

regex, do you need it?

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Examples

regexp.Match inline

```
func IsAuthorizationRegexp(m string) bool {  
    r := regexp.MustCompile(`1::Authorize`)  
    return r.Match([]byte(m))  
}
```

regexp.Match precompiled

```
var (  
    authorizationCompiled = regexp.MustCompile(`^1::Authorize`)  
)  
  
func IsAuthorizationRegexpCompiled(m string) bool {  
    return authorizationCompiled.Match([]byte(m))  
}
```

regexp.MatchString precompiled

```
var (  
    authorizationCompiled = regexp.MustCompile(`^1::Authorize`)  
)  
  
func IsAuthorizationRegexpCompiledMatchString(m string) bool {  
    return authorizationCompiled.MatchString(m)  
}
```

strings.Contains

```
func IsAuthorizationStringsContains(m string) bool {  
    return strings.Contains(m, `1::Authorize`)  
}
```

strings.Contains with constant

```
const (  
    authorize = `1::Authorize`  
)  
  
func IsAuthorizationStringsContainsConstant(m string) bool {  
    return strings.Contains(m, authorize)  
}
```

strings.Prefix

```
func IsAuthorizationStringsPrefix(m string) bool {  
    return strings.HasPrefix(m, `1::Authorize`)  
}
```


Matching Prefix and Suffix

regexp.Match with expected prefix and suffix

```
var (  
    unitRegex = regexp.MustCompile(`^1.7.4.2.\d+::evData`)  
)  
  
func IsUnitMessage(m string) bool {  
    return unitRegex.Match([]byte(m))  
}
```

strings.HasPrefix and strings.TrimPrefix

```
const (  
    statusIDUnitPrefix = `1.7.4.2.`  
    evDataPrefix       = `evData`  
)  
  
func IsStatusIDUnitMessage(m string) bool {  
    if !strings.HasPrefix(m, statusIDUnitPrefix) {  
        return false  
    }  
    s := strings.TrimPrefix(m, statusIDUnitPrefix)  
    r := strings.Split(s, "::")  
    if len(r) < 2 {  
        return false  
    }  
    return strings.HasPrefix(r[1], evDataPrefix)  
}
```

Benchmark

regexp.Match inline

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}
```

Thank you

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