# Simple Parser or How to easily write parsers in Python

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### Chapter 1

### Introduction

#### 1.1 Introduction

SP (Simple Parser) is a Python<sup>1</sup> parser generator. It is aimed at easy usage rather than performance.

#### 1.2 License

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Simple Parser: A Python parser generator

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#### 1.3 Structure of the document

Part I starts smoothly with a gentle tutorial as an introduction. I think this tutorial may be sufficent to start with SP.

Part ?? is a reference documentation. It will detail SP as much as possible.

Part ?? gives the reader some examples to illustrate SP.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Python is a wonderful object oriented programming language available at http://www.python.org

# Chapter 2

# Installation

#### 2.1 Getting SP

SP is freely available on its web page (http://christophe.delord.free.fr/sp).

#### 2.2 Requirements

SP is a pure Python package. It may run on any platform supported by Python. The only requirement of SP is  $Python \ 3.0$  or newer. Python can be downloaded at <a href="http://www.python.org">http://www.python.org</a>.