Generic ClearSilver and GLib Module Build Support

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Abstract

This document provides generic ClearSilver¹ and GLib² support for my generic build system. It also provides some useful generic template extensions.

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```

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1 Memory Allocation

There are a number of dynamic array facilities and memory allocation techniques that I tend to reimplement with every project. However, the GLib library provides many of the facilities I most commonly use, like dynamic arrays, dynamic strings, linked lists of buffers, and linked list of buffers with hash table duplication removal. Although some implementations are not as efficient as they could be, using them reduces the overall size of code that needs to be maintained. Support is provided here for that library — in particular, the ones provided with Red Hat Enterprise Linux 4 (2.4.7) and Red Hat Enterprise Linux 5 (2.12.3).

 $^{^{1}}$ http://www.clearsilver.net/; version 0.10.5+ is required. The 0.10.3 and 0.10.4 versions from EPEL are buggy and missing the automatic escape mechanisms.

²http://www.gtk.org/

```
1
        \langle (build.nw) \ Common \ C \ Includes \ 1 \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                                       (46a) 2d⊳
            #include <glib.h>
        \langle (build.nw) \ makefile.vars \ 2a \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                                             2b⊳
2a
           GLIB_CFLAGS:=$ (shell pkg-config --silence-errors gthread-2.0 --cflags || \
                                        pkg-config glib-2.0 "--cflags")
           GLIB_LDFLAGS:=$ (shell pkg-config --silence-errors gthread-2.0 --libs || \
                                         pkg-config glib-2.0 --libs)
2b
        \langle (build.nw) \ makefile.vars \ 2a \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                         ⊲2a 7c⊳
           EXTRA_CFLAGS += $(GLIB_CFLAGS)
           EXTRA_LDFLAGS += $(GLIB_LDFLAGS)
```

One thing that is missing that I have always found useful is a version of fgets(3) which supports dynamic strings. Such a function is easy enough to implement, so here it is. A generic version is provided as well for cases where fgets-equivalent functions are available.

When reading binary data that may contain NUL characters, the buffer length must be updated based not on strlen, but on the number of characters read. This can be obtained from ftell only for seekable streams, so the only option with fgets is to fill the memory with non-NUL characters and search for the last added NUL. Another option would be to use a different reader function. The CPU overhead for using getc for every character is pretty high, though, and fscanf has issues with NUL characters as well. Implementing a wrapper around fread would require that all reads from the file be done using this function in order to take care of backlog.

In order to avoid the processing overhead for NULs for most reads, the wrapper has two names, and the generic function takes a parameter to enable this.

```
2c
         ⟨Library glib-supt Members 2c⟩≡
            g_string_fgets.o
2d
         \langle (build.nw) \ Common \ C \ Includes \ 1 \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                          (46a) ⊲1 4c⊳
            #include "g_string_fgets.h"
2e
         \langle g\_string\_fgets.h \ 2e \rangle \equiv
               ((build.nw) Common NoWeb Warning 3c)
            #ifndef _G_STRING_FGETS_H
            #define _G_STRING_FGETS_H
            ⟨gets_fp definition 2f⟩
            #endif /* _G_STRING_FGETS_H */
2f
         \langle gets\_fp \ definition \ 2f \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                                                    (2e)
            typedef char *(*gets_fp) (char *buf, int len, void *f);
         ⟨(build.nw) Known Data Types 2g⟩≡
2g
                                                                                                                                    5c⊳
            gets_fp,%
```

2h $\langle g_string_fgets.c 2h \rangle \equiv$

```
⟨(build.nw) Common C Header 16c⟩
char *g_string_fgets(GString **_buf, guint offset, FILE *f)
 return g_string_gets_generic(_buf, offset, (gets_fp) fgets, f, FALSE);
char *g_string_fgets_bin(GString **_buf, guint offset, FILE *f)
 return g_string_gets_generic(_buf, offset, (gets_fp) fgets, f, TRUE);
char *g_string_gets_generic(GString **_buf, guint offset, gets_fp my_gets,
                              void *f, gboolean allow_zero)
  guint left, len;
  GString *buf = *_buf;
  gboolean read_some = FALSE;
  const char *ep;
 if(!buf)
   buf = *_buf = g_string_sized_new(offset + 80);
  else \ if \ (\verb|buf->allocated_len <= offset)
    g_string_set_size(buf, offset + 80);
  while (1) {
    left = buf->allocated_len - offset;
    if(allow_zero)
     memset(buf->str + offset, 255, left);
    else /* still need to detect end of line */
     buf->str[offset + left - 1] = 255;
    if(!(*my\_gets)(buf->str + offset, left, f)) {
      buf->str[offset] = 0;
      break;
    read_some = TRUE;
    if(allow_zero) {
      /* memrchr is GNU extension, so this is done manually */
      /* guaranteed to terminate */
      for(ep = buf->str + buf->allocated_len - 1; *ep; ep--);
      len = (int)(ep - buf->str) - offset;
    } else
      len = strlen(buf->str + offset);
    left -= len;
    offset += len;
    if ((left > 1 \&\& buf->str[offset + left - 1]) \mid \mid
       buf->str[offset - 1] == ' \n')
      break:
    g_string_set_size(buf, buf->allocated_len * 2 - 1);
  buf->len = offset;
  return read_some ? buf->str : NULL;
```

```
3a ⟨(build.nw) Version Strings 3a⟩≡
```

```
"$Id: cs-glib.nw 198 2012-12-07 05:40:28Z darktjm $\n"
```

```
3b \langle (build.nw) \ Sources \ 3b \rangle \equiv
```

```
$Id: cs-glib.nw 198 2012-12-07 05:40:28Z darktjm $
```

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```
3c \langle (build.nw) \ Common \ NoWeb \ Warning \ 3c \rangle \equiv (2e 47b)
# $Id: cs-glib.nw 198 2012-12-07 05:40:28Z darktjm $
```

Its main disadvantage for server-like processes is that it aborts the entire program on memory failures rather than returning an error so that the caller can recover gracefully. If this is an issue, a process monitor, such as init(8), can take care of this problem. Another memory allocation issue is that GLib uses 32-bit integers in some places, and does not check for integer overflow, so some errors are never caught except by segmentation fault³. This can be avoided by running these processes with "ulimit -v < size >" in effect on Linux, or "ulimit -d < size >" in effect on AIX, where < size > is at most a small (≤ 3) multiple of 1048576 (1GB). The following script can be used to support starting processes in init(8). It checks to see if a file in /tmp has been touched before continuing, so that the file can be touched before killing a process for maintentance.

4a $\langle runit \, 4a \rangle \equiv$

4b ⟨(build.nw) Script Executables 4b⟩≡
runit \

2 Logging

One way to deal with logs is to not deal with them, and instead just dump errors to standard error. While a simple perror(3) would be enough (with some extra text from application libraries), the slightly more complex ClearSilver⁴ error facility could be used instead. This provides a partial traceback with little extra effort. As with any method that passes around error messages rather than error codes, though, it will be hard to translate things into a different language. It will also be hard to distinguish between different errors unless separate error codes are used.

 $^{^3}$ Beyond this, there are some problems in the way UNIX handles too-large requests for memory. UNIX will allocate from swap space, and even (at least on Linux) over-allocate beyond available memory without returning errors. Using ulimit -v/-d will cure this as well.

⁴http://www.clearsilver.net/; at least version 0.10.5 is required. Older versions are buggy and missing the automatic escape mechanisms.

```
4c
        \langle (build.nw) \ Common \ C \ Includes \ 1 \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                (46a) ⊲2d 23a⊳
            #include <time.h> /*for-Wshadow */
            #define timezone time_zone /* for -Wshadow */
            #include <ClearSilver.h>
           #include "cs_supt.h"
5a
        \langle cs\_supt.h \ 5a \rangle \equiv
            #ifndef _CS_SUPT_H
            #define _CS_SUPT_H
            ⟨ClearSilver Support Globals 5b⟩
            #endif /* _CS_SUPT_H */
5b
        \langle \textit{ClearSilver Support Globals 5b} \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                                       (5a) 5h⊳
           extern NERR_TYPE GENERIC_ERR;
            #ifdef ___GNUC_
           #define unused_attr __attribute__((__unused__))
            #else
            #define unused_attr
            #endif
        ⟨(build.nw) Known Data Types 2g⟩+≡
                                                                                                                      ⊲2g 11e⊳
5c
           unused_attr,%
5d
        ⟨Library cs-supt Members 5d⟩≡
                                                                                                                           17a⊳
           cs_supt.o
5e
        \langle cs\_supt.c \ 5e \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                                            7f⊳
            ⟨(build.nw) Common C Header 16c⟩
           NERR_TYPE GENERIC_ERR = 0;
5f
        \langle \textit{Common Mainline Variables 5f} \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                                           (46a)
            NEOERR *nerr unused_attr = STATUS_OK;
           int ret unused_attr = 0;
5g
        \langle \textit{Initialize logging 5g} \rangle {\equiv}
                                                                                                                            (8g)
              const char *progname = strrchr(argv[0], '/');
              if(!progname)
                 progname = argv[0];
              else
                 progname++;
              g_set_prgname(progname);
           nerr = nerr_init();
           die_if_err(nerr); /* out of memory - pretty fatal */
           nerr_register(&GENERIC_ERR, g_get_prgname());
```

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```
5h
      \langle ClearSilver\ Support\ Globals\ 5b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                             (5a) ⊲5b 6c⊳
         #define die_if_err(err) do { \
           NEOERR *_err = err; \
           nerr_log_error(_err); \
             exit(1); \
           } \
         } while ( ○ )
         #define nerr_raise_msg(msg) \
           nerr_raise(GENERIC_ERR, "%s", msg)
         #define die_msg(msg) \
           die_if_err(nerr_raise_msg(msg))
         #define nerr_raise_msg_errno(msg) \
           nerr_raise_errno(GENERIC_ERR, "%s", msg)
         #define die_errno(msg) \
           die_if_err(nerr_raise_msg_errno(msg))
         #define nerr_raise_errno_local(msg, err) \
           nerr_raise(GENERIC_ERR, "%s: [%d] %s", msg, err, strerror(err))
         #define die_errno_local(msg, err) \
           die_if_err(nerr_raise_errno_local(msg, err))
         #define nerr_op(op) do { \
           if (nerr == STATUS_OK)
             nerr = nerr_pass(op); \
         } while ( 0 )
         \#define nerr_op_ok(op) (nerr == STATUS_OK \&\& \
                                    (nerr = nerr_pass(op)) == STATUS_OK)
      \langle (build.nw) \ C \ Prototypes \ 6a \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                     7a⊳
6a
         void die_if_err(NEOERR *err);
         NEOERR *nerr_raise_msg(const char *msg);
         void die_msg(const char *msg);
         NEOERR *nerr_raise_msg_errno(const char *msg);
         void die_errno(const char *msg);
         NEOERR *nerr_raise_errno_local(const char *msg, int err);
         void die_errno_local(const char *msg, int err);
         void nerr_op(NEOERR *op);
         gboolean nerr_op_ok(NEOERR *op);
      ⟨Convert nerr to err_str 6b⟩≡
6h
         STRING err_str;
         string_init(&err_str);
         nerr_error_traceback(nerr, &err_str);
         nerr_ignore(&nerr);
          A few GLib functions actually do return error codes (GError *), in which case a macro can be used to
```

6c ⟨ClearSilver Support Globals 5b⟩+≡ (5a) ⊲5h 7d⊳ #define gerr_to_nerr(gerr) \

convert that into a ClearSilver error.

((gerr) ? \

```
6c ⟨ClearSilver Support Globals 5b⟩+≡

nerr_raise (GENERIC_ERR, "%s/%d: %s", \
g_quark_to_string((gerr)->domain), (gerr)->code, \
(gerr)->message) : \

STATUS_OK)

7a ⟨(build.nw) C Prototypes 6a⟩+≡

NEOERR *gerr_to_nerr(const GError *gerr);
```

Actually building with ClearSilver requires knowledge of the library location. This cannot be obtained by pkg-config, so it is an overridable make variable.

3 Configuration

Since GLib doesn't support configuration files until 2.6, a different library is used. The ClearSilver library supports configuration files. It is also somewhat complex and poorly documented, but it is less complex and better documented than some, and provides easy ways to override variables and write out configuration files.

