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About

Some people, when confronted with a problem, think "I know, I'll use <u>itertools</u>."

Now they have next(takewhile(not_, count())) problems.

Since I've been asked about this multiple times now:

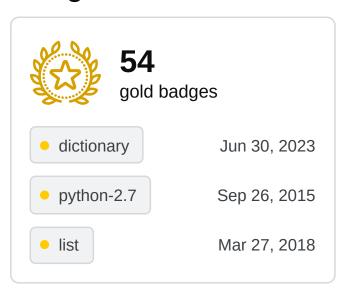
It's a reference to "Now they have two problems" about regular expressions. next(takewhile(not_, count())) is guaranteed to give you 0, and pretty efficiently... but it's not

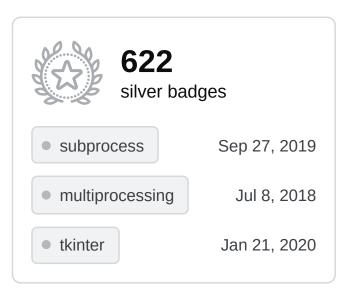
exactly readable. Which is the joke. itertools does solve all your problems, but you don't *always* need to use it.

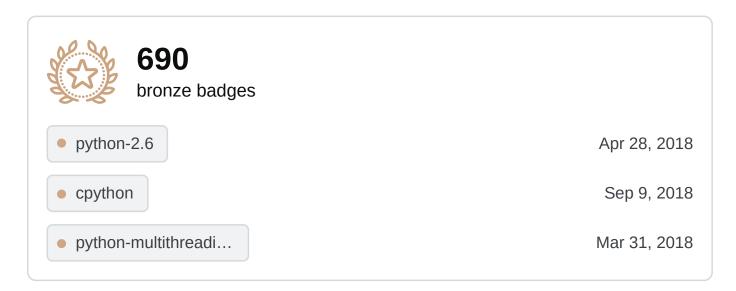
If you don't grasp the paradigm, go read <u>David Beazley's</u>

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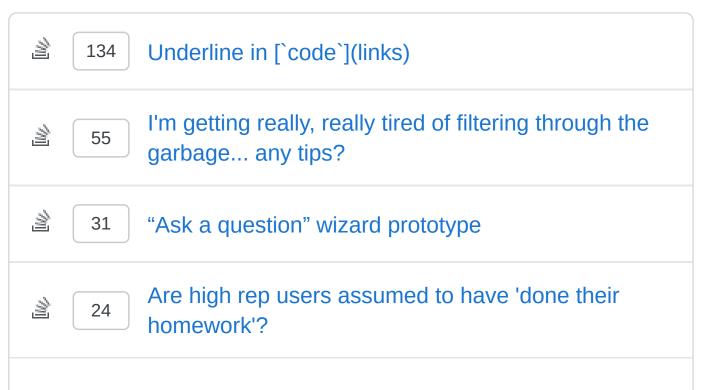
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