NAME

docviewer – OpenWindows viewer for AnswerBook on-line documentation

SYNOPSIS

docviewer **–d** *document-name* **–p** *tooltalk-procid* [**–c** *card-catalog-file*]

AVAILABILITY

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DESCRIPTION

docviewer and **navigator**(1) constitute an OpenWindows application for viewing and navigating AnswerBook on-line document collections.

docviewer displays PostScript files found using **navigator. docviewer** lets you page through a document, print pages, magnify or reduce pages, and follow hypertext links and cross-references to other documents.

You should not start **docviewer** directly. It is started automatically by **navigator** as needed. If you are running several navigators simultaneously, they will each start their own docviewers.

OPTIONS

docviewer accepts most of the generic tool arguments described in **xview**(7), as well as the following options:

–d *document-name*
: Specify the name of the document to be viewed.

–c *card-catalog*
: Specify the name of the card catalog file used to locate AnswerBooks. See **ab_cardcatalog**(4) for more information.

–p *tooltalk-procid*
: Specify the tooltalk process id of the navigator invoking this docviewer.

USAGE

Once a document is displayed in the **docviewer** window, you can view it as follows:

Page Turning
: Click SELECT on the left and right arrow buttons at the top of the **docviewer** window to page back and forth through a document. The PgUp and PgDn keys on the keyboard perform the same functions. In addition, the Home and End keys let you page through a document one chapter at a time.

Page History
: **docviewer** keeps track of each page visited. Click SELECT on the Go Back button until the window returns to the page you want to revisit, or use the Undo keyboard function.

Hypertext Links
: **docviewer** has a simple hypertext mechanism. Hypertext links are displayed as rectangular outlines around words or graphics on a page. Double-clicking SELECT on a link causes **docviewer** to display the document and page to which the link points. Documents may have links to other documents within the same collection. Certain types of hypertext links can also initiate system processes. Double-clicking on these links will start up a program or shell script.

Page Magnification

Magnify or reduce the size of the document by pulling the resize corners on the **docviewer** window, or select the "View->Custom Magnification" menu item. Select the "View->Standard Magnification" menu item to reset the document to the standard size. For very high magnifications, select the "View->Partial Page" menu item so that the **docviewer** window still fits on the screen.

Printing

Click SELECT on the Print button to show the pop-up Print Window. In the Print Window, select the page or document to print, number of copies, and printing device (or file).

Page Information

Select the "Viewer->Page Info" menu item to show a pop-up window describing the chapter, book, and AnswerBook you are currently viewing.

ENVIRONMENT

AB_CARDCATALOG

Specify the name of the card catalog file used to locate AnswerBooks. See **ab_cardcatalog**(4) for more information.

SEE ALSO

navigator(1), **viewprint**(1), **answerbook**(1), **ab_admin**(1), **ab_cardcatalog**(4),

DIAGNOSTICS

docviewer(1) displays PostScript error messages in the console.

BUGS

The AnswerBook document naming syntax used by **docviewer** is not documented.

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