

<code>[^0-9]</code>	Match anything other than a digit
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Special Character Classes

Example	Description
<code>.</code>	Match any character except newline
<code>\d</code>	Match a digit: <code>[0-9]</code>
<code>\D</code>	Match a non-digit: <code>[^0-9]</code>
<code>\s</code>	Match a whitespace character: <code>[\t\r\n\f]</code>
<code>\S</code>	Match non-whitespace: <code>[^ \t\r\n\f]</code>
<code>\w</code>	Match a single word character: <code>[A-Za-z0-9_]</code>
<code>\W</code>	Match a non-word character: <code>[^A-Za-z0-9_]</code>

Repetition Cases

Example	Description
<code>ruby?</code>	Match "rub" or "ruby": the y is optional.
<code>ruby*</code>	Match "rub" plus 0 or more ys.
<code>ruby+</code>	Match "rub" plus 1 or more ys.
<code>\d{3}</code>	Match exactly 3 digits.
<code>\d{3,}</code>	Match 3 or more digits.
<code>\d{3,5}</code>	Match 3, 4, or 5 digits.

Nongreedy repetition