Rocky Enterprise Linux 9.2 Manual Pages on command 'logf.3'

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LOG(3)   Linux Programmer's Manual   LOG(3)

NAME

    log, logf, logl - natural logarithmic function

SYNOPSIS

    #include <math.h>

    double log(double x);

    float logf(float x);

    long double logl(long double x);

    Link with -lm.

  Feature Test Macro Requirements for glibc (see feature_test_macros(7)):

    logf(), logl():

       _ISOC99_SOURCE || _POSIX_C_SOURCE >= 200112L

         || /* Since glibc 2.19: */ _DEFAULT_SOURCE

         || /* Glibc versions <= 2.19: */ _BSD_SOURCE || _SVID_SOURCE

DESCRIPTION

    These functions return the natural logarithm of x.

RETURN VALUE

    On success, these functions return the natural logarithm of x.

    If x is a NaN, a NaN is returned.

    If x is 1, the result is +0.

    If x is positive infinity, positive infinity is returned.

    If x is zero, then a pole error occurs, and the functions return -HUGE_VAL, -HUGE_VALF, or

    -HUGE_VALL, respectively.

If x is negative (including negative infinity), then a domain error occurs, and a NaN (not a number) is returned.

ERRORS

See math_error(7) for information on how to determine whether an error has occurred when calling these functions.

The following errors can occur:

Domain error: x is negative

errno is set to EDOM. An invalid floating-point exception (FE_INVALID) is raised.

Pole error: x is zero

errno is set to ERANGE. A divide-by-zero floating-point exception (FE_DIVBYZERO) is raised.

ATTRIBUTES

For an explanation of the terms used in this section, see attributes(7).

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CONFORMING TO

C99, POSIX.1-2001, POSIX.1-2008.

The variant returning double also conforms to SVr4, 4.3BSD, C89.

BUGS

In glibc 2.5 and earlier, taking the log() of a NaN produces a bogus invalid floating-point (FE_INVALID) exception.

SEE ALSO

cbrt(3), clog(3), log10(3), log1p(3), log2(3), sqrt(3)

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