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NAME

insmod - Simple program to insert a module into the Linux Kernel

SYNOPSIS

insmod [filename] [module options...]

DESCRIPTION

insmod is a trivial program to insert a module into the kernel. Most users will want to use modprobe(8) instead, which is more clever and can handle module dependencies.

Only the most general of error messages are reported: as the work of trying to link the module is now done inside the kernel, the dmesg usually gives more information about errors.

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SEE ALSO

modprobe(8), rmmmod(8), lsmod(8), modinfo(8) depmod(8)

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