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strcode2utf()

(htmltoolkit >= 1.0)

strcode2utf - Convert HTML numerical entities to UTF-8 encoded string

Description

```
string strcode2utf ( string $text [, boolean $low ])
```

Returns a UTF-8 encoded string.

Note: This function is not part of the mPDF class, and is located in the htmltoolkit.php file. It is called without the class prefix e.g. \$mpd->

Note: strcode2utf is useful for preparing text to be used as a Watermark, or for the metadata properties of Title, Author, Creator and Keywords - which require UTF-8 encoded strings with no entities.

Parameters

text

The input string, containing HTML numerical entities e.g. Ά or •

low

Specifies whether to convert HTML numerical entities of ASCII characters (<128).

DEFAULT: TRUE

Values

TRUE: Convert all HTML numerical entities to UTF-8 characters

FALSE: Only convert characters above codepoint 127

Note: This function does not convert named character entities like & Dike & Gamp; & Guot; or & Graguo;

Return value

Returns a UTF-8 encoded string.

Examples

Example #1

```
<?php

$mpdf=new mPDF();

$wm = strcode2utf("&#1575;&#1610;&#1604;&#1575;&#1578; &#1601;&#1610;&#1605;&#1575;
&#1575;&#1610;&#1604;&#1575;&#1578; &#1601;&#1610;&#1605;&#1575;");

$mpdf->SetWatermarkText($wm);
$mpdf->showWatermark = true;
$mpdf->WriteHTML('Hallo World');
?>
```

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See Also

- SetWatermarkText() Sets the text to use for a Watermark
- SetTitle() Set document Title in metadata
- SetAuthor() Set document Author in metadata
- SetCreator() Set document Creator in metadata
- SetSubject() Set document Subject in metadata
- SetKeywords() Set document Keywords in metadata

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