Configuration parameters for a program are always in a section of the configuration file named after the program. This allows a combined configuration file for multiple programs, and since the entire file can be prefixed with the program name fairly easily, it is no great burden on the user. If no configuration file is found, or an option has no entry in the configuration file, a hard-coded default is used.

```
7d
       \langle ClearSilver\ Support\ Globals\ 5b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                         (5a) ⊲6c 8f⊳
          extern HDF *local_config;
           #define getconf(name, def) hdf_get_value(local_config, name, def)
           #define getconf_int(name, def) hdf_get_int64_value(local_config, name, def)
                                                                                                             ⊲7a 9b⊳
7e
       \langle (build.nw) \ C \ Prototypes \ 6a \rangle + \equiv
          const char *getconf(const char *name, const char *def);
          gint64 getconf_int(const char *name, gint64 def);
7f
       \langle cs\_supt.c \ 5e \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                             HDF *local_config;
          gint64 hdf_get_int64_value(HDF *hdf, const char *name, gint64 def)
             const char *val = hdf_get_value(hdf, name, NULL);
             char *s;
             gint64 ret;
```

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```
\langle cs\_supt.c \ 5e \rangle + \equiv
7f
                                                                                                                ⊲5e 8a⊳
             if(val && *val) {
                ret = strtoll(val, &s, 0);
                if (*s)
                  die_if_err(nerr_raise(GENERIC_ERR, "Expected integer for %s; got %s", name, val));
                return ret;
             } else
                return def;
                                                                                                                ⊲7f 11f⊳
8a
       \langle cs\_supt.c \ 5e \rangle + \equiv
           NEOERR *hdf_set_int64_value(HDF *hdf, const char *name, gint64 val)
             char nbuf[22]; /* 20 + sign */
             snprintf(nbuf, sizeof(nbuf), "%lld", (long long)val);
             return hdf_set_value(hdf, name, nbuf);
           The configuration file's name and location are application-dependent. These support routines just provide
       a simple way to read the known name. Common environment variables are provided to override the name:
        CONFIG_ROOT just overrides the directory, and CONFIG_FILE overrides either the file name or the entire
        path. The default configuration path is determined by the project name, although the default need not be
       used.
8b
                                                                                                               ⊲7b 20e⊳
       \langle (build.nw) \ makefile.config\ 7b \rangle + \equiv
           # Installation directory for configuration files
          ETC_DIR=/etc/$ (PROJECT_NAME)
8c
       \langle (build.nw) \ makefile.vars \ 2a \rangle + \equiv

√7c 10a

           EXTRA_CFLAGS += -DETC_DIR='"$ (ETC_DIR)"' -DPROJECT_NAME='"$ (PROJECT_NAME)"'
        ⟨Default config_root 8d⟩≡
8d
           const char *config_root = ETC_DIR;
8e
        \langle Default config_path 8e \rangle \equiv
           const char *config_path = PROJECT_NAME ".conf";
8f
        \langle ClearSilver\ Support\ Globals\ 5b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                            (5a) ⊲7d 9a⊳
           /* define in mainline */
           extern const char *config_root, *config_path;
        ⟨Read configuration 8g⟩≡
                                                                                                              (46a) 13a⊳
8g
           ⟨Initialize logging 5g⟩
           env_override("CONFIG_ROOT", config_root);
           env_override("CONFIG_FILE", config_path);
           prepend_dir_if_relative(config_root, config_path);
             HDF *config_file;
             nerr = nerr_pass(hdf_init(&config_file));
             die_if_err(nerr); /* out of memory - pretty fatal */
```

```
\langle Read\ configuration\ 8g \rangle \equiv
                                                                                            (46a) 13a⊳
       char *p = strdup(config_path), *s;
         die_errno("initial setup");
       s = strrchr(p, '/');
       if(s) {
         *s = 0;
         s = p;
       } else
         s = (char *)"."; /* not modified any more */
       nerr = nerr_pass(hdf_set_value(config_file, "hdf.loadpaths.conf", s));
       die_if_err(nerr);
    nerr = nerr_pass(hdf_read_file(config_file, config_path));
    if(nerr != STATUS_OK) {
        * ignore file not found -- no config file means use default */
       if(!nerr_match(nerr, NERR_NOT_FOUND))
         die_if_err(nerr);
       nerr_ignore(&nerr);
    nerr_op(hdf_get_node(config_file, g_get_prgname(), &local_config));
    if (nerr == STATUS_OK) {
       HDF *lp = hdf_get_obj(config_file, "hdf.loadpaths");
       if (1p)
         nerr_op(hdf_copy(local_config, "hdf.loadpaths", lp));
    die_if_err(nerr); /* out of memory */
```

8g

```
⟨ClearSilver Support Globals 5b⟩+≡
                                                                                                 (5a) ⊲8f 11d⊳
9a
          #define env_override(env, var) do { \
            const char *s = getenv((char *)env); \
            if(s) \
              var = s; \
          } while ( 0 )
          #define prepend_dir_if_relative(def_dir, fn) do { \
            if((fn)[0]!='/') {
              char *s; \
              if(!(s = malloc(strlen(def_dir) + strlen(fn) + 2))) \setminus
                die_errno(fn); \
              sprintf(s, "%s/%s", def_dir, fn); \
              fn = s; \setminus
         } while ( 0 )
```

```
9b ⟨(build.nw) C Prototypes 6a⟩+≡

void env_override(const char *env, const char *&var);

void prepend_dir_if_relative(const char *def_dir, const char *&fn);
```

A sample commented configuration file should be provided. The ClearSilver documentation does not have a complete specification of the configuration file syntax, so instead of pointing a user at a URL, the relevant parts of the syntax are given as documentation at the top of the sample configuration file.

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9c ⟨ClearSilver Configuration Documentation 9c⟩≡

```
# The purpose of this file is to assign values to keys. The last assignment
# to any key overrides all previous assignments. This file may provide
# configuration for multiple programs; each program's configuration is
# prefixed by its executable name. Use links to allow multiple executable
# names to have the same configuration.
# File format:
   Lines starting with # are comments, unless they are #include
    #include <name> includes another file (<name> can have quotes around it)
    If you want to use the include path, and want to use #include anywhere but
    at the top level, add the following line in the same section as the
    #include:
      hdf: hdf
    Keys are multiple level names, separated by dots:
     Key level names are case-sensitive alphanumeric and underscores
     A key level, followed by an open curly brace, starts a group
      In the group, all entries are prefixed by the level before the brace
       For example:
#
          x \{
            y ...
             z \dots
          }
        is the same as
          x.y ...
          X.Z. ...
    Values can either be literal values, inline data, or other keys
     Literal values are assigned with <key> = <value> (no escapes)
     Inline data is assigned by <key> << <token>
        ... (literal data, no escapes, always includes a final newline)
        <token>
     A copy of another key's current value is created by <key> := <other key>
     A link to another key that tracks changes is created by <key> : <other key>
     Numeric values are C-style decimal ([1-9][0-9]*), octal (0[0-9]*) and
     hexadecimal (0x[0-9a-fA-F]+).
    Initial and trailing whitespace is ignored on all lines except inline data
    Whitespace surrounding =, :=, :, <<, and { is ignored
    Whenever key levels are sorted, they are interpreted as numbers first, if
    possible. Numbers always come before alphanumerics.
```

In order to support the multi-line literal syntax when using notangle, the end of each multi-line literal must be shifted all the way to the left margin. For this build procedure, only EOV is supported as an end token.

```
10a
          \langle (build.nw) \ makefile.vars \ 2a \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                                       ⊲8c 14a⊳
              HDF_FILES=(HDF Files 11b)
10b
          \langle (build.nw) Build Source 10b \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                                                            15f⊳
              $(HDF_FILES) \
10c
          \langle (build.nw) \ makefile.rules \ 10c \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                                                            11a⊳
              misc: $(HDF_FILES)
              $(HDF_FILES): $(NOWEB_ORDER)
                         notangle -R$@ ^{\circ} | sed 's/^ *EOV/EOV/' > $@
              distclean: cleanhdf
              cleanhdf:
```

```
10c
         \langle (build.nw) \ makefile.rules \ 10c \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                                            11a⊳
                       rm -f $(HDF_FILES)
         \langle (build.nw) makefile.rules 10c \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                      ⊲10c 15e⊳
11a
            misc: $(HDF_FILES)
11b
         \langle HDF \ Files \ 11b \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                                            (10a)
11c
         \langle (build.nw) | Install other files 11c \rangle \equiv
            (if (HDF_FILES), \
            mkdir -p $(DESTDIR)$(ETC_DIR); \
            for x in $(HDF_FILES); do \
               \mathbf{cp} -p $$x $(DESTDIR)$(ETC_DIR)/$${x}.sample; \
               test -f (DESTDIR) (ETC_DIR) / (x) | cp -p (x) (DESTDIR) (ETC_DIR); 
             The sorting mentioned in the commentary above is implemented by a comparison function for hdf_
         sort_obj.
11d
                                                                                                                   (5a) ⊲9a 12a⊳
         \langle \textit{ClearSilver Support Globals 5b} \rangle + \equiv
             /* These type names are too long, so here's shorter versions */
            typedef long long;
            typedef unsigned long long ullong;
11e
         ⟨(build.nw) Known Data Types 2g⟩+≡
                                                                                                                        ⊲5c 15b⊳
            ullong, llong, %
11f
         \langle cs\_supt.c \ 5e \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                        ⊲8a 12c⊳
            int comp_hdf_name(const void *_a, const void *_b)
               HDF * const *a = _a, * const *b = _b;
               const char *na = hdf_obj_name(*a), *nb = hdf_obj_name(*b);
               char *ea, *eb;
               ullong la, lb;
               int c;
               /* empty should never happen, but comes first */
               if(!*na && !*nb)
                  return 0;
               if(!*na)
                 return -1;
               if(!*nb)
                 return 1;
               /* next come pure numbers (C-style dec, hex, oct) */
               la = strtoll(na, &ea, 0);
               lb = strtoll(nb, \&eb, 0);
               if(!*ea && *eb)
                 return -1;
               if(!*eb && *ea)
                  return 1;
               /* can't just return la - lb, since they're not int */
               /* also, don't want different number formats to sort randomly */
```

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```
\langle cs\_supt.c \ 5e \rangle + \equiv
11f
                                                                                                         ⊲8a 12c⊳
             if(!*ea) {
               if(la < lb)
                  return −1;
                else if (la > lb)
                  return 1;
             /* then comes strcasecmp() (somewhat locale-sensitive) */
             c = strcasecmp(na, nb);
             if (c)
               return c;
             /* finally, strcmp ensures that the case-sensitive names are not */
             /* shuffled by strcasecmp */
             return strcmp(na, nb);
           A few additional convenience functions for hierarchical parameters are provided, as well.
12a
        ⟨ClearSilver Support Globals 5b⟩+≡
                                                                                                    (5a) ⊲11d 14c⊳
           #define getconf_first(name) hdf_first_child(local_config, name)
           #define getconf_first_sorted(name) hdf_first_child_sort(local_config, name)
12b
        ⟨(build.nw) C Prototypes 6a⟩+≡
                                                                                                              ⊲9b
           HDF *getconf_first(const char *name);
           HDF *getconf_first_sorted(const char *name);
                                                                                                        ⊲11f 14b⊳
12c
        \langle cs\_supt.c \ 5e \rangle + \equiv
           HDF *hdf_first_child(HDF *hdf, const char *name)
             if(!(hdf = hdf_get_obj(hdf, name)))
               return hdf;
             return hdf_obj_child(hdf);
           HDF *hdf_first_child_sort(HDF *hdf, const char *name)
             if(!(hdf = hdf_get_obj(hdf, name)))
               return hdf;
             hdf_sort_obj(hdf, comp_hdf_name);
             return hdf_obj_child(hdf);
           gint64 getconf_hier_int(const char *parent, HDF *obj, const char *name,
                                       gint64 def)
             const char *val = hdf_get_value(obj, name, NULL);
             char *s;
             gint64 ret;
             if(val && *val) {
               ret = strtoll(val, &s, 0);
                  die_if_err(nerr_raise(GENERIC_ERR, "Expected integer for %s.%s.%s; got %s",
                                                           parent, hdf_obj_name(obj), name, val));
               return ret;
             } else
```

return def;

Command-line options of the form var=val can be used to override configuration options from the file and defaults, where var is the configuration parameter name under the local section, and val is the value. Additional configuration files, which, like the command-line overrides, are overrides for the command-specific options, can be given on the command-line by prefixing the file name with a colon (:). Standard input can be specified using a dash (: –). Invalid options cause the command-line help to appear.

13a

```
\langle Read\ configuration\ 8g \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                        (46a) ⊲8g 14d⊳
  while (nerr == STATUS_OK && argc > 1) {
    const char *s;
     char *vn;
    argc--;
     s = *++argv;
    if(\star s == ':' \&\& s[1]) {
       s++;
       if(\star s == '-' \&\& !s[1]) {
         GString *cfile = NULL;
         while(g_string_fgets(&cfile, cfile ? cfile->len : 0, stdin));
         nerr_op(hdf_read_string(local_config, cfile->str));
         g_string_free(cfile, TRUE);
       } else
         nerr_op(hdf_read_file(local_config, s));
       if (nerr != STATUS_OK) {
         nerr_log_error(nerr);
         help();
       continue;
    if(!isalpha(*s))
       help();
     while (isalnum(*s) || *s == '_' || *s == '.')
       s++;
    if (*s != '=')
      help();
     vn = strdup(*argv);
    vn[(int)(s - *argv)] = 0;
    nerr_op(hdf_set_value(local_config, vn, s + 1));
     free (vn);
  if (nerr != STATUS_OK) { /* out of memory */
    nerr_log_error(nerr);
     exit(1);
  }
```

The default help consists mostly of the appropriate section from the default configuration file with the keyword/value pairs uncommented. This is inserted into the C file as string literals after being extracted from the NoWeb file. The actual text to extract consists of two chunks: $\langle program \rangle$ *Description* (imported) \rangle , which is a one-line description, and $\langle program \rangle$ *Configuration* (imported) \rangle , which is the contents of the program-specific configuration file section.

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The first parameter is actually not intended to be documented in the default configuration file. Setting debug is for debugging during development only.

One issue with the in-memory configuration file format is that string comparisons must be done repeatedly on parameter names. There is not really anything that can be done about it, though, other than to save the results of one lookup in a local variable. Along the same lines, no place is provided to store an integral interpretation of the string value, either, except for the internally reserved field for actual integers. However, these could still be stored elsewhere. In order to help convert strings to integers, either something like a constant GStringChunk could be used, which would unfortunately double the string storage requirements, or, if the list of possible strings is known at compile time, a perfect hash function could be used to just convert it to an enumeration.

