

# The package `piton`\*

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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>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 computer 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 computer listings: 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. 6.3 p. 17.

### 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 LaTeX 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 of 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 :

```
\piton{MyString = '\n'}           MyString = '\n'
\piton{def even(n): return n%2==0}  def even(n): return n%2==0
\piton{c="#" # an affectation }     c="#" # an affectation
\piton{c="#" \ \ \ # an affectation } c="#" # an affectation
\piton{MyDict = {'a': 3, 'b': 4}}    MyDict = {'a': 3, 'b': 4}
```

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 :

```
\piton|MyString = '\n'|           MyString = '\n'
\piton!def even(n): return n%2==0!  def even(n): return n%2==0
\piton+c="#" # an affectation +     c="#" # an affectation
\piton?MyDict = {'a': 3, 'b': 4}?   MyDict = {'a': 3, 'b': 4}
```

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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 LuaLaTeX.

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

- 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.

- The key `print` controls whether the content of the environment is actually printed (with the syntactic formatting) 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).

- 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.

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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. 32).

- 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 6.3.2, p. 17). 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 special 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 8.2 on page 33.

- 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` or the key `max-width` described below).

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

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.

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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 lines are never printed.

**New 4.6** In that list, the special color `none` may be use to specify no color at all.

*Example* : `\PitonOptions{background-color = {gray!15,none}}`

- **New 4.7**

It's possible to use the key `rounded-corners` to require rounded corners for the colored panels drawn by the key `background-color`. The initial value of that is 0 pt, which means that the corners are not rounded. If the key `rounded-corners` is used, the extension `tikz` must be loaded because those rounded corners are drawn by using `tikz`. If `tikz` is not loaded, an error will be raised at the first use of the key `rounded-corners`.

The default value of the key `rounded-corners` is 4 pt.<sup>9</sup>

- 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` fixes the width of the listing in the PDF. The initial value of that parameter is the current value of `\linewidth`.

That parameter is used for:

- the breaking the lines which are too long (except, of course, when the key `break-lines` is set to false: cf. p. 19);
- the color of the backgrounds specified by the keys `background-color` and `prompt-background-color` described below;
- the width of the LaTeX box created by the key `box` when that key is used (cf. p. 11);
- the width of the graphical box created by the key `tcolorbox` when that key is used.

- **New 4.6**

The key `max-width` is similar to the key `width` but it fixes the *maximal* width of the lines. If all the lines of the listing are shorter than the value provided to `max-width`, the parameter `width` will be equal to the maximal length of the lines of the listing, that is to say the natural width of the listing.

For legibility of the code, `width=min` is a shortcut for `max-width=\linewidth`.

- When the key `show-spaces-in-strings` is activated, the spaces in the strings of characters<sup>10</sup> are replaced by the character `□` (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□good□answer'`

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 `□`. 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
  rounded-corners,width=min,splittable=4]
void bubbleSort(int arr[], int n) {
  int temp;
  int swapped;
  for (int i = 0; i < n-1; i++) {
```

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<sup>9</sup>This value is the initial value of the *rounded corners* of TikZ.

<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. 6.4.1 p. 19

```

        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++) {
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. 19).

## 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] }
```

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

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 39.

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`.

## 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 computer 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 computer 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 a computer 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.

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

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



```

\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)

```

(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 LuaLaTeX (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 computer 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>

There also exist three other 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}{0}{\PitonOptions{#1}}{}

```

If one wishes to format Python code in a box of `mdframed`, it's possible to define an environment `{Python}` with the following code (of course, the package `mdframed` must be loaded, and, in this document, it has been loaded with the key `framemethod=tikz`).

```

\NewPitonEnvironment{Python}{}
  {\begin{mdframed}[roundcorner=3mm]}
  {\end{mdframed}}

```

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

<sup>16</sup>We remind that, in `piton`, the name of the computer 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)

```

\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

```

It's possible to a similar construction with an environment of `tcolorbox`. However, for a better cooperation between `piton` and `tcolorbox`, the extension `piton` provides a key `tcolorbox`: cf. p. 12.

## 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 `\lstdefinlanguage` 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@definlanguage` but that command has the same syntax as `\lstdefinlanguage`).

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 `\lstdefinlanguage`. 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).

```

\lstdefinlanguage{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@definlanguage`, 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 ));
    }

    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 computer 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 The key “box”

#### New 4.6

If one wishes to compose a listing in a box of LaTeX, he should use the key `box`. That key takes in as value `c`, `t` or `b` corresponding to the parameter of vertical position (as for the environment `{minipage}` of LaTeX). The default value is `c` (as for `{minipage}`).

When the key `box` is used, `width=min` is activated (except, of course, when the key `width` or the key `max-width` is explicitly used). For the keys `width` and `max-width`, cf. p. 6.

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

```

\begin{center}
\PytonOptions{box,background-color=gray!15}
\begin{Pyton}
def square(x):
    return x*x
\end{Pyton}
\hspace{1cm}
def cube(x):
    return x*x*x
\end{Pyton}
\end{center}

```

```

def square(x):
    return x*x

```

```

def cube(x):
    return x*x*x

```

It's possible to use the key `box` with a numerical value for the key `width`.

```

\begin{center}
\PytonOptions{box,width=5cm,background-color=gray!15}
\begin{Pyton}
def square(x):
    return x*x
\end{Pyton}
\hspace{1cm}
def cube(x):
    return x*x*x
\end{Pyton}
\end{center}

```

```

def square(x):
    return x*x

```

```

def cube(x):
    return x*x*x

```

Here is an exemple with the key `max-width`.

```

\begin{center}
\PytonOptions{box=t,max-width=7cm,background-color=gray!15}
\begin{Pyton}
def square(x):
    return x*x
\end{Pyton}
\hspace{1cm}
\begin{Pyton}
def P(x):
    return 24*x**8 - 7*x**7 + 12*x**6 - 4*x**5 + 4*x**3 + x**2 - 5*x + 2
\end{Pyton}
\end{center}

```

```

def square(x):
    return x*x

```

```

def P(x):
    return 24*x**8 - 7*x**7 + \
+ 12*x**6 - 4*x**5 + 4*x**3 + x**2 - \
+ 5*x + 2

```

## 6.2 The key “`tcolorbox`”

The extension `piton` provides a key `tcolorbox` in order to ease the use of the extension `tcolorbox` in conjunction with the extension `piton`. However, the extension `piton` does not load `tcolorbox` and the

final user should have loaded it. Moreover, he must load the library `breakable` of `tcolorbox` with `\tcbuselibrary{breakable}` in the preamble of the LaTeX document. If this is not the case, an error will be raised at the first use of the key `tcolorbox`.

When the key `tcolorbox` is used, the listing formatted by `piton` is included in an environment `{tcolorbox}`. That applies both to the command `\PitonInputFile` and the environment `{Piton}` (or, more generally, an environment created by the dedicated command `\NewPitonEnvironment`: cf. p. 9). If the key `splittable` of `piton` is used (cf. p. 20), the graphical box created by `tcolorbox` will be splittable by a change of page.

In the present document, we have loaded, besides `tcolorbox` and its library `breakable`, the library `skins` of `tcolorbox` and we have activated the “*skin*” `enhanced`, in order to have a better appearance at the page break.

```
\tcbuselibrary{skins,breakable} % in the preamble
\tcbset{enhanced} % in the preamble

\begin{Piton}[tcolorbox,splittable=3]
def carré(x):
    """Computes the square of x"""
    return x*x
...
def carré(x):
    """Computes the square of x"""
    return x*x
\end{Piton}
```

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

```

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

```

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

If we want to adjust the width of the graphical box to its content, we only have to use the key `width=min` provided by `piton` (cf. p. 6). It's also possible to use `width` or `max-width` with a numerical value. The environment is splittable if the key `splittable` is used (cf. p. 20).

```

\begin{Piton}[tcolorbox,width=min,splittable=3]
def square(x):
    """Computes the square of x"""
    return x*x
...

```

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

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

```

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

```

If we want an output composed in a LaTeX box (despite its name, an environment of `tcolorbox` does not always create a LaTeX box), we only have to use, in conjunction with the key `tcolorbox`, the key `box` provided by `piton` (cf. p. 11). Of course, such LaTeX box can't be broken by a change of page.

We recall that, when the key `box` is used, `width=min` is activated (except, when the key `width` or the key `max-width` is explicitly used).

```

\begin{center}
\PitonOptions{tcolorbox,box=t}
\begin{Piton}
def square(x):
    return x*x
\end{Piton}
\hspace{1cm}
\begin{Piton}
def cube(x):
    """The cube of x"""
    return x*x*x
\end{Piton}
\end{center}

```

```

def square(x):
    return x*x

```

```

def cube(x):
    """The cube of x"""
    return x*x*x

```

For a more sophisticated example of use of the key `tcolorbox`, see the example given at the page 34.



## 6.3 Insertion of a file

### 6.3.1 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 `/`.

### 6.3.2 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 programming 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}
```

```
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}
```

---

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

## 6.4 Page breaks and line breaks

### 6.4.1 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 computer 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 initial value of that parameter is `true` (and not `false`).
- 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.

## 6.4.2 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).

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.

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`.

We illustrate that point with the following code (the current environment `{tcolorbox}` uses the key `breakable`).

```
\begin{Piton}[background-color=gray!30,rounded-corners,width=min,splittable=4]
def square(x):
    """Computes the square of x"""
    return x*x
...
def square(x):
    """Computes the square of x"""
    return x*x
\end{Piton}
```

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

<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.

```

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

```

## 6.5 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 formatted 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):
    """Calculer 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     """Calculer 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. 24) and the commands and environments of Beamer automatically detected by `piton` must not cross the empty lines of the original listing.

## 6.6 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 computer languages of `piton`.<sup>21</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}

```

---

<sup>21</sup>We recall, that, in the package `piton`, the names of the computer languages are case-insensitive.

```
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}
```

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

## 6.7 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`, `raw-detected-commands` and `vertical-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. 6.8 p. 28.

### 6.7.1 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 [8.3](#) p. [34](#)

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>22</sup> The same goes for the `\zlabel` command from the `zref` package.<sup>23</sup>

### 6.7.2 The key “label-as-zlabel”

The key `label-as-zlabel` will be used to indicate if the user wants `\label` inside `Piton` environments to be replaced by a `\zlabel`-compatible command (which is the default behavior of `zref` outside of such environments).

That feature is activated by the key `label-as-zlabel`, *which is available only in the preamble of the document*.

### 6.7.3 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*.

```
\PitonOptions{math-comment} % in the preamble
```

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

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

### 6.7.4 The key “detected-commands” and its variants

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 }`).

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<sup>22</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: `varioref`, `refcheck`, `showlabels`, etc.).

<sup>23</sup>Using the command `\zcref` command from `zref-clever` is also supported.



- These commands must be LaTeX commands with only one (mandatory) argument between braces (and these braces must appear explicitly in the informatic 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</sup> directly does the job with the easy syntax `\highLight{...}`.

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)
```

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 wish, in the main text of a document about databases, 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{\NameTable}{m}{\PitonStyle{Name.Table}{#1}}
\PitonOptions{language=SQL, raw-detected-commands = NameTable}
```

In the main document, the instruction:

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

---

<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`.

produces the following output :

Exemple : `client (nom, prénom)`

#### New 4.6

The key `vertical-detected-commands` is similar to the key `raw-detected-commands` but the commands which are detected by this key must be LaTeX commands (with one argument) which are executed in *vertical* mode between the lines of the code.

For example, it's possible to detect the command `\newpage` by

```
\PitonOptions{vertical-detected-commands = newpage}
```

and ask in a listing a mandatory break of page with `\newpage{}`:

```
\begin{Piton}
def square(x):
    return x*x \newpage{}
def cube(x):
    return x*x*x
\end{Piton}
```

#### 6.7.5 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 programming 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).

### 6.7.6 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 use.

```
\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 +=  $\frac{(-1)^k}{2k+1} x^{2k+1}$ 
9         return s
```

### 6.7.7 The command `\rowcolor`

#### New 4.8

The extension `piton` provides a command `\rowcolor` which, when place within a line of code, specifies that this line will have a colored background (with the color in the argument<sup>26</sup> of the command).

We documente that command in the part which deals about the escapes to LaTeX because this command can only be used through an escape to LaTeX, for example with the key `raw-detected-commands` (cf. p. 24).

---

<sup>26</sup>The command `\rowcolor` takes in only one argument. There is no optional argument between square brackets for the colorimetric space. However, it’s possible to write something like `\rowcolor[rgb]{0.8,1,0.8}`.

```
\PitonOptions{raw-detected-commands = rowcolor} % in the preamble
```

```
\begin{Piton}[width=min]
def fact(n):
    if n==0:
        return 1 \rowcolor{yellow!50}
    else:
        return n*fact(n-1)
\end{Piton}
```

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

Here is now the same example with the join use of the key `background-color` (cf. p. 5).

```
\begin{Piton}[width=min,background-color=gray!15]
def fact(n):
    if n==0:
        return 1 \rowcolor{yellow!50}
    else:
        return n*fact(n-1)
\end{Piton}
```

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

As you can see, a margin has been added on both sides of the code by the key `background-color`. If you wish those margins without general background, you should use `background-color` with the special value `none`.

```
\begin{Piton}[width=min,background-color=none]
def fact(n):
    if n==0:
        return 1 \rowcolor{yellow!50}
    else:
        return n*fact(n-1)
\end{Piton}
```

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

## 6.8 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>27</sup>

When the package `piton` is used within the class `beamer`<sup>28</sup>, the behaviour of `piton` is slightly modified, as described now.

### 6.8.1 `{Piton}` and `\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}
```

---

<sup>27</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>28</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}`

## 6.8.2 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 : `\pause`<sup>29</sup> . ;
- 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>30</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).

## 6.8.3 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 code* in their body. The instructions `\begin{...}` and `\end{...}` must be alone on their lines.

Here is an example:

---

<sup>29</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>30</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.

```

\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 `lua-ul` (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}`).

## 6.9 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 preferently. 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 6.7.4, p. 24).

In this document, the package `piton` has been loaded with the option `footnotehyper` and 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)31
    elif x > 1:
        return pi/2 - arctan(1/x)32
    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}
\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}
```

```
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.

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

<sup>32</sup>Second recursive call.

## 6.10 Tabulations

Even though it's probably recommended to indent the informatics listings with spaces and not tabulations<sup>33</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 developers

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` and its variants (cf. part 6.7.4) and the elements inserted by the mechanism “`escape`” (cf. part 6.7.5).
- `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. 38.

## 8 Examples

### 8.1 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-ul` (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} ,
```

---

<sup>33</sup>For the language Python, see the note PEP 8.



```

    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

```

## 8.2 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).

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) )

```

### 8.3 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`.

```
\PitonOptions{background-color=gray!15, width=9cm}
\NewDocumentCommand{\MyLaTeXCommand}{m}{\hfill \normalfont\itshape\rlap{\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
```

### 8.4 Use with `tcolorbox`

The key `tcolorbox` of `piton` has been presented at the page [12](#).

If, when that key is used, we wish to customize the graphical box created by `tcolorbox` (with the keys provided by `tcolorbox`), we should use the command `\tcbset` provided by `tcolorbox`. In order to limit the scope of the settings done by that command, the best way is to create a new environment with the dedicated command `\NewPitonEnvironment` (cf. p. 9). That environment will contain the settings done by `piton` (with `\PitonOptions`) and those done by `tcolorbox` (with `\tcbset`).

Here is an example of such environment `{Python}` with a colored column on the left for the numbers of lines. That example requires the library `skins` of `tcolorbox` to be loaded in the preamble of the LaTeX document with the instruction `\tcbuselibrary{skins}` (in order to be able to use the key `enhanced`).

```
\NewPitonEnvironment{Python}{m}
  {%
    \PitonOptions
    {
      tcolorbox,
      splittable=3,
      width=min,
      line-numbers,          % activate the numbers of lines
      line-numbers =       % tuning for the numbers of lines
      {
        format = \footnotesize\color{white}\sffamily ,
        sep = 2.5mm
      }
    }
  }%
  \tcbset
  {
    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}%
    }
  }
}
{ }
```

In the following example of use, we have illustrated the fact that it is possible to impose a break of page in such environment with `\newpage{}` if we have required the detection of the LaTeX command `\newpage` with the key `vertical-detected-commands` (cf. p. 24) in the preamble of the LaTeX document.

Remark that we must use `\newpage{}` and not `\newpage` because the LaTeX commands detected by `piton` are meant to be commands with one argument (between curly braces).

```
\PitonOptions{vertical-detected-commands = newpage} % in the preamble

\begin{Python}{My example}
def square(x):
    """Computes the square of x"""
```

```

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

```

```

My example
1 def square(x):
2     """Computes the square of x"""
3     return x*x
4 def square(x):
5     """Computes the square of x"""
6     return x*x
7 def square(x):
8     """Computes the square of x"""
9     return x*x
10 def square(x):
11     """Computes the square of x"""
12     return x*x

```

```
13 def square(x):
14     """Computes the square of x"""
15     return x*x
16 def square(x):
17     """Computes the square of x"""
18     return x*x
19 def square(x):
20     """Computes the square of x"""
21     return x*x
22 def square(x):
23     """Computes the square of x"""
24     return x*x
25 def square(x):
26     """Computes the square of x"""
27     return x*x
28 def square(x):
29     """Computes the square of x"""
30     return x*x
31 def square(x):
32     """Computes the square of x"""
33     return x*x
34 def square(x):
35     """Computes the square of x"""
36     return x*x
37 def square(x):
38     """Computes the square of x"""
39     return x*x
40 def square(x):
41     """Computes the square of x"""
42     return x*x
43 def square(x):
44     """Computes the square of x"""
45     return x*x
46 def square(x):
47     """Computes the square of x"""
48     return x*x
49 def square(x):
50     """Computes the square of x"""
51     return x*x
52 def square(x):
53     """Computes the square of x"""
54     return x*x
55 def square(x):
56     """Computes the square of x"""
57     return x*x
58 def square(x):
59     """Computes the square of x"""
60     return x*x
61 def square(x):
62     """Computes the square of x"""
63     return x*x
64 def square(x):
65     """Computes the square of x"""
66     return x*x
67 def square(x):
68     """Computes the square of x"""
69     return x*x
```

```

70 def square(x):
71     """Computes the square of x"""
72     return x*x
73 def square(x):
74     """Computes the square of x"""
75     return x*x
76 def square(x):
77     """Computes the square of x"""
78     return x*x
79 def square(x):
80     """Computes the square of x"""
81     return x*x
82 def square(x):
83     """Computes the square of x"""
84     return x*x

```

## 8.5 Use with pyluatex

The package `pyluatex` 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{pyluatex.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. 32.

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` of `Pygments`, as applied by `Pygments` to the language Python.<sup>34</sup>

---

Style	Use
Number	the numbers
String.Short	the short strings (entre ' ou ")
String.Long	the long strings (entre ''' ou """) excepted the doc-strings (governed by <code>String.Doc</code> )
String	that key fixes both <code>String.Short</code> et <code>String.Long</code>
String.Doc	the doc-strings (only with """ following PEP 257)
String.Interpol	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)
Interpol.Inside	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.
Operator	the following operators: <code>!= == &lt;&lt; &gt;&gt; - ~ + / * % = &lt; &gt; &amp; .   @</code>
Operator.Word	the following operators: <code>in, is, and, or</code> et <code>not</code>
Name.Builtin	almost all the functions predefined by Python
Name.Decorator	the decorators (instructions beginning by <code>@</code> )
Name.Namespace	the name of the modules
Name.Class	the name of the Python classes defined by the user <i>at their point of definition</i> (with the keyword <code>class</code> )
Name.Function	the name of the Python functions defined by the user <i>at their point of definition</i> (with the keyword <code>def</code> )
UserFunction	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).
Exception	les exceptions prédéfinies (ex.: <code>SyntaxError</code> )
InitialValues	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.
Comment	the comments beginning with <code>#</code>
Comment.LaTeX	the comments beginning with <code>#&gt;</code> , which are composed by <code>piton</code> as LaTeX code (merely named “LaTeX comments” in this document)
Keyword.Constant	<code>True, False</code> et <code>None</code>
Keyword	the following keywords: <code>assert, break, case, continue, del, elif, else, except, exec, finally, for, from, global, if, import, in, lambda, non local, pass, raise, return, try, while, with, yield</code> et <code>yield from</code> .
Identifier	the identifiers.

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<sup>34</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
<code>Number</code>	the numbers
<code>String.Short</code>	the characters (between ' )
<code>String.Long</code>	the strings, between " but also the <i>quoted-strings</i>
<code>String</code>	that key fixes both <code>String.Short</code> and <code>String.Long</code>
<code>Operator</code>	les opérateurs, en particulier +, -, /, *, @, !=, ==, &&
<code>Operator.Word</code>	les opérateurs suivants : <code>asr</code> , <code>land</code> , <code>lor</code> , <code>lsl</code> , <code>lxor</code> , <code>mod</code> et <code>or</code>
<code>Name.Builtin</code>	les fonctions <code>not</code> , <code>incr</code> , <code>decr</code> , <code>fst</code> et <code>snd</code>
<code>Name.Type</code>	the name of a type of OCaml
<code>Name.Field</code>	the name of a field of a module
<code>Name.Constructor</code>	the name of the constructors of types (which begins by a capital)
<code>Name.Module</code>	the name of the modules
<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 <code>\PitonStyle{Identifier}</code> and, therefore, the names of that functions are formatted like the identifiers).
<code>Exception</code>	the predefined exceptions (eg : <code>End_of_File</code> )
<code>TypeParameter</code>	the parameters of the types
<code>Comment</code>	the comments, between (* et *); these comments may be nested
<code>Keyword.Constant</code>	<code>true</code> et <code>false</code>
<code>Keyword</code>	the following keywords: <code>assert</code> , <code>as</code> , <code>done</code> , <code>downto</code> , <code>do</code> , <code>else</code> , <code>exception</code> , <code>for</code> , <code>function</code> , <code>fun</code> , <code>if</code> , <code>lazy</code> , <code>match</code> , <code>mutable</code> , <code>new</code> , <code>of</code> , <code>private</code> , <code>raise</code> , <code>then</code> , <code>to</code> , <code>try</code> , <code>virtual</code> , <code>when</code> , <code>while</code> and <code>with</code>
<code>Keyword.Governing</code>	the following keywords: <code>and</code> , <code>begin</code> , <code>class</code> , <code>constraint</code> , <code>end</code> , <code>external</code> , <code>functor</code> , <code>include</code> , <code>inherit</code> , <code>initializer</code> , <code>in</code> , <code>let</code> , <code>method</code> , <code>module</code> , <code>object</code> , <code>open</code> , <code>rec</code> , <code>sig</code> , <code>struct</code> , <code>type</code> and <code>val</code> .
<code>Identifier</code>	the identifiers.



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

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

Style	Use
Number	the numbers
String.Short	the characters (between ' )
String.Long	the strings (between " )
String.Interpol	the elements %d, %i, %f, %c, etc. in the strings; that style inherits from the style String.Long
Operator	the following operators : != == << >> - ~ + / * % = < > & .   @
Name.Type	the following predefined types: bool, char, char16_t, char32_t, double, float, int, int8_t, int16_t, int32_t, int64_t, uint8_t, uint16_t, uint32_t, uint64_t, long, short, signed, unsigned, void et wchar_t
Name.Builtin	the following predefined functions: printf, scanf, malloc, sizeof and alignof
Name.Class	le nom des classes au moment de leur définition, c'est-à-dire après le mot-clé class
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).
Preproc	the instructions of the preprocessor (beginning par #)
Comment	the comments (beginning by // or between /* and */)
Comment.LaTeX	the comments beginning by //> which are composed by piton as LaTeX code (merely named "LaTeX comments" in this document)
Keyword.Constant	default, false, NULL, nullptr and true
Keyword	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
Identifier	the identifiers.

## 9.4 The language SQL

It's possible to switch to the language SQL with the key `language: 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): <code>avg</code> , <code>count</code> , <code>char_length</code> , <code>concat</code> , <code>curdate</code> , <code>current_date</code> , <code>date_format</code> , <code>day</code> , <code>lower</code> , <code>ltrim</code> , <code>max</code> , <code>min</code> , <code>month</code> , <code>now</code> , <code>rank</code> , <code>round</code> , <code>rtrim</code> , <code>substring</code> , <code>sum</code> , <code>upper</code> and <code>year</code> .
<code>Comment</code>	the comments (beginning by <code>--</code> or between <code>/*</code> and <code>*/</code> )
<code>Comment.LaTeX</code>	the comments beginning by <code>--&gt;</code> 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): <code>abort</code> , <code>action</code> , <code>add</code> , <code>after</code> , <code>all</code> , <code>alter</code> , <code>always</code> , <code>analyze</code> , <code>and</code> , <code>as</code> , <code>asc</code> , <code>attach</code> , <code>autoincrement</code> , <code>before</code> , <code>begin</code> , <code>between</code> , <code>by</code> , <code>cascade</code> , <code>case</code> , <code>cast</code> , <code>check</code> , <code>collate</code> , <code>column</code> , <code>commit</code> , <code>conflict</code> , <code>constraint</code> , <code>create</code> , <code>cross</code> , <code>current</code> , <code>current_date</code> , <code>current_time</code> , <code>current_timestamp</code> , <code>database</code> , <code>default</code> , <code>deferrable</code> , <code>deferred</code> , <code>delete</code> , <code>desc</code> , <code>detach</code> , <code>distinct</code> , <code>do</code> , <code>drop</code> , <code>each</code> , <code>else</code> , <code>end</code> , <code>escape</code> , <code>except</code> , <code>exclude</code> , <code>exclusive</code> , <code>exists</code> , <code>explain</code> , <code>fail</code> , <code>filter</code> , <code>first</code> , <code>following</code> , <code>for</code> , <code>foreign</code> , <code>from</code> , <code>full</code> , <code>generated</code> , <code>glob</code> , <code>group</code> , <code>groups</code> , <code>having</code> , <code>if</code> , <code>ignore</code> , <code>immediate</code> , <code>in</code> , <code>index</code> , <code>indexed</code> , <code>initially</code> , <code>inner</code> , <code>insert</code> , <code>instead</code> , <code>intersect</code> , <code>into</code> , <code>is</code> , <code>isnull</code> , <code>join</code> , <code>key</code> , <code>last</code> , <code>left</code> , <code>like</code> , <code>limit</code> , <code>match</code> , <code>materialized</code> , <code>natural</code> , <code>no</code> , <code>not</code> , <code>nothing</code> , <code>notnull</code> , <code>null</code> , <code>nulls</code> , <code>of</code> , <code>offset</code> , <code>on</code> , <code>or</code> , <code>order</code> , <code>others</code> , <code>outer</code> , <code>over</code> , <code>partition</code> , <code>plan</code> , <code>pragma</code> , <code>preceding</code> , <code>primary</code> , <code>query</code> , <code>raise</code> , <code>range</code> , <code>recursive</code> , <code>references</code> , <code>regexp</code> , <code>reindex</code> , <code>release</code> , <code>rename</code> , <code>replace</code> , <code>restrict</code> , <code>returning</code> , <code>right</code> , <code>rollback</code> , <code>row</code> , <code>rows</code> , <code>savepoint</code> , <code>select</code> , <code>set</code> , <code>table</code> , <code>temp</code> , <code>temporary</code> , <code>then</code> , <code>ties</code> , <code>to</code> , <code>transaction</code> , <code>trigger</code> , <code>unbounded</code> , <code>union</code> , <code>unique</code> , <code>update</code> , <code>using</code> , <code>vacuum</code> , <code>values</code> , <code>view</code> , <code>virtual</code> , <code>when</code> , <code>where</code> , <code>window</code> , <code>with</code> , <code>without</code>

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 computer 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
Number	the numbers
String.Long	the strings defined in <code>\NewPitonLanguage</code> by the key <code>morestring</code>
Comment	the comments defined in <code>\NewPitonLanguage</code> by the key <code>morecomment</code>
Comment.LaTeX	the comments which are composed by <code>piton</code> as LaTeX code (merely named “LaTeX comments” in this document)
Keyword	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)
Directive	the directives defined in <code>\NewPitonLanguage</code> by the key <code>moredirectives</code>
Tag	the “tags” defined by the key <code>tag</code> (the lexical units detected within the tag will also be formatted with their own style)
Identifier	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, cellpadding, 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: language = minimal`.

Style	Usage
<code>Number</code>	the numbers
<code>String</code>	the strings (between <code>"</code> )
<code>Comment</code>	the comments (which begin with <code>#</code> )
<code>Comment.LaTeX</code>	the comments beginning with <code>#&gt;</code> , which are composed by <code>piton</code> 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. 6.6, p. 22) 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: language = verbatim`.

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

The language `verbatim` doesn’t provide any style and, thus, does not do any syntactic formatting. However, it’s possible to use the mechanism `detected-commands` (cf. part 6.7.4, p. 24) 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>35</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>35</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}}
\_{\PitonStyle{Name.Function}{parity}}(x):\__piton_end_line:\__piton_newline:
\__piton_begin_line:\_{\PitonStyle{Keyword}{return}}
\_{\PitonStyle{Operator}{%}}{\PitonStyle{Number}{2}}\__piton_end_line:

```

## 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   {\PitonFileDate}
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 \ProvideDocumentCommand { \IfPackageLoadedT } { m m }
19   { \IfPackageLoadedTF { #1 } { #2 } { } }
20
21 \ProvideDocumentCommand { \IfPackageLoadedF } { m m }
22   { \IfPackageLoadedTF { #1 } { } { #2 } }
23
24 \ProvideDocumentCommand { \IfClassLoadedF } { m m }
25   { \IfClassLoadedTF { #1 } { } { #2 } }
26
27 \ProvideDocumentCommand { \IfClassLoadedF } { m m }
28   { \IfClassLoadedTF { #1 } { } { #2 } }
29
30 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_error:n { \msg_error:nn { piton } }
31 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_warning:n { \msg_warning:nn { piton } }
32 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_warning:nn { \msg_warning:nnn { piton } }
33 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_error:nn { \msg_error:nnn { piton } }
34 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_error:nnn { \msg_error:nnnn { piton } }
35 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_fatal:n { \msg_fatal:nn { piton } }
36 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_fatal:nn { \msg_fatal:nnn { piton } }
37 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_msg_new:nn { \msg_new:nnn { piton } }

```

With Overleaf (and also TeXPage), 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).

