

# The package `piton`\*

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## Abstract

The package `piton` provides tools to typeset Python listings with syntactic highlighting by using the Lua library LPEG. It requires LuaLaTeX.

## 1 Presentation

The package `piton` uses the Lua library LPEG<sup>1</sup> for parsing Python listings and typeset them with syntactic highlighting. Since it uses Lua code, it works with `lualatex` only (and won't work with the other engines: `latex`, `pdflatex` and `xelatex`). It does not use external program and the compilation does not require `--shell-escape`. The compilation is very fast since all the parsing is done by the library LPEG, written in C.

Here is an example of code typeset by `piton`, with the environment `{Piton}`.

```
from math import pi

def arctan(x,n=10):
    """Compute the mathematical value of arctan(x)

    n is the number of terms in the sum
    """
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x) # recursive call
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)
        (we have used that arctan(x) + arctan(1/x) =  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  for  $x > 0$ )2
    else:
        s = 0
        for k in range(n):
            s += (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1)
        return s
```

The package `piton` is entirely contained in the file `piton.sty`. This file may be put in the current directory or in a `texmf` tree. However, the best is to install `piton` with a TeX distribution such as MiKTeX, TeX Live or MacTeX.

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<sup>1</sup>LPEG is a pattern-matching library for Lua, written in C, based on *parsing expression grammars*: <http://www.inf.puc-rio.br/~roberto/lpeg/>

<sup>2</sup>This LaTeX escape has been done by beginning the comment by `#>`.

## 2 Use of the package

### 2.1 Loading the package

The package `piton` should be loaded with the classical command `\usepackage{piton}`. Nevertheless, we have two remarks:

- the package `piton` uses the package `xcolor` (but `piton` does *not* load `xcolor`: if `xcolor` is not loaded before the `\begin{document}`, a fatal error will be raised).
- the package `piton` must be used with LuaLaTeX exclusively: if another LaTeX engine (`latex`, `pdflatex`, `xelatex`,...) is used, a fatal error will be raised.

### 2.2 The tools provided to the user

The package `piton` provides several tools to typeset Python code: the command `\piton`, the environment `{Piton}` and the command `\PitonInputFile`.

- The command `\piton` should be used to typeset small pieces of code inside a paragraph. For example:

```
\piton{def square(x): return x*x}    def square(x): return x*x
```

The syntax and particularities of the command `\piton` are detailed below.

- The environment `{Piton}` should be used to typeset multi-lines code. Since it takes its argument in a verbatim mode, it can't be used within the argument of a LaTeX command. For sake of customization, it's possible to define new environments similar to the environment `{Piton}` with the command `\NewPitonEnvironment`: cf. 3.3 p. 6.
- The command `\PitonInputFile` is used to insert and typeset a whole external file.

That command takes in as optional argument (between square brackets) two keys `first-line` and `last-line`: only the part between the corresponding lines will be inserted.

### 2.3 The syntax of the command `\piton`

In fact, the command `\piton` is provided with a double syntax. It may be used as a standard command of LaTeX taking its argument between curly braces (`\piton{...}`) but it may also be used with a syntax similar to the syntax of the command `\verb`, that is to say with the argument delimited by two identical characters (e.g.: `\piton|...|`).

- **Syntax `\piton{...}`**

When its argument is given between curly braces, the command `\piton` does not take its argument in verbatim mode. In particular:

- several consecutive spaces will be replaced by only one space,  
but the command `\_` is provided to force the insertion of a space;
- it's not possible to use `%` inside the argument,  
but the command `\%` is provided to insert a %;
- the braces must be appear by pairs correctly nested  
but the commands `\{` and `\}` are also provided for individual braces;
- the LaTeX commands<sup>3</sup> are fully expanded and not executed,  
so it's possible to use `\\` to insert a backslash.

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<sup>3</sup>That concerns the commands beginning with a backslash but also the active characters.

The other characters (including #, ^, \_, &, \$ and @) must be inserted without backslash.

Examples :

<code>\piton{MyString = '\n'}</code>	<code>MyString = '\n'</code>
<code>\piton{def even(n): return n%2==0}</code>	<code>def even(n): return n%2==0</code>
<code>\piton{c="#" # an affectation }</code>	<code>c="#" # an affectation</code>
<code>\piton{c="#" \ \ \ # an affectation }</code>	<code>c="#" # an affectation</code>
<code>\piton{MyDict = {'a': 3, 'b': 4 }}</code>	<code>MyDict = {'a': 3, 'b': 4}</code>

It's possible to use the command `\piton` in the arguments of a LaTeX command.<sup>4</sup>

- **Syntaxe `\piton|...|`**

When the argument of the command `\piton` is provided between two identical characters, that argument is taken in a *verbatim mode*. Therefore, with that syntax, the command `\piton` can't be used within the argument of another command.

Examples :

<code>\piton MyString = '\n' </code>	<code>MyString = '\n'</code>
<code>\piton!def even(n): return n%2==0!</code>	<code>def even(n): return n%2==0</code>
<code>\piton+c="#" # an affectation +</code>	<code>c="#" # an affectation</code>
<code>\piton?MyDict = {'a': 3, 'b': 4}?</code>	<code>MyDict = {'a': 3, 'b': 4}</code>

## 3 Customization

### 3.1 The command `\PitonOptions`

The command `\PitonOptions` takes in as argument a comma-separated list of *key=value* pairs. The scope of the settings done by that command is the current TeX group.<sup>5</sup>

- The key `gobble` takes in as value a positive integer *n*: the first *n* characters are discarded (before the process of highlightning of the code) for each line of the environment `{Piton}`. These characters are not necessarily spaces.
- When the key `auto-gobble` is in force, the extension `piton` computes the minimal value *n* of the number of consecutive spaces beginning each (non empty) line of the environment `{Piton}` and applies `gobble` with that value of *n*.
- When the key `env-gobble` is in force, `piton` analyzes the last line of the environment `{Piton}`, that is to say the line which contains `\end{Piton}` and determines whether that line contains only spaces followed by the `\end{Piton}`. If we are in that situation, `piton` computes the number *n* of spaces on that line and applies `gobble` with that value of *n*. The name of that key comes from *environment gobble*: the effect of `gobble` is set by the position of the commands `\begin{Piton}` and `\end{Piton}` which delimit the current environment.
- With the key `line-numbers`, the *non empty* lines (and all the lines of the *docstrings*, even the empty ones) are numbered in the environments `{Piton}` and in the listings resulting from the use of `\PitonInputFile`.
- With the key `all-line-numbers`, *all* the lines are numbered, including the empty ones.
- **New 1.5**

The key `numbers-sep` is the horizontal distance between the numbers of lines (inserted by `line-numbers` or `all-line-numbers`) and the beginning of the lines of code. The initial value is 0.7 em.

<sup>4</sup>For example, it's possible to use the command `\piton` in a footnote. Example : `s = 'A string'`.

<sup>5</sup>We remind that a LaTeX environment is, in particular, a TeX group.

- With the key `resume`, the counter of lines is not set to zero at the beginning of each environment `{Piton}` or use of `\PitonInputFile` as it is otherwise. That allows a numbering of the lines across several environments.
- The key `left-margin` corresponds to a margin on the left. That key may be useful in conjunction with the key `line-numbers` or the key `line-all-numbers` if one does not want the numbers in an overlapping position on the left.

It's possible to use the key `left-margin` with the value `auto`. With that value, if the key `line-numbers` or the key `all-line-numbers` is used, a margin will be automatically inserted to fit the numbers of lines. See an example part 5.1 on page 13.

- The key `background-color` sets the background color of the environments `{Piton}` and the listings produced by `\PitonInputFile` (that background has a width of `\linewidth`).

**New 1.4** The key `background-color` supports also as value a *list* of colors. In this case, the successive rows are colored by using the colors of the list in a cyclic way.

Example : `\PitonOptions{background-color = {gray!5,white}}`

The key `background-color` accepts a color defined «on the fly». For example, it's possible to write `background-color = [cmyk]{0.1,0.05,0,0}`.

- With the key `prompt-background-color`, `piton` adds a color background to the lines beginning with the prompt `">>>"` (and its continuation `"..."`) characteristic of the Python consoles with REPL (*read-eval-print loop*).
- When the key `show-spaces-in-strings` is activated, the spaces in the short strings (that is to say those delimited by `'` or `"`) are replaced by the character `□` (U+2423 : OPEN BOX). Of course, that character U+2423 must be present in the monospaced font which is used.<sup>6</sup>

Example : `my_string = 'Very□good□answer'`

With the key `show-spaces`, all the spaces are replaced by U+2423 (and no line break can occur on those “visible spaces”, even when the key `break-lines`<sup>7</sup> is in force).

```
\PitonOptions{line-numbers,auto-gobble,background-color = gray!15}
\begin{Piton}
  from math import pi
  def arctan(x,n=10):
    """Compute the mathematical value of arctan(x)

    n is the number of terms in the sum
    """
    if x < 0:
      return -arctan(-x) # recursive call
    elif x > 1:
      return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)
      #> (we have used that $\arctan(x)+\arctan(1/x)=\frac{\pi}{2}$ pour $x>0$)
    else
      s = 0
      for k in range(n):
        s += (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1)
      return s
\end{Piton}
```

<sup>6</sup>The package `piton` simply uses the current monospaced font. The best way to change that font is to use the command `\setmonofont` of the package `fontspec`.

<sup>7</sup>cf. 4.4.2 p. 12

```

1 from math import pi
2 def arctan(x,n=10):
3     """Compute the mathematical value of arctan(x)
4
5     n is the number of terms in the sum
6     """
7     if x < 0:
8         return -arctan(-x) # recursive call
9     elif x > 1:
10        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)
11        (we have used that  $\arctan(x) + \arctan(1/x) = \frac{\pi}{2}$  for  $x > 0$ )
12    else
13        s = 0
14        for k in range(n):
15            s += (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1)
16        return s

```

The command `\PitonOptions` provides in fact several other keys which will be described further (see in particular the “Pages breaks and line breaks” p. 12).

## 3.2 The styles

The package `piton` provides the command `\SetPitonStyle` to customize the different styles used to format the syntactic elements of the Python listings. The customizations done by that command are limited to the current TeX group.<sup>8</sup>

The command `\SetPitonStyle` takes in as argument a comma-separated list of *key=value* pairs. The keys are names of styles and the value are LaTeX formatting instructions.

These LaTeX instructions must be formatting instructions such as `\color{...}`, `\bfseries`, `\slshape`, etc. (the commands of this kind are sometimes called *semi-global* commands). It’s also possible to put, *at the end of the list of instructions*, a LaTeX command taking exactly one argument.

Here an example which changes the style used to highlight, in the definition of a Python function, the name of the function which is defined. That code uses the command `\highLight` of `lua-ul` (that package requires also the package `luacolor`).

```
\SetPitonStyle{ Name.Function = \bfseries \highLight[red!50] }
```

In that example, `\highLight[red!50]` must be considered as the name of a LaTeX command which takes in exactly one argument, since, usually, it is used with `\highLight[red!50]{...}`.

With that setting, we will have : `def cube(x) : return x * x * x`

The different styles are described in the table 1. The initial settings done by `piton` in `piton.sty` are inspired by the style `manni` de `Pygments`.<sup>9</sup>

**New 1.4** The command `\PitonStyle` takes in as argument the name of a style and allows to retrieve the value (as a list of LaTeX instructions) of that style.

For example, it’s possible to write `{\PitonStyle{Keyword}{function}}` and we will have the word `function` formatted as a keyword.

The syntax `{\PitonStyle{style}{...}}` is mandatory in order to be able to deal both with the semi-global commands and the commands with arguments which may be present in the definition of the style *style*.

<sup>8</sup>We remind that a LaTeX environment is, in particular, a TeX group.

<sup>9</sup>See: <https://pygments.org/styles/>. Remark that, by default, Pygments provides for its style `manni` a colored background whose color is the HTML color `#F0F3F3`. It’s possible to have the same color in `{Pion}` with the instruction `\PitonOptions{background-color = [HTML]{F0F3F3}}`.

### 3.3 Creation of new environments

Since the environment `{Piton}` has to catch its body in a special way (more or less as verbatim text), it's not possible to construct new environments directly over the environment `{Piton}` with the classical commands `\newenvironment` or `\NewDocumentEnvironment`.

That's why `piton` provides a command `\NewPitonEnvironment`. That command takes in three mandatory arguments.

That command has the same syntax as the classical environment `\NewDocumentEnvironment`.

With the following instruction, a new environment `{Python}` will be constructed with the same behaviour as `{Piton}`:

```
\NewPitonEnvironment{Python}{}{}{}
```

If one wishes an environment `{Python}` with takes in as optional argument (between square brackets) the keys of the command `\PitonOptions`, it's possible to program as follows:

```
\NewPitonEnvironment{Python}{0{}}{\PitonOptions{#1}}{}
```

If one wishes to format Python code in a box of `tcolorbox`, it's possible to define an environment `{Python}` with the following code (of course, the package `tcolorbox` must be loaded).

```
\NewPitonEnvironment{Python}{}
{\begin{tcolorbox}}
{\end{tcolorbox}}
```

With this new environment `{Python}`, it's possible to write:

```
\begin{Python}
def square(x):
    """Compute the square of a number"""
    return x*x
\end{Python}
```

```
def square(x):
    """Compute the square of a number"""
    return x*x
```

## 4 Advanced features

### 4.1 Highlighting some identifiers

**New 1.4** It's possible to require a changement of formatting for some identifiers with the key identifiers of `\PitonOptions`.

That key takes in as argument a value of the following format:

```
{ names = names, style = instructions }
```

- *names* is a (comma-separated) list of identifiers names;
- *instructions* is a list of LaTeX instructions of the same type that `piton` “styles” previously presented (cf 3.2 p. 5).

*Caution:* Only the identifiers may be concerned by that key. The keywords and the built-in functions won't be affected, even if their name is in the list `\textsl{\ttfamily names}`.

```

\PytonOptions
{
  identifiers =
  {
    names = { l1 , l2 } ,
    style = \color{red}
  }
}

\begin{Pyton}
def tri(l):
    """Segmentation sort"""
    if len(l) <= 1:
        return l
    else:
        a = l[0]
        l1 = [ x for x in l[1:] if x < a ]
        l2 = [ x for x in l[1:] if x >= a ]
        return tri(l1) + [a] + tri(l2)
\end{Pyton}

```

```

def tri(l):
    """Segmentation sort"""
    if len(l) <= 1:
        return l
    else:
        a = l[0]
        l1 = [ x for x in l[1:] if x < a ]
        l2 = [ x for x in l[1:] if x >= a ]
        return tri(l1) + [a] + tri(l2)

```

By using the key `identifier`, it's possible to add other built-in functions (or other new keywords, etc.) that will be detected by `pyton`.

```

\PytonOptions
{
  identifiers =
  {
    names = { cos, sin, tan, floor, ceil, trunc, pow, exp, ln, factorial } ,
    style = \PytonStyle{Name.Builtin}
  }
}

\begin{Pyton}
from math import *
cos(pi/2)
factorial(5)
ceil(-2.3)
floor(5.4)
\end{Pyton}

from math import *
cos(pi/2)
factorial(5)
ceil(-2.3)
floor(5.4)

```

## 4.2 Mechanisms to escape to LaTeX

The package `piton` provides several mechanisms for escaping to LaTeX:

- It's possible to compose comments entirely in LaTeX.
- It's possible to have the elements between `$` in the comments composed in LaTeX mathematical mode.
- It's also possible to insert LaTeX code almost everywhere in a Python listing.

One should also remark that, when the extension `piton` is used with the class `beamer`, `piton` detects in `{Piton}` many commands and environments of Beamer: cf. 4.3 p. 10.

### 4.2.1 The “LaTeX comments”

In this document, we call “LaTeX comments” the comments which begins by `#>`. The code following those characters, until the end of the line, will be composed as standard LaTeX code. There is two tools to customize those comments.

- It's possible to change the syntatic mark (which, by default, is `#>`). For this purpose, there is a key `comment-latex` available at load-time (that is to say at the `\usepackage`) which allows to choice the characters which, preceded by `#`, will be the syntatic marker.

For example, with the following loading:

```
\usepackage[comment-latex = LaTeX]{piton}
```

the LaTeX comments will begin by `#LaTeX`.

If the key `comment-latex` is used with the empty value, all the Python comments (which begins by `#`) will, in fact, be “LaTeX comments”.

- It's possible to change the formatting of the LaTeX comment itself by changing the `piton style Comment.LaTeX`.

For example, with `\SetPitonStyle{Comment.LaTeX = \normalfont\color{blue}}`, the LaTeX comments will be composed in blue.

If you want to have a character `#` at the beginning of the LaTeX comment in the PDF, you can use `set Comment.LaTeX` as follows:

```
\SetPitonStyle{Comment.LaTeX = \color{gray}\#\normalfont\space }
```

For other examples of customization of the LaTeX comments, see the part 5.2 p. 14

If the user has required line numbers in the left margin (with the key `line-numbers` or the key `all-line-numbers` of `\PitonOptions`), it's possible to refer to a number of line with the command `\label` used in a LaTeX comment.<sup>10</sup>

### 4.2.2 The key “math-comments”

It's possible to request that, in the standard Python comments (that is to say those beginning by `#` and not `#>`), the elements between `$` be composed in LaTeX mathematical mode (the other elements of the comment being composed verbatim).

That feature is activated by the key `math-comments` at load-time (that is to say with the `\usepackage`).

In the following example, we assume that the key `math-comments` has been used when loading `piton`.

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<sup>10</sup>That feature is implemented by using a redefinition of the standard command `\label` in the environments `{Piton}`. Therefore, incompatibilities may occur with extensions which redefine (globally) that command `\label` (for example: `varioref`, `refcheck`, `showlabels`, etc.)



```
\begin{Piton}
def square(x):
    return x*x # compute  $x^2$ 
\end{Piton}
```

```
def square(x):
    return x*x # compute  $x^2$ 
```

#### 4.2.3 The mechanism “escape-inside”

It’s also possible to overwrite the Python listings to insert LaTeX code almost everywhere (but between lexical units, of course). By default, `piton` does not fix any character for that kind of escape. In order to use this mechanism, it’s necessary to specify two characters which will delimit the escape (one for the beginning and one for the end) by using the key `escape-inside` at load-time (that is to say at the `\begin{documnt}`).

In the following example, we assume that the extension `piton` has been loaded by the following instruction.

```
\usepackage[escape-inside=$$]{piton}
```

In the following code, which is a recursive programming of the mathematical factorial, we decide to highlight in yellow the instruction which contains the recursive call. That example uses the command `\highLight` of `lua-ul` (that package requires itself the package `luacolor`).

```
\begin{Piton}
def fact(n):
    if n==0:
        return 1
    else:
         $\highLight{\$return n*fact(n-1)\$}$ 
\end{Piton}
```

```
def fact(n):
    if n==0:
        return 1
    else:
        return n*fact(n-1)
```

In fact, in that case, it’s probably easier to use the command `\@highLight` of `lua-ul`: that command sets a yellow background until the end of the current TeX group. Since the name of that command contains the character `@`, it’s necessary to define a synonym without `@` in order to be able to use it directly in `{Piton}`.

```
\makeatletter
\let\Yellow\@highLight
\makeatother
```

```
\begin{Piton}
def fact(n):
    if n==0:
        return 1
    else:
         $\Yellow\$return n*fact(n-1)\$$ 
\end{Piton}
```

```
def fact(n):
    if n==0:
        return 1
    else:
        return n*fact(n-1)
```

*Caution* : The escape to LaTeX allowed by the characters of `escape-inside` is not active in the strings nor in the Python comments (however, it's possible to have a whole Python comment composed in LaTeX by beginning it with `#>`; such comments are merely called “LaTeX comments” in this document).

