currentdate template operator

The currentdate template operator: no named parameters, registered by eZTemplateLocaleOperator.

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Registered in `lib/eztemplate/classes/eztemplateautoload.php` by the class `eZTemplateLocaleOperator` (`lib/eztemplate/classes/eztemplatelocaleoperator.php`). The same class also registers: l10n, locale, datetime, maketime, makedate, gettime.

Parameters

None.

The operator takes no input: it is called on its own, not after `|`.

Example

Built from the parameter list above; the values are placeholders (the operator's template hints decide whether it takes an input).

Template

```
{currentdate}
```

In a shipped template

The first use in the templates of this installation, `design/admin/templates/content/collectedinfo/poll.tpl` line 7:

Template

```
<h2><span class="time">[{currentdate()|l10n( shortdatetime )}]</span> {'Anonymous users are not a
llowed to vote in this poll. Please log in.'|i18n('design/admin/content/collectedinfo/poll')}</h2
>
```

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