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# Isof-4.89

## **Introduction to Isof**

The lsof package is useful to LiSt Open Files for a given running application or process.

This package is known to build and work properly using an LFS-7.10 platform.

## **Package Information**

• Download (HTTP):

https://www.mirrorservice.org/sites/lsof.itap.purdue.edu/pub/tools/unix/lsof/lsof\_4.89.tar.bz2

Download MD5 sum: 1b9cd34f3fb86856a125abbf2be3a386

· Download size: 768 KB

Estimated disk space required: 9.5 MB
Estimated build time: less than 0.1 SBU

## **Isof Dependencies**

#### Required

libtirpc-1.0.1

User Notes: http://wiki.linuxfromscratch.org/blfs/wiki/lsof

## **Installation of Isof**

The contents of the lsof tarball include another tarball with the source code, which needs, in turn, to be unpacked. Install lsof by running the following commands:

```
tar -xf lsof_4.89_src.tar &&
cd lsof_4.89_src &&
./Configure -n linux &&
make CFGL="-L./lib -ltirpc"
```

This package does not come with a working test suite.

Now, as the root user:

```
install -v -m0755 -o root -g root lsof /usr/bin &&
install -v lsof.8 /usr/share/man/man8
```

# **Command Explanations**

./configure -n linux: Avoid AFS, customization, and inventory checks, and use the linux dialect.

make CFGL="-L./lib -ltirpc": Add the libtirpc libraries location to the make command.

## **Contents**

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Installed Program: IsofInstalled Libraries: NoneInstalled Directories: None

## **Short Descriptions**

lists open files for running processes.

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