

TOUTSET(a)

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toutset — set time-out

SYNOPSIS

(toutset = 40.)
toutset(ticks)

DESCRIPTION

Toutset schedules a time-out event to occur *ticks* 60th's of a second later for this process. A value of *ticks* equal to zero disables the time-out event. This system function is used for "profiling" in UNIX and for putting the process asleep for a fixed time. It may also be used to schedule a task (process) at fixed time intervals.

SEE ALSO

event(a), clrevent(a), enevent(a).

DIAGNOSTICS