

# libcore Reference

core namespace, version 0.1.61

## type keywords and aliases

<i>supertype</i>	<i>T</i>	
<i>bool</i>	<i>()</i> , <i>:nil</i> are false, otherwise true	
<i>condition</i>	keyword, see <b>Exception</b>	
<i>list</i>	<i>:cons</i> or <i>()</i> , <i>:nil</i>	
<i>frame</i>	<i>cons</i> , see <b>Frame</b>	
<i>ns</i>	<i>:ns</i> or <i>()</i> , see <b>Namespace</b>	
<i>:null</i>	<i>()</i> , <i>:nil</i>	
<i>:char</i>	<i>char</i>	
<i>:cons</i>	<i>cons</i>	
<i>:fixnum</i>	<i>fixnum</i> , <i>fix</i>	56 bit signed integer
<i>:float</i>	<i>float</i> , <i>fl</i>	32 bit IEEE float
<i>:func</i>	<i>function</i> , <i>fn</i>	function
<i>:keyword</i>	<i>keyword</i> , <i>key</i>	symbol
<i>:ns</i>	<i>namespace</i> , <i>ns</i>	namespace
<i>:stream</i>	<i>stream</i>	file or string type
<i>:struct</i>	<i>struct</i>	typed vector
<i>:symbol</i>	<i>symbol</i> , <i>sym</i>	LISP-1 symbol
<i>:vector</i>	<i>vector</i> , <i>string</i>	
	<i>:char</i> <i>:t</i> <i>:byte</i> <i>:fixnum</i> <i>:float</i>	

## Heap

<b>heap-info</b>	<i>vector</i>	heap information
	<i>#(:t type pages pagesize)</i>	
<b>heap-stat</b>	<i>vector</i>	heap allocations
	<i>#(:t :type size total free ...)</i>	
<b>heap-size</b> <i>T</i>	<i>fixnum</i>	heap occupancy

## Frame

<b>frames</b>	<i>list</i>	active frames
<b>frame-pop</b> <i>fn</i>	<i>fn</i>	pop function's top frame binding
	<i>frame binding: (fn . #(:t ...))</i>	
<b>frame-push</b> <i>frame</i>	<i>cons</i>	push frame binding
<b>frame-ref</b> <i>fix fix</i>	<i>T</i>	frame id, offset

## Symbol

<b>boundp</b> <i>symbol</i>	<i>bool</i>	is <i>symbol</i> bound?
<b>make-symbol</b> <i>string</i>	<i>symbol</i>	uninterned <i>symbol</i>
<b>makunbound</b> <i>string</i>	<i>symbol</i>	unbound <i>symbol</i>
<b>symbol-ns</b> <i>symbol</i>	<i>key</i>	namespace
<b>symbol-name</b> <i>symbol</i>	<i>string</i>	name binding
<b>symbol-value</b> <i>symbol</i>	<i>T</i>	value binding

## Special Forms

<b>:lambda</b> <i>list</i> . <i>List'</i>	<i>function</i>	anonymous function
<b>:quote</b> <i>form</i>	<i>list</i>	quoted form
<b>:if</b> <i>form T T'</i>	<i>T</i>	conditional

## Core

<b>apply</b> <i>fn list</i>	<i>T</i>	apply <i>function</i> to <i>list</i>
<b>eval</b> <i>form</i>	<i>T</i>	evaluate <i>form</i>
<b>eq</b> <i>T T'</i>	<i>bool</i>	<i>T</i> and <i>T'</i> identical?
<b>type-of</b> <i>T</i>	<i>key</i>	type keyword
<b>compile</b> <i>form</i>	<i>T</i>	lib form compiler
<b>view</b> <i>form</i>	<i>vector</i>	vector of object
<b>utime</b>	<i>fixnum</i>	elapsed time usec
<b>%if</b> <i>T T' T''</i>	<i>key</i>	<b>:if</b> implementation
<b>repr</b> <i>type T</i>	<i>T</i>	tag representation
	<i>type</i>	<i>:t</i> <i>:vector</i>

if type is *:vector*, return 8 byte  
byte vector of argument tag bits,  
otherwise convert argument byte  
vector to tag.

