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Outlines

- Data Abstraction
- Course Review
- Questions

Data Abstraction

- Representing the essential features of something without including background or inessential detail.
- The **process** of deciding which parts of the implementation that should be **hidden**.

Ex1-Plotting Points

- Given points data ('euclidean', x, y) in a text file, you want to plot the points:
 - Save each point as a tuple
 - Make all the points as a list
 - Print all the points
 - Plot them
- What are the necessary functions?

Plotting Points

- Now the supplied input file changes its format, ('euclidean', x, y) \rightarrow ('polar', r, theta)
- Which part of the code will break?

Plotting Points

- Modify your code to accept the new type of data.
- Note how many parts you need to change!

Plotting Points

- Now says your clients take the point data and implement the plot function by themselves.
- You don't want to bother them every time the input format is changed.
- Can we reduce the amount of modification?
- Evaluate the necessary components of each function.
- What data can be abstract to concept?

Plotting Points

- Now the data format changes again:
(`'polar', r, theta`) → (`color, 'polar', r, theta`)
- Modify your code to accept the new type of data.
- Note how many parts you need to change!

Ex2-Fraction Operation

- Input: tuples of (n,d)
- You want to implement some basic fraction operation such as plus, product, and equal.
- How would you plan the data and function to increase maintainability?

Course Review

- Manipulation with basic data types:
 - List, set, dictionary, number
- List slice and comprehension
- Integer/floating point calculation
- If, for, function
- English to code
- Sequence of expression evaluation
- Visualize stack environment
- How do you test the program?

Ex3-Calculate STD

```
import math
```

```
Import numpy as np
```

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

```
def mean ( input ):
```

```
    return sum(input)/float(len(input))
```

```
def sqr ( x ):
```

```
    return x*x
```

```
def std( input ):
```

```
    m = mean( input )
```

```
    var = [ sqr(i-m) for i in input ]
```

```
    return math.sqrt( sum(var)/float(len(var)) )
```

```
mean(data)
```

```
std(data)
```

```
assert std(data) == np.std(data)
```

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Questions?