```

37 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_msg_new:nnn #1 #2 #3

```

```

38 {
39   \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_messages_for_Overleaf_bool
40     { \msg_new:nnn { piton } { #1 } { #2 \\ #3 } }
41     { \msg_new:nnnn { piton } { #1 } { #2 } { #3 } }
42 }

```

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

```

43 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_error_or_warning:n
44   { \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_messages_for_Overleaf_bool \@@_warning:n \@@_error:n }
45 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_error_or_warning:nn
46   { \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”.

```

47 \bool_new:N \g_@@_messages_for_Overleaf_bool
48 \bool_gset:Nn \g_@@_messages_for_Overleaf_bool
49   {
50     \str_if_eq_p:on \c_sys_jobname_str { _region_ } % for Emacs
51     || \str_if_eq_p:on \c_sys_jobname_str { output } % for Overleaf
52   }

```

```

53 \@@_msg_new:nn { LuaLaTeX~mandatory }
54   {
55     LuaLaTeX~is~mandatory.\\
56     The~package~'piton'~requires~the~engine~LuaLaTeX.\\
57     \str_if_eq:onT \c_sys_jobname_str { output }
58     { If~you~use~Overleaf,~you~can~switch~to~LuaLaTeX~in~the~"Menu"~and~
59       if~you~use~TeXPage,~you~should~go~in~"Settings". \\ }
60     \IfClassLoadedT { beamer }
61     {
62       Since~you~use~Beamer,~don't~forget~to~use~piton~in~frames~with~
63       the~key~'fragile'.\\
64     }
65     That~error~is~fatal.
66   }

```

```

67 \sys_if_engine luatex:F { \@@_fatal:n { LuaLaTeX~mandatory } }

```

```

68 \RequirePackage { luacode }

```

```

69 \@@_msg_new:nnn { piton.lua~not~found }
70   {
71     The~file~'piton.lua'~can't~be~found.\\
72     This~error~is~fatal.\\
73     If~you~want~to~know~how~to~retrieve~the~file~'piton.lua',~type~H~<return>.
74   }
75   {
76     On~the~site~CTAN,~go~to~the~page~of~'piton':~https://ctan.org/pkg/piton.~
77     The~file~'README.md'~explains~how~to~retrieve~the~files~'piton.sty'~and~
78     'piton.lua'.
79   }

```

```

80 \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.

```

81 \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.

```

82 \bool_new:N \g_@@_footnote_bool

```

```

83 \bool_new:N \g_@@_beamer_bool

```

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

```

84 \keys_define:nn { piton }
85   {
86     footnote .bool_gset:N = \g_@@_footnote_bool ,
87     footnotehyper .bool_gset:N = \g_@@_footnotehyper_bool ,
88     footnote .usage:n = load ,
89     footnotehyper .usage:n = load ,
90
91     beamer .bool_gset:N = \g_@@_beamer_bool ,
92     beamer .default:n = true ,
93     beamer .usage:n = load ,
94
95     unknown .code:n = \@_error:n { Unknown-key-for-package }
96   }
97 \@_msg_new:nn { Unknown-key-for-package }
98   {
99     Unknown~key.\
100    You~have~used~the~key~'\l_keys_key_str'~when~loading~piton~
101    but~the~only~keys~available~here~are~'beamer',~'footnote'~
102    and~'footnotehyper'.~ Other~keys~are~available~in~
103    \token_to_str:N \PitonOptions.\
104    That~key~will~be~ignored.
105   }

```

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

```

106 \ProcessKeyOptions

107 \IfClassLoadedTF { beamer }
108   { \bool_gset_true:N \g_@@_beamer_bool }
109   {
110     \IfPackageLoadedT { beamerarticle }
111       { \bool_gset_true:N \g_@@_beamer_bool }
112   }

113 \lua_now:e
114   {
115     piton = piton-or-{}
116     piton.last_code = ''
117     piton.last_language = ''
118     piton.join = ''
119     piton.write = ''
120     piton.path_write = ''
121     \bool_if:NT \g_@@_beamer_bool { piton.beamer = true }
122   }

123 \RequirePackage { xcolor }

124 \@_msg_new:nn { footnote-with-footnotehyper-package }
125   {
126     Footnote~forbidden.\
127     You~can't~use~the~option~'footnote'~because~the~package~
128     footnotehyper~has~already~been~loaded.~
129     If~you~want,~you~can~use~the~option~'footnotehyper'~and~the~footnotes~
130     within~the~environments~of~piton~will~be~extracted~with~the~tools~
131     of~the~package~footnotehyper.\
132     If~you~go~on,~the~package~footnote~won't~be~loaded.
133   }

134 \@_msg_new:nn { footnotehyper-with-footnote-package }
135   {
136     You~can't~use~the~option~'footnotehyper'~because~the~package~
137     footnote~has~already~been~loaded.~
138     If~you~want,~you~can~use~the~option~'footnote'~and~the~footnotes~
139     within~the~environments~of~piton~will~be~extracted~with~the~tools~

```



```

140 of~the~package~footnote.\\
141 If~you~go~on,~the~package~footnotehyper~won't~be~loaded.
142 }

```

```

143 \bool_if:NT \g_@@_footnote_bool
144 {

```

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

```

145 \IfClassLoadedTF { beamer }
146 { \bool_gset_false:N \g_@@_footnote_bool }
147 {
148 \IfPackageLoadedTF { footnotehyper }
149 { @@_error:n { footnote~with~footnotehyper~package } }
150 { \usepackage { footnote } }
151 }
152 }
153 \bool_if:NT \g_@@_footnotehyper_bool
154 {

```

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

```

155 \IfClassLoadedTF { beamer }
156 { \bool_gset_false:N \g_@@_footnote_bool }
157 {
158 \IfPackageLoadedTF { footnote }
159 { @@_error:n { footnotehyper~with~footnote~package } }
160 { \usepackage { footnotehyper } }
161 \bool_gset_true:N \g_@@_footnote_bool
162 }
163 }

```

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

```

164 \dim_new:N \l_@@_rounded_corners_dim
165 \bool_new:N \l_@@_in_label_bool
166 \dim_new:N \l_@@_tmpc_dim

```

The listing that we have to format will be stored in `\l_@@_listing_tl`. That applies both for the command `\PitonInputFile` and the environment `{Piton}` (or another environment defined by `\NewPitonEnvironment`).

```

167 \tl_new:N \l_@@_listing_tl

```

The content of an environment such as `{Piton}` will be composed first in the following box, but that box be *unboxed* at the end.

```

168 \box_new:N \g_@@_output_box
169 \box_new:N \l_@@_line_box

```

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

```

170 \str_new:N \l_piton_language_str
171 \str_set:Nn \l_piton_language_str { python }

```

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

```

172 \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`).

```

173 \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`).

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

The following parameter corresponds to the key `tcolorbox`.

```
175 \bool_new:N \l_@@_tcolorbox_bool
176 % \end{macrocode}
177 %
178 % \medskip
179 % The following parameter corresponds to the key |box|.
180 % \begin{macrocode}
181 \str_new:N \l_@@_box_str
182 % \end{macrocode}
183 %
184 % \medskip
185 % In order to have a better control over the keys.
186 % \begin{macrocode}
187 \bool_new:N \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
188 \bool_new:N \l_@@_in_PitonInputFile_bool
```

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

```
189 \tl_new:N \l_@@_font_command_tl
190 \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.

```
191 \int_new:N \g_@@_nb_lines_int
```

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

```
192 \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).

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

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).

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

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

```
195 \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 computer listing provided by the final user is split in chunks on the empty lines in the code).

```
196 \tl_new:N \l_@@_split_separation_tl
197 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_split_separation_tl
198 { \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`.

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

We will also keep in memory the length of the previous `clist` (for efficiency).

```
200 \int_new:N \l_@@_bg_colors_int
```

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`).

```
201 \tl_new:N \l_@@_prompt_bg_color_tl
```

```
202 \tl_new:N \l_@@_space_in_string_tl
```

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

```
203 \str_new:N \l_@@_begin_range_str
```

```
204 \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).

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

The argument of `\PitonInputFile`.

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

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}`

```
207 \bool_new:N \l_@@_print_bool
```

```
208 \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_print_bool
```

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

```
209 \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 the final user but its conversion in "utf16/hex".

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

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

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

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

```
212 \bool_new:N \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
```

```
213 \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
```

```
214 \bool_new:N \l_@@_indent_broken_lines_bool
```

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

```
215 \tl_new:N \l_@@_continuation_symbol_tl
```

```
216 \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`.

```
217 \tl_new:N \l_@@_csoi_tl
```

```
218 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_csoi_tl { $ \hookrightarrow ; $ }
```

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

```
219 \tl_new:N \l_@@_end_of_broken_line_tl
```

```
220 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_end_of_broken_line_tl { \hspace* { 0.5em } \textbackslash }
```

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

```
221 \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`.

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

```
223 % \end{macrocode}
```

```
224 %
```

```
225 % \bigskip
```

```
226 % |\g_@@_width_dim| will be the width of the environment, after construction.
```

```
227 % In particular, if |max-width| is used, |\g_@@_width_dim| has to be computed
```

```
228 % from the actual content of the environment.
```

```
229 % \begin{macrocode}
```

```
230 \dim_new:N \g_@@_width_dim
```

We will also use another dimension called `\l_@@_code_width_dim`. That will be 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`).

```
231 \dim_new:N \l_@@_code_width_dim
```

The following flag will be raised when the key `max-width` (and when `width` is used with the key `min`, which is equivalent to `max-width=\linewidth`).

```
232 \bool_new:N \l_@@_minimize_width_bool
```

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

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

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

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

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

```
235 \dim_new:N \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim
236 \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.

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

238 \int_new:N \l_@@_tab_size_int
239 \int_set:Nn \l_@@_tab_size_int { 4 }

240 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_tab:
241 {
242   \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
243   {
244     \hbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box
245     { \prg_replicate:nn \l_@@_tab_size_int { ~ } }
246     \dim_set:Nn \l_tmpa_dim { \box_wd:N \l_tmpa_box }
247     \(\mathcolor { gray }
248       { \hbox_to_wd:nn \l_tmpa_dim { \rightarrowfill } } \)
249   }
250   { \hbox:n { \prg_replicate:nn \l_@@_tab_size_int { ~ } } }
251   \int_gadd:Nn \g_@@_indentation_int \l_@@_tab_size_int
252 }
```

The following integer corresponds to the key `gobble`.

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

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

```
254 \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 `␣` (U+2423).

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

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

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

```
256 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_leading_space:
257 { \int_gincr:N \g_@@_indentation_int }
```

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

```
258 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_label:n #1
259 {
260   \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
```

```

261 {
262   \@bsphack
263   \protected@write \@auxout { }
264   {
265     \string \newlabel { #1 }
266     {
267       { \int_use:N \g_@@_visual_line_int }
268       { \thepage }
269       { }
270       { line.#1 }
271       { }
272     }
273   }
274   \@esphack
275   \IfPackageLoadedT { hyperref }
276   { \Hy@raisedlink { \hyper@anchorstart { line.#1 } \hyper@anchorend } }
277 }
278 { \@@_error:n { label-with-lines-numbers } }
279 }

```

The same goes for the command `\zlabel` if the `zref` package is loaded. Note that `\label` will also be linked to `\@@_zlabel:n` if the key `label-as-zlabel` is set to `true`.

```

280 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_zlabel:n #1
281 {
282   \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
283   {
284     \@bsphack
285     \protected@write \@auxout { }
286     {
287       \string \zref@newlabel { #1 }
288       {
289         \string \default { \int_use:N \g_@@_visual_line_int }
290         \string \page { \thepage }
291         \string \zc@type { line }
292         \string \anchor { line.#1 }
293       }
294     }
295     \@esphack
296     \IfPackageLoadedT { hyperref }
297     { \Hy@raisedlink { \hyper@anchorstart { line.#1 } \hyper@anchorend } }
298   }
299   { \@@_error:n { label-with-lines-numbers } }
300 }

```

In the environments `{Piton}` the command `\rowcolor` will be linked to the following one.

```

301 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_rowcolor:n #1
302 {
303   \tl_gset:ce { g_@@_color_ \int_eval:n { \g_@@_line_int + 1 }_ tl } { #1 }
304   \bool_gset_true:N \g_@@_rowcolor_inside_bool
305 }

```

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.

```

306 \cs_new:Npn \@@_marker_beginning:n #1 { }
307 \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.

```

308 \tl_new:N \g_@@_before_line_tl
309 \tl_new:N \g_@@_after_line_tl

```

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

```

310 \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`.

```

311 \bool_new:N \g_@@_color_is_none_bool
312 \bool_new:N \g_@@_next_color_is_none_bool

313 \bool_new:N \g_@@_rowcolor_inside_bool

```

### 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 backlash.

```

314 \clist_new:N \l_@@_detected_commands_clist
315 \clist_new:N \l_@@_raw_detected_commands_clist
316 \clist_new:N \l_@@_beamer_commands_clist
317 \clist_set:Nn \l_@@_beamer_commands_clist
318   { uncover , only , visible , invisible , alert , action}
319 \clist_new:N \l_@@_beamer_environments_clist
320 \clist_set:Nn \l_@@_beamer_environments_clist
321   { 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 computer language.

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

```

322 \hook_gput_code:nnm { begindocument } { . }
323   {
324     \newtoks \PitonDetectedCommands
325     \newtoks \PitonRawDetectedCommands
326     \newtoks \PitonBeamerCommands
327     \newtoks \PitonBeamerEnvironments

```

L<sup>3</sup> does *not* support those “toks registers” but it's still possible to affect to the “toks registers” the content of the clists with a L<sup>3</sup>-like syntax.

```

328   \exp_args:NV \PitonDetectedCommands \l_@@_detected_commands_clist
329   \exp_args:NV \PitonRawDetectedCommands \l_@@_raw_detected_commands_clist
330   \exp_args:NV \PitonBeamerCommands \l_@@_beamer_commands_clist
331   \exp_args:NV \PitonBeamerEnvironments \l_@@_beamer_environments_clist
332 }

```

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).

When the key `vertical-detected-commands` is used, we will have to redefine the corresponding commands in `\@@_pre_composition:`.

The instructions for these redefinitions will be put in the following token list.

```

333 \tl_new:N \g_@@_def_vertical_commands_tl

```

```

334 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_vertical_commands:n #1
335 {
336   \clist_put_right:Nn \l_@@_raw_detected_commands_clist { #1 }
337   \clist_map_inline:nn { #1 }
338   {
339     \cs_set_eq:cc { @@ _ old _ ##1 : } { ##1 }
340     \cs_new_protected:cn { @@ _ new _ ##1 : n }
341     {
342       \bool_if:nTF
343       { \l_@@_tcolorbox_bool || ! \str_if_empty_p:N \l_@@_box_str }
344       {
345         \tl_gput_right:Nn \g_@@_after_line_tl
346         { \use:c { @@ _ old _ ##1 : } { #####1 } }
347       }
348       {
349         \cs_if_exist:cTF { g_@@_after_line _ \int_use:N \g_@@_line_int _ tl }
350         { \tl_gput_right:cn }
351         { \tl_gset:cn }
352         { g_@@_after_line _ \int_eval:n { \g_@@_line_int + 1 } _ tl }
353         { \use:c { @@ _ old _ ##1 : } { #####1 } }
354       }
355     }
356     \tl_gput_right:Nn \g_@@_def_vertical_commands_tl
357     { \cs_set_eq:cc { ##1 } { @@ _ new _ ##1 : n } }
358   }
359 }

```

#### 10.2.4 Treatment of a line of code

```

360 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_replace_spaces:n #1
361 {
362   \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { #1 }
363   \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
364   {
365     \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_space_in_string_tl { \_ } % U+2423
366     \tl_replace_all:Nvn \l_tmpa_tl \c_catcode_other_space_tl { \_ } % U+2423
367   }
368   {

```

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.

```

369     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
370     {
371       \tl_if_eq:NnF \l_@@_space_in_string_tl { \_ }
372       { \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 programming 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 and for the comments.

```

373     \tl_replace_all:Nvn \l_tmpa_tl
374     \c_catcode_other_space_tl
375     \@@_breakable_space:

```

```

376     }
377   }
378   \l_tmpa_tl
379 }
380 \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:`.

```

381 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_end_line: { }

382 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_begin_line: #1 \@@_end_line:
383 {
384   \group_begin:
385   \g_@@_before_line_tl
386   \int_gzero:N \g_@@_indentation_int

```

We put the potential number of line, the potential left margin and the potential background.

```

387   \hbox_set:Nn \l_@@_line_box
388   {
389     \skip_horizontal:N \l_@@_left_margin_dim
390     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
391     {

```

`\l_tmpa_int` will be equal to 1 when the current line is not empty.

```

392       \int_set:Nn \l_tmpa_int
393       {
394         \lua_now:e
395         {
396           tex.sprint
397           (
398             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`.

```

399           tostring
400           ( piton.empty_lines
401             [ \int_eval:n { \g_@@_line_int + 1 } ]
402           )
403         )
404       }
405     }
406     \bool_lazy_or:nnT
407     { \int_compare_p:nNn \l_tmpa_int = \c_one_int }
408     { ! \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool }
409     { \int_gincr:N \g_@@_visual_line_int }
410     \bool_lazy_or:nnT
411     { \int_compare_p:nNn \l_tmpa_int = \c_one_int }
412     { ! \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool && \l_@@_label_empty_lines_bool }
413     { \@@_print_number: }
414   }

```

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

```

415     \bool_if:NT \g_@@_bg_bool
416     {
... but if only if the key left-margin is not used !
417       \dim_compare:nNnT \l_@@_left_margin_dim = \c_zero_dim
418       { \skip_horizontal:n { 0.5 em } }
419     }

```



```

420     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_minimize_width_bool
421     {
422         \hbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box
423         {
424             \language = -1
425             \raggedright
426             \strut
427             \@@_replace_spaces:n { #1 }
428             \strut \hfil
429         }
430         \dim_compare:nNnTF { \box_wd:N \l_tmpa_box } < \l_@@_code_width_dim
431         { \box_use:N \l_tmpa_box }
432         { \@@_vtop_of_code:n { #1 } }
433     }
434     { \@@_vtop_of_code:n { #1 } }
435 }

```

Now, the line of code is composed in the box `\l_@@_line_box`.

```

436     \box_set_dp:Nn \l_@@_line_box { \box_dp:N \l_@@_line_box + 1.25 pt }
437     \box_set_ht:Nn \l_@@_line_box { \box_ht:N \l_@@_line_box + 1.25 pt }
438     \dim_gset_eq:NN \g_@@_width_dim \l_@@_width_dim
439     \box_use_drop:N \l_@@_line_box
440     \group_end:
441     \g_@@_after_line_tl
442     \tl_gclear:N \g_@@_after_line_tl
443     \tl_gclear:N \g_@@_before_line_tl
444 }

445 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_vtop_of_code:n #1
446 {
447     \vbox_top:n
448     {
449         \hsize = \l_@@_code_width_dim
450         \language = -1
451         \raggedright
452         \strut
453         \@@_replace_spaces:n { #1 }
454         \strut \hfil
455     }
456 }

```

Of course, the following command will be used when the key `background-color` is used. The content of the line has been previously set in `\l_@@_line_box`.

```

457 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_add_background_to_line_and_use:
458 {
459     \vtop
460     {
461         \offinterlineskip
462         \hbox
463         {

```

The command `\@@_compute_and_set_color:` sets the current color but also sets the booleans `\g_@@_color_is_none_bool` and `\g_@@_next_color_is_none_bool`. It uses the current value of `\l_@@_bg_color_clist`, the value of `\g_@@_line_int` (the number of the current line) but also potential token lists of the form `\g_@@_color_12_tl` if the final user has used the command `\rowcolor`.

```

464     \@@_compute_and_set_color:

```

The colored panels are overlapping. However, if the special color `none` is used we must not put such overlapping.

```

465         \dim_set:Nn \l_tmpa_dim { \box_dp:N \l_@@_line_box }
466         \bool_if:NT \g_@@_next_color_is_none_bool
467         { \dim_sub:Nn \l_tmpa_dim { 2.5 pt } }

```

When `\g_@@_color_is_none_bool` is in force, we will compose a `\vrule` of width 0 pt. We need that `\vrule` because it will be a strut.

```

468     \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_color_is_none_bool
469       { \dim_zero:N \l_tmpb_dim }
470       { \dim_set_eq:NN \l_tmpb_dim \g_@@_width_dim }
471     \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_tmpc_dim { \box_ht:N \l_@@_line_box }

```

Now, the colored panel.

```

472     \dim_compare:nNnTF \l_@@_rounded_corners_dim > \c_zero_dim
473       {
474         \int_compare:nNnTF \g_@@_line_int = \c_one_int
475           {
476             \begin{tikzpicture}[baseline = 0cm]
477               \fill (0,0)
478                 [rounded-corners = \l_@@_rounded_corners_dim]
479                 -- (0,\l_@@_tmpc_dim)
480                 -- (\l_tmpb_dim,\l_@@_tmpc_dim)
481                 [sharp-corners] -- (\l_tmpb_dim,-\l_tmpa_dim)
482                 -- (0,-\l_tmpa_dim)
483                 -- cycle ;
484             \end{tikzpicture}
485           }
486           {
487             \int_compare:nNnTF \g_@@_line_int = \g_@@_nb_lines_int
488               {
489                 \begin{tikzpicture}[baseline = 0cm]
490                   \fill (0,0) -- (0,\l_@@_tmpc_dim)
491                     -- (\l_tmpb_dim,\l_@@_tmpc_dim)
492                     [rounded-corners = \l_@@_rounded_corners_dim]
493                     -- (\l_tmpb_dim,-\l_tmpa_dim)
494                     -- (0,-\l_tmpa_dim)
495                     -- cycle ;
496                 \end{tikzpicture}
497               }
498               {
499                 \vrule height \l_@@_tmpc_dim
500                   depth \l_tmpa_dim
501                   width \l_tmpb_dim
502               }
503             }
504           }
505           {
506             \vrule height \l_@@_tmpc_dim
507               depth \l_tmpa_dim
508               width \l_tmpb_dim
509           }
510         }
511     \bool_if:NT \g_@@_next_color_is_none_bool
512       { \skip_vertical:n { 2.5 pt } }
513     \skip_vertical:n { - \box_ht_plus_dp:N \l_@@_line_box }
514     \box_use_drop:N \l_@@_line_box
515   }
516 }

```

The command `\@@_compute_and_set_color:` sets the current color but also sets the booleans `\g_@@_color_is_none_bool` and `\g_@@_next_color_is_none_bool`. It uses the current value of `\l_@@_bg_color_clist`, the value of `\g_@@_line_int` (the number of the current line) but also potential token lists of the form `\g_@@_color_12_tl` if the final user has used the command `\rowcolor`.

```

517 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_compute_and_set_color:
518 {
519   \int_compare:nNnTF \l_@@_bg_colors_int = \c_zero_int
520     { \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { none } }
521     {
522       \int_set:Nn \l_tmpb_int

```

```

523     { \int_mod:nn \g_@@_line_int \l_@@_bg_colors_int + 1 }
524     \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_tl { \clist_item:Nn \l_@@_bg_color_clist \l_tmpb_int }
525 }

```

The row may have a color specified by the command `\rowcolor`. We check that point now.

```

526     \cs_if_exist:cT { g_@@_color_ \int_use:N \g_@@_line_int _ tl }
527     {
528         \tl_set_eq:Nc \l_tmpa_tl { g_@@_color_ \int_use:N \g_@@_line_int _ tl }

```

We don't need any longer the variable and that's why we delete it (it must be free for the next environment of `piton`).

```

529         \cs_undefine:c { g_@@_color_ \int_use:N \g_@@_line_int _ tl }
530     }
531     \tl_if_eq:NnTF \l_tmpa_tl { none }
532     { \bool_gset_true:N \g_@@_color_is_none_bool }
533     {
534         \bool_gset_false:N \g_@@_color_is_none_bool
535         \@@_color:o \l_tmpa_tl
536     }

```

We are looking for the next color because we have to know whether that color is the special color `none` (for the vertical adjustment of the background color).

```

537     \int_compare:nNnTF { \g_@@_line_int + 1 } = \g_@@_nb_lines_int
538     { \bool_gset_false:N \g_@@_next_color_is_none_bool }
539     {
540         \int_compare:nNnTF \l_@@_bg_colors_int = \c_zero_int
541         { \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { none } }
542         {
543             \int_set:Nn \l_tmpb_int
544             { \int_mod:nn { \g_@@_line_int + 1 } \l_@@_bg_colors_int + 1 }
545             \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_tl { \clist_item:Nn \l_@@_bg_color_clist \l_tmpb_int }
546         }
547         \cs_if_exist:cT { g_@@_color_ \int_eval:n { \g_@@_line_int + 1 } _ tl }
548         {
549             \tl_set_eq:Nc \l_tmpa_tl
550             { g_@@_color_ \int_eval:n { \g_@@_line_int + 1 } _ tl }
551         }
552         \tl_if_eq:NnTF \l_tmpa_tl { none }
553         { \bool_gset_true:N \g_@@_next_color_is_none_bool }
554         { \bool_gset_false:N \g_@@_next_color_is_none_bool }
555     }
556 }

```

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} }`.

```

557 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_color:n #1
558 {
559     \tl_if_head_eq_meaning:nNTF { #1 } [
560     {
561         \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { #1 }
562         \tl_set_rescan:Nno \l_tmpa_tl { } \l_tmpa_tl
563         \exp_last_unbraced:No \color \l_tmpa_tl
564     }
565     { \color { #1 } }
566 }
567 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_color:n { o }

```

The command `\@@_par:` 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 computer listing (the *input*) may result in several lines in the PDF (the *output*).
- Remind that `\@@_par:` has a rather complex behaviour because it will finish and start paragraphs.

```

568 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_par:
569   {

```

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

```

570   \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.

```

571   \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.

```

572   \kern -2.5 pt

```

Now, we control page breaks after the paragraph.

```

573   \@@_add_penalty_for_the_line:
574   }

```

After the command `\@@_par:`, 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`.

