

NAME

Mail::Box::Locker::DotLock – lock a folder with a separate file

INHERITANCE

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Mail::Box::Locker::DotLock
  is a Mail::Box::Locker
  is a Mail::Reporter
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SYNOPSIS

See Mail::Box::Locker

DESCRIPTION

The `::DotLock` object lock the folder by creating a file with the same name as the folder, extended by `.lock`.

Extends “DESCRIPTION” in Mail::Box::Locker.

METHODS

Extends “METHODS” in Mail::Box::Locker.

Constructors

Extends “Constructors” in Mail::Box::Locker.

Mail::Box::Locker::DotLock->**new**(%options)

Name of the file to lock. By default, the folder’s name is extended with `.lock`.

--Option	--Defined in	--Default
<code>dotlock_file</code>		<code><undef></code>
<code>expires</code>	Mail::Box::Locker	1 hour
<code>file</code>	Mail::Box::Locker	<code><folderfile>.lock</code>
<code>folder</code>	Mail::Box::Locker	<code><undef></code>
<code>log</code>	Mail::Reporter	<code>'WARNINGS'</code>
<code>method</code>	Mail::Box::Locker	<code>'DOTLOCK'</code>
<code>timeout</code>	Mail::Box::Locker	10
<code>trace</code>	Mail::Reporter	<code>'WARNINGS'</code>

`dotlock_file => FILENAME`

Alternative name for `file`, especially useful to confusion when the multi locker is used.

`expires => SECONDS`

`file => FILENAME`

`folder => FOLDER`

`log => LEVEL`

`method => STRING|CLASS|ARRAY`

`timeout => SECONDS|'NOTIMEOUT'`

`trace => LEVEL`

Attributes

Extends “Attributes” in Mail::Box::Locker.

`$obj->expires([SECONDS])`

Inherited, see “Attributes” in Mail::Box::Locker

`$obj->timeout([SECONDS])`

Inherited, see “Attributes” in Mail::Box::Locker

The Locker

Extends “The Locker” in Mail::Box::Locker.

`$obj->filename([$filename])`

Inherited, see “The Locker” in Mail::Box::Locker

`$obj->folder([$folder])`

Inherited, see “The Locker” in Mail::Box::Locker

`$obj->name()`

Inherited, see “The Locker” in Mail::Box::Locker

Locking

Extends “Locking” in Mail::Box::Locker.

`$obj->hasLock()`

Inherited, see “Locking” in Mail::Box::Locker

`$obj->isLocked()`

Inherited, see “Locking” in Mail::Box::Locker

`$obj->lock()`

`$obj->unlock()`

Error handling

Extends “Error handling” in Mail::Box::Locker.

`$obj->AUTOLOAD()`

Inherited, see “Error handling” in Mail::Reporter

`$obj->addReport($object)`

Inherited, see “Error handling” in Mail::Reporter

`$obj->defaultTrace([$level][[$loglevel, $tracelevel]][[$level, $callback]]`

`Mail::Box::Locker::DotLock->defaultTrace([$level][[$loglevel, $tracelevel]][[$level, $callback]]`
`)`

Inherited, see “Error handling” in Mail::Reporter

`$obj->errors()`

Inherited, see “Error handling” in Mail::Reporter

`$obj->log([$level, [$strings]])`

`Mail::Box::Locker::DotLock->log([$level, [$strings]])`

Inherited, see “Error handling” in Mail::Reporter

`$obj->logPriority($level)`

`Mail::Box::Locker::DotLock->logPriority($level)`

Inherited, see “Error handling” in Mail::Reporter

`$obj->logSettings()`

Inherited, see “Error handling” in Mail::Reporter

`$obj->notImplemented()`

Inherited, see “Error handling” in Mail::Reporter

`$obj->report([$level])`

Inherited, see “Error handling” in Mail::Reporter

`$obj->reportAll([$level])`

Inherited, see “Error handling” in Mail::Reporter

`$obj->trace([$level])`

Inherited, see “Error handling” in Mail::Reporter

`$obj->warnings()`

Inherited, see “Error handling” in Mail::Reporter

Cleanup

Extends “Cleanup” in Mail::Box::Locker.

`$obj->DESTROY()`

Inherited, see “Cleanup” in Mail::Box::Locker

DIAGNOSTICS

Warning: Couldn't remove lockfile `$lock: $!`

Error: Failed to remove expired lockfile `$lockfile: $!`

Warning: Folder already locked with file `$lockfile`

Error: Package `$package` does not implement `$method`.

Fatal error: the specific package (or one of its superclasses) does not implement this method where it should. This message means that some other related classes do implement this method however the class at hand does not. Probably you should investigate this and probably inform the author of the package.

Warning: Removed expired lockfile `$lockfile`

SEE ALSO

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