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### ***Rocky Enterprise Linux 9.2 Manual Pages on command 'iswalnum.3'***

#### ***\$ man iswalnum.3***

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

#### NAME

iswalnum - test for alphanumeric wide character

#### SYNOPSIS

```
#include <wctype.h>

int iswalnum(wint_t wc);
```

#### DESCRIPTION

The `iswalnum()` function is the wide-character equivalent of the `isalnum(3)` function. It tests whether `wc` is a wide character belonging to the wide-character class "alnum".

The wide-character class "alnum" is a subclass of the wide-character class "graph", and therefore also a subclass of the wide-character class "print".

Being a subclass of the wide-character class "print", the wide-character class "alnum" is disjoint from the wide-character class "cntrl".

Being a subclass of the wide-character class "graph", the wide-character class "alnum" is disjoint from the wide-character class "space" and its subclass "blank".

The wide-character class "alnum" is disjoint from the wide-character class "punct".

The wide-character class "alnum" is the union of the wide-character classes "alpha" and "digit". As such, it also contains the wide-character class "xdigit".

The wide-character class "alnum" always contains at least the letters 'A' to 'Z', 'a' to 'z' and the digits '0' to '9'.

## RETURN VALUE

The `iswalnum()` function returns nonzero if `wc` is a wide character belonging to the wide-character class "alnum". Otherwise, it returns zero.

## ATTRIBUTES

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

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## CONFORMING TO

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

## NOTES

The behavior of `iswalnum()` depends on the `LC_CTYPE` category of the current locale.

## SEE ALSO

`isalnum(3)`, `iswctype(3)`

## COLOPHON

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