NAME

rst2man - generate unix manpages from reStructured text

SYNOPSIS

rst2man --help

rst2man [OPTIONS] [SOURCE [*destination*]]

DESCRIPTION

Run it and examine output.

OPTIONS

-o *x*
an option

-b another

-f, **--force**
really do it

For all other options see **--help**.

EXAMPLES

rst2man.py xml-schema-catalog.rst xml-schema-catalog.man
create a manpage from xml-schema-catalog.rst

Character formatting

BUG The section title should be separated from the title above.

Test **bold** or **strong** formatting.

Special characters:

- backslash: \
- hyphen: -
- accents: ’ ‘

- quotes: ’ "

  .period ad line start.

Lists

- bullet list
- and a longer entry, and a longer entry, and a longer entry, and a longer entry, and a longer entry, and a longer entry, and a longer entry, and a longer entry,

  1. and a nested
  2. enumeration

     - some line
     - bullets

  3. a third
  4. a third
  5. a third

     a. alphabetically list
     b. betacarotin
     c. grammar

  6. a third

     Y. the end
     Z. yellow

  7. a third
  8. a third

9. a third

10. bigger indentation if there are more than nine enumerated items (or there are larger numbers)

    a second paragraph that should be separated from the previous one and not flowing into.

7. dont start with 1

9. dont increment by 1

13. Problematic: indentation does not match for nonconsecutive entries.

    This paragraph must not be indented with the text the last list-item, but start at the left margin of the numbers.

    a second paragraph that should be separated from the previous one and not flowing into.

Definition Lists

Term
Definition

Term
classifier Definition paragraph 1.

Definition paragraph 2.

.ini-files
Term starting with period.

Term
Definition

Field lists

first
a short label and a short text

secondly a longer label
and some more text and some more text and some more text and some more text

definition lists
: are also a valuable option and simple nonintrusive formatting

definition too :
: with the colon.

Doctest Blocks

>>> print ’Python-specific usage examples; begun with ">>>"’
Python-specific usage examples; begun with ">>>"
>>> print ’(cut and pasted from interactive Python sessions)’
(cut and pasted from interactive Python sessions)

Tables

single	frame
no table header		

lineblock

paul
tel. 12345
LA

A paragraph following the line block. lorem ipsum lorem ipsum lorem ipsum lorem ipsum lorem ipsum lorem ipsum lorem ipsum lorem ipsum lorem ipsum

Literal

some literal text

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here now it starts
and continues
  indented
and back
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and a paragraph after the literal.

some special characters and roff formatting in literal:

.SS "." at line start
backslash "\"

Line blocks

This is a line block. It ends with a blank line.
Each new line begins with a vertical bar ("|").
Line breaks and initial indents are preserved.
Continuation lines are wrapped portions of long lines;
they begin with a space in place of the vertical bar.
The left edge of a continuation line need not be aligned with
the left edge of the text above it.

This is a second line block.

Blank lines are permitted internally, but they must begin with a "|".

Take it away, Eric the Orchestra Leader!
A one, two, a one two three four

Half a bee, philosophically,
must, *ipso facto*, half not be.
But half the bee has got to be,
vis a vis its entity. D'you see?

But can a bee be said to be
or not to be an entire bee,
when half the bee is not a bee,
due to some ancient injury?

Singing...

raw

raw input to man

Admonitions

ATTENTION!:

Directives at large.

CAUTION!:
Don’t take any wooden nickels.

!DANGER!:
Mad scientist at work!

ERROR:
Does not compute.

HINT:
It’s bigger than a bread box.

IMPORTANT:

- Wash behind your ears.
- Clean up your room.
- Call your mother.
- Back up your data.

NOTE:
This is a note.

TIP:
15% if the service is good.

WARNING:
Strong prose may provoke extreme mental exertion. Reader discretion is strongly advised.

And, by the way...

> You can make up your own admonition too.
>
> With more than one paragraph.

Text after the admonition.

other
inline references *ref something* . Contained verbose. Nothing special.

TOP SECTION
With mixed case

TOP SECTION B C D E F G
with character formatting.

FILES
This is a file.

SEE ALSO
docutils

rst2xml(dummy)

More information can be found about

- xml-schema-catalog at *http://xml-schema-catalog.origo.ethz.ch/*

  And see the stars at the sky!

BUGS
Numerous mapping problems.

1. Where do we get the manual section number from ? Commandline ?
2. docutils authors should be filled into section "AUTHORS".
3. be carefull with linebreaks in generated code.
4. list items. bullets and enumerators.

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