## 4.3 Behaviour in the class Beamer

*First remark*

Since the environment `{Piton}` catches its body with a verbatim mode, it's necessary to use the environments `{Piton}` within environments `{frame}` of Beamer protected by the key `fragile`.<sup>11</sup>

When the package `piton` is used within the class `beamer`<sup>12</sup>, the behaviour of `piton` is slightly modified, as described now.

### 4.3.1 `{Piton}` et `\PitonInputFile` are “overlay-aware”

When `piton` is used in the class `beamer`, the environment `{Piton}` and the command `\PitonInputFile` accept the optional argument `<...>` of Beamer for the overlays which are involved.

For example, it's possible to write:

```
\begin{Piton}<2-5>
```

```
...
```

```
\end{Piton}
```

and

```
\PitonInputFile<2-5>{my_file.py}
```

### 4.3.2 Commands of Beamer allowed in `{Piton}` and `\PitonInputFile`

When `piton` is used in the class `beamer`, the following commands of `beamer` (classified upon their number of arguments) are automatically detected in the environments `{Piton}` (and in the listings processed by `\PitonInputFile`):

- no mandatory argument : `\pause`<sup>13</sup> ;
- one mandatory argument : `\action`, `\alert`, `\invisible`, `\only`, `\uncover` and `\visible` ;
- two mandatory arguments : `\alt` ;
- three mandatory arguments : `\temporal`.

In the mandatory arguments of these commands, the braces must be balanced. However, the braces included in short strings<sup>14</sup> of Python are not considered.

Regarding the fonctions `\alt` and `\temporal` there should be no carriage returns in the mandatory arguments of these functions.

Here is a complete example of file:

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<sup>11</sup>Remind that for an environment `{frame}` of Beamer using the key `fragile`, the instruction `\end{frame}` must be alone on a single line (except for any leading whitespace).

<sup>12</sup>The extension `piton` detects the class `beamer` but, if needed, it's also possible to activate that mechanism with the key `beamer` provided by `piton` at load-time: `\usepackage[beamer]{piton}`

<sup>13</sup>One should remark that it's also possible to use the command `\pause` in a “LaTeX comment”, that is to say by writing `#> \pause`. By this way, if the Python code is copied, it's still executable by Python

<sup>14</sup>The short strings of Python are the strings delimited by characters `'` or the characters `"` and not `'''` nor `"""`. In Python, the short strings can't extend on several lines.

```

\documentclass{beamer}
\usepackage{piton}
\begin{document}
\begin{frame}[fragile]
\begin{Piton}
def string_of_list(l):
    """Convert a list of numbers in string"""
    \only<2->{s = "{" + str(l[0])}
    \only<3->{for x in l[1:]: s = s + "," + str(x)}
    \only<4->{s = s + "}"}
    return s
\end{Piton}
\end{frame}
\end{document}

```

In the previous example, the braces in the Python strings "{" and "}" are correctly interpreted (without any escape character).

### 4.3.3 Environments of Beamer allowed in {Piton} and \PitonInputFile

When `piton` is used in the class `beamer`, the following environments of Beamer are directly detected in the environments `{Piton}` (and in the listings processed by `\PitonInputFile`): `{actionenv}`, `{alertenv}`, `{invisibleenv}`, `{onlyenv}`, `{uncoverenv}` and `{visibleenv}`.

However, there is a restriction: these environments must contain only *whole lines of Python code* in their body.

Here is an example:

```

\documentclass{beamer}
\usepackage{piton}
\begin{document}
\begin{frame}[fragile]
\begin{Piton}
def square(x):
    """Compute the square of its argument"""
    \begin{uncoverenv}<2>
    return x*x
    \end{uncoverenv}
\end{Piton}
\end{frame}
\end{document}

```

### Remark concerning the command \alert and the environment {alertenv} of Beamer

Beamer provides an easy way to change the color used by the environment `{alertenv}` (and by the command `\alert` which relies upon it) to highlight its argument. Here is an example:

```

\setbeamercolor{alerted text}{fg=blue}

```

However, when used inside an environment `{Piton}`, such tuning will probably not be the best choice because `piton` will, by design, change (most of the time) the color the different elements of text. One may prefer an environment `{alertenv}` that will change the background color for the elements to be highlighted.

Here is a code that will do that job and add a yellow background. That code uses the command `\@highLight` of `lua-ul` (that extension requires also the package `luacolor`).

```

\setbeamercolor{alerted text}{bg=yellow!50}
\makeatletter
\AddToHook{env/Piton/begin}
{
\renewenvironment<>{alertenv}{\only#1{\@highLight[alerted text.bg]}}{}}
\makeatother

```

That code redefines locally the environment `{alertenv}` within the environments `{Piton}` (we recall that the command `\alert` relies upon that environment `{alertenv}`).

## 4.4 Page breaks and line breaks

### 4.4.1 Page breaks

By default, the listings produced by the environment `{Piton}` and the command `\PitonInputFile` are not breakable.

However, the command `\PitonOptions` provides the key `splittable` to allow such breaks.

- If the key `splittable` is used without any value, the listings are breakable everywhere.
- If the key `splittable` is used with a numeric value  $n$  (which must be a non-negative integer number), the listings are breakable but no break will occur within the first  $n$  lines and within the last  $n$  lines. Therefore, `splittable=1` is equivalent to `splittable`.

Even with a background color (set by the key `background-color`), the pages breaks are allowed, as soon as the key `splittable` is in force.<sup>15</sup>

### 4.4.2 Line breaks

By default, the elements produced by `piton` can't be broken by an end on line. However, there are keys to allow such breaks (the possible breaking points are the spaces, even the spaces in the Python strings).

- With the key `break-lines-in-piton`, the line breaks are allowed in the command `\piton{...}` (but not in the command `\piton|...|`, that is to say the command `\piton` in verbatim mode).
- With the key `break-lines-in-Piton`, the line breaks are allowed in the environment `{Piton}` (hence the capital letter P in the name) and in the listings produced by `\PitonInputFile`.
- The key `break-lines` is a conjunction of the two previous keys.

The package `piton` provides also several keys to control the appearance on the line breaks allowed by `break-lines-in-Piton`.

- With the key `indent-broken-lines`, the indentation of a broken line is respected at carriage return.
- The key `end-of-broken-line` corresponds to the symbol placed at the end of a broken line. The initial value is: `\hspace*{0.5em}\textbackslash`.
- The key `continuation-symbol` corresponds to the symbol placed at each carriage return. The initial value is: `+\;`.
- The key `continuation-symbol-on-indentation` corresponds to the symbol placed at each carriage return, on the position of the indentation (only when the key `indent-broken-line` is in force). The initial value is: `$_hookrightarrow\;`.

The following code has been composed in a standard LaTeX `{minipage}` of width 12 cm with the following tuning:

```
\PitonOptions{break-lines,indent-broken-lines,background-color=gray!15}
```

---

<sup>15</sup>With the key `splittable`, the environments `{Piton}` are breakable, even within a (breakable) environment of `tcolorbox`. Remind that an environment of `tcolorbox` included in another environment of `tcolorbox` is *not* breakable, even when both environments use the key `breakable` of `tcolorbox`.

```

def dict_of_list(l):
    """Converts a list of subrs and descriptions of glyphs in \
    ↪ a dictionary"""
    our_dict = {}
    for list_letter in l:
        if (list_letter[0][0:3] == 'dup'): # if it's a subr
            name = list_letter[0][4:-3]
            print("We treat the subr of number " + name)
        else:
            name = list_letter[0][1:-3] # if it's a glyph
            print("We treat the glyph of number " + name)
        our_dict[name] = [treat_Postscript_line(k) for k in \
        ↪ list_letter[1:-1]]
    return dict

```

## 4.5 Footnotes in the environments of piton

If you want to put footnotes in an environment `{Piton}` or (or, more unlikely, in a listing produced by `\PitonInputFile`), you can use a pair `\footnotemark`–`\footnotetext`.

However, it's also possible to extract the footnotes with the help of the package `footnote` or the package `footnotehyper`.

If `piton` is loaded with the option `footnote` (with `\usepackage[footnote]{piton}` or with `\PassOptionsToPackage`), the package `footnote` is loaded (if it is not yet loaded) and it is used to extract the footnotes.

If `piton` is loaded with the option `footnotehyper`, the package `footnotehyper` is loaded (if it is not yet loaded) and it is used to extract footnotes.

Caution: The packages `footnote` and `footnotehyper` are incompatible. The package `footnotehyper` is the successor of the package `footnote` and should be used preferently. The package `footnote` has some drawbacks, in particular: it must be loaded after the package `xcolor` and it is not perfectly compatible with `hyperref`.

In this document, the package `piton` has been loaded with the option `footnotehyper`. For examples of notes, cf. 5.3, p. 15.

## 4.6 Tabulations

Even though it's recommended to indent the Python listings with spaces (see PEP 8), `piton` accepts the characters of tabulation (that is to say the characters U+0009) at the beginning of the lines. Each character U+0009 is replaced by  $n$  spaces. The initial value of  $n$  is 4 but it's possible to change it with the key `tab-size` of `\PitonOptions`.

There exists also a key `tabs-auto-gobble` which computes the minimal value  $n$  of the number of consecutive characters U+0009 beginning each (non empty) line of the environment `{Piton}` and applies `gobble` with that value of  $n$  (before replacement of the tabulations by spaces, of course). Hence, that key is similar to the key `auto-gobble` but acts on U+0009 instead of U+0020 (spaces).

# 5 Examples

## 5.1 Line numbering

We remind that it's possible to have an automatic numbering of the lines in the Python listings by using the key `line-numbers` or the key `all-line-numbers`.

By default, the numbers of the lines are composed by `piton` in an overlapping position on the left (by using internally the command `\llap` of LaTeX).

In order to avoid that overlapping, it's possible to use the option `left-margin=auto` which will insert automatically a margin adapted to the numbers of lines that will be written (that margin is larger when the numbers are greater than 10).

```

\PytonOptions{background-color=gray!10, left-margin = auto, line-numbers}
\begin{Pyton}
def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)          #> (appel récursif)
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x) #> (autre appel récursif)
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )
\end{Pyton}

```

```

1 def arctan(x,n=10):
2     if x < 0:
3         return -arctan(-x)          (appel récursif)
4     elif x > 1:
5         return pi/2 - arctan(1/x) (autre appel récursif)
6     else:
7         return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )

```

## 5.2 Formatting of the LaTeX comments

It's possible to modify the style `Comment.LaTeX` (with `\SetPytonStyle`) in order to display the LaTeX comments (which begin with `#>`) aligned on the right margin.

```

\PytonOptions{background-color=gray!10}
\SetPytonStyle{Comment.LaTeX = \hfill \normalfont\color{gray}}
\begin{Pyton}
def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)          #> appel récursif
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x) #> autre appel récursif
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )
\end{Pyton}

```

```

def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)                                     appel récursif
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)                             autre appel récursif
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )

```

It's also possible to display these LaTeX comments in a kind of second column by limiting the width of the Python code by an environment `{minipage}` of LaTeX.

```

\PytonOptions{background-color=gray!10}
\NewDocumentCommand{\MyLaTeXCommand}{m}{\hfill \normalfont\itshape\rlap{\quad #1}}
\SetPytonStyle{Comment.LaTeX = \MyLaTeXCommand}
\begin{minipage}{12cm}
\begin{Pyton}
def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)          #> appel récursif
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x) #> autre appel récursif
    else:
        s = 0
        for k in range(n):

```

```

        s += (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1)
    return s
\end{Piton}
\end{minipage}

```

```

def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)
    else:
        s = 0
        for k in range(n):
            s += (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1)
        return s

```

*appel récursif*

*autre appel récursif*

### 5.3 Notes in the listings

In order to be able to extract the notes (which are typeset with the command `\footnote`), the extension `piton` must be loaded with the key `footnote` or the key `footnotehyper` as explained in the section 4.5 p. 13. In this document, the extension `piton` has been loaded with the key `footnotehyper`. Of course, in an environment `{Piton}`, a command `\footnote` may appear only within a LaTeX comment (which begins with `#>`). It's possible to have comments which contain only that command `\footnote`. That's the case in the following example.

```

\PitonOptions{background-color=gray!10}
\begin{Piton}
def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)#>\footnote{First recursive call.}]
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)#>\footnote{Second recursive call.}
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )
\end{Piton}

```

```

def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)16
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)17
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )

```

If an environment `{Piton}` is used in an environment `{minipage}` of LaTeX, the notes are composed, of course, at the foot of the environment `{minipage}`. Recall that such `{minipage}` can't be broken by a page break.

```

\PitonOptions{background-color=gray!10}
\emphase\begin{minipage}{\linewidth}
\begin{Piton}
def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)#>\footnote{First recursive call.}
    elif x > 1:

```

---

<sup>16</sup>First recursive call.

<sup>17</sup>Second recursive call.

```

        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)#>\footnote{Second recursive call.}
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )
\end{Piton}
\end{minipage}

```

```

def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)a
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)b
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )

```

---

<sup>a</sup>First recursive call.

<sup>b</sup>Second recursive call.

If we embed an environment `{Piton}` in an environment `{minipage}` (typically in order to limit the width of a colored background), it's necessary to embed the whole environment `{minipage}` in an environment `{savenotes}` (of `footnote` or `footnotehyper`) in order to have the footnotes composed at the bottom of the page.

```

\PitonOptions{background-color=gray!10}
\begin{savenotes}
\begin{minipage}{13cm}
\begin{Piton}
def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)#>\footnote{First recursive call.}
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)#>\footnote{Second recursive call.}
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )
\end{Piton}
\end{minipage}
\end{savenotes}

```

```

def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)18
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)19
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )

```

## 5.4 An example of tuning of the styles

The graphical styles have been presented in the section 3.2, p. 5.

We present now an example of tuning of these styles adapted to the documents in black and white. We use the font *Deja Vu Sans Mono*<sup>20</sup> specified by the command `\setmonofont` of `fontspec`.

That tuning uses the command `\highLight` of `lua-ul` (that package requires itself the package `luacolor`).

```

\setmonofont[Scale=0.85]{DejaVu Sans Mono}

```

---

<sup>18</sup>First recursive call.

<sup>19</sup>Second recursive call.

<sup>20</sup>See: <https://dejavu-fonts.github.io>



```

\SetPitonStyle
{
    Number = ,
    String = \itshape ,
    String.Doc = \color{gray} \slshape ,
    Operator = ,
    Operator.Word = \bfseries ,
    Name.Builtin = ,
    Name.Function = \bfseries \highLight[gray!20] ,
    Comment = \color{gray} ,
    Comment.LaTeX = \normalfont \color{gray},
    Keyword = \bfseries ,
    Name.Namespace = ,
    Name.Class = ,
    Name.Type = ,
    InitialValues = \color{gray}
}

```

```

from math import pi

```

```

def arctan(x,n=10):
    """Compute the mathematical value of arctan(x)

    n is the number of terms in the sum
    """
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x) # appel récursif
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)
        (we have used that arctan(x) + arctan(1/x) = π/2 for x > 0)
    else:
        s = 0
        for k in range(n):
            s += (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1)
        return s

```

## 5.5 Use with pyluatex

The package `pyluatex` is an extension which allows the execution of some Python code from `lualatex` (provided that Python is installed on the machine and that the compilation is done with `lualatex` and `--shell-escape`).

Here is, for example, an environment `{PitonExecute}` which formats a Python listing (with `piton`) but display also the output of the execution of the code with Python (for technical reasons, the `!` is mandatory in the signature of the environment).

```

\ExplSyntaxOn
\NewDocumentEnvironment { PitonExecute } { ! O { } } % the ! is mandatory
{
    \PyLTVerbatimEnv
    \begin{pythonq}
}
{
    \end{pythonq}
    \directlua
    {
        tex.print("\PitonOptions{#1}")
        tex.print("\begin{Piton}")
        tex.print(pyluatex.get_last_code())
    }
}
\ExplSyntaxOff

```

```

        tex.print("\\end{Piton}")
        tex.print("")
    }
    \\begin{center}
        \\directlua{tex.print(pyluatex.get_last_output())}
    \\end{center}
}
\\ExplSyntaxOff

```

This environment `{PitonExecute}` takes in as optional argument (between square brackets) the options of the command `\\PitonOptions`.

**Table 1:** Usage of the different styles

Style	Usage
<code>Number</code>	the numbers
<code>String.Short</code>	the short strings (between ' or ")
<code>String.Long</code>	the long strings (between ''' or """) except the documentation strings
<code>String</code>	that keys sets both <code>String.Short</code> and <code>String.Long</code>
<code>String.Doc</code>	the documentation strings (only between """ following PEP 257)
<code>String.Interpol</code>	the syntactic elements of the fields of the f-strings (that is to say the characters { and })
<code>Operator</code>	the following operators : <code>!= == &lt;&lt; &gt;&gt; - ~ + / * % = &lt; &gt; &amp; .   @</code>
<code>Operator.Word</code>	the following operators : <code>in, is, and, or</code> and <code>not</code>
<code>Name.Builtin</code>	the predefined functions of Python
<code>Name.Function</code>	the name of the functions defined by the user, at the point of their definition (that is to say after the keyword <code>def</code> )
<code>Name.Decorator</code>	the decorators (instructions beginning by <code>@</code> )
<code>Name.Namespace</code>	the name of the modules (= external libraries)
<code>Name.Class</code>	the name of the classes at the point of their definition (that is to say after the keyword <code>class</code> )
<code>Exception</code>	the names of the exceptions (eg: <code>SyntaxError</code> )
<code>Comment</code>	the comments beginning with <code>#</code>
<code>Comment.LaTeX</code>	the comments beginning by <code>#&gt;</code> , which are composed in LaTeX by <code>piton</code> (and simply called “LaTeX comments” in this document)
<code>Keyword.Constant</code>	<code>True, False</code> and <code>None</code>
<code>Keyword</code>	the following keywords : <code>as, assert, break, case, continue, def, del, elif, else, except, exec, finally, for, from, global, if, import, lambda, non local, pass, raise, return, try, while, with, yield, yield from.</code>

## 6 Implementation

The development of the extension `piton` is done on the following GitHub depot:  
<https://github.com/fpantigny/piton>

### 6.1 Introduction

The main job of the package `piton` is to take in as input a Python listing and to send back to LaTeX as output that code *with interlaced LaTeX instructions of formatting*.

