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lstat_file

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Synopsis

Get information about a symbolic link

Syntax

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Struct_Type lstat_file (String_Type file)
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Description

The lstat_file function behaves identically to stat_file but if file is a symbolic link, lstat_file returns information about the link itself, and not the file that it references.

See the documentation for stat_file for more information.

On systems that do not support symbolic links, there is no difference between this function and the stat_file function.

See Also

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chdir, chmod, chown, listdir, mkfifo, open, readlink, stat_file, stat_is, umask

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