

NAME

exl - examine lines

SYNOPSIS

exl [-n] afile linenum

DESCRIPTION

Exl copies selected lines from the named file, **afile** , to the standard output. The **linenum** arguments may be discrete line numbers or they may be a range of line numbers. The form for a range of numbers is **m-n**. Where **m** is less than **n** and there are no spaces in the argument.

Normally **exl** will prepend the line number to all lines displayed. This may be turned off by using the **-n** option.

The file name argument, **afile**, will accept one special case. If the file name is of the form **-l<name>**, then **exl** will build the path name **/usr/lib/l1ib-l<name>**. This is particularly useful to get lines referenced by lint diagnostics and has been provided explicitly for this purpose.

FILES

SEE ALSO