In fact, all that job is done by a LPEG called `python`. That LPEG, when matched against the string of a Python listing, returns as capture a Lua table containing data to send to LaTeX. The only thing to do after will be to apply `tex.tprint` to each element of that table.<sup>21</sup>

Consider, for example, the following Python code:

```
def parity(x):  
    return x%2
```

The capture returned by the lpeg `python` against that code is the Lua table containing the following elements :

```
{ "\\_\\_piton_begin_line:" }a  
{ "\\PitonStyle{Keyword}{ " }b  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOtherc, "def" }  
{ "}}" }  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, " " }  
{ "\\PitonStyle{Name.Function}{ " }  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "parity" }  
{ "}}" }  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "(" }  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "x" }  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, ")" }  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, ":" }  
{ "\\_\\_piton_end_line: \\_\\_piton_newline: \\_\\_piton_begin_line:" }  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, " " }  
{ "\\PitonStyle{Keyword}{ " }  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "return" }  
{ "}}" }  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, " " }  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "x" }  
{ "\\PitonStyle{Operator}{ " }  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "&" }  
{ "}}" }  
{ "\\PitonStyle{Number}{ " }  
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "2" }  
{ "}}" }  
{ "\\_\\_piton_end_line:" }
```

---

<sup>a</sup>Each line of the Python listings will be encapsulated in a pair: `\\_\\_begin_line: – \\_\\_end_line:`. The token `\\_\\_end_line:` must be explicit because it will be used as marker in order to delimit the argument of the command `\\_\\_begin_line:`. Both tokens `\\_\\_begin_line:` and `\\_\\_end_line:` will be nullified in the command `\\piton` (since there can't be lines breaks in the argument of a command `\\piton`).

<sup>b</sup>The lexical elements of Python for which we have a `piton` style will be formatted via the use of the command `\\PitonStyle`. Such an element is typeset in LaTeX via the syntax `{\\PitonStyle{style}{...}}` because the instructions inside an `\\PitonStyle` may be both semi-global declarations like `\\bfseries` and commands with one argument like `\\fbox`.

<sup>c</sup>`luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther` is a mere number which corresponds to the “catcode table” whose all characters have the catcode “other” (which means that they will be typeset by LaTeX verbatim).

---

<sup>21</sup>Recall that `tex.tprint` takes in as argument a Lua table whose first component is a “catcode table” and the second element a string. The string will be sent to LaTeX with the regime of catcodes specified by the catcode table. If no catcode table is provided, the standard catcodes of LaTeX will be used.

We give now the LaTeX code which is sent back by Lua to TeX (we have written on several lines for legibility but no character `\r` will be sent to LaTeX). The characters which are greyed-out are sent to LaTeX with the catcode “other” (=12). All the others characters are sent with the regime of catcodes of L3 (as set by `\ExplSyntaxOn`)

```

\__piton_begin_line:{\PitonStyle{Keyword}{def}}
\_{\PitonStyle{Name.Function}{parity}}(x):\__piton_end_line:\__piton_newline:
\__piton_begin_line: \_{\PitonStyle{Keyword}{return}}
\_{\PitonStyle{Operator}{%}}{\PitonStyle{Number}{2}}\__piton_end_line:

```

## 6.2 The L3 part of the implementation

### 6.2.1 Declaration of the package

```

1 \NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}
2 \RequirePackage{l3keys2e}
3 \ProvidesExplPackage
4   {piton}
5   {\myfiledate}
6   {\myfileversion}
7   {Highlight Python codes with LPEG on LuaLaTeX}

8 \msg_new:nnn { piton } { LuaLaTeX-mandatory }
9   {
10     LuaLaTeX~is~mandatory.\\
11     The~package~'piton'~requires~the~engine~LuaLaTeX.\\
12     \str_if_eq:VnT \c_sys_jobname_str { output }
13       { If~you~use~Overleaf,~you~can~switch~to~LuaLaTeX~in~the~"Menu". \\}
14     If~you~go~on,~the~package~'piton'~won't~be~loaded.
15   }
16 \sys_if_engine luatex:F { \msg_critical:nn { piton } { LuaLaTeX-mandatory } }

17 \RequirePackage { luatexbase }

```

The boolean `\c_@@_footnotehyper_bool` will indicate if the option `footnotehyper` is used.

```
18 \bool_new:N \c_@@_footnotehyper_bool
```

The boolean `\c_@@_footnote_bool` will indicate if the option `footnote` is used, but quickly, it will also be set to true if the option `footnotehyper` is used.

```
19 \bool_new:N \c_@@_footnote_bool
```

The following boolean corresponds to the key `math-comments` (only at load-time).

```
20 \bool_new:N \c_@@_math_comments_bool
```

The following boolean corresponds to the key `beamer`.

```
21 \bool_new:N \c_@@_beamer_bool
```

We define a set of keys for the options at load-time.

```

22 \keys_define:nn { piton / package }
23   {
24     footnote .bool_set:N = \c_@@_footnote_bool ,
25     footnotehyper .bool_set:N = \c_@@_footnotehyper_bool ,
26     escape-inside .tl_set:N = \c_@@_escape_inside_tl ,
27     escape-inside .initial:n = ,
28     comment-latex .code:n = { \lua_now:n { comment_latex = "#1" } } ,
29     comment-latex .value_required:n = true ,
30     math-comments .bool_set:N = \c_@@_math_comments_bool ,
31     math-comments .default:n = true ,
32     beamer .bool_set:N = \c_@@_beamer_bool ,
33     beamer .default:n = true ,
34     unknown .code:n = \msg_error:nn { piton } { unknown-key-for-package }

```

```

35 }
36 \msg_new:nnn { piton } { unknown-key-for-package }
37 {
38   Unknown-key.\
39   You-have-used-the-key~'\l_keys_key_str'~but-the-only-keys-available-here~
40   are~'beamer',~'comment-latex',~'escape-inside',~'footnote',~'footnotehyper'~and~
41   'math-comments'.~Other-keys-are-available-in~\token_to_str:N \PitonOptions.\
42   That-key-will-be-ignored.
43 }

```

We process the options provided by the user at load-time.

```

44 \ProcessKeysOptions { piton / package }

45 \beginngroup
46 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_set_escape_char:nn #1 #2
47 {
48   \lua_now:n { piton_begin_escape = "#1" }
49   \lua_now:n { piton_end_escape = "#2" }
50 }
51 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_set_escape_char:nn { x x }
52 \@@_set_escape_char:xx
53 { \tl_head:V \c_@@_escape_inside_tl }
54 { \tl_tail:V \c_@@_escape_inside_tl }
55 \endgroup

56 \@ifclassloaded { beamer } { \bool_set_true:N \c_@@_beamer_bool } { }
57 \bool_if:NT \c_@@_beamer_bool { \lua_now:n { piton_beamer = true } }

58 \hook_gput_code:nnn { begindocument } { . }
59 {
60   \@ifpackageloaded { xcolor }
61   { }
62   { \msg_fatal:nn { piton } { xcolor-not-loaded } }
63 }

64 \msg_new:nnn { piton } { xcolor-not-loaded }
65 {
66   xcolor-not-loaded \
67   The-package~'xcolor'~is-required-by~'piton'.\
68   This-error-is-fatal.
69 }

70 \msg_new:nnn { piton } { footnote-with-footnotehyper-package }
71 {
72   Footnote-forbidden.\
73   You-can't-use-the-option~'footnote'~because-the-package~
74   footnotehyper~has~already~been~loaded.~
75   If-you-want,~you-can-use-the-option~'footnotehyper'~and-the-footnotes~
76   within-the-environments-of~piton~will~be~extracted~with~the~tools~
77   of~the~package~footnotehyper.\
78   If-you-go-on,~the~package~footnote~won't~be~loaded.
79 }

80 \msg_new:nnn { piton } { footnotehyper-with-footnote-package }
81 {
82   You-can't-use-the-option~'footnotehyper'~because-the-package~
83   footnote~has~already~been~loaded.~
84   If-you-want,~you-can-use-the-option~'footnote'~and-the-footnotes~
85   within-the-environments-of~piton~will~be~extracted~with~the~tools~
86   of~the~package~footnote.\
87   If-you-go-on,~the~package~footnotehyper~won't~be~loaded.
88 }

```

```

89 \bool_if:NT \c_@@_footnote_bool
90 {

```

The class `beamer` has its own system to extract footnotes and that's why we have nothing to do if `beamer` is used.

```

91 \@ifclassloaded { beamer }
92 { \bool_set_false:N \c_@@_footnote_bool }
93 {
94 \@ifpackageloaded { footnotehyper }
95 { \@@_error:n { footnote-with-footnotehyper-package } }
96 { \usepackage { footnote } }
97 }
98 }
99 \bool_if:NT \c_@@_footnotehyper_bool
100 {

```

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```

101 \@ifclassloaded { beamer }
102 { \bool_set_false:N \c_@@_footnote_bool }
103 {
104 \@ifpackageloaded { footnote }
105 { \@@_error:n { footnotehyper-with-footnote-package } }
106 { \usepackage { footnotehyper } }
107 \bool_set_true:N \c_@@_footnote_bool
108 }
109 }

```

The flag `\c_@@_footnote_bool` is raised and so, we will only have to test `\c_@@_footnote_bool` in order to know if we have to insert an environment `{savenotes}`.

### 6.2.2 Parameters and technical definitions

The following string will contain the name of the informatic language considered (the initial value is `python`).

```

110 \str_new:N \l_@@_language_str
111 \str_set:Nn \l_@@_language_str { python }

```

We will compute (with Lua) the numbers of lines of the Python code and store it in the following counter.

```

112 \int_new:N \l_@@_nb_lines_int

```

The same for the number of non-empty lines of the Python codes.

```

113 \int_new:N \l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int

```

The following counter will be used to count the lines during the composition. It will count all the lines, empty or not empty. It won't be used to print the numbers of the lines.

```

114 \int_new:N \g_@@_line_int

```

The following token list will contains the (potential) informations to write on the `aux` (to be used in the next compilation).

```

115 \tl_new:N \g_@@_aux_tl

```

The following counter corresponds to the key `splittable` of `\PitonOptions`. If the value of `\l_@@_splittable_int` is equal to  $n$ , then no line break can occur within the first  $n$  lines or the last  $n$  lines of the listings.

```

116 \int_new:N \l_@@_splittable_int

```

An initial value of `splittable` equal to 100 is equivalent to say that the environments `{Piton}` are unbreakable.

```

117 \int_set:Nn \l_@@_splittable_int { 100 }

```

The following string corresponds to the key `background-color` of `\PitonOptions`.

```

118 \clist_new:N \l_@@_bg_color_clist

```

The package `piton` will also detect the lines of code which correspond to the user input in a Python console, that is to say the lines of code beginning with `>>>` and `....`. It's possible, with the key `prompt-background-color`, to require a background for these lines of code (and the other lines of code will have the standard background color specified by `background-color`).

```
119 \tl_new:N \l_@@_prompt_bg_color_tl
```

We will compute the maximal width of the lines of an environment `{Piton}` in `\g_@@_width_dim`. We need a global variable because, when the key `footnote` is in force, each line when be composed in an environment `{savenotes}` and (when `slim` is in force) we need to exit `\g_@@_width_dim` from that environment.

```
120 \dim_new:N \g_@@_width_dim
```

The value of that dimension as written on the aux file will be stored in `\l_@@_width_on_aux_dim`.

```
121 \dim_new:N \l_@@_width_on_aux_dim
```

We will count the environments `{Piton}` (and, in fact, also the commands `\PitonInputFile`, despite the name `\g_@@_env_int`).

```
122 \int_new:N \g_@@_env_int
```

The following boolean corresponds to the key `show-spaces`.

```
123 \bool_new:N \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
```

The following booleans correspond to the keys `break-lines` and `indent-broken-lines`.

```
124 \bool_new:N \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
```

```
125 \bool_new:N \l_@@_indent_broken_lines_bool
```

The following token list corresponds to the key `continuation-symbol`.

```
126 \tl_new:N \l_@@_continuation_symbol_tl
```

```
127 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_continuation_symbol_tl { + }
```

```
128 % The following token list corresponds to the key
```

```
129 % |continuation-symbol-on-indentation|. The name has been shorten to |csoi|.
```

```
130 \tl_new:N \l_@@_csoi_tl
```

```
131 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_csoi_tl { $ \hookrightarrow ; $ }
```

The following token list corresponds to the key `end-of-broken-line`.

```
132 \tl_new:N \l_@@_end_of_broken_line_tl
```

```
133 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_end_of_broken_line_tl { \hspace*{0.5em} \textbackslash }
```

The following boolean corresponds to the key `break-lines-in-piton`.

```
134 \bool_new:N \l_@@_break_lines_in_piton_bool
```

The following boolean corresponds to the key `slim` of `\PitonOptions`.

```
135 \bool_new:N \l_@@_slim_bool
```

The following dimension corresponds to the key `left-margin` of `\PitonOptions`.

```
136 \dim_new:N \l_@@_left_margin_dim
```

The following boolean will be set when the key `left-margin=auto` is used.

```
137 \bool_new:N \l_@@_left_margin_auto_bool
```

The following dimension corresponds to the key `numbers-sep` of `\PitonOptions`.

```
138 \dim_new:N \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim
```

```
139 \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim { 0.7 em }
```

The tabulators will be replaced by the content of the following token list.

```
140 \tl_new:N \l_@@_tab_tl
```



```

141 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_set_tab_tl:n #1
142 {
143   \tl_clear:N \l_@@_tab_tl
144   \prg_replicate:nn { #1 }
145   { \tl_put_right:Nn \l_@@_tab_tl { ~ } }
146 }
147 \@@_set_tab_tl:n { 4 }

```

The following integer corresponds to the key `gobble`.

```

148 \int_new:N \l_@@_gobble_int

149 \tl_new:N \l_@@_space_tl
150 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_space_tl { ~ }

```

At each line, the following counter will count the spaces at the beginning.

```

151 \int_new:N \g_@@_indentation_int

152 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_an_indentation_space:
153 { \int_gincr:N \g_@@_indentation_int }

```

The following command `\@@_beamer_command:n` executes the argument corresponding to its argument but also stores it in `\l_@@_beamer_command_str`. That string is used only in the error message “`cr~not~allowed`” raised when there is a carriage return in the mandatory argument of that command.

```

154 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_beamer_command:n #1
155 {
156   \str_set:Nn \l_@@_beamer_command_str { #1 }
157   \use:c { #1 }
158 }

```

In the environment `{Piton}`, the command `\label` will be linked to the following command.

```

159 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_label:n #1
160 {
161   \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
162   {
163     \bsphack
164     \protected@write \@auxout { }
165     {
166       \string \newlabel { #1 }
167     }

```

Remember that the content of a line is typeset in a box *before* the composition of the potential number of line.

```

168       { \int_eval:n { \g_@@_visual_line_int + 1 } }
169       { \thepage }
170     }
171   }
172   \esphack
173 }
174 { \msg_error:nn { piton } { label-with-lines-numbers } }
175 }

```

The following commands are a easy way to insert safely braces (`{` and `}`) in the TeX flow.

```

176 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_open_brace:
177 { \directlua { piton.open_brace() } }
178 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_close_brace:
179 { \directlua { piton.close_brace() } }

```

The following token list will be evaluated at the beginning of `\@@_begin_line:...` `\@@_end_line:` and cleared at the end. It will be used by LPEG acting between the lines of the Python code in order to add instructions to be executed at the beginning of the line.

```

180 \tl_new:N \g_@@_begin_line_hook_tl

```

For example, the LPEG Prompt will trigger the following command which will insert an instruction in the hook `\g_@@_begin_line_hook` to specify that a background must be inserted to the current line of code.

```

181 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_prompt:
182 {
183   \tl_gset:Nn \g_@@_begin_line_hook_tl
184   {
185     \tl_if_empty:NF \l_@@_prompt_bg_color_tl % added 2023-04-24
186     { \clist_set:NV \l_@@_bg_color_clist \l_@@_prompt_bg_color_tl }
187   }
188 }

```

You will keep track of the current style for the treatment of EOL (for the multi-line syntactic elements).

```

189 \clist_new:N \g_@@_current_style_clist
190 \clist_set:Nn \g_@@_current_style_clist { __end }

```

The element `__end` is an arbitrary syntactic marker.

```

191 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_close_current_styles:
192 {
193   \int_set:Nn \l_tmpa_int { \clist_count:N \g_@@_current_style_clist - 1 }
194   \exp_args:NV \@@_close_n_styles:n \l_tmpa_int
195 }
196 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_close_n_styles:n #1
197 {
198   \int_compare:nNnT { #1 } > 0
199   {
200     \@@_close_brace:
201     \@@_close_brace:
202     \@@_close_n_styles:n { #1 - 1 }
203   }
204 }
205 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_open_current_styles:
206 { \exp_last_unbraced:NV \@@_open_styles:w \g_@@_current_style_clist , }
207 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_open_styles:w #1 ,
208 {
209   \tl_if_eq:nnF { #1 } { __end }
210   { \@@_open_brace: #1 \@@_open_brace: \@@_open_styles:w }
211 }
212 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_pop_style:
213 {
214   \clist_greverse:N \g_@@_current_style_clist
215   \clist_gpop:NN \g_@@_current_style_clist \l_tmpa_tl
216   \clist_gpop:NN \g_@@_current_style_clist \l_tmpa_tl
217   \clist_gpush:Nn \g_@@_current_style_clist { __end }
218   \clist_greverse:N \g_@@_current_style_clist
219 }
220 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_push_style:n #1
221 {
222   \clist_greverse:N \g_@@_current_style_clist
223   \clist_gpop:NN \g_@@_current_style_clist \l_tmpa_tl
224   \clist_gpush:Nn \g_@@_current_style_clist { #1 }
225   \clist_gpush:Nn \g_@@_current_style_clist { __end }
226   \clist_greverse:N \g_@@_current_style_clist
227 }
228 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_push_and_exec:n #1
229 {
230   \@@_push_style:n { #1 }
231   \@@_open_brace: #1 \@@_open_brace:
232 }

```

### 6.2.3 Treatment of a line of code

```

233 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_replace_spaces:n #1
234 {
235   \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { #1 }
236   \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
237     { \regex_replace_all:nnN { \x20 } { \_ } \l_tmpa_tl } % U+2423
238   {

```

If the key `break-lines-in-Piton` is in force, we replace all the characters U+0020 (that is to say the spaces) by `\@@_breakable_space:`. Remark that, except the spaces inserted in the LaTeX comments (and maybe in the math comments), all these spaces are of catcode “other” (=12) and are unbreakable.

```

239     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
240     {
241       \regex_replace_all:nnN
242         { \x20 }
243         { \c { @@_breakable_space: } }
244       \l_tmpa_tl
245     }
246   }
247   \l_tmpa_tl
248 }
249 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_replace_spaces:n { x }

```

In the contents provided by Lua, each line of the Python code will be surrounded by `\@@_begin_line:` and `\@@_end_line:`. `\@@_begin_line:` is a LaTeX command that we will define now but `\@@_end_line:` is only a syntactic marker that has no definition.

```

250 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_begin_line: #1 \@@_end_line:
251 {
252   \group_begin:
253   \g_@@_begin_line_hook_tl
254   \int_gzero:N \g_@@_indentation_int

```

Be careful: there is currying in the following lines.

