

NAME

trim – strip leading and trailing silence

SYNOPSIS

trim [*threshold* [*infile* [*outfile* [*/*]]]]

DESCRIPTION

Strip leading and trailing silence from *infile* and store the result in *outfile*. Silence is everything below or equal to the given *threshold* in units of the maximum allowed displacement, i.e., between **0** and **1**, where expressions like **1/2** or **3:4** are permitted. All files must be in the WAVE format. *threshold* defaults to **0**. Filenames default to **/dev/stdin** or **/dev/stdout**. The dash (-) is a shorthand for the default value. If *outfile* is followed by a slash (*/*), application-specific metadata is omitted.