

erl2latex PDF Build Script

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#!/usr/bin/env escript
%%! -smp enable

-include_lib("kernel/include/file.hrl").

main(Args) ->
  try code:add_path(path()),
      chk_args(Args) of
      {F, Opts} ->
        case erl2pdf:file(F, Opts) of
          ok ->
            return_ok();
          _Error ->
            rpt("Conversion to PDF failed.\n", []),
            return_error()
        end;
      OtherArgs ->
        rpt("Bad args (~p).\n"
            "Usage: make_pdf Src Target\n", [OtherArgs]),
        return_error()
    catch
      error:E ->
        rpt("Exception (~p)\n", [E]),
        return_error()
    end.

chk_args(Args) ->
  chk_args(Args, {undefined,[]}).

chk_args(["-o",Out|Args], {Src,Opts}) ->
  chk_args(Args, {Src,[{outdir,Out}|Opts]});
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chk_args(["-keep_temp"|Args], {Src, Opts}) ->
    chk_args(Args, {Src, [keep_temp|Opts]});
chk_args([Src|Args], {_, Opts}) ->
    chk_args(Args, {Src, Opts});
chk_args([], {Src, Opts}) ->
    {Src, Opts}.

rpt(Msg, Args) ->
    io:fwrite("make_pdf: " ++ Msg, Args).

return_error() ->
    init:stop(-1).

return_ok() ->
    init:stop(0).

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This fairly elaborate function tries to find the ebin/ directory where erl2latex.beam resides. It is designed to work even if the make_pdf script is started from a symlink to the original.

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path() ->
    Script = escript:script_name(),
    Src = src_name(Script),
    Abs = filename:absname(Src),
    filename:join(dir(dir(Abs)), "ebin").

src_name(F) ->
    case file:read_link_info(F) of
        {ok, #file_info{type = symlink}} ->
            {ok, Src} = file:read_link(F),
            src_name(Src);
        {ok, #file_info{type = regular}} ->
            F
    end.

dir(F) ->
    filename:dirname(F).

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