```

255   \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_slim_bool
256     { \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_tmpa_coffin }
257     {
258       \clist_if_empty:NTF \l_@@_bg_color_clist
259         {
260           \vcoffin_set:Nnn \l_tmpa_coffin
261             { \dim_eval:n { \linewidth - \l_@@_left_margin_dim } }
262         }
263         {
264           \vcoffin_set:Nnn \l_tmpa_coffin
265             { \dim_eval:n { \linewidth - \l_@@_left_margin_dim - 0.5 em } }
266         }
267       }
268     {
269       \language = -1
270       \raggedright
271       \strut
272       \@@_replace_spaces:n { #1 }
273       \strut \hfil
274     }
275   \hbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box
276   {
277     \skip_horizontal:N \l_@@_left_margin_dim
278     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
279     {
280       \bool_if:NF \l_@@_all_line_numbers_bool
281         { \tl_if_eq:nnF { #1 } { \PitonStyle {Prompt}}{} } }
282       \@@_print_number:
283     }

```

```

284 \clist_if_empty:NF \l_@@_bg_color_clist
285 {
286   \dim_compare:nNnT \l_@@_left_margin_dim = \c_zero_dim
287   {
288     \bool_if:NF \l_@@_left_margin_auto_bool
289     { \skip_horizontal:n { 0.5 em } }
290   }
291 }
292 \coffin_typeset:Nnnnn \l_tmpa_coffin T l \c_zero_dim \c_zero_dim
293 }

```

We compute in `\g_@@_width_dim` the maximal width of the lines of the environment.

```

294 \dim_compare:nNnT { \box_wd:N \l_tmpa_box } > \g_@@_width_dim
295 { \dim_gset:Nn \g_@@_width_dim { \box_wd:N \l_tmpa_box } }
296 \box_set_dp:Nn \l_tmpa_box { \box_dp:N \l_tmpa_box + 1.25 pt }
297 \box_set_ht:Nn \l_tmpa_box { \box_ht:N \l_tmpa_box + 1.25 pt }
298 \clist_if_empty:NTF \l_@@_bg_color_clist
299 { \box_use_drop:N \l_tmpa_box }
300 {
301   \vbox_top:n
302   {
303     \hbox:n
304     {
305       \@@_color:N \l_@@_bg_color_clist
306       \vrule height \box_ht:N \l_tmpa_box
307         depth \box_dp:N \l_tmpa_box
308         width \l_@@_width_on_aux_dim
309     }
310     \skip_vertical:n { - \box_ht_plus_dp:N \l_tmpa_box }
311     \box_set_wd:Nn \l_tmpa_box \l_@@_width_on_aux_dim
312     \box_use_drop:N \l_tmpa_box
313   }
314 }
315 \vspace { - 2.5 pt }
316 \group_end:
317 \tl_gclear:N \g_@@_begin_line_hook_tl
318 }

```

The command `\@@_color:N` will take in as argument a reference to a comma-separated list of colors. A color will be picked by using the value of `\g_@@_line_int` (modulo the number of colors in the list).

```

319 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_color:N #1
320 {
321   \int_set:Nn \l_tmpa_int { \clist_count:N #1 }
322   \int_set:Nn \l_tmpb_int { \int_mod:nn \g_@@_line_int \l_tmpa_int + 1 }
323   \tl_set:Nx \l_tmpa_tl { \clist_item:Nn #1 \l_tmpb_int }
324   \tl_if_eq:NnTF \l_tmpa_tl { none }

```

By setting `\l_@@_width_on_aux_dim` to zero, the colored rectangle will be drawn with zero width and, thus, it will be a mere strut (and we need that strut).

```

325   { \dim_zero:N \l_@@_width_on_aux_dim }
326   { \exp_args:NV \@@_color_i:n \l_tmpa_tl }
327 }

```

The following command `\@@_color:n` will accept both the instruction `\@@_color:n { red!15 }` and the instruction `\@@_color:n { [rgb]{0.9,0.9,0} }`.

```

328 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_color_i:n #1
329 {
330   \tl_if_head_eq_meaning:nNTF { #1 } [
331   {
332     \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { #1 }
333     \tl_set_rescan:Nno \l_tmpa_tl { } \l_tmpa_tl
334     \exp_last_unbraced:NV \color \l_tmpa_tl
335   }
336   { \color { #1 } }

```

```

337 }
338 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_color:n { V }

339 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_newline:
340 {
341   \int_gincr:N \g_@@_line_int
342   \int_compare:nNnT \g_@@_line_int > { \l_@@_splittable_int - 1 }
343   {
344     \int_compare:nNnT
345       { \l_@@_nb_lines_int - \g_@@_line_int } > \l_@@_splittable_int
346       {
347         \egroup
348         \bool_if:NT \c_@@_footnote_bool { \end { savenotes } }
349         \newline
350         \bool_if:NT \c_@@_footnote_bool { \begin { savenotes } }
351         \vtop \bgroup
352       }
353   }
354 }

355 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_breakable_space:
356 {
357   \discretionary
358     { \hbox:n { \color { gray } \l_@@_end_of_broken_line_tl } }
359     {
360       \hbox_overlap_left:n
361       {
362         {
363           \normalfont \footnotesize \color { gray }
364           \l_@@_continuation_symbol_tl
365         }
366         \skip_horizontal:n { 0.3 em }
367         \clist_if_empty:NF \l_@@_bg_color_clist
368           { \skip_horizontal:n { 0.5 em } }
369       }
370       \bool_if:NT \l_@@_indent_broken_lines_bool
371       {
372         \hbox:n
373         {
374           \prg_replicate:nn { \g_@@_indentation_int } { ~ }
375           { \color { gray } \l_@@_csoi_tl }
376         }
377       }
378     }
379     { \hbox { ~ } }
380 }

```

## 6.2.4 PitonOptions

The following parameters correspond to the keys `line-numbers` and `all-line-numbers`.

```

381 \bool_new:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
382 \bool_new:N \l_@@_all_line_numbers_bool

```

The following flag corresponds to the key `resume`.

```

383 \bool_new:N \l_@@_resume_bool

```

Be careful! The name of the following set of keys must be considered as public! Hence, it should *not* be changed.

```

384 \keys_define:nn { PitonOptions }
385 {
386   language          .str_set:N          = \l_@@_language_str ,

```

```

387 language .value_required:n = true ,
388 gobble .int_set:N = \l_@@_gobble_int ,
389 gobble .value_required:n = true ,
390 auto-gobble .code:n = \int_set:Nn \l_@@_gobble_int { -1 } ,
391 auto-gobble .value_forbidden:n = true ,
392 env-gobble .code:n = \int_set:Nn \l_@@_gobble_int { -2 } ,
393 env-gobble .value_forbidden:n = true ,
394 tabs-auto-gobble .code:n = \int_set:Nn \l_@@_gobble_int { -3 } ,
395 tabs-auto-gobble .value_forbidden:n = true ,
396 line-numbers .bool_set:N = \l_@@_line_numbers_bool ,
397 line-numbers .default:n = true ,
398 all-line-numbers .code:n =
399 \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
400 \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_all_line_numbers_bool ,
401 all-line-numbers .value_forbidden:n = true ,
402 resume .bool_set:N = \l_@@_resume_bool ,
403 resume .value_forbidden:n = true ,
404 splittable .int_set:N = \l_@@_splittable_int ,
405 splittable .default:n = 1 ,
406 background-color .clist_set:N = \l_@@_bg_color_clist ,
407 background-color .value_required:n = true ,
408 prompt-background-color .tl_set:N = \l_@@_prompt_bg_color_tl ,
409 prompt-background-color .value_required:n = true ,
410 slim .bool_set:N = \l_@@_slim_bool ,
411 slim .default:n = true ,
412 left-margin .code:n =
413 \str_if_eq:nnTF { #1 } { auto }
414 {
415 \dim_zero:N \l_@@_left_margin_dim
416 \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_left_margin_auto_bool
417 }
418 { \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_left_margin_dim { #1 } } ,
419 left-margin .value_required:n = true ,
420 numbers-sep .dim_set:N = \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim ,
421 numbers-sep .value_required:n = true ,
422 tab-size .code:n = \@@_set_tab_tl:n { #1 } ,
423 tab-size .value_required:n = true ,
424 show-spaces .bool_set:N = \l_@@_show_spaces_bool ,
425 show-spaces .default:n = true ,
426 show-spaces-in-strings .code:n = \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_space_tl { \_ } , % U+2423
427 show-spaces-in-strings .value_forbidden:n = true ,
428 break-lines-in-Piton .bool_set:N = \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool ,
429 break-lines-in-Piton .default:n = true ,
430 break-lines-in-piton .bool_set:N = \l_@@_break_lines_in_piton_bool ,
431 break-lines-in-piton .default:n = true ,
432 break-lines .meta:n = { break-lines-in-piton , break-lines-in-Piton } ,
433 break-lines .value_forbidden:n = true ,
434 indent-broken-lines .bool_set:N = \l_@@_indent_broken_lines_bool ,
435 indent-broken-lines .default:n = true ,
436 end-of-broken-line .tl_set:N = \l_@@_end_of_broken_line_tl ,
437 end-of-broken-line .value_required:n = true ,
438 continuation-symbol .tl_set:N = \l_@@_continuation_symbol_tl ,
439 continuation-symbol .value_required:n = true ,
440 continuation-symbol-on-indentation .tl_set:N = \l_@@_csoi_tl ,
441 continuation-symbol-on-indentation .value_required:n = true ,
442 unknown .code:n =
443 \msg_error:nn { piton } { Unknown-key-for-PitonOptions }
444 }

```

The argument of `\PitonOptions` is provided by curryfication.

```

445 \NewDocumentCommand \PitonOptions { } { \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions } }

```

### 6.2.5 The numbers of the lines

The following counter will be used to count the lines in the code when the user requires the numbers of the lines to be printed (with `line-numbers` or `all-line-numbers`).

```

446 \int_new:N \g_@@_visual_line_int
447 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_print_number:
448 {
449   \int_gincr:N \g_@@_visual_line_int
450   \hbox_overlap_left:n
451   {
452     { \color { gray } \footnotesize \int_to_arabic:n \g_@@_visual_line_int }
453     \skip_horizontal:N \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim
454   }
455 }
```

### 6.2.6 The command to write on the aux file

```

456 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_write_aux:
457 {
458   \tl_if_empty:NF \g_@@_aux_tl
459   {
460     \iow_now:Nn \@mainaux { \ExplSyntaxOn }
461     \iow_now:Nx \@mainaux
462     {
463       \tl_gset:cn { c_@@_ \int_use:N \g_@@_env_int _ tl }
464       { \exp_not:V \g_@@_aux_tl }
465     }
466     \iow_now:Nn \@mainaux { \ExplSyntaxOff }
467   }
468   \tl_gclear:N \g_@@_aux_tl
469 }

470 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_width_to_aux:
471 {
472   \bool_if:NT \l_@@_slim_bool
473   {
474     \clist_if_empty:NF \l_@@_bg_color_clist
475     {
476       \tl_gput_right:Nx \g_@@_aux_tl
477       {
478         \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_width_on_aux_dim
479         { \dim_eval:n { \g_@@_width_dim + 0.5 em } }
480       }
481     }
482   }
483 }
```

### 6.2.7 The main commands and environments for the final user

```

484 \NewDocumentCommand { \piton } { }
485 { \peek_meaning:NTF \bgroup \@@_piton_standard \@@_piton_verbatim }
486 \NewDocumentCommand { \@@_piton_standard } { m }
487 {
488   \group_begin:
489   \ttfamily
```

The following tuning of LuaTeX in order to avoid all break of lines on the hyphens.

```

490 \automatichyphenmode = 1
491 \cs_set_eq:NN \ \c_backslash_str
492 \cs_set_eq:NN \% \c_percent_str
```

```

493 \cs_set_eq:NN \{ \c_left_brace_str
494 \cs_set_eq:NN \} \c_right_brace_str
495 \cs_set_eq:NN \$ \c_dollar_str
496 \cs_set_eq:cN { ~ } \space
497 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_begin_line: { }
498 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_end_line: { }
499 \tl_set:Nx \l_tmpa_tl
500 {
501   \lua_now:e
502   { piton.ParseBis('\l_@@_language_str',token.scan_string()) }
503   { #1 }
504 }
505 \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
506 { \regex_replace_all:nnN { \x20 } { \_ } \l_tmpa_tl } % U+2423

```

The following code replaces the characters U+0020 (spaces) by characters U+2423 of catcode 10: thus, they become breakable by an end of line.

```

507 {
508   \bool_if:NT \l_@@_break_lines_in_piton_bool
509   { \regex_replace_all:nnN { \x20 } { \_ } \l_tmpa_tl }
510 }
511 \l_tmpa_tl
512 \group_end:
513 }
514 \NewDocumentCommand { \@@_piton_verbatim } { v }
515 {
516   \group_begin:
517   \ttfamily
518   \automaticshyphenmode = 1
519   \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_begin_line: { }
520   \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_end_line: { }
521   \tl_set:Nx \l_tmpa_tl
522   {
523     \lua_now:e
524     { piton.Parse('\l_@@_language_str',token.scan_string()) }
525     { #1 }
526   }
527   \bool_if:NT \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
528   { \regex_replace_all:nnN { \x20 } { \_ } \l_tmpa_tl } % U+2423
529   \l_tmpa_tl
530   \group_end:
531 }

```

The following command is not a user command. It will be used when we will have to “rescan” some chunks of Python code. For example, it will be the initial value of the Piton style `InitialValues` (the default values of the arguments of a Python function).

```

532 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_piton:n #1
533 {
534   \group_begin:
535   \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_begin_line: { }
536   \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_end_line: { }
537   \bool_lazy_or:nnTF
538   \l_@@_break_lines_in_piton_bool
539   \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
540   {
541     \tl_set:Nx \l_tmpa_tl
542     {
543       \lua_now:e
544       { piton.ParseTer('\l_@@_language_str',token.scan_string()) }
545       { #1 }
546     }
547   }

```



```

548     {
549         \tl_set:Nx \l_tmpa_tl
550         {
551             \lua_now:e
552             { piton.Parse('\l_@@_language_str',token.scan_string()) }
553             { #1 }
554         }
555     }
556     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
557     { \regex_replace_all:nnN { \x20 } { \_ } \l_tmpa_tl } % U+2423
558     \l_tmpa_tl
559     \group_end:
560 }

```

The following command is similar to the previous one but raise a fatal error if its argument contains a carriage return.

```

561 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_piton_no_cr:n #1
562 {
563     \group_begin:
564     \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_begin_line: { }
565     \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_end_line: { }
566     \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_newline:
567     { \msg_fatal:nn { piton } { cr~not~allowed } }
568     \bool_lazy_or:nnTF
569     \l_@@_break_lines_in_piton_bool
570     \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
571     {
572         \tl_set:Nx \l_tmpa_tl
573         {
574             \lua_now:e
575             { piton.ParseTer('\l_@@_language_str',token.scan_string()) }
576             { #1 }
577         }
578     }
579     {
580         \tl_set:Nx \l_tmpa_tl
581         {
582             \lua_now:e
583             { piton.Parse('\l_@@_language_str',token.scan_string()) }
584             { #1 }
585         }
586     }
587     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
588     { \regex_replace_all:nnN { \x20 } { \_ } \l_tmpa_tl } % U+2423
589     \l_tmpa_tl
590     \group_end:
591 }

```

Despite its name, \@@\_pre\_env: will be used both in \PitonInputFile and in the environments such as {Piton}.

```

592 \cs_new:Npn \@@_pre_env:
593 {
594     \automatichyphenmode = 1
595     \int_gincr:N \g_@@_env_int
596     \tl_gclear:N \g_@@_aux_tl
597     \cs_if_exist_use:c { c_@@_ _int_use:N \g_@@_env_int _tl }
598     \dim_compare:nNnT \l_@@_width_on_aux_dim = \c_zero_dim
599     { \dim_set_eq:NN \l_@@_width_on_aux_dim \linewidth }
600     \bool_if:NF \l_@@_resume_bool { \int_gzero:N \g_@@_visual_line_int }
601     \dim_gzero:N \g_@@_width_dim
602     \int_gzero:N \g_@@_line_int
603     \dim_zero:N \parindent
604     \dim_zero:N \lineskip

```

```

605 \dim_zero:N \parindent
606 \cs_set_eq:NN \label \@@_label:n
607 }

608 \keys_define:nn { PitonInputFile }
609 {
610   first-line .int_set:N = \l_@@_first_line_int ,
611   first-line .value_required:n = true ,
612   last-line .int_set:N = \l_@@_last_line_int ,
613   last-line .value_required:n = true ,
614 }

615 \NewDocumentCommand { \PitonInputFile } { d < > 0 { } m }
616 {
617   \tl_if_novalue:nF { #1 }
618   {
619     \bool_if:NTF \c_@@_beamer_bool
620     { \begin { uncoverenv } < #1 > }
621     { \msg_error:nn { piton } { overlay~without~beamer } }
622   }
623   \group_begin:
624     \int_zero_new:N \l_@@_first_line_int
625     \int_zero_new:N \l_@@_last_line_int
626     \int_set_eq:NN \l_@@_last_line_int \c_max_int
627     \keys_set:nn { PitonInputFile } { #2 }
628     \@@_pre_env:
629     \mode_if_vertical:TF \mode_leave_vertical: \newline

```

We count with Lua the number of lines of the argument. The result will be stored by Lua in `\l_@@_nb_lines_int`. That information will be used to allow or disallow page breaks.

```

630 \lua_now:n { piton.CountLinesFile(token.scan_argument()) } { #3 }

```

If the final user has used both `left-margin=auto` and `line-numbers` or `all-line-numbers`, we have to compute the width of the maximal number of lines at the end of the composition of the listing to fix the correct value to `left-margin`.

```

631 \bool_lazy_and:nnT \l_@@_left_margin_auto_bool \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
632 {
633   \hbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box
634   {
635     \footnotesize
636     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_all_line_numbers_bool
637     {
638       \int_to_arabic:n
639       { \g_@@_visual_line_int + \l_@@_nb_lines_int }
640     }
641     {
642       \lua_now:n
643       { piton.CountNonEmptyLinesFile(token.scan_argument()) }
644       { #3 }
645       \int_to_arabic:n
646       { \g_@@_visual_line_int + \l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int }
647     }
648   }
649   \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_left_margin_dim
650   { \box_wd:N \l_tmpa_box + \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim + 0.1 em }
651 }

```

Now, the main job.

```

652 \ttfamily
653 \bool_if:NT \c_@@_footnote_bool { \begin { savenotes } }
654 \vtop \bgroup
655 \lua_now:e
656 {
657   piton.ParseFile('\l_@@_language_str',token.scan_argument() ,

```

```

658         \int_use:N \l_@@_first_line_int ,
659         \int_use:N \l_@@_last_line_int )
660     }
661     { #3 }
662     \egroup
663     \bool_if:NT \c_@@_footnote_bool { \end { savenotes } }
664     \@@_width_to_aux:
665     \group_end:
666     \tl_if_novalue:nF { #1 }
667     { \bool_if:NT \c_@@_beamer_bool { \end { uncoverenv } } }
668     \@@_write_aux:
669 }

670 \NewDocumentCommand { \NewPitonEnvironment } { m m m m }
671 {

```

We construct a TeX macro which will catch as argument all the tokens until `\end{name_env}` with, in that `\end{name_env}`, the catcodes of `\`, `{` and `}` equal to 12 (“other”). The latter explains why the definition of that function is a bit complicated.

