
Subject: LOCALE_GET()

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Anyone know anything about the documented (since V5.3) LOCALE_GET() function? It has no parameters or keywords, and the documentation just says that it "returns the current locale (string) of the operating platform". Well, on my Solaris and Linux machines, it just returns the single letter "C" -- not very useful, I should think. On Windows it returns "English_United States:442" and so I suppose it could be used to determine the language and nationality of the current user. Has anyone actually used LOCALE_GET() for anything useful?

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