



## ***Linux Ubuntu 22.4.5 Manual Pages on command 'sync-available.8'***

### ***\$ man sync-available.8***

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#### NAME

sync-available - sync dpkg's available database with apt's database

#### SYNOPSIS

sync-available

sync-available --version

sync-available --help

#### DESCRIPTION

This program updates the dpkg(8) available database with the data in the apt(8) package database. This is required for grep-available(1) and other similar programs to give up-to-date results.

The same functionality is available through dselect(8), when it is configured to use apt(8) as its acquisition method. However, this program does not require that dselect(8) is installed.

#### EXIT STATUS

The program exits with status code 0 if all went well, and a non-zero status code otherwise.

#### OPTIONS

--version

Output the name and version of the program onto standard output stream.

--help Give a brief usage statement on the standard output stream.

#### ENVIRONMENT

TMPDIR The name of the directory where temporary files are created. Default is /tmp.

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#### SEE ALSO

grep-available(1), apt(8), dpkg(8), dselect(8)

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