The following uses <code>gperf5</code> to convert strings to numbers. This requires a few makefile modifications to generate the code appropriately. The strings to hash are specified in chunk names like <code>prefix-gperf-suffix</code>. Strings are separated by newlines or single spaces; commas and spaces are not allowed in the strings. The <code>prefix</code> is the base name of the output files; the C code is generated in <code>prefix.c.gperf</code>, and the enumerations are built in <code>prefix.h.gperf</code>. These should be included directly in the C and header files that use them. Each unique <code>suffix</code> generates a different hash function and enumeration type. The enumeration type is named <code>suffix_t,</code> and the hash lookup function is named <code>suffix_id.</code> The <code>suffix</code> must be a valid C identifier. The enumeration identifiers are called <code>SUFFIX_STRING</code>, where <code>SUFFIX</code> is <code>suffix</code> converted to upper-case, and <code>STRING</code> is the string with all alphabetic characters in upper-case and all non-alphanumeric characters converted to underscores. This means that strings differing only in case or special characters cannot coexist in the same hash table. One additional enumeration literal, <code>UNKNOWN_SUFFIX</code>, is given the value zero, which is returned if the string is not found. The only option which may be set is case-sensitivity. A case-insensitive hash can be

⁵http://www.gnu.org/software/gperf/

generated by using -gperf-nc- instead of -gperf-; the nc- part is not considered to be part of the *suffix*. Note that the use of \U to do the upper-case conversions is a GNU sed extension.

```
15a
       \langle ClearSilver\ Support\ Globals\ 5b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                 (5a) ⊲14c 23b⊳
          struct gperf_name_id {
             int name, id;
          };
15b
       ⟨(build.nw) Known Data Types 2g⟩+≡
                                                                                                      ⊲11e 28b⊳
          gperf_name_id,%
15c
       \langle (build.nw) makefile.vars 2a \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                      ⊲14a 19e⊳
          GPERF_PREFIX:=$(shell $(NOROOTS) $(NOWEB_ORDER) | tr -d '<>' | \
                                       fgrep -- -gperf- | sed 's/-gperf-.*//' | sort -u)
          GPERF_C := $(GPERF_PREFIX:%=%.c.gperf)
          GPERF_H := $(GPERF_PREFIX:%=%.h.gperf)
          GPERF_FILES := $(GPERF_H) $(GPERF_C)
15d
                                                                                                           48c⊳
       ⟨(build.nw) Clean temporary files 15d⟩≡
          rm -f $(GPERF_FILES)
15e
       \langle (build.nw) makefile.rules 10c \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                      ⊲11a 16a⊳
          $(GPERF_C): $(NOWEB_ORDER)
                    @# This for loop is a replacemnt for just setting root= to avoid
                    @# makepp stupidity (otherwise it adds root's value as dep)
                    @#root=$(@:%.c.gperf=%)
                   for root in $(0:%.c.gperf=%); do \
                   noroots (NOWEB\_ORDER) \mid tr -d ' <>' \mid grep \^${root}-gperf- \mid \
                      while read r; do \
                        n=$${r#$${root}-gperf-};
                        (notangle -Rgperf-prefix (NOWEB\_ORDER); \
                         sed -e "h;s/^/$${n}_/;s/.*/\\U\\0/;s/[^A-Z0-9\\n]/_/g;s/^/,/;H;g" \
                                -e "s/\\n//"; \
                         echo %%; \
                         notangle -R'Actual gperf lookup function' $(NOWEB_ORDER)) | \
                           gperf $$nc| sed "s/__GPERF_NAME__/$${n}/g"; \
                      done >$@; done
          $(GPERF_H): $(NOWEB_ORDER)
                    @# This for loop is a replacemnt for just setting root= to avoid
                    @# makepp stupidity (otherwise it adds root's value as dep)
                    @#root=$(@:%.h.gperf=%)
                    for root in $(@:%.h.gperf=%); do \
                   noroots (NOWEB_ORDER) \mid tr -d ' <>' \mid grep \^$$\{root\}-gperf- \mid \
                      while read r; do \
                        n=$$ { r#$${root}-gperf-}; n=$${n#nc-}; \
                        echo typedef enum \{; \
                        echo UNKNOWN_ 'echo $$n | tr '[a-z]-' '[A-Z]_''; \ notangle -R$$r $ (NOWEB_ORDER) | tr \ \n | sort -u | \
                         sed "s/^/$${n}_/;s/.*/\U\0/;s/[^A-Z0-9\n]/_/g;s/^/,/"; 
                        echo \ $${n}_t\; \
                      done >$@; done
```

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```
15f \langle (build.nw) Build Source 10b \rangle + \equiv \Diamond 10b 19f \Diamond 19f \Diamond 10b 19f \Diamond 10b
```

The prototypes for the lookup functions are generated separately, because the gperf files need to be handled differently from normal C files. The fact that they are included in files that have already had their prototypes generated does not matter, because cproto will not generate prototypes for included files. Reinserting prototypes from the separate prototype file is not possible, so $\langle (build.nw) \ C \ Prototypes \ 6a \rangle$ must be used, instead.

The options are sent to gperf via the header, except for the case-insensitive option sent on the command line above.

```
%pic
%struct-type
%omit-struct-type
%define hash-function-name __GPERF_NAME__hash
%define lookup-function-name __GPERF_NAME__name_id
%define string-pool-name __GPERF_NAME__strs
%compare-lengths
%readonly-tables
%enum
%define word-array-name __GPERF_NAME__words
struct gperf_name_id;
%%
```

The actual lookup function returns just the ID rather than the internal, otherwise useless structure. No equivalent function is provided for converting IDs back to strings, though. The internal lookup function is suppressed for GNU environments, because the functions are declared inline, and cproto ignores such functions.

4 Templates

Templates can either be strings or files, and be dumped to either an open file descriptor or a string. Templates used for displaying to the user generally have a default encoding method of HTML, but templates used for configuration need to be evaluated raw. A flag allows selection of raw mode. The HDF must be provided, even though it will usually just be local_config. Since the output parameters are only used by one function call, the input is processed by a generic function that takes the same callback parameters as the output function.

```
17a
        ⟨Library cs-supt Members 5d⟩+≡
                                                                                                                ⊲5d
           tmpl.o
        \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                                17c⊳
17b
           ((build.nw) Common C Header 16c)
17c
        \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                          ⊲17b 18a⊳
           NEOERR *tmpl_string_to(const char *tmpl, HDF *parms, CSOUTFUNC outf,
                                      void *outp, gboolean raw)
              CSPARSE *cs = NULL;
             NEOERR *nerr = STATUS_OK;
             char *tdup;
              ⟨Set raw template parms 17d⟩
              nerr_op(prepare_template(&cs, parms));
             if (nerr != STATUS_OK) {
                (Free raw template parms 17e) /* memory probs, so don't try to restore */
                return nerr_pass_ctx(nerr, "%s", tmpl);
             /* modified by cs_parse_string; freed by cs_destroy */
              tdup = strdup(tmpl);
             if(!tdup)
                nerr = nerr_raise_msg_errno("No memory for template");
              else
               nerr = nerr_pass(cs_parse_string(cs, tdup, strlen(tmpl)));
              nerr_op(cs_render(cs, outp, outf));
              cs_destroy(&cs);
              ⟨Restore non-raw template parms 17f⟩
              return nerr_pass_ctx(nerr, "%s", tmpl);
17d
        ⟨Set raw template parms 17d⟩≡
                                                                                                            (17c 19c)
           char *oescape = NULL;
           if(raw) {
             nerr_op(hdf_get_copy(parms, "Config.VarEscapeMode", &oescape, NULL));
             nerr_op(hdf_set_value(parms, "Config.VarEscapeMode", "none"));
17e
                                                                                                            (17c 19c)
        ⟨Free raw template parms 17e⟩≡
           if (oescape)
              free (oescape);
```

```
17f
        \langle Restore\ non-raw\ template\ parms\ 17f \rangle \equiv
                                                                                                            (17c 19c)
           if(raw) {
             NEOERR *ignerr;
             if (oescape)
                ignerr = hdf_set_buf(parms, "Config.VarEscapeMode", oescape);
               ignerr = hdf_remove_tree(parms, "Config.VarEscapeMode");
             if(ignerr != STATUS_OK)
               nerr_log_error(ignerr);
18a
        \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                           ⊲17c 18b⊳
           NEOERR *prepare_template(CSPARSE **_cs, HDF *hdf)
             NEOERR *nerr = nerr_pass(cs_init(_cs, hdf));
             CSPARSE *cs = *_cs;
              (Initialize templates 22a)
              return nerr;
18b
        \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                           ⊲18a 18c⊳
           NEOERR *cs_to_gstring(void *user, char *str)
             GString *out = user;
             g_string_append(out, str);
              return STATUS_OK;
           NEOERR *tmpl_string(const char *tmpl, HDF *parms, GString *out, gboolean raw)
              return nerr_pass(tmpl_string_to(tmpl, parms, cs_to_gstring, out, raw));
18c
        \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                           ⊲18b 19a⊳
           NEOERR *cs_to_file(void *user, char *str)
             FILE *f = user;
              return fputs(str, f) < 0 ? nerr_raise_msg_errno("Writing") : STATUS_OK;</pre>
           NEOERR *tmpl_string_to_file(const char *tmpl, HDF *parms, FILE *out,
                                            gboolean raw)
              return nerr_pass(tmpl_string_to(tmpl, parms, cs_to_file, out, raw));
            Template files are loaded from the default directory if relative.
18d
        ⟨Template Parameter Configuration 18d⟩≡
           # Default directory for templates (relative to $CONFIG_ROOT)
           \#tmpl\_dir = tmpl
```

```
19a
        \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                             <18c 19c⊳
           const char *tmpl_dir = "tmpl";
19b
        \langle Set\ up\ templates\ 19b \rangle \equiv
              extern const char *tmpl_dir;
              tmpl_dir = getconf("tmpl_dir", "tmpl");
              prepend_dir_if_relative(config_root, tmpl_dir);
              die_if_err(hdf_set_value(local_config, "hdf.loadpaths.tmpl_dir", tmpl_dir));
19c
        \langle tmpl.c 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                             ⊲19a 19d⊳
           NEOERR *tmpl_file_to(const char *tmpl, HDF *parms, CSOUTFUNC outf,
                                    void *outp, qboolean raw)
              CSPARSE *cs = NULL;
              NEOERR *nerr = STATUS_OK;
              ⟨Set raw template parms 17d⟩
              nerr_op(prepare_template(&cs, parms));
              if (nerr != STATUS_OK) {
                 ⟨Free raw template parms 17e⟩ /* memory probs, so don't try to restore */
                return nerr_pass_ctx(nerr, "%s", tmpl);
              nerr_op(cs_parse_file(cs, (char *)tmpl));
              nerr_op(cs_render(cs, outp, outf));
              cs_destroy(&cs);
              ⟨Restore non-raw template parms 17f⟩
              return nerr_pass_ctx(nerr, "%s", tmpl);
19d
        \langle tmpl.c 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                            <19c 22b⊳
           NEOERR *tmpl_file(const char *tmpl, HDF *parms, FILE *out, gboolean raw)
              return nerr_pass(tmpl_file_to(tmpl, parms, cs_to_file, out, raw));
           NEOERR *tmpl_file_to_string(const char *tmpl, HDF *parms, GString *out,
                                             gboolean raw)
              return nerr_pass(tmpl_file_to(tmpl, parms, cs_to_gstring, out, raw));
            One problem with providing a macro library in ClearSilver is that the final newline of a file will appear
        in the final output. There is no extremely efficient way to deal with this, so a simple awk program is used.
19e
        \langle (build.nw) makefile.vars 2a \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                             \texttt{CS\_FILES=}\langle \textit{CS files 47a}\rangle
19f
        ⟨(build.nw) Build Source 10b⟩+≡
                                                                                                                  ⊲15f
           $(CS_FILES) \
```

```
20a \(\langle \text{(build.nw) Clean built files 20a} \)\\
\text{rm -f $ (CS_FILES)}
\(
20b \quad \langle \text{(build.nw) makefile.rules } 10c\rangle \rightarrow \)\\
\text{# strip trailing \n - there has to be an easier way} \(
\text{$ (CS_FILES): $ (NOWEB_ORDER) \\
\text{notangle -R$@ $^ | awk '\Strip final newline } 20c\rangle' \rightarrow \text{$ @ misc: $ (CS_FILES)} \\
\text{20c} \(
\text{$ \sum Strip final newline } 20c\rangle \)\\
\text{$ if (prline) print line; line = $$0; prline = 1 } \text{END } \(
\text{ORS = ""; print line;} \)
```

Templates are provided in this document, but if a program does not use them, there is no point in installing them. For this reason, a chunk is created for the installation instructions which can be added to $\langle (build.nw) |$ Install other files 11c \rangle if desired. Since HTML files are generally templates as well, they are also added in this rule.

```
20d ⟨Install ClearSilver templates 20d⟩≡

mkdir -p $ (DESTDIR) $ (ETC_DIR) / tmpl

cp -p $ (CS_FILES) $ (HTML_FILES) $ (DESTDIR) $ (ETC_DIR) / tmpl
```

However, some HTML files may be just plain HTML that needs to be installed in the web server's document directory. For consistency, these are also copied into the template directory, but they are soft linked to the copy in the template directory. While the configuration option will always be visible, users can just ignore the option if there is no plain HTML.

