



AHELP for CIAO 3.4

sizeof_pack

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Synopsis

Compute the size implied by a pack format string

Syntax

```
UInt_Type sizeof_pack (String_Type fmt)
```

Description

The sizeof_pack function returns the size of the binary string represented by the format string fmt. This information may be needed when reading a structure from a file.

See Also

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