

5 WAYS TO CHECK IF A STRING CONTAINS ANOTHER STRING

PHP STRING

STRPOS()

Identifying the positions that a string holds in another string.

SUBSTR_COUNT()

A utility function that counts the number of occurrence of one string in another.

STRSTR()

Another awesome PHP utility function to check the number of occurrence of one string in another

PREG_MATCH()

We can also use regular expression to check if a string contains another string.

STR_CONTAINS()

The new PHP function to see if a string contains another string.

HAYSTACK FOLLOWED BY NEEDLE

All the above functions take the haystack (The string being searched on) and then the needle (the string being searched.)