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# **Chicken Turtle Util Documentation**

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Chicken Turtle Util (CTU) is a Python utility library. It was renamed to [pytil](#), for the latest version, see [pytil](#).

The API reference starts with an overview of all the features and then gets down to the nitty gritty details of each of them. Most of the reference provides examples. For a full overview of features see the module contents overview of the API reference and the table of contents of the user guide (in the sidebar) as they are complementary.

The API reference makes heavy use of a type language; for example, to describe exactly what arguments can be passed to a function.

Dependencies are grouped by module. For example, when using `chicken_turtle_util.data_frame`, you should `pip install 'chicken_turtle_util[data_frame]'`. To install dependencies of all modules, use `pip install 'chicken_turtle_util[all]'`. If you are not familiar with `pip`, see [pip's quickstart guide](#).

While all features are documented and tested, the API is changed frequently. When doing so, the [major version](#) is bumped and a changelog is kept to help upgrade. Fixes will not be backported. It is recommended to pin the major version in your `setup.py`, e.g. for 2.x.y:

```
install_requires = ['chicken_turtle_util==2.*', ...]
```

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# CHAPTER 1

## API reference

See modules for a short description of each modules. For a full listing of the contents of all modules, see the module contents overview.

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## Modules

<code>algorithms</code>	
<code>asyncio</code>	Extensions to asyncio.
<code>click</code>	<code>click</code> utilities
<code>configuration</code>	
<code>data_frame</code>	
<code>debug</code>	
<code>dict</code>	
<code>exceptions</code>	Exception classes: <i>UserException</i> and <i>InvalidOperationError</i> .
<code>function</code>	Function manipulation, like <code>functools</code> .
<code>hashlib</code>	<code>hashlib</code> additions
<code>http</code>	HTTP utilities.
<code>inspect</code>	Similar to <i>inspect</i> module.
<code>iterable</code>	Utility functions for working with iterables.
<code>logging</code>	Logging utilities.
<code>multi_dict</code>	multi-dict utilities. Multi-dicts can map keys to multiple values.
<code>observable</code>	Observable collections.
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<i>set</i>	Set utilities.
<i>sqlalchemy</i>	
<i>test</i>	Test utilities.

## chicken\_turtle\_util.asyncio

Extensions to asyncio.

Requires Python >=3.5

<i>stubborn_gather</i>	Stubbornly wait for awaitables, despite some of them raising
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`chicken_turtle_util.asyncio.stubborn_gather(*awaitables)`

Stubbornly wait for awaitables, despite some of them raising

Like a more stubborn version of `asyncio.gather`.

Continue until all awaitables have finished or have raised. If one or more awaitables raise, a new *Exception* is raised with the traceback and message of each exception as message. However, if all exceptions raised are *asyncio.CancelledError*, *asyncio.CancelledError* is raised instead.

If cancelled, cancels the (futures associated with the) awaitables.

**Parameters** *awaitables* : iterable(awaitable)

Awaitables to await

**Returns** *results* :: (any, ...)

Return of each awaitable. The return of `awaitables[i]` is `results[i]`.

## chicken\_turtle\_util.click

*click* utilities

<i>argument</i>	Like <i>click.argument</i> , but by default <code>required=True</code>
<i>assert_runs</i>	Invoke click command and assert it completes successfully
<i>option</i>	Like <i>click.option</i> , but by default <code>show_default=True</code> , <code>required=True</code>
<i>password_option</i>	Like <i>click.option</i> , but by default <code>prompt=True</code> , <code>hide_input=True</code> , <code>show_default=False</code> , <code>required=True</code> .

`chicken_turtle_util.click.assert_runs(*args, **kwargs)`

Invoke click command and assert it completes successfully

**Parameters** *\*args, \*\*kwargs*

`CliRunner.invoke` arguments, excluding `catch_exceptions`

**Returns** *result* : `click.testing.Result`



## chicken\_turtle\_util.exceptions

Exception classes: *UserException* and *InvalidOperationError*.

