

REGULAR EXPRESSIONS

Q: 1 Write a Python program to replace all occurrences of a space , comma, or dot with a colon.

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In [2]: text = 'Python Exercises,PHP exercises.'

# Replace space, comma, and dot with a colon
new_text = text.replace(' ', ':').replace(',','').replace('.',':')

print(new_text)

Python:Exercises::PHP:exercises:

Q:2 Create a dataframe using the dictionary below and remove everything(commas,.,\XXXX,etc.)from the columns except words.
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In [21]: import pandas as pd
import re

data = {'SUMMARY': ['hello,world', 'XXXXX test', '123four,five;; six...']}
df = pd.DataFrame(data)
df['SUMMARY'] = df['SUMMARY'].str.replace('[Aa-zA-Zs]', '', regex=True)

print(df)

   SUMMARY
0  helloworld
1  XXXXX test
2  fourfive six

Q:3 Create a function in python to find all words that are at least 4 charcters long in a string. The use of the re.compile()mehod is mandatory.
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In [1]: import re

def find_words(string):
    pattern = re.compile(r'\b\w{3,5}\b')
    matches = pattern.findall(string)
    return matches

string = "That is a recompile method with words."
result = find_words(string)

print(result)

['That', 'with', 'words']

Q:4 Create a function in python to find all three ,four and five charcters words in a string. The use of the re.compile()method
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In [2]: import re
text = "The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog."
print(re.findall(r'\b\w{3,5}\b', text))

['The', 'quick', 'brown', 'fox', 'jumps', 'over', 'the', 'lazy', 'dog']

Q:5 Create a function in Python to remove the parenthesis in a list of strings. The use of the re.compile() method is mandatory.
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In [48]: import re

def remove_parenthese(strings):
    pattern = re.compile(r'\(\|\)\|')
    modified_strings = []
    modified_string = re.sub(pattern, "", string)
    modified_strings.append(modified_string)
    return modified_strings

string = ["example(.com)", "hr@fliprobo(.com)", "github(.com)", "Hello(Data Science World)", "Data(Scientist)"]
result = remove_parentheses(sample_text)
print(result)

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NameError                                Traceback (most recent call last)
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--> 10 result = remove_parentheses(sample_text)
      11 print(result)

NameError: name 'remove_parentheses' is not defined

Q: 6 Write a python program to remove the parenthesis area from the text stored in the text file using Regular Expression.
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In [52]: import re

text = ["example(.com)", "hr@fliprobo(.com)", "github(.com)", "Hello(Data Science World)", "Dat(Scientist)"]

modified_text = re.sub(r'\(\|\)\|', '', text)

print(modified_text)

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error                                Traceback (most recent call last)
Cell In[52], line 5
      3 import re
----> 5 modified_text = re.sub(r'\(\|\)\|', '', text)
      7 print(modified_text)

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    206     if a string, backslash escapes in it are processed.  If it is
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    208     a replacement string to be used."""
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    445                          not nested and not items))
    446     if not source.match("|"):
    447         break

File D:\Users\HP\anaconda3\lib\sre_parse.py:550, in _parse(source, state, verbose, nested, first)
    548 this = source.get()
    549 if this is None:
--> 550     raise source.error("unterminated character set",
    551                       source.tell() - here)
    552 if this == "]" and set:
    553     break

error: unterminated character set at position 2

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In [2]: import re
text = "ImportanceOfRegularExpressionsInPython"

print(re.findall('[A-Z][A-Z]*',text))

['Importance', 'Of', 'Regular', 'Expressions', 'In', 'Python']

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In [6]: import re

string="RegularExpressionIsAn2ImportantTopicInPython"

words = re.findall('[A-Z][a-z]*', string)

print(' '.join(words))

Regular Expression Is An Important Topic In Python

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In [55]: import re

string="RegularExpressionIs2ImportantTopic3InPython"

numbers = re.findall('[0-9]*', string)

print(' '.join(numbers))

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In [56]: import re
def text_match(text):
    patterns = '[a-zA-Z0-9]*$'
    if re.search(patterns, text):
        return 'Found a match!'
    else:
        return('Not matched')

print(text_match("The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.))
print(text_match("Python Exercises_1"))

Not matched
Not matched

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In [57]: import re
def match_num(string):
    text = re.compile(r"^[a-z]*")
    if text.match(string):
        return True
    else:
        return False
print(match_num('5-2345681'))
print(match_num('6-2345681'))

True
False

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In [15]: import re
ip = "29.08.094.196"
string = re.sub('\.[0]*', '',ip)
print(string)

29.8.94.196

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In [59]: import re

text = "On August 15th 1947 that India was declared independent from British colonialism,and the rein of control were handed over to the leaders of the country"

matches = re.findall('[A-Z][a-z]* \d{1,2}(?:st|nd|rd|th)? \d{4}\b'

print(matches)

['On', '15th', '1947', 'that', 'was', 'from', 'and', 'the', 'rein', 'of', 'were', 'over', 'to', 'the', 'of', 'the']

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In [60]: import re
patterns = ['fox', 'dog', 'horse']
text = "The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog."
for pattern in patterns:
    print("Searching for '%s' in '%s' -> '%s' (pattern, text),)
    if re.search(pattern, text):
        print("Matched!")
    else:
        print("Not Matched!")

Searching for "fox" in "The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog." -> Matched!
Searching for "dog" in "The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog." -> Matched!
Searching for "horse" in "The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog." -> Not Matched!

