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### **NAME**

py3compile – byte compile Python 3 source files

### **SYNOPSIS**

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py3compile [-V [X.Y][-][A.B]] DIR_OR_FILE [-X REGEXPR]
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pycompile -p PACKAGE

# **DESCRIPTION**

Wrapper around Python standard library's py\_compile module to byte-compile Python 3 files.

### **OPTIONS**

### --version

show program's version number and exit

### -h, --help

show this help message and exit

### -f, --force

force rebuild of byte-code files even if timestamps are up-to-date

**-O** byte-compile to .pyo files

### -q, --quiet

be quiet

### -v, --verbose

turn verbose mode on

### -p PACKAGE, --package=PACKAGE

specify Debian package name whose files should be bytecompiled

### **-V** VRANGE

force private modules to be bytecompiled with Python 3 version from given range, regardless of the default Python 3 version in the system. If there are no other options, bytecompile all public modules for installed Python 3 versions that match given range. VERSION\_RANGE examples:

- **3.1** version 3.1 only,
- **3.1** version 3.1 or newer,
- **3.1–3.3** version 3.1 or 3.2,
- -4.0 all supported 3.X versions

## -X REGEXPR, --exclude=REGEXPR

exclude items that match given REGEXPR. You may use this option multiple times to build up a list of things to exclude

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