

# The package **piton**<sup>\*</sup>

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## Abstract

The package **piton** provides tools to typeset computer listings, with syntactic highlighting, by using the Lua library LPEG. It requires LuaLaTeX.

## 1 Presentation

The package **piton** uses the Lua library LPEG<sup>1</sup> for parsing informatic listings and typesets them with syntactic highlighting. Since it uses the Lua of LuaLaTeX, it works with **lualatex** only (and won't work with the other engines: **latex**, **pdflatex** and **xelatex**). It does not use external program and the compilation does not require **--shell-escape**. The compilation is very fast since all the parsing is done by the library LPEG, written in C.

Here is an example of code typeset by **piton**, with the environment **{Piton}**.

```
from math import pi

def arctan(x,n=10):
    """Compute the mathematical value of arctan(x)

    n is the number of terms in the sum
    """
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x) # recursive call
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)
    (we have used that arctan(x) + arctan(1/x) =  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  for  $x > 0$ )2
    else:
        s = 0
        for k in range(n):
            s += (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x***(2*k+1)
    return s
```

The main alternatives to the package **piton** are probably the packages **listings** and **minted**.

The name of this extension (**piton**) has been chosen arbitrarily by reference to the pitons used by the climbers in alpinism.

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<sup>\*</sup>This document corresponds to the version 4.5 of **piton**, at the date of 2025/05/14.

<sup>1</sup>LPEG is a pattern-matching library for Lua, written in C, based on *parsing expression grammars*: <http://www.inf.puc-rio.br/~roberto/lpeg/>

<sup>2</sup>This LaTeX escape has been done by beginning the comment by **#>**.

## 2 Installation

The package `piton` is contained in two files: `piton.sty` and `piton.lua` (the LaTeX file `piton.sty` loaded by `\usepackage` will load the Lua file `piton.lua`). Both files must be in a repertory where LaTeX will be able to find them, for instance in a `texmf` tree. However, the best is to install `piton` with a TeX distribution such as MiKTeX, TeX Live or MacTeX.

## 3 Use of the package

The package `piton` must be used with **LuaLaTeX exclusively**: if another LaTeX engine (`latex`, `pdflatex`, `xelatex`,...) is used, a fatal error will be raised.

### 3.1 Loading the package

The package `piton` should be loaded by: `\usepackage{piton}`.

The package `piton` uses and *loads* the package `xcolor`. It does not use any exterior program.

### 3.2 Choice of the computer language

The package `piton` supports two kinds of languages:

- the languages natively supported by `piton`, which are Python, OCaml, C (in fact C++), SQL and two special languages called `minimal` and `verbatim`;
- the languages defined by the final user by using the built-in command `\NewPitonLanguage` described p. 10 (the parsers of those languages can't be as precise as those of the languages supported natively by `piton`).

By default, the language used is Python.

It's possible to change the current language with the command `\PitonOptions` and its key `language: \PitonOptions{language = OCaml}`.

In fact, for `piton`, the names of the informatic languages are always **case-insensitive**. In this example, we might have written `Ocaml` or `ocaml`.

For the developers, let's say that the name of the current language is stored (in lower case) in the L3 public variable `\l_piton_language_str`.

In what follows, we will speak of Python, but the features described also apply to the other languages.

### 3.3 The tools provided to the user

The package `piton` provides several tools to typeset informatic codes: the command `\piton`, the environment `{Piton}` and the command `\PitonInputFile`.

- The command `\piton` should be used to typeset small pieces of code inside a paragraph. For example:

```
\piton{def square(x): return x*x}    def square(x): return x*x
```

The syntax and particularities of the command `\piton` are detailed below.

- The environment `{Piton}` should be used to typeset multi-lines code. Since it takes its argument in a verbatim mode, it can't be used within the argument of a LaTeX command. For sake of customization, it's possible to define new environments similar to the environment `{Piton}` with the command `\NewPitonEnvironment`: cf. 4.3 p. 9.
- The command `\PitonInputFile` is used to insert and typeset an external file: cf. 6.1 p. 11.

### 3.4 The double syntax of the command \piton

In fact, the command `\piton` is provided with a double syntax. It may be used as a standard command of LaTeX taking its argument between curly braces (`\piton{...}`) but it may also be used with a syntax similar to the syntax of the command `\verb`, that is to say with the argument delimited by two identical characters (e.g.: `\piton|...|` or `\piton+...+`).

- [Syntax `\piton{...}`](#)

When its argument is given between curly braces, the command `\piton` does not take its argument in verbatim mode. In particular:

- several consecutive spaces will be replaced by only one space (and also the character of end on line),  
*but the command `\_` is provided to force the insertion of a space;*
- it's not possible to use `%` inside the argument,  
*but the command `\%` is provided to insert a %;*
- the braces must be appear by pairs correctly nested  
*but the commands `\{` and `\}` are provided for individual braces;*
- the LaTeX commands<sup>3</sup> of the argument are fully expanded and not executed,  
*so, it's possible to use `\\"` to insert a backslash.*

The other characters (including `#`, `^`, `_`, `&`, `$` and `@`) must be inserted without backslash.

Examples :

<code>\piton{MyString = '\\n'}</code>	<code>MyString = '\n'</code>
<code>\piton{def even(n): return n%2==0}</code>	<code>def even(n): return n%2==0</code>
<code>\piton{c="#" # an affection }</code>	<code>c="#" # an affection</code>
<code>\piton{c="#" \\ \\ # an affection }</code>	<code>c="#" # an affection</code>
<code>\piton{MyDict = {'a': 3, 'b': 4 }}</code>	<code>MyDict = {'a': 3, 'b': 4 }</code>

It's possible to use the command `\piton` with that syntax in the arguments of a LaTeX command.<sup>4</sup>

However, since the argument is expanded (in the TeX sens), one should take care not using in its argument *fragile* commands (that is to say commands which are neither *protected* nor *fully expandable*).

- [Syntax `\piton|...|`](#)

When the argument of the command `\piton` is provided between two identical characters (all the characters are allowed except `%`, `\`, `#`, `{`, `}` and the space), that argument is taken in a *verbatim mode*. Therefore, with that syntax, the command `\piton` can't be used within the argument of another command.

Examples :

<code>\piton MyString = '\n' </code>	<code>MyString = '\n'</code>
<code>\piton!def even(n): return n%2==0!</code>	<code>def even(n): return n%2==0</code>
<code>\piton+c="#" # an affection +</code>	<code>c="#" # an affection</code>
<code>\piton?MyDict = {'a': 3, 'b': 4}?</code>	<code>MyDict = {'a': 3, 'b': 4}</code>

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<sup>3</sup>That concerns the commands beginning with a backslash but also the active characters (with catcode equal to 13).

<sup>4</sup>For example, it's possible to use the command `\piton` in a footnote. Example : `s = 123`.

## 4 Customization

### 4.1 The keys of the command \PitonOptions

The command `\PitonOptions` takes in as argument a comma-separated list of `key=value` pairs. The scope of the settings done by that command is the current TeX group.<sup>5</sup>

These keys may also be applied to an individual environment `{Piton}` (between square brackets).

- The key `language` specifies which computer language is considered (that key is case-insensitive). It's possible to use the name of the six built-in languages (`Python`, `OCaml`, `C`, `SQL`, `minimal` and `verbatim`) or the name of a language defined by the user with `\NewPitonLanguage` (cf. part 5, p. 10).

The initial value is `Python`.

- The key `font-command` contains instructions of font which will be inserted at the beginning of all the elements composed by `piton` (without surprise, these instructions are not used for the so-called “LaTeX comments”).

The initial value is `\ttfamily` and, thus, `piton` uses by default the current monospaced font.

- The key `gobble` takes in as value a positive integer  $n$ : the first  $n$  characters are discarded (before the process of highlighting of the code) for each line of the environment `{Piton}`. These characters are not necessarily spaces.

When the key `gobble` is used without value, it is equivalent to the key `auto-gobble`, that we describe now.

- When the key `auto-gobble` is in force, the extension `piton` computes the minimal value  $n$  of the number of consecutive spaces beginning each (non empty) line of the environment `{Piton}` and applies `gobble` with that value of  $n$ .

- When the key `env-gobble` is in force, `piton` analyzes the last line of the environment `{Piton}`, that is to say the line which contains `\end{Piton}` and determines whether that line contains only spaces followed by the `\end{Piton}`. If we are in that situation, `piton` computes the number  $n$  of spaces on that line and applies `gobble` with that value of  $n$ . The name of that key comes from *environment gobble*: the effect of gobble is set by the position of the commands `\begin{Piton}` and `\end{Piton}` which delimit the current environment.

- The key `write` takes in as argument a name of file (with its extension) and write the content<sup>6</sup> of the current environment in that file. At the first use of a file by `piton` (during a given compilation done by LaTeX), it is erased. In fact, the file is written once at the end of the compilation of the file by LuaTeX.

- The key `path-write` specifies a path where the files written by the key `write` will be written.

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The key `join` is similar to the key `write` but the files which are created are joined (as *joined files*) in the PDF. Be careful: Some PDF readers don't provide any tool to access to these joined files. Among the applications which provide an access to those joined files, we will mention the free application Foxit PDF Reader, which is available on all the platforms.

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The key `print` controls whether the content of the environment is actually printed (with the syntactic formating) in the PDF. Of course, the initial value of `print` is `true`. However, it may be useful to use `print=false` in some circumstances (for example, when the key `write` or the key `join` is used).

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<sup>5</sup>We remind that a LaTeX environment is, in particular, a TeX group.

<sup>6</sup>In fact, it's not exactly the body of the environment but the value of `piton.get_last_code()` which is the body without the overwritten LaTeX formatting instructions (cf. the part 7, p. 24).

- The key `line-numbers` activates the line numbering in the environments `{Piton}` and in the listings resulting from the use of `\PitonInputFile`.

In fact, the key `line-numbers` has several subkeys.

- With the key `line-numbers/skip-empty-lines`, the empty lines (which contains only spaces) are considered as non existent for the line numbering (if the key `/absolute`, described below, is in force, the key `/skip-empty-lines` is no-op in `\PitonInputFile`). The initial value of that key is `true` (and not `false`).<sup>7</sup>
- With the key `line-numbers/label-empty-lines`, the labels (that is to say the numbers) of the empty lines are displayed. If the key `/skip-empty-line` is in force, the clé `/label-empty-lines` is no-op. The initial value of that key is `true`.<sup>8</sup>
- With the key `line-numbers/absolute`, in the listings generated in `\PitonInputFile`, the numbers of the lines displayed are *absolute* (that is to say: they are the numbers of the lines in the file). That key may be useful when `\PitonInputFile` is used to insert only a part of the file (cf. part 6.1.2, p. 12). The key `/absolute` is no-op in the environments `{Piton}` and those created by `\NewPitonEnvironment`.
- The key `line-numbers/start` requires that the line numbering begins to the value of the key.
- With the key `line-numbers/resume`, the counter of lines is not set to zero at the beginning of each environment `{Piton}` or use of `\PitonInputFile` as it is otherwise. That allows a numbering of the lines across several environments.
- The key `line-numbers/sep` is the horizontal distance between the numbers of lines (inserted by `line-numbers`) and the beginning of the lines of code. The initial value is 0.7 em.
- The key `line-numbers/format` is a list of tokens which are inserted before the number of line in order to format it. It's possible to put, *at the end* of the list, a LaTeX command with one argument, such as, for example, `\fbox`.

The initial value is `\footnotesize\color{gray}`.

For convenience, a mechanism of factorisation of the prefix `line-numbers` is provided. That means that it is possible, for instance, to write:

```
\PitonOptions
{
    line-numbers =
    {
        skip-empty-lines = false ,
        label-empty-lines = false ,
        sep = 1 em ,
        format = \footnotesize \color{blue}
    }
}
```

- The key `left-margin` corresponds to a margin on the left. That key may be useful in conjunction with the key `line-numbers` if one does not want the numbers in an overlapping position on the left.

It's possible to use the key `left-margin` with the value `auto`. With that value, if the key `line-numbers` is in force, a margin will be automatically inserted to fit the numbers of lines. See an example part 8.1 on page 24.

- The key `background-color` sets the background color of the environments `{Piton}` and the listings produced by `\PitonInputFile` (it's possible to fix the width of that background with the key `width` described below).

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<sup>7</sup>For the language Python, the empty lines in the docstrings are taken into account (by design).

<sup>8</sup>When the key `split-on-empty-lines` is in force, the labels of the empty are never printed.

The key `background-color` supports also as value a *list* of colors. In this case, the successive rows are colored by using the colors of the list in a cyclic way.

*Example :* \PitonOptions{background-color = {gray!15,white}}

The key `background-color` accepts a color defined «on the fly». For example, it's possible to write `background-color = [cmyk]{0.1,0.05,0,0}`.

- With the key `prompt-background-color`, piton adds a color background to the lines beginning with the prompt “>>>” (and its continuation “...”) characteristic of the Python consoles with REPL (*read-eval-print loop*).
- The key `width` will fix the width of the listing. That width applies to the colored backgrounds specified by `background-color` and `prompt-background-color` but also for the automatic breaking of the lines (when required by `break-lines`: cf. 6.2.1, p. 13).

That key may take in as value a numeric value but also the special value `min`. With that value, the width will be computed from the maximal width of the lines of code. Caution: when colored backgrounds are used, the special value `min` requires two compilations with LuaLaTeX<sup>9</sup>.

For an example of use of `width=min`, see the section 8.2, p. 25.

- When the key `show-spaces-in-strings` is activated, the spaces in the strings of characters<sup>10</sup> are replaced by the character `\u2423` (U+2423 : OPEN BOX). Of course, that character U+2423 must be present in the monospaced font which is used.<sup>11</sup>

*Example :* `my_string = 'Very\u2423good\u2423answer'`

With the key `show-spaces`, all the spaces are replaced by U+2423 (and no line break can occur on those “visible spaces”, even when the key `break-lines`<sup>12</sup> is in force). By the way, one should remark that all the trailing spaces (at the end of a line) are deleted by piton — and, therefore, won't be represented by `\u2423`. Moreover, when the key `show-spaces` is in force, the tabulations at the beginning of the lines are represented by arrows.

```
\begin{Piton}[language=C,line-numbers,gobble,background-color = gray!15]
void bubbleSort(int arr[], int n) {
    int temp;
    int swapped;
    for (int i = 0; i < n-1; i++) {
        swapped = 0;
        for (int j = 0; j < n - i - 1; j++) {
            if (arr[j] > arr[j + 1]) {
                temp = arr[j];
                arr[j] = arr[j + 1];
                arr[j + 1] = temp;
                swapped = 1;
            }
        }
        if (!swapped) break;
    }
}
\end{Piton}

1 void bubbleSort(int arr[], int n) {
2     int temp;
3     int swapped;
4     for (int i = 0; i < n-1; i++) {
```

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<sup>9</sup>The maximal width is computed during the first compilation, written on the `aux` file and re-used during the second compilation. Several tools such as `latexm` (used by Overleaf) do automatically a sufficient number of compilations.

<sup>10</sup>With the language Python that feature applies only to the short strings (delimited by ' or ") and, in particular, it does not apply for the *doc strings*. In OCaml, that feature does not apply to the *quoted strings*.

<sup>11</sup>The initial value of `font-command` is `\ttfamily` and, thus, by default, piton merely uses the current monospaced font.

<sup>12</sup>cf. 6.2.1 p. 13

```

5     swapped = 0;
6     for (int j = 0; j < n - i - 1; j++) {
7         if (arr[j] > arr[j + 1]) {
8             temp = arr[j];
9             arr[j] = arr[j + 1];
10            arr[j + 1] = temp;
11            swapped = 1;
12        }
13    }
14    if (!swapped) break;
15 }
16 }
```

The command `\PitonOptions` provides in fact several other keys which will be described further (see in particular the “Pages breaks and line breaks” p. 13).

## 4.2 The styles

### 4.2.1 Notion of style

The package `piton` provides the command `\SetPitonStyle` to customize the different styles used to format the syntactic elements of the informatic listings. The customizations done by that command are limited to the current TeX group.<sup>13</sup>

The command `\SetPitonStyle` takes in as argument a comma-separated list of `key=value` pairs. The keys are names of styles and the value are LaTeX formatting instructions.

These LaTeX instructions must be formatting instructions such as `\color{...}`, `\bfseries`, `\slshape`, etc. (the commands of this kind are sometimes called *semi-global* commands). It's also possible to put, *at the end of the list of instructions*, a LaTeX command taking exactly one argument.

Here an example which changes the style used to highlight, in the definition of a Python function, the name of the function which is defined. That code uses the command `\highLight` of `lua-ul` (that package requires also the package `luacolor`).

```
\SetPitonStyle{ Name.Function = \bfseries \highLight[red!30] }
```

In that example, `\highLight[red!30]` must be considered as the name of a LaTeX command which takes in exactly one argument, since, usually, it is used with `\highLight[red!30]{...}`.

With that setting, we will have : `def cube(x) : return x * x * x`

The different styles, and their use by `piton` in the different languages which it supports (Python, OCaml, C, SQL, “minimal” and “verbatim”), are described in the part 9, starting at the page 30.

The command `\PitonStyle` takes in as argument the name of a style and allows to retrieve the value (as a list of LaTeX instructions) of that style. That command is *fully expandable* (in the TeX sens).

For example, it's possible to write `{\PitonStyle{Keyword}{function}}` and we will have the word `function` formatted as a keyword.

The syntax `{\PitonStyle{style}{...}}` is mandatory in order to be able to deal both with the semi-global commands and the commands with arguments which may be present in the definition of the style `style`.

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<sup>13</sup>We remind that a LaTeX environment is, in particular, a TeX group.

#### 4.2.2 Global styles and local styles

A style may be defined globally with the command `\SetPitonStyle`. That means that it will apply to all the informatic languages that use that style.

For example, with the command

```
\SetPitonStyle{Comment = \color{gray}}
```

all the comments will be composed in gray in all the listings, whatever informatic language they use (Python, C, OCaml, etc. or a language defined by the command `\NewPitonLanguage`).

But it's also possible to define a style locally for a given informatic language by providing the name of that language as optional argument (between square brackets) to the command `\SetPitonStyle`.<sup>14</sup>

For example, with the command

```
\SetPitonStyle[SQL]{Keyword = \color[HTML]{006699} \bfseries \MakeUppercase}
```

the keywords in the SQL listings will be composed in capital letters, even if they appear in lower case in the LaTeX source (we recall that, in SQL, the keywords are case-insensitive).

As expected, if an informatic language uses a given style and if that style has no local definition for that language, the global version is used. That notion of “global style” has no link with the notion of global definition in TeX (the notion of *group* in TeX).<sup>15</sup>

The package `piton` itself (that is to say the file `piton.sty`) defines all the styles globally.

#### 4.2.3 The style `UserFunction`

The extension `piton` provides a special style called `UserFunction`. That style applies to the names of the functions previously defined by the user (for example, in Python, these names are those following the keyword `def` in a previous Python listing). The initial value of that style `\PitonStyle{Identifier}` and, therefore, the names of the functions are formatted like the other identifiers (that is to say, by default, with no special formatting except the features provided in `font-command`). However, it's possible to change the value of that style, as any other style, with the command `\SetPitonStyle`.

In the following example, we tune the styles `Name.Function` and `UserFunction` so as to have clickable names of functions linked to the (informatic) definition of the function.

```
\NewDocumentCommand{\MyDefFunction}{m}
  {\hypertarget{piton:#1}{\color[HTML]{CC00FF}{#1}}}
\NewDocumentCommand{\MyUserFunction}{m}{\hyperlink{piton:#1}{#1}}

\SetPitonStyle{Name.Function = \MyDefFunction, UserFunction = \MyUserFunction}

def transpose(v,i,j):
    x = v[i]
    v[i] = v[j]
    v[j] = x

def passe(v):
    for i in range(0,len(v)-1):
        if v[i] > v[i+1]:
            transpose(v,i,i+1)
```

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<sup>14</sup>We recall, that, in the package `piton`, the names of the informatic languages are case-insensitive.

<sup>15</sup>As regards the TeX groups, the definitions done by `\SetPitonStyle` are always local.

(Some PDF viewers display a frame around the clickable word `transpose` but other do not.)

Of course, the list of the names of Python functions previously defined is kept in the memory of LuaTeX (in a global way, that is to say independently of the TeX groups). The extension `piton` provides a command to clear that list : it's the command `\PitonClearUserFunctions`. When it is used without argument, that command is applied to all the informatic languages used by the user but it's also possible to use it with an optional argument (between square brackets) which is a list of informatic languages to which the command will be applied.<sup>16</sup>

### 4.3 Creation of new environments

Since the environment `{Piton}` has to catch its body in a special way (more or less as verbatim text), it's not possible to construct new environments directly over the environment `{Piton}` with the classical commands `\newenvironment` (of standard LaTeX) or `\NewDocumentEnvironment` (of LaTeX3).

With a LaTeX kernel newer than 2025-06-01, it's possible to use `\NewEnvironmentCopy` on the environment `{Piton}` but it's not very powerful.

That's why `piton` provides a command `\NewPitonEnvironment`. That command takes in three mandatory arguments.

That command has the same syntax as the classical environment `\NewDocumentEnvironment`.<sup>17</sup>

#### New 4.5

The version 4.5 provides the commands `\RenewPitonEnvironment`, `\DeclarePitonEnvironment` and `\ProvidePitonEnvironment` (similar to the corresponding commands of L3).

With the following instruction, a new environment `{Python}` will be constructed with the same behaviour as `{Piton}`:

```
\NewPitonEnvironment{Python}{\PitonOptions{#1}}{}
```

If one wishes to format Python code in a box of `tcolorbox`, it's possible to define an environment `{Python}` with the following code (of course, the package `tcolorbox` must be loaded).

```
\NewPitonEnvironment{Python}{}
{\begin{tcolorbox}}
{\end{tcolorbox}}
```

With this new environment `{Python}`, it's possible to write:

```
\begin{Python}
def square(x):
    """Compute the square of x"""
    return x*x
\end{Python}
```

```
def square(x):
    """Compute the square of x"""
    return x*x
```

See other examples of utilisation with `tcolorbox` at the page [27](#).

<sup>16</sup>We remind that, in `piton`, the name of the informatic languages are case-insensitive.

<sup>17</sup>However, the specifier of argument `b` (used to catch the body of the environment as a LaTeX argument) is not allowed (of course)

## 5 Definition of new languages with the syntax of listings

The package `listings` is a famous LaTeX package to format informatic listings.

That package provides a command `\lstdefinelanguage` which allows the user to define new languages. That command is also used by `listings` itself to provide the definition of the predefined languages in `listings` (in fact, for this task, `listings` uses a command called `\lst@definelanguage` but that command has the same syntax as `\lstdefinelanguage`).

The package `piton` provides a command `\NewPitonLanguage` to define new languages (available in `\piton`, `{Piton}`, etc.) with a syntax which is almost the same as the syntax of `\lstdefinelanguage`. Let's precise that `piton` does *not* use that command to define the languages provided natively (Python, OCaml, C, SQL, `minimal` and `verbatim`), which allows more powerful parsers.

For example, in the file `lstlang1.sty`, which is one of the definition files of `listings`, we find the following instructions (in version 1.10a).

```
\lstdefinelanguage{Java}%
{morekeywords={abstract,boolean,break,byte,case,catch,char,class,%
  const,continue,default,do,double,else,extends,false,final,%
  finally,float,for,goto,if,implements,import,instanceof,int,%
  interface,label,long,native,new,null,package,private,protected,%
  public,return,short,static,super,switch,synchronized,this,throw,%
  throws,transient,true,try,void,volatile,while},%
sensitive,%
morecomment=[1]//,%
morecomment=[s]{/*}{*/},%
morestring=[b]",%
morestring=[b]',%
}[keywords,comments,strings]
```

In order to define a language called Java for `piton`, one has only to write the following code **where the last argument of `\lst@definelanguage`, between square brackets, has been discarded** (in fact, the symbols `%` may be deleted without any problem).

```
\NewPitonLanguage{Java}%
{morekeywords={abstract,boolean,break,byte,case,catch,char,class,%
  const,continue,default,do,double,else,extends,false,final,%
  finally,float,for,goto,if,implements,import,instanceof,int,%
  interface,label,long,native,new,null,package,private,protected,%
  public,return,short,static,super,switch,synchronized,this,throw,%
  throws,transient,true,try,void,volatile,while},%
sensitive,%
morecomment=[1]//,%
morecomment=[s]{/*}{*/},%
morestring=[b]",%
morestring=[b]',%
} }
```

It's possible to use the language Java like any other language defined by `piton`.

Here is an example of code formatted in an environment `{Piton}` with the key `language=Java`.<sup>18</sup>

```
public class Cipher { // Caesar cipher
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        String str = "The quick brown fox Jumped over the lazy Dog";
        System.out.println( Cipher.encode( str, 12 ) );
        System.out.println( Cipher.decode( Cipher.encode( str, 12 ), 12 ) );
    }
}
```

---

<sup>18</sup>We recall that, for `piton`, the names of the informatic languages are case-insensitive. Hence, it's possible to write, for instance, `language=java`.

```

public static String decode(String enc, int offset) {
    return encode(enc, 26-offset);
}

public static String encode(String enc, int offset) {
    offset = offset % 26 + 26;
    StringBuilder encoded = new StringBuilder();
    for (char i : enc.toCharArray()) {
        if (Character.isLetter(i)) {
            if (Character.isUpperCase(i)) {
                encoded.append((char) ('A' + (i - 'A' + offset) % 26));
            } else {
                encoded.append((char) ('a' + (i - 'a' + offset) % 26));
            }
        } else {
            encoded.append(i);
        }
    }
    return encoded.toString();
}

```

The keys of the command `\lstdefinelanguage` of `listings` supported by `\NewPitonLanguage` are: `morekeywords`, `otherkeywords`, `sensitive`, `keywordsprefix`, `moretexcs`, `morestring` (with the letters `b`, `d`, `s` and `m`), `morecomment` (with the letters `i`, `l`, `s` and `n`), `moredelim` (with the letters `i`, `l`, `s`, `*` and `**`), `moredirectives`, `tag`, `alsodigit`, `alsoletter` and `alsoother`.

For the description of those keys, we redirect the reader to the documentation of the package `listings` (type `texdoc listings` in a terminal).

For example, here is a language called “`LaTeX`” to format `LaTeX` chunks of codes:

```
\NewPitonLanguage{LaTeX}{keywordsprefix = \ , alsoletter = _ }
```

Initially, the characters `@` and `_` are considered as letters because, in many informatic languages, they are allowed in the keywords and the names of the identifiers. With `alsoletter = @_`, we retrieve them from the category of the letters.

## 6 Advanced features

### 6.1 Insertion of a file

#### 6.1.1 The command `\PitonInputFile`

The command `\PitonInputFile` includes the content of the file specified in argument (or only a part of that file: see below). The extension `piton` also provides the commands `\PitonInputFileT`, `\PitonInputFileF` and `\PitonInputFileTF` with supplementary arguments corresponding to the letters `T` and `F`. Those arguments will be executed if the file to include has been found (letter `T`) or not found (letter `F`).

The syntax for the pathes (absolute or relative) is the following one:

- The paths beginning by `/` are absolute.

*Example :* `\PitonInputFile{/Users/joe/Documents/program.py}`

- The paths which do not begin with `/` are relative to the current repertory.

*Example :* `\PitonInputFile{my_listings/program.py}`

The key `path` of the command `\PitonOptions` specifies a *list* of paths where the files included by `\PitonInputFile` will be searched. That list is comma separated.

As previously, the absolute paths must begin with `/`.

### 6.1.2 Insertion of a part of a file

The command `\PitonInputFile` inserts (with formatting) the content of a file. In fact, it's possible to insert only *a part* of that file. Two mechanisms are provided in this aim.

- It's possible to specify the part that we want to insert by the numbers of the lines (in the original file).
- It's also possible to specify the part to insert with textual markers.

In both cases, if we want to number the lines with the numbers of the lines in the file, we have to use the key `line-numbers/absolute`.

#### With line numbers

The command `\PitonInputFile` supports the keys `first-line` and `last-line` in order to insert only the part of file between the corresponding lines. Not to be confused with the key `line-numbers/start` which fixes the first line number for the line numbering. In a sens, `line-numbers/start` deals with the output whereas `first-line` and `last-line` deal with the input.

#### With textual markers

In order to use that feature, we first have to specify the format of the markers (for the beginning and the end of the part to include) with the keys `marker-beginning` and `marker-end` (usually with the command `\PitonOptions`).

Let us take a practical example.

We assume that the file to include contains solutions to exercises of programmation on the following model.

```
#[Exercise 1] Iterative version
def fibo(n):
    if n==0: return 0
    else:
        u=0
        v=1
        for i in range(n-1):
            w = u+v
            u = v
            v = w
        return v
#<Exercise 1>
```

The markers of the beginning and the end are the strings `#[Exercise 1]` and `#<Exercise 1>`. The string “Exercise 1” will be called the *label* of the exercise (or of the part of the file to be included). In order to specify such markers in piton, we will use the keys `marker/beginning` and `marker/end` with the following instruction (the character `#` of the comments of Python must be inserted with the protected form `\#`).

```
\PitonOptions{ marker/beginning = \#[#1] , marker/end = \#<#1> }
```

As one can see, `marker/beginning` is an expression corresponding to the mathematical function which transforms the label (here `Exercise 1`) into the the beginning marker (in the example `# [Exercise 1]`). The string `#1` corresponds to the occurrences of the argument of that function, which the classical syntax in TeX. Idem for `marker/end`.<sup>19</sup>

Now, you only have to use the key `range` of `\PitonInputFile` to insert a marked content of the file.

```
\PitonInputFile[range = Exercise 1]{file_name}
```

---

<sup>19</sup>In regard to LaTeX, both functions must be *fully expandable*.

```

def fibo(n):
    if n==0: return 0
    else:
        u=0
        v=1
        for i in range(n-1):
            w = u+v
            u = v
            v = w
    return v

```

The key `marker/include-lines` requires the insertion of the lines containing the markers.

```

\PitonInputFile[marker/include-lines,range = Exercise 1]{file_name}

#[Exercise 1] Iterative version
def fibo(n):
    if n==0: return 0
    else:
        u=0
        v=1
        for i in range(n-1):
            w = u+v
            u = v
            v = w
    return v
#<Exercise 1>

```

In fact, there exist also the keys `begin-range` and `end-range` to insert several marked contents at the same time.

For example, in order to insert the solutions of the exercises 3 to 5, we will write (if the file has the correct structure!):

```
\PitonInputFile[begin-range = Exercise 3, end-range = Exercise 5]{file_name}
```

## 6.2 Page breaks and line breaks

### 6.2.1 Line breaks

By default, the elements produced by `piton` can't be broken by an end on line. However, there are keys to allow such breaks (the possible breaking points are the spaces, even the spaces which appear in the strings of the informatic languages).

- With the key `break-lines-in-piton`, the line breaks are allowed in the command `\piton{...}` (but not in the command `\piton|...|`, that is to say the command `\piton` in verbatim mode).
- With the key `break-lines-in-Piton`, the line breaks are allowed in the environment `{Piton}` (hence the capital letter P in the name) and in the listings produced by `\PitonInputFile`.
- The key `break-lines` is a conjunction of the two previous keys.

The package `piton` provides also several keys to control the appearance on the line breaks allowed by `break-lines-in-Piton`.

- With the key `indent-broken-lines`, the indentation of a broken line is respected at carriage return (on the condition that the used font is a monospaced font and this is the case by default since the initial value of `font-command` is `\ttfamily`).

- The key `end-of-broken-line` corresponds to the symbol placed at the end of a broken line. The initial value is: `\hspace*{0.5em}\textbackslash`.
- The key `continuation-symbol` corresponds to the symbol placed at each carriage return. The initial value is: `+\\;` (the command `\\;` inserts a small horizontal space).
- The key `continuation-symbol-on-indentation` corresponds to the symbol placed at each carriage return, on the position of the indentation (only when the key `indent-broken-line` is in force). The initial value is: `$\\hookrightarrow; $`.

The following code has been composed with the following tuning:

```
\PitonOptions{width=12cm,break-lines,indent-broken-lines,background-color=gray!15}

def dict_of_list(l):
    """Converts a list of subrs and descriptions of glyphs in \
+     ↪ a dictionary"""
    our_dict = {}
    for list_letter in l:
        if (list_letter[0][0:3] == 'dup'): # if it's a subr
            name = list_letter[0][4:-3]
            print("We treat the subr of number " + name)
        else:
            name = list_letter[0][1:-3] # if it's a glyph
            print("We treat the glyph of number " + name)
        our_dict[name] = [treat_Postscript_line(k) for k in \
+         ↪ list_letter[1:-1]]
    return dict
```

With the key `break-strings-anywhere`, the strings may be broken anywhere (and not only on the spaces).

With the key `break-numbers-anywhere`, the numbers may be broken anywhere.

### 6.2.2 Page breaks

By default, the listings produced by the environment `{Piton}` and the command `\PitonInputFile` are not breakable.

However, `piton` provides the keys `splittable-on-empty-lines` and `splittable` to allow such breaks.

- The key `splittable-on-empty-lines` allows breaks on the empty lines. The “empty lines” are in fact the lines which contains only spaces.
- Of course, the key `splittable-on-empty-lines` may not be sufficient and that’s why `piton` provides the key `splittable`.

When the key `splittable` is used with the numeric value  $n$  (which must be a positive integer) the listing, or each part of the listing delimited by empty lines (when `split-on-empty-lines` is in force) may be broken anywhere with the restriction that no break will occur within the  $n$  first lines of the listing or within the  $n$  last lines.<sup>20</sup>

For example, a tuning with `splittable = 4` may be a good choice.

When used without value, the key `splittable` is equivalent to `splittable = 1` and the listings may be broken anywhere (it’s probably not recommandable).

The initial value of the key `splittable` is equal to 100 (by default, the listings are not breakable at all).

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<sup>20</sup>Remark that we speak of the lines of the original informatic listing and such line may be composed on several lines in the final PDF when the key `break-lines-in-Piton` is in force.

Even with a background color (set by the key `background-color`), the pages breaks are allowed, as soon as the key `split-on-empty-lines` or the key `splittable` is in force.<sup>21</sup>

### 6.3 Splitting of a listing in sub-listings

The extension `piton` provides the key `split-on-empty-lines`, which should not be confused with the key `splittable-on-empty-lines` previously defined.

In order to understand the behaviour of the key `split-on-empty-lines`, one should imagine that he has to compose an informatic listing which contains several definitions of informatic functions. Usually, in the informatic languages, those definitions of functions are separated by empty lines.

The key `split-on-empty-lines` splits the listings on the empty lines. Several empty lines are deleted and replaced by the content of the parameter corresponding to the key `split-separation`.

- That parameter must contain elements allowed to be inserted in *vertical mode* of TeX. For example, it's possible to put the TeX primitive `\hrule`.
- The initial value of this parameter is `\vspace{\baselineskip}\vspace{-1.25pt}` which corresponds eventually to an empty line in the final PDF (this vertical space is deleted if it occurs on a page break). If the key `background-color` is in force, no background color is added to that empty line.

Each chunk of the informatic listing is composed in an environment whose name is given by the key `env-used-by-split`. The initial value of that parameter is, not surprisingly, `Piton` and, hence, the different chunks are composed in several environments `{Piton}`. If one decides to change the value of `env-used-by-split`, he should use the name of an environment created by `\NewPitonEnvironment` (cf. part 4.3, p. 9).

Each chunk of the informatic listing is formated in its own environment. Therefore, it has its own line numbering (if the key `line-numbers` is in force) and its own colored background (when the key `background-color` is in force), separated from the background color of the other chunks. When used, the key `splittable` applies in each chunk (independently of the other chunks). Of course, a page break may occur between the chunks of code, regardless of the value of `splittable`.

```
\begin{Piton}[split-on-empty-lines, background-color=gray!15, line-numbers]
```

```
def square(x):
    """Computes the square of x"""
    return x*x

def cube(x):
    """Calcule the cube of x"""
    return x*x*x
\end{Piton}
```

```
1 def square(x):
2     """Computes the square of x"""
3     return x*x
```

```
1 def cube(x):
2     """Calcule the cube of x"""
3     return x*x*x
```

**Caution:** Since each chunk is treated independently of the others, the commands specified by `detected-commands` or `raw-detected-commands` (cf. p. 18) and the commands and environments of Beamer automatically detected by `piton` must not cross the empty lines of the original listing.

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<sup>21</sup>With the key `splittable`, the environments `{Piton}` are breakable, even within a (breakable) environment of `tcolorbox`. Remind that an environment of `tcolorbox` included in another environment of `tcolorbox` is *not* breakable, even when both environments use the key `breakable` of `tcolorbox`.

## 6.4 Highlighting some identifiers

The command `\SetPitonIdentifier` allows to automatically change the formatting of some identifiers. That change is only based on the name of those identifiers.

That command takes in three arguments:

- The optional argument (within square brackets) specifies the informatic language. If this argument is not present, the tunings done by `\SetPitonIdentifier` will apply to all the informatic languages of `piton`.<sup>22</sup>
- The first mandatory argument is a comma-separated list of names of identifiers.
- The second mandatory argument is a list of LaTeX instructions of the same type as `piton` “styles” previously presented (cf. 4.2 p. 7).

*Caution:* Only the identifiers may be concerned by that key. The keywords and the built-in functions won’t be affected, even if their name appear in the first argument of the command `\SetPitonIdentifier`.

```
\SetPitonIdentifier{l1,l2}{\color{red}}
\begin{Piton}
def tri(l):
    """Segmentation sort"""
    if len(l) <= 1:
        return l
    else:
        a = l[0]
        l1 = [ x for x in l[1:] if x < a ]
        l2 = [ x for x in l[1:] if x >= a ]
        return tri(l1) + [a] + tri(l2)
\end{Piton}

def tri(l):
    """Segmentation sort"""
    if len(l) <= 1:
        return l
    else:
        a = l[0]
        l1 = [ x for x in l[1:] if x < a ]
        l2 = [ x for x in l[1:] if x >= a ]
        return tri(l1) + [a] + tri(l2)
```

By using the command `\SetPitonIdentifier`, it’s possible to add other built-in functions (or other new keywords, etc.) that will be detected by `piton`.

```
\SetPitonIdentifier[Python]
{cos, sin, tan, floor, ceil, trunc, pow, exp, ln, factorial}
{\PitonStyle{Name.Builtin}}


\begin{Piton}
from math import *
cos(pi/2)
factorial(5)
ceil(-2.3)
floor(5.4)
\end{Piton}
```

---

<sup>22</sup>We recall, that, in the package `piton`, the names of the informatic languages are case-insensitive.

```

from math import *
cos(pi/2)
factorial(5)
ceil(-2.3)
floor(5.4)

```

## 6.5 Mechanisms to escape to LaTeX

The package `piton` provides several mechanisms for escaping to LaTeX:

- It's possible to compose comments entirely in LaTeX.
- It's possible to have the elements between \$ in the comments composed in LaTeX mathematical mode.
- It's possible to ask `piton` to detect automatically some LaTeX commands, thanks to the keys `detected-commands` and `raw-detected-commands`.
- It's also possible to insert LaTeX code almost everywhere in a Python listing.

