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date - Print or set the system date and time

SYNOPSIS

date [-d|--date] [-f|--file] [-I|--iso-8601] [--resolution] [-R|--rfc-email] [--rfc-3339]
[--debug] [-r|--reference] [-s|--set] [-u|--universal] [-h|--help] [-V|--version] [format]

DESCRIPTION

Print or set the system date and time

OPTIONS

-d, --date <STRING>

display time described by STRING, not 'now'

-f, --file <DATEFILE>

like --date; once for each line of DATEFILE

-I, --iso-8601 [<FMT>]

output date/time in ISO 8601 format. FMT='date' for date only (the default),

'hours', 'minutes', 'seconds', or 'ns' for date and time to the indicated precision.

Example: 2006-08-14T02:34:56-06:00

Possible values:

? date

? hours

? minutes

? seconds

? ns

--resolution

output the available resolution of timestamps Example: 0.000000001

-R, --rfc-email

output date and time in RFC 5322 format. Example: Mon, 14 Aug 2006 02:34:56 -0600

--rfc-3339 <FMT>

output date/time in RFC 3339 format. FMT='date', 'seconds', or 'ns' for date and time to the indicated precision. Example: 2006-08-14 02:34:56-06:00

Possible values:

? date

? seconds

? ns

--debug

annotate the parsed date, and warn about questionable usage to stderr

-r, --reference <FILE>

display the last modification time of FILE

-s, --set <STRING>

set time described by STRING

-u, --universal

print or set Coordinated Universal Time (UTC)

-h, --help

Print help

-V, --version

Print version

[format]

VERSION

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