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1. Write a Python program to check that a string contains only a certain set of characters (in this case a-z, A-Z and 0-9).

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import re

text = "My name is Arya! & have 27 yrs old & my email id is arya@gmail.com #123%"
pattern = r'^[a-zA-Z0-9]+$'
if re.match(pattern, text):
    print("string contains only a-z, A-Z and 0-9")
else:
    print("string contains some special characters")
```

string contains some special characters

2. Write a Python program that matches a string that has an a followed by zero or more b's.

```
[ ] import re

text = "This is an example sentence with abbb patterns. there are some students absence"
pattern = r'\s[ab*]'
matchword = re.findall(pattern, text)
if matchword:
    print('found', matchword) ## 'found word:cat'
else:
    print('did not find')
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found [' a', ' a', ' a', ' a']

3. Replace only the first occurrence of 5 with five for the given string

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[ ] ip = 'They ate 5 apples and 5 oranges'
print(re.sub(r'5', r'five', ip,1))
```

They ate five apples and 5 oranges

4. Write a Python program that matches a string that has an a followed by three 'b'.

```
[ ] import re

text = "This is an example sentence with abbb patterns"
pattern = r'a{1}b{3}'
matches=re.search(pattern,text)
if matches:
    print("Match found")
    print(matches)
else:
    print("No matches")
```

Match found
<re.Match object; span=(33, 37), match='abbb'>

5. Write a Python program that matches a string that has an 'a' followed by anything ending in 'b'.

```
[ ] import re

text = input("Enter the string : ")
pattern = r'a.*b$'
matches = re.search(pattern,text)
if matches:
    print("Match found")
    print(matches)
else:
    print("No matches found")
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Enter the string : acdb
Match found
<re.Match object; span=(0, 4), match='acdb'>

6. Write a Python program to search for numbers (0-9) of length between 1 and 3 in a given string.

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[ ] txt="Exercises number 1, 12, 13, and 345 are important"
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Sample text : 'The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.'

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```
[ ] import re

sample_text = 'The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.'
searched_words = ['fox', 'dog', 'horse']

for word in searched_words:
    pattern = re.escape(word) # Escape special characters in the word
    if re.search(pattern, sample_text):
        print(f'{word}' found in the sample text.")
    else:
        print(f'{word}' not found in the sample text.")
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➡ 'fox' found in the sample text.
   'dog' found in the sample text.
   'horse' not found in the sample text.
```

8. Write a Python program to search for a literal string in a string and also find the location within the original string where the pattern occurs.

Sample text : 'The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.'

Searched words : 'fox'

```
[ ] import re
sample_text = 'The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.'
search_word = 'fox'

position = sample_text.find(search_word)

if position != -1:
    print(f'{search_word}' found at position {position} in the text.")
else:
    print(f'{search_word}' not found in the text.")
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'fox' found at position 16 in the text.
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9. Write a Python program to extract year, month and date from an URL

```
[ ] import re
url1 = "https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/football-insider/wp/2016/09/02/odell-beckhams-fame-rests-on-one-stupid-little-ball-josh-norman-tells-author/"

date_pattern = r'(\d{4})/(\d{2})/(\d{2})/'
match = re.search(date_pattern, url1)

if match:
    year = match.group(1)
    month = match.group(2)
    day = match.group(3)
    print(f"Year: {year}")
    print(f"Month: {month}")
    print(f"Day: {day}")
else:
    print("Date not found in the URL")
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Year: 2016
Month: 09
Day: 02
```

10. Write a Python program to find URLs in a string.

```
[ ] import re
text = '<p>Contents :</p><a href="https://w3resource.com">Python Examples</a><a href="http://github.com">Even More Examples</a>'

url_pattern = r'https?://[^\s<>"]+|www\.[^\s<>"]+'
urls = re.findall(url_pattern, text)

for url in urls:
    print(url)
```

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https://w3resource.com
http://github.com
```

11. Write a Python program to remove the parenthesis area in a string.

Sample data : ["example (.com)", "w3resource", "github (.com)", "stackoverflow (.com)"]

Expected Output:

example

w3resource
github
stackoverflow.

```
[ ] import re

sample_data = ["example (.com)", "w3resource", "github (.com)", "stackoverflow (.com)"]

for data in sample_data:
    cleaned_data = re.sub(r'\s*\([^)]*\)', '', data)
    print(cleaned_data)
```

example
w3resource
github
stackoverflow

12. Write a Python program to concatenate the consecutive numbers in a given string.

Original string:

Enter at 1 20 Kearny Street. The security desk can direct you to floor 1 6. Please have your identification ready.

After concatenating the consecutive numbers in the said string:

Enter at 120 Kearny Street. The security desk can direct you to floor 16. Please have your identification ready.

```
import re

original_string = "Enter at 1 20 Kearny Street. The security desk can direct you to floor 1 6. Please have your identification ready."
pattern = r'(\d+)\s+(\d+)'

modified_string = re.sub(pattern, r'\1\2', original_string)

print("After concatenating the consecutive numbers in the said string:")
print(modified_string)
```

After concatenating the consecutive numbers in the said string:
Enter at 120 Kearny Street. The security desk can direct you to floor 16. Please have your identification ready.

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