```

672     \use:x
673     {
674         \cs_set_protected:Npn
675         \use:c { _@@_collect_ #1 :w }
676         #####1
677         \c_backslash_str end \c_left_brace_str #1 \c_right_brace_str
678     }
679     {
680         \group_end:
681         \mode_if_vertical:TF \mode_leave_vertical: \newline

```

We count with Lua the number of lines of the argument. The result will be stored by Lua in `\l_@@_nb_lines_int`. That information will be used to allow or disallow page breaks.

```

682         \lua_now:n { piton.CountLines(token.scan_argument()) } { ##1 }

```

If the final user has used both `left-margin=auto` and `line-numbers`, we have to compute the width of the maximal number of lines at the end of the environment to fix the correct value to `left-margin`.

```

683         \bool_lazy_and:nnT \l_@@_left_margin_auto_bool \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
684         {
685             \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_all_line_numbers_bool
686             {
687                 \hbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box
688                 {
689                     \footnotesize
690                     \int_to_arabic:n
691                     { \g_@@_visual_line_int + \l_@@_nb_lines_int }
692                 }
693             }
694             {
695                 \lua_now:n
696                 { piton.CountNonEmptyLines(token.scan_argument()) }
697                 { ##1 }
698                 \hbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box
699                 {
700                     \footnotesize
701                     \int_to_arabic:n
702                     { \g_@@_visual_line_int + \l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int }
703                 }
704             }
705             \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_left_margin_dim
706             { \box_wd:N \l_tmpa_box + \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim + 0.1 em }
707         }

```

Now, the main job.

```

708         \ttfamily
709         \bool_if:NT \c_@@_footnote_bool { \begin { savenotes } }

```

```

710     \vtop \bgroup
711     \lua_now:e
712     {
713         piton.GobbleParse
714         (
715             '\l_@@_language_str' ,
716             \int_use:N \l_@@_gobble_int ,
717             token.scan_argument()
718         )
719     }
720     { ##1 }
721     \vspace { 2.5 pt }
722     \egroup
723     \bool_if:NT \c_@@_footnote_bool { \end { savenotes } }
724     \@@_width_to_aux:

```

The following `\end{#1}` is only for the groups and the stack of environments of LaTeX.

```

725     \end { #1 }
726     \@@_write_aux:
727 }

```

We can now define the new environment.

We are still in the definition of the command `\NewPitonEnvironment...`

```

728     \NewDocumentEnvironment { #1 } { #2 }
729     {
730         #3
731         \@@_pre_env:
732         \group_begin:
733         \tl_map_function:nN
734         { \ \ \ \ { \ } \ $ \ & \ # \ ^ \ _ \ % \ ~ \ ^ \ I }
735         \char_set_catcode_other:N
736         \use:c { _@@_collect_ #1 :w }
737     }
738     { #4 }

```

The following code is for technical reasons. We want to change the catcode of `^^M` before catching the arguments of the new environment we are defining. Indeed, if not, we will have problems if there is a final optional argument in our environment (if that final argument is not used by the user in an instance of the environment, a spurious space is inserted, probably because the `^^M` is converted to space).

```

739     \AddToHook { env / #1 / begin } { \char_set_catcode_other:N \^^M }
740 }

```

This is the end of the definition of the command `\NewPitonEnvironment`.

Now, we define the environment `{Piton}`, which is the main environment provided by the package `piton`. Of course, you use `\NewPitonEnvironment`.

```

741     \bool_if:NTF \c_@@_beamer_bool
742     {
743         \NewPitonEnvironment { Piton } { d < > }
744         {
745             \IfValueTF { #1 }
746             { \begin { uncoverenv } < #1 > }
747             { \begin { uncoverenv } }
748         }
749         { \end { uncoverenv } }
750     }
751     { \NewPitonEnvironment { Piton } { } { } { } { } }

```

### 6.2.8 The styles

The following command is fundamental: it will be used by the Lua code.

```

752     \NewDocumentCommand { \PitonStyle } { m } { \use:c { pitonStyle #1 } }

```

The following command takes in its argument by curryfication.

```

753 \NewDocumentCommand { \SetPitonStyle } { } { \keys_set:nn { piton / Styles } }

754 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_math_scantokens:n #1
755   { \normalfont \scantextokens { $#1$ } }

756 \keys_define:nn { piton / Styles }
757   {
758     String.Interpol .tl_set:c = pitonStyle String.Interpol ,
759     String.Interpol .value_required:n = true ,
760     FormattingType .tl_set:c = pitonStyle FormattingType ,
761     FormattingType .value_required:n = true ,
762     Dict.Value .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Dict.Value ,
763     Dict.Value .value_required:n = true ,
764     Name.Decorator .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Name.Decorator ,
765     Name.Decorator .value_required:n = true ,
766     Name.Field .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Name.Field ,
767     Name.Field .value_required:n = true ,
768     Name.Function .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Name.Function ,
769     Name.Function .value_required:n = true ,
770     Name.UserFunction .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Name.UserFunction ,
771     Name.UserFunction .value_required:n = true ,
772     Keyword .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Keyword ,
773     Keyword .value_required:n = true ,
774     Keyword.Constant .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Keyword.Constant ,
775     Keyword.constant .value_required:n = true ,
776     String.Doc .tl_set:c = pitonStyle String.Doc ,
777     String.Doc .value_required:n = true ,
778     Interpol.Inside .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Interpol.Inside ,
779     Interpol.Inside .value_required:n = true ,
780     String.Long .tl_set:c = pitonStyle String.Long ,
781     String.Long .value_required:n = true ,
782     String.Short .tl_set:c = pitonStyle String.Short ,
783     String.Short .value_required:n = true ,
784     String .meta:n = { String.Long = #1 , String.Short = #1 } ,
785     Comment.Math .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Comment.Math ,
786     Comment.Math .default:n = \@@_math_scantokens:n ,
787     Comment.Math .initial:n = ,
788     Comment .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Comment ,
789     Comment .value_required:n = true ,
790     Name.Constructor .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Name.Constructor ,
791     Name.Constructor .value_required:n = true ,
792     InitialValues .tl_set:c = pitonStyle InitialValues ,
793     InitialValues .value_required:n = true ,
794     Number .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Number ,
795     Number .value_required:n = true ,
796     Name.Namespace .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Name.Namespace ,
797     Name.Namespace .value_required:n = true ,
798     Name.ModuleType .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Name.ModuleType ,
799     Name.ModuleType .value_required:n = true ,
800     Name.Module .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Name.Module ,
801     Name.Module .value_required:n = true ,
802     Name.Class .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Name.Class ,
803     Name.Class .value_required:n = true ,
804     Name.Builtin .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Name.Builtin ,
805     Name.Builtin .value_required:n = true ,
806     TypeParameter .tl_set:c = pitonStyle TypeParameter ,
807     TypeParameter .value_required:n = true ,
808     Name.Type .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Name.Type ,
809     Name.Type .value_required:n = true ,
810     Operator .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Operator ,
811     Operator .value_required:n = true ,
812     Operator.Word .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Operator.Word ,

```

```

813 Operator.Word      .value_required:n = true ,
814 Exception         .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Exception ,
815 Exception         .value_required:n = true ,
816 Comment.LaTeX     .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Comment.LaTeX ,
817 Comment.LaTeX     .value_required:n = true ,
818 Identifier        .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Identifier ,
819 Comment.LaTeX     .value_required:n = true ,
820 ParseAgain.noCR   .tl_set:c = pitonStyle ParseAgain.noCR ,
821 ParseAgain.noCR   .value_required:n = true ,
822 ParseAgain        .tl_set:c = pitonStyle ParseAgain ,
823 ParseAgain        .value_required:n = true ,
824 Prompt           .tl_set:c = pitonStyle Prompt ,
825 Prompt           .value_required:n = true ,
826 unknown          .code:n =
827   \msg_error:nn { piton } { Unknown~key~for~SetPitonStyle }
828 }

829 \msg_new:nnn { piton } { Unknown~key~for~SetPitonStyle }
830 {
831   The~style~'\l_keys_key_str'~is~unknown.\\
832   This~key~will~be~ignored.\\
833   The~available~styles~are~(in~alphabetic~order):~
834   Comment,~
835   Comment.LaTeX,~
836   Dict.Value,~
837   Exception,~
838   Identifier,~
839   InitialValues,~
840   Keyword,~
841   Keyword.Constant,~
842   Name.Builtin,~
843   Name.Class,~
844   Name.Constructor,~
845   Name.Decorator,~
846   Name.Field,~
847   Name.Function,~
848   Name.Module,~
849   Name.ModuleType,~
850   Name.Namespace,~
851   Name.UserFunction,~
852   Number,~
853   Operator,~
854   Operator.Word,~
855   Prompt,~
856   String,~
857   String.Doc,~
858   String.Long,~
859   String.Short,~and~
860   String.Interpol.
861 }

```

### 6.2.9 The initial style

The initial style is inspired by the style “manni” of Pygments.

```

862 \SetPitonStyle
863 {
864   Comment          = \color[HTML]{0099FF} \itshape ,
865   Exception        = \color[HTML]{CC0000} ,
866   Keyword          = \color[HTML]{006699} \bfseries ,
867   Keyword.Constant = \color[HTML]{006699} \bfseries ,

```

```

868 Name.Builtin      = \color[HTML]{336666} ,
869 Name.Decorator    = \color[HTML]{9999FF},
870 Name.Class        = \color[HTML]{00AA88} \bfseries ,
871 Name.Function      = \color[HTML]{CC00FF} ,
872 Name.Namespace    = \color[HTML]{00CCFF} ,
873 Name.Constructor   = \color[HTML]{006000} \bfseries ,
874 Name.Field         = \color[HTML]{AA6600} ,
875 Name.Module        = \color[HTML]{0060A0} \bfseries ,
876 Name.ModuleType    = ,
877 Number            = \color[HTML]{FF6600} ,
878 Operator           = \color[HTML]{555555} ,
879 Operator.Word      = \bfseries ,
880 String            = \color[HTML]{CC3300} ,
881 String.Doc         = \color[HTML]{CC3300} \itshape ,
882 String.Interpol     = \color[HTML]{AA0000} ,
883 Comment.LaTeX      = \normalfont \color[rgb]{.468,.532,.6} ,
884 Name.Type          = \color[HTML]{336666} ,
885 InitialValues      = \@@_piton:n ,
886 Dict.Value         = \@@_piton:n ,
887 Interpol.Inside    = \color{black}\@@_piton:n ,
888 TypeParameter      = \color[HTML]{008800} \itshape ,
889 Identifier         = \@@_identifier:n ,
890 Name.UserFunction   = ,
891 Prompt            = ,
892 ParseAgain.noCR    = \@@_piton_no_cr:n ,
893 ParseAgain         = \@@_piton:n ,
894 }

```

The last styles `ParseAgain.noCR` and `ParseAgain` should be considered as “internal style” (not available for the final user). However, maybe we will change that and document these styles for the final user (why not?).

If the key `math-comments` has been used at load-time, we change the style `Comment.Math` which should be considered only at an “internal style”. However, maybe we will document in a future version the possibility to write change the style *locally* in a document).

```

895 \bool_if:NT \c_@@_math_comments_bool { \SetPitonStyle { Comment.Math } }

```

## 6.2.10 Highlighting some identifiers

```

896 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_identifier:n #1
897 { \cs_if_exist_use:c { PitonIdentifier _ \l_@@_language_str _ #1 } { #1 } }

898 \keys_define:nn { PitonOptions }
899 { identifiers .code:n = \@@_set_identifiers:n { #1 } }

900 \keys_define:nn { Piton / identifiers }
901 {
902   names .clist_set:N = \l_@@_identifiers_names_tl ,
903   style .tl_set:N     = \l_@@_style_tl ,
904 }

905 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_set_identifiers:n #1
906 {
907   \clist_clear_new:N \l_@@_identifiers_names_tl
908   \tl_clear_new:N \l_@@_style_tl
909   \keys_set:nn { Piton / identifiers } { #1 }
910   \clist_map_inline:Nn \l_@@_identifiers_names_tl
911   {
912     \tl_set_eq:cN
913     { PitonIdentifier _ \l_@@_language_str _ ##1 }

```

```

914     \l_@@_style_tl
915   }
916 }

```

In particular, we have an highlighting of the indentifiers which are the names of Python functions previously defined by the user. Indeed, when a Python function is defined, the style `Name.Function.Internal` is applied to that name. We define now that style (you define it directly and you short-cut the function `\SetPitonStyle`).

```

917 \cs_new_protected:cpn { pitonStyle Name.Function.Internal } #1
918 {

```

First, the element is composed in the TeX flow with the style `Name.Function` which is provided to the final user.

```

919   { \PitonStyle { Name.Function } { #1 } }

```

Now, we specify that the name of the new Python function is a known identifier that will be formatted with the Piton style `Name.UserFunction`. Of course, here the affectation is global because we have to exit many groups and even the environments `{Piton}`).

```

920   \cs_gset_protected:cpn { PitonIdentifier _ \l_@@_language_str _ #1 }
921   { \PitonStyle { Name.UserFunction } }

```

Now, we put the name of that new user function in the dedicated sequence (specific of the current language). **That sequence will be used only by `\PitonClearUserFunctions`.**

```

922   \seq_if_exist:cF { g_@@_functions _ \l_@@_language_str _ seq }
923   { \seq_new:c { g_@@_functions _ \l_@@_language_str _ seq } }
924   \seq_gput_right:cn { g_@@_functions _ \l_@@_language_str _ seq } { #1 }
925 }

```

```

926 \NewDocumentCommand \PitonClearUserFunctions { ! 0 { \l_@@_language_str } }
927 {
928   \seq_if_exist:cT { g_@@_functions _ #1 _ seq }
929   {
930     \seq_map_inline:cn { g_@@_functions _ #1 _ seq }
931     { \cs_undefine:c { PitonIdentifier _ #1 _ ##1 } }
932     \seq_gclear:c { g_@@_functions _ #1 _ seq }
933   }
934 }

```

### 6.2.11 Security

```

935 \AddToHook { env / piton / begin }
936   { \msg_fatal:nn { piton } { No-environment-piton } }
937
938 \msg_new:nnn { piton } { No-environment-piton }
939   {
940     There-is-no-environment-piton!\
941     There-is-an-environment-{Piton}-and-a-command-
942     \token_to_str:N \piton\ but-there-is-no-environment-
943     {piton}.~This-error-is-fatal.
944   }

```

### 6.2.12 The error messages of the package

```

945 \msg_new:nnnn { piton } { Unknown-key-for-PitonOptions }
946   {
947     Unknown-key. \
948     The-key~'\l_keys_key_str'~is-unknown-for~\token_to_str:N \PitonOptions.~
949     It-will-be-ignored.\
950     For-a-list-of-the-available-keys,~type-H<return>.
951   }
952   {
953     The-available-keys-are~(in-alphabetic-order):~
954     all-line-numbers,~
955     auto-gobble,~

```



```

956     background-color,~
957     break-lines,~
958     break-lines-in-piton,~
959     break-lines-in-Piton,~
960     continuation-symbol,~
961     continuation-symbol-on-indentation,~
962     end-of-broken-line,~
963     env-gobble,~
964     gobble,~
965     identifiers,~
966     indent-broken-lines,~
967     language,~
968     left-margin,~
969     line-numbers,~
970     prompt-background-color,~
971     resume,~
972     show-spaces,~
973     show-spaces-in-strings,~
974     slim,~
975     splittable,~
976     tabs-auto-gobble~
977     and~tab-size.
978 }

979 \msg_new:nnn { piton } { label-with-lines-numbers }
980 {
981     You~can't~use~the~command~\token_to_str:N \label\
982     because~the~key~'line-numbers'~(or~'all-line-numbers')~
983     is~not~active.\
984     If~you~go~on,~that~command~will~ignored.
985 }

986 \msg_new:nnn { piton } { cr-not-allowed }
987 {
988     You~can't~put~any~carriage~return~in~the~argument~
989     of~a~command~\c_backslash_str
990     \l_@@_beamer_command_str\ within~an~
991     environment~of~'piton'.~You~should~consider~using~the~
992     corresponding~environment.\
993     That~error~is~fatal.
994 }

995 \msg_new:nnn { piton } { overlay-without-beamer }
996 {
997     You~can't~use~an~argument~<...>~for~your~command~
998     \token_to_str:N \PitonInputFile\ because~you~are~not~
999     in~Beamer.\
1000     If~you~go~on,~that~argument~will~be~ignored.
1001 }

1002 \msg_new:nnn { Piton } { Python-error }
1003 { A~Python~error~has~been~detected. }

```

## 6.3 The Lua part of the implementation

```

1004 \ExplSyntaxOff
1005 \RequirePackage{luacode}

```

The Lua code will be loaded via a `{luacode*}` environment. The environment is by itself a Lua block and the local declarations will be local to that block. All the global functions (used by the L3 parts of the implementation) will be put in a Lua table `piton`.

```

1006 \begin{luacode*}
1007 piton = piton or { }
1008 if piton.comment_latex == nil then piton.comment_latex = ">" end
1009 piton.comment_latex = "#" .. piton.comment_latex

```

The following functions are an easy way to safely insert braces ({ and }) in the TeX flow.

```

1010 function piton.open_brace ()
1011     tex.sprint("{")
1012 end
1013 function piton.close_brace ()
1014     tex.sprint("}")
1015 end

```

### 6.3.1 Special functions dealing with LPEG

We will use the Lua library `lpeg` which is built in LuaTeX. That's why we define first aliases for several functions of that library.

```

1016 local P, S, V, C, Ct, Cc = lpeg.P, lpeg.S, lpeg.V, lpeg.C, lpeg.Ct, lpeg.Cc
1017 local Cf, Cs, Cg, Cmt, Cb = lpeg.Cf, lpeg.Cs, lpeg.Cg, lpeg.Cmt, lpeg.Cb
1018 local R = lpeg.R

```

The function `Q` takes in as argument a pattern and returns a LPEG *which does a capture* of the pattern. That capture will be sent to LaTeX with the catcode “other” for all the characters: it's suitable for elements of the Python listings that `piton` will typeset verbatim (thanks to the catcode “other”).

```

1019 local function Q(pattern)
1020     return Ct ( Cc ( luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther ) * C ( pattern ) )
1021 end

```

The function `L` takes in as argument a pattern and returns a LPEG *which does a capture* of the pattern. That capture will be sent to LaTeX with standard LaTeX catcodes for all the characters: the elements captured will be formatted as normal LaTeX codes. It's suitable for the “LaTeX comments” in the environments `{Piton}` and the elements between “`escape-inside`”. That function won't be much used.

