Subject: Re: Testing the type of the structure?
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TAG_NAMES(a, /STRUCTURE_NAME), maybe?
Cheers,
Pavel

"P.T.Kenter" wrote:
>
> Hi all.
>
> Can I test which type of structure a certain variable (parameters) is?
>
> For example, let's say i've got a variable a of type star:
>
>   a = {star, name:'sirius', size:2.1}
>
> and a function that expects a star as input:
>
>   function is_a_star, s
>   ; i would like to test here if s is of type 'star'
>   end
>
> How can i test if parameter s is a star-structure?
>
> I've found the obj_isa function but it only seems to work with objects. A
> similar function for structures would be perfect.
>
> Regards, Pepijn Kenter.