
Question

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Python method; issues with status returned from `runclassmethod`

In my Python script I import `intersys2.pythonbind3` to create the connection and define a database object as `db`

I execute the method

```
res = self.db.runclassmethod("%Library.GlobalEdit", "GetGlobalSize", [<db>, allocated, used])
```

This executes correctly as I loop through a list of databases.

Upon success I see that the return arg of "res" contains the string "status(0,)" which I interpret as successful. This is verified by the returned values of allocated and used being accurate. But I want to use the class/methods to get the status values from the returned structure

In reading the documents, I thought the statement:

```
status = self.db.runclassmethod('%SYSTEM.Status', 'IsError', [res])
```

would return a value of 1 on error, but this statement always returns 1; even when `res='status(0,)'` which is indicative of success.

Any ideas about what I am missing or doing incorrectly?

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