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## ***Red Hat Enterprise Linux Release 9.2 Manual Pages on 'addpart.8' command***

***\$ man addpart.8***

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### NAME

addpart - tell the kernel about the existence of a partition

### SYNOPSIS

addpart device partition start length

### DESCRIPTION

addpart tells the Linux kernel about the existence of the specified partition. The command is a simple wrapper around the "add partition" ioctl.

This command doesn't manipulate partitions on a block device.

### PARAMETERS

device

The disk device.

partition

The partition number.

start

The beginning of the partition (in 512-byte sectors).

length

The length of the partition (in 512-byte sectors).

### SEE ALSO

delpart(8), fdisk(8), parted(8), partprobe(8), partx(8)

### REPORTING BUGS

For bug reports, use the issue tracker at

<https://github.com/karelzak/util-linux/issues>.

#### AVAILABILITY

The addpart command is part of the util-linux package which can be downloaded from Linux Kernel Archive

<<https://www.kernel.org/pub/linux/utils/util-linux/>>.

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