

PERL GETLOGIN FUNCTION

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Description

This function returns the user's name, as discovered by the system function `getlogin`. Under Windows, use the `Win32::LoginName` function instead.

Syntax

Following is the simple syntax for this function –

```
getlogin
```

Return Value

This function returns `undef` on failure and user's login name on success.

Example

Following is the example code showing its basic usage –

```
#!/usr/bin/perl

$login = getlogin || getpwuid($<) || "Tutorialspoint";

print "Login ID is $login\n";
```

When above code is executed, it produces the following result –

```
Login ID is apache
```

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