```

1022 local function L(pattern)
1023     return Ct ( C ( pattern ) )
1024 end

```

The function `Lc` (the *c* is for *constant*) takes in as argument a string and returns a LPEG *with does a constant capture* which returns that string. The elements captured will be formatted as L3 code. It will be used to send to LaTeX all the formatting LaTeX instructions we have to insert in order to do the syntactic highlighting (that's the main job of `piton`). That function will be widely used.

```

1025 local function Lc(string)
1026     return Cc ( { luatexbase.catcodetables.expl, string } )
1027 end

```

The function `K` creates a LPEG which will return as capture the whole LaTeX code corresponding to a Python chunk (that is to say with the LaTeX formatting instructions corresponding to the syntactic nature of that Python chunk). The first argument is a Lua string corresponding to the name of a `piton` style and the second element is a pattern (that is to say a LPEG without capture)

```

1028 local function K(style, pattern)
1029     return
1030         Lc ( "{\\PitonStyle{" .. style .. "}" )
1031         * Q ( pattern )
1032         * Lc ( "}" )
1033 end

```

The formatting commands in a given `piton` style (eg. the style `Keyword`) may be semi-global declarations (such as `\bfseries` or `\slshape`) or LaTeX macros with an argument (such as `\fbox` or `\colorbox{yellow}`). In order to deal with both syntaxes, we have used two pairs of braces: `{\PitonStyle{Keyword}{text to format}}`.

```

1034 local function WithStyle(style,pattern)
1035     return
1036         Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{\\PitonStyle{" .. style .. "}{" ) * Cc "}" )
1037     * pattern
1038     * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
1039 end

```

The following LPEG catches the Python chunks which are in LaTeX escapes (and that chunks will be considered as normal LaTeX constructions). We recall that `piton.begin_escape` and `piton.end_escape` are Lua strings corresponding to the key `escape-inside`<sup>22</sup>. Since the elements that will be caught must be sent to LaTeX with standard LaTeX catcodes, we put the capture (done by the function `C`) in a table (by using `Ct`, which is an alias for `lpeg.Ct`) without number of catcode table at the first component of the table.

```

1040 local Escape =
1041     P(piton_begin_escape)
1042     * L ( ( 1 - P(piton_end_escape) ) ^ 1 )
1043     * P(piton_end_escape)

```

The following line is mandatory.

```

1044 lpeg.locale(lpeg)

```

## The basic syntactic LPEG

```

1045 local alpha, digit = lpeg.alpha, lpeg.digit
1046 local space = P " "

```

Remember that, for LPEG, the Unicode characters such as `à`, `â`, `ç`, etc. are in fact strings of length 2 (2 bytes) because lpeg is not Unicode-aware.

```

1047 local letter = alpha + P "_"
1048     + P "â" + P "à" + P "ç" + P "é" + P "è" + P "ê" + P "ë" + P "ï" + P "î"
1049     + P "ô" + P "û" + P "ü" + P "Â" + P "Ã" + P "Ç" + P "Ê" + P "Ë" + P "Ï"
1050     + P "Ö" + P "Ï" + P "Î" + P "Ô" + P "Õ" + P "Ü"
1051
1052 local alphanum = letter + digit

```

The following LPEG `identifier` is a mere pattern (that is to say more or less a regular expression) which matches the Python identifiers (hence the name).

```

1053 local identifier = letter * alphanum ^ 0

```

On the other hand, the LPEG `Identifier` (with a capital) also returns a *capture*.

```

1054 local Identifier = K ( 'Identifier' , identifier)

```

By convention, we will use names with an initial capital for LPEG which return captures.

Here is the first use of our function `K`. That function will be used to construct LPEG which capture Python chunks for which we have a dedicated `piton` style. For example, for the numbers, `piton` provides a style which is called `Number`. The name of the style is provided as a Lua string in the second argument of the function `K`. By convention, we use single quotes for delimiting the Lua strings which are names of `piton` styles (but this is only a convention).

---

<sup>22</sup>The `piton` key `escape-inside` is available at load-time only.

```

1055 local Number =
1056   K ( 'Number' ,
1057     ( digit1 * P "." * digit0 + digit0 * P "." * digit1 + digit1 )
1058     * ( S "eE" * S "+-" ^ -1 * digit1 ) ^ -1
1059     + digit1
1060   )

```

We recall that `piton.begin_escape` and `piton.end_escape` are Lua strings corresponding to the key `escape-inside`<sup>23</sup>. Of course, if the final user has not used the key `escape-inside`, these strings are empty.

```

1061 local Word
1062 if piton_begin_escape ~= ''
1063 then Word = Q ( ( ( 1 - space - P(piton_begin_escape) - P(piton_end_escape) )
1064                 - S "\"\r[()]" - digit ) ^ 1 )
1065 else Word = Q ( ( ( 1 - space ) - S "\"\r[()]" - digit ) ^ 1 )
1066 end

1067 local Space = ( Q " " ) ^ 1
1068
1069 local SkipSpace = ( Q " " ) ^ 0
1070
1071 local Punct = Q ( S ".,:;!" )
1072
1073 local Tab = P "\t" * Lc ( '\\l_@@_tab_t1' )

1074 local SpaceIndentation = Lc ( '\\@@_an_indentation_space:' ) * ( Q " " )

1075 local Delim = Q ( S "[()]" )

```

The following LPEG catches a space (U+0020) and replace it by `\l_@@_space_t1`. It will be used in the strings. Usually, `\l_@@_space_t1` will contain a space and therefore there won't be difference. However, when the key `show-spaces-in-strings` is in force, `\l_@@_space_t1` will contain `␣` (U+2423) in order to visualize the spaces.

```

1076 local VisualSpace = space * Lc "\\l_@@_space_t1"

```

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Some strings of length 2 are explicit because we want the corresponding ligatures available in some fonts such as *Fira Code* to be active.

```

1077 local Operator =
1078   K ( 'Operator' ,
1079     P "!=" + P "<>" + P "==" + P "<<" + P ">>" + P "<=" + P ">=" + P "!="
1080     + P "/" + P "*" + S "-~/*%=<>&.@|"
1081   )
1082
1083 local OperatorWord =
1084   K ( 'Operator.Word' , P "in" + P "is" + P "and" + P "or" + P "not" )
1085
1086 local Keyword =
1087   K ( 'Keyword' ,
1088     P "as" + P "assert" + P "break" + P "case" + P "class" + P "continue"
1089     + P "def" + P "del" + P "elif" + P "else" + P "except" + P "exec"
1090     + P "finally" + P "for" + P "from" + P "global" + P "if" + P "import"

```

<sup>23</sup>The `piton` key `escape-inside` is available at load-time only.

```

1091     + P "lambda" + P "non local" + P "pass" + P "return" + P "try"
1092     + P "while" + P "with" + P "yield" + P "yield from" )
1093 + K ( 'Keyword.Constant' , P "True" + P "False" + P "None" )
1094
1095 local Builtin =
1096   K ( 'Name.Builtin' ,
1097     P "__import__" + P "abs" + P "all" + P "any" + P "bin" + P "bool"
1098     + P "bytearray" + P "bytes" + P "chr" + P "classmethod" + P "compile"
1099     + P "complex" + P "delattr" + P "dict" + P "dir" + P "divmod"
1100     + P "enumerate" + P "eval" + P "filter" + P "float" + P "format"
1101     + P "frozenset" + P "getattr" + P "globals" + P "hasattr" + P "hash"
1102     + P "hex" + P "id" + P "input" + P "int" + P "isinstance" + P "issubclass"
1103     + P "iter" + P "len" + P "list" + P "locals" + P "map" + P "max"
1104     + P "memoryview" + P "min" + P "next" + P "object" + P "oct" + P "open"
1105     + P "ord" + P "pow" + P "print" + P "property" + P "range" + P "repr"
1106     + P "reversed" + P "round" + P "set" + P "setattr" + P "slice" + P "sorted"
1107     + P "staticmethod" + P "str" + P "sum" + P "super" + P "tuple" + P "type"
1108     + P "vars" + P "zip" )
1109
1110
1111 local Exception =
1112   K ( 'Exception' ,
1113     P "ArithmeticError" + P "AssertionError" + P "AttributeError"
1114     + P "BaseException" + P "BufferError" + P "BytesWarning" + P "DeprecationWarning"
1115     + P "EOFError" + P "EnvironmentError" + P "Exception" + P "FloatingPointError"
1116     + P "FutureWarning" + P "GeneratorExit" + P "IOError" + P "ImportError"
1117     + P "ImportWarning" + P "IndentationError" + P "IndexError" + P "KeyError"
1118     + P "KeyboardInterrupt" + P "LookupError" + P "MemoryError" + P "NameError"
1119     + P "NotImplementedError" + P "OSError" + P "OverflowError"
1120     + P "PendingDeprecationWarning" + P "ReferenceError" + P "ResourceWarning"
1121     + P "RuntimeError" + P "RuntimeWarning" + P "StopIteration"
1122     + P "SyntaxError" + P "SyntaxWarning" + P "SystemError" + P "SystemExit"
1123     + P "TabError" + P "TypeError" + P "UnboundLocalError" + P "UnicodeDecodeError"
1124     + P "UnicodeEncodeError" + P "UnicodeError" + P "UnicodeTranslateError"
1125     + P "UnicodeWarning" + P "UserWarning" + P "ValueError" + P "VMSError"
1126     + P "Warning" + P "WindowsError" + P "ZeroDivisionError"
1127     + P "BlockingIOError" + P "ChildProcessError" + P "ConnectionError"
1128     + P "BrokenPipeError" + P "ConnectionAbortedError" + P "ConnectionRefusedError"
1129     + P "ConnectionResetError" + P "FileExistsError" + P "FileNotFoundError"
1130     + P "InterruptedError" + P "IsADirectoryError" + P "NotADirectoryError"
1131     + P "PermissionError" + P "ProcessLookupError" + P "TimeoutError"
1132     + P "StopAsyncIteration" + P "ModuleNotFoundError" + P "RecursionError" )
1133
1134
1135 local RaiseException = K ( 'Keyword' , P "raise" ) * SkipSpace * Exception * Q ( P "(" )
1136

```

In Python, a “decorator” is a statement whose begins by @ which patches the function defined in the following statement.

```

1137 local Decorator = K ( 'Name.Decorator' , P "@" * letter1 )

```

The following LPEG DefClass will be used to detect the definition of a new class (the name of that new class will be formatted with the piton style Name.Class).

Example: `class myclass:`

```

1138 local DefClass =
1139   K ( 'Keyword' , P "class" ) * Space * K ( 'Name.Class' , identifier )

```

If the word `class` is not followed by a identifier, it will be caught as keyword by the LPEG Keyword (useful if we want to type a list of keywords).

The following LPEG ImportAs is used for the lines beginning by `import`. We have to detect the potential keyword `as` because both the name of the module and its alias must be formatted with the piton style `Name.Namespace`.

Example: `import numpy as np`

Moreover, after the keyword `import`, it's possible to have a comma-separated list of modules (if the keyword `as` is not used).

Example: `import math, numpy`

```
1140 local ImportAs =
1141   K ( 'Keyword' , P "import" )
1142   * Space
1143   * K ( 'Name.Namespace' ,
1144       identifier * ( P "." * identifier ) ^ 0 )
1145   * (
1146     ( Space * K ( 'Keyword' , P "as" ) * Space
1147       * K ( 'Name.Namespace' , identifier ) )
1148     +
1149     ( SkipSpace * Q ( P "," ) * SkipSpace
1150       * K ( 'Name.Namespace' , identifier ) ) ^ 0
1151   )
```

Be careful: there is no commutativity of `+` in the previous expression.

The LPEG `FromImport` is used for the lines beginning by `from`. We need a special treatment because the identifier following the keyword `from` must be formatted with the `piton` style `Name.Namespace` and the following keyword `import` must be formatted with the `piton` style `Keyword` and must *not* be caught by the LPEG `ImportAs`.

Example: `from math import pi`

```
1152 local FromImport =
1153   K ( 'Keyword' , P "from" )
1154   * Space * K ( 'Name.Namespace' , identifier )
1155   * Space * K ( 'Keyword' , P "import" )
```

**The strings of Python** For the strings in Python, there are four categories of delimiters (without counting the prefixes for f-strings and raw strings). We will use, in the names of our LPEG, prefixes to distinguish the LPEG dealing with that categories of strings, as presented in the following tabular.

	Single	Double
Short	'text'	"text"
Long	'''test'''	"""text"""

We have also to deal with the interpolations in the f-strings. Here is an example of a f-string with an interpolation and a format instruction<sup>24</sup> in that interpolation:

`f'Total price: {total+1:.2f} €'`

The interpolations beginning by `%` (even though there is more modern technics now in Python).

```
1156 local PercentInterpol =
1157   K ( 'String.Interpol' ,
1158     P "%"
1159     * ( P "(" * alphanum ^ 1 * P ")" ) ^ -1
1160     * ( S "-#0 +" ) ^ 0
1161     * ( digit ^ 1 + P "*" ) ^ -1
1162     * ( P "." * ( digit ^ 1 + P "*" ) ) ^ -1
1163     * ( S "HLL" ) ^ -1
1164     * S "sdfFeExXorgiGauc%"
1165   )
```

<sup>24</sup>There is no special `piton` style for the formatting instruction (after the colon): the style which will be applied will be the style of the encompassing string, that is to say `String.Short` or `String.Long`.

We can now define the LPEG for the four kinds of strings. It's not possible to use our function `K` because of the interpolations which must be formatted with another `piton` style that the rest of the string.<sup>25</sup>

```
1166 local SingleShortString =
1167   WithStyle ( 'String.Short' ,
```

First, we deal with the f-strings of Python, which are prefixed by `f` or `F`.

```
1168     Q ( P "f'" + P "F'" )
1169     * (
1170       K ( 'String.Interpol' , P "{" )
1171       * K ( 'Interpol.Inside' , ( 1 - S "':" ) ^ 0 )
1172       * Q ( P ":" * (1 - S "':" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
1173       * K ( 'String.Interpol' , P "}" )
1174       +
1175       VisualSpace
1176       +
1177       Q ( ( P "\\'" + P "{" + P "}" + 1 - S "{'" ) ^ 1 )
1178     ) ^ 0
1179     * Q ( P "'" )
1180   +
```

Now, we deal with the standard strings of Python, but also the “raw strings”.

```
1181     Q ( P '"' + P "r'" + P "R'" )
1182     * ( Q ( ( P "\\'" + 1 - S " '\r%" ) ^ 1 )
1183         + VisualSpace
1184         + PercentInterpol
1185         + Q ( P "%" )
1186     ) ^ 0
1187     * Q ( P '"' ) )
1188
1189
1190 local DoubleShortString =
1191   WithStyle ( 'String.Short' ,
1192     Q ( P "f\"" + P "F\"" )
1193     * (
1194       K ( 'String.Interpol' , P "{" )
1195       * Q ( ( 1 - S "}'\':" ) ^ 0 , 'Interpol.Inside' )
1196       * ( K ( 'String.Interpol' , P ":" ) * Q ( ( 1 - S "}'\':" ) ^ 0 ) ) ^ -1
1197       * K ( 'String.Interpol' , P "}" )
1198       +
1199       VisualSpace
1200       +
1201       Q ( ( P "\\\"" + P "{" + P "}" + 1 - S "{'\"" ) ^ 1 )
1202     ) ^ 0
1203     * Q ( P "\"" )
1204   +
1205     Q ( P "\" + P "r\"" + P "R\"" )
1206     * ( Q ( ( P "\\\"" + 1 - S " \"\r%" ) ^ 1 )
1207         + VisualSpace
1208         + PercentInterpol
1209         + Q ( P "%" )
1210     ) ^ 0
1211     * Q ( P "\"" ) )
1212
1213 local ShortString = SingleShortString + DoubleShortString
```

**Beamer** The following LPEG `BalancedBraces` will be used for the (mandatory) argument of the commands `\only` and `al.` of Beamer. It's necessary to use a *grammar* because that pattern mainly

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<sup>25</sup>The interpolations are formatted with the `piton` style `Interpol.Inside`. The initial value of that style is `\@@_piton:n` wich means that the interpolations are parsed once again by `piton`.

checks the correct nesting of the delimiters (and it's known in the theory of formal languages that this can't be done with regular expressions *stricto sensu* only).

```

1214 local BalancedBraces =
1215   P { "E" ,
1216       E =
1217         (
1218           P "{" * V "E" * P "}"
1219         +
1220           ShortString
1221         +
1222           ( 1 - S "{" )
1223         ) ^ 0
1224   }

```

If Beamer is used (or if the key `beamer` is used at load-time), the following LPEG will be redefined.

```

1225 local Beamer = P ( false )
1226 local BeamerBeginEnvironments = P ( true )
1227 local BeamerEndEnvironments = P ( true )
1228 local BeamerNamesEnvironments =
1229   P "uncoverenv" + P "onlyenv" + P "visibleenv" + P "invisibleenv"
1230   + P "alertenv" + P "actionenv"
1231
1232 UserCommands =
1233   Ct ( Cc "Open" * C ( "\\emph{" ) * Cc "}" )
1234   * ( C ( BalancedBraces ) / (function (s) return MainLoopPython:match(s) end ) )
1235   * P "}" * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
1236
1237 function OneBeamerEnvironment(name)
1238   return
1239     Ct ( Cc "Open"
1240         * C (
1241           P ( "\\begin{" .. name .. "}" )
1242           * ( P "<" * (1 - P ">") ^ 0 * P ">" ) ^ -1
1243         )
1244         * Cc ( "\\end{" .. name .. "}" )
1245       )
1246     * (
1247       C ( ( 1 - P ( "\\end{" .. name .. "}" ) ) ^ 0 )
1248       / (function (s) return MainLoopPython:match(s) end )
1249     )
1250     * P ( "\\end{" .. name .. "}" ) * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
1251 end
1252
1253 if piton_beamer
1254 then
1255   Beamer =
1256     L ( P "\\pause" * ( P "[" * (1 - P "]") ^ 0 * P "]" ) ^ -1 )
1257     +
1258     Ct ( Cc "Open"
1259         * C (
1260           (
1261             P "\\uncover" + P "\\only" + P "\\alert" + P "\\visible"
1262             + P "\\invisible" + P "\\action"
1263           )
1264           * ( P "<" * (1 - P ">") ^ 0 * P ">" ) ^ -1
1265           * P "{"
1266         )
1267         * Cc "}"
1268       )
1269     * ( C ( BalancedBraces ) / (function (s) return MainLoopPython:match(s) end ) )
1270     * P "}" * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
1271   +

```



```

1270     OneBeamerEnvironment "uncoverenv"
1271 + OneBeamerEnvironment "onlyenv"
1272 + OneBeamerEnvironment "visibleenv"
1273 + OneBeamerEnvironment "invisibleenv"
1274 + OneBeamerEnvironment "alertenv"
1275 + OneBeamerEnvironment "actionenv"
1276 +
1277     L (

```

For `\alt`, the specification of the overlays (between angular brackets) is mandatory.

