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## Exercise: int set

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### Exercise: int set

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**ESTIMATED TIME TO COMPLETE: 10 minutes**

Consider the following code from the last lecture video:



```

class intSet(object):
    """An intSet is a set of integers
    The value is represented by a list of ints, self.vals.
    Each int in the set occurs in self.vals exactly once."""

    def __init__(self):
        """Create an empty set of integers"""
        self.vals = []

    def insert(self, e):
        """Assumes e is an integer and inserts e into self"""
        if not e in self.vals:
            self.vals.append(e)

    def member(self, e):
        """Assumes e is an integer
        Returns True if e is in self, and False otherwise"""
        return e in self.vals

    def remove(self, e):
        """Assumes e is an integer and removes e from self
        Raises ValueError if e is not in self"""
        try:
            self.vals.remove(e)
        except:
            raise ValueError(str(e) + ' not found')

    def __str__(self):
        """Returns a string representation of self"""
        self.vals.sort()
        return '{' + ','.join([str(e) for e in self.vals]) + '}'

```

Your task is to define the following two methods for the `intSet` class:

1. Define an `intersect` method that returns a new `intSet` containing elements that appear in both sets. In other words,

```
s1.intersect(s2)
```

would return a new `intSet` of integers that appear in both `s1` and `s2`. Think carefully - what should happen if `s1` and `s2` have no elements in common?

2. Add the appropriate method(s) so that `len(s)` returns the number of elements in `s`.

Hint: look through the [Python docs](#) to figure out what you'll need to solve this problem



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13            self.vals.append(e)
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15    def member(self, e):
```

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    def intersect(self, other):
        """Assumes other is an intSet
        Returns a new intSet containing elements that appear in both sets."""
        # Initialize a new intSet
        commonValueSet = intSet()
        # Go through the values in this set
        for val in self.vals:
            # Check if each value is a member of the other set
            if other.member(val):
                commonValueSet.insert(val)
        return commonValueSet

    def __str__(self):
        """Returns a string representation of self"""
        self.vals.sort()
        return '{' + ','.join([str(e) for e in self.vals]) + '}'

    def __len__(self):
        """Returns the length of the set.
        This method is called by the `len` built-in function."""
        return len(self.vals)
```



# Test results

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Test: intersect 1

**Output:**

```
setA: {-19,-12,-11,-7,-6,-1,0,12,13,18}
setB: {-12,-11,-7,-5,-4,-3,11,19}
setA.intersect(setB): {-12,-11,-7}
```

Test: intersect 2

**Output:**

```
setA: {-19,-18,-3,1,2,3,11,13,19}
setB: {-19,-15,-11,-6,10,11,14,18}
setA.intersect(setB): {-19,11}
setB.intersect(setA): {-19,11}
```

Test: intersect 3

**Output:**

```
setA: {-18,-12,-4,-2,0,1,2,3,17}
setB: {-20,-16,-14,-8,-5,-3,6,11,16}
setA.intersect(setB): {}
```

Test: intersect 4

**Output:**

```
setA: {}
setB: {}
setA.intersect(setB): {}
```



Test: len 1

Output:

```
setA: {-9,1,4,9,14,15}  
len(setA): 6
```

Test: len 2

Output:

```
setA: {}  
len(setA): 0
```

Test: len 3

Output:

```
setA: {0,7}  
len(setA): 2
```

Test: len 4

Output:

```
setA: {-18,-15,-2,3,8,13}  
len(setA): 6
```

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 Answers are displayed within the problem



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? Connection between `str` and `print`?

I understand that `str` creates a string. But how is it that 'print' calls on the `str` method? We've...

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