

NAME

CPANPLUS::Internals - CPANPLUS internals

SYNOPSIS

```
my $internals = CPANPLUS::Internals->_init( _conf => $conf );
my $backend   = CPANPLUS::Internals->_retrieve_id( $ID );
```

DESCRIPTION

This module is the guts of CPANPLUS -- it inherits from all other modules in the CPANPLUS::Internals::* namespace, thus defying normal rules of OO programming -- but if you're reading this, you already know what's going on ;)

Please read the CPANPLUS::Backend documentation for the normal API.

ACCESSORS

`_conf`

Get/set the configure object

`_id`

Get/set the id

METHODS

`$internals = CPANPLUS::Internals->_init(_conf => CONFIG_OBJ)`

`_init` creates a new CPANPLUS::Internals object.

You have to pass it a valid CPANPLUS::Configure object.

Returns the object on success, or dies on failure.

`$bool = $internals->_flush(list => \@caches)`

Flushes the designated caches from the CPANPLUS object.

Returns true on success, false if one or more caches could not be flushed.

`$bool = $internals->_register_callback(name => CALLBACK_NAME, code => CODEREF);`

Registers a callback for later use by the internal libraries.

Here is a list of the currently used callbacks:

`install_prerequisite`

Is called when the user wants to be asked about what to do with prerequisites. Should return a boolean indicating true to install the prerequisite and false to skip it.

`send_test_report`

Is called when the user should be prompted if he wishes to send the test report. Should return a boolean indicating true to send the test report and false to skip it.

`munge_test_report`

Is called when the test report message has been composed, giving the user a chance to programatically alter it. Should return the (munged) message to be sent.

`edit_test_report`

Is called when the user should be prompted to edit test reports about to be sent out by Test::Reporter. Should return a boolean indicating true to edit the test report in an editor and false to skip it.

`proceed_on_test_failure`

Is called when 'make test' or 'Build test' fails. Should return a boolean indicating whether the install should continue even if the test failed.

`munge_dist_metafile`

Is called when the `CPANPLUS::Dist::*` metafile is created, like `control` for `CPANPLUS::Dist::Deb`, giving the user a chance to programatically alter it. Should return the (munged) text to be written to the metafile.

`$bool = $internals->_add_to_includepath(directories => \@dirs)`

Adds a list of directories to the include path. This means they get added to `@INC` as well as `$ENV{PERL5LIB}`.

Returns true on success, false on failure.

`$id = CPANPLUS::Internals->_last_id`

Return the id of the last object stored.

`$id = CPANPLUS::Internals->_store_id($internals)`

Store this object; return its id.

`$obj = CPANPLUS::Internals->_retrieve_id($ID)`

Retrieve an object based on its ID -- return false on error.

`CPANPLUS::Internals->_remove_id($ID)`

Remove the object marked by \$ID from storage.

`@objs = CPANPLUS::Internals->_return_all_objects`

Return all stored objects.