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NAME

fmtmsg.h ? message display structures

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <fmtmsg.h>
```

DESCRIPTION

The <fmtmsg.h> header shall define the following symbolic constants:

- MM_HARD Source of the condition is hardware.
- MM_SOFT Source of the condition is software.
- MM_FIRM Source of the condition is firmware.
- MM_APPL Condition detected by application.
- MM_UTIL Condition detected by utility.
- MM_OPSYS Condition detected by operating system.
- MM_RECOVER Recoverable error.
- MM_NRECOV Non-recoverable error.
- MM_HALT Error causing application to halt.
- MM_ERROR Application has encountered a non-fatal fault.
- MM_WARNING Application has detected unusual non-error condition.

- MM_INFO Informative message.
- MM_NOSEV No severity level provided for the message.
- MM_PRINT Display message on standard error.
- MM_CONSOLE Display message on system console.

The table below indicates the null values and identifiers for `fmtmsg()` arguments. The `<fmtmsg.h>` header shall define the symbolic constants in the Identifier column, which shall have the type indicated in the Type column:

Argument	Type	Null-Value	Identifier
label	char *	(char*)0	MM_NULLLBL
severity	int	0	MM_NULLSEV
class	long	0L	MM_NULLMC
text	char *	(char*)0	MM_NULLTXT
action	char *	(char*)0	MM_NULLACT
tag	char *	(char*)0	MM_NULLTAG

The `<fmtmsg.h>` header shall also define the following symbolic constants for use as return values for `fmtmsg()`:

- MM_OK The function succeeded.
- MM_NOTOK The function failed completely.
- MM_NOMSG The function was unable to generate a message on standard error, but otherwise succeeded.
- MM_NOCON The function was unable to generate a console message, but otherwise succeeded.

The following shall be declared as a function and may also be defined as a macro. A function prototype shall be provided.

```
int fmtmsg(long, const char *, int,
           const char *, const char *, const char *);
```

The following sections are informative.

APPLICATION USAGE

None.

RATIONALE

None.

FUTURE DIRECTIONS

None.

SEE ALSO

The System Interfaces volume of POSIX.1-2017, `fmtmsg()`

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