```

575 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_breakable_space:
576   {
577     \discretionary
578     { \hbox:n { \color { gray } \l_@@_end_of_broken_line_tl } }
579     {
580       \hbox_overlap_left:n
581       {
582         {
583           \normalfont \footnotesize \color { gray }
584           \l_@@_continuation_symbol_tl
585         }
586         \skip_horizontal:n { 0.3 em }
587         \bool_if:NT \g_@@_bg_bool { \skip_horizontal:n { 0.5 em } }
588       }
589       \bool_if:NT \l_@@_indent_broken_lines_bool
590       {
591         \hbox:n
592         {
593           \prg_replicate:nn { \g_@@_indentation_int } { ~ }
594           { \color { gray } \l_@@_csoi_tl }
595         }
596       }
597     }
598     { \hbox { ~ } }
599   }

```

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```

600 \bool_new:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
601 \bool_new:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool
602 \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool
603 \bool_new:N \l_@@_line_numbers_absolute_bool
604 \tl_new:N \l_@@_line_numbers_format_bool
605 \tl_new:N \l_@@_line_numbers_format_tl
606 \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_line_numbers_format_tl { \footnotesize \color { gray } }
607 \bool_new:N \l_@@_label_empty_lines_bool
608 \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_label_empty_lines_bool
609 \int_new:N \l_@@_number_lines_start_int

```

```

610 \bool_new:N \l_@@_resume_bool
611 \bool_new:N \l_@@_split_on_empty_lines_bool
612 \bool_new:N \l_@@_splittable_on_empty_lines_bool
613 \bool_new:N \g_@@_label_as_zlabel_bool

614 \keys_define:nn { PitonOptions / marker }
615 {
616   beginning .code:n = \cs_set:Nn \@@_marker_beginning:n { #1 } ,
617   beginning .value_required:n = true ,
618   end .code:n = \cs_set:Nn \@@_marker_end:n { #1 } ,
619   end .value_required:n = true ,
620   include-lines .bool_set:N = \l_@@_marker_include_lines_bool ,
621   include-lines .default:n = true ,
622   unknown .code:n = \@@_error:n { Unknown~key~for~marker }
623 }

624 \keys_define:nn { PitonOptions / line-numbers }
625 {
626   true .code:n = \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool ,
627   false .code:n = \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool ,
628
629   start .code:n =
630     \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
631     \int_set:Nn \l_@@_number_lines_start_int { #1 } ,
632   start .value_required:n = true ,
633
634   skip-empty-lines .code:n =
635     \bool_if:NF \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
636     { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool }
637     \str_if_eq:nnTF { #1 } { false }
638     { \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool }
639     { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool } ,
640   skip-empty-lines .default:n = true ,
641
642   label-empty-lines .code:n =
643     \bool_if:NF \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
644     { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool }
645     \str_if_eq:nnTF { #1 } { false }
646     { \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_label_empty_lines_bool }
647     { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_label_empty_lines_bool } ,
648   label-empty-lines .default:n = true ,
649
650   absolute .code:n =
651     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
652     { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_absolute_bool }
653     { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool }
654     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_in_PitonInputFile_bool
655     {
656       \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_absolute_bool
657       \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool
658     } ,
659   absolute .value_forbidden:n = true ,
660
661   resume .code:n =
662     \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_resume_bool
663     \bool_if:NF \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
664     { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool } ,
665   resume .value_forbidden:n = true ,
666
667   sep .dim_set:N = \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim ,
668   sep .value_required:n = true ,
669
670   format .tl_set:N = \l_@@_line_numbers_format_tl ,

```

```

671 format .value_required:n = true ,
672
673 unknown .code:n = \@@_error:n { Unknown-key-for~line-numbers }
674 }

```

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

```

675 \keys_define:nn { PitonOptions }
676 {
677   rounded-corners .code:n =
678     \IfPackageLoadedTF { tikz }
679     { \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_rounded_corners_dim { #1 } }
680     { \@@_err_rouned_corners_without_Tikz: } ,
681   rounded-corners .default:n = 4 pt ,
682   tcolorbox .code:n =
683     \IfPackageLoadedTF { tcolorbox }
684     {
685       \pgfkeysifdefined { / tcb / libload / breakable }
686       {
687         \str_if_eq:eeTF { #1 } { true }
688         { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_tcolorbox_bool }
689         { \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_tcolorbox_bool }
690       }
691       { \@@_error:n { library~breakable~not~loaded } }
692     }
693     { \@@_error:n { tcolorbox-not-loaded } } ,
694   tcolorbox .default:n = true ,
695   box .choices:nn = { c , t , b , m }
696   { \str_set_eq:NN \l_@@_box_str \l_keys_choice_tl } ,
697   box .default:n = c ,
698   break-strings-anywhere .bool_set:N = \l_@@_break_strings_anywhere_bool ,
699   break-strings-anywhere .default:n = true ,
700   break-numbers-anywhere .bool_set:N = \l_@@_break_numbers_anywhere_bool ,
701   break-numbers-anywhere .default:n = true ,

```

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

```

702 detected-commands .code:n =
703   \clist_put_right:Nn \l_@@_detected_commands_clist { #1 } ,
704 detected-commands .value_required:n = true ,
705 detected-commands .usage:n = preamble ,
706 vertical-detected-commands .code:n = \@@_vertical_commands:n { #1 } ,
707 vertical-detected-commands .value_required:n = true ,
708 vertical-detected-commands .usage:n = preamble ,
709 raw-detected-commands .code:n =
710   \clist_put_right:Nn \l_@@_raw_detected_commands_clist { #1 } ,
711 raw-detected-commands .value_required:n = true ,
712 raw-detected-commands .usage:n = preamble ,
713 detected-beamer-commands .code:n =
714   \@@_error_if_not_in_beamer:
715   \clist_put_right:Nn \l_@@_beamer_commands_clist { #1 } ,
716 detected-beamer-commands .value_required:n = true ,
717 detected-beamer-commands .usage:n = preamble ,
718 detected-beamer-environments .code:n =
719   \@@_error_if_not_in_beamer:
720   \clist_put_right:Nn \l_@@_beamer_environments_clist { #1 } ,
721 detected-beamer-environments .value_required:n = true ,
722 detected-beamer-environments .usage:n = preamble ,

```

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

```

723 begin-escape .code:n =
724   \lua_now:e { piton.begin_escape = "\lua_escape:n{#1}" } ,
725 begin-escape .value_required:n = true ,
726 begin-escape .usage:n = preamble ,
727

```

```

728 end-escape .code:n =
729   \lua_now:e { piton.end_escape = "\lua_escape:n{#1}" } ,
730 end-escape .value_required:n = true ,
731 end-escape .usage:n = preamble ,
732
733 begin-escape-math .code:n =
734   \lua_now:e { piton.begin_escape_math = "\lua_escape:n{#1}" } ,
735 begin-escape-math .value_required:n = true ,
736 begin-escape-math .usage:n = preamble ,
737
738 end-escape-math .code:n =
739   \lua_now:e { piton.end_escape_math = "\lua_escape:n{#1}" } ,
740 end-escape-math .value_required:n = true ,
741 end-escape-math .usage:n = preamble ,
742
743 comment-latex .code:n = \lua_now:n { comment_latex = "#1" } ,
744 comment-latex .value_required:n = true ,
745 comment-latex .usage:n = preamble ,
746
747 label-as-zlabel .bool_gset:N = \g_@@_label_as_zlabel_bool ,
748 label-as-zlabel .default:n = true ,
749 label-as-zlabel .usage:n = preamble ,
750
751 math-comments .bool_gset:N = \g_@@_math_comments_bool ,
752 math-comments .default:n = true ,
753 math-comments .usage:n = preamble ,

```

Now, general keys.

```

754 language .code:n =
755   \str_set:Ne \l_piton_language_str { \str_lowercase:n { #1 } } ,
756 language .value_required:n = true ,
757 path .code:n =
758   \seq_clear:N \l_@@_path_seq
759   \clist_map_inline:nn { #1 }
760     {
761       \str_set:Nn \l_tmpa_str { ##1 }
762       \seq_put_right:No \l_@@_path_seq { \l_tmpa_str }
763     } ,
764 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.

```

765 path .initial:n = . ,
766 path-write .str_set:N = \l_@@_path_write_str ,
767 path-write .value_required:n = true ,
768 font-command .tl_set:N = \l_@@_font_command_tl ,
769 font-command .value_required:n = true ,
770 gobble .int_set:N = \l_@@_gobble_int ,
771 gobble .default:n = -1 ,
772 auto-gobble .code:n = \int_set:Nn \l_@@_gobble_int { -1 } ,
773 auto-gobble .value_forbidden:n = true ,
774 env-gobble .code:n = \int_set:Nn \l_@@_gobble_int { -2 } ,
775 env-gobble .value_forbidden:n = true ,
776 tabs-auto-gobble .code:n = \int_set:Nn \l_@@_gobble_int { -3 } ,
777 tabs-auto-gobble .value_forbidden:n = true ,
778
779 splittable-on-empty-lines .bool_set:N = \l_@@_splittable_on_empty_lines_bool ,
780 splittable-on-empty-lines .default:n = true ,
781
782 split-on-empty-lines .bool_set:N = \l_@@_split_on_empty_lines_bool ,
783 split-on-empty-lines .default:n = true ,
784
785 split-separation .tl_set:N = \l_@@_split_separation_tl ,
786 split-separation .value_required:n = true ,

```

```

787
788 marker .code:n =
789   \bool_lazy_or:nnTF
790     \l_@@_in_PitonInputFile_bool
791     \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
792     { \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions / marker } { #1 } }
793     { \@@_error:n { Invalid-key } } ,
794 marker .value_required:n = true ,
795
796 line-numbers .code:n =
797   \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions / line-numbers } { #1 } ,
798 line-numbers .default:n = true ,
799
800 splittable .int_set:N          = \l_@@_splittable_int ,
801 splittable .default:n         = 1 ,
802 background-color .code:n =
803   \clist_set:Nn \l_@@_bg_color_clist { #1 }
804   \int_set:Nn \l_@@_bg_colors_int { \clist_count:N \l_@@_bg_color_clist } ,
805 background-color .value_required:n = true ,
806 prompt-background-color .tl_set:N          = \l_@@_prompt_bg_color_tl ,
807 prompt-background-color .value_required:n = true ,
808 % \end{macrocode}
809 % With the tuning |write=false|, the content of the environment won't be parsed
810 % and won't be printed on the \textsc{pdf}. However, the Lua variables |piton.last_code|
811 % and |piton.last_language| will be set (and, hence, |piton.get_last_code| will be
812 % operationnal). The keys |join| and |write| will be honoured.
813 % \begin{macrocode}
814 print .bool_set:N = \l_@@_print_bool ,
815 print .value_required:n = true ,
816
817 width .code:n =
818   \str_if_eq:nnTF { #1 } { min }
819   {
820     \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_minimize_width_bool
821     \dim_zero:N \l_@@_width_dim
822   }
823   {
824     \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_minimize_width_bool
825     \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_width_dim { #1 }
826   } ,
827 width .value_required:n = true ,
828
829 max-width .code:n =
830   \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_minimize_width_bool
831   \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_width_dim { #1 } ,
832 max-width .value_required:n = true ,
833
834 write .str_set:N = \l_@@_write_str ,
835 write .value_required:n = true ,
836 % \end{macrocode}
837 % For the key |join|, we convert immediatly the value of the key in utf16
838 % (with the \text{bom} big endian that will be automatically inserted)
839 % written in hexadecimal (what L3 calls the \emph{escaping}). Indeed, we will
840 % have to write that value in the key |/UF| of a |/Filespec| (between angular
841 % brackets |<| and |>| since it is in hexadecimal). It's prudent to do that
842 % conversion right now since that value will transit by the Lua of LuaTeX.
843 % \begin{macrocode}
844 join .code:n
845   = \str_set_convert:Nnnn \l_@@_join_str { #1 } { } { utf16/hex } ,
846 join .value_required:n = true ,
847
848 left-margin .code:n =
849   \str_if_eq:nnTF { #1 } { auto }

```



```

850     {
851         \dim_zero:N \l_@@_left_margin_dim
852         \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_left_margin_auto_bool
853     }
854     {
855         \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_left_margin_dim { #1 }
856         \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_left_margin_auto_bool
857     } ,
858 left-margin      .value_required:n = true ,
859
860 tab-size         .int_set:N         = \l_@@_tab_size_int ,
861 tab-size         .value_required:n = true ,
862 show-spaces      .bool_set:N        = \l_@@_show_spaces_bool ,
863 show-spaces      .value_forbidden:n = true ,
864 show-spaces-in-strings .code:n      =
865     \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_space_in_string_tl { \_ } , % U+2423
866 show-spaces-in-strings .value_forbidden:n = true ,
867 break-lines-in-Piton .bool_set:N     = \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool ,
868 break-lines-in-Piton .default:n      = true ,
869 break-lines-in-piton .bool_set:N     = \l_@@_break_lines_in_piton_bool ,
870 break-lines-in-piton .default:n      = true ,
871 break-lines .meta:n = { break-lines-in-piton , break-lines-in-Piton } ,
872 break-lines .value_forbidden:n      = true ,
873 indent-broken-lines .bool_set:N     = \l_@@_indent_broken_lines_bool ,
874 indent-broken-lines .default:n      = true ,
875 end-of-broken-line .tl_set:N        = \l_@@_end_of_broken_line_tl ,
876 end-of-broken-line .value_required:n = true ,
877 continuation-symbol .tl_set:N       = \l_@@_continuation_symbol_tl ,
878 continuation-symbol .value_required:n = true ,
879 continuation-symbol-on-indentation .tl_set:N = \l_@@_csoi_tl ,
880 continuation-symbol-on-indentation .value_required:n = true ,
881
882 first-line .code:n = \@@_in_PitonInputFile:n
883     { \int_set:Nn \l_@@_first_line_int { #1 } } ,
884 first-line .value_required:n = true ,
885
886 last-line .code:n = \@@_in_PitonInputFile:n
887     { \int_set:Nn \l_@@_last_line_int { #1 } } ,
888 last-line .value_required:n = true ,
889
890 begin-range .code:n = \@@_in_PitonInputFile:n
891     { \str_set:Nn \l_@@_begin_range_str { #1 } } ,
892 begin-range .value_required:n = true ,
893
894 end-range .code:n = \@@_in_PitonInputFile:n
895     { \str_set:Nn \l_@@_end_range_str { #1 } } ,
896 end-range .value_required:n = true ,
897
898 range .code:n = \@@_in_PitonInputFile:n
899     {
900         \str_set:Nn \l_@@_begin_range_str { #1 }
901         \str_set:Nn \l_@@_end_range_str { #1 }
902     } ,
903 range .value_required:n = true ,
904
905 env-used-by-split .code:n =
906     \lua_now:n { piton.env_used_by_split = '#1' } ,
907 env-used-by-split .initial:n = Piton ,
908
909 resume .meta:n = line-numbers/resume ,
910
911 unknown .code:n = \@@_error:n { Unknown-key-for-PitonOptions } ,
912

```

```

913 % deprecated
914 all-line-numbers .code:n =
915   \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
916   \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool ,
917 }

918 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_err_rounded_corners_without_Tikz:
919 {
920   \@@_error:n { rounded-corners-without-Tikz }
921   \cs_gset:Npn \@@_err_rounded_corners_without_Tikz: { }
922 }

923 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_in_PitonInputFile:n #1
924 {
925   \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_in_PitonInputFile_bool
926     { #1 }
927     { \@@_error:n { Invalid-key } }
928 }

929 \NewDocumentCommand \PitonOptions { m }
930 {
931   \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
932   \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions } { #1 }
933   \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_in_PitonOptions_bool
934 }

```

When using `\NewPitonEnvironment` a user may use `\PitonOptions` inside. However, the set of keys available should be different that 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.

```

935 \NewDocumentCommand \@@_fake_PitonOptions { }
936 { \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.

```

937 \int_new:N \g_@@_visual_line_int

938 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_incr_visual_line:
939 {
940   \bool_if:NF \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool
941     { \int_gincr:N \g_@@_visual_line_int }
942 }

943 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_print_number:
944 {
945   \hbox_overlap_left:n
946     {
947       {
948         \l_@@_line_numbers_format_tl

```

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

```

949     { \int_to_arabic:n \g_@@_visual_line_int }
950   }
951   \skip_horizontal:N \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim
952 }
953 }

```

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

```

954 \NewDocumentCommand { \NewPitonLanguage } { 0 { } m ! o }
955 {
956   \tl_if_novalue:nTF { #3 }

```

The last argument is provided by curryfication.

```

957   { \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnn { #1 } { #2 } }

```

The two last arguments are provided by curryfication.

```

958   { \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnnn { #1 } { #2 } { #3 } }
959 }

```

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.

```

960 \prop_new:N \g_@@_languages_prop

961 \keys_define:nn { NewPitonLanguage }
962 {
963   morekeywords .code:n = ,
964   otherkeywords .code:n = ,
965   sensitive .code:n = ,
966   keywordsprefix .code:n = ,
967   moretexcs .code:n = ,
968   morestring .code:n = ,
969   morecomment .code:n = ,
970   moredelim .code:n = ,
971   moredirectives .code:n = ,
972   tag .code:n = ,
973   alsodigit .code:n = ,
974   alsoletter .code:n = ,
975   alsoother .code:n = ,
976   unknown .code:n = \@@_error:n { Unknown-key-NewPitonLanguage }
977 }

```

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

```

978 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnn #1 #2 #3
979 {

```

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}{...}`.

```

980   \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_tl
981   {
982     \tl_if_blank:nF { #1 } { [ \str_lowercase:n { #1 } ] }
983     \str_lowercase:n { #2 }
984   }

```

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

```

985   \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.

```

986   \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 use of the Lua function `piton.new_language` (which does the main job).

```

987   \@@_NewPitonLanguage:on \l_tmpa_tl { #3 }
988 }

989 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nn #1 #2
990 {
991   \hook_gput_code:nnn { begindocument } { . }
992   { \lua_now:e { piton.new_language("#1","\lua_escape:n{#2}") } }

```

```

993 }
994 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nn { o }

```

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

```

995 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnnnn #1 #2 #3 #4 #5
996 {

```

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}[ ]{C}{...}`

```

997   \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_tl
998   {
999     \tl_if_blank:nF { #3 } { [ \str_lowercase:n { #3 } ] }
1000   \str_lowercase:n { #4 }
1001   }

```

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`.

```

1002   \prop_get:NnTF \g_@@_languages_prop \l_tmpa_tl \l_tmpb_tl

```

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

```

1003   { \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nno { #1 } { #2 } { #5 } \l_tmpb_tl }
1004   { \@@_error:n { Language~not~defined } }
1005 }

```

```

1006 \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.

```

1007 { \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnn { #1 } { #2 } { #4 , #3 } }
1008 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_NewPitonLanguage:nnnn { n n n o }

```

```

1009 \NewDocumentCommand { \piton } { }
1010 { \peek_meaning:NTF \bgroup { \@@_piton_standard } { \@@_piton_verbatim } }
1011 \NewDocumentCommand { \@@_piton_standard } { m }
1012 {
1013   \group_begin:
1014   \tl_if_eq:NnF \l_@@_space_in_string_tl { \_ }
1015   {

```

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.

```

1016     \bool_lazy_or:nnT
1017     \l_@@_break_lines_in_piton_bool
1018     \l_@@_break_strings_anywhere_bool
1019     { \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_space_in_string_tl { \exp_not:N \space } }
1020   }

```

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

```

1021   \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:

```

1022   \cs_set_eq:NN \ \ \c_backslash_str
1023   \cs_set_eq:NN \% \c_percent_str
1024   \cs_set_eq:NN \{ \c_left_brace_str
1025   \cs_set_eq:NN \} \c_right_brace_str
1026   \cs_set_eq:NN \$ \c_dollar_str

```

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

```

1027   \cs_set_eq:cN { ~ } \space
1028   \cs_set_eq:NN \@@_begin_line: \prg_do_nothing:
1029   \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_tl

```

```

1030     {
1031         \lua_now:e
1032         { piton.ParseBis('\l_piton_language_str',token.scan_string()) }
1033         { #1 }
1034     }
1035     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
1036     { \tl_replace_all:NVn \l_tmpa_tl \c_catcode_other_space_tl { \space } } % U+2423
1037     {
1038         \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.

```

1039     { \tl_replace_all:NVn \l_tmpa_tl \c_catcode_other_space_tl \space }
1040     }

```

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

```

1041     \if_mode_math:
1042     \text { \l_@@_font_command_tl \l_tmpa_tl }
1043     \else:
1044     \l_@@_font_command_tl \l_tmpa_tl
1045     \fi:
1046     \group_end:
1047     }

```

```

1048 \NewDocumentCommand { \@@_piton_verbatim } { v }
1049 {
1050     \group_begin:
1051     \automatichyphenmode = 1
1052     \cs_set_eq:NN \@@_begin_line: \prg_do_nothing:
1053     \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_tl
1054     {
1055         \lua_now:e
1056         { piton.Parse('\l_piton_language_str',token.scan_string()) }
1057         { #1 }
1058     }
1059     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
1060     { \tl_replace_all:NVn \l_tmpa_tl \c_catcode_other_space_tl { \space } } % U+2423
1061     \if_mode_math:
1062     \text { \l_@@_font_command_tl \l_tmpa_tl }
1063     \else:
1064     \l_@@_font_command_tl \l_tmpa_tl
1065     \fi:
1066     \group_end:
1067     }

```

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

```

1068 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_piton:n #1
1069 { \tl_if_blank:nF { #1 } { \@@_piton_i:n { #1 } } }
1070
1071 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_piton_i:n #1
1072 {
1073     \group_begin:
1074     \cs_set_eq:NN \@@_begin_line: \prg_do_nothing:
1075     \cs_set:cpn { pitonStyle _ \l_piton_language_str _ Prompt } { }
1076     \cs_set:cpn { pitonStyle _ Prompt } { }
1077     \cs_set_eq:NN \@@_trailing_space: \space
1078     \tl_set:Ne \l_tmpa_tl
1079     {
1080         \lua_now:e
1081         { piton.ParseTer('\l_piton_language_str',token.scan_string()) }
1082         { #1 }

```

```

1083     }
1084     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_show_spaces_bool
1085     { \tl_replace_all:NvN \l_tmpa_tl \c_catcode_other_space_tl { } } % U+2423
1086     \@@_replace_spaces:o \l_tmpa_tl
1087     \group_end:
1088 }

```

\@@\_pre\_composition: will be used both in \PitonInputFile and in the environments such as {Piton}.

```

1089 \cs_new:Npn \@@_pre_composition:
1090 {
1091   \legacy_if:nT { @inlabel } { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_in_label_bool }
1092   \automatichyphenmode = 1
1093   \dim_compare:nNnT \l_@@_width_dim = \c_zero_dim
1094   {
1095     \dim_set_eq:NN \l_@@_width_dim \linewidth
1096     \str_if_empty:NF \l_@@_box_str
1097     { \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_minimize_width_bool }
1098   }
1099   \bool_if:NF \l_@@_resume_bool { \int_gzero:N \g_@@_visual_line_int }
1100   \g_@@_def_vertical_commands_tl
1101   \int_gzero:N \g_@@_line_int
1102   \int_gzero:N \g_@@_nb_lines_int
1103   \dim_zero:N \parindent
1104   \dim_zero:N \lineskip
1105   \cs_set_eq:NN \rowcolor \@@_rowcolor:n
1106   \bool_gset_false:N \g_@@_bg_bool
1107   \int_compare:nNnT \l_@@_bg_colors_int > { \c_zero_int }
1108   { \bool_gset_true:N \g_@@_bg_bool }
1109   \tl_if_empty:NF \l_@@_prompt_bg_color_tl
1110   { \bool_gset_true:N \g_@@_bg_bool }
1111   \bool_gset_false:N \g_@@_rowcolor_inside_bool
1112   \IfPackageLoadedTF { zref-base }
1113   {
1114     \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_label_as_zlabel_bool
1115     { \cs_set_eq:NN \label \@@_zlabel:n }
1116     { \cs_set_eq:NN \label \@@_label:n }
1117     \cs_set_eq:NN \zlabel \@@_zlabel:n
1118   }
1119   { \cs_set_eq:NN \label \@@_label:n }
1120   \dim_zero:N \parskip
1121   \l_@@_font_command_tl
1122 }

```

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.

```

1123 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_compute_left_margin:nn #1 #2
1124 {
1125   \bool_lazy_and:nnT \l_@@_left_margin_auto_bool \l_@@_line_numbers_bool
1126   {
1127     \hbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box
1128     {
1129       \l_@@_line_numbers_format_tl
1130       \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool
1131       {
1132         \lua_now:n
1133         { piton.#1(token.scan_argument()) }
1134         { #2 }
1135       }
1136       \int_to_arabic:n
1137       { \g_@@_visual_line_int + \l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int }
1138     }
1139   }

```

```

1138         {
1139             \int_to_arabic:n
1140             { \g_@@_visual_line_int + \g_@@_nb_lines_int }
1141         }
1142     }
1143     \dim_set:Nn \l_@@_left_margin_dim
1144     { \box_wd:N \l_tmpa_box + \l_@@_numbers_sep_dim + 0.1 em }
1145 }
1146 }
1147 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_compute_left_margin:nn { n o }

```

The following command computes `\g_@@_width_dim` and it will be used when `max-width` or `width=min` is used.

```

1148 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_compute_width:
1149 {
1150     \dim_gset:Nn \g_@@_width_dim { \box_wd:N \g_@@_output_box }
1151     \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_bg_bool
1152     {
1153         \dim_gadd:Nn \g_@@_width_dim { 0.5 em }
1154         \dim_compare:nNnTF \l_@@_left_margin_dim = \c_zero_dim
1155         { \dim_gadd:Nn \g_@@_width_dim { 0.5 em } }
1156         { \dim_gadd:Nn \g_@@_width_dim \l_@@_left_margin_dim }
1157     }
1158     { \dim_gadd:Nn \g_@@_width_dim \l_@@_left_margin_dim }
1159 }

```

Whereas `\l_@@_with_dim` is the width of the environment as specified by the key `width` (except when `max-width` or `width=min` is used), `\l_@@_code_width_dim` is the width of the lines of code without the potential margins for the numbers of lines and the background.

```

1160 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_compute_code_width:
1161 {
1162     \dim_set_eq:NN \l_@@_code_width_dim \l_@@_width_dim
1163     \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_bg_bool

```

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

```

1164     {
1165         \dim_sub:Nn \l_@@_code_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>36</sup> and we use that value. Elsewhere, we use a value of 0.5 em.

```

1166         \dim_compare:nNnTF \l_@@_left_margin_dim = \c_zero_dim
1167         { \dim_sub:Nn \l_@@_code_width_dim { 0.5 em } }
1168         { \dim_sub:Nn \l_@@_code_width_dim \l_@@_left_margin_dim }
1169     }

```

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

```

1170     { \dim_sub:Nn \l_@@_code_width_dim \l_@@_left_margin_dim }
1171 }

```

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

```

1172 \NewDocumentCommand { \NewPitonEnvironment } { }
1173 { \@@_DefinePitonEnvironment:nnnnn { New } }
1174 \NewDocumentCommand { \DeclarePitonEnvironment } { }
1175 { \@@_DefinePitonEnvironment:nnnnn { Declare } }
1176 \NewDocumentCommand { \RenewPitonEnvironment } { }
1177 { \@@_DefinePitonEnvironment:nnnnn { Renew } }
1178 \NewDocumentCommand { \ProvidePitonEnvironment } { }
1179 { \@@_DefinePitonEnvironment:nnnnn { Provide } }

```

---

<sup>36</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.

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

```
1180 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_DefinePitonEnvironment:nnnnn #1 #2 #3 #4 #5
1181 {
```

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.

```
1182   \use:x
1183   {
1184     \cs_set_protected:Npn
1185       \use:c { _@@_collect_ #2 :w }
1186       #####1
1187       \c_backslash_str end \c_left_brace_str #2 \c_right_brace_str
1188   }
1189   {
1190     \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...

