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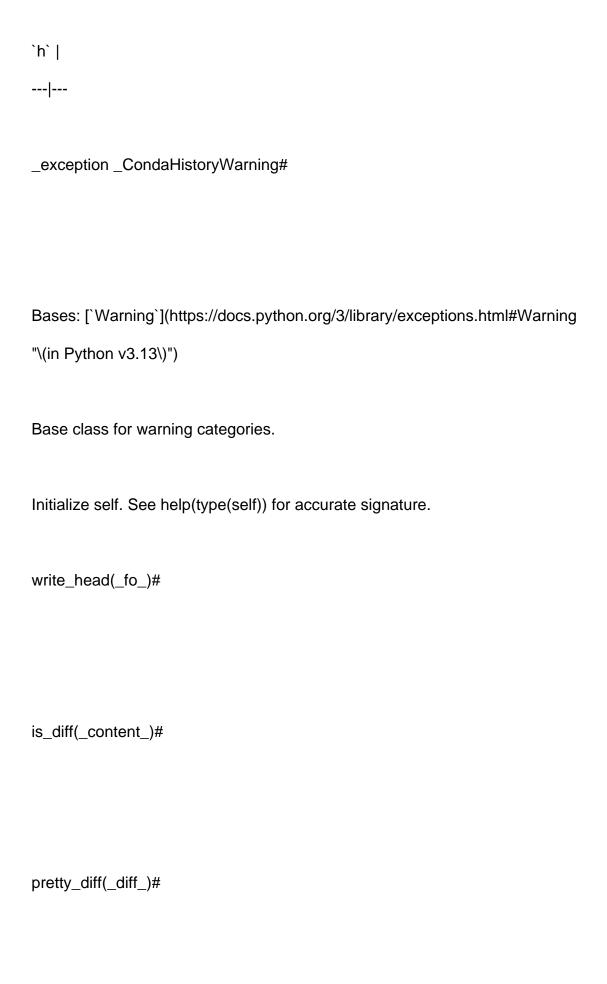
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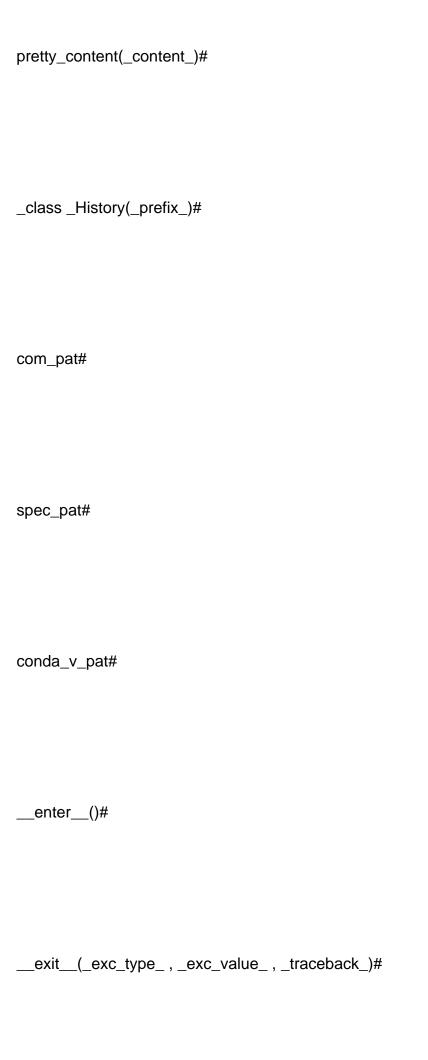
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Tools interfacing with conda's history file.
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* [` cli`](../../conda_env/cli/index.html)





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init_log_file()#
file_is_empty()#
update() -> [None](https://docs.python.org/3/library/constants.html#None "\(in
Python v3.13\)")#
Update the history file (creating a new one if necessary).
parse() -> [list](https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#list "\(in
Python v3.13\)")[[tuple](https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#tuple
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Python v3.13\)")]]]#
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Parse the history file.

Return a list of tuples(datetime strings, set of distributions/diffs, comments).

Comments appearing before the first section header (e.g. `==> 2024-01-01 00:00:00 <==`) in the history file will be ignored.