```
20e
         \langle (build.nw) \ makefile.config\ 7b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                               ⊲8b
             # Install directory for plain HTML files
             HTML_DIR=/var/www/html
20f
                                                                                                                         ⊲19e 47d⊳
         \langle (build.nw) \ makefile.vars \ 2a \rangle + \equiv
             PLAIN_HTML=(Plain HTML 20h)
20g
         ⟨(build.nw) Plain Files 20g⟩≡
             ⟨Plain HTML 20h⟩
20h
         ⟨Plain HTML 20h⟩≡
                                                                                                                               (20)
20i
                                                                                                                              ⊲20d
         ⟨Install ClearSilver templates 20d⟩+≡
             $(if $(PLAIN_HTML), \
             mkdir -p $(DESTDIR)$(HTML_DIR); \
             relup=; edir=$(ETC_DIR); hdir=$(HTML_DIR); \
             edir=$${edir%/}/tmpl/; hdir=$${hdir%/}/; \
             while [ \$\$\{edir\#\$\{hdir\}\} = \$\$edir\ ]; do \
               relup=../${ relup}; \
```

```
hdir=$${hdir%/*/}/; \
done; \
ltarget=$${relup}$$${edir#/; \
for x in $(PLAIN_HTML); do \
   ln -sf $${ltarget}/$$x $(DESTDIR)$(HTML_DIR)/$$x; \
done)
```

A check rule is added for running htmltidy on plain HTML files, since they should be complete and error-free.

21 $\langle (build.nw) \, makefile.rules \, 10c \rangle + \equiv$

⊲20b 47e⊳

There are a number of common things a user might want to do in a template, that are either not supported by ClearSilver or are unnecessarily inefficient and ugly in ClearSilver. ClearSilver has a rudimentary mechanism for adding string functions to the template expression language. It also has a method for adding more general functions, but that method is currently marked as experimental and likely to change. This can probably be worked around using version detection, although the lack of convenient version macros in ClearSilver will probably require the use of external definitions. The version has remained at 0.10.5 for more than a year now, so this might not be an issue. String functions may only take one string as input ⁶, and produce one string as output. Any functions which do not fit into that pattern use the generic extension facility. Generic functions are also the only method that gives access to the HDF being used for variable substitutions. Even generic functions are limited, though, in that they can only take a fixed number of arguments.

The following functions are added to support the common transformations needed by templates:

parse_date(formats, date) Parse an absolute date in server's current locale using strptime(3) or a relative date using a custom format and return as seconds since UNIX epoch. The formats string consists of zero or more formats separated by vertical bars (|). The formats in the "Default formats for parse_date" table are appended to the given formats, in order (examples are for Friday, June 13, 2008, 18:07:10, with adjustments described below). The first format which matches the date will be used.

Since strptime(3) does not support time zones, the time zone is always the server's local time zone. This can be changed for subsequent formats by using the format TZ=zone. Note that the format of the zone string is operating system-dependent. See tzset(3) for details. If any of hours, minutes, or seconds are not present, they are set to zero. If the month is specified, but not the day, the first of the month is used. If only the year is specified, January 1 is used. These formats also support some relative times. If the year is unspecified, it is the current year, unless the day of year is specified, either by month or day of year, and that day is on or after today, in which case it is last year. If only the weekday is specified, then it is the last such weekday, excluding today. In the previous examples, the %a format only works between Saturday, June 14, and Friday, June 20, and the %b format only works between July 1, 2008, and June 30, 2009.

For specifically relative dates, the date must consist of a star (*), implying the current date, optionally followed by an offset. The offset is an optional sign (+ or -; - is default), followed by an optional count (1 is the default), followed by an optional case-insensitve interval length indicator for seconds

⁶Care must be taken to ensure that the parameter really is a string. Once an expression becomes a number, concatenation becomes addition (even if one side cannot be converted to a number), and these string conversion functions become no-ops. The only way to convert an expression back into a string is to call the built-in string function string.slice with zero as the start and an extremely large end.

Format	Example
%Y-%m-%d %T	2008-06-13 18:07:10
%Y-%m-%d %R	2008-06-13 18:07
%Y-%m-%d	2008-06-13
%m/%d/%Y %T	6/13/2008 18:07:10
%m/%d/%Y %R	6/13/2008 18:07
%m/%d/%Y	6/13/2008
%d-%m-%Y %T	13-06-2008 18:07:10
%d-%m-%Y %R	13-06-2008 18:07
%d-%m-%Y	13-06-2008
%T	18:07:10
%R	18:07
%a %T	Friday 18:07:10
%a %R	Friday 18:07
%a	Friday
%b %Y	June 2008
%b	June
%c	Fri Jun 13 18:07:10 2008
%x	06/13/08

Table 1: Default formats for parse_date

(S), minutes ('), hours (H), days (D) (the default), months (M), or years (Y). For a valid offset, one or the other of the count or the interval length indicator must be present. All parts of the date finer than the specified interval are set to their lowest value. For example, if the interval is in months, then the day is set to the first of the month, and the time is set to midnight.

Finally, a blank input returns 0, always.

```
⟨Initialize templates 22a⟩≡
22a
                                                                                                              (18a) 26a⊳
           nerr_op(cs_register_function(cs, (char *)"parse_date", 2, cs_parse_date));
        \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                             ⊲19d 23d⊳
22b
            static const char const * date_fmts[] = {
              "%Y-%m-%d %T",
              "%Y-%m-%d %R",
              "%Y-%m-%d",
              "%m/%d/%Y %T",
              "%m/%d/%Y %R",
              "%m/%d/%Y",
              "%d-%m-%Y %T",
              "%d-%m-%Y %R",
              "%d-%m-%Y",
              "%T",
              "%R",
              "%a %T",
              "%a %R",
              "%a",
              "%b",
              "%b %Y",
              "%c",
"%x %X",
            "%x", #if 0 /* these formats should just be specified in the argument instead */
              "%x %X",
```

```
\langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                               ⊲19d 23d⊳
22b
              "%Ec",
              "%Ex",
              "%Ex %EX",
            #endif
              NULL
           };
23a
         \langle (build.nw) \ Common \ C \ Includes \ 1 \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                           (46a) ⊲4c 27a⊳
            #include <pthread.h>
23b
         \langle \textit{ClearSilver Support Globals 5b} \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                           (5a) ⊲15a 28a⊳
           /* Lock this if modifying timezone information */
           extern pthread_mutex_t tz_lock;
23c
        \langle cs\_supt.c \ 5e \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                               ⊲14b 28c⊳
           /* cheat: if it's already defined elsewhere, disable */
           #ifndef TZ_LOCK_DEFINED
           pthread_mutex_t tz_lock = PTHREAD_MUTEX_INITIALIZER;
           #endif
23d
        \langle tmpl.c 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                ⊲22b 25⊳
            time_t parse_date(char *formats, const char *date_str)
              char *s, *e = NULL;
              const char *fmt, **fmtp;
              struct tm tm_parsed, tm_ref, tm_now;
              time_t t;
              const char *old_tz = NULL; /* init to shut gcc up */
              gboolean set_tz = FALSE;
              gboolean got_err = FALSE;
              if(!date_str || !*date_str)
                 return 0;
              memset(&tm_ref, 0xff, sizeof(tm_ref));
              t = time(NULL);
              localtime_r(&t, &tm_now);
              if(formats && *formats) {
                 fmt = formats;
                 while (\frac{1}{1}) {
                   s = strchr(fmt, '|');
                   if(s)
                     *s++ = 0;
                   if(!strncmp(fmt, "TZ=", 3)) {
                      if(!set_tz) {
                        pthread_mutex_lock(&tz_lock);
                        old_tz = getenv("TZ");
                        set_tz = TRUE;
                      setenv("TZ", fmt + 3, 1);
                      tzset();
                    } else {
                      tm_parsed = tm_ref;
                      if((e = strptime(date_str, fmt, &tm_parsed)) && !*e)
                        break;
                   if(s)
                      fmt = s;
                   else
```

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```
break;
for(fmtp = date_fmts; (!e || *e) && *fmtp; fmtp++) {
 tm_parsed = tm_ref;
  e = strptime(date_str, *fmtp, &tm_parsed);
if(!e || *e) {
  if(*date_str == '*') {
   gboolean add = TRUE;
    tm_parsed = tm_now;
    gint num_add = 1;
    if(*++date_str == '+')
      date_str++;
    else if (*date_str == '-') {
      date_str++;
      add = FALSE;
    if(isdigit(*date_str)) {
      num_add = atoi(date_str);
      while(isdigit(*++date_str));
    if(!add)
      num_add = -num_add;
    if(*date_str && date_str[1])
      got_err = TRUE; /* parse error */
      switch (toupper(*date_str)) {
        case 'S':
          tm_parsed.tm_sec += num_add;
          break;
        case '\'':
          tm_parsed.tm_min += num_add;
          break;
        case 'H':
          tm_parsed.tm_hour += num_add;
          break;
        case 'D':
        case 0:
           tm_parsed.tm_mday += num_add;
           break;
        case 'M':
          tm_parsed.tm_mon += num_add;
        case 'Y':
           tm_parsed.tm_year += num_add;
           break;
        default:
           got_err = TRUE; /* parse error */
    if(!got_err)
      /* all cases in following switch fall through */
      switch (toupper(*date_str)) {
        case 'Y':
          tm_parsed.tm_mon = 0;
        case 'M':
         tm_parsed.tm_mday = 1;
        case 'D':
        case 0:
          tm_parsed.tm_hour = 0;
        case 'H':
         tm_parsed.tm_min = 0;
        case '\'':
```

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```
tm_parsed.tm_sec = 0;
         case 'S':
           break;
  } else
    got_err = TRUE; /* unknown */
} else {
  /* adjust for partial specification; bias for the past */
  if(tm_parsed.tm_sec == tm_ref.tm_sec)
    tm_parsed.tm_sec = 0;
  if(tm_parsed.tm_min == tm_ref.tm_min)
    tm_parsed.tm_min = 0;
  if(tm_parsed.tm_hour == tm_ref.tm_hour)
    tm_parsed.tm_hour = 0;
  tm_parsed.tm_isdst = -1;
  if (tm_parsed.tm_year == tm_ref.tm_year) {
    tm_parsed.tm_year = tm_now.tm_year;
    if(tm_parsed.tm_mon != tm_ref.tm_mon) {
      if \, (\texttt{tm\_parsed.tm\_mon} \, > \, \, \texttt{tm\_now.tm\_mon})
         tm_parsed.tm_year--;
      else\ if\ (\verb|tm_parsed.tm_mon| == \ \verb|tm_now.tm_mon| \&\&
                (tm_parsed.tm_mday == tm_ref.tm_mday ||
                 tm_parsed.tm_mday > tm_now.tm_mday))
         tm_parsed.tm_year--;
    } else if (tm_parsed.tm_yday != tm_ref.tm_yday) {
      if(tm_parsed.tm_yday > tm_now.tm_yday)
        tm_parsed.tm_year--;
       tm_parsed.tm_mon = 0;
      tm_parsed.tm_mday = tm_parsed.tm_yday;
  if(tm_parsed.tm_mday == tm_ref.tm_mday) {
    if(tm_parsed.tm_yday != tm_ref.tm_yday) {
      tm_parsed.tm_mday = tm_parsed.tm_yday;
      tm_parsed.tm_mon = 0;
    } else if (tm_parsed.tm_wday != tm_ref.tm_wday) {
      if (tm_parsed.tm_wday >= tm_now.tm_wday)
   tm_parsed.tm_wday -= 7;
      tm_parsed.tm_mday = tm_now.tm_mday;
      tm_parsed.tm_mday -= tm_now.tm_wday - tm_parsed.tm_wday;
    } else if (tm_parsed.tm_mon != tm_ref.tm_mon)
      tm_parsed.tm_mday = 1;
    else
      tm_parsed.tm_mday = tm_now.tm_mday;
  if(tm_parsed.tm_mon == tm_ref.tm_mon)
    tm_parsed.tm_mon = tm_now.tm_mon;
t = mktime(&tm_parsed);
if(set_tz) {
  if(old_tz)
    setenv("TZ", old_tz, 1);
    unsetenv("TZ");
  tzset();
  pthread_mutex_unlock(&tz_lock);
if(got_err)
  return 0;
else
  return t;
```

```
25
       \langle tmpl.c 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                   NEOERR *cs_parse_date(CSPARSE *cs, CS_FUNCTION *csf, CSARG *args, CSARG *result)
            NEOERR *nerr = STATUS_OK;
            char *formats = NULL, *date_str = NULL;
            result->op_type = CS_TYPE_NUM;
            result->s = NULL;
            nerr = cs_arg_parse(cs, args, "ss", &formats, &date_str);
            if (nerr == STATUS_OK)
             /* n is long, so this will fail in 2038 on 32-bit systems */
              result->n = parse_date(formats, date_str);
            if(formats)
              free(formats);
            if(date_str)
              free (date_str);
            return nerr;
```

format_date(*format*, *timestamp*) Format date using strftime(3), with optional *format*. A blank *format* is replaced by %c. The *timestamp* is seconds since UNIX epoch.

```
26a
        \langle Initialize\ templates\ 22a\rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                 (18a) ⊲22a 27b⊳
           nerr_op(cs_register_function(cs, (char *) "format_date", 2, cs_format_date));
26b
        \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                       ⊲25 27c⊳
           NEOERR *cs_format_date(CSPARSE *cs, CS_FUNCTION *csf, CSARG *args, CSARG *result)
             char *buf;
             guint buflen, ret;
             long t_arg;
             time_t t;
             char *fmt_arg = NULL;
             const char *fmt;
             struct tm tm_in;
             NEOERR *nerr;
             nerr = cs_arg_parse(cs, args, "si", &fmt_arg, &t_arg);
             if (nerr != STATUS_OK) {
               if(fmt_arg)
                 free(fmt_arg);
               return nerr;
             fmt = fmt_arg;
             /* 32-bit systems will fail in 2038 due to use of long */
             t = t_arg;
             if(!fmt || !*fmt)
               fmt = "%c";
             localtime_r(&t, &tm_in);
             buflen = strlen(fmt) * 4;
             buf = malloc(buflen);
             while(buf) {
               ret = strftime(buf, buflen, fmt, &tm_in);
               if (ret && ret < buflen)
                  break;
               buflen *= 2;
               if(buflen >= 1024) {
                 free (buf);
                  buf = NULL;
               } else {
                  char *tmp = realloc(buf, buflen);
```

```
27a
         \langle (build.nw) \ Common \ C \ Includes \ 1 \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                            (46a) ⊲23a 38d⊳
            #include <cgi/cgi.h>
27b
         \langle Initialize\ templates\ 22a\rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                            (18a) ⊲26a 31a⊳
            if (nerr == STATUS_OK) {
              nerr = cgi_register_strfuncs(cs);
              nerr_ignore(&nerr);
            nerr_op(cs_register_strfunc(cs, (char *) "url_unescape", cs_url_unescape));
27c
         \langle tmpl.c 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                 ⊲26b 31b⊳
            NEOERR *cs_url_unescape(const char *in, char **out)
               *out = strdup(in);
              if(!*out)
                 return nerr_raise_msg("No memory for conversion");
               cgi_url_unescape(*out);
              return STATUS_OK;
```

json_escape(variable-name) Escape variable and its children using JavaScript Object Notation (JSON). See http://www.json.org for the complete format specification. Nonexistent variables and variables without values or children are output as null. Variables with values are output as strings by default, but may be output as numbers by adding the num attribute, and may be output as booleans by adding the bool attribute; booleans with no value, blank values, or the value 0 are output as false. Variables with children are output as objects by default, but may be output as arrays (i.e., children names are sorted, but not output) by adding the array attribute; arrays with no value are output as an empty array, but there is no way to output an empty object ({}}). String values must be UTF-8 encoded. If any variables have raw values which may conflict with UTF-8, they should be double-encoded using e.g. URL-encoding to ensure that their value is converted to ASCII first.

It would be nice to be able to pass in the variable rather than passing in the variable's name, but the ClearSilver function support only supports integer and string variables, and not object references. JSON encoding is not supported by any functions in the libraries being used, so a generic GString version is provided as well.

First, in order to support the different data types with indistinguishable internal representations, flags can be set on variables using HDF attributes. These attributes can be set using the API or within an HDF using the bracketed attribute name immediately after the variable name. There is no way to set attributes within templates, so some sort of skeleton HDF file would need to be read in and used for that.

