

NAME

`gencat` – Generate message catalog

SYNOPSIS

`gencat [OPTION...] -o OUTPUT-FILE [INPUT-FILE]...`

DESCRIPTION

The **gencat** program is specified in the X/Open standard and the GNU implementation follows this specification and so processes all correctly formed input files. Additionally some extensions are implemented which help to work in a more reasonable way with the [catgets\(3\)](#) functions.

-H, --header NAME

Create C header file NAME containing symbol definitions

--new Do not use existing catalog, force new output file

-o, --output NAME

Write output to file NAME

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