

NAME

pcre-config – program to return PCRE configuration

SYNOPSIS

pcre-config [**--prefix**] [**--exec-prefix**] [**--version**] [**--libs**] [**--libs-posix**] [**--cflags**] [**--cflags-posix**]

DESCRIPTION

pcre-config returns the configuration of the installed PCRE libraries: the options required to compile a program to use them.

OPTIONS

- prefix** Writes the directory prefix used in the PCRE installation for architecture independent files (e.g. */usr*) to standard output.
- exec-prefix**
Writes the directory prefix used in the PCRE installation for architecture dependent files (normally the same as **--prefix**) to standard output.
- version** Writes the version of PCRE installed to standard output.
- libs** Writes to standard output the command line options required to link with PCRE (e.g. *-lpcr*).
- libs-posix**
Writes to standard output the command line options required to link with the PCRE POSIX emulation library (e.g. *-lpcrposix -lpcr*).
- cflags** Writes to standard output the command line options required to compile files that use PCRE (this often includes some *-I* options, but is blank on debian systems).
- cflags-posix**
Writes to standard output the command line options required to compile files that use the PCRE POSIX emulation library (this often includes some *-I* options, but is blank on debian systems). Suppress printing of filenames when searching multiple files.

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SEE ALSO

pcr(3)