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     */
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          LOCATION:
                       see http://www.boost.org for most recent version.
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          FILE
                       regex_token_iterator_example_1.cpp
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          VERSION
                       see <boost/version.hpp>
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          DESCRIPTION: regex_token_iterator example: split a string into tokens
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      */
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20 #include <boost/regex.hpp>
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   #include <iostream>
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   using namespace std;
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26 #if defined(BOOST_MSVC) || (defined(_BORLANDC__) && (__BORLANDC__==0x550))
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    // problem with std::getline under MSVC6sp3
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    istream& getline(istream& is, std::string& s)
30 {
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       s.erase();
       char c = static_cast<char>(is.get());
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       while(c != '\n')
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          s.append(1, c);
36
          c = static_cast<char>(is.get());
       }
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       return is;
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   }
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  #endif
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   // int main(int argc, const char*[])
44 // updated by JMH on December 5, 2012 at 12:21 PM to allow command line input
45 // note that if the command line input contains white space, it must be enclosed
46
         in double quotes
    int main(int argc, char** argv)
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    {
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       string s;
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       do{
51
          if (argc == 1)
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             cout << "Enter text to split (or \"quit\" to exit): ";</pre>
54
             getline(cin, s);
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             if(s == "quit") break;
56
57
          else {
            // s = "This is a string of tokens";
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            s = argv[1];
            // cout << argc << " " << s << end1 ;
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          boost::regex re("\\s+");
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          // the -1 parameter below causes the token iterator to consider as tokens
             those parts of the input that do *not* match the regex
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          //
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          // such an iterator, if dereferenced, returns a match_results corresponding to
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the sequence of characters between the last match and the end of sequence % \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) 
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                                                                          // see http://boost-sandbox.sourceforge.net/libs/xpressive/doc/html/boost_xpressive/user_s_guide/string_spl
// and http://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/regex/regex_token_iterator
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                                                                            boost::sregex_token_iterator i(s.begin(), s.end(), re, -1);
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                                                                            // \  \, \text{the default-constructed sregex\_token\_iterator is the end-of-sequence iterator}
 74
                                                                             // see http://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/regex/regex_token_iterator
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                                                                            boost::sregex_token_iterator j;
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 77
                                                                            unsigned count = 0;
                                                                            while(i != j)
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79
                                                                            // while(i != s.end()) yields compiler error: no match for operator!=
80
                                                                            {
81
                                                                                                  cout << *i++ << endl;</pre>
82
                                                                                                  count++;
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84
                                                                            cout << "There were " << count << " tokens found." << endl;</pre>
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86
                                                     }while(argc == 1);
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                                                     return 0;
88 }
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