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**\$ man log1p.3**

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NAME

`log1p, log1pf, log1pl` - logarithm of 1 plus argument

## SYNOPSIS

```
#include <math.h>

double log1p(double x);

float log1pf(float x);

long double log1pl(long double x);
```

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Feature Test Macro Requirements for glibc (see `feature_test_macros(7)`):

log1p():

```
_ISOC99_SOURCE || _POSIX_C_SOURCE >= 200112L
|| _XOPEN_SOURCE >= 500
|| /* Since glibc 2.19: */ _DEFAULT_SOURCE
|| /* Glibc versions <= 2.19: */ _BSD_SOURCE || _SVID_SOURCE
```

`log1pf()`, `log1pl()`:

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## DESCRIPTION

These functions return a value equivalent to

$$\log(1+x)$$

The result is computed in a way that is accurate even if the value of  $x$  is very small.

is near zero.

## RETURN VALUE

On success, these functions return the natural logarithm of  $(1 + x)$ .

If  $x$  is a NaN, a NaN is returned.

If  $x$  is positive infinity, positive infinity is returned.

If  $x$  is -1, a pole error occurs, and the functions return -HUGE\_VAL,

-HUGE\_VALF, or -HUGE\_VALL, respectively.

If  $x$  is less than -1 (including negative infinity), a domain error occurs,

and a NaN (not a number) is returned.

## ERRORS

See `math_error(7)` for information on how to determine whether an error has occurred when calling these functions.

The following errors can occur:

Domain error:  $x$  is less than -1

`errno` is set to EDOM (but see BUGS). An invalid floating-point exception (FE\_INVALID) is raised.

Pole error:  $x$  is -1

`errno` is set to ERANGE (but see BUGS). A divide-by-zero floating-point exception (FE\_DIVBYZERO) is raised.

## ATTRIBUTES

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

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?Interface                   ? Attribute   ? Value   ?

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?`log1p()`, `log1pf()`, `log1pl()` ? Thread safety ? MT-Safe ?

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## CONFORMING TO

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

## BUGS

Before version 2.22, the glibc implementation did not set `errno` to EDOM when a domain error occurred.

Before version 2.22, the glibc implementation did not set `errno` to

ERANGE when a range error occurred.

## SEE ALSO

[exp\(3\)](#), [expm1\(3\)](#), [log\(3\)](#)

## COLOPHON

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