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1 import re
 2
 3 m = re.search('(?<=abc)def', 'abcdef')</pre>
4 m.group(0)
 5
 6 m = re.search(r'(?<=-)\w+', 'spam-egg')</pre>
 7
8
9 #prog = re.compile(pattern)
10 #result =prog.match(string)
11 #OR
12 #result =re.match(pattern, string)
13
14 a = re.compile(r""\d + # the integral part
                      \. # the decimal point
15
                      \d * # some fractional digits"""
16
  , re.X)
17 b = re.compile(r'' d+ \cdot d*'')
18
19 re.split(r'\W+', 'Words, words, words.')
20 re.split(r'(\W+)', 'Words, words, words.')
21 re.split(r'\W+', 'Words, words, words.', 1)
22 re.split('[a-f]+', 'Oa3B9', flags=re.IGNORECASE)
23
24 re.split(r'(\W+)', '...words, words...')
25
26 print(re.escape('https://www.google.com'))
27 legal_chars =string.ascii_lowercase+string.digits+"!#
   $%&'*+-.^_`|~:"
28 print('[%s]+' % re.escape(legal_chars))
29 operators = ['+', '-', '*', '/', '**']
30 print('|'.join(map(re.escape, sorted(operators,
  reverse=True))))
31
32 digits_re = r' d+'
33 sample = '/usr/sbin/sendmail - 0 errors, 12 warnings'
34 print(re.sub(digits_re, digits_re.replace('\\', r'\\'
   ), sample))
35
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