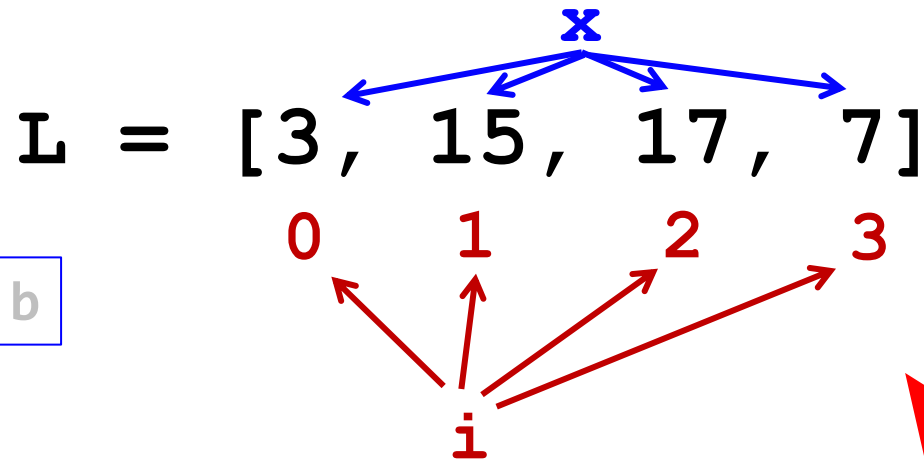
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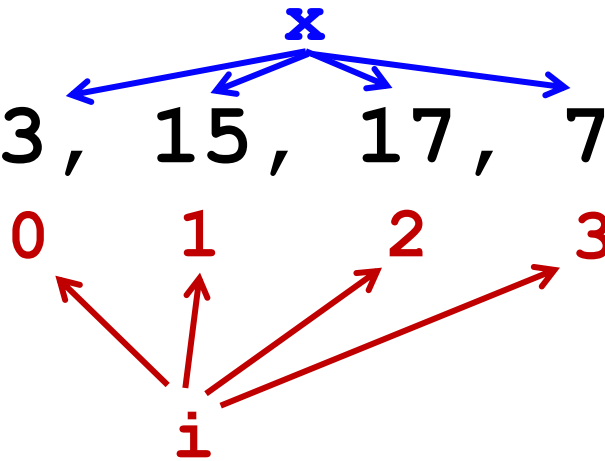
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    return total
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$L = [3, 15, 17, 7]$



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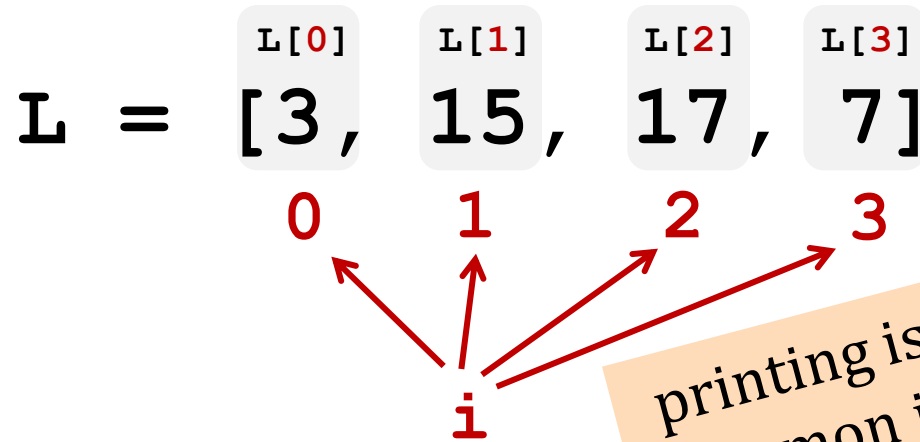
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Elements vs Indexes

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```
print('It keeps on')
```

continuing `if`

```
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while
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body



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the loop keeps on running
as long as the test is **True**

other tests we
could use here?

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This won't print until the while loop finishes -
In this case, it **never** prints!

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```
while True:  
    print('going and')
```

a "while True" loop

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while we escape?!

```
import random
```

```
def escape( N ):
    """ keeps guessing! """
    guess = 0
    while guess != 42:
        print('Help! Let me out!')
        guess = random.choice([41, 42, 43])
    print('At last!')
    return count
```

starting value, **not** the final or desired value!

test to see if we keep looping

watch out for infinite loops!

after the loop ends

Yikes! How should we count here?!