```
28a
         \langle ClearSilver\ Support\ Globals\ 5b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                    (5a) ⊲23b
            typedef enum json_var_type {
               JSON_UNK, JSON_ARRAY, JSON_BOOL, JSON_NUM
              json_var_type;
28b
         \langle (build.nw) \ Known \ Data \ Types \ 2g \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                    ⊲15b 58⊳
            json_var_type,%
28c
         \langle cs\_supt.c \ 5e \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                   <23c 28d⊳
            json_var_type hdf_json_var_type(HDF *obj)
               HDF_ATTR *attrs = hdf_obj_attr(obj);
               while(attrs) {
                 if(!strcmp(attrs->key, "num"))
                    return JSON_NUM;
                 else if(!strcmp(attrs->key, "bool"))
                    return JSON_BOOL;
                 else if (!strcmp(attrs->key, "array"))
                   return JSON_ARRAY;
                 attrs = attrs->next;
               return JSON_UNK;
```

The conversion function recursively appends values to a string. If the top level has children, either an object (attribute-value pairs, which include the name of each child) or an array (values only; the names are just sorted before display) is appended.

```
28d
       \langle cs\_supt.c \ 5e \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                               GString *g_string_append_json(GString *buf, HDF *hdf)
            json_var_type vt = hdf_json_var_type(hdf);
            if (hdf_obj_child(hdf)) {
              if (vt == JSON_ARRAY) {
                char c = '[';
                hdf_sort_obj(hdf, comp_hdf_name);
                for(hdf = hdf_obj_child(hdf); hdf; hdf = hdf_obj_next(hdf)) {
                  g_string_append_c(buf, c);
                  c = ',';
                  g_string_append_json(buf, hdf);
                g_string_append_c(buf, ']');
              } else {
                char c = ' \{';
                for(hdf = hdf_obj_child(hdf); hdf; hdf = hdf_obj_next(hdf)) {
                  g_string_append_c(buf, c);
                  c = ',';
                  append_unicode_quoted(buf, hdf_obj_name(hdf));
                   g_string_append_c(buf, ':');
                   g_string_append_json(buf, hdf);
```

```
28d ⟨cs_supt.c 5e⟩+≡

g_string_append_c (buf, '}');

return buf;

{Append JSON-encoded hdf value to buf 29a⟩
return buf;
```

If there are no children, the value is appended. Technically, a NULL value could indicate either an empty object, an empty array, a boolean false, or null. If the array flag is set, an empty array is appended. If the boolean flag is set, a boolean false is appended. There is no way to distinguish empty objects and null, so null is appended.

For ClearSilver boooleans, empty strings and zero are false. Technically, if the zero is considered a string, it is not false, but there is no way to easily distinguish. There is also no real need to check for other forms of zero, such as hexadecimal zero or multiple zero digits.

```
29b ⟨Append JSON-encoded hdf value to buf 29a⟩+≡ (28d) ⊲29a 29c⊳

if (vt == JSON_BOOL) {
    if (!*s || !strcmp(s, "0"))
        g_string_append(buf, "false");
    else
        g_string_append(buf, "true");
    return buf;
}
```

Numbers are only appended as numbers if they are really valid numbers. JSON does not support octal or hexadecimal numbers, but this code does, and converts it to decimal before printing. If it is not a valid number, it falls through to string formatting.

Strings are only complicated in that they must be UTF-8 encoded. It is assumed that they already are; in most cases, this means that the string must be ASCII to begin with. As a fallback, if the string fails UTF-8 validation, it is printed as ASCII with special characters escaped as though they were unicode.

```
30a
         \langle Append\ JSON\text{-}encoded\ \text{hdf}\ value\ to\ \text{buf}\ 29a \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                        (28d) ⊲29c
             append_unicode_quoted(buf, s);
30b
         \langle cs\_supt.c \ 5e \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                        ⊲28d 31c⊳
             GString *append_unicode_quoted(GString *buf, const char *s)
               g_string_append_c(buf, '"');
               if (g_utf8_validate(s, -1, NULL))
                  while (*s) {
                    qunichar uc = q_utf8_get_char(s);
                     s = g_utf8_next_char(s);
                     (Tack escaped uc to buf 30c)
               else
                  while (*s) {
                    unsigned char uc = *s++;
                     ⟨Tack escaped uc to buf 30c⟩
               g_string_append_c(buf, '"');
               return buf;
         \langle \mathit{Tack}\ \mathit{escaped}\ \mathtt{uc}\ \mathit{to}\ \mathtt{buf}\ 30\mathtt{c} \rangle {\equiv}
30c
                                                                                                                             (30b)
             if (uc < 128 && isprint (uc) && uc != '" && uc != ' \setminus ')
               g_string_append_c(buf, uc);
             else switch (uc) {
               case '\b':
                  g_string_append(buf, "\\b");
                  break;
               case '\t':
                  g_string_append(buf, "\\t");
                  break:
               case '\f':
                  g_string_append(buf, "\\f");
                  break;
               case '\n':
                  g_string_append(buf, "\\n");
                  break;
               case '\r':
                  g_string_append(buf, "\\r");
```

Finally, the template function is pretty simple, except that it needs to be a full callback in order to access the HDF.

```
31a
        \langle Initialize\ templates\ 22a\rangle + \equiv
                                                                                              (18a) ⊲27b 36a⊳
          nerr_op(cs_register_function(cs, (char *)"json_escape", 1, cs_json_escape));
31b
        \langle tmpl.c 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                   NEOERR *cs_json_escape(CSPARSE *cs, CS_FUNCTION *csf, CSARG *args, CSARG *result)
            NEOERR *nerr = STATUS_OK;
            HDF *src:
            char *varname;
            GString *json;
            nerr = cs_arg_parse(cs, args, "s", &varname);
            result->op_type = CS_TYPE_STRING;
            if (nerr == STATUS_OK) {
               json = g_string_new("");
               src = hdf_get_obj(cs->hdf, varname);
               if(src)
                 g_string_append_json(json, src);
                 g_string_assign(json, "null");
               result->s = g_string_free(json, FALSE);
              result->s = NULL;
            if(varname)
               free (varname);
             return nerr;
```

json_unescape(variable-name, value) Set variable to the result of parsing value using JavaScript Object Notation (JSON). See http://www.json.org for the complete format specification. Arrays will have their array attribute set and their children will receive numeric sequence names. Booleans will be set to 1 for true and blank for false and have their bool attribute set. Numbers will have their num attribute set. Unicode escapes in the string will be encoded as per UTF-8.

Reading JSON is probably not something C (or template) code will ever do, but nonetheless, here is the reverse operation. Just in case the string has more than one value encoded, an end pointer is provided. This is actually used in recursive calls, since the value is embedded in a structure. Reading from a JSON file might be useful as well, but it requires a character of lookahead, and is probably not useful enough to require a separate function in order to allow reading in large volumes of data.

```
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```

Any JSON value may have leading or trailing space.

```
32a ⟨Convert JSON to HDF 32a⟩≡

while (isspace (*s))

s++;

if (!*s)

return nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON: Expected value");
```

Objects start with curly braces. A recursive call is used to parse values. Names could be processed by doing a recursive call with a dummy HDF object as its target, but instead the string processing is done in a separate function.

```
32b
        \langle Convert\ JSON\ to\ HDF\ 32a\rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                (31c) ⊲32a 33a⊳
           if (*s == '{'}) {
             gboolean gotone = FALSE;
             HDF *cn;
             GString *buf = NULL;
             while (nerr == STATUS_OK) {
               while(isspace(*s))
                 s++;
               if(*s == '}')')
                 break;
               if(gotone) {
                 if (*s != ',') {
                   nerr = nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON: expected , or }");
                   break;
                 while(isspace(*++s));
               if (*s != '"') {
                 nerr = nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON: expected quoted name");
                 break;
               gotone = TRUE;
               if(!buf)
                 buf = g_string_new("");
                 g_string_truncate(buf, 0);
               nerr = parse_json_string(s, buf, &s);
```

```
32b
        \langle Convert\ JSON\ to\ HDF\ 32a\rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                  (31c) ⊲32a 33a⊳
               if (nerr == STATUS_OK) {
                  while(isspace(*s))
                    s++;
                  if(*s != ':') {
                    nerr = nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON: expected :");
                    break;
                 s++;
               nerr_op(hdf_get_node(hdf, buf->str, &cn));
               nerr_op(embedded_json_from_string(s, cn, &s));
             if(buf)
               g_string_free(buf, TRUE);
             if(ep && nerr == STATUS_OK)
               *ep = s + 1;
             return nerr;
```

Arrays start with square brackets. A recursive call is used to parse values, and names are just sequential numbers. Even though the function is inteded to be called with an empty object, an attempt is made to avoid any existing children. This means that if values are not intended to be merged, they should first be destroyed.

```
⟨Convert JSON to HDF 32a⟩+≡
                                                                                  (31c) ⊲32b 33b⊳
  if (*s == '[') {
    gboolean gotone = FALSE;
    int idx = -1;
    char idx_buf[22];
    HDF *cn;
    for(cn = hdf_obj_child(hdf); cn; cn = hdf_obj_next(cn)) {
       int cn_idx = atol(hdf_obj_name(cn));
      if(cn_idx >= idx)
         idx = cn_idx;
    hdf_set_attr(hdf, NULL, "array", "1");
    while(nerr == STATUS_OK) {
       while(isspace(*s))
        s++;
      if (*s == ']')
        break;
      if (gotone) {
        if (*s != ',') {
           nerr = nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON: expected , or ]");
           break:
        while(isspace(*++s));
      gotone = TRUE;
      sprintf(idx_buf, "%d", ++idx);
      nerr = hdf_get_node(hdf, idx_buf, &cn);
      nerr_op(embedded_json_from_string(s, cn, &s));
    if(ep && nerr == STATUS_OK)
      *ep = s + 1;
     return nerr;
```

Boolean values are unquoted literals.

33a

An NULL value should probably clear out the entire value, if it already exists. Instead, it is simply ignored, on the assumption that the value is already NULL.

```
34a ⟨Convert JSON to HDF 32a⟩+≡

if(!strncmp(s, "null", 4) && is_end(s[4])) {

if(ep)

    *ep = s + 4;

return STATUS_OK;
}

(31c) ⊲33b 34b⊳
```

Numbers can be parsed using strtol or strtod, but their format needs to be validated first. Since all HDF values are basically strings, there is no need to really parse the number. For floating point values, precision would be lost by such an action, anyway. JSON also provides no range for valid values, so it is possible to have numbers outside of the range for even strtoull.

```
34b
                                                                                              (31c) ⊲34a 35a⊳
        \langle Convert\ JSON\ to\ HDF\ 32a\rangle + \equiv
          if(isdigit(*s) || (*s == '-' && isdigit(s[1]))) {
             const char *e = *s == '-' ? s + 1 : s;
             gboolean is_float;
             if(*e == '0' && isdigit(e[1])) /* octal; explicitly forbidden */
              return nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON: octal numbers not allowed");
             while(isdigit(*++e));
             is_float = *e == '.';
             if(is_float && isdigit(e[1])) {
               while(isdigit(*++e));
               if(*e == 'e' || *e == 'E') {
                 if((e[1] == '+' || e[1] == '-') && isdigit(e[2]))
                   ++e;
                 if(!isdigit(e[1]))
                   return nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON: invalid exponent");
                 while(isdigit(*++e));
               }
             if(!is\_end(*e))
              return nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON: invalid numeric format");
             GString *buf = g_string_new_len(s, (int)(e - s));
            if (ep)
             nerr = hdf_set_attr(hdf, NULL, "num", "1");
             return hdf_set_buf(hdf, NULL, g_string_free(buf, FALSE));
```

Finally, as mentioned above, strings get their own processing routine. This makes the parser portion pretty simple.

```
35a ⟨Convert JSON to HDF 32a⟩+≡ (31c) ⊲34b 35b⊳

if (*s == '"') {
    GString *buf = g_string_new("");
    nerr = parse_json_string(s, buf, ep);
    nerr_op(hdf_set_buf(hdf, NULL, g_string_free(buf, FALSE)));
    return nerr;
}
```

