NAME

deb−conffiles − package conffiles

SYNOPSIS

conffiles

DESCRIPTION

A package declares its list of conffiles by including a *conffiles* file in its control archive (i.e. *DEBIAN/conffiles* during package creation).

This file contains a list of files, one per line. They should be listed as absolute pathnames, and should exist in the binary package, otherwise **dpkg**(1) will ignore them (although by default **dpkg−deb**(1) will refuse to build such binary packages). Trailing whitespace will be trimmed, and empty lines will be ignored.

EXAMPLE

/etc/alternatives/README
/etc/cron.daily/dpkg
/etc/dpkg/dpkg.cfg
/etc/logrotate.d/dpkg

SEE ALSO

dpkg−deb(1), **dpkg**(1).