INTRO TO PROGRAMMING WITH PYTHON

FUNDAMENTALS: PROGRAMMING IRL

Friday, February 7 2024 TOH210



COLAB WORKBOOK

Overview + how to fill out workbook Link: click for access

These are our **CLASS NOTES**. They allow us to run code chunks and type in text (sort of like a Word doc that lets you also code)

These are NEVER due. They help to solidify your learning, so make sure to complete them outside of class if we don't finish them during.





Ummm yeah is no one else concerned about this? Well at least it won't scare off all our customers









Discuss with your group, taking notes as you go. Once you've discussed, have some folks add answers to the board for what you can do with CS, and one person answer what CS is.



Sooo what is computer science then?

Yeah! And what can you do with it?











>> computer science involves working with people to use computers to solve problems







GRAPHICS

game design + GIS = virtual reality

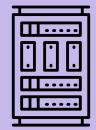
OPERATING SYSTEM

connected + parallel = cloud computing



ARCHITECTURE

supercomputers + parallel computing = weather forecasting

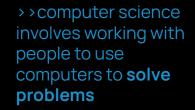




HUMAN-COMPUTER INTERACTION

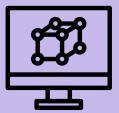
NLP+ voice recognition = virtual assistant

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COMPUTATIONAL SCIENCE

simulation+ scientific method = molecular structure





WEB DESIGN

website + software

= social media



ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

image classification + EMR

= disease diagnosis



INFORMATION STORAGE

optimization + large datasets = big data



encryption + data

= cryptography



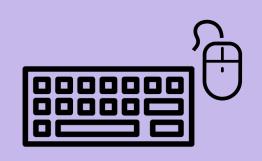
WHAT MAKES UP A COMPUTER?

What are some of the various components of a computer? If you were to build a computer, what would you need to source to do so?



MAIN COMPONENTS OF COMPUTER HARDWARE

Hardware is the physical parts of a computer and all work in tandem to run your machine. As computers grow smaller and smaller, hardware components have to scale appropriately by decreasing their size, generating less heat, and using less power.



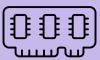
INPUT DEVICES

gather data, similar to your eyes/ears



MEMORY

stores data



PROCESSORS

examine/alter data, similar to your brain

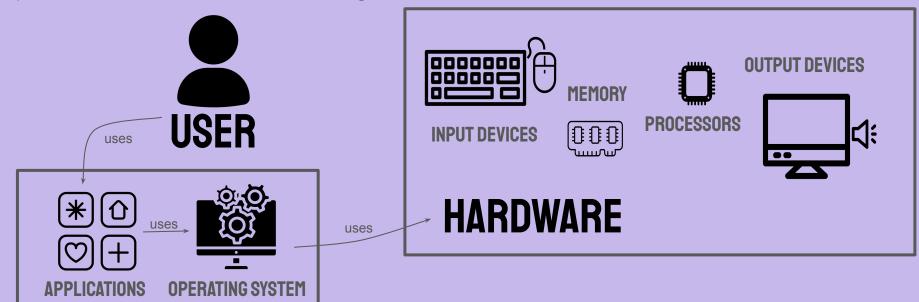


show results of processor's alterations, similar to how you speak/act after deciding what to do



A COMPUTER'S SYSTEM IS BROKEN DOWN INTO TWO CATEGORIES: HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE

Hardware are the visible components, and software are the sets of instructions which manage and/or allow the hardware to perform tasks. In other words, **software are where algorithms live**.



SOFTWARE



Discuss with your group, taking notes as you go. Once you've discussed, have two people add at least two answers to the board.

HOW DO WE GET BETTER AT THINGS?

Think of something you're good at. How did you to where you are at now?













BREAK YOUR CODE

throw in weird values and see what happens, or try rewriting



ASK OTHERS

check in with peers to see how they approach a task. seeing how different people problem solve is a great way to boost your own knowledge base!

WORKBOOK TIME!





Finish workbook (not graded)



Reading + Reflection 1 due Reading + Reflection

Monday at midnight



About Me due Tuesday at midnight

