PINDEX(3L)

NAME

pindex -- find position of substring within a string

SYNOPS IS

pindex(s1,s2) char *s1, *s2;

DESCRIPTION

Pindex returns a pointer indicating the starting position within the string s1 of a substring identical to string s2.

s1 string to be searched.

s2 string to be searched for.

If s2 does not occur in s1, the pointer returned is zero.

If s2 occurs more than once in s1, the starting address of the first occurrence is returned.

The strings s1 and s2 are each defined as a null terminated array of characters. The value of the pointer that is returned is the address of the beginning of the substring in s1. The returned pointer can have values from one to 65535.

An empty string is one whose first character is the null character. If one and only one of the two argument strings is empty, the result returned is zero. If both argument strings are empty, the result returned is the address of the null character in string s1.

LIBRARY

/lib/lib3.a

SEE ALSO

sindex(3L)