NAME
insmod – Simple program to insert a module into the Linux Kernel

SYNOPSIS
insmod [*filename*] [*module options*...]

DESCRIPTION
insmod is a trivial program to insert a module into the kernel. Most users will want to use **modprobe**(8) instead, which is more clever and can handle module dependencies.

Only the most general of error messages are reported: as the work of trying to link the module is now done inside the kernel, the **dmesg** usually gives more information about errors.

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SEE ALSO
modprobe(8), **rmmod**(8), **lsmod**(8), **modinfo**(8) **depmod**(8)

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