

Spring 2022 CS 1110 Prelim 2 Reference Sheet

This is a comprehensive reference sheet that might include functions or methods not needed for your prelim.

String methods	
<code>s[i:j]</code>	Returns: if <code>i</code> and <code>j</code> are non-negative indices and $i \leq j-1$, a new string containing the characters in <code>s</code> from index <code>i</code> to index <code>j-1</code> , or the substring of <code>s</code> starting at <code>i</code> if $j \geq \text{len}(s)$
<code>s.count(s1)</code>	Returns: the number of times <code>s1</code> occurs in string <code>s</code>
<code>s.find(s1)</code>	Returns: index of first occurrence of string <code>s1</code> in string <code>s</code> (-1 if not found)
<code>s.find(s1,n)</code>	Returns: index of first occurrence of string <code>s1</code> in string <code>s</code> STARTING at position <code>n</code> . (-1 if <code>s1</code> not found in <code>s</code> from this position)
<code>s.index(s1)</code>	Returns: index of first occurrence of string <code>s1</code> in string <code>s</code> ; raises an error if <code>s1</code> is not found in <code>s</code> .
<code>s.index(s1,n)</code>	Returns: index of first occurrence of string <code>s1</code> in string <code>s</code> STARTING at position <code>n</code> ; raises an error if <code>s1</code> is not found in <code>s</code> from this position
<code>s.isalpha()</code>	Returns: True if <code>s</code> is <i>not empty</i> and its elements are all letters; it returns False otherwise.
<code>s.isdigit()</code>	Returns: True if <code>s</code> is <i>not empty</i> and its elements are all numbers; it returns False otherwise.
<code>s.islower()</code>	Returns: True if <code>s</code> has at least one letter and all letters are lower case; returns False otherwise (e.g., 'a123' is True but '123' is False).
<code>s.isupper()</code>	Returns: True if <code>s</code> has at least one letter and all letters are upper case; returns False otherwise (e.g., 'A123' is True but '123' is False).
<code>s.lower()</code>	Returns: a copy of <code>s</code> , all letters converted to lower case.
<code>s.join(slist)</code>	Returns: a string that is the concatenation of the strings in list <code>slist</code> separated by string <code>s</code>
<code>s.replace(a,b)</code>	Returns: a <i>copy</i> of <code>s</code> where all instances of <code>a</code> are replaced with <code>b</code>
<code>s.split(sep)</code>	Returns: a list of the "words" in string <code>s</code> , using <code>sep</code> as the word delimiter (whitespace if <code>sep</code> not given)
<code>s.strip()</code>	Returns: copy of string <code>s</code> where all whitespace has been removed from the beginning and the end of <code>s</code> . Whitespace not at the ends is preserved.
<code>s.upper()</code>	Returns: a copy of <code>s</code> , all letters converted to upper case.

List methods	
<code>lt[i:j]</code>	Returns: if <code>i</code> and <code>j</code> are non-negative indices and $i \leq j-1$, a new list containing the elements in <code>lt</code> from index <code>i</code> to index <code>j-1</code> , or the sublist of <code>lt</code> starting at <code>i</code> if $j \geq \text{len}(s)$
<code>lt.append(item)</code>	Adds <code>item</code> to the end of list <code>lt</code>
<code>lt.count(item)</code>	Returns: count of how many times <code>item</code> occurs in list <code>lt</code>
<code>lt.index(item)</code>	Returns: index of first occurrence of <code>item</code> in list <code>lt</code> ; raises an error if <code>item</code> is not found. (There's no "find()" for lists.)
<code>lt.index(y, n)</code>	Returns: index of first occurrence of <code>item</code> in list <code>lt</code> STARTING at position <code>n</code> ; raises an error if <code>item</code> does not occur in <code>lt</code> .
<code>lt.insert(i,item)</code>	Insert <code>item</code> into list <code>lt</code> at position <code>i</code>
<code>lt.pop(i)</code>	Returns: element of list <code>lt</code> at index <code>i</code> and also removes that element from the list <code>lt</code> . Raises an error if <code>i</code> is an invalid index.
<code>lt.remove(item)</code>	Removes the first occurrence of <code>item</code> from list <code>lt</code> ; raises an error if <code>item</code> not found.
<code>lt.reverse()</code>	Reverses the list <code>lt</code> in place (so, <code>lt</code> is modified)
<code>lt.sort()</code>	Rearranges the elements of <code>x</code> to be in ascending order.

Dictionary Operations	
<code>d[k] = v</code>	Assigns value <code>v</code> to the key <code>k</code> in <code>d</code> .
<code>d[k]</code>	If value <code>v</code> was assigned to the key <code>k</code> in <code>d</code> , <code>d[k]</code> evaluates to <code>v</code> .
<code>del d[k]</code>	Deletes the key <code>k</code> (and its value) from the dictionary <code>d</code> .

Other useful functions	
<code>s1 in s</code>	Returns: True if the substring <code>s1</code> is in string <code>s</code> ; False otherwise.
<code>elem in lt</code>	Returns: True if the element <code>elem</code> is in list <code>lt</code> ; False otherwise.
<code>y in d</code>	Returns: True if <code>y</code> is a key in dictionary <code>d</code> ; False otherwise.
<code>input(s)</code>	prompts user for a response using string <code>s</code> ; returns the user's response as a string.
<code>isinstance(o, c)</code>	Returns: True if <code>o</code> is an instance of class <code>c</code> ; False otherwise.
<code>len(s)</code>	Returns: number of characters in string <code>s</code> ; it can be 0.
<code>len(lt)</code>	Returns: number of items in list <code>lt</code> ; it can be 0.
<code>len(d)</code>	Returns: number of keys in dictionary <code>d</code> ; it can be 0.
<code>list(range(n))</code>	Returns: the list <code>[0 .. n-1]</code>