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OUTPUT FUNCTIONS

markdownify <input>

Process input as Markdown

plainify <input>

Strip HTML from input

printf <format> [<parameter>]...

Print formatted — useful for concatenating strings, among other things

safeHTML <input>

Don't escape HTML in **input** — similar functions exist for CSS, JavaScript and more

relURL <input>

Return input as a root-relative URL, taking the configured baseURL into account — there is also absURL, which includes the complete site URL

GENERAL FUNCTIONS

append (<value>...|<collection>) <collection>

Append a number of values or a collection

cond <control> <val1> <val2>

Return val1 if control is true, val2 if not

default <default> <input>

Return **input** if it's a non-empty value, otherwise **default**

dict <key> <value> [<key> <value>]...

Create a map from the specified **key/value** pairs

first <limit> <collection>

Return first limit elements of collection — last works similarly

index <collection> (<index>...|<key>...)

Look up indexes or keys in collection
— multiple indexes or keys results in
nested lookup

len <input>

Return the length of input

slice <item>...

Create a slice containing all **items**

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PAGE METHODS AND VARIABLES

.GetPage <path>

Return page at **path** (if called on **Page** as opposed to **Site** object, **Path** is interpreted relative to the page)

.NextInSection

Get the next regular page with the same section as the current page —
.PrevInSection works similarly

.CurrentSection

Get the section of the page

.Parent

Get the parent of the page

.IsAncestor <page>

Return whether the current page is an ancestor of another page —
.IsDescendant works similarly

.Sections

Get the sections immediately below the current page

. Pages

Get the regular pages and sections immediately below the current page

.RegularPages

Get the regular pages immediately below the current page

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STRING FUNCTIONS

delimit <collection> <delimiter> [<last>]

Join elements in collection using delimiter, optionally with a different last delimiter

replaceRE <pattern> <replacement> <input> [<limit>]

Return input with matches for pattern replaced with replacement, optionally limiting the number of replacements

strings.TrimLeft <cutset> <input>

Return input with leading characters from cutset removed — strings.TrimRight works similarly

strings.TrimPrefix <prefix> <input>

Return input with leading prefix removed — strings.TrimSuffix works similarly

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CLI COMMANDS

hugo new site <path>

Create a new Hugo site at <path>.

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Build your site. Use **—-buildDrafts** option to generate output for draft content as well.

hugo new <path>

Create a new content file at <path>, setting title and date automatically.

hugo server

Run a development server, reloading the site as files change. By default, the site is served locally at http://localhost:1313/. If the site is not updating reliably, the option—disableFastRender might help.

hugo version

Print the version number of Hugo.

PRE-DEFINED FRONT MATTER FIELDS

aliases

audio

cascade

date

description

draft

expiryDate

headless

images

isCJKLanguage

keywords

layout

lastmod

linkTitle

markup

outputs

publishDate

resources

series

slug

summary

title

type

url

videos

weight

<taxonomies>

SELECTED SITE VARIABLES

.Site.BaseURL

The base URL for the site

.Site.Copyright

The site copyright string

.Site.Data

Site custom data

.Site.Home

The site home page

.Site.Menus

Site menus

.Site.Pages

All site pages, including sections and regular pages

.Site.Params

Custom configuration values

.Site.RegularPages

Site regular pages — not sections

.Site.Sections

Top-level sections of the site

.Site.Taxonomies

Site taxonomies

.Site.Title

Site title

SELECTED PAGE VARIABLES

- .Content
- .Date
- .Description
- .Draft
- .File

Filesystem-related data for the page

. Hugo

Hugo-related data — the Hugo version, for example

- .IsHome
- .IsPage

Return whether or not the page is a regular page...

- .IsSection
- ... or a section
- .NextInSection, .PrevInSection
- .Params

Custom front-matter fields

- .Permalink, .RelPermalink
- .Resources

Resources in the current page bundle

- .Site
- .Summary

An automatically generated or explicitly defined summary

.TableOfContents

A rendered table of contents

- .Title
- .Type

The page content type

.Weight

Assigned weight, used for sorting

HUGO VERSION

This cheat sheet was tested with Hugo version **0.78.1**.

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