```

1278     ( P "\\alt" )
1279     * P "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * P ">"
1280     * P "{"
1281     )
1282     * K ( 'ParseAgain.noCR' , BalancedBraces )
1283     * L ( P "}" )
1284     * K ( 'ParseAgain.noCR' , BalancedBraces )
1285     * L ( P "}" )
1286 +
1287     L (

```

For `\alt`, the specification of the overlays (between angular brackets) is mandatory.

```

1288     ( P "\\temporal" )
1289     * P "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * P ">"
1290     * P "{"
1291     )
1292     * K ( 'ParseAgain.noCR' , BalancedBraces )
1293     * L ( P "}" )
1294     * K ( 'ParseAgain.noCR' , BalancedBraces )
1295     * L ( P "}" )
1296     * K ( 'ParseAgain.noCR' , BalancedBraces )
1297     * L ( P "}" )

```

Now for the environemnts.

```

1298     BeamerBeginEnvironments =
1299     ( space ^ 0 *
1300     L
1301     (
1302     P "\\begin{" * BeamerNamesEnvironments * "}"
1303     * ( P "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * P ">" ) ^ -1
1304     )
1305     * P "\r"
1306     ) ^ 0
1307     BeamerEndEnvironments =
1308     ( space ^ 0 *
1309     L ( P "\\end{" * BeamerNamesEnvironments * P "}" )
1310     * P "\r"
1311     ) ^ 0
1312 end

```

**EOL** The following LPEG will detect the Python prompts when the user is typesetting an interactive session of Python (directly or through `{pyconsole}` of `pyluatex`). We have to detect that prompt twice. The first detection (called *hasty detection*) will be before the `\@@_begin_line:` because you want to trigger a special background color for that row (and, after the `\@@_begin_line:`, it's too late to change de background).

```

1313 local PromptHastyDetection = ( # ( P ">>>" + P "..." ) * Lc ( '\\@@_prompt:' ) ) ^ -1

```

We remind that the marker `#` of LPEG specifies that the pattern will be detected but won't consume any character.

With the following LPEG, a style will actually be applied to the prompt (for instance, it's possible to decide to discard these prompts).

```

1314 local Prompt = K ( 'Prompt' , ( ( P ">>>" + P "..." ) * P " " ^ -1 ) ^ -1 )

```

The following LPEG EOL is for the end of lines.

```

1315 local EOL =
1316   P "\r"
1317   *
1318   (
1319     ( space0 * -1 )
1320     +

```

We recall that each line in the Python code we have to parse will be sent back to LaTeX between a pair `\@@_begin_line: - \@@_end_line:`<sup>26</sup>.

```

1321   Ct (
1322     Cc "EOL"
1323     *
1324     Ct (
1325       Lc "\\@@_end_line:"
1326       * BeamerEndEnvironments
1327       * BeamerBeginEnvironments
1328       * PromptHastyDetection
1329       * Lc "\\@@_newline: \\@@_begin_line:"
1330       * Prompt
1331     )
1332   )
1333 )
1334 *
1335 SpaceIndentation ^ 0

```

## The long strings

```

1336 local SingleLongString =
1337   WithStyle ( 'String.Long' ,
1338     ( Q ( S "fF" * P "'''" )
1339       * (
1340         K ( 'String.Interpol' , P "{" )
1341         * K ( 'Interpol.Outside' , ( 1 - S "}:\" - P "'''" ) ^ 0 )
1342         * Q ( P ":" * ( 1 - S "}:\" - P "'''" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
1343         * K ( 'String.Interpol' , P "}" )
1344         +
1345         Q ( ( 1 - P "'''" - S "{}\" ) ^ 1 )
1346         +
1347         EOL
1348       ) ^ 0
1349       +
1350       Q ( ( S "rR" ) ^ -1 * P "'''" )
1351       * (
1352         Q ( ( 1 - P "'''" - S "\" ) ^ 1 )
1353         +
1354         PercentInterpol
1355         +
1356         P "%"
1357         +
1358         EOL
1359       ) ^ 0
1360     )
1361     * Q ( P "'''" ) )
1362
1363
1364 local DoubleLongString =
1365   WithStyle ( 'String.Long' ,
1366     (

```

---

<sup>26</sup>Remember that the `\@@_end_line:` must be explicit because it will be used as marker in order to delimit the argument of the command `\@@_begin_line:`

```

1367     Q ( S "fF" * P "\"\\\"" )
1368     * (
1369         K ( 'String.Interpol', P "{" )
1370         * K ( 'Interpol.Inside' , ( 1 - S "}:\\r" - P "\"\\\"" ) ^ 0 )
1371         * Q ( P ":" * ( 1 - S "}:\\r" - P "\"\\\"" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
1372         * K ( 'String.Interpol' , P "}" )
1373         +
1374         Q ( ( 1 - P "\"\\\"" - S "{\\r" ) ^ 1 )
1375         +
1376         EOL
1377     ) ^ 0
1378 +
1379     Q ( ( S "rR" ) ^ -1 * P "\"\\\"" )
1380     * (
1381         Q ( ( 1 - P "\"\\\"" - S "%\\r" ) ^ 1 )
1382         +
1383         PercentInterpol
1384         +
1385         P "%"
1386         +
1387         EOL
1388     ) ^ 0
1389 )
1390 * Q ( P "\"\\\"" )
1391 )
1392 local LongString = SingleLongString + DoubleLongString

```

We have a LPEG for the Python docstrings. That LPEG will be used in the LPEG DefFunction which deals with the whole preamble of a function definition (which begins with def).

```

1393 local StringDoc =
1394     K ( 'String.Doc' , P "\"\\\"" )
1395     * ( K ( 'String.Doc' , ( 1 - P "\"\\\"" - P "\\r" ) ^ 0 ) * EOL
1396         * Tab ^ 0
1397     ) ^ 0
1398     * K ( 'String.Doc' , ( 1 - P "\"\\\"" - P "\\r" ) ^ 0 * P "\"\\\"" )

```

**The comments in the Python listings** We define different LPEG dealing with comments in the Python listings.

```

1399 local CommentMath =
1400     P "$" * K ( 'Comment.Math' , ( 1 - S "$\\r" ) ^ 1 ) * P "$"
1401
1402 local Comment =
1403     WithStyle ( 'Comment' ,
1404         Q ( P "#" )
1405         * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - S "$\\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0 )
1406     * ( EOL + -1 )

```

The following LPEG CommentLaTeX is for what is called in that document the “LaTeX comments”. Since the elements that will be caught must be sent to LaTeX with standard LaTeX catcodes, we put the capture (done by the function C) in a table (by using Ct, which is an alias for lpeg.Ct).

```

1407 local CommentLaTeX =
1408     P(piton.comment_latex)
1409     * Lc "{\\PitonStyle{Comment.LaTeX}{\\ignorespaces"
1410     * L ( ( 1 - P "\\r" ) ^ 0 )
1411     * Lc "}"
1412     * ( EOL + -1 ) -- you could put EOL instead of EOL

```

**DefFunction** The following LPEG **expression** will be used for the parameters in the *argspec* of a Python function. It's necessary to use a *grammar* because that pattern mainly checks the correct nesting of the delimiters (and it's known in the theory of formal languages that this can't be done with regular expressions *stricto sensu* only).

```

1413 local expression =
1414   P { "E" ,
1415       E = ( 1 - S "{ } ( [ \r , " ) ^ 0
1416           * (
1417               ( P "{" * V "F" * P "}"
1418                 + P "(" * V "F" * P ")"
1419                 + P "[" * V "F" * P "]" ) * ( 1 - S "{ } ( [ \r , " ) ^ 0
1420             ) ^ 0 ,
1421       F = ( 1 - S "{ } ( [ \r \"' " ) ^ 0
1422           * ( (
1423               P "'" * (P "\\'" + 1 - S "'\r" ) ^ 0 * P "'"
1424               + P "\" * (P "\\\"" + 1 - S "\"\r" ) ^ 0 * P "\""
1425               + P "{" * V "F" * P "}"
1426               + P "(" * V "F" * P ")"
1427               + P "[" * V "F" * P "]"
1428           ) * ( 1 - S "{ } ( [ \r \"' " ) ^ 0 ) ^ 0 ,
1429   }

```

We will now define a LPEG **Params** that will catch the list of parameters (that is to say the *argspec*) in the definition of a Python function. For example, in the line of code

```
def MyFunction(a,b,x=10,n:int): return n
```

the LPEG **Params** will be used to catch the chunk `a,b,x=10,n:int`.

Or course, a **Params** is simply a comma-separated list of **Param**, and that's why we define first the LPEG **Param**.

```

1430 local Param =
1431   SkipSpace * Identifier * SkipSpace
1432   * (
1433       K ( 'InitialValues' , P "=" * expression )
1434       + Q ( P ":" ) * SkipSpace * K ( 'Name.Type' , letter ^ 1 )
1435   ) ^ -1
1436 local Params = ( Param * ( Q "," * Param ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1

```

The following LPEG **DefFunction** catches a keyword `def` and the following name of function *but also everything else until a potential docstring*. That's why this definition of LPEG must occur (in the file `piton.sty`) after the definition of several other LPEG such as **Comment**, **CommentLaTeX**, **Params**, **StringDoc**...

```

1437 local DefFunction =
1438   K ( 'Keyword' , P "def" )
1439   * Space
1440   * K ( 'Name.Function.Internal' , identifier )
1441   * SkipSpace
1442   * Q ( P "(" ) * Params * Q ( P ")" )
1443   * SkipSpace
1444   * ( Q ( P "->" ) * SkipSpace * K ( 'Name.Type' , identifier ) ) ^ -1

```

Here, we need a `piton` style **ParseAgain** which will be linked to `@@_piton:n` (that means that the capture will be parsed once again by `piton`). We could avoid that kind of trick by using a non-terminal of a grammar but we have probably here a better legibility.

```

1445   * K ( 'ParseAgain' , ( 1 - S ":\r" ) ^ 0 )
1446   * Q ( P ":" )
1447   * ( SkipSpace
1448       * ( EOL + CommentLaTeX + Comment ) -- in all cases, that contains an EOL
1449       * Tab ^ 0
1450       * SkipSpace
1451       * StringDoc ^ 0 -- there may be additionnal docstrings
1452   ) ^ -1

```

Remark that, in the previous code, `CommentLaTeX` *must* appear before `Comment`: there is no commutativity of the addition for the *parsing expression grammars* (PEG).

If the word `def` is not followed by an identifier and parenthesis, it will be caught as keyword by the LPEG Keyword (useful if, for example, the final user wants to speak of the keyword `def`).

**The dictionaries of Python** We have LPEG dealing with dictionaries of Python because, in typesettings of explicit Python dictionaries, one may prefer to have all the values formatted in black (in order to see more clearly the keys which are usually Python strings). That's why we have a `piton` style `Dict.Value`.

The initial value of that `piton` style is `\@@_piton:n`, which means that the value of the entry of the dictionary is parsed once again by `piton` (and nothing special is done for the dictionary). In the following example, we have set the `piton` style `Dict.Value` to `\color{black}`:

```
mydict = { 'name' : 'Paul', 'sex' : 'male', 'age' : 31 }
```

At this time, this mechanism works only for explicit dictionaries on a single line!

```
1453 local ItemDict =
1454   ShortString * SkipSpace * Q ( P ":" ) * K ( 'Dict.Value' , expression )
1455
1456 local ItemOfSet = SkipSpace * ( ItemDict + ShortString ) * SkipSpace
1457
1458 local Set =
1459   Q ( P "{" )
1460   * ItemOfSet * ( Q ( P "," ) * ItemOfSet ) ^ 0
1461   * Q ( P "}" )
```

## Miscellaneous

```
1462 local ExceptionInConsole = Exception * Q ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 ) * EOL
```

**The main LPEG** First, the main loop :

```
1463 MainLoopPython =
1464   ( ( space^1 * -1 )
1465     + EOL
1466     + Space
1467     + Tab
1468     + Escape
1469     + CommentLaTeX
1470     + Beamer
1471     + UserCommands
1472     + LongString
1473     + Comment
1474     + ExceptionInConsole
1475     + Set
1476     + Delim
```

**Operator** must be before **Punct**.

```
1477     + Operator
1478     + ShortString
1479     + Punct
1480     + FromImport
1481     + RaiseException
1482     + DefFunction
1483     + DefClass
1484     + Keyword * ( Space + Punct + Delim + EOL+ -1 )
1485     + Decorator
1486     + OperatorWord * ( Space + Punct + Delim + EOL+ -1 )
1487     + Builtin * ( Space + Punct + Delim + EOL+ -1 )
1488     + Identifier
1489     + Number
1490     + Word
1491   ) ^ 0
```

We recall that each line in the Python code to parse will be sent back to LaTeX between a pair `\@@_begin_line: - \@@_end_line:`<sup>27</sup>.

```

1492 local python = P ( true )
1493
1494 python =
1495   Ct (
1496     ( ( space - P "\r" ) ^0 * P "\r" ) ^ -1
1497     * BeamerBeginEnvironments
1498     * PromptHastyDetection
1499     * Lc '\\@@_begin_line:'
1500     * Prompt
1501     * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
1502     * MainLoopPython
1503     * -1
1504     * Lc '\\@@_end_line:'
1505   )
1506 local languages = { }
1507 languages['python'] = python

```

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```

1508 local Delim = Q ( P "[" + P "]" + S "[]" )
1509 local Punct = Q ( S ",:;! " )

```

The identifiers caught by `cap_identifier` begin with a cap. In OCaml, it's used for the constructors of types and for the modules.

```

1510 local cap_identifier = R "AZ" * ( R "az" + R "AZ" + S "_" + digit ) ^ 0
1511 local Constructor = K ( 'Name.Constructor' , cap_identifier )
1512 local ModuleType = K ( 'Name.ModuleType' , cap_identifier )

```

The identifiers which begin with a lower case letter or an underscore are used elsewhere in OCaml.

```

1513 local identifier =
1514   ( R "az" + P "_" ) * ( R "az" + R "AZ" + S "_" + digit ) ^ 0
1515 local Identifier = K ( 'Identifier' , identifier )

```

Now, we deal with the records because we want to catch the names of the fields of those records in all circumstances.

```

1516 local expression_for_fields =
1517   P { "E" ,
1518     E = ( 1 - S "{}() []\r,;" ) ^ 0
1519     * (
1520       ( P "{" * V "F" * P "}"
1521         + P "(" * V "F" * P ")"
1522         + P "[" * V "F" * P "]" ) * ( 1 - S "{}() []\r," ) ^ 0
1523     ) ^ 0 ,
1524     F = ( 1 - S "{}() []\r\"" ) ^ 0
1525     * ( (
1526       P "\"" * ( P "\\\"" + 1 - S "\\r" ) ^0 * P "\""
1527       + P "\"\" * ( P "\\\"" + 1 - S "\\r" ) ^0 * P "\"\"
1528       + P "{" * V "F" * P "}"
1529       + P "(" * V "F" * P ")"
1530       + P "[" * V "F" * P "]"
1531     ) * ( 1 - S "{}() []\r\"" ) ^ 0 ) ^ 0 ,
1532   }
1533 local OneFieldDefinition =
1534   ( K ( 'KeyWord' , P "mutable" ) * SkipSpace ) ^ -1
1535   * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) * SkipSpace
1536   * Q ":" * SkipSpace

```

<sup>27</sup>Remember that the `\@@_end_line:` must be explicit because it will be used as marker in order to delimit the argument of the command `\@@_begin_line:`

```

1537 * K ( 'Name.Type' , expression_for_fields )
1538
1539 local OneField =
1540   K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) * SkipSpace
1541   * Q "=" * SkipSpace
1542   * K ( 'ParseAgain' , expression_for_fields )
1543
1544 local Record =
1545   Q "{" * SkipSpace
1546   *
1547   (
1548     OneFieldDefinition * ( Q ";" * SkipSpace * OneFieldDefinition ) ^ 0
1549     +
1550     OneField * ( Q ";" * SkipSpace * OneField ) ^ 0
1551   )
1552   *
1553   Q "}"

```

Now, we deal with the notations with points (eg: `List.length`). In OCaml, such notation is used for the fields of the records and for the modules.

```

1554 local DotNotation =
1555   (
1556     K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier )
1557     * Q "."
1558     * ( Identifier + Constructor + Q "(" + Q "[" + Q "{" )
1559
1560     +
1561     Identifier
1562     * Q "."
1563     * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier )
1564   )
1565   * ( Q "." * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) ) ^ 0
1566
1567 local Operator =
1568   K ( 'Operator' ,
1569     P "!=" + P "<>" + P "==" + P "<<" + P ">>" + P "<=" + P ">=" + P "!="
1570     + P "||" + P "&&" + P "/" + P "/*" + P ";;" + P "::" + P "->"
1571     + P "+." + P "-." + P ".*" + P "/"
1572     + S "~+/*%=<>&@|"
1573   )
1574
1575 local OperatorWord =
1576   K ( 'Operator.Word' ,
1577     P "and" + P "asr" + P "land" + P "lor" + P "lsl" + P "lxor"
1578     + P "mod" + P "or" )
1579
1580 local Keyword =
1581   K ( 'Keyword' ,
1582     P "assert" + P "as" + P "begin" + P "class" + P "constraint" + P "done"
1583     + P "downto" + P "do" + P "else" + P "end" + P "exception" + P "external"
1584     + P "false" + P "for" + P "function" + P "functor" + P "fun" + P "if"
1585     + P "include" + P "inherit" + P "initializer" + P "in" + P "lazy" + P "let"
1586     + P "match" + P "method" + P "module" + P "mutable" + P "new" + P "object"
1587     + P "of" + P "open" + P "private" + P "raise" + P "rec" + P "sig"
1588     + P "struct" + P "then" + P "to" + P "true" + P "try" + P "type"
1589     + P "value" + P "val" + P "virtual" + P "when" + P "while" + P "with" )
1590     + K ( 'Keyword.Constant' , P "true" + P "false" )
1591
1592
1593 local Builtin =
1594   K ( 'Name.Builtin' , P "not" + P "incr" + P "decr" + P "fst" + P "snd" )

```

The following exceptions are exceptions in the standard library of OCaml (Stdlib).

```

1595 local Exception =
1596   K ( 'Exception' ,
1597       P "Division_by_zero" + P "End_of_File" + P "Failure"
1598     + P "Invalid_argument" + P "Match_failure" + P "Not_found"
1599     + P "Out_of_memory" + P "Stack_overflow" + P "Sys_blocked_io"
1600     + P "Sys_error" + P "Undefined_recursive_module" )

```

## The characters in OCaml

```

1601 local Char =
1602   K ( 'String.Short' , P "'" * ( ( 1 - P "'" ) ^ 0 + P "\\'" ) * P "'" )

