

**NAME**

`fc-scan` – scan font files or directories

**SYNOPSIS**

`fc-scan [ -Vbh ]`

`[ [ -b ] [ --ignore-blanks ] ] [ [ -f format ] [ --format format ] ] [ --version ] [ --help ] file...`

**DESCRIPTION**

`fc-scan` scans *file*(s) recursively and prints out font pattern for each face found.

**OPTIONS**

This program follows the usual GNU command line syntax, with long options starting with two dashes ('-'). A summary of options is included below.

- b** Ignore blanks to compute languages
- f** Format output according to the format specifier *format*.
- V** Show version of the program and exit.
- h** Show summary of options.
- file* Scan *file* recursively for font faces.

**RETURN CODES**

`fc-scan` returns error code 0 if at least one font was found or 1 otherwise.

**SEE ALSO**

`fc-query`(1) `FcFileScan`(3) `FcDirScan`(3) `FcPatternFormat`(3) `fc-cat`(1) `fc-cache`(1) `fc-list`(1) `fc-match`(1) `fc-pattern`(1)

The fontconfig user's guide, in HTML format: `/usr/share/doc/fontconfig/fontconfig-user.html`.

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