

**NAME**

libtoolize – Prepare a package to use libtool

**SYNOPSIS**

**libtoolize** [*OPTION*]...

**DESCRIPTION**

Prepare a package to use libtool.

**OPTIONS**

- c, --copy**  
copy files rather than symlinking them
- debug**  
enable verbose shell tracing
- n, --dry-run**  
print commands rather than running them
- f, --force**  
replace existing files
- i, --install**  
copy missing auxiliary files
- ltdl[=*DIR*]**  
install libltdl sources [default: libltdl]
- no-warnings**  
equivalent to '-Wnone'
- nonrecursive**  
prepare ltdl for non-recursive make
- q, --quiet**  
work silently
- recursive**  
prepare ltdl for recursive make
- subproject**  
prepare ltdl to configure and build independently
- v, --verbose**  
verbosely report processing
- version**  
print version information and exit
- W, --warnings=*CATEGORY***  
report the warnings falling in *CATEGORY* [all]
- h, --help**  
print short or long help message

**Warning categories include:**

- 'all' show all warnings
- 'none' turn off all the warnings
- 'error' warnings are treated as fatal errors
- 'environment'  
show warnings about LIBTOOLIZE\_OPTIONS content
- 'file' show warnings about file copying and linking

The following space or comma delimited options can be passed to libtoolize via the environment variable

LIBTOOLIZE\_OPTIONS, unknown environment options are ignored:

- debug**  
enable verbose shell tracing
- no-warnings**  
don't display warning messages
- quiet**  
work silently
- verbose**  
verbosely report processing

You must 'cd' to the top directory of your package before you run 'libtoolize'.

When reporting a bug, please describe a test case to reproduce it and include the following information:

host-triplet:

x86\_64-pc-linux-gnu

version:

libtoolize (GNU libtool) 2.4.6 Debian-2.4.6-15build2

automake:

automake (GNU automake) 1.16.5

autoconf:

autoconf (GNU Autoconf) 2.71

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## REPORTING BUGS

Report bugs to <bug-libtool@gnu.org>.

GNU libtool home page: <<https://www.gnu.org/software/libtool/>>.

General help using GNU software: <<http://www.gnu.org/gethelp/>>.

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## SEE ALSO

The full documentation for **libtoolize** is maintained as a Texinfo manual. If the **info** and **libtoolize** programs are properly installed at your site, the command

**info libtoolize**

should give you access to the complete manual.