Dictionary and Sets

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A dictionary is a sequence of items. Each item is a pair made of a key and a value. Dictionaries are not sorted. You can access to the list of keys or values independently.

```
# Creating an empty Dictionary
Dict = \{\}
print("Empty Dictionary: ")
print(Dict)
# Creating a Dictionary with Integer Keys
Dict = {1: 'Apple', 2: 'Strawberry', 3: 'Orange'}
print("\nDictionary with the use of Integer Keys: ")
print(Dict)
# Creating a Dictionary with Mixed keys
Dict = {'Name': 'Tracey', 1: [1, 2, 3, 4]}
print("\nDictionary with the use of Mixed Keys: ")
print(Dict)
# Creating a Dictionary with dict() method
Dict = dict({1: 'Apple', 2: 'Strawberry', 3:'Orange'})
print("\nDictionary with the use of dict(): ")
print(Dict)
# Creating a Dictionary with each item as a Pair
Dict = dict([(1, 'Banana'), (2, 'Kiwi')])
print("\nDictionary with each item as a pair: ")
print(Dict)
Test-run
Empty Dictionary:
{}
Dictionary with the use of Integer Keys:
{1: 'Apple', 2: 'Strawberry', 3: 'Orange'}
Dictionary with the use of Mixed Keys:
{'Name': 'Tracey', 1: [1, 2, 3, 4]}
Dictionary with the use of dict():
{1: 'Apple', 2: 'Strawberry', 3: 'Orange'}
```

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Dictionary with each item as a pair:
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{1: 'Banana', 2: 'Kiwi'}
```

Accessing an element from a Dictionary

```
# Creating a Dictionary
Dict = {1: 'Apple', 'name': 'Mary', 3: 'Kiwi'}
# accessing a element using key
print("Acessing a element using key:")
print(Dict['name'])
# accessing a element using key
print("Acessing an element using key:")
print(Dict[1])
# accessing a element using get() method
print("Acessing a element using get:")
print(Dict.get(3))
```

Test-run

Acessing a element using key:

Mary

Acessing an element using key:

Apple

Acessing a element using get:

Kiwi

Removing key value

```
del Dict['A'][2]
print("\nDeleting a key from Nested Dictionary: ")
print(Dict)
# Deleting a Key
# using pop()
Dict.pop(5)
print("\nPopping specific element: ")
print(Dict)
# Deleting a Key
# using popitem()
Dict.popitem()
print("\nPops first element: ")
print(Dict)
# Deleting entire Dictionary
Dict.clear()
print("\nDeleting Entire Dictionary: ")
print(Dict)
Adding key value using subscript notation
# Python program to add a key:value pair to dictionary
dict = { 'key1': 'geeks', 'key2': 'for'}
print("Current Dict is: ", dict)
# using the subscript notation
# Dictionary_Name[New_Key_Name] = New_Key_Value
dict['key3'] = 'Geeks'
dict['key4'] = 'is'
dict['key5'] = 'portal'
dict['key6'] = 'Computer'
print("Updated Dict is: ", dict)
Current Dict is: {'key2': 'for', 'key1': 'geeks'}
Updated Dict is: {'key3': 'Geeks', 'key5': 'portal', 'key6': 'Computer', 'key4': 'is', 'key1':
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'geeks', 'key2': 'for'}

Adding key value using update method

```
dict = { 'key1': 'geeks', 'key2': 'for' }
print("Current Dict is: ", dict)
# adding dict1 (key3, key4 and key5) to dict
dict1 = {'key3':'geeks', 'key4':'is', 'key5':'fabulous'}
dict.update(dict1)
# by assigning
dict.update(newkey1 ='portal')
print(dict)
Current Dict is: {'key2': 'for', 'key1': 'geeks'}
{'newkey1': 'portal', 'key4': 'is', 'key2': 'for', 'key1': 'geeks', 'key5': 'fabulous', 'key3':
'geeks'}
stocks = {
       'IBM': 146.48,
       'MSFT':44.11,
       'CSCO':25.54
}
#print out all the keys
for c in stocks:
       print(c)
#print key n values
for k, v in stocks.items():
       print("Code : {0}, Value : {1}".format(k, v))
main()
MSFT
IBM
CSCO
Code: MSFT, Value: 44.11
Code : IBM, Value : 146.48
Code: CSCO, Value: 25.54
```

A Set is an unordered collection data type that is iterable, mutable, and has no duplicate elements.

```
# Python program to demonstrate differences
# between normal and frozen set
# Same as {"a", "b", "c"}
normal_set = set(["a", "b", "c"])
# Adding an element to normal set is fine
normal_set.add("d")
print("Normal Set")
print(normal_set)
# A frozen set
frozen_set = frozenset(["e", "f", "g"])
print("Frozen Set")
print(frozen_set)
# Uncommenting below line would cause error as
# we are trying to add element to a frozen set
# frozen set.add("h")
Normal Set
set(['a', 'c', 'b', 'd'])
Frozen Set
frozenset(['e', 'g', 'f'])
```

Methods for Sets

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1. add(x) Method: Adds the item x to set if it is not already present in the set.

```
people = {"Jay", "Idrish", "Archil"}
people.add("Daxit")
```

- -> This will add Daxit in people set.
- 2. **union(s) Method**: Returns a union of two set. Using the '|' operator between 2 sets is the same as writing set1.union(set2)

```
people = {"Jay", "Idrish", "Archil"}
vampires = {"Karan", "Arjun"}
population = people.union(vampires)
```

OR

population = people|vampires

- -> Set population set will have components of both people and vampire
- 3. **intersect(s) Method:** Returns an intersection of two sets. The '&' operator comes can also be used in this case.

victims = people.intersection(vampires)

- -> Set victims will contain the common element of people and vampire
- **4. difference(s) Method:** Returns a set containing all the elements of invoking set but not of the second set. We can use '-' operator here.

safe = people.difference(vampires)

OR

safe = people - vampires

- -> Set safe will have all the elements that are in people but not vampire
- **5. clear() Method:** Empties the whole set.

victims.clear()

-> Clears victim set

However, there are two major pitfalls in Python sets:

- 1. The set doesn't maintain elements in any particular order.
- 2. Only instances of immutable types can be added to a Python set.