```
outtab = "12345"
trantab = maketrans(intab, outtab)

str = "this is string example....wow!!!";
print str.translate(trantab, 'xm');
```

This will produce following result:

```
th3s 3s str3ng 21pl2....w4w!!!
```

# 40. 38. upper()

### Description

The method **upper()** returns a copy of the string in which all case-based characters have been uppercased.

### **Syntax**

Following is the syntax for **upper()** method:

```
str.upper()
```

#### **Parameters**

NA

### **Return Value**

This method returns a copy of the string in which all case-based characters have been uppercased.

## Example

The following example shows the usage of upper() method.

```
#!/usr/bin/python

str = "this is string example....wow!!!";

print "str.capitalize() : ", str.upper()
```