If you miss the ability to pass args to any of these exceptions, note that you actually can. For example:

```
>>> ex = Exception(1, 2, 3)
>>> ex.args
(1, 2, 3)
```

You can only use positional arguments though.

<code>exc_info</code>	Get <code>exc_info</code> tuple from exception
<code>InvalidOperationError</code>	When an operation is illegal/invalid (in the current state), regardless of what arguments you throw at it.
<code>UserException</code>	Exception with message to show the user.

### exception `chicken_turtle_util.exceptions.InvalidOperationError`

When an operation is illegal/invalid (in the current state), regardless of what arguments you throw at it.

An operation is a method/function call, the getting or setting of an attribute.

When the issue is with an argument, use `ValueError`, not this.

### exception `chicken_turtle_util.exceptions.UserException` (*message*, *\*args*)

Exception with message to show the user.

**Parameters** `message` : str

User-friendly message

## chicken\_turtle\_util.function

Function manipulation, like `functools`. Contains only *compose*, compose functions.

<code>compose</code>	Compose functions
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### `chicken_turtle_util.function.compose` (*\*functions*)

Compose functions

Like the `o` operator in math.

**Parameters** `functions` : collection(any -> any)

Collection of one or more functions to compose.

**Returns** any -> any

Function composed of *functions*

**Raises** `ValueError`

When `len(functions) < 1`

### Examples

`compose(f1, f2)` is equivalent to `f1 o f2`, or to `lambda x: f1(f2(x))`

## chicken\_turtle\_util.hashlib

hashlib additions

<i>base85_digest</i>	Get base 85 encoded digest of hash
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`chicken_turtle_util.hashlib.base85_digest` (*hash\_*)

Get base 85 encoded digest of hash

**Parameters** *hash\_* : hash

hashlib hash object. E.g. the return of `hashlib.sha512()`

**Returns** str

base 85 encoded digest

## chicken\_turtle\_util.http

HTTP utilities. Contains only *download*, download a http resource.

<i>download</i>	Download an HTTP resource to a file
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`chicken_turtle_util.http.download` (*url*, *destination*)

Download an HTTP resource to a file

**Parameters** *url* : str

HTTP resource to download

**destination** : `pathlib.Path`

Location at which to store downloaded resource. If *destination* does not exist, it's assumed to be a file path. If *destination* exists and is a file, it is overwritten. If *destination* exists and is a directory, the file will be saved inside the directory with as name the file name suggested by a server, if any, or the last part of the URL otherwise (excluding query and fragment parts).

**Returns** *path* : `pathlib.Path`

Path to the downloaded file.

**name** : str or None

File name suggested by the server or None if none was suggested.

## chicken\_turtle\_util.inspect

Similar to *inspect* module. Contains only function call inspect utilities

<i>call_args</i>	Get function call arguments as a single dict
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`chicken_turtle_util.inspect.call_args` (*f*, *args=()*, *kwargs={}*)

Get function call arguments as a single dict

**Parameters** *f* : function

The function of the function call

**args** : iterable(any)

Arguments of the function call

**kwargs** : {str => any}

Keyword arguments of the function call

**Returns** {arg\_name :: str => arg\_value :: any}

Dict of arguments including *args*, *kwargs* and any missing optional arguments of *f*.

## Examples

```
>>> def f(a=1, *my_args, k=None, **kwargs):
...     pass
...
>>> call_args(f)
{'a': 1, 'k': None, '*args': ()}
>>> call_args(f, [3])
{'a': 3, 'k': None, '*args': ()}
>>> call_args(f, [3], dict(k='some'))
{'a': 3, 'k': 'some', '*args': ()}
>>> call_args(f, [3, 4])
{'a': 3, 'k': None, '*args': (4,)}
>>> call_args(f, dict(other='some'))
{'a': 1, 'k': None, 'other': 'some', '*args': ()}
>>> def g():
...     pass
...
>>> call_args(g)
{}
```

## chicken\_turtle\_util.iterable

Utility functions for working with iterables. *sliding\_window*, ...

