

**NAME**

`gst-play-1.0` – Simple command line playback testing tool

**SYNOPSIS**

`gst-play-1.0` *FILE* [*DIRECTORY*] *URI* [*FILE2*] [*DIRECTORY2*] [*URI2*]

**DESCRIPTION**

*gst-play-1.0* is a command line tool that can be used to test basic playback using the `playbin` element. You can pass it individual files, URIs or whole directories (in which case it will recurse into sub-directories as well).

**OPTIONS**

*gst-play-1.0* accepts the following options:

**--help** Print help synopsis and available command line options

**--version**  
Print version and exit

**--audiosink=SOMESINK**  
Use the `SOMESINK` element as audio sink instead of `autoaudiosink`

**--videosink=SOMESINK**  
Use the `SOMESINK` element as video sink instead of `autovideosink`

**--volume=VOLUME**  
Set initial playback volume to `VOLUME`, where 0.0=silent and 1.0=unchanged

**--shuffle**  
Shuffle playlist (play files in random order)

**--no-interactive**  
Disable control through keyboard interaction in terminal (see below)

**--gapless**  
Enable gapless playback

**-v, --flags**  
Control playback behaviour setting `playbin` 'flags' property

**-v, --verbose**  
Output status information and property notifications

**-q, --quiet**  
Do not print any output (apart from errors)

**--use-playbin3**  
Use `playbin3` pipeline (default varies depending on 'USE\_PLAYBIN' env variable)

**--wait-on-eos**  
Keep showing the last frame on EOS until quit or playlist change command (gapless is ignored)

**INTERACTIVE KEYBOARD CONTROL**

**SPACE** Pause/Resume playback

**ARROW UP/DOWN**  
Volume up/down

**ARROW LEFT/RIGHT**  
Seek back/forward

**+/-** Increase/decrease playback rate

**d** Reverse playback direction

<b>t</b>	Cycle through trick modes
<b>a</b>	Switch audio track
<b>s</b>	Switch subtitle track
<b>v</b>	Switch video track
<b>&gt; or n</b>	Skip to next item in playlist
<b>&lt; or b</b>	Go back to previous item in playlist
<b>0</b>	Seek back to beginning of current track
<b>Q, ESC</b>	Quit

**SEE ALSO**

**gst-inspect-1.0(1)**, **gst-launch-1.0(1)**, **gst-discoverer-1.0(1)**,

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