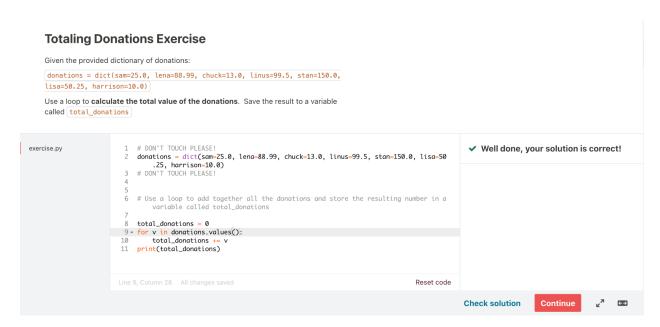
### Dictionaries (cont'd)

#### Accessing all values in a dictionary:

We can easily access all the available keys or values by using the **keys()** or **values()** method. For example,

Another way to access them is by using the **items()** method:

```
information.items() # output [('name', 'tina'), ('owns_cat', True), ('age', 25), ('fav_number', 13), ('home_state', 'New York')]
```



We can also check to see whether the key value pair is in the dictionary by using the keyword **in**.

#### **Dictionary methods:**

Working with dictionaries is pretty common. There are a few things we can do:

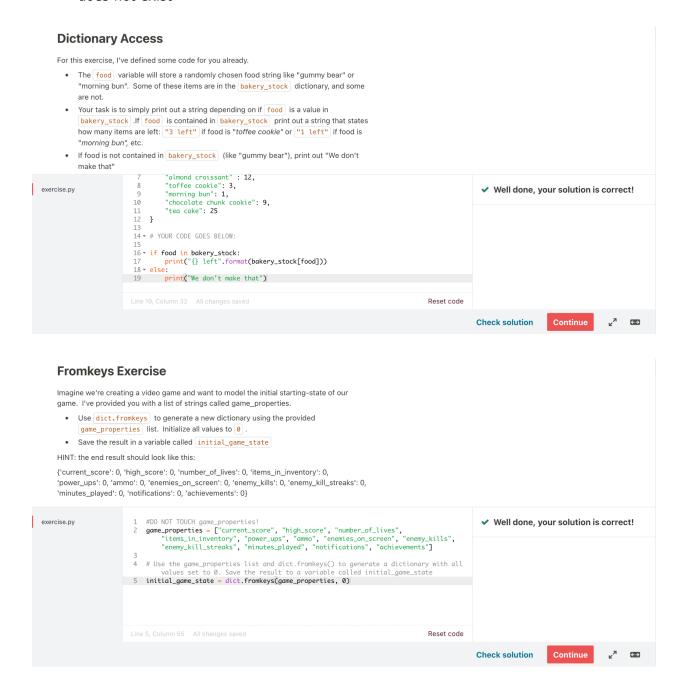
- Clear clears all the keys and values from the dictionary
- Copy copies the dictionary

 Fromkeys — creates key value pairs from comma separated values. It is a way to create default values.

i.e.

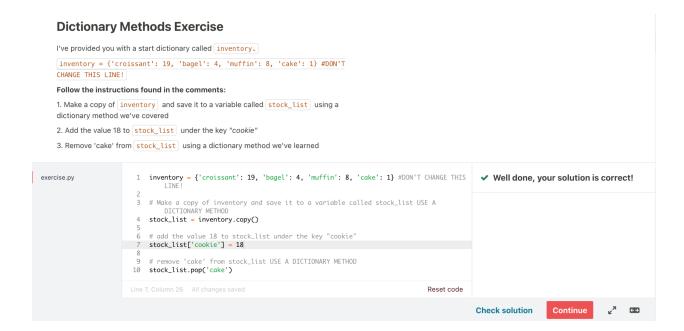
new\_user = {}.fromkeys(['name', 'score', 'email', 'profile bio'], 'unknown')

 Get — retrieves a key in an object and return None instead of a KeyError if the key does not exist



Pop — takes a single argument and removes that key-value pair from the dictionary.
 Returns the value corresponding to the key that was removed.

- PopItem removes a random key in a dictionary. If we were to pass a key within the arguments of popitem(), it will return TypeError: popitem() takes no arguments.
- Update update keys and values in a dictionary with another set of key value pairs.
   If key already exists in dictionary, update() will overwrite the value within the second dictionary



# more examples

```
{num: num**2 for num in [1,2,3,4,5]}
```

```
str1 = "ABC"
str2 = "123"
combo = {str1[i]: str2[i] for i in range(0,len(str1))}
print(combo) # # {'A': '1', 'B': '2', 'C': '3'}
```

#### **State Abbreviations Exercise**

```
Given two lists ["CA", "NJ", "RI"] and ["California", "New Jersey", "Rhode Island"] create a dictionary that looks like this {'CA': 'California', 'NJ': 'New Jersey', 'RI': 'Rhode Island'}. Save it to a variable called answer.
```

I expect you to do this with a dictionary comprehension, but you can also use a built-in function called  $\boxed{\text{zip}}$ . We cover it later in the course.

```
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1 list1 = ["CA", "NJ", "RI"]
2 list2 = ["California", "New Jersey", "Rhode Island"]
3 # answer your solution is assigned to the answer variable so the tests can work!
5 answer = {}
6 answer = dict(zip(list1, list2))

Line 6, Column 31 All changes saved

Reset code

Check solution

Continue

** Well done, your solution is correct!

**Check solution**

**Check solution**

Continue

** Well done, your solution is correct!

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```

#### **List to Dictionary Exercise**

```
Given a person variable:
```

```
["rame", "Jared"], ["job", "Musician"], ["city", "Bern"]]

Create a dictionary called answer, that makes each first item in each list a key and the second item a corresponding value. That's a terrible explanation. I think it'll be easier if you just look at the end goal:
```

{'name': 'Jared', 'job': 'Musician', 'city': 'Bern'}
There are many potential solutions for this.



#### **Vowels Dict Exercise**

Do this programmatically (using a dict comprehension or dict method) rather than hard coding the answer!



#### **ASCII Codes Dictionary**

This is a bit different. Every character has an ASCII code (basically, a number that represents it). Python has a function called chr() that will return a string if you provide the corresponding integer ASCII code. For example:

chr(65) will return 'A'
chr(66) will return 'B'

All the way up to:
chr(90) will return 'Z'

Your task is to create dictionary that maps ASCII keys to their corresponding letters. Use a dictionary comprehension and chr(). Save the result to the answer variable. You only need

exercise.py

1 # make sure your solution is assigned to the answer variable so the canswer = {c: chr(c) for c in range(65,91)}



## Tuples and Sets

#### Objectives:

- Describe, create, and access tuples and sets
- Use built-in methods to modify sets and access values in tuples
- Iterate over sets using loops and set comprehensions
- Compare and contrast sets & tuples with lists & dictionaries

**What is a tuple?** It is an ordered collection or grouping of items. The difference with tuples is that it is immutable—aka it cannot be changed.

**Why use a tuple?** Tuples are faster than lists—they are lighter weight. It makes your code safer. We can use tuples as valid keys in a dictionary

#### Sets:

- Sets are like formal mathematical sets
- Sets do not have duplicate values
- Elements in sets aren't ordered
- You cannot access items in a set by index
- Sets can be useful if you need to keep track of a collection of elements, but don't care about ordering, keys or values, and duplicates

#### Set Methods:

- Add adds an element to a set. If the element is already in the set, the set doesn't change.
- Remove removes a value from the set returns a KeyError if the value is not found
- Clear removes all the contents of the set