One should also remark that, when the extension `piton` is used with the class `beamer`, `piton` detects in `{Piton}` many commands and environments of Beamer: cf. 6.6 p. 20.

### 6.5.1 The “LaTeX comments”

In this document, we call “LaTeX comments” the comments which begins by `#>`. The code following those characters, until the end of the line, will be composed as standard LaTeX code. There is two tools to customize those comments.

- It's possible to change the syntactic mark (which, by default, is `#>`). For this purpose, there is a key `comment-latex` available only in the preamble of the document, allows to choice the characters which, preceded by `#`, will be the syntactic marker.

For example, if the preamble contains the following instruction:

```
\PitonOptions{comment-latex = LaTeX}
```

the LaTeX comments will begin by `#LaTeX`.

If the key `comment-latex` is used with the empty value, all the Python comments (which begins by `#`) will, in fact, be “LaTeX comments”.

- It's possible to change the formatting of the LaTeX comment itself by changing the `piton` style `Comment.LaTeX`.

For example, with `\SetPitonStyle{Comment.LaTeX = \normalfont\color{blue}}`, the LaTeX comments will be composed in blue.

If you want to have a character `#` at the beginning of the LaTeX comment in the PDF, you can use set `Comment.LaTeX` as follows:

```
\SetPitonStyle{Comment.LaTeX = \color{gray}\#\normalfont\space }
```

For other examples of customization of the LaTeX comments, see the part 8.2 p. 25

If the user has required line numbers (with the key `line-numbers`), it's possible to refer to a number of line with the command `\label` used in a LaTeX comment.<sup>23</sup>

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<sup>23</sup>That feature is implemented by using a redefinition of the standard command `\label` in the environments `{Piton}`. Therefore, incompatibilities may occur with extensions which redefine (globally) that command `\label` (for example: `variorref`, `refcheck`, `showlabels`, etc.)

### 6.5.2 The key “math-comments”

It's possible to request that, in the standard Python comments (that is to say those beginning by `#` and not `#>`), the elements between `$` be composed in LaTeX mathematical mode (the other elements of the comment being composed verbatim).

That feature is activated by the key `math-comments`, which is available only in the preamble of the document.

Here is an example, where we have assumed that the preamble of the document contains the instruction `\PitonOptions{math-comment}`:

```
\begin{Piton}
def square(x):
    return x*x # compute $x^2$
\end{Piton}

def square(x):
    return x*x # compute  $x^2$ 
```

### 6.5.3 The keys “detected-commands” and “raw-detected-commands”

The key `detected-commands` of `\PitonOptions` allows to specify a (comma-separated) list of names of LaTeX commands that will be detected directly by `piton`.

- The key `detected-commands` must be used in the preamble of the LaTeX document.
- The names of the LaTeX commands must appear without the leading backslash (eg. `detected-commands = { emph, textbf }`).
- These commands must be LaTeX commands with only one (mandatory) argument between braces (and these braces must appear explicitly in the informative listing).
- These commands must be **protected**<sup>24</sup> against expansion in the TeX sens (because the command `\piton` expands its arguments before throwing it to Lua for syntactic analysis).

In the following example, which is a recursive programming of the factorial function, we decide to highlight the recursive call. The command `\highLight` of `lua-ul`<sup>25 directly does the job with the easy syntax `\highLight{...}`.</sup>

We assume that the preamble of the LaTeX document contains the following line:

```
\PitonOptions{detected-commands = highLight}
```

Then, it's possible to write directly:

```
\begin{Piton}
def fact(n):
    if n==0:
        return 1
    else:
        \highLight{return n*fact(n-1)}
\end{Piton}

def fact(n):
    if n==0:
        return 1
    else:
        return n*fact(n-1)
```

<sup>24</sup>We recall that the command `\NewDocumentCommand` creates protected commands, unlike the historical LaTeX command `\newcommand` (and unlike the command `\def` of TeX).

<sup>25</sup>The package `lua-ul` requires itself the package `luacolor`.

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The key `raw-detected-commands` is similar to the key `detected-commands` but piton won't do any syntactic analysis of the arguments of the LaTeX commands which are detected.

If there is a line break within the argument of a command detected by the mean of `raw-detected-commands`, that line break is replaced by a space (as does LaTeX by default).

Imagine, for example, that we wisth, in the main text of a document, introduce some specifications of tables of the language SQL by the the name of the table, followed, between brackets, by the names of its fields (ex. : `client(name,town)`).

If we insert that element in a command `\piton`, the word *client* won't be recognized as a name of table but as a name of field. It's possible to define a personal command `\NomTable` which we will apply by hand to the names of the tables. In that aim, we declare that command with `raw-detected-commands` and, thus, its argument won't be re-analyzed by `piton` (that second analysis would format it as a name of field).

In the preamble of the LaTeX document, we insert the following lines:

```
\NewDocumentCommand{\NomTable}{m}{{\PitonStyle{Name.Table}{#1}}}
\PitonOptions{language=SQL, raw-detected-commands = NomTable}
```

In the main, the instruction:

```
Exemple : \piton{\NomTable{client} (name, town)}
```

produces the following output :

```
Exemple : \NomTable {client} (nom, prénom)
```

#### 6.5.4 The mechanism “escape”

It's also possible to overwrite the informatic listings to insert LaTeX code almost everywhere (but between lexical units, of course). By default, `piton` does not fix any delimiters for that kind of escape. In order to use this mechanism, it's necessary to specify the delimiters which will delimit the escape (one for the beginning and one for the end) by using the keys `begin-escape` and `end-escape`, *available only in the preamble of the document*.

We consider once again the previous example of a recursive programmation of the factorial. We want to highlight in pink the instruction containing the recursive call. With the package `lua-ul`, we can use the syntax `\highLight[LightPink]{...}`. Because of the optional argument between square brackets, it's not possible to use the key `detected-commands` but it's possible to achieve our goal with the more general mechanism “escape”.

We assume that the preamble of the document contains the following instruction:

```
\PitonOptions{begin-escape=!,end-escape=!}
```

Then, it's possible to write:

```
\begin{Piton}
def fact(n):
    if n==0:
        return 1
    else:
        !\highLight[LightPink]{!return n*fact(n-1)!}!
\end{Piton}

def fact(n):
    if n==0:
        return 1
    else:
        return n*fact(n-1)
```

*Caution* : The mechanism “escape” is not active in the strings nor in the Python comments (however, it's possible to have a whole Python comment composed in LaTeX by beginning it with `#>`; such comments are merely called “LaTeX comments” in this document).

### 6.5.5 The mechanism “escape-math”

The mechanism “escape-math” is very similar to the mechanism “escape” since the only difference is that the elements sent to LaTeX are composed in the math mode of LaTeX.

This mechanism is activated with the keys `begin-escape-math` and `end-escape-math` (*which are available only in the preamble of the document*).

Despite the technical similarity, the use of the the mechanism “escape-math” is in fact rather different from that of the mechanism “escape”. Indeed, since the elements are composed in a mathematical mode of LaTeX, they are, in particular, composed within a TeX group and, therefore, they can’t be used to change the formatting of other lexical units.

In the languages where the character \$ does not play a important role, it’s possible to activate that mechanism “escape-math” with the character \$:

```
\PitonOptions{begin-escape-math=$,end-escape-math=$}
```

Note: the character \$ must *not* be protected by a backslash.

However, it’s probably more prudent to use \(` et \)`), which are delimiters of the mathematical mode provided by LaTeX.

```
\PitonOptions{begin-escape-math=\(,end-escape-math=\)}
```

Here is an example of utilisation.

```
\begin{Piton}[line-numbers]
def arctan(x,n=10):
    if \(x < 0\) :
        return \(-\arctan(-x)\)
    elif \(x > 1\) :
        return \(\\pi/2 - \arctan(1/x)\)
    else:
        s = \(0\)
        for \(k\) in range(\(n\)): s += \\smash{\\frac{(-1)^k}{2k+1} x^{2k+1}}
    return s
\end{Piton}

1 def arctan(x,n=10):
2     if x < 0 :
3         return - arctan(-x)
4     elif x > 1 :
5         return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)
6     else:
7         s = 0
8         for k in range(n): s += (-1)^k / (2k+1) * x^(2k+1)
9         return s
```

## 6.6 Behaviour in the class Beamer

*First remark*

Since the environment `{Piton}` catches its body with a verbatim mode, it’s necessary to use the environments `{Piton}` within environments `{frame}` of Beamer protected by the key `fragile`, i.e. beginning with `\begin{frame}[fragile]`.<sup>26</sup>

When the package `piton` is used within the class `beamer`<sup>27</sup>, the behaviour of `piton` is slightly modified, as described now.

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<sup>26</sup>Remind that for an environment `{frame}` of Beamer using the key `fragile`, the instruction `\end{frame}` must be alone on a single line (except for any leading whitespace).

<sup>27</sup>The extension `piton` detects the class `beamer` and the package `beamerarticle` if it is loaded previously but, if needed, it’s also possible to activate that mechanism with the key `beamer` provided by `piton` at load-time: `\usepackage[beamer]{piton}`

### 6.6.1 {Piton} et \PitonInputFile are “overlay-aware”

When `piton` is used in the class `beamer`, the environment `{Piton}` and the command `\PitonInputFile` accept the optional argument `<...>` of Beamer for the overlays which are involved.

For example, it's possible to write:

```
\begin{Piton}<2-5>
...
\end{Piton}
```

and

```
\PitonInputFile<2-5>{my_file.py}
```

### 6.6.2 Commands of Beamer allowed in {Piton} and \PitonInputFile

When `piton` is used in the class `beamer`, the following commands of `beamer` (classified upon their number of arguments) are automatically detected in the environments `{Piton}` (and in the listings processed by `\PitonInputFile`):

- no mandatory argument : `\pause28` ;
- one mandatory argument : `\action`, `\alert`, `\invisible`, `\only`, `\uncover` and `\visible` ; It's possible to add new commands to that list with the key `detected-beamer-commands` (the names of the commands must *not* be preceded by a backslash).
- two mandatory arguments : `\alt` ;
- three mandatory arguments : `\temporal`.

These commands must be used preceded and following by a space. In the mandatory arguments of these commands, the braces must be balanced. However, the braces included in short strings<sup>29</sup> of Python are not considered.

Regarding the functions `\alt` and `\temporal` there should be no carriage returns in the mandatory arguments of these functions.

Here is a complete example of file:

```
\documentclass{beamer}
\usepackage{piton}
\begin{document}
\begin{frame}[fragile]
\begin{Piton}
def string_of_list(l):
    """Convert a list of numbers in string"""
    \only<2->{s = "{" + str(l[0])}
    \only<3->{for x in l[1:]: s = s + "," + str(x)}
    \only<4->{s = s + "}"}
    return s
\end{Piton}
\end{frame}
\end{document}
```

In the previous example, the braces in the Python strings `"{"` and `"}"` are correctly interpreted (without any escape character).

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<sup>28</sup>One should remark that it's also possible to use the command `\pause` in a “LaTeX comment”, that is to say by writing `#> \pause`. By this way, if the Python code is copied, it's still executable by Python

<sup>29</sup>The short strings of Python are the strings delimited by characters `'` or the characters `"` and not `'''` nor `"""`. In Python, the short strings can't extend on several lines.

### 6.6.3 Environments of Beamer allowed in {Piton} and \PitonInputFile

When `piton` is used in the class `beamer`, the following environments of Beamer are directly detected in the environments `{Piton}` (and in the listings processed by `\PitonInputFile`): `{actionenv}`, `{alertenv}`, `{invisibleenv}`, `{onlyenv}`, `{uncoverenv}` and `{visibleenv}`.

It's possible to add new environments to that list with the key `detected-beamer-environments`.

However, there is a restriction: these environments must contain only *whole lines of Python code* in their body. The instructions `\begin{...}` and `\end{...}` must be alone on their lines.

Here is an example:

```
\documentclass{beamer}
\usepackage{piton}
\begin{document}
\begin{frame}[fragile]
\begin{Piton}
def square(x):
    """Compute the square of its argument"""
    \begin{uncoverenv}<2>
        return x*x
    \end{uncoverenv}
\end{Piton}
\end{frame}
\end{document}
```

### Remark concerning the command \alert and the environment {alertenv} of Beamer

Beamer provides an easy way to change the color used by the environment `{alertenv}` (and by the command `\alert` which relies upon it) to highlight its argument. Here is an example:

```
\setbeamercolor{alerted text}{fg=blue}
```

However, when used inside an environment `{Piton}`, such tuning will probably not be the best choice because `piton` will, by design, change (most of the time) the color the different elements of text. One may prefer an environment `{alertenv}` that will change the background color for the elements to be highlighted.

Here is a code that will do that job and add a yellow background. That code uses the command `\@highLight` of `luatex` (that extension requires also the package `luacolor`).

```
\setbeamercolor{alerted text}{bg=yellow!50}
\makeatletter
\AddToHook{env/Piton/begin}
  {\renewenvironment{\alertenv}{\only#1{\@highLight{alerted text.bg}}}{}}
\makeatother
```

That code redefines locally the environment `{alertenv}` within the environments `{Piton}` (we recall that the command `\alert` relies upon that environment `{alertenv}`).

## 6.7 Footnotes in the environments of piton

If you want to put footnotes in an environment `{Piton}` or (or, more unlikely, in a listing produced by `\PitonInputFile`), you can use a pair `\footnotemark`–`\footnotetext`.

However, it's also possible to extract the footnotes with the help of the package `footnote` or the package `footnotehyper`.

If `piton` is loaded with the option `footnote` (with `\usepackage[footnote]{piton}` or with `\PassOptionsToPackage`), the package `footnote` is loaded (if it is not yet loaded) and it is used to extract the footnotes.

If `piton` is loaded with the option `footnotehyper`, the package `footnotehyper` is loaded (if it is not yet loaded) and it is used to extract footnotes.

Caution: The packages `footnote` and `footnotehyper` are incompatible. The package `footnotehyper` is the successor of the package `footnote` and should be used preferentially. The package `footnote` has some drawbacks, in particular: it must be loaded after the package `xcolor` and it is not perfectly compatible with `hyperref`.

**Important remark :** If you use Beamer, you should know that Beamer has its own system to extract the footnotes. Therefore, `piton` must be loaded in that class without the option `footnote` nor the option `footnotehyper`.

By default, in an environment `{Piton}`, a command `\footnote` may appear only within a “LaTeX comment”. But it’s also possible to add the command `\footnote` to the list of the “*detected-commands*” (cf. part 6.5.3, p. 18).

In this document, the package `piton` has been loaded with the option `footnotehyper` dans we added the command `\footnote` to the list of the “*detected-commands*” with the following instruction in the preamble of the LaTeX document.

```
\PitonOptions{detected-commands = footnote}

\PitonOptions{background-color=gray!15}
\begin{Piton}
def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)\footnote{First recursive call.}]
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)\footnote{Second recursive call.}
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x***(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )
\end{Piton}

def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)30
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)31
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x***(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )
```

If an environment `{Piton}` is used in an environment `{minipage}` of LaTeX, the notes are composed, of course, at the foot of the environment `{minipage}`. Recall that such `{minipage}` can’t be broken by a page break.

```
\PitonOptions{background-color=gray!15}
\emph{\begin{minipage}{\linewidth}}
\begin{Piton}
def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)\footnote{First recursive call.}
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)\footnote{Second recursive call.}
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x***(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )
\end{Piton}
\end{minipage}
```

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<sup>30</sup>First recursive call.

<sup>31</sup>Second recursive call.

```

def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)a
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)b
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x***(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )

```

<sup>a</sup>First recursive call.

<sup>b</sup>Second recursive call.

## 6.8 Tabulations

Even though it's probably recommended to indent the informatics listings with spaces and not tabulations<sup>32</sup>, piton accepts the characters of tabulation (that is to say the characters U+0009) at the beginning of the lines. Each character U+0009 is replaced by  $n$  spaces. The initial value of  $n$  is 4 but it's possible to change it with the key `tab-size` of \PitonOptions.

There exists also a key `tabs-auto-gobble` which computes the minimal value  $n$  of the number of consecutive characters U+0009 beginning each (non empty) line of the environment `{Piton}` and applies `gobble` with that value of  $n$  (before replacement of the tabulations by spaces, of course). Hence, that key is similar to the key `auto-gobble` but acts on U+0009 instead of U+0020 (spaces). The key `env-gobble` is not compatible with the tabulations.

## 7 API for the developpers

The L3 variable `\l_piton_language_str` contains the name of the current language of piton (in lower case).

The extension piton provides a Lua function `piton.get_last_code` without argument which returns the code in the latest environment of piton.

- The carriage returns (which are present in the initial environment) appears as characters `\r` (i.e. U+000D).
- The code returned by `piton.get_last_code()` takes into account the potential application of a key `gobble`, `auto-gobble` or `env-gobble` (cf. p. 4).
- The extra formatting elements added in the code are deleted in the code returned by `piton.get_last_code()`. That concerns the LaTeX commands declared by the key `detected-commands` (cf. part 6.5.3) and the elements inserted by the mechanism “`escape`” (cf. part 6.5.4).
- `piton.get_last_code` is a Lua function and not a Lua string: the treatments outlined above are executed when the function is called. Therefore, it might be judicious to store the value returned by `piton.get_last_code()` in a variable of Lua if it will be used several times.

For an example of use, see the part concerning `pyluatex`, part 8.5, p. 29.

## 8 Examples

### 8.1 Line numbering

We remind that it's possible to have an automatic numbering of the lines in the informatic listings by using the key `line-numbers` (used without value).

By default, the numbers of the lines are composed by piton in an overlapping position on the left (by using internally the command `\llap` of LaTeX).

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<sup>32</sup>For the language Python, see the note PEP 8

In order to avoid that overlapping, it's possible to use the option `left-margin=auto` which will insert automatically a margin adapted to the numbers of lines that will be written (that margin is larger when the numbers are greater than 10).

```
\PitonOptions{background-color=gray!15, left-margin = auto, line-numbers}
\begin{Piton}
def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)          #> (recursive call)
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)  #> (other recursive call)
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )
\end{Piton}

1 def arctan(x,n=10):
2     if x < 0:
3         return -arctan(-x)          (recursive call)
4     elif x > 1:
5         return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)  (other recursive call)
6     else:
7         return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )
```

## 8.2 Formatting of the LaTeX comments

It's possible to modify the style `Comment.LaTeX` (with `\SetPitonStyle`) in order to display the LaTeX comments (which begin with `#>`) aligned on the right margin.

```
\PitonOptions{background-color=gray!15}
\SetPitonStyle{Comment.LaTeX = \hfill \normalfont\color{gray}}
\begin{Piton}
def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)          #> recursive call
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)  #> other recursive call
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )
\end{Piton}

def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)          recursive call
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)  another recursive call
    else:
        return sum( (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x**(2*k+1) for k in range(n) )
```

It's also possible to display these LaTeX comments in a kind of second column by limiting the width of the Python code with the key `width`. In the following example, we use the key `width` with the special value `min`. Several compilations are required.

```
\PitonOptions{background-color=gray!15, width=min}
\NewDocumentCommand{\MyLaTeXCommand}{m}{\hfill \normalfont\itshape\rllap{\quad #1}}
\SetPitonStyle{Comment.LaTeX = \MyLaTeXCommand}
\begin{Piton}
def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x) #> recursive call
```

```

    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x) #> another recursive call
    else:
        s = 0
        for k in range(n):
            s += (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x***(2*k+1)
        return s
\end{Piton}

```

```

def arctan(x,n=10):
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x)                                recursive call
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)                          another recursive call
    else:
        s = 0
        for k in range(n):
            s += (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x***(2*k+1)
        return s

```

### 8.3 An example of tuning of the styles

The graphical styles have been presented in the section 4.2, p. 7.

We present now an example of tuning of these styles adapted to the documents in black and white. That tuning uses the command \highLight of `lua-l` (that package requires itself the package `luacolor`).

```
\SetPitonStyle
{
    Number = ,
    String = \itshape ,
    String.Doc = \color{gray} \slshape ,
    Operator = ,
    Operator.Word = \bfseries ,
    Name.Builtin = ,
    Name.Function = \bfseries \highLight[gray!20] ,
    Comment = \color{gray} ,
    Comment.LaTeX = \normalfont \color{gray},
    Keyword = \bfseries ,
    Name.Namespace = ,
    Name.Class = ,
    Name.Type = ,
    InitialValues = \color{gray}
}
```

In that tuning, many values given to the keys are empty: that means that the corresponding style won't insert any formatting instruction (the element will be composed in the standard color, usually in black, etc.). Nevertheless, those entries are mandatory because the initial value of those keys in `piton` is *not* empty.

```

from math import pi

def arctan(x,n=10):
    """Compute the mathematical value of arctan(x)

    n is the number of terms in the sum
    """
    if x < 0:
        return -arctan(-x) # recursive call

```

```

    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)
        (we have used that  $\arctan(x) + \arctan(1/x) = \pi/2$  for  $x > 0$ )
    else:
        s = 0
        for k in range(n):
            s += (-1)**k/(2*k+1)*x***(2*k+1)
    return s

```

## 8.4 Utilisation avec tcolorbox

In order to use piton with tcolorbox, we have to load tcolorbox (of course) and, then, we define new environnements with the command `\NewPitonEnvironment`.

For a box of tcolorbox with a width equal to `\linewidht`, the programmation is easy. If w wish a box that could be broken by a change of page, we have to use both the key `breakable` of tcolorbox (after loading the library `breakable` of tcolorbox: `\tcbuselibrary{breakable}`) and the key `splittable` of piton (cf. p. 14).

```
\NewPitonEnvironment[Python]{}
{\PitonOptions[splittable=4]}
\begin{tcolorbox}[breakable]
\end{tcolorbox}
```

With that environnement, it's possible to write:

```
\begin{Python}
def square(x):
    """Computes the square of x"""
    return x*x
\end{Python}
```

```
def square(x):
    """Computes the square of x"""
    return x*x
```

Of course, if we want to change the color of the background, we don't use the key `background-color` of piton but the tools provided by tcolorbox (`colback` for the color of the background).

If we wish a box with a width fitted to the natural width of the listing, we will have to use the key `capture=hbox` (alias: `hbox`) of tcolorbox and the environment won't be breakable by a change of page, even with the key `breakable` (that's a feature of tcolorbox).

In the following programmation, we use the key `width=min` of piton, embed the environment `{Piton}` within an environment `{varwidth}` of the package `varwidth` (which should have been loaded), store the whole in a LaTeX box (with the environment `{lrbox}` of LaTeX) and use that box in an environment `{tcolorbox}` in the last part of the command `\NewPitonEnvironment`.

```
\newsavebox{\PitonBox}
\NewPitonEnvironment[Python]{}
{%
\PitonOptions[width=min]%
\begin{lrbox}{\PitonBox}
\begin{varwidth}{\linewidth}%
}
{%
\end{varwidth}%
\end{lrbox}%
\begin{tcolorbox}[hbox]
```

```

\usebox{\PitonBox}
\end{tcolorbox}
}

```

```

\begin{Python}
def square(x):
    """Computes the square of x"""
    return x*x
\end{Python}

```

```

def square(x):
    """Computes the square of x"""
    return x*x

```

Here is an more sophisticated example with a colored column for the number of the lines. That example requires the library `skins` of TikZ (should be loaded with `\tcbuselibrary{skins}` in the preamble of the LaTeX document).

```

\newsavebox{\PitonBox}

\NewTColorBox{BoxForPiton}{m}
{
  hbox,
  enhanced,
  title=#1,
  fonttitle=\sffamily,
  left = 6mm,
  top = 0mm,
  bottom = 0mm,
  overlay={%
    \begin{tcbclipinterior}%
      \fill[gray!80]
        (frame.south west) rectangle
        ([xshift=6mm]frame.north west);
    \end{tcbclipinterior}%
  },
}

\NewPitonEnvironment{Python}{m}
{%
\PitonOptions
{
  width=min,
  line-numbers,
  line-numbers =
  {
    format = \footnotesize\color{white}\sffamily ,
    sep = 2.5mm
  }
}%
\begin{lrbox}{\PitonBox}
\begin{varwidth}{\linewidth}
}
{%

```

```

\end{varwidth}
\end{lrbox}
\begin{BoxForPiton}{#1}
\usebox{\PitonBox}
\end{BoxForPiton}
}

\begin{Python}
def carre(x):
    """Calcule le square de x"""
    return x*x

def cube(x):
    """Calcule le cube de x"""
    return x*x*x
\end{Python}

```

An example

```

1 def square(x):
2     """Computes the square of x"""
3     return x*x
4
5 def cube(x):
6     """Computes the cube of x"""
7     return x*x*x

```

We recall that this box can't be broken by a change of page (even when using the library `breakable` of `tcolorbox`).

## 8.5 Use with pyluatex

The package `pylumatex` is an extension which allows the execution of some Python code from `lualatex` (as long as Python is installed on the machine and that the compilation is done with `lualatex` and `--shell-escape`).

Here is, for example, an environment `{PitonExecute}` which formats a Python listing (with `piton`) but also displays the output of the execution of the code with Python.

```

\NewPitonEnvironment{PitonExecute}{!0{}}
{\PitonOptions{#1}}
{\begin{center}
\directlua{pylumatex.execute(piton.get_last_code(), false, true, false, true)}%
\end{center}
\ignorespacesafterend}

```

We have used the Lua function `piton.get_last_code` provided in the API of `piton` : cf. part 7, p. 24.

This environment `{PitonExecute}` takes in as optional argument (between square brackets) the options of the command `\PitonOptions`.

## 9 The styles for the different computer languages

### 9.1 The language Python

In `piton`, the default language is Python. If necessary, it's possible to come back to the language Python with `\PitonOptions{language=Python}`.

The initial settings done by `piton` in `piton.sty` are inspired by the style `manni` de Pygments, as applied by Pygments to the language Python.<sup>33</sup>

Style	Use
<code>Number</code>	the numbers
<code>String.Short</code>	the short strings (entre ' ou ")
<code>String.Long</code>	the long strings (entre ''' ou """)) excepted the doc-strings (governed by <code>String.Doc</code> )
<code>String</code>	that key fixes both <code>String.Short</code> et <code>String.Long</code>
<code>String.Doc</code>	the doc-strings (only with """ following PEP 257)
<code>String.Interpol</code>	the syntactic elements of the fields of the f-strings (that is to say the characters { et }) ; that style inherits for the styles <code>String.Short</code> and <code>String.Long</code> (according the kind of string where the interpolation appears)
<code>Interpol.Inside</code>	the content of the interpolations in the f-strings (that is to say the elements between { and }) ; if the final user has not set that key, those elements will be formatted by <code>piton</code> as done for any Python code.
<code>Operator</code>	the following operators: != == << >> - ~ + / * % = < > & .   @
<code>Operator.Word</code>	the following operators: <code>in</code> , <code>is</code> , <code>and</code> , <code>or</code> et <code>not</code>
<code>Name.Builtin</code>	almost all the functions predefined by Python
<code>Name.Decorator</code>	the decorators (instructions beginning by @)
<code>Name.Namespace</code>	the name of the modules
<code>Name.Class</code>	the name of the Python classes defined by the user <i>at their point of definition</i> (with the keyword <code>class</code> )
<code>Name.Function</code>	the name of the Python functions defined by the user <i>at their point of definition</i> (with the keyword <code>def</code> )
<code>UserFunction</code>	the name of the Python functions previously defined by the user (the initial value of that parameter is <code>\PitonStyle{Identifier}</code> and, therefore, the names of that functions are formatted like the identifiers).
<code>Exception</code>	les exceptions pré définies (ex.: <code>SyntaxError</code> )
<code>InitialValues</code>	the initial values (and the preceding symbol =) of the optional arguments in the definitions of functions; if the final user has not set that key, those elements will be formatted by <code>piton</code> as done for any Python code.
<code>Comment</code>	the comments beginning with #
<code>Comment.LaTeX</code>	the comments beginning with #>, which are composed by <code>piton</code> as LaTeX code (merely named "LaTeX comments" in this document)
<code>Keyword.Constant</code>	<code>True</code> , <code>False</code> et <code>None</code>
<code>Keyword</code>	the following keywords: <code>assert</code> , <code>break</code> , <code>case</code> , <code>continue</code> , <code>del</code> , <code>elif</code> , <code>else</code> , <code>except</code> , <code>exec</code> , <code>finally</code> , <code>for</code> , <code>from</code> , <code>global</code> , <code>if</code> , <code>import</code> , <code>in</code> , <code>lambda</code> , <code>non local</code> , <code>pass</code> , <code>raise</code> , <code>return</code> , <code>try</code> , <code>while</code> , <code>with</code> , <code>yield</code> et <code>yield from</code> .
<code>Identifier</code>	the identifiers.

<sup>33</sup>See: <https://pygments.org/styles/>. Remark that, by default, Pygments provides for its style `manni` a colored background whose color is the HTML color `#F0F3F3`. It's possible to have the same color in `{Piton}` with the instruction `\PitonOptions{background-color = [HTML]{F0F3F3}}`.

## 9.2 The language OCaml

It's possible to switch to the language OCaml with the key language: language = OCaml.

Style	Use
Number	the numbers
String.Short	the characters (between ' )
String.Long	the strings, between " but also the <i>quoted-strings</i>
String	that key fixes both String.Short and String.Long
Operator	les opérateurs, en particulier +, -, /, *, @, !=, ==, &&
Operator.Word	les opérateurs suivants : asr, land, lor, lsl, lxor, mod et or
Name.Builtin	les fonctions not, incr, decr, fst et snd
Name.Type	the name of a type of OCaml
Name.Field	the name of a field of a module
Name.Constructor	the name of the constructors of types (which begins by a capital)
Name.Module	the name of the modules
Name.Function	the name of the Python functions defined by the user <i>at their point of definition</i> (with the keyword let)
UserFunction	the name of the Python functions previously defined by the user (the initial value of that parameter is \PitonStyle{Identifier} and, therefore, the names of that functions are formatted like the identifiers).
Exception	the predefined exceptions (eg : End_of_File)
TypeParameter	the parameters of the types
Comment	the comments, between (* et *); these comments may be nested
Keyword.Constant	true et false
Keyword	the following keywords: assert, as, done, downto, do, else, exception, for, function , fun, if, lazy, match, mutable, new, of, private, raise, then, to, try , virtual, when, while and with
Keyword.Governing	the following keywords: and, begin, class, constraint, end, external, functor, include, inherit, initializer, in, let, method, module, object, open, rec, sig, struct, type and val.
Identifier	the identifiers.

### 9.3 The language C (and C++)

It's possible to switch to the language C with the key `language = C`.

Style	Use
<code>Number</code>	the numbers
<code>String.Long</code>	the strings (between ")
<code>String.Interpol</code>	the elements %d, %i, %f, %c, etc. in the strings; that style inherits from the style <code>String.Long</code>
<code>Operator</code>	the following operators : != == << >> - ~ + / * % = < > & .   @
<code>Name.Type</code>	the following predefined types: bool, char, char16_t, char32_t, double, float, int, int8_t, int16_t, int32_t, int64_t, long, short, signed, unsigned, void et wchar_t
<code>Name.Builtin</code>	the following predefined functions: printf, scanf, malloc, sizeof and alignof
<code>Name.Class</code>	le nom des classes au moment de leur définition, c'est-à-dire après le mot-clé <code>class</code>
<code>Name.Function</code>	the name of the Python functions defined by the user <i>at their point of definition</i> (with the keyword <code>let</code> )
<code>UserFunction</code>	the name of the Python functions previously defined by the user (the initial value of that parameter is \PitonStyle{Identifier} and, therefore, the names of that functions are formatted like the identifiers).
<code>Preproc</code>	the instructions of the preprocessor (beginning par #)
<code>Comment</code>	the comments (beginning by // or between /* and */)
<code>Comment.LaTeX</code>	the comments beginning by //> which are composed by piton as LaTeX code (merely named "LaTeX comments" in this document)
<code>Keyword.Constant</code>	default, false, NULL, nullptr and true
<code>Keyword</code>	the following keywords: alignas, asm, auto, break, case, catch, class, constexpr, const, continue, decltype, do, else, enum, extern, for, goto, if, noexcept, private, public, register, restricted, try, return, static, static_assert, struct, switch, thread_local, throw, typedef, union, using, virtual, volatile and while
<code>Identifier</code>	the identifiers.

## 9.4 The language SQL

It's possible to switch to the language SQL with the key `language = SQL`.

Style	Use
<code>Number</code>	the numbers
<code>String.Long</code>	the strings (between ' and not " because the elements between " are names of fields and formatted with <code>Name.Field</code> )
<code>Operator</code>	the following operators : = != <> >= > < <= * + /
<code>Name.Table</code>	the names of the tables
<code>Name.Field</code>	the names of the fields of the tables
<code>Name.Builtin</code>	the following built-in functions (their names are <i>not</i> case-sensitive): avg, count, char_length, concat, curdate, current_date, date_format, day, lower, ltrim, max, min, month, now, rank, round, rtrim, substring, sum, upper and year.
<code>Comment</code>	the comments (beginning by -- or between /* and */)
<code>Comment.LaTeX</code>	the comments beginning by --> which are composed by piton as LaTeX code (merely named “LaTeX comments” in this document)
<code>Keyword</code>	the following keywords (their names are <i>not</i> case-sensitive): abort, action, add, after, all, alter, always, analyze, and, as, asc, attach, autoincrement, before, begin, between, by, cascade, case, cast, check, collate, column, commit, conflict, constraint, create, cross, current, current_date, current_time, current_timestamp, database, default, deferrable, deferred, delete, desc, detach, distinct, do, drop, each, else, end, escape, except, exclude, exclusive, exists, explain, fail, filter, first, following, for, foreign, from, full, generated, glob, group, groups, having, if, ignore, immediate, in, index, indexed, initially, inner, insert, instead, intersect, into, is, isnull, join, key, last, left, like, limit, match, materialized, natural, no, not, nothing, notnull, null, nulls, of, offset, on, or, order, others, outer, over, partition, plan, pragma, preceding, primary, query, raise, range, recursive, references, regexp, reindex, release, rename, replace, restrict, returning, right, rollback, row, rows, savepoint, select, set, table, temp, temporary, then, ties, to, transaction, trigger, unbounded, union, unique, update, using, vacuum, values, view, virtual, when, where, window, with, without

It's possible to automatically capitalize the keywords by modifying locally for the language SQL the style `Keywords`.

```
\SetPitonStyle[SQL]{Keywords = \bfseries \MakeUppercase}
```

## 9.5 The languages defined by \NewPitonLanguage

The command `\NewPitonLanguage`, which defines new informatic languages with the syntax of the extension `listings`, has been described p. 10.

All the languages defined by the command `\NewPitonLanguage` use the same styles.

Style	Use
<code>Number</code>	the numbers
<code>String.Long</code>	the strings defined in <code>\NewPitonLanguage</code> by the key <code>morestring</code>
<code>Comment</code>	the comments defined in <code>\NewPitonLanguage</code> by the key <code>morecomment</code>
<code>Comment.LaTeX</code>	the comments which are composed by piton as LaTeX code (merely named “LaTeX comments” in this document)
<code>Keyword</code>	the keywords defined in <code>\NewPitonLanguage</code> by the keys <code>morekeywords</code> and <code>moretexcs</code> (and also the key <code>sensitive</code> which specifies whether the keywords are case-sensitive or not)
<code>Directive</code>	the directives defined in <code>\NewPitonLanguage</code> by the key <code>moredirectives</code>
<code>Tag</code>	the “tags” defined by the key <code>tag</code> (the lexical units detected within the tag will also be formatted with their own style)
<code>Identifier</code>	the identifiers.

Here is for example a definition for the language HTML, obtained with a slight adaptation of the definition done by `listings` (file `lstlang1.sty`).

```
\NewPitonLanguage{HTML}%
{morekeywords={A,ABBR,ACRONYM,ADDRESS,APPLET,AREA,B,BASE,BASEFONT,%
BDO,BIG,BLOCKQUOTE,BODY,BR,BUTTON,CAPTION,CENTER,CITE,CODE,COL,%
COLGROUP,DD,DEL,DFN,DIR,DIV,DL,DOCTYPE,DT,EM,FIELDSET,FONT,FORM,%
FRAME,FRAMESET,HEAD,HR,H1,H2,H3,H4,H5,H6,HTML,I,IFRAME,IMG,INPUT,%
INS,ISINDEX,KBD,LABEL,LEGEND,LH,LI,LINK,LISTING,MAP,META,MENU,%
NOFRAMES,NOSCRIPT,OBJECT,OPTGROUP,OPTION,P,PARAM,PLAINTEXT,PRE,%
OL,Q,S,SAMP,SCRIPT,SELECT,SMALL,SPAN,STRIKE,STRING,STRONG,STYLE,%
SUB,SUP,TABLE,TBODY,TD,TEXTAREA,TFOOT,TH,THEAD,TITLE,TR,TT,U,UL,%
VAR,XMP,%
accesskey,action,align,alink,alt,archive,axis,background,bgcolor,%
border,c cellpadding,c cellspacing,charset,checked,cite,class,classid,%
code,codebase,codetype,color,cols,colspan,content,coords,data,%
datetime,defer,disabled,dir,event,error,for,frameborder,headers,%
height,href,hreflang,hspace,http-equiv,id,ismap,label,lang,link,%
longdesc,marginwidth,marginheight,maxlength,media,method,multiple,%
name,nohref,noresize,noshade,nowrap,onblur, onchange,onclick,%
ondblclick,onfocus, onkeydown, onkeypress, onkeyup, onload, onmousedown,%
profile,readonly, onmousemove, onmouseout, onmouseover, onmouseup,%
onselect, onunload, rel, rev, rows, rowspan, scheme, scope, scrolling,%
selected, shape, size, src, standby, style, tabindex, text, title, type,%
units, usemap, valign, value, valuetype, vlink, vspace, width, xmlns},%
tag=<>,%
alsoletter = - ,%
sensitive=f,%
morestring=[d] ",%
}
```

## 9.6 The language “minimal”

It's possible to switch to the language “minimal” with the key `language = minimal`.