```
1191     \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_listing_tl { ##1 }
1192     \@@_composition:
1193 % \end{macrocode}
1194 %
1195 % The following |\end{#2}| is only for the stack of environments of LaTeX.
1196 %   \begin{macrocode}
1197     \end { #2 }
1198   }
```

We can now define the new environment.

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

```
1199   \use:c { #1 DocumentEnvironment } { #2 } { #3 }
1200   {
1201     \cs_set_eq:NN \PitonOptions \@@_fake_PitonOptions
1202     #4
1203     \@@_pre_composition:
1204     \int_compare:nNnT { \l_@@_number_lines_start_int } > { \c_zero_int }
1205       { \int_gset:Nn \g_@@_visual_line_int { \l_@@_number_lines_start_int - 1 } }
1206     \group_begin:
1207     \tl_map_function:nN
1208       { \ \ \ \ { \ } \$ \& \# \^ \_ \% \~ \^^I }
1209     \char_set_catcode_other:N
1210     \use:c { _@@_collect_ #2 :w }
1211   }
1212   {
1213     #5
1214     \ignorespacesafterend
1215   }
```

The following code is for technical reasons. We want to change the catcode of `^^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 `^^M` is converted to space).

```
1216   \AddToHook { env / #2 / begin } { \char_set_catcode_other:N ^^M }
1217 }
```

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

```
1218 \IfFormatAtLeastTF { 2025-06-01 }
1219 {
```

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



```

1220 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_store_body:n #1
1221 {

```

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

```

1222 \tl_set:Nc \obeyedline { \char_generate:nm { 13 } { 11 } }
1223 \tl_set:Nc \l_@@_listing_tl { #1 }
1224 \tl_set_eq:NN \ProcessedArgument \l_@@_listing_tl
1225 }

```

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

```

1226 \cs_set_protected:Npn \@@_DefinePitonEnvironment:nmnnn #1 #2 #3 #4 #5
1227 {
1228 \use:c { #1 DocumentEnvironment } { #2 } { #3 > { \@@_store_body:n } c }
1229 {
1230 \cs_set_eq:NN \PitonOptions \@@_fake_PitonOptions
1231 #4
1232 \@@_pre_composition:
1233 \int_compare:nNnT { \l_@@_number_lines_start_int } > { \c_zero_int }
1234 {
1235 \int_gset:Nn \g_@@_visual_line_int
1236 { \l_@@_number_lines_start_int - 1 }
1237 }

```

Now, the main job.

```

1238 \bool_if:NT \g_@@_footnote_bool \savenotes
1239 \@@_composition:
1240 \bool_if:NT \g_@@_footnote_bool \endsavenotes
1241 #5
1242 }
1243 { \ignorespacesafterend }
1244 }
1245 }
1246 { }
1247 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_composition:
1248 {
1249 \str_if_empty:NT \l_@@_box_str
1250 {
1251 \mode_if_vertical:F
1252 { \bool_if:NF \l_@@_in_PitonInputFile_bool { \newline } }
1253 }

```

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.

```

1254 \lua_now:e { piton.CountLines ( '\lua_escape:n{\l_@@_listing_tl}' ) }

```

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.

```

1255 \@@_compute_left_margin:no { CountNonEmptyLines } { \l_@@_listing_tl }
1256 \lua_now:e
1257 {
1258 piton.join = "\l_@@_join_str"
1259 piton.write = "\l_@@_write_str"
1260 piton.path_write = "\l_@@_path_write_str"
1261 }
1262 \noindent
1263 \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_print_bool
1264 {

```

When `split-on-empty-lines` is in force, each chunk will be formatted by an environment `{Piton}` (or the environment specified by `env-used-by-split`). Within each of these environments, we will come back here (but, of course, `split-on-empty-line` will have been set to `false`).

```

1265 \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_split_on_empty_lines_bool
1266 { \par \@@_retrieve_gobble_split_parse:o \l_@@_listing_tl }
1267 {
1268 \@@_create_output_box:

```

Now, the listing has been composed in `\g_@@_output_box` and `\g_@@_width_dim` contains the width of the listing (with the potential margin for the numbers of lines).

```

1269     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_tcolorbox_bool
1270     {
1271         \str_if_empty:NTF \l_@@_box_str
1272         { \@@_composition_iii: }
1273         { \@@_composition_iv: }
1274     }
1275     {
1276         \str_if_empty:NTF \l_@@_box_str
1277         { \@@_composition_i: }
1278         { \@@_composition_ii: }
1279     }
1280 }
1281 }
1282 { \@@_gobble_parse_no_print:o \l_@@_listing_tl }
1283 }

```

`\@@_composition_i:` is for the main case: the key `tcolorbox` is not used, nor the key `box`.

We can't do a mere `\vbox_unpack:N \g_@@_output_box` because that would not work inside a list of LaTeX (`{itemize}` or `{enumerate}`).

The composition in the box `\g_@@_output_box` was mandatory to be able to deal with the case of a conjunction of the keys `width=min` and `background-color=...`

```

1284 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_composition_i:
1285 {

```

First, we “reverse” the box `\g_@@_output_box`: we put in the box `\g_tmpa_box` the boxes present in `\g_@@_output_box`, but in reversed order. The vertical spaces and the penalties are discarded.

```

1286     \box_clear:N \g_tmpa_box

```

The box `\g_@@_line_box` will be used as an auxiliary box.

```

1287     \box_clear_new:N \g_@@_line_box

```

We unpack `\g_@@_output_box` in `\l_tmpa_box` used as a scratched box.

```

1288     \vbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box
1289     {
1290         \vbox_unpack_drop:N \g_@@_output_box
1291         \bool_gset_false:N \g_tmpa_bool
1292         \unskip \unskip
1293         \bool_gset_false:N \g_tmpa_bool
1294         \bool_do_until:nn \g_tmpa_bool
1295         {
1296             \unskip \unskip \unskip
1297             \unpenalty \unkern
1298             \box_set_to_last:N \l_@@_line_box
1299             \box_if_empty:NTF \l_@@_line_box
1300             { \bool_gset_true:N \g_tmpa_bool }
1301             {
1302                 \vbox_gset:Nn \g_tmpa_box
1303                 {
1304                     \vbox_unpack:N \g_tmpa_box
1305                     \box_use:N \l_@@_line_box
1306                 }
1307             }
1308         }
1309     }

```

Now, we will loop over the boxes in `\g_tmpa_box` and compose the boxes in the TeX flow.

```

1310     \bool_gset_false:N \g_tmpa_bool
1311     \int_zero:N \g_@@_line_int
1312     \bool_do_until:nn \g_tmpa_bool
1313     {

```

We retrieve the last box of `\g_tmpa_box` (and store it in `\g_@@_line_box`) and keep the other boxes in `\g_tmpa_box`.

```

1314         \vbox_gset:Nn \g_tmpa_box

```

```

1315     {
1316         \vbox_unpack_drop:N \g_tmpa_box
1317         \box_gset_to_last:N \g_@@_line_box
1318     }

```

If the box that we have retrieved is void, that means that, in fact, there is no longer boxes in `\g_tmpa_bool` and we will exit the loop.

```

1319     \box_if_empty:NTF \g_@@_line_box
1320     { \bool_gset_true:N \g_tmpa_bool }
1321     {
1322         \box_use:N \g_@@_line_box
1323         \int_gincr:N \g_@@_line_int
1324         \par
1325         \kern -2.5 pt

```

We will determine the penalty by reading the Lua table `piton.lines_status`. That will use the current value of `\g_@@_line_int`.

```

1326         \@@_add_penalty_for_the_line:

```

We now add the instructions corresponding to the *vertical detected commands* that are potentially used in the corresponding line of the listing.

```

1327         \cs_if_exist_use:cT { g_@@_after_line _ \int_use:N \g_@@_line_int _ t1 }
1328         { \cs_undefine:c { g_@@_after_line _ \int_use:N \g_@@_line_int _ t1 } }
1329         \mode_leave_vertical:
1330     }
1331 }
1332 }

```

`\@@_composition_ii`: will be used when the key `box` is in force.

```

1333 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_composition_ii:
1334 {

```

It will be possible to delete the `\exp_not:N` in TeXLive 2025 because `\begin` is now protected by `\protected` (and not by `\protect`).

```

1335     \use:e { \exp_not:N \begin { minipage } [ \l_@@_box_str ] }
1336     { \g_@@_width_dim }
1337     \vbox_unpack:N \g_@@_output_box
1338     \end { minipage }
1339 }

```

`\@@_composition_iii`: will be used when the key `tcolorbox` is in force.

```

1340 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_composition_iii:
1341 {
1342     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_minimize_width_bool
1343     { \tcbset { text-width = \g_@@_width_dim } }

```

Even though we use the key `breakable` of `{tcolorbox}`, our environment will be breakable only when the key `splittable` of `piton` is used.

```

1344     \begin { tcolorbox } [ breakable ]
1345     \par
1346     \vbox_unpack:N \g_@@_output_box
1347     \end { tcolorbox }
1348 }

```

`\@@_composition_iv`: will be used when both keys `tcolorbox` and `box` are in force.

```

1349 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_composition_iv:
1350 {
1351     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_minimize_width_bool
1352     { \tcbset { text-width = \g_@@_width_dim } }
1353     \use:e
1354     {
1355         \begin { tcolorbox }
1356         [
1357             hbox ,
1358             nobeforeafter ,

```

```

1359         box-align =
1360         \str_case:Nn \l_@@_box_str
1361         {
1362             t { top }
1363             b { bottom }
1364             c { center }
1365             m { center }
1366         }
1367     ]
1368 }
1369 \box_use:N \g_@@_output_box
1370 \end { tcolorbox }
1371 }

```

The following function will add the correct vertical penalty after a line of code in order to control the breaks of the pages. 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.

```

1372 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_add_penalty_for_the_line:
1373 {
1374     \int_case:nn
1375     {
1376         \lua_now:e
1377         {
1378             tex.sprint
1379             (
1380                 luatexbase.catcodetables.expl ,
1381                 tostring ( piton.lines_status [ \int_use:N \g_@@_line_int ] )
1382             )
1383         }
1384     }
1385     { 1 { \penalty 100 } 2 \nobreak }
1386 }

```

```

1387 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_create_output_box:
1388 {
1389     \@@_compute_code_width:
1390     \dim_gset_eq:NN \g_@@_width_dim \l_@@_width_dim
1391     \vbox_gset:Nn \g_@@_output_box
1392     { \@@_retrieve_gobble_parse:o \l_@@_listing_tl }
1393     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_minimize_width_bool { \@@_compute_width: }
1394     \bool_lazy_or:nnT
1395     \g_@@_bg_bool
1396     \g_@@_rowcolor_inside_bool
1397     { \@@_add_backgrounds_to_output_box: }
1398 }

```

We add the backgrounds after the composition of the box `\g_@@_output_box` by a loop over the lines in that box.

```

1399 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_add_backgrounds_to_output_box:
1400 {
1401     \int_gset_eq:NN \g_@@_line_int \g_@@_nb_lines_int

```

`\l_tmpa_box` is only used to *unpack* the vertical box `\g_@@_output_box`.

```

1402     \vbox_set:Nn \l_tmpa_box
1403     {
1404         \vbox_unpack_drop:N \g_@@_output_box

```

We will raise `\g_tmpa_bool` to exit the loop `\bool_do_until:nn` below.

```

1405         \bool_gset_false:N \g_tmpa_bool
1406         \unskip \unskip

```

We begin the loop.

```

1407         \bool_do_until:nn \g_tmpa_bool

```

```

1408     {
1409         \unskip \unskip \unskip
1410         \int_set_eq:NN \l_tmpa_int \lastpenalty
1411         \unpenalty \unkern

```

In standard TeX (not LuaTeX), the only way to loop over the sub-boxes of a given box is to use the TeX primitive `\lastbox` (via `\box_set_to_last:N` of L3). Of course, it would be interesting to replace that programming by a programming in Lua of LuaTeX...

```

1412         \box_set_to_last:N \l_@@_line_box
1413         \box_if_empty:NTF \l_@@_line_box
1414         { \bool_gset_true:N \g_tmpa_bool }
1415         {

```

`\g_@@_line_int` will be used in `\@@_add_background_to_line_and_use:`.

```

1416         \vbox_gset:Nn \g_@@_output_box
1417         {

```

The command `\@@_add_background_to_line_and_use:` will add a background to the line (in `\l_@@_line_box`) but will also put the line in the current box.

```

1418         \@@_add_background_to_line_and_use:
1419         \kern -2.5 pt
1420         \penalty \l_tmpa_int
1421         \vbox_unpack:N \g_@@_output_box
1422         }
1423     }
1424     \int_gdecr:N \g_@@_line_int
1425 }
1426 }
1427 }

```

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

```

1428 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_gobble_parse_no_print:n
1429 {
1430     \lua_now:e
1431     {
1432         piton.GobbleParseNoPrint
1433         (
1434             '\l_piton_language_str' ,
1435             \int_use:N \l_@@_gobble_int ,
1436             token.scan_argument ( )
1437         )
1438     }
1439 }
1440 \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.

```

1441 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_retrieve_gobble_parse:n
1442 {
1443     \lua_now:e
1444     {
1445         piton.RetrieveGobbleParse
1446         (
1447             '\l_piton_language_str' ,
1448             \int_use:N \l_@@_gobble_int ,
1449             \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_splittable_on_empty_lines_bool
1450             { \int_eval:n { - \l_@@_splittable_int } }
1451             { \int_use:N \l_@@_splittable_int } ,
1452             token.scan_argument ( )
1453         )
1454     }
1455 }
1456 \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.

```

1457 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_retrieve_gobble_split_parse:n
1458 {
1459   \lua_now:e
1460   {
1461     piton.RetrieveGobbleSplitParse
1462     (
1463       '\l_piton_language_str' ,
1464       \int_use:N \l_@@_gobble_int ,
1465       \int_use:N \l_@@_splittable_int ,
1466       token.scan_argument ( )
1467     )
1468   }
1469 }
1470 \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`.

```

1471 \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_beamer_bool
1472 {
1473   \NewPitonEnvironment { Piton } { d < > 0 { } }
1474   {
1475     \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions } { #2 }
1476     \tl_if_novalue:nTF { #1 }
1477       { \begin { uncoverenv } }
1478       { \begin { uncoverenv } < #1 > }
1479   }
1480   { \end { uncoverenv } }
1481 }
1482 {
1483   \NewPitonEnvironment { Piton } { 0 { } }
1484   { \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions } { #1 } }
1485   { }
1486 }

```

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

```

1487 \NewDocumentCommand { \PitonInputFileTF } { d < > 0 { } m m m }
1488 {
1489   \group_begin:
1490   \seq_concat:NNN
1491     \l_file_search_path_seq
1492     \l_@@_path_seq
1493     \l_file_search_path_seq
1494   \file_get_full_name:nNTF { #3 } \l_@@_file_name_str
1495   {
1496     \@@_input_file:nn { #1 } { #2 }
1497     #4
1498   }
1499   { #5 }
1500   \group_end:
1501 }

1502 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_unknown_file:n #1
1503 { \msg_error:nnn { piton } { Unknown-file } { #1 } }

1504 \NewDocumentCommand { \PitonInputFile } { d < > 0 { } m }
1505 {
1506   \PitonInputFileTF < #1 > [ #2 ] { #3 } { }
1507   {

```

The following line is for `latexmk` (suggestion of Y. Salmon).

```

1508     \iow_log:n { No-file-#3 }
1509     \@@_unknown_file:n { #3 }
1510   }
1511 }
1512 \NewDocumentCommand { \PitonInputFileT } { d < > 0 { } m m }
1513 {
1514   \PitonInputFileTF < #1 > [ #2 ] { #3 } { #4 }
1515   {

```

The following line is for latexmk (suggestion of Y. Salmon).

```

1516     \iow_log:n { No-file-#3 }
1517     \@@_unknown_file:n { #3 }
1518   }
1519 }
1520 \NewDocumentCommand { \PitonInputFileF } { d < > 0 { } m m }
1521 { \PitonInputFileTF < #1 > [ #2 ] { #3 } { } { #4 } }

```

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

```

1522 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_input_file:nn #1 #2
1523 {

```

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 >).

```

1524   \tl_if_novalue:nF { #1 }
1525   {
1526     \bool_if:NTF \g_@@_beamer_bool
1527     { \begin { uncoverenv } < #1 > }
1528     { \@@_error_or_warning:n { overlay-without-beamer } }
1529   }

```

```

1530   \group_begin:

```

```

1531   % The following line is to allow tools such as |latexmk| to be aware that the
1532   % file (read by |\PitonInputFile|) is loaded during the compilation of the LaTeX
1533   % document.

```

```

1534   % \begin{macrocode}
1535   \iow_log:e { (\l_@@_file_name_str) }
1536   \int_zero_new:N \l_@@_first_line_int
1537   \int_zero_new:N \l_@@_last_line_int
1538   \int_set_eq:NN \l_@@_last_line_int \c_max_int
1539   \bool_set_true:N \l_@@_in_PitonInputFile_bool
1540   \keys_set:nn { PitonOptions } { #2 }
1541   \bool_if:NT \l_@@_line_numbers_absolute_bool
1542   { \bool_set_false:N \l_@@_skip_empty_lines_bool }
1543   \bool_if:nTF
1544   {
1545     (
1546       \int_compare_p:nNn \l_@@_first_line_int > \c_zero_int
1547       || \int_compare_p:nNn \l_@@_last_line_int < \c_max_int
1548     )
1549     && ! \str_if_empty_p:N \l_@@_begin_range_str
1550   }
1551   {
1552     \@@_error_or_warning:n { bad-range-specification }
1553     \int_zero:N \l_@@_first_line_int
1554     \int_set_eq:NN \l_@@_last_line_int \c_max_int
1555   }
1556   {
1557     \str_if_empty:NF \l_@@_begin_range_str
1558     {
1559       \@@_compute_range:
1560       \bool_lazy_or:nnT
1561         \l_@@_marker_include_lines_bool
1562         { ! \str_if_eq_p:NN \l_@@_begin_range_str \l_@@_end_range_str }
1563       {
1564         \int_decr:N \l_@@_first_line_int
1565         \int_incr:N \l_@@_last_line_int

```

```

1566     }
1567   }
1568 }
1569 \@@_pre_composition:
1570 \bool_if:NT \l_@@_line_numbers_absolute_bool
1571   { \int_gset:Nn \g_@@_visual_line_int { \l_@@_first_line_int - 1 } }
1572 \int_compare:nNnT \l_@@_number_lines_start_int > \c_zero_int
1573   {
1574     \int_gset:Nn \g_@@_visual_line_int
1575     { \l_@@_number_lines_start_int - 1 }
1576   }

```

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

```

1577   \int_compare:nNnT \g_@@_visual_line_int < \c_zero_int
1578     { \int_gzero:N \g_@@_visual_line_int }

```

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

```

1579   \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.

```

1580   \@@_compute_left_margin:no
1581     { CountNonEmptyLinesFile }
1582     { \l_@@_file_name_str }
1583   \lua_now:e
1584     {

```

The following command will store the content of the file (or only a part of that file) in `\l_@@_listing_tl`.

```

1585     piton.ReadFile(
1586       '\l_@@_file_name_str' ,
1587       \int_use:N \l_@@_first_line_int ,
1588       \int_use:N \l_@@_last_line_int )
1589   }
1590   \@@_composition:
1591   \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.

```

1592   \tl_if_novalue:nF { #1 }
1593     { \bool_if:NT \g_@@_beamer_bool { \end { uncoverenv } } }
1594 }

```

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

```

1595 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_compute_range:
1596   {

```

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

```

1597   \str_set:Ne \l_tmpa_str { \@@_marker_beginning:n { \l_@@_begin_range_str } }
1598   \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`.

```

1599   \tl_replace_all:Nee \l_tmpa_str { \c_backslash_str \c_hash_str } \c_hash_str
1600   \tl_replace_all:Nee \l_tmpb_str { \c_backslash_str \c_hash_str } \c_hash_str
1601   \lua_now:e
1602   {
1603     piton.ComputeRange
1604     ( '\l_tmpa_str' , '\l_tmpb_str' , '\l_@@_file_name_str' )
1605   }
1606 }

```



## 10.2.8 The styles

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

```
1607 \NewDocumentCommand { \PitonStyle } { m }
1608   {
1609     \cs_if_exist_use:cF { pitonStyle _ \l_piton_language_str _ #1 }
1610     { \use:c { pitonStyle _ #1 } }
1611   }

1612 \NewDocumentCommand { \SetPitonStyle } { 0 { } m }
1613   {
1614     \str_clear_new:N \l_@@_SetPitonStyle_option_str
1615     \str_set:Ne \l_@@_SetPitonStyle_option_str { \str_lowercase:n { #1 } }
1616     \str_if_eq:onT { \l_@@_SetPitonStyle_option_str } { current-language }
1617     { \str_set_eq:NN \l_@@_SetPitonStyle_option_str \l_piton_language_str }
1618     \keys_set:nn { piton / Styles } { #2 }
1619   }

1620 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_math_scantokens:n #1
1621   { \normalfont \scantextokens { \begin{math} #1 \end{math} } }

1622 \clist_new:N \g_@@_styles_clist
1623 \clist_gset:Nn \g_@@_styles_clist
1624   {
1625     Comment ,
1626     Comment.Internal ,
1627     Comment.LaTeX ,
1628     Discard ,
1629     Exception ,
1630     FormattingType ,
1631     Identifier.Internal ,
1632     Identifier ,
1633     InitialValues ,
1634     Interpol.Inside ,
1635     Keyword ,
1636     Keyword.Governing ,
1637     Keyword.Constant ,
1638     Keyword2 ,
1639     Keyword3 ,
1640     Keyword4 ,
1641     Keyword5 ,
1642     Keyword6 ,
1643     Keyword7 ,
1644     Keyword8 ,
1645     Keyword9 ,
1646     Name.Builtin ,
1647     Name.Class ,
1648     Name.Constructor ,
1649     Name.Decorator ,
1650     Name.Field ,
1651     Name.Function ,
1652     Name.Module ,
1653     Name.Namespace ,
1654     Name.Table ,
1655     Name.Type ,
1656     Number ,
1657     Number.Internal ,
1658     Operator ,
1659     Operator.Word ,
1660     Preproc ,
1661     Prompt ,
1662     String.Doc ,
```

```

1663 String.Doc.Internal ,
1664 String.Interpol ,
1665 String.Long ,
1666 String.Long.Internal ,
1667 String.Short ,
1668 String.Short.Internal ,
1669 Tag ,
1670 TypeParameter ,
1671 UserFunction ,

```

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

```

1672 TypeExpression ,

```

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

```

1673 Directive
1674 }
1675
1676 \clist_map_inline:Nn \g_@@_styles_clist
1677 {
1678   \keys_define:nn { piton / Styles }
1679   {
1680     #1 .value_required:n = true ,
1681     #1 .code:n =
1682       \tl_set:cn
1683       {
1684         pitonStyle _
1685         \str_if_empty:NF \l_@@_SetPitonStyle_option_str
1686         { \l_@@_SetPitonStyle_option_str _ }
1687         #1
1688       }
1689     { ##1 }
1690   }
1691 }
1692
1693 \keys_define:nn { piton / Styles }
1694 {
1695   String      .meta:n = { String.Long = #1 , String.Short = #1 } ,
1696   Comment.Math .tl_set:c = pitonStyle _ Comment.Math ,
1697   unknown     .code:n =
1698     \@@_error:n { Unknown-key-for-SetPitonStyle }
1699 }
1700
1701 \SetPitonStyle[OCaml]
1702 {
1703   TypeExpression =
1704   {
1705     \SetPitonStyle [ OCaml ] { Identifier = \PitonStyle { Name.Type } }
1706     \@@_piton:n
1707   }
1708 }

```

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.

```

1708 \clist_gput_left:Nn \g_@@_styles_clist { String }

```

Of course, we sort that clist.

```

1709 \clist_gsort:Nn \g_@@_styles_clist
1710 {
1711   \str_compare:nNnTF { #1 } < { #2 }
1712   \sort_return_same:
1713   \sort_return_swapped:
1714 }

```

```

1715 \cs_set_eq:NN \@@_break_strings_anywhere:n \prg_do_nothing:
1716
1717 \cs_set_eq:NN \@@_break_numbers_anywhere:n \prg_do_nothing:
1718
1719 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_actually_break_anywhere:n #1
1720 {
1721   \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`.

```

1722   \tl_replace_all:NVn \l_tmpa_tl \c_catcode_other_space_tl \space
1723   \seq_clear:N \l_tmpa_seq % added 2025/03/03
1724   \tl_map_inline:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { \seq_put_right:Nn \l_tmpa_seq { ##1 } }
1725   \seq_use:Nn \l_tmpa_seq { \- }
1726 }

```

```

1727 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_comment:n #1
1728 {
1729   \PitonStyle { Comment }
1730   {
1731     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
1732     {
1733       \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { #1 }
1734       \tl_replace_all:NVn \l_tmpa_tl
1735         \c_catcode_other_space_tl
1736         \@@_breakable_space:
1737       \l_tmpa_tl
1738     }
1739     { #1 }
1740   }
1741 }

```

```

1742 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_string_long:n #1
1743 {
1744   \PitonStyle { String.Long }
1745   {
1746     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_break_strings_anywhere_bool
1747     { \@@_actually_break_anywhere:n { #1 } }
1748     {

```

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.

```

1749     \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
1750     {
1751       \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { #1 }
1752       \tl_replace_all:NVn \l_tmpa_tl
1753         \c_catcode_other_space_tl
1754         \@@_breakable_space:
1755       \l_tmpa_tl
1756     }
1757     { #1 }
1758   }
1759 }
1760 }
1761 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_string_short:n #1
1762 {
1763   \PitonStyle { String.Short }
1764   {
1765     \bool_if:NT \l_@@_break_strings_anywhere_bool

```

```

1766         { \@@_actually_break_anywhere:n }
1767     { #1 }
1768 }
1769 }
1770 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_string_doc:n #1
1771 {
1772     \PitonStyle { String.Doc }
1773     {
1774         \bool_if:NTF \l_@@_break_lines_in_Piton_bool
1775         {
1776             \tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl { #1 }
1777             \tl_replace_all:NVn \l_tmpa_tl
1778                 \c_catcode_other_space_tl
1779                 \@@_breakable_space:
1780             \l_tmpa_tl
1781         }
1782         { #1 }
1783     }
1784 }
1785 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_number:n #1
1786 {
1787     \PitonStyle { Number }
1788     {
1789         \bool_if:NT \l_@@_break_numbers_anywhere_bool
1790         { \@@_actually_break_anywhere:n }
1791         { #1 }
1792     }
1793 }

```

## 10.2.9 The initial styles

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

```

1794 \SetPitonStyle
1795 {
1796     Comment           = \color [ HTML ] { 0099FF } \itshape ,
1797     Comment.Internal  = \@@_comment:n ,
1798     Exception         = \color [ HTML ] { CC0000 } ,
1799     Keyword           = \color [ HTML ] { 006699 } \bfseries ,
1800     Keyword.Governing = \color [ HTML ] { 006699 } \bfseries ,
1801     Keyword.Constant  = \color [ HTML ] { 006699 } \bfseries ,
1802     Name.Builtin       = \color [ HTML ] { 336666 } ,
1803     Name.Decorator     = \color [ HTML ] { 9999FF } ,
1804     Name.Class        = \color [ HTML ] { 00AA88 } \bfseries ,
1805     Name.Function      = \color [ HTML ] { CC00FF } ,
1806     Name.Namespace    = \color [ HTML ] { 00CCFF } ,
1807     Name.Constructor  = \color [ HTML ] { 006000 } \bfseries ,
1808     Name.Field        = \color [ HTML ] { AA6600 } ,
1809     Name.Module       = \color [ HTML ] { 0060A0 } \bfseries ,
1810     Name.Table        = \color [ HTML ] { 309030 } ,
1811     Number            = \color [ HTML ] { FF6600 } ,
1812     Number.Internal   = \@@_number:n ,
1813     Operator          = \color [ HTML ] { 555555 } ,
1814     Operator.Word     = \bfseries ,
1815     String            = \color [ HTML ] { CC3300 } ,
1816     String.Long.Internal = \@@_string_long:n ,
1817     String.Short.Internal = \@@_string_short:n ,
1818     String.Doc.Internal = \@@_string_doc:n ,
1819     String.Doc        = \color [ HTML ] { CC3300 } \itshape ,
1820     String.Interpol    = \color [ HTML ] { AA0000 } ,
1821     Comment.LaTeX     = \normalfont \color [ rgb ] { .468, .532, .6 } ,
1822     Name.Type         = \color [ HTML ] { 336666 } ,

```

```

1823 InitialValues      = \@@_piton:n ,
1824 Interpol.Inside    = { \l_@@_font_command_tl \@@_piton:n } ,
1825 TypeParameter      = \color [ HTML ] { 336666} \itshape ,
1826 Preproc            = \color [ HTML ] { AA6600} \slshape ,

```

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

```

1827 Identifier.Internal = \@@_identifier:n ,
1828 Identifier          = ,
1829 Directive          = \color [ HTML ] { AA6600} ,
1830 Tag                 = \colorbox { gray!10 } ,
1831 UserFunction        = \PitonStyle { Identifier } ,
1832 Prompt             = ,
1833 Discard             = \use_none:n
1834 }

```

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).

```

1835 \hook_gput_code:nnn { begindocument } { . }
1836 {
1837   \bool_if:NT \g_@@_math_comments_bool
1838     { \SetPitonStyle { Comment.Math = \@@_math_scantokens:n } }
1839 }

```

### 10.2.10 Highlighting some identifiers

```

1840 \NewDocumentCommand { \SetPitonIdentifier } { o m m }
1841 {
1842   \clist_set:Nn \l_tmpa_clist { #2 }
1843   \tl_if_novalue:nTF { #1 }
1844     {
1845       \clist_map_inline:Nn \l_tmpa_clist
1846         { \cs_set:cpn { PitonIdentifier _ ##1 } { #3 } }
1847     }
1848     {
1849       \str_set:Ne \l_tmpa_str { \str_lowercase:n { #1 } }
1850       \str_if_eq:onT \l_tmpa_str { current-language }
1851         { \str_set_eq:NN \l_tmpa_str \l_piton_language_str }
1852       \clist_map_inline:Nn \l_tmpa_clist
1853         { \cs_set:cpn { PitonIdentifier _ \l_tmpa_str _ ##1 } { #3 } }
1854     }
1855 }

1856 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_identifier:n #1
1857 {
1858   \cs_if_exist_use:cF { PitonIdentifier _ \l_piton_language_str _ #1 }
1859     {
1860       \cs_if_exist_use:cF { PitonIdentifier _ #1 }
1861         { \PitonStyle { Identifier } }
1862     }
1863   { #1 }
1864 }

```

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`).

```

1865 \cs_new_protected:cpn { pitonStyle _ Name.Function.Internal } #1

```

```
1866 {
```

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

```
1867 { \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}`).

```
1868 \cs_gset_protected:cpn { PitonIdentifier _ \l_piton_language_str _ #1 }
1869 { \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`.**

```
1870 \seq_if_exist:cF { g_@@_functions _ \l_piton_language_str _ seq }
1871 { \seq_new:c { g_@@_functions _ \l_piton_language_str _ seq } }
1872 \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.

```
1873 \seq_if_in:NoF \g_@@_languages_seq { \l_piton_language_str }
1874 { \seq_gput_left:No \g_@@_languages_seq { \l_piton_language_str } }
1875 }
```

```
1876 \NewDocumentCommand \PitonClearUserFunctions { ! o }
1877 {
1878   \tl_if_novalue:nTF { #1 }
```

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

```
1879   { \@@_clear_all_functions: }
1880   { \@@_clear_list_functions:n { #1 } }
1881 }
```

```
1882 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_clear_list_functions:n #1
1883 {
1884   \clist_set:Nn \l_tmpa_clist { #1 }
1885   \clist_map_function:NN \l_tmpa_clist \@@_clear_functions_i:n
1886   \clist_map_inline:nn { #1 }
1887   { \seq_gremove_all:Nn \g_@@_languages_seq { ##1 } }
1888 }
```

```
1889 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_clear_functions_i:n #1
1890 { \@@_clear_functions_ii: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).

```
1891 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_clear_functions_ii:n #1
1892 {
1893   \seq_if_exist:cT { g_@@_functions _ #1 _ seq }
1894   {
1895     \seq_map_inline:cn { g_@@_functions _ #1 _ seq }
1896     { \cs_undefine:c { PitonIdentifier _ #1 _ ##1 } }
1897     \seq_gclear:c { g_@@_functions _ #1 _ seq }
1898   }
1899 }
1900 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \@@_clear_functions_ii:n { e }
```

```
1901 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_clear_functions:n #1
1902 {
1903   \@@_clear_functions_i:n { #1 }
1904   \seq_gremove_all:Nn \g_@@_languages_seq { #1 }
1905 }
```

The following command clears all the user-defined functions for all the computer languages.

```

1906 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_clear_all_functions:
1907   {
1908     \seq_map_function:NN \g_@@_languages_seq \@@_clear_functions_i:n
1909     \seq_gclear:N \g_@@_languages_seq
1910   }

1911 \AtEndDocument
1912   { \lua_now:n { piton.join_and_write_files() } }

```

### 10.2.11 Security

```

1913 \AddToHook { env / piton / begin }
1914   { \@@_fatal:n { No-environment-piton } }
1915
1916 \msg_new:nnn { piton } { No-environment-piton }
1917   {
1918     There-is-no-environment-piton!\\
1919     There-is-an-environment-{Piton}-and-a-command-
1920     \token_to_str:N \piton\ but-there-is-no-environment-
1921     {piton}.~This-error-is-fatal.
1922   }

```

### 10.2.12 The error messages of the package

```

1923 \@@_msg_new:nn { rounded-corners-without-Tikz }
1924   {
1925     TikZ-not-used \\
1926     You-can't-use-the-key-'rounded-corners'-because-
1927     you-have-not-loaded-the-package-TikZ. \\
1928     If-you-go-on,~that-key-will-be-ignored. \\
1929     You-won't-have-similar-error-till-the-end-of-the-document.
1930   }

1931 \@@_msg_new:nn { tcolorbox-not-loaded }
1932   {
1933     tcolorbox-not-loaded \\
1934     You-can't-use-the-key-'tcolorbox'-because-
1935     you-have-not-loaded-the-package-tcolorbox. \\
1936     Use-\token_to_str:N \usepackage[breakable]{tcolorbox}. \\
1937     If-you-go-on,~that-key-will-be-ignored.
1938   }

1939 \@@_msg_new:nn { library-breakable-not-loaded }
1940   {
1941     breakable-not-loaded \\
1942     You-can't-use-the-key-'tcolorbox'-because-
1943     you-have-not-loaded-the-library-'breakable'-of-tcolorbox'. \\
1944     Use-\token_to_str:N \tcbuselibrary{breakable}. \\
1945     If-you-go-on,~that-key-will-be-ignored.
1946   }

1947 \@@_msg_new:nn { Language-not-defined }
1948   {
1949     Language-not-defined \\
1950     The-language~\l_tmpa_tl'-has-not-been-defined-previously.\\
1951     If-you-go-on,~your-command~\token_to_str:N \NewPitonLanguage\
1952     will-be-ignored.
1953   }

1954 \@@_msg_new:nn { bad-version-of-piton.lua }
1955   {
1956     Bad-number-version-of-'piton.lua'\\
1957     The-file-'piton.lua'-loaded-has-not-the-same-number-of-
1958     version-as-the-file-'piton.sty'.~You-can-go-on-but-you-should-
1959     address-that-issue.

```

```

1960 }
1961 \@@_msg_new:nn { Unknown-key-NewPitonLanguage }
1962 {
1963   Unknown-key-for~\token_to_str:N \NewPitonLanguage.\\
1964   The-key~'\l_keys_key_str'~is-unknown.\\
1965   This-key-will-be-ignored.\\
1966 }
1967 \@@_msg_new:nn { Unknown-key-for-SetPitonStyle }
1968 {
1969   The-style~'\l_keys_key_str'~is-unknown.\\
1970   This-key-will-be-ignored.\\
1971   The-available-styles-are~(in-alphabetic-order):~
1972   \clist_use:Nnnn \g_@@_styles_clist { ~and~ } { ,~ } { ~and~ }.
1973 }
1974 \@@_msg_new:nn { Invalid-key }
1975 {
1976   Wrong-use-of~key.\\
1977   You-can't-use-the-key~'\l_keys_key_str'~here.\\
1978   That-key-will-be-ignored.
1979 }
1980 \@@_msg_new:nn { Unknown-key-for~line-numbers }
1981 {
1982   Unknown-key. \\
1983   The-key~'line-numbers / \l_keys_key_str'~is-unknown.\\
1984   The-available-keys-of~the-family~'line-numbers'~are~(in-
1985   alphabetic-order):~
1986   absolute,~false,~label-empty-lines,~resume,~skip-empty-lines,~
1987   sep,~start~and~true.\\
1988   That-key-will-be-ignored.
1989 }
1990 \@@_msg_new:nn { Unknown-key-for~marker }
1991 {
1992   Unknown-key. \\
1993   The-key~'marker / \l_keys_key_str'~is-unknown.\\
1994   The-available-keys-of~the-family~'marker'~are~(in-
1995   alphabetic-order):~ beginning,~end~and~include-lines.\\
1996   That-key-will-be-ignored.
1997 }
1998 \@@_msg_new:nn { bad-range~specification }
1999 {
2000   Incompatible~keys.\\
2001   You-can't-specify~the~range~of~lines~to~include~by~using~both-
2002   markers~and~explicit~number~of~lines.\\
2003   Your-whole-file~'\l_@@_file_name_str'~will-be-included.
2004 }
2005 \cs_new_nopar:Nn \@@_thepage:
2006 {
2007   \thepage
2008   \cs_if_exist:NT \insertframenumber
2009     {
2010       ~(frame~\insertframenumber
2011         \cs_if_exist:NT \beamer@slidenumbers { ,~slide~\insertslidenumbers }
2012       )
2013     }
2014 }

```

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`.

```

2015 \@@_msg_new:nn { SyntaxError }
2016 {

```



```

2017 Syntax-Error-on-page-\@@_thepage:.\\
2018 Your-code-of-the-language~'\l_piton_language_str'~is-not~
2019 syntactically~correct.\\
2020 It-won't~be-printed-in-the-PDF~file.
2021 }
2022 \@@_msg_new:nn { FileError }
2023 {
2024 File-Error.\\
2025 It's-not-possible-to-write-on-the-file~'#1' \\
2026 \sys_if_shell_unrestricted:F
2027 { (try~to~compile~with~'lualatex--shell-escape').\\ }
2028 If-you-go-on,~nothing-will-be-written-on~that~file.
2029 }
2030 \@@_msg_new:nn { InexistentDirectory }
2031 {
2032 Inexistent~directory.\\
2033 The~directory~'\l_@@_path_write_str'~
2034 given-in-the-key~'path-write'~does-not-exist.\\
2035 Nothing-will-be-written-on~'\l_@@_write_str'.
2036 }
2037 \@@_msg_new:nn { begin-marker-not-found }
2038 {
2039 Marker~not~found.\\
2040 The-range~'\l_@@_begin_range_str'~provided-to~the~
2041 command~\token_to_str:N \PitonInputFile\ has~not~been~found.~
2042 The-whole-file~'\l_@@_file_name_str'~will~be~inserted.
2043 }
2044 \@@_msg_new:nn { end-marker-not-found }
2045 {
2046 Marker~not~found.\\
2047 The~marker~of~end~of~the~range~'\l_@@_end_range_str'~
2048 provided-to~the~command~\token_to_str:N \PitonInputFile\
2049 has~not~been~found.~The~file~'\l_@@_file_name_str'~will~
2050 be~inserted~till~the~end.
2051 }
2052 \@@_msg_new:nn { Unknown~file }
2053 {
2054 Unknown~file. \\
2055 The~file~'#1'~is~unknown.\\
2056 Your~command~\token_to_str:N \PitonInputFile\ will~be~discarded.
2057 }
2058 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_error_if_not_in_beamer:
2059 {
2060 \bool_if:NF \g_@@_beamer_bool
2061 { \@@_error_or_warning:n { Without~beamer } }
2062 }
2063 \@@_msg_new:nn { Without~beamer }
2064 {
2065 Key~'\l_keys_key_str'~without~Beamer.\\
2066 You~should~not~use~the~key~'\l_keys_key_str'~since~you~
2067 are~not~in~Beamer.\\
2068 However,~you~can~go~on.
2069 }
2070 \@@_msg_new:nnn { Unknown-key-for-PitonOptions }
2071 {
2072 Unknown~key. \\
2073 The~key~'\l_keys_key_str'~is~unknown~for~\token_to_str:N \PitonOptions.~
2074 It~will~be~ignored.\\
2075 For~a~list~of~the~available~keys,~type~H~<return>.
2076 }
2077 {

```

```

2078 The~available~keys~are~(in~alphabetic~order):~
2079 auto-gobble,~
2080 background-color,~
2081 begin-range,~
2082 box,~
2083 break-lines,~
2084 break-lines-in-piton,~
2085 break-lines-in-Piton,~
2086 break-numbers-anywhere,~
2087 break-strings-anywhere,~
2088 continuation-symbol,~
2089 continuation-symbol-on-indentation,~
2090 detected-beamer-commands,~
2091 detected-beamer-environments,~
2092 detected-commands,~
2093 end-of-broken-line,~
2094 end-range,~
2095 env-gobble,~
2096 env-used-by-split,~
2097 font-command,~
2098 gobble,~
2099 indent-broken-lines,~
2100 join,~
2101 label-as-zlabel,~
2102 language,~
2103 left-margin,~
2104 line-numbers/,~
2105 marker/,~
2106 math-comments,~
2107 path,~
2108 path-write,~
2109 print,~
2110 prompt-background-color,~
2111 raw-detected-commands,~
2112 resume,~
2113 rounded-corners,~
2114 show-spaces,~
2115 show-spaces-in-strings,~
2116 splittable,~
2117 splittable-on-empty-lines,~
2118 split-on-empty-lines,~
2119 split-separation,~
2120 tabs-auto-gobble,~
2121 tab-size,~
2122 tcolorbox,~
2123 varwidth,~
2124 vertical-detected-commands,~
2125 width-and-write.
2126 }

2127 \@@_msg_new:nn { label-with-lines-numbers }
2128 {
2129   You~can't~use~the~command~\token_to_str:N \label\
2130   or~\token_to_str:N \zlabel\ because~the~key~'line-numbers'
2131   ~is~not~active.\
2132   If~you~go~on,~that~command~will~ignored.
2133 }

2134 \@@_msg_new:nn { overlay-without-beamer }
2135 {
2136   You~can't~use~an~argument~<...>~for~your~command~
2137   \token_to_str:N \PitonInputFile\ because~you~are~not~
2138   in~Beamer.\

```

```

2139   If~you~go~on,~that~argument~will~be~ignored.
2140   }

2141 \@@_msg_new:nn { label~as~zlabel~needs~zref~package }
2142   {
2143     The~key~'label-as-zlabel'~requires~the~package~'zref'.~
2144     Please~load~the~package~'zref'~before~setting~the~key.\\
2145     This~error~is~fatal.
2146   }
2147 \hook_gput_code:nnn { begindocument } { . }
2148   {
2149     \bool_if:NT \g_@@_label_as_zlabel_bool
2150       {
2151         \IfPackageLoadedF { zref-base }
2152           { \@@_fatal:n { label~as~zlabel~needs~zref~package } }
2153       }
2154   }

```

### 10.2.13 We load piton.lua

```

2155 \cs_new_protected:Npn \@@_test_version:n #1
2156   {
2157     \str_if_eq:onF \PitonFileVersion { #1 }
2158       { \@@_error:n { bad~version~of~piton.lua } }
2159   }

2160 \hook_gput_code:nnn { begindocument } { . }
2161   {
2162     \lua_load_module:n { piton }
2163     \lua_now:n
2164       {
2165         tex.sprint ( luatexbase.catcodetables.expl ,
2166                     [[\@@_test_version:n {}] .. piton_version .. "]" )
2167       }
2168   }

```

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## 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`.

```

2169 <*LUA>
2170 piton.comment_latex = piton.comment_latex or ">"
2171 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`.

```

2172 piton.write_files = { }
2173 piton.join_files = { }

2174 local sprintL3
2175 function sprintL3 ( s )
2176   tex.sprint ( luatexbase.catcodetables.expl , s )
2177 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.

```
2178 local P, S, V, C, Ct, Cc = lpeg.P, lpeg.S, lpeg.V, lpeg.C, lpeg.Ct, lpeg.Cc
2179 local Cg, Cmt, Cb = lpeg.Cg, lpeg.Cmt, lpeg.Cb
2180 local B, R = lpeg.B, lpeg.R
```

The following line is mandatory.

```
2181 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”).

```
2182 local Q
2183 function Q ( pattern )
2184   return Ct ( Cc ( luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther ) * C ( pattern ) )
2185 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.

```
2186 local L
2187 function L ( pattern ) return
2188   Ct ( C ( pattern ) )
2189 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.

```
2190 local Lc
2191 function Lc ( string ) return
2192   Cc ( { luatexbase.catcodetables.expl, string } )
2193 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)

```
2194 e
2195 local K
2196 function K ( style, pattern ) return
2197   Lc ( [ [ {\PitonStyle{ }} .. style .. "}{"} ] ] )
2198   * Q ( pattern )
2199   * Lc "}" }"
2200 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.

```

2201 local WithStyle
2202 function WithStyle ( style , pattern ) return
2203     Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( [{"\PitonStyle{}}] .. style .. "}{" ) * Cc "}" )
2204     * pattern
2205     * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
2206 end

```

The following LPEG catches the Python chunks which are in LaTeX escapes (and that chunks will be considered as normal LaTeX constructions).

```

2207 Escape = P ( false )
2208 EscapeClean = P ( false )
2209 if piton.begin_escape then
2210     Escape =
2211         P ( piton.begin_escape )
2212         * L ( ( 1 - P ( piton.end_escape ) ) ^ 1 )
2213         * 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).

```

2214     EscapeClean =
2215         P ( piton.begin_escape )
2216         * ( 1 - P ( piton.end_escape ) ) ^ 1
2217         * P ( piton.end_escape )
2218 end

2219 EscapeMath = P ( false )
2220 if piton.begin_escape_math then
2221     EscapeMath =
2222         P ( piton.begin_escape_math )
2223         * Lc "$"
2224         * L ( ( 1 - P(piton.end_escape_math) ) ^ 1 )
2225         * Lc "$"
2226         * P ( piton.end_escape_math )
2227 end

```

## The basic syntactic LPEG

```

2228 local alpha , digit = lpeg.alpha , lpeg.digit
2229 local space = P " "

```

Remember that, for LPEG, the Unicode characters such as `â`, `ã`, `ç`, etc. are in fact strings of length 2 (2 bytes) because `lpeg` is not Unicode-aware.

```

2230 local letter = alpha + "_" + "â" + "ã" + "ç" + "é" + "è" + "ê" + "ë" + "ï" + "î"
2231                 + "ô" + "û" + "ü" + "À" + "Á" + "Ç" + "É" + "Ê" + "Ë" + "Ï"
2232                 + "Î" + "Ï" + "Ï" + "Û" + "Û"
2233
2234 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).

```

2235 local identifier = letter * alphanum ^ 0

```

On the other hand, the LPEG `Identifier` (with a capital) also returns a *capture*.

```

2236 local Identifier = K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , identifier )

```

By convention, we will use names with an initial capital for LPEG which return captures.

The following functions allow to recognize numbers that contains `_` among their digits, for example `1_000_000`, but also floating point numbers, numbers with exponents and numbers with different bases.<sup>37</sup>

```
2237 local allow_underscores_except_first
2238 function allow_underscores_except_first ( p )
2239     return p * (P "_" + p)^0
2240 end
2241 local allow_underscores
2242 function allow_underscores ( p )
2243     return (P "_" + p)^0
2244 end
2245 local digits_to_number
2246 function digits_to_number(prefix, digits)
2247     -- The edge cases of what is allowed in number literals is modelled after
2248     -- OCaml numbers, which seems to be the most permissive language
2249     -- in this regard (among C, OCaml, Python & SQL).
2250     return prefix
2251         * allow_underscores_except_first(digits^1)
2252         * (P "." * #(1 - P ".") * allow_underscores(digits))^-1
2253         * (S "eE" * S "+-"-1 * allow_underscores_except_first(digits^1))^-1
2254 end
```

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).

```
2255 local Number =
2256     K ( 'Number.Internal' ,
2257         digits_to_number (P "0x" + P "OX", R "af" + R "AF" + digit)
2258         + digits_to_number (P "0o" + P "OO", R "07")
2259         + digits_to_number (P "0b" + P "OB", R "01")
2260         + digits_to_number ( "" , digit )
2261     )
```

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?).

```
2262 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`.

```
2263 if piton.begin_escape then
2264     lpeg_central = lpeg_central - piton.begin_escape
2265 end
2266 if piton.begin_escape_math then
2267     lpeg_central = lpeg_central - piton.begin_escape_math
2268 end
2269 local Word = Q ( lpeg_central ^ 1 )

2270 local Space = Q " " ^ 1
2271
2272 local SkipSpace = Q " " ^ 0
2273
2274 local Punct = Q ( S ".,:;!)"
2275
2276 local Tab = "\\t" * Lc [[ \\@_tab: ]]
```

---

<sup>37</sup>The edge cases such as

Remember that `\@@_leading_space:` does *not* create a space, only an incrementation of the counter `\g_@@_indentation_int`.

```
2277 local SpaceIndentation = Lc [[ \@@_leading_space: ]] * Q " "

2278 local Delim = Q ( S "[({})]" )
```

The following LPEG catches a space (U+0020) and replace it by `\l_@@_space_in_string_tl`. It will be used in the strings. Usually, `\l_@@_space_in_string_tl` 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_tl` will contain `␣` (U+2423) in order to visualize the spaces.

```
2279 local SpaceInString = space * Lc [[ \l_@@_space_in_string_tl ]]
```

### 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 a clist 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).

```
2280 local detected_commands = tex.toks.PitonDetectedCommands : explode ( ', ' )
2281 local raw_detected_commands = tex.toks.PitonRawDetectedCommands : explode ( ', ' )
2282 local beamer_commands = tex.toks.PitonBeamerCommands : explode ( ', ' )
2283 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.

```
2284 local detectedCommands = P ( false )
2285 for _ , x in ipairs ( detected_commands ) do
2286   detectedCommands = detectedCommands + P ( "\\\" .. x )
2287 end
```

Further, we will have a LPEG called `DetectedCommands` (in PascalCase) which will be a LPEG *with* captures.

```
2288 local rawDetectedCommands = P ( false )
2289 for _ , x in ipairs ( raw_detected_commands ) do
2290   rawDetectedCommands = rawDetectedCommands + P ( "\\\" .. x )
2291 end

2292 local beamerCommands = P ( false )
2293 for _ , x in ipairs ( beamer_commands ) do
2294   beamerCommands = beamerCommands + P ( "\\\" .. x )
2295 end

2296 local beamerEnvironments = P ( false )
2297 for _ , x in ipairs ( beamer_environments ) do
2298   beamerEnvironments = beamerEnvironments + P ( x )
2299 end

2300 local beamerBeginEnvironments =
2301   ( space ^ 0 *
2302     L
2303       (
2304         P [[\begin{]} * beamerEnvironments * "]"
2305         * ( "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * ">" ) ^ -1
2306       )
2307     * "\r"
2308   ) ^ 0
```

```

2309 local beamerEndEnvironments =
2310   ( space ^ 0 *
2311     L ( P [[\end{]} * beamerEnvironments * "]" )
2312       * "\r"
2313     ) ^ 0

```

## Several tools for the construction of the main LPEG

```

2314 local LPEGO = { }
2315 local LPEG1 = { }
2316 local LPEG2 = { }
2317 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*.

```

2318 local Compute_braces
2319 function Compute_braces ( lpeg_string ) return
2320   P { "E" ,
2321     E =
2322     (
2323       "{" * V "E" * "}"
2324       +
2325       lpeg_string
2326       +
2327       ( 1 - S "{" )
2328     ) ^ 0
2329   }
2330 end

```

The following Lua function will compute the lpeg `DetectedCommands` which is a LPEG with captures.

```

2331 local Compute_DetectedCommands
2332 function Compute_DetectedCommands ( lang , braces ) return
2333   Ct (
2334     Cc "Open"
2335     * C ( detectedCommands * space ^ 0 * P "{" )
2336     * Cc "}"
2337   )
2338   * ( braces
2339     / ( function ( s )
2340         if s ~= '' then return
2341           LPEG1[lang] : match ( s )
2342         end
2343       end )
2344   )
2345   * P "}"
2346   * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
2347 end
2348 local Compute_RawDetectedCommands
2349 function Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( lang , braces ) return
2350   Ct ( C ( rawDetectedCommands * space ^ 0 * P "{" * braces * P "}" ) )
2351 end
2352 local Compute_LPEG_cleaner
2353 function Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( lang , braces ) return
2354   Ct ( ( ( detectedCommands + rawDetectedCommands ) * "{"
2355         * ( braces

```



```

2356         / ( function ( s )
2357             if s ~= '' then return
2358                 LPEG_cleaner[lang] : match ( s )
2359             end
2360         end )
2361     )
2362     * "]"
2363     + EscapeClean
2364     + C ( P ( 1 ) )
2365     ) ^ 0 ) / table.concat
2366 end

```

The following function `ParseAgain` will be used in the definitions of the LPEG of the different computer 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`.

```

2367 local ParseAgain
2368 function ParseAgain ( code )
2369     if code ~= '' then return

```

The variable `piton.language` is set in the function `piton.Parse`.

```

2370     LPEG1[piton.language] : match ( code )
2371 end
2372 end

```

**Constructions for Beamer** If the class `Beamer` is used, some environments and commands of `Beamer` are automatically detected in the listings of `piton`.

```

2373 local Beamer = P ( false )

```

The following Lua function will be used to compute the LPEG `Beamer` for each computer language. According to our conventions, the LPEG `Beamer`, with its name in `PascalCase` does captures.

```

2374 local Compute_Beamer
2375 function Compute_Beamer ( lang , braces )

```

We will compute in `lpeg` the LPEG that we will return.

```

2376 local lpeg = L ( P [[\pause]] * ( "[" * ( 1 - P "]" ) ^ 0 * "]" ) ^ -1 )
2377 lpeg = lpeg +
2378     Ct ( Cc "Open"
2379         * C ( beamerCommands
2380             * ( "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * ">" ) ^ -1
2381             * P "{"
2382         )
2383         * Cc "]"
2384     )
2385     * ( braces /
2386         ( function ( s ) if s ~= '' then return LPEG1[lang] : match ( s ) end end ) )
2387     * "]"
2388     * Ct ( Cc "Close" )

```

For the command `\alt`, the specification of the overlays (between angular brackets) is mandatory.

```

2389 lpeg = lpeg +
2390     L ( P [[\alt]] * "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * ">{" )
2391     * ( braces /
2392         ( function ( s ) if s ~= '' then return LPEG1[lang] : match ( s ) end end ) )
2393     * L ( P "}" )
2394     * ( braces /
2395         ( function ( s ) if s ~= '' then return LPEG1[lang] : match ( s ) end end ) )
2396     * L ( P "}" )

```

For `\temporal`, the specification of the overlays (between angular brackets) is mandatory.

```

2397 lpeg = lpeg +
2398   L ( P [[\temporal]] * "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * ">{" )
2399   * ( braces
2400     / ( function ( s )
2401       if s ~= '' then return LPEG1[lang] : match ( s ) end end ) )
2402   * L ( P "}{" )
2403   * ( braces
2404     / ( function ( s )
2405       if s ~= '' then return LPEG1[lang] : match ( s ) end end ) )
2406   * L ( P "}{" )
2407   * ( braces
2408     / ( function ( s )
2409       if s ~= '' then return LPEG1[lang] : match ( s ) end end ) )
2410   * L ( P "}" )

```

Now, the environments of Beamer.

```

2411 for _ , x in ipairs ( beamer_environments ) do
2412   lpeg = lpeg +
2413     Ct ( Cc "Open"
2414         * C (
2415           P ( [[\begin{]} .. x .. "]" )
2416             * ( "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * ">" ) ^ -1
2417           )
2418           * Cc ( [[\end{]} .. x .. "]" )
2419         )
2420     * (
2421       ( ( 1 - P ( [[\end{]} .. x .. "]" ) ) ^ 0 )
2422       / ( function ( s )
2423         if s ~= '' then return
2424           LPEG1[lang] : match ( s )
2425         end
2426       end )
2427     )
2428     * P ( [[\end{]} .. x .. "]" )
2429     * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
2430 end

```

Now, you can return the value we have computed.

```

2431 return lpeg
2432 end

```

The following LPEG is in relation with the key `math-comments`. It will be used in all the languages.

```

2433 local CommentMath =
2434   P "$" * K ( 'Comment.Math' , ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) * P "$" -- $

```

**EOL** There may be empty lines in the transcription of the prompt, *id est* lines of the form ... without space after and that's why we need `P " " ^ -1` with the `^ -1`.

```

2435 local Prompt =
2436   K ( 'Prompt' , ( P ">>>" + "...") * P " " ^ -1 )
2437   * Lc [[ \rowcolor { \l_@@_prompt_bg_color_tl } ]]

```

The following LPEG EOL is for the end of lines.

```

2438 local EOL =
2439   P "\r"
2440   *
2441   (
2442     space ^ 0 * -1
2443     +

```

We recall that each line of the computer listing we have to parse will be sent back to LaTeX between a pair `\@@_begin_line: - \@@_end_line:`<sup>38</sup>.

```

2444 Ct (
2445     Cc "EOL"
2446     *
2447     Ct ( Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
2448           * beamerEndEnvironments
2449           *
2450           (

```

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:`).

```

2451             -1
2452             +
2453             beamerBeginEnvironments
2454             * Lc [[ \@@_par:\@@_begin_line: ]]
2455             )
2456         )
2457     )
2458 )
2459 * ( 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`).

