

## Python String Methods – Editable Study Notes



`upper()`

Converts a string to **uppercase**.

```
str1 = "AbcDEfghIJ"  
print(str1.upper())
```

**Output:** `ABCDEFGHIJ`

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`lower()`

Converts a string to **lowercase**.

```
str1 = "AbcDEfghIJ"  
print(str1.lower())
```

**Output:** `abcdefghij`

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`strip()`

Removes any **leading and trailing** whitespaces.

```
str2 = " Silver Spoon "  
print(str2.strip())
```

**Output:** `Silver Spoon`

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`rstrip()`

Removes **trailing characters**.

```
str3 = "Hello !!!"  
print(str3.rstrip("!"))
```

**Output:** `Hello`



## replace()

Replaces parts of the string with something else.

```
str2 = "Silver Spoon"  
print(str2.replace("Sp", "M"))
```

**Output:** Silver Moon

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## split()

Splits the string at a separator and returns a list.

```
str2 = "Silver Spoon"  
print(str2.split(" "))
```

**Output:** ['Silver', 'Spoon']

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## capitalize()

Capitalizes the first letter and lowers the rest.

```
str1 = "hello"  
print(str1.capitalize())
```

**Output:** Hello

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## center(width, [char])

Centers string in a field of specified width.

```
str1 = "Welcome to the Console!!!"  
print(str1.center(50, "."))
```

**Output:** .....Welcome to the Console!!!.....

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## count(substring)

Counts how many times a value appears.

```
str2 = "Abracadabra"  
print(str2.count("a"))
```

Output: 4

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## endswith()

Returns True if string ends with specified value.

```
str1 = "Welcome to the Console !!!"  
print(str1.endswith("!!!"))
```

Output: True

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## find()

Finds first occurrence index, else returns -1.

```
str1 = "He's name is Dan. He is an honest man."  
print(str1.find("is"))
```

Output: 10

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## index()

Same as `find()` but throws error if not found.

```
str1 = "He's name is Dan. Dan is an honest man."  
print(str1.index("Dan"))
```

Output: 13

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## isalnum()

True if string has only letters and numbers.

```
str1 = "WelcomeToTheConsole"  
print(str1.isalnum())
```

**Output:** True

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## isalpha()

True if only letters (no numbers).

```
str1 = "Welcome"  
print(str1.isalpha())
```

**Output:** True

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## islower()

True if all lowercase.

```
str1 = "hello world"  
print(str1.islower())
```

**Output:** True

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## isprintable()

True if all characters are printable.

```
str1 = "We wish you a Merry Christmas"  
print(str1.isprintable())
```

**Output:** True

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## isspace()

True if string has only whitespaces.

```
str1 = "      "  
print(str1.isspace())
```

**Output:** True

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## istitle()

True if each word starts with uppercase.

```
str1 = "World Health Organization"  
print(str1.istitle())
```

**Output:** True

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## isupper()

True if all characters are uppercase.

```
str1 = "WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION"  
print(str1.isupper())
```

**Output:** True

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## startswith()

True if string starts with specified value.

```
str1 = "Python is a Interpreted Language"  
print(str1.startswith("Python"))
```

**Output:** True

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## swapcase()

Switches upper to lower and vice versa.

```
str1 = "Python is a Interpreted Language"  
print(str1.swapcase())
```

**Output:** pYTHON IS A iNTERPRETED LANGUAGE

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## title()

Capitalizes each word in the string.

```
str1 = "He's name is Dan. Dan is an honest man."  
print(str1.title())
```

**Output:** He'S Name Is Dan. Dan Is An Honest Man.