

experta

Expert systems in Python

- **Install Python**
- **Install experta :**
 - cmd:
pip install experta
 - Python script (within python code) :
import sys
import subprocess
subprocess.check_call([sys.executable, '-m', 'pip', 'install', 'experta'])

- **Facts Manipulation**
- **Fact** is a subclass of **dict**

➤ Create facts :

```
from experta import *

faits = Fact('one', 'two', 'x', 'z', a=5, b=10, color='green')

print(faits[1])
print(faits["a"])
print(faits["color"])
```

Output :

two

5

green

- **Rules Manipulation**

- A rule is created using the decorator `@Rule`
- A rule is composed of two parts: Premise and Action

➤ Create rules:

```
from experta import *
class Light(Fact):
    pass
@Rule(Light(color="red")) #Prémisse
def Red_Light(self):      #Action
    #Action to do
```

- Inference engine (KnowledgeEngine)

- Create a subclass for the engine and use Rule in order to activate the methods:

```
from experta import *

class CrossStreet(KnowledgeEngine):

    @DefFacts()                                #Declare initial facts (Fact base)

        def Initial_Facts(self):
            #initial facts

    @Rule(Light(color="red")) #Premise

        def Red_Light(self):      #Action
            #Action to do

    engine = CrossStreet()                      #instanciate the engine class

    engine.reset()                             #Use of Initial facts (DefFacts())

    engine.declare(Light(color="red")) #Declare new facts

    engine.run()                               #Run the engine cycle
```

- **Example of Expert system (Lights) / if_statement**

```
from random import choice

color = choice(['green', 'red', 'yellow', 'blinking-yellow'])
if color=='green':
    print("Walk")
elif color=='red':
    print("Don't walk")
elif color=='yellow':
    print("Be cautious !")
else:
    print("Be cautious !!!\n Be or not to be")
```

- Example of Expert system (Lights) / experta

```
from experta import *

class Light(Fact):
    pass

class RobotCrossStreet(KnowledgeEngine):

    @DefFacts()
    def initial_facts(self):
        yield Light(color="white")

    @Rule(Light(color='green'))
    def green_light(self):
        print("Walk")

    @Rule(Light(color='red'))
    def red_light(self):
        print("Don't walk")

    @Rule(Light(color='yellow'))
    def cautious(self):
        print("Be cautious !!!")
engine = RobotCrossStreet()
engine.reset()
colorselect = input("Enter a color :")
print("Color is :",colorselect)
engine.declare(Light(color=colorselect))
engine.run()
```

Output

```
:  
Enter a color :red  
Color is : red  
Don't walk
```

see file: Light.py

- **Use of logical operators**

```
@Rule(OR(Light(color='yellow'),Light(color='blinking-yellow')))  
def cautious(self):  
    print("Be cautious !!!")  
  
engine = RobotCrossStreet()  
engine.reset()  
colorselect = choice(['green', 'yellow', 'blinking-yellow', 'red'])  
print("Color is :",colorselect)  
engine.declare(Light(color=colorselect))  
engine.run()
```

Output

```
Color is : yellow  
Be cautious !!!
```

```
Color is : blinking-yellow  
Be cautious !!!
```

- Preview the list of facts (`engine.facts`)

```
@DefFacts()
def initial_facts(self):
    yield Light(color="white")

@Rule(Light(color='green'))
def green_light(self):
    print("Walk")

@Rule(Light(color='red'))
def red_light(self):
    print("Don't walk")

@Rule(OR(Light(color='yellow'),Light(color='blinking-yellow')))
def cautious(self):
    print("Be cautious !!!")

engine = RobotCrossStreet()
engine.reset()
colorselect = choice(['green', 'yellow', 'blinking-yellow', 'red'])
print("Color is :",colorselect)
engine.declare(Light(color=colorselect))
engine.run()
print(engine.facts)
```

Output

```
Color is : red
Don't walk
<f-0>: InitialFact()
<f-1>: Light(color='white')
<f-2>: Light(color='red')
```