```

## Beamer

```

1603 local BalancedBraces =
1604   P { "E" ,
1605       E =
1606         (
1607           P "{" * V "E" * P "}"
1608         +
1609           P "\" * ( 1 - S "\" ) ^ 0 * P "\" -- OCaml strings
1610         +
1611           ( 1 - S "{" )
1612         ) ^ 0
1613   }

1614 if piton_beamer
1615 then
1616   Beamer =
1617     L ( P "\\pause" * ( P "[" * ( 1 - P "]" ) ^ 0 * P "]" ) ^ -1 )
1618   +
1619     ( P "\\uncover" * Lc ( '\\@@_beamer_command:n{uncover}' )
1620   + P "\\only" * Lc ( '\\@@_beamer_command:n{only}' )
1621   + P "\\alert" * Lc ( '\\@@_beamer_command:n{alert}' )
1622   + P "\\visible" * Lc ( '\\@@_beamer_command:n{visible}' )
1623   + P "\\invisible" * Lc ( '\\@@_beamer_command:n{invisible}' )
1624   + P "\\action" * Lc ( '\\@@_beamer_command:n{action}' )
1625   )
1626   *
1627   L ( ( P "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * P ">" ) ^ -1 * P "{" )
1628   * K ( 'ParseAgain.noCR' , BalancedBraces )
1629   * L ( P "}" )
1630   +
1631   L (
1632     ( P "\\alt" )
1633     * P "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * P ">"
1634     * P "{"
1635   )
1636   * K ( 'ParseAgain.noCR' , BalancedBraces )
1637   * L ( P "}" )
1638   * K ( 'ParseAgain.noCR' , BalancedBraces )
1639   * L ( P "}" )
1640   +
1641   L (
1642     ( P "\\temporal" )
1643     * P "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * P ">"
1644     * P "{"
1645   )
1646   * K ( 'ParseAgain.noCR' , BalancedBraces )
1647   * L ( P "}" )
1648   * K ( 'ParseAgain.noCR' , BalancedBraces )
1649   * L ( P "}" )
1650   * K ( 'ParseAgain.noCR' , BalancedBraces )
1651   * L ( P "}" )

```



```

1652 BeamerBeginEnvironments =
1653   ( space ^ 0 *
1654     L
1655     (
1656       P "\\begin{" * BeamerNamesEnvironments * "}"
1657       * ( P "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * P ">" ) ^ -1
1658     )
1659     * P "\r"
1660   ) ^ 0
1661 BeamerEndEnvironments =
1662   ( space ^ 0 *
1663     L ( P "\\end{" * BeamerNamesEnvironments * P "}" )
1664     * P "\r"
1665   ) ^ 0
1666 end

```

## EOL

```

1667 local EOL =
1668   P "\r"
1669   *
1670   (
1671     ( space^0 * -1 )
1672     +
1673     Ct (
1674       Cc "EOL"
1675       *
1676       Ct (
1677         Lc "\\@@_end_line:"
1678         * BeamerEndEnvironments
1679         * BeamerBeginEnvironments
1680         * PromptHastyDetection
1681         * Lc "\\@@_newline: \\@@_begin_line:"
1682         * Prompt
1683       )
1684     )
1685   )
1686   *
1687   SpaceIndentation ^ 0
1688 %
1689 % \paragraph{The strings}
1690 %
1691 % We need a pattern |string| without captures because it will be used within the
1692 % comments of OCaml.
1693 %   \begin{macrocode}
1694 local string =
1695   Q ( P "\"" )
1696   * (
1697     VisualSpace
1698     +
1699     Q ( ( 1 - S " \r" ) ^ 1 )
1700     +
1701     EOL
1702   ) ^ 0
1703   * Q ( P "\"" )
1704 local String = WithStyle ( 'String.Long' , string )

```

Now, the “quoted strings” of OCaml (for example `{ext|Essai|ext}`). For those strings, we will do two consecutive analysis. First an analysis to determine the whole string and, then, an analysis for the potential visual spaces and the EOL in the string.

The first analysis require a match-time capture. For explanations about that programmation, see the paragraphe *Lua's long strings* in [www.inf.puc-rio.br/~roberto/lpeg](http://www.inf.puc-rio.br/~roberto/lpeg).

```

1705 local ext = ( R "az" + P "_" ) ^ 0
1706 local open = "{" * Cg(ext, 'init') * "|"
1707 local close = "|" * C(ext) * "}"
1708 local closeeq =
1709   Cmt ( close * Cb('init'),
1710         function (s, i, a, b) return a==b end )

```

The LPEG QuotedStringBis will do the second analysis.

```

1711 local QuotedStringBis =
1712   WithStyle ( 'String.Long' ,
1713     (
1714       VisualSpace
1715       +
1716       Q ( ( 1 - S " \r" ) ^ 1 )
1717       +
1718       EOL
1719     ) ^ 0 )
1720

```

We use a “function capture” (as called in the official documentation of the LPEG) in order to do the second analysis on the result of the first one.

```

1721 local QuotedString =
1722   C ( open * ( 1 - closeeq ) ^ 0 * close ) /
1723   ( function (s) return QuotedStringBis : match(s) end )

```

**The comments in the OCaml listings** In OCaml, the delimiters for the comments are (\* and \*). There are unsymmetrical and, therefore, the comments may be nested. That's why we need a grammar.

In these comments, we embed the math comments (between \$ and \$) and we embed also a treatment for the end of lines (since the comments may be multi-lines).

```

1724 local Comment =
1725   WithStyle ( 'Comment' ,
1726     P {
1727       "A" ,
1728       A = Q "(" *
1729         ( V "A"
1730           + Q ( ( 1 - P "(" - P ")" - S "\r$\\" ) ^ 1 ) -- $
1731           + string
1732           + P "$" * K ( 'Comment.Math' , ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) * P "$" -- $
1733           + EOL
1734         ) ^ 0
1735       * Q ")"
1736     } )

```

**The DefFunction** Despite its name, then LPEG DefFunction deals also with let open which opens locally a module.

```

1737 local DefFunction =
1738   K ( 'Keyword' , P "let open" )
1739   * Space
1740   * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier )
1741   +
1742   K ( 'Keyword' , P "let rec" + P "let" + P "and" )
1743   * Space
1744   * K ( 'Name.Function.Internal' , identifier )
1745   * Space
1746   * # ( P "=" * space * P "function" + ( 1 - P "=" ) )

```

**The DefModule** The following LPEG will be used in the definitions of modules but also in the definitions of *types* of modules.

```

1747 local DefModule =
1748   K ( 'Keyword' , P "module" ) * Space
1749   *
1750   (
1751     K ( 'Keyword' , P "type" ) * Space
1752     * K ( 'Name.ModuleType' , cap_identifier )
1753     +
1754     K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
1755     *
1756     (
1757       Q "(" * SkipSpace
1758       * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
1759       * Q ":" * SkipSpace
1760       * K ( 'Name.ModuleType' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
1761       *
1762       (
1763         Q "," * SkipSpace
1764         * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
1765         * Q ":" * SkipSpace
1766         * K ( 'Name.ModuleType' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
1767       ) ^ 0
1768       * Q ")"
1769     ) ^ -1
1770     *
1771     (
1772       Q "=" * SkipSpace
1773       * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
1774       * Q "("
1775       * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
1776       *
1777       (
1778         Q ","
1779         *
1780         K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
1781       ) ^ 0
1782       * Q ")"
1783     ) ^ -1
1784   )
1785   +
1786   K ( 'Keyword' , P "include" + P "open" )
1787   * Space * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier )

```

**The parameters of the types**

```

1788 local TypeParameter = K ( 'TypeParameter' , P "'" * alpha * # ( 1 - P "'" ) )

```

**The main LPEG** First, the main loop :

```

1789 MainLoopOCaml =
1790   ( ( space^1 * -1 )
1791     + EOL
1792     + Space
1793     + Tab
1794     + Escape
1795     + Beamer
1796     + TypeParameter
1797     + String + QuotedString + Char
1798     + Comment
1799     + Delim

```

```

1800     + Operator
1801     + Punct
1802     + FromImport
1803     + ImportAs
1804     + Exception
1805     + DefFunction
1806     + DefModule
1807     + Record
1808     + Keyword * ( Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + -1 )
1809     + OperatorWord * ( Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + -1 )
1810     + Builtin * ( Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + -1 )
1811     + DotNotation
1812     + Constructor
1813     + Identifier
1814     + Number
1815     + Word
1816 ) ^ 0

```

We recall that each line in the Python code to parse will be sent back to LaTeX between a pair `\@@_begin_line: - \@@_end_line:`<sup>28</sup>.

```

1817 local ocaml = P ( true )
1818
1819 ocaml =
1820   Ct (
1821     ( ( space - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * P "\r" ) ^ -1
1822     * BeamerBeginEnvironments
1823     * Lc ( '\@@_begin_line:' )
1824     * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
1825     * MainLoopOCaml
1826     * -1
1827     * Lc ( '\@@_end_line:' )
1828   )
1829 languages['ocaml'] = ocaml

```

### 6.3.4 The function Parse

The function `Parse` is the main function of the package `piton`. It parses its argument and sends back to LaTeX the code with interlaced formatting LaTeX instructions. In fact, everything is done by the `LPEG python` which returns as capture a Lua table containing data to send to LaTeX.

```

1830 function piton.Parse(language,code)
1831   local t = languages[language] : match ( code )
1832   local left_stack = {}
1833   local right_stack = {}
1834   for _ , one_item in ipairs(t)
1835   do
1836     if one_item[1] == "EOL"
1837     then
1838       for _ , s in ipairs(right_stack)
1839       do tex.sprint( s )
1840       end
1841       for _ , s in ipairs(one_item[2])
1842       do tex.tprint(s)
1843       end
1844       for _ , s in ipairs(left_stack)
1845       do tex.sprint( s )

```

---

<sup>28</sup>Remember that the `\@@_end_line:` must be explicit because it will be used as marker in order to delimit the argument of the command `\@@_begin_line:`

```

1846         end
1847     else
1848         if one_item[1] == "Open"
1849             then
1850                 tex.sprint( one_item[2] )
1851                 table.insert(left_stack,one_item[2])
1852                 table.insert(right_stack,one_item[3])
1853             else
1854                 if one_item[1] == "Close"
1855                     then
1856                         tex.sprint( right_stack[#right_stack] )
1857                         left_stack[#left_stack] = nil
1858                         right_stack[#right_stack] = nil
1859                     else
1860                         tex.tprint(one_item)
1861                     end
1862                 end
1863             end
1864         end
1865     end

```

The function `ParseFile` will be used by the LaTeX command `\PitonInputFile`. That function merely reads the whole file (that is to say all its lines) and then apply the function `Parse` to the resulting Lua string.

```

1866 function piton.ParseFile(language,name,first_line,last_line)
1867     s = ''
1868     local i = 0
1869     for line in io.lines(name)
1870     do i = i + 1
1871         if i >= first_line
1872             then s = s .. '\r' .. line
1873             end
1874         if i >= last_line then break end
1875     end
1876     piton.Parse(language,s)
1877 end

```

### 6.3.5 Two variants of the function `Parse` with integrated preprocessors

The following command will be used by the user command `\piton`. For that command, we have to undo the duplication of the symbols `#`.

```

1878 function piton.ParseBis(language,code)
1879     local s = ( Cs ( ( P '##' / '#' + 1 ) ^ 0 ) ) : match ( code )
1880     return piton.Parse(language,s)
1881 end

```

The following command will be used when we have to parse some small chunks of code that have yet been parsed. They are re-scanned by LaTeX because it has been required by `\@@_piton:n` in the `piton` style of the syntactic element. In that case, you have to remove the potential `\@@_breakable_space:` that have been inserted when the key `break-lines` is in force.

```

1882 function piton.ParseTer(language,code)
1883     local s = ( Cs ( ( P '\\@@_breakable_space:' / ' ' + 1 ) ^ 0 ) )
1884             : match ( code )
1885     return piton.Parse(language,s)
1886 end

```

### 6.3.6 Preprocessors of the function Parse for gobble

We deal now with preprocessors of the function `Parse` which are needed when the “gobble mechanism” is used.

The function `gobble` gobbles  $n$  characters on the left of the code. It uses a LPEG that we have to compute dynamically because it depends on the value of  $n$ .

```
1887 local function gobble(n,code)
1888     function concat(acc,new_value)
1889         return acc .. new_value
1890     end
1891     if n==0
1892     then return code
1893     else
1894         return Cf (
1895             Cc ( "" ) *
1896             ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ (-n) * C ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 )
1897             * ( C ( P "\r" )
1898               * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ (-n)
1899               * C ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 )
1900             ) ^ 0 ,
1901             concat
1902         ) : match ( code )
1903     end
1904 end
```

The following function `add` will be used in the following LPEG `AutoGobbleLPEG`, `TabsAutoGobbleLPEG` and `EnvGobbleLPEG`.

```
1905 local function add(acc,new_value)
1906     return acc + new_value
1907 end
```

The following LPEG returns as capture the minimal number of spaces at the beginning of the lines of code. The main work is done by two *fold captures* (`lpeg.Cf`), one using `add` and the other (encompassing the previous one) using `math.min` as folding operator.

```
1908 local AutoGobbleLPEG =
1909     ( space ^ 0 * P "\r" ) ^ -1
1910     * Cf (
1911         (
```

We don't take into account the empty lines (with only spaces).

```
1912         ( P " " ) ^ 0 * P "\r"
1913         +
1914         Cf ( Cc(0) * ( P " " * Cc(1) ) ^ 0 , add )
1915         * ( 1 - P " " ) * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * P "\r"
1916     ) ^ 0
```

Now for the last line of the Python code...

```
1917     *
1918     ( Cf ( Cc(0) * ( P " " * Cc(1) ) ^ 0 , add )
1919     * ( 1 - P " " ) * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1 ,
1920     math.min
1921 )
```

The following LPEG is similar but works with the indentations.

```
1922 local TabsAutoGobbleLPEG =
1923     ( space ^ 0 * P "\r" ) ^ -1
1924     * Cf (
1925         (
1926             ( P "\t" ) ^ 0 * P "\r"
1927             +
1928             Cf ( Cc(0) * ( P "\t" * Cc(1) ) ^ 0 , add )
```

```

1929      * ( 1 - P "\t" ) * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * P "\r"
1930    ) ^ 0
1931  *
1932  ( Cf ( Cc(0) * ( P "\t" * Cc(1) ) ^ 0 , add )
1933    * ( 1 - P "\t" ) * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1 ,
1934    math.min
1935  )

```

The following LPEG returns as capture the number of spaces at the last line, that is to say before the `\end{Piton}` (and usually it's also the number of spaces before the corresponding `\begin{Piton}` because that's the traditionnal way to indent in LaTeX). The main work is done by a *fold capture* (`lpeg.Cf`) using the function `add` as folding operator.

```

1936 local EnvGobbleLPEG =
1937   ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * P "\r" ) ^ 0
1938   * Cf ( Cc(0) * ( P " " * Cc(1) ) ^ 0 , add ) * -1

1939 function piton.GobbleParse(language,n,code)
1940   if n==1
1941   then n = AutoGobbleLPEG : match(code)
1942   else if n==2
1943     then n = EnvGobbleLPEG : match(code)
1944     else if n==3
1945       then n = TabsAutoGobbleLPEG : match(code)
1946       end
1947     end
1948   end
1949   piton.Parse(language,gobble(n,code))
1950 end

```

### 6.3.7 To count the number of lines

```

1951 function piton.CountLines(code)
1952   local count = 0
1953   for i in code : gmatch ( "\r" ) do count = count + 1 end
1954   tex.sprint(
1955     luatexbase.catcodetables.expl ,
1956     '\\int_set:Nn \\l_@@_nb_lines_int {' .. count .. '}' )
1957 end

1958 function piton.CountNonEmptyLines(code)
1959   local count = 0
1960   count =
1961   ( Cf ( Cc(0) *
1962     (
1963       ( P " " ) ^ 0 * P "\r"
1964       + ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * P "\r" * Cc(1)
1965     ) ^ 0
1966     * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 ,
1967     add
1968   ) * -1 ) : match (code)
1969   tex.sprint(
1970     luatexbase.catcodetables.expl ,
1971     '\\int_set:Nn \\l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int {' .. count .. '}' )
1972 end

1973 function piton.CountLinesFile(name)
1974   local count = 0
1975   for line in io.lines(name) do count = count + 1 end
1976   tex.sprint(
1977     luatexbase.catcodetables.expl ,

```

```

1978     '\int_set:Nn \l_@@_nb_lines_int {' .. count .. '}' )
1979 end

1980 function piton.CountNonEmptyLinesFile(name)
1981     local count = 0
1982     for line in io.lines(name)
1983     do if not ( ( ( P " " ) ^ 0 * -1 ) : match ( line ) )
1984         then count = count + 1
1985     end
1986     end
1987     tex.sprint(
1988         luatexbase.catcodetables.expl ,
1989         '\int_set:Nn \l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int {' .. count .. '}' )
1990 end
1991 \end{luacode*}

```

## 7 History

The successive versions of the file `piton.sty` provided by TeXLive are available on the SVN server of TeXLive:

<https://tug.org/svn/texlive/trunk/Master/texmf-dist/tex/lualatex/piton/piton.sty>

The development of the extension `piton` is done on the following GitHub repository:

<https://github.com/fpantigny/piton>

### Changes between versions 1.4 and 1.5

New key `numbers-sep`.

### Changes between versions 1.3 and 1.4

New key identifiers in `\PitonOptions`.

New command `\PitonStyle`.

`background-color` now accepts as value a *list* of colors.

### Changes between versions 1.2 and 1.3

When the class `Beamer` is used, the environment `{Piton}` and the command `\PitonInputFile` are “overlay-aware” (that is to say, they accept a specification of overlays between angular brackets).

New key `prompt-background-color`

It’s now possible to use the command `\label` to reference a line of code in an environment `{Piton}`.

A new command `\_` is available in the argument of the command `\piton{...}` to insert a space (otherwise, several spaces are replaced by a single space).

### Changes between versions 1.1 and 1.2

New keys `break-lines-in-piton` and `break-lines-in-Piton`.

New key `show-spaces-in-string` and modification of the key `show-spaces`.

When the class `beamer` is used, the environements `{uncoverenv}`, `{onlyenv}`, `{visibleenv}` and `{invisibleenv}`

### Changes between versions 1.0 and 1.1

The extension `piton` detects the class `beamer` and activates the commands `\action`, `\alert`, `\invisible`, `\only`, `\uncover` and `\visible` in the environments `{Piton}` when the class `beamer` is used.



## Changes between versions 0.99 and 1.0

New key `tabs-auto-gobble`.

## Changes between versions 0.95 and 0.99

New key `break-lines` to allow breaks of the lines of code (and other keys to customize the appearance).

## Changes between versions 0.9 and 0.95

New key `show-spaces`.

The key `left-margin` now accepts the special value `auto`.

New key `latex-comment` at load-time and replacement of `##` by `#>`

New key `math-comments` at load-time.

New keys `first-line` and `last-line` for the command `\InputPitonFile`.

## Changes between versions 0.8 and 0.9

New key `tab-size`.

Integer value for the key `splittable`.

## Changes between versions 0.7 and 0.8

New keys `footnote` and `footnotehyper` at load-time.

New key `left-margin`.

## Changes between versions 0.6 and 0.7

New keys `resume`, `splittable` and `background-color` in `\PitonOptions`.

The file `piton.lua` has been embedded in the file `piton.sty`. That means that the extension `piton` is now entirely contained in the file `piton.sty`.

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