Style	Usage
<code>Number</code>	the numbers
<code>String</code>	the strings (between ")
<code>Comment</code>	the comments (which begin with #)
<code>Comment.LaTeX</code>	the comments beginning with #>, which are composed by piton as LaTeX code (merely named “LaTeX comments” in this document)
<code>Identifier</code>	the identifiers.

That language is provided for the final user who might wish to add keywords in that language (with the command `\SetPitonIdentifier`: cf. 6.4, p. 16) in order to create, for example, a language for pseudo-code.

## 9.7 The language “verbatim”

It's possible to switch to the language “verbatim” with the key `language = verbatim`.

Style	Usage
<code>None...</code>	

The language `verbatim` doesn't provide any style and, thus, does not do any syntactic formating. However, it's possible to use the mechanism `detected-commands` (cf. part 6.5.3, p. 18) and the detection of the commands and environments of Beamer.

## 10 Implementation

The development of the extension `piton` is done on the following GitHub depot:  
<https://github.com/fpantigny/piton>

### 10.1 Introduction

The main job of the package `piton` is to take in as input a Python listing and to send back to LaTeX as output that code *with interlaced LaTeX instructions of formatting*.

In fact, all that job is done by a LPEG called `python`. That LPEG, when matched against the string of a Python listing, returns as capture a Lua table containing data to send to LaTeX. The only thing to do after will be to apply `tex.tprint` to each element of that table.<sup>34</sup>

Consider, for example, the following Python code:

```
def parity(x):
    return x%2
```

The capture returned by the `lpeg python` against that code is the Lua table containing the following elements :

```
{ "\\\_piton_begin_line:" }a
{ "{\PitonStyle{Keyword}{ " }}b
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOtherc, "def" }
{ "}}"
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, " "
{ "{\PitonStyle{Name.Function}{ " }
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "parity" }
{ "}}"
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "(" }
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "x" }
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, ")" }
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, ":" }
{ "\\\_piton_end_line: \\\_piton_newline: \\\_piton_begin_line:" }
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "      " }
{ "{\PitonStyle{Keyword}{ " }
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "return" }
{ "}}"
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, " "
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "x" }
{ "{\PitonStyle{Operator}{ " }
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "&" }
{ "}}"
{ "{\PitonStyle{Number}{ " }
{ luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther, "2" }
{ "}}"
{ "\\\_piton_end_line:" }
```

<sup>a</sup>Each line of the Python listings will be encapsulated in a pair: `\_@@_begin_line: - \_@@_end_line:`. The token `\_@@_end_line:` must be explicit because it will be used as marker in order to delimit the argument of the command `\_@@_begin_line:`. Both tokens `\_@@_begin_line:` and `\_@@_end_line:` will be nullified in the command `\piton` (since there can't be lines breaks in the argument of a command `\piton`).

<sup>b</sup>The lexical elements of Python for which we have a piton style will be formatted via the use of the command `\PitonStyle`. Such an element is typeset in LaTeX via the syntax `{\PitonStyle{style}{...}}` because the instructions inside an `\PitonStyle` may be both semi-global declarations like `\bfseries` and commands with one argument like `\fbox`.

<sup>c</sup>`luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther` is a mere number which corresponds to the “catcode table” whose all characters have the catcode “other” (which means that they will be typeset by LaTeX verbatim).

<sup>34</sup>Recall that `tex.tprint` takes in as argument a Lua table whose first component is a “catcode table” and the second element a string. The string will be sent to LaTeX with the regime of catcodes specified by the catcode table. If no catcode table is provided, the standard catcodes of LaTeX will be used.

We give now the LaTeX code which is sent back by Lua to TeX (we have written on several lines for legibility but no character \r will be sent to LaTeX). The characters which are greyed-out are sent to LaTeX with the catcode “other” (=12). All the others characters are sent with the regime of catcodes of L3 (as set by \ExplSyntaxOn)

```
\_\_piton\_begin\_line:{\PitonStyle{Keyword}{def}}
\_\_piton\_end\_line:{\PitonStyle{Name.Function}{parity}}(x):\_\_piton\_newline:
\_\_piton\_begin\_line:{\PitonStyle{Keyword}{return}}
\_\_piton\_end\_line:{\PitonStyle{Operator}{%}}{\PitonStyle{Number}{2}}\_\_piton\_newline:
```

## 10.2 The L3 part of the implementation

### 10.2.1 Declaration of the package

```
1  {*STY}
2  \NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}
3  \ProvidesExplPackage
4    {piton}
5    {\PitonFileVersion}
6    {\PitonFileVersion}
7    {Highlight informatic listings with LPEG on LuaLaTeX}
8  \msg_new:nnn { piton } { latex-too-old }
9  {
10    Your~LaTeX~release~is~too~old. \\
11    You~need~at~least~the~version~of~2023-11-01
12  }
13 \IfFormatAtLeastTF
14  { 2023-11-01 }
15  {
16    { \msg_fatal:nn { piton } { latex-too-old } }
```

The command \text provided by the package `amstext` will be used to allow the use of the command \pion{...} (with the standard syntax) in mathematical mode.

```
17 \RequirePackage { amstext }

18 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_error:n { \msg_error:nn { piton } }
19 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_warning:n { \msg_warning:nn { piton } }
20 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_warning:nn { \msg_warning:nnn { piton } }
21 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_error:nn { \msg_error:nnn { piton } }
22 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_error:nnn { \msg_error:nnnn { piton } }
23 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_fatal:n { \msg_fatal:nn { piton } }
24 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_fatal:nn { \msg_fatal:nnn { piton } }
25 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_msg_new:nn { \msg_new:nnn { piton } }
```

With Overleaf, by default, a document is compiled in non-stop mode. When there is an error, there is no way to the user to use the key H in order to have more information. That's why we decide to put that piece of information (for the messages with such information) in the main part of the message when the key `messages-for-Overleaf` is used (at load-time).

```
26 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_msg_new:nnn #1 #2 #3
27  {
28    \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_messages_for_Overleaf_bool
29      { \msg_new:nnn { piton } { #1 } { #2 \\ #3 } }
30      { \msg_new:nnnn { piton } { #1 } { #2 } { #3 } }
31  }
```

We also create commands which will generate usually an error but only a warning on Overleaf. The argument is given by curryfication.

```
32 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_error_or_warning:n
33  { \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_messages_for_Overleaf_bool \@@_warning:n \@@_error:n }
34 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_error_or_warning:nn
```

```

35   { \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_messages_for_Overleaf_bool \@@_warning:nn \@@_error:nn }
We try to detect whether the compilation is done on Overleaf. We use \c_sys_jobname_str because,
with Overleaf, the value of \c_sys_jobname_str is always "output".
36 \bool_new:N \g_@@_messages_for_Overleaf_bool
37 \bool_gset:Nn \g_@@_messages_for_Overleaf_bool
38 {
39     \str_if_eq_p:on \c_sys_jobname_str { _region_ } % for Emacs
40     || \str_if_eq_p:on \c_sys_jobname_str { output } % for Overleaf
41 }

42 \@@_msg_new:nn { LuaLaTeX-mandatory }
43 {
44     LuaLaTeX-is-mandatory.\\
45     The~package~'piton'~requires~the~engine~LuaLaTeX.\\
46     \str_if_eq:onT \c_sys_jobname_str { output }
47     { If~you~use~Overleaf,~you~can~switch~to~LuaLaTeX~in~the~"Menu". \\}
48     If~you~go~on,~the~package~'piton'~won't~be~loaded.
49 }
50 \sys_if_engine_luatex:F { \msg_critical:nn { piton } { LuaLaTeX-mandatory } }

51 \RequirePackage { luacode }

52 \@@_msg_new:nnn { piton.lua-not-found }
53 {
54     The~file~'piton.lua'~can't~be~found.\\
55     This~error~is~fatal.\\
56     If~you~want~to~know~how~to~retrieve~the~file~'piton.lua',~type~H~<return>.
57 }
58 {
59     On~the~site~CTAN,~go~to~the~page~of~'piton':~https://ctan.org/pkg/piton.~
60     The~file~'README.md'~explains~how~to~retrieve~the~files~'piton.sty'~and~
61     'piton.lua'.
62 }

63 \file_if_exist:nF { piton.lua } { \@@_fatal:n { piton.lua-not-found } }

```

The boolean \g\_@@\_footnotehyper\_bool will indicate if the option footnotehyper is used.

```
64 \bool_new:N \g_@@_footnotehyper_bool
```

The boolean \g\_@@\_footnote\_bool will indicate if the option footnote is used, but quickly, it will also be set to true if the option footnotehyper is used.

```
65 \bool_new:N \g_@@_footnote_bool
```

```
66 \bool_new:N \g_@@_beamer_bool
```

We define a set of keys for the options at load-time.

```

67 \keys_define:nn { piton }
68 {
69     footnote .bool_gset:N = \g_@@_footnote_bool ,
70     footnotehyper .bool_gset:N = \g_@@_footnotehyper_bool ,
71     footnote .usage:n = load ,
72     footnotehyper .usage:n = load ,
73
74     beamer .bool_gset:N = \g_@@_beamer_bool ,
75     beamer .default:n = true ,
76     beamer .usage:n = load ,
77
78     unknown .code:n = \@@_error:n { Unknown-key-for-package }
79 }

80 \@@_msg_new:nn { Unknown-key-for-package }
```

```

81  {
82    Unknown~key.\\
83    You~have~used~the~key~'\\l_keys_key_str'~when~loading~piton~
84    but~the~only~keys~available~here~
85    are~'beamer',~'footnote',~and~'footnotehyper'.~
86    Other~keys~are~available~in~\\token_to_str:N \\PitonOptions.\\
87    That~key~will~be~ignored.
88  }

We process the options provided by the user at load-time.

89 \ProcessKeyOptions

90 \IfClassLoadedTF { beamer }
91   { \bool_gset_true:N \g_@@_beamer_bool }
92   {
93     \IfPackageLoadedTF { beamerarticle }
94     { \bool_gset_true:N \g_@@_beamer_bool }
95     { }
96   }

97 \lua_now:e
98 {
99   piton = piton~or~{ }
100  piton.last_code = ''
101  piton.last_language = ''
102  piton.join = ''
103  piton.write = ''
104  piton.path_write = ''
105  \bool_if:NT \g_@@_beamer_bool { piton.beamer = true }
106 }

107 \RequirePackage { xcolor }

108 \@@_msg_new:nn { footnote~with~footnotehyper~package }
109 {
110   Footnote~forbidden.\\
111   You~can't~use~the~option~'footnote'~because~the~package~
112   footnotehyper~has~already~been~loaded.~
113   If~you~want,~you~can~use~the~option~'footnotehyper'~and~the~footnotes~
114   within~the~environments~of~piton~will~be~extracted~with~the~tools~
115   of~the~package~footnotehyper.\\
116   If~you~go~on,~the~package~footnote~won't~be~loaded.
117 }

118 \@@_msg_new:nn { footnotehyper~with~footnote~package }
119 {
120   You~can't~use~the~option~'footnotehyper'~because~the~package~
121   footnote~has~already~been~loaded.~
122   If~you~want,~you~can~use~the~option~'footnote'~and~the~footnotes~
123   within~the~environments~of~piton~will~be~extracted~with~the~tools~
124   of~the~package~footnote.\\
125   If~you~go~on,~the~package~footnotehyper~won't~be~loaded.
126 }

127 \bool_if:NT \g_@@_footnote_bool
128 {

```

The class `beamer` has its own system to extract footnotes and that's why we have nothing to do if `beamer` is used.

```

129 \IfClassLoadedTF { beamer }
130   { \bool_gset_false:N \g_@@_footnote_bool }
131   {
132     \IfPackageLoadedTF { footnotehyper }
133       { \@@_error:n { footnote~with~footnotehyper~package } }

```

```

134     { \usepackage { footnote } }
135   }
136 }
137 \bool_if:NT \g_@@_footnotehyper_bool
138 {

```

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```

139 \IfClassLoadedTF { beamer }
140   { \bool_gset_false:N \g_@@_footnote_bool }
141   {
142     \IfPackageLoadedTF { footnote }
143       { \@@_error:n { footnotehyper~with~footnote~package } }
144       { \usepackage { footnotehyper } }
145     \bool_gset_true:N \g_@@_footnote_bool
146   }
147 }

```

The flag `\g_@@_footnote_bool` is raised and so, we will only have to test `\g_@@_footnote_bool` in order to know if we have to insert an environment `{savenotes}`.

### 10.2.2 Parameters and technical definitions

The following string will contain the name of the informatic language considered (the initial value is `python`).

```

148 \str_new:N \l_piton_language_str
149 \str_set:Nn \l_piton_language_str { python }

```

Each time an environment of `piton` is used, the informatic code in the body of that environment will be stored in the following global string.

```
150 \tl_new:N \g_piton_last_code_tl
```

The following parameter corresponds to the key `path` (which is the path used to include files by `\PitonInputFile`). Each component of that sequence will be a string (type `str`).

```
151 \seq_new:N \l_@@_path_seq
```

The following parameter corresponds to the key `path-write` (which is the path used when writing files from listings inserted in the environments of `piton` by use of the key `write`).

```
152 \str_new:N \l_@@_path_write_str
```

In order to have a better control over the keys.

```

153 \bool_new:N \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
154 \bool_new:N \l_@@_in_PitonInputFile_bool

```

The following parameter corresponds to the key `font-command`.

```

155 \tl_new:N \l_@@_font_command_tl
156 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_font_command_tl { \ttfamily }

```

We will compute (with Lua) the numbers of lines of the listings (or *chunks* of listings when `split-on-empty-lines` is in force) and store it in the following counter.

```
157 \int_new:N \l_@@_nb_lines_int
```

The same for the number of non-empty lines of the listings.

```
158 \int_new:N \l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int
```

The following counter will be used to count the lines during the composition. It will take into account all the lines, empty or not empty. It won't be used to print the numbers of the lines but will be used to allow or disallow line breaks (when `splittable` is in force) and for the color of the background (when `background-color` is used with a *list* of colors).

```
159 \int_new:N \g_@@_line_int
```

The following token list will contain the (potential) information to write on the `aux` (to be used in the next compilation). The technic of the auxiliary file will be used when the key `width` is used with the value `min`.

```
160 \tl_new:N \g_@@_aux_t1
```

The following counter corresponds to the key `splittable` of `\PitonOptions`. If the value of `\l_@@_splittable_int` is equal to  $n$ , then no line break can occur within the first  $n$  lines or the last  $n$  lines of a listing (or a *chunk* of listings when the key `split-on-empty-lines` is in force).

```
161 \int_new:N \l_@@_splittable_int
```

An initial value of `splittable` equal to 100 is equivalent to say that the environments `{Piton}` are unbreakable.

```
162 \int_set:Nn \l_@@_splittable_int { 100 }
```

When the key `split-on-empty-lines` will be in force, then the following token list will be inserted between the chunks of code (the informatic code provided by the final user is split in chunks on the empty lines in the code).

```
163 \tl_new:N \l_@@_split_separation_t1
164 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_split_separation_t1
165 { \vspace { \baselineskip } \vspace { -1.25pt } }
```

That parameter must contain elements to be inserted in *vertical* mode by TeX.

The following string corresponds to the key `background-color` of `\PitonOptions`.

```
166 \clist_new:N \l_@@_bg_color_clist
```

The package `piton` will also detect the lines of code which correspond to the user input in a Python console, that is to say the lines of code beginning with `>>>` and `....`. It's possible, with the key `prompt-background-color`, to require a background for these lines of code (and the other lines of code will have the standard background color specified by `background-color`).

```
167 \tl_new:N \l_@@_prompt_bg_color_t1
```

```
168 \tl_new:N \l_@@_space_in_string_t1
```

The following parameters correspond to the keys `begin-range` and `end-range` of the command `\PitonInputFile`.

```
169 \str_new:N \l_@@_begin_range_str
170 \str_new:N \l_@@_end_range_str
```

The following boolean corresponds to the key `math-comments` (available only in the preamble of the LaTeX document).

```
171 \bool_new:N \g_@@_math_comments_bool
```

The argument of `\PitonInputFile`.

```
172 \str_new:N \l_@@_file_name_str
```

We will count the environments `{Piton}` (and, in fact, also the commands `\PitonInputFile`, despite the name `\g_@@_env_int`).

```
173 \int_new:N \g_@@_env_int
```

The following flag corresponds to the key `print`. The initial value of that parameter will be `true` (and not `false`) since, of course, by default, we want to print the content of the environment `{Piton}`

```
174 \bool_new:N \l_@@_print_bool
175 \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_print_bool
```

The parameter `\l_@@_write_str` corresponds to the key `write`.

```
176 \str_new:N \l_@@_write_str
```

The parameter `\l_@@_join_str` corresponds to the key `join`. In fact, `\l_@@_join_str` won't contain the exact value used by the final user but its conversion in "utf16/hex".

```
177 \str_new:N \l_@@_join_str
```

The following boolean corresponds to the key `show-spaces`.

```
178 \bool_new:N \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
```

The following booleans correspond to the keys `break-lines` and `indent-broken-lines`.

```
179 \bool_new:N \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool  
180 \bool_new:N \l_@@_indent_broken_lines_bool
```

The following token list corresponds to the key `continuation-symbol`.

```
181 \tl_new:N \l_@@_continuation_symbol_tl  
182 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_continuation_symbol_tl { + }
```

The following token list corresponds to the key `continuation-symbol-on-indentation`. The name has been shorten to `csoi`.

```
183 \tl_new:N \l_@@_csoi_tl  
184 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_csoi_tl { $ \hookrightarrow \; $ }
```

The following token list corresponds to the key `end-of-broken-line`.

```
185 \tl_new:N \l_@@_end_of_broken_line_tl  
186 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_end_of_broken_line_tl { \hspace*{0.5em} \textbackslash }
```

The following boolean corresponds to the key `break-lines-in-piton`.

```
187 \bool_new:N \l_@@_break_lines_in_piton_bool
```

The following dimension will be the width of the listing constructed by `\Piton` or `\PitonInputFile`.

- If the user uses the key `width` of `\PitonOptions` with a numerical value, that value will be stored in `\l_@@_width_dim`.
- If the user uses the key `width` with the special value `min`, the dimension `\l_@@_width_dim` will, *in the second run*, be computed from the value of `\l_@@_line_width_dim` stored in the aux file (computed during the first run the maximal width of the lines of the listing). During the first run, `\l_@@_width_line_dim` will be set equal to `\linewidth`.
- Elsewhere, `\l_@@_width_dim` will be set at the beginning of the listing (in `\@@_pre_env:`) equal to the current value of `\linewidth`.

```
188 \dim_new:N \l_@@_width_dim
```

We will also use another dimension called `\l_@@_line_width_dim`. That will the width of the actual lines of code. That dimension may be lower than the whole `\l_@@_width_dim` because we have to take into account the value of `\l_@@_left_margin_dim` (for the numbers of lines when `line-numbers` is in force) and another small margin when a background color is used (with the key `background-color`).

```
189 \dim_new:N \l_@@_line_width_dim
```

The following flag will be raised with the key `width` is used with the special value `min`.

```
190 \bool_new:N \l_@@_width_min_bool
```

If the key `width` is used with the special value `min`, we will compute the maximal width of the lines of an environment `\Piton` in `\g_@@_tmp_width_dim` because we need it for the case of the key `width` is used with the special value `min`. We need a global variable because, when the key `footnote` is in force, each line when be composed in an environment `\savenotes` and we need to exit our `\g_@@_tmp_width_dim` from that environment.

```
191 \dim_new:N \g_@@_tmp_width_dim
```

The following dimension corresponds to the key `left-margin` of `\PitonOptions`.

```
192 \dim_new:N \l_@@_left_margin_dim
```

The following boolean will be set when the key `left-margin=auto` is used.

```
193 \bool_new:N \l_@@_left_margin_auto_bool
```

The following dimension corresponds to the key `numbers-sep` of `\PitonOptions`.

```
194 \dim_new:N \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim
195 \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim { 0.7 em }
```

Be careful. The following sequence `\g_@@_languages_seq` is not the list of the languages supported by piton. It's the list of the languages for which at least a user function has been defined. We need that sequence only for the command `\PitonClearUserFunctions` when it is used without its optional argument: it must clear all the list of languages for which at least a user function has been defined.

```
196 \seq_new:N \g_@@_languages_seq

197 \int_new:N \l_@@_tab_size_int
198 \int_set:Nn \l_@@_tab_size_int { 4 }

199 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_tab:
200 {
201     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
202     {
203         \hbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box
204         { \prg_replicate:nn \l_@@_tab_size_int { ~ } }
205         \dim_set:Nn \l_tmpa_dim { \box_wd:N \l_tmpa_box }
206         \color{gray}
207         { \hbox_to_wd:nn \l_tmpa_dim { \rightarrowfill } } \)
208     }
209     { \hbox:n { \prg_replicate:nn \l_@@_tab_size_int { ~ } } }
210     \int_gadd:Nn \g_@@_indentation_int \l_@@_tab_size_int
211 }
```

The following integer corresponds to the key `gobble`.

```
212 \int_new:N \l_@@_gobble_int
```

The following token list will be used only for the spaces in the strings.

```
213 \tl_set_eq:NN \l_@@_space_in_string_tl \nobreakspace
```

When the key `break-lines-in-piton` is set, that parameter will be replaced by `\space` (in `\piton` with the standard syntax) and when the key `show-spaces-in-strings` is set, it will be replaced by `\u2423` (U+2423).

At each line, the following counter will count the spaces at the beginning.

```
214 \int_new:N \g_@@_indentation_int
```

Be careful: when executed, the following command does *not* create a space (only an incrementation of the counter).

```
215 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_leading_space:
216     { \int_gincr:N \g_@@_indentation_int }
```

In the environment `{Piton}`, the command `\label` will be linked to the following command.

```
217 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_label:n #1
218 {
219     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
220     {
221         \bsphack
222         \protected@write \auxout { }
223         {
224             \string \newlabel { #1 }
225             {
226                 { \int_eval:n { \g_@@_visual_line_int + 1 } }
227                 { \thepage }
228             }
229         }
230     } \esphack
```

Remember that the content of a line is typeset in a box *before* the composition of the potential number of line.

```
226     { \int_eval:n { \g_@@_visual_line_int + 1 } }
227     { \thepage }
228   }
229 }
230 \esphack
```

```

231     }
232     { \@@_error:n { label-with-lines-numbers } }
233 }
```

The following commands corresponds to the keys `marker/beginning` and `marker/end`. The values of that keys are functions that will be applied to the “*range*” specified by the final user in an individual `\PitonInputFile`. They will construct the markers used to find textually in the external file loaded by `piton` the part which must be included (and formatted).

These macros must *not* be protected.

```

234 \cs_new:Npn \@@_marker_beginning:n #1 { }
235 \cs_new:Npn \@@_marker_end:n #1 { }
```

The following token list will be evaluated at the beginning of `\@@_begin_line:...` `\@@_end_line:` and cleared at the end. It will be used by LPEG acting between the lines of the Python code in order to add instructions to be executed at the beginning of the line.

```
236 \tl_new:N \g_@@_begin_line_hook_tl
```

For example, the LPEG Prompt will trigger the following command which will insert an instruction in the hook `\g_@@_begin_line_hook` to specify that a background must be inserted to the current line of code.

```

237 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_prompt:
238 {
239   \tl_gset:Nn \g_@@_begin_line_hook_tl
240   {
241     \tl_if_empty:NF \l_@@_prompt_bg_color_tl
242     { \clist_set:No \l_@@_bg_color_clist { \l_@@_prompt_bg_color_tl } }
243   }
244 }
```

The spaces at the end of a line of code are deleted by `piton`. However, it’s not actually true: they are replace by `\@@_trailing_space:`.

```
245 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_trailing_space: { }
```

When we have to rescan some pieces of code, we will use `\@@_piton:n`, which we will set `\@@_trailing_space:` equal to `\space`.

### 10.2.3 Detected commands

There are four keys for “detected commands and environments”: `detected-commands`, `raw-detected-commands`, `beamer-commands` and `beamer-environments`.

For each of those keys, we keep a `clist` of the names of such detected commands and environments. For the commands, the corresponding `clist` will contain the name of the commands *without* the backslash.

```

246 \clist_new:N \l_@@_detected_commands_clist
247 \clist_new:N \l_@@_raw_detected_commands_clist
248 \clist_new:N \l_@@_beamer_commands_clist
249 \clist_set:Nn \l_@@_beamer_commands_clist
250   { uncover, only , visible , invisible , alert , action}
251 \clist_new:N \l_@@_beamer_environments_clist
252 \clist_set:Nn \l_@@_beamer_environments_clist
253   { uncoverenv , onlyenv , visibleenv , invisibleenv , alertenv , actionenv }
```

Remark that, since we have used `clists`, these `clists`, as token lists are “purified”: there is no empty component and for each component, there is no space on both sides.

Of course, the value of those `clists` may be modified during the preamble of the document by using the corresponding key (‘`detected-commands`’, etc.).

However, after the `\begin{document}`, it’s no longer possible to modify those `clists` because their contents will be used in the construction of the main LPEG for each informatic language.

However, in a `\AtBeginDocument`, we will convert those clists into “toks registers” of TeX.

```
254 \hook_gput_code:nnn { begindocument } { . }
255 {
256     \newtoks \PitonDetectedCommands
257     \newtoks \PitonRawDetectedCommands
258     \newtoks \PitonBeamerCommands
259     \newtoks \PitonBeamerEnvironments
```

L3 does *not* support those “toks registers” but it’s still possible to affect to the “toks registers” the content of the clists with a L3-like syntax.

```
260 \exp_args:NV \PitonDetectedCommands \l_@@_detected_commands_clist
261 \exp_args:NV \PitonRawDetectedCommands \l_@@_raw_detected_commands_clist
262 \exp_args:NV \PitonBeamerCommands \l_@@_beamer_commands_clist
263 \exp_args:NV \PitonBeamerEnvironments \l_@@_beamer_environments_clist
264 }
```

Then at the beginning of the document, when we will load the Lua file `piton.lua`, we will read those “toks registers” within Lua (with `tex.toks`) and convert them into Lua tables (and, then, use those tables to construct LPEG).

#### 10.2.4 Treatment of a line of code

```
265 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_replace_spaces:n #1
266 {
267     \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { #1 }
268     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
269     {
270         \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_space_in_string_tl { \u } % U+2423
271         \tl_replace_all:NVN \l_tmpa_tl \c_catcode_other_space_tl { \u } % U+2423
272     }
273 }
```

If the key `break-lines-in-Piton` is in force, we replace all the characters U+0020 (that is to say the spaces) by `\@@_breakable_space:`. Remark that, except the spaces inserted in the LaTeX comments (and maybe in the math comments), all these spaces are of catcode “other” (=12) and are unbreakable.

```
274     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
275     {
276         \tl_if_eq:NnF \l_@@_space_in_string_tl { \u }
277             { \tl_set_eq:NN \l_@@_space_in_string_tl \@@_breakable_space: }
```

In the following code, we have to replace all the spaces in the token list `\l_tmpa_tl`. That means that this replacement must be “recursive”: even the spaces which are within brace groups (`{...}`) must be replaced. For instance, the spaces in long strings of Python are within such groups since there are within a command `\PitonStyle{String.Long}{...}`. That’s why the use of `\tl_replace_all:Nnn` is not enough.

The first implementation was using `\regex_replace_all:nnN`  
`\regex_replace_all:nnN { \x20 } { \c { @@_breakable_space: } } \l_tmpa_tl`  
but that programmation was certainly slow.

Now, we use `\tl_replace_all:NVN` but, in the styles `String.Long.Internal` we replace the spaces with `\@@_breakable_space:` by another use of the same technic with `\tl_replace_all:NVN`. We do the same jog for the *doc strings* of Python.

```
278     \tl_replace_all:NVN \l_tmpa_tl
279         \c_catcode_other_space_tl
280         \@@_breakable_space:
281     }
282 }
283 \l_tmpa_tl
284 }
285 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_replace_spaces:n { o }
```

In the contents provided by Lua, each line of the Python code will be surrounded by `\@@_begin_line:` and `\@@_end_line::`.

\@\_begin\_line: is a TeX command with a delimited argument (\@\_end\_line: is the marker for the end of the argument).

However, we define also \@\_end\_line: as no-op, because, when the last line of the listing is the end of an environment of Beamer (eg \end{uncoverenv}), we will have a token \@\_end\_line: added at the end without any corresponding \@\_begin\_line:).

```
286 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_end_line: { }

287 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_begin_line: #1 \@@_end_line:
288 {
289     \group_begin:
290     \g_@@_begin_line_hook_tl
291     \int_gzero:N \g_@@_indentation_int
```

First, we will put in the coffin \l\_tmpa\_coffin the actual content of a line of the code (without the potential number of line).

Be careful: There is curryingification in the following code.

```
292 \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_width_min_bool
293 {
```

The case with \@\_put\_in\_coffin\_iii:n is not mandatory: we have written that special case only to avoid to write the width of the environment on the aux file (therefore, we avoid a further compilation).

```
294     \clist_if_empty:NTF \l_@@_bg_color_clist
295         \@@_put_in_coffin_iii:n
296         \@@_put_in_coffin_ii:n
297     }
298     \@@_put_in_coffin_i:n
299     {
300         \language = -1
301         \raggedright
302         \strut
303         \@@_replace_spaces:n { #1 }
304         \strut \hfil
305     }
```

Now, we add the potential number of line, the potential left margin and the potential background.

```
306 \hbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box
307 {
308     \skip_horizontal:N \l_@@_left_margin_dim
309     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
310     {
```

\l\_tmpa\_int will be equal to 1 when the current line is not empty.

```
311 \int_set:Nn \l_tmpa_int
312 {
313     \lua_now:e
314     {
315         tex.print
316         (
317             luatexbase.catcodetables.expl ,
```

Since the argument of `tostring` will be a integer of Lua (`integer` is a sub-type of `number` introduced in Lua 5.3), the output will be of the form "3" (and not "3.0") which is what we want for \int\_set:Nn.

```
318     tostring
319         ( piton.empty_lines
320             [ \int_eval:n { \g_@@_line_int + 1 } ]
321         )
322     )
323 }
325 \bool_lazy_or:nnT
326 { \int_compare_p:nNn \l_tmpa_int = \c_one_int }
327 { ! \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool }
328 { \int_gincr:N \g_@@_visual_line_int }
329 \bool_lazy_or:nnT
330 { \int_compare_p:nNn \l_tmpa_int = \c_one_int }
```

```

331     { ! \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool && \l_@@_label_empty_lines_bool }
332     \@@_print_number:
333 }

```

If there is a background, we must remind that there is a left margin of 0.5 em for the background...

```

334     \clist_if_empty:NF \l_@@_bg_color_clist
335     {
... but if only if the key left-margin is not used !
336         \dim_compare:nNnT \l_@@_left_margin_dim = \c_zero_dim
337             { \skip_horizontal:n { 0.5 em } }
338         }
339         \coffin_typeset:Nnnnn \l_tmpa_coffin T l \c_zero_dim \c_zero_dim
340     }
341     \box_set_dp:Nn \l_tmpa_box { \box_dp:N \l_tmpa_box + 1.25 pt }
342     \box_set_ht:Nn \l_tmpa_box { \box_ht:N \l_tmpa_box + 1.25 pt }

```

We have to explicitly begin a paragraph because we will insert a TeX box (and we don't want that box to be inserted in the vertical list).

```

343     \mode_leave_vertical:
344     \clist_if_empty:NTF \l_@@_bg_color_clist
345     { \box_use_drop:N \l_tmpa_box }
346     {
347         \vtop
348         {
349             \hbox:n
350             {
351                 \@@_color:N \l_@@_bg_color_clist
352                 \vrule height \box_ht:N \l_tmpa_box
353                     depth \box_dp:N \l_tmpa_box
354                     width \l_@@_width_dim
355             }
356             \skip_vertical:n { - \box_ht_plus_dp:N \l_tmpa_box }
357             \box_use_drop:N \l_tmpa_box
358         }
359     }
360     \group_end:
361     \tl_gclear:N \g_@@_begin_line_hook_tl
362 }

```

In the general case (which is also the simpler), the key `width` is not used, or (if used) it is not used with the special value `min`. In that case, the content of a line of code is composed in a vertical coffin with a width equal to `\l_@@_line_width_dim`. That coffin may, eventually, contains several lines when the key `break-lines-in-Piton` (or `break-lines`) is used.

That command takes in its argument by currying.

```

363 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_put_in_coffin_i:n
364     { \vcoffin_set:Nn \l_tmpa_coffin \l_@@_line_width_dim }

```

The second case is the case when the key `width` is used with the special value `min`.

```

365 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_put_in_coffin_i:i:n #1
366     {

```

First, we compute the natural width of the line of code because we have to compute the natural width of the whole listing (and it will be written on the aux file in the variable `\l_@@_width_dim`).

```

367     \hbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box { #1 }

```

Now, you can actualize the value of `\g_@@_tmp_width_dim` (it will be used to write on the aux file the natural width of the environment).

```

368     \dim_compare:nNnT { \box_wd:N \l_tmpa_box } > \g_@@_tmp_width_dim
369         { \dim_gset:Nn \g_@@_tmp_width_dim { \box_wd:N \l_tmpa_box } }
370     \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_tmpa_coffin
371         {
372             \hbox_to_wd:nn \l_@@_line_width_dim

```

We unpack the block in order to free the potential `\hfill` springs present in the LaTeX comments (cf. section 8.2, p. 25).

```

373     { \hbox_unpack:N \l_tmpa_box \hfil }
374   }
375 }

```

For a very special case where both conditions are met:

- the key `width` is used with the value `min`;
- there is no colored background (at least, provided by piton: of course, the final user may put the listing in a colored box provided by another tool).

We have a special treatment for that case only to avoid to have to write something on the `aux` file (and therefore, we avoid a further compilation).

```

376 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_put_in_coffin_iii:n #1
377   { \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_tmpa_coffin { \hbox:n { #1 } } }

```

The command `\@@_color:N` will take in as argument a reference to a comma-separated list of colors. A color will be picked by using the value of `\g_@@_line_int` (modulo the number of colors in the list).

```

378 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_color:N #1
379   {
380     \int_set:Nn \l_tmpa_int { \clist_count:N #1 }
381     \int_set:Nn \l_tmpb_int { \int_mod:nn \g_@@_line_int \l_tmpa_int + 1 }
382     \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_tl { \clist_item:Nn #1 \l_tmpb_int }
383     \tl_if_eq:NnTF \l_tmpa_tl { none }

```

By setting `\l_@@_width_dim` to zero, the colored rectangle will be drawn with zero width and, thus, it will be a mere strut (and we need that strut).

```

384   { \dim_zero:N \l_@@_width_dim }
385   { \@@_color_i:o \l_tmpa_tl }
386 }

```

The following command `\@@_color:n` will accept both the instruction `\@@_color:n { red!15 }` and the instruction `\@@_color:n { [rgb]{0.9,0.9,0} }`.

```

387 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_color_i:n #1
388   {
389     \tl_if_head_eq_meaning:nNTF { #1 } [
390       {
391         \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { #1 }
392         \tl_set_rescan:Nno \l_tmpa_tl { } \l_tmpa_tl
393         \exp_last_unbraced:No \color \l_tmpa_tl
394       }
395       { \color { #1 } }
396     ]
397 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_color_i:n { o }

```

The command `\@@_newline:` will be inserted by Lua between two lines of the informatic listing.

- In fact, it will be inserted between two commands `\@@_begin_line:... \@@_end_of_line::`.
- When the key `break-lines-in-Piton` is in force, a line of the informatic code (the *input*) may result in several lines in the PDF (the *output*).
- Remind that `\@@_newline:` has a rather complex behaviour because it will finish and start paragraphs.

```

398 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_newline:
399   {
400     \bool_if:NT \g_@@_footnote_bool \endsavenotes

```

We recall that `\g_@@_line_int` is *not* used for the number of line printed in the PDF (when `line-numbers` is in force)...

```

401   \int_gincr:N \g_@@_line_int

```

... it will be used to allow or disallow page breaks.

Each line in the listing is composed in a box of TeX (which may contain several lines when the key `break-lines-in-Piton` is in force) put in a paragraph.

```
402 \par
```

We now add a `\kern` because each line of code is overlapping vertically by a quantity of 2.5 pt in order to have a good background (when `background-color` is in force). We need to use a `\kern` (in fact `\par\kern...`) and not a `\vskip` because page breaks should *not* be allowed on that kern.

```
403 \kern -2.5 pt
```

Now, we control page breaks after the paragraph. We use the Lua table `piton.lines_status` which has been written by `piton.ComputeLinesStatus` for this aim. Each line has a “status” (equal to 0, 1 or 2) and that status directly says whether a break is allowed.

```
404 \int_case:nn
405 {
406   \lua_now:e
407   {
408     tex.sprint
409     (
410       luatexbase.catcodetablesexpl ,
411       tostring ( piton.lines_status [ \int_use:N \g_@@_line_int ] )
412     )
413   }
414 }
415 { 1 { \penalty 100 } 2 \nobreak }
416 \bool_if:NT \g_@@_footnote_bool \savenotes
417 }
```

After the command `\@@_newline:`, we will usually have a command `\@@_begin_line::`.

The following command `\@@_breakable_space:` is for breakable spaces in the environments {Piton} and the listings of `\PitonInputFile` and *not* for the commands `\piton`.

```
418 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_breakable_space:
419 {
420   \discretionary
421   { \hbox:n { \color { gray } \l_@@_end_of_broken_line_tl } }
422   {
423     \hbox_overlap_left:n
424     {
425       {
426         \normalfont \footnotesize \color { gray }
427         \l_@@_continuation_symbol_tl
428       }
429       \skip_horizontal:n { 0.3 em }
430       \clist_if_empty:NF \l_@@_bg_color_clist
431         { \skip_horizontal:n { 0.5 em } }
432     }
433   \bool_if:NT \l_@@_indent_broken_lines_bool
434   {
435     \hbox:n
436     {
437       \prg_replicate:nn { \g_@@_indentation_int } { ~ }
438       { \color { gray } \l_@@_csoi_tl }
439     }
440   }
441 }
442 { \hbox { ~ } }
```

### 10.2.5 PitonOptions

```

444 \bool_new:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
445 \bool_new:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool
446 \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool
447 \bool_new:N \l_@@_line_numbers_absolute_bool
448 \tl_new:N \l_@@_line_numbers_format_bool
449 \tl_new:N \l_@@_line_numbers_format_tl
450 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_line_numbers_format_tl { \footnotesize \color{gray} }
451 \bool_new:N \l_@@_label_empty_lines_bool
452 \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_label_empty_lines_bool
453 \int_new:N \l_@@_number_lines_start_int
454 \bool_new:N \l_@@_resume_bool
455 \bool_new:N \l_@@_split_on_empty_lines_bool
456 \bool_new:N \l_@@_splittable_on_empty_lines_bool

457 \keys_define:nn { PitonOptions / marker }
458 {
459   beginning .code:n = \cs_set:Nn \marker_beginning:n { #1 } ,
460   beginning .value_required:n = true ,
461   end .code:n = \cs_set:Nn \marker_end:n { #1 } ,
462   end .value_required:n = true ,
463   include-lines .bool_set:N = \marker_include_lines_bool ,
464   include-lines .default:n = true ,
465   unknown .code:n = \error:n { Unknown-key-for-marker }
466 }

467 \keys_define:nn { PitonOptions / line-numbers }
468 {
469   true .code:n = \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool ,
470   false .code:n = \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool ,
471
472   start .code:n =
473     \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
474     \int_set:Nn \l_@@_number_lines_start_int { #1 } ,
475   start .value_required:n = true ,
476
477   skip-empty-lines .code:n =
478     \bool_if:NF \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
479       { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool }
480     \str_if_eq:nnTF { #1 } { false }
481       { \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool }
482       { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool } ,
483   skip-empty-lines .default:n = true ,
484
485   label-empty-lines .code:n =
486     \bool_if:NF \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
487       { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool }
488     \str_if_eq:nnTF { #1 } { false }
489       { \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_label_empty_lines_bool }
490       { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_label_empty_lines_bool } ,
491   label-empty-lines .default:n = true ,
492
493   absolute .code:n =
494     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
495       { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_absolute_bool }
496       { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool }
497     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_in_PitonInputFile_bool
498       {
499         \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_absolute_bool
500         \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool
501       } ,
502   absolute .value_forbidden:n = true ,

```

```

503 resume .code:n =
504   \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_resume_bool
505   \bool_if:NF \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
506     { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool } ,
507 resume .value_forbidden:n = true ,
508
509 sep .dim_set:N = \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim ,
510 sep .value_required:n = true ,
511
512 format .tl_set:N = \l_@@_line_numbers_format_tl ,
513 format .value_required:n = true ,
514
515 unknown .code:n = \@@_error:n { Unknown-key-for-line-numbers }
516
517 }

```

Be careful! The name of the following set of keys must be considered as public! Hence, it should *not* be changed.

```

518 \keys_define:nn { PitonOptions }
519 {
520   break-strings-anywhere .bool_set:N = \l_@@_break_strings_anywhere_bool ,
521   break-strings-anywhere .default:n = true ,
522   break-numbers-anywhere .bool_set:N = \l_@@_break_numbers_anywhere_bool ,
523   break-numbers-anywhere .default:n = true ,

```

First, we put keys that should be available only in the preamble.

```

524 detected-commands .code:n =
525   \clist_put_right:Nn \l_@@_detected_commands_clist { #1 } ,
526 detected-commands .value_required:n = true ,
527 detected-commands .usage:n = preamble ,
528 raw-detected-commands .code:n =
529   \clist_put_right:Nn \l_@@_raw_detected_commands_clist { #1 } ,
530 raw-detected-commands .value_required:n = true ,
531 raw-detected-commands .usage:n = preamble ,
532 detected-beamer-commands .code:n =
533   \@@_error_if_not_in_beamer:
534   \clist_put_right:Nn \l_@@_beamer_commands_clist { #1 } ,
535 detected-beamer-commands .value_required:n = true ,
536 detected-beamer-commands .usage:n = preamble ,
537 detected-beamer-environments .code:n =
538   \@@_error_if_not_in_beamer:
539   \clist_put_right:Nn \l_@@_beamer_environments_clist { #1 } ,
540 detected-beamer-environments .value_required:n = true ,
541 detected-beamer-environments .usage:n = preamble ,

```

Remark that the command `\lua_escape:n` is fully expandable. That's why we use `\lua_now:e`.

```

542 begin-escape .code:n =
543   \lua_now:e { piton.begin_escape = "\lua_escape:n{#1}" } ,
544 begin-escape .value_required:n = true ,
545 begin-escape .usage:n = preamble ,
546
547 end-escape .code:n =
548   \lua_now:e { piton.end_escape = "\lua_escape:n{#1}" } ,
549 end-escape .value_required:n = true ,
550 end-escape .usage:n = preamble ,
551
552 begin-escape-math .code:n =
553   \lua_now:e { piton.begin_escape_math = "\lua_escape:n{#1}" } ,
554 begin-escape-math .value_required:n = true ,
555 begin-escape-math .usage:n = preamble ,
556
557 end-escape-math .code:n =
558   \lua_now:e { piton.end_escape_math = "\lua_escape:n{#1}" } ,
559 end-escape-math .value_required:n = true ,

```

```

560 end-escape-math .usage:n = preamble ,
561
562 comment-latex .code:n = \lua_now:n { comment_latex = "#1" } ,
563 comment-latex .value_required:n = true ,
564 comment-latex .usage:n = preamble ,
565
566 math-comments .bool_gset:N = \g_@@_math_comments_bool ,
567 math-comments .default:n = true ,
568 math-comments .usage:n = preamble ,

```

Now, general keys.

```

569 language .code:n =
570   \str_set:Nc \l_piton_language_str { \str_lowercase:n { #1 } } ,
571 language .value_required:n = true ,
572 path .code:n =
573   \seq_clear:N \l_@@_path_seq
574   \clist_map_inline:nn { #1 }
575   {
576     \str_set:Nn \l_tmpa_str { ##1 }
577     \seq_put_right:No \l_@@_path_seq { \l_tmpa_str }
578   } ,
579 path .value_required:n = true ,

```

The initial value of the key path is not empty: it's ., that is to say a comma separated list with only one component which is ., the current directory.

```

580 path .initial:n = . ,
581 path-write .str_set:N = \l_@@_path_write_str ,
582 path-write .value_required:n = true ,
583 font-command .tl_set:N = \l_@@_font_command_tl ,
584 font-command .value_required:n = true ,
585 gobble .int_set:N = \l_@@_gobble_int ,
586 gobble .default:n = -1 ,
587 auto-gobble .code:n = \int_set:Nn \l_@@_gobble_int { -1 } ,
588 auto-gobble .value_forbidden:n = true ,
589 env-gobble .code:n = \int_set:Nn \l_@@_gobble_int { -2 } ,
590 env-gobble .value_forbidden:n = true ,
591 tabs-auto-gobble .code:n = \int_set:Nn \l_@@_gobble_int { -3 } ,
592 tabs-auto-gobble .value_forbidden:n = true ,
593
594 splittable-on-empty-lines .bool_set:N = \l_@@_splittable_on_empty_lines_bool ,
595 splittable-on-empty-lines .default:n = true ,
596
597 split-on-empty-lines .bool_set:N = \l_@@_split_on_empty_lines_bool ,
598 split-on-empty-lines .default:n = true ,
599
600 split-separation .tl_set:N = \l_@@_split_separation_tl ,
601 split-separation .value_required:n = true ,
602
603 marker .code:n =
604   \bool_lazy_or:nnTF
605     \l_@@_in_PitonInputFile_bool
606     \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
607     { \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions / marker } { #1 } }
608     { \@@_error:n { Invalid-key } } ,
609 marker .value_required:n = true ,
610
611 line-numbers .code:n =
612   \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions / line-numbers } { #1 } ,
613 line-numbers .default:n = true ,
614
615 splittable .int_set:N = \l_@@_splittable_int ,
616 splittable .default:n = 1 ,
617 background-color .clist_set:N = \l_@@_bg_color_clist ,
618 background-color .value_required:n = true ,

```

```

619   prompt-background-color .tl_set:N      = \l_@@_prompt_bg_color_tl ,
620   prompt-background-color .value_required:n = true ,
621 % \end{macrocode}
622 % With the tuning |write=false|, the content of the environment won't be parsed
623 % and won't be printed on the \textsc{pdf}. However, the Lua variables |piton.last_code|
624 % and |piton.last_language| will be set (and, hence, |piton.get_last_code| will be
625 % operationnal). The keys |join| and |write| will be honoured.
626 % \begin{macrocode}
627   print .bool_set:N = \l_@@_print_bool ,
628   print .value_required:n = true ,
629
630   width .code:n =
631     \str_if_eq:nnTF { #1 } { min }
632     {
633       \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_width_min_bool
634       \dim_zero:N \l_@@_width_dim
635     }
636     {
637       \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_width_min_bool
638       \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_width_dim { #1 }
639     } ,
640   width .value_required:n = true ,
641
642   write .str_set:N = \l_@@_write_str ,
643   write .value_required:n = true ,
644 % \end{macrocode}
645 % For the key |join|, we convert immediatly the value of the key in utf16
646 % (with the \text{bom} big endian that will be automatically inserted)
647 % written in hexadecimal (what L3 calls the \emph{escaping}). Indeed, we will
648 % have to write that value in the key |/UF| of a |/Filespec| (between angular
649 % brackets |<| and |>| since it is in hexadecimal). It's prudent to do that
650 % conversion right now since that value will transit by the Lua of LuaTeX.
651 % \begin{macrocode}
652 join .code:n
653   = \str_set_convert:Nnnn \l_@@_join_str { #1 } { } { utf16/hex } ,
654 join .value_required:n = true ,
655
656 left-margin .code:n =
657   \str_if_eq:nnTF { #1 } { auto }
658   {
659     \dim_zero:N \l_@@_left_margin_dim
660     \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_left_margin_auto_bool
661   }
662   {
663     \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_left_margin_dim { #1 }
664     \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_left_margin_auto_bool
665   } ,
666 left-margin .value_required:n = true ,
667
668 tab-size .int_set:N      = \l_@@_tab_size_int ,
669 tab-size .value_required:n = true ,
670 show-spaces .bool_set:N   = \l_@@_show_spaces_bool ,
671 show-spaces .value_forbidden:n = true ,
672 show-spaces-in-strings .code:n =
673   \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_space_in_string_tl { \u{2423} } , % U+2423
674 show-spaces-in-strings .value_forbidden:n = true ,
675 break-lines-in-Piton .bool_set:N   = \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool ,
676 break-lines-in-Piton .default:n    = true ,
677 break-lines-in-piton .bool_set:N   = \l_@@_break_lines_in_piton_bool ,
678 break-lines-in-piton .default:n    = true ,
679 break-lines .meta:n = { break-lines-in-piton , break-lines-in-Piton } ,
680 break-lines .value_forbidden:n    = true ,
681 indent-broken-lines .bool_set:N   = \l_@@_indent_broken_lines_bool ,

```

```

682 indent-broken-lines .default:n      = true ,
683 end-of-broken-line .tl_set:N       = \l_@@_end_of_broken_line_tl ,
684 end-of-broken-line .value_required:n = true ,
685 continuation-symbol .tl_set:N     = \l_@@_continuation_symbol_tl ,
686 continuation-symbol .value_required:n = true ,
687 continuation-symbol-on-indentation .tl_set:N = \l_@@_csoi_tl ,
688 continuation-symbol-on-indentation .value_required:n = true ,
689
690 first-line .code:n = \@@_in_PitonInputFile:n
691   { \int_set:Nn \l_@@_first_line_int { #1 } } ,
692 first-line .value_required:n = true ,
693
694 last-line .code:n = \@@_in_PitonInputFile:n
695   { \int_set:Nn \l_@@_last_line_int { #1 } } ,
696 last-line .value_required:n = true ,
697
698 begin-range .code:n = \@@_in_PitonInputFile:n
699   { \str_set:Nn \l_@@_begin_range_str { #1 } } ,
700 begin-range .value_required:n = true ,
701
702 end-range .code:n = \@@_in_PitonInputFile:n
703   { \str_set:Nn \l_@@_end_range_str { #1 } } ,
704 end-range .value_required:n = true ,
705
706 range .code:n = \@@_in_PitonInputFile:n
707   {
708     \str_set:Nn \l_@@_begin_range_str { #1 }
709     \str_set:Nn \l_@@_end_range_str { #1 }
710   },
711 range .value_required:n = true ,
712
713 env-used-by-split .code:n =
714   \lua_now:n { piton.env_used_by_split = '#1' } ,
715 env-used-by-split .initial:n = Piton ,
716
717 resume .meta:n = line-numbers/resume ,
718
719 unknown .code:n = \@@_error:n { Unknown-key~for~PitonOptions } ,
720
721 % deprecated
722 all-line-numbers .code:n =
723   \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
724   \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool ,
725 }

726 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_in_PitonInputFile:n #1
727   {
728     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_in_PitonInputFile_bool
729       { #1 }
730       { \@@_error:n { Invalid~key } }
731   }

732 \NewDocumentCommand \PitonOptions { m }
733   {
734     \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
735     \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions } { #1 }
736     \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
737   }

```

When using `\NewPitonEnvironment` a user may use `\PitonOptions` inside. However, the set of keys available should be different than in standard `\PitonOptions`. That's why we define a version of `\PitonOptions` with no restriction on the set of available keys and we will link that version to `\PitonOptions` in such environment.

```

738 \NewDocumentCommand \@@_fake_PitonOptions { }
739   { \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions } }

```

### 10.2.6 The numbers of the lines

The following counter will be used to count the lines in the code when the user requires the numbers of the lines to be printed (with `line-numbers`) whereas the counter `\g_@@_line_int` previously defined is *not* used for that functionality.

```

740 \int_new:N \g_@@_visual_line_int
741 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_incr_visual_line:
742 {
743   \bool_if:NF \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool
744     { \int_gincr:N \g_@@_visual_line_int }
745 }
746 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_print_number:
747 {
748   \hbox_overlap_left:n
749   {
750     \l_@@_line_numbers_format_tl
751   }

```

We put braces. Thus, the user may use the key `line-numbers/format` with a value such as `\fbox`.

```

752   { \int_to_arabic:n \g_@@_visual_line_int }
753 }
754 \skip_horizontal:N \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim
755 }
756 }

```

### 10.2.7 The command to write on the aux file

```

757 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_write_aux:
758 {
759   \tl_if_empty:NF \g_@@_aux_tl
760   {
761     \iow_now:Nn \mainaux { \ExplSyntaxOn }
762     \iow_now:Ne \mainaux
763     {
764       \tl_gset:cn { c_@@_ \int_use:N \g_@@_env_int _ tl }
765       { \exp_not:o \g_@@_aux_tl }
766     }
767     \iow_now:Nn \mainaux { \ExplSyntaxOff }
768   }
769   \tl_gclear:N \g_@@_aux_tl
770 }

```

The following macro will be used only when the key `width` is used with the special value `min`.

```

771 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_width_to_aux:
772 {
773   \tl_gput_right:Ne \g_@@_aux_tl
774   {
775     \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_line_width_dim
776     { \dim_eval:n { \g_@@_tmp_width_dim } }
777   }
778 }

```

### 10.2.8 The main commands and environments for the final user

```

779 \NewDocumentCommand { \NewPitonLanguage } { O{ } m ! o }
780   {

```

```

781     \tl_if_novalue:nTF { #3 }
782     { \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnn { #1 } { #2 } }
783     { \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnnn { #1 } { #2 } { #3 } }
784 }
```

The following property list will contain the definitions of the informatic languages as provided by the final user. However, if a language is defined over another base language, the corresponding list will contain the *whole* definition of the language.

```

785 \prop_new:N \g_@@_languages_prop
786 \keys_define:nn { NewPitonLanguage }
787 {
788     morekeywords .code:n = ,
789     otherkeywords .code:n = ,
790     sensitive .code:n = ,
791     keywordsprefix .code:n = ,
792     moretexcs .code:n = ,
793     morestring .code:n = ,
794     morecomment .code:n = ,
795     moredelim .code:n = ,
796     moredirectives .code:n = ,
797     tag .code:n = ,
798     alsodigit .code:n = ,
799     alsoletter .code:n = ,
800     alsoother .code:n = ,
801     unknown .code:n = \@@_error:n { Unknown~key~NewPitonLanguage }
802 }
```

The function `\@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnn` will be used when the language is *not* defined above a base language (and a base dialect).

```

803 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnn #1 #2 #3
804 {
```

We store in `\l_tmpa_tl` the name of the language with the potential dialect, that is to say, for example : [AspectJ]{Java}. We use `\tl_if_blank:nF` because the final user may have written `\NewPitonLanguage[ ]{Java}{...}`.

```

805 \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_tl
806 {
807     \tl_if_blank:nF { #1 } { [ \str_lowercase:n { #1 } ] }
808     \str_lowercase:n { #2 }
809 }
```

The following set of keys is only used to raise an error when a key is unknown!

```

810 \keys_set:nn { NewPitonLanguage } { #3 }
```

We store in LaTeX the definition of the language because some languages may be defined with that language as base language.

```

811 \prop_gput:Non \g_@@_languages_prop \l_tmpa_tl { #3 }
```

The Lua part of the package `piton` will be loaded in a `\AtBeginDocument`. Hence, we will put also in a `\AtBeginDocument` the utilisation of the Lua function `piton.new_language` (which does the main job).

```

812     \@@_NewPitonLanguage:on \l_tmpa_tl { #3 }
813 }
814 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nn #1 #2
815 {
816     \hook_gput_code:nnn { begindocument } { . }
817     { \lua_now:e { piton.new_language("#1", "\lua_escape:n{#2}") } }
818 }
819 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nn { o }
```

Now the case when the language is defined upon a base language.

```
820 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnnn #1 #2 #3 #4 #5
821 {
```

We store in `\l_tmpa_tl` the name of the base language with the dialect, that is to say, for example : `[AspectJ]{Java}`. We use `\tl_if_blank:nF` because the final user may have used `\NewPitonLanguage[Handel]{C}[]{}{...}`

```
822 \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_tl
823 {
824     \tl_if_blank:nF { #3 } { [ \str_lowercase:n { #3 } ] }
825     \str_lowercase:n { #4 }
826 }
```

We retrieve in `\l_tmpb_tl` the definition (as provided by the final user) of that base language. Caution: `\g_@@_languages_prop` does not contain all the languages provided by piton but only those defined by using `\NewPitonLanguage`.

```
827 \prop_get:NoNTF \g_@@_languages_prop \l_tmpa_tl \l_tmpb_tl
```

We can now define the new language by using the previous function.

```
828 { \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnno { #1 } { #2 } { #5 } \l_tmpb_tl }
829 { \@@_error:n { Language-not-defined } }
830 }
```

```
831 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnnn #1 #2 #3 #4
```

In the following line, we write `#4, #3` and not `#3, #4` because we want that the keys which correspond to base language appear before the keys which are added in the language we define.

```
832 { \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnn { #1 } { #2 } { #4 , #3 } }
833 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnnn { n n n o }

834 \NewDocumentCommand { \piton } { }
835 { \peek_meaning:NTF \bgroup { \@@_piton_standard } { \@@_piton_verbatim } }

836 \NewDocumentCommand { \@@_piton_standard } { m }
837 {
838     \group_begin:
839     \tl_if_eq:NnF \l_@@_space_in_string_tl { \u }
840     {
```

Remind that, when `break-strings-anywhere` is in force, multiple commands `\-` will be inserted between the characters of the string to allow the breaks. The `\exp_not:N` before `\space` is mandatory.

```
841 \bool_lazy_or:nnT
842     \l_@@_break_lines_in_piton_bool
843     \l_@@_break_strings_anywhere_bool
844     { \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_space_in_string_tl { \exp_not:N \space } }
845 }
```

The following tuning of LuaTeX in order to avoid all breaks of lines on the hyphens.

```
846 \automatichyphenmode = 1
```

Remark that the argument of `\piton` (with the normal syntax) is expanded in the TeX sens, (see the `\tl_set:Ne` below) and that's why we can provide the following escapes to the final user:

```
847 \cs_set_eq:NN \\ \c_backslash_str
848 \cs_set_eq:NN \% \c_percent_str
849 \cs_set_eq:NN \{ \c_left_brace_str
850 \cs_set_eq:NN \} \c_right_brace_str
851 \cs_set_eq:NN \$ \c_dollar_str
```

The standard command `\u` is *not* expandable and we need here expandable commands. With the following code, we define an expandable command.

```
852 \cs_set_eq:cN { ~ } \space
853 \cs_set_eq:NN \@@_begin_line: \prg_do_nothing:
854 \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_tl
855 {
856     \lua_now:e
857     { \piton.ParseBis('l_piton_language_str',token.scan_string()) }
```

```

858     { #1 }
859   }
860 \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
861   { \tl_replace_all:NVN \l_tmpa_tl \c_catcode_other_space_tl { \ } } % U+2423
862   {
863     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_break_lines_in_piton_bool

```

With the following line, the spaces of catacode 12 (which were not breakable) are replaced by `\space`, and, thus, become breakable.

```

864   { \tl_replace_all:NVN \l_tmpa_tl \c_catcode_other_space_tl \space }
865 }

```

The command `\text` is provided by the package `amstext` (loaded by `piton`).

```

866 \if_mode_math:
867   \text { \l_@@_font_command_t1 \l_tmpa_t1 }
868 \else:
869   \l_@@_font_command_t1 \l_tmpa_t1
870 \fi:
871 \group_end:
872 }

873 \NewDocumentCommand { \@@_piton_verbatim } { v }
874 {
875   \group_begin:
876   \automatichyphenmode = 1
877   \cs_set_eq:NN \@@_begin_line: \prg_do_nothing:
878   \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_t1
879   {
880     \lua_now:e
881     { piton.Parse('l_piton_language_str',token.scan_string()) }
882     { #1 }
883   }
884 \bool_if:NT \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
885   { \tl_replace_all:NVN \l_tmpa_t1 \c_catcode_other_space_tl { \ } } % U+2423
886 \if_mode_math:
887   \text { \l_@@_font_command_t1 \l_tmpa_t1 }
888 \else:
889   \l_@@_font_command_t1 \l_tmpa_t1
890 \fi:
891 \group_end:
892 }

```

The following command does *not* correspond to a user command. It will be used when we will have to “rescan” some chunks of informatic code. For example, it will be the initial value of the Piton style `InitialValues` (the default values of the arguments of a Python function).

```

893 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_piton:n #1
894   { \tl_if_blank:nF { #1 } { \@@_piton_i:n { #1 } } }
895
896 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_piton_i:n #1
897   {
898     \group_begin:
899     \cs_set_eq:NN \@@_begin_line: \prg_do_nothing:
900     \cs_set:cpn { pitonStyle _ \l_piton_language_str _ Prompt } { }
901     \cs_set:cpn { pitonStyle _ Prompt } { }
902     \cs_set_eq:NN \@@_trailing_space: \space
903     \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_t1
904     {
905       \lua_now:e
906       { piton.ParseTer('l_piton_language_str',token.scan_string()) }
907       { #1 }
908     }
909   \bool_if:NT \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
910   { \tl_replace_all:NVN \l_tmpa_t1 \c_catcode_other_space_tl { \ } } % U+2423

```

```

911   \@@_replace_spaces:o \l_tmpa_tl
912   \group_end:
913 }

```

Despite its name, `\@@_pre_env:` will be used both in `\PitonInputFile` and in the environments such as `{Piton}`.

```

914 \cs_new:Npn \@@_pre_env:
915 {
916   \automatichyphenmode = 1
917   \int_gincr:N \g_@@_env_int
918   \tl_gclear:N \g_@@_aux_tl
919   \dim_compare:nNnT \l_@@_width_dim = \c_zero_dim
920     { \dim_set_eq:NN \l_@@_width_dim \linewidth }

```

We read the information written on the `aux` file by a previous run (when the key `width` is used with the special value `min`). At this time, the only potential information written on the `aux` file is the value of `\l_@@_line_width_dim` when the key `width` has been used with the special value `min`).

```

921 \cs_if_exist_use:c { c_@_ \int_use:N \g_@@_env_int _ tl }
922 \bool_if:NF \l_@@_resume_bool { \int_gzero:N \g_@@_visual_line_int }
923 \dim_gzero:N \g_@@_tmp_width_dim
924 \int_gzero:N \g_@@_line_int
925 \dim_zero:N \parindent
926 \dim_zero:N \lineskip
927 \cs_set_eq:NN \label \@@_label:n
928 \dim_zero:N \parskip
929 \l_@@_font_command_tl
930 }

```

If the final user has used both `left-margin=auto` and `line-numbers`, we have to compute the width of the maximal number of lines at the end of the environment to fix the correct value to `left-margin`. The first argument of the following function is the name of the Lua function that will be applied to the second argument in order to count the number of lines.

```

931 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_compute_left_margin:nn #1 #2
932 {
933   \bool_lazy_and:nnT \l_@@_left_margin_auto_bool \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
934   {
935     \hbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box
936     {
937       \l_@@_line_numbers_format_tl
938       \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool
939       {
940         \lua_now:n
941           { piton.#1(token.scan_argument()) }
942           { #2 }
943         \int_to_arabic:n
944           { \g_@@_visual_line_int + \l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int }
945       }
946       {
947         \int_to_arabic:n
948           { \g_@@_visual_line_int + \l_@@_nb_lines_int }
949       }
950     }
951     \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_left_margin_dim
952       { \box_wd:N \l_tmpa_box + \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim + 0.1 em }
953   }
954 }
955 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_compute_left_margin:nn { n o }

```

Whereas `\l_@@_width_dim` is the width of the environment, `\l_@@_line_width_dim` is the width of the lines of code without the potential margins for the numbers of lines and the background. Depending on the case, you have to compute `\l_@@_line_width_dim` from `\l_@@_width_dim` or we have to do the opposite.

```

956 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_compute_width:
957 {
958     \dim_compare:nNnTF \l_@@_line_width_dim = \c_zero_dim
959     {
960         \dim_set_eq:NN \l_@@_line_width_dim \l_@@_width_dim
961         \clist_if_empty:NTF \l_@@_bg_color_clist

```

If there is no background, we only subtract the left margin.

```
962         { \dim_sub:Nn \l_@@_line_width_dim \l_@@_left_margin_dim }
```

If there is a background, we subtract 0.5 em for the margin on the right.

```
963         {
964             \dim_sub:Nn \l_@@_line_width_dim { 0.5 em }
```

And we subtract also for the left margin. If the key `left-margin` has been used (with a numerical value or with the special value `min`), `\l_@@_left_margin_dim` has a non-zero value<sup>35</sup> and we use that value. Elsewhere, we use a value of 0.5 em.

```
965         \dim_compare:nNnTF \l_@@_left_margin_dim = \c_zero_dim
966             { \dim_sub:Nn \l_@@_line_width_dim { 0.5 em } }
967             { \dim_sub:Nn \l_@@_line_width_dim \l_@@_left_margin_dim }
968         }
969     }
```

If `\l_@@_line_width_dim` has yet a non-zero value, that means that it has been read in the aux file: it has been written by a previous run because the key `width` is used with the special value `min`). We compute now the width of the environment by computations opposite to the preceding ones.

```
970     {
971         \dim_set_eq:NN \l_@@_width_dim \l_@@_line_width_dim
972         \clist_if_empty:NTF \l_@@_bg_color_clist
973             { \dim_add:Nn \l_@@_width_dim \l_@@_left_margin_dim }
974         {
975             \dim_add:Nn \l_@@_width_dim { 0.5 em }
976             \dim_compare:nNnTF \l_@@_left_margin_dim = \c_zero_dim
977                 { \dim_add:Nn \l_@@_width_dim { 0.5 em } }
978                 { \dim_add:Nn \l_@@_width_dim \l_@@_left_margin_dim }
979         }
980     }
981 }
```

For the following commands, the arguments are provided by curryfication.

```

982 \NewDocumentCommand { \NewPitonEnvironment } { }
983     { \@@_DefinePitonEnvironment:nnnnn { New } }
984 \NewDocumentCommand { \DeclarePitonEnvironment } { }
985     { \@@_DefinePitonEnvironment:nnnnn { Declare } }
986 \NewDocumentCommand { \RenewPitonEnvironment } { }
987     { \@@_DefinePitonEnvironment:nnnnn { Renew } }
988 \NewDocumentCommand { \ProvidePitonEnvironment } { }
989     { \@@_DefinePitonEnvironment:nnnnn { Provide } }
```

The first argument of the following macro is one of the four strings: `New`, `Renew`, `Provide` and `Declare`.

```
990 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_DefinePitonEnvironment:nnnnn #1 #2 #3 #4 #5
991 {
```

We construct a TeX macro which will catch as argument all the tokens until `\end{name_env}` with, in that `\end{name_env}`, the catcodes of `\`, `{` and `}` equal to 12 (“other”). The latter explains why the definition of that function is a bit complicated.

```

992 \use:x
993 {
994     \cs_set_protected:Npn
995         \use:c { _@@_collect_ #2 :w }
```

---

<sup>35</sup>If the key `left-margin` has been used with the special value `min`, the actual value of `\l_@@_left_margin_dim` has yet been computed when we use the current command.

```

996     #####1
997     \c_backslash_str end \c_left_brace_str #2 \c_right_brace_str
998   }
999   {
1000     \group_end:

```

Maybe, we should deactivate all the “shorthands” of `babel` (when `babel` is loaded) with the following instruction:

```
\IfPackageLoadedT { babel } { \languageshorthands { none } }
```

But we should be sure that there is no consequence in the LaTeX comments...

```
1001           \mode_if_vertical:TF { \noindent } { \newline }
```

The following line is only to compute `\l_@@_lines_int` which will be used only when both `left-margin=auto` and `skip-empty-lines = false` are in force. We should change that.

```
1002           \lua_now:e { piton.CountLines ( '\lua_escape:n##1' ) }
```

The first argument of the following function is the name of the Lua function that will be applied to the second argument in order to count the number of lines.

```

1003     \@@_compute_left_margin:nn { CountNonEmptyLines } { ##1 }
1004     \@@_compute_width:
1005     \lua_now:e
1006     {
1007       piton.join = "\l_@@_join_str"
1008       piton.write = "\l_@@_write_str"
1009       piton.path_write = "\l_@@_path_write_str"
1010     }
1011     \noindent

```

Now, the main job. The main argument is provided by currying.

```

1012   \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_print_bool
1013   {
1014     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_split_on_empty_lines_bool
1015     { \@@_retrieve_gobble_split_parse:n }
1016     { \@@_retrieve_gobble_parse:n }
1017   }
1018   { \@@_gobble_parse_no_print:n }
1019   { ##1 }

```

If the user has used the key `width` with the special value `min`, we write on the `aux` file the value of `\l_@@_line_width_dim` (largest width of the lines of code of the environment).

```
1020   \bool_if:NT \l_@@_width_min_bool
1021     { \clist_if_empty:N \l_@@_bg_color_clist { \@@_width_to_aux: } }
```

The following `\end{#2}` is only for the stack of environments of LaTeX.

```

1022   \end { #2 }
1023   \@@_write_aux:
1024 }
```

We can now define the new environment.

We are still in the definition of the command `\NewPitonEnvironment`...

```

1025   \use:c { #1 DocumentEnvironment } { #2 } { #3 }
1026   {
1027     \cs_set_eq:NN \PitonOptions \@@_fake_PitonOptions
1028     #4
1029     \@@_pre_env:
1030     \int_compare:nNnT { \l_@@_number_lines_start_int } > { \c_zero_int }
1031       { \int_gset:Nn \g_@@_visual_line_int { \l_@@_number_lines_start_int - 1 } }
1032     \group_begin:
1033     \tl_map_function:nN
1034       { \ \\ \{ \} \$ \& \^ \_ \% \~ \^\I }
1035       \char_set_catcode_other:N
1036     \use:c { _@@_collect_ #2 :w }
1037   }
1038   {
1039     #5

```

```

1040           \ignorespacesafterend
1041     }

```

The following code is for technical reasons. We want to change the catcode of  $\wedge\wedge M$  before catching the arguments of the new environment we are defining. Indeed, if not, we will have problems if there is a final optional argument in our environment (if that final argument is not used by the user in an instance of the environment, a spurious space is inserted, probably because the  $\wedge\wedge M$  is converted to space).

```

1042   \AddToHook { env / #2 / begin } { \char_set_catcode_other:N \wedge\wedge M }
1043 }

```

This is the end of the definition of the command `\NewPitonEnvironment`.

```

1044 \IfFormatAtLeastTF { 2025-06-01 }
1045 {

```

We will retrieve the body of the environment in `\l_@@_body_tl`.

```

1046   \tl_new:N \l_@@_body_tl
1047   \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_store_body:n #1
1048   {

```

Now, we have to replace all the occurrences of `\obeyedline` by a character of end of line (`\r` in the strings of Lua).

```

1049   \tl_set:Ne \obeyedline { \char_generate:nn { 13 } { 12 } }
1050   \tl_set:Ne \l_@@_body_tl { #1 }
1051   \tl_set_eq:NN \ProcessedArgument \l_@@_body_tl
1052 }

```

The first argument of the following macro is one of the four strings: `New`, `Renew`, `Provide` and `Declare`.

```

1053 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_DefinePitonEnvironment:nnnnn #1 #2 #3 #4 #5
1054 {
1055   \use:c { #1 DocumentEnvironment } { #2 } { #3 > { \@@_store_body:n } c }
1056   {
1057     \tl_set:Ne \obeyedline { \char_generate:nn { 13 } { 11 } }
1058     \tl_set:Ne \l_@@_body_tl { \l_@@_body_tl }
1059     \cs_set_eq:NN \PitonOptions \@@_fake_PitonOptions
1060     #4
1061     \@@_pre_env:
1062     \int_compare:nNnT { \l_@@_number_lines_start_int } > { \c_zero_int }
1063     {
1064       \int_gset:Nn \g_@@_visual_line_int
1065       { \l_@@_number_lines_start_int - 1 }
1066     }
1067     \mode_if_vertical:TF { \noindent } { \newline }
1068     \lua_now:e { piton.CountLines ( '\lua_escape:n{\l_@@_body_tl}' ) }
1069     \@@_compute_left_margin:no { CountNonEmptyLines } { \l_@@_body_tl }
1070     \@@_compute_width:
1071     \lua_now:e
1072     {
1073       piton.join = "\l_@@_join_str"
1074       piton.write = "\l_@@_write_str"
1075       piton.path_write = "\l_@@_path_write_str"
1076     }
1077     \noindent
1078     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_print_bool
1079     {
1080       \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_split_on_empty_lines_bool
1081       { \@@_retrieve_gobble_split_parse:o }
1082       { \@@_retrieve_gobble_parse:o }
1083       \l_@@_body_tl
1084     }
1085     { \@@_gobble_parse_no_print:o \l_@@_body_tl }
1086     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_width_min_bool
1087     { \clist_if_empty:NF \l_@@_bg_color_clist { \@@_width_to_aux: } }
1088     \@@_write_aux:
1089     #5

```

```

1090         }
1091     { \ignorespacesafterend }
1092   }
1093 }
1094 {

```

The following will be used when the final user has user `print=false`.

```

1095 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_gobble_parse_no_print:n
1096 {
1097     \lua_now:e
1098     {
1099         piton.GobbleParseNoPrint
1100         (
1101             '\l_piton_language_str' ,
1102             \int_use:N \l_@@_gobble_int ,
1103             token.scan_argument ( )
1104         )
1105     }
1106 }
1107 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_gobble_parse_no_print:n { o }

```

The following function will be used when the key `split-on-empty-lines` is not in force. It will retrieve the first empty line, gobble the spaces at the beginning of the lines and parse the code. The argument is provided by curryfication.

```

1108 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_retrieve_gobble_parse:n
1109 {
1110     \lua_now:e
1111     {
1112         piton.RetrieveGobbleParse
1113         (
1114             '\l_piton_language_str' ,
1115             \int_use:N \l_@@_gobble_int ,
1116             \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_splittable_on_empty_lines_bool
1117                 { \int_eval:n { - \l_@@_splittable_int } }
1118                 { \int_use:N \l_@@_splittable_int } ,
1119             token.scan_argument ( )
1120         )
1121     }
1122 }
1123 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_retrieve_gobble_parse:n { o }

```

The following function will be used when the key `split-on-empty-lines` is in force. It will gobble the spaces at the beginning of the lines (if the key `gobble` is in force), then split the code at the empty lines and, eventually, parse the code. The argument is provided by curryfication.

```

1124 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_retrieve_gobble_split_parse:n
1125 {
1126     \lua_now:e
1127     {
1128         piton.RetrieveGobbleSplitParse
1129         (
1130             '\l_piton_language_str' ,
1131             \int_use:N \l_@@_gobble_int ,
1132             \int_use:N \l_@@_splittable_int ,
1133             token.scan_argument ( )
1134         )
1135     }
1136 }
1137 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_retrieve_gobble_split_parse:n { o }

```

Now, we define the environment `{Piton}`, which is the main environment provided by the package `piton`. Of course, you use `\NewPitonEnvironment`.

```
1138 \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_beamer_bool
```

```

1139 {
1140   \NewPitonEnvironment { Piton } { d < > 0 { } }
1141   {
1142     \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions } { #2 }
1143     \tl_if_novalue:nTF { #1 }
1144     { \begin { uncoverenv } }
1145     { \begin { uncoverenv } < #1 > }
1146   }
1147   { \end { uncoverenv } }
1148 }
1149 {
1150   \NewPitonEnvironment { Piton } { 0 { } }
1151   { \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions } { #1 } }
1152   { }
1153 }

```

The code of the command `\PitonInputFile` is somewhat similar to the code of the environment `{Piton}`.

```

1154 \NewDocumentCommand { \PitonInputFileTF } { d < > 0 { } m m m }
1155 {
1156   \group_begin:
1157   \seq_concat:NNN
1158   \l_file_search_path_seq
1159   \l_@@_path_seq
1160   \l_file_search_path_seq
1161   \file_get_full_name:nNTF { #3 } \l_@@_file_name_str
1162   {
1163     \@@_input_file:nn { #1 } { #2 }
1164     #4
1165   }
1166   { #5 }
1167   \group_end:
1168 }

1169 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_unknown_file:n #1
1170   { \msg_error:nnn { piton } { Unknown~file } { #1 } }

1171 \NewDocumentCommand { \PitonInputFile } { d < > 0 { } m }
1172   { \PitonInputFileTF < #1 > [ #2 ] { #3 } { } { \@@_unknown_file:n { #3 } } }
1173 \NewDocumentCommand { \PitonInputFileT } { d < > 0 { } m m }
1174   { \PitonInputFileTF < #1 > [ #2 ] { #3 } { #4 } { \@@_unknown_file:n { #3 } } }
1175 \NewDocumentCommand { \PitonInputFileF } { d < > 0 { } m m }
1176   { \PitonInputFileTF < #1 > [ #2 ] { #3 } { } { #4 } }

```

The following command uses as implicit argument the name of the file in `\l_@@_file_name_str`.

```

1177 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_input_file:nn #1 #2
1178 {

```

We recall that, if we are in Beamer, the command `\PitonInputFile` is “overlay-aware” and that’s why there is an optional argument between angular brackets (< and >).

```

1179 \tl_if_novalue:nF { #1 }
1180 {
1181   \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_beamer_bool
1182   { \begin { uncoverenv } < #1 > }
1183   { \@@_error_or_warning:n { overlay-without-beamer } }
1184 }
1185 \group_begin:
1186 % The following line is to allow programs such as |latexmk| to be aware that the
1187 % file (read by |\PitonInputFile|) is loaded during the compilation of the LaTeX
1188 % document.
1189 % \begin{macrocode}
1190 \iow_log:e { (\l_@@_file_name_str) }
1191 \int_zero_new:N \l_@@_first_line_int
1192 \int_zero_new:N \l_@@_last_line_int
1193 \int_set_eq:NN \l_@@_last_line_int \c_max_int

```

```

1194 \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_in_PitonInputFile_bool
1195 \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions } { #2 }
1196 \bool_if:NT \l_@@_line_numbers_absolute_bool
1197   { \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool }
1198 \bool_if:nTF
1199   {
1200     (
1201       \int_compare_p:nNn \l_@@_first_line_int > \c_zero_int
1202       || \int_compare_p:nNn \l_@@_last_line_int < \c_max_int
1203     )
1204     && ! \str_if_empty_p:N \l_@@_begin_range_str
1205   }
1206   {
1207     \@@_error_or_warning:n { bad-range-specification }
1208     \int_zero:N \l_@@_first_line_int
1209     \int_set_eq:NN \l_@@_last_line_int \c_max_int
1210   }
1211   {
1212     \str_if_empty:NF \l_@@_begin_range_str
1213     {
1214       \@@_compute_range:
1215       \bool_lazy_or:nnT
1216         \l_@@_marker_include_lines_bool
1217         { ! \str_if_eq_p:NN \l_@@_begin_range_str \l_@@_end_range_str }
1218       {
1219         \int_decr:N \l_@@_first_line_int
1220         \int_incr:N \l_@@_last_line_int
1221       }
1222     }
1223   }
1224 \@@_pre_env:
1225 \bool_if:NT \l_@@_line_numbers_absolute_bool
1226   { \int_gset:Nn \g_@@_visual_line_int { \l_@@_first_line_int - 1 } }
1227 \int_compare:nNnT \l_@@_number_lines_start_int > \c_zero_int
1228   {
1229     \int_gset:Nn \g_@@_visual_line_int
1230     { \l_@@_number_lines_start_int - 1 }
1231   }

```

The following case arises when the code `line-numbers/absolute` is in force without the use of a marked range.

```

1232 \int_compare:nNnT \g_@@_visual_line_int < \c_zero_int
1233   { \int_gzero:N \g_@@_visual_line_int }
1234 \mode_if_vertical:TF { \mode_leave_vertical: } { \newline }

```

We count with Lua the number of lines of the argument. The result will be stored by Lua in `\l_@@_nb_lines_int`.

```
1235 \lua_now:e { piton.CountLinesFile ( '\l_@@_file_name_str' ) }
```

The first argument of the following function is the name of the Lua function that will be applied to the second argument in order to count the number of lines.

```

1236 \@@_compute_left_margin:no
1237   { CountNonEmptyLinesFile }
1238   { \l_@@_file_name_str }
1239 \@@_compute_width:
1240 \lua_now:e
1241   {
1242     piton.ParseFile(
1243       '\l_piton_language_str' ,
1244       '\l_@@_file_name_str' ,
1245       \int_use:N \l_@@_first_line_int ,
1246       \int_use:N \l_@@_last_line_int ,
1247       \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_splittable_on_empty_lines_bool
1248         { \int_eval:n { - \l_@@_splittable_int } }
1249         { \int_use:N \l_@@_splittable_int } ,

```

```

1250         \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_split_on_empty_lines_bool { 1 } { 0 } )
1251     }
1252     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_width_min_bool { \@@_width_to_aux: }
1253 \group_end:

```

We recall that, if we are in Beamer, the command `\PitonInputFile` is “overlay-aware” and that’s why we close now an environment `{uncoverenv}` that we have opened at the beginning of the command.

```

1254 \tl_if_novalue:nF { #1 }
1255   { \bool_if:NT \g_@@_beamer_bool { \end { uncoverenv } } }
1256   \@@_write_aux:
1257 }

```

The following command computes the values of `\l_@@_first_line_int` and `\l_@@_last_line_int` when `\PitonInputFile` is used with textual markers.

```

1258 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_compute_range:
1259 {

```

We store the markers in L3 strings (`str`) in order to do safely the following replacement of `\#`.

```

1260   \str_set:Ne \l_tmpa_str { \@@_marker_beginning:n { \l_@@_begin_range_str } }
1261   \str_set:Ne \l_tmpb_str { \@@_marker_end:n { \l_@@_end_range_str } }

```

We replace the sequences `\#` which may be present in the prefixes and suffixes added to the markers by the functions `\@@_marker_beginning:n` and `\@@_marker_end:n`.

```

1262 \tl_replace_all:Nee \l_tmpa_str { \c_backslash_str \c_hash_str } \c_hash_str
1263 \tl_replace_all:Nee \l_tmpb_str { \c_backslash_str \c_hash_str } \c_hash_str
1264 \lua_now:e
1265 {
1266   piton.ComputeRange
1267   ( '\l_tmpa_str' , '\l_tmpb_str' , '\l_@@_file_name_str' )
1268 }
1269 }

```

### 10.2.9 The styles

The following command is fundamental: it will be used by the Lua code.

```

1270 \NewDocumentCommand { \PitonStyle } { m }
1271 {
1272   \cs_if_exist_use:cF { pitonStyle _ \l_piton_language_str _ #1 }
1273   { \use:c { pitonStyle _ #1 } }
1274 }

1275 \NewDocumentCommand { \SetPitonStyle } { O { } m }
1276 {
1277   \str_clear_new:N \l_@@_SetPitonStyle_option_str
1278   \str_set:Ne \l_@@_SetPitonStyle_option_str { \str_lowercase:n { #1 } }
1279   \str_if_eq:onT { \l_@@_SetPitonStyle_option_str } { current-language }
1280   { \str_set_eq:NN \l_@@_SetPitonStyle_option_str \l_piton_language_str }
1281   \keys_set:nn { piton / Styles } { #2 }
1282 }

1283 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_math_scantokens:n #1
1284   { \normalfont \scantextokens { \begin{math} #1 \end{math} } }

1285 \clist_new:N \g_@@_styles_clist
1286 \clist_gset:Nn \g_@@_styles_clist
1287 {
1288   Comment ,
1289   Comment.LaTeX ,
1290   Discard ,
1291   Exception ,
1292   FormattingType ,
1293   Identifier.Internal ,
1294   Identifier ,

```

```

1295 InitialValues ,
1296 Interpol.Inside ,
1297 Keyword ,
1298 Keyword.Governing ,
1299 Keyword.Constant ,
1300 Keyword2 ,
1301 Keyword3 ,
1302 Keyword4 ,
1303 Keyword5 ,
1304 Keyword6 ,
1305 Keyword7 ,
1306 Keyword8 ,
1307 Keyword9 ,
1308 Name.Builtin ,
1309 Name.Class ,
1310 Name.Constructor ,
1311 Name.Decorator ,
1312 Name.Field ,
1313 Name.Function ,
1314 Name.Module ,
1315 Name.Namespace ,
1316 Name.Table ,
1317 Name.Type ,
1318 Number ,
1319 Number.Internal ,
1320 Operator ,
1321 Operator.Word ,
1322 Preproc ,
1323 Prompt ,
1324 String.Doc ,
1325 String.Doc.Internal ,
1326 String.Interpol ,
1327 String.Long ,
1328 String.Long.Internal ,
1329 String.Short ,
1330 String.Short.Internal ,
1331 Tag ,
1332 TypeParameter ,
1333 UserFunction ,

```

TypeExpression is an internal style for expressions which defines types in OCaml.

```
1334 TypeExpression ,
```

Now, specific styles for the languages created with \NewPitonLanguage with the syntax of listings.

```

1335 Directive
1336 }
1337
1338 \clist_map_inline:Nn \g_@@_styles_clist
1339 {
1340   \keys_define:nn { piton / Styles }
1341   {
1342     #1 .value_required:n = true ,
1343     #1 .code:n =
1344       \tl_set:cn
1345       {
1346         pitonStyle _ 
1347         \str_if_empty:NF \l_@@_SetPitonStyle_option_str
1348           { \l_@@_SetPitonStyle_option_str _ }
1349         #1
1350       }
1351       { ##1 }
1352   }
1353 }
```

```
1354
```

```

1355 \keys_define:nn { piton / Styles }
1356 {
1357   String      .meta:n = { String.Long = #1 , String.Short = #1 } ,
1358   Comment.Math .tl_set:c = pitonStyle _ Comment.Math ,
1359   unknown     .code:n =
1360     \@@_error:n { Unknown~key~for~SetPitonStyle }
1361 }

1362 \SetPitonStyle[OCaml]
1363 {
1364   TypeExpression =
1365   {
1366     \SetPitonStyle [ OCaml ] { Identifier = \PitonStyle { Name.Type } }
1367     \@@_piton:n
1368   }
1369 }

```

We add the word `String` to the list of the styles because we will use that list in the error message for an unknown key in `\SetPitonStyle`.

```
1370 \clist_gput_left:Nn \g_@@_styles_clist { String }
```

Of course, we sort that `clist`.

```

1371 \clist_gsort:Nn \g_@@_styles_clist
1372 {
1373   \str_compare:nNnTF { #1 } < { #2 }
1374   \sort_return_same:
1375   \sort_return_swapped:
1376 }

1377 \cs_set_eq:NN \@@_break_strings_anywhere:n \prg_do_nothing:
1378
1379 \cs_set_eq:NN \@@_break_numbers_anywhere:n \prg_do_nothing:
1380
1381 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_actually_break_anywhere:n #1
1382 {
1383   \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { #1 }

```

We have to begin by a substitution for the spaces. Otherwise, they would be gobbled in the `\tl_map_inline:Nn`.

```

1384   % \regex_replace_all:nnN { \x20 } { \c { space } } \l_tmpa_tl
1385   \tl_replace_all:NVn \l_tmpa_tl \c_catcode_other_space_tl \space
1386   \seq_clear:N \l_tmpa_seq % added 2025/03/03
1387   \tl_map_inline:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { \seq_put_right:Nn \l_tmpa_seq { ##1 } }
1388   \seq_use:Nn \l_tmpa_seq { \- }
1389 }

1390 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_string_long:n #1
1391 {
1392   \PitonStyle { String.Long }
1393   {
1394     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_break_strings_anywhere_bool
1395       { \@@_actually_break_anywhere:n { #1 } }
1396       {

```

We have, when `break-lines-in-Piton` is in force, to replace the spaces by `\@@_breakable_space`: because, when we have done a similar job in `\@@_replace_spaces:n` used in `\@@_begin_line:`, that job was not able to do the replacement in the brace group `{...}` of `\PitonStyle{String.Long}{...}` because we used a `\tl_replace_all:NVn`. At that time, it would have been possible to use a `\tl_regex_replace_all:Nnn` but it is notoriously slow.

```

1397         \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
1398         {
1399             \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { #1 }
1400             \tl_replace_all:NVn \l_tmpa_tl
1401                 \c_catcode_other_space_tl
1402                     \@@_breakable_space:
1403                         \l_tmpa_tl
1404                     }
1405                     { #1 }
1406                 }
1407             }
1408         }
1409     \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_string_short:n #1
1410     {
1411         \PitonStyle { String.Short }
1412         {
1413             \bool_if:NT \l_@@_break_strings_anywhere_bool
1414                 { \@@_actually_break_anywhere:n }
1415                 { #1 }
1416             }
1417         }
1418     \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_string_doc:n #1
1419     {
1420         \PitonStyle { String.Doc }
1421         {
1422             \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
1423             {
1424                 \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { #1 }
1425                 \tl_replace_all:NVn \l_tmpa_tl
1426                     \c_catcode_other_space_tl
1427                     \@@_breakable_space:
1428                         \l_tmpa_tl
1429                     }
1430                     { #1 }
1431                 }
1432             }
1433     \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_number:n #1
1434     {
1435         \PitonStyle { Number }
1436         {
1437             \bool_if:NT \l_@@_break_numbers_anywhere_bool
1438                 { \@@_actually_break_anywhere:n }
1439                 { #1 }
1440             }
1441         }

```

### 10.2.10 The initial styles

The initial styles are inspired by the style “manni” of Pygments.

```

1442 \SetPitonStyle
1443 {
1444     Comment          = \color [ HTML ] { 0099FF } \itshape ,
1445     Exception        = \color [ HTML ] { CC0000 } ,
1446     Keyword          = \color [ HTML ] { 006699 } \bfseries ,
1447     Keyword.Governing = \color [ HTML ] { 006699 } \bfseries ,
1448     Keyword.Constant = \color [ HTML ] { 006699 } \bfseries ,
1449     Name.Builtin      = \color [ HTML ] { 336666 } ,
1450     Name.Decorator    = \color [ HTML ] { 9999FF } ,
1451     Name.Class        = \color [ HTML ] { 00AA88 } \bfseries ,
1452     Name.Function     = \color [ HTML ] { CC00FF } ,
1453     Name.Namespace    = \color [ HTML ] { 00CCFF } ,

```

```

1454 Name.Constructor      = \color [ HTML ] { 006000 } \bfseries ,
1455 Name.Field            = \color [ HTML ] { AA6600 } ,
1456 Name.Module           = \color [ HTML ] { 0060A0 } \bfseries ,
1457 Name.Table            = \color [ HTML ] { 309030 } ,
1458 Number                = \color [ HTML ] { FF6600 } ,
1459                         = \texttt{@@_number:n} ,
1460 Operator              = \color [ HTML ] { 555555 } ,
1461 Operator.Word          = \bfseries ,
1462 String                 = \color [ HTML ] { CC3300 } ,
1463 String.Long.Internal   = \texttt{@@_string_long:n} ,
1464 String.Short.Internal  = \texttt{@@_string_short:n} ,
1465 String.Doc.Internal    = \texttt{@@_string_doc:n} ,
1466 String.Doc             = \color [ HTML ] { CC3300 } \itshape ,
1467 String.Interpol         = \color [ HTML ] { AA0000 } ,
1468 Comment.LaTeX           = \normalfont \color [ rgb ] { .468, .532, .6 } ,
1469 Name.Type               = \color [ HTML ] { 336666 } ,
1470 InitialValues          = \texttt{@@_piton:n} ,
1471 Interpol.Inside         = { \l_@@_font_command_tl \texttt{@@_piton:n} } ,
1472 TypeParameter           = \color [ HTML ] { 336666 } \itshape ,
1473 Preproc                = \color [ HTML ] { AA6600 } \slshape ,

```

We need the command `\texttt{@@_identifier:n}` because of the command `\SetPitonIdentifier`. The command `\texttt{@@_identifier:n}` will potentially call the style `Identifier` (which is a user-style, not an internal style).

```

1474 Identifier.Internal     = \texttt{@@_identifier:n} ,
1475 Identifier              = ,
1476 Directive               = \color [ HTML ] { AA6600 } ,
1477 Tag                      = \colorbox { gray!10 } ,
1478 UserFunction             = \PitonStyle { Identifier } ,
1479 Prompt                  = ,
1480 Discard                 = \use_none:n
1481 }

```

If the key `math-comments` has been used in the preamble of the LaTeX document, we change the style `Comment.Math` which should be considered only at an “internal style”. However, maybe we will document in a future version the possibility to write change the style *locally* in a document].

```

1482 \hook_gput_code:nnn { begindocument } { . }
1483 {
1484   \bool_if:NT \g_@@_math_comments_bool
1485     { \SetPitonStyle { Comment.Math = \texttt{@@_math_scantokens:n} } }
1486 }

```

### 10.2.11 Highlighting some identifiers

```

1487 \NewDocumentCommand { \SetPitonIdentifier } { o m m }
1488 {
1489   \clist_set:Nn \l_tmpa_clist { #2 }
1490   \tl_if_no_value:nTF { #1 }
1491   {
1492     \clist_map_inline:Nn \l_tmpa_clist
1493       { \cs_set:cpn { PitonIdentifier _ ##1 } { #3 } }
1494   }
1495   {
1496     \str_set:Ne \l_tmpa_str { \str_lowercase:n { #1 } }
1497     \str_if_eq:onT \l_tmpa_str { current-language }
1498       { \str_set_eq:NN \l_tmpa_str \l_piton_language_str }
1499     \clist_map_inline:Nn \l_tmpa_clist
1500       { \cs_set:cpn { PitonIdentifier _ \l_tmpa_str _ ##1 } { #3 } }
1501   }
1502 }

```

```

1503 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_identifier:n #1
1504 {
1505     \cs_if_exist_use:cF { PitonIdentifier _ \l_piton_language_str _ #1 }
1506     {
1507         \cs_if_exist_use:cF { PitonIdentifier _ #1 }
1508         { \PitonStyle { Identifier } }
1509     }
1510     { #1 }
1511 }

```

In particular, we have an highlighting of the identifiers which are the names of Python functions previously defined by the user. Indeed, when a Python function is defined, the style `Name.Function.Internal` is applied to that name. We define now that style (you define it directly and you short-cut the function `\SetPitonStyle`).

```

1512 \cs_new_protected:cpn { pitonStyle _ Name.Function.Internal } #1
1513 {

```

First, the element is composed in the TeX flow with the style `Name.Function` which is provided to the final user.

```

1514 { \PitonStyle { Name.Function } { #1 } }

```

Now, we specify that the name of the new Python function is a known identifier that will be formatted with the Piton style `UserFunction`. Of course, here the affectation is global because we have to exit many groups and even the environments `{Piton}`.

```

1515 \cs_gset_protected:cpn { PitonIdentifier _ \l_piton_language_str _ #1 }
1516 { \PitonStyle { UserFunction } }

```

Now, we put the name of that new user function in the dedicated sequence (specific of the current language). **That sequence will be used only by `\PitonClearUserFunctions`**.

```

1517 \seq_if_exist:cF { g_@@_functions _ \l_piton_language_str _ seq }
1518 { \seq_new:c { g_@@_functions _ \l_piton_language_str _ seq } }
1519 \seq_gput_right:cn { g_@@_functions _ \l_piton_language_str _ seq } { #1 }

```

We update `\g_@@_languages_seq` which is used only by the command `\PitonClearUserFunctions` when it's used without its optional argument.

```

1520 \seq_if_in:NoF \g_@@_languages_seq { \l_piton_language_str }
1521 { \seq_gput_left:No \g_@@_languages_seq { \l_piton_language_str } }
1522 }

```

```

1523 \NewDocumentCommand \PitonClearUserFunctions { ! o }
1524 {
1525     \tl_if_novalue:nTF { #1 }

```

If the command is used without its optional argument, we will deleted the user language for all the informatic languages.

```

1526 { \@@_clear_all_functions: }
1527 { \@@_clear_list_functions:n { #1 } }
1528 }

```

```

1529 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_clear_list_functions:n #1
1530 {
1531     \clist_set:Nn \l_tmpa_clist { #1 }
1532     \clist_map_function:NN \l_tmpa_clist \@@_clear_functions_i:n
1533     \clist_map_inline:nn { #1 }
1534     { \seq_gremove_all:Nn \g_@@_languages_seq { ##1 } }
1535 }

```

```

1536 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_clear_functions_i:n #1
1537 { \@@_clear_functions_i:n { \str_lowercase:n { #1 } } }

```

The following command clears the list of the user-defined functions for the language provided in argument (mandatory in lower case).

```

1538 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_clear_functions_i:n #1
1539 {
1540     \seq_if_exist:cT { g_@@_functions _ #1 _ seq }

```

```

1541     {
1542         \seq_map_inline:cn { g_@@_functions _ #1 _ seq }
1543             { \cs_undefine:c { PitonIdentifier _ #1 _ ##1} }
1544             \seq_gclear:c { g_@@_functions _ #1 _ seq }
1545     }
1546 }
1547 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_clear_functions_i:n { e }

1548 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_clear_functions:n #1
1549 {
1550     \@@_clear_functions_i:n { #1 }
1551     \seq_gremove_all:Nn \g_@@_languages_seq { #1 }
1552 }

```

The following command clears all the user-defined functions for all the informatic languages.

```

1553 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_clear_all_functions:
1554 {
1555     \seq_map_function:NN \g_@@_languages_seq \@@_clear_functions_i:n
1556     \seq_gclear:N \g_@@_languages_seq
1557 }

1558 \AtEndDocument
1559 { \lua_now:n { piton.write_and_join_files() } }

```

### 10.2.12 Security

```

1560 \AddToHook { env / piton / begin }
1561 { \@@_fatal:n { No~environment~piton } }

1562 \msg_new:nnn { piton } { No~environment~piton }
1563 {
1564     There~is~no~environment~piton!\\
1565     There~is~an~environment~{Piton}~and~a~command~
1566     \token_to_str:N \piton\ but~there~is~no~environment~
1567     {piton}.~This~error~is~fatal.
1568 }
1569

```

### 10.2.13 The error messages of the package

```

1570 \@@_msg_new:nn { Language~not~defined }
1571 {
1572     Language~not~defined \\
1573     The~language~'\l_tmpa_tl'~has~not~been~defined~previously.\\
1574     If~you~go~on,~your~command~\token_to_str:N \NewPitonLanguage\\
1575     will~be~ignored.
1576 }

1577 \@@_msg_new:nn { bad~version~of~piton.lua }
1578 {
1579     Bad~number~version~of~'piton.lua'\\
1580     The~file~'piton.lua'~loaded~has~not~the~same~number~of~
1581     version~as~the~file~'piton.sty'.~You~can~go~on~but~you~should~
1582     address~that~issue.
1583 }

1584 \@@_msg_new:nn { Unknown~key~NewPitonLanguage }
1585 {
1586     Unknown~key~for~\token_to_str:N \NewPitonLanguage.\\
1587     The~key~'\l_keys_key_str'~is~unknown.\\
1588     This~key~will~be~ignored.\\
1589 }

1590 \@@_msg_new:nn { Unknown~key~for~SetPitonStyle }
1591 {

```

```

1592 The~style~'\\l_keys_key_str'~is~unknown.\\
1593 This~key~will~be~ignored.\\
1594 The~available~styles~are~(in~alphabetic~order):~\\
1595 \\clist_use:Nnnn \\g_@@_styles_clist { ~and~ } { ,~ } { ~and~ }.
1596 }

1597 \\@@_msg_new:nn { Invalid~key }
1598 {
1599     Wrong~use~of~key.\\
1600     You~can't~use~the~key~'\\l_keys_key_str'~here.\\
1601     That~key~will~be~ignored.
1602 }

1603 \\@@_msg_new:nn { Unknown~key~for~line~numbers }
1604 {
1605     Unknown~key. \\
1606     The~key~'line~numbers' / \\l_keys_key_str~is~unknown.\\
1607     The~available~keys~of~the~family~'line~numbers'~are~(in~
1608     alphabetic~order):~\\
1609     absolute,~false,~label~empty~lines,~resume,~skip~empty~lines,~
1610     sep,~start~and~true.\\
1611     That~key~will~be~ignored.
1612 }

1613 \\@@_msg_new:nn { Unknown~key~for~marker }
1614 {
1615     Unknown~key. \\
1616     The~key~'marker' / \\l_keys_key_str~is~unknown.\\
1617     The~available~keys~of~the~family~'marker'~are~(in~
1618     alphabetic~order):~beginning,~end~and~include~lines.\\
1619     That~key~will~be~ignored.
1620 }

1621 \\@@_msg_new:nn { bad~range~specification }
1622 {
1623     Incompatible~keys.\\
1624     You~can't~specify~the~range~of~lines~to~include~by~using~both~
1625     markers~and~explicit~number~of~lines.\\
1626     Your~whole~file~'\\l_@@_file_name_str'~will~be~included.
1627 }

1628 \\cs_new_nopar:Nn \\@@_thepage:
1629 {
1630     \\thepage
1631     \\cs_if_exist:NT \\insertframenumber
1632     {
1633         ~(frame~\\insertframenumber
1634         \\cs_if_exist:NT \\beamer@slidenumber { ,~slide~\\insertslidenumber }
1635         )
1636     }
1637 }

```

We don't give the name `syntax error` for the following error because you should not give a name with a space because such space could be replaced by U+2423 when the key `show-spaces` is in force in the command `\piton`.

```

1638 \\@@_msg_new:nn { SyntaxError }
1639 {
1640     Syntax~Error~on~page~\\@@_thepage:.\\
1641     Your~code~of~the~language~'\\l_piton_language_str'~is~not~
1642     syntactically~correct.\\
1643     It~won't~be~printed~in~the~PDF~file.
1644 }

1645 \\@@_msg_new:nn { FileError }
1646 {
1647     File~Error.\\
1648     It's~not~possible~to~write~on~the~file~'#1' \\
1649     \\sys_if_shell_unrestricted:F

```

```

1650 { (try-to-compile-with~'lualatex~-shell-escape').\\ }
1651 If~you~go~on,~nothing~will~be~written~on~that~file.
1652 }

1653 \@@_msg_new:nn { InexistentDirectory }
1654 {
1655   Inexistent~directory.\\
1656   The~directory~'\l_@@_path_write_str'~
1657   given~in~the~key~'path-write'~does~not~exist.\\
1658   Nothing~will~be~written~on~'\l_@@_write_str'.
1659 }

1660 \@@_msg_new:nn { begin-marker-not-found }
1661 {
1662   Marker~not~found.\\
1663   The~range~'\l_@@_begin_range_str'~provided~to~the~
1664   command~\token_to_str:N \PitonInputFile\ has~not~been~found.~
1665   The~whole~file~'\l_@@_file_name_str'~will~be~inserted.
1666 }

1667 \@@_msg_new:nn { end-marker-not-found }
1668 {
1669   Marker~not~found.\\
1670   The~marker~of~end~of~the~range~'\l_@@_end_range_str'~
1671   provided~to~the~command~\token_to_str:N \PitonInputFile\
1672   has~not~been~found.~The~file~'\l_@@_file_name_str'~will~
1673   be~inserted~till~the~end.
1674 }

1675 \@@_msg_new:nn { Unknown-file }
1676 {
1677   Unknown~file. \\
1678   The~file~'#1'~is~unknown.\\
1679   Your~command~\token_to_str:N \PitonInputFile\ will~be~discarded.
1680 }

1681 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_error_if_not_in_beamer:
1682 {
1683   \bool_if:NF \g_@@_beamer_bool
1684     { \@@_error_or_warning:n { Without-beamer } }
1685 }

1686 \@@_msg_new:nn { Without-beamer }
1687 {
1688   Key~'\l_keys_key_str'~without~Beamer.\\
1689   You~should~not~use~the~key~'\l_keys_key_str'~since~you~
1690   are~not~in~Beamer.\\
1691   However,~you~can~go~on.
1692 }

1693 \@@_msg_new:nnn { Unknown-key-for-PitonOptions }
1694 {
1695   Unknown~key. \\
1696   The~key~'\l_keys_key_str'~is~unknown~for~\token_to_str:N \PitonOptions.~
1697   It~will~be~ignored.\\
1698   For~a~list~of~the~available~keys,~type~H~<return>.
1699 }

1700 {

1701   The~available~keys~are~(in~alphabetic~order):~
1702   auto-gobble,~
1703   background-color,~
1704   begin-range,~
1705   break-lines,~
1706   break-lines-in-piton,~
1707   break-lines-in-Piton,~
1708   break-numbers-anywhere,~
1709   break-strings-anywhere,~
1710   continuation-symbol,~

```

```

1711 continuation-symbol-on-indentation,~
1712 detected-beamer-commands,~
1713 detected-beamer-environments,~
1714 detected-commands,~
1715 end-of-broken-line,~
1716 end-range,~
1717 env-gobble,~
1718 env-used-by-split,~
1719 font-command,~
1720 gobble,~
1721 indent-broken-lines,~
1722 join,~
1723 language,~
1724 left-margin,~
1725 line-numbers/,~
1726 marker/,~
1727 math-comments,~
1728 path,~
1729 path-write,~
1730 print,~
1731 prompt-background-color,~
1732 raw-detected-commands,~
1733 resume,~
1734 show-spaces,~
1735 show-spaces-in-strings,~
1736 splittable,~
1737 splittable-on-empty-lines,~
1738 split-on-empty-lines,~
1739 split-separation,~
1740 tabs-auto-gobble,~
1741 tab-size,~
1742 width-and-write.
1743 }

1744 \@@_msg_new:nn { label-with-lines-numbers }
1745 {
1746   You~can't~use~the~command~\token_to_str:N \label\
1747   because~the~key~'line-numbers'~is~not~active.\\
1748   If~you~go~on,~that~command~will~ignored.
1749 }

1750 \@@_msg_new:nn { overlay-without-beamer }
1751 {
1752   You~can't~use~an~argument~<...>~for~your~command~\\
1753   \token_to_str:N \PitonInputFile\ because~you~are~not~\\
1754   in~Beamer.\\
1755   If~you~go~on,~that~argument~will~be~ignored.
1756 }

```

#### 10.2.14 We load piton.lua

```

1757 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_test_version:n #1
1758 {
1759   \str_if_eq:onF \PitonFileVersion { #1 }
1760   { \@@_error:n { bad~version~of~piton.lua } }
1761 }

1762 \hook_gput_code:nnn { begindocument } { . }
1763 {
1764   \lua_load_module:n { piton }
1765   \lua_now:n

```

```

1766     {
1767         tex.sprint ( luatexbase.catcodetables.expl ,
1768                     [[\@_test_version:n {}] .. piton_version .. "}" )
1769     }
1770 }
</STY>

```

## 10.3 The Lua part of the implementation

The Lua code will be loaded via a `{luacode*}` environment. The environment is by itself a Lua block and the local declarations will be local to that block. All the global functions (used by the L3 parts of the implementation) will be put in a Lua table called `piton`.

```

1771 /*LUA*/
1772 piton.comment_latex = piton.comment_latex or ">"
1773 piton.comment_latex = "#" .. piton.comment_latex

```

The table `piton.write_files` will contain the contents of all the files that we will write on the disk in the `\AtEndDocument` (if the user has used the key `write-file`). The table `piton.join_files` is similar for the key `join`.

```

1774 piton.write_files = { }
1775 piton.join_files = { }

1776 local sprintL3
1777 function sprintL3 ( s )
1778     tex.sprint ( luatexbase.catcodetables.expl , s )
1779 end

```

### 10.3.1 Special functions dealing with LPEG

We will use the Lua library `lpeg` which is built in LuaTeX. That's why we define first aliases for several functions of that library.

```

1780 local P, S, V, C, Ct, Cc = lpeg.P, lpeg.S, lpeg.V, lpeg.C, lpeg.Ct, lpeg.Cc
1781 local Cg, Cmt, Cb = lpeg.Cg, lpeg.Cmt, lpeg.Cb
1782 local B, R = lpeg.B, lpeg.R

```

The following line is mandatory.

```
1783 lpeg.locale(lpeg)
```

### 10.3.2 The functions Q, K, WithStyle, etc.

The function `Q` takes in as argument a pattern and returns a LPEG *which does a capture* of the pattern. That capture will be sent to LaTeX with the catcode “other” for all the characters: it's suitable for elements of the informatic listings that `piton` will typeset verbatim (thanks to the catcode “other”).

```

1784 local Q
1785 function Q ( pattern )
1786     return Ct ( Cc ( luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther ) * C ( pattern ) )
1787 end

```

The function L takes in as argument a pattern and returns a LPEG which does a capture of the pattern. That capture will be sent to LaTeX with standard LaTeX catcodes for all the characters: the elements captured will be formatted as normal LaTeX codes. It's suitable for the “LaTeX comments” in the environments `{Piton}` and the elements between `begin-escape` and `end-escape`. That function won't be much used.

```
1788 local L
1789 function L ( pattern ) return
1790   Ct ( C ( pattern ) )
1791 end
```

The function Lc (the c is for *constant*) takes in as argument a string and returns a LPEG with does a constant capture which returns that string. The elements captured will be formatted as L3 code. It will be used to send to LaTeX all the formatting LaTeX instructions we have to insert in order to do the syntactic highlighting (that's the main job of `piton`). That function, unlike the previous one, will be widely used.

```
1792 local Lc
1793 function Lc ( string ) return
1794   Cc ( { luatexbase.catcodetables.expl , string } )
1795 end
```

The function K creates a LPEG which will return as capture the whole LaTeX code corresponding to a Python chunk (that is to say with the LaTeX formatting instructions corresponding to the syntactic nature of that Python chunk). The first argument is a Lua string corresponding to the name of a `piton` style and the second element is a pattern (that is to say a LPEG without capture)

```
1796 e
1797 local K
1798 function K ( style , pattern ) return
1799   Lc ( [[ {\PitonStyle{}} .. style .. "}{"] )
1800   * Q ( pattern )
1801   * Lc "}{"
1802 end
```

The formatting commands in a given `piton` style (eg. the style `Keyword`) may be semi-global declarations (such as `\bfseries` or `\slshape`) or LaTeX macros with an argument (such as `\fbox` or `\colorbox{yellow}`). In order to deal with both syntaxes, we have used two pairs of braces: `{\PitonStyle{Keyword}}{text to format}`.

The following function `WithStyle` is similar to the function K but should be used for multi-lines elements.

```
1803 local WithStyle
1804 function WithStyle ( style , pattern ) return
1805   Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( [[ {\PitonStyle{}} .. style .. "}{"] ) * Cc "}{"
1806   * pattern
1807   * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
1808 end
```

The following LPEG catches the Python chunks which are in LaTeX escapes (and that chunks will be considered as normal LaTeX constructions).

```
1809 Escape = P ( false )
1810 EscapeClean = P ( false )
1811 if piton.begin_escape then
1812   Escape =
1813     P ( piton.begin_escape )
1814     * L ( ( 1 - P ( piton.end_escape ) ) ^ 1 )
1815     * P ( piton.end_escape )
```

The LPEG `EscapeClean` will be used in the LPEG Clean (and that LPEG is used to “clean” the code by removing the formatting elements).

```
1816 EscapeClean =
1817   P ( piton.begin_escape )
```

```

1818     * ( 1 - P ( piton.end_escape ) ) ^ 1
1819     * P ( piton.end_escape )
1820 end
1821 EscapeMath = P ( false )
1822 if piton.begin_escape_math then
1823   EscapeMath =
1824   P ( piton.begin_escape_math )
1825   * Lc "$"
1826   * L ( ( 1 - P(piton.end_escape_math) ) ^ 1 )
1827   * Lc "$"
1828   * P ( piton.end_escape_math )
1829 end

```

## The basic syntactic LPEG

```

1830 local alpha , digit = lpeg.alpha , lpeg.digit
1831 local space = P " "

```

Remember that, for LPEG, the Unicode characters such as à, á, ç, etc. are in fact strings of length 2 (2 bytes) because lpeg is not Unicode-aware.

```

1832 local letter = alpha + "_" + "â" + "â" + "ç" + "é" + "è" + "ê" + "ë" + "ï" + "î"
1833           + "ô" + "û" + "ü" + "Â" + "Ã" + "Ç" + "É" + "È" + "Ê" + "Ë"
1834           + "Ï" + "Î" + "Ô" + "Û" + "Ü"
1835
1836 local alphanum = letter + digit

```

The following LPEG `identifier` is a mere pattern (that is to say more or less a regular expression) which matches the Python identifiers (hence the name).

```
1837 local identifier = letter * alphanum ^ 0
```

On the other hand, the LPEG `Identifier` (with a capital) also returns a *capture*.

```
1838 local Identifier = K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , identifier )
```

By convention, we will use names with an initial capital for LPEG which return captures.

Here is the first use of our function `K`. That function will be used to construct LPEG which capture Python chunks for which we have a dedicated `piton` style. For example, for the numbers, `piton` provides a style which is called `Number`. The name of the style is provided as a Lua string in the second argument of the function `K`. By convention, we use single quotes for delimiting the Lua strings which are names of `piton` styles (but this is only a convention).

```

1839 local Number =
1840   K ( 'Number.Internal' ,
1841     ( digit ^ 1 * P "." * # ( 1 - P "." ) * digit ^ 0
1842       + digit ^ 0 * P "." * digit ^ 1
1843       + digit ^ 1 )
1844     * ( S "eE" * S "+-" ^ -1 * digit ^ 1 ) ^ -1
1845     + digit ^ 1
1846   )

```

We will now define the LPEG `Word`.

We have a problem in the following LPEG because, obviously, we should adjust the list of symbols with the delimiters of the current language (no?).

```
1847 local lpeg_central = 1 - S " '\r[({})]' - digit
```

We recall that `piton.begin_escape` and `piton_end_escape` are Lua strings corresponding to the keys `begin-escape` and `end-escape`.

```

1848 if piton.begin_escape then
1849   lpeg_central = lpeg_central - piton.begin_escape
1850 end
1851 if piton.begin_escape_math then
1852   lpeg_central = lpeg_central - piton.begin_escape_math
1853 end
1854 local Word = Q ( lpeg_central ^ 1 )

1855 local Space = Q " " ^ 1
1856
1857 local SkipSpace = Q " " ^ 0
1858
1859 local Punct = Q ( S ".,:;!" )
1860
1861 local Tab = "\t" * Lc [[ \@@_tab: ]]

```

Remember that `\@@_leading_space:` does *not* create a space, only an incrementation of the counter `\g_@@_indentation_int`.

```

1862 local SpaceIndentation = Lc [[ \@@_leading_space: ]] * Q " "
1863 local Delim = Q ( S "[({})]" )

```

The following LPEG catches a space (U+0020) and replace it by `\l_@@_space_in_string_t1`. It will be used in the strings. Usually, `\l_@@_space_in_string_t1` will contain a space and therefore there won't be any difference. However, when the key `show-spaces-in-strings` is in force, `\l_@@_space_in_string_t1` will contain  $\square$  (U+2423) in order to visualize the spaces.

```
1864 local SpaceInString = space * Lc [[ \l_@@_space_in_string_t1 ]]
```

### 10.3.3 The option 'detected-commands' and al.

We create four Lua tables called `detected_commands`, `raw_detected_commands`, `beamer_commands` and `beamer_environments`.

On the TeX side, the corresponding data have first been stored as clists.

Then, in a `\AtBeginDocument`, they have been converted in “toks registers” of TeX.

Now, on the Lua side, we are able to access to those “toks registers” with the special pseudo-table `tex.toks` of LuaTeX.

Remark that we can safely use `explode('')` to convert such “toks registers” in Lua tables since, in aclist of L3, there is no empty component and, for each component, there is no space on both sides (the `explode` of the Lua of LuaTeX is unable to do itself such purification of the components).

```

1865 local detected_commands = tex.toks.PitonDetectedCommands : explode ( '' )
1866 local raw_detected_commands = tex.toks.PitonRawDetectedCommands : explode ( '' )
1867 local beamer_commands = tex.toks.PitonBeamerCommands : explode ( '' )
1868 local beamer_environments = tex.toks.PitonBeamerEnvironments : explode ( '' )

```

We will also create some LPEG.

According to our conventions, a LPEG with a name in camelCase is a LPEG which doesn't do any capture.

```

1869 local detectedCommands = P ( false )
1870 for _, x in ipairs ( detected_commands ) do
1871   detectedCommands = detectedCommands + P ( "\\" .. x )
1872 end

```

Further, we will have a LPEG called `DetectedCommands` (in PascalCase) which will be a LPEG *with* captures.

```

1873 local rawDetectedCommands = P ( false )
1874 for _, x in ipairs ( raw_detected_commands ) do
1875   rawDetectedCommands = rawDetectedCommands + P ( "\\" .. x )
1876 end

1877 local beamerCommands = P ( false )
1878 for _, x in ipairs ( beamer_commands ) do
1879   beamerCommands = beamerCommands + P ( "\\" .. x )
1880 end

1881 local beamerEnvironments = P ( false )
1882 for _, x in ipairs ( beamer_environments ) do
1883   beamerEnvironments = beamerEnvironments + P ( x )
1884 end

1885 local beamerBeginEnvironments =
1886   ( space ^ 0 *
1887     L
1888     (
1889       P [[\begin{}]] * beamerEnvironments * "}"
1890       * ( "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * ">" ) ^ -1
1891     )
1892     * "\r"
1893   ) ^ 0

1894 local beamerEndEnvironments =
1895   ( space ^ 0 *
1896     L ( P [[\end{}]] * beamerEnvironments * "}" )
1897     * "\r"
1898   ) ^ 0

```

### Several tools for the construction of the main LPEG

```

1899 local LPEG0 = { }
1900 local LPEG1 = { }
1901 local LPEG2 = { }
1902 local LPEG_cleaner = { }

```

For each language, we will need a pattern to match expressions with balanced braces. Those balanced braces must *not* take into account the braces present in strings of the language. However, the syntax for the strings is language-dependent. That's why we write a Lua function `Compute_braces` which will compute the pattern by taking in as argument a pattern for the strings of the language (at least the shorts strings). The argument of `Compute_braces` must be a pattern *which does no catching*.

```

1903 local Compute_braces
1904 function Compute_braces ( lpeg_string ) return
1905   P { "E" ,
1906     E =
1907     (
1908       "{" * V "E" * "}"
1909       +
1910       lpeg_string
1911       +
1912       ( 1 - S "{}" )
1913     ) ^ 0
1914   }
1915 end

```

The following Lua function will compute the lpeg `DetectedCommands` which is a LPEG with captures.

```

1916 local Compute_DetectedCommands
1917 function Compute_DetectedCommands ( lang , braces ) return

```

```

1918  Ct (
1919    Cc "Open"
1920      * C ( detectedCommands * space ^ 0 * P "{" )
1921      * Cc "}"
1922    )
1923  * ( braces
1924    / ( function ( s )
1925      if s ~= '' then return
1926        LPEG1[lang] : match ( s )
1927        end
1928      end )
1929    )
1930  * P "}"
1931  * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
1932 end

1933 local Compute_RawDetectedCommands
1934 function Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( lang , braces ) return
1935   Ct ( C ( rawDetectedCommands * space ^ 0 * P "{" * braces * P "}" ) )
1936 end

1937 local Compute_LPEG_cleaner
1938 function Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( lang , braces ) return
1939   Ct ( ( ( detectedCommands + rawDetectedCommands ) * "{"
1940     * ( braces
1941       / ( function ( s )
1942         if s ~= '' then return
1943           LPEG_cleaner[lang] : match ( s )
1944           end
1945         end )
1946       )
1947     * "}"
1948     + EscapeClean
1949     + C ( P ( 1 ) )
1950   ) ^ 0 ) / table.concat
1951 end

```

The following function `ParseAgain` will be used in the definitions of the LPEG of the different informatic languages when we will need to *parse again* a small chunk of code. It's a way to avoid the use of a actual *grammar* of LPEG (in a sens, a recursive regular expression).  
 Remark that there is no piton style associated to a chunk of code which is analyzed by `ParseAgain`. If we wish a piton style available to the final user (if he wish to format that element with a uniform font instead of an analyze by `ParseAgain`), we have to use `\@@_piton:n`.

```

1952 local ParseAgain
1953 function ParseAgain ( code )
1954   if code ~= '' then return
1955     LPEG1[piton.language] : match ( code )
1956   end
1957 end

```

The variable `piton.language` is set in the function `piton.Parse`.

**Constructions for Beamer** If the class `Beamer` is used, some environments and commands of `Beamer` are automatically detected in the listings of `piton`.

```
1958 local Beamer = P ( false )
```

The following Lua function will be used to compute the LPEG `Beamer` for each informatic language. According to our conventions, the LPEG `Beamer`, with its name in PascalCase does captures.

```

1959 local Compute_Beamer
1960 function Compute_Beamer ( lang , braces )

```

We will compute in `lpeg` the LPEG that we will return.

```

1961 local lpeg = L ( P [[\pause]] * ( "[" * ( 1 - P "]" ) ^ 0 * "]" ) ^ -1 )
1962 lpeg = lpeg +
1963 Ct ( Cc "Open"
1964     * C ( beamerCommands
1965         * ( "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * ">" ) ^ -1
1966         * P "{"
1967             )
1968         * Cc "}"
1969     )
1970     * ( braces /
1971         ( function ( s ) if s ~= '' then return LPEG1[lang] : match ( s ) end end ) )
1972     * "}"
1973     * Ct ( Cc "Close" )

```

For the command `\alt`, the specification of the overlays (between angular brackets) is mandatory.

```

1974 lpeg = lpeg +
1975     L ( P [[\alt]] * "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * ">{"
1976         * ( braces /
1977             ( function ( s ) if s ~= '' then return LPEG1[lang] : match ( s ) end end ) )
1978         * L ( P "}{" )
1979         * ( braces /
1980             ( function ( s ) if s ~= '' then return LPEG1[lang] : match ( s ) end end ) )
1981         * L ( P "}" )

```

For `\temporal`, the specification of the overlays (between angular brackets) is mandatory.

```

1982 lpeg = lpeg +
1983     L ( P [[\temporal]] * "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * ">{"
1984         * ( braces
1985             / ( function ( s )
1986                 if s ~= '' then return LPEG1[lang] : match ( s ) end end ) )
1987         * L ( P "}{" )
1988         * ( braces
1989             / ( function ( s )
1990                 if s ~= '' then return LPEG1[lang] : match ( s ) end end ) )
1991         * L ( P "}{" )
1992         * ( braces
1993             / ( function ( s )
1994                 if s ~= '' then return LPEG1[lang] : match ( s ) end end ) )
1995         * L ( P "}" )

```

Now, the environments of Beamer.

```

1996 for _ , x in ipairs ( beamer_environments ) do
1997     lpeg = lpeg +
1998         Ct ( Cc "Open"
1999             * C (
2000                 P ( [[\begin{}]] .. x .. "}" )
2001                     * ( "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * ">" ) ^ -1
2002             )
2003             * Cc ( [[\end{}]] .. x .. "}" )
2004         )
2005     * (
2006         ( ( 1 - P ( [[\end{}]] .. x .. "}" ) ) ^ 0 )
2007             / ( function ( s )
2008                 if s ~= '' then return
2009                     LPEG1[lang] : match ( s )
2010                 end
2011             end )
2012     )
2013     * P ( [[\end{}]] .. x .. "}" )
2014     * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
2015 end

```

Now, you can return the value we have computed.

```
2016     return lpeg
2017 end
```

The following LPEG is in relation with the key `math-comments`. It will be used in all the languages.

```
2018 local CommentMath =
2019   P "$" * K ( 'Comment.Math' , ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) * P "$" -- $
```

**EOL** The following LPEG will detect the Python prompts when the user is typesetting an interactive session of Python (directly or through `{pyconsole}` of `pyluatex`). We have to detect that prompt twice. The first detection (called *hasty detection*) will be before the `\@@_begin_line:` because you want to trigger a special background color for that row (and, after the `\@@_begin_line:`, it's too late to change de background).

```
2020 local PromptHastyDetection =
2021   ( # ( P ">>>" + "..." ) * Lc [[ \@@_prompt: ]] ) ^ -1
```

We remind that the marker `#` of LPEG specifies that the pattern will be detected but won't consume any character.

With the following LPEG, a style will actually be applied to the prompt (for instance, it's possible to decide to discard these prompts).

```
2022 local Prompt =
2023   K ( 'Prompt' , ( ( P ">>>" + "..." ) * P " " ^ -1 + P ( true ) ) ) ^ -1
```

The `P ( true )` at the end is mandatory because we want the style to be *always* applied, even with an empty argument, in order, for example to add a “false” prompt marker with the tuning:

```
\SetPitonStyle{ Prompt = >>>\space }
```

The following LPEG EOL is for the end of lines.

```
2024 local EOL =
2025   P "\r"
2026   *
2027   (
2028     space ^ 0 * -1
2029     +

```

We recall that each line of the informatic code we have to parse will be sent back to LaTeX between a pair `\@@_begin_line: - \@@_end_line:`<sup>36</sup>.

```
2030   Ct (
2031     Cc "EOL"
2032     *
2033     Ct ( Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
2034       * beamerEndEnvironments
2035       *
2036       (
```

If the last line of the listing is the end of an environment of Beamer (eg. `\end{uncoverenv}`), then, we don't open a new line. A token `\@@_end_line:` will be added at the end of the environment but it will be no-op since we have defined the macro `\@@_end_line:` to be no-op (even though it is also used as a marker for the TeX delimited macro `\@@_begin_line:`).

```
2037           -1
2038           +
2039           beamerBeginEnvironments
2040           * PromptHastyDetection
2041           * Lc [[ \@@_newline:\@@_begin_line: ]]
```

---

<sup>36</sup>Remember that the `\@@_end_line:` must be explicit because it will be used as marker in order to delimit the argument of the command `\@@_begin_line:`

```

2042             * Prompt
2043         )
2044     )
2045   )
2046   *
2047   * ( SpaceIndentation ^ 0 * # ( 1 - S " \r" ) ) ^ -1

```

The following LPEG CommentLaTeX is for what is called in that document the “LaTeX comments”. Since the elements that will be caught must be sent to LaTeX with standard LaTeX catcodes, we put the capture (done by the function C) in a table (by using Ct, which is an alias for lpeg.Ct).

```

2048 local CommentLaTeX =
2049   P ( piton.comment_latex )
2050   * Lc [[{\PitonStyle{Comment.LaTeX}{\ignorespaces}}]
2051   * L ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 )
2052   * Lc "}"}
2053   * ( EOL + -1 )

```

#### 10.3.4 The language Python

We open a Lua local scope for the language Python (of course, there will be also global definitions).

```
2054 do
```

Some strings of length 2 are explicit because we want the corresponding ligatures available in some fonts such as *Fira Code* to be active.

```

2055 local Operator =
2056   K ( 'Operator' ,
2057     P "!=" + "<>" + "==" + "<<" + ">>" + "<=" + ">=" + ":" + "//" + "**"
2058     + S "-~/*%=<>&@"
2059
2060 local OperatorWord =
2061   K ( 'Operator.Word' , P "in" + "is" + "and" + "or" + "not" )

```

The keyword `in` in a construction such as “`for i in range(n)`” must be formatted as a keyword and not as an `Operator.Word` and that’s why we write the following LPEG For.

```

2062 local For = K ( 'Keyword' , P "for" )
2063           * Space
2064           * Identifier
2065           * Space
2066           * K ( 'Keyword' , P "in" )
2067
2068 local Keyword =
2069   K ( 'Keyword' ,
2070     P "assert" + "as" + "break" + "case" + "class" + "continue" + "def" +
2071     "del" + "elif" + "else" + "except" + "exec" + "finally" + "for" + "from" +
2072     "global" + "if" + "import" + "lambda" + "non local" + "pass" + "return" +
2073     "try" + "while" + "with" + "yield" + "yield from" )
2074   + K ( 'Keyword.Constant' , P "True" + "False" + "None" )
2075
2076 local Builtin =
2077   K ( 'Name.Builtin' ,
2078     P "__import__" + "abs" + "all" + "any" + "bin" + "bool" + "bytearray" +
2079     "bytes" + "chr" + "classmethod" + "compile" + "complex" + "delattr" +
2080     "dict" + "dir" + "divmod" + "enumerate" + "eval" + "filter" + "float" +
2081     "format" + "frozenset" + "getattr" + "globals" + "hasattr" + "hash" +
2082     "hex" + "id" + "input" + "int" + "isinstance" + "issubclass" + "iter" +
2083     "len" + "list" + "locals" + "map" + "max" + "memoryview" + "min" + "next" +
2084     "object" + "oct" + "open" + "ord" + "pow" + "print" + "property" +
2085     "range" + "repr" + "reversed" + "round" + "set" + "setattr" + "slice" +
2086     "sorted" + "staticmethod" + "str" + "sum" + "super" + "tuple" + "type" +
2087     "vars" + "zip" )

```

```

2088
2089 local Exception =
2090 K ( 'Exception' ,
2091     P "ArithmeticError" + "AssertionError" + "AttributeError" +
2092     "BaseException" + "BufferError" + "BytesWarning" + "DeprecationWarning" +
2093     "EOFError" + "EnvironmentError" + "Exception" + "FloatingPointError" +
2094     "FutureWarning" + "GeneratorExit" + "IOError" + "ImportError" +
2095     "ImportWarning" + "IndentationError" + "IndexError" + "KeyError" +
2096     "KeyboardInterrupt" + "LookupError" + "MemoryError" + "NameError" +
2097     "NotImplementedError" + "OSError" + "OverflowError" +
2098     "PendingDeprecationWarning" + "ReferenceError" + "ResourceWarning" +
2099     "RuntimeError" + "RuntimeWarning" + "StopIteration" + "SyntaxError" +
2100     "SyntaxWarning" + "SystemError" + "SystemExit" + "TabError" + "TypeError"
2101     + "UnboundLocalError" + "UnicodeDecodeError" + "UnicodeEncodeError" +
2102     "UnicodeError" + "UnicodeTranslateError" + "UnicodeWarning" +
2103     "UserWarning" + "ValueError" + "VMSError" + "Warning" + "WindowsError" +
2104     "ZeroDivisionError" + "BlockingIOError" + "ChildProcessError" +
2105     "ConnectionError" + "BrokenPipeError" + "ConnectionAbortedError" +
2106     "ConnectionRefusedError" + "ConnectionResetError" + "FileExistsError" +
2107     "FileNotFoundException" + "InterruptedError" + "IsADirectoryError" +
2108     "NotADirectoryError" + "PermissionError" + "ProcessLookupError" +
2109     "TimeoutError" + "StopAsyncIteration" + "ModuleNotFoundError" +
2110     "RecursionError" )
2111
2112 local RaiseException = K ( 'Keyword' , P "raise" ) * SkipSpace * Exception * Q "("

```

In Python, a “decorator” is a statement whose begins by @ which patches the function defined in the following statement.

```
2113 local Decorator = K ( 'Name.Decorator' , P "@" * letter ^ 1 )
```

The following LPEG DefClass will be used to detect the definition of a new class (the name of that new class will be formatted with the piton style Name.Class).

Example: `class myclass:`

```
2114 local DefClass =
2115     K ( 'Keyword' , "class" ) * Space * K ( 'Name.Class' , identifier )
```

If the word `class` is not followed by a identifier, it will be caught as keyword by the LPEG Keyword (useful if we want to type a list of keywords).

The following LPEG ImportAs is used for the lines beginning by `import`. We have to detect the potential keyword `as` because both the name of the module and its alias must be formatted with the piton style Name.Namespace.

Example: `import numpy as np`

Moreover, after the keyword `import`, it's possible to have a comma-separated list of modules (if the keyword `as` is not used).

Example: `import math, numpy`

```
2116 local ImportAs =
2117     K ( 'Keyword' , "import" )
2118     * Space
2119     * K ( 'Name.Namespace' , identifier * ( "." * identifier ) ^ 0 )
2120     * (
2121         ( Space * K ( 'Keyword' , "as" ) * Space
2122             * K ( 'Name.Namespace' , identifier ) )
2123         +
2124         ( SkipSpace * Q "," * SkipSpace
2125             * K ( 'Name.Namespace' , identifier ) ) ^ 0
2126     )
```

Be careful: there is no commutativity of `+` in the previous expression.

The LPEG `FromImport` is used for the lines beginning by `from`. We need a special treatment because the identifier following the keyword `from` must be formatted with the piton style `Name.Namespace` and the following keyword `import` must be formatted with the piton style `Keyword` and must *not* be caught by the LPEG `ImportAs`.

Example: `from math import pi`

```
2127 local FromImport =
2128   K ( 'Keyword' , "from" )
2129   * Space * K ( 'Name.Namespace' , identifier )
2130   * Space * K ( 'Keyword' , "import" )
```

**The strings of Python** For the strings in Python, there are four categories of delimiters (without counting the prefixes for f-strings and raw strings). We will use, in the names of our LPEG, prefixes to distinguish the LPEG dealing with that categories of strings, as presented in the following tabular.

	Single	Double
Short	'text'	"text"
Long	'''test'''	"""text"""

We have also to deal with the interpolations in the f-strings. Here is an example of a f-string with an interpolation and a format instruction<sup>37</sup> in that interpolation:

```
\piton{f'Total price: {total+1:.2f} €'}
```

The interpolations beginning by `%` (even though there is more modern techniques now in Python).

```
2131 local PercentInterpol =
2132   K ( 'String.Interpol' ,
2133     P "%"
2134     * ( "(" * alphanum ^ 1 * ")" ) ^ -1
2135     * ( S "-#0 +" ) ^ 0
2136     * ( digit ^ 1 + "*" ) ^ -1
2137     * ( "." * ( digit ^ 1 + "*" ) ) ^ -1
2138     * ( S "HLL" ) ^ -1
2139     * S "sdfFeExXorgiGauc%"
2140   )
```

We can now define the LPEG for the four kinds of strings. It's not possible to use our function `K` because of the interpolations which must be formatted with another piton style that the rest of the string.<sup>38</sup>

```
2141 local SingleShortString =
2142   WithStyle ( 'String.Short.Internal' ,
```

First, we deal with the f-strings of Python, which are prefixed by `f` or `F`.

```
2143   Q ( P "f'" + "F'" )
2144   *
2145   K ( 'String.Interpol' , "{" )
2146   * K ( 'Interpol.Inside' , ( 1 - S "}:;" ) ^ 0 )
2147   * Q ( P ":" * ( 1 - S "}:" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
2148   * K ( 'String.Interpol' , "}" )
2149   +
2150   SpaceInString
2151   +
```

<sup>37</sup>There is no special piton style for the formatting instruction (after the colon): the style which will be applied will be the style of the encompassing string, that is to say `String.Short` or `String.Long`.

<sup>38</sup>The interpolations are formatted with the piton style `Interpol.Inside`. The initial value of that style is `\@_piton:n` which means that the interpolations are parsed once again by piton.

```

2152      Q ( ( P "\\" + "\\\\" + "{ " + "}" ) + 1 - S " { }" ) ^ 1 )
2153      ) ^ 0
2154      * Q """
2155      +

```

Now, we deal with the standard strings of Python, but also the “raw strings”.

```

2156      Q ( P '\"' + "r'" + "R'" )
2157      * ( Q ( ( P "\\" + "\\\\" + 1 - S " \r%" ) ^ 1 )
2158          + SpaceInString
2159          + PercentInterpol
2160          + Q "%"
2161          ) ^ 0
2162          * Q """
2163 local DoubleShortString =
2164     WithStyle ( 'String.Short.Internal' ,
2165         Q ( P "f\\"" + "F\\"" )
2166         *
2167             K ( 'String.Interpol' , "{ " )
2168             * K ( 'Interpol.Inside' , ( 1 - S " }"::" ) ^ 0 )
2169             * ( K ( 'String.Interpol' , ":" ) * Q ( ( 1 - S " }":\"") ^ 0 ) ) ^ -1
2170             * K ( 'String.Interpol' , "j" )
2171             +
2172             SpaceInString
2173             +
2174             Q ( ( P "\\\\" + "\\\\" + "{ " + "}" ) + 1 - S " { }\"") ^ 1 )
2175             ) ^ 0
2176             * Q "\\" "
2177 +
2178     Q ( P "\\"" + "r\\"" + "R\\"" )
2179     * ( Q ( ( P "\\\\" + "\\\\" + 1 - S " \"\r%" ) ^ 1 )
2180         + SpaceInString
2181         + PercentInterpol
2182         + Q "%"
2183         ) ^ 0
2184         * Q "\\" "
2185
2186 local ShortString = SingleShortString + DoubleShortString

```

**Beamer** The argument of `Compute_braces` must be a pattern *which does no catching* corresponding to the strings of the language.

```

2187 local braces =
2188     Compute_braces
2189     (
2190         ( P "\\"" + "r\\"" + "R\\"" + "f\\"" + "F\\"" )
2191         * ( P '\\\\' + 1 - S "\\" " ) ^ 0 * "\\" "
2192     +
2193         ( P '\'' + 'r\'' + 'R\'' + 'f\'' + 'F\'' )
2194         * ( P '\\\\' + 1 - S '\'' ) ^ 0 * '\'
2195     )
2196
2197 if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( 'python' , braces ) end

```

## Detected commands

```

2198 DetectedCommands = Compute_DetectedCommands ( 'python' , braces )
2199     + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( 'python' , braces )

```

## LPEG\_cleaner

```
2200     LPEG_cleaner.python = Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( 'python' , braces )
```

### The long strings

```
2201     local SingleLongString =
2202         WithStyle ( 'String.Long.Internal' ,
2203             ( Q ( S "fF" * P "****" )
2204                 *
2205                     (
2206                         K ( 'String.Interpol' , "{}" )
2207                             * K ( 'Interpol.Inside' , ( 1 - S "}:\r" - "****" ) ^ 0 )
2208                             * Q ( P ":" * ( 1 - S "}:\r" - "****" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
2209                             * K ( 'String.Interpol' , "}" )
2210                         +
2211                         Q ( ( 1 - P "****" - S "}:\r" ) ^ 1 )
2212                         +
2213                         EOL
2214                     ) ^ 0
2215                 +
2216                 Q ( ( S "rR" ) ^ -1 * "****" )
2217                 *
2218                     (
2219                         Q ( ( 1 - P "****" - S "%\r" ) ^ 1 )
2220                         +
2221                         PercentInterpol
2222                         +
2223                         P "%"
2224                         +
2225                         EOL
2226                     ) ^ 0
2227             )
2228             * Q "****" )
2229
2230     local DoubleLongString =
2231         WithStyle ( 'String.Long.Internal' ,
2232             (
2233                 Q ( S "fF" * "\\" \\
2234                     *
2235                         (
2236                             K ( 'String.Interpol' , "{}" )
2237                             * K ( 'Interpol.Inside' , ( 1 - S "}:\r" - "\\\\" ) ^ 0 )
2238                             * Q ( ":" * ( 1 - S "}:\r" - "\\\\" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
2239                             * K ( 'String.Interpol' , "}" )
2240                         +
2241                         Q ( ( 1 - S "}:\r" - "\\\\" ) ^ 1 )
2242                         +
2243                         EOL
2244                     ) ^ 0
2245                 +
2246                 Q ( S "rR" ^ -1 * "\\\\" )
2247                 *
2248                     (
2249                         Q ( ( 1 - P "\\\\" - S "%\r" ) ^ 1 )
2250                         +
2251                         PercentInterpol
2252                         +
2253                         P "%"
2254                         +
2255                         EOL
2256                     ) ^ 0
2257             )
2258             * Q "\\\\" )
2259
2260     local LongString = SingleLongString + DoubleLongString
```

We have a LPEG for the Python docstrings. That LPEG will be used in the LPEG `DefFunction` which deals with the whole preamble of a function definition (which begins with `def`).

```
2256 local StringDoc =
2257   K ( 'String.Doc.Internal' , P "r" ^ -1 * "\\"\"\" )
2258   * ( K ( 'String.Doc.Internal' , (1 - P "\\"\"\" - "\r" ) ^ 0 ) * EOL
2259     * Tab ^ 0
2260   ) ^ 0
2261   * K ( 'String.Doc.Internal' , ( 1 - P "\\"\"\" - "\r" ) ^ 0 * "\\"\"\" )
```

**The comments in the Python listings** We define different LPEG dealing with comments in the Python listings.

```
2262 local Comment =
2263   WithStyle
2264   ( 'Comment' ,
2265     Q "#" * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0 -- $
2266   )
2267   * ( EOL + -1 )
```

**DefFunction** The following LPEG `expression` will be used for the parameters in the `argspec` of a Python function. It's necessary to use a *grammar* because that pattern mainly checks the correct nesting of the delimiters (and it's known in the theory of formal languages that this can't be done with regular expressions *stricto sensu* only).

```
2268 local expression =
2269   P { "E" ,
2270     E = ( "" * ( P "\\" + 1 - S "'\r" ) ^ 0 * """
2271       + "\\" * ( P "\\\\" + 1 - S "\\""\r" ) ^ 0 * "\\""
2272       + "{" * V "F" * "}"
2273       + "(" * V "F" * ")"
2274       + "[" * V "F" * "]"
2275       + ( 1 - S "{}()[]\r," ) ^ 0 ,
2276     F = ( "{" * V "F" * "}"
2277       + "(" * V "F" * ")"
2278       + "[" * V "F" * "]"
2279       + ( 1 - S "{}()[]\r\\"" ) ^ 0
2280   }
```

We will now define a LPEG `Params` that will catch the list of parameters (that is to say the `argspec`) in the definition of a Python function. For example, in the line of code

```
def MyFunction(a,b,x=10,n:int): return n
```

the LPEG `Params` will be used to catch the chunk `a,b,x=10,n:int`.

```
2281 local Params =
2282   P { "E" ,
2283     E = ( V "F" * ( Q "," * V "F" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1 ,
2284     F = SkipSpace * ( Identifier + Q "*args" + Q "**kwargs" ) * SkipSpace
2285     *
2286       K ( 'InitialValues' , "=" * expression )
2287       + Q ":" * SkipSpace * K ( 'Name.Type' , identifier )
2288     ) ^ -1
2289 }
```

The following LPEG `DefFunction` catches a keyword `def` and the following name of function *but also everything else until a potential docstring*. That's why this definition of LPEG must occur (in the file `piton.sty`) after the definition of several other LPEG such as `Comment`, `CommentLaTeX`, `Params`, `StringDoc`...

```
2290 local DefFunction =
```

```

2291   K ( 'Keyword' , "def" )
2292   * Space
2293   * K ( 'Name.Function.Internal' , identifier )
2294   * SkipSpace
2295   * Q "(" * Params * Q ")"
2296   * SkipSpace
2297   * ( Q "->" * SkipSpace * K ( 'Name.Type' , identifier ) ) ^ -1
2298   * ( C ( ( 1 - S ":\\r" ) ^ 0 ) / ParseAgain )
2299   * Q ":" 
2300   * ( SkipSpace
2301     * ( EOL + CommentLaTeX + Comment ) -- in all cases, that contains an EOL
2302     * Tab ^ 0
2303     * SkipSpace
2304     * StringDoc ^ 0 -- there may be additional docstrings
2305   ) ^ -1

```

Remark that, in the previous code, `CommentLaTeX` must appear before `Comment`: there is no commutativity of the addition for the *parsing expression grammars* (PEG).

If the word `def` is not followed by an identifier and parenthesis, it will be caught as keyword by the LPEG `Keyword` (useful if, for example, the final user wants to speak of the keyword `def`).

## Miscellaneous

```

2306 local ExceptionInConsole = Exception * Q ( ( 1 - P "\\r" ) ^ 0 ) * EOL

```

## The main LPEG for the language Python

```

2307 local EndKeyword
2308   = Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + Beamer + DetectedCommands + Escape +
2309   EscapeMath + -1

```

First, the main loop :

```

2310 local Main =
2311   space ^ 0 * EOL -- faut-il le mettre en commentaire ?
2312   + Space
2313   + Tab
2314   + Escape + EscapeMath
2315   + CommentLaTeX
2316   + Beamer
2317   + DetectedCommands
2318   + LongString
2319   + Comment
2320   + ExceptionInConsole
2321   + Delim
2322   + Operator
2323   + OperatorWord * EndKeyword
2324   + ShortString
2325   + Punct
2326   + FromImport
2327   + RaiseException
2328   + DefFunction
2329   + DefClass
2330   + For
2331   + Keyword * EndKeyword
2332   + Decorator
2333   + Builtin * EndKeyword
2334   + Identifier
2335   + Number
2336   + Word

```

Here, we must not put `local`, of course.

```

2337 LPEG1.python = Main ^ 0

```

We recall that each line in the Python code to parse will be sent back to LaTeX between a pair `\@@_begin_line: - \@@_end_line:`<sup>39</sup>.

```

2338     LPEG2.python =
2339     Ct (
2340         ( space ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1
2341         * beamerBeginEnvironments
2342         * PromptHastyDetection
2343         * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
2344         * Prompt
2345         * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
2346         * ( space ^ 1 * -1 + space ^ 0 * EOL + Main ) ^ 0
2347         * -1
2348         * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
2349     )

```

End of the Lua scope for the language Python.

```
2350 end
```

### 10.3.5 The language Ocaml

We open a Lua local scope for the language OCaml (of course, there will be also global definitions).

```

2351 do
2352     local SkipSpace = ( Q " " + EOL ) ^ 0
2353     local Space = ( Q " " + EOL ) ^ 1
2354     local braces = Compute_braces ( '\"' * ( 1 - S '\"' ) ^ 0 * '\"' )
2355     % \end{macrocode}
2356 %
2357 % \bigskip
2358 % \begin{macrocode}
2359 if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( 'ocaml' , braces ) end
2360 DetectedCommands =
2361     Compute_DetectedCommands ( 'ocaml' , braces )
2362     + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( 'ocaml' , braces )
2363     local Q

```

Usually, the following version of the function `Q` will be used without the second arguemnt (`strict`), that is to say in a loosy way. However, in some circumstances, we will a need the “strict” version, for instance in `DefFunction`.

```

2364     function Q ( pattern, strict )
2365         if strict ~= nil then
2366             return Ct ( Cc ( luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther ) * C ( pattern ) )
2367         else
2368             return Ct ( Cc ( luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther ) * C ( pattern ) )
2369             + Beamer + DetectedCommands + EscapeMath + Escape
2370         end
2371     end

2372     local K
2373     function K ( style , pattern, strict ) return
2374         Lc ( [[ {\PitonStyle{ }} .. style .. "}{"} ]
2375             * Q ( pattern, strict )
2376             * Lc "}{"
2377     end

```

---

<sup>39</sup>Remember that the `\@@_end_line:` must be explicit because it will be used as marker in order to delimit the argument of the command `\@@_begin_line:`

```

2378 local WithStyle
2379 function WithStyle ( style , pattern ) return
2380     Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( [[{\PitonStyle}]] .. style .. "}{" ) * Cc "}" )
2381     * (pattern + Beamer + DetectedCommands + EscapeMath + Escape)
2382     * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
2383 end

```

The following LPEG corresponds to the balanced expressions (balanced according to the parenthesis). Of course, we must write  $(1 - S "()" )$  with outer parenthesis.

```

2384 local balanced_parens =
2385 P { "E" , E = ( "(" * V "E" * ")" + ( 1 - S "()" ) ) ^ 0 }

```

### The strings of OCaml

```

2386 local ocaml_string =
2387     P "\\""
2388     *
2389     P " "
2390     +
2391     P ( ( 1 - S "\r" ) ^ 1 )
2392     +
2393     EOL -- ?
2394     ) ^ 0
2395     * P "\\""
2396 local String =
2397     WithStyle
2398     ( 'String.Long.Internal' ,
2399         Q "\\""
2400         *
2401         SpaceInString
2402         +
2403         Q ( ( 1 - S "\r" ) ^ 1 )
2404         +
2405         EOL
2406         ) ^ 0
2407         * Q "\\""
2408     )

```

Now, the “quoted strings” of OCaml (for example `{ext|Essai|ext}`).

For those strings, we will do two consecutive analysis. First an analysis to determine the whole string and, then, an analysis for the potential visual spaces and the EOL in the string.

The first analysis require a match-time capture. For explanations about that programmation, see the paragraphe *Lua's long strings* in [www.inf.puc-rio.br/~roberto/lpeg](http://www.inf.puc-rio.br/~roberto/lpeg).

```

2409 local ext = ( R "az" + "_" ) ^ 0
2410 local open = "{" * Cg ( ext , 'init' ) * "/"
2411 local close = "/" * C ( ext ) * "}"
2412 local closeeq =
2413     Cmt ( close * Cb ( 'init' ) ,
2414             function ( s , i , a , b ) return a == b end )

```

The LPEG `QuotedStringBis` will do the second analysis.

```

2415 local QuotedStringBis =
2416     WithStyle ( 'String.Long.Internal' ,
2417     (
2418         Space
2419         +
2420         Q ( ( 1 - S "\r" ) ^ 1 )
2421         +
2422         EOL
2423     ) ^ 0 )

```

We use a “function capture” (as called in the official documentation of the LPEG) in order to do the second analysis on the result of the first one.

```
2424 local QuotedString =
2425   C ( open * ( 1 - closeeq ) ^ 0 * close ) /
2426     ( function ( s ) return QuotedStringBis : match ( s ) end )
```

In OCaml, the delimiters for the comments are (\* and \*). There are unsymmetrical and OCaml allows those comments to be nested. That's why we need a grammar.

In these comments, we embed the math comments (between \$ and \$) and we embed also a treatment for the end of lines (since the comments may be multi-lines).

```
2427 local comment =
2428   P {
2429     "A" ,
2430     A = Q "(" *
2431       * ( V "A"
2432         + Q ( ( 1 - S "\r$\\" - "(*" - "*") ) ^ 1 ) -- $
2433         + ocaml_string
2434         + "$" * K ('Comment.Math' , ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) * "$" -- $
2435         + EOL
2436         ) ^ 0
2437       * Q ")"
2438   }
2439 local Comment = WithStyle ( 'Comment' , comment )
```

## Some standard LPEG

```
2440 local Delim = Q ( P "[|" + "|]" + S "[()]" )
2441 local Punct = Q ( S ",::!;" )
```

The identifiers caught by `cap_identifier` begin with a capital. In OCaml, it's used for the constructors of types and for the names of the modules.

```
2442 local cap_identifier = R "AZ" * ( R "az" + R "AZ" + S "_" + digit ) ^ 0
```

```
2443 local Constructor =
2444   K ( 'Name.Constructor' ,
2445     Q "`" ^ -1 * cap_identifier
```

We consider :: and [] as constructors (of the lists) as does the Tuareg mode of Emacs.

```
2446   + Q "::"
2447   + Q ( "[" , true ) * SkipSpace * Q ( "]" , true ) )
```

```
2448 local ModuleType = K ( 'Name.Type' , cap_identifier )
```

```
2449 local OperatorWord =
2450   K ( 'Operator.Word' ,
2451     P "asr" + "land" + "lor" + "lsl" + "lxor" + "mod" + "or" + "not" )
```

In OCaml, some keywords are considered as *governing keywords* with some special syntactic characteristics.

```
2452 local governing_keyword = P "and" + "begin" + "class" + "constraint" +
2453   "end" + "external" + "functor" + "include" + "inherit" + "initializer" +
2454   "in" + "let" + "method" + "module" + "object" + "open" + "rec" + "sig" +
2455   "struct" + "type" + "val"
```

```

2456 local Keyword =
2457   K ( 'Keyword' ,
2458     P "assert" + "as" + "done" + "downto" + "do" + "else" + "exception"
2459     + "for" + "function" + "fun" + "if" + "lazy" + "match" + "mutable"
2460     + "new" + "of" + "private" + "raise" + "then" + "to" + "try"
2461     + "virtual" + "when" + "while" + "with" )
2462   + K ( 'Keyword.Constant' , P "true" + "false" )
2463   + K ( 'Keyword.Governing', governing_keyword )

2464 local EndKeyword
2465   = Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + Beamer + DetectedCommands + Escape
2466   + EscapeMath + -1

```

Now, the identifier. Recall that we have also a LPEG `cap_identifier` for the identifiers beginning with a capital letter.

```

2467 local identifier = ( R "az" + "_" ) * ( R "az" + R "AZ" + S "_" + digit ) ^ 0
2468   - ( OperatorWord + Keyword ) * EndKeyword

```

We have the internal style `Identifier.Internal` in order to be able to implement the mechanism `\SetPitonIdentifier`. The final user has access to a style called `Identifier`.

```

2469 local Identifier = K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , identifier )

```

In OCaml, `character` is a type different of the type `string`.

```

2470 local ocaml_char =
2471   P "'" *
2472   (
2473     ( 1 - S "'\\\" )
2474     + "\\\" "
2475     * ( S "\\\'ntbr \""
2476       + digit * digit * digit
2477       + P "x" * ( digit + R "af" + R "AF" )
2478       * ( digit + R "af" + R "AF" )
2479       * ( digit + R "af" + R "AF" )
2480       + P "o" * R "03" * R "07" * R "07" )
2481   )
2482   * """
2483 local Char =
2484   K ( 'String.Short.Internal' , ocaml_char )

```

For the parameter of the types (for example : `\\a as in `a list).

```

2485 local TypeParameter =
2486   K ( 'TypeParameter' ,
2487     "'\" * Q "_" ^ -1 * alpha ^ 1 * digit ^ 0 * ( # ( 1 - P "'" ) + -1 ) )

```

**DotNotation** Now, we deal with the notations with points (eg: `List.length`). In OCaml, such notation is used for the fields of the records and for the modules.

```

2488 local DotNotation =
2489   (
2490     K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier )
2491     * Q "."
2492     * ( Identifier + Constructor + Q "(" + Q "[" + Q "{" ) ^ -1
2493   +
2494     Identifier
2495     * Q "."
2496     * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier )
2497   )
2498   * ( Q "." * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) ) ^ 0

```

## The records

```

2499 local expression_for_fields_type =
2500   P { "E" ,
2501     E = ( {" * V "F" * "} "
2502       + "(" * V "F" * ")"
2503       + TypeParameter
2504       + ( 1 - S "{()}[]\r;" ) ) ^ 0 ,
2505     F = ( {" * V "F" * "} "
2506       + "(" * V "F" * ")"
2507       + ( 1 - S "{()}[]\r\\\""+ TypeParameter ) ^ 0
2508   }
2509
2510 local expression_for_fields_value =
2511   P { "E" ,
2512     E = ( {" * V "F" * "} "
2513       + "(" * V "F" * ")"
2514       + "[" * V "F" * "]"
2515       + ocaml_string + ocaml_char
2516       + ( 1 - S "{()}[];" ) ) ^ 0 ,
2517     F = ( {" * V "F" * "} "
2518       + "(" * V "F" * ")"
2519       + "[" * V "F" * "]"
2520       + ocaml_string + ocaml_char
2521       + ( 1 - S "{()}[]\\\""+ ) ) ^ 0
2522 }
2523
2524 local OneFieldDefinition =
2525   ( K ( 'Keyword' , "mutable" ) * SkipSpace ) ^ -1
2526   * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) * SkipSpace
2527   * Q ":" * SkipSpace
2528   * K ( 'TypeExpression' , expression_for_fields_type )
2529   * SkipSpace
2530
2531 local OneField =
2532   K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) * SkipSpace
2533   * Q "=" * SkipSpace

```

Don't forget the parentheses!

```

2531   * ( C ( expression_for_fields_value ) / ParseAgain )
2532   * SkipSpace

```

The *records*.

```

2533 local RecordVal =
2534   Q "{" * SkipSpace
2535   *
2536   (
2537     (Identifier + DotNotation) * Space * K('Keyword', "with") * Space
2538   ) ^ -1
2539   *
2540   (
2541     OneField * ( Q ";" * SkipSpace * ( Comment * SkipSpace ) ^ 0 * OneField ) ^ 0
2542   )
2543   * SkipSpace
2544   * Q ";" ^ -1
2545   * SkipSpace
2546   * Comment ^ -1
2547   * SkipSpace
2548   * Q "}"
2549 local RecordType =
2550   Q "{" * SkipSpace

```

```

2551   *
2552   (
2553     OneFieldDefinition
2554     * ( Q ";" * SkipSpace * ( Comment * SkipSpace ) ^ 0 * OneFieldDefinition ) ^ 0
2555   )
2556   * SkipSpace
2557   * Q ";" ^ -1
2558   * SkipSpace
2559   * Comment ^ -1
2560   * SkipSpace
2561   * Q "}"
2562 local Record = RecordType + RecordVal

```

```

DotNotation Now, we deal with the notations with points (eg: List.length). In OCaml, such notation is used for the fields of the records and for the modules.

```

```

2563 local DotNotation =
2564 (
2565   K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier )
2566   * Q "."
2567   * ( Identifier + Constructor + Q "(" + Q "[" + Q "{" ) ^ -1
2568 +
2569   Identifier
2570   * Q "."
2571   * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier )
2572 )
2573 * ( Q "." * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) ) ^ 0

```

```

2574 local Operator =
2575   K ( 'Operator' ,
2576     P "!=" + "<>" + "==" + "<<" + ">>" + "<=" + ">=" + ":" + "/" + "&&" +
2577     "//" + "***" + ";" + "->" + "+." + "-." + "*." + "/"
2578   + S "-~+/*%=<>&@/" )

```

```

2579 local Builtin =
2580   K ( 'Name.Builtin' , P "incr" + "decr" + "fst" + "snd" + "ref" )

```

```

2581 local Exception =
2582   K ( 'Exception' ,
2583     P "Division_by_zero" + "End_of_File" + "Failure" + "Invalid_argument" +
2584     "Match_failure" + "Not_found" + "Out_of_memory" + "Stack_overflow" +
2585     "Sys_blocked_io" + "Sys_error" + "Undefined_recursive_module" )

```

```

2586 LPEG_cleaner.ocaml = Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( 'ocaml' , braces )

```

An argument in the definition of a OCaml function may be of the form (pattern:type). pattern may be a single identifier but it's not mandatory. First instance, it's possible to write in OCaml:

```
let head (a::q) = a
```

First, we write a pattern (in the LPEG sens!) to match what will be the pattern (in the OCaml sens).

```

2587 local pattern_part =
2588   ( P "(" * balanced_parens * ")" + ( 1 - S ":()" ) + P ":::" ) ^ 0

```

For the “type” part, the LPEG-pattern will merely be balanced\_parens.

We can now write a LPEG Argument which catches a argument of function (in the definition of the function).

```

2589 local Argument =

```

The following line is for the labels of the labeled arguments. Maybe we will, in the future, create a style for those elements.

```
2590   ( Q "~" * Identifier * Q ":" * SkipSpace ) ^ -1
2591   *
```

Now, the argument itself, either a single identifier, or a construction between parentheses

```
2592   (
2593     K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , identifier )
2594   +
2595     Q "(" * SkipSpace
2596     * ( C ( pattern_part ) / ParseAgain )
2597     * SkipSpace
```

Of course, the specification of type is optional.

```
2598   * ( Q ":" * #(1- P"=")
2599     * K ( 'TypeExpression' , balanced_parens ) * SkipSpace
2600   ) ^ -1
2601   * Q ")"
2602 )
```

Despite its name, then LPEG DefFunction deals also with `let open` which opens locally a module.

```
2603 local DefFunction =
2604   K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , "let open" )
2605   * Space
2606   * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier )
2607   +
2608   K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , P "let rec" + "let" + "and" )
2609   * Space
2610   * K ( 'Name.Function.Internal' , identifier )
2611   * Space
2612   *
```

You use here the argument `strict` in order to allow a correct analyse of `let x = \uncover<2->{y}` (elsewhere, it's interpreted as a definition of a OCaml function).

```
2613   Q "=" * SkipSpace * K ( 'Keyword' , "function" , true )
2614   +
2615   Argument * ( SkipSpace * Argument ) ^ 0
2616   *
2617     SkipSpace
2618     * Q ":" * # ( 1 - P "!=" )
2619     * K ( 'TypeExpression' , ( 1 - P "!=" ) ^ 0 )
2620   ) ^ -1
2621 )
```

## DefModule

```
2622 local DefModule =
2623   K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , "module" ) * Space
2624   *
2625   (
2626     K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , "type" ) * Space
2627     * K ( 'Name.Type' , cap_identifier )
2628   +
2629     K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
2630     *
2631     (
2632       Q "(" * SkipSpace
2633       * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
2634       * Q ":" * # ( 1 - P "!=" ) * SkipSpace
2635       * K ( 'Name.Type' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
2636     *
2637     (
2638       Q "," * SkipSpace
2639       * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
```

```

2640             * Q ":" * # ( 1 - P "=" ) * SkipSpace
2641             * K ( 'Name.Type' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
2642                 ) ^ 0
2643                 * Q ")"
2644             ) ^ -1
2645             *
2646             (
2647                 Q "=" * SkipSpace
2648                 * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
2649                 * Q "("
2650                 * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
2651                     *
2652                     (
2653                         Q ","
2654                         *
2655                         K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
2656                     ) ^ 0
2657                     * Q ")"
2658             ) ^ -1
2659         )
2660     +
2661     K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , P "include" + "open" )
2662     * Space
2663     * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier )

```

## DefType

```

2664     local DefType =
2665     K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , "type" )
2666     * Space
2667     * K ( 'TypeExpression' , Q ( 1 - P "=" - P "+=" ) ^ 1 )
2668     * SkipSpace
2669     * ( Q "+=" + Q "=" )
2670     * SkipSpace
2671     * (
2672         RecordType
2673         +

```

The following lines are a suggestion of Y. Salmon.

```

2674     WithStyle
2675     (
2676         'TypeExpression' ,
2677         (
2678             (
2679                 EOL
2680                 + comment
2681                 + Q ( 1
2682                     - P ";" ;
2683                     - ( ( Space + EOL ) * governing_keyword * EndKeyword )
2684                 )
2685             ) ^ 0
2686             *
2687             (
2688                 # ( ( Space + EOL ) * governing_keyword * EndKeyword )
2689                 + Q ";" ;
2690                 + -1
2691             )
2692             )
2693             )
2694         )

2695     local prompt =
2696         Q "utop[" * digit^1 * Q "]> "
2697     local start_of_line = P(function(subject, position)

```

```

2698     if position == 1 or subject:sub(position - 1, position - 1) == "\r" then
2699         return position
2700     end
2701     return nil
2702 end)
2703 local Prompt = #start_of_line * K( 'Prompt', prompt)
2704 local Answer = #start_of_line * (Q"-" + Q "val" * Space * Identifier )
2705             * SkipSpace * Q ":" * #(1- P"=") * SkipSpace
2706             * (K ( 'TypeExpression' , Q ( 1 - P "=") ^ 1 ) ) * SkipSpace * Q "="

```

## The main LPEG for the language OCaml

```

2707 local Main =
2708     space ^ 0 * EOL
2709     + Space
2710     + Tab
2711     + Escape + EscapeMath
2712     + Beamer
2713     + DetectedCommands
2714     + TypeParameter
2715     + String + QuotedString + Char
2716     + Comment
2717     + Prompt + Answer

```

For the labels (maybe we will write in the future a dedicated LPEG pour those tokens).

```

2718     + Q "~" * Identifier * ( Q ":" ) ^ -1
2719     + Q ":" * # (1 - P ":") * SkipSpace
2720             * K ( 'TypeExpression' , balanced_parens ) * SkipSpace * Q ")"
2721     + Exception
2722     + DefType
2723     + DefFunction
2724     + DefModule
2725     + Record
2726     + Keyword * EndKeyword
2727     + OperatorWord * EndKeyword
2728     + Builtin * EndKeyword
2729     + DotNotation
2730     + Constructor
2731     + Identifier
2732     + Punct
2733     + Delim -- Delim is before Operator for a correct analysis of [| et |]
2734     + Operator
2735     + Number
2736     + Word

```

Here, we must not put `local`, of course.

```
2737 LPEG1.ocaml = Main ^ 0
```

```
2738 LPEG2.ocaml =
2739 Ct (
```

The following lines are in order to allow, in \piton (and not in {Piton}), judgments of type (such as `f : my_type -> 'a list`) or single expressions of type such as `my_type -> 'a list` (in that case, the argument of \piton must begin by a colon).

```

2740     ( P ":" + (K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * Q ".") ^ -1
2741             * Identifier * SkipSpace * Q ":" )
2742             * # ( 1 - S "://" )
2743             * SkipSpace
2744             * K ( 'TypeExpression' , ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 )
2745             +
2746             ( space ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1
2747             * beamerBeginEnvironments

```

```

2748     * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
2749     * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
2750     * ( ( space * Lc [[ \@@_trailing_space: ]] ) ^ 1 * -1
2751         + space ^ 0 * EOL
2752         + Main
2753     ) ^ 0
2754     * -1
2755     * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
2756 )

```

End of the Lua scope for the language OCaml.

```
2757 end
```

### 10.3.6 The language C

We open a Lua local scope for the language C (of course, there will be also global definitions).

```
2758 do
```

```

2759     local Delim = Q ( S "{{()}}" )
2760     local Punct = Q ( S ",:;!:" )

```

Some strings of length 2 are explicit because we want the corresponding ligatures available in some fonts such as *Fira Code* to be active.

```

2761     local identifier = letter * alphanum ^ 0
2762
2763     local Operator =
2764         K ( 'Operator' ,
2765             P "!=" + "==" + "<<" + ">>" + "<=" + ">=" + "||" + "&&"
2766             + S "--+/*%=>&.@@!/" )
2767
2768     local Keyword =
2769         K ( 'Keyword' ,
2770             P "alignas" + "asm" + "auto" + "break" + "case" + "catch" + "class" +
2771             "const" + "constexpr" + "continue" + "decltype" + "do" + "else" + "enum" +
2772             "extern" + "for" + "goto" + "if" + "nexcept" + "private" + "public" +
2773             "register" + "restricted" + "return" + "static" + "static_assert" +
2774             "struct" + "switch" + "thread_local" + "throw" + "try" + "typedef" +
2775             "union" + "using" + "virtual" + "volatile" + "while"
2776         )
2777         + K ( 'Keyword.Constant' , P "default" + "false" + "NULL" + "nullptr" + "true" )
2778
2779     local Builtin =
2780         K ( 'Name.Builtin' ,
2781             P "alignof" + "malloc" + "printf" + "scanf" + "sizeof" )
2782
2783     local Type =
2784         K ( 'Name.Type' ,
2785             P "bool" + "char" + "char16_t" + "char32_t" + "double" + "float" + "int" +
2786             "int8_t" + "int16_t" + "int32_t" + "int64_t" + "long" + "short" + "signed"
2787             + "unsigned" + "void" + "wchar_t" ) * Q "*" ^ 0
2788
2789     local DefFunction =
2790         Type
2791         * Space
2792         * Q "*" ^ -1
2793         * K ( 'Name.Function.Internal' , identifier )
2794         * SkipSpace
2795         * # P "("

```

We remind that the marker # of LPEG specifies that the pattern will be detected but won't consume any character.

The following LPEG DefClass will be used to detect the definition of a new class (the name of that new class will be formatted with the piton style `Name.Class`).

Example: `class myclass:`

```
2796 local DefClass =
2797     K ( 'Keyword' , "class" ) * Space * K ( 'Name.Class' , identifier )
```

If the word `class` is not followed by a identifier, it will be caught as keyword by the LPEG `Keyword` (useful if we want to type a list of keywords).

## The strings of C

```
2798 String =
2799     WithStyle ( 'String.Long.Internal' ,
2800         Q "\""
2801         * ( SpaceInString
2802             + K ( 'String.Interpol' ,
2803                 "%" * ( S "difcspXou" + "ld" + "li" + "hd" + "hi" )
2804                 )
2805             + Q ( ( P "\\\\" + 1 - S " \"\\"" ) ^ 1 )
2806             ) ^ 0
2807         * Q "\""
2808     )
```

**Beamer** The argument of `Compute_braces` must be a pattern *which does no catching* corresponding to the strings of the language.

```
2809 local braces = Compute_braces ( "\"" * ( 1 - S "\"" ) ^ 0 * "\"" )
2810 if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( 'c' , braces ) end
2811 DetectedCommands =
2812     Compute_DetectedCommands ( 'c' , braces )
2813     + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( 'c' , braces )
2814 LPEG_cleaner.c = Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( 'c' , braces )
```

## The directives of the preprocessor

```
2815 local Preproc = K ( 'Preproc' , "#" * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 ) * ( EOL + -1 )
```

**The comments in the C listings** We define different LPEG dealing with comments in the C listings.

```
2816 local Comment =
2817     WithStyle ( 'Comment' ,
2818         Q("//" * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0 ) -- $
2819         * ( EOL + -1 )
2820
2821 local LongComment =
2822     WithStyle ( 'Comment' ,
2823         Q ("/*"
2824             * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - P "*/" - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) + EOL ) ^ 0
2825             * Q "*/"
2826         ) -- $
```

## The main LPEG for the language C

```

2827   local EndKeyword
2828     = Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + Beamer + DetectedCommands + Escape +
2829       EscapeMath + -1

```

First, the main loop :

```

2830   local Main =
2831     space ^ 0 * EOL
2832     + Space
2833     + Tab
2834     + Escape + EscapeMath
2835     + CommentLaTeX
2836     + Beamer
2837     + DetectedCommands
2838     + Preproc
2839     + Comment + LongComment
2840     + Delim
2841     + Operator
2842     + String
2843     + Punct
2844     + DefFunction
2845     + DefClass
2846     + Type * ( Q "*" ^ -1 + EndKeyword )
2847     + Keyword * EndKeyword
2848     + Builtin * EndKeyword
2849     + Identifier
2850     + Number
2851     + Word

```

Here, we must not put `local`, of course.

```
2852   LPEG1.c = Main ^ 0
```

We recall that each line in the C code to parse will be sent back to LaTeX between a pair `\@@_begin_line:` – `\@@_end_line:`<sup>40</sup>.

```

2853   LPEG2.c =
2854     Ct (
2855       ( space ^ 0 * P "\r" ) ^ -1
2856       * beamerBeginEnvironments
2857       * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
2858       * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
2859       * ( space ^ 1 * -1 + space ^ 0 * EOL + Main ) ^ 0
2860       * -1
2861       * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
2862     )

```

End of the Lua scope for the language C.

```
2863 end
```

### 10.3.7 The language SQL

We open a Lua local scope for the language SQL (of course, there will be also global definitions).

```
2864 do
```

---

<sup>40</sup>Remember that the `\@@_end_line:` must be explicit because it will be used as marker in order to delimit the argument of the command `\@@_begin_line:`

```

2865 local LuaKeyword
2866 function LuaKeyword ( name ) return
2867   Lc [[ {\PitonStyle{Keyword}}{ } ]]
2868   * Q ( Cmt (
2869     C ( letter * alphanum ^ 0 ) ,
2870     function ( s , i , a ) return string.upper ( a ) == name end
2871   )
2872   )
2873   * Lc "}"}
2874 end

```

In the identifiers, we will be able to catch those containing spaces, that is to say like "last name".

```

2875 local identifier =
2876   letter * ( alphanum + "-" ) ^ 0
2877   + P '()' * ( ( 1 - P '()' ) ^ 1 ) * '()'
2878 local Operator =
2879   K ( 'Operator' , P "=" + "!=" + "<>" + ">=" + ">" + "<=" + "<" + S "*+/" )

```

In SQL, the keywords are case-insensitive. That's why we have a little complication. We will catch the keywords with the identifiers and, then, distinguish the keywords with a Lua function. However, some keywords will be caught in special LPEG because we want to detect the names of the SQL tables.

The following function converts a comma-separated list in a "set", that is to say a Lua table with a fast way to test whether a string belongs to that set (eventually, the indexation of the components of the table is no longer done by integers but by the strings themselves).

```

2880 local Set
2881 function Set ( list )
2882   local set = { }
2883   for _ , l in ipairs ( list ) do set[l] = true end
2884   return set
2885 end

```

We now use the previous function `Set` to creates the "sets" `set_keywords` and `set_builtin`. That list of keywords comes from [https://sqlite.org/lang\\_keywords.html](https://sqlite.org/lang_keywords.html).

```

2886 local set_keywords = Set
2887 {
2888   "ABORT", "ACTION", "ADD", "AFTER", "ALL", "ALTER", "ALWAYS", "ANALYZE",
2889   "AND", "AS", "ASC", "ATTACH", "AUTOINCREMENT", "BEFORE", "BEGIN", "BETWEEN",
2890   "BY", "CASCADE", "CASE", "CAST", "CHECK", "COLLATE", "COLUMN", "COMMIT",
2891   "CONFLICT", "CONSTRAINT", "CREATE", "CROSS", "CURRENT", "CURRENT_DATE",
2892   "CURRENT_TIME", "CURRENT_TIMESTAMP", "DATABASE", "DEFAULT", "DEFERRABLE",
2893   "DEFERRED", "DELETE", "DESC", "DETACH", "DISTINCT", "DO", "DROP", "EACH",
2894   "ELSE", "END", "ESCAPE", "EXCEPT", "EXCLUDE", "EXCLUSIVE", "EXISTS",
2895   "EXPLAIN", "FAIL", "FILTER", "FIRST", "FOLLOWING", "FOR", "FOREIGN", "FROM",
2896   "FULL", "GENERATED", "GLOB", "GROUP", "GROUPS", "HAVING", "IF", "IGNORE",
2897   "IMMEDIATE", "IN", "INDEX", "INDEXED", "INITIALLY", "INNER", "INSERT",
2898   "INSTEAD", "INTERSECT", "INTO", "IS", "ISNULL", "JOIN", "KEY", "LAST",
2899   "LEFT", "LIKE", "LIMIT", "MATCH", "MATERIALIZED", "NATURAL", "NO", "NOT",
2900   "NOTHING", "NOTNULL", "NULL", "NULLS", "OF", "OFFSET", "ON", "OR", "ORDER",
2901   "OTHERS", "OUTER", "OVER", "PARTITION", "PLAN", "PRAGMA", "PRECEDING",
2902   "PRIMARY", "QUERY", "RAISE", "RANGE", "RECURSIVE", "REFERENCES", "REGEXP",
2903   "REINDEX", "RELEASE", "RENAME", "REPLACE", "RESTRICT", "RETURNING", "RIGHT",
2904   "ROLLBACK", "ROW", "ROWS", "SAVEPOINT", "SELECT", "SET", "TABLE", "TEMP",
2905   "TEMPORARY", "THEN", "TIES", "TO", "TRANSACTION", "TRIGGER", "UNBOUNDED",
2906   "UNION", "UNIQUE", "UPDATE", "USING", "VACUUM", "VALUES", "VIEW", "VIRTUAL",
2907   "WHEN", "WHERE", "WINDOW", "WITH", "WITHOUT"
2908 }

```

```

2909 local set_builtin = Set
2910 {
2911     "AVG" , "COUNT" , "CHAR_LENGTH" , "CONCAT" , "CURDATE" , "CURRENT_DATE" ,
2912     "DATE_FORMAT" , "DAY" , "LOWER" , "LTRIM" , "MAX" , "MIN" , "MONTH" , "NOW" ,
2913     "RANK" , "ROUND" , "RTRIM" , "SUBSTRING" , "SUM" , "UPPER" , "YEAR"
2914 }

```

The LPEG Identifier will catch the identifiers of the fields but also the keywords and the built-in functions of SQL. It will *not* catch the names of the SQL tables.

```

2915 local Identifier =
2916     C ( identifier ) /
2917     (
2918         function ( s )
2919             if set_keywords[string.upper(s)] then return
2920             { {[{\PitonStyle{Keyword}}]} } ,
2921             { luatexbase.catcodetables.other , s } ,
2922             { "}" }
2923         else
2924             if set_builtin[string.upper(s)] then return
2925                 { {[{\PitonStyle{Name.Builtin}}]} } ,
2926                 { luatexbase.catcodetables.other , s } ,
2927                 { "}" }
2928             else return
2929                 { {[{\PitonStyle{Name.Field}}]} } ,
2930                 { luatexbase.catcodetables.other , s } ,
2931                 { "}" }
2932             end
2933         end
2934     end
2935 )

```

## The strings of SQL

```

2936 local String = K ( 'String.Long.Internal' , "" * ( 1 - P "" ) ^ 1 * "" )

```

**Beamer** The argument of Compute\_braces must be a pattern which does no catching corresponding to the strings of the language.

```

2937 local braces = Compute_braces ( "" * ( 1 - P "" ) ^ 1 * "" )
2938 if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( 'sql' , braces ) end
2939 DetectedCommands =
2940     Compute_DetectedCommands ( 'sql' , braces )
2941     + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( 'sql' , braces )
2942 LPEG_cleaner.sql = Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( 'sql' , braces )

```

**The comments in the SQL listings** We define different LPEG dealing with comments in the SQL listings.

```

2943 local Comment =
2944     WithStyle ( 'Comment' ,
2945         Q "--" -- syntax of SQL92
2946         * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0 ) -- $
2947         * ( EOL + -1 )
2948
2949 local LongComment =
2950     WithStyle ( 'Comment' ,
2951         Q "/*"

```

```

2952     * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - P "*/" - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) + EOL ) ^ 0
2953     * Q "*/"
2954 ) -- $

```

The main LPEG for the language SQL

```

2955 local EndKeyword
2956   = Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + Beamer + DetectedCommands + Escape +
2957     EscapeMath + -1
2958 local TableField =
2959   K ( 'Name.Table' , identifier )
2960   * Q "."
2961   * ( DetectedCommands + ( K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) ) ^ 0 )
2962
2963 local OneField =
2964 (
2965   Q ( "(" * ( 1 - P ")" ) ^ 0 * ")" )
2966   +
2967   K ( 'Name.Table' , identifier )
2968   * Q "."
2969   * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier )
2970   +
2971   K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier )
2972 )
2973 * (
2974   Space * LuaKeyword "AS" * Space * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier )
2975   ) ^ -1
2976 * ( Space * ( LuaKeyword "ASC" + LuaKeyword "DESC" ) ) ^ -1
2977
2978 local OneTable =
2979   K ( 'Name.Table' , identifier )
2980   * (
2981     Space
2982     * LuaKeyword "AS"
2983     * Space
2984     * K ( 'Name.Table' , identifier )
2985   ) ^ -1
2986
2987 local WeCatchTableNames =
2988   LuaKeyword "FROM"
2989   * ( Space + EOL )
2990   * OneTable * ( SkipSpace * Q "," * SkipSpace * OneTable ) ^ 0
2991   +
2992     LuaKeyword "JOIN" + LuaKeyword "INTO" + LuaKeyword "UPDATE"
2993     + LuaKeyword "TABLE"
2994   )
2995   * ( Space + EOL ) * OneTable
2996
2997 local EndKeyword
2998   = Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + Beamer
2999     + DetectedCommands + Escape + EscapeMath + -1

```

First, the main loop :

```

2999 local Main =
3000   space ^ 0 * EOL
3001   + Space
3002   + Tab
3003   + Escape + EscapeMath
3004   + CommentLaTeX
3005   + Beamer
3006   + DetectedCommands
3007   + Comment + LongComment
3008   + Delim

```

```

3009      + Operator
3010      + String
3011      + Punct
3012      + WeCatchTableNames
3013      + ( TableField + Identifier ) * ( Space + Operator + Punct + Delim + EOL + -1 )
3014      + Number
3015      + Word

```

Here, we must not put local, of course.

```
3016  LPEG1.sql = Main ^ 0
```

We recall that each line in the code to parse will be sent back to LaTeX between a pair \@@\_begin\_line: – \@@\_end\_line:<sup>41</sup>.

```

3017  LPEG2.sql =
3018  Ct (
3019    ( space ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1
3020    * beamerBeginEnvironments
3021    * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
3022    * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
3023    * ( space ^ 1 * -1 + space ^ 0 * EOL + Main ) ^ 0
3024    * -1
3025    * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
3026  )

```

End of the Lua scope for the language SQL.

```
3027 end
```

### 10.3.8 The language “Minimal”

We open a Lua local scope for the language “Minimal” (of course, there will be also global definitions).

```

3028 do
3029   local Punct = Q ( S ",:;!\\\" )
3030
3031   local Comment =
3032     WithStyle ( 'Comment' ,
3033       Q "#"
3034       * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0 -- $
3035     )
3036   * ( EOL + -1 )
3037
3038   local String =
3039     WithStyle ( 'String.Short.Internal' ,
3040       Q "\\""
3041       * ( SpaceInString
3042         + Q ( ( P [[\]] ] + 1 - S " \\\" " ) ^ 1 )
3043       ) ^ 0
3044       * Q "\\""
3045     )

```

The argument of Compute\_braces must be a pattern which does no catching corresponding to the strings of the language.

```

3046   local braces = Compute_braces ( P "\\\" * ( P "\\\" + 1 - P "\\\" ) ^ 1 * "\\\" )
3047
3048   if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( 'minimal' , braces ) end
3049
3050   DetectedCommands =

```

---

<sup>41</sup> Remember that the \@@\_end\_line: must be explicit because it will be used as marker in order to delimit the argument of the command \@@\_begin\_line:

```

3051 Compute_DetectedCommands ( 'minimal' , braces )
3052 + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( 'minimal' , braces )
3053
3054 LPEG_cleaner.minimal = Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( 'minimal' , braces )
3055
3056 local identifier = letter * alphanum ^ 0
3057
3058 local Identifier = K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , identifier )
3059
3060 local Delim = Q ( S "{{[()]}"))
3061
3062 local Main =
3063     space ^ 0 * EOL
3064     + Space
3065     + Tab
3066     + Escape + EscapeMath
3067     + CommentLaTeX
3068     + Beamer
3069     + DetectedCommands
3070     + Comment
3071     + Delim
3072     + String
3073     + Punct
3074     + Identifier
3075     + Number
3076     + Word

```

Here, we must not put `local`, of course.

```

3077 LPEG1.minimal = Main ^ 0
3078
3079 LPEG2.minimal =
3080 Ct (
3081     ( space ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1
3082     * beamerBeginEnvironments
3083     * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
3084     * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
3085     * ( space ^ 1 * -1 + space ^ 0 * EOL + Main ) ^ 0
3086     * -1
3087     * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
3088 )

```

End of the Lua scope for the language “Minimal”.

```
3089 end
```

### 10.3.9 The language “Verbatim”

We open a Lua local scope for the language “Verbatim” (of course, there will be also global definitions).

```
3090 do
```

Here, we don’t use braces as done with the other languages because we don’t have to take into account the strings (there is no string in the language “Verbatim”).

```

3091 local braces =
3092     P { "E" ,
3093         E = ( "{" * V "E" * "}" + ( 1 - S "{}" ) ) ^ 0
3094     }
3095
3096 if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( 'verbatim' , braces ) end
3097
3098 DetectedCommands =
3099     Compute_DetectedCommands ( 'verbatim' , braces )
3100     + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( 'verbatim' , braces )

```

```

3101
3102     LPEG_cleaner.verbatim = Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( 'verbatim' , braces )

```

Now, you will construct the LPEG Word.

```

3103     local lpeg_central = 1 - S " \\\r"
3104     if piton.begin_escape then
3105         lpeg_central = lpeg_central - piton.begin_escape
3106     end
3107     if piton.begin_escape_math then
3108         lpeg_central = lpeg_central - piton.begin_escape_math
3109     end
3110     local Word = Q ( lpeg_central ^ 1 )
3111
3112     local Main =
3113         space ^ 0 * EOL
3114         + Space
3115         + Tab
3116         + Escape + EscapeMath
3117         + Beamer
3118         + DetectedCommands
3119         + Q [[\J]]
3120         + Word

```

Here, we must not put `local`, of course.

```

3121     LPEG1.verbatim = Main ^ 0
3122
3123     LPEG2.verbatim =
3124     Ct (
3125         ( space ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1
3126         * beamerBeginEnvironments
3127         * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
3128         * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
3129         * ( space ^ 1 * -1 + space ^ 0 * EOL + Main ) ^ 0
3130         * -1
3131         * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
3132     )

```

End of the Lua scope for the language “`verbatim`”.

```
3133 end
```

### 10.3.10 The function Parse

The function `Parse` is the main function of the package `piton`. It parses its argument and sends back to LaTeX the code with interlaced formatting LaTeX instructions. In fact, everything is done by the LPEG corresponding to the considered language (`LPEG2[language]`) which returns as capture a Lua table containing data to send to LaTeX.

```
3134 function piton.Parse ( language , code )
```

The variable `piton.language` will be used by the function `ParseAgain`.

```

3135     piton.language = language
3136     local t = LPEG2[language] : match ( code )
3137     if t == nil then
3138         sprintL3 [[ \@@_error_or_warning:n { SyntaxError } ]]
3139         return -- to exit in force the function
3140     end
3141     local left_stack = {}
3142     local right_stack = {}
3143     for _ , one_item in ipairs ( t ) do
3144         if one_item[1] == "EOL" then

```

```

3145     for _, s in ipairs ( right_stack ) do
3146         tex.sprint ( s )
3147     end
3148     for _, s in ipairs ( one_item[2] ) do
3149         tex.tprint ( s )
3150     end
3151     for _, s in ipairs ( left_stack ) do
3152         tex.sprint ( s )
3153     end
3154 else

```

Here is an example of an item beginning with "Open".

```
{ "Open" , "\begin{uncover}<2>" , "\end{uncover}" }
```

In order to deal with the ends of lines, we have to close the environment (`\begin{uncover}` in this example) at the end of each line and reopen it at the beginning of the new line. That's why we use two Lua stacks, called `left_stack` and `right_stack`. `left_stack` will be for the elements like `\begin{uncover}<2>` and `right_stack` will be for the elements like `\end{uncover}`.

```

3155     if one_item[1] == "Open" then
3156         tex.sprint ( one_item[2] )
3157         table.insert ( left_stack , one_item[2] )
3158         table.insert ( right_stack , one_item[3] )
3159     else
3160         if one_item[1] == "Close" then
3161             tex.sprint ( right_stack[#right_stack] )
3162             left_stack[#left_stack] = nil
3163             right_stack[#right_stack] = nil
3164         else
3165             tex.tprint ( one_item )
3166         end
3167     end
3168 end
3169 end
3170 end

```

There is the problem of the conventions of end of lines (`\n` in Unix and Linux but `\r\n` in Windows). The function `cr_file_lines` will read a file line by line after replacement of the `\r\n` by `\n`.

```

3171 local cr_file_lines
3172 function cr_file_lines ( filename )
3173     local f = io.open ( filename , 'rb' )
3174     local s = f : read ( '*a' )
3175     f : close ( )
3176     return ( s .. '\n' ) : gsub( '\r\n?' , '\n' ) : gmatch ( '(.-)\n' )
3177 end

```

The function `ParseFile` will be used by the LaTeX command `\PitonInputFile`. That function merely reads the file (between `first_line` and `last_line`) and then apply the function `Parse` to the resulting Lua string.

```

3178 function piton.ParseFile
3179     ( lang , name , first_line , last_line , splittable , split )
3180     local s = ''
3181     local i = 0
3182     for line in cr_file_lines ( name ) do
3183         i = i + 1
3184         if i >= first_line then
3185             s = s .. '\r' .. line
3186         end
3187         if i >= last_line then break end
3188     end

```

We extract the BOM of utf-8, if present.

```

3189     if string.byte ( s , 1 ) == 13 then
3190         if string.byte ( s , 2 ) == 239 then

```

```

3191     if string.byte ( s , 3 ) == 187 then
3192         if string.byte ( s , 4 ) == 191 then
3193             s = string.sub ( s , 5 , -1 )
3194         end
3195     end
3196   end
3197 end
3198 if split == 1 then
3199   piton.RetrieveGobbleSplitParse ( lang , 0 , splittable , s )
3200 else
3201   piton.RetrieveGobbleParse ( lang , 0 , splittable , s )
3202 end
3203 end

3204 function piton.RetrieveGobbleParse ( lang , n , splittable , code )
3205   local s
3206   s = ( ( P " " ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1 * C ( P ( 1 ) ^ 0 ) * -1 ) : match ( code )
3207   piton.GobbleParse ( lang , n , splittable , s )
3208 end

```

### 10.3.11 Two variants of the function Parse with integrated preprocessors

The following command will be used by the user command `\piton`. For that command, we have to undo the duplication of the symbols `#`.

```

3209 function piton.ParseBis ( lang , code )
3210   return piton.Parse ( lang , code : gsub ( '##' , '#' ) )
3211 end

```

The following command will be used when we have to parse some small chunks of code that have yet been parsed. They are re-scanned by LaTeX because it has been required by `\@@_piton:n` in the piton style of the syntactic element. In that case, you have to remove the potential `\@@_breakable_space:` that have been inserted when the key `break-lines` is in force.

```
3212 function piton.ParseTer ( lang , code )
```

Be careful: we have to write `[[\@@_breakable_space: ]]` with a space after the name of the LaTeX command `\@@_breakable_space::`. Remember that `\@@_leading_space:` does not create a space, only an incrementation of the counter `\g_@@_indentation_int`. That's why we don't replace it by a space...

```

3213   return piton.Parse
3214   (
3215     lang ,
3216     code : gsub ( [[\@@_breakable_space: ]] , ' ' )
3217     : gsub ( [[\@@_leading_space: ]] , ' ' )
3218   )
3219 end

```

### 10.3.12 Preprocessors of the function Parse for gobble

We deal now with preprocessors of the function `Parse` which are needed when the “gobble mechanism” is used.

The following LPEG returns as capture the minimal number of spaces at the beginning of the lines of code.

```

3220 local AutoGobbleLPEG =
3221   (
3222     P " " ^ 0 * "\r"
3223     +
3224     Ct ( C " " ^ 0 ) / table.getn

```

```

3225     * ( 1 - P " " ) * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * "\r"
3226     ) ^ 0
3227     * ( Ct ( C " " ^ 0 ) / table.getn
3228         * ( 1 - P " " ) * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
3229 ) / math.min

```

The following LPEG is similar but works with the tabulations.

```

3230 local TabsAutoGobbleLPEG =
3231   (
3232     (
3233       P "\t" ^ 0 * "\r"
3234       +
3235       Ct ( C "\t" ^ 0 ) / table.getn
3236       * ( 1 - P "\t" ) * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * "\r"
3237     ) ^ 0
3238     * ( Ct ( C "\t" ^ 0 ) / table.getn
3239         * ( 1 - P "\t" ) * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
3240   ) / math.min

```

The following LPEG returns as capture the number of spaces at the last line, that is to say before the `\end{Piton}` (and usually it's also the number of spaces before the corresponding `\begin{Piton}` because that's the traditional way to indent in LaTeX).

```

3241 local EnvGobbleLPEG =
3242   ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ 0
3243   * Ct ( C " " ^ 0 * -1 ) / table.getn
3244 local remove_before_cr
3245 function remove_before_cr ( input_string )
3246   local match_result = ( P "\r" ) : match ( input_string )
3247   if match_result then return
3248     string.sub ( input_string , match_result )
3249   else return
3250     input_string
3251   end
3252 end

```

The function `gobble` gobbles  $n$  characters on the left of the code. The negative values of  $n$  have special significations.

