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In [ ]: # defination to handle string input as integers
 In [2]: def int_validate(user_bal):
             while True:
                 if user bal.isnumeric() == True:
                     user bal = int(user bal)
                     print("balance ",user_bal)
                     return user bal
                     break
                 else:
                     print('Sorry ! Only integers Accepted')
 In [6]: a = "1111"
         b = int_validate(a)
         balance 1111
 In [7]: b
Out[7]: 1111
In [9]: | c = int_validate(a)
         balance 1111
In [10]: c
Out[10]: 1111
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In [11]: # Different ways to handle integers as input
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isnumeric()

Note: This method of checking if the string is an integer in Python will not work in negative numbers.

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In [13]: # using : isnumeric()
a = "1234"
print(a.isnumeric())
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True

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In [15]: # checking whether the string is an integer using error handling
    flag = True
    a = input("enter the number : ")

try:
        int(a)
    except ValueError:
        flag = False

if flag:
        print("the string is an integer")
else:
        print("the string is not an integer")

enter the number : gfdgdf
the string is not an integer
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In []: