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**edipy**

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## INTRODUCTION

**edipy** came to help you to parse positional data easily. Just with a class declaration you can read texts and files.

### 1.1 Basic usage

With **edipy** you just need declare a class using **fields**

```
from datetime import date
from edipy import fields, parser

class Example(fields.EDIModel):
    name = fields.String(5)
    date = fields.Date(8, '%Y%m%d')
    description = fields.String(7)
    likes = fields.Integer(4)

data = 'EDIPY20190719AWESOME9999'
example = parser.parse(Example, data)

assert example.name == 'EDIPY'
assert example.date == date(2019, 7, 19)
assert example.description == 'AWESOME'
assert example.likes == 9999
```

### 1.2 Installation

You just need to install **edipy** library:

```
pip install edipy
```

### 1.3 Complex models

If you need to read data according an specific format, such as **ANSI X12**, you can create composed types.

```
from edipy import fields, parser

class ISASegment(fields.EDIModel):
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```
identifier = fields.Identifier("ISA")
content = fields.String(5)

class GSSegment(fields.EDIModel):
    identifier = fields.Identifier("GS")
    content = fields.String(5)

class ANSIX12(fields.EDIModel):
    isa = fields.Register(ISASegment, occurrences=1)
    gs = fields.Register(GSSegment, occurrences=2)

data = 'ISA*100*\r\nGS*200*GS*300*'
ansi = parser.parse(ANSIX12, data)

assert ansi.isa.identifier == 'ISA'
assert ansi.isa.content == '*100*'

assert len(ansi.gs) == 2
assert ansi.gs[0].identifier == 'GS'
assert ansi.gs[0].content == '*200*'
assert ansi.gs[1].content == '*300*'
```

## 1.4 Validators

There are basic validators that you can use or extend to check if data is correct.

```
from edipy import fields, parser, validators, exceptions

class User(fields.EDIModel):
    name = fields.String(10)
    age = fields.Integer(2, required=False, validators=[validators.MinValue(18)])
    email = fields.String(20, required=False, validators=[validators.Email()])

try:
    data = 'Someone 17someone@net.com '
    invalid_age = parser.parse(User, data)
except exceptions.ValidationError as e:
    print("MinValue: {}".format(e.message))

try:
    data = 'Someone 19someoneanet.com '
    invalid_email = parser.parse(User, data)
except exceptions.ValidationError as e:
    print("Email: {}".format(e.message))
```

Define which type, size and rules of validation for specific part of the data. There are many built-in fields but you can extend easily.

## 2.1 Built-in Fields

```
class edipy.fields.String(size, required=True, validators=None)
class edipy.fields.Integer(size, zfill=False, required=True, validators=None)
class edipy.fields.Identifier(identifier, required=True, validators=None)
class edipy.fields.Decimal(size, digits=0, required=True, validators=None)
class edipy.fields.DateTime(size, date_format, required=True, validators=None)
class edipy.fields.Date(size, date_format, required=True, validators=None)
class edipy.fields.Time(size, date_format, required=True, validators=None)
class edipy.fields.CompositeField(cls, occurrences=1, required=True)
class edipy.fields.Register(cls, occurrences=1, required=True)
class edipy.fields.Enum(values, required=True, validators=None)
```



## VALIDATORS

A validator takes a value and raise ValidationError if it doesn't meet some criteria.

### 3.1 Built-in validators

**class** edipy.validators.**Range** (*min\_value*, *max\_value*)

Validate if a value is within a specific range of values

#### Parameters

- **min\_value** – minimum value of the validation range.
- **max\_value** – maximum value of the validation range.

**class** edipy.validators.**MaxValue** (*max\_value*)

Validate if a value is greater than the limit

#### Parameters **max\_value** – maximum value allowed.

**class** edipy.validators.**MinValue** (*min\_value*)

Validate if a value is less than the limit

#### Parameters **min\_value** – minimum value allowed.

**class** edipy.validators.**Regex** (*pattern*)

Validates if a value matches the pattern

#### Parameters **pattern** – regular expression

**class** edipy.validators.**Email**

Validates if value is a valid email

### 3.2 How to extend

```
from edipy import validators, fields, exceptions, parser

class MyValidator(validators.Validator):

    def validate(self, value):
        if value != "edi":
            raise exceptions.ValidationError(message=u"Value should be edi")
        return True
```

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```
class ValidatorExample(fields.EDIModel):
    data = fields.String(3, validators=[MyValidator()])

try:
    data = 'aaa'
    example = parser.parse(ValidatorExample, data)
except exceptions.ValidationError as e:
    print(e.message)
```

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