#### **NAME**

route - route traffic control filter

# **SYNOPSIS**

```
tc filter ... route [ from REALM | fromif TAG ] [ to REALM ] [ classid CLASSID ] [ action ACTION\_SPEC ]
```

#### DESCRIPTION

Match packets based on routing table entries. This filter centers around the possibility to assign a **realm** to routing table entries. For any packet to be classified by this filter, a routing table lookup is performed and the returned **realm** is used to decide on whether the packet is a match or not.

## **OPTIONS**

action ACTION\_SPEC

Apply an action from the generic actions framework on matching packets.

classid CLASSID

Push matching packets into the class identified by CLASSID.

from REALM

fromif TAG

Perform source route lookups. TAG is the name of an interface which must be present on the system at the time of tc invocation.

to REALM

Match if normal (i.e., destination) routing returns the given *REALM*.

#### **EXAMPLES**

Consider the subnet 192.168.2.0/24 being attached to eth0:

```
ip route add 192.168.2.0/24 dev eth0 realm 2
```

The following **route** filter will then match packets from that subnet:

```
tc filter add ... route from 2 classid 1:2
```

and pass packets on to class 1:2.

### **NOTES**

Due to implementation details, **realm** values must be in a range from 0 to 255, inclusive. Alternatively, a verbose name defined in /etc/iproute2/rt\_realms may be given instead.

## **SEE ALSO**

tc(8), ip-route(8)