



# Regular Expression

Session-X

# Regular Expressions

*"""identifiers*

*\w any character \W anything but character*

*\s for whitespace \S anything but whitespace*

*\d number \D anything but number*

*Modifiers*

*. any character, \* 0 or more, + 1 or more, ? 0 or one*

*\$ end of the string, ^ beginning of the string, [] variance*

*{ } range, ( ) group """*

```
import re
```

```
ex_s="""jessica is 9 year old and her email id is jessi@gmail.com  
and jes@hotmail.com, 234 dwnstreet"""
```

```
mt=re.search(r'ssi', ex_s)
```

```
print(mt)
```

```
print(mt.group())
```

```
mt=re.search(r'\d{3}\s\w+', ex_s)
```

```
print(mt.group())
```

```
mt=re.search(r'[\w.]+@[ \w. ]+', ex_s)
```

```
print(mt.group())
```

# Regular Expression...

```
import re
#re.split() returns list and work similar to string with added
functionalities
print(re.split(r"\s*", "here are some words"))
print(re.split(r"s*", "here are some words"))
print(re.split(r"(s*)", "here are some words"))
print(re.split(r"[a-zA-F]", r"adaslkf
dewebekwcbefertyuyujinHHklhjkFFFjloo[o]"))
print(re.findall(r'\d\s\D*\d?', 'BYL93 LIG Barra-2 kanpur'))
match = re.findall(r'([\w.]+)@([\w.]+)', 'my email is
sumit.chandra@psit.in and chandra_sumit@rediffmail.com')
print(match)
"""
* 0 or more
+ 0 or more
? 0 or One
{5} exactly five
{1,5} one to five
\w alphanumeric
"""
```

# Regular Expressions...

- **Re.sub.** In regular expressions, sub stands for substitution. The re.sub method applies a method to all matches.
- Re.sub can replace a pattern match with a simple string.

```
import re
```

```
# An example string.
```

```
v = "running eating reading"
```

```
# Replace words starting with "r" and ending in "ing"
```

```
# ... with a new string.
```

```
v = re.sub(r"r.*?ing", "ring", v)
```

```
print(v)
```

# Regular Expression...

- `import re`
- `def multiply(m):`
- *# Convert group 0 to an integer.*
- `v = int(m.group(0))`
- *# Multiply integer by 2.*
- *# ... Convert back into string and return it.*
- `return str(v * 2)`
- *# Use pattern of 1 or more digits.*
- *# ... Use multiply method as second argument.*
- `result = re.sub("\\d+", multiply, "10 20 30 40 50")`
- `print(result)`

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- Subn. Usually `re.sub()` is sufficient. But another option exists. The `re.subn` method has an extra feature. It returns a tuple with a count of substitutions in the second element.

```
import re
def add(m):
    # Convert.
    v = int(m.group(0))
    # Add 2.
    return str(v + 1)
# Call re.subn.
result = re.subn("\d+", add, "1 2 3 4 5")
print("Result string:", result[0])
print("Number of substitutions:", result[1])
```

O/p

- Result string: 2 3 4 5 6
- Number of substitutions: 5