Table 2-4. Methods implemented in list or deque (those that are also implemented by object are omitted for brevity)

	list	deque	
sadd(s2)	•	•	s + s2 - concatenation
scontains(e)	•	•	e in s
scopy()		•	Support for copy.copy (shallow copy)
sdelitem(p)	•	•	Remove item at position p
sgetitem(p)	•	•	s[p] – get item or slice at position
siadd(s2)	•	•	s += s2 - in-place concatenation
simul(n)	•	•	s *= n - in-place repeated concatenation
siter()	•	•	Get iterator
slen()	•	•	len(s) – number of items
smul(n)	•	•	s * n - repeated concatenation
sreversed_()	•	•	Get iterator to scan items from last to first
srmul(n)	•	•	n * s - reversed repeated concatenation a
ssetitem(p, e)	•	•	s[p] = e - put e in position p, overwriting existing item or slice
s.append(e)	•	•	Append one element to the right (after last)
s.appendleft(e)		•	Append one element to the left (before first)
s.clear()	•	•	Delete all items
s.copy()	•	•	Shallow copy of the list or deque
s.count(e)	•	•	Count occurrences of an element
s.extend(i)	•	•	Append items from iterable i to the right
e.extendleft(i)		•	Append items from iterable i to the left
s.index(e)	•	•	Find position of first occurrence of e
s.insert(p, e)	•	•	Insert element e before the item at position p
s.pop()	•	•	Remove and return last item <sup>b</sup>
s.popleft()		•	Remove and return first item
s.remove(e)	•	•	Remove first occurrence of element e by value
s.reverse()	•	•	Reverse the order of the items in place
s.rotate(n)		•	Move n items from one end to the other
s.sort([key], [reverse])	•		Sort items in place with optional keyword arguments key and reverse

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Reversed operators are explained in Chapter 16.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>text{b}}$ a\_list.pop(p) allows removing from position p, but deque does not support that option.