NAME

Dpkg::Arch – handle architectures

DESCRIPTION

The Dpkg::Arch module provides functions to handle Debian architectures, wildcards, and mapping from and to GNU triplets.

No symbols are exported by default. The :all tag can be used to import all symbols. The :getters, :parsers, :mappers and :operators tags can be used to import specific symbol subsets.

FUNCTIONS

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$arch = get_raw_build_arch()
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Get the raw build Debian architecture, without taking into account variables from the environment.

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$arch = get_build_arch()
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Get the build Debian architecture, using DEB_BUILD_ARCH from the environment if available.

\$arch = get_raw_host_arch()

Get the raw host Debian architecture, without taking into account variables from the environment.

\$arch = get_host_arch()

Get the host Debian architecture, using DEB_HOST_ARCH from the environment if available.

@arch_list = get_valid_arches()

Get an array with all currently known Debian architectures.

- \$multiarch = gnutriplet_to_multiarch(\$gnutriplet)
 Map a GNU triplet into a Debian multiarch triplet.
- \$multiarch = debarch_to_multiarch(\$arch)
 Map a Debian architecture into a Debian multiarch triplet.
- \$gnutriplet = debarch_to_gnutriplet(\$arch)
 Map a Debian architecture into a GNU triplet.
- \$arch = gnutriplet_to_debarch(\$gnutriplet)
 Map a GNU triplet into a Debian architecture.
- \$bool = debarch_eq(\$arch_a, \$arch_b)
 Evaluate the equality of a Debian architecture, by comparing with another Debian architecture. No
 wildcard matching is performed.

\$bool = debarch_is(\$arch, \$arch_wildcard)
Evaluate the identity of a Debian architecture, by matching with an architecture wildcard.

\$bool = debarch_is_wildcard(\$arch)

Evaluate whether a Debian architecture is an architecture wildcard.

\$bool = debarch_is_illegal(\$arch, %options)
Validate an architecture name.

If the "positive" option is set to a true value, only positive architectures will be accepted, otherwise negated architectures are allowed.

- \$bool = debarch_is_concerned(\$arch, @arches)
 Evaluate whether a Debian architecture applies to the list of architecture restrictions, as usually found
 in dependencies inside square brackets.
- @array = debarch_list_parse(\$arch_list, %options)
 Parse an architecture list.

If the "positive" option is set to a true value, only positive architectures will be accepted, otherwise negated architectures are allowed.

CHANGES

Version 1.03 (dpkg 1.19.1)

New argument: Accept a "positive" option in **debarch_is_illegal**() and **debarch_list_parse**().

Version 1.02 (dpkg 1.18.19)

New import tags: ":all", ":getters", ":parsers", ":mappers", ":operators".

Version 1.01 (dpkg 1.18.5)

New functions: debarch_is_illegal(), debarch_list_parse().

Version 1.00 (dpkg 1.18.2) Mark the module as public.

SEE ALSO

dpkg-architecture (1).