That covers all possible value formats.

```
⟨Convert JSON to HDF 32a⟩+≡
35b
                                                                                                    (31c) ⊲35a
          return nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON: unrecognized value format");
       \langle \textit{cs\_supt.c} \ 5e \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                    ⊲31c 40a⊳
35c
          NEOERR *parse_json_string(const char *s, GString *buf, const char **ep)
             if (*s != '"')
               return nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON: expected \"");
             for(s++; *s && *s != '"'; s++) {
               if (*s != '\\') {
                 g_string_append_c(buf, *s);
                 continue;
               switch (*++s) {
                 case ' " ' :
                 case '\\':
                 case ' /' :
                   g_string_append_c(buf, *s);
                   break;
                 case 'b':
                   g_string_append_c(buf, '\b');
                   break;
                 case 'f':
                   g_string_append_c(buf, '\f');
                    break;
                 case 'n':
                   g_string_append_c(buf, '\n');
                   break;
                 case 'r':
                    g_string_append_c(buf, '\r');
                   break:
                 case 't':
                   g_string_append_c(buf, '\t');
                   break;
                 case 'u':
                   if(!isxdigit(*++s) || !isxdigit(*++s) || !isxdigit(*++s) ||
                       !isxdigit(*++s))
                     return nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON");
                    char unibuf[6];
                   int len, c;
                    sscanf(s - 4, "%04x", &c);
                   len = g_unichar_to_utf8(c, unibuf);
                    g_string_append_len(buf, unibuf, len);
                   break:
                 default:
                    return nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON: invalid string format");
```

```
35c
         \langle cs\_supt.c \ 5e \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                  ⊲31c 40a⊳
              if (*s == '"')
                s++;
               else
                 return nerr_raise_msg("Invalid JSON: no terminating \" on string");
                 *ep = s;
              return STATUS_OK;
36a
         \langle Initialize\ templates\ 22a\rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                             (18a) ⊲31a 36c⊳
            nerr_op(cs_register_function(cs, (char *)"json_unescape", 2, cs_json_unescape));
36b
         \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                  ⊲31b 36d⊳
            NEOERR *cs_json_unescape(CSPARSE *cs, CS_FUNCTION *csf, CSARG *args,
                                           CSARG *result)
              NEOERR *nerr = STATUS_OK;
              HDF *target;
              char *varname, *val;
              nerr = cs_arg_parse(cs, args, "ss", &varname, &val);
nerr_op(hdf_get_node(cs->hdf, varname, &target));
              nerr_op(json_from_string(val, target));
              /* no void functions, so return 1 on success (i.e., always) */
               result->op_type = CS_TYPE_NUM;
               result->s = NULL;
               result->n = nerr == STATUS_OK;
               if (varname)
                 free (varname);
               if(val)
                 free (val);
               return nerr;
```

to_hex(*bin*) Convert a URL-encoded binary blob to a string of lower-case hexadecimal digits. This is mostly for displaying checksums. The blob must be URL-encoded so that zeroes are handled properly in the string.

```
36c
        \langle Initialize\ templates\ 22a \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                      (18a) ⊲36a 37a⊳
           nerr_op(cs_register_strfunc(cs, (char *)"to_hex", cs_to_hex));
36d
        \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                           ⊲36h 37h⊳
           NEOERR *cs_to_hex(const char *in, char **out)
              guint8 c, *op;
              *out = malloc(strlen(in) * 2 + 1);
              if(!*out)
                return nerr_raise_msg("No memory for conversion");
              op = (guint8 *)*out;
              while(*in) {
                if(*in == '%' \&\& isxdigit(in[1]) \&\& isxdigit(in[2])) {
                  c = *++in & 0xf;
                  if(*in > '9')
                    c += 10 - ('a' \& 0xf);
```

```
\langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
36d
                                                                                                               ⊲36b 37b⊳
                   c <<= 4;
                   c += *++in & 0xf;
                   if(*in > '9')
                 c += 10 - ('a' & 0xf);
} else if (*in == '+')
                 else
                   c = *in;
                 *op = (c >> 4) + '0';
                 if(c > 0x9f)
                   *op += 'a' - '0' - 10;
                 *++op = (c &= 0xf) + '0';
                 if (c > 9)
                   *op += 'a' - '0' - 10;
                op++;
                 in++;
              *op = 0;
              return STATUS_OK;
```

from_hex(*hex*) Convert a string of hexadecimal digits to a URL-encoded binary blob. This is mostly for converting checksums from their usual format to that expected by these utilities. The return must be URL-encoded to prevent issues with zeroes in string returns.

```
37a
        \langle Initialize\ templates\ 22a\rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                       (18a) ⊲36c 37c⊳
           nerr_op(cs_register_strfunc(cs, (char *)"from_hex", cs_from_hex));
        \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
37b
                                                                                                            ⊲36d 37d⊳
           NEOERR *cs_from_hex(const char *in, char **out)
              char *op;
              *out = op = malloc(strlen(in) * \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{1});
              if(!*out)
                return nerr_raise_msg("No memory for conversion");
              while (isxdigit(*in) \&& isxdigit(in[1])) {
                *op++ = '%';
                *op++ = toupper(*in++);
                *op++ = toupper(*in++);
             if(*in)
                return nerr_raise_msg("Invalid hex string");
              *op = 0;
              return STATUS_OK;
```

to_lower(*string*) Convert *string* to lower-case in the server's current locale. This is done a byte at a time using the ctype.h function. This means that the string will probably be mangled in UTF-8 locales or if the input locale does not match the server's locale.

```
37c ⟨Initialize templates 22a⟩+≡ (18a) ⊲37a 38a⊳ nerr_op(cs_register_strfunc(cs, (char *)"to_lower", cs_to_lower));
```

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```
Add (tmpl.c 17b)+=

NEOERR *cs_to_lower(const char *in, char **out)
{
    char *op;

    *out = op = malloc(strlen(in) + 1);
    if(!*out)
        return nerr_raise_msg("No memory for conversion");
    while (*in)
        *op++ = tolower(*in++);
        *op = 0;
    return STATUS_OK;
}
```

to_upper(string) Convert string to upper-case. The comments for to_lower() apply here as well.

pw_uid(*id*) Return the password file entry for the given user ID on the local system. Since this uses the system function, it may not be a real file entry, but it is returned in the format of one.

```
38c
         ⟨Initialize templates 22a⟩+≡
                                                                                                          (18a) ⊲38a 39b⊳
            nerr_op(cs_register_function(cs, (char *) "pw_uid", 1, cs_pw_uid));
38d
         \langle (build.nw) \ Common \ C \ Includes \ 1 \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                          (46a) ⊲27a 39e⊳
            #include <pwd.h>
38e
         \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                               ⊲38b 39c⊳
            /* not reentrant, but not for threaded programs */
            NEOERR *cs_pw_uid(CSPARSE *cs, CS_FUNCTION *csf, CSARG *args, CSARG *result)
              long uid;
              NEOERR *nerr = cs_arg_parse(cs, args, "i", &uid);
              if (nerr != STATUS_OK)
               return nerr;
              result->op_type = CS_TYPE_STRING;
              result->n = 0;
              char *s;
```

```
⊲38b 39c⊳
38e
        \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
              struct passwd *pw = getpwuid((uid_t)uid);
              ⟨Set s to passwd file entry 39a⟩
              result->s = s;
              result->alloc = 1;
              return STATUS_OK;
39a
        \langle Set s to passwd file entry 39a\rangle \equiv
                                                                                                             (38e 39c)
           GString *res;
           if(!pw)
             return nerr_raise_msg_errno("unknown user");
           res = g_string_new("");
           g_string_printf(res, "%s:*:%ld:%ld:%s:%s:%s",
                              pw->pw_name, /* pw->pw_passwd, */ (long)pw->pw_uid,
                               (long)pw->pw_gid, pw->pw_gecos, pw->pw_dir, pw->pw_shell);
           s = g_string_free(res, FALSE);
```

pw_nam(*name*) Return the password file entry for the given user name on the local system. Since this uses the system function, it may not be a real file entry, but it is returned in the format of one.

re_match(*re*, *string*) Return integer flag 1 if URL-encoded POSIX extended regular expression *re* matches (non-URL-encoded) *string*.

```
39d
         ⟨Initialize templates 22a⟩+≡
                                                                                                          (18a) ⊲39b 40b⊳
            nerr_op(cs_register_function(cs, (char *) "re_match", 2, cs_re_match));
39e
         \langle (build.nw) \ Common \ C \ Includes \ 1 \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                                (46a) ⊲38d
            #include <regex.h>
39f
                                                                                                                 ⊲39c 41⊳
         \langle tmpl.c 17b \rangle + \equiv
            NEOERR *cs_re_match(CSPARSE *cs, CS_FUNCTION *csf, CSARG *args, CSARG *result)
              regex_t re;
              int ret;
              char *in = NULL, *re_s = NULL;
              NEOERR *nerr;
```

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⊲39c 41⊳ 39f $\langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv$ nerr = cs_arg_parse(cs, args, "ss", &re_s, &in); if (nerr != STATUS_OK) { if(in) free(in); if(re_s) free (re_s); return nerr; cgi_url_unescape(re_s); ret = regcomp(&re, re_s, REG_EXTENDED | REG_NOSUB); if(ret) { nerr = nerr_pass(regerr_nerr(re_s, &re, ret)); free (re_s); free(in); return nerr; free (re_s); result->s = NULL;result->op_type = CS_TYPE_NUM; result->n = !regexec(&re, in, 0, NULL, 0); regfree(&re); free(in); return STATUS_OK;

re_subst(*re*, *subst*, *string*) Substitute occurrences of URL-encoded POSIX extended regular expression *re* with URL-encoded *subst* string in (non-URL-encoded) *string*. In *subst*, backslash escapes are supported:

- \\ means backslash
- \0 means the entire matching string
- \, means nothing (so you can separate \n from literal decimal digits)
- \g also means nothing, but has the side effect that all occurrences of the regular expression are substituted. If this is not present, only the first occurrence is substituted.

The behavior of any other character following a backslash, or a backslash at the end of a string, is undefined.

```
(18a) ⊲39d 42a⊳
40b
       \langle Initialize\ templates\ 22a\rangle + \equiv
          nerr_op(cs_register_function(cs, (char *)"re_subst", 3, cs_re_subst));
41
       \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                   ⊲39f 42b⊳
          NEOERR *cs_re_subst(CSPARSE *cs, CS_FUNCTION *csf, CSARG *args, CSARG *result)
            regex_t re;
            int ret;
            char *in_p = NULL, *in, *subst = NULL, *re_s = NULL;
            char *s;
            NEOERR *nerr;
            int matchno, max_match;
            regmatch_t *matches;
            GString *subst_out;
            gboolean global = FALSE;
            int exec_opts;
            nerr = cs_arg_parse(cs, args, "sss", &re_s, &subst, &in_p);
            if(nerr != STATUS_OK) {
              if(in_p)
                 free(in_p);
              if(re_s)
                free (re_s);
               if(subst)
                free(subst);
               return nerr;
            cgi_url_unescape(subst);
            for (s = subst, max_match = 0; *s; s++)
               if (*s == '\\') {
                 if(isdigit(s[1])) {
                   matchno = atoi(s + 1);
                   if (matchno > max_match)
                     max_match = matchno;
                 } else if (s[1]) {
                   s++;
                   if (*s == 'g')
                     global = TRUE;
              }
            matches = calloc(sizeof(*matches), max_match + 1);
            if(!matches) {
              free (re_s);
              free (subst);
              free(in_p);
               return nerr_raise_msg_errno("No memory for subst");
            cgi_url_unescape(re_s);
             ret = regcomp(&re, re_s, REG_EXTENDED);
            if(ret) {
              free (matches);
              nerr = nerr_pass(regerr_nerr(re_s, &re, ret));
              free (re_s);
              return nerr;
             free(re_s);
             subst_out = g_string_new("");
             exec\_opts = 0;
             in = in_p;
```

while(!regexec(&re, in, max_match + 1, matches, exec_opts)) {

char *b;

if (matches[0].rm_so)

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```
\langle tmpl.c 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                   <39f 42h⊳
41
                g_string_append_len(subst_out, in, matches[0].rm_so);
              s = subst;
              while ((b = strchr(s, ' \setminus '))) {
                if(b != s)
                  g_string_append_len(subst_out, s, (int)(b - s));
                if(isdigit(*++b)) {
                  matchno = atoi(b);
                  while(isdigit(*++b));
                  if (matches[matchno].rm_so != -1 &&
                     matches[matchno].rm_eo > matches[matchno].rm_so)
                     g_string_append_len(subst_out, in + matches[matchno].rm_so,
                                          matches[matchno].rm_eo - matches[matchno].rm_so);
                 } else if (*b) {
                  if (*b != 'g' && *b != ',')
                    g_string_append_c(subst_out, *b);
                  b++;
                s = b;
              if(*s)
                g_string_append(subst_out, s);
              /* non-overlapping global, like sed */
              in += matches[0].rm_eo;
              if(!global)
                break;
              exec_opts |= REG_NOTBOL;
              /* only allow empty patterns to match once */
              if(!matches[0].rm_so && !matches[0].rm_eo)
                break:
            if(*in)
              g_string_append(subst_out, in);
            free (matches);
            free (subst):
            free(in_p);
            regfree (&re);
            result->n = 0;
            result->op_type = CS_TYPE_STRING;
            result->alloc = 1;
            result->s = g_string_free(subst_out, FALSE);
            return STATUS_OK;
```

re_extract(variable [+ ',' + variable ...], re, string) Extract substrings of (non-URL-encoded) string matching parenthesized subexpressions in URL-encoded POSIX extended regular expression re. The first such match is assigned to the first named variable, the second is assigned to the second named variable, and so forth. Blank variable names can be used to skip particular subexpressions. The return value is 1 if the regular expression matched. Otherwise, no variable assignments were made, and 0 is returned.

