

NAME

Pod::Simple::PullParserTextToken -- text-tokens from Pod::Simple::PullParser

SYNOPSIS

(See Pod::Simple::PullParser)

DESCRIPTION

When you do \$parser->get token on a *Pod::Simple::PullParser*, you might get an object of this class.

This is a subclass of *Pod::Simple::PullParserToken* and inherits all its methods, and adds these methods:

\$token->text

This returns the text that this token holds. For example, parsing C<foo> will return a C start-token, a text-token, and a C end-token. And if you want to get the "foo" out of the text-token, call \$token->text

\$token->text(somestring)

This changes the string that this token holds. You probably won't need to do this.

\$token->text_r()

This returns a scalar reference to the string that this token holds. This can be useful if you don't want to memory-copy the potentially large text value (well, as large as a paragraph or a verbatim block) as calling \$token->text would do.

Or, if you want to alter the value, you can even do things like this:

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for ( ${  $token->text_r } ) {  # Aliases it with $_ !!

s/ The / the /g; # just for example

if( 'A' eq chr(65) ) {  # (if in an ASCII world)
    tr/\xA0/ /;
    tr/\xAD//d;
}

...or however you want to alter the value...
(Note that starting with Perl v5.8, you can use, e.g.,

my $nbsp = chr utf8::unicode_to_native(0xA0);
    s/$nbsp/ /g;

to handle the above regardless if it's an ASCII world or not)
}
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You're unlikely to ever need to construct an object of this class for yourself, but if you want to, call Pod::Simple::PullParserTextToken->new(text)

SEE ALSO

Pod::Simple::PullParserToken, Pod::Simple, Pod::Simple::Subclassing

SUPPORT

Questions or discussion about POD and Pod::Simple should be sent to the pod-people@perl.org mail list. Send an empty email to pod-people-subscribe@perl.org to subscribe.

This module is managed in an open GitHub repository, https://github.com/perl-pod/pod-simple/. Feel free to fork and contribute, or to clone git://github.com/perl-pod/pod-simple.git and send patches!



Patches against Pod::Simple are welcome. Please send bug reports to <bug-pod-simple@rt.cpan.org>.

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