```

2460 local CommentLaTeX =
2461   P ( piton.comment_latex )
2462   * Lc [[{\PitonStyle{Comment.LaTeX}}{\ignorespaces}]
2463   * L ( ( 1 - P " \r" ) ^ 0 )
2464   * Lc "}}"
2465   * ( 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).

```

2466 --python Python
2467 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.

```

2468 local Operator =
2469   K ( 'Operator' ,
2470     P "!=" + "<>" + "==" + "<<" + ">>" + "<=" + ">=" + "!=" + "://" + "**"
2471     + S "--+/*%=<>&.@|" )
2472
2473 local OperatorWord =
2474   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`.

```

2475 local For = K ( 'Keyword' , P "for" )
2476           * Space
2477           * Identifier
2478           * Space

```

---

<sup>38</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:`

```

2479         * K ( 'Keyword' , P "in" )
2480
2481 local Keyword =
2482     K ( 'Keyword' ,
2483         P "assert" + "as" + "break" + "case" + "class" + "continue" + "def" +
2484         "del" + "elif" + "else" + "except" + "exec" + "finally" + "for" + "from" +
2485         "global" + "if" + "import" + "lambda" + "non local" + "pass" + "return" +
2486         "try" + "while" + "with" + "yield" + "yield from" )
2487     + K ( 'Keyword.Constant' , P "True" + "False" + "None" )
2488
2489 local Builtin =
2490     K ( 'Name.Builtin' ,
2491         P "__import__" + "abs" + "all" + "any" + "bin" + "bool" + "bytearray" +
2492         "bytes" + "chr" + "classmethod" + "compile" + "complex" + "delattr" +
2493         "dict" + "dir" + "divmod" + "enumerate" + "eval" + "filter" + "float" +
2494         "format" + "frozenset" + "getattr" + "globals" + "hasattr" + "hash" +
2495         "hex" + "id" + "input" + "int" + "isinstance" + "issubclass" + "iter" +
2496         "len" + "list" + "locals" + "map" + "max" + "memoryview" + "min" + "next"
2497         + "object" + "oct" + "open" + "ord" + "pow" + "print" + "property" +
2498         "range" + "repr" + "reversed" + "round" + "set" + "setattr" + "slice" +
2499         "sorted" + "staticmethod" + "str" + "sum" + "super" + "tuple" + "type" +
2500         "vars" + "zip" )
2501
2502 local Exception =
2503     K ( 'Exception' ,
2504         P "ArithmeticError" + "AssertionError" + "AttributeError" +
2505         "BaseException" + "BufferError" + "BytesWarning" + "DeprecationWarning" +
2506         "EOFError" + "EnvironmentError" + "Exception" + "FloatingPointError" +
2507         "FutureWarning" + "GeneratorExit" + "IOError" + "ImportError" +
2508         "ImportWarning" + "IndentationError" + "IndexError" + "KeyError" +
2509         "KeyboardInterrupt" + "LookupError" + "MemoryError" + "NameError" +
2510         "NotImplementedError" + "OSError" + "OverflowError" +
2511         "PendingDeprecationWarning" + "ReferenceError" + "ResourceWarning" +
2512         "RuntimeError" + "RuntimeWarning" + "StopIteration" + "SyntaxError" +
2513         "SyntaxWarning" + "SystemError" + "SystemExit" + "TabError" + "TypeError"
2514         + "UnboundLocalError" + "UnicodeDecodeError" + "UnicodeEncodeError" +
2515         "UnicodeError" + "UnicodeTranslateError" + "UnicodeWarning" +
2516         "UserWarning" + "ValueError" + "VMSError" + "Warning" + "WindowsError" +
2517         "ZeroDivisionError" + "BlockingIOError" + "ChildProcessError" +
2518         "ConnectionError" + "BrokenPipeError" + "ConnectionAbortedError" +
2519         "ConnectionRefusedError" + "ConnectionResetError" + "FileExistsError" +
2520         "FileNotFoundError" + "InterruptedError" + "IsADirectoryError" +
2521         "NotADirectoryError" + "PermissionError" + "ProcessLookupError" +
2522         "TimeoutError" + "StopAsyncIteration" + "ModuleNotFoundError" +
2523         "RecursionError" )
2524
2525 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.

```

2526 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:`

```

2527 local DefClass =
2528     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`

```

2529 local ImportAs =
2530   K ( 'Keyword' , "import" )
2531   * Space
2532   * K ( 'Name.Namespace' , identifier * ( "." * identifier ) ^ 0 )
2533   * (
2534     ( Space * K ( 'Keyword' , "as" ) * Space
2535       * K ( 'Name.Namespace' , identifier ) )
2536     +
2537     ( SkipSpace * Q "," * SkipSpace
2538       * K ( 'Name.Namespace' , identifier ) ) ^ 0
2539   )

```

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`

```

2540 local FromImport =
2541   K ( 'Keyword' , "from" )
2542   * Space * K ( 'Name.Namespace' , identifier )
2543   * 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>39</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).

```

2544 local PercentInterpol =
2545   K ( 'String.Interpol' ,
2546     P "%"
2547     * ( "(" * alphanum ^ 1 * ")" ) ^ -1
2548     * ( S "-#0 +" ) ^ 0
2549     * ( digit ^ 1 + "*" ) ^ -1
2550     * ( "." * ( digit ^ 1 + "*" ) ) ^ -1
2551     * ( S "HLL" ) ^ -1
2552     * S "sdfFeExXorgiGauc%"
2553   )

```

<sup>39</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`.

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>40</sup>

```
2554 local SingleShortString =
2555   WithStyle ( 'String.Short.Internal' ,
```

First, we deal with the f-strings of Python, which are prefixed by `f` or `F`.

```
2556   Q ( P "f'" + "F'" )
2557   * (
2558     K ( 'String.Interpol' , "{" )
2559     * K ( 'Interpol.Inside' , ( 1 - S "}':" ) ^ 0 )
2560     * Q ( P ":" * ( 1 - S "}':" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
2561     * K ( 'String.Interpol' , "}" )
2562     +
2563     SpaceInString
2564     +
2565     Q ( ( P "\\'" + "\\\\" + "{{" + "}}" + 1 - S " {}'" ) ^ 1 )
2566     ) ^ 0
2567   * Q ""
2568   +
```

Now, we deal with the standard strings of Python, but also the “raw strings”.

```
2569   Q ( P "" + "r'" + "R'" )
2570   * ( Q ( ( P "\\'" + "\\\\" + 1 - S " '\r%" ) ^ 1 )
2571     + SpaceInString
2572     + PercentInterpol
2573     + Q "%"
2574     ) ^ 0
2575   * Q "" )

2576 local DoubleShortString =
2577   WithStyle ( 'String.Short.Internal' ,
2578     Q ( P "f\"" + "F\"" )
2579     * (
2580       K ( 'String.Interpol' , "{" )
2581       * K ( 'Interpol.Inside' , ( 1 - S "}\"':" ) ^ 0 )
2582       * ( K ( 'String.Interpol' , ":" ) * Q ( ( 1 - S "}:\") ^ 0 ) ) ^ -1
2583       * K ( 'String.Interpol' , "}" )
2584       +
2585       SpaceInString
2586       +
2587       Q ( ( P "\\\"'" + "\\\\" + "{{" + "}" + 1 - S " {}\"'" ) ^ 1 )
2588       ) ^ 0
2589     * Q "\"'"
2590     +
2591     Q ( P "\\"" + "r\"'" + "R\"'" )
2592     * ( Q ( ( P "\\\"'" + "\\\\" + 1 - S " '\r%" ) ^ 1 )
2593       + SpaceInString
2594       + PercentInterpol
2595       + Q "%"
2596       ) ^ 0
2597     * Q "\"'" )

2598
2599 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.

```
2600 local braces =
```

---

<sup>40</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`.

```

2601 Compute_braces
2602 (
2603   ( P "\"" + "r\"" + "R\"" + "f\"" + "F\"" )
2604   * ( P '\\\"' + 1 - S "\"" ) ^ 0 * "\""
2605   +
2606   ( P '\'' + 'r\'' + 'R\'' + 'f\'' + 'F\'' )
2607   * ( P '\\\'' + 1 - S '\'' ) ^ 0 * '\''
2608 )
2609
2610 if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( 'python' , braces ) end

```

## Detected commands

```

2611 DetectedCommands = Compute_DetectedCommands ( 'python' , braces )
2612 + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( 'python' , braces )

```

## LPEG\_cleaner

```

2613 LPEG_cleaner.python = Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( 'python' , braces )

```

## The long strings

```

2614 local SingleLongString =
2615   WithStyle ( 'String.Long.Internal' ,
2616     ( Q ( S "fF" * P "'''" )
2617       * (
2618         K ( 'String.Interpol' , "{" )
2619         * K ( 'Interpol.Inside' , ( 1 - S "}:\"r\" - "'''" ) ^ 0 )
2620         * Q ( P ":" * ( 1 - S "}:\"r\" - "'''" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
2621         * K ( 'String.Interpol' , "}" )
2622         +
2623         Q ( ( 1 - P "'''" - S "{}\"r\" ) ^ 1 )
2624         +
2625         EOL
2626       ) ^ 0
2627     +
2628     Q ( ( S "rR" ) ^ -1 * "'''" )
2629     * (
2630       Q ( ( 1 - P "'''" - S "\r%" ) ^ 1 )
2631       +
2632       PercentInterpol
2633       +
2634       P "%"
2635       +
2636       EOL
2637     ) ^ 0
2638   )
2639   * Q "'''" )
2640
2641 local DoubleLongString =
2642   WithStyle ( 'String.Long.Internal' ,
2643     (
2644       Q ( S "fF" * "\"\"\"\" )
2645       * (
2646         K ( 'String.Interpol' , "{" )
2647         * K ( 'Interpol.Inside' , ( 1 - S "}:\"r\" - "\"\"\"\" ) ^ 0 )
2648         * Q ( ":" * ( 1 - S "}:\"r\" - "\"\"\"\" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
2649         * K ( 'String.Interpol' , "}" )
2650         +
2651         Q ( ( 1 - S "{}\"r\" - "\"\"\"\" ) ^ 1 )
2652       )

```

```

2652         EOL
2653     ) ^ 0
2654 +
2655     Q ( S "rR" ^ -1 * "\""\\"" )
2656     * (
2657         Q ( ( 1 - P "\""\\"" - S "%\r" ) ^ 1 )
2658         +
2659         PercentInterpol
2660         +
2661         P "%"
2662         +
2663         EOL
2664     ) ^ 0
2665 )
2666 * Q "\""\\""
2667 )
2668 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`).

```

2669 local StringDoc =
2670     K ( 'String.Doc.Internal' , P "r" ^ -1 * "\""\\"" )
2671     * ( K ( 'String.Doc.Internal' , ( 1 - P "\""\\"" - "\r" ) ^ 0 ) * EOL
2672         * Tab ^ 0
2673     ) ^ 0
2674     * 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.

```

2675 local Comment =
2676     WithStyle
2677     ( 'Comment.Internal' ,
2678     Q "#" * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0 -- $
2679     )
2680     * ( 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).

```

2681 local expression =
2682     P { "E" ,
2683         E = ( "" * ( P "\\'" + 1 - S "'\r" ) ^ 0 * ""
2684             + "" * ( P "\\\"" + 1 - S "\"\r" ) ^ 0 * ""
2685             + "{" * V "F" * "}"
2686             + "(" * V "F" * ")"
2687             + "[" * V "F" * "]"
2688             + ( 1 - S "{}()[]\r," ) ^ 0 ,
2689         F = ( "{" * V "F" * "}"
2690             + "(" * V "F" * ")"
2691             + "[" * V "F" * "]"
2692             + ( 1 - S "{}()[]\r\''" ) ^ 0
2693     }

```

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`.

```

2694 local Params =
2695   P { "E" ,
2696       E = ( V "F" * ( Q "," * V "F" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1 ,
2697       F = SkipSpace * ( Identifier + Q "**args" + Q "**kwargs" ) * SkipSpace
2698         * (
2699             K ( 'InitialValues' , "=" * expression )
2700             + Q ":" * SkipSpace * K ( 'Name.Type' , identifier )
2701         ) ^ -1
2702   }

```

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`...

```

2703 local DefFunction =
2704   K ( 'Keyword' , "def" )
2705   * Space
2706   * K ( 'Name.Function.Internal' , identifier )
2707   * SkipSpace
2708   * Q "(" * Params * Q ")"
2709   * SkipSpace
2710   * ( Q "->" * SkipSpace * K ( 'Name.Type' , identifier ) ) ^ -1
2711   * ( C ( ( 1 - S ":\r" ) ^ 0 ) / ParseAgain )
2712   * Q ":"
2713   * ( SkipSpace
2714       * ( EOL + CommentLaTeX + Comment ) -- in all cases, that contains an EOL
2715       * Tab ^ 0
2716       * SkipSpace
2717       * StringDoc ^ 0 -- there may be additional docstrings
2718   ) ^ -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

```

2719 local ExceptionInConsole = Exception * Q ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 ) * EOL

```

## The main LPEG for the language Python

```

2720 local EndKeyword
2721   = Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + Beamer + DetectedCommands + Escape +
2722     EscapeMath + -1

```

First, the main loop :

```

2723 local Main =
2724   space ^ 0 * EOL -- faut-il le mettre en commentaire ?
2725   + Space
2726   + Tab
2727   + Escape + EscapeMath
2728   + CommentLaTeX
2729   + Beamer
2730   + DetectedCommands
2731   + Prompt
2732   + LongString
2733   + Comment
2734   + ExceptionInConsole
2735   + Delim

```

```

2736     + Operator
2737     + OperatorWord * EndKeyword
2738     + ShortString
2739     + Punct
2740     + FromImport
2741     + RaiseException
2742     + DefFunction
2743     + DefClass
2744     + For
2745     + Keyword * EndKeyword
2746     + Decorator
2747     + Builtin * EndKeyword
2748     + Identifier
2749     + Number
2750     + Word

```

Here, we must not put `local`, of course.

```

2751   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>41</sup>.

```

2752   LPEG2.python =
2753     Ct (
2754       ( space ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1
2755       * beamerBeginEnvironments
2756       * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
2757       * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
2758       * ( space ^ 1 * -1 + space ^ 0 * EOL + Main ) ^ 0
2759       * -1
2760       * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
2761     )

```

End of the Lua scope for the language Python.

```

2762 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).

```

2763 --ocaml Ocaml OCaml
2764 do

2765   local SkipSpace = ( Q " " + EOL ) ^ 0
2766   local Space = ( Q " " + EOL ) ^ 1

2767   local braces = Compute_braces ( '\'' * ( 1 - S "\"" ) ^ 0 * '\'' )
2768   % \end{macrocode}
2769   %
2770   % \bigskip
2771   % \begin{macrocode}
2772   if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( 'ocaml' , braces ) end
2773   DetectedCommands =
2774     Compute_DetectedCommands ( 'ocaml' , braces )
2775     + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( 'ocaml' , braces )
2776   local Q

```

---

<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:`

Usually, the following version of the function Q will be used without the second argument (`strict`), that is to say in a loopy way. However, in some circumstances, we will need the “strict” version, for instance in `DefFunction`.

```

2777 function Q ( pattern, strict )
2778   if strict ~= nil then
2779     return Ct ( Cc ( luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther ) * C ( pattern ) )
2780   else
2781     return Ct ( Cc ( luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther ) * C ( pattern ) )
2782       + Beamer + DetectedCommands + EscapeMath + Escape
2783   end
2784 end

2785 local K
2786 function K ( style , pattern, strict ) return
2787   Lc ( [[ {\PitonStyle{ ]] .. style .. "}{" )
2788     * Q ( pattern, strict )
2789     * Lc "}"
2790 end

2791 local WithStyle
2792 function WithStyle ( style , pattern ) return
2793   Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( [[{\PitonStyle{ ]] .. style .. "}{" ) * Cc "}" )
2794     * (pattern + Beamer + DetectedCommands + EscapeMath + Escape)
2795     * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
2796 end

```

The following LPEG corresponds to the balanced expressions (balanced according to the parenthesis). Of course, we must write  $(1 - S "(")$  with outer parenthesis.

```

2797 local balanced_parens =
2798   P { "E" , E = ( "(" * V "E" * ")" + ( 1 - S "(" ) ) ^ 0 }

```

### The strings of OCaml

```

2799 local ocaml_string =
2800   P "\""
2801   * (
2802     P " "
2803     +
2804     P ( ( 1 - S "\r" ) ^ 1 )
2805     +
2806     EOL -- ?
2807   ) ^ 0
2808   * P "\""

2809 local String =
2810   WithStyle
2811     ( 'String.Long.Internal' ,
2812       Q "\""
2813       * (
2814         SpaceInString
2815         +
2816         Q ( ( 1 - S "\r" ) ^ 1 )
2817         +
2818         EOL
2819       ) ^ 0
2820       * Q "\""
2821     )

```

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).

```

2822 local ext = ( R "az" + "_" ) ^ 0
2823 local open = "{" * Cg ( ext , 'init' ) * "|"
2824 local close = "|" * C ( ext ) * "}"
2825 local closeeq =
2826   Cmt ( close * Cb ( 'init' ) ,
2827     function ( s , i , a , b ) return a == b end )

```

The LPEG QuotedStringBis will do the second analysis.

```

2828 local QuotedStringBis =
2829   WithStyle ( 'String.Long.Internal' ,
2830     (
2831       Space
2832       +
2833       Q ( ( 1 - S "\r" ) ^ 1 )
2834       +
2835       EOL
2836     ) ^ 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.

```

2837 local QuotedString =
2838   C ( open * ( 1 - closeeq ) ^ 0 * close ) /
2839   ( 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).

```

2840 local comment =
2841   P {
2842     "A" ,
2843     A = Q "(*"
2844       * ( V "A"
2845         + Q ( ( 1 - S "\r$" - "(*" - "*" ) ^ 1 ) -- $
2846         + ocaml_string
2847         + "$" * K ( 'Comment.Math' , ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) * "$" -- $
2848         + EOL
2849       ) ^ 0
2850       * Q "*" )
2851   }
2852 local Comment = WithStyle ( 'Comment.Internal' , comment )

```

### Some standard LPEG

```

2853 local Delim = Q ( P "[|" + "]" + S "[()]" )
2854 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.

```

2855 local cap_identifier = R "AZ" * ( R "az" + R "AZ" + S "_" + digit ) ^ 0

```

```

2856 local Constructor =
2857   K ( 'Name.Constructor' ,
2858     Q "`" ^ -1 * cap_identifier

```

We consider `::` and `[]` as constructors (of the lists) as does the Tuareg mode of Emacs.

```

2859   + Q "::"
2860   + Q ( "[" , true ) * SkipSpace * Q ( "]" , true )

```

```

2861 local ModuleType = K ( 'Name.Type' , cap_identifier )

2862 local OperatorWord =
2863   K ( 'Operator.Word' ,
2864     P "asr" + "land" + "lor" + "lsl" + "lxor" + "mod" + "or" + "not" )

```

In OCaml, some keywords are considered as *governing keywords* with some special syntactic characteristics.

```

2865 local governing_keyword = P "and" + "begin" + "class" + "constraint" +
2866   "end" + "external" + "functor" + "include" + "inherit" + "initializer" +
2867   "in" + "let" + "method" + "module" + "object" + "open" + "rec" + "sig" +
2868   "struct" + "type" + "val"

2869 local Keyword =
2870   K ( 'Keyword' ,
2871     P "assert" + "as" + "done" + "downto" + "do" + "else" + "exception"
2872     + "for" + "function" + "fun" + "if" + "lazy" + "match" + "mutable"
2873     + "new" + "of" + "private" + "raise" + "then" + "to" + "try"
2874     + "virtual" + "when" + "while" + "with" )
2875   + K ( 'Keyword.Constant' , P "true" + "false" )
2876   + K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , governing_keyword )

2877 local EndKeyword
2878   = Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + Beamer + DetectedCommands + Escape
2879   + EscapeMath + -1

```

Now, the identifier. Recall that we have also a LPEG `cap_identifier` for the identifiers beginning with a capital letter.

```

2880 local identifier = ( R "az" + "_" ) * ( R "az" + R "AZ" + S "_" + digit ) ^ 0
2881                 - ( 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`.

```

2882 local Identifier = K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , identifier )

```

In OCaml, `character` is a type different of the type `string`.

```

2883 local ocaml_char =
2884   P "" *
2885   (
2886     ( 1 - S "\\\" )
2887     + "\\\"
2888     * ( S "\\ 'ntbr \"
2889       + digit * digit * digit
2890       + P "x" * ( digit + R "af" + R "AF" )
2891         * ( digit + R "af" + R "AF" )
2892         * ( digit + R "af" + R "AF" )
2893       + P "o" * R "03" * R "07" * R "07" )
2894   )
2895   * ""
2896 local Char =
2897   K ( 'String.Short.Internal' , ocaml_char )

```

For the parameter of the types (for example : ``\a` as in ``a` list).

```

2898 local TypeParameter =
2899   K ( 'TypeParameter' ,
2900     "" * 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.

```

2901 local DotNotation =
2902   (
2903     K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier )
2904     * Q "."
2905     * ( Identifier + Constructor + Q "(" + Q "[" + Q "{" ) ^ -1
2906     +
2907     Identifier
2908     * Q "."
2909     * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier )
2910   )
2911   * ( Q "." * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) ) ^ 0

```

### The records

```

2912 local expression_for_fields_type =
2913   P { "E" ,
2914     E = (   "{" * V "F" * "}"
2915           + "(" * V "F" * ")"
2916           + TypeParameter
2917           + ( 1 - S "{ } ( [ ] \r ; " ) ) ^ 0 ,
2918     F = (   "{" * V "F" * "}"
2919           + "(" * V "F" * ")"
2920           + ( 1 - S "{ } ( [ ] \r \'" ) + TypeParameter ) ^ 0
2921   }

```

```

2922 local expression_for_fields_value =
2923   P { "E" ,
2924     E = (   "{" * V "F" * "}"
2925           + "(" * V "F" * ")"
2926           + "[" * V "F" * "]"
2927           + ocaml_string + ocaml_char
2928           + ( 1 - S "{ } ( [ ] ; " ) ) ^ 0 ,
2929     F = (   "{" * V "F" * "}"
2930           + "(" * V "F" * ")"
2931           + "[" * V "F" * "]"
2932           + ocaml_string + ocaml_char
2933           + ( 1 - S "{ } ( [ ] \'" ) ) ^ 0
2934   }

```

```

2935 local OneFieldDefinition =
2936   ( K ( 'Keyword' , "mutable" ) * SkipSpace ) ^ -1
2937   * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) * SkipSpace
2938   * Q ":" * SkipSpace
2939   * K ( 'TypeExpression' , expression_for_fields_type )
2940   * SkipSpace

```

```

2941 local OneField =
2942   K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) * SkipSpace
2943   * Q "=" * SkipSpace

```

Don't forget the parentheses!

```

2944   * ( C ( expression_for_fields_value ) / ParseAgain )
2945   * SkipSpace

```

### The records.

```

2946 local RecordVal =
2947   Q "{" * SkipSpace
2948   *
2949   (

```

```

2950     (Identifier + DotNotation) * Space * K('Keyword', "with") * Space
2951   ) ^-1
2952   *
2953   (
2954     OneField * ( Q ";" * SkipSpace * ( Comment * SkipSpace ) ^ 0 * OneField ) ^ 0
2955   )
2956   * SkipSpace
2957   * Q ";" ^ -1
2958   * SkipSpace
2959   * Comment ^ -1
2960   * SkipSpace
2961   * Q "}"
2962 local RecordType =
2963   Q "{" * SkipSpace
2964   *
2965   (
2966     OneFieldDefinition
2967     * ( Q ";" * SkipSpace * ( Comment * SkipSpace ) ^ 0 * OneFieldDefinition ) ^ 0
2968   )
2969   * SkipSpace
2970   * Q ";" ^ -1
2971   * SkipSpace
2972   * Comment ^ -1
2973   * SkipSpace
2974   * Q "}"
2975 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.

```

2976 local DotNotation =
2977   (
2978     K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier )
2979     * Q "."
2980     * ( Identifier + Constructor + Q "(" + Q "[" + Q "{" ) ^ -1
2981     +
2982     Identifier
2983     * Q "."
2984     * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier )
2985   )
2986   * ( Q "." * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) ) ^ 0

2987 local Operator =
2988   K ( 'Operator' ,
2989     P "!=" + "<>" + "==" + "<<" + ">>" + "<=" + ">=" + ":@" + "||" + "&&" +
2990     "://" + "**" + ";" + "->" + "+." + "-." + "*." + "/" +
2991     + S "--+/*%=<>&@|" )

2992 local Builtin =
2993   K ( 'Name.Builtin' , P "incr" + "decr" + "fst" + "snd" + "ref" )

2994 local Exception =
2995   K ( 'Exception' ,
2996     P "Division_by_zero" + "End_of_File" + "Failure" + "Invalid_argument" +
2997     "Match_failure" + "Not_found" + "Out_of_memory" + "Stack_overflow" +
2998     "Sys_blocked_io" + "Sys_error" + "Undefined_recursive_module" )

2999 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).

```
3000 local pattern_part =
3001   ( 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).