### See also

itertools more\_itertools

<i>flatten</i>	Flatten shallowly zero or more times
<i>is_sorted</i>	Get whether iterable is sorted ascendingly
<i>partition</i>	Split iterable into partitions
<i>sliding_window</i>	Iterate using a sliding window

`chicken_turtle_util.iterable.flatten(iterable, times=1)`

Flatten shallowly zero or more times

Does not flatten *str* and *bytes*. Order is stably maintained (i.e. no 2 items swap places, even if they're equal).

**Parameters** *iterable* : iterable(any) except *str* or *bytes*

Iterable to flatten. May be any iterable other than *str* or *bytes*. May have irregular depth.

**times** : int, optional

The number of times to flatten shallowly or, equivalently, the number of levels of depth to remove. Should be 0 or more.

**Yields** any

Items of iterable flattened to depth `depth(iterable) - times`

**Raises** **ValueError**

If input is invalid.

## Examples

```
>>> list(flatten([[2, 3], 1, [5, [7, 8]]]))
[2, 3, 1, 5, [7, 8]]
```

```
>>> list(flatten([[2, 3], 1, [5, [7, 8]]], times=2))
[2, 3, 1, 5, 7, 8]
```

```
>>> list(flatten([[2, 3], 1, [5, [7, 8]]], times=3))
[2, 3, 1, 5, 7, 8]
```

```
>>> flatten([iter([2, 3]), 1, [5, iter([7, 8])]])
iter([2, 3, 1, 5, iter([7, 8])])
```

```
>>> list(flatten([[2, 3], 1, [5, [7, 8]]], times=0))
[[2, 3], 1, [5, [7, 8]]]
```

`chicken_turtle_util.iterable.is_sorted(iterable)`

Get whether iterable is sorted ascendingly

**Parameters** **iterable** : iterable(comparable)

Iterable whose ordering to check

**Returns** bool

Whether iterable is sorted

`chicken_turtle_util.iterable.partition(iterable, key)`

Split iterable into partitions

**Parameters** **iterable** : iterable(item :: any)

Iterable to split into partitions

**key** : (item :: any) -> (partition\_id :: any)

Function that assigns an item of the iterable to a partition

**Returns** **partitioning** : {(partition\_id :: any)

Partitioning. Ordering of items is maintained within each *partition*. I.e. each *partition* is a subsequence of *iterable*.

`chicken_turtle_util.iterable.sliding_window(iterable, size=2)`

Iterate using a sliding window

**Parameters** **iterable** : iterable(any)

Iterable to slide a window across

**size** : int, optional

Window size

**Yields** (any, ...)

Iterator slices of size *size*, taken from start to end through the iterator.

**Raises** **ValueError**

When `ilen(iterable) < size` or `size < 1`

**See also:**

**more\_itertools.chunked** Divide iterable into (non-overlapping) chunks of given size

## Examples

```
>>> list(sliding_window(range(4)))
[(0,1), (1,2), (2,3)]
```

```
>>> list(sliding_window(range(4), size=3))
[(0,1,2), (1,2,3)]
```

```
>>> list(sliding_window(range(1)))
[]
```

## chicken\_turtle\_util.logging

Logging utilities.

<i>configure</i>	Configure root logger to log INFO to stderr and DEBUG to log file.
<i>set_level</i>	Temporarily change log level of logger

`chicken_turtle_util.logging.configure(log_file)`

Configure root logger to log INFO to stderr and DEBUG to log file.

The log file is appended to. Stderr uses a terse format, while the log file uses a verbose unambiguous format.

Root level is set to INFO.

**Parameters** **log\_file** : Path

File to log to

**Returns** **stderr\_handler** : logging.StreamHandler

Handler that logs to stderr

**file\_handler** : logging.FileHandler

Handler that logs to log\_file

`chicken_turtle_util.logging.set_level(logger, level)`

Temporarily change log level of logger

**Parameters** **logger** : str or Logger

Logger name

**level**

Log level to set

## Examples

```
>>> with set_level('sqlalchemy.engine', logging.INFO):
...     pass # sqlalchemy log level is set to INFO in this block
```

## chicken\_turtle\_util.multi\_dict

multi-dict utilities. Multi-dicts can map keys to multiple values.