_static __parse_old_format_specs_string(_specs_string_)#

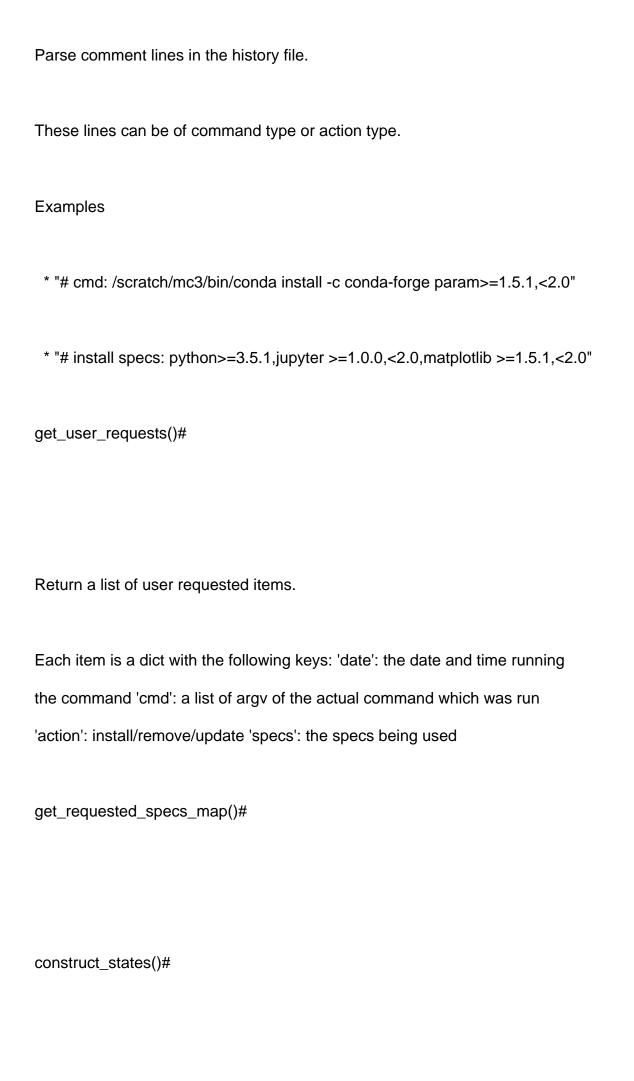
Parse specifications string that use conda<4.5 syntax.

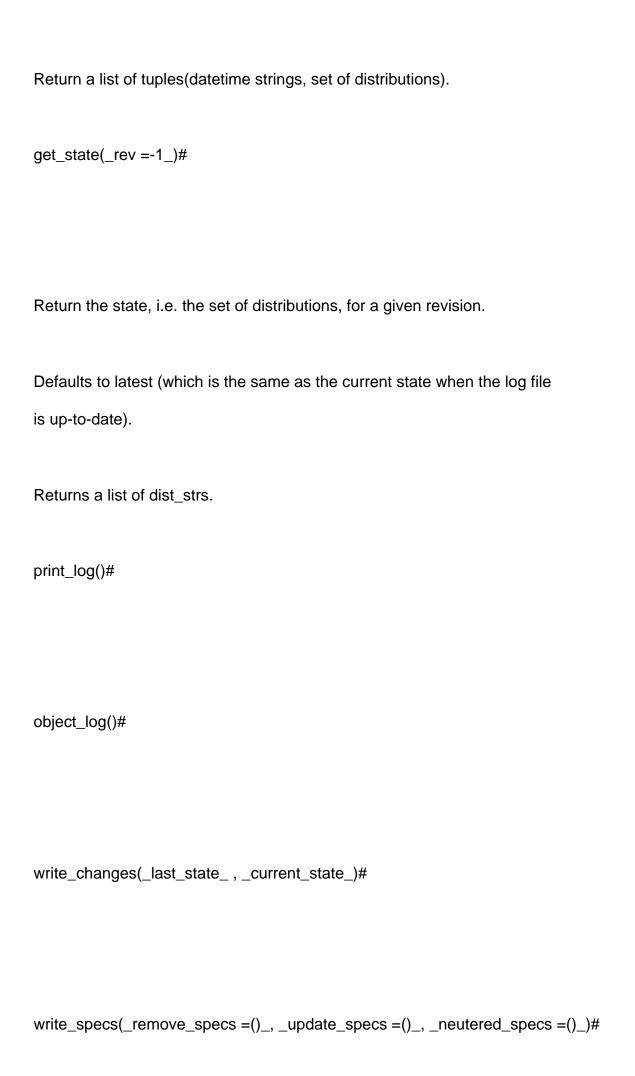
Examples

* "param >=1.5.1,<2.0"

* "python>=3.5.1,jupyter >=1.0.0,<2.0,matplotlib >=1.5.1,<2.0"

_classmethod __parse_comment_line(_line_)#





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   * `History.construct_states()`
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   * `History.object_log()`
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