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Experiment / assignment / tutorial No. 8

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Title: Implement a dictionary for some real world application. Use C/C++ or python.

Objective: To implement a dictionary for real world application using python.

Expected Outcome of Experiment:

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3	Describe concepts of advanced data structures like set, map & dictionary.

Books/ Journals/ Websites referred:

1. *Fundamentals Of Data Structures In C* – Ellis Horowitz, Satraj Sahni, Susan Anderson-Fred
2. *An Introduction to data structures with applications* – Jean Paul Tremblay, Paul G. Sorenson
3. *Data Structures A Pseudo Approach with C* – Richard F. Gilberg & Behrouz A. Forouzan
4. <https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/binary-tree-data-structure/>
5. <https://www.thecrazyprogrammer.com/2015/03/c-program-for-binary-search-tree-insertion.html>

Abstract: (Define dictionary as data structures, applications of dictionary)

A dictionary is a data structure that holds information in a key-value pair format. This special arrangement makes searching, insertion, and deletion using key very fast.

Applications of Dictionary:

1. Word-meaning storage in language apps like Duolingo
2. Frequency counters in algorithms

3. Boolean seen vectors for checking if a value has been seen in algorithms
4. Storing records by ID

Program:

(Function/method name, describe its purpose and write code for the same, followed by its output)

- The update function in python is used to add elements to dictionary
- The print function simply prints values to the screen
- The del function is used to delete an element by key

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dict={}

print("Menu: \n1. Add word-meaning\n2. Search meaning\n3. Delete word\n4. Print dictionary\n5. Exit\n")

while(True):

    choice = int(input("Enter choice\n"))

    if choice==1:

        name = input("Enter word\n")

        meaning = input("Enter meaning\n")

        dict.update({name:meaning})

    elif choice==2:

        search = input("Enter key to search\n")

        print(dict.get(search,"Not found\n"))

    elif choice==3:

        search = input("Enter key to search\n")

        del dict[search]

    elif choice==4:

        print(dict)

    elif choice==5:
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print("Exiting!\n")  
  
exit()  
  
else:  
  
print("Invalid choice.\n")
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Output:

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PS C:\Users\syeda\OneDrive\Desktop\personal\dict.py"
Menu:
1. Add word-meaning
2. Search meaning
3. Delete word
4. Print dictionary
5. Exit

Enter choice
1
Enter word
apple
Enter meaning
a red fruit
Enter choice
2
Enter key to search
apple
a red fruit
Enter choice
4
{'apple': 'a red fruit'}
Enter choice
1
Enter word
banana
Enter meaning
a lovely yellow fruit without seeds
Enter choice
1
Enter word
orange
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1
Enter word
banana
Enter meaning
a lovely yellow fruit without seeds
Enter choice
1
Enter word
orange
Enter meaning
an orange round fruit that looks like a ball but you have to eat it
Enter choice
4
{'apple': 'a red fruit', 'banana': 'a lovely yellow fruit without seeds', 'orange': 'an orange round fruit that looks like a ball but you have to eat it'}
Enter choice
5
Exiting!
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Conclusion:-

A dictionary is a powerful tool that can help in inserting and deleting elements in $O(1)$ time. It is also exceedingly useful in searching for values by its key also in $O(1)$ time, contrary to arrays and vectors that allow fastest searching in $\log n$, that too with the constraint of being sorted.

PostLab Questions:

1) List applications of set, map and dictionary data structures

A set is used to store unique values.

Applications:

- Store Aadhar information of citizens
- Count unique elements in an array

A map and dictionary are both used to store key-value relationships.

Applications:

- Frequency counter
- Name-meaning database
- Relationship defining database