A multi-dict (or multi map) is a dict that maps each key to one or more values.

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*MultiDict*

A multi-dict view of a {hashable => {hashable}} dict.

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**class** chicken\_turtle\_util.multi\_dict.**MultiDict** (dict\_)

A multi-dict view of a {hashable => {hashable}} dict.

A light wrapper offering a few methods for working with multi-dicts.

**Parameters** **dict\_** : {hashable => {hashable}}

Dict to access as a multi-dict

## Notes

A multi-dict (or multi map) is a dict that maps each key to one or more values.

MultiDicts provided by other libraries tend to be more feature rich, while this interface is far more conservative. Instead of wrapping, they provide an interface that mixes regular and multi-dict access. Additionally, other MultiDict's map keys to lists of values, allowing a key to map to the same value multiple times.

## chicken\_turtle\_util.observable

Observable collections. Only contains *Set* currently.

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*Set*

Observable set

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**class** chicken\_turtle\_util.observable.**Set** (\*args, \*\*kwargs)

Observable set

## chicken\_turtle\_util.path

Extensions to pathlib.

<code>assert_equals</code>	Assert 2 files are equal
<code>assert_mode</code>	Assert last 3 octal mode digits match given mode exactly
<code>chmod</code>	Change file mode bits
<code>hash</code>	Hash file or directory
<code>read</code>	Get file contents
<code>remove</code>	Remove file or directory (recursively), unless it's missing
<code>write</code>	Create or overwrite file with contents

`chicken_turtle_util.path.assert_mode(path, mode)`

Assert last 3 octal mode digits match given mode exactly

**Parameters** `path` : `pathlib.Path`

Path whose mode to assert

**mode** : `int`

Expected mode

`chicken_turtle_util.path.chmod(path, mode, operator='=', recursive=False)`

Change file mode bits

When recursively chmodding a directory, executable bits in `mode` are ignored when applying to a regular file. E.g. `chmod(path, mode=0o777, recursive=True)` would apply mode=0o666 to regular files.

Symlinks are ignored.

**Parameters** `path` : `Path`

Path to chmod

**mode** : `int`

Mode bits to apply, e.g. 0o777.

**operator** : '+' or '-' or '='

How to apply the mode bits to the file. If '=', assign mode, if '+', add to current mode, if '-', subtract from current mode.

**recursive** : `bool`

Whether to chmod recursively. If recursive, applies modes in a top-down fashion, like the chmod command.

`chicken_turtle_util.path.hash(path, hash_function=<built-in function openssl_sha512>)`

Hash file or directory

**Parameters** `path` : `pathlib.Path`

File or directory to hash

**hash\_function** : `() -> hash`

Function which returns hashlib hash objects

**Returns** `hash`

hashlib hash object of file/directory contents. File/directory stat data is ignored. The directory digest covers file/directory contents and their location relative to the directory being digested. The directory name itself is ignored.

`chicken_turtle_util.path.read(path)`

Get file contents

**Parameters** `path` : `pathlib.Path`

Path of file to read

**Returns** `str`

File contents

`chicken_turtle_util.path.remove(path, force=False)`

Remove file or directory (recursively), unless it's missing

On NFS file systems, if a directory contains `.nfs*` temporary files (sometimes created when deleting a file), it waits for them to go away.

**Parameters** `path` : `Path`

Path to remove

**force** : `bool`

If True, will remove files and directories even if they are read-only (as if first doing `chmod -R +w`)

`chicken_turtle_util.path.write(path, contents, mode=None)`

Create or overwrite file with contents

Missing parent directories of `path` will be created.

**Parameters** `path` : `pathlib.Path`

Path to file to write to

**contents** : `str`

Contents to write to file

**mode** : `int` or `None`

If set, also `chmod` file

## chicken\_turtle\_util.set

Set utilities. Contains only `merge_by_overlap`, merges overlapping sets in place.

