

NAME

linkicc - little cms device link generator.

SYNOPSIS

linkicc [*options*] <*profiles*>

DESCRIPTION

lcms is a standalone CMM engine, which deals with the color management. It implements a fast transformation between ICC profiles. **linkicc** is little cms device link generator.

Links two or more profiles into a single devicelink profile. Colorspaces must be paired except Lab/XYZ, that can be interchanged.

OPTIONS

- 8** Creates 8-bit devicelink.
- b** Black point compensation.
- c <0,1,2,3>**
 Precision (0=LowRes, 1=Normal, 2=Hi-res). [defaults to 1]
- d *description***
 Description text (quotes can be used).
- h <0,1,2,3>**
 Show summary of options and examples.
- i *profile***
 Input profile (defaults to sRGB).
- k <0..400>**
 Ink-limiting in % (CMYK only)
- o *profile***
 Output devicelink profile. [defaults to 'devicelink.icm']
- t <0,1,2,3>**
 Intent (0=Perceptual, 1=Colorimetric, 2=Saturation, 3=Absolute).
- x** Creatively, guess deviceclass of resulting profile.

Built-in profiles:

- *Lab -- D50-based CIE L*a*b (PCS)
- *XYZ -- CIE XYZ (PCS)
- *sRGB -- sRGB color space
- *Gray22- Monochrome of Gamma 2.2
- *Lin2222- CMYK linearization of gamma 2.2 on each channel

EXAMPLES

To create 'devicelink.icm' from a.icc to b.icc:

```
linkicc a.icc b.icc
```

To create 'out.icc' from sRGB to cmyk.icc:

```
linkicc -o out.icc *sRGB cmyk.icc
```

To create a sRGB input profile working in Lab:

```
linkicc -x -o sRGBLab.icc *sRGB *Lab
```

To create a XYZ -> sRGB output profile:

```
linkicc -x -o sRGBLab.icc *XYZ *sRGB
```

To create a abstract profile doing softproof for cmyk.icc:

```
linkicc -t1 -x -o softproof.icc *Lab cmyk.icc cmyk.icc *Lab
```

To create a 'grayer' sRGB input profile:

```
linkicc -x -o grayer.icc *sRGB gray.icc gray.icc *Lab
```

To embed ink limiting into a cmyk output profile:

```
linkicc -x -o cmyklimited.icc -k 250 cmyk.icc *Lab
```

NOTES

For suggestions, comments, bug reports etc. send mail to info@littlecms.com.

SEE ALSO

jpgicc(1), **tificc(1)**, **psicc(1)**, **transicc(1)**,

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