

**NAME**

CPAN::Meta::Feature - an optional feature provided by a CPAN distribution

**VERSION**

version 2.140640

**DESCRIPTION**

A CPAN::Meta::Feature object describes an optional feature offered by a CPAN distribution and specified in the distribution's *META.json* (or *META.yml*) file.

For the most part, this class will only be used when operating on the result of the `feature` or `features` methods on a CPAN::Meta object.

**METHODS****new**

```
my $feature = CPAN::Meta::Feature->new( $identifier => \%spec );
```

This returns a new Feature object. The `%spec` argument to the constructor should be the same as the value of the `optional_feature` entry in the `distmeta`. It must contain entries for `description` and `prereqs`.

**identifier**

This method returns the feature's identifier.

**description**

This method returns the feature's long description.

**prereqs**

This method returns the feature's prerequisites as a [CPAN::Meta::Prereqs](#) object.

**BUGS**

Please report any bugs or feature using the CPAN Request Tracker. Bugs can be submitted through the web interface at <http://rt.cpan.org/Dist/Display.html?Queue=CPAN-Meta>

When submitting a bug or request, please include a test-file or a patch to an existing test-file that illustrates the bug or desired feature.

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