Linux Ubuntu 22.4.5 Manual Pages on command 'aptitude-create-state-bundle.1'

$ man aptitude-create-state-bundle.1

APTITUDE-CREATE-ST(1)   Command-line reference   APTITUDE-CREATE-ST(1)

NAME

    aptitude-create-state-bundle - bundle the current aptitude state

SYNOPSIS

    aptitude-create-state-bundle [<options>...] <output-file>

DESCRIPTION

    Note

    This command is mostly for internal use and bug reporting in exceptional cases,

    it is not intended for end-users under normal circumstances.

    aptitude-create-state-bundle produces a compressed archive storing the files that

    are required to replicate the current package archive state. The following files

    and directories are included in the bundle:

    ? $HOME/.aptitude

    ?   /var/lib/aptitude

    ?   /var/lib/apt

    ?   /var/cache/apt/*.bin

    ?   /etc/apt

    ?   /var/lib/dpkg/status

    The output of this program can be used as an argument to aptitude-run-state-

    bundle(1).

OPTIONS

    --force-bzip2

Override the autodetection of which compression algorithm to use. By default, aptitude-create-state-bundle uses bzip2(1) if it is available, and gzip(1) otherwise. Passing this option forces the use of bzip2 even if it doesn't appear to be available.

--force-gzip

Override the autodetection of which compression algorithm to use. By default, aptitude-create-state-bundle uses bzip2(1) if it is available, and gzip(1) otherwise. Passing this option forces the use of gzip even if bzip2 is available.

--help

Print a brief usage message, then exit.

--print-inputs

Instead of creating a bundle, display a list of the files and directories that the program would include if it generated a bundle.

FILE FORMAT

The bundle file is simply a tar(1) file compressed with bzip2(1) or gzip(1), with each of the input directory trees rooted at ?.?.

SEE ALSO

aptitude-run-state-bundle(1), aptitude(8), apt(8)

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