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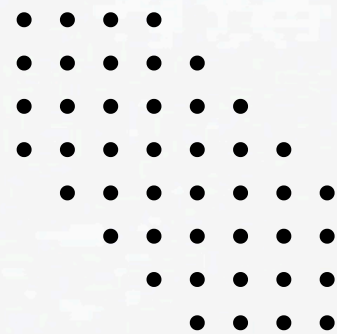
Dictionaries

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Introduction to Dictionaries -

A Dictionary in python is a collection of key value pairs.

Key : A unique identifier used to access a value.

Value : The data associated with a key.

Key Features -

Unordered: The order of items is not guaranteed.

Mutable: You can change, add or remove key value pairs.

Unique Key: Key must be unique within a dictionary.

Syntax -

```
my_dic = {"key1": "value1", "key2": "value2"}
```

Example -

```
person = {  
    "name" : "Sumit",  
    "age" : 21,  
    "city" : "New York"  
};  
print(person["name"]  
output: Sumit
```

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2. Accessing, adding, updating and deleting dictionary elements

Accessing dictionary elements -

1. Accessing elements using keys.

example-

```
person={"name" : "Sumit",  
        "age" : 21,  
        "city" : "New York"  
        };
```

```
print(person["city"])  
output = New York
```

2. Adding New Elements:

add a new key-value pair by simply assigning a value to a new key.

```
person["email"] = "sy@gmail.com"  
print(person)
```

```
output = {"name" : "Sumit" , "age": 20, "city": "New York", "email":  
          "sy@gmail.com"}
```

Updating Elements:

Update the value of an existing key by assigning a new value.

```
person ["age"] = 32 #updating the age value.  
print(person)
```

```
output = {"name" : "Sumit" , "age": 32, "city": "New York", "email":  
          "sy@gmail.com"}
```

3. Deleting Elements:

Using del: Removes a key value pair.

```
del person["city"]  
print(person)
```

output: {'name': 'Sumit', 'age': 32, 'email': 'sy@gmail.com'}

Using pop(): Removes the key-value pair and returns the value.

```
remove_email person.pop("email")  
print(removed_email)  
print(person)
```

output: {'name': 'Sumit', 'age': 32}

Using clear(): Removes all key value pair from the dictionary.

```
person.clear()  
print(person)
```


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3. Dictionary methods like keys(), value(), and items()

keys method-

returns a view object that displays all keys in the dictionary.

```
person = {  
    'name' : 'Sumit',  
    'age' : 30,  
    'city' : 'New York',  
}
```

```
keys = person.keys()  
print(keys)
```

output : dict_values(['name','age','city'])

values() method:

Returns a view object that displays all the values in the dictionary.

```
values = person.values()  
print(values)
```

output : dict_values(['Sumit',30,'New York'])

items() method:

Returns a view object that displays all key-value pairs as tuples.

```
items = person.items()  
print(items)
```

output = (('name':'Sumit'), ('age':30), ('city':'New York'))