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Description A wrapper for Perl6::Form.

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form *Format a String with Perl6::Form*

Description

A wrapper around the Perl function `form` provided by Damian Conway’s `Perl6::Form` module.

Usage

```
form(..., cat = TRUE, perl = "perl", form.options)
```

Arguments

... character and numeric vectors. See Examples.
 cat logical: should result be printed?
 perl name and path of the perl programme
 form.options optional: a list of named options; see Examples.

Details

A simple wrapper, implemented via a call to [system2](#).

Value

character

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References

See the extensive help of the Perl function: <http://search.cpan.org/~dconway/Perl6-Form/lib/Perl6/Form.pm>

See Also

[system2](#)

Examples

```
nums <- c(2.1711119999, 1000.1, 0.999)
form("* {}]]]]].[] *", nums)

## ... results in
## *      2.17 *
## *  1000.1 *
## *    1.00 *

## use decimal separator as specified by locale
form("{}]]]]].[]", nums,
  form.options = list(locale = 1))

Names <- c("Al", "Bob", "Carl")
Values <- c(0.257, 100.1, 98)

form("+-----+-----+",
     "|   Id | Value |",
     "+=====+=====+",
```

```
"| {}{} | {}{} |",
    Names, Values,
"+-----+-----+")
```

```
## ... results in
## +-----+-----+
## | Id | Value |
## +=====+=====+
## | Al | 0.26 |
## | Bob | 100.1 |
## | Carl | 98.0 |
## +-----+-----+
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