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In [61]: import re
pattern = 'fox'
text = "The quick brown foxjumps over the lazy dog."
match = re.search(pattern, text)
s = match.start()
e = match.end()
print("Found '%s' in '%s' from %d to %d '%s' \
      (match.re.pattern, match.string, s, e)

Found "fox" in "The quick brown foxjumps over the lazy dog." from 16 to 19

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In [35]: import re
text = 'Python exercises, PHP exercises, C# exercises'
pattern = 'exercises'
for match in re.findall(pattern, text):
    print("Found '%s'" %match)

Found "exercises"
Found "exercises"
Found "exercises"

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In [62]: import re
text = 'Python exercises, PHP exercises, C# exercises'
pattern = 'exercises'
for match in re.finditer(pattern, text):
    s = match.start()
    e = match.end()
    print("Found '%s' at %d:%d '%s' (text[s:e], s, e))

Found "exercises" at 7:16
Found "exercises" at 22:31
Found "exercises" at 36:45

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In [18]: import re
def change_date_format(dt):
    return re.sub(r'(\d{4})-(\d{1,2})-(\d{1,2})', '\d3-\d2-\d1', dt)
dt1 = "2026-01-02"
print("Original date in YYYY-MM-DD Format: ",dt1)
print("New date in DD-MM-YYYY Format: ",change_date_format(dt1))

Original date in YYYY-MM-DD Format:  2026-01-02
New date in DD-MM-YYYY Format:  02-01-2026

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In [63]: import re

def find_decimal_numbers(string):
    pattern = re.compile(r'\d+\.\d{1,2}')
    sample_text = "01.120132.1232.31875145.8 3.01 27.25 0.25"
    re.findall(pattern, string)
    output = find_decimal_numbers(sample_text)

    print(output)

    None

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In [64]: import re
text = "The following example creates an ArrayList with a capacity of 50 elements."
for m in re.finditer("\d+", text):
    print(m.group(0))
    print("Index position:", m.start())

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Index position: 62

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In [13]: import re
string = "My marks in each sentence are :947,896,926,524,734,950,642"
number = re.findall('\d+', string)
number = map(int, number)
print("Max value:",max(number))

Max value: 950

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In [2]: import re
def capital_words_spaces(str1):
    return re.sub(r"([A-Z])", r"\1 \2", str1)

print(capital_words_spaces("Regular ExpressionIsAnImportantTopicInPython"))

Regular Expression Is An Important Topic In Python

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def text_match(text):
    patterns = '[A-Z][a-z]+s'
    if re.search(patterns, text):
        return 'Found a match!'
    else:
        return ('Not matched!')

    print(text_match("AABBCc"))
    print(text_match("Regular"))
    print(text_match("expression"))

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In [94]: import re

def remove_duplicates(sentence):
    pattern = r'\b\w{1,4}\b'
    result = re.sub(pattern, r'\1', sentence)
    return result

sentence = "Hello hello world world"
result = remove_duplicates(sentence)

print(result)

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error                                Traceback (most recent call last)
Cell In[94], line 9
      6 return result
      8 sentence = "Hello hello world world"
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    838 raise source.error(err.msg, len(name) + 1) from None
    839 sub_verbose = (verbose or (add_flags & SRE_FLAG_VERBOSE)) and
    840 not (del_flags & SRE_FLAG_VERBOSE))
--> 841 p = _parse_sub(source, state, sub_verbose, nested + 1)
    842 if not source.match("("):
    843     raise source.error("missing ), unterminated subpattern",
    844                       source.tell() - start)

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    667 item = None
    668 if not item or item[0][0] is AT:
--> 669     raise source.error("nothing to repeat",
    670                       source.tell() - here + len(this))
    671 if item[0][0] in _REPEATCODES:
    672     raise source.error("multiple repeat",
    673                       source.tell() - here + len(this))

error: nothing to repeat at position 15

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In [72]: import re

regex_expression = '[a-zA-Z0-9]*$'

def check_string(my_string):

    if re.search(regex_expression, my_string)):
        print("The string ends with alphanumeric character")

    else:
        print("The string doesnot end with alphanumeric character")

my_string_1 = "Python@"
print("The string is :",my_string_1)
print(my_string_1)
check_string(my_string_1)

my_string_2 = "Python12345"
print("The string is :",my_string_2)
print(my_string_2)
check_string(my_string_2)

The string is :
Python@
The string doesnot end with alphanumeric character

The string is :
Python12345
The string ends with alphanumeric character

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In [28]: import re

def extract_hashtags(text):
    hashtags = re.findall(r'#\w+', text)
    return hashtags
text = ""RT@kapil.kausik#DotwalaImeanxyzabcis'hurt'by#demonetization as the same has rendered USELESS<ed>+U+0081>+U+0089>"acquiredfunds"no "wo """"
hashtags = extract_hashtags(text)
print(hashtags)

["#DotwalaImean", "#xyzabcis", "#demonetization"]

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In [31]: import re

input_text = "@Jags123456Bharat band on 2877<ed>+U+00A0>+U+00B8>+U+0082>Those who are protesting#demonetization are all different party leaders"

pattern = r"@[a-zA-Z0-9]{4,}"
output_text = re.sub(pattern, "", input_text)

print(output_text)

@Jags123456Bharat band on 2877<ed>Those who are protesting#demonetization are all different party leaders

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In [38]: import re

text = "Ron was born on 12-9-1992 and he was admitted to school 15-12-1999."

dates = re.findall(r'\d{2}-\d{2}-\d{4}', text)

print(dates)

['15-12-1999']

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In [48]: import re

sample_text = "The following example creates an ArrayList with a capacity of 50 elements. 4 elements are then added to the ArrayList is trimmed accordingly."

pattern = re.compile(r'\b\w{2,4}\b')
modified_text = re.sub(pattern, "", sample_text)

print(modified_string)

following example creates ArrayList a capacity elements. 4 elements added ArrayList trimmed accordingly.

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