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`merge_by_overlap`

Of a list of sets, merge those that overlap, in place.

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`chicken_turtle_util.set.merge_by_overlap(sets)`

Of a list of sets, merge those that overlap, in place.

The result isn't necessarily a subsequence of the original `sets`.

**Parameters** `sets` : `[{any}]`

Sets of which to merge those that overlap. Empty sets are ignored.

## Notes

Implementation is based on [this StackOverflow answer](#). It outperforms all other algorithms in the thread (visited at dec 2015) on python3.4 using a wide range of inputs.



## Examples

```
>>> merge_by_overlap([[1,2], set(), {2,3}, {4,5,6}, {6,7}])
[[1,2,3], {4,5,6,7}]
```

## chicken\_turtle\_util.test

Test utilities.

<code>assert_text_contains</code>	Assert long string contains given string
<code>assert_text_equals</code>	Assert long strings are equal
<code>assert_matches</code>	
<code>assert_search_matches</code>	
<code>temp_dir_cwd</code>	pytest fixture that sets current working directory to a temporary directory

`chicken_turtle_util.test.temp_dir_cwd(tmpdir)`

pytest fixture that sets current working directory to a temporary directory

`chicken_turtle_util.test.assert_text_contains(whole, part)`

Assert long string contains given string

`chicken_turtle_util.test.assert_text_equals(actual, expected)`

Assert long strings are equal

`chicken_turtle_util.test.assert_matches(actual, pattern, flags=0)`

`chicken_turtle_util.test.assert_search_matches(actual, pattern, flags=0)`

## Module contents overview

### algorithms

<code>multi_way_partitioning</code>
<code>spread_points_in_hypercube</code>
<code>toset_from_tosets</code>

### asyncio

<code>stubborn_gather</code>	Stubbornly wait for awaitables, despite some of them raising
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### click

<code>argument</code>	Like <code>click.argument</code> , but by default <code>required=True</code>
<code>assert_runs</code>	Invoke click command and assert it completes successfully
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option	Like <i>click.option</i> , but by default <code>show_default=True</code> , <code>required=True</code>
password_option	Like <i>click.option</i> , but by default <code>prompt=True</code> , <code>hide_input=True</code> , <code>show_default=False</code> , <code>required=True</code> .

## configuration

ConfigurationLoader
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## data\_frame

assert_equals
equals
replace_na_with_none
split_array_like

## debug

pretty_memory_info
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## dict

pretty_print_head
DefaultDict
invert
assign

## exceptions

exc_info	Get <code>exc_info</code> tuple from exception
<i>UserException</i>	Exception with message to show the user.
<i>InvalidOperationError</i>	When an operation is illegal/invalid (in the current state), regardless of what arguments you throw at it.

## function

<i>compose</i>	Compose functions
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## hashlib

<i>base85_digest</i>	Get base 85 encoded digest of hash
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## http

<i>download</i>	Download an HTTP resource to a file
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## inspect

<i>call_args</i>	Get function call arguments as a single dict
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## iterable

<i>sliding_window</i>	Iterate using a sliding window
<i>partition</i>	Split iterable into partitions
<i>is_sorted</i>	Get whether iterable is sorted ascendingly
<i>flatten</i>	Flatten shallowly zero or more times

## logging

<i>configure</i>	Configure root logger to log INFO to stderr and DEBUG to log file.
<i>set_level</i>	Temporarily change log level of logger

## multi\_dict

<i>MultiDict</i>	A multi-dict view of a {hashable => {hashable}} dict.
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## observable

<i>Set</i>	Observable set
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## path

<i>assert_equals</i>	Assert 2 files are equal
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<i>write</i>	Create or overwrite file with contents
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## pymysql

<i>patch</i>	
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## series

<i>assert_equals</i>	
<i>equals</i>	
<i>invert</i>	
<i>split</i>	

## set

<i>merge_by_overlap</i>	Of a list of sets, merge those that overlap, in place.
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## sqlalchemy

