

MIME::Decoder::Binary(3pm)

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**NAME**

MIME::Decoder::Binary – perform no encoding/decoding

**SYNOPSIS**

A generic decoder object; see MIME::Decoder for usage.

**DESCRIPTION**

A MIME::Decoder subclass for the "binary" encoding (in other words, no encoding).

The "binary" decoder is a special case, since it's ill-advised to read the input line-by-line: after all, an uncompressed image file might conceivably have loooooooooong stretches of bytes without a "\n" among them, and we don't want to risk blowing out our core. So, we read-and-write fixed-size chunks.

Both the **encoder** and **decoder** do a simple pass-through of the data from input to output.

**SEE ALSO**

MIME::Decoder

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