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Linux Find Out Virtual Memory PAGESIZE

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O. How do I check the size of PAGESIZE under Linux?

A. Most modern operating systems have their main memory divided into pages. It allows better utilization of memory. A page is a fixed length block of main memory, that is contiguous in both physical memory addressing and virtual memory addressing. Kernel swap and allocates memory using pages



To display size of a page in bytes, enter:

\$ getconf PAGESIZE

OR

\$ getconf PAGE_SIZE

Output:

4096

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