<b>fix</b> <i>fn form</i>	<i>T</i>	fixpoint of <i>function</i>
<b>gc</b>	<i>bool</i>	garbage collection
<b>*version*</b>	<i>string</i>	version string

## Future

<b>defer</b> <i>fn list</i>	<i>struct</i>	future application
<b>detach</b> <i>fn list</i>	<i>struct</i>	future application
<b>force</b> <i>struct</i>	<i>T</i>	force completion
<b>poll</b> <i>struct</i>	<i>bool</i>	poll completion

## Fixnum

<b>product</b> <i>fix fix'</i>	<i>fixnum</i>	product
<b>sum</b> <i>fix fix'</i>	<i>fixnum</i>	sum
<b>difference</b> <i>fix fix'</i>	<i>fixnum</i>	difference
<b>less-than</b> <i>fix fix'</i>	<i>bool</i>	<i>fix &lt; fix'?</i>
<b>quotient</b> <i>fix fix'</i>	<i>fixnum</i>	quotient
<b>ash</b> <i>fix fix'</i>	<i>fixnum</i>	arithmetic shift
<b>logand</b> <i>fix fix'</i>	<i>fixnum</i>	bitwise and
<b>logor</b> <i>fix fix'</i>	<i>fixnum</i>	bitwise or
<b>lognot</b> <i>fix</i>	<i>fixnum</i>	bitwise complement

## Float

<b>fl-mul</b> <i>fl fl'</i>	<i>float</i>	product
<b>fl-add</b> <i>fl fl'</i>	<i>float</i>	sum
<b>fl-sub</b> <i>fl fl'</i>	<i>float</i>	difference
<b>fl-lt</b> <i>fl fl'</i>	<i>bool</i>	<i>fl &lt; fl'?</i>
<b>fl-div</b> <i>fl fl'</i>	<i>float</i>	quotient

## Conses/Lists

<b>append</b> <i>list T</i>	<i>list</i>	append
<b>car</b> <i>list</i>	<i>list</i>	head of <i>list</i>
<b>cdr</b> <i>list</i>	<i>T</i>	tail of <i>list</i>
<b>cons</b> <i>T T'</i>	<i>cons</i>	( <i>form</i> . <i>form'</i> )
<b>length</b> <i>list</i>	<i>fixnum</i>	length of <i>list</i>
<b>nth</b> <i>fix list</i>	<i>T</i>	<i>nth</i> car of <i>list</i>
<b>nthcdr</b> <i>fix list</i>	<i>T</i>	<i>nth</i> cdr of <i>list</i>

## Vector

<b>make-vector</b> <i>key list</i>	<i>vector</i>	specialized vector from <i>list</i>
<b>vector-len</b> <i>vector</i>	<i>fixnum</i>	length of <i>vector</i>
<b>vector-ref</b> <i>vector fix</i>	<i>T</i>	<i>nth</i> element
<b>vector-type</b> <i>vector</i>	<i>key</i>	type of <i>vector</i>

## Reader/Printer

<b>read</b> <i>stream bool T</i>	<i>T</i>	read stream object
<b>write</b> <i>T bool stream</i>	<i>T</i>	write escaped object

## Struct

<b>make-struct</b> <i>key list</i>	<i>struct</i>	of type <i>key</i> from <i>list</i>
<b>struct-type</b> <i>struct</i>	<i>key</i>	<i>struct</i> type keyword
<b>struct-vec</b> <i>struct</i>	<i>vector</i>	of <i>struct</i> members

## Exception n

**unwind-protect** *fn fn' T* catch exception

```
fn - (:lambda (obj cond src) . body)
fn' - (:lambda () . body)
```

**raise** *T keyword* raise exception with condition

```
:arity :eof :open :read
:syscall :write :error :syntax
:type :sigint :div0 :stream
:range :except :future :ns
:over :under :unbound :return
```

## Streams n

**\*standard-input\*** *stream* std input *stream*  
**\*standard-output\*** *stream* std output *stream*  
**\*error-output\*** *stream* std error *stream*