<i>log_sql</i>	
<i>pretty_sql</i>	

## test

<i>assert_text_contains</i>	Assert long string contains given string
<i>assert_text_equals</i>	Assert long strings are equal
<i>assert_matches</i>	
<i>assert_search_matches</i>	
<i>temp_dir_cwd</i>	pytest fixture that sets current working directory to a temporary directory

## CHAPTER 2

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### Python type language

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When documenting code, it is often necessary to refer to the type of an argument or a return. Here, I introduce a language for doing so in a semi-formal manner.

First off, I define these pseudo-types:

- iterable: something you can iterate over once (or more) using *iter*
- iterator: something you can call *next* on
- collection: something you can iterate over multiple times

I define the rest of the type language through examples:

```
pathlib.Path
```

Expects a *pathlib.Path*-like, i.e. anything that looks like a *pathlib.Path* (duck typing) is allowed. None is not allowed.

```
exact(pathlib.Path)
```

Expects a *Path* or derived class instance, so no duck typing (and no None).

```
pathlib.Path or None
```

Expect a *pathlib.Path*-like or None. When None is allowed it must be explicitly specified like this.

```
bool or int
```

Expect a boolean or an int.

```
{bool}
```

A set of booleans.

```
{any}
```

A set of anything.

```
{'apples' => bool, 'name' => str}
```

A dictionary with keys ‘apples’ and ‘name’ which respectively have a boolean and a string as value. (Note that the `:` token is already used by Sphinx, and `->` is usually used for lambdas, so we use `=>` instead).

```
dict(apples=bool, name=str)
```

Equivalent to the previous example.

```
Parameters
-----
field : str
dict_ : {field => bool}
```

A dictionary with one key, specified by the value of *field*, another parameter (but can be any expression, e.g. a global).

```
{apples => bool, name => str}
```

Not equivalent to the apples dict earlier. *apples* and *name* are references to the value used as a key.

```
(bool,)
```

Tuple of a single bool.

```
[bool]
```

List of 0 or more booleans.

```
[(bool, bool)]
```

List of tuples of boolean pairs.

```
[(first :: bool, second :: bool)]
```

Equivalent type compared to the previous example, but you can more easily refer to the first and second bool in your parameter description this way.

```
{item :: int}
```

Set of int. We can refer to the set elements as *item*.

```
iterable(bool)
```

Iterable of bool. Something you can call *iter* on.

```
iterator(bool)
```

Iterator of bool. Something you can call *next* on.

```
type_of(expression)
```

Type of expression, avoid when possible in order to be as specific as possible.

```
Parameters
-----
a : SomeType
b : type_of(a.nodes[0].key_function)
```

*b* has the type of the retrieved function.

```
(int, str, k=int) -> bool
```

Function that takes an int and a str as positional args, an int as keyword arg named 'k' and returns a bool.

```
func :: int -> bool
```

Function that takes an int and returns a bool. We can refer to it as *func*.





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## Developer documentation

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Documentation for developers/contributors of Chicken Turtle Util.

The project follows a [simple project](#) structure and associated workflow. Please read [its documentation](#).

## Project decisions

### API design

If it's a path, expect a *pathlib.Path*, not a *str*.

If extending a module from another project, e.g. *pandas*, use the same name as the module. While a `from pandas import *` would allow the user to access functions of the real *pandas* module through the extended module, we have no control over additions to the real *pandas*, which could lead to name clashes later on, so don't.

Decorators and context managers should not be provided directly but should be returned by a function. This avoids confusion over whether or not parentheses should be used `@f` vs `@f()`, and parameters can easily be added in the future.

If a module is a collection of instances of something, give it a plural name, else make it singular. E.g. *exceptions* for a collection of *Exception* classes, but *function* for a set of related functions operating on functions.

### API implementation

Do not prefix imports with underscore. When importing things, they also are exported, but *help* or Sphinx documentation will not include them and thus a user should realise they should not be used. E.g. `import numpy as np` in *module.py* can be accessed with *module.np*, but it isn't mentioned in *help(module)* or Sphinx documentation.



