NOGOCOMMENTS

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NAME

nogocomments - A tool for removing Go comments from source code.

SYNOPSIS

nogocomments *[OPTION]*

DESCRIPTION

nogocomments is a utility designed to clean up Go source code by removing comments. It can process Go source code either from a specified file or directly from the clipboard, effectively eliminating both line comments (beginning with "//") and inline comments (whitespace followed by "//"). nogocomments writes its output to standard out, which can be redirected to a file if necessary. The tool aims to provide a straightforward solution for developers looking to clean up their code for documentation or sharing purposes without comments.

OPTIONS

--debug Enable debug level logging. This flag increases the verbosity of the logging output, useful for debugging issues or understanding the tool's operations in more detail.

--file *<file_path>* Specify the file path to read the Go source code from.

--paste Read Go source code from the system clipboard.

--version Display the version information of the nogocomments tool, including the build date.

EXAMPLES

Remove comments from Go source code copied to the clipboard:

```
nogocomments --paste
```

Process comments from a Go source file and output to the terminal:

```
nogocomments -file /path/to/your/file.go
```

Write processed output to a new file:

```
nogocomments -file /path/to/your/source.go > newfile.go
```

Enable debug mode for detailed logs:

```
nogocomments -debug -file /path/to/your/file.go
```

REPORTING BUGS

Report bugs or suggest improvements via GitHub Issues:

https://github.com/pierow2k/nogocomments/issues/

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