

NAME

missing - missing manual pages

DESCRIPTION

This manual page intends to document which manual pages are missing in various sections. Bug reports against the package **manpages-dev** or **manpages** were opened for all of them through the Debian Bug Tracking System (BTS). Some of these bug reports were reported upstream while some weren't. Upstream, however, is not able to create arbitrary manpages without additional information and additional spare time. Hence, it's completely useless to simply report them upstream.

Manpages represent an important means of documentation which can easily be read and converted into various formats. They are very helpful for checking how things work, rather than for a tutorial. If you notice that more pages are missing, please try to find additional information and report it as wishlist bug against this package.

If you are confident with the issue, please write up a preliminary manpage and attach it to the bug report. It doesn't matter if your English is bad or if you mixed up markup, as long as the content can be used as source for a new manpage. A detailed documentation on how to write manpages is available in [man\(7\)](#).

When writing manual pages please ensure that they are conforming with The Single UNIX Specification (see below). Linux ought to be conforming to this specification. Differences need to be documented, in additional sections, though.

MISSING PAGES

The following is a list of missing pages sorted by section and bug number. If you can contribute content or even a manual page, please send a mail to nnnnn@bugs.debian.org where *nnnnn* refers to the bug number from below.

Section 3 - Library calls

Bug#123999

- obstack_alloc(3)** - allocate memory
- obstack_free(3)** - free formerly allocated memory
- obstack_copy(3)** - allocate block with content
- obstack_copy0(3)** - allocate block with content, zero terminated
- obstack_blank(3)** - increase object size
- obstack_grow(3)** - increase object size with content
- obstack_grow0(3)** - increase object size with content, zero term.
- obstack_1grow(3)** - increase object size by 1 character
- obstack_ptr_grow(3)** - increase object size by value of pointer
- obstack_int_grow(3)** - increase object size by sizeof(int)
- obstack_finish(3)** - finish growing of an obstack object
- obstack_object_size(3)** - return the size of an obstack object
- obstack_room(3)** - available room in current chunk
- obstack_1grow_fast(3)** - fast increase object size by 1 character
- obstack_ptr_grow_fast(3)** - fast increase object by pointer value
- obstack_int_grow_fast(3)** - fast increase object size by sizeof(int)
- obstack_blank_fast(3)** - fast increase object size
- obstack_base(3)** - return tentative address of beginning
- obstack_next_free(3)** - return address of the first free byte
- obstack_object_size(3)** - return size of currently growing object
- obstack_alignment_mask(3)** - alter mask assignment
- obstack_chunk_size(3)** - return chunk size of given obstack
- obstack_init(3)** - initialize use of an obstack

Bug#172139

wcstol(3) - convert a wide-character string to a long integer

Bug#202022

iruserok_sa(3) - routines for returning a stream to a remote command (see [rcmd\(3\)](#)).

Bug#208856

cap_set_proc(3), **cap_get_proc(3)** - POSIX capability manipulation on processes

capsetp(3), **capgetp(3)** - Linux specific capability manipulation on arbitrary processes

Bug#349388

argp_parse(3) - main interface to argp.

Section 9 - Kernel routines

Bug#102724

Mandrake seems to deliver section 9 manual pages, though their source is obscure and they do seem to be out-dated. Nevertheless, some section 9 manpages would be nice, indeed.

Bug#179475

kapmd(9) - kernel APM thread

keventd(9) - manage hotplug events

khubd(9) - kernel USB hub daemon thread

kjournald(9) - maintain the filesystem journal

ksoftirqd(9) - software handling of incoming IRQs

kswapd(9) - kernel swap daemon thread

kupdated(9) - flush the journal

scsi_eh(9) - kernel SCSI error handler thread

SEE ALSO

[undocumented\(3\)](#), [undocumented\(7\)](#), [man\(7\)](#).

Debian Bug Tracking System at <<http://bugs.debian.org/manpages-dev>>, the Single UNIX Specification, Version 2, at <<http://www.opengroup.org/onlinepubs/007908799/toc.htm>>, the Single UNIX Specification, Version 3, at <<http://www.UNIX-systems.org/version3/>>.