

NAME

fgconsole – print the number of the active VT.

SYNOPSIS

fgconsole [*-h* *--help* | *-V* *--version* | *-n* *--next-available*]

DESCRIPTION

If the active Virtual Terminal is */dev/ttyN*, then prints *N* on standard output.

If the console is a serial console, then "serial" is printed instead.

-h *--help*

Prints short usage message and exits.

-V *--version*

Prints version number and exits.

--next-available

Will show the next unallocated virtual terminal. Normally 6 virtual terminals are allocated, with number 7 used for X; this will return "8" in this case.

NOTES

Under *devfs*, the consoles are in */dev/vc/N*. *devfsd* may maintain symlinks for compatibility.

SEE ALSO

chvt(1).