```

3253 function piton.Gobble ( n , code )
3254   code = remove_before_cr ( code )
3255   if n == 0 then return
3256     code
3257   else
3258     if n == -1 then
3259       n = AutoGobbleLPEG : match ( code )
3260     else
3261       if n == -2 then
3262         n = EnvGobbleLPEG : match ( code )
3263       else
3264         if n == -3 then
3265           n = TabsAutoGobbleLPEG : match ( code )
3266         end
3267       end
3268     end
3269   end

```

We have a second test `if n == 0` because, even if the key like `auto-gobble` is in force, it's possible that, in fact, there is no space to gobble...

```

3269   if n == 0 then return
3270     code
3271   else return

```

We will now use a LPEG that we have to compute dynamically because it depends on the value of  $n$ .

```

3272     ( Ct (
3273         ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ (-n) * C ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 )
3274             * ( C "\r" * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ (-n) * C ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 )
3275                 ) ^ 0 )
3276             / table.concat
3277         ) : match ( code )
3278     end
3279   end
3280 end

```

In the following code,  $n$  is the value of `\l_@@_gobble_int`.  
`splittable` is the value of `\l_@@_splittable_int`.

```

3281 function piton.GobbleParse ( lang , n , splittable , code )
3282   piton.ComputeLinesStatus ( code , splittable )
3283   piton.last_code = piton.Gobble ( n , code )
3284   piton.last_language = lang

```

We count the number of lines of the informatic code. The result will be stored by Lua in `\l_@@_nb_lines_int`.

```

3285   piton.CountLines ( piton.last_code )
3286   sprintL3 [[ \bool_if:NT \g_@@_footnote_bool { \savenotes } ]]
3287   piton.Parse ( lang , piton.last_code )
3288   sprintL3 [[ \vspace{2.5pt} ]]
3289   sprintL3 [[ \bool_if:NT \g_@@_footnote_bool { \endsavenotes } ]]

```

We finish the paragraph (each line of the listing is composed in a TeX box — with potentially several lines when `break-lines-in-Piton` is in force — put alone in a paragraph.

```

3290   sprintL3 [[ \par ]]
3291   piton.join_and_write ( )
3292 end

```

The following function will be used when the final user has used the key `join` or the key `write`. The value of the key `join` has been written in the Lua variable `piton.join`.

```

3293 function piton.join_and_write ( )
3294   if piton.join ~= '' then
3295     if piton.join_files [ piton.join ] == nil then
3296       piton.join_files [ piton.join ] = piton.get_last_code ( )
3297     else
3298       piton.join_files [ piton.join ] =
3299       piton.join_files [ piton.join ] .. "\r\n" .. piton.get_last_code ( )
3300     end
3301   end
3302   % \end{macrocode}
3303 %
3304 % Now, if the final user has used the key /write/ to write the listing of the
3305 % environment on an external file (on the disk).
3306 %
3307 % We have written the values of the keys /write/ and /path-write/ in the Lua
3308 % variables /piton.write/ and /piton.path-write/.
3309 %
3310 % If /piton.write/ is not empty, that means that the key /write/ has been used
3311 % for the current environment and, hence, we have to write the content of the
3312 % listing on the corresponding external file.
3313 % \begin{macrocode}
3314   if piton.write ~= '' then

```

We will write on `file_name` the full name (with the path) of the file in which we will write.

```

3315   local file_name = ''
3316   if piton.path_write == '' then
3317     file_name = piton.write
3318   else

```

If `piton.path-write` is not empty, that means that we will not write on a file in the current directory but in another directory. First, we verify that that directory actually exists.

```
3319     local attr = lfs.attributes ( piton.path_write )
3320     if attr and attr.mode == "directory" then
3321         file_name = piton.path_write .. "/" .. piton.write
3322     else
```

If the directory does *not* exist, you raise an (non-fatal) error since TeX is not able to create a new directory.

```
3323         sprintL3 [[ \@@_error_or_warning:n { InexistentDirectory } ]]
3324     end
3325 end
3326 if file_name ~= '' then
```

Now, `file_name` contains the complete name of the file on which we will have to write. Maybe the file does not exist but we are sure that the directory exist.

The Lua table `piton.write_files` is a table of Lua strings corresponding to all the files that we will write on the disk in the `\AtEndDocument`. They correspond to the use of the key `write` (and `path-write`).

```
3327     if piton.write_files [ file_name ] == nil then
3328         piton.write_files [ file_name ] = piton.get_last_code ( )
3329     else
3330         piton.write_files [ file_name ] =
3331             piton.write_files [ file_name ] .. "\n" .. piton.get_last_code ( )
3332     end
3333 end
3334 end
3335 end
```

The following command will be used when the final user has set `print=false`.

```
3336 function piton.GobbleParseNoPrint ( lang , n , code )
3337     piton.last_code = piton.Gobble ( n , code )
3338     piton.last_language = lang
3339     piton.join_and_write ( )
3340 end
```

The following function will be used when the key `split-on-empty-lines` is in force. With that key, the informatic code is split in chunks at the empty lines (usually between the informatic functions defined in the informatic code). LaTeX will be able to change the page between the chunks. The second argument `n` corresponds to the value of the key `gobble` (number of spaces to gobble).

```
3341 function piton.GobbleSplitParse ( lang , n , splittable , code )
3342     local chunks
3343     chunks =
3344     (
3345         Ct (
3346             (
3347                 P " " ^ 0 * "\r"
3348                 +
3349                 C ( ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 1 * ( P "\r" + -1 )
3350                     - ( P " " ^ 0 * ( P "\r" + -1 ) )
3351                     ) ^ 1
3352                 )
3353             ) ^ 0
3354         )
3355     ) : match ( piton.Gobble ( n , code ) )
3356     sprintL3 [[ \begingroup ]]
3357     sprintL3
3358     (
3359         [[ \PitonOptions { split-on-empty-lines = false, gobble = 0, }]
3360         .. "language = " .. lang .. ","
3361         .. "splittable = " .. splittable .. "}"
3362     )
```

```

3363   for k , v in pairs ( chunks ) do
3364     if k > 1 then
3365       sprintL3 ( [[ \l_@@_split_separation_t1 ]] )
3366     end
3367     tex.print
3368     (
3369       [[\begin{[]}] .. piton.env_used_by_split .. "}\r"
3370       .. v
3371       .. [[\end{[]}] .. piton.env_used_by_split .. "}\r" -- previously: }%\r
3372     )
3373   end
3374   sprintL3 [[ \endgroup ]]
3375 end

3376 function piton.RetrieveGobbleSplitParse ( lang , n , splittable , code )
3377   local s
3378   s = ( ( P " " ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1 * C ( P ( 1 ) ^ 0 ) * -1 ) : match ( code )
3379   piton.GobbleSplitParse ( lang , n , splittable , s )
3380 end

```

The following Lua string will be inserted between the chunks of code created when the key `split-on-empty-lines` is in force. It's used only once: you have given a name to that Lua string only for legibility. The token list `\l_@@_split_separation_t1` corresponds to the key `split-separation`. That token list must contain elements inserted in *vertical mode* of TeX.

```

3381 piton.string_between_chunks =
3382 [[ \par \l_@@_split_separation_t1 \mode_leave_vertical: ]]
3383 .. [[ \int_gzero:N \g_@@_line_int ]]

```

The counter `\g_@@_line_int` will be used to control the points where the code may be broken by a change of page (see the key `splittable`).

The following public Lua function is provided to the developer.

```

3384 function piton.get_last_code ( )
3385   return LPEG_cleaner[piton.last_language] : match ( piton.last_code )
3386   : gsub ('\r\n' , '\n') : gsub ('\r' , '\n')
3387 end

```

### 10.3.13 To count the number of lines

```

3388 function piton.CountLines ( code )
3389   local count = 0
3390   count =
3391     ( Ct ( ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * C "\r" ) ^ 0
3392           * ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 1 * Cc "\r" ) ^ -1
3393           * -1
3394         ) / table.getn
3395       ) : match ( code )
3396   sprintL3 ( string.format ( [[ \int_set:Nn \l_@@_nb_lines_int { %i } ]] , count ) )
3397 end

```

The following function is only used once (in `piton.GobbleParse`). We have written an autonomous function only for legibility. The number of lines of the code will be stored in `\l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int`. It will be used to compute the largest number of lines to write (when `line-numbers` is in force).

```

3398 function piton.CountNonEmptyLines ( code )
3399   local count = 0
3400   count =
3401     ( Ct ( ( P " " ^ 0 * "\r"
3402             + ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * C "\r" ) ^ 0
3403             * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0
3404             * -1

```

```

3405         ) / table.getn
3406     ) : match ( code )
3407     sprintL3
3408     ( string.format ( [[ \int_set:Nn \l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int { %i } ]] , count ) )
3409 end

3410 function piton.CountLinesFile ( name )
3411     local count = 0
3412     for line in io.lines ( name ) do count = count + 1 end
3413     sprintL3
3414     ( string.format ( [[ \int_set:Nn \l_@@_nb_lines_int { %i } ]], count ) )
3415 end

3416 function piton.CountNonEmptyLinesFile ( name )
3417     local count = 0
3418     for line in io.lines ( name ) do
3419         if not ( ( P " " ^ 0 * -1 ) : match ( line ) ) then
3420             count = count + 1
3421         end
3422     end
3423     sprintL3
3424     ( string.format ( [[ \int_set:Nn \l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int { %i } ]] , count ) )
3425 end

```

The following function stores in `\l_@@_first_line_int` and `\l_@@_last_line_int` the numbers of lines of the file `file_name` corresponding to the strings `marker_beginning` and `marker_end`. `s` is the marker of the beginning and `t` is the marker of the end.

```

3426 function piton.ComputeRange(s,t,file_name)
3427     local first_line = -1
3428     local count = 0
3429     local last_found = false
3430     for line in io.lines ( file_name ) do
3431         if first_line == -1 then
3432             if string.sub ( line , 1 , #s ) == s then
3433                 first_line = count
3434             end
3435         else
3436             if string.sub ( line , 1 , #t ) == t then
3437                 last_found = true
3438                 break
3439             end
3440         end
3441         count = count + 1
3442     end
3443     if first_line == -1 then
3444         sprintL3 [[ \@@_error_or_warning:n { begin~marker~not~found } ]]
3445     else
3446         if last_found == false then
3447             sprintL3 [[ \@@_error_or_warning:n { end~marker~not~found } ]]
3448         end
3449     end
3450     sprintL3 (
3451         [[ \int_set:Nn \l_@@_first_line_int { } ] .. first_line .. ' + 2 ']
3452         .. [[ \int_set:Nn \l_@@_last_line_int { } ] .. count .. ' }' )
3453 end

```

#### 10.3.14 To determine the empty lines of the listings

Despite its name, the Lua function `ComputeLinesStatus` computes `piton.lines_status` but also `piton.empty_lines`.

In `piton.empty_lines`, a line will have the number 0 if it's a empty line (in fact a blank line, with only spaces) and 1 elsewhere.

In `piton.lines_status`, each line will have a status with regard the breaking points allowed (for the changes of pages).

- 0 if the line is empty and a page break is allowed;
- 1 if the line is not empty but a page break is allowed after that line;
- 2 if a page break is *not* allowed after that line (empty or not empty).

`splittable` is the value of `\l_@@_splittable_int`. However, if `splittable-on-empty-lines` is in force, `splittable` is the opposite of `\l_@@_splittable_int`.

```
3454 function piton.ComputeLinesStatus ( code , splittable )
```

The lines in the listings which correspond to the beginning or the end of an environment of Beamer (eg. `\begin{uncoverenv}`) must be retrieved (those lines have *no* number and therefore, *no* status).

```
3455 local lpeg_line_beamer
3456 if piton.beamer then
3457   lpeg_line_beamer =
3458     space ^ 0
3459     * P [[\begin{}]] * beamerEnvironments * "}"
3460     * ( "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * ">" ) ^ -1
3461   +
3462   space ^ 0
3463   * P [[\end{}]] * beamerEnvironments * "}"
3464 else
3465   lpeg_line_beamer = P ( false )
3466 end
3467 local lpeg_empty_lines =
3468 Ct (
3469   ( lpeg_line_beamer * "\r"
3470   +
3471     P " " ^ 0 * "\r" * Cc ( 0 )
3472   +
3473     ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * "\r" * Cc ( 1 )
3474   ) ^ 0
3475   *
3476   ( lpeg_line_beamer + ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 1 * Cc ( 1 ) ) ^ -1
3477 )
3478 * -1
3479 local lpeg_all_lines =
3480 Ct (
3481   ( lpeg_line_beamer * "\r"
3482   +
3483     ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * "\r" * Cc ( 1 )
3484   ) ^ 0
3485   *
3486   ( lpeg_line_beamer + ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 1 * Cc ( 1 ) ) ^ -1
3487 )
3488 * -1
```

We begin with the computation of `piton.empty_lines`. It will be used in conjunction with `line-numbers`.

```
3489 piton.empty_lines = lpeg_empty_lines : match ( code )
```

Now, we compute `piton.lines_status`. It will be used in conjunction with `splittable` and `splittable-on-empty-lines`.

Now, we will take into account the current value of `\l_@@_splittable_int` (provided by the *absolute value* of the argument `splittable`).

```
3490 local lines_status
3491 local s = splittable
3492 if splittable < 0 then s = - splittable end
```

```

3493     if splittable > 0 then
3494         lines_status = lpeg_all_lines : match ( code )
3495     else

```

Here, we should try to copy piton.empty\_lines but it's not easy.

```

3496     lines_status = lpeg_empty_lines : match ( code )
3497     for i , x in ipairs ( lines_status ) do
3498         if x == 0 then
3499             for j = 1 , s - 1 do
3500                 if i + j > #lines_status then break end
3501                 if lines_status[i+j] == 0 then break end
3502                 lines_status[i+j] = 2
3503             end
3504             for j = 1 , s - 1 do
3505                 if i - j == 1 then break end
3506                 if lines_status[i-j-1] == 0 then break end
3507                 lines_status[i-j-1] = 2
3508             end
3509         end
3510     end
3511 end

```

In all cases (whatever is the value of `splittable-on-empty-lines`) we have to deal with both extremities of the listing to format.

First from the beginning of the code.

```

3512     for j = 1 , s - 1 do
3513         if j > #lines_status then break end
3514         if lines_status[j] == 0 then break end
3515         lines_status[j] = 2
3516     end

```

Now, from the end of the code.

```

3517     for j = 1 , s - 1 do
3518         if #lines_status - j == 0 then break end
3519         if lines_status[#lines_status - j] == 0 then break end
3520         lines_status[#lines_status - j] = 2
3521     end

3522     piton.lines_status = lines_status
3523 end

```

### 10.3.15 To create new languages with the syntax of listings

```

3524 function piton.new_language ( lang , definition )
3525     lang = string.lower ( lang )

3526     local alpha , digit = lpeg.alpha , lpeg.digit
3527     local extra_letters = { "@" , "_" , "$" } -- $

```

The command `add_to_letter` (triggered by the key `l`) don't write right away in the LPEG pattern of the letters in an intermediate `extra_letters` because we may have to retrieve letters from that "list" if there appear in a key `alsoother`.

```

3528     function add_to_letter ( c )
3529         if c ~= " " then table.insert ( extra_letters , c ) end
3530     end

```

For the digits, it's straightforward.

```

3531     function add_to_digit ( c )
3532         if c ~= " " then digit = digit + c end
3533     end

```

The main use of the key `alsoother` is, for the language LaTeX, when you have to retrieve some characters from the list of letters, in particular `\` and `_` (which, by default, are not allowed in the name of a control sequence in TeX).

(In the following LPEG we have a problem when we try to add `{` and `}`).

```
3534 local other = S ":_@+-*/<>!?;_.()[]~^#=#&\"\\\$" -- $
3535 local extra_others = { }
3536 function add_to_other ( c )
3537   if c ~= " " then
```

We will use `extra_others` to retrieve further these characters from the list of the letters.

```
3538   extra_others[c] = true
```

The LPEG pattern `other` will be used in conjunction with the key `tag` (mainly for languages such as HTML and XML) for the character `/` in the closing tags `</....>`.

```
3539   other = other + P ( c )
3540 end
3541 end
```

Now, the first transformation of the definition of the language, as provided by the final user in the argument `definition` of `piton.new_language`.

```
3542 local def_table
3543 if ( S ", " ^ 0 * -1 ) : match ( definition ) then
3544   def_table = {}
3545 else
3546   local strict_braces =
3547     P { "E" ,
3548       E = ( "{" * V "F" * "}" + ( 1 - S ",{}" ) ) ^ 0 ,
3549       F = ( "{" * V "F" * "}" + ( 1 - S "{}" ) ) ^ 0
3550     }
3551   local cut_definition =
3552     P { "E" ,
3553       E = Ct ( V "F" * ( "," * V "F" ) ^ 0 ) ,
3554       F = Ct ( space ^ 0 * C ( alpha ^ 1 ) * space ^ 0
3555         * ( "=" * space ^ 0 * C ( strict_braces ) ) ^ -1 )
3556     }
3557   def_table = cut_definition : match ( definition )
3558 end
```

The definition of the language, provided by the final user of `piton` is now in the Lua table `def_table`. We will use it *several times*.

The following LPEG will be used to extract arguments in the values of the keys (`morekeywords`, `morecomment`, `morestring`, etc.).

```
3559 local tex_braced_arg = "{" * C ( ( 1 - P "]" ) ^ 0 ) * "}"
3560 local tex_arg = tex_braced_arg + C ( 1 )
3561 local tex_option_arg = "[" * C ( ( 1 - P ")" ) ^ 0 ) * "]" + Cc ( nil )
3562 local args_for_tag
3563   = tex_option_arg
3564   * space ^ 0
3565   * tex_arg
3566   * space ^ 0
3567   * tex_arg
3568 local args_for_morekeywords
3569   = "[" * C ( ( 1 - P ")" ) ^ 0 ) * "]"
3570   * space ^ 0
3571   * tex_option_arg
3572   * space ^ 0
3573   * tex_arg
3574   * space ^ 0
3575   * ( tex_braced_arg + Cc ( nil ) )
3576 local args_for_moredelims
3577   = ( C ( P "*" ^ -2 ) + Cc ( nil ) ) * space ^ 0
3578   * args_for_morekeywords
```

```

3579 local args_for_morecomment
3580   = "[" * C ( ( 1 - P "]") ^ 0 ) * "]"
3581   * space ^ 0
3582   * tex_option_arg
3583   * space ^ 0
3584   * C ( P ( 1 ) ^ 0 * -1 )

```

We scan the definition of the language (i.e. the table `def_table`) in order to detect the potential key `sensitive`. Indeed, we have to catch that key before the treatment of the keywords of the language. We will also look for the potential keys `alsodigit`, `alsoletter` and `tag`.

```

3585 local sensitive = true
3586 local style_tag , left_tag , right_tag
3587 for _ , x in ipairs ( def_table ) do
3588   if x[1] == "sensitive" then
3589     if x[2] == nil or ( P "true" ) : match ( x[2] ) then
3590       sensitive = true
3591     else
3592       if ( P "false" + P "f" ) : match ( x[2] ) then sensitive = false end
3593     end
3594   end
3595   if x[1] == "alsodigit" then x[2] : gsub ( ".", add_to_digit ) end
3596   if x[1] == "alsoletter" then x[2] : gsub ( ".", add_to_letter ) end
3597   if x[1] == "alsoother" then x[2] : gsub ( ".", add_to_other ) end
3598   if x[1] == "tag" then
3599     style_tag , left_tag , right_tag = args_for_tag : match ( x[2] )
3600     style_tag = style_tag or {[PitonStyle{Tag}]}
3601   end
3602 end

```

Now, the LPEG for the numbers. Of course, it uses `digit` previously computed.

```

3603 local Number =
3604   K ( 'Number.Internal' ,
3605     ( digit ^ 1 * "." * # ( 1 - P ".") * digit ^ 0
3606       + digit ^ 0 * "." * digit ^ 1
3607       + digit ^ 1 )
3608     * ( S "eE" * S "+-" ^ -1 * digit ^ 1 ) ^ -1
3609     + digit ^ 1
3610   )
3611 local string_extra_letters = ""
3612 for _ , x in ipairs ( extra_letters ) do
3613   if not ( extra_others[x] ) then
3614     string_extra_letters = string_extra_letters .. x
3615   end
3616 end
3617 local letter = alpha + S ( string_extra_letters )
3618   + P "â" + "â" + "ç" + "é" + "è" + "ê" + "ë" + "í" + "î"
3619   + "ô" + "û" + "û" + "â" + "à" + "ç" + "é" + "è" + "ê" + "ë"
3620   + "î" + "î" + "ô" + "û" + "û"
3621 local alphanum = letter + digit
3622 local identifier = letter * alphanum ^ 0
3623 local Identifier = K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , identifier )

```

Now, we scan the definition of the language (i.e. the table `def_table`) for the keywords.

The following LPEG does *not* catch the optional argument between square brackets in first position.

```

3624 local split_clist =
3625   P { "E" ,
3626     E = ( "[" * ( 1 - P "]") ^ 0 * "]") ^ -1
3627     * ( P "{" ) ^ 1
3628     * Ct ( V "F" * ( "," * V "F" ) ^ 0 )
3629     * ( P "}" ) ^ 1 * space ^ 0 ,
3630     F = space ^ 0 * C ( letter * alphanum ^ 0 + other ^ 1 ) * space ^ 0
3631   }

```

The following function will be used if the keywords are not case-sensitive.

```

3632 local keyword_to_lpeg
3633 function keyword_to_lpeg ( name ) return
3634   Q ( Cmt (
3635     C ( identifier ) ,
3636     function ( s , i , a ) return
3637       string.upper ( a ) == string.upper ( name )
3638     end
3639   )
3640 )
3641 end
3642 local Keyword = P ( false )
3643 local PrefixedKeyword = P ( false )

```

Now, we actually treat all the keywords and also the key `moredirectives`.

```

3644 for _ , x in ipairs ( def_table )
3645 do if x[1] == "morekeywords"
3646   or x[1] == "otherkeywords"
3647   or x[1] == "moredirectives"
3648   or x[1] == "moretexcs"
3649 then
3650   local keywords = P ( false )
3651   local style = {[\\PitonStyle{Keyword}]}
3652   if x[1] == "moredirectives" then style = {[\\PitonStyle{Directive}]} end
3653   style = tex_option_arg : match ( x[2] ) or style
3654   local n = tonumber ( style )
3655   if n then
3656     if n > 1 then style = {[\\PitonStyle{Keyword}] .. style .. "}" end
3657   end
3658   for _ , word in ipairs ( split_clist : match ( x[2] ) ) do
3659     if x[1] == "moretexcs" then
3660       keywords = Q ( {[[]] .. word} ) + keywords
3661     else
3662       if sensitive

```

The documentation of `lstlistings` specifies that, for the key `morekeywords`, if a keyword is a prefix of another keyword, then the prefix must appear first. However, for the lpeg, it's rather the contrary. That's why, here, we add the new element *on the left*.

```

3663   then keywords = Q ( word ) + keywords
3664   else keywords = keyword_to_lpeg ( word ) + keywords
3665   end
3666 end
3667 end
3668 Keyword = Keyword +
3669   Lc ( "{" .. style .. "{" .. * keywords * Lc "}" )
3670 end

```

Of course, the feature with the key `keywordsprefix` is designed for the languages TeX, LaTeX, et al. In that case, there is two kinds of keywords (= control sequences).

- those beginning with \ and a sequence of characters of catcode “letter”;
- those beginning by \ followed by one character of catcode “other”.

The following code addresses both cases. Of course, the LPEG pattern `letter` must catch only characters of catcode “letter”. That's why we have a key `alsoletter` to add new characters in that category (e.g. : when we want to format L3 code). However, the LPEG pattern is allowed to catch *more* than only the characters of catcode “other” in TeX.

```

3671 if x[1] == "keywordsprefix" then
3672   local prefix = ( ( C ( 1 - P " " ) ^ 1 ) * P " " ^ 0 ) : match ( x[2] )
3673   PrefixKeyword = PrefixKeyword
3674   + K ( 'Keyword' , P ( prefix ) * ( letter ^ 1 + other ) )
3675 end
3676 end

```

Now, we scan the definition of the language (i.e. the table `def_table`) for the strings.

```

3677 local long_string = P ( false )
3678 local Long_string = P ( false )
3679 local LongString = P ( false )
3680 local central_pattern = P ( false )
3681 for _ , x in ipairs ( def_table ) do
3682   if x[1] == "morestring" then
3683     arg1 , arg2 , arg3 , arg4 = args_for_morekeywords : match ( x[2] )
3684     arg2 = arg2 or {[\\PitonStyle{String.Long}]}
3685     if arg1 ~= "s" then
3686       arg4 = arg3
3687     end
3688     central_pattern = 1 - S ( " \r" .. arg4 )
3689     if arg1 : match "b" then
3690       central_pattern = P ( {[}] .. arg3 ) + central_pattern
3691     end

```

In fact, the specifier `d` is point-less: when it is not in force, it's still possible to double the delimiter with a correct behaviour of piton since, in that case, piton will compose *two* contiguous strings...

```

3692   if arg1 : match "d" or arg1 == "m" then
3693     central_pattern = P ( arg3 .. arg3 ) + central_pattern
3694   end
3695   if arg1 == "m"
3696     then prefix = B ( 1 - letter - ")" - "]" )
3697   else prefix = P ( true )
3698   end

```

First, a pattern *without captures* (needed to compute braces).

```

3699 long_string = long_string +
3700   prefix
3701   * arg3
3702   * ( space + central_pattern ) ^ 0
3703   * arg4

```

Now a pattern *with captures*.

```

3704 local pattern =
3705   prefix
3706   * Q ( arg3 )
3707   * ( SpaceInString + Q ( central_pattern ^ 1 ) + EOL ) ^ 0
3708   * Q ( arg4 )

```

We will need `Long_string` in the nested comments.

```

3709 Long_string = Long_string + pattern
3710 LongString = LongString +
3711   Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{" .. arg2 .. "}" ) * Cc "}" )
3712   * pattern
3713   * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
3714 end
3715 end

```

The argument of `Compute_braces` must be a pattern *which does no catching* corresponding to the strings of the language.

```

3716 local braces = Compute_braces ( long_string )
3717 if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( lang , braces ) end
3718
3719 DetectedCommands =
3720   Compute_DetectedCommands ( lang , braces )
3721   + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( lang , braces )
3722
3723 LPEG_cleaner[lang] = Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( lang , braces )

```

Now, we deal with the comments and the delims.

```

3724 local CommentDelim = P ( false )
3725

```

```

3726   for _, x in ipairs ( def_table ) do
3727     if x[1] == "morecomment" then
3728       local arg1 , arg2 , other_args = args_for_morecomment : match ( x[2] )
3729       arg2 = arg2 or {[\\PitonStyle{Comment}]}
3730
3731     if arg1 : match "i" then arg2 = {[\\PitonStyle{Discard}]} end
3732     if arg1 : match "l" then
3733       local arg3 = ( tex_braced_arg + C ( P ( 1 ) ^ 0 * -1 ) )
3734         : match ( other_args )
3735       if arg3 == {[\\#]} then arg3 = "#" end -- mandatory
3736       if arg3 == {[\\%]} then arg3 = "%" end -- mandatory
3737       CommentDelim = CommentDelim +
3738         Ct ( Cc "Open"
3739           * Cc ( "{" .. arg2 .. "}" * Cc "}" ) )
3740           * Q ( arg3 )
3741             * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - S "$\\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0 -- $
3742               * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
3743                 * ( EOL + -1 )
3744
3745     else
3746       local arg3 , arg4 =
3747         ( tex_arg * space ^ 0 * tex_arg ) : match ( other_args )
3748       if arg1 : match "s" then
3749         CommentDelim = CommentDelim +
3750           Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{" .. arg2 .. "}" * Cc "}" ) )
3751             * Q ( arg3 )
3752               *
3753                 CommentMath
3754                   + Q ( ( 1 - P ( arg4 ) - S "$\\r" ) ^ 1 ) -- $
3755                     + EOL
3756                       ) ^ 0
3757                         * Q ( arg4 )
3758                           * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
3759
3760     if arg1 : match "n" then
3761       CommentDelim = CommentDelim +
3762         Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{" .. arg2 .. "}" * Cc "}" ) )
3763           * P { "A" ,
3764             A = Q ( arg3 )
3765               * ( V "A"
3766                 + Q ( ( 1 - P ( arg3 ) - P ( arg4 )
3767                   - S "\r$\" ) ^ 1 ) -- $
3768                     + long_string
3769                       + "$" -- $
3770                         * K ( 'Comment.Math' , ( 1 - S "$\\r" ) ^ 1 ) -- $
3771                           * "$" -- $
3772                             + EOL
3773                               ) ^ 0
3774                                 * Q ( arg4 )
3775                               }
3776                                 * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
3777
3778   end
3779 end
3780 end
3781 end

```

For the keys `moredelim`, we have to add another argument in first position, equal to `*` or `**`.

```

3782   if x[1] == "moredelim" then
3783     local arg1 , arg2 , arg3 , arg4 , arg5
3784       = args_for_moredelims : match ( x[2] )
3785     local MyFun = Q
3786     if arg1 == "*" or arg1 == "**" then
3787       function MyFun ( x )
3788         if x ~= '' then return

```

```

3785         LPEG1[lang] : match ( x )
3786             end
3787             end
3788         end
3789         local left_delim
3790         if arg2 : match "i" then
3791             left_delim = P ( arg4 )
3792         else
3793             left_delim = Q ( arg4 )
3794         end
3795         if arg2 : match "l" then
3796             CommentDelim = CommentDelim +
3797                 Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{" .. arg3 .. "}" ) * Cc "}" )
3798                 * left_delim
3799                 * ( MyFun ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0
3800                 * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
3801                 * ( EOL + -1 )
3802         end
3803         if arg2 : match "s" then
3804             local right_delim
3805             if arg2 : match "i" then
3806                 right_delim = P ( arg5 )
3807             else
3808                 right_delim = Q ( arg5 )
3809             end
3810             CommentDelim = CommentDelim +
3811                 Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{" .. arg3 .. "}" ) * Cc "}" )
3812                 * left_delim
3813                 * ( MyFun ( ( 1 - P ( arg5 ) - "\r" ) ^ 1 ) + EOL ) ^ 0
3814                 * right_delim
3815                 * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
3816         end
3817     end
3818 end
3819
3820 local Delim = Q ( S "[()]" )
3821 local Punct = Q ( S "=,:;!\\" )
3822
3823 local Main =
3824     space ^ 0 * EOL
3825     + Space
3826     + Tab
3827     + Escape + EscapeMath
3828     + CommentLaTeX
3829     + Beamer
3830     + DetectedCommands
3831     + CommentDelim

```

We must put `LongString` before `Delim` because, in PostScript, the strings are delimited by parenthesis and those parenthesis would be caught by `Delim`.

```

3832     + LongString
3833     + Delim
3834     + PrefixedKeyword
3835     + Keyword * ( -1 + # ( 1 - alphanum ) )
3836     + Punct
3837     + K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , letter * alphanum ^ 0 )
3838     + Number
3839     + Word

```

The LPEG `LPEG1[lang]` is used to reformat small elements, for example the arguments of the “detected commands”.

Of course, here, we must not put `local`, of course.

```
3839     LPEG1[lang] = Main ^ 0
```

The LPEG `LPEG2[lang]` is used to format general chunks of code.

```

3840  LPEG2[lang] =
3841    Ct (
3842      ( space ^ 0 * P "\r" ) ^ -1
3843      * beamerBeginEnvironments
3844      * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
3845      * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
3846      * ( space ^ 1 * -1 + space ^ 0 * EOL + Main ) ^ 0
3847      * -1
3848      * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
3849    )

```

If the key `tag` has been used. Of course, this feature is designed for the languages such as HTML and XML.

```

3850  if left_tag then
3851    local Tag = Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{" .. style_tag .. "}" * Cc "}" ) )
3852    * Q ( left_tag * other ^ 0 ) -- $
3853    * ( ( ( 1 - P ( right_tag ) ) ^ 0 )
3854      / ( function ( x ) return LPEG0[lang] : match ( x ) end ) )
3855    * Q ( right_tag )
3856    * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
3857  MainWithoutTag
3858    = space ^ 1 * -1
3859    + space ^ 0 * EOL
3860    + Space
3861    + Tab
3862    + Escape + EscapeMath
3863    + CommentLaTeX
3864    + Beamer
3865    + DetectedCommands
3866    + CommentDelim
3867    + Delim
3868    + LongString
3869    + PrefixedKeyword
3870    + Keyword * ( -1 + # ( 1 - alphanum ) )
3871    + Punct
3872    + K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , letter * alphanum ^ 0 )
3873    + Number
3874    + Word
3875  LPEG0[lang] = MainWithoutTag ^ 0
3876  local LPEGaux = Tab + Escape + EscapeMath + CommentLaTeX
3877    + Beamer + DetectedCommands + CommentDelim + Tag
3878  MainWithTag
3879    = space ^ 1 * -1
3880    + space ^ 0 * EOL
3881    + Space
3882    + LPEGaux
3883    + Q ( ( 1 - EOL - LPEGaux ) ^ 1 )
3884  LPEG1[lang] = MainWithTag ^ 0
3885  LPEG2[lang] =
3886    Ct (
3887      ( space ^ 0 * P "\r" ) ^ -1
3888      * beamerBeginEnvironments
3889      * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
3890      * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
3891      * LPEG1[lang]
3892      * -1
3893      * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
3894    )
3895  end
3896 end

```

### 10.3.16 We write the files (key 'write') and join the files in the PDF (key 'join')

```

3897 function piton.write_and_join_files ( )
3898   for file_name , file_content in pairs ( piton.write_files ) do
3899     local file = io.open ( file_name , "w" )
3900     if file then
3901       file : write ( file_content )
3902       file : close ( )
3903     else
3904       sprintL3
3905         ([[ \@_error_or_warning:nn { FileNotFoundError } { } ]]] .. file_name .. [[ } ]]) )
3906     end
3907   end
3908
3909   for file_name , file_content in pairs ( piton.join_files ) do
3910     pdf.immediateobj("stream", file_content)
3911     tex.print
3912       (
3913         [[ \pdfextension annot width Opt height Opt depth Opt ]]
3914       ..

```

The entry /F in the PDF dictionnary of the annotation is an unsigned 32-bit integer containing flags specifying various characteristics of the annotation. The bit in position 2 means *Hidden*. However, despite that bit which means *Hidden*, some PDF readers show the annotation. That's why we have used `width Opt height Opt depth Opt`.

```

3914   [[ { /Subtype /FileAttachment /F 2 /Name /Paperclip}]]
3915   ..
3916   [[ /Contents (File included by the key 'join' of piton) ]]
3917   ..

```

We recall that the value of `file_name` comes from the key `join`, and that we have converted immediatly the value of the key in utf16 (with the bom big endian) written in hexadecimal. It's the suitable form for insertion as value of the key `/UF` between angular brackets < and >.

```

3918   [[ /FS << /Type /Filespec /UF <] .. file_name .. [>]]]
3919   ..
3920   [[ /EF << /F \pdffeedback lastobj 0 R >> >> } ]]
3921   )
3922 end
3923 end
3924
3925
3926 </ LUA>

```

## 11 History

The successive versions of the file `piton.sty` provided by TeXLive are available on the SVN server of TeXLive:

<https://tug.org/svn/texlive/trunk/Master/texmf-dist/tex/lualatex/piton/piton.sty>

The development of the extension `piton` is done on the following GitHub repository:  
<https://github.com/fpantigny/piton>

### Changes between versions 4.4 and 4.5

New key `print`  
`\RenewPitonEnvironment`, `\DeclarePitonEnvironment` and `\ProvidePitonEnvironment` have been added.

### Changes between versions 4.3 and 4.4

New key `join` which generates files embedded in the PDF as *joined files*.

## **Changes between versions 4.2 and 4.3**

New key `raw-detected-commands`

The key `old-PitonInputFile` has been deleted.

## **Changes between versions 4.1 and 4.2**

New key `break-numbers-anywhere`.

## **Changes between versions 4.0 and 4.1**

New language `verbatim`.

New key `break-strings-anywhere`.

## **Changes between versions 3.1 and 4.0**

This version introduces an incompatibility: the syntax for the relative and absolute paths in `\PitonInputFile` and the key `path` has been changed to be conform to usual conventions. An temporary key `old-PitonInputFile`, available at load-time, has been added for backward compatibility.

New keys `font-command`, `splittable-on-empty-lines` and `env-used-by-split`.

## **Changes between versions 3.0 and 3.1**

Keys `line-numbers/format`, `detected-beamer-commands` and `detected-beamer-environments`.

## **Changes between versions 2.8 and 3.0**

New command `\NewPitonLanguage`. Thanks to that command, it's now possible to define new informatic languages with the syntax used by `listings`. Therefore, it's possible to say that virtually all the informatic languages are now supported by piton.

## **Changes between versions 2.7 and 2.8**

The key `path` now accepts a *list* of paths where the files to include will be searched.

New commands `\PitonInputFileT`, `\PitonInputFileF` and `\PitonInputFileTF`.

## **Changes between versions 2.6 and 2.7**

New keys `split-on-empty-lines` and `split-separation`

## **Changes between versions 2.5 and 2.6**

API: `piton.last_code` and `\g_piton_last_code_t1` are provided.

## **Changes between versions 2.4 and 2.5**

New key `path-write`

## **Changes between versions 2.3 and 2.4**

The key `identifiers` of the command `\PitonOptions` is now deprecated and replaced by the new command `\SetPitonIdentifier`.

A new special language called “minimal” has been added.

New key `detected-commands`.

## Changes between versions 2.2 and 2.3

New key `detected-commands`

The variable `\l_piton_language_str` is now public.

New key `write`.

## Changes between versions 2.1 and 2.2

New key path for `\PitonOptions`.

New language SQL.

It's now possible to define styles locally to a given language (with the optional argument of `\SetPitonStyle`).

## Changes between versions 2.0 and 2.1

The key `line-numbers` has now subkeys `line-numbers/skip-empty-lines`, `line-numbers/label-empty-lines`, etc.

The key `all-line-numbers` is deprecated: use `line-numbers/skip-empty-lines=false`.

New system to import, with `\PitonInputFile`, only a part (of the file) delimited by textual markers.

New keys `begin-escape`, `end-escape`, `begin-escape-math` and `end-escape-math`.

The key `escape-inside` is deprecated: use `begin-escape` and `end-escape`.

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