pyproject.toml, packaging, and you

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TOML example

```
toml_stuff = """\
[project] # Table -> Dictionary
name = "orbipatch"
authors = [ # Array -> List
# Key/Value -> Dictionary
{ name = "MZ", email = "mz@devskillup.com" }
]
"""
```

TOML example

```
import tomli # tomllib in Python 3.11+
import json
print(json.dumps(
    tomli.loads(toml_stuff),
    indent=4,
))
```

```
{
    "project": {
        "name": "orbipatch",
        "authors": [
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                "email": "mz@devskillup.com"
            }
        ]
    }
}
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```
parsed = tomli.loads(minimal_pyproject)
print(
    "Build system requires:",
    parsed["build-system"].pop("requires")
)
```

```
Build system requires: ['setuptools']
```

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```
print(
    "Build backend",
    parsed["build-system"].pop("build-backend")
)

Build backend setuptools.build_meta
```

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print(
    "Project authors:\n",
    parsed["project"].pop("authors")
)
```

```
Project authors:
 [{'name': 'MZ', 'email': 'mz@devskillup.com'}]
```

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```
print(
    "Project description:\n",
    parsed["project"].pop("description"),
)
```

```
Project description:
 silly project named after a niche math thing
```

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```
print(
    "Project:\n",
    json.dumps(parsed.pop("project"), indent=2),
)

Project:
 {
  "name": "orbipatch",
  "version": "2022.3.6.2",
  "readme": "README.rst"
}
```

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The tools section

Under "tool.NAME"

```
# [tool.black]
# include = '\.pyi'
print(
    "Black configuration:",
    parsed["tool"]["black"],
)
```

```
Black configuration: {'include': '\\.pyi'}
```

Configuring coverage

Like with setup.cfg, with prefix "tool.":

```
# [tool.coverage.run]
# branch = true
print(
    "Coverage configuration:",
    parsed["tool"]["coverage"],
)
```

```
Coverage configuration: {'run': {'branch': True}}
```

Configuring isort

Like with setup.cfg, with prefix "tool.":

```
# [tool.isort]
# src_paths = ["isort", "test"]
print(
    "isort configuration:\n",
    parsed["tool"]["isort"],
)

isort configuration:
 {'src_paths': ['isort', 'test']}
```

project metadata

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project section: packaging semantics edition

Configuring dependencies

```
# [project]
# ...
# dependencies = ["six"]
print(
    "dependencies:",
    parsed["project"]["dependencies"],
)
```

Configuring optional dependencies

```
# [project.optional-dependencies]
# tests = ["pytest"]
# docs = ["sphinx"]
print(
    "Optional dependencies:\n",
    parsed["project"]["optional-dependencies"],
)
```

```
Optional dependencies:
 {'tests': ['pytest'], 'docs': ['sphinx']}
```

Configuring console scripts

```
# [project.scripts]
# awesome-command = "my_package:main"
print(
    "scripts:",
    parsed["project"]["scripts"],
)
```

```
scripts: {'awesome-command': 'my_package:main'}
```

Configuring entry points

```
# [project.entry-points."paste.app_factory"]
# main = "my-package:main"
print(
    "entry points:\n",
    parsed["project"]["entry-points"],
)

entry points:
 {'paste.app_factory': {'main': 'my-package:main'}}
```

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```
def build_wheel(
    wheel_directory,
    config_settings=None,
    metadata_directory=None,
):
    ...
```

Packaging Python

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Editable installs

Empty setup.cfg: no longer needed

Dynamic fields

```
# [project]
# name = "orbipatch"
# dynamic = ["version"]
print(
    "name",
    parsed["project"].pop("name"),
)
print(
    "project",
    parsed["project"],
)

name orbipatch
project {'dynamic': ['version']}
```

setuptools scm

```
# [build-system]
# requires = [
#     "setuptools",
#     "setuptools_scm",
# ]
#
# [project]
# name = "orbipatch"
# dynamic = ["version"]
```

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Support in your own tooling

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