**open** *type dir string stream* open *stream*

```
type :file :string
dir :input :output :bidir
```

**close** *stream bool* close *stream*  
**openp** *stream bool* is *stream* open?

**flush** *stream bool* flush output *stream*  
**get-string** *stream string* from *string stream*

**read-byte** *stream bool T*  
*byte* read *byte* from *stream*, error on eof, *T*: eof value

**read-char** *stream bool T*  
*char* read *char* from *stream*, error on eof, *T*: eof value

**unread-char** *char stream*  
*char* push *char* onto *stream*

**write-byte** *byte stream byte* write *byte* to *stream*  
**write-char** *char stream char* write *char* to *stream*

## Namespace Exception

**make-ns** *string ns* make *namespace*  
**ns-map** *ns list* list of mapped *namespaces*  
**ns-name** *ns string* *namespace* name  
**unintern** *ns string symbol* unintern symbol  
**intern** *ns string value symbol* intern bound symbol  
**find-ns** *string ns* map *string* to *namespace*  
**find** *ns string symbol* map *string* to *symbol*  
**symbols** *types ns list* *namespace symbols*

## Features 1

[dependencies]  
default = [ "nix", "std", "sysinfo" ]

**nix** uname  
**std** command, exit  
**sysinfo** sysinfo (disabled on macOS)

## librt API 1

[dependencies]  
mu = {  
git = "https://github.com/Software-Knife-and-Tool/mu.git",  
branch=main  
}

use libcore::{Condition, Config, Env, Exception, Result, Tag}

config string format: "npages:N,gcmode:GCMODE"  
GCMODE - { none, auto, demand }

If the `signal_exception()` interface is called, ^C will generate a `:sigint` exception.

```
impl Env {
  const VERSION: &str
  fn signal_exception()
  fn config(config: Option<String>) -> Option<Config>
  fn new(config: &Config) -> Mu
  fn apply(&self, func: Tag, args: Tag) -> Result<Tag>
  fn compile(&self, form: Tag) -> Result<Tag>
  fn eq(&self, func: Tag, args: Tag) -> bool;
  fn exception_string(&self, ex: Exception) -> String
  fn eval(&self, exp: Tag) -> Result<Tag>
  fn eval_str(&self, exp: &str) -> Result<Tag>
  fn load(&self, file_path: &str) -> Result<bool>
  fn load_image(&self, path: &str) -> Result<bool>;
  fn read(&self, st: Tag, eofp: bool, eof: Tag) -> Result<Tag>
  fn read_str(&self, str: &str) -> Result<Tag>
  fn save_and_exit(&self, path: &str) -> Result<bool>
  fn err_out(&self) -> Tag
  fn std_in(&self) -> Tag
  fn std_out(&self) -> Tag
  fn write(&self, exp: Tag, esc: bool, st: Tag) -> Result<()>
  fn write_str(&self, str: &str, st: Tag) -> Result<()>
  fn write_to_string(&self, exp: Tag, esc: bool) -> String
}
```

## Reader Syntax x

```
; comment to end of line
#|...|# block comment

'form quoted form

`form backquoted form
`(...) backquoted list (proper lists)
,form eval backquoted form
,@form eval-splice backquoted form

(...) constant list
() empty list, prints as :nil
(...) dotted list
"..." string, char vector
| single escape in strings

#x... hexadecimal fixnum
#. read-time eval
#\ char
#(:type ...) vector
#s(:type ...) struct
#:symbol uninterned symbol

"`,; terminating macro char
# non-terminating macro char

!$%&*+- . symbol constituents
<=>?@[|
: ^_{ } ~ /
A..Za..z
0..9

0x09 #\tab whitespace
0x0a #\linefeed
0x0c #\page
0x0d #\return
0x20 #\space
```

## mu-sys 4

**mu-sys: x.y.z: [-h?pvcelq0] [file...]**

```
? : usage message
h : usage message
c : [name:value,...]
e : eval [form] and print result
l : load [path]
p : pipe mode (no repl)
q : eval [form] quietly
v : print version and exit
0 : null terminate
```