

# CSC108H Lecture 16

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# Tuples

- ▶ Like lists
  - ▶ Sequences, subscript, slices
- ▶ Not like lists
  - ▶ Only `count` and `index` methods
  - ▶ Created with parentheses (not brackets)
  - ▶ Immutable
- ▶ Provide data integrity (e.g. no possible changes through aliasing)

# Uppercase List and While

Use a while-loop to write both of these:

- (1) Given a list of strings, write a function that returns a list that contains all of these strings in uppercase. Do **not** modify the original list.
- (2) Given a list of strings, write a function that modifies the list so that all strings are in uppercase. Do **not** return the list.

# ConcepTest

```
def find(lst, value):  
    '''(list, value) -> int  
    Return the first occurrence of value in lst.  
    If value is not found, return -1.  
  
    >>> find([20, 40, 60], 40)  
    1  
    '''  
    i = 0  
    num = lst[i]  
    while num != value:  
        i = i + 1  
        num = lst[i]  
    if i < len(lst):  
        return i  
    return -1
```

In what situation does the above code fail?

- ▶ A. It never fails
- ▶ B. It fails when the list is empty
- ▶ C. It fails when the value is not found in the list
- ▶ D. Both B and C will fail

## Example 1: Find

```
def find(lst, value):  
    '''(list, value) -> int  
    Return the first occurrence of value in lst.  
    If value is not found, return -1.  
  
    >>> find([20, 40, 60], 40)  
    1  
    '''
```

Several ways to solve this:

1. Using a boolean operator in the while-loop condition
2. Using a return inside the loop

## ConceptTest

To represent groups of students, we can use nested list. For example, in the following list, students 1, 3, and 4 are together in a group, and student 2 is working alone:

```
[[1, 3, 4], [2]]
```

```
def is_ok(group_list, class_list):  
    '''(list of list of int, list of int) -> bool  
    Return True iff every student in class_list is in exactly  
    one group according to group_list.  
    '''
```

Which call would return True?

- ▶ A. `is_ok([[1, 2], [2, 3]], [1, 2, 3])`
- ▶ B. `is_ok([[1, 2], [4]], [1, 2, 3])`
- ▶ C. `is_ok([], [1, 2, 3])`
- ▶ D. `is_ok([[1, 2], [4]], [1, 2, 3, 4])`
- ▶ E. None will return True

## Example 2: Student Groups

```
def is_ok(group_list, class_list):  
    '''(list of list of int, list of int) -> bool  
    Return True iff every student in class_list is in exactly  
    one group according to group_list.  
  
>>> is_ok([[1, 3, 4], [2]], [1, 2, 3, 4])  
True  
,,
```

## Example 3: Column Sums

```
def sums(lst):  
    '''(list of list of int) -> list of int  
    Return a new list that contains the sum of each column  
    in lst. All sublists are of the same length.  
  
    >>> sums([[5, 10, 15], [1, 2, 3]])  
    [6, 12, 18]  
    '''
```