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$ man lintian-info.1

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NAME

   lintian-info - give detailed information about Lintian's error tags

SYNOPSIS

   lintian-info [log-file...]

   lintian-info --tags tag ...

DESCRIPTION

   The lintian-info command parses the output of the lintian command and gives verbose

   information about the listed Lintian error tags, parses a Lintian override file and

   gives verbose information about the tags included, or (if given the -t or --tags

   option) explains a given tag or tags.

   If no log-file is specified on the command line, this command expects its input on

   stdin. Thus, the output of lintian can either be piped through lintian-info or a

   log file produced by lintian can be processed with this command. (Note, though,

   that the lintian command has a command line option -i to display the same results

   as lintian-info, so you will not normally need to pipe the output of lintian into

   this command.)

OPTIONS

   -a, --annotate

      Read from standard input or any files specified on the command line and search

      the input for lines formatted like Lintian override entries. For each one that

      was found, display verbose information about that tag.

-l, --list-tags

List all tags Lintian knows about in sorted order.

-h, --help

Display usage information and exit.

--include-dir dir

Use dir as an additional "Lintian root". The directory is expected have a

similar layout to the LINTIAN_ROOT (if it exists), but does not need to be a

full self-contained root.

Unlike lintian, lintian-info will not load any code from these additional

directories.

This option may appear more than once; each time adding an additional

directory.

Note: This option should be the very first if given.

--profile prof

Use the severities from the vendor profile prof when displaying tags. If the

profile name does not contain a slash, the default profile for that vendor is

chosen.

If not specified, lintian-info loads the best profile for the current vendor.

Please Refer to the Lintian User Manual for the full documentation of profiles.

-t, --tag, --tags

Rather than treating them as log file names, treat any command-line options as

tag names and display the descriptions of each tag.

--user-dirs, --no-user-dirs

By default, lintian will check $HOME and /etc for files supplied by the user or

the local sysadmin (e.g. profiles). This default can be disabled (and re-

enabled) by using --no-user-dirs (and --user-dirs, respectively).

These option can appear multiple times, in which case the of them to appear

determines the result.

Note: This option should be the very first if given.

EXIT STATUS

If -t or --tags was given and one or more of the tags specified were unknown, this

command returns the exit code 1. Otherwise, it always returns with exit code 0.

SEE ALSO

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