```
3002 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.

```
3003   ( Q "~" * Identifier * Q ":" * SkipSpace ) ^ -1
3004   *
```

Now, the argument itself, either a single identifier, or a construction between parentheses

```
3005   (
3006     K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , identifier )
3007     +
3008     Q "(" * SkipSpace
3009     * ( C ( pattern_part ) / ParseAgain )
3010     * SkipSpace
```

Of course, the specification of type is optional.

```
3011     * ( Q ":" * #(1- P"=")
3012       * K ( 'TypeExpression' , balanced_parens ) * SkipSpace
3013       ) ^ -1
3014     * Q ")"
3015   )
```

Despite its name, then LPEG `DefFunction` deals also with `let open` which opens locally a module.

```
3016 local DefFunction =
3017   K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , "let open" )
3018   * Space
3019   * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier )
3020   +
3021   K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , P "let rec" + "let" + "and" )
3022   * Space
3023   * K ( 'Name.Function.Internal' , identifier )
3024   * Space
3025   * (
```

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).

```
3026     Q "=" * SkipSpace * K ( 'Keyword' , "function" , true )
3027     +
3028     Argument * ( SkipSpace * Argument ) ^ 0
3029     * (
3030       SkipSpace
3031       * Q ";" * # ( 1 - P "=" )
3032       * K ( 'TypeExpression' , ( 1 - P "=" ) ^ 0 )
3033     ) ^ -1
3034   )
```



## DefModule

```
3035 local DefModule =
3036   K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , "module" ) * Space
3037   *
3038   (
3039     K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , "type" ) * Space
3040     * K ( 'Name.Type' , cap_identifier )
3041     +
3042     K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
3043     *
3044     (
3045       Q "(" * SkipSpace
3046       * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
3047       * Q ":" * # ( 1 - P "=" ) * SkipSpace
3048       * K ( 'Name.Type' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
3049       *
3050       (
3051         Q "," * SkipSpace
3052         * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
3053         * Q ":" * # ( 1 - P "=" ) * SkipSpace
3054         * K ( 'Name.Type' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
3055       ) ^ 0
3056       * Q ")"
3057     ) ^ -1
3058     *
3059     (
3060       Q "=" * SkipSpace
3061       * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
3062       * Q "("
3063       * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
3064       *
3065       (
3066         Q ","
3067         *
3068         K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * SkipSpace
3069       ) ^ 0
3070       * Q ")"
3071     ) ^ -1
3072   )
3073   +
3074   K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , P "include" + "open" )
3075   * Space
3076   * K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier )
```

## DefType

```
3077 local DefType =
3078   K ( 'Keyword.Governing' , "type" )
3079   * Space
3080   * K ( 'TypeExpression' , Q ( 1 - P "=" - P "+=" ) ^ 1 )
3081   * SkipSpace
3082   * ( Q "+=" + Q "=" )
3083   * SkipSpace
3084   * (
3085     RecordType
3086     +
```

The following lines are a suggestion of Y. Salmon.

```
3087   WithStyle
3088   (
3089     'TypeExpression' ,
3090     (
3091       (
3092         EOL
```

```

3093         + comment
3094         + Q ( 1
3095             - P ";;"
3096             - P "type"
3097             - ( ( Space + EOL ) * governing_keyword * EndKeyword )
3098         )
3099     ) ^ 0
3100     *
3101     (
3102         # ( P "type" + ( Space + EOL ) * governing_keyword * EndKeyword )
3103         + Q ";;"
3104         + -1
3105     )
3106 )
3107 )
3108 )

3109 local prompt =
3110     Q "utop[" * digit^1 * Q "]"> "
3111 local start_of_line = P(function(subject, position)
3112 if position == 1 or subject:sub(position - 1, position - 1) == "\r" then
3113     return position
3114 end
3115 return nil
3116 end)
3117 local Prompt = #start_of_line * K( 'Prompt', prompt )
3118 local Answer = #start_of_line * (Q "-" + Q "val" * Space * Identifier )
3119                 * SkipSpace * Q ":" * #(1- P"=") * SkipSpace
3120                 * ( K ( 'TypeExpression' , Q ( 1 - P "=" ) ^ 1 ) ) * SkipSpace * Q "="

```

## The main LPEG for the language OCaml

```

3121 local Main =
3122     space ^ 0 * EOL
3123     + Space
3124     + Tab
3125     + Escape + EscapeMath
3126     + Beamer
3127     + DetectedCommands
3128     + TypeParameter
3129     + String + QuotedString + Char
3130     + Comment
3131     + Prompt + Answer

```

For the labels (maybe we will write in the future a dedicated LPEG pour those tokens).

```

3132     + Q "~" * Identifier * ( Q ":" ) ^ -1
3133     + Q ":" * # ( 1 - P ":" ) * SkipSpace
3134         * K ( 'TypeExpression' , balanced_parens ) * SkipSpace * Q ")"
3135     + Exception
3136     + DefType
3137     + DefFunction
3138     + DefModule
3139     + Record
3140     + Keyword * EndKeyword
3141     + OperatorWord * EndKeyword
3142     + Builtin * EndKeyword
3143     + DotNotation
3144     + Constructor
3145     + Identifier
3146     + Punct
3147     + Delim -- Delim is before Operator for a correct analysis of [| et |]
3148     + Operator

```

```

3149     + Number
3150     + Word

```

Here, we must not put `local`, of course.

```

3151   LPEG1.ocaml = Main ^ 0

```

```

3152   LPEG2.ocaml =
3153   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).

```

3154     ( P ":" + ( K ( 'Name.Module' , cap_identifier ) * Q "." ) ^-1
3155       * Identifier * SkipSpace * Q ":" )
3156     * # ( 1 - S ":@" )
3157     * SkipSpace
3158     * K ( 'TypeExpression' , ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 )
3159   +
3160   ( space ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1
3161   * beamerBeginEnvironments
3162   * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
3163   * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
3164   * ( ( space * Lc [[ \@@_trailing_space: ]] ) ^ 1 * -1
3165     + space ^ 0 * EOL
3166     + Main
3167   ) ^ 0
3168   * -1
3169   * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
3170   )

```

End of the Lua scope for the language OCaml.

```

3171 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).

```

3172 --c C c++ C++
3173 do

```

```

3174   local Delim = Q ( S "{[()]}")
3175   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.

```

3176   local identifier = letter * alphanum ^ 0
3177
3178   local Operator =
3179     K ( 'Operator' ,
3180       P "!=" + "==" + "<<" + ">>" + "<=" + ">=" + "||" + "&&"
3181       + S "--+/*%=<>&.@|!" )
3182
3183   local Keyword =
3184     K ( 'Keyword' ,
3185       P "alignas" + "asm" + "auto" + "break" + "case" + "catch" + "class" +
3186       "const" + "constexpr" + "continue" + "decltype" + "do" + "else" + "enum" +
3187       "extern" + "for" + "goto" + "if" + "nextcept" + "private" + "public" +
3188       "register" + "restricted" + "return" + "static" + "static_assert" +
3189       "struct" + "switch" + "thread_local" + "throw" + "try" + "typedef" +

```

```

3190     "union" + "using" + "virtual" + "volatile" + "while"
3191 )
3192 + K ( 'Keyword.Constant' , P "default" + "false" + "NULL" + "nullptr" + "true" )
3193
3194 local Builtin =
3195     K ( 'Name.Builtin' ,
3196         P "alignof" + "malloc" + "printf" + "scanf" + "sizeof" )
3197
3198 local Type =
3199     K ( 'Name.Type' ,
3200         P "bool" + "char" + "char16_t" + "char32_t" + "double" + "float" +
3201         "int8_t" + "int16_t" + "int32_t" + "int64_t" + "uint8_t" + "uint16_t" +
3202         "uint32_t" + "uint64_t" + "int" + "long" + "short" + "signed" + "unsigned" +
3203         "void" + "wchar_t" ) * Q "*" ^ 0
3204
3205 local DefFunction =
3206     Type
3207     * Space
3208     * Q "*" ^ -1
3209     * K ( 'Name.Function.Internal' , identifier )
3210     * SkipSpace
3211     * # 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:`

```

3212 local DefClass =
3213     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).

```

3214 local Character =
3215     K ( 'String.Short' ,
3216         P [['\']] + P "'" * ( 1 - P "'" ) ^ 0 * P "'" )

```

## The strings of C

```

3217 String =
3218     WithStyle ( 'String.Long.Internal' ,
3219         Q "\""
3220         * ( SpaceInString
3221             + K ( 'String.Interpol' ,
3222                 "%" * ( S "difcspXou" + "ld" + "li" + "hd" + "hi" )
3223             )
3224             + Q ( ( P "\\\"" + 1 - S " \"" ) ^ 1 )
3225             ) ^ 0
3226         * Q "\""
3227     )

```

**Beamer** The argument of `Compute_braces` must be a pattern *which does no catching* corresponding to the strings of the language.

```

3228 local braces = Compute_braces ( "\"" * ( 1 - S "\"" ) ^ 0 * "\"" )
3229 if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( 'c' , braces ) end

```

```

3230 DetectedCommands =
3231   Compute_DetectedCommands ( 'c' , braces )
3232   + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( 'c' , braces )
3233 LPEG_cleaner.c = Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( 'c' , braces )

```

### The directives of the preprocessor

```

3234 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.

```

3235 local Comment =
3236   WithStyle ( 'Comment.Internal' ,
3237     Q "/" * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0 ) -- $
3238     * ( EOL + -1 )
3239
3240 local LongComment =
3241   WithStyle ( 'Comment.Internal' ,
3242     Q "/*"
3243     * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - P "*/" - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) + EOL ) ^ 0
3244     * Q "*/"
3245     ) -- $

```

### The main LPEG for the language C

```

3246 local EndKeyword
3247   = Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + Beamer + DetectedCommands + Escape +
3248     EscapeMath + -1

```

First, the main loop :

```

3249 local Main =
3250   space ^ 0 * EOL
3251   + Space
3252   + Tab
3253   + Escape + EscapeMath
3254   + CommentLaTeX
3255   + Beamer
3256   + DetectedCommands
3257   + Preproc
3258   + Comment + LongComment
3259   + Delim
3260   + Operator
3261   + Character
3262   + String
3263   + Punct
3264   + DefFunction
3265   + DefClass
3266   + Type * ( Q "*" ^ -1 + EndKeyword )
3267   + Keyword * EndKeyword
3268   + Builtin * EndKeyword
3269   + Identifier
3270   + Number
3271   + Word

```

Here, we must not put local, of course.

```

3272 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>42</sup>.

```

3273 LPEG2.c =
3274 Ct (
3275   ( space ^ 0 * P "\r" ) ^ -1
3276   * beamerBeginEnvironments
3277   * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
3278   * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
3279   * ( space ^ 1 * -1 + space ^ 0 * EOL + Main ) ^ 0
3280   * -1
3281   * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
3282 )

```

End of the Lua scope for the language C.

```

3283 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).

```

3284 --sql SQL
3285 do

3286 local LuaKeyword
3287 function LuaKeyword ( name ) return
3288   Lc [[ {\PitonStyle{Keyword}{ } ]]
3289   * Q ( Cmt (
3290     C ( letter * alphanum ^ 0 ) ,
3291     function ( s , i , a ) return string.upper ( a ) == name end
3292   )
3293 )
3294 * Lc "}"
3295 end

```

In the identifiers, we will be able to catch those containing spaces, that is to say like "last name".

```

3296 local identifier =
3297   letter * ( alphanum + "-" ) ^ 0
3298   + P "'" * ( ( 1 - P "'" ) ^ 1 ) * "'"
3299
3300 local Operator =
3301   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).

```

3301 local Set
3302 function Set ( list )
3303   local set = { }
3304   for _ , l in ipairs ( list ) do set[l] = true end
3305   return set
3306 end

```

---

<sup>42</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:`

We now use the previous function `Set` to create 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).

```

3307 local set_keywords = Set
3308 {
3309     "ABORT", "ACTION", "ADD", "AFTER", "ALL", "ALTER", "ALWAYS", "ANALYZE",
3310     "AND", "AS", "ASC", "ATTACH", "AUTOINCREMENT", "BEFORE", "BEGIN", "BETWEEN",
3311     "BY", "CASCADE", "CASE", "CAST", "CHECK", "COLLATE", "COLUMN", "COMMIT",
3312     "CONFLICT", "CONSTRAINT", "CREATE", "CROSS", "CURRENT", "CURRENT_DATE",
3313     "CURRENT_TIME", "CURRENT_TIMESTAMP", "DATABASE", "DEFAULT", "DEFERRABLE",
3314     "DEFERRED", "DELETE", "DESC", "DETACH", "DISTINCT", "DO", "DROP", "EACH",
3315     "ELSE", "END", "ESCAPE", "EXCEPT", "EXCLUDE", "EXCLUSIVE", "EXISTS",
3316     "EXPLAIN", "FAIL", "FILTER", "FIRST", "FOLLOWING", "FOR", "FOREIGN", "FROM",
3317     "FULL", "GENERATED", "GLOB", "GROUP", "GROUPS", "HAVING", "IF", "IGNORE",
3318     "IMMEDIATE", "IN", "INDEX", "INDEXED", "INITIALLY", "INNER", "INSERT",
3319     "INSTEAD", "INTERSECT", "INTO", "IS", "ISNULL", "JOIN", "KEY", "LAST",
3320     "LEFT", "LIKE", "LIMIT", "MATCH", "MATERIALIZED", "NATURAL", "NO", "NOT",
3321     "NOTHING", "NOTNULL", "NULL", "NULLS", "OF", "OFFSET", "ON", "OR", "ORDER",
3322     "OTHERS", "OUTER", "OVER", "PARTITION", "PLAN", "PRAGMA", "PRECEDING",
3323     "PRIMARY", "QUERY", "RAISE", "RANGE", "RECURSIVE", "REFERENCES", "REGEXP",
3324     "REINDEX", "RELEASE", "RENAME", "REPLACE", "RESTRICT", "RETURNING", "RIGHT",
3325     "ROLLBACK", "ROW", "ROWS", "SAVEPOINT", "SELECT", "SET", "TABLE", "TEMP",
3326     "TEMPORARY", "THEN", "TIES", "TO", "TRANSACTION", "TRIGGER", "UNBOUNDED",
3327     "UNION", "UNIQUE", "UPDATE", "USING", "VACUUM", "VALUES", "VIEW", "VIRTUAL",
3328     "WHEN", "WHERE", "WINDOW", "WITH", "WITHOUT"
3329 }
3330
3330 local set_builtins = Set
3331 {
3332     "AVG", "COUNT", "CHAR_LENGTH", "CONCAT", "CURDATE", "CURRENT_DATE",
3333     "DATE_FORMAT", "DAY", "LOWER", "LTRIM", "MAX", "MIN", "MONTH", "NOW",
3334     "RANK", "ROUND", "RTRIM", "SUBSTRING", "SUM", "UPPER", "YEAR"
3335 }

```

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.

```

3336 local Identifier =
3337   C ( identifier ) /
3338   (
3339     function ( s )
3340       if set_keywords[string.upper(s)] then return

```

Remind that, in Lua, it's possible to return *several* values.

```

3341     { [[{\PitonStyle{Keyword}{}}] } ,
3342     { luatexbase.catcodetables.other , s } ,
3343     { "}" } }
3344   else
3345     if set_builtins[string.upper(s)] then return
3346     { [[{\PitonStyle{Name.Builtin}{}}] } ,
3347     { luatexbase.catcodetables.other , s } ,
3348     { "}" } }
3349   else return
3350     { [[{\PitonStyle{Name.Field}{}}] } ,
3351     { luatexbase.catcodetables.other , s } ,
3352     { "}" } }
3353   end
3354 end
3355 end
3356 )

```

## The strings of SQL

```

3357 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.

```

3358 local braces = Compute_braces ( "" * ( 1 - P "" ) ^ 1 * "" )
3359 if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( 'sql' , braces ) end

3360 DetectedCommands =
3361   Compute_DetectedCommands ( 'sql' , braces )
3362   + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( 'sql' , braces )
3363 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.

```

3364 local Comment =
3365   WithStyle ( 'Comment.Internal' ,
3366     Q "--" -- syntax of SQL92
3367     * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0 ) -- $
3368     * ( EOL + -1 )
3369
3370 local LongComment =
3371   WithStyle ( 'Comment.Internal' ,
3372     Q "/*"
3373     * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - P "*/" - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) + EOL ) ^ 0
3374     * Q "*/"
3375     ) -- $

```

**The main LPEG for the language SQL**

```

3376 local EndKeyword
3377   = Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + Beamer + DetectedCommands + Escape +
3378     EscapeMath + -1
3379
3379 local TableField =
3380   K ( 'Name.Table' , identifier )
3381   * Q "."
3382   * ( DetectedCommands + ( K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier ) ) ^ 0 )
3383
3384 local OneField =
3385   (
3386     Q ( "(" * ( 1 - P ")" ) ^ 0 * ")" )
3387     +
3388     K ( 'Name.Table' , identifier )
3389     * Q "."
3390     * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier )
3391     +
3392     K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier )
3393   )
3394   * (
3395     Space * LuaKeyword "AS" * Space * K ( 'Name.Field' , identifier )
3396     ) ^ -1
3397   * ( Space * ( LuaKeyword "ASC" + LuaKeyword "DESC" ) ) ^ -1
3398
3399 local OneTable =
3400   K ( 'Name.Table' , identifier )
3401   * (
3402     Space
3403     * LuaKeyword "AS"
3404     * Space
3405     * K ( 'Name.Table' , identifier )
3406     ) ^ -1
3407
3408 local WeCatchTableNames =

```



```

3409     LuaKeyword "FROM"
3410     * ( Space + EOL )
3411     * OneTable * ( SkipSpace * Q ", " * SkipSpace * OneTable ) ^ 0
3412     + (
3413         LuaKeyword "JOIN" + LuaKeyword "INTO" + LuaKeyword "UPDATE"
3414         + LuaKeyword "TABLE"
3415     )
3416     * ( Space + EOL ) * OneTable
3417 local EndKeyword
3418     = Space + Punct + Delim + EOL + Beamer
3419     + DetectedCommands + Escape + EscapeMath + -1

```

First, the main loop :

```

3420 local Main =
3421     space ^ 0 * EOL
3422     + Space
3423     + Tab
3424     + Escape + EscapeMath
3425     + CommentLaTeX
3426     + Beamer
3427     + DetectedCommands
3428     + Comment + LongComment
3429     + Delim
3430     + Operator
3431     + String
3432     + Punct
3433     + WeCatchTableNames
3434     + ( TableField + Identifier ) * ( Space + Operator + Punct + Delim + EOL + -1 )
3435     + Number
3436     + Word

```

Here, we must not put local, of course.

```

3437 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>43</sup>.

```

3438 LPEG2.sql =
3439     Ct (
3440         ( space ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1
3441         * beamerBeginEnvironments
3442         * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
3443         * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
3444         * ( space ^ 1 * -1 + space ^ 0 * EOL + Main ) ^ 0
3445         * -1
3446         * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
3447     )

```

End of the Lua scope for the language SQL.

```

3448 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).

```

3449 --minimal Minimal
3450 do

```

---

<sup>43</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:`

```

3451 local Punct = Q ( S ",:;!\" )
3452
3453 local Comment =
3454   WithStyle ( 'Comment.Internal' ,
3455     Q "#"
3456     * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0 -- $
3457   )
3458   * ( EOL + -1 )
3459
3460 local String =
3461   WithStyle ( 'String.Short.Internal' ,
3462     Q "\"
3463     * ( SpaceInString
3464       + Q ( ( P "[\]" + 1 - S " \" ) ^ 1 )
3465     ) ^ 0
3466     * Q "\"
3467   )

```

The argument of `Compute_braces` must be a pattern *which does no catching* corresponding to the strings of the language.

```

3468 local braces = Compute_braces ( P "\" * ( P "\\\"" + 1 - P "\" ) ^ 1 * "\" )
3469
3470 if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( 'minimal' , braces ) end
3471
3472 DetectedCommands =
3473   Compute_DetectedCommands ( 'minimal' , braces )
3474   + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( 'minimal' , braces )
3475
3476 LPEG_cleaner.minimal = Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( 'minimal' , braces )
3477
3478 local identifier = letter * alphanum ^ 0
3479
3480 local Identifier = K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , identifier )
3481
3482 local Delim = Q ( S "{[()]}" )
3483
3484 local Main =
3485   space ^ 0 * EOL
3486   + Space
3487   + Tab
3488   + Escape + EscapeMath
3489   + CommentLaTeX
3490   + Beamer
3491   + DetectedCommands
3492   + Comment
3493   + Delim
3494   + String
3495   + Punct
3496   + Identifier
3497   + Number
3498   + Word

```

Here, we must not put `local`, of course.

```

3499 LPEG1.minimal = Main ^ 0
3500
3501 LPEG2.minimal =
3502   Ct (
3503     ( space ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1
3504     * beamerBeginEnvironments
3505     * Lc [ [ \@_begin_line: ] ]
3506     * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
3507     * ( space ^ 1 * -1 + space ^ 0 * EOL + Main ) ^ 0

```

```

3508     * -1
3509     * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
3510 )

```

End of the Lua scope for the language “Minimal”.

```

3511 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).

```

3512 --verbatim Verbatim
3513 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”).

```

3514 local braces =
3515     P { "E" ,
3516         E = ( "{" * V "E" * "}" + ( 1 - S "{" ) ) ^ 0
3517     }
3518
3519 if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( 'verbatim' , braces ) end
3520
3521 DetectedCommands =
3522     Compute_DetectedCommands ( 'verbatim' , braces )
3523     + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( 'verbatim' , braces )
3524
3525 LPEG_cleaner.verbatim = Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( 'verbatim' , braces )

```

Now, you will construct the LPEG Word.

```

3526 local lpeg_central = 1 - S "\\r"
3527 if piton.begin_escape then
3528     lpeg_central = lpeg_central - piton.begin_escape
3529 end
3530 if piton.begin_escape_math then
3531     lpeg_central = lpeg_central - piton.begin_escape_math
3532 end
3533 local Word = Q ( lpeg_central ^ 1 )
3534
3535 local Main =
3536     space ^ 0 * EOL
3537     + Space
3538     + Tab
3539     + Escape + EscapeMath
3540     + Beamer
3541     + DetectedCommands
3542     + Q [[\]]
3543     + Word

```

Here, we must not put local, of course.

```

3544 LPEG1.verbatim = Main ^ 0
3545
3546 LPEG2.verbatim =
3547     Ct (
3548         ( space ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1
3549         * beamerBeginEnvironments
3550         * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
3551         * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
3552         * ( space ^ 1 * -1 + space ^ 0 * EOL + Main ) ^ 0
3553         * -1
3554         * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
3555     )

```

End of the Lua scope for the language “verbatim”.

```
3556 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.

```
3557 function piton.Parse ( language , code )
```

The variable `piton.language` will be used by the function `ParseAgain`.

```
3558   piton.language = language
3559   local t = LPEG2[language] : match ( code )
3560   if t == nil then
3561     sprintL3 [[ \@@_error_or_warning:n { SyntaxError } ]]
3562     return -- to exit in force the function
3563   end
3564   local left_stack = {}
3565   local right_stack = {}
3566   for _ , one_item in ipairs ( t ) do
3567     if one_item[1] == "EOL" then
3568       for _ , s in ipairs ( right_stack ) do
3569         tex.sprint ( s )
3570       end
3571       for _ , s in ipairs ( one_item[2] ) do
3572         tex.tprint ( s )
3573       end
3574       for _ , s in ipairs ( left_stack ) do
3575         tex.sprint ( s )
3576       end
3577     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 (`{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}`.

```
3578     if one_item[1] == "Open" then
3579       tex.sprint ( one_item[2] )
3580       table.insert ( left_stack , one_item[2] )
3581       table.insert ( right_stack , one_item[3] )
3582     else
3583       if one_item[1] == "Close" then
3584         tex.sprint ( right_stack[#right_stack] )
3585         left_stack[#left_stack] = nil
3586         right_stack[#right_stack] = nil
3587       else
3588         tex.tprint ( one_item )
3589       end
3590     end
3591   end
3592 end
3593 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`.

```
3594 local cr_file_lines
```

```

3595 function cr_file_lines ( filename )
3596     local f = io.open ( filename , 'rb' )
3597     local s = f : read ( '*a' )
3598     f : close ( )
3599     return ( s .. '\n' ) : gsub( '\r\n?' , '\n' ) : gmatch ( '(.-)\n' )
3600 end

```

```

3601 function piton.ReadFile ( name , first_line , last_line )
3602     local s = ''
3603     local i = 0
3604     for line in cr_file_lines ( name ) do
3605         i = i + 1
3606         if i >= first_line then
3607             s = s .. '\r' .. line
3608         end
3609         if i >= last_line then break end
3610     end

```

We extract the BOM of utf-8, if present.

```

3611 if string.byte ( s , 1 ) == 13 then
3612     if string.byte ( s , 2 ) == 239 then
3613         if string.byte ( s , 3 ) == 187 then
3614             if string.byte ( s , 4 ) == 191 then
3615                 s = string.sub ( s , 5 , -1 )
3616             end
3617         end
3618     end
3619 end
3620 sprintL3 ( [[ \tl_set:Nn \l_@@_listing_tl { } ]])
3621 tex.sprint ( luatexbase.catcodetables.CatcodeTableOther , s )
3622 sprintL3 ( [[ } ]])
3623 end

```

```

3624 function piton.RetrieveGobbleParse ( lang , n , splittable , code )
3625     local s
3626     s = ( ( P " " ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1 * C ( P ( 1 ) ^ 0 ) * -1 ) : match ( code )
3627     piton.GobbleParse ( lang , n , splittable , s )
3628 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 #.

```

3629 function piton.ParseBis ( lang , code )
3630     return piton.Parse ( lang , code : gsub ( '##' , '#' ) )
3631 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.

```

3632 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...

```

3633     return piton.Parse
3634         (
3635         lang ,

```

```

3636         code : gsub ( [[\@@_breakable_space: ]] , ' ' )
3637         : gsub ( [[\@@_leading_space: ]] , ' ' )
3638     )
3639 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.

```

3640 local AutoGobbleLPEG =
3641     ( (
3642         P " " ^ 0 * "\r"
3643         +
3644         Ct ( C " " ^ 0 ) / table.getn
3645         * ( 1 - P " " ) * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * "\r"
3646     ) ^ 0
3647     * ( Ct ( C " " ^ 0 ) / table.getn
3648         * ( 1 - P " " ) * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
3649     ) / math.min

```

The following LPEG is similar but works with the tabulations.

```

3650 local TabsAutoGobbleLPEG =
3651     (
3652         (
3653             P "\t" ^ 0 * "\r"
3654             +
3655             Ct ( C "\t" ^ 0 ) / table.getn
3656             * ( 1 - P "\t" ) * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * "\r"
3657         ) ^ 0
3658         * ( Ct ( C "\t" ^ 0 ) / table.getn
3659             * ( 1 - P "\t" ) * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 ) ^ -1
3660     ) / 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).

```

3661 local EnvGobbleLPEG =
3662     ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ 0
3663     * Ct ( C " " ^ 0 * -1 ) / table.getn
3664 local remove_before_cr
3665 function remove_before_cr ( input_string )
3666     local match_result = ( P "\r" ) : match ( input_string )
3667     if match_result then return
3668         string.sub ( input_string , match_result )
3669     else return
3670         input_string
3671     end
3672 end

```

The function `gobble` gobbles  $n$  characters on the left of the code. The negative values of  $n$  have special significations.

```

3673 function piton.Gobble ( n , code )
3674     code = remove_before_cr ( code )
3675     if n == 0 then return
3676         code
3677     else
3678         if n == -1 then
3679             n = AutoGobbleLPEG : match ( code )

```

for the cas of an empty environment (only blank lines)

```

3680     if tonumber(n) then else n = 0 end
3681 else
3682     if n == -2 then
3683         n = EnvGobbleLPEG : match ( code )
3684     else
3685         if n == -3 then
3686             n = TabsAutoGobbleLPEG : match ( code )
3687             if tonumber(n) then else n = 0 end
3688         end
3689     end
3690 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...

```

3691     if n == 0 then return
3692         code
3693     else return

```

We will now use a LPEG that we have to compute dynamically because it depends on the value of  $n$ .

```

3694     ( Ct (
3695         ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ (-n) * C ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 )
3696         * ( C "\r" * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ (-n) * C ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 )
3697         ) ^ 0 )
3698     / table.concat
3699     ) : match ( code )
3700 end
3701 end
3702 end

```

In the following code, `n` is the value of `\l_@@_gobble_int`.

`splittable` is the value of `\l_@@_splittable_int`.

```

3703 function piton.GobbleParse ( lang , n , splittable , code )
3704     piton.ComputeLinesStatus ( code , splittable )
3705     piton.last_code = piton.Gobble ( n , code )
3706     piton.last_language = lang

```

We count the number of lines of the computer listing. The result will be stored by Lua in `\g_@@_nb_lines_int`.

```

3707     piton.CountLines ( piton.last_code )
3708     piton.Parse ( lang , piton.last_code )
3709     sprintL3 [[ \vspace{2.5pt} ]]

```

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.

```

3710     sprintL3 [[ \par ]]
3711     piton.join_and_write ( )
3712 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`.

