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12. 10. isalnum() Method

It checks whether the string consists of alphanumeric characters.

Syntax

```
str.isalnum()
```

Parameters

NA

Return Value

TRUE if all characters in the string are alphanumeric and there is at least one character, FALSE otherwise.

Example

```
#!/usr/bin/python

str = "this2009"; # No space in this string
print str.isalnum();

str = "this is string example....wow!!!";
print str.isalnum();
```

Result

```
True
False
```

13. 11. isalpha()

Description

The method **isalpha()** checks whether the string consists of alphabetic characters only.