

**NAME**

`getconf` – Query system configuration variables

**SYNOPSIS**

**`getconf`** `-a`

**`getconf`** `[-v specification]` `system_var`

**`getconf`** `[-v specification]` `path_var` `pathname`

**DESCRIPTION**

**`-a`**

Displays all configuration variables for the current system and their values.

**`-v`**

Indicate the specification and version for which to obtain configuration variables.

**`system_var`**

A system configuration variable, as defined by `sysconf(3)` or `confstr(3)`.

**`path_var`**

A system configuration variable as defined by `pathconf(3)`. This must be used with a `pathname`.

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**SEE ALSO**

**`sysconf(3)`, `pathconf(3)`, `confstr(3)`**