

Regex

Assignment 6

1. Write a Python program to check that a string contains only a certain set of characters (in this case a-z, A-Z and 0-9).

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[ ]: import re

pattern = "[A-Za-z0-9]*$"

# input
str1 = "Hello88"
str2 = "Assignment@6"
x=re.match(pattern,
str1) y=re.match(pattern,
str2)

print(x
)
print(y
)
```

```
<re.Match
object;
span=(0,
7),
match='
Hello88'
> None
```

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2. Write a Python program that matches a string that has an a followed by zero or more b's

```
import re
patterns = '^a(b*)$'
text="abbbb"
if re.search(patterns,
text): print('Found a
match!')
else:
print('Not matched!')
```

Found a match!

3. Replace only the first occurrence of 5 with five for the given string

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[ ]: ip = 'They ate 5 apples and 5 oranges'
text = ip.replace("5", "five", 1) print(text)
```

They ate five apples and 5 oranges

4. Write a Python program that matches a string that has an 'a' followed by three 'b's.

```
[2]: import re
pattern='ab{3}?'
txt="abbbb"
if re.search(pattern,txt):
    print('Found a match!')
else:
    print('Not matched!')
```

5. Write a Python program that matches a string that has an 'a' followed by anything ending in 'b'.

[5]:

```
import re
pattern = r'a.*b$'
txt="aytygusfergb"
if re.search(pattern,txt):
    print('Found a match!')
else:
    print('Not matched!')
```

Found a match!

6. Write a Python program to search for numbers (0-9) of length between 1 and 3 in a given string.

[8]:

```
txt="Exercises number 1, 12, 13, and 345 are in"
import re
re.findall(r'\d{1,3}', txt)
```

[8]: ['1', '12', '13', '345']

7. Write a Python program to search for literal strings within a string.
Sample text : 'The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.' Searched words : 'fox', 'dog', 'horse'

```
[9]: import re
text='The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.'
re.findall(r'\b\w+',text)
```

[9]: ['fox', 'dog']

8. Write a Python program to search for a literal string in a string and also find the location within the original string where the pattern occurs.

Sample text : 'The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.'
Searched words : 'fox'

```
[13]: import re
pattern = 'fox'
text = 'The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.'
match = re.search(pattern, text)
s = match.start()
print("the word begins at "+str(s))
```

9. Write a Python program to extract year, month and date from an URL

[24]:

```
url1 = "https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/football-odell-beckhams-fame-rests-on-one-stupid-little-ball/"

import re
re.findall(r'(\d{4})/(\d{1,2})/(\d{1,2})/', url1)
```

[24]: [('2016', '09', '02')]

10. Write a Python program to find URLs in a string.

```
[23]: text = '<p>Contents :</p><a href="https://w3resource.com">Python
Examples</a><a _
href="http://github.com">Even More Examples</a>'

import re
re.findall(r'https?://\w+[\w-]{1,3}', text)
```

[23]: ['https://w3resource.com', 'http://github.com']

11. Write a Python program to remove the parenthesis area in a string.

Sample data : ["example (.com)", "w3resource", "github (.com)", "stackoverflow (.com)"]

Expected Output:

```
example
w3resource
github
stackoverflow.
```

```
[32]: import re
data=["example (.com)", "w3resource", "github (.com)", "stackoverflow (.com)"]
for d in data:
    print(re.sub(r" ?\([^\)]+\)", "", d))
example
w3resource
github
stackoverflow
```

12. Write a Python program to concatenate the consecutive numbers in a given string.

Original string:

Enter at 1 20 Kearny Street. The security desk can direct you to floor 1 6. Please have your identification ready.

After concatenating the consecutive numbers in the said string:

Enter at 120 Kearny Street. The security desk can direct you to floor 16. Please have your identification ready.

[38]:

```
import re
s="Enter at 1 20 Kearny Street. The security desk can direct you to floor 1 6. Please have your identification ready."
result=re.sub(r"(?<=\d)\s(?=\d)", "", s)
print(result)
```

Enter at 120 Kearny Street. The security desk can direct you to floor 16. Please have your identification ready.