```

3713 function piton.join_and_write ( )
3714     if piton.join ~= '' then
3715         if piton.join_files [ piton.join ] == nil then
3716             piton.join_files [ piton.join ] = piton.get_last_code ( )
3717         else
3718             piton.join_files [ piton.join ] =
3719                 piton.join_files [ piton.join ] .. "\r\n" .. piton.get_last_code ( )
3720         end
3721     end
3722     % \end{macrocode}
3723     %

```

```

3724 % Now, if the final user has used the key |write| to write the listing of the
3725 % environment on an external file (on the disk).
3726 %
3727 % We have written the values of the keys |write| and |path-write| in the Lua
3728 % variables |piton.write| and |piton.path-write|.
3729 %
3730 % If |piton.write| is not empty, that means that the key |write| has been used
3731 % for the current environment and, hence, we have to write the content of the
3732 % listing on the corresponding external file.
3733 % \begin{macrocode}
3734 if piton.write ~= '' then

```

We will write on `file_name` the full name (with the path) of the file in which we will write.

```

3735 local file_name = ''
3736 if piton.path_write == '' then
3737     file_name = piton.write
3738 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.

```

3739 local attr = lfs.attributes ( piton.path_write )
3740 if attr and attr.mode == "directory" then
3741     file_name = piton.path_write .. "/" .. piton.write
3742 else

```

If the directory does *not* exist, you raise an (non-fatal) error since TeX is not able to create a new directory.

```

3743     sprintL3 [[ \@@_error_or_warning:n { InexistentDirectory } ]]
3744 end
3745 end
3746 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`).

```

3747 if piton.write_files [ file_name ] == nil then
3748     piton.write_files [ file_name ] = piton.get_last_code ( )
3749 else
3750     piton.write_files [ file_name ] =
3751     piton.write_files [ file_name ] .. "\n" .. piton.get_last_code ( )
3752 end
3753 end
3754 end
3755 end

```

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

```

3756 function piton.GobbleParseNoPrint ( lang , n , code )
3757     piton.last_code = piton.Gobble ( n , code )
3758     piton.last_language = lang
3759     piton.join_and_write ( )
3760 end

```

The following function will be used when the key `split-on-empty-lines` is in force. With that key, the computer listing is split in chunks at the empty lines (usually between the abstract functions defined in the computer 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).

```

3761 function piton.GobbleSplitParse ( lang , n , splittable , code )
3762     local chunks
3763     chunks =
3764     (
3765         Ct (

```



```

3766         (
3767             P " " ^ 0 * "\r"
3768         +
3769             C ( ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 1 * ( P "\r" + -1 )
3770                 - ( P " " ^ 0 * ( P "\r" + -1 ) )
3771                 ) ^ 1
3772             )
3773         ) ^ 0
3774     )
3775     ) : match ( piton.Gobble ( n , code ) )
3776     sprintL3 [[ \begingroup ]]
3777     sprintL3
3778     (
3779         [[ \PitonOptions { split-on-empty-lines = false, gobble = 0, ]]
3780         .. "language = " .. lang .. ","
3781         .. "splittable = " .. splittable .. "]"
3782     )
3783     for k , v in pairs ( chunks ) do
3784         if k > 1 then
3785             sprintL3 ( [[ \l_@@_split_separation_tl ]] )
3786         end
3787         tex.print
3788         (
3789             [[\begin{]] .. piton.env_used_by_split .. "]\r"
3790             .. v
3791             .. [[\end{]] .. piton.env_used_by_split .. "]\r" -- previously: }%\r
3792         )
3793     end
3794     sprintL3 [[ \endgroup ]]
3795 end

3796 function piton.RetrieveGobbleSplitParse ( lang , n , splittable , code )
3797     local s
3798     s = ( ( P " " ^ 0 * "\r" ) ^ -1 * C ( P ( 1 ) ^ 0 ) * -1 ) : match ( code )
3799     piton.GobbleSplitParse ( lang , n , splittable , s )
3800 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_tl` corresponds to the key `split-separation`. That token list must contain elements inserted in *vertical mode* of TeX.

```

3801 piton.string_between_chunks =
3802 [[ \par \l_@@_split_separation_tl \mode_leave_vertical: ]]
3803 .. [[ \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.

```

3804 function piton.get_last_code ( )
3805     return LPEG_cleaner[piton.last_language] : match ( piton.last_code )
3806         : gsub('\r\n', '\n') : gsub('\r', '\n')
3807 end

```

### 10.3.13 To count the number of lines

```

3808 function piton.CountLines ( code )
3809     local count = 0
3810     count =
3811         ( Ct ( ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * C "\r" ) ^ 0
3812             * ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 1 * Cc "\r" ) ^ -1
3813             * -1

```

```

3814         ) / table.getn
3815     ) : match ( code )
3816     sprintL3 ( string.format ( [[ \int_gset:Nn \g_@@_nb_lines_int { %i } ]], count ) )
3817 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).

```

3818 function piton.CountNonEmptyLines ( code )
3819     local count = 0
3820     count =
3821         ( Ct ( ( P " " ^ 0 * "\r"
3822             + ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * C "\r" ) ^ 0
3823             * ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0
3824             * -1
3825             ) / table.getn
3826         ) : match ( code )
3827     sprintL3
3828     ( string.format ( [[ \int_set:Nn \l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int { %i } ]], count ) )
3829 end

```

```

3830 function piton.CountLinesFile ( name )
3831     local count = 0
3832     for line in io.lines ( name ) do count = count + 1 end
3833     sprintL3
3834     ( string.format ( [[ \int_gset:Nn \g_@@_nb_lines_int { %i } ]], count ) )
3835 end

```

```

3836 function piton.CountNonEmptyLinesFile ( name )
3837     local count = 0
3838     for line in io.lines ( name ) do
3839         if not ( ( P " " ^ 0 * -1 ) : match ( line ) ) then
3840             count = count + 1
3841         end
3842     end
3843     sprintL3
3844     ( string.format ( [[ \int_set:Nn \l_@@_nb_non_empty_lines_int { %i } ]], count ) )
3845 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.

```

3846 function piton.ComputeRange(s,t,file_name)
3847     local first_line = -1
3848     local count = 0
3849     local last_found = false
3850     for line in io.lines ( file_name ) do
3851         if first_line == -1 then
3852             if string.sub ( line , 1 , #s ) == s then
3853                 first_line = count
3854             end
3855         else
3856             if string.sub ( line , 1 , #t ) == t then
3857                 last_found = true
3858                 break
3859             end
3860         end
3861         count = count + 1
3862     end
3863     if first_line == -1 then

```

```

3864     sprintL3 [[ \@@_error_or_warning:n { begin~marker~not~found } ]]
3865 else
3866     if last_found == false then
3867         sprintL3 [[ \@@_error_or_warning:n { end~marker~not~found } ]]
3868     end
3869 end
3870 sprintL3 (
3871     [[ \int_set:Nn \l_@@_first_line_int { ]] .. first_line .. ' + 2 }'
3872     .. [[ \int_set:Nn \l_@@_last_line_int { ]] .. count .. ' }' )
3873 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`.

```

3874 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).

```

3875     local lpeg_line_beamer
3876     if piton.beamer then
3877         lpeg_line_beamer =
3878             space ^ 0
3879             * P [[\begin{]] * beamerEnvironments * "]"
3880             * ( "<" * ( 1 - P ">" ) ^ 0 * ">" ) ^ -1
3881             +
3882             space ^ 0
3883             * P [[\end{]] * beamerEnvironments * "]"
3884     else
3885         lpeg_line_beamer = P ( false )
3886     end
3887
3887     local lpeg_empty_lines =
3888         Ct (
3889             ( lpeg_line_beamer * "\r"
3890               +
3891               P " " ^ 0 * "\r" * Cc ( 0 )
3892               +
3893               ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * "\r" * Cc ( 1 )
3894             ) ^ 0
3895             *
3896             ( lpeg_line_beamer + ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 1 * Cc ( 1 ) ) ^ -1
3897         )
3898         * -1
3899
3899     local lpeg_all_lines =
3900         Ct (
3901             ( lpeg_line_beamer * "\r"
3902               +
3903               ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 0 * "\r" * Cc ( 1 )

```

```

3904         ) ^ 0
3905         *
3906         ( lpeg_line_beamer + ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 1 * Cc ( 1 ) ) ^ -1
3907     )
3908     * -1

```

We begin with the computation of `piton.empty_lines`. It will be used in conjunction with `line-numbers`.

```

3909     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`).

```

3910     local lines_status
3911     local s = splittable
3912     if splittable < 0 then s = - splittable end
3913     if splittable > 0 then
3914         lines_status = lpeg_all_lines : match ( code )
3915     else

```

Here, we should try to copy `piton.empty_lines` but it's not easy.

```

3916         lines_status = lpeg_empty_lines : match ( code )
3917         for i , x in ipairs ( lines_status ) do
3918             if x == 0 then
3919                 for j = 1 , s - 1 do
3920                     if i + j > #lines_status then break end
3921                     if lines_status[i+j] == 0 then break end
3922                     lines_status[i+j] = 2
3923                 end
3924                 for j = 1 , s - 1 do
3925                     if i - j == 1 then break end
3926                     if lines_status[i-j-1] == 0 then break end
3927                     lines_status[i-j-1] = 2
3928                 end
3929             end
3930         end
3931     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.

```

3932     for j = 1 , s - 1 do
3933         if j > #lines_status then break end
3934         if lines_status[j] == 0 then break end
3935         lines_status[j] = 2
3936     end

```

Now, from the end of the code.

```

3937     for j = 1 , s - 1 do
3938         if #lines_status - j == 0 then break end
3939         if lines_status[#lines_status - j] == 0 then break end
3940         lines_status[#lines_status - j] = 2
3941     end

```

```

3942     piton.lines_status = lines_status
3943 end

```

### 10.3.15 To create new languages with the syntax of listings

```
3944 function piton.new_language ( lang , definition )
3945   lang = string.lower ( lang )

3946   local alpha , digit = lpeg.alpha , lpeg.digit
3947   local extra_letters = { "@" , "_" , "$" } -- $
```

The command `add_to_letter` (triggered by the key `)` 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.

```
3948   function add_to_letter ( c )
3949     if c ~= " " then table.insert ( extra_letters , c ) end
3950   end
```

For the digits, it's straitforward.

```
3951   function add_to_digit ( c )
3952     if c ~= " " then digit = digit + c end
3953   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 `}`).

```
3954   local other = S " :_@+*/<>!?.() [] ~^=#&\"'\\$ " -- $
3955   local extra_others = { }
3956   function add_to_other ( c )
3957     if c ~= " " then
```

We will use `extra_others` to retrieve further these characters from the list of the letters.

```
3958       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 `</...>`.

```
3959       other = other + P ( c )
3960     end
3961   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`.

```
3962   local def_table
3963   if ( S " , " ^ 0 * -1 ) : match ( definition ) then
3964     def_table = {}
3965   else
3966     local strict_braces =
3967       P { "E" ,
3968         E = ( "{" * V "F" * "}" + ( 1 - S " , {" } " ) ) ^ 0 ,
3969         F = ( "{" * V "F" * "}" + ( 1 - S "{ } " ) ) ^ 0
3970       }
3971     local cut_definition =
3972       P { "E" ,
3973         E = Ct ( V "F" * ( " , " * V "F" ) ^ 0 ) ,
3974         F = Ct ( space ^ 0 * C ( alpha ^ 1 ) * space ^ 0
3975           * ( "=" * space ^ 0 * C ( strict_braces ) ) ^ -1 )
3976       }
3977     def_table = cut_definition : match ( definition )
3978   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.).

```

3979 local tex_braced_arg = "{" * C ( ( 1 - P "}" ) ^ 0 ) * "}"
3980 local tex_arg = tex_braced_arg + C ( 1 )
3981 local tex_option_arg = "[" * C ( ( 1 - P "]" ) ^ 0 ) * "]" + Cc ( nil )
3982 local args_for_tag
3983   = tex_option_arg
3984     * space ^ 0
3985     * tex_arg
3986     * space ^ 0
3987     * tex_arg
3988 local args_for_morekeywords
3989   = "[" * C ( ( 1 - P "]" ) ^ 0 ) * "]"
3990     * space ^ 0
3991     * tex_option_arg
3992     * space ^ 0
3993     * tex_arg
3994     * space ^ 0
3995     * ( tex_braced_arg + Cc ( nil ) )
3996 local args_for_moredelims
3997   = ( C ( P "*" ^ -2 ) + Cc ( nil ) ) * space ^ 0
3998     * args_for_morekeywords
3999 local args_for_morecomment
4000   = "[" * C ( ( 1 - P "]" ) ^ 0 ) * "]"
4001     * space ^ 0
4002     * tex_option_arg
4003     * space ^ 0
4004     * 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`.

```

4005 local sensitive = true
4006 local style_tag , left_tag , right_tag
4007 for _ , x in ipairs ( def_table ) do
4008   if x[1] == "sensitive" then
4009     if x[2] == nil or ( P "true" ) : match ( x[2] ) then
4010       sensitive = true
4011     else
4012       if ( P "false" + P "f" ) : match ( x[2] ) then sensitive = false end
4013     end
4014   end
4015   if x[1] == "alsodigit" then x[2] : gsub ( "." , add_to_digit ) end
4016   if x[1] == "alsoletter" then x[2] : gsub ( "." , add_to_letter ) end
4017   if x[1] == "alsoother" then x[2] : gsub ( "." , add_to_other ) end
4018   if x[1] == "tag" then
4019     style_tag , left_tag , right_tag = args_for_tag : match ( x[2] )
4020     style_tag = style_tag or [[\PitonStyle{Tag}]]
4021   end
4022 end

```

Now, the LPEG for the numbers. Of course, it uses `digit` previously computed.

```

4023 local Number =
4024   K ( 'Number.Internal' ,
4025     ( digit ^ 1 * "." * # ( 1 - P "." ) * digit ^ 0
4026       + digit ^ 0 * "." * digit ^ 1
4027       + digit ^ 1 )
4028     * ( S "eE" * S "+-" ^ -1 * digit ^ 1 ) ^ -1
4029     + digit ^ 1
4030   )
4031 local string_extra_letters = ""
4032 for _ , x in ipairs ( extra_letters ) do
4033   if not ( extra_others[x] ) then
4034     string_extra_letters = string_extra_letters .. x

```

```

4035     end
4036 end
4037 local letter = alpha + S ( string_extra_letters )
4038     + P "â" + "ã" + "ç" + "ê" + "ë" + "ê" + "ë" + "î" + "ï"
4039     + "ô" + "û" + "ü" + "À" + "Á" + "Ç" + "É" + "È" + "Ê" + "Ë"
4040     + "Ī" + "Ī" + "Ō" + "Ū" + "Ū"
4041 local alphanum = letter + digit
4042 local identifier = letter * alphanum ^ 0
4043 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.

```

4044 local split_clist =
4045     P { "E" ,
4046         E = ( "[" * ( 1 - P "]" ) ^ 0 * "]" ) ^ -1
4047             * ( P "{" ) ^ 1
4048             * Ct ( V "F" * ( "," * V "F" ) ^ 0 )
4049             * ( P "}" ) ^ 1 * space ^ 0 ,
4050         F = space ^ 0 * C ( letter * alphanum ^ 0 + other ^ 1 ) * space ^ 0
4051     }

```

The following function will be used if the keywords are not case-sensitive.

```

4052 local keyword_to_lpeg
4053 function keyword_to_lpeg ( name ) return
4054     Q ( Cmt (
4055         C ( identifier ) ,
4056         function ( s , i , a ) return
4057             string.upper ( a ) == string.upper ( name )
4058         end
4059     )
4060 )
4061 end
4062 local Keyword = P ( false )
4063 local PrefixedKeyword = P ( false )

```

Now, we actually treat all the keywords and also the key `moreredirectives`.

```

4064 for _ , x in ipairs ( def_table )
4065 do if x[1] == "morekeywords"
4066     or x[1] == "otherkeywords"
4067     or x[1] == "moreredirectives"
4068     or x[1] == "moretexcs"
4069 then
4070     local keywords = P ( false )
4071     local style = [[\PitonStyle{Keyword}]]
4072     if x[1] == "moreredirectives" then style = [[\PitonStyle{Directive}]] end
4073     style = tex_option_arg : match ( x[2] ) or style
4074     local n = tonumber ( style )
4075     if n then
4076         if n > 1 then style = [[\PitonStyle{Keyword}] .. style .. "]" end
4077     end
4078     for _ , word in ipairs ( split_clist : match ( x[2] ) ) do
4079         if x[1] == "moretexcs" then
4080             keywords = Q ( [[\]] .. word ) + keywords
4081         else
4082             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*.

```

4083         then keywords = Q ( word ) + keywords
4084         else keywords = keyword_to_lpeg ( word ) + keywords
4085     end
4086 end

```

```

4087     end
4088     Keyword = Keyword +
4089         Lc ( "{" .. style .. "{" ) * keywords * Lc "}"
4090     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.

```

4091     if x[1] == "keywordsprefix" then
4092         local prefix = ( ( C ( 1 - P " " ) ^ 1 ) * P " " ^ 0 ) : match ( x[2] )
4093         PrefixedKeyword = PrefixedKeyword
4094             + K ( 'Keyword' , P ( prefix ) * ( letter ^ 1 + other ) )
4095     end
4096 end

```

Now, we scan the definition of the language (i.e. the table `def_table`) for the strings.

```

4097 local long_string = P ( false )
4098 local Long_string = P ( false )
4099 local LongString = P ( false )
4100 local central_pattern = P ( false )
4101 for _ , x in ipairs ( def_table ) do
4102     if x[1] == "morestring" then
4103         arg1 , arg2 , arg3 , arg4 = args_for_morekeywords : match ( x[2] )
4104         arg2 = arg2 or [[\PitonStyle{String.Long}]]
4105         if arg1 ~= "s" then
4106             arg4 = arg3
4107         end
4108         central_pattern = 1 - S ( " \r" .. arg4 )
4109         if arg1 : match "b" then
4110             central_pattern = P ( [[\]] .. arg3 ) + central_pattern
4111         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...

```

4112         if arg1 : match "d" or arg1 == "m" then
4113             central_pattern = P ( arg3 .. arg3 ) + central_pattern
4114         end
4115         if arg1 == "m"
4116         then prefix = B ( 1 - letter - ")" - "]" )
4117         else prefix = P ( true )
4118         end

```

First, a pattern *without captures* (needed to compute braces).

```

4119     long_string = long_string +
4120         prefix
4121         * arg3
4122         * ( space + central_pattern ) ^ 0
4123         * arg4

```

Now a pattern *with captures*.

```

4124     local pattern =
4125         prefix
4126         * Q ( arg3 )
4127         * ( SpaceInString + Q ( central_pattern ^ 1 ) + EOL ) ^ 0
4128         * Q ( arg4 )

```



We will need `Long_string` in the nested comments.

```

4129     Long_string = Long_string + pattern
4130     LongString = LongString +
4131         Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{" .. arg2 .. "{" ) * Cc "}" )
4132         * pattern
4133         * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
4134     end
4135 end

```

The argument of `Compute_braces` must be a pattern *which does no catching* corresponding to the strings of the language.

```

4136 local braces = Compute_braces ( long_string )
4137 if piton.beamer then Beamer = Compute_Beamer ( lang , braces ) end
4138
4139 DetectedCommands =
4140     Compute_DetectedCommands ( lang , braces )
4141     + Compute_RawDetectedCommands ( lang , braces )
4142
4143 LPEG_cleaner[lang] = Compute_LPEG_cleaner ( lang , braces )

```

Now, we deal with the comments and the delims.

```

4144 local CommentDelim = P ( false )
4145
4146 for _ , x in ipairs ( def_table ) do
4147     if x[1] == "morecomment" then
4148         local arg1 , arg2 , other_args = args_for_morecomment : match ( x[2] )
4149         arg2 = arg2 or [[\PitonStyle{Comment}]]

```

If the letter `i` is present in the first argument (eg: `morecomment = [si]{(*){*}}`), then the corresponding comments are discarded.

```

4150     if arg1 : match "i" then arg2 = [[\PitonStyle{Discard}]] end
4151     if arg1 : match "l" then
4152         local arg3 = ( tex_braced_arg + C ( P ( 1 ) ^ 0 * -1 ) )
4153             : match ( other_args )
4154         if arg3 == [[\#]] then arg3 = "#" end -- mandatory
4155         if arg3 == [[\%]] then arg3 = "%" end -- mandatory"
4156         CommentDelim = CommentDelim +
4157             Ct ( Cc "Open"
4158                 * Cc ( "{" .. arg2 .. "{" ) * Cc "}" )
4159                 * Q ( arg3 )
4160                 * ( CommentMath + Q ( ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0 -- $
4161                 * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
4162                 * ( EOL + -1 )
4163     else
4164         local arg3 , arg4 =
4165             ( tex_arg * space ^ 0 * tex_arg ) : match ( other_args )
4166         if arg1 : match "s" then
4167             CommentDelim = CommentDelim +
4168                 Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{" .. arg2 .. "{" ) * Cc "}" )
4169                 * Q ( arg3 )
4170                 * (
4171                     CommentMath
4172                     + Q ( ( 1 - P ( arg4 ) - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) -- $
4173                     + EOL
4174                 ) ^ 0
4175                 * Q ( arg4 )
4176                 * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
4177         end
4178         if arg1 : match "n" then
4179             CommentDelim = CommentDelim +
4180                 Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{" .. arg2 .. "{" ) * Cc "}" )
4181                 * P { "A" ,
4182                     A = Q ( arg3 )

```

```

4183         * ( V "A"
4184           + Q ( ( 1 - P ( arg3 ) - P ( arg4 )
4185               - S "\r$" ) ^ 1 ) -- $
4186           + long_string
4187           + "$" -- $
4188             * K ( 'Comment.Math' , ( 1 - S "$\r" ) ^ 1 ) --$
4189             * "$" -- $
4190           + EOL
4191         ) ^ 0
4192       * Q ( arg4 )
4193     }
4194   * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
4195 end
4196 end
4197 end

```

For the keys `moredelim`, we have to add another argument in first position, equal to `*` or `**`.

```

4198 if x[1] == "moredelim" then
4199   local arg1 , arg2 , arg3 , arg4 , arg5
4200   = args_for_moredelims : match ( x[2] )
4201   local MyFun = Q
4202   if arg1 == "*" or arg1 == "**" then
4203     function MyFun ( x )
4204       if x ~= '' then return
4205         LPEG1[lang] : match ( x )
4206       end
4207     end
4208   end
4209   local left_delim
4210   if arg2 : match "i" then
4211     left_delim = P ( arg4 )
4212   else
4213     left_delim = Q ( arg4 )
4214   end
4215   if arg2 : match "l" then
4216     CommentDelim = CommentDelim +
4217       Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{" .. arg3 .. "}" ) * Cc "}" )
4218     * left_delim
4219     * ( MyFun ( ( 1 - P "\r" ) ^ 1 ) ) ^ 0
4220     * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
4221     * ( EOL + -1 )
4222   end
4223   if arg2 : match "s" then
4224     local right_delim
4225     if arg2 : match "i" then
4226       right_delim = P ( arg5 )
4227     else
4228       right_delim = Q ( arg5 )
4229     end
4230     CommentDelim = CommentDelim +
4231       Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{" .. arg3 .. "}" ) * Cc "}" )
4232     * left_delim
4233     * ( MyFun ( ( 1 - P ( arg5 ) - "\r" ) ^ 1 ) + EOL ) ^ 0
4234     * right_delim
4235     * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
4236   end
4237 end
4238 end
4239
4240 local Delim = Q ( S "{[()]}")
4241 local Punct = Q ( S "=:;!\\" )
4242
4243 local Main =
4244   space ^ 0 * EOL
4245   + Space

```

```

4245     + Tab
4246     + Escape + EscapeMath
4247     + CommentLaTeX
4248     + Beamer
4249     + DetectedCommands
4250     + CommentDelim

```

We must put `LongString` before `Delim` because, in PostScript, the strings are delimited by parenthesis and those parenthesis would be caught by `Delim`.

```

4251     + LongString
4252     + Delim
4253     + PrefixedKeyword
4254     + Keyword * ( -1 + # ( 1 - alphanum ) )
4255     + Punct
4256     + K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , letter * alphanum ^ 0 )
4257     + Number
4258     + 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.

```

4259     LPEG1[lang] = Main ^ 0

```

The LPEG `LPEG2[lang]` is used to format general chunks of code.

```

4260     LPEG2[lang] =
4261     Ct (
4262         ( space ^ 0 * P "\r" ) ^ -1
4263         * beamerBeginEnvironments
4264         * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
4265         * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
4266         * ( space ^ 1 * -1 + space ^ 0 * EOL + Main ) ^ 0
4267         * -1
4268         * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
4269     )

```

If the key `tag` has been used. Of course, this feature is designed for the languages such as HTML and XML.

```

4270     if left_tag then
4271         local Tag = Ct ( Cc "Open" * Cc ( "{" .. style_tag .. "}" ) * Cc "}" )
4272         * Q ( left_tag * other ^ 0 ) -- $
4273         * ( ( 1 - P ( right_tag ) ) ^ 0 )
4274         / ( function ( x ) return LPEGO[lang] : match ( x ) end ) )
4275         * Q ( right_tag )
4276         * Ct ( Cc "Close" )
4277     MainWithoutTag
4278     = space ^ 1 * -1
4279     + space ^ 0 * EOL
4280     + Space
4281     + Tab
4282     + Escape + EscapeMath
4283     + CommentLaTeX
4284     + Beamer
4285     + DetectedCommands
4286     + CommentDelim
4287     + Delim
4288     + LongString
4289     + PrefixedKeyword
4290     + Keyword * ( -1 + # ( 1 - alphanum ) )
4291     + Punct
4292     + K ( 'Identifier.Internal' , letter * alphanum ^ 0 )
4293     + Number
4294     + Word
4295     LPEGO[lang] = MainWithoutTag ^ 0
4296     local LPEGaux = Tab + Escape + EscapeMath + CommentLaTeX
4297                   + Beamer + DetectedCommands + CommentDelim + Tag

```

```

4298 MainWithTag
4299     = space ^ 1 * -1
4300     + space ^ 0 * EOL
4301     + Space
4302     + LPEGaux
4303     + Q ( ( 1 - EOL - LPEGaux ) ^ 1 )
4304 LPEG1[lang] = MainWithTag ^ 0
4305 LPEG2[lang] =
4306     Ct (
4307         ( space ^ 0 * P "\r" ) ^ -1
4308         * beamerBeginEnvironments
4309         * Lc [[ \@@_begin_line: ]]
4310         * SpaceIndentation ^ 0
4311         * LPEG1[lang]
4312         * -1
4313         * Lc [[ \@@_end_line: ]]
4314     )
4315 end
4316 end

```

### 10.3.16 We write the files (key 'write') and join the files in the PDF (key 'join')

```

4317 function piton.join_and_write_files ( )
4318     for file_name , file_content in pairs ( piton.write_files ) do
4319         local file = io.open ( file_name , "w" )
4320         if file then
4321             file : write ( file_content )
4322             file : close ( )
4323         else
4324             sprintL3
4325                 ( [[ \@@_error_or_warning:nn { FileError } { } ]] .. file_name .. [ ] )
4326         end
4327     end

4328     for file_name , file_content in pairs ( piton.join_files ) do
4329         pdf.immediateobj("stream", file_content)
4330         tex.print
4331             (
4332                 [[ \pdfextension annot width Opt height Opt depth Opt ]]
4333                 ..

```

The entry /F in the PDF dictionary 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.

```

4334         [[ { /Subtype /FileAttachment /F 2 /Name /Paperclip}]
4335         ..
4336         [[ /Contents (File included by the key 'join' of piton) ]]
4337         ..

```

We recall that the value of file\_name comes from the key join, and that we have converted immediately 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 >.

```

4338         [[ /FS << /Type /Filespec /UF <]] .. file_name .. [>]]
4339         ..
4340         [[ /EF << /F \pdffeedback lastobj 0 R >> >> } ]]
4341     )
4342 end
4343 end
4344
4345
4346 </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 4.7 and 4.8

New key `\rowcolor`

The command `\label` redefined by `piton` is now compatible with `hyperref` (thanks to P. Le Scornet).

New key `label-as-zlabel`.

### Changes between versions 4.6 and 4.7

New key `rounded-corners`

### Changes between versions 4.5 and 4.6

New keys `tcolorbox`, `box`, `max-width` and `vertical-detected-commands`

New special color: `none`

### 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 computer languages with the syntax used by listings. Therefore, it's possible to say that virtually all the computer 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_tl` 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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