42b $\langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv$

```
char *vars = NULL, *re_s = NULL, *in_s = NULL;
char *s;
NEOERR *nerr = STATUS_OK;
int nmatch, matchno;
regmatch_t *matches;
gboolean matched;
nerr = cs_arg_parse(cs, args, "sss", &vars, &re_s, &in_s);
if(nerr != STATUS_OK) {
 if(vars)
    free (vars);
  if(re_s)
    free(re_s);
 if(in_s)
   free(in_s);
  return nerr;
for (nmatch = 0, s = vars; s && *s; nmatch++) {
 s = strchr(s, ',');
  if(s)
    *s++ = 0;
if(nmatch) {
  matches = calloc(sizeof(*matches), nmatch + 1);
  if(!matches) {
   free (vars);
   free (re_s);
    free(in_s);
   return nerr_raise_msg_errno("No memory for subst");
} else
 matches = NULL;
cgi_url_unescape(re_s);
ret = regcomp(&re, re_s, REG_EXTENDED);
if(ret) {
 if (matches)
   free (matches);
  nerr = nerr_pass(regerr_nerr(re_s, &re, ret));
 free (vars);
 free (re_s);
 return nerr;
matched = !regexec(&re, in_s, nmatch ? nmatch + 1 : 0, matches, 0);
if (matched) {
  for(s = vars, matchno = 1; matchno <= nmatch; matchno++, s += strlen(s) + 1) {
    if(*s) {
     int so = matches[matchno].rm_so, eo = matches[matchno].rm_eo;
      if(so == -1 | | eo <= so)
        nerr = nerr_pass(hdf_set_value(cs->hdf, s, ""));
      else {
        char c = in_s[eo];
       in_s[eo] = 0;
        nerr = nerr_pass(hdf_set_value(cs->hdf, s, in_s + so));
        in_s[eo] = c;
    if(nerr != STATUS_OK) {
      free (vars);
      free(in_s);
      if (matches)
        free (matches);
```

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grep(*file*, *string*) Return the first line in *file* on the server matching POSIX extended regular expression *string*. If no lines match, a blank string is returned. The file name may not contain the vertical bar character. The primary intended purpose for this function is to look up password file entries in alternate password files.

```
44a
       ⟨Initialize templates 22a⟩+≡
                                                                                             (18a) ⊲42a 45a⊳
          nerr_op(cs_register_function(cs, (char *) "grep", 2, cs_grep));
44b
       \langle tmpl.c 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                  ⊲42b 45b⊳
          NEOERR *cs_grep(CSPARSE *cs, CS_FUNCTION *csf, CSARG *args, CSARG *result)
            char *pat = NULL, *fname = NULL;
            FILE *f = NULL;
            GString *res = NULL;
            regex_t re;
            int ret;
            NEOERR *nerr;
            nerr = cs_arg_parse(cs, args, "ss", &fname, &pat);
            if (nerr != STATUS_OK) {
               if(fname)
                 free(fname);
              if (pat)
                 free (pat);
               return nerr;
            f = fopen(fname, "r");
            if(!f) {
              nerr = nerr_raise_errno(NERR_IO, "%s", fname);
               free(fname);
               free (pat);
               return nerr;
             free(fname);
            ret = regcomp(&re, pat, REG_EXTENDED | REG_NOSUB);
            if(ret) {
              fclose(f);
              nerr = nerr_pass(regerr_nerr(pat, &re, ret));
               free(pat);
              return nerr;
             free(pat);
            result->op_type = CS_TYPE_STRING;
```

```
\langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
44b
                                                                                                    42b 45b⊳
             result->n = 0;
             result->alloc = 1;
             while(g_string_fgets(&res, 0, f)) {
               while (res->len > 0 && (res->str[res->len - 1] == ' \n' ||
                                        res->str[res->len - 1] == ' \ r'))
                 res->len--;
               if(!regexec(&re, res->str, 0, NULL, 0)) {
                 result->s = g_string_free(res, FALSE);
                 fclose(f);
                 return STATUS_OK;
             }
             regfree (&re);
             g_string_free(res, TRUE);
             result->s = strdup("");
             return STATUS_OK;
```

eval_tmpl(template) Evaluate template as a template. Unlike lvar and evar, the results can be assigned to a variable for further processing. Note that the simple implementation of this function always crashes. The HDF is probably being shared, so it is duplicated and then destroyed. This means that any side effects are lost. This function also requires the use of the generic function interface; without it only the global HDF may be used by the template.

```
45a
        \langle Initialize\ templates\ 22a \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                     (18a) ⊲44a
          nerr_op(cs_register_function(cs, (char *)"eval_tmpl", 1, cs_eval_tmpl));
45h
        \langle tmpl.c \ 17b \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                          ⊲44b
           NEOERR *cs_eval_tmpl(CSPARSE *cs, CS_FUNCTION *csf, CSARG *args, CSARG *result)
             GString *out_str;
             NEOERR *nerr;
             char *in = NULL;
             nerr = cs_arg_parse(cs, args, "s", &in);
             if (nerr != STATUS_OK) {
               if(in)
                 free(in);
               return nerr;
             out_str = g_string_new("");
             nerr = nerr_pass(tmpl_string(in, cs->hdf, out_str, TRUE));
             free(in);
             if(nerr != STATUS_OK) {
               g_string_free(out_str, TRUE);
               return nerr;
             result->op_type = CS_TYPE_STRING;
             result->n = 0;
             result->s = g_string_free(out_str, FALSE);
             result->alloc = 1;
             return nerr;
```

A simple program is provided to strip ClearSilver from templates, supporting these functions.

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```
⟨(build.nw) C Executables 45c⟩≡
45c
           display_template \
46a
        ⟨display_template.c 46a⟩≡
           ⟨(build.nw) Common C Includes 1⟩
           #include "cproto.h"
           void help(void)
           const char *config_root = ".";
           const char *config_path = "display_template.conf";
           int main(int argc, const char **argv)
             ⟨Common Mainline Variables 5f⟩
             const char *tmpl;
             if(argc \ll 1)
              return 0;
             argc--;
             tmpl = *++argv;
             ⟨Read configuration 8g⟩
             if(nerr == STATUS_OK) {
              GString *cwd = g_string_new("");
```

nerr_op(hdf_set_value(local_config, "hdf.loadpaths.cwd", cwd->str));

nerr_op(hdf_set_value(local_config, "Config.VarEscapeMode", "html"));

nerr_op(tmpl_file(tmpl, local_config, stdout, FALSE));

nerr = nerr_pass(getcwd_gs(cwd));

g_string_free(cwd, TRUE);

if (nerr != STATUS_OK) {
 nerr_log_error(nerr);

ret = 0;

return ret;

ret = 1;

```
Adda

NEOERR *getcwd_gs(GString *gs)
{
    if (!gs->allocated_len)
        g_string_set_size(gs, 32);
    while (1) {
        if (getcwd(gs->str, gs->allocated_len))
            return STATUS_OK;
        if (errno == EAGAIN || errno == EINTR)
            continue;
        if (errno != ERANGE)
            return nerr_raise_msg_errno("getting current directory");
        g_string_set_size(gs, gs->allocated_len * 2);
    }
}
```

5 HTML Templates

All of the HTML templates have to start with the wordy HTML document type header. Since heavy use of ClearSilver macros would invalidate most HTML files anyway, this is placed in a standard header file. It's also provided as a code chunk to make creation of plain HTML easier.

In addition to the diagrams, embedded HTML should have some sort of preview picture. The perl html2ps utility can be used for this, if file and button fields are converted to plain input fields. Also, ClearSilver escape sequences cause html2ps to produce bad output, so the <code>display_template</code> program ($\langle display_template.c~46a\rangle$) is used to run the template through ClearSilver with any required extensions. Since these pages can get quite large, they can be split using <code><div></code> tags. The figures can then either be the entire HTML, just the HTML before the first <code><div></code>, or the HTML contained in a single <code><div></code>. Nested <code><div></code>s are not supported. The preview looks very little like the page would look in a browser. Rather than supporting arbitrary <code><div></code> names by extracting them from the NoWeb file, the only supported names are div1, div2, . . . div9.

```
47d
       \langle (build.nw) \ makefile.vars \ 2a \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                                <20f
          HTML2PS=html2ps -D -s 0.4 -S "@html2ps { prefilled:1; }" -o
          \label{eq:html2PS_SEDFORM=s/((input [^>] *\) type="[fFbBsS][^""] *"/\1/g;} \\
47e
       \langle (build.nw) \ makefile.rules \ 10c \rangle + \equiv
                                                                                            <121 48bb
          %.eps: %.html display_template
                  ./display_template $< | sed '$(HTML2PS_SEDFORM)' | $(HTML2PS) $@
          %-main.eps: %.html display_template
                  ./display_template < | sed -n '$(HTML2PS_SEDFORM)/<div/,/<\/div>/!p' | \
                          $(HTML2PS) $@
          define eps_div
          %-div$(1).eps: %.html display_template
                  ./display_template $$< | sed -n -e '$(HTML2PS_SEDFORM)' \
                                     -e '/<body/{p;:a /<div/bb;n;ba;:b;};'
                                      -e '/div.*id="div$(1)"/,/<\/div>/p;' \
                                     -e '/<div/,/<\/div>/!p' | \
                     $(HTML2PS) $$@
          endef
          $(foreach i, 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9, $(eval $(call eps_div, $i)))
```

Another way to reinclude the HTML would be to directly include the full HTML. This really only makes sense for text-only HTML; forms are dangerous to include in HTML and are difficult to convert to LaTeX/PDF. For PDF and TeX4ht, this can be done using the typehtml package⁷. This uses the \htmlinput command to import the HTML. Dependencies on the HTML need to be added manually to \(\lambda(\text{build.nw})\) makefile.rules 10c\(\rangle\). In order to support templates as well as raw HTML, though, a rule is provided to support tacking .nocs onto the name to run the file through display_template first.

```
48a ⟨(build.nw) preamble.tex 48a⟩≡
\usepackage [hyperref] {typehtml}

48b ⟨(build.nw) makefile.rules 10c⟩+≡
\( *.nocs: \% display_template \)
\( ./display_template \$< >$@

48c ⟨(build.nw) Clean temporary files 15d⟩+≡
\( rm - f *.nocs \)

48c ⟨(build.nw) Clean temporary files 15d⟩+≡
```

For 12h, the tag needs to be saved, and the post-processor needs to reinsert the HTML.

```
48d \langle (build.nw) \ preamble.l2h \ 48d \rangle \equiv % 12h macro htmlinput 1 <htmlinput #I>
```

48e $\langle (build.nw) Post-process HTML after weave 48e \rangle \equiv$

6 Usage

To use the facilities provided by this module, add a dependency to it. The only things provided by this package which may be of interest outside of the build system are the g_string_fgets routines and the runit utility.

The <code>g_string_fgets</code> routines include their own header file, <code>g_string_fgets.h</code>, and can be used as an object file or from the <code>libglib-supt.a</code> library. The header file does not include the prototypes for

⁷http://www.ctan.org/tex-archive/macros/latex/contrib/carlisle/

the provided functions, so cproto or something similar should be used to extract those first, like the build system normally does automatically. The following functions are provided:

Retrieve a line into a GString buffer starting at the given offset, which may be initialized to NULL. The buffer will never be returned as NULL. The return value is a pointer to the string's buffer if there were no errors; use ferror and feof to determine the exact cause for a NULL return. Reading will terminate at the next newline. The string length will include the last newline, or the last character read, or the first ASCII NUL, whichever comes first.

Retrieve a line into a GString buffer starting at the given offset. Operation is identival to g_string_fgets, except that ASCII NUL characters in the input are not treated specially. This means that the result of strlen may differ from the string's len parameter.

```
typedef char *(*gets_fp) (char *buf, int len, void *f);
```

Retrieve a line into a GString buffer starting at the given offset. The my_gets parameter replaces the standard fgets routine for reading the line, and takes the f parameter in place of the file. The allow_zero parameter distinguishes between the above two methods for determining the return length. This function may be used for reading something other than a standard FILE.

The runit utility simply takes the program to run, and its arguments, as its own argument. A file in /tmp with the same base name as the program to run, except with a stop_ prefix, may be touched to temporarily delay execution of the program until the file is removed.

For programs which use the build facility, a number of other routines and definitions are also provided. For dealing with errors, the following macros and code chunks are provided.

- (Common Mainline Variables 5f) defines nerr and ret for tracking return codes. nerr is a NEOERR pointer and ret is an int.
- (*Initialize logging* 5g) is intended to be used in main. It stores the program name and initializes the ClearSilver error processing.
- GENERIC_ERR is a preinitialized generic NEOERR type for situations where the type does not matter. It is used with all generic message routines.

```
void die_if_err(NEOERR *err)
```

Prints err to standard error and exits the program if err is not STATUS_OK.

•

```
void die_msg(const char *msg)
```

Prints msg in the form of a ClearSilver error to standard error and exits the program.

•

```
void die_errno(const char *msg)
```

Prints msg in the form of a ClearSilver error with system error information and exits the program.

•

Prints msg in the form of a ClearSilver error with system error information using err instead of errno to standard error and exits the program.

•

```
NEOERR *nerr_raise_msg(const char *msg)
```

Generates an error with a fixed message.

•

```
NEOERR *nerr_raise_msg_errno(const char *msg)
```

Generates an error with a fixed message and system error information.

•

Generates an error with a fixed message and system error information using err instead of errno.

•

```
void nerr_op(NEOERR *op)
```

Only executes op if the local variable nerr is STATUS_OK, and if so, it updates nerr to op's return code.

•

```
gboolean nerr_op_ok(NEOERR *op)
```

Only executes op if the local variable nerr is STATUS_OK, and then also updates nerr to op's return code. If and only if nerr is STATUS_OK still after this, TRUE is returned.

• (Convert nerr to err_str 6b) creates a STRING called err_str, which contains an expanded string version of the error stored in the local variable nerr.

•

```
NEOERR *gerr_to_nerr(const GError *gerr)
```

Converts a GLib error to a ClearSilver error. Note that this macro, unlike the others, evaluates error multiple times.

For dealing with configuration files in ClearSilver HDF format, the following macros, functions, variables, and code chunks are provided. In addition, configuration files which use the multi-line literal here-doc style syntax starting with a double-less-than may use EOV as their termination literal, and have the termination literal forced to the left margin even if the code chunk is indented.

- (*Read configuration* 8g) reads the primary configuration file, and processes keyword-value pairs and file references on the command line. It already includes the log initialization above. On failures, it calls void help (void), which it assumes exits the program.
- (*Help Function* 13b) is a generic help function (void help(void)) which displays the command-line syntax, program description, and configuration parameters. In order to do so, the program description for a program called program> would need to be a single-line chunk named (program> *Description* (imported), and its configuration parameters would need to be in a chunk named (program> *Configuration* (imported). The format of the configuration parameters should be one block of comments per configuration parameter, with the description above the parameter. The description comments each have a space before the text, and the parameter is an assignment to the default value, commented out, with no space after the comment character or surrounding the equals sign. Each configuration parameter should be followed by a blank line to separate it from the next.
- *(ClearSilver Configuration Documentation* 9c) may be prepended to a configuration file to provide basic documentation of the configuration file format. An additional blurb may be necessary at the start to indicate the default file name and environment overrides.
- const char *config_root is a global variable which must be defined in a program using these facilities. It is the default search path for configuration files, and may be overridden with the environment variable CONFIG_ROOT. A default path derived from the project name can be inserted using \(\textit{Default config root 8d} \).
- const char *config_path is a global variable which must be defined in a program using these facilities. It is the default configuration file name, and may be overridden with the environment variable CONFIG_FILE. A default name derived from the project name can be inserted using \(\textit{Default config_path 8e} \).
- HDF *local_config is a global variable which contains the primary configuration for a program. This is read from the configuration file under a section named the same as the executable.

•

Returns the value of a configuration variable in local_config, or def if not found or the parameter has no value (i.e. it is only the parent of another configuration value).

Returns the value of an integer configuration variable in local_config, or def if not found or the parameter has no value (i.e. it is only the parent of another configuration value).

•

