

List Methods append(item) count(item) extend(list) index(item) insert(position, item) pop(position) remove(item) reverse() sort()	os lib Variables (cont) sep Path separator Registered OS names: "posix", "nt", "mac", "os2", "ce", "java", "riscos"	Class Special Methods __new__(cls) __init__(self, args) __del__(self) __repr__(self) __str__(self) __cmp__(self, other) __index__(self) __hash__(self) __getattr__(self, name) __setattr__(self, name, attr) __lt__(self, other) __le__(self, other) __gt__(self, other) __ge__(self, other) __eq__(self, other) __ne__(self, other) __nonzero__(self) __delattr__(self, name) __call__(self, args, kwargs)	String Methods (cont) endswith(sub) expandtabs() find(sub, start, end) isalnum()* isalpha()* isdigit()* islower()* isspace()* istitle()* isupper()* join() ljust(width) lower()* lstrip() partition(sep) replace(old, new) rfind(sub, start, end) rindex(sub, start, end) rjust(width) rpartition(sep) rsplit(sep) rstrip() split(sep) splitlines() startswith(sub) strip() swapcase()* title()* translate(table) upper()* zfill(width)
List Slices and Indexes len(a) 6 a[0] 0 a[5] 5 a[-1] 5 a[-2] 4 a[1:] [1,2,3,4,5] a[:5] [0,1,2,3,4] a[:-2] [0,1,2,3] a[1:3] [1,2] a[1:-1] [1,2,3,4] b=a[:] Shallow copy of a Indexes and Slices of a. a=[0,1,2,3,4,5]	Operations on Dicts d.update(d2) d.keys() d.values() d.items() d.pop(key[,default]) d.popitem() d.get(key[,default]) d.setdefault(key[,default]) d.clear() del d[key] d[key] = value	Datetime Methods today() now(timezoneinfo) utcnow() fromtimestamp(timestamp) utcfromtimestamp(timestamp) fromordinal(ordinal) combine(date, time) strftime(date, format)	Operations on Sets union & intersection - ^ difference/symmetric diff < <= > >= inclusion relations s.update(s2 s.add(key))) s.copy() s.discard(key) s.pop() s.clear()
os lib Variables altsep Alternative sep curdir Current dir string defpath Default search path devnull Path of null device extsep Extension separator linesep Line separator name Name of OS pardir Parent dir string pathsep Patch separator	Time Methods replace() isoformat() __str__() strftime(format) utcoffset() dst() tzname()	String Methods capitalize()* center(width) countr(sub, start, end) decode() encode()	Methods marked * are locale dependant for 8-bit strings.



File Methods

close()
flush()
fileno()
isatty()
next()
read(size)
readline(size)
readlines(size)
seek(offset)
tell()
truncate(size)
write(string)
writelines(list)

Date Formatting

%a Abbreviated weekday (Sun)
%A Weekday (Sunday)
%b Abbreviated month name (Jan)
%B Month name (January)
%c Date and time
%d Day (leading zeros) (01 to 31)
%H 24 hour (leading zeros) (00 to 23)
%I 12 hour (leading zeros) (01 to 12)
%j Day of year (001 to 366)
%m Month (01 to 12)
%M Minute (00 to 59)
%p AM or PM
%S Second (00 to 61⁴)
%U Week number¹ (00 to 53)
%w Weekday² (0 to 6)
%W Week number³ (00 to 53)
%x Date
%X Time

Date Formatting (cont)

%y Year without century (00 to 99)
%Y Year (2008)
%Z Time zone (GMT)
%% A literal "%" character (%)
¹ Sunday as start of week. All days in a new year preceding the first Sunday are considered to be in week 0.
² 0 is Sunday, 6 is Saturday.
³ Monday as start of week. All days in a new year preceding the first Monday are considered to be in week 0.
⁴ This is not a mistake. Range takes account of leap and double-leap seconds.

sys lib Variables and sys.args

argv Command line args
builtin_module_names Linked C modules
byteorder Native byte order
check_interval Signal check frequency
exec_prefix Root directory
executable Name of executable
exitfunc Exit function name
modules Loaded modules
path Search path
platform Current platform
stdin, stdout, stderr File objects for I/O

sys lib Variables and sys.args (cont)

version_info Python version info
winver Version number
sys.argv[0] foo.py
sys.argv[1] bar
sys.argv[2] -c
sys.argv[3] qux
sys.argv[4] --h
sys.argv for the command:
\$ python foo.py bar -c qux --h

