

*AHELP for CIAO 3.4*

assoc_get_keys

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Synopsis

Return all the key names of an Associative Array

Syntax

```
String_Type[] assoc_get_keys (Assoc_Type a)
```

Description

This function returns all the key names of an associative array a as an ordinary one dimensional array of strings. If the associative array contains no keys, an empty array will be returned.

Example

The following function computes the number of keys in an associative array:

```
define get_num_elements (a)
{
    return length (assoc_get_keys (a));
}
```

See Also

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[array_info](#), [assoc_delete_key](#), [assoc_get_values](#), [assoc_key_exists](#), [bstrlen](#), [length](#), [listdir](#), [strlen](#)

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