```
HDF *getconf_first(const char *name)
```

Returns the first child of the given configuration parameter.

•

```
HDF *getconf_first_sorted(const char *name)
```

Returns the first child of the given configuration parameter after sorting the children alphanumerically.

•

```
gint64 hdf_get_int64_value(HDF *hdf,
const char *name,
gint64 def)
```

Returns the value of an integer variable in hdf, or default if not found or the parameter has no value (i.e. it is only the parent of another configuration value). It is the 64-bit integer equivalent of hdf_get_int_value, except that it kills the program, rather than using the default value, if the parameter exists, but is not an integer.

•

Returns the same value as hdf_get_int64_value(obj, name, default), except that the message it displays on failure adds parent to the failed node name displayed in the message.

•

Sets the named parameter to the string form of the integral value. This is the 64-bit equivalent of hdf_set_int_value.

•

Returns the first child of the named variable in hdf.

•

Returns the first child of the named variable in hdf after sorting the children alphanumerically.

•

Sets var to the value of environment variable env if a variable by that name exists.

•

Sets fn to a heap-allocated string consisting of dir, followed by the old contents of fn, separated by a slash, if fn does not begin with a slash.

•

A comparison function which may be used with hdf_sort_obj to achieve an alphanumeric sort with numbers sorted first, and numeric prefixes sorted as numbers even if followed by alphabetic characters.

In addition, support is provided for using gperf to convert string values to numeric enumeration constants. The strings to hash are specified in chunk names like *prefix*-gperf-*suffix*. Strings are separated by newlines or single spaces; commas and spaces are not allowed in the strings. The *prefix* is the base name of the output files; the C code is generated in *prefix*.c.gperf, and the enumerations are built in *prefix*.h.gperf. These should be included directly in the C and header files that use them. Each unique *suffix* generates a different hash function and enumeration type. The enumeration type is named *suffix*_t, and the hash lookup function is named *suffix*_id. The *suffix* must be a valid C identifier. The enumeration identifiers are called *SUFFIX*_*STRING*, where *SUFFIX* is *suffix* converted to upper-case, and *STRING* is the string with all alphabetic characters in upper-case and all non-alphanumeric characters converted to underscores. This means that strings differing only in case or special characters cannot coexist in the same hash table. One additional enumeration literal, UNKNOWN_*SUFFIX*, is given the value zero, which is returned if the string is not found. The only option which may be set is case-sensitivity. A case-insensitive hash can be generated by using -gperf-nc- instead of -gperf-; the nc- part is not considered to be part of the *suffix*.

The templates use the standard ClearSilver syntax (see your installed ClearSilver package, or http://www.clearsilver.net/docs/man_templates.hdf).

To support templates, the following functions, variables, and code chunks are defined. In addition, files added to the $\langle CS|Files|$ (imported) \rangle chunk are plain files which are also post-processed to remove the final newline. This gets around a NoWeb limitation wherein any code chunk has a terminating newline, and allows for pure macro libraries which do not affect output.

• tmpl_dir is a global variable which is a subdirectory of config_root which is the default search path for template files. Its default value is tmpl, and it can be overridden by the tmpl_dir configuration parameter, as described in \(\lambda Template Parameter Configuration 18d \rangle, a chunk which should be included in your configuration files. To install the templates in the default location, the \(\lambda Install \) ClearSilver templates 20d \(\cap \) chunk should be added to \(\lambda (build.nw) Install other files 11c \).

Evaluates the template tmpl and places the results in out. Variable values are retrieved from parms. The raw option may be TRUE to make the default conversion option for the template raw. Note that setting this will cause parms to be temporarily modified, in addition to any modifications the template may cause.

•

Evaluates the template tmpl and places the results in out. Variable values are retrieved from parms. The raw option may be TRUE to make the default conversion option for the template raw. Note that setting this will cause parms to be temporarily modified, in addition to any modifications the template may cause.

•

A generic template string evaluator, which sends its output via outf, which is passed outp. Variable values are retrieved from parms. The raw option may be TRUE to make the default conversion option for the template raw. Note that setting this will cause parms to be temporarily modified, in addition to any modifications the template may cause.

•

Evaluates the template file tmpl and places the results in out. Variable values are retrieved from parms. The raw option may be TRUE to make the default conversion option for the template raw. Note that setting this will cause parms to be temporarily modified, in addition to any modifications the template may cause.

•

Evaluates the template tmpl and places the results in out. Variable values are retrieved from parms. The raw option may be TRUE to make the default conversion option for the template raw. Note that setting this will cause parms to be temporarily modified, in addition to any modifications the template may cause.

Format	Example
%Y-%m-%d %T	2008-06-13 18:07:10
%Y-%m-%d %R	2008-06-13 18:07
%Y-%m-%d	2008-06-13
%m/%d/%Y %T	6/13/2008 18:07:10
%m/%d/%Y %R	6/13/2008 18:07
%m/%d/%Y	6/13/2008
%d-%m-%Y %T	13-06-2008 18:07:10
%d-%m-%Y %R	13-06-2008 18:07
%d-%m-%Y	13-06-2008
%T	18:07:10
%R	18:07
%a %T	Friday 18:07:10
%a %R	Friday 18:07
%a	Friday
%b %Y	June 2008
%b	June
%c	Fri Jun 13 18:07:10 2008
%x	06/13/08

Table 2: Default formats for parse_date

A generic template file evaluator, which sends its output via outf, which is passed outp. Variable values are retrieved from parms. The raw option may be TRUE to make the default conversion option for the template raw. Note that setting this will cause parms to be temporarily modified, in addition to any modifications the template may cause.

• display_template is a program which displays a ClearSilver template using the above functions wich a simplified search path of the current directory.

All of the above template evaluators also add a few ClearSilver functions which may be used by the template:

parse_date(formats, date) Parse an absolute date in server's current locale using strptime(3) or a relative
date using a custom format and return as seconds since UNIX epoch. The formats string consists of
zero or more formats separated by vertical bars (|). The formats in the "Default formats for parse_
date" table are appended to the given formats, in order (examples are for Friday, June 13, 2008,
18:07:10, with adjustments described below). The first format which matches the date will be used.

Since strptime(3) does not support time zones, the time zone is always the server's local time zone. This can be changed for subsequent formats by using the format TZ=zone. Note that the format of the *zone* string is operating system-dependent. See tzset(3) for details. If any of hours, minutes, or seconds are not present, they are set to zero. If the month is specified, but not the day, the first of the month is used. If only the year is specified, January 1 is used. These formats also support some relative times. If the year is unspecified, it is the current year, unless the day of year is specified, either by month or day of year, and that day is on or after today, in which case it is last year. If only the weekday is specified, then it is the last such weekday, excluding today. In the previous examples, the

%a format only works between Saturday, June 14, and Friday, June 20, and the %b format only works between July 1, 2008, and June 30, 2009.

For specifically relative dates, the date must consist of a star (*), implying the current date, optionally followed by an offset. The offset is an optional sign (+ or -; - is default), followed by an optional count (1 is the default), followed by an optional case-insensitive interval length indicator for seconds (S), minutes ('), hours (H), days (D) (the default), months (M), or years (Y). For a valid offset, one or the other of the count or the interval length indicator must be present. All parts of the date finer than the specified interval are set to their lowest value. For example, if the interval is in months, then the day is set to the first of the month, and the time is set to midnight.

Finally, a blank input returns 0, always.

- **format_date**(*format*, *timestamp*) Format date using strftime(3), with optional *format*. A blank *format* is replaced by %c. The *timestamp* is seconds since UNIX epoch.
- json_escape(variable-name) Escape variable and its children using JavaScript Object Notation (JSON). See http://www.json.org for the complete format specification. Nonexistent variables and variables without values or children are output as null. Variables with values are output as strings by default, but may be output as numbers by adding the num attribute, and may be output as booleans by adding the bool attribute; booleans with no value, blank values, or the value 0 are output as false. Variables with children are output as objects by default, but may be output as arrays (i.e., children names are sorted, but not output) by adding the array attribute; arrays with no value are output as an empty array, but there is no way to output an empty object ({}}). String values must be UTF-8 encoded. If any variables have raw values which may conflict with UTF-8, they should be double-encoded using e.g. URL-encoding to ensure that their value is converted to ASCII first.
- json_unescape(variable-name, value) Set variable to the result of parsing value using JavaScript Object Notation (JSON). See http://www.json.org for the complete format specification. Arrays will have their array attribute set and their children will receive numeric sequence names. Booleans will be set to 1 for true and blank for false and have their bool attribute set. Numbers will have their num attribute set. Unicode escapes in the string will be encoded as per UTF-8.
- **to_hex**(*bin*) Convert a URL-encoded binary blob to a string of lower-case hexadecimal digits. This is mostly for displaying checksums. The blob must be URL-encoded so that zeroes are handled properly in the string.
- **from_hex**(*hex*) Convert a string of hexadecimal digits to a URL-encoded binary blob. This is mostly for converting checksums from their usual format to that expected by these utilities. The return must be URL-encoded to prevent issues with zeroes in string returns.
- **to_lower**(*string*) Convert *string* to lower-case in the server's current locale. This is done a byte at a time using the ctype.h function. This means that the string will probably be mangled in UTF-8 locales or if the input locale does not match the server's locale.
- **to_upper**(*string*) Convert *string* to upper-case. The comments for to_lower() apply here as well.
- **pw_uid**(*id*) Return the password file entry for the given user ID on the local system. Since this uses the system function, it may not be a real file entry, but it is returned in the format of one.
- **pw_nam**(*name*) Return the password file entry for the given user name on the local system. Since this uses the system function, it may not be a real file entry, but it is returned in the format of one.
- **re_match**(*re*, *string*) Return integer flag 1 if URL-encoded POSIX extended regular expression *re* matches (non-URL-encoded) *string*.

re_subst(*re*, *subst*, *string*) Substitute occurrences of URL-encoded POSIX extended regular expression *re* with URL-encoded *subst* string in (non-URL-encoded) *string*. In *subst*, backslash escapes are supported:

- \\ means backslash
- \0 means the entire matching string
- \, means nothing (so you can separate \n from literal decimal digits)
- \g also means nothing, but has the side effect that all occurrences of the regular expression are substituted. If this is not present, only the first occurrence is substituted.

The behavior of any other character following a backslash, or a backslash at the end of a string, is undefined.

re_extract(variable [+ ',' + variable ...], re, string) Extract substrings of (non-URL-encoded) string matching parenthesized subexpressions in URL-encoded POSIX extended regular expression re. The first such match is assigned to the first named variable, the second is assigned to the second named variable, and so forth. Blank variable names can be used to skip particular subexpressions. The return value is 1 if the regular expression matched. Otherwise, no variable assignments were made, and 0 is returned.

grep(*file*, *string*) Return the first line in *file* on the server matching POSIX extended regular expression *string*. If no lines match, a blank string is returned. The file name may not contain the vertical bar character. The primary intended purpose for this function is to look up password file entries in alternate password files.

eval_tmpl(*template*) Evaluate *template* as a template. Unlike lvar and evar, the results can be assigned to a variable for further processing.

For HTML templates, html_prefix.cs can be included in any file to remove the need to declare the document type as xhtml. Also, the HTML template can be run through display_template to create a preview picture in the document using \includegraphics with the base name of the HTML file. If the HTML file is too large for a single preview, it can be split using <div> tags with an id of div1, div2, and so forth. The portion of the HTML outside of the divs is named the same as the base name of the HTML file, but with -main tacked on, and the divisions are similarly named with -div1, etc. tacked on. If a graphical preview is inappropriate, and the HTML is simple enough, the HTML can be included by converting it to raw LATEX with the \htmlinput directive. The dependency this adds to the PDF on the HTML output must be added to \((build.nw) \) makefile.rules 10c \(\) manually.

A few miscellaneous items are also defined.

• debug is a global variable set to the value of the debug integer parameter. It should not normally be documented in the default configuration file.

NEOERR *getcwd_gs(GString *gs)

Retrieves the full current working directory into a dynamic string.

```
GString *g_string_append_json(GString *buf,
HDF *hdf)
```

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Appends the JSON enconding of hdf onto the string buf. See the ClearSilver function <code>json_escape</code> for details.

•

Converts the JSON-encoded string s into values for the HDF hierarchy hdf. See the ClearSilver function <code>json_unescape</code> for details.

•

Converts the JSON-encoded string s into values for the HDF hierarchy hdf. If ep is not NULL, a pointer to the text after the parsed value is returned. Otherwise, the text after the parsed value is simply ignored. See the ClearSilver function <code>json_unescape</code> for details.

•

```
GString *append_unicode_quoted(GString *buf,
const char *s)
```

Converts the string s into a JSON-encoded string value, including quote delimiters.

7 Code Dependencies

This application depends on several tools and libraries not included in this document. Required build tools include the build document provided along with this document, NoWeb, GNU make, cproto, and obviously a working C compiler. If the string-to-enum support is used, gperf is needed as well. Required libraries (with headers, so "development" versions) include GLib and ClearSilver. See the first mention of each of these in the document for where to get it (if not from your OS vendor) and what version is required.

The data types provided by the used libraries need to be highlighted, as well.

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$\(\frac{\text{GLib}}{\text{gboolean, gint8, guint16, guint16, guint32, guint32, gint64, guint64, \text{\text{g}}}{\text{gchar, guchar, gint, guint, glong, gulong, GString, GStringChunk, GArray, GByteArray, \text{\text{GPtrArray, gconstpointer, gpointer, GMemChunk, GDir, GError, \text{\text{\text{\text{\text{g}}}}}{\text{\text{\text{ClearSilver}}}}\)

$\(\text{\text{ClearSilver}}\)

HDF, NEOERR, NERR_TYPE, CGI, CSPARSE, STRING, CSOUTFUNC, \text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\t
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