### **NAME**

roff2text - transform roff code into text mode

## **SYNOPSIS**

```
roff2text [groffer-option ...] [--] [filespec ...]
roff2text -h
roff2text --help
roff2text -v
roff2text --version
```

The options **-v** and **--version** print the version information of the program to standard output and exit. The options **-h** and **--help** print a usage information of the program to standard output and stop the program instantly.

All other options are assumed to be **groffer** options. They are internally passed to **groffer**. They override the behavior of the program. The options are optional, they can be omitted.

The *filespec* arguments correspond to the *filespec* arguments of **groffer**. So they are either the names of existing, readable files or – for standard input, or the name of a man page or a **groffer**(1) man page search pattern. If no *filespec* is specified standard input is assumed automatically.

#### DESCRIPTION

roff2text transforms roff code into text mode. Print the result to standard output.

There are more of these programs for generating other formats of *roff* input.

```
roff2dvi(1)
            is for dvi mode.
roff2html(1)
            generates HTML output.
roff2pdf(1)
            outputs pdf mode.
roff2ps(1)
            prints PostScript format to standard output.
roff2x(1)
```

prints the output in the **groff** device X that is suitable for programs like **gxditview**(1) or xditview(1).

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## **SEE ALSO**

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\textbf{groff}(1), \textbf{groffer}(1), \textbf{roff2dvi}(1), \textbf{roff2html}(1), \textbf{roff2pdf}(1), \textbf{roff2ps}(1), \textbf{roff2x}(1), \textbf{gxditview}(1).
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