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selog − selective logging tool

SYNOPSIS

selog [*config*] <*category*> <*level*> <*message*> ...

DESCRIPTION

Selog provides a shell command interface to the **selog**(3) library. It takes the following arguments:

config The first argument is an optional selog configuration string. Its presence is recognozed if it starts with "-", "+", or "@". See **selog**(7) for details.

category
The selector category name of the message to be logged.

level The level of the message to be logged.

message
The remaining arguments are joined using spaces to produce the message that is to be logged.

EXIT STATUS

By default, selog exits with a status of zero, though this can be changed to *n* using a *level* setting of "fatal(*n*)". You can make selog dump core using an "abort" *level* setting.

Selog exits with a status of 1 if there is a problem with the command line. If the *config* is invalid then a message is logged using the **{log_config, ERROR}** selector. If there are not enough arguments or if the *level* is invalid, then a message is logged using the **{usage, FATAL}** selector.

SEE ALSO

selog(3), **selog**(7)

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