Semantic versioning is used (starting with v3.0.0).

### 4.1.2

Announce rename to pytil.

### 4.1.1

- Fixes:
  - add missing keys to `extras_require`: `hashlib`, `multi_dict`, `test`

### 4.1.0

- Backwards incompatible changes: None
- Enhancements/additions:
  - `click.assert_runs`: pass on extra args to `click's invoke()`
  - `path.chmod`, `path.remove`: ignore disappearing children instead of raising
  - Add `exceptions.exc_info`: `exc_info` tuple as seen in function parameters in the `traceback` standard module
  - Add `extras_require['all']` to `setup.py`: union of all extra dependencies
- Fixes:
  - `path.chmod`: do not follow symlinks
  - `iterable.flatten`: removed debug prints: `+`, `-`

- Internal / implementation details:
  - use simple project structure instead of Chicken Turtle Project
  - `pytest-catchlog` instead of `pytest-capturelog`
  - `extras_require['dev']`: test dependencies were missing
  - `test_http` created `existing_file` in working dir instead of in test dir

### v4.0.1

- Fixed: README formatting error

### v4.0.0

- Major:
  - `path.digest` renamed to `path.hash` (and added `hash_function` parameter)
  - renamed `cli` to `click`
  - require Python 3.5 or newer
  - Changed: `asyncio.stubborn_gather`:
    - \* raise `CancelledError` if all its awaitables raised `CancelledError`.
    - \* raise summary exception if any awaitable raises exception other than `CancelledError`
    - \* log exceptions, as soon as they are raised
- Minor:
  - Added:
    - \* `click.assert_runs`
    - \* `hashlib.base85_digest`
    - \* `logging.configure`
    - \* `path.assert_equals`
    - \* `path.assert_mode`
    - \* `test.assert_matches`
    - \* `test.assert_search_matches`
    - \* `test.assert_text_contains`
    - \* `test.assert_text_equals`
- Fixes:
  - `path.remove`: raised when `path.is_symlink()` or contains a symlink
  - `path.digest/hash`: directory hash collisions were more likely than necessary
  - `pymysql.patch`: change was not picked up in recent `pymysql` versions

## v3.0.1

- Fixed: README formatting error

## v3.0.0

- Removed:
  - `cli.Context`, `cli.BasicsMixin`, `cli.DatabaseMixin`, `cli.OutputDirectoryMixin`
  - `pyqt` module
  - `URL_MAX_LENGTH`
  - various `module: Object`, `PATH_MAX_LENGTH`
- Enhanced:
  - `data_frame.split_array_like`: columns defaults to `df.columns`
  - `sqlalchemy.pretty_sql`: much better formatting
- Added:
  - `algorithms.toset_from_tosets`: Create totally ordered set (toset) from tosets
  - `configuration.ConfigurationLoader`: loads a single configuration from one or more files directory according to XDG standards
  - `data_frame.assert_equals`: Assert 2 data frames are equal
  - `data_frame.equals`: Get whether 2 data frames are equal
  - `dict.assign`: assign one dict to the other through mutations
  - `exceptions.InvalidOperationError`: raise when an operation is illegal/invalid, regardless of the arguments you throw at it (in the current state).
  - `inspect.call_args`: Get function call arguments as a single dict
  - `observable.Set`: set which can be observed for changes
  - `path.chmod`: change file or directory mode bits (optionally recursively)
  - `path.digest`: Get SHA512 checksum of file or directory
  - `path.read`: get file contents
  - `path.remove`: remove file or directory (recursively), unless it's missing
  - `path.write`: create or overwrite file with contents
  - `series.assert_equals`: Assert 2 series are equal
  - `series.equals`: Get whether 2 series are equal
  - `series.split`: Split values
  - `test.temp_dir_cwd`: pytest fixture that sets current working directory to a temporary directory

## **v2.0.4**

No changelog

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