

# WHAT ARE PYTHON LISTS?

- A list is a collection of elements.
- Lists can contain any data type: integers, strings, booleans, etc.
- Key Characteristics:
  - - Ordered
  - - Mutable (can be changed)
  - - Can contain duplicate values.





## SYNTAX EXAMPLE: CREATING A LIST

- Lists are created using square brackets [].
- Example:
- ```
python  
a = [1, 2, 3]  
print(a) # Output: [1, 2, 3]  
print(type(a)) # Output: <class 'list'>  
``
```
- Here, `a` is a list with three elements.



```
response = requests.get(url) # load from the website
# checking response.status_code (if you get 502, try
response.status_code != 200:
    print(f"Status: {response.status_code} - Try re
else:
    print(f"Status: {response.status_code}\n")
# using BeautifulSoup to parse the response object
soup = BeautifulSoup(response.content, "html.parser")
# finding Post images in the soup
images = soup.find_all("img", attrs={"alt": "Post ima
# downloading images
i = 0
images:
```

## ACCESSING SINGLE VALUES

- Use index to access individual elements.
- Indexing starts from 0.
- Example:
- ```python  
print(a[0]) # Output: 1  
print(a[1]) # Output: 2  
```



# LISTS WITH DIFFERENT DATA TYPES

- Lists can hold different data types.
- Example:
- ```
python  
marks = [3, 4, 5, 6, "Harry", True, 45.6]  
...
```
- This list contains integers, strings, booleans, and floats.





# ACCESS BY POSITIVE & NEGATIVE INDEX

- Positive Index: Starts from 0 (left to right).
- Negative Index: Starts from -1 (right to left).
- Examples:
- `python`  
`print(a[0])` # Output: 1  
`print(a[-1])` # Output: 3  
`...`





# CHECKING IF VALUE EXISTS IN LIST

- Use `in` keyword to check for existence of a value.
- Example:
- ```
python
a = [1, 2, 3]
if 1 in a:
    print("Found")
else:
    print("Not Found")
...
```





# LIST SLICING (RANGE)

- Access a range of elements using slicing.
- Syntax: `list[start:stop:step]`
- Examples:
- `python`  
`print(a[0:2])` # Output: [1, 2]  
`print(a[1:])` # Output: [2, 3]  
`print(a[:2])` # Output: [1, 3]  
`...`





# LIST COMPREHENSION

- Concise way to create lists.

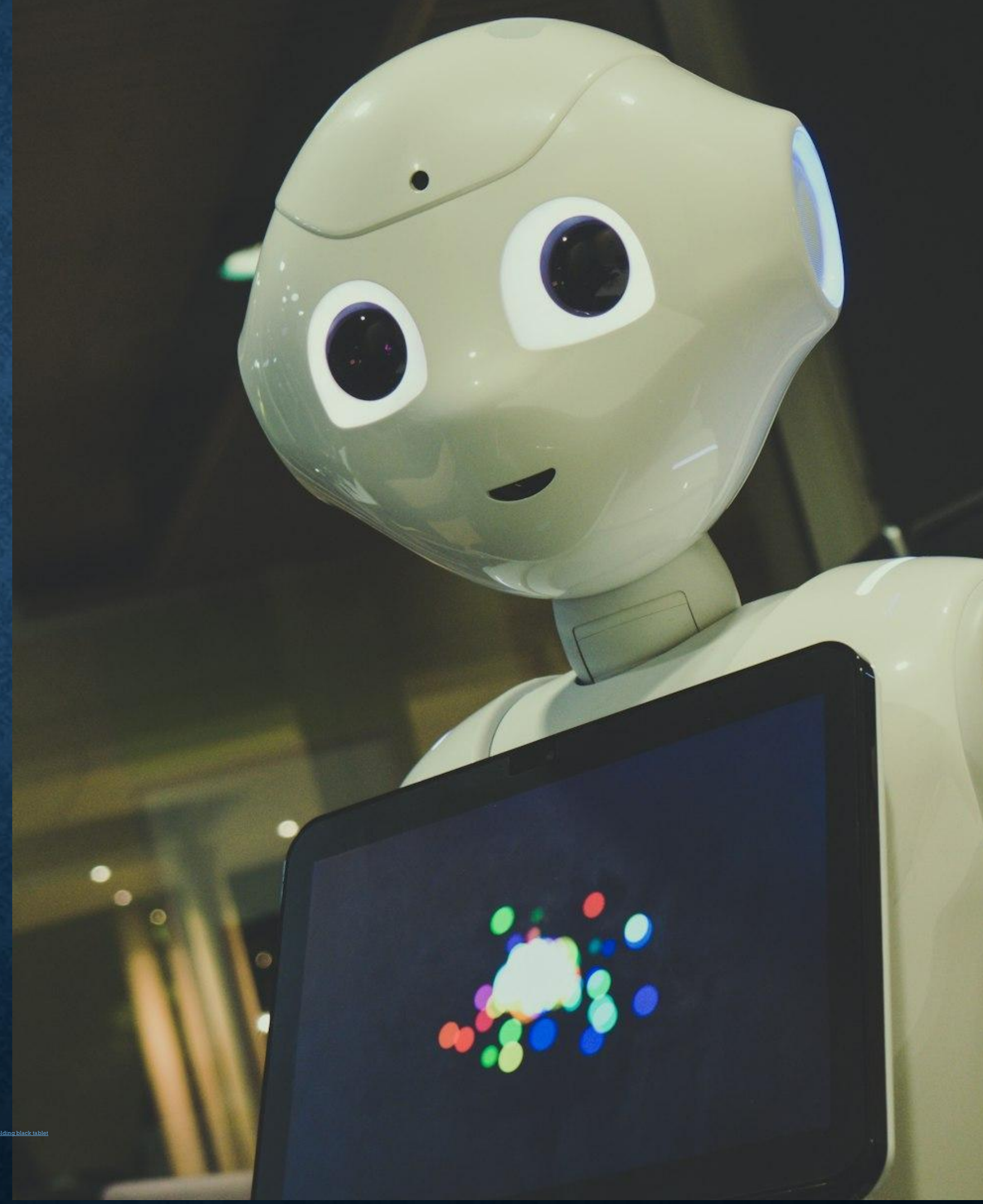
- Examples:

- ```python

```
lst = [i for i in range(4)]  
print(lst) # Output: [0, 1, 2, 3]
```

```
lst = [i*i for i in range(4)]  
print(lst) # Output: [0, 1, 4, 9]
```

```
lst = [i*i for i in range(4) if i%2 == 0]  
print(lst) # Output: [0, 4]  
```
```





## USING LIST CONCATENATION (WITHOUT FUNCTIONS):

- `a = [1, 2, 3]`
- `a = a + [4]`      # Add 4 to the list
- `print(a)`      # Output: [1, 2, 3, 4]
  
- `a = a + [5, 6]`      # Add multiple elements to the list
- `print(a)`      # Output: [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6]



# USING MULTIPLICATION FOR REPETITION

- `a = [1, 2]`
- `a = a * 2` # Repeating the list twice
- `print(a)` # Output: `[1, 2, 1, 2]`