NAME

IO::Socket::SSL::PublicSuffix - provide access to Mozilla's list of effective TLD names

SYNOPSIS

```
# use builtin default
  use IO::Socket::SSL::PublicSuffix;
   $ps = IO::Socket::SSL::PublicSuffix->default;
   # load from string
   $ps = IO::Socket::SSL::PublicSuffix->from_string("*.uk\n*");
   # load from file or file handle
   $ps = IO::Socket::SSL::PublicSuffix->from_file($filename);
  $ps = IO::Socket::SSL::PublicSuffix->from_file(\*STDIN);
   # --- string in -> string out
   # $rest -> whatever.host
   # $tld -> co.uk
  my ($rest,$tld) = $ps->public_suffix('whatever.host.co.uk');
  my $tld = $ps->public_suffix('whatever.host.co.uk');
   # $root_domain -> host.co.uk
  my $root_domain = $ps->public_suffix('whatever.host.co.uk', 1);
   # --- array in -> array out
   # $rest -> [qw(whatever host)]
   # $tld -> [qw(co uk)]
  my ($rest,$tld) = $ps->public_suffix([qw(whatever host co uk)]);
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   # To update this file with the current list:
  perl -MIO::Socket::SSL::PublicSuffix -e 'IO::Socket::SSL::PublicSuffix::updat
```

DESCRIPTION

This module uses the list of effective top level domain names from the mozilla project to determine the public top level domain for a given hostname.

Method

```
class->default(%args)
```

Returns object with builtin default. min_suffix can be given in %args to specify the minimal suffix, default is 1.

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class->from_string(string,%args)
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Returns object with configuration from string. See method default for % args.

```
class->from file(file name| file handle, %args)
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Returns object with configuration from file or file handle. See method default for %args.

```
$self->public_suffix( $host\\@host, [ $add ] )
```

In array context the function returns the non-tld part and the tld part of the given hostname, in scalar context only the tld part. It adds \$add parts of the non-tld part to the tld, e.g. with \$add=1 it will return the root domain.

If there were no explicit matches against the public suffix configuration it will fall back to a suffix of length 1.

The function accepts a string or an array-ref (e.g. host split by .). In the first case it will return

string(s), in the latter case array–ref(s).

International hostnames or labels can be in ASCII (IDNA form starting with xn--) or unicode. In the latter case an IDNA handling library like Net::IDN:::Encode, Net::LibIDN or recent versions of URI need to be installed.

(\$self|class)->can_idn

Returns true if IDN support is available.

FILES

http://publicsuffix.org/list/effective_tld_names.dat

SEE ALSO

Domain::PublicSuffix, Mozilla::PublicSuffix

BUGS

- Q: Why yet another module, we already have L<Domain::PublicSuffix> and L<Mozilla::PublicSuffix>.
- A: Because the public suffix data change more often than these modules do, IO::Socket::SSL needs this list and it is more easy this way to keep it up-to-date.

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