

# file-types API Documentation

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## 1 file-types

Simple scheme to classify file types in a hierarchical fashion.

### 1.1 file-mime (Function)

#### Syntax:

— Function: **file-mime** *file*

→ *mime-type*

#### Arguments and Values:

*file*—a *pathname designator*.

*mime-type*—a two-element *list* containing both MIME type parts as *strings* or `nil`.

#### Description:

`file-mime` returns the *mime-type* of *file* or `nil` if one could not be determined.

## 1.2 file-tags (Function)

### Syntax:

— Function: **file-tags** *file* &optional *tag*

→ *tags*

### Arguments and Values:

*file*—a *pathname designator*.

*tag*—a *keyword*.

*tags*—a *list of keywords* which describe properties of a given *file*.

### Description:

file-tags returns *tags* for *file*. If *tag* is given, file-tags acts as a predicate that tests if *tag* is associated with *file*. In that